

Cold Storage

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November 2024 Highlights

Total natural cheese stocks in refrigerated warehouses on November 30, 2024 were down 1 percent from the previous month and down 7 percent from November 30, 2023.

Butter stocks were down 20 percent from last month but up slightly from a year ago.

Total frozen poultry supplies on November 30, 2024 were down 9 percent from the previous month and down 7 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were up 1 percent from the previous month but down 8 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were down 34 percent from last month and down slightly from November 30, 2023.

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

Total frozen vegetable stocks were down 4 percent from last month and down 5 percent from a year ago.

Total red meat supplies in freezers were down 3 percent from the previous month and down 5 percent from last year. Total pounds of beef in freezers were up 2 percent from the previous month but down 4 percent from last year. Frozen pork supplies were down 8 percent from the previous month and down 6 percent from last year. Stocks of pork bellies were up 39 percent from last month but down 53 percent from last year.

Records

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Nuts, Dairy Products, Frozen Eggs, and Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – United States: November 30, 2024 with Comparisons

Commodity	Sto	Stocks in all warehouses			November 30, 2024 as a percent of		
	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	November 30, 2024	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	November 30, 2024	
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)	
Nuts							
Shelled							
Pecans	32,971	36,694	33,811	103	92		
In-Shell	,	,	,				
Pecans	31,481	46,988	59,388	189	126		
Dairy products							
Butter	212,785	267,739	213,532	100	80	189,781	
Natural cheese							
American	830,006	774,417	766,581	92	99		
Swiss	20,936	23,226	23,715	113	102		
Other	587,321	550,121	544,448	93	99		
Total natural cheese	1,438,263	1,347,764	1,334,744	93	99	1,030,181	
Frozen eggs							
Whites	2,451	1,658	1,676	68	101		
Yolks	1,160	392	433	37	110		
Whole and mixed	11,289	10,991	10,701	95	97		
Unclassified	14,455	11,666	10,907	75	93		
Total frozen eggs	29,355	24,707	23,717	81	96	22,672	
Frozen poultry							
Chicken							
Broilers, fryers, and roasters	12,172	12,869	10,801	89	84		
Hens, mature chickens	6,258	4,574	4,295	69	94		
Breasts and breast meat	239,388	227,953	234,650	98	103		
Drumsticks	30,736	31,378	30,975	101	99		
Leg quarters	70,862	64,330	66,243	93	103		
Legs	20,611	11,907	12,751	62	107		
Thigh and thigh quarters	10,469	7,724	8,733	83	113		
Thigh Meat	18,483	15,672	16,484	89	105		
Wings	68,669	54,824	59,113	86	108		
Paws and feet	27,158	34,879	31,951	118	92		
Other	375,714	338,448	334,404	89	99		
Total chicken	880,520	804,558	810,400	92	101		
Turkey							
Whole turkeys							
Toms	33,474	70,270	22,913	68	33		
Hens	20,695	65,038	26,407	128	41		
Total whole turkeys	54,169	135,308	49,320	91	36		
Breasts	55,835	63,061	60,217	108	95		
Legs	5,365	5,035	4,582	85 55	91		
Mechanically deboned meat	5,990	3,992	3,315	55	83		
Other Unclassified	18,914	31,203 69.136	26,258	139	84		
Total turkey	62,828 203,101	307,735	59,256 202,948	94 100	86 66		
Ducks	2,680	2,018	1,593	59	79		
Total frozen poultry	1,086,301	1,114,311	1,014,941	93	91	938,959	
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Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice Concentrate in Cold Storage – United States: November 30, 2024 with Comparisons

Commodity	Sto	cks in all warehou	ises	November as a pe	,	Public warehouse stocks
	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	November 30, 2024	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	November 30, 2024
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen fruit						
Apples	26,232	21,482	25,929	99	121	
Apricots	7,967	6,220	5,887	74	95	
Individual quick frozen	20,628	20,194	18,656	90	92	
Pails and tubs	1,360	1,332	1,343	99	101	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	2,736	3,546	3,654	134	103	
Concentrate	628	879	825	131	94	
Total blackberries	25,352	25,951	24,478	97	94	
Blueberries	287,217	276,127	253,433	88	92	
Boysenberries	1,706	1,632	1,534	90	94	
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)	65,596	81,999	77,625	118	95	
Cherries, tart (juice stock)	21,414	19,938	18,960	89	95	
Cherries, tart (juice concentrate)	2,270	2,203	2,161	95	98	
Cherries, sweet	16,207	14,970	12,934	80	86	
Grapes	3,469	2,286	1,872	54	82	
Peaches	24,153	41,875	39,357	163	94	
Raspberries, black	713	381	418	59	110	
Raspberries, red						
Individual quick frozen	34,239	33,532	34,080	100	102	
Pails and tubs	6,192	4,926	4,968	80	101	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	15,321	13,321	12,651	83	95	
Concentrate	1,579	1,208	1,053	67	87	
Total red raspberries	57,331	52,987	52,752	92	100	
Strawberries	,	,	,			
Individual quick frozen and poly	84,750	100,076	86,681	102	87	
Pails and tubs	35,427	39,109	38,697	109	99	
Barrels and drums	55,932	66,753	53,090	95	80	
Juice stock	7,364	7,900	7,580	103	96	
Total strawberries	183,473	213,838	186,048	101	87	
Other	671,870	691,642	650,618	97	94	
Total frozen fruit	1,394,970	1,453,531	1,354,006	97	93	1,200,724
Frozen juice concentrate						
Orange	185,392	221,530	170,707	92	77	
(Gallon equivalent)	18,734	22,386	17,250			
Other	371,228	329,215	376,901	102	114	
Total frozen juice concentrate	556,620	550,745	547,608	98	99	318,681

