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Live Weight Poultry Inspections preliminarily totaled 1.79 billion pounds (813 thousand metric tons) during May 1983, an increase of 8 percent from May 1982, and 3 percent above April 1983, according to the Crop Reporting Board.

Inspections included 1.49 billion pounds (674 thousand metric tons) of young chickens, 8 percent above May 1982 and 3 percent above April 1983; 65.8 million pounds (29.8 thousand metric tons) of mature chickens, a decrease of 10 percent from May 1982 and 13 percent below April 1983. Turkey inspections totaled 229 million pounds (104 thousand metric tons), 11 percent above May 1982 and 10 percent above April 1983. Duck inspections of 11.0 million pounds (5010 metric tons) were 5 percent above May 1982 and 7 percent above April 1983.

Poultry Certified Wholesome during May 1983 totaled 1.32 billion pounds (597 thousand metric tons) ready-to-cook weight, 8 percent above May 1982. The percentage breakdown for the May 1983 total is 83 percent chilled and 17 percent frozen.

Ante-Mortem Condemnations during May totaled 4.40 million pounds (2000 metric tons) live weight. Condemnations were 0.24 percent of the pounds inspected for May 1983 compared with 0.27 percent for May 1982. Post-Mortem Condemnations were 24.5 million pounds (11.1 thousand metric tons) (N.Y.D. Weight), 1.52 percent of quantities inspected compared with 1.50 percent during May 1982.

Further Processed poultry totaled 318 million pounds (144 thousand metric tons) ready-to-cook weight. Cut-Up packaged poultry products totaled 559 million pounds (254 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 May 1983 includes reports available for summary in late *
* June 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, MAY 1983 WITH COMPARISONS

	CHICKENS			TURKEY			DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
	YOUNG	MATURE 1/	TOTAL	YOUNG 2/	OLD	TOTAL			
NUMBER INSPECTED									
APRIL 1983	345,740	17,454	363,194	10,058	137	10,555	1,614		
MAY 1982	338,337	16,565	354,902	10,228	122	10,888	1,647		
MAY 1983	360,213	13,468	373,681	11,483	93	11,987	1,718		
JAN-MAY 1982	1,662,902	87,851	1,750,753	44,218	447	47,044	7,497		
JAN-MAY 1983	1,727,695	83,832	1,811,527	49,616	510	51,537	7,999		
POUNDS INSPECTED									
APRIL 1983	1,437,183	75,338	1,512,521	202,289	2,966	208,649	10,296	201	1,731,667
MAY 1982	1,371,313	73,294	1,444,607	177,914	2,587	205,435	10,490	184	1,660,716
MAY 1983	1,486,162	65,762	1,551,924	223,059	2,026	228,764	11,047	251	1,791,986
JAN-MAY 1982	6,719,986	389,996	7,109,902	878,414	9,720	910,382	48,245	1,023	8,069,552
JAN-MAY 1983	7,107,583	375,765	7,483,348	997,625	11,136	1,021,826	51,027	1,043	8,557,244
AVERAGE LIVEMILEIGHT									
APRIL 1983	4.15	4.31	4.16	20.11	21.61	19.76	6.37		
MAY 1982	4.05	4.42	4.07	19.34	21.14	18.86	6.36		
MAY 1983	4.12	4.88	4.15	19.42	21.61	19.08	6.42		
JAN-MAY 1982	4.04	4.43	4.06	19.86	21.72	19.35	6.43		
JAN-MAY 1983	4.11	4.48	4.13	20.10	21.81	19.82	6.37		

