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Live Weight Poultry Inspections totaled 1.71 billion pounds (776 thousand metric tons) during March 1982, an increase of 3 percent from March 1981 and 17 percent above February 1982, according to the Crop Reporting Board.

Inspections included 1.43 billion pounds (647 thousand metric tons) of young chickens, up 2 percent from March 1981 and 15 percent from February 1982; 81.1 million pounds (36.8 thousand metric tons) of mature chickens, a decrease of 14 percent from March 1981, but 22 percent above February 1982. Turkey inspections totaled 193 million pounds (87.6 thousand metric tons), 11 percent above March 1981 and 24 percent above February 1982. Duck inspections of 10.3 million pounds (4650 metric tons) were up 26 percent from March 1981 and 19 percent above February 1982.

Poultry Certified Wholesome totaled 1.25 billion pounds (569 thousand metric tons) ready-to-cook weight during March 1982, an increase of 4 percent from March 1981 and 17 percent above February 1982. The percentage breakdown for the March 1982 total is 84 percent chilled and 16 percent frozen.

Further Processed poultry totaled 289 million pounds (131 thousand metric tons) ready-to-cook weight, a decrease of 4 percent from March 1981, but 8 percent above February 1982.

Cut-Up Packaged poultry products totaled 502 million pounds (228 thousand metric tons) ready-to-cook weight, an increase of 1 percent from March 1981 and 6 percent above February 1982.

Ante-Mortem Condemnations during March totaled 5.23 million pounds (2370 metric tons) live weight. Condemnations as a percent of quantities inspected was 0.31 for both March 1981 and 1982. Post-Mortem Condemnations were 25.9 million pounds (11.8 thousand metric tons) (N.Y.D. Weight). Quantities condemned equaled 1.69 percent compared with 1.94 percent during March 1981.

NOTICE: Slaughter data for February 1982 has been updated for late reports and included in this report. Revised previous month's data will continue to be included on a monthly basis.

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POULTRY: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, MARCH 1982 WITH COMPARISONS

	CHICKENS				TURKEY				TOTAL	DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY	
	YOUNG		MATURE 1/1		FRYER-ROASTERS		YOUNG 2/						OLD
	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982					
NUMBER INSPECTED	307,978	15,095	323,073	265	7,479	53	7,797	1,344	---	---	---	---	
FEBRUARY 1982	346,307	21,250	367,557	816	8,736	100	9,652	1,348	---	---	---	---	
MARCH 1982	354,782	17,655	372,437	784	9,688	59	10,531	1,578	---	---	---	---	
JAN-MAR 1981	977,420	60,358	1,037,778	2,402	24,238	296	26,936	3,653	---	---	---	---	
JAN-MAR 1982	978,271	49,958	1,028,229	1,301	24,713	203	26,217	4,231	---	---	---	---	
POUNDS INSPECTED	1,236,513	66,655	1,303,168	2,577	151,802	1,230	155,609	8,619	---	---	---	---	
FEBRUARY 1981	1,392,972	93,932	1,486,904	7,777	163,465	2,075	173,317	8,142	---	---	---	---	
MARCH 1982	1,426,052	81,069	1,507,121	7,331	184,502	1,283	193,116	10,258	---	---	---	---	
JAN-MAR 1981	3,931,364	260,147	4,191,511	23,030	477,137	6,229	506,396	22,629	---	---	---	---	
JAN-MAR 1982	3,949,913	221,612	4,171,525	12,423	499,140	4,447	516,010	27,303	---	---	---	---	

AVERAGE LIVELINEWEIGHT 3/

	CHICKENS		TURKEY	
	1981	1982	1981	1982
FEBRUARY 1982	4.01	4.41	4.03	4.03
MARCH 1981	4.02	4.42	4.04	4.04
MARCH 1982	4.01	4.59	4.05	4.05
JAN-MAR 1981	4.02	4.31	4.03	4.03
JAN-MAR 1982	4.04	4.43	4.06	4.06

