

poultry slaughter



August 1975

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Inspected Poultry - There were 1,254 million pounds live weight of poultry inspected for slaughter by the United States Department of Agriculture during August 1975. This is 9 percent less than August 1974 and 3 percent below July 1975.

Young chickens inspected totaled 937 million pounds, 6 percent below August 1974 and 5 percent less than last month. Mature chickens inspected totaled 53.8 million pounds, 25 percent less than last year and 1 percent below July 1975. Total turkeys inspected at 256 million pounds were down 15 percent from a year ago but up 6 percent from last month. Duck inspections at 6.6 million pounds were down 15 percent from August 1974 and 12 percent from the previous month.

Poultry Certified Wholesome in August totaled 923 million pounds ready-to-cook weight -- down 8 percent from August 1974 and 3 percent less than last month. Of the August 1975 total, 75 percent was chilled and 25 percent was frozen.

Further Processed poultry totaled 190 million pounds ready-to-cook weight -- down 2 percent from August 1974 but up 7 percent from the previous month.

Poultry Cut-up and Packaged totaled 263 million pounds ready-to-cook weight -- up 5 percent from August 1974 but 1 percent below last month.

Ante-Mortem Condemnations during August were 5.4 million pounds live weight. This was 0.42 percent of total quantities inspected, compared with 0.48 percent a year ago. Post-Mortem Condemnations were 21.4 million pounds (NYD weight). This is 1.90 percent of total quantities inspected, compared with 2.44 percent in August 1974.

Total Poultry Slaughtered (including that slaughtered in non-federally inspected plants) during August 1975 was 942 million pounds ready-to-cook weight, down 8 percent from August 1974 and 3 percent less than last month.

POULTRY: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, AUGUST 1975 WITH COMPARISONS

NUMBER INSPECTED 3/	: YOUNG : MATURE :		: CHICKENS : CHICKENS :		: TOTAL : FRYER- :		: ROASTERS : TURKEYS :		: OLD :		: TOTAL :		: OTHER :		: TOTAL :	
	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :
JULY 1975	266,582	12,851	279,433	1,166	12,501	246	13,913	1,262	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
AUGUST 1975	264,213	16,427	280,640	1,365	15,271	112	16,748	1,264	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JAN.-AUG. 1974	2,024,829	137,599	2,162,428	10,718	61,939	1,175	73,832	7,759	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JAN.-AUG. 1975	1,947,950	118,998	2,066,948	8,160	53,468	835	62,463	7,570	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
POUNDS INSPECTED 4/	981,549	54,595	1,036,144	10,497	227,516	4,793	242,806	7,536	445	1,286,931	478	1,371,911	414	1,253,737	2,342	9,596,348
JULY 1975	991,121	72,069	1,063,190	12,420	285,927	2,132	300,479	7,764	478	1,371,911	414	1,253,737	2,342	9,596,348	47,052	8,919,077
AUGUST 1975	936,506	53,807	990,313	8,768	245,587	2,048	256,403	6,607	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JAN.-AUG. 1974	7,645,513	606,213	8,251,726	97,425	1,173,307	22,944	1,293,676	48,604	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JAN.-AUG. 1975	7,287,588	507,109	7,794,697	73,917	984,663	16,359	1,074,939	47,052	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHTS/	3.68	4.25	3.71	9.00	18.20	19.46	17.45	5.97	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JULY 1975	3.75	4.39	3.79	9.10	18.72	19.05	17.94	6.12	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
AUGUST 1975	3.68	4.36	3.71	9.03	18.39	18.19	17.76	5.94	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JAN.-AUG. 1974	3.78	4.41	3.82	9.09	18.94	19.53	17.52	6.26	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JAN.-AUG. 1975	3.74	4.26	3.77	9.06	19.42	19.60	17.21	6.22	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

1/ OF THE MATURE CHICKENS INSPECTED, THE NUMBER REPORTED IN THOUSANDS AS HEAVY FOWL (BROILER BREEDING STOCK) WAS:

JULY 1975, 1,625; AUGUST 1974, 2,671; AND AUGUST 1975, 1,981.

2/ OF THE YOUNG TURKEYS INSPECTED, THE NUMBER REPORTED IN THOUSANDS AS YOUNG BANDED BREEDERS WAS:

JULY 1975, 398; AUGUST 1974, 127; AND AUGUST 1975, 178.

