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## February 2025 Highlights

**Total natural cheese stocks** in refrigerated warehouses on February 28, 2025 were up 2 percent from the previous month but down 5 percent from February 29, 2024.

**Butter stocks** were up 17 percent from last month and up 3 percent from a year ago.

**Total frozen poultry supplies** on February 28, 2025 were up 2 percent from the previous month but down 3 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were down 1 percent from the previous month but up 1 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 13 percent from last month but down 11 percent from February 29, 2024.

**Total frozen fruit stocks** were down 7 percent from last month but up 8 percent from a year ago.

**Total frozen vegetable stocks** were down 7 percent from last month and down 3 percent from a year ago.

**Total red meat supplies** in freezers were down 1 percent from the previous month and down 5 percent from last year. Total pounds of beef in freezers were down 6 percent from the previous month and down 2 percent from last year. Frozen pork supplies were up 4 percent from the previous month but down 8 percent from last year. Stocks of pork bellies were up 17 percent from last month but down 24 percent from last year.

## Records

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**Nuts, Dairy Products, Frozen Eggs, and Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – United States:  
February 28, 2025 with Comparisons**

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			February 28, 2025 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025	February 28, 2025	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025	February 28, 2025
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
<b>Nuts</b>						
Shelled						
Pecans .....	39,071	35,853	42,137	108	118	
In-Shell						
Pecans .....	164,166	167,581	183,501	112	109	
<b>Dairy products</b>						
Butter .....	297,689	260,767	305,533	103	117	280,820
Natural cheese						
American .....	830,294	770,798	782,918	94	102	
Swiss .....	21,317	22,981	23,730	111	103	
Other .....	606,008	562,347	574,216	95	102	
Total natural cheese .....	1,457,619	1,356,126	1,380,864	95	102	1,079,353
<b>Frozen eggs</b>						
Whites .....	3,203	1,218	1,340	42	110	
Yolks .....	710	557	431	61	77	
Whole and mixed .....	13,389	6,791	5,188	39	76	
Unclassified .....	14,786	8,565	7,461	50	87	
Total frozen eggs .....	32,088	17,131	14,420	45	84	14,153
<b>Frozen poultry</b>						
Chicken						
Broilers, fryers, and roasters .....	11,149	10,357	9,063	81	88	
Hens, mature chickens .....	5,187	4,967	4,395	85	88	
Breasts and breast meat .....	233,658	248,721	254,550	109	102	
Drumsticks .....	30,892	29,453	28,871	93	98	
Leg quarters .....	60,546	66,108	61,425	101	93	
Legs .....	15,488	15,862	15,927	103	100	
Thigh and thigh quarters .....	8,143	8,214	7,967	98	97	
Thigh Meat .....	16,627	16,382	14,944	90	91	
Wings .....	50,942	54,099	56,132	110	104	
Paws and feet .....	26,064	34,404	33,402	128	97	
Other .....	328,203	315,399	306,656	93	97	
Total chicken .....	786,899	803,966	793,332	101	99	
Turkey						
Whole turkeys						
Toms .....	73,346	50,716	70,017	95	138	
Hens .....	62,301	46,312	58,068	93	125	
Total whole turkeys .....	135,647	97,028	128,085	94	132	
Breasts .....	86,147	71,205	77,972	91	110	
Legs .....	5,357	5,017	4,084	76	81	
Mechanically deboned meat .....	3,853	2,990	2,849	74	95	
Other .....	28,871	23,388	23,820	83	102	
Unclassified .....	69,979	60,368	55,695	80	92	
Total turkey .....	329,854	259,996	292,505	89	113	
Ducks .....	2,596	1,236	1,248	48	101	
Total frozen poultry .....	1,119,349	1,065,198	1,087,085	97	102	1,009,929

## Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice Concentrate in Cold Storage – United States: February 28, 2025 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			February 28, 2025 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025	February 28, 2025	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025	February 28, 2025
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
<b>Frozen fruit</b>						
Apples .....	26,740	28,887	29,618	111	103	
Apricots .....	4,118	4,362	3,936	96	90	
<b>Blackberries</b>						
Individual quick frozen .....	17,189	14,313	14,704	86	103	
Pails and tubs .....	1,586	1,138	1,402	88	123	
Barrels, 400 lbs net .....	2,639	3,231	3,295	125	102	
Concentrate .....	660	812	844	128	104	
Total blackberries .....	22,074	19,494	20,245	92	104	
Blueberries .....	220,930	206,438	181,732	82	88	
Boysenberries .....	1,571	1,395	1,384	88	99	
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted) .....	46,168	58,777	54,152	117	92	
Cherries, tart (juice stock) .....	16,510	16,997	16,176	98	95	
Cherries, tart (juice concentrate) .....	2,005	2,031	1,789	89	88	
Cherries, sweet .....	12,473	10,095	9,360	75	93	
Grapes .....	2,618	1,903	2,026	77	106	
Peaches .....	21,368	36,116	32,883	154	91	
Raspberries, black .....	602	348	316	52	91	
<b>Raspberries, red</b>						
Individual quick frozen .....	28,073	29,846	26,494	94	89	
Pails and tubs .....	4,118	4,841	4,181	102	86	
Barrels, 400 lbs net .....	10,695	11,485	10,107	95	88	
Concentrate .....	1,402	708	880	63	124	
Total red raspberries .....	44,288	46,880	41,662	94	89	
<b>Strawberries</b>						
Individual quick frozen and poly .....	72,470	83,602	81,309	112	97	
Pails and tubs .....	19,714	23,768	19,522	99	82	
Barrels and drums .....	30,753	37,330	35,161	114	94	
Juice stock .....	5,418	5,982	5,000	92	84	
Total strawberries .....	128,355	150,682	140,992	110	94	
Other .....	506,853	634,984	600,792	119	95	
<b>Total frozen fruit</b> .....	<b>1,056,673</b>	<b>1,219,389</b>	<b>1,137,063</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>1,022,847</b>
<b>Frozen juice concentrate</b>						
Orange .....	255,698	221,860	213,421	83	96	
(Gallon equivalent) .....	25,839	22,419	21,566			
Other .....	321,236	319,191	314,622	98	99	
<b>Total frozen juice concentrate</b> .....	<b>576,934</b>	<b>541,051</b>	<b>528,043</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>258,685</b>

