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LIVE WEIGHT POULTRY INSPECTION increased 4 percent from September 1978 to 1.57 billion pounds during September 1979, but was 15 percent below August 1979, according to the Crop Reporting Board.

Inspections included 1.20 billion pounds of young chickens, up 4 percent from September 1978, but 16 percent below August 1979; 72.4 million pounds of mature chickens, 15 percent above the previous September level, but 13 percent below August 1979. Turkey inspections totaled 293 million pounds, up slightly from the same month a year earlier, but 13 percent below August 1979. Duck inspections at 8.98 million pounds declined 1 percent from September 1978 and 21 percent from August 1979.

POULTRY CERTIFIED WHOLESOME, totaling 1.15 billion pounds ready-to-cook weight during September 1979 was up 3 percent from September 1978, but down 15 percent from August 1979. Of the September 1979 total, 77 percent was chilled and 23 percent frozen.

FURTHER PROCESSED poultry totaled 238 million pounds ready-to-cook weight, down 11 percent from September 1978 and 21 percent from August 1979.

CUT-UP PACKAGED totaled 337 million pounds ready-to-cook weight, down 5 percent from September 1978 and 22 percent below August 1979.

ANTE-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS during September 1979 were 6.54 million pounds live weight. This was 0.41 percent of quantities inspected, compared with 0.50 percent a year ago. POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS were 29.3 million pounds (N.Y.D. weight). This was 2.07 percent of quantities inspected, compared with 2.04 percent in September 1978.

POULTRY SLAUGHTERED (including that slaughtered in non-federally inspected plants) during September was 1.16 billion pounds ready-to-cook weight, up 3 percent from September 1978 but 15 percent below August 1979.

POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, SEPTEMBER 1979 WITH COMPARISONS

NUMBER INSPECTED 3/ MONTH	YOUNG CHICKENS	MATURE CHICKENS	TOTAL CHICKENS	CHICKENS	RYE	FRYER ROASTERS	YOUNG TURKEYS	OLD TURKEYS	TOTAL TURKEYS	DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
AUGUST 1979	366,235	17,973	384,208	1,053	17,085	114	18,252	1,922	18,252	1,922	---	---
SEPTEMBER 1978	293,385	14,115	307,500	554	14,831	76	15,461	1,498	15,461	1,498	---	---
SEPTEMBER 1979	298,215	15,767	313,982	849	14,491	117	15,457	1,466	15,457	1,466	---	---
JAN.-SEPT. 1978	2,662,492	145,446	2,807,938	5,303	83,036	885	89,224	11,247	89,224	11,247	---	---
JAN.-SEPT. 1979	2,926,447	152,848	3,079,295	6,606	92,057	937	99,600	13,198	99,600	13,198	---	---
POUNDS INSPECTED 4/												
AUGUST 1979	1,417,805	82,970	1,500,783	9,564	326,167	2,131	337,862	11,402	337,862	11,402	825	1,850,872
SEPTEMBER 1978	1,146,510	62,687	1,209,197	5,368	284,946	1,598	291,912	9,053	291,912	9,053	471	1,510,633
SEPTEMBER 1979	1,195,300	72,368	1,267,663	8,014	282,877	2,404	293,295	8,979	293,295	8,979	574	1,570,511
JAN.-SEPT. 1978	10,285,021	622,740	10,907,761	49,081	1,582,514	18,162	1,649,757	69,364	1,649,757	69,364	3,241	12,630,123
JAN.-SEPT. 1979	11,428,821	679,684	12,108,505	61,760	1,753,512	18,886	1,834,160	81,244	1,834,160	81,244	3,354	14,027,260
AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHTS/												
AUGUST 1979	3.87	4.62	3.91	9.08	19.09	18.76	18.51	5.93	18.51	5.93	---	---
SEPTEMBER 1978	3.91	4.44	3.93	9.68	19.21	20.90	18.88	6.05	18.88	6.05	---	---
SEPTEMBER 1979	4.01	4.59	4.04	9.44	19.52	20.56	18.98	6.12	18.98	6.12	---	---
JAN.-SEPT. 1978	3.86	4.28	3.88	9.26	19.06	20.52	18.49	6.17	18.49	6.17	---	---
JAN.-SEPT. 1979	3.91	4.45	3.93	9.35	19.05	20.16	18.42	6.16	18.42	6.16	---	---

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

AUGUST 1979, 3,887; SEPTEMBER 1978, 2,490; AND SEPTEMBER 1979, 2,452.