Frozen Vegetables and Frozen Potatoes in Cold Storage – United States: November 30, 2024 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			November as a pe	Public warehouse stocks	
ŕ	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	November 30, 2024	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	November 30, 2024
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen vegetables						
Asparagus	4,828	4,279	4,065	84	95	
Lima beans	23,478	23,417	22,363	95	95	
Green beans, regular cut	242,242	220,270	204,305	84	93	
Green beans, french style	16,920	13,026	12,005	71	92	
Broccoli, spears	43,980	40,807	37,943	86	93	
Broccoli, chopped and cut	18,165	20,240	18,549	102	92	
Brussels sprouts	9,988	9,722	9,911	99	102	
Carrots, diced	167,360	122,327	164,668	98	135	
Carrots, other	89,579	92,197	100,875	113	109	
Cauliflower	24,162	19,186	18,448	76	96	
Corn, cut	649,171	694,207	635,620	98	92	
Corn, cob	345,944	375,715	332,118	96	88	
Mixed vegetables	47,780	49,815	46,300	97	93	
Okra	34,094	37,500	37,542	110	100	
Onion rings	19,366	30,583	34,032	176	111	
Onions, other	36,510	33,886	38,415	105	113	
Blackeye peas	1,256	1,475	1,625	129	110	
Green peas	258,989	251,258	223,540	86	89	
Peas and carrots mixed	8,080	9,206	9,373	116	102	
Spinach	33,834	25,697	27,172	80	106	
Squash, summer/zucchini	55,215	46,783	51,267	93	110	
Southern greens	17,647	18,772	18,600	105	99	
Other	365,278	332,160	334,624	92	101	
Total frozen vegetables	2,513,866	2,472,528	2,383,360	95	96	2,244,538
Frozen potatoes						
French fries	940,307	1,033,622	1,004,742	107	97	
Other	228,198	233,367	230,072	101	99	
Total frozen potatoes	1,168,505	1,266,989	1,234,814	106	97	1,087,243

Frozen Red Meat and Commodities in Cold Storage – United States: November 30, 2024 with Comparisons

Commodity	Sto	cks in all warehou	ses	November as a per	Public warehouse stocks	
	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	November 30, 2024	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	November 30, 2024
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen red meat Beef						
Boneless	417,122	388,162	398,209	95	103	
Beef cuts	40,289	44,606	42,333	105	95	
Total beef	457,411	432,768	440,542	96	102	423,013
Pork						
Picnics, bone-inHams	7,309	6,630	6,810	93	103	
Bone-in	18,167	56,285	30,790	169	55	
Boneless	39,123	59,862	38,489	98	64	
Total hams	57,290	116,147	69,279	121	60	
Bellies	48,323	16,240	22,504	47	139	
Loins						
Bone-in	18,097	18,316	17,074	94	93	
Boneless	22,412	20,509	21,874	98	107	
Total loins	40,509	38,825	38,948	96	100	
Ribs	76,106	72,923	78,067	103	107	
Butts	18,812	25,063	23,547	125	94	
Trimmings	44,580	36,981	44,052	99	119	
Other	51,549	46,510	42,238	82	91	
Variety meats	23,230	24,425	24,601	106	101	
Unclassified	47,954	42,612	41,025	86	96	050.054
Total pork	415,662	426,356	391,071	94	92	350,251
Other red meat						
Veal	890	747	816	92	109	
Lamb and mutton	22,430	24,048	22,491	100	94	
Total other red meat	23,320	24,795	23,307	100	94	21,973
Total frozen red meat	896,393	883,919	854,920	95	97	795,237
Commodities						
Stored in coolers	1,715,500	1,699,185	1,641,475	96	97	1,247,211
Stored in freezers	7,646,010	7,766,730	7,413,366	97	95	6,608,054
Total Commodities	9,361,510	9,465,915	9,054,841	97	96	7,855,265

Nuts and Dairy Products in Cold Storage - Regions: November 30, 2024 with Comparisons

Commodity and region	S	tocks in all warehouses	November 30, 2024 as a percent of		
Commodity and region	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	November 30, 2024	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Nuts ¹					
Shelled					
Pecans					
South Atlantic	5,531	4,550	4,135	75	91
East South Central	338	260	213	63	82
West South Central	27,102	31,884	29,463	109	92
n-shell					
Pecans					
South Atlantic	6,428	5,993	9,654	150	161
East South Central	334	151	137	41	91
West South Central	24,719	40,844	49,597	201	121
Dairy products					
Natural cheese					
American, total					
New England	80.011	74.858	74.242	93	99
Middle Atlantic	76.006	62,438	60,215	79	96
East North Central	357,144	341,056	323,477	91	95
West North Central	138,405	130,226	138,027	100	106
South Atlantic	376	1.864	2.381	633	128
East South Central	16,740	3,367	3,383	20	100
West South Central	8.497	6.873	6.372	75	93
Mountain	52,871	52,619	57,611	109	109
Pacific	99,956	101,116	100,873	101	100
Other	,	, ,	,-		
New England	644	848	836	130	99
Middle Atlantic	12.694	12.716	13,157	104	103
East North Central	368,992	343,024	344,402	93	100
West North Central	32,496	20,991	21,308	66	102
South Atlantic	41,783	47,445	45,949	110	97
East South Central	26,316	16,854	15,699	60	93
West South Central	1,125	727	943	84	130
Mountain	8,937	6,838	6,822	76	100
Pacific	94,334	100,678	95,332	101	95