**Frozen Vegetables and Frozen Potatoes in Cold Storage – United States: February 28, 2025  
with Comparisons**

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			February 28, 2025 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025	February 28, 2025	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025	February 28, 2025
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
<b>Frozen vegetables</b>						
Asparagus .....	3,937	3,717	3,495	89	94	
Lima beans .....	15,273	19,509	17,654	116	90	
Green beans, regular cut .....	177,144	176,834	161,050	91	91	
Green beans, french style .....	11,640	9,543	8,597	74	90	
Broccoli, spears .....	42,981	35,394	37,902	88	107	
Broccoli, chopped and cut .....	20,310	17,897	18,090	89	101	
Brussels sprouts .....	11,237	9,826	9,503	85	97	
Carrots, diced .....	153,570	143,576	140,747	92	98	
Carrots, other .....	68,100	86,085	79,285	116	92	
Cauliflower .....	23,549	19,220	20,105	85	105	
Corn, cut .....	451,708	517,776	469,228	104	91	
Corn, cob .....	271,320	293,598	264,466	97	90	
Mixed vegetables .....	43,786	44,785	45,842	105	102	
Okra .....	25,748	33,330	31,302	122	94	
Onion rings .....	22,930	38,943	42,195	184	108	
Onions, other .....	45,598	43,782	45,673	100	104	
Blackeye peas .....	1,112	1,591	1,554	140	98	
Green peas .....	207,896	186,226	157,266	76	84	
Peas and carrots mixed .....	8,905	10,286	10,533	118	102	
Spinach .....	26,295	24,210	23,811	91	98	
Squash, summer/zucchini .....	44,916	43,311	40,993	91	95	
Southern greens .....	13,086	15,229	13,677	105	90	
Other .....	308,683	312,113	299,498	97	96	
Total frozen vegetables .....	1,999,724	2,086,781	1,942,466	97	93	1,848,193
<b>Frozen potatoes</b>						
French fries .....	958,799	945,898	981,131	102	104	
Other .....	233,173	247,031	246,477	106	100	
Total frozen potatoes .....	1,191,972	1,192,929	1,227,608	103	103	1,072,690

**Frozen Red Meat and Commodities in Cold Storage – United States: February 28, 2025  
with Comparisons**

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			February 28, 2025 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025	February 28, 2025	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025	February 28, 2025
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
<b>Frozen red meat</b>						
<b>Beef</b>						
Boneless .....	398,105	417,158	390,421	98	94	
Beef cuts .....	39,963	37,934	37,710	94	99	
Total beef .....	438,068	455,092	428,131	98	94	423,086
<b>Pork</b>						
Picnics, bone-in .....	5,017	6,941	6,499	130	94	
Hams						
Bone-in .....	29,202	29,855	36,884	126	124	
Boneless .....	41,271	49,538	46,721	113	94	
Total hams .....	70,473	79,393	83,605	119	105	
Bellies .....	63,745	41,700	48,588	76	117	
Loins						
Bone-in .....	15,598	12,173	11,725	75	96	
Boneless .....	26,418	21,683	22,387	85	103	
Total loins .....	42,016	33,856	34,112	81	101	
Ribs .....	88,373	83,953	87,898	99	105	
Butts .....	21,364	19,565	21,537	101	110	
Trimmings .....	46,780	49,005	47,403	101	97	
Other .....	49,207	36,354	38,752	79	107	
Variety meats .....	25,395	21,730	19,475	77	90	
Unclassified .....	46,292	34,754	35,268	76	101	
Total pork .....	458,662	407,251	423,137	92	104	377,672
<b>Other red meat</b>						
Veal .....	796	827	653	82	79	
Lamb and mutton .....	19,973	18,115	19,459	97	107	
Total other red meat .....	20,769	18,942	20,112	97	106	19,953
<b>Total frozen red meat .....</b>	<b>917,499</b>	<b>881,285</b>	<b>871,380</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>820,711</b>
<b>Commodities</b>						
Stored in coolers .....	1,958,545	1,820,327	1,912,035	98	105	1,427,624
Stored in freezers .....	6,894,239	7,003,764	6,808,065	99	97	6,047,208
<b>Total Commodities .....</b>	<b>8,852,784</b>	<b>8,824,091</b>	<b>8,720,100</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>7,474,832</b>

## Nuts and Dairy Products in Cold Storage – Regions: February 28, 2025 with Comparisons

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			February 28, 2025 as a percent of	
	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025	February 28, 2025	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
<b>Nuts <sup>1</sup></b>					
Shelled					
Pecans					
South Atlantic .....	6,004	5,671	6,535	109	115
East South Central .....	476	347	519	109	150
West South Central .....	32,591	29,835	35,083	108	118
In-shell					
Pecans					
South Atlantic .....	19,330	41,189	44,118	228	107
East South Central .....	504	1,028	951	189	93
West South Central .....	144,332	125,364	138,432	96	110
<b>Dairy products</b>					
Natural cheese					
American, total					
New England .....	80,137	74,609	76,757	96	103
Middle Atlantic .....	80,291	60,569	61,327	76	101
East North Central .....	352,745	322,568	330,594	94	102
West North Central .....	149,051	145,583	147,403	99	101
South Atlantic .....	308	2,403	2,677	869	111
East South Central .....	15,075	3,517	3,311	22	94
West South Central .....	8,136	8,282	8,279	102	100
Mountain .....	52,020	58,228	61,003	117	105
Pacific .....	92,531	95,039	91,567	99	96
Other					
New England .....	366	914	925	253	101
Middle Atlantic .....	16,510	15,024	15,292	93	102
East North Central .....	373,791	352,991	355,670	95	101
West North Central .....	21,883	23,394	20,182	92	86
South Atlantic .....	45,819	49,752	54,872	120	110
East South Central .....	27,874	13,869	17,890	64	129
West South Central .....	3,821	1,112	4,134	108	372
Mountain .....	7,749	9,064	9,111	118	101
Pacific .....	108,195	96,227	96,140	89	100

<sup>1</sup> New England and Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic. East North Central combined with East South Central. Pacific, Mountain, and West North Central combined with West South Central.



## Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – Regions: February 28, 2025 with Comparisons

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			February 28, 2025 as a percent of	
	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025	February 28, 2025	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
<b>Frozen poultry <sup>1</sup></b>					
Chicken					
Broilers, fryers, and roasters					
South Atlantic .....	5,391	5,243	4,386	81	84
East South Central .....	685	393	441	64	112
West South Central .....	3,374	1,024	884	26	86
Pacific .....	1,699	3,697	3,352	197	91
Hens, mature chickens					
South Atlantic .....	845	1,389	1,592	188	115
East South Central .....	385	286	286	74	100
West South Central .....	3,586	3,036	2,223	62	73
Pacific .....	371	256	294	79	115
Breasts and breast meat					
South Atlantic .....	102,963	111,065	109,701	107	99
East South Central .....	45,294	43,236	43,873	97	101
West South Central .....	77,182	88,076	93,965	122	107
Pacific .....	8,219	6,344	7,011	85	111
Drumsticks					
South Atlantic .....	14,511	14,193	14,254	98	100
East South Central .....	11,958	9,782	9,748	82	100
West South Central .....	2,497	4,588	4,120	165	90
Pacific .....	1,926	890	749	39	84
Leg quarters					
South Atlantic .....	32,261	32,631	31,976	99	98
East South Central .....	11,500	9,908	9,306	81	94
West South Central .....	15,849	19,584	16,080	101	82
Pacific .....	936	3,985	4,063	434	102
Legs					
South Atlantic .....	6,515	6,385	5,730	88	90
East South Central .....	2,807	509	444	16	87
West South Central .....	5,914	8,746	9,500	161	109
Pacific .....	252	222	253	100	114
Thigh and thigh quarters					
South Atlantic .....	5,956	5,843	5,985	100	102
East South Central .....	360	642	193	54	30
West South Central .....	1,296	1,550	1,605	124	104
Pacific .....	531	179	184	35	103
Thigh meat					
South Atlantic .....	7,437	8,690	8,285	111	95
East South Central .....	2,751	1,072	799	29	75
West South Central .....	5,024	5,847	5,068	101	87
Pacific .....	1,415	773	792	56	102
Wings					
South Atlantic .....	25,825	30,579	27,274	106	89
East South Central .....	10,546	8,636	8,585	81	99
West South Central .....	13,040	13,024	18,654	143	143
Pacific .....	1,531	1,860	1,619	106	87
Paws and feet					
South Atlantic .....	15,955	15,118	14,516	91	96
East South Central .....	5,370	4,911	6,743	126	137
West South Central .....	1,484	8,316	6,485	437	78
Pacific .....	3,255	6,059	5,658	174	93
Other					
South Atlantic .....	154,974	162,011	153,197	99	95
East South Central .....	58,584	51,495	49,768	85	97
West South Central .....	69,739	57,023	56,000	80	98
Pacific .....	44,906	44,870	47,691	106	106
Total chicken					
South Atlantic .....	372,633	393,147	376,896	101	96
East South Central .....	150,240	130,870	130,186	87	99
West South Central .....	198,985	210,814	214,584	108	102
Pacific .....	65,041	69,135	71,666	110	104

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**Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – Regions: February 28, 2025 with Comparisons (continued)**

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			February 28, 2025 as a percent of	
	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025	February 28, 2025	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
<b>Turkeys</b>					
Whole turkeys					
South Atlantic .....	33,772	21,928	25,804	76	118
East South Central .....	10,967	13,440	16,024	146	119
West South Central .....	83,901	60,056	84,595	101	141
Pacific .....	7,007	1,604	1,662	24	104
Breasts					
South Atlantic .....	15,238	13,460	16,845	111	125
East South Central .....	15,790	11,536	14,434	91	125
West South Central .....	50,871	44,367	44,763	88	101
Pacific .....	4,248	1,842	1,930	45	105
Legs					
South Atlantic .....	870	976	845	97	87
East South Central .....	917	1,308	786	86	60
West South Central .....	3,351	2,575	2,308	69	90
Pacific .....	219	158	145	66	92
Mechanically deboned meat					
South Atlantic .....	891	840	780	88	93
East South Central .....	1,621	817	708	44	87
West South Central .....	776	871	921	119	106
Pacific .....	565	462	440	78	95
Other					
South Atlantic .....	1,942	1,283	2,026	104	158
East South Central .....	12,438	7,661	8,202	66	107
West South Central .....	11,608	12,700	11,785	102	93
Pacific .....	2,883	1,744	1,807	63	104
Unclassified					
South Atlantic .....	27,262	25,348	22,267	82	88
East South Central .....	6,990	7,210	6,268	90	87
West South Central .....	25,435	17,379	17,270	68	99
Pacific .....	10,292	10,431	9,890	96	95
Total turkey					
South Atlantic .....	79,975	63,835	68,567	86	107
East South Central .....	48,723	41,972	46,422	95	111
West South Central .....	175,942	137,948	161,642	92	117
Pacific .....	25,214	16,241	15,874	63	98
<b>Ducks</b>					
South Atlantic .....	588	396	421	72	106
East South Central .....	188	67	78	41	116
West South Central .....	7	34	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific .....	1,813	739	749	41	101

- Represents zero.

(X) Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup> New England and Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic. East North Central combined with East South Central. West North Central combined with West South Central. Mountain combined with Pacific.

**Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice Concentrate in Cold Storage – Regions: February 28, 2025  
with Comparisons**

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			February 28, 2025 as a percent of	
	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025	February 28, 2025	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
<b>Frozen fruit <sup>1</sup></b>					
<b>Apples</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	701	1,207	906	129	75
East North Central .....	16,577	14,940	15,169	92	102
West North Central .....	463	1,833	2,998	648	164
South Atlantic .....	224	221	224	100	101
West South Central .....	390	250	374	96	150
Pacific .....	8,385	10,436	9,947	119	95
<b>Blueberries</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	15,828	11,765	10,818	68	92
East North Central .....	42,774	51,899	45,510	106	88
West North Central .....	3,996	1,158	1,048	26	91
South Atlantic .....	3,265	2,290	2,198	67	96
West South Central .....	1,063	1,624	1,353	127	83
Pacific .....	154,004	137,702	120,805	78	88
<b>Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	650	223	699	108	313
East North Central .....	34,493	40,745	38,109	110	94
West North Central .....	392	326	378	96	116
South Atlantic .....	48	105	124	258	118
West South Central .....	460	228	218	47	96
Pacific .....	10,125	17,150	14,624	144	85
<b>Cherries, sweet</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	498	285	249	50	87
East North Central .....	7,861	6,257	5,814	74	93
West North Central .....	485	177	146	30	82
South Atlantic .....	96	288	312	325	108
West South Central .....	205	317	295	144	93
Pacific .....	3,328	2,771	2,544	76	92
<b>Peaches</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	1,049	646	497	47	77
East North Central .....	726	507	469	65	93
West North Central .....	439	990	899	205	91
South Atlantic .....	1,445	2,509	2,295	159	91
West South Central .....	414	880	870	210	99
Pacific .....	17,295	30,584	27,853	161	91
<b>Raspberries, red</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	387	251	379	98	151
East North Central .....	827	655	606	73	93
West North Central .....	1,325	2,618	2,281	172	87
South Atlantic .....	195	579	502	257	87
West South Central .....	786	974	875	111	90
Pacific .....	40,768	41,803	37,019	91	89

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**Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice Concentrate in Cold Storage – Regions: February 28, 2025 with Comparisons (continued)**

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			February 28, 2025 as a percent of	
	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025	February 28, 2025	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
<b>Strawberries, total</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	2,033	1,145	1,197	59	105
East North Central .....	5,229	9,364	8,788	168	94
West North Central .....	6,967	7,532	6,692	96	89
South Atlantic .....	6,613	6,164	5,647	85	92
West South Central .....	21,522	14,369	14,501	67	101
Pacific .....	85,991	112,108	104,167	121	93
<b>Other</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	53,492	135,044	123,750	231	92
East North Central .....	287,760	379,732	358,871	125	95
West North Central .....	2,038	573	336	16	59
South Atlantic .....	1,548	1,073	1,062	69	99
West South Central .....	20,023	10,878	10,979	55	101
Pacific .....	141,992	107,684	105,794	75	98
<b>Frozen juice concentrate <sup>2</sup></b>					
<b>Orange</b>					
South Atlantic .....	241,622	213,708	204,374	85	96
East South Central .....	1,046	393	458	44	117
West South Central .....	6,134	2,904	4,134	67	142
Mountain .....	26	1	1	4	100
Pacific .....	6,870	4,854	4,454	65	92
<b>Other</b>					
South Atlantic .....	94,509	105,430	108,727	115	103
East South Central .....	21,402	31,838	32,670	153	103
West South Central .....	13,235	19,645	19,728	149	100
Mountain .....	599	347	331	55	95
Pacific .....	191,491	161,931	153,166	80	95
<b>Total frozen juice concentrate</b>					
South Atlantic .....	336,131	319,138	313,101	93	98
East South Central .....	22,448	32,231	33,128	148	103
West South Central .....	19,369	22,549	23,862	123	106
Mountain .....	625	348	332	53	95
Pacific .....	198,361	166,785	157,620	79	95

<sup>1</sup> New England combined with Middle Atlantic. East South Central combined with South Atlantic. Mountain combined with Pacific.

<sup>2</sup> New England and Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic. East North Central combined with East South Central. West North Central combined with West South Central.

## Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: February 28, 2025 with Comparisons

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			February 28, 2025 as a percent of	
	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025	February 28, 2025	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
<b>Frozen vegetables <sup>1</sup></b>					
<b>Asparagus</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	256	212	214	84	101
East North Central .....	2,374	2,618	2,343	99	89
West North Central .....	25	2	2	8	100
South Atlantic .....	1	34	30	3,000	88
West South Central .....	537	133	141	26	106
Pacific .....	744	718	765	103	107
<b>Lima beans</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	2,179	5,193	4,838	222	93
East North Central .....	1,476	1,578	1,384	94	88
West North Central .....	4,159	3,348	3,013	72	90
South Atlantic .....	2,090	3,724	3,118	149	84
West South Central .....	89	61	83	93	136
Pacific .....	5,280	5,605	5,218	99	93
<b>Green beans, regular cut</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	39,946	37,873	34,379	86	91
East North Central .....	58,575	66,770	61,319	105	92
West North Central .....	9,666	10,617	9,128	94	86
South Atlantic .....	2,369	2,800	2,727	115	97
West South Central .....	1,181	1,338	1,391	118	104
Pacific .....	65,407	57,436	52,106	80	91
<b>Green beans, french style</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	3,755	1,902	1,715	46	90
East North Central .....	1,789	2,125	1,893	106	89
West North Central .....	417	362	338	81	93
South Atlantic .....	302	123	110	36	89
West South Central .....	-	18	18	(X)	100
Pacific .....	5,377	5,013	4,523	84	90
<b>Broccoli, spears</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	10,983	9,803	10,290	94	105
East North Central .....	14,908	10,428	10,814	73	104
West North Central .....	873	838	863	99	103
South Atlantic .....	1,247	960	1,237	99	129
West South Central .....	13,546	11,865	12,824	95	108
Pacific .....	1,424	1,500	1,874	132	125
<b>Broccoli, chopped and cut</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	3,511	1,995	2,042	58	102
East North Central .....	2,874	2,267	2,540	88	112
West North Central .....	213	549	557	262	101
South Atlantic .....	1,433	1,338	1,416	99	106
West South Central .....	4,069	3,897	4,385	108	113
Pacific .....	8,210	7,851	7,150	87	91

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**Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: February 28, 2025 with Comparisons (continued)**