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

AUGUST 1979, 381; SEPTEMBER 1978, 135; AND SEPTEMBER 1979, 146.

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

POULTRY: POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WEIGHTS); SEPTEMBER 1979 WITH COMPARISONS 1/

MONTH	YOUNG CHICKENS	MATURE CHICKENS	TOTAL CHICKENS	CHICKENS	FRYER ROASTERS	YOUNG TURKEYS	OLD TURKEYS	TOTAL TURKEYS	DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
AUGUST 1979	952,801	43,263	996,062	3,256	55,383	250	58,897	590	45	1,055,594	
SEPTEMBER 1978	73,544	8,302	81,846	4,236	203,218	1,396	208,850	7,337	446	298,479	
SEPTEMBER 1979	1,026,345	51,568	1,077,908	7,492	258,601	1,654	267,747	7,927	491	1,354,073	
AUGUST 1979	773,082	33,049	806,131	2,230	54,530	113	56,973	489	32	863,525	
SEPTEMBER 1978	60,967	6,206	67,173	1,966	170,934	1,140	174,040	5,820	249	247,282	
SEPTEMBER 1979	834,049	39,255	873,304	4,196	225,464	1,253	230,913	6,309	261	1,110,807	
AUGUST 1979	791,784	38,550	830,334	3,214	47,636	589	51,439	629	37	882,439	
SEPTEMBER 1978	71,411	6,811	78,222	3,083	177,196	1,296	181,575	5,542	301	265,640	
SEPTEMBER 1979	863,195	49,363	908,556	6,297	224,832	1,885	233,014	6,171	338	1,148,079	
JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 1978	6,873,742	328,510	7,202,255	16,807	342,282	3,480	362,569	5,872	144	7,570,840	
JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 1979	566,587	57,068	623,647	22,018	911,847	10,610	944,475	42,288	1,685	1,612,095	
AUGUST 1979	7,440,329	385,578	7,825,902	88,825	1,254,129	14,090	1,307,044	48,160	1,829	9,182,935	
SEPTEMBER 1978	7,621,173	358,175	7,979,348	22,184	369,872	4,367	396,608	6,452	275	8,382,682	
SEPTEMBER 1979	629,037	63,342	692,379	26,444	1,023,860	9,481	1,060,321	49,759	1,590	1,804,053	
JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 1978	8,250,210	421,517	8,671,727	48,628	1,393,732	13,848	1,456,929	56,211	1,865	10,185,735	

1/ 1,000 POUNDS

POULTRY: CONDEMNATIONS OF POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, SEPTEMBER 1979 WITH COMPARISONS

	YOUNG CHICKENS		MATURE CHICKENS		TOTAL CHICKENS		FRYER-ROASTERS		YOUNG TURKEYS		OLD TURKEYS		TOTAL TURKEYS		DUCKS		OTHER POULTRY		TOTAL POULTRY		
	1,000 POUNDS	(LIVWEIGHT)	1,000 POUNDS	(LIVWEIGHT)	1,000 POUNDS	(LIVWEIGHT)	1,000 POUNDS	(LIVWEIGHT)	PERCENT	1,000 POUNDS	(LIVWEIGHT)	PERCENT	1,000 POUNDS	(LIVWEIGHT)	PERCENT	1,000 POUNDS	(LIVWEIGHT)	PERCENT	1,000 POUNDS	(LIVWEIGHT)	PERCENT
ANTE-MORTEM																					
1,000 POUNDS (LIVWEIGHT)	6,006	758	6,759	17	902	5	924	6	2	7,691											
SEPTEMBER 1978	5,041	706	5,747	20	749	7	776	7	7	6,537											
SEPTEMBER 1979	53,553	7,854	61,407	148	4,955	108	5,211	41	16	66,675											
JAN.-SEPT. 1978	55,622	9,435	65,057	180	5,531	120	5,831	64	26	70,978											
JAN.-SEPT. 1979																					
PERCENT 1/	.52	1.28	.55	.31	.31	.30	.31	.06	.39	.50											
SEPTEMBER 1978	.42	.97	.45	.25	.26	.30	.26	.07	1.34	.41											
SEPTEMBER 1979																					
POST-MORTEM																					
1,000 LBS. (N.Y. DRESSED)	18,990	2,267	21,257	85	6,144	53	6,282	164	6	27,710											
SEPTEMBER 1978	20,621	2,516	23,139	119	5,761	73	5,953	156	7	29,235											
SEPTEMBER 1979	172,678	22,922	195,600	595	32,002	623	33,220	1,332	37	230,190											
JAN.-SEPT. 1978	207,732	24,858	232,582	933	34,689	724	36,346	1,460	48	270,436											
JAN.-SEPT. 1979																					
PERCENT 2/	1.85	4.07	1.96	1.76	2.40	3.66	2.39	2.01	1.42	2.04											
SEPTEMBER 1978	1.92	9.98	2.03	1.65	2.26	3.38	2.26	1.92	1.38	2.07											
SEPTEMBER 1979																					