¹ 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: November 30, 2024 with Comparisons

Commodity and region	S	tocks in all warehouses	s	November 30, 2024 as a percent of		
	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	November 30, 2024	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	
Frozen poultry ¹						
Chicken						
Broilers, fryers, and roasters						
South Atlantic	5,867	6,854	5,769	98	84	
East South Central		361	285	53	79	
West South Central		1,116	940	24	84	
Pacific	1,845	4,538	3,807	206	84	
Hens, mature chickens						
South Atlantic		1,481	1,309	195	88	
East South Central		262	225	156	86	
West South Central	-,	2,561	2,506	48	98 94	
Pacific Breasts and breast meat	175	270	255	146	94	
South Atlantic	101,351	109,038	107,055	106	98	
East South Central		47,563	42,135	80	89	
West South Central		65,359	79,685	105	122	
Pacific	- /	5,993	5,775	62	96	
Drumsticks	3,550	3,550	5,. 10		00	
South Atlantic	13,760	15,126	14,774	107	98	
East South Central		10,431	10,351	88	99	
West South Central		4,703	4,710	124	100	
Pacific	1,412	1,118	1,140	81	102	
Leg quarters						
South Atlantic		35,618	31,907	99	90	
East South Central		6,282	5,679	41	90	
West South Central		17,702	24,205	98	137	
Pacific	322	4,728	4,452	1,383	94	
Legs	0.450	4 000			400	
South Atlantic		4,899	5,354	87	109	
East South Central		164	162	5	99	
West South Central		6,711	7,095 140	66 58	106 105	
Pacific Thigh and thigh quarters	240	133	140	36	103	
South Atlantic	7,301	6,002	6,735	92	112	
East South Central		550	663	69	121	
West South Central		995	1,134	63	114	
Pacific		177	201	47	114	
Thigh meat						
South Atlantic	7,048	7,179	8,060	114	112	
East South Central	3,049	1,969	2,195	72	111	
West South Central		5,228	5,343	77	102	
Pacific	1,403	1,296	886	63	68	
Wings						
South Atlantic		31,740	32,465	106	102	
East South Central		6,859	7,553	58	110	
West South Central		14,278	17,081	75	120	
Pacific Paws and feet	2,223	1,947	2,014	91	103	
South Atlantic	16,688	16,379	14,983	90	91	
East South Central		5,091	4,200	85	82	
West South Central	, -	6,707	6,194	309	92	
Pacific		6,702	6,574	185	98	
Other	3,5.5	5,. 52	5,5. 1		30	
South Atlantic	166,300	159,040	161,586	97	102	
East South Central	49,460	57,493	53,536	108	93	
West South Central		69,132	69,387	64	100	
Pacific	52,199	52,783	49,895	96	95	
Total chicken						
South Atlantic		393,356	389,997	101	99	
East South Central		137,025	126,984	83	93	
West South Central		194,492	218,280	82	112	
Pacific	73,133	79,685	75,139	103	94	

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Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage - Regions: November 30, 2024 with Comparisons (continued)

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Commodity and region	S	tocks in all warehouses	November 30, 2024 as a percent of		
Commodity and region	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	November 30, 2024	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Turkeys					
Whole turkeys					
South Atlantic	9,672	40,166	11,490	119	29
East South Central	5,116	23,765	7,051	138	30
West South Central	37,127	65.196	29.825	80	46
Pacific	2,254	6,181	954	42	15
Breasts	2,204	0,101	304	72	10
South Atlantic	11,133	12,123	11,561	104	95
East South Central	10,459	8,291	8,282	79	100
West South Central	30,942	40,681	38,413	124	94
Pacific	3,301	1,966	1,961	59	100
	3,301	1,900	1,901	39	100
Legs	561	1 006	010	111	70
South Atlantic	969	1,026	810	144	79 82
East South Central		1,385	1,133	117	_
West South Central	3,708	2,368	2,384	64	101
Pacific	127	256	255	201	100
Mechanically deboned meat	4.050	4 004	4 000		
South Atlantic	1,353	1,304	1,002	74	77
East South Central	1,864	819	867	47	106
West South Central	2,260	988	689	30	70
Pacific	513	881	757	148	86
Other					
South Atlantic	2,767	1,496	1,568	57	105
East South Central	5,330	10,046	8,170	153	81
West South Central	8,889	16,255	14,708	165	90
Pacific	1,928	3,406	1,812	94	53
Unclassified					
South Atlantic	29,862	28,972	25,743	86	89
East South Central	9,459	8,447	7,659	81	91
West South Central	16,095	21,680	16,758	104	77
Pacific	7,412	10,037	9,096	123	91
Total turkey					
South Atlantic	55,348	85,087	52,174	94	61
East South Central	33,197	52,753	33,162	100	63
West South Central	99,021	147,168	102,777	104	70
Pacific	15,535	22,727	14,835	95	65
Ducks					
South Atlantic	744	517	488	66	94
East South Central	179	487	164	92	34
West South Central	1	94	48	4,800	51
Pacific	1,756	920	893	51	97

