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Live Weight Poultry Inspections preliminarily totaled 1.72 billion pounds (780 thousand metric tons) during April 1983, an increase of 3 percent from April 1982, but 6 percent below March 1983, according to the Crop Reporting Board.

Inspections included 1.43 billion pounds (648 thousand metric tons) of young chickens, 3 percent above April 1982 but 5 percent below March 1983; 73.5 million pounds (33.4 thousand metric tons) of mature chickens, a decrease of 17 percent from April 1982 and 12 percent below March 1983. Turkey inspections totaled 206 million pounds (93.7 thousand metric tons), 11 percent above April 1982 but 9 percent below March 1983. Duck inspections of 10.2 million pounds (4640 metric tons) were 2 percent below April 1982 and 5 percent below March 1983.

Poultry Certified Wholesome during April 1983 totaled 1.27 billion pounds (574 thousand metric tons) ready-to-cook weight, 3 percent above April 1982. The percentage breakdown for the April 1983 total is 84 percent chilled and 16 percent frozen.

Ante-Mortem Condemnations during April totaled 4.83 million pounds (2190 metric tons) live weight. Condemnations were 0.28 percent of the quantity inspected for April 1983 compared with 0.30 percent for April 1982. Post-Mortem Condemnations were 25.9 million pounds (11.8 thousand metric tons) (N.Y.D. Weight), 1.68 percent of quantities inspected compared with 1.64 percent during April 1982.

Further Processed poultry totaled 291 million pounds (132 thousand metric tons) ready-to-cook weight. Cut-Up packaged poultry products totaled 548 million pounds (249 thousand metric tons) ready-to-cook weight.

* The data presented in this report were compiled from reports collected *
* by the Meat and Poultry Inspection Program, Food Safety Inspection Ser- *
* vice. Data for April 1983 includes reports available for summary in *
* late May 1983. The degree of incompleteness due to late reports will *
* vary from month to month, especially for further processed and cut-up *
* data items. Accumulated year-to-date totals and previous month's data *
* will include late reports received since previous summary. *
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POULTRY: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, APRIL 1983 WITH COMPARISONS

	CHICKENS				TURKEY				TOTAL
	YOUNG	MATURE 1/	ROASTERS	FRYER-	YOUNG 2/	OLD	DUCKS	OTHER	
NUMBER INSPECTED									
MARCH 1983	367,328	18,851	386,179	498	11,192	121	1,687		
APRIL 1982	341,112	20,027	361,139	539	9,119	109	1,607		
APRIL 1983	343,914	17,075	360,989	360	9,957	137	1,602		
JAN-APR 1982	1,324,564	71,286	1,395,850	1,841	33,989	325	5,849		
JAN-APR 1983	1,363,652	69,580	1,433,232	999	37,740	416	6,269		
POUNDS INSPECTED									
MARCH 1983	1,505,280	83,747	1,589,027	4,620	219,210	2,629	10,786	207	1,826,479
APRIL 1982	1,387,554	88,413	1,475,967	4,870	178,494	2,403	10,387	182	1,672,323
APRIL 1983	1,429,114	73,542	1,502,656	3,394	200,130	2,966	206,490	183	1,719,552
JAN-APR 1982	5,348,592	316,702	5,665,294	17,314	680,580	7,133	704,947	839	6,488,835
JAN-APR 1983	5,604,222	305,284	5,909,506	9,386	766,651	9,107	785,146	760	6,735,318

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

	APRIL 1982:	APRIL 1983:
AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT		
MARCH 1983	4.09	4.11
APRIL 1982	4.41	4.08
APRIL 1983	4.15	4.16
JAN-APR 1982	4.03	4.05
JAN-APR 1983	4.10	4.12

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

	APRIL 1982:	APRIL 1983:
POUNDS INSPECTED		
MARCH 1983	3,295	2,704
APRIL 1982	884	877

POULTRY: POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WEIGHTS), APRIL 1983 WITH COMPARISONS

	CHICKENS				TURKEY				TOTAL
	YOUNG	MATURE	ROASTERS	FRYER-	YOUNG	OLD	DUCKS	OTHER	
MARCH 1983	1,013,198	42,774	1,055,972	3,004	62,009	1,306	1,305	000	1,123,576
APRIL 1982	89,715	8,709	98,424	630	112,391	762	6,203	102	218,512
APRIL 1983	1,102,913	51,483	1,154,396	3,634	174,400	2,068	7,508	102	1,342,108
JAN-APR 1982	3,599,514	162,199	3,761,713	7,865	177,113	2,889	2,855	016	3,952,451
JAN-APR 1983	3,906,459	194,806	4,101,265	13,678	538,605	5,506	26,508	446	4,686,008