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			February 28, 2025 as a percent of	
	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025	February 28, 2025	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
<b>Brussels sprouts</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	4,347	3,149	3,330	77	106
East North Central .....	2,824	1,847	1,553	55	84
West North Central .....	882	459	237	27	52
South Atlantic .....	1,035	1,294	1,182	114	91
West South Central .....	1,506	1,327	1,425	95	107
Pacific .....	643	1,750	1,776	276	101
<b>Carrots, diced</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	12,313	14,872	14,328	116	96
East North Central .....	48,514	39,396	38,801	80	98
West North Central .....	12,011	8,858	8,570	71	97
South Atlantic .....	239	330	332	139	101
West South Central .....	310	1,844	1,502	485	81
Pacific .....	80,183	78,276	77,214	96	99
<b>Carrots, other</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	9,175	5,541	5,119	56	92
East North Central .....	23,017	29,016	27,047	118	93
West North Central .....	3,819	15,385	13,882	363	90
South Atlantic .....	2,112	1,243	1,166	55	94
West South Central .....	2,411	2,690	2,444	101	91
Pacific .....	27,566	32,210	29,627	107	92
<b>Cauliflower</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	7,638	6,303	5,997	79	95
East North Central .....	5,019	3,272	4,101	82	125
West North Central .....	325	256	262	81	102
South Atlantic .....	294	295	287	98	97
West South Central .....	4,734	5,187	5,521	117	106
Pacific .....	5,539	3,907	3,937	71	101
<b>Corn, cut</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	25,871	35,802	31,770	123	89
East North Central .....	68,445	62,690	56,154	82	90
West North Central .....	56,705	77,344	68,846	121	89
South Atlantic .....	3,131	2,884	2,983	95	103
West South Central .....	3,004	2,159	2,204	73	102
Pacific .....	294,552	336,897	307,271	104	91
<b>Corn, cob</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	10,865	6,821	6,283	58	92
East North Central .....	16,222	23,307	19,991	123	86
West North Central .....	39,204	35,306	31,032	79	88
South Atlantic .....	1,405	529	569	40	108
West South Central .....	2,005	915	941	47	103
Pacific .....	201,619	226,720	205,650	102	91

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**Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: February 28, 2025 with Comparisons (continued)**

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			February 28, 2025 as a percent of	
	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025	February 28, 2025	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
<b>Mixed vegetables</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	4,206	3,581	3,479	83	97
East North Central .....	9,159	8,802	10,008	109	114
West North Central .....	1,483	1,299	1,040	70	80
South Atlantic .....	986	686	972	99	142
West South Central .....	4,044	3,658	3,698	91	101
Pacific .....	23,908	26,759	26,645	111	100
<b>Okra</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	1,698	7,985	7,444	438	93
East North Central .....	99	124	112	113	90
West North Central .....	133	52	46	35	88
South Atlantic .....	1,197	707	685	57	97
West South Central .....	22,251	23,921	22,632	102	95
Pacific .....	370	541	383	104	71
<b>Onion rings</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	552	247	117	21	47
East North Central .....	14,537	24,132	27,609	190	114
West North Central .....	697	8,114	8,314	1,193	102
South Atlantic .....	1,542	1,540	1,289	84	84
West South Central .....	973	1,483	1,314	135	89
Pacific .....	4,629	3,427	3,552	77	104
<b>Onions, other</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	3,304	4,956	5,284	160	107
East North Central .....	1,565	1,866	1,648	105	88
West North Central .....	1,051	1,303	1,417	135	109
South Atlantic .....	1,937	2,458	2,480	128	101
West South Central .....	1,487	1,061	1,325	89	125
Pacific .....	36,254	32,138	33,519	92	104
<b>Blackeye peas</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	891	1,318	1,273	143	97
East North Central .....	3	3	2	67	67
West North Central .....	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
South Atlantic .....	80	98	107	134	109
West South Central .....	40	45	52	130	116
Pacific .....	98	127	120	122	94
<b>Green peas</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	24,315	19,143	16,667	69	87
East North Central .....	36,483	35,350	29,922	82	85
West North Central .....	48,858	29,423	24,048	49	82
South Atlantic .....	3,813	2,961	2,532	66	86
West South Central .....	685	1,381	1,184	173	86
Pacific .....	93,742	97,968	82,913	88	85

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**Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: February 28, 2025 with Comparisons (continued)**

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			February 28, 2025 as a percent of	
	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025	February 28, 2025	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
<b>Peas and carrots mixed</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	1,405	1,443	1,382	98	96
East North Central .....	777	933	1,438	185	154
West North Central .....	92	176	168	183	95
South Atlantic .....	475	195	168	35	86
West South Central .....	186	175	220	118	126
Pacific .....	5,970	7,364	7,157	120	97
<b>Spinach</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	9,299	11,848	10,671	115	90
East North Central .....	932	1,007	836	90	83
West North Central .....	853	1,079	846	99	78
South Atlantic .....	1,509	1,487	1,442	96	97
West South Central .....	6,193	3,130	3,172	51	101
Pacific .....	7,509	5,659	6,844	91	121
<b>Squash, summer/zucchini</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	2,205	1,261	1,210	55	96
East North Central .....	20,982	18,940	17,878	85	94
West North Central .....	231	403	345	149	86
South Atlantic .....	1,327	381	369	28	97
West South Central .....	2,386	2,202	2,049	86	93
Pacific .....	17,785	20,124	19,142	108	95
<b>Southern greens</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	7,443	4,899	4,647	62	95
East North Central .....	54	39	36	67	92
West North Central .....	6	5	4	67	80
South Atlantic .....	287	235	223	78	95
West South Central .....	4,504	9,448	8,263	183	87
Pacific .....	792	603	504	64	84
<b>Other</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	44,636	51,298	50,121	112	98
East North Central .....	19,842	21,229	20,913	105	99
West North Central .....	12,224	11,542	12,842	105	111
South Atlantic .....	21,872	14,923	15,108	69	101
West South Central .....	19,433	20,502	20,922	108	102
Pacific .....	190,676	192,619	179,592	94	93
<b>Total frozen vegetables</b>					
Middle Atlantic .....	230,793	237,445	222,600	96	94
East North Central .....	350,470	357,739	338,342	97	95
West North Central .....	193,927	206,720	185,800	96	90
South Atlantic .....	50,683	41,225	40,532	80	98
West South Central .....	95,574	98,440	97,710	102	99
Pacific .....	1,078,277	1,145,212	1,057,482	98	92

- Represents zero.

(X) Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup> New England combined with Middle Atlantic. East South Central combined with South Atlantic. Mountain combined with Pacific.