¹ 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: November 30, 2024 with Comparisons

Commodity and region	Si	ocks in all warehouses	;	November 30, 2024 as a percent of	
	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	November 30, 2024	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen fruit 1					
Apples					
Middle Atlantic	665	598	621	93	104
East North Central	14.228	11,472	16.015	113	140
West North Central	1,442	591	1,051	73	178
South Atlantic	2,233	147	154	7	105
West South Central	738	210	251	34	120
Pacific	6,926	8,464	7,837	113	93
Blueberries	0,020	0,101	7,007		
Middle Atlantic	20.126	17,858	16.369	81	92
East North Central	52.687	65.897	55,302	105	84
West North Central	4.043	1.576	1,507	37	96
South Atlantic	3.722	2,577	3.242	87	126
West South Central	1,532	1,141	1,285	84	113
Pacific	205,107	187,078	175,728	86	94
	205,107	107,070	173,720	00	94
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)	840	500	E 4.4	64	01
Middle Atlantic		589	541	64	92 94
East North Central	49,996	55,985	52,845	106	•
West North Central	325	396	393	121	99
South Atlantic	98	137	168	171	123
West South Central	571	255	254	44	100
Pacific	13,766	24,637	23,424	170	95
Cherries, sweet					
Middle Atlantic	715	847	948	133	112
East North Central	10,329	7,940	7,583	73	96
West North Central	313	177	197	63	111
South Atlantic	149	304	344	231	113
West South Central	264	334	378	143	113
Pacific	4,437	5,368	3,484	79	65
Peaches					
Middle Atlantic	996	613	643	65	105
East North Central	837	642	546	65	85
West North Central	681	1,187	1,098	161	93
South Atlantic	1,864	3,091	2,931	157	95
West South Central	266	986	938	353	95
Pacific	19,509	35,356	33,201	170	94
Raspberries, red					
Middle Atlantic	498	497	455	91	92
East North Central	850	786	752	88	96
West North Central	1,725	3,150	2,902	168	92
South Atlantic	206	748	692	336	93
West South Central	1,208	1,222	1,174	97	96
Pacific	52.844	46.584	46,777	89	100

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Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice Concentrate in Cold Storage - Regions: November 30, 2024 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity and region	S	tocks in all warehouses	November 30, 2024 as a percent of		
	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	November 30, 2024	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Strawberries, total					
Middle Atlantic	3,086	1,686	1,590	52	94
East North Central	5,973	9,496	5,733	96	60
West North Central	8,365	10,164	9,704	116	95
South Atlantic	7,786	7.857	7,505	96	96
West South Central	26,968	21,061	18,837	70	89
Pacific	131.295	163,574	142,679	109	87
Other	101,200	100,07	1.12,070	100	O.
Middle Atlantic	83,617	170,222	68,928	82	40
East North Central	374.177	360,495	454,166	121	126
West North Central	2,658	672	523	20	78
South Atlantic	3.245	1.393	1.373	42	99
West South Central	24,590	14,811	12,985	53	88
Pacific	183,583	144,049	112,643	61	78
Facilic	100,000	144,049	112,043	01	70
Frozen juice concentrate ²					
Orange					
South Atlantic	174.745	207,395	157.877	90	76
East South Central	975	480	444	46	93
West South Central	5.530	3.042	2.851	52	94
Mountain	2	2	2,001	50	50
Pacific	4,140	10,611	9,534	230	90
Other	4,140	10,011	9,334	230	90
South Atlantic	121,776	85,864	95,989	79	112
East South Central	21,626	29,033	30,947	143	107
West South Central	,	,	,	121	107
-	13,365	15,623	16,129		
Mountain	578	489	573	99	117
Pacific	213,883	198,206	233,263	109	118
Total frozen juice concentrate	222 -24		0.50.000		
South Atlantic	296,521	293,259	253,866	86	87
East South Central	22,601	29,513	31,391	139	106
West South Central	18,895	18,665	18,980	100	102
Mountain	580	491	574	99	117
Pacific	218,023	208,817	242,797	111	116

New England combined with Middle Atlantic. East South Central combined with South Atlantic. Mountain combined with Pacific.
 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: November 30, 2024 with Comparisons

