
Poultry Slaughter



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The preliminary total of Live Weight Poultry Inspections was 1.71 billion pounds (774 thousand metric tons) for April 1984, according to the Crop Reporting Board.

Inspections included 1.43 billion pounds (647 thousand metric tons) of young chickens, 63.4 million pounds (28.8 thousand metric tons) of mature chickens, 204 million pounds (92.7 thousand metric tons) of turkeys and 10.3 million pounds (4680 metric tons) of ducks.

Poultry Certified Wholesome during April 1984 was 1.25 billion pounds (569 thousand metric tons) ready-to-cook weight. Updated totals for March show that 1.27 billion pounds (576 thousand metric tons) were certified.

Ante-Mortem Condemnations during April 1984 totaled 4.97 million pounds (2250 metric tons). Condemnations were 0.29 percent of the live weight inspected compared with 0.28 percent during April a year ago. Post-Mortem Condemnations were 23.6 million pounds (10.7 thousand metric tons) (N.Y. Dressed Weight), 1.54 percent of the quantities inspected compared with 1.67 percent a year earlier.

Further Processed poultry totaled 334 million pounds (151 thousand metric tons) ready-to-cook weight. Cut-up packaged poultry totaled 573 million pounds (260 thousand metric tons).

* The data presented in this report were compiled by the Meat and Poultry *
* Inspection Program, Food Safety Inspection Service. Data for April 1984*
* include reports available for summary in late May 1984. The degree of*
* incompleteness due to late reports will vary from month to month. *
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POULTRY: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, APRIL 1984 WITH COMPARISONS

| | CHICKENS | | | | TURKEY | | | | OTHER : POULTRY | TOTAL : POULTRY |
|------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--------|----------|-------|---------|--------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | YOUNG | MATURE 1/ | ROASTERS | FRYER- | YOUNG 2/ | OLD | DUCKS | TOTAL | | |
| NUMBER INSPECTED | | | | | | | | | | |
| MARCH 1984 | 351,283 | 14,197 | 365,490 | 80 | 9,843 | 77 | 10,000 | 1,406 | | |
| APRIL 1983 | 345,740 | 17,498 | 363,238 | 360 | 10,066 | 137 | 10,563 | 1,614 | | |
| APRIL 1984 | 340,071 | 13,825 | 353,896 | 92 | 10,293 | 70 | 10,455 | 1,574 | | |
| JAN-APR 1983 | 1,367,924 | 70,407 | 1,438,331 | 999 | 38,140 | 416 | 39,555 | 6,281 | | |
| JAN-APR 1984 | 1,355,098 | 54,013 | 1,409,111 | 363 | 36,838 | 292 | 37,493 | 5,804 | | |
| POUNDS INSPECTED | | | | | | | | | | |
| MARCH 1984 | 1,663,813 | 63,507 | 1,527,320 | 796 | 194,285 | 1,619 | 196,700 | 9,180 | 198 | 1,733,398 |
| APRIL 1983 | 1,637,183 | 75,601 | 1,512,784 | 3,394 | 202,431 | 2,966 | 208,791 | 10,464 | 204 | 1,732,243 |
| APRIL 1984 | 1,427,356 | 63,446 | 1,490,802 | 892 | 201,949 | 1,600 | 204,441 | 10,323 | 243 | 1,705,809 |
| JAN-APR 1983 | 5,623,347 | 310,266 | 5,933,613 | 9,386 | 774,708 | 9,109 | 793,203 | 40,147 | 795 | 6,767,758 |
| JAN-APR 1984 | 5,652,319 | 245,157 | 5,897,476 | 3,550 | 742,610 | 6,425 | 752,585 | 37,561 | 1,073 | 6,688,695 |

AVERAGE LIVEMEIGHT : POUNDS

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|------|--|--|
| MARCH 1984 | 4.16 | 4.47 | 4.17 | 9.88 | 19.73 | 20.85 | 19.66 | 6.52 | | |
| APRIL 1983 | 4.15 | 4.32 | 4.16 | 9.41 | 20.10 | 21.61 | 19.76 | 6.48 | | |
| APRIL 1984 | 4.19 | 4.58 | 4.21 | 9.64 | 19.61 | 22.75 | 19.55 | 6.55 | | |
| JAN-APR 1983 | 4.11 | 4.40 | 4.21 | 9.39 | 20.31 | 21.86 | 20.05 | 6.39 | | |
| JAN-APR 1984 | 4.17 | 4.53 | 4.18 | 9.77 | 20.15 | 21.99 | 20.07 | 6.47 | | |