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

MAY 1982:	2,737
MAY 1983:	3,735

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

MAY 1982:	115
MAY 1983:	088

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

	CHICKENS			TURKEY			DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
	YOUNG	MATURE	TOTAL	YOUNG	OLD	TOTAL			
APRIL 1983	973,801	39,462	1,013,263	52,424	1,076	55,810	1,084	010	1,070,167
CHILLED FROZEN	80,489	6,982	87,471	109,020	1,201	110,579	6,109	096	204,255
TOTAL	1,054,290	46,444	1,100,734	161,444	2,277	166,589	7,193	106	1,274,422
MAY 1982	937,879	38,471	976,350	44,948	867	48,884	703	001	1,025,938
CHILLED FROZEN	68,268	6,768	75,036	113,446	1,117	115,378	6,675	096	197,185
TOTAL	1,006,147	45,239	1,051,386	158,394	1,984	164,262	7,378	097	1,223,123
MAY 1983	1,007,223	33,331	1,040,554	50,976	827	54,280	1,157	011	1,096,002
CHILLED FROZEN	76,788	6,019	84,807	126,888	720	128,024	6,511	125	219,467
TOTAL	1,084,011	41,350	1,125,361	177,864	1,547	182,304	7,668	136	1,315,469
JAN-MAY 1982	4,537,394	200,671	4,738,065	222,061	3,756	236,752	3,558	017	4,978,392
CHILLED FROZEN	375,213	39,375	414,588	474,939	3,735	485,302	30,329	526	930,745
TOTAL	4,912,607	240,046	5,152,653	697,000	7,491	722,054	33,887	543	5,909,137
JAN-MAY 1983	4,793,183	193,569	4,986,752	273,702	4,720	286,478	5,667	029	5,278,926
CHILLED FROZEN	404,406	39,053	443,459	518,285	3,964	524,450	29,853	520	998,282
TOTAL	5,197,589	232,622	5,430,211	791,987	6,684	810,928	35,520	549	6,277,208

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

	TURKEY													
	CHICKENS					DUCKS					TOTAL POULTRY			
	YOUNG	MATURE	TOTAL	FRYER-ROASTERS	YOUNG	OLD	TOTAL	OTHER POULTRY						
ANTE-MORTEM														
1,000 POUNDS (LIVEWEIGHT)														
APRIL 1983	3,632	821	4,453	1	390	22	413	7						4,873
MAY 1982	3,335	801	4,136	9	389	30	420	14						4,578
MAY 1983	3,407	581	3,988	1	389	21	411	5						4,404
JAN-MAY 1982	20,540	5,955	26,495	61	2,285	67	2,413	73						28,883
JAN-MAY 1983	19,252	4,159	23,411	9	2,349	69	2,427	44						25,883
PERCENT 1/														
MAY 1982	.24	1.09	.28	.19	.19	1.17	.20	.13						.27
MAY 1983	.22	.88	.25	.04	.17	1.06	.18	.05						.24
POST-MORTEM														
1,000 POUNDS (N.Y. DRESSED)														
APRIL 1983	19,856	2,602	22,458	31	3,284	153	3,468	153						26,080
MAY 1982	17,284	2,264	19,548	37	2,543	141	2,721	160						22,429
MAY 1983	19,134	2,108	21,242	27	2,975	91	3,093	166						24,502
JAN-MAY 1982	96,156	12,615	108,771	207	14,162	463	14,834	763						124,376
JAN-MAY 1983	99,524	12,429	111,953	115	15,128	438	15,681	820						128,463
PERCENT 2/														
MAY 1982	1.40	3.47	1.50	.85	1.43	6.17	1.47	1.70						1.50
MAY 1983	1.43	3.59	1.52	.82	1.40	5.09	1.50	1.68						1.52

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, MAY 1983 WITH COMPARISONS

	TURKEYS													
	CHICKENS					TURKEYS					TOTAL POULTRY			
	YOUNG	MATURE	CUT-UP	FURTHER PROCESSED	WHOLE CARCASS	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT-UP	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT-UP	FURTHER PROCESSED				
READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT														
POUNDS USED														
APRIL 1983	136,073	513,793	41,052	1,978	38,522	86,643	61,633	23,536	438	325,826	577,842			
MAY 1982	128,088	476,897	39,031	1,355	52,964	74,985	53,350	26,447	116	321,515	531,718			
MAY 1983	145,116	497,701	38,862	1,997	44,033	69,854	58,775	19,932	431	317,797	558,904			
JAN-MAY 1982	574,912	2,282,750	203,141	8,960	195,246	362,180	274,198	127,716	1,214	1,463,195	2,567,122			
JAN-MAY 1983	704,026	2,637,818	223,678	11,307	177,863	411,153	307,426	125,382	6,498	1,642,102	2,963,049			
PERCENT														
APRIL 1983	3,631	3,420	105	1	15	222	196	149	1	4,282	3,618			
MAY 1982	3,879	3,220	46	26	8	135	402	371		4,439	3,648			
MAY 1983	2,580	3,845	68	1	30	165	233	59	3	2,902	4,082			
JAN-MAY 1982	18,115	18,720	277	158	24	608	2,123	1,921	3	20,945	21,004			
JAN-MAY 1983	15,525	19,479	624	27	75	1,042	738	602	6	17,868	20,250			