3/ THOUSANDS 4/ 1,000 POUNDS 5/ POUNDS

POULTRY: POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WEIGHTS), AUGUST 1975 WITH COMPARISONS 1/

JULY 1975	: YOUNG : MATURE :		: CHICKENS : CHICKENS :		: TOTAL : FRYER- :		: ROASTERS : TURKEYS :		: OLD :		: TOTAL :		: OTHER :		: TOTAL :	
	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :
CHILLED	665,936	26,784	692,720	2,735	26,808	955	30,498	102	8	723,328	249	723,328	257	947,458	26	738,710
FROZEN	48,290	7,683	55,973	5,537	154,466	2,745	162,748	5,160	249	224,130	235	224,130	257	947,458	26	738,710
TOTAL	714,226	34,467	748,693	8,272	181,274	3,700	193,246	5,262	257	947,458	261	947,458	261	1,001,826	52	777,420
AUGUST 1974	662,407	36,896	699,303	2,371	36,507	352	39,230	151	26	738,710	235	738,710	261	1,001,826	16	691,636
CHILLED	51,360	8,213	59,573	7,339	189,265	1,320	197,924	5,384	235	263,116	222	263,116	238	922,721	96	558,732
FROZEN	713,767	45,109	758,876	9,170	225,772	1,672	237,154	5,535	1,175	1,342,706	1,271	1,342,706	1,304	6,495,256	131	5,344,752
TOTAL	632,694	27,496	660,190	1,726	29,568	29	31,323	107	16	691,636	222	691,636	238	922,721	96	558,732
CHILLED	47,848	6,550	54,398	5,243	165,110	1,582	171,935	4,530	222	231,085	238	231,085	238	922,721	96	558,732
FROZEN	680,452	34,046	714,588	6,969	194,678	1,611	203,258	4,637	238	922,721	238	922,721	238	922,721	238	922,721
TOTAL	5,074,860	304,065	5,378,925	18,497	184,792	4,054	207,343	948	96	558,732	1,175	558,732	1,271	6,930,018	131	5,344,752
CHILLED	419,851	75,907	495,758	58,064	740,015	14,003	812,082	33,691	1,175	1,342,706	1,271	1,342,706	1,304	6,495,256	131	5,344,752
FROZEN	5,494,711	379,972	5,874,683	76,561	924,807	18,057	1,019,425	34,639	1,271	6,930,018	1,271	6,930,018	1,304	6,495,256	131	5,344,752
TOTAL	4,913,849	257,576	5,171,425	15,949	153,307	3,007	172,263	933	131	5,344,752	1,173	5,344,752	1,304	6,495,256	131	5,344,752
CHILLED	375,416	62,193	437,609	42,447	627,429	9,759	679,635	32,087	1,173	1,150,504	1,173	1,150,504	1,304	6,495,256	131	5,344,752
FROZEN	5,289,265	319,769	5,609,034	58,396	780,736	12,766	851,898	33,020	1,304	6,495,256	1,304	6,495,256	1,304	6,495,256	131	5,344,752
TOTAL	5,289,265	319,769	5,609,034	58,396	780,736	12,766	851,898	33,020	1,304	6,495,256	1,304	6,495,256	1,304	6,495,256	131	5,344,752

