



# Cold Storage

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## HIGHLIGHTS

**Frozen food stocks** in refrigerated warehouses on January 31, 2002, were greater than year earlier levels for beef, pork, orange juice and potatoes.

Butter stocks were 81 percent above December 2001 and 48 percent above a year ago.

**Total red meat supplies** in freezers were 3 percent above December 2001 and 7 percent above January 2001. Frozen pork stocks were 8 percent above last month and 7 percent above last year. Stocks of pork bellies were 14 percent above last month and 1 percent above January 2001 stocks.

**Total frozen poultry supplies** on January 31, 2002, were up 8 percent from last month but were 1 percent below last year's level. Total stocks of chicken were slightly below last month and 5 percent below last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers increased 33 percent from last month and 10 percent from last year.

**Public cooler occupancy** on January 31, 2002, was at 36 percent of capacity, up 1 point from last year. Public freezer occupancy, at 47 percent, was down 8 percentage points from last year.

**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, United States, January 2002**

Commodity	Stocks in All Warehouses			Percent of		Public Warehouse Stocks
	Jan 31, 2001	Dec 31, 2001	Jan 31, 2002	Jan 2001	Dec 2001	Jan 31, 2002
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>1,000 Lbs</i>
Fresh Fruit						5,733
Apples						
Regular Storage						
Controlled Atmosphere						25
Total				92	63	
Pears	517,877	759,622		88	88	
Bartlett	3,584,094	3,595,582		88	83	
Other Varieties	4,101,971	4,355,204	475,388			
Total			3,146,468			
Total	996		3,621,856	29	2	341,460
Nuts	249,055	12,152		95	77	
Shelled	250,051	309,726	285	95	74	
Peanuts		321,878	237,657			
Pecans			237,942			
Other Shelled	416,094			120	112	56,828
Total	42,257	448,628		80	119	
In-Shell	194,574	28,310	500,453	65	96	88,381
Peanuts	652,925	132,103	33,690	101	109	
Pecans		609,041	126,950			
Other In-Shell	15,047		661,093	97	90	
Total	169,830	16,268	14,561	104	165	
Total	20,900	106,868	176,342	68	108	
Dairy Products	205,777	13,062	14,170	100	151	389,201
Butter, Total		136,198	205,073			
(Government Owned)	68,405			148	181	
Natural Cheese	338	55,915	101,176	75	58	
American, Total		436	255			
(Government Owned)	507,000			90	101	
Swiss	2,270	449,105	455,334	35	97	12,606
Other Natural Cheese	13,968	817	794	89	103	
Total	188,937	12,051	12,438	113	107	
Eggs, Frozen	709,905	198,885	213,382	96	103	
Whites		660,041	681,154			
Yolks	4,488			45	81	
Whole & Mixed	1,042	2,467	2,003	60	131	
Unclassified	10,282	480	630	67	73	
Total	1,084	9,463	6,866	326	272	
Total	16,896	1,300	3,539	77	95	
Frozen Poultry		13,710	13,038			
Chicken						
Broilers, Fryers						
Roasters (Whole)	16,186	24,087	24,703	153	103	
Hens, Mature Chickens	10,982	7,935	6,451	59	81	
Other	730,203	687,667	687,043	94	100	
Total Chicken	757,371	719,689	718,197	95	100	

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Commodity	Stocks in All Warehouses			Percent of		Public Warehouse Stocks
	Jan 31, 2001	Dec 31, 2001	Jan 31, 2002	Jan 2001	Dec 2001	Jan 31, 2002

**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,**

Includes all boxed primal beef cuts, bone-in.

<sup>4</sup> Includes full ham, bone removed and individual muscles separated.

<sup>5</sup> Includes pork tenderloins.

<sup>6</sup> Includes spareribs and backribs.

<sup>7</sup> 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 included in miscellaneous cooler or freezer stocks. <sup>8</sup>

<sup>9</sup> Includes ears, tails, feet, neckbones and snouts.

<sup>9</sup> Includes tongues, kidneys, livers, stomachs, hearts, chitterlings, salivary glands, and other organs removed from slaughtered hogs. <sup>10</sup> Includes product unable to be classified elsewhere in this report.

**and United States, December 31, 2001**

Commodity	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Total Fresh Apples	36,505	575,363	366,027	1,087	249,483
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts	1,845	34	27	23	298,953
Pecans <sup>1</sup>	33	138			7,898
In-Shell					
Pecans <sup>1</sup>		21			34,142
Dairy Products					
Natural Cheese	19,803	54,753	176,187	93,860	5,532
American, Total	588	35,123	94,424	57,070	176
Other Natural Cheese					
Frozen Poultry					
Chicken	65	1,679	1,440	862	5,030
Broilers, Fryers		223	221	206	3,162
Roasters (Whole)	2,543	15,742	16,581	23,455	173,389
Hens, Mature Chickens	2,608	17,644	18,242	24,523	181,581
Other					
Total Chicken	934	5,305	3,952	17,909	18,528
Turkeys	375	6,282	15,081	42,279	55,537
Whole Turkeys	1,309	11,587	19,033	60,188	74,065
Other Turkey		246	6,541	72	43
Total Turkey	3,917	29,477	43,816	84,783	255,689
Ducks					
Total Poultry	18	15,239	26,086	111	332
Frozen Fruit	17,687	6,308	47,440	212	3,309
Apples	25	8,471	109,652	347	461
Blueberries		252	10,194	33	10
Cherries, Tart (RTP)	24	2,525	4,495	401	441
Cherries, Sweet	4	1,123	1,067	81	28
Peaches	133	2,918	3,272	411	790
Raspberries, Red	37,735	14,179	215,398	1,433	4,225
Strawberries, Total					
Other Frozen Fruit					

**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region, and  
United States, December 31, 2001 (continued)**

See footnote(s) at end of table.