Commodity and region	Si	tocks in all warehouses	3	November as a pe	,
commonly and region	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	November 30, 2024	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen vegetables 1					
Asparagus					
Middle Atlantic	319	223	212	66	95
East North Central	3,419	2,889	2,785	81	96
West North Central	37	14	14	38	100
South Atlantic	46	25	23	50	92
West South Central	192	204	172	90	84
Pacific	815	924	859	105	93
Lima beans	013	924	039	103	93
Middle Atlantic	3,745	5,606	5,328	142	95
			•		
East North Central	3,161	1,424	1,440	46 70	101
West North Central	5,159	3,351	3,592		107
South Atlantic	3,320	5,436	5,146	155	95
West South Central	217	65	52	24	80
Pacific	7,876	7,535	6,805	86	90
Green beans, regular cut					
Middle Atlantic	52,011	45,639	42,049	81	92
East North Central	81,079	78,969	75,193	93	95
West North Central	13,387	15,749	13,276	99	84
South Atlantic	7,025	4,324	4,126	59	95
West South Central	1,493	1,175	1,459	98	124
Pacific	87,247	74,414	68,202	78	92
Green beans, french style					
Middle Atlantic	5,592	3,124	2,793	50	89
East North Central	2,806	3,016	2,955	105	98
West North Central	468	301	317	68	105
South Atlantic	331	109	90	27	83
West South Central	70	15	4	6	27
Pacific	7,653	6,461	5.846	76	90
Broccoli, spears	.,000	3, . 3 .	0,0.0		
Middle Atlantic	12.659	13,733	12,367	98	90
East North Central	13,863	11,679	11,204	81	96
West North Central	887	681	771	87	113
South Atlantic	1,144	1,411	1,258	110	89
West South Central	11,860	11,404	10.616	90	93
Pacific	3,567	1,899	1,727	48	91
Broccoli, chopped and cut	3,307	1,099	1,121	40	91
	1 7//	1.060	1 700	98	87
Middle Atlantic	1,744	1,969	1,709		
East North Central	3,193	3,422	3,190	100	93
West North Central	275	655	597	217	91
South Atlantic	1,507	1,298	1,287	85	99
West South Central	4,026	3,417	3,256	81	95
Pacific	7,420	9,479	8,510	115	90

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: November 30, 2024 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity and region	S	tocks in all warehouses	November 30, 2024 as a percent of		
	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	November 30, 2024	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Brussels sprouts					
Middle Atlantic	3,681	2,423	2,424	66	100
East North Central	3,101	2,887	3,069	99	106
West North Central	902	379	394	44	104
South Atlantic	1.027	1.043	1.049	102	101
West South Central	675	1,430	1,382	205	97
Pacific	602	1,560	1,593	265	102
Carrots, diced		.,	.,		
Middle Atlantic	16.471	7,942	13.456	82	169
East North Central	47.677	32,584	54,150	114	166
West North Central	11,645	10,202	10,632	91	104
South Atlantic	331	323	432	131	134
West South Central	337	2,526	2.404	713	95
Pacific	90,899	68,750	83,594	92	122
Carrots, other	00,000	00,700	00,004	02	122
Middle Atlantic	11,038	4,914	5.657	51	115
East North Central	35,852	35.772	39.084	109	109
West North Central	6,165	15,354	15,223	247	99
South Atlantic	2,423	1,196	1.173	48	98
West South Central	2,423	3.044	3,179	106	104
Pacific	31,110	31,917	36,559	118	115
Cauliflower	31,110	31,817	30,339	110	110
Middle Atlantic	7,724	6,666	6,134	79	92
	4.404	4.607	4,821	109	105
East North Central West North Central	4,404	4,007	363	88	88
	285	357			92
South Atlantic			328	115	
West South Central	5,077	4,027	3,948	78	98 92
Pacific	6,259	3,117	2,854	46	92
Corn, cut	20,020	40.045	E4 07E	407	440
Middle Atlantic	39,826	46,015	54,375	137	118
East North Central	112,801	73,984	83,340	74	113
West North Central	74,212	89,030	88,215	119	99
South Atlantic	3,375	4,511	4,584	136	102
West South Central	3,607	2,473	2,208	61	89
Pacific	415,350	478,194	402,898	97	84
Corn, cob	40.000	0.004	0.404		
Middle Atlantic	13,803	9,821	9,104	66	93
East North Central	16,031	29,007	26,846	167	93
West North Central	59,977	53,710	44,996	75	84
South Atlantic	867	1,170	1,084	125	93
West South Central	2,781	886	961	35	108
Pacific	252,485	281,121	249,127	99	89

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage - Regions: November 30, 2024 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity and region	S	Stocks in all warehouses			November 30, 2024 as a percent of		
Commodity and region	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	November 30, 2024	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024		
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)		
Mixed vegetables							
Middle Atlantic	4,876	3,993	3,516	72	88		
East North Central	11,143	7,421	8,393	75	113		
West North Central	684	1,505	1,636	239	109		
South Atlantic	817	725	864	106	119		
West South Central	4,330	3,687	3,910	90	100		
Pacific	25,930	32,484	27,981	108	86		
Okra	.,	- , -	,				
Middle Atlantic	2,784	6,476	6,475	233	100		
East North Central	129	153	151	117	99		
West North Central	241	140	116	48	83		
South Atlantic	1.896	905	900	47	99		
West South Central	28,634	29,339	29,435	103	100		
Pacific	410	487	465	113	9:		
Onion rings					· ·		
Middle Atlantic	367	362	255	69	7		
East North Central	11.286	18.803	22.980	204	12		
West North Central	254	5,400	3,875	1,526	7.		
South Atlantic	1.876	1.746	2,140	114	12		
West South Central	1.177	1.719	1.842	156	10		
Pacific	4,406	2,553	2,940	67	11:		
Onions, other	4,400	2,000	2,040	01			
Middle Atlantic	2,111	4,856	4,967	235	10		
East North Central	1,601	1,754	1,937	121	110		
West North Central	1,233	609	1.684	137	27		
South Atlantic	2,342	1,677	2,111	90	12		
West South Central	1,351	804	1,060	78	13		
Pacific	27,872	24,186	26,656	96	11		
Blackeye peas	21,012	21,100	20,000		• •		
Middle Atlantic	1,029	1,210	1,367	133	11		
East North Central	8	2	3	38	15		
West North Central	-	- 1	-	(X)	(X		
South Atlantic	65	110	91	140	8		
West South Central	57	59	49	86	8		
Pacific	97	94	115	119	12		
Green peas	31	34	113	113	12		
Middle Atlantic	32.993	27,171	28.807	87	10		
East North Central	50,175	49,538	47,931	96	9		
West North Central	49,990	35,427	34,904	70	9		
South Atlantic	5,165	3,469	3,439	67	9		
West South Central	749	746	5,439 641	86	8		
_				90	o 8		
Pacific	119,917	134,907	107,818	90	5		