## Frozen Potatoes in Cold Storage – Regions: February 28, 2025 with Comparisons

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			February 28, 2025 as a percent of	
	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025	February 28, 2025	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
<b>Frozen potatoes</b>					
French fries					
New England .....	48,218	45,459	49,826	103	110
Middle Atlantic .....	33,053	28,776	32,595	99	113
East North Central .....	106,139	140,410	137,500	130	98
West North Central .....	142,260	147,934	144,208	101	97
South Atlantic .....	51,863	54,597	55,256	107	101
East South Central .....	540	838	799	148	95
West South Central .....	46,010	47,793	51,939	113	109
Mountain .....	171,837	169,214	186,948	109	110
Pacific .....	358,879	310,877	322,060	90	104
Other					
New England .....	23	91	174	757	191
Middle Atlantic .....	6,364	4,554	4,657	73	102
East North Central .....	73,049	78,097	83,630	114	107
West North Central .....	24,679	33,909	32,559	132	96
South Atlantic .....	10,413	16,538	16,215	156	98
East South Central .....	2,326	1,835	1,792	77	98
West South Central .....	11,473	22,438	23,337	203	104
Mountain .....	56,493	61,389	57,481	102	94
Pacific .....	48,353	28,180	26,632	55	95
Total frozen potatoes					
New England .....	48,241	45,550	50,000	104	110
Middle Atlantic .....	39,417	33,330	37,252	95	112
East North Central .....	179,188	218,507	221,130	123	101
West North Central .....	166,939	181,843	176,767	106	97
South Atlantic .....	62,276	71,135	71,471	115	100
East South Central .....	2,866	2,673	2,591	90	97
West South Central .....	57,483	70,231	75,276	131	107
Mountain .....	228,330	230,603	244,429	107	106
Pacific .....	407,232	339,057	348,692	86	103

## Frozen Red Meat in Cold Storage – Regions: February 28, 2025 with Comparisons

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			February 28, 2025 as a percent of	
	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025	February 28, 2025	February 29, 2024	January 31, 2025
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
<b>Frozen red meat <sup>1</sup></b>					
<b>Beef</b>					
Boneless					
Middle Atlantic .....	117,666	131,132	125,208	106	95
East North Central .....	48,717	56,765	47,741	98	84
West South Central .....	141,371	138,902	134,586	95	97
Pacific .....	90,351	90,359	82,886	92	92
Beef cuts					
Middle Atlantic .....	8,213	9,753	9,463	115	97
East North Central .....	12,348	8,603	8,778	71	102
West South Central .....	11,473	11,575	11,125	97	96
Pacific .....	7,929	8,003	8,344	105	104
Total beef					
Middle Atlantic .....	125,879	140,885	134,671	107	96
East North Central .....	61,065	65,368	56,519	93	86
West South Central .....	152,844	150,477	145,711	95	97
Pacific .....	98,280	98,362	91,230	93	93
<b>Other meat</b>					
Veal					
Middle Atlantic .....	700	698	568	81	81
East North Central .....	28	66	39	139	59
West South Central .....	-	2	2	(Z)	100
Pacific .....	68	61	44	65	72
Lamb and mutton					
Middle Atlantic .....	12,860	12,478	13,484	105	108
East North Central .....	1,506	1,973	2,055	136	104
West South Central .....	1,181	459	698	59	152
Pacific .....	4,426	3,205	3,222	73	101
Total other meat					
Middle Atlantic .....	13,560	13,176	14,052	104	107
East North Central .....	1,534	2,039	2,094	137	103
West South Central .....	1,181	461	700	59	152
Pacific .....	4,494	3,266	3,266	73	100

- Represents zero.

(Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

<sup>1</sup> New England and South Atlantic combined with Middle Atlantic. East South Central combined with East North Central. West North Central combined with West South Central. Mountain combined with Pacific.

**Record Highs and Lows of Nuts, Dairy Products, Frozen Eggs, and Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – United States: February**

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
<b>Nuts</b>					
Shelled					
Pecans .....	64,498	2019	8,895	1970	January 1970
In-Shell					
Pecans .....	255,253	2000	25,249	1977	January 1970
<b>Dairy products</b>					
Butter .....	624,867	1992	7,323	1948	December 1915
Natural cheese					
American .....	1,116,414	1984	9,837	1919	December 1915
Swiss .....	34,611	2011	531	1946	August 1917
Other .....	606,008	2024	1,502	1918	August 1917
Total natural cheese .....	1,466,985	2022	18,608	1919	August 1917
<b>Frozen eggs</b>					
Whites .....	26,681	1950	764	1984	April 1940
Yolks .....	20,204	1968	431	2025	April 1940
Whole and mixed .....	85,359	1948	4,934	1984	April 1940
Unclassified .....	26,966	1946	719	1967	April 1940
Total frozen eggs .....	120,665	1948	1,334	1917	April 1916
<b>Frozen Poultry</b>					
Chicken					
Broilers, fryers, and roasters .....	88,359	1946	9,063	2025	April 1916
Hens, mature chickens .....	88,306	1948	1,505	2013	April 1916
Breasts and breast meat .....	254,550	2025	86,391	2004	May 2003
Drumsticks .....	41,217	2020	10,908	2007	May 2003
Leg quarters .....	162,890	2015	50,183	2005	May 2003
Legs .....	20,008	2006	4,872	2010	May 2003
Thigh and thigh quarters .....	17,947	2021	5,952	2004	May 2003
Thigh meat .....	37,802	2020	11,071	2008	May 2003
Wings .....	71,523	2017	20,001	2004	May 2003
Paws and feet .....	37,038	2020	11,054	2006	May 2003
Other .....	763,958	2000	237,200	2014	January 1991
Total chicken .....	924,433	2020	70,407	1943	December 1939
Turkey					
Whole turkeys					
Toms .....	133,105	2004	58,839	2011	March 2001
Hens .....	112,950	2019	51,415	2021	April 2001
Total whole turkeys .....	225,282	2004	122,394	2011	March 2001
Breasts .....	107,144	2019	36,636	2022	January 2009
Legs .....	21,533	2012	4,084	2025	January 2009
Mechanically deboned meat .....	12,924	2013	1,954	2023	January 2009
Other .....	249,393	1998	18,547	2022	January 1967
Unclassified .....	111,922	2009	55,695	2025	January 2009
Total turkey .....	512,668	1998	3,220	1917	April 1916
Ducks .....	9,826	1989	964	1936	June 1932
Total frozen poultry .....	1,330,197	2018	27,796	1917	April 1916