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

APRIL 1983: 2,844 APRIL 1984: 2,772

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

APRIL 1983: 077 APRIL 1984: 054

POULTRY: POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WEIGHTS), APRIL 1984 WITH COMPARISONS

| | CHICKENS | | | | TURKEY | | | | OTHER : POULTRY | TOTAL : POULTRY |
|--------------|-----------|---------|-----------|--------|---------|-------|---------|--------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | YOUNG | MATURE | ROASTERS | FRYER- | YOUNG | OLD | DUCKS | TOTAL | | |
| MARCH 1984 | 993,712 | 33,936 | 1,027,648 | 090 | 55,616 | 807 | 56,513 | 1,411 | 023 | 1,085,595 |
| APRIL 1983 | 75,119 | 5,006 | 80,125 | 488 | 97,656 | 415 | 98,559 | 4,902 | 081 | 183,667 |
| APRIL 1984 | 1,068,831 | 38,942 | 1,107,773 | 578 | 153,272 | 1,222 | 155,072 | 6,313 | 104 | 1,269,262 |
| APRIL 1983 | 973,801 | 39,632 | 1,013,433 | 2,310 | 52,478 | 1,076 | 55,864 | 1,084 | 012 | 1,070,393 |
| APRIL 1984 | 80,489 | 6,982 | 87,471 | 358 | 109,079 | 1,201 | 110,638 | 6,225 | 097 | 204,431 |
| APRIL 1984 | 1,054,290 | 46,614 | 1,100,904 | 2,668 | 161,557 | 2,277 | 166,502 | 7,309 | 109 | 1,274,824 |
| APRIL 1984 | 975,424 | 34,262 | 1,009,686 | 084 | 60,763 | 714 | 61,561 | 1,599 | 023 | 1,072,869 |
| JAN-APR 1983 | 68,632 | 5,018 | 73,650 | 597 | 100,018 | 529 | 101,144 | 5,642 | 109 | 180,545 |
| JAN-APR 1984 | 1,044,056 | 39,280 | 1,083,336 | 681 | 160,781 | 1,243 | 162,705 | 7,241 | 132 | 1,253,414 |
| JAN-APR 1983 | 3,787,424 | 160,407 | 3,947,831 | 5,579 | 222,779 | 3,893 | 232,251 | 4,509 | 019 | 4,184,610 |
| JAN-APR 1984 | 3,27,617 | 31,034 | 358,651 | 1,785 | 391,455 | 3,243 | 396,483 | 23,457 | 395 | 778,986 |
| JAN-APR 1984 | 4,115,041 | 191,441 | 4,306,482 | 7,364 | 614,234 | 7,136 | 628,734 | 27,966 | 414 | 4,963,596 |
| JAN-APR 1984 | 3,842,289 | 130,622 | 3,972,911 | 436 | 216,565 | 3,190 | 220,191 | 6,310 | 084 | 4,199,496 |
| JAN-APR 1984 | 284,023 | 21,375 | 305,398 | 2,230 | 370,789 | 1,719 | 374,738 | 19,836 | 496 | 700,468 |
| JAN-APR 1984 | 4,126,312 | 151,997 | 4,278,309 | 2,666 | 587,354 | 4,909 | 594,929 | 26,146 | 580 | 4,899,964 |