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: November 30, 2024 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			November 30, 2024 as a percent of		
Commodity and region	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	November 30, 2024	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	
Peas and carrots mixed						
Middle Atlantic	1,726	1,251	1,238	72	99	
East North Central	881	808	772	88	96	
West North Central	94	107	114	121	107	
South Atlantic	529	102	158	30	155	
West South Central	179	138	221	123	160	
Pacific	4.671	6,800	6.870	147	101	
Spinach	.,	3,333	0,0.0			
Middle Atlantic	19,105	11.041	11.454	60	104	
East North Central	1.202	1,367	1,376	114	101	
West North Central	929	991	910	98	92	
South Atlantic	844	1,822	1.774	210	97	
West South Central	4,221	3,118	3,556	84	114	
Pacific	7,533	7,358	8,102	108	110	
Squash, summer/zucchini	7,000	7,000	0,102	100	110	
Middle Atlantic	3,382	1,648	1,792	53	109	
East North Central	24,650	19,735	22,084	90	112	
West North Central	304	235	327	108	139	
South Atlantic	1.494	445	441	30	99	
West South Central	4.705	3.002	2.595	55	86	
Pacific	20,680	21,718	24,028	116	111	
Southern greens	20,000	21,710	24,020	110	111	
Middle Atlantic	8,658	6,993	6,993	81	100	
East North Central	74	51	50	68	98	
West North Central	6	6	6	100	100	
South Atlantic	289	290	291	100	100	
	6.799	10.941		153	95	
West South Central	1,821	491	10,395 865	48	95 176	
Pacific	1,021	491	000	40	170	
Middle Atlantic	55,486	46.540	51.469	93	111	
East North Central	23,795	22,631	23,628	99	104	
West North Central	12,298	11,235	10,366	84	92	
	30,927	15,654	16,217	52	104	
South Atlantic			,		99	
_	30,428	18,619	18,341	60		
Pacific	212,344	217,481	214,603	101	99	
Total frozen vegetables	204 420	250.640	072 044	04	400	
Middle Atlantic	301,130	259,616	273,941	91	106	
East North Central	452,331	402,503	437,382	97	109	
West North Central	239,560	245,493	232,328	97	95	
South Atlantic	67,925	48,148	49,006	72	102	
West South Central	115,956	102,838	101,686	88	99	
Pacific	1,336,964	1,413,930	1,289,017	96	91	

⁻ Represents zero.

(X) Not applicable.

1 New England combined with Middle Atlantic. East South Central combined with South Atlantic. Mountain combined with Pacific.

Frozen Potatoes in Cold Storage - Regions: November 30, 2024 with Comparisons

Commodity and region	S	November 30, 2024 as a percent of			
Commodity and region	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	November 30, 2024	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen potatoes					
French fries					
New England	45,030	45,196	47,355	105	105
Middle Atlantic	31,617	27,016	29,242	92	108
East North Central	94,764	117,613	123,072	130	105
West North Central	124,291	154,161	144,328	116	94
South Atlantic	55,788	58,281	56,355	101	97
East South Central	1,209	679	784	65	115
West South Central	53,380	44,469	52,938	99	119
Mountain	182,618	188,952	169,771	93	90
Pacific	351,610	397,255	380,897	108	96
Other	,	,	,		
New England	40	148	200	500	135
Middle Atlantic	6,677	3,697	3,440	52	93
East North Central	66,967	71,399	67,338	101	94
West North Central	21,227	23,148	28,018	132	121
South Atlantic	11,631	12,168	11,373	98	93
East South Central	2,502	2.499	2.087	83	84
West South Central	12,971	23,939	24,601	190	103
Mountain	60,830	57,965	57,360	94	99
Pacific	45,353	38,404	35,655	79	93
Total frozen potatoes	-,	,			
New England	45,070	45,344	47,555	106	105
Middle Atlantic	38,294	30.713	32,682	85	106
East North Central	161,731	189,012	190,410	118	101
West North Central	145,518	177,309	172.346	118	97
South Atlantic	67,419	70,449	67,728	100	96
East South Central	3.711	3,178	2.871	77	90
West South Central	66,351	68,408	77,539	117	113
Mountain	243,448	246.917	227,131	93	92
Pacific	396,963	435,659	416,552	105	96