**Record Highs and Lows of Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice Concentrate in Cold Storage – United States: February**

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
<b>Frozen fruit</b>					
Apples .....	117,625	1978	18,750	1949	June 1944
Apricots .....	27,836	1946	2,278	2021	June 1945
Blackberries					
Individual quick frozen .....	21,072	2023	6,158	1994	June 1992
Pails and tubs .....	5,661	1993	569	2021	June 1992
Barrels, 400 lbs net .....	10,134	2014	906	2022	June 1992
Concentrate .....	2,970	1995	45	2009	June 1992
Total blackberries .....	27,288	2023	1,999	1939	June 1938
Blueberries .....	223,211	2017	4,440	1940	June 1938
Boysenberries .....	12,816	1959	387	2020	January 1959
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted) .....	136,313	2010	33,089	1984	January 1967
Cherries, tart (juice stock) .....	16,510	2024	357	2011	January 1990
Cherries, sweet .....	20,301	2017	6,286	2004	January 1978
Grapes .....	24,776	1951	1,166	2017	June 1944
Peaches .....	88,283	1991	15,404	1950	June 1944
Raspberries, black .....	11,260	1959	316	2025	January 1959
Raspberries, red					
Individual quick frozen .....	32,545	2018	6,509	1993	June 1992
Pails and tubs .....	15,647	1996	3,579	2021	June 1992
Barrels, 400 lbs net .....	25,547	2019	5,458	2008	June 1992
Concentrate .....	5,072	1995	553	2005	June 1992
Total red raspberries .....	64,955	2018	8,745	1973	January 1959
Strawberries					
Individual quick frozen and poly .....	125,684	2008	52,816	2020	January 2002
Pails and tubs .....	83,362	2017	19,522	2025	January 2002
Barrels and drums .....	76,502	2010	9,769	2002	January 2002
Juice stock .....	29,560	2017	5,000	2025	January 2002
Total strawberries .....	274,147	2017	14,406	1945	June 1938
Other .....	746,425	2001	27,463	1964	June 1938
Total frozen fruit .....	1,585,755	2017	11,891	1924	June 1923
<b>Frozen juice concentrate</b>					
Orange .....	2,204,231	1999	32,084	1950	September 1949
Other .....	606,890	1995	15,286	1945	June 1944
Total frozen juice concentrate .....	2,622,798	1999	15,286	1945	June 1944

**Record Highs and Lows of Frozen Vegetables and Frozen Potatoes in Cold Storage – United States: February**

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
<b>Frozen Vegetables</b>					
Asparagus .....	16,838	1958	2,707	1979	June 1938
Lima beans .....	119,064	1970	15,273	2024	January 1960
Green beans, regular cut .....	201,608	2013	38,680	1960	January 1960
Green beans, french style .....	52,492	1991	8,597	2025	January 1960
Broccoli, spears .....	54,188	1991	11,208	1977	January 1972
Broccoli, chopped and cut .....	126,343	1996	13,197	1977	January 1972
Brussels sprouts .....	46,107	1981	2,857	1945	June 1944
Carrots, diced .....	157,744	2022	45,069	1977	January 1976
Carrots, other .....	194,044	1996	26,162	1977	January 1976
Cauliflower .....	84,089	1991	2,933	1945	June 1944
Corn, cut .....	515,530	2022	102,766	1982	January 1970
Corn, cob .....	298,120	1992	38,542	1971	January 1970
Mixed vegetables .....	68,978	2017	15,578	1956	January 1956
Okra .....	55,012	1995	8,062	1994	January 1972
Onion rings .....	42,195	2025	4,166	2011	January 1973
Onions, other .....	61,405	2012	7,269	1973	January 1973
Blackeye peas .....	20,609	1991	1,112	2024	January 1972
Green peas .....	267,497	2017	3,563	1937	December 1936
Peas and carrots mixed .....	17,598	1969	4,531	2008	January 1956
Spinach .....	81,505	1999	355	1937	December 1936
Squash, summer/zucchini .....	65,599	1998	23,445	1979	January 1979
Southern greens .....	41,894	1995	10,947	2020	January 1972
Other .....	510,354	2019	2,165	1937	December 1936
Total frozen vegetables .....	2,256,599	2017	787,699	1965	January 1962
<b>Frozen potatoes</b>					
French fries .....	1,052,280	2019	26,700	1956	January 1956
Other .....	276,811	2004	76,809	1971	January 1971
Total frozen potatoes .....	1,298,964	2019	650,308	1971	January 1971

**Record Highs and Lows of Frozen Red Meat and Commodities in Cold Storage –  
United States: February**

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
<b>Frozen red meat</b>					
<b>Beef</b>					
Boneless .....	484,476	2022	195,202	1982	January 1972
Beef cuts .....	77,404	2008	21,211	1988	January 1972
Total beef .....	531,568	2022	23,475	1933	December 1915
<b>Pork</b>					
Picnics, bone-in .....	19,339	2015	2,477	1970	January 1957
<b>Hams</b>					
Bone-in .....	58,376	2011	26,796	1997	January 1995
Boneless .....	89,547	2019	15,000	1995	January 1995
Total hams .....	127,740	2019	17,186	1978	January 1957
Bellies .....	121,556	1989	15,738	1978	January 1957
<b>Loins</b>					
Bone-in .....	24,987	2006	9,535	1996	January 1993
Boneless .....	30,618	2020	6,110	1993	January 1993
Total loins .....	48,981	2020	7,085	1972	December 1960
Ribs .....	143,396	2016	8,635	1961	December 1960
Butts .....	35,641	2015	2,936	1966	December 1960
Trimnings .....	84,753	1998	10,984	1966	December 1960
Other .....	136,268	1992	37,077	1961	January 1957
Variety meats .....	68,919	2000	8,976	1993	January 1993
Unclassified .....	80,575	2009	4,853	1993	January 1993
Total pork .....	686,063	2015	63,352	1917	December 1915
<b>Other red meat</b>					
Veal .....	21,158	2018	653	2025	June 1944
Lamb and mutton .....	59,304	1921	1,683	1933	December 1915
Total other red meat .....	49,438	2018	8,552	2004	June 1944
<b>Total frozen red meat .....</b>	<b>1,436,378</b>	<b>1919</b>	<b>416,721</b>	<b>1958</b>	<b>December 1916</b>