1/ 1,000 POUNDS

POULTRY: CONDEMNATIONS OF POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, AUGUST 1975 WITH COMPARISONS

		YOUNG	MATURE	TOTAL	FRYER	YOUNG	OLD	TOTAL	OTHER	TOTAL
		CHICKENS	CHICKENS	CHICKENS	ROASTERS	TURKEYS	TURKEYS	TURKEYS	DUCKS	POULTRY
		CHICKENS	CHICKENS	CHICKENS	CHICKENS	TURKEYS	TURKEYS	TURKEYS	DUCKS	POULTRY
ANTE-MORTEM										
1,000 POUNDS (LIVEWEIGHT)										
AUGUST 1974:	5,173	669	5,842	28	812	8	848	5	7	6,702
AUGUST 1975:	4,176	537	4,713	15	633	5	653	3	1	5,370
JAN.-AUG. 1974:	35,956	5,988	41,944	213	3,282	93	3,588	31	17	45,580
JAN.-AUG. 1975:	25,503	5,047	30,550	186	2,345	66	2,597	26	15	33,190
PERCENT 1/										
AUGUST 1974:	.52	.92	.54	.22	.28	.39	.28	.06	1.50	.48
AUGUST 1975:	.44	.99	.47	.17	.25	.24	.25	.04	.37	.42
POST-MORTEM										
1,000 LBS. (N.Y. DRESSED)										
AUGUST 1974:	19,135	3,561	22,696	249	6,801	77	7,127	165	9	29,996
AUGUST 1975:	13,640	2,420	16,060	98	5,003	71	5,172	151	4	21,388
JAN.-AUG. 1974:	160,448	30,286	190,734	1,616	27,937	885	30,438	1,078	32	222,283
JAN.-AUG. 1975:	112,106	23,555	135,661	925	18,738	591	20,254	1,102	29	157,048
PERCENT 2/										
AUGUST 1974:	2.15	5.54	2.38	2.22	2.65	4.04	2.64	2.35	2.06	2.44
AUGUST 1975:	1.62	5.05	1.81	1.25	2.26	3.88	2.24	2.53	1.10	1.90

1/ POUNDS CONDEMNED AS PERCENT OF POUNDS (LIVEWEIGHT) INSPECTED. PERCENTAGE BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
 2/ POUNDS CONDEMNED AS PERCENT OF EQUIVALENT N.Y. DRESSED WEIGHT OF QUANTITY INSPECTED. PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

POULTRY: INSPECTED FOR FURTHER PROCESSING AND CUT-UP UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, AUGUST 1975 WITH COMPARISONS

		YOUNG CHICKENS		MATURE CHICKENS		TURKEYS		OTHER POULTRY 2/		TOTAL POULTRY	
		CUT-UP	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT-UP	FURTHER PROCESSED	FURTHER PROCESSED	WHOLE 1/	OTHER	CUT-UP	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT-UP
		PROCESSED	PROCESSED	PROCESSED	PROCESSED	PROCESSED	PROCESSED	PROCESSED	PROCESSED	PROCESSED	PROCESSED
1,000 POUNDS											
POUNDS USED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT											
JUL 1975	48,242	237,902	25,530	753	46,391	52,742	27,078	5,694	60	178,599	265,793
AUG 1974	40,658	220,118	34,488	705	55,118	54,916	29,098	8,774	77	193,954	249,998
AUG 1975	48,029	232,706	27,690	779	52,573	54,859	29,764	7,110	40	190,261	263,289
JAN - AUG 1974	338,599	1,660,547	287,488	4,343	203,665	318,701	189,244	61,216	497	1,209,669	1,854,631
JAN - AUG 1975	339,944	1,721,374	213,669	7,395	182,547	318,322	180,424	51,034	264	1,105,516	1,909,457
LBS. CONDEMNED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT											
JUL 1975	308	1,717	48	3	68	116	80	504	504	1,836	
AUG 1974	281	1,410	46	3	99	141	15	441	441	1,554	
AUG 1975	322	1,680	44	4	70	125	48	484	484	1,809	
JAN - AUG 1974	2,753	11,459	350	7	423	730	178	3,704	3	12,199	
JAN - AUG 1975	2,263	12,343	306	32	405	930	374	3,348	3	13,308	

1/ WHOLE CARCASS TURKEYS WHICH HAVE BEEN INJECTED, BASTED, MARINATED, SMOKED, BBQ'D, ETC., AND PACKAGED AS SUCH.
 2/ POULTRY PARTS AND FAT USED IN FURTHER PROCESSING THAT CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED BY CLASS ARE INCLUDED IN "OTHER POULTRY".

MATURE CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, AUGUST 1974 AND 1975