POULTRY: CONDEMNATIONS OF POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, APRIL 1983 WITH COMPARISONS

	CHICKENS			TURKEY			DUCKS			OTHER POULTRY			TOTAL POULTRY
	YOUNG	MATURE	TOTAL	FRYER-ROASTERS	YOUNG	OLD	TOTAL	DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL	POULTRY		
ANTE-MORTEM													
1,000 POUNDS (LIVEWEIGHT)													
MARCH 1983	3,998	966	4,964	4	475	11	490	10		470	10	5,464	
APRIL 1982	3,652	1,007	4,659	7	357	15	379	12		379	12	5,050	
APRIL 1983	3,609	809	4,418	1	386	22	409	7		409	7	4,834	
JAN-APR 1982	17,204	4,253	21,457	52	1,896	36	1,984	58	2	1,984	58	23,501	
JAN-APR 1983	15,786	3,554	19,340	8	1,937	48	1,993	39	1	1,993	39	21,373	
PERCENT 1/	.26	1.13	.31	.15	.20	.66	.20	.11	.11	.20	.11	.30	
APRIL 1983	.25	1.10	.29	.04	.19	.76	.19	.07	.12	.19	.07	.28	
POST-MORTEM													
1,000 POUNDS (N.Y. DRESSED)													
MARCH 1983	26,950	2,684	23,636	43	3,313	83	3,439	189	1	3,439	189	27,265	
APRIL 1982	18,720	2,898	21,618	44	2,685	113	2,842	153		2,842	153	24,613	
APRIL 1983	18,779	2,552	22,331	31	3,261	153	3,445	151	1	3,445	151	25,928	
JAN-APR 1982	78,872	10,349	89,221	171	11,617	321	12,109	602	6	12,109	602	101,938	
JAN-APR 1983	80,217	10,218	90,435	87	12,051	346	12,484	650	6	12,484	650	103,575	
APRIL 1982	1.50	3.68	1.63	1.00	1.47	5.30	1.70	1.65	.79	1.70	1.65	1.64	
APRIL 1983	1.54	3.89	1.65	1.03	1.81	5.79	1.85	1.65	1.00	1.85	1.65	1.68	

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: FURTHER PROCESSED AND CUT-UP (READY-TO-COOK) UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, APRIL 1983 WITH COMPARISONS

	YOUNG CHICKENS			MATURE CHICKENS			TURKEYS			OTHER POULTRY 1/			TOTAL POULTRY
	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT-UP	FURTHER PROCESSED	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT-UP	FURTHER PROCESSED	WHOLE	CARCASS	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT-UP	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT-UP	
POUNDS USED													
MARCH 1983	156,817	558,050	48,367	2,006	46,704	92,543	66,068	25,341	269	369,772	626,393	626,393	
APRIL 1982	112,549	479,540	39,113	1,798	39,752	67,563	48,274	25,738	410	284,715	530,022	530,022	
APRIL 1983	127,620	494,630	38,085	1,592	36,473	68,817	51,663	20,177	219	291,172	548,104	548,104	
JAN-APR 1982	446,823	1,805,852	164,110	7,605	142,202	287,194	220,848	101,269	1,098	1,141,678	2,035,403	2,035,403	
JAN-APR 1983	546,674	2,115,672	179,476	7,846	131,039	321,423	238,607	97,932	5,619	1,276,544	2,367,744	2,367,744	
POUNDS CONDEMNED													
MARCH 1983	3,951	6,553	136		13	231	61	132	1	4,463	6,615	6,615	
APRIL 1982	4,395	2,880	42	29	9	59	358	481	1	4,996	3,268	3,268	
APRIL 1983	3,009	3,225	59	1	15	219	148	148		3,450	3,422	3,422	
JAN-APR 1982	14,236	15,499	230	131	16	473	1,721	1,549	3	16,504	17,354	17,354	
JAN-APR 1983	12,317	15,429	429	22	44	873	504	541	2	14,204	15,957	15,957	

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/ DATA DOES NOT INCLUDE TOTAL CONDEMNATION TO AVOID DISCLOSING INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