## Cold Storage Regional Listing

<b>New England:</b>	Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont.
<b>Middle Atlantic:</b>	New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania.
<b>South Atlantic:</b>	Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia.
<b>East North Central:</b>	Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, Wisconsin.
<b>East South Central:</b>	Alabama, Kentucky, Mississippi, Tennessee.
<b>West North Central:</b>	Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota.
<b>West South Central:</b>	Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Texas.
<b>Mountain:</b>	Arizona, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah, Wyoming.
<b>Pacific:</b>	Alaska, California, Oregon, Washington.

## Definitions

**Beef, boneless:** Includes all boxed boneless beef, such as ground beef, roasts, steaks, loins, strips, rounds, trimmings, etc. Excludes variety meats (edible offal), such as tongues, livers, hearts, kidneys, and other organs removed from slaughtered beef.

**Beef cuts:** Includes all boxed primal beef cuts, bone-in.

**Orange juice concentrate:** Adjusted to 42.0 degrees Brix equivalent (9.896 pounds per gallon).

**Pork, boneless hams:** Includes full ham, bone removed and individual muscles separated.

**Pork, boneless loins:** Includes pork tenderloins.

**Pork, ribs:** Includes spareribs and backribs.

**Pork, trimmings:** Includes 42% regular trimmings, 72% special trimmings, boneless picnic meat, jowls, neckbone trimmings, blade, cheek, head, and shank meat, etc. Packaged bacon, sausage, and processed items, such as hot dogs and luncheon meats, are not included.

**Pork, other:** Includes ears, tails, feet, neckbones and snouts.

**Pork, variety meats:** Includes tongues, kidneys, livers, stomachs, hearts, chitterlings, salivary glands, and other organs removed from slaughtered hogs.

**Pork, unclassified:** Includes product unable to be classified elsewhere in this report.

**Public refrigerated storages:** Refrigerated facilities maintained for storing food for others at specified rates per unit.

**Private and semiprivate refrigerated storages:** Refrigerated facilities maintained by an operator to facilitate his principal function as a producer, processor, or manufacturer of food products. The space is used to store the owner's products, although some space may be used by others at specified rates per unit stored. Working space, chill rooms, and curing rooms in meat storages are not included in the storage statistics.

## Publication Notes

**Published February 28, 2022:** The 2021 revisions to commodities were a result of updated facility information. Please refer to the *Cold Storage 2021 Summary*, published February 28, 2022 for all the 2021 cold storage commodity estimates. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

**Published October 22, 2020:** NASS has standardized Cold Storage regional data within commodities, in an effort to publish more data to NASS Quick Stats website, which will allow NASS to publish regional data in the near future.

**Published December 22, 2012:** Beginning with the February 22, 2013 release, estimates for shelled and in-shell peanuts are scheduled to be discontinued.

**Published February 22, 2011:** Beginning with the January 31, 2010 data, cherries, tart (juice) was published under two categories: cherries, tart (juice stock) and cherries, tart (juice concentrate). All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

**Published June 22, 2010:** A change in classification of reported data beginning with May 31, 2010 in the Other Chicken category resulted in an increase of Leg Quarters, Legs, and Paws and Feet along with a corresponding decrease in Other Chicken. There was also an increase in reported data for Drumsticks, Leg Quarters, Paws and Feet, and Other Chicken due to increased coverage and participation of facilities in the survey. Updated historic data prior to May 31, 2010 for these facilities were unavailable. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

**Published February 22, 2010:** A change in classification of reported data beginning with January 31, 2009 in the Other Chicken category resulted in an increase of Leg Quarters along with a corresponding decrease in Other Chicken. The updated 2009 data for these categories was published in the *Cold Storage 2009 Summary*, released on February 22, 2010. The Total Chicken category was unaffected by this change in reporting. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

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## Statistical Methodology

**Survey Procedures:** Questionnaires are mailed about the 24th of each month to all operators on the list of approximately 750 public and private cold storage warehouses. In addition, data are obtained from special surveys and other sources. All survey data represent stocks as of the end of the month.

Data are collected from warehouses artificially cooled to a temperature of 50 degrees Fahrenheit or lower, and whose food products are normally stored for 30 days or more. All food items in these facilities are reported regardless of the number of days stored at the time of the report. Also included are specialized storage facilities meeting the 30 day requirement, such as fruit houses, dairy manufacturing plants, frozen fruit, fruit juice, vegetable processors, and poultry and meat packing plants. Excluded are stocks in space maintained by wholesalers, jobbers, distributors, chain stores, locker plants containing individual lockers, meat packer branch houses, and frozen food processors whose entire inventories are turned over more than once a month.

All commodities reported on the cold storage report are regardless of ownership or origin. NASS does not differentiate between commodities owned by manufacturer, producer, wholesaler, retailer, government owned, or domestically produced vs. imported.

**Estimating Procedures:** Data for reporting firms are added to estimates for non-reporting firms to obtain regional and National totals. Estimates for non-reporting firms are obtained by multiplying the previous month's figure by a percent change from the previous month. The percent change is calculated for each item from totals of the current and previous month summed from firms that reported both months.

**Revision Policy:** Data are revised the following month based on late reports or corrected data. Final figures are published in the annual summary in February of the following year.

**Reliability:** Reports are received from approximately 450 firms each month which represent about 65 percent of the total capacity. Firms that are not on the list or firms who have never reported are not represented in the data. Plants storing butter or cheese are required under Federal law as defined in Public Laws 106-532 and 107-171 to complete the monthly *Cold Storage* report. Monthly data can vary due to different firms reporting month to month. Survey data are also subject to non-sampling errors such as omissions and mistakes in reporting and in processing the data. While these errors cannot be measured directly, they are minimized by carefully reviewing all reported data for consistency and reasonableness.

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