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS		
	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	
U. S.	16,427	12,342	72,069	53,807	4.39	4.36	45,109	34,046	2,420	5,54	
ALABAMA	185	219	837	855	4.53	3.90	578	544	25	3.38	
CALIFORNIA	1,264	983	5,021	4,159	3.97	4.23	3,039	2,594	282	6.29	
GEORGIA	3,440	2,374	15,279	11,018	4.44	4.64	9,507	6,967	751	5.52	
MAINE	188	80	651	479	6.00	6.00	441	325	22	3.80	
MARYLAND	388	252	1,679	1,141	4.32	4.52	1,063	722	71	4.75	
MINNESOTA	1,376	1,137	5,129	4,176	3.73	3.67	3,047	2,477	287	5.04	
MISSISSIPPI	1,671	1,073	8,098	5,256	4.85	4.90	5,204	3,385	446	6.19	
MISSOURI	980	334	5,037	2,172	5.14	6.51	3,282	1,498	252	5.59	
NEW JERSEY	1,133	857	5,036	3,566	4.44	4.16	3,062	2,175	250	4.66	
NORTH CAROLINA	183	123	705	917	6.83	7.45	483	654	21	3.30	
OHIO	---	398	---	1,743	---	4.38	---	1,084	---	81	---
PENNSYLVANIA	40	160	302	761	7.62	4.75	220	519	5	1.76	
TEXAS	479	514	1,821	2,049	3.80	3.99	1,119	1,290	108	6.63	
VIRGINIA	55	38	416	280	7.55	7.36	289	201	8	2.23	
WASHINGTON	289	94	956	380	4.58	4.05	590	246	37	4.36	

1/ AVERAGE WEIGHT BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
 2/ POUNDS CONDEMNED AS PERCENT OF EQUIVALENT N.Y. DRESSED WEIGHT OF QUANTITY INSPECTED. PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
 3/ DATA FOR ONLY 1 YEAR PUBLISHED IN ORDER TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

STATE	TUBERCULOSIS		LEU- KOSIS		SEPTI- CEMIA		AIRSAC- VITIS		TUMORS		CAUSAL PRUICES		CONTAM- INATION		OVER- SCALD		TOTAL NO.									
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.										
U. S.	1,265	30,509	156,415	2,277	1,045	109,178	30,733	12,716	65,207	80,759	492,344	4,227	58,210	91,822	1,431	6,915	46,071	45,839	11,775	28,690	2,419	16,958	4,918	19,303	494	6,627
ALABAMA	---	286	907	52	27	495	328	365	1,036	43	668	4,227	58,210	91,822	1,431	6,915	46,071	45,839	11,775	28,690	2,419	16,958	4,918	19,303	494	6,627
CALIFORNIA	---	192	21,472	116	28	29,367	447	244	3,104	78	668	4,227	58,210	91,822	1,431	6,915	46,071	45,839	11,775	28,690	2,419	16,958	4,918	19,303	494	6,627
GEORGIA	---	777	26,893	152	88	11,601	7,009	2,424	21,676	535	20,667	4,227	58,210	91,822	1,431	6,915	46,071	45,839	11,775	28,690	2,419	16,958	4,918	19,303	494	6,627
MAINE	---	30	627	---	5	152	41	20	435	25	96	4,227	58,210	91,822	1,431	6,915	46,071	45,839	11,775	28,690	2,419	16,958	4,918	19,303	494	6,627
MARYLAND	---	265	1,525	56	29	1,727	136	140	1,730	27	1,280	4,227	58,210	91,822	1,431	6,915	46,071	45,839	11,775	28,690	2,419	16,958	4,918	19,303	494	6,627
MINNESOTA	543	6,127	8,773	298	144	15,264	1,603	616	2,545	201	9,957	4,227	58,210	91,822	1,431	6,915	46,071	45,839	11,775	28,690	2,419	16,958	4,918	19,303	494	6,627
MISSISSIPPI	---	1,358	11,589	61	176	7,052	3,287	1,806	6,649	369	13,492	4,227	58,210	91,822	1,431	6,915	46,071	45,839	11,775	28,690	2,419	16,958	4,918	19,303	494	6,627
MISSOURI	---	227	5,139	193	27	2,070	1,724	452	885	334	722	4,227	58,210	91,822	1,431	6,915	46,071	45,839	11,775	28,690	2,419	16,958	4,918	19,303	494	6,627
NEW JERSEY	---	1,560	7,996	5	45	5,263	1,926	455	2,227	24	9,389	4,227	58,210	91,822	1,431	6,915	46,071	45,839	11,775	28,690	2,419	16,958	4,918	19,303	494	6,627
NORTH CAROLINA	---	114	635	99	2	355	76	65	563	3	507	4,227	58,210	91,822	1,431	6,915	46,071	45,839	11,775	28,690	2,419	16,958	4,918	19,303	494	6,627
OHIO	1	3,758	2,991	22	4	2,564	1,347	451	2,430	14	3,376	4,227	58,210	91,822	1,431	6,915	46,071	45,839	11,775	28,690	2,419	16,958	4,918	19,303	494	6,627
PENNSYLVANIA	---	138	3,460	77	---	500	237	214	3,376	3	507	4,227	58,210	91,822	1,431	6,915	46,071	45,839	11,775	28,690	2,419	16,958	4,918	19,303	494	6,627
TEXAS	---	414	3,924	56	64	3,663	871	1,270	2,151	61	6,829	4,227	58,210	91,822	1,431	6,915	46,071	45,839	11,775	28,690	2,419	16,958	4,918	19,303	494	6,627
VIRGINIA	---	22	235	27	---	51	23	18	61	---	57	4,227	58,210	91,822	1,431	6,915	46,071	45,839	11,775	28,690	2,419	16,958	4,918	19,303	494	6,627
WASHINGTON	---	350	2,896	42	235	527	1,029	106	1,422	19	6,827	4,227	58,210	91,822	1,431	6,915	46,071	45,839	11,775	28,690	2,419	16,958	4,918	19,303	494	6,627

YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE) : SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, AUGUST 1974 AND 1975

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975		
U. S.	15,271	13,351	285,927	245,587	18.72	18.39	225,772	194,678	5,801	5,003	2.65	2.26
ARKANSAS	1,385	860	25,232	15,919	18.22	18.51	19,665	12,459	585	356	2.58	2.49
CALIFORNIA	2,036	1,870	37,903	35,930	18.62	19.21	30,265	28,823	643	524	1.88	1.82
COLORADO	437	393	8,804	8,881	20.14	22.58	6,745	6,579	249	144	3.15	1.80
INDIANA	631	481	11,368	8,750	18.01	18.20	8,968	6,863	288	227	2.82	2.90
IOWA	914	833	17,227	14,910	18.85	17.90	13,474	11,670	452	311	2.92	2.52
MINNESOTA	2,676	2,445	49,553	42,928	18.52	17.56	39,495	34,416	1,127	839	2.53	2.17
MISSOURI	1,478	1,324	27,683	24,591	18.72	18.58	21,560	19,761	1,023	541	4.12	2.45
NORTH CAROLINA	1,243	1,062	20,874	16,658	16.80	15.69	16,745	13,429	458	401	2.45	2.68
OHIO	562	351	10,733	6,713	19.10	19.11	8,491	5,370	214	143	2.26	2.36
PENNSYLVANIA	380	295	7,037	5,316	18.50	17.99	5,613	4,284	164	74	1.64	1.55
TEXAS	874	843	16,570	16,025	18.96	19.01	13,073	12,527	436	364	2.93	2.53
UTAH	277	564	12,763	11,178	22.11	19.83	10,273	8,882	512	326	4.47	3.25
VIRGINIA	813	892	14,385	14,721	17.68	16.51	11,396	11,793	171	180	1.32	1.36

1/ AVERAGE WEIGHT BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
 2/ POUNDS CONDEMNED AS PERCENT OF EQUIVALENT N.Y. DRESSED WEIGHT OF QUANTITY INSPECTED. PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE) : NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, AUGUST 1975

STATE	TUBERCULOSIS		LEUKOSIS		SEPTICEMIA		AIRSAC		SYNOVITIS		TUMORS		RUPTURES		CADAVER INACTION		CONTAMINATION		OVERSCALD		TOTAL NO.
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.		
U. S.	283	119,141	42,402	20,896	206	3,122	5,919	14,116	1,095	4,278	211,458										
ARKANSAS	4	5,738	1,128	1,098	52	166	190	868	119	98	9,461										
CALIFORNIA	15	14,146	2,650	1,624	32	192	368	505	43	93	19,678										
COLORADO	---	2,471	1,751	787	---	28	63	98	---	2	5,200										
INDIANA	---	4,760	3,391	1,749	1	121	204	378	57	175	10,836										
IOWA	---	8,368	3,483	1,005	7	320	266	2,181	75	176	15,881										
MINNESOTA	33	26,516	6,767	3,601	14	505	1,148	1,701	160	251	40,696										
MISSOURI	2	16,631	4,921	866	4	251	565	1,531	255	381	25,407										
NORTH CAROLINA	61	5,550	6,760	194	10	308	236	2,585	121	2,183	18,008										
OHIO	107	2,339	1,101	1,257	4	92	104	404	26	76	5,510										
PENNSYLVANIA	9	1,963	445	125	3	30	379	134	1	21	3,110										
TEXAS	1	6,480	1,915	2,149	7	333	534	1,300	37	265	13,021										
UTAH	11	7,256	2,706	2,895	9	281	532	1,442	131	99	15,362										
VIRGINIA	9	5,568	557	23	2	71	582	125	68	226	7,231										

FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, AUGUST 1974 AND 1975

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975		
U. S.	11,365	971	12,420	8,768	9.10	9.03	9,710	6,969	649	98	2.22	1.25
CALIFORNIA	243	38	2,375	338	9.78	9.86	1,846	272	60	5	2.83	1.49
MINNESOTA	537	575	5,580	5,241	9.19	9.12	4,391	4,162	91	66	1.81	1.40
VIRGINIA	3/	263	2,187	---	8.32	---	1,710	---	22	---	1.09	---

1/ AVERAGE WEIGHT BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
 2/ POUNDS CONDEMNED AS PERCENT OF EQUIVALENT N.Y. DRESSED WEIGHT OF QUANTITY INSPECTED. PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
 3/ DATA FOR ONLY 1 YEAR PUBLISHED IN ORDER TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, AUGUST 1975

STATE	TUBERCULOSIS		LEUROSIS		KOSIS		SEPTICEMIA		AIRSAC		SYNCOXIS		VITIS		TURMORS		BRUISES		CARAVEMINATION		CONTAMINATION		OVERSCALE		TOTAL
	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	
U. S.	---	---	2	5.771	569	230	---	130	466	1,134	46	156	6,504												
CALIFORNIA	---	---	---	---	5	---	---	---	4	1	---	---	270												
MINNESOTA	---	---	2	3,988	256	197	---	84	317	443	4	5,732													

OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, AUGUST 1974 AND 1975

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975		
U. S.	112	113	2,132	2,048	19.05	18.19	1,672	1,611	77	71	4.04	3.88
MINNESOTA	17	22	330	335	18.95	15.21	261	265	7	8	2.46	2.80
OHIO	30	13	556	250	18.43	19.60	435	197	18	9	3.54	3.82

1/ AVERAGE WEIGHT BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
 2/ POUNDS CONDEMNED AS PERCENT OF EQUIVALENT N.Y. DRESSED WEIGHT OF QUANTITY INSPECTED. PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, AUGUST 1975

STATE	TUBERCULOSIS		LEUROSIS		KOSIS		SEPTICEMIA		AIRSAC		SYNCOXIS		VITIS		TURMORS		BRUISES		CARAVEMINATION		CONTAMINATION		OVERSCALE		TOTAL
	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	
U. S.	---	---	7	1,148	477	17	46	99	131	217	3	523	2,658												
MINNESOTA	---	---	1	120	99	3	2	23	38	31	1	4	292												
OHIO	---	---	---	179	11	1	3	20	2	24	2	10	256												

TOTAL POULTRY SLAUGHTERED (READY-TO-COOK WEIGHTS),
AUGUST 1975 WITH COMPARISONS'

MONTH AND YEAR	INSPECTED	OTHER <u>1/</u>	TOTAL
MILLION POUNDS			
JUL 1975	947	20	967
AUG 1974	1,002	21	1,023
AUG 1975	923	19	942
JAN - AUG 1974	6,931	295	7,226
JAN - AUG 1975	6,495	147	6,641

1/ EXCLUDES DUCKS AND OTHER MISCELLANEOUS POULTRY.

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Definitions

Young chickens - Commercially grown broilers-fryers and other young immature birds such as roasters and capons.

Mature chickens - Fowl from breeder and market egg flocks and stags and cocks.

Fryer-roaster turkeys - Young immature birds, usually under 16 weeks of age.

Young turkeys (mature) - Young birds grown to a matured market age, usually 5 to 7 months.

Old turkeys (breeders) - Fully matured birds held for egg production, usually over 15 months of age.

Ducks - Includes all ducks regardless of age and weight.

Other poultry - Includes all other ready-to-cook products which bear the U.S.D.A. Inspected for Wholesomeness legend.

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