Frozen Red Meat in Cold Storage - Regions: November 30, 2024 with Comparisons

Common different description	S	Stocks in all warehouse	November 30, 2024 as a percent of		
Commodity and region	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024	November 30, 2024	November 30, 2023	October 31, 2024
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen red meat ¹					
Beef					
Boneless					
Middle Atlantic	124,471	121,682	121,901	98	100
East North Central	45,198	50,174	49,733	110	99
West South Central	158,781	139,665	142,647	90	102
Pacific	88,672	76,641	83,928	95	110
Beef cuts					
Middle Atlantic	8,440	10,249	9,467	112	92
East North Central	9,385	8,857	8,559	91	97
West South Central	12,810	15,834	14,912	116	94
Pacific	9,654	9,666	9,395	97	97
Total beef					
Middle Atlantic	132,911	131,931	131,368	99	100
East North Central	54,583	59,031	58,292	107	99
West South Central	171,591	155,499	157,559	92	101
Pacific	98,326	86,307	93,323	95	108
Other meat					
Veal					
Middle Atlantic	771	605	661	86	109
East North Central	30	87	95	317	109
West South Central	-	8	8	(Z)	100
Pacific	89	47	52	58	111
Lamb and mutton					
Middle Atlantic	12,233	15,325	14,102	115	92
East North Central	1,418	1,967	1,810	128	92
West South Central	4,580	1,242	1,455	32	117
Pacific	4,199	5,514	5,124	122	93
Total other meat					
Middle Atlantic	13,004	15,930	14,763	114	93
East North Central	1,448	2,054	1,905	132	93
West South Central	4,580	1,250	1,463	32	117
Pacific	4,288	5,561	5,176	121	93

⁻ Represents zero.

⁽Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

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: November

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
Nuts	, , ,		, , ,		
Shelled					
Pecans	54,329	2019	6,003	1971	January 1970
In-Shell	,		2,222		
Pecans	118,126	2000	12,249	1976	January 1970
Dairy products					
Butter	542,962	1991	15,116	1975	December 1915
Natural cheese					
American	1,110,607	1983	25,625	1918	December 1915
Swiss	30,906	2012	845	1944	August 1917
Other	592,496	2022	2,473	1917	August 1917
Total natural cheese	1,438,263	2023	37,473	1918	August 1917
Frozen eggs					
Whites	37,410	1946	494	1999	April 1940
Yolks	28,967	1955	433	2024	April 1940
Whole and mixed	135,543	1944	5,790	2007	April 1940
Unclassified	41,834	1944	482	1999	April 1940
Total frozen eggs	220,180	1944	5,104	1916	April 1916
Frozen Poultry Chicken					
Broilers, fryers, and roasters	99,715	1945	9,964	1916	April 1916
Hens, mature chickens	102,585	1947	1,213	2012	April 1916
Breasts and breast meat	254,854	2020	100,207	2003	May 2003
Drumsticks	44,225	2019	9,741	2003	May 2003
Leg quarters	156,951	2015	49,732	2006	May 2003
Legs	28,856	2010	5,664	2009	May 2003
Thigh and thigh quarters	23,533	2020	5,340	2003	May 2003
Thigh meat	40,834	2019	12,673	2007	May 2003
Wings	101,564	2013	29,757	2003	May 2003
Paws and feet	32,723	2022	7,792	2003	May 2003
Other	743,066	1999	237,866	2014	January 1991
Total chicken	979,326	2019	96,380	1968	December 1939
Turkey					
Whole turkeys					
Toms	77,054	2003	19,191	2022	March 2001
Hens	64,201	2008	11,303	2020	April 2001
Total whole turkeys	131,406	2008	35,238	2022	March 2001
Breasts	72,068	2018	23,381	2021	January 2009
Legs	17,161	2011	2,904	2022	January 2009
Mechanically deboned meat	9,164	2010 1997	1,876	2022 2001	January 2009
Other	230,535	2012	13,141 47,465	2001	January 1967
Unclassified Total turkey	76,864 438,556	1997	47,465 2,154	1922	January 2009 April 1916
Ducks	14,804	1963	1,165	2022	June 1932
Total frozen poultry	1,206,251	2018	27,139	1916	April 1916

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

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
Frozen fruit					
Apples	81,069	2010	17,868	1952	June 1944
Apricots	35,242	1946	3,156	2020	June 1945
Blackberries					
Individual quick frozen	25,570	2008	7,193	1993	June 1992
Pails and tubs	7,284	1992	836	2022	June 1992
Barrels, 400 lbs net	12,483	2013	2,053	2021	June 1992
Concentrate	2,359	2000	141	2006	June 1992
Total blackberries	36,152	2012	4,340	1938	June 1938
Blueberries	294,135	2016	4,945	1939	June 1938
Boysenberries	14,502	1959	612	2019	January 1959
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)	177,470	1987	56,135	2012	January 1967
Cherries, tart (juice stock)	21,414	2023	451	2010	January 1990
Cherries, sweet	24,779	1989	7,426	2003	January 1978
Grapes	31,765	1950	1,440	2016	June 1944
Peaches	122,911	1989	18,886	1949	June 1944
Raspberries, black	9,085	1959	418	2024	January 1959
Raspberries, red					
Individual quick frozen	39,721	2018	5,853	1992	June 1992
Pails and tubs	20,937	1995	4,672	2021	June 1992
Barrels, 400 lbs net	38,648	2018	10,309	2021	June 1992
Concentrate	4,585	1998	635	2002	June 1992
Total red raspberries	87,801	2018	12,504	1972	January 1959
Strawberries					
Individual quick frozen and poly	197,396	2002	67,716	2020	January 2002
Pails and tubs	104,775	2007	35,427	2023	January 2002
Barrels and drums	97,590	2012	21,283	2002	January 2002
Juice stock	30,262	2009	7,196	2021	January 2002
Total strawberries	350,259	2000	23,130	1944	June 1938
Other	872,413	2016	41,807	1952	June 1938
Total frozen fruit	1,933,950	2016	17,214	1923	June 1923
Frozen juice concentrate					
Orange	1,540,232	1998	25,415	1949	September 1949
Other	540,154	1995	19,940	1944	June 1944
Total frozen juice concentrate	1,956,871	1998	19,940	1944	June 1944