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Commodity	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	US Total
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Total Fresh Apples		9,634	34,039	3,083,066	4,355,204
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts		90,923	111	634	448,628
Pecans <sup>1</sup>		19,686		70	28,310
In-Shell					
Pecans <sup>1</sup>	56,078	69,093			106,868
	485				
Dairy Products					
Natural Cheese	3,612	2,613	9,155	87,202	449,105
American, Total		223	3,110	8,015	198,885
Other Natural Cheese					
Frozen Poultry	156				
Chicken					
Broilers, Fryers		9,914	360	1,415	24,087
Roasters (Whole)		204	33	1,121	7,935
Hens, Mature Chickens	3,322	286,310	1,972	36,944	687,667
Other	2,765	296,428	2,365	39,480	719,689
Total Chicken	130,731	14,258	7,365	22,333	91,459
Turkeys	136,818	18,617	4,199	6,459	149,065
Whole Turkeys		32,875	11,564	28,792	240,524
Other Turkey	875	7	12	73	6,994
Total Turkey	236	329,310	13,941	68,345	967,207
Ducks	1,111				
Total Poultry	137,929	636	153	8,287	50,967
Frozen Fruit		649	178	24,626	100,526
Apples	105	88	1,751	6,403	127,215
Blueberries	117	233	440	2,680	13,844
Cherries, Tart (RTP)	17	1,522	53	55,701	65,242
Cherries, Sweet	2	558	5	39,237	42,162
Peaches	80	18,014	175	216,855	243,716
Raspberries, Red	59	8,119	5,496	132,314	419,219
Strawberries, Total	1,148				
Other Frozen Fruit	320				

See footnote(s) at end of table.

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**and United States, January 31, 2002**

Commodity	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Total Fresh Apples	25,006	483,075	276,928	317	219,993
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts	1,355	25	126	25	327,368
Pecans <sup>1</sup>	28	122			10,092
In-Shell					
Pecans <sup>1</sup>		19			47,326
Dairy Products					
Natural Cheese	19,615	56,993	174,147	98,772	5,523
American, Total	573	37,994	103,117	59,305	185
Other Natural Cheese					
Frozen Poultry					
Chicken	62	1,353	1,581	983	5,482
Broilers, Fryers		250	512	241	3,343
Roasters (Whole)	2,691	15,137	17,377	26,247	177,525
Hens, Mature Chickens	2,753	16,740	19,470	27,471	186,350
Other					
Total Chicken	958	6,790	4,994	32,808	26,357
Turkeys	577	6,553	19,742	50,841	69,470
Whole Turkeys	1,535	13,343	24,736	83,649	95,827
Other Turkey		322	6,501	10	43
Total Turkey	4,288	30,405	50,707	111,130	282,220
Ducks					
Total Poultry	39	18,037	30,028	132	414
Frozen Fruit	17,155	5,769	43,541	201	2,838
Apples	23	6,976	101,993	362	424
Blueberries	21	266	9,153	45	8
Cherries, Tart (RTP)	3	1,952	3,954	379	429
Cherries, Sweet	66	863	1,241	71	30
Peaches	38,349	3,081	3,375	237	614
Raspberries, Red		13,150	196,469	1,694	3,057
Strawberries, Total					
Other Frozen Fruit					

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**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region, and  
United States, January 31, 2002 (continued)**

Commodity	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	US Total
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Total Fresh Apples		3,778	20,364	2,592,395	3,621,856
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts		110,399	114	1,769	500,453
Pecans <sup>1</sup>		22,592		70	33,690
In-Shell	59,272	123,398			176,342
Pecans <sup>1</sup>	786				
Dairy Products	5,599				
Natural Cheese		2,772	8,434	89,036	455,334
American, Total		223	2,906	8,907	213,382
Other Natural Cheese	42				
Frozen Poultry	172				
Chicken		11,241	301	1,400	24,703
Broilers, Fryers		225	1	848	6,451
Roasters (Whole)		284,974	1,729	38,184	687,043
Hens, Mature Chickens	2,300	296,440	2,031	40,432	718,197
Other	1,031				
Total Chicken	123,179	28,504	8,827	21,931	132,307
Turkeys	126,510	26,124	7,519	6,644	187,731
Whole Turkeys		54,628	16,346	28,575	320,038
Other Turkey	1,138	11	12	76	6,975
Total Turkey	261	351,079	18,389	69,083	1,045,210
Ducks	1,399				
Total Poultry	127,909	7,527	181	10,966	67,432
Frozen Fruit		731	96	20,881	91,318
Apples	108	138	1,601	5,631	117,155
Blueberries	106	236	347	2,471	12,528
Cherries, Tart (RTP)	7	1,503	33	49,507	57,820
Cherries, Sweet	2	425	4	34,643	37,420
Peaches	42	15,662	92	177,509	201,609
Raspberries, Red	140	9,214	5,545	123,900	391,652
Strawberries, Total	973				
Other Frozen Fruit	274				

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