1/ ROUNDS CONDEMNED AS PERCENT OF POUNDS (LIVWEIGHT) INSPECTED. PERCENTAGE BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
 2/ ROUNDS 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, SEPTEMBER 1979 WITH COMPARISONS

	YOUNG CHICKENS		MATURE CHICKENS		TURKEYS		OTHER POULTRY		TOTAL POULTRY		
	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT-UP	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT-UP	WHOLE	OTHER	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT-UP	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT-UP	
POUNDS USED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT											
AUG 1979	88,596	376,395	34,335	157	73,680	90,518	52,942	13,518	151	300,647	429,645
SEP 1978	69,566	310,405	36,257	669	78,003	71,429	44,563	10,723	99	265,978	355,736
SEP 1979	65,198	298,403	33,174	116	66,324	60,411	38,166	12,688	33	237,795	336,718
JAN - SEP 1978	618,994	2,774,833	333,229	8,341	317,714	513,184	341,104	94,445	2,011	1,877,566	3,126,289
JAN - SEP 1979	733,979	2,998,055	346,512	3,494	348,554	562,467	377,761	99,998	858	2,091,510	3,380,168
LBS. CONDEMNED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT											
AUG 1979	850	1,634	60		144		320	45		1,099	1,954
SEP 1978	623	2,026	25		63		241	52		763	2,267
SEP 1979	636	1,646	89		131		128	45		901	1,774
JAN - SEP 1978	5,579	18,502	632	38	614		2,743	357	23	7,182	21,306
JAN - SEP 1979	6,188	16,872	435	7	801		2,145	343	1	7,767	19,025

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".

YOUNG CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1978 AND 1979

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED/1,000 POUNDS		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS				
	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979			
U. S.	1293,385	298,215	1,146,510	1,195,300	3.91	4.01	834,049	863,195	18,990	20,621	1.85	1.92	
ALABAMA	34,452	36,143	128,277	137,923	3.72	3.82	94,408	101,382	1,965	2,304	1.71	1.86	
ARKANSAS	44,717	47,789	163,187	184,048	3.65	3.85	114,698	129,309	3,034	3,476	2.07	2.10	
CALIFORNIA	9,011	10,457	39,960	45,513	4.43	4.35	29,693	31,561	574	781	1.68	1.91	
DELAWARE	10,243	10,816	40,730	48,647	3.98	4.50	29,626	34,579	593	788	1.82	1.81	
GEORGIA	41,670	40,646	158,588	160,680	3.80	3.85	117,674	117,583	2,581	2,467	1.81	1.71	
INDIANA	---	1,115	4,289	---	---	---	---	3,213	---	65	---	1.70	---
LOUISIANA	6,452	5,267	25,339	21,336	3.93	4.05	18,271	14,828	457	486	2.03	2.54	
MAINE	6,983	6,236	29,824	26,663	4.27	4.28	22,015	19,517	414	578	1.54	2.42	
MARYLAND	15,521	14,704	63,577	61,675	4.10	4.19	48,236	44,959	957	1,003	1.89	1.81	
MINNESOTA	1,130	---	5,061	---	4.48	---	3,746	---	86	---	1.91	---	
MISSISSIPPI	22,361	21,045	89,272	82,755	3.99	3.93	66,203	59,827	1,468	1,669	1.84	2.25	
MISSOURI	5,133	5,426	20,544	21,489	4.02	3.96	14,401	15,758	525	512	2.84	2.65	
NORTH CAROLINA	28,856	28,417	115,489	116,035	4.00	4.08	84,339	84,085	1,966	1,843	1.89	1.77	
OHIO	629	---	2,502	---	3.98	---	1,804	---	83	---	3.70	---	
PENNSYLVANIA	7,715	6,638	31,422	27,839	4.07	4.19	22,921	19,937	661	581	2.34	2.32	
SOUTH CAROLINA	4,622	4,641	16,893	17,324	3.65	3.73	11,553	11,903	310	265	2.06	1.72	
TENNESSEE	6,479	6,843	25,057	25,427	3.86	3.72	16,979	18,663	314	403	1.52	1.77	
TEXAS	18,935	19,733	75,242	78,828	3.97	3.99	54,337	57,427	1,413	1,429	2.10	2.02	
VIRGINIA	13,242	14,308	57,839	62,481	4.37	4.37	41,695	44,828	682	724	1.31	1.29	
WASHINGTON	1,330	1,485	5,582	6,362	4.17	4.28	4,144	4,681	94	138	1.88	2.42	