POULTRY: CONDEMNATIONS OF POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, APRIL 1984 WITH COMPARISONS

| | CHICKENS | | | | TURKEY | | | | DUCKS | OTHER POULTRY | TOTAL POULTRY |
|-----------------------------|----------|--------|--------|----------------|--------|------|--------|------|-------|---------------|---------------|
| | YOUNG | MATURE | TOTAL | FRYER-ROASTERS | YOUNG | OLD | TOTAL | | | | |
| ANTE-MORTEM | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1,000 POUNDS (LIVWEIGHT) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| MARCH 1984 | 4,455 | 823 | 5,278 | 2 | 489 | 15 | 506 | 9 | | 5,793 | |
| APRIL 1983 | 3,632 | 822 | 4,454 | 1 | 390 | 22 | 413 | 7 | | 4,874 | |
| APRIL 1984 | 3,846 | 632 | 4,478 | 4 | 456 | 17 | 473 | 10 | | 4,965 | |
| JAN-APR 1983 | 15,860 | 3,578 | 19,438 | 8 | 1,961 | 48 | 2,017 | 39 | 1 | 21,495 | |
| JAN-APR 1984 | 17,953 | 2,992 | 20,945 | 11 | 1,921 | 44 | 1,976 | 41 | 3 | 22,965 | |
| PERCENT 1/ | | | | | | | | | | | |
| APRIL 1983 | .25 | 1.08 | .29 | .04 | .19 | .76 | .19 | .07 | .16 | .28 | |
| APRIL 1984 | .26 | .99 | .30 | .55 | .22 | 1.11 | .23 | .10 | .28 | .29 | |
| POST-MORTEM | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1,000 POUNDS (N.Y. DRESSED) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| MARCH 1984 | 19,396 | 2,243 | 21,639 | 36 | 3,309 | 94 | 3,439 | 129 | 1 | 25,208 | |
| APRIL 1983 | 19,856 | 2,608 | 22,464 | 31 | 3,285 | 153 | 3,469 | 159 | 1 | 26,093 | |
| APRIL 1984 | 17,914 | 2,214 | 20,128 | 10 | 3,282 | 75 | 3,367 | 146 | 2 | 23,643 | |
| JAN-APR 1983 | 80,411 | 10,327 | 90,738 | 87 | 12,153 | 346 | 12,586 | 657 | 7 | 103,988 | |
| JAN-APR 1984 | 75,461 | 3,466 | 83,927 | 75 | 12,373 | 295 | 12,743 | 527 | 11 | 97,208 | |
| PERCENT 2/ | | | | | | | | | | | |
| APRIL 1983 | 1.53 | 3.87 | 1.65 | 1.03 | 1.80 | 5.79 | 1.85 | 1.69 | 1.11 | 1.67 | |
| APRIL 1984 | 1.39 | 3.91 | 1.50 | 1.34 | 1.81 | 5.35 | 1.83 | 1.58 | 1.21 | 1.54 | |

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, APRIL 1984 WITH COMPARISONS

| | MATURE CHICKENS | | | | TURKEYS | | | | OTHER POULTRY 1/ | TOTAL POULTRY |
|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|-------------------|---------|------------------|---------------|
| | YOUNG | CUT-UP | FURTHER PROCESSED | WHOLE | WHOLE | CUT-UP | FURTHER PROCESSED | | | |
| POUNDS USED | | | | | | | | | | |
| MARCH 1984 | 182,072 | 555,301 | 47,972 | 371 | 27,614 | 97,777 | 78,735 | 30,402 | 1,086 | 385,837 |
| APRIL 1983 | 143,547 | 532,002 | 45,517 | 5,278 | 40,838 | 87,296 | 64,141 | 26,120 | 765 | 343,318 |
| APRIL 1984 | 157,030 | 509,048 | 37,916 | 357 | 29,756 | 81,644 | 62,502 | 27,362 | 697 | 333,708 |
| JAN-APR 1983 | 565,324 | 2,189,212 | 189,970 | 13,491 | 136,518 | 341,965 | 254,857 | 109,367 | 6,663 | 1,343,144 |
| JAN-APR 1984 | 679,536 | 2,095,100 | 175,403 | 1,426 | 110,521 | 355,357 | 275,391 | 120,141 | 2,837 | 1,440,958 |
| POUNDS CONDEMNED | | | | | | | | | | |
| MARCH 1984 | 1,609 | 3,518 | 117 | --- | 14 | 98 | 103 | 123 | --- | 1,961 |
| APRIL 1983 | 3,634 | 3,441 | 185 | 1 | 15 | 217 | 196 | 155 | 1 | 4,206 |
| APRIL 1984 | 1,436 | 3,348 | 61 | 0 | 7 | 129 | 47 | 99 | 1 | 1,732 |
| JAN-APR 1983 | 12,875 | 12,181 | 555 | 25 | 44 | 345 | 505 | 548 | 3 | 14,867 |
| JAN-APR 1984 | 5,999 | 12,339 | 357 | 0 | 32 | 495 | 413 | 1,356 | 2 | 8,239 |

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.