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

	1981	1982
MARCH	3,425	3,740

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

	1981	1982
MARCH	133	116

3/ LIVE WEIGHT AVERAGE BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

POULTRY: POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WEIGHTS), MARCH 1982 WITH COMPARISONS

	CHICKENS				TURKEY				TOTAL	DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY	
	YOUNG		MATURE 1/1		FRYER-ROASTERS		YOUNG 2/						OLD
	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982					
FEBRUARY 1982	826,011	34,101	860,112	348	40,366	667	41,381	700	---	---	---	---	
CHILLED FROZEN	73,730	7,233	80,963	1,681	79,921	276	81,878	5,337	---	---	---	---	
TOTAL	899,741	41,334	941,075	2,029	120,287	943	123,259	6,037	---	---	---	---	
MARCH 1981	927,094	47,203	974,297	3,572	35,101	635	39,308	717	---	---	---	---	
CHILLED FROZEN	83,556	10,118	93,674	2,455	93,651	947	97,053	4,884	---	---	---	---	
TOTAL	1,010,650	57,321	1,067,971	6,027	128,752	1,582	136,361	5,601	---	---	---	---	
MARCH 1982	960,429	41,487	1,001,916	4,059	49,795	397	54,251	639	---	---	---	---	
CHILLED FROZEN	82,794	8,964	91,758	1,834	95,765	595	98,194	6,571	---	---	---	---	
TOTAL	1,043,223	50,451	1,093,674	5,893	145,560	992	152,445	7,210	---	---	---	---	
JAN-MAR 1981	2,615,759	131,600	2,747,359	9,887	102,903	1,048	113,838	2,206	---	---	---	---	
CHILLED FROZEN	233,684	26,589	260,273	8,004	272,569	3,675	284,248	13,477	---	---	---	---	
TOTAL	2,849,443	158,189	3,007,632	17,891	375,472	4,723	398,086	15,683	---	---	---	---	
JAN-MAR 1982	2,645,395	112,875	2,758,270	4,969	129,717	1,716	136,402	2,038	---	---	---	---	
CHILLED FROZEN	234,541	23,991	258,532	4,875	264,854	1,730	271,459	17,114	---	---	---	---	
TOTAL	2,879,936	136,866	3,016,802	9,844	394,571	3,446	407,861	19,152	---	---	---	---	

POULTRY: CONDEMNATIONS OF POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, MARCH 1982 WITH COMPARISONS

	CHICKENS			TURKEY			DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
	MATURE			YOUNG					
	YOUNG	ROASTERS	FRYER-ROASTERS	YOUNG	OLD	TOTAL			
ANTE-MORTEM									
1,000 POUNDS (LIVWEIGHT)									
FEBRUARY 1982	4,153	947	5,100	520	8	535	17		5,654
MARCH 1981	4,006	925	4,931	350	23	389	10	1	5,331
MARCH 1982	3,895	912	4,807	395	6	414	12		5,233
JAN-MAR 1981	13,384	3,306	16,690	1,294	45	1,414	37	11	18,152
JAN-MAR 1982	13,530	3,193	16,723	1,534	19	1,597	46	2	18,368
PERCENT 1/									
MARCH 1981	.28	.98	.33	.21	1.13	.22	.12	.31	.31
MARCH 1982	.27	1.13	.32	.21	.49	.22	.13	.20	.31
POST-MORTEM									
1,000 POUNDS (N.Y. DRESSED)									
FEBRUARY 1982	19,076	2,145	21,221	2,834	46	2,909	140	1	24,271
MARCH 1981	22,551	3,205	25,756	3,067	113	3,289	112	5	29,162
MARCH 1982	19,935	2,589	22,524	3,211	51	3,328	155	1	26,008
JAN-MAR 1981	70,061	9,132	79,193	9,683	342	10,434	356	17	90,000
JAN-MAR 1982	60,056	7,292	67,348	8,894	178	9,199	447	5	76,999
PERCENT 2/									
MARCH 1981	1.80	3.82	1.93	2.08	6.17	2.11	1.54	1.56	1.94
MARCH 1982	1.55	3.59	1.66	1.93	4.45	1.92	1.69	.92	1.69