1/ AVERAGE WEIGHT BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
 2/ AVERAGE WEIGHT 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.

YOUNG CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1979

STATE	TUBERCULOSIS	LEU- KOSIS	SEPTI- CEMIA	AIRSAC- CULITIS	SYNO- VITIS	TUMORS	BRUISES	CADAVERI	CONTAM- INATION	OVER- SCALD	OTHER	TOTAL
U. S.	197,211	1,321,458	797,841	46,864	54,402	112,874	184,994	390,985	60,042	196,541	3,363,212	
ALABAMA	29,165	155,815	87,890	5,529	6,263	15,427	19,702	39,092	11,396	27,494	397,773	
ARKANSAS	27,079	205,459	187,144	13,813	7,248	17,489	29,016	57,434	8,071	29,379	562,132	
CALIFORNIA	4,081	54,174	59,549	1,739	2,098	1,948	5,889	6,649	3,183	3,375	142,685	
DELAWARE	15,082	38,020	29,233	553	1,909	1,770	3,564	7,659	2,015	4,669	104,504	
GEORGIA	3,166	187,066	61,758	4,052	12,173	13,775	26,669	69,113	8,545	15,215	419,704	
INDIANA	1,665	4,567	1,303	161	107	600	987	3,708	474	136	13,708	
LOUISIANA	409	16,148	9,362	604	915	2,031	17,979	7,621	1,924	7,224	64,211	
MAINE	15,814	17,518	10,466	830	489	1,726	2,855	5,137	584	5,504	60,918	
MARYLAND	16,239	52,047	48,110	592	1,980	2,315	7,311	11,905	1,540	7,786	149,825	
MISSISSIPPI	13,663	124,212	48,526	4,106	1,886	9,444	13,770	45,682	3,929	8,266	273,597	
MISSOURI	2,032	27,395	17,539	1,309	832	2,444	1,394	8,227	982	3,400	77,534	
NORTH CAROLINA	15,886	137,618	89,246	1,203	6,381	10,080	15,147	28,030	4,284	15,951	323,826	
PENNSYLVANIA	6,876	20,163	8,477	255	307	2,677	2,438	21,332	257	9,653	72,433	
SOUTH CAROLINA	2,201	14,248	15,476	643	960	2,218	1,920	3,957	746	8,174	50,430	
TENNESSEE	2,201	33,548	33,289	1,139	3,194	3,617	3,505	8,776	241	8,780	88,287	
TEXAS	8,968	113,758	32,953	2,897	2,052	11,737	16,640	35,233	5,988	13,825	244,051	
VIRGINIA	20,104	36,133	12,175	150	2,539	1,851	5,951	10,275	5,410	9,203	103,789	
WASHINGTON	3,028	13,255	1,237	721	73	1,340	574	494	470	668	21,660	