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

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
Frozen Vegetables					
Asparagus	26.863	1957	3.958	1938	June 1938
Lima beans	158,614	1962	22,363	2024	January 1960
Green beans, regular cut	273,657	2012	72,479	1960	January 1960
Green beans, french style	77.041	1990	12,005	2024	January 1960
Broccoli, spears	68.960	1986	17,778	1997	January 1972
Broccoli, chopped and cut	124.436	1999	18.165	2023	January 1972
Brussels sprouts	54,157	1973	2,172	1945	June 1944
Carrots, diced	173,870	2014	66,094	1984	January 1976
Carrots, other	243.987	1997	39.943	1976	January 1976
Cauliflower	86,088	1991	2,601	1944	June 1944
Corn. cut	666,265	2021	180,864	1971	January 1970
Corn, cob	374,893	1991	56,048	1970	January 1970
Mixed vegetables	68,516	2017	15,916	1960	January 1956
Okra	71,858	1987	20,909	1972	January 1972
Onion rings	34,032	2024	3,734	2005	January 1973
Onions, other	64,475	2011	11,565	1975	January 1973
Blackeye peas	26,150	1990	1,256	2023	January 1972
Green peas	354,397	1992	10.289	1937	December 1936
Peas and carrots mixed	18,254	1958	4,745	2005	January 1956
Spinach	98,263	1990	3,189	1937	December 1936
Squash, summer/zucchini	79,117	1997	34,396	1979	January 1979
Southern greens	43,596	1974	9,959	2009	January 1972
Other	646,967	2017	7,563	1939	December 1936
Total frozen vegetables	2,788,626	2017	1,093,717	1964	January 1962
Frozen potatoes					
French fries	1,095,156	1997	33,448	1956	January 1956
Other	268,104	1994	77,873	1971	January 1971
Total frozen potatoes	1,313,467	1997	496,774	1973	January 1971

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

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
Frozen red meat					
Beef					
Boneless	493,396	2016	198,670	1981	January 1972
Beef cuts	79,165	2008	26,092	1987	January 1972
Total beef	530,953	2016	25,364	1931	December 1915
Pork					
Picnics, bone-in	15,649	1964	3,964	1968	January 1957
Hams					_
Bone-in	68,950	2008	12,071	2022	January 1995
Boneless	71,820	2019	15,827	1996	January 1995
Total hams	116,076	2013	19,537	1965	January 1957
Bellies	93,254	1988	16,164	1965	January 1957
Loins					
Bone-in	24,784	2004	6,888	1995	January 1993
Boneless	33,340	2012	4,960	1993	January 1993
Total loins	48,999	2012	6,830	1965	December 1960
Ribs	117,148	2015	8,215	1965	December 1960
Butts	30,049	2012	2,710	1965	December 1960
Trimmings	60,806	1998	9,993	1965	December 1960
Other	140,627	1991	39,889	1965	January 1957
Variety meats	56,333	1998	14,364	1993	January 1993
Unclassified	70,755	2008	9,651	1995	January 1993
Total pork	574,840	2019	23,504	1917	December 1915
Other red meat					
Veal	21,087	1952	816	2024	June 1944
Lamb and mutton	56,702	1920	1,549	1925	December 1915
Total other red meat	51,269	2015	7,331	2004	June 1944
Total frozen red meat	1,122,820	2015	369,654	1957	December 1916

Cold Storage Regional Listing

New England: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont.

Middle Atlantic: New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania.

South Atlantic: Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia.

East North Central: Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, Wisconsin. **East South Central:** Alabama, Kentucky, Mississippi, Tennessee.

West North Central: Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota.

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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.

Published October 22, 2009: Beginning with the February 22, 2010 *Cold Storage report*, Other Turkey was separated into the following five categories: breast meat, legs, mechanically deboned meat, other, and unclassified. The 2009 data for these categories was published in the *Cold Storage 2009 Summary*, released on February 22, 2010. Data for the five categories prior to 2009 was not available. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

Published June 22, 2009: Beginning with April 30, 2009 revised estimates, an increase in strawberry inventory was the result of increased coverage of cold storage facilities as well as updated plant information. The April 2009 revisions of frozen strawberries covered the following categories: Total, IQF and Poly, Pails and Tubs, Barrels and Drums, and Juice Stock. Updated historic reported strawberry data prior to April 2009 was unavailable. Year to year relationships for strawberry and the total fruit categories were impacted by this change.

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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