1/ POUNDS CONDEMNED AS PERCENT OF POUNDS (LIVWEIGHT) 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: FURTHER PROCESSED AND CUT-UP (READY-TO-COOK) UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, MARCH 1982 WITH COMPARISONS

	CHICKENS			TURKEYS			OTHER POULTRY 1/	TOTAL POULTRY
	MATURE CHICKENS			TURKEYS				
	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT-UP	WHOLE	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT-UP	WHOLE		
READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT POUNDS USED								
FEBRUARY 1982	106,540	413,167	40,224	1,835	31,309	63,764	56,663	24,550
MARCH 1981	118,615	440,468	47,334	812	32,161	79,870	54,579	21,728
MARCH 1982	106,955	452,513	44,434	2,347	35,646	78,401	47,097	23,272
JAN-MAR 1981	342,071	1,223,469	141,696	1,197	85,656	220,843	162,129	66,907
JAN-MAR 1982	317,358	1,285,857	122,801	5,768	96,760	207,745	157,531	71,970
POUNDS CONDEMNED								
FEBRUARY 1982	3,133	2,557	39	30	1	125	293	312
MARCH 1981	2,887	1,911	217	2	4	199	170	225
MARCH 1982	3,596	2,756	70	43	5	92	363	450
JAN-MAR 1981	10,234	5,751	633	5	9	442	534	418
JAN-MAR 1982	9,769	8,365	184	101	7	317	986	1,062
1/ POULTRY PARTS AND FATS USED IN FURTHER PROCESSING THAT CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED BY CLASS ARE INCLUDED IN "OTHER POULTRY".								
2/ WHOLE CARCASS TURKEYS WHICH HAVE BEEN INJECTED, BASTED, MARINATED, SMOKED, BARBECUED, ETC., AND PACKED AS SUCH.								
3/ INCLUDES WHOLE CARCASS TURKEYS.								

YOUNG CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATES, MARCH 1981 AND 1982

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEMEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEMEIGHT INSPECTED		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982		
UNITED STATES	346,307	354,782	1,392,972	1,426,052	4.02	4.01	1,010,650	1,043,223	22,551	19,876	1.80	1.55
ALABAMA	44,221	43,145	171,284	166,438	3.87	3.85	125,641	123,073	2,630	1,841	1.71	1.23
ARKANSAS	52,986	53,723	197,390	202,066	3.72	3.76	139,651	146,717	3,338	2,556	1.88	1.40
CALIFORNIA	12,358	13,980	59,140	68,784	4.76	4.91	41,743	50,248	1,572	1,204	2.96	1.95
DELAWARE	13,849	15,104	65,171	68,266	4.70	4.51	47,793	49,380	945	1,268	1.61	2.07
FLORIDA	6,358	7,131	25,999	30,919	4.08	3.99	19,008	22,387	245	412	1.05	1.48
GEORGIA	51,240	51,056	203,229	202,465	3.96	3.96	150,060	149,986	3,214	2,964	1.76	1.63
LOUISIANA	7,826	8,184	31,583	31,885	4.03	3.89	21,907	21,860	472	438	1.66	1.53
MAINE	5,356	5,356	23,070	23,070	4.30	4.30	17,127	17,127	393	393	1.90	1.90
MARYLAND	13,058	15,306	53,591	62,361	4.10	4.07	39,482	45,938	1,049	1,013	2.18	1.81
MISSISSIPPI	24,315	26,282	96,522	105,816	3.96	4.02	69,945	78,759	1,590	1,218	1.83	1.28
MISSOURI	5,764	6,000	23,577	24,340	4.08	4.05	16,994	17,926	463	373	2.19	1.71
NEW YORK	3/	3/	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NORTH CAROLINA	35,279	37,962	141,012	154,040	3.99	4.05	103,735	113,161	1,857	2,082	1.46	1.50
OKLAHOMA	4,319	4,319	16,266	16,266	3.76	3.76	11,899	11,899	208	208	1.43	1.43
OREGON	1,672	1,397	7,253	6,521	4.33	4.66	5,106	4,531	153	182	2.35	3.14
PENNSYLVANIA	8,687	8,810	34,134	36,878	3.92	4.18	24,161	26,489	861	786	2.81	2.37
SOUTH CAROLINA	4,796	5,575	18,482	20,979	3.85	3.76	12,647	14,901	328	300	1.98	1.80
TENNESSEE	6,767	6,986	26,570	27,887	3.92	3.99	18,863	20,484	368	306	1.54	1.22
TEXAS	22,018	21,849	88,131	87,657	4.00	4.01	64,752	64,569	1,298	1,129	1.64	1.43
VIRGINIA	16,563	17,720	68,694	72,199	4.14	4.07	49,687	51,937	796	809	1.29	1.24
WASHINGTON	1,673	1,646	7,339	7,074	4.38	4.29	5,429	5,163	205	185	3.13	2.93