YOUNG CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), APRIL 1983 AND 1984

| STATE | NUMBER | | POUNDS | | AVERAGE | | TOTAL POUNDS | | POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS | | |
|----------------|-----------|------------------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|-----------|--------------|---------------------|---------------------------|------------|------|
| | INSPECTED | INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT) | INSPECTED | (LIVEWEIGHT) | INSPECTED | INSPECTED | INSPECTED | (READY-TO-COOK WT.) | POUNDS (NYD) | PERCENT 2/ | |
| | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | |
| UNITED STATES | 345,740 | 340,071 | 1,437,193 | 1,427,356 | 4.15 | 4.19 | 1,054,290 | 1,044,056 | 19,856 | 17,914 | 1.53 |
| ALABAMA | 43,304 | 45,335 | 171,064 | 182,930 | 3.95 | 4.03 | 127,324 | 135,379 | 2,169 | 2,555 | 1.41 |
| ARKANSAS | 53,485 | 53,818 | 208,243 | 213,293 | 3.89 | 3.96 | 150,683 | 153,992 | 2,591 | 2,523 | 1.38 |
| CALIFORNIA | 13,029 | 14,120 | 62,193 | 66,481 | 4.77 | 4.70 | 44,498 | 49,060 | 1,227 | 904 | 2.20 |
| DELAWARE | 12,986 | 15,226 | 64,799 | 75,574 | 4.98 | 4.96 | 47,386 | 55,257 | 1,113 | 988 | 1.46 |
| FLORIDA | 6,705 | 6,643 | 28,088 | 27,313 | 4.18 | 4.11 | 20,131 | 19,498 | 317 | 317 | 1.29 |
| GEORGIA | 50,859 | 49,203 | 208,849 | 204,424 | 4.10 | 4.15 | 154,913 | 151,062 | 2,683 | 2,517 | 1.37 |
| INDIANA 3/ | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LOUISIANA | 7,929 | 7,379 | 32,644 | 29,123 | 4.11 | 3.94 | 25,497 | 21,918 | 393 | 252 | 1.34 |
| MARYLAND | 15,965 | 16,929 | 65,071 | 68,876 | 4.07 | 4.06 | 45,950 | 48,502 | 1,110 | 858 | 1.90 |
| MISSISSIPPI | 25,023 | 23,921 | 102,141 | 98,809 | 4.08 | 4.13 | 76,336 | 74,826 | 1,291 | 1,046 | 1.40 |
| MISSOURI | 5,858 | 6,735 | 24,227 | 28,948 | 4.13 | 4.29 | 17,662 | 21,231 | 321 | 351 | 1.47 |
| NEW YORK | 546 | 837 | 2,405 | 3,697 | 4.39 | 4.41 | 1,496 | 2,267 | 34 | 75 | 1.62 |
| NORTH CAROLINA | 36,465 | 30,409 | 158,735 | 135,039 | 4.35 | 4.44 | 117,032 | 97,924 | 2,303 | 1,868 | 1.61 |
| OREGON 3/ | | | | | | | | | | | |
| PENNSYLVANIA | 7,648 | 6,155 | 31,297 | 25,673 | 4.09 | 4.17 | 21,816 | 18,426 | 700 | 426 | 2.49 |
| SOUTH CAROLINA | 6,089 | 5,798 | 23,110 | 21,812 | 3.79 | 3.76 | 16,411 | 15,419 | 305 | 245 | 1.48 |
| TENNESSEE | 6,932 | 6,596 | 28,103 | 27,339 | 4.05 | 4.14 | 21,004 | 20,265 | 295 | 223 | 1.17 |
| TEXAS | 20,102 | 18,864 | 85,087 | 80,765 | 4.23 | 4.28 | 63,795 | 60,282 | 929 | 896 | 1.21 |
| VIRGINIA | 18,466 | 17,831 | 80,234 | 77,093 | 4.34 | 4.32 | 57,833 | 55,349 | 1,085 | 930 | 1.50 |
| WASHINGTON | 1,690 | 1,767 | 7,787 | 7,791 | 4.60 | 4.40 | 5,764 | 5,769 | 151 | 109 | 2.17 |