YOUNG CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), APRIL 1982 AND 1983												
STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT/INSPECTED/		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS		PERCENT 2/	
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983		
THOUSANDS POUNDS THOUSANDS PERCENT												
UNITED STATES	341,112	343,914	1,387,554	1,429,114	4.06	4.15	1,018,048	1,048,149	19,720	19,779	1.50	1.54
ALABAMA	42,315	42,952	164,422	167,721	3.88	3.95	121,864	126,337	1,765	2,154	1.19	1.41
ARKANSAS	51,914	53,485	195,319	208,243	3.76	3.89	142,269	150,683	2,399	2,591	1.36	1.38
CALIFORNIA	13,884	13,829	63,660	62,173	4.58	4.77	48,023	44,478	1,121	1,227	1.96	2.20
DELAWARE	13,677	12,986	61,055	64,799	4.46	4.98	44,752	47,386	1,012	1,113	1.85	1.91
FLORIDA	7,105	6,705	27,300	28,088	4.12	4.18	21,601	20,131	278	317	1.06	1.26
GEORGIA	50,387	50,887	204,505	208,849	4.05	4.10	151,294	154,913	2,988	2,683	1.62	1.43
INDIANA 3/												
LOUISIANA	7,368	7,929	29,285	32,644	3.96	4.11	20,130	25,497	364	393	1.39	1.34
MARYLAND	14,811	15,639	62,868	63,343	4.24	4.05	46,746	44,653	1,081	1,081	1.67	1.90
MISSISSIPPI	24,495	25,023	99,398	102,141	4.05	4.08	73,283	76,336	1,081	1,291	1.21	1.40
MISSOURI	6,267	5,658	26,600	24,227	4.24	4.13	18,967	17,662	434	321	1.82	1.47
NEW YORK 3/												
NORTH CAROLINA	35,213	35,370	147,589	152,971	4.19	4.35	108,127	113,353	2,093	2,272	1.58	1.64
OREGON 3/												
PENNSYLVANIA	7,774	7,648	32,964	31,297	4.13	4.07	23,429	21,816	636	700	2.15	2.49
SOUTH CAROLINA	5,418	6,089	20,342	23,110	3.75	3.77	14,462	16,411	262	307	1.44	1.48
TENNESSEE	6,802	6,932	27,430	28,103	4.03	4.05	20,331	21,004	295	303	1.23	1.17
TEXAS	20,943	20,102	86,246	85,047	4.11	4.23	64,175	63,795	1,108	929	1.43	1.21
VIRGINIA	17,406	18,466	74,238	80,234	4.24	4.34	53,398	57,833	1,065	1,065	1.24	1.50
WASHINGTON	1,815	1,638	7,826	7,555	4.31	4.61	5,764	5,587	187	147	2.68	2.19