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), MAY 1982 AND 1983

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED	POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVWEIGHT)	AVERAGE LIVWEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS					
			1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	PERCENT 2/	
UNITED STATES	338,337	1,371,313	4.05	4.12	1,006,147	1,084,011	17,284	19,134	1.40	1.43		
ALABAMA	40,662	157,275	3.86	3.91	115,710	129,926	1,496	2,070	1.06	1.31		
ARKANSAS	51,768	193,150	3.73	3.88	141,717	155,890	2,034	2,392	1.17	1.21		
CALIFORNIA	13,630	62,789	4.60	4.75	46,905	51,448	1,093	1,311	1.94	2.07		
DELAWARE	13,960	64,071	4.64	4.86	46,844	49,064	1,008	1,057	1.73	1.73		
FLORIDA	6,857	27,918	4.07	4.13	20,288	20,175	271	289	1.08	1.16		
GEORGIA	48,450	192,389	3.97	4.02	142,114	153,206	2,583	2,716	1.49	1.44		
LOUISIANA	7,534	29,817	3.95	4.02	20,266	23,605	315	321	1.17	1.07		
MARYLAND	15,561	66,560	4.27	4.07	49,669	49,248	964	1,048	1.61	1.71		
MISSISSIPPI	25,328	27,924	113,425	4.05	76,387	85,129	1,025	1,370	1.11	1.34		
MISSOURI	5,207	25,008	4.23	4.18	18,120	19,682	338	312	1.50	1.30		
NEW YORK	552	2,354	4.26	4.23	1,421	1,942	29	35	1.59	1.57		
NORTH CAROLINA	34,686	37,414	144,627	4.16	105,783	119,472	1,791	1,987	1.37	1.35		
OREGON	1,398	6,052	6,314	4.32	4,48	4,920	340	156	6.30	2.76		
PENNSYLVANIA	7,864	32,329	25,887	4.11	4.07	23,162	18,441	599	445	2.06	1.91	
SOUTH CAROLINA	5,441	6,516	23,915	3.77	3.67	14,456	248	331	1.35	1.54		
TENNESSEE	6,680	7,288	29,543	3.91	4.05	19,292	22,048	253	319	1.08	1.20	
TEXAS	21,345	21,238	88,749	4.07	4.17	64,587	66,331	1,094	951	1.40	1.19	
VIRGINIA	17,758	76,237	79,977	4.32	4.40	55,956	56,468	940	1,110	1.36	1.54	
WASHINGTON	1,597	6,837	7,663	4.27	4.32	5,061	163	199	2.67	2.83		