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 NOT PUBLISHED TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

YOUNG CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATES, MARCH 1982

STATE	TUBER- CULOSIS		LEU- KOSIS		SEPTI- CEMIA		ARSAZ- CULITIS		SYNO- VITIS		BRUISES (CADAVERI)		CONTAM- INATION		OVER- SCALD		OTHER		TOTAL
	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	
UNITED STATES	386,605	1,313,361	808,911	23,250	137,125	71,855	124,850	213,536	37,590	115,755	3,232,838	2,900	9,676	282,881	415,809	152,057	234,534	67,180	475,258
ALABAMA	16,936	129,073	62,212	2,325	18,903	9,259	11,972	19,625	2,900	9,676	282,881	2,900	9,676	282,881	415,809	152,057	234,534	67,180	475,258
ARKANSAS	15,441	184,128	129,494	7,019	22,018	10,665	13,768	19,852	4,194	8,230	415,809	4,194	8,230	415,809	152,057	234,534	67,180	475,258	
CALIFORNIA	9,523	69,069	45,514	2,051	3,276	2,184	5,727	5,919	7,512	1,282	152,057	7,512	1,282	152,057	234,534	67,180	475,258		
DELAWARE	90,525	52,741	54,835	365	10,642	2,126	4,888	5,954	192	12,266	234,534	192	12,266	234,534	67,180	475,258			
FLORIDA	717	23,361	18,500	593	4,092	1,436	6,463	6,389	1,011	6,438	67,180	1,011	6,438	67,180	475,258				
GEORGIA	25,487	184,519	147,056	2,257	16,613	9,783	19,148	46,533	7,316	16,486	475,258	7,316	16,486	475,258	159,596	55,996	185,888	178,369	69,252
LOUISIANA	2,294	29,014	10,906	211	4,469	1,234	3,407	3,407	484	1,450	55,996	484	1,450	55,996	185,888	178,369	69,252	178,369	69,252
MARYLAND	60,733	57,011	42,693	337	4,134	1,995	4,300	4,300	883	4,622	185,888	883	4,622	185,888	178,369	69,252	178,369	69,252	
MISSISSIPPI	24,836	73,844	39,558	1,271	5,446	5,044	9,044	14,552	1,957	2,012	178,369	1,957	2,012	178,369	69,252	178,369	69,252		
MISSOURI	3,003	28,457	25,431	818	2,374	1,443	503	4,159	768	2,298	69,252	768	2,298	69,252	178,369	69,252	178,369	69,252	
NEW YORK	1/	1/	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NORTH CAROLINA	23,197	190,002	98,705	926	17,994	6,598	13,370	22,990	2,080	12,858	388,720	2,080	12,858	388,720	127,592	54,360	2,275	4,317	193,951
OREGON	403	13,602	911	276	879	1,950	774	1,716	1,774	365	127,592	1,774	365	127,592	54,360	2,275	4,317	193,951	
PENNSYLVANIA	20,196	38,046	33,118	230	2,107	2,280	2,275	17,480	4,48	11,412	127,592	4,48	11,412	127,592	54,360	2,275	4,317	193,951	
SOUTH CAROLINA	3,821	24,950	11,789	256	3,633	3,110	2,529	3,110	156	2,275	54,360	156	2,275	54,360	193,951				
TENNESSEE	5,558	29,113	4,164	331	3,025	1,164	2,001	3,235	122	4,317	193,951	122	4,317	193,951	54,360	2,275	4,317	193,951	
TEXAS	4,974	99,652	38,953	989	7,901	6,361	13,782	15,435	2,504	3,406	193,951	2,504	3,406	193,951	54,360	2,275	4,317	193,951	
VIRGINIA	48,205	33,770	15,754	156	6,074	6,074	5,723	5,723	2,397	4,243	122,797	2,397	4,243	122,797	54,360	2,275	4,317	193,951	
WASHINGTON	1,144	12,720	6,288	879	478	920	390	409	97	2,097	25,422	97	2,097	25,422	54,360	2,275	4,317	193,951	