YOUNG CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), APRIL 1983																				
STATE	TUBER- CULOSIS		LEU- KOSIS		SEPTI- CEMIA		AIRSAC- CULITIS		SYNO- VITIS		TUMORS BRUISES		CADAVER INMATION		CONTAM- OVER- SCALD		OTHER TOTAL			
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983		
WHOLE NUMBERS																				
UNITED STATES	269	526,893	1,186,131	782,986	20,152	146,522	57,341	110,540	166,552	44,567	105,502	3,147,457	2,150	5,512	346,449	393,597	191,489	55,218	6,024	
ALABAMA		43,117	133,721	101,044	3,101	21,143	6,756	12,330	17,575	2,150	5,512	17,575	2,150	5,512	346,449	393,597	191,489	55,218	6,024	
ARKANSAS		11,730	185,995	131,217	5,006	22,573	9,880	15,194	20,247	4,743	7,992	20,247	4,743	7,992	346,449	393,597	191,489	55,218	6,024	
CALIFORNIA		2,779	85,107	60,094	1,538	2,826	1,621	7,818	3,847	6,195	915	3,847	6,195	915	172,740	172,740	172,740	172,740	172,740	
DELAWARE		105,013	42,470	23,124	284	7,181	1,787	3,265	4,651	825	7,636	3,265	4,651	825	195,236	195,236	195,236	195,236	195,236	
FLORIDA		1,123	20,356	6,360	966	3,754	1,304	4,503	5,161	571	2,989	4,503	5,161	571	46,887	46,887	46,887	46,887	46,887	
GEORGIA		23,943	165,415	93,266	1,416	24,363	7,453	17,881	39,696	6,446	16,324	39,696	6,446	16,324	396,203	396,203	396,203	396,203	396,203	
INDIANA 1/																				
LOUISIANA		10,219	18,766	9,277	359	2,950	1,022	2,508	3,411	69	1,212	2,508	3,411	69	48,995	48,995	48,995	48,995	48,995	
MARYLAND		84,506	56,331	32,988	346	8,415	2,537	4,595	6,646	2,749	3,472	4,595	6,646	2,749	202,485	202,485	202,485	202,485	202,485	
MISSISSIPPI		31,740	61,630	57,938	1,064	6,015	3,330	7,025	10,302	3,930	8,499	7,025	10,302	3,930	191,489	191,489	191,489	191,489	191,489	
MISSOURI		8,426	20,831	13,599	805	2,677	1,355	1,860	2,897	2,291	487	2,897	2,291	487	55,218	55,218	55,218	55,218	55,218	
NEW YORK		1,820	1,210	704	5	21	262	41	575		1,386	41	575		6,024	6,024	6,024	6,024	6,024	
NORTH CAROLINA		16,559	160,575	130,018	332	18,512	5,201	9,988	16,487	3,449	14,769	9,988	16,487	3,449	375,890	375,890	375,890	375,890	375,890	
OREGON		169	7,094	603	140	768	830	778	1,084	381	379	778	1,084	381	12,226	12,226	12,226	12,226	12,226	
PENNSYLVANIA		39,232	38,577	41,003	412	1,465	1,948	2,138	7,239	122	9,306	2,138	7,239	122	141,442	141,442	141,442	141,442	141,442	
SOUTH CAROLINA		2,056	23,581	14,215	227	3,309	2,408	1,401	3,510	6,572	4,728	3,510	6,572	4,728	62,007	62,007	62,007	62,007	62,007	
TENNESSEE		3,534	24,102	5,901	179	2,385	915	1,754	3,594	40	2,278	1,754	3,594	40	44,682	44,682	44,682	44,682	44,682	
TEXAS		8,841	72,796	26,926	778	6,896	4,709	7,051	8,051	2,430	2,672	7,051	8,051	2,430	141,950	141,950	141,950	141,950	141,950	
VIRGINIA		104,568	37,533	15,539	79	8,493	1,199	6,428	4,285	981	6,428	4,285	981	6,428	185,483	185,483	185,483	185,483	185,483	
WASHINGTON		893	12,356	1,434	411	893	824	595	269		1,489	824	595	269	19,164	19,164	19,164	19,164	19,164	

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: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), APRIL 1982 AND 1983

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT/INSPECTED/		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983		
UNITED STATES	20,627	17,075	88,413	73,542	4.41	4.30	53,897	45,277	2,898	2,552	3.68	3.89
ALABAMA 3/	552		2,254		4.08		1,349		38		1.99	
CALIFORNIA 3/	2,296		8,562		3.72		5,174		269		3.52	
GEORGIA	4,302		18,258		5.19		13,577		608		3.05	
NORTH CAROLINA 3/												

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MATURE CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), APRIL 1983

STATE	WHOLE NUMBERS											
	TUBER-	LEU-	SEPTI-	AIR SAC-	SYNO-	TUMORS	BRUISES:	CADAVER:	INATUON:	SCALD :	OTHER :	TOTAL
UNITED STATES	162	35,483	197,078	2,158	1,616	186,468	40,950	19,845	45,130	4,485	40,797	574,172
CALIFORNIA		417	26,834	69	57	20,036	893	562	1,386	302	2,244	60,800
GEORGIA		898	37,152	538	82	16,293	2,446	4,429	11,504	390	1,143	74,875
MINNESOTA		4,541	12,550	360		19,823	1,064	221	6,627		6,598	51,884
NEW JERSEY		2,335	6,899			12,241	2,555	2,934	2,827	704	10,940	41,435

YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), APRIL 1982 AND 1983												
STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED	POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVWEIGHT)	AVERAGE LIVWEIGHT	TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)	POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS							
					POUNDS (NYD)	PERCENT 2/	PERCENT					
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983
	THOUSANDS		POUNDS		THOUSANDS		PERCENT		THOUSANDS		PERCENT	
UNITED STATES	9,119	9,957	178,494	200,130	19.57	20.09	141,695	159,717	2,685	3,261	1.67	1.81
ARKANSAS	814	914	15,577	16,969	19.13	18.54	12,348	13,656	338	290	2.42	1.90
CALIFORNIA	1,291	1,426	24,925	28,748	19.30	20.15	20,032	23,243	271	584	1.21	2.26
COLORADO	3/	314	---	9,289	---	26.33	---	6,227	---	127	---	1.71
INDIANA	279	---	4,689	---	16.76	---	3,729	---	55	---	1.32	---
IOWA	---	499	---	12,428	---	24.90	---	9,633	---	264	---	2.38
MASSACHUSETTS	3/	---	13	---	18.64	---	11	---	---	---	1.31	---
MINNESOTA	541	893	7,163	18,125	16.73	20.29	7,291	14,370	218	331	2.66	2.04
MISSOURI	1,126	1,178	22,711	23,729	20.15	20.13	18,161	19,329	412	455	2.02	2.13
NEW YORK	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NORTH CAROLINA	1,353	1,465	24,247	27,353	17.91	18.67	19,862	22,429	255	276	1.17	1.12
OHIO	99	77	2,148	1,989	21.67	25.66	1,675	1,542	60	44	3.15	2.51
PENNSYLVANIA	343	260	6,653	4,699	19.36	18.06	5,438	3,752	80	51	1.35	1.23
SOUTH CAROLINA	398	---	9,077	---	22.77	---	7,073	---	151	---	1.86	---
TEXAS	334	---	6,501	---	19.45	---	4,989	---	91	---	1.56	---
VIRGINIA	1,208	1,353	21,809	24,149	18.05	17.83	17,281	19,085	235	304	1.20	1.40

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YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), APRIL 1983												
STATE	TUBER- CJLOSIS	LEU- KOSIS	SEPTI- CULITIS	AIRSAC- VITIS	SYNO- TUMORS	BRUISES- CADAVER	INATON- SCALD	OTHER	TOTAL	MIDDLE NUMBERS		
										CONTAM- OVER-	OVER-	OTHER
	193	193	73,943	10,484	5,627	162	1,009	2,716	3,026	345	3,460	100,965
UNITED STATES	---	193	73,943	10,484	5,627	162	1,009	2,716	3,026	345	3,460	100,965
ARKANSAS	---	---	4,316	881	984	15	118	341	526	58	1,468	8,707
CALIFORNIA	---	90	20,329	456	630	90	67	188	289	118	425	22,682
COLORADO	---	---	1,778	---	81	---	---	---	---	---	---	1,859
INDIANA	1/	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
IOWA	---	---	2,793	1,657	684	20	21	57	268	96	655	6,252
MINNESOTA	---	---	4,778	4,515	1,948	4	160	392	430	21	57	12,305
MISSOURI	---	---	12,915	693	94	12	171	209	350	8	93	14,546
NORTH CAROLINA	---	2	5,136	368	13	9	102	218	358	12	92	6,310
OHIO	---	---	628	262	1	---	8	2	7	1	1	910
PENNSYLVANIA	---	---	1,345	72	11	---	7	49	65	---	30	1,579
VIRGINIA	---	94	9,434	259	66	4	42	746	50	2	94	10,791

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

FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL, APRIL 1982 AND 1983

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED/		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS (NYD)		PERCENT 2/	
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983
UNITED STATES	539	360	4,890	3,394	9.06	9.41	3,834	2,668	44	31	1.00	1.03

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 TOTAL, APRIL 1983

STATE	LEU- TUBER- CULOSIS		SEPTI- AIRSAC- CULITIS		SYNO- VITIS		TUMORS		BRUISES		CADAVER		INMATION		SCALD		OTHER		TOTAL	
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983
UNITED STATES	12	1,153	52	14	4	50	322	550	22	28	2,207									

OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL, APRIL 1982 AND 1983

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED/		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS (NYD)		PERCENT 2/	
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983
UNITED STATES	109	137	2,403	2,966	21.95	21.61	1,055	2,277	113	153	5.30	5.79

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, APRIL 1983

STATE	LEU- TUBER- CULOSIS		SEPTI- AIRSAC- CULITIS		SYNO- VITIS		TUMORS		BRUISES		CADAVER		INMATION		SCALD		OTHER		TOTAL	
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983
UNITED STATES	1	2,216	416	6	60	189	38	45	7	7	2,985									

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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