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

STATE	TUBERCULOSIS	LEU-CULICITIS	SEPT-CEMIA	AIRSAC-CULITIS	SYNO-VITIS	TUMORS	BRUISES	CADAVER	CONTAMINATION		OTHER	TOTAL
									IN	OVER		
UNITED STATES	166	505,026	1,137,644	620,568	23,594	149,396	52,767	113,707	181,996	40,637	102,982	2,928,483
ALABAMA	28,257	125,074	91,238	3,640	20,598	6,166	10,847	19,198	5,220	6,064	316,302	
ARKANSAS	10,447	156,625	91,105	5,558	21,561	8,678	15,176	21,046	2,844	8,419	341,617	
CALIFORNIA	3,378	89,891	56,521	1,466	2,953	1,333	7,911	4,697	3,350	1,773	173,273	
DELAWARE	112,084	36,529	13,950	314	6,849	4,929	5,329	880	6,509	6,509	188,816	
FLORIDA	1,065	16,995	4,121	1,304	3,854	1,098	2,336	5,748	140	3,730	40,391	
GEORGIA	20,528	161,169	89,317	1,266	27,761	6,663	17,285	43,343	6,668	15,888	389,888	
LOUISIANA	10,415	16,948	5,417	375	1,916	954	1,950	3,332	344	1,111	42,762	
MARYLAND	87,377	50,346	24,774	397	9,219	1,736	5,164	7,705	404	4,228	191,350	
MISSISSIPPI	44,393	61,091	48,120	1,143	5,601	3,287	10,065	12,608	2,737	5,054	194,089	
MISSOURI	5,055	18,820	11,357	747	2,761	1,119	2,396	3,767	992	50,249	50,249	
NEW YORK	1,888	981	314	12	21	235	41	654	1,636	5,865	5,865	
NORTH CAROLINA	15,561	150,348	78,961	385	16,771	4,938	10,278	17,175	4,021	13,762	312,200	
OREGON	287	12,114	16,954	269	1,000	1,241	1,390	1,578	542	579	20,034	
PENNSYLVANIA	21,306	20,436	16,340	182	1,302	1,464	1,413	5,388	88	8,931	76,790	
SOUTH CAROLINA	934	22,562	21,137	228	3,276	2,458	1,567	4,381	2,540	5,582	64,665	
TENNESSEE	5,796	27,582	4,922	239	2,642	826	1,576	3,211	519	3,087	50,400	
TEXAS	11,363	71,132	29,951	1,053	6,871	4,645	7,548	9,728	4,394	2,111	148,796	
VIRGINIA	103,955	35,308	15,385	94	9,585	1,119	7,477	4,555	1,267	4,523	183,268	
WASHINGTON	648	25,106	1,541	1,606	1,678	650	667	216	21	1,656	33,789	

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

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED/ (LIVEWEIGHT)		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983		
UNITED STATES	16,565	13,468	73,294	65,762	4.42	4.88	45,239	41,350	2,264	2,108	3.47	3.59
CALIFORNIA	2,008	1,146	7,708	4,784	3.83	4.17	4,676	3,022	221	143	3.23	3.37
GEORGIA	3,299	2,792	17,570	17,147	5.32	6.13	10,977	11,023	446	430	2.85	2.81

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

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

STATE	WHOLE NUMBERS										TOTAL	
	TUBER- CULOSIS	LEU- KOSIS	SEPTI- CENIA	AIRSAC- CULITIS	SYNO- VIYIS	TUMORS	BRUISES	CADAVER	INATION	CONTAM- OVER-		SCALD
UNITED STATES	62	26,641	149,198	2,411	1,247	138,799	31,030	15,436	35,765	2,253	28,717	431,559
CALIFORNIA	---	129	9,285	40	27	15,671	798	380	914	64	1,546	28,854
GEORGIA	---	337	29,287	416	301	9,632	1,676	4,169	9,037	428	1,421	56,784
NEW JERSEY	---	1,844	5,813	---	37	8,350	1,967	2,105	2,871	624	6,961	30,572
WASHINGTON	---	93	7,584	---	---	2,784	189	---	1,975	---	713	13,338

YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), MAY 1982 AND 1983

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED/ (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983		
UNITED STATES	10,228	11,483	177,914	223,059	19.34	19.42	158,394	177,864	2,543	2,975	1.43	1.48
ARKANSAS	1,114	1,128	20,276	20,791	18.19	18.42	16,478	17,064	333	273	1.83	1.46
CALIFORNIA	1,350	1,578	26,632	31,549	19.72	19.98	21,536	24,811	341	459	1.42	1.61
INDIANA	288	388	5,253	6,108	18.19	15.72	4,190	4,781	51	74	1.11	1.37
IOWA	645	641	14,291	16,027	22.15	24.97	11,204	12,534	186	255	1.45	1.78
MASSACHUSETTS 3/	1	27	27	20.37	---	---	22	---	---	---	1.06	---
MINNESOTA	724	1,135	12,103	19,515	16.71	17.18	9,757	15,748	154	286	1.42	1.63
MISSOURI	1,105	1,062	21,824	20,905	19.74	19.68	17,733	17,000	286	357	1.46	1.90
NEW YORK	27	14	690	300	25.29	20.67	541	217	6	4	1.20	1.92
NORTH CAROLINA	1,495	1,687	26,676	30,398	17.85	18.01	21,851	24,913	262	298	1.09	1.09
OHIO	107	72	2,194	1,815	20.41	24.94	1,747	1,409	43	36	2.19	2.29
PENNSYLVANIA	343	404	6,554	7,283	19.09	17.98	5,314	5,872	75	63	1.29	1.98
VIRGINIA	1,173	1,521	21,806	27,305	18.58	17.94	17,149	21,501	236	284	1.20	1.16

1/ AVERAGE WEIGHT BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
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 3/ DATA NOT PUBLISHED TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

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

STATE	TUBER- : CULOSIS:		LEU- : KOSIS :		SEPTI- : CEMIA :		AIRSAC- : CULTITIS :		SYNO- : VITIS :		TUMORS : BRUISES :		CADAVER : INAMION :		CONTAM- : OVER- :		SCALD : OTHER :		TOTAL
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	
UNITED STATES	---	113	59,568	8,354	7,341	581	1,543	2,904	3,458	402	2,421	---	6,681	---	86,685	---	6,681	---	14,053
ARKANSAS	---	---	4,393	930	497	14	106	232	509	---	---	---	6,681	---	6,681	---	6,681	---	14,053
CALIFORNIA	---	63	10,870	167	2,078	70	74	290	319	36	84	---	14,053	---	14,053	---	14,053	---	14,053
INDIANA	---	21	2,532	312	234	418	625	109	336	2	60	---	4,449	---	4,449	---	4,449	---	4,449
IOWA	---	3	3,086	1,453	1,031	34	33	109	300	8	379	---	6,436	---	6,436	---	6,436	---	6,436
MINNESOTA	---	---	6,094	2,430	1,680	4	141	379	521	16	264	---	11,529	---	11,529	---	11,529	---	11,529
MISSOURI	---	---	9,218	526	105	22	100	170	388	45	93	---	10,667	---	10,667	---	10,667	---	10,667
NORTH CAROLINA	---	4	4,744	421	37	5	115	247	311	7	99	---	5,990	---	5,990	---	5,990	---	5,990
OHIO	---	---	486	170	123	---	1	1	2	---	4	---	788	---	788	---	788	---	788
PENNSYLVANIA	---	---	1,107	450	5	---	11	41	94	8	22	---	1,747	---	1,747	---	1,747	---	1,747
VIRGINIA	---	17	7,050	178	175	---	32	782	54	191	196	---	8,675	---	8,675	---	8,675	---	8,675

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

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEMEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEMEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS		
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	
UNITED STATES	538	411	4,924	3,679	9.16	8.93	3,884	2,894	37	27	.85
	THOUSANDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		THOUSANDS		PERCENT		

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, MAY 1983

STATE	TUBER- CULOSIS	LEU- KOSIS	SEPTI- CMIA	AIRSAC- CULITIS	SYNO- VITIS	TUMORS	BRUISES	CADAVER	INMATION	SCALD	OTHER	TOTAL
UNITED STATES	32	1,210	49	11	1	61	269	429	33	52		2,147
	WHOLE NUMBERS											

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

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEMEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEMEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983		
UNITED STATES	122	93	2,587	2,026	21.14	21.61	1,984	1,547	141	91	6.17	5.09
	THOUSANDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		THOUSANDS		PERCENT			

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, MAY 1983

STATE	TUBER- CULOSIS	LEU- KOSIS	SEPTI- CMIA	AIRSAC- CULITIS	SYNO- VITIS	TUMORS	BRUISES	CADAVER	INMATION	SCALD	OTHER	TOTAL
UNITED STATES	---	4	1,474	280	25	85	177	70	53	4	49	2,221
	WHOLE NUMBERS											

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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