1/ DATA NOT PUBLISHED TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

MATURE CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), MARCH 1981 AND 1982

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVWEIGHT INSPECTED 1/		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS POUNDS (NYD)		PERCENT 2/	
	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982
UNITED STATES	21,250	17,655	93,932	81,069	4.42	4.59	57,321	50,451	3,205	2,589	3.82	3.59
ARKANSAS	3/	197	703	---	3.56	---	432	---	30	---	5.06	---
CALIFORNIA	---	1,929	8,496	8,260	3.95	4.28	5,085	4,989	343	393	4.54	5.33
GEORGIA	3/	4,977	24,354	18,163	4.89	5.71	14,377	11,793	750	474	3.44	2.92
MAINE	---	444	2,354	---	5.30	---	1,588	---	78	---	3.71	---
MARYLAND	3/	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
MINNESOTA	3/	994	---	3,770	---	3.79	---	2,240	---	116	---	3.55
MISSOURI	3/	603	3,977	---	6.58	---	2,683	---	268	---	7.62	---
NEW JERSEY	---	2,411	10,220	9,324	4.23	4.40	5,892	5,393	282	264	3.11	3.20
NEW YORK	3/	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NORTH CAROLINA	3/	149	1,156	---	7.73	---	814	---	21	---	2.14	---
WASHINGTON	---	288	1,149	1,766	3.97	4.01	688	1,066	36	42	3.68	2.75

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 NOT PUBLISHED TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

MATURE CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), MARCH 1982

STATE	TUBER- CULOSIS		LEU- KOSIS		SEPTI- CENIA		AIRSAC- CULTIS		SYNO- VITIS		TUMORS		BRUISES		CADAVER		CONTAM- OVER-		TOTAL			
	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982				
UNITED STATES	21	19,052	195,185	2,384	440	145,607	33,522	29,930	43,533	2,539	54,796	527,009	520	14,227	61,956	71,539	186	5,702	38,009	44,342	12,058	
CALIFORNIA	---	254	21,115	104	27	22,948	632	1,001	1,128	520	14,227	61,956	520	14,227	61,956	71,539	186	5,702	38,009	44,342	12,058	
GEORGIA	---	325	35,961	977	167	15,745	3,292	3,822	6,812	641	3,797	71,539	641	3,797	71,539	71,539	641	3,797	71,539	71,539	71,539	
MARYLAND 1/	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
MINNESOTA	---	4,109	9,398	274	5	13,712	497	200	3,926	186	5,702	38,009	186	5,702	38,009	38,009	186	5,702	38,009	38,009	38,009	
NEW JERSEY	---	2,151	6,664	7	14	11,709	1,694	4,582	3,871	204	13,446	44,342	204	13,446	44,342	44,342	204	13,446	44,342	44,342	44,342	
WASHINGTON	---	385	6,468	31	21	2,640	464	231	1,274	205	339	12,058	205	339	12,058	12,058	205	339	12,058	12,058	12,058	

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YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), MARCH 1981 AND 1982