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 STATE(S), APRIL 1984

| STATE | TUBER- CULOSIS | | LEU- KOSIS | | SEPTI- CULITIS | | AIRSAC- VITIS | | SYNO- VITIS | | CONTAM- INATION | | OVER- SCALD | | OTHER | | TOTAL | |
|----------------|-------------------|-----------|---------------|--------|-------------------|--------|------------------|---------|----------------|---------|--------------------|--------|----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | | |
| UNITED STATES | 281,269 | 1,137,244 | 608,057 | 19,645 | 131,799 | 56,914 | 110,275 | 168,626 | 38,392 | 107,384 | 2,659,605 | 6,325 | 417,795 | 337,868 | 131,543 | 129,552 | 45,018 | 382,144 |
| ALABAMA | 68,113 | 149,811 | 120,284 | 2,499 | 21,662 | 8,451 | 14,336 | 21,944 | 4,370 | 6,325 | 417,795 | 6,325 | 417,795 | 337,868 | 131,543 | 129,552 | 45,018 | 382,144 |
| ARKANSAS | 18,123 | 155,400 | 75,610 | 6,426 | 22,765 | 9,698 | 12,967 | 20,116 | 4,923 | 11,840 | 337,868 | 11,840 | 337,868 | 131,543 | 129,552 | 45,018 | 382,144 | 382,144 |
| CALIFORNIA | 4,436 | 69,804 | 30,529 | 719 | 3,445 | 1,216 | 5,426 | 6,505 | 5,751 | 3,712 | 131,543 | 3,712 | 131,543 | 129,552 | 45,018 | 382,144 | 382,144 | 382,144 |
| DELAWARE | 15,551 | 52,723 | 31,196 | 350 | 7,203 | 5,842 | 6,881 | 834 | 834 | 7,144 | 129,552 | 7,144 | 129,552 | 45,018 | 382,144 | 382,144 | 382,144 | 382,144 |
| FLORIDA | 331 | 21,564 | 5,189 | 1,035 | 4,565 | 1,040 | 2,754 | 4,832 | 465 | 3,243 | 45,018 | 465 | 45,018 | 382,144 | 382,144 | 382,144 | 382,144 | 382,144 |
| GEORGIA | 41,671 | 143,157 | 81,940 | 1,243 | 16,354 | 7,695 | 18,978 | 33,573 | 6,591 | 10,942 | 382,144 | 6,591 | 382,144 | 382,144 | 382,144 | 382,144 | 382,144 | 382,144 |
| INDIANA 1/ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LOUISIANA | 2,288 | 14,492 | 4,355 | 254 | 1,844 | 789 | 2,186 | 3,283 | 251 | 640 | 30,382 | 251 | 30,382 | 153,742 | 153,742 | 153,742 | 153,742 | 153,742 |
| MARYLAND | 12,865 | 70,161 | 42,282 | 394 | 8,946 | 2,145 | 4,276 | 7,231 | 611 | 4,851 | 153,742 | 611 | 153,742 | 150,687 | 150,687 | 150,687 | 150,687 | 150,687 |
| MISSISSIPPI | 37,558 | 58,289 | 23,439 | 924 | 6,153 | 3,275 | 5,882 | 9,817 | 3,322 | 2,028 | 150,687 | 3,322 | 150,687 | 150,687 | 150,687 | 150,687 | 150,687 | 150,687 |
| MISSOURI | 4,927 | 24,550 | 13,702 | 1,320 | 2,553 | 973 | 2,083 | 2,948 | 3,346 | 1,592 | 57,994 | 3,346 | 57,994 | 12,365 | 12,365 | 12,365 | 12,365 | 12,365 |
| NEW YORK | 1,591 | 1,795 | 1,294 | 21 | 247 | 504 | --- | --- | --- | --- | 12,365 | --- | 12,365 | 309,223 | 309,223 | 309,223 | 309,223 | 309,223 |
| NORTH CAROLINA | 11,710 | 149,104 | 88,632 | 396 | 10,797 | 4,229 | 9,607 | 13,288 | 1,323 | 20,137 | 309,223 | 1,323 | 309,223 | 58,882 | 58,882 | 58,882 | 58,882 | 58,882 |
| OREGON 1/ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| PENNSYLVANIA | 4,990 | 20,786 | 14,685 | 167 | 1,693 | 1,516 | 1,368 | 7,229 | 205 | 6,243 | 58,882 | 205 | 58,882 | 45,629 | 45,629 | 45,629 | 45,629 | 45,629 |
| SOUTH CAROLINA | 877 | 18,671 | 9,677 | 171 | 3,565 | 2,159 | 2,943 | 2,668 | 400 | 4,698 | 45,629 | 400 | 45,629 | 34,131 | 34,131 | 34,131 | 34,131 | 34,131 |
| TENNESSEE | 1,955 | 17,491 | 4,688 | 210 | 2,280 | 806 | 1,424 | 2,535 | 1,641 | 4,101 | 34,131 | 1,641 | 34,131 | 127,814 | 127,814 | 127,814 | 127,814 | 127,814 |
| TEXAS | 22,015 | 61,161 | 12,356 | 491 | 6,869 | 3,815 | 8,360 | 8,235 | 1,950 | 2,562 | 127,814 | 1,950 | 127,814 | 131,039 | 131,039 | 131,039 | 131,039 | 131,039 |
| VIRGINIA | 26,129 | 49,610 | 29,377 | 104 | 5,747 | 1,608 | 6,453 | 5,872 | 1,897 | 4,242 | 131,039 | 1,897 | 131,039 | 15,325 | 15,325 | 15,325 | 15,325 | 15,325 |
| WASHINGTON | 389 | 10,807 | 804 | 451 | 1,248 | 815 | 608 | 203 | --- | --- | 15,325 | --- | 15,325 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |

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

| MATURE CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), APRIL | | | | | | | | | | 1983 AND 1984 | |
|---|------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------|---------|
| STATE | NUMBER INSPECTED | POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT) | AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT | TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED | POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS | PERCENT 2/ | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | PERCENT |
| | | | | | | | THOUSANDS | THOUSANDS | THOUSANDS | THOUSANDS | |
| UNITED STATES | 17,493 | 13,325 | 75,601 | 63,446 | 4.32 | 4.58 | 46,614 | 39,280 | 2,608 | 2,214 | 3.87 |
| CALIFORNIA | 2,358 | 1,649 | 8,786 | 6,635 | 3.72 | 4.02 | 5,301 | 4,003 | 276 | 235 | 3.52 |
| GEORGIA | 3,619 | 2,830 | 19,007 | 16,294 | 5.25 | 5.75 | 12,164 | 10,174 | 507 | 454 | 2.99 |

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), APRIL | | | | | | | | | | 1984 | | | |
|--|--------|--------|---------|---------|-------|---------|--------|---------|---------|---------|--------|---------|-------|
| STATE | TUBER- | LEU- | SEPTI- | AIRSAC- | SYNO- | VITIS | TUMORS | BRUISES | CADAVER | INATON: | SCALD | OTHER | TOTAL |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| UNITED STATES | 106 | 20,226 | 159,788 | 2,407 | 372 | 197,444 | 28,889 | 19,580 | 42,078 | 1,520 | 30,246 | 502,656 | |
| CALIFORNIA | --- | 162 | 12,341 | 77 | --- | 32,829 | 284 | 375 | 1,194 | --- | 2,005 | 49,267 | |
| GEORGIA | --- | 342 | 36,398 | 806 | 82 | 19,443 | 3,007 | 6,579 | 17,050 | 415 | 1,198 | 85,320 | |

| YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), APRIL 1983 AND 1984 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|------------------|---------|---------|---------|-------|--------------|---------|---------------------------|-------|---------|------|
| STATE | NUMBER INSPECTED | POUNDS | | AVERAGE | | TOTAL POUNDS | | POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS | | PERCENT | |
| | | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 |
| UNITED STATES | 10,293 | 202,431 | 201,949 | 20.10 | 19.61 | 161,557 | 160,781 | 3,285 | 3,282 | 1.80 | 1.81 |
| ARKANSAS 3/ | 914 | 16,969 | --- | 18.54 | --- | 13,656 | --- | 290 | --- | 1.90 | --- |
| CALIFORNIA | 1,426 | 28,748 | 26,894 | 20.15 | 19.91 | 23,243 | 21,683 | 584 | 483 | 2.26 | 1.99 |
| INDIANA | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| IOWA | 506 | 486 | 11,138 | 24.72 | 22.88 | 9,708 | 8,572 | 265 | 217 | 2.37 | 2.18 |
| MINNESOTA | 893 | 1,147 | 20,417 | 20.29 | 17.79 | 14,370 | 16,216 | 331 | 434 | 2.04 | 2.37 |
| MISSOURI | 1,178 | 1,043 | 23,729 | 20.692 | 19.83 | 19,329 | 16,681 | 455 | 408 | 2.13 | 2.20 |
| NEW YORK | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| NORTH CAROLINA | 1,465 | 1,617 | 29,077 | 18.67 | 17.97 | 22,429 | 23,830 | 276 | 283 | 1.12 | 1.08 |
| OHIO | 77 | --- | --- | 25.66 | --- | 1,542 | --- | 44 | --- | 2.51 | --- |
| PENNSYLVANIA | 260 | 374 | 6,774 | 18.06 | 17.91 | 3,752 | 5,404 | 51 | 112 | 1.23 | 1.88 |
| VIRGINIA | 1,440 | 1,392 | 25,973 | 25.058 | 18.02 | 20,529 | 19,550 | 323 | 287 | 1.38 | 1.27 |