MATURE CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1978 AND 1979

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT (LIVEWEIGHT)	TOTAL POUNDS INSPECTED	AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT (LIVEWEIGHT)	TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED	POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS					
	1978	1979					1978	1979	POUNDS (NYD)	PERCENT		
U. S.	14,115	15,767	62.687	72,363	4.44	4.59	39,255	45,361	2,267	2,518	4.07	3.90
ALABAMA	3/	256	1,002	---	3.92	---	584	---	26	---	2.90	---
CALIFORNIA		1,431	5,736	5,233	4.01	4.16	3,488	3,182	223	234	4.38	5.01
GEORGIA		2,989	3,140	16,267	4.85	5.18	9,178	10,070	496	525	3.83	3.62
MAINE		120	266	1,764	6.61	6.62	528	1,193	27	54	3.86	3.45
MINNESOTA		1,182	925	3,476	3.84	3.76	2,550	2,134	173	147	4.57	4.79
MISSOURI		209	221	1,826	1.828	8.28	1,000	1,247	101	74	7.42	4.50
NEW JERSEY		1,828	2,113	7,598	4.16	4.11	4,564	5,183	299	244	4.42	3.17
PENNSYLVANIA	3/	43	366	---	8.59	---	265	---	7	---	1.99	---
TEXAS		514	2,008	---	3.90	---	1,308	---	78	---	4.45	---
WASHINGTON		213	262	1,096	3.76	4.18	520	715	21	31	2.89	3.12

1/ AVERAGE WEIGHT BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
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MATURE CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1979

STATE	TUBERCULOSIS		LEUROSIS		KOSIS		SEPTICEMIA		AIRSAC-CULITIS		SYNOVITIS		FUNGUS		BRUISES		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.	NO.	NO.	NO.	
U. S.	1,374	21,287	172,555	2,687	453	110,116	33,025	25,028	63,786	2,729	41,140	474,180											
CALIFORNIA	---	112	23,522	127	61	19,890	1,180	585	1,155	337	1,513	46,472											
GEORGIA	---	534	42,747	305	96	13,114	6,529	5,101	12,581	700	1,325	83,032											
MAINE	---	58	1,415	25	2	414	153	329	622	30	720	3,768											
MINNESOTA	887	5,515	8,743	277	6	15,481	575	545	2,503	76	5,473	40,079											
MISSOURI	---	25	3,058	329	---	873	1,380	495	642	---	14	6,816											
NEW JERSEY	---	1,904	9,023	1	34	10,052	2,423	2,735	4,268	284	9,405	40,127											
WASHINGTON	---	50	4,282	8	1	867	480	208	1,139	4	135	7,174											

YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE) : SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1978 AND 1979

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED/1		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979		
U. S.	14,831	14,491	284,946	282,877	19.21	19.52	225,464	224,832	6,144	5,761	2.40	2.26
ARKANSAS	1,079	1,109	19,471	20,113	18.85	18.14	15,444	16,093	596	374	3.41	2.06
CALIFORNIA	1,755	1,737	36,776	33,893	20.95	19.51	28,625	27,323	520	466	1.57	1.53
INDIANA	594	550	10,801	9,985	18.19	18.16	8,536	7,937	321	195	3.31	2.18
IOWA	881	961	18,618	20,622	21.34	21.45	14,860	16,044	331	399	1.97	2.15
MINNESOTA	2,966	2,768	54,497	52,738	18.98	19.08	43,313	41,872	1,299	1,524	2.65	3.21
MISSOURI	1,352	1,322	24,966	24,646	18.46	18.64	19,738	19,709	566	488	2.52	2.20
NORTH CAROLINA	1,371	1,309	23,770	22,320	17.33	17.05	19,102	17,955	521	568	2.45	2.83
OHIO	163	215	4,002	5,273	24.90	24.52	3,137	4,105	97	158	2.70	3.35
PENNSYLVANIA	491	589	8,828	10,909	11.97	18.51	7,086	8,761	121	118	1.52	1.20
TEXAS	677	671	13,399	12,655	19.80	18.88	10,361	9,873	417	235	3.46	2.06
VIRGINIA	1,377	1,158	23,027	21,438	16.72	18.52	18,378	17,215	388	303	1.88	1.57
WISCONSIN	419	422	7,919	8,241	18.88	19.54	6,456	6,633	123	109	1.72	1.46