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVWEIGHT INSPECTED 1/		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982		
UNITED STATES	8,736	9,688	163,465	184,502	18.71	19.04	128,752	145,560	3,067	3,211	2.08	1.93
ARKANSAS 3/	778	---	13,785	---	17.69	---	11,050	---	239	---	1.93	---
CALIFORNIA	670	814	13,148	16,701	19.62	20.50	10,440	13,232	189	201	1.60	1.34
INDIANA	442	535	7,404	10,327	16.71	19.27	5,904	8,250	122	185	1.84	1.99
IOWA	495	584	11,408	14,014	23.00	23.95	8,892	10,895	289	247	2.83	1.97
MASSACHUSETTS 3/	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
MINNESOTA	734	802	11,871	14,118	16.17	17.58	9,364	11,150	358	370	3.36	2.92
MISSOURI	1,138	959	20,627	18,640	18.12	19.43	16,515	15,011	409	348	2.21	2.08
NEW YORK	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NORTH CAROLINA	1,434	1,615	24,102	27,104	16.80	16.77	19,680	22,179	395	350	1.82	1.44
OHIO	165	136	3,730	3,000	22.48	21.94	2,891	2,314	132	117	3.98	4.40
PENNSYLVANIA	418	448	7,145	8,385	17.07	18.71	5,772	6,689	145	186	2.26	2.47
VIRGINIA	1,058	1,303	18,364	23,845	17.36	18.30	14,338	18,776	316	297	1.91	1.39

1/ AVERAGE WEIGHT BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA. PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA
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YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), MARCH 1982

STATE	TUBERCULOSIS		LEUKOSIS		SEPTICEMIA		AIRSAC-CULITIS		SYNDROMES		TUMORS		BRUISES		CADAVER INANITION		CONTAMINATION		OVERSCALD		OTHER		TOTAL
	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	
UNITED STATES	---	258	57,174	31,804	4,714	144	1,202	2,033	3,698	802	1,436	103,265	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
ARKANSAS 1/	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CALIFORNIA	---	14	4,994	413	---	10	31	92	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
INDIANA	---	---	2,209	1,270	608	---	54	77	77	60	277	4,632	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
IOWA	---	---	6,048	2,712	410	10	19	109	233	6	296	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
MINNESOTA	---	---	7,763	7,951	1,471	---	129	152	688	88	178	16,705	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
MISSOURI	---	---	5,878	1,582	32	7	99	76	327	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NORTH CAROLINA	---	---	2,179	1,819	79	9	224	129	456	387	91	8,993	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
OHIO	---	---	3,719	1,560	187	12	57	13	118	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
PENNSYLVANIA	---	---	7,607	2,161	61	22	72	88	237	7	139	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
VIRGINIA	---	9	---	1,132	201	3	65	820	113	90	226	10,266	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE, MARCH 1981 AND 1982

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED 1/		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982
UNITED STATES	816	784	7,331	7,777	9.52	9.34	6,027	5,893	109	66
MINNESOTA	3/	550	5,188	9.42	4,085	66	1.43			

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FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES TOTAL, MARCH 1982

STATE	TUBER- CULOSIS	LEU- KOSIS	SEPTI- CERIA	AIRSAC- CULITIS	SYNO- VITIS	TUMORS	BRUISES	CADAVER INATON	CONTAM- INATION	OVER- SCALD	OTHER	TOTAL
UNITED STATES	42	2,916	192	55	134	457	971	0	108	4,884		

OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL, MARCH 1981 AND 1982

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED 1/		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982
UNITED STATES	100	59	2,075	1,283	20.59	21.47	1,582	992	113	51

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 TOTAL, MARCH 1982

STATE	TUBER- CULOSIS	LEU- KOSIS	SEPTI- CERIA	AIRSAC- CULITIS	SYNO- VITIS	TUMORS	BRUISES	CADAVER INATON	CONTAM- INATION	OVER- SCALD	OTHER	TOTAL
UNITED STATES	---	949	107	15	72	10	115	---	72	1,340		

Definitions Used to Report Federally Inspected Slaughter:

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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