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 TURKEYS (MATURE): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), APRIL 1984 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-------|-----|--------|--------|--------|------|---------|-------|--------|---------|---------|----------|-------|-------|-------|
| STATE | TUBER | LEU | KOSIS | SEPTI | AIRSAC | SYNO | CULITIS | VITIS | TUMORS | BRUISES | CADAVER | INMATION | SCALD | OTHER | TOTAL |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| UNITED STATES | --- | 147 | 69,802 | 12,551 | 6,808 | 181 | 869 | 2,170 | 3,476 | 351 | 2,307 | 98,662 | --- | --- | --- |
| ARKANSAS 1/ | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| CALIFORNIA | --- | --- | 11,366 | 414 | 838 | 33 | 35 | 36 | 248 | 9 | 26 | 13,005 | --- | --- | --- |
| INDIANA 1/ | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| IOWA | --- | --- | 2,519 | 2,086 | 1,040 | 25 | 14 | 223 | 282 | --- | --- | 6,425 | --- | --- | --- |
| MINNESOTA | --- | --- | 9,673 | 4,018 | 2,432 | --- | 153 | 253 | 606 | 99 | --- | 17,234 | --- | --- | --- |
| MISSOURI | --- | --- | 12,662 | 1,397 | --- | --- | 102 | 187 | 428 | 8 | --- | 14,853 | --- | --- | --- |
| NORTH CAROLINA | --- | 103 | 3,481 | 395 | 10 | 8 | 68 | 114 | 386 | 8 | 64 | 4,637 | --- | --- | --- |
| PENNSYLVANIA | --- | --- | 3,030 | 267 | 7 | 1 | 39 | 61 | 172 | 15 | 45 | 3,637 | --- | --- | --- |
| VIRGINIA | --- | 14 | 7,254 | 334 | 156 | 50 | 68 | 841 | 130 | 94 | 94 | 9,035 | --- | --- | --- |

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

FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL APRIL 1983 AND 1984

| STATE | NUMBER | | POUNDS | | AVERAGE | | TOTAL POUNDS | | POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS | | | |
|---------------|--------|------|--------|------|---------|------|--------------|------|---------------------------|------|------|------|
| | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | | |
| UNITED STATES | 360 | 92 | 3,394 | 892 | 9.41 | 9.64 | 2,668 | 681 | 31 | 10 | 1.03 | 1.34 |

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 1984

| STATE | TUBER- | CULOSIS: | LEU- | SEPTI- | AIRSAC- | SYND- | TUMORS: | BRUISES: | CADAVER: | INMATION: | SCALD: | OTHER: | TOTAL |
|---------------|--------|----------|------|--------|---------|-------|---------|----------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|-------|
| UNITED STATES | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 383 |

OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL APRIL 1983 AND 1984

| STATE | NUMBER | | POUNDS | | AVERAGE | | TOTAL POUNDS | | POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS | | | |
|---------------|--------|------|--------|-------|---------|-------|--------------|-------|---------------------------|------|------|------|
| | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | 1983 | 1984 | | |
| UNITED STATES | 137 | 70 | 2,966 | 1,600 | 21.61 | 22.75 | 2,277 | 1,243 | 153 | 75 | 5.79 | 5.35 |

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 1984

| STATE | TUBER- | CULOSIS: | LEU- | SEPTI- | AIRSAC- | SYND- | TUMORS: | BRUISES: | CADAVER: | INMATION: | SCALD: | OTHER: | TOTAL |
|---------------|--------|----------|------|--------|---------|-------|---------|----------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|-------|
| UNITED STATES | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 1,733 |

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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