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, SEPTEMBER 1979

STATE	TUBERCULOSIS		LEUROSIS		SEPTICEMIA		AIRSAC-CULITIS		SYNOVITIS		VITIS-TUMORS		BRUISES-CADAVERIC		CONTAMINATION		OVERSCALD		TOTAL				
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.					
U. S.	557	128,884	38,247	18,916	282	2,505	5,193	9,907	1,661	4,398	210,550	13,123	17,697	5,128	12,723	69,695	20,264	15,883	4,596	3,592	7,463	10,073	4,489
ARKANSAS	3	7,658	2,657	1,362	25	118	196	640	103	361	13,123	17,697	5,128	12,723	69,695	20,264	15,883	4,596	3,592	7,463	10,073	4,489	
CALIFORNIA	40	13,484	2,486	620	44	169	163	628	28	35	17,697	5,128	12,723	69,695	20,264	15,883	4,596	3,592	7,463	10,073	4,489		
INDIANA	67	2,228	894	795	---	97	108	824	80	316	5,128	12,723	69,695	20,264	15,883	4,596	3,592	7,463	10,073	4,489			
IOWA	---	6,168	2,719	1,606	49	162	400	824	141	684	12,723	69,695	20,264	15,883	4,596	3,592	7,463	10,073	4,489				
MINNESOTA	30	38,004	14,664	10,966	51	590	1,294	2,899	701	496	69,695	20,264	15,883	4,596	3,592	7,463	10,073	4,489					
MISSOURI	152	15,732	2,860	140	7	140	344	588	43	258	20,264	15,883	4,596	3,592	7,463	10,073	4,489						
NORTH CAROLINA	---	9,820	4,343	110	11	187	282	962	9	159	15,883	4,596	3,592	7,463	10,073	4,489							
OHIO	30	2,209	1,270	284	6	79	64	556	16	82	4,596	3,592	7,463	10,073	4,489								
PENNSYLVANIA	16	2,362	247	84	3	31	239	107	41	462	3,592	7,463	10,073	4,489									
TEXAS	3	4,828	715	461	304	158	720	292	3	7,463	10,073	4,489											
VIRGINIA	78	7,554	552	63	17	151	1,031	257	243	127	10,073	4,489											
WISCONSIN	5	2,798	119	670	---	252	391	149	86	4,489													

FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1978 AND 1979

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED	POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVWEIGHT)	AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED (LIVWEIGHT)	TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
				1978	1979	1978	1979
				-1,000 POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-PERCENT-
U. S.	1554	849	8,014	9.68	4,196	6,297	85 119 1.76 1.65
MINNESOTA	367	570	3,479	5,226	9.49	2,711	4,125 59 70 1.89 1.48

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.

FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1979

STATE	TUBERCULOSIS NO.	LEU-KOSIS NO.	SEPTICEMIA NO.	AIRSAC-CULITIS NO.	SYNO-VITIS NO.	TUMORS NO.	BRUISES NO.	CADAVER INJURY NO.	SCALD NO.	OTHER NO.	TOTAL NO.	
												U. S.
MINNESOTA	---	28	3,680	554	183	---	238	376	997	33	43	6,132

OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1978 AND 1979

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED	POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVWEIGHT)	AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED (LIVWEIGHT)	TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS						
				1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979			
				-1,000 POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-PERCENT-					
U. S.	76	117	1,598	2,404	28.90	20.56	1,253	1,885	53	73	3.68	3.38
CALIFORNIA	17	32	339	580	20.26	18.34	269	454	7	27	2.25	5.16
MINNESOTA	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

1/ AVERAGE WEIGHT BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
2/ POUNDS CONDEMNED AS PERCENT OF EQUIVALENT MAY. 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.

OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1979

STATE	TUBERCULOSIS NO.	LEU-KOSIS NO.	SEPTICEMIA NO.	AIRSAC-CULITIS NO.	SYNO-VITIS NO.	TUMORS NO.	BRUISES NO.	CADAVER INJURY NO.	SCALD NO.	OTHER NO.	TOTAL NO.	
												U. S.
MINNESOTA	---	---	554	187	12	23	45	12	71	28	124	1,056

TOTAL POULTRY SLAUGHTERED (READY-TO-COOK WEIGHTS)
SEPTEMBER 1979, WITH COMPARISONS

MONTH AND YEAR	INSPECTED	OTHER <u>1/</u>	TOTAL
	MILLION POUNDS		
AUG 1979	1,354	9	1,363
SEP 1978	1,111	8	1,119
SEP 1979	1,148	8	1,156
JAN - SEP 1978	9,183	82	9,265
JAN - SEP 1979	10,187	64	10,251

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-ROASTERS 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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