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Highlights

Frozen food stocks in refrigerated warehouses on March 31, 2007 were greater than year earlier levels for cheese and pork.

Butter stocks were up 4 percent from last month but down 1 percent from a year ago.

Total red meat supplies in freezers were down slightly from last month but up slightly from the previous year. Frozen pork supplies were up 5 percent from last month and up slightly from last year. Stocks of pork bellies were up 18 percent from last month but down 10 percent from last year.

Total frozen poultry supplies on March 31, 2007 were up 2 percent from the previous month but down 24 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were down 4 percent from the previous month and down 32 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 13 percent from last month but down 7 percent from March 31, 2006.

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**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, February 28, 2007, Revised**

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	7,804	344,313	219,696	109	153,211
Nuts ¹					
Shelled					
Peanuts					230,132
Pecans					8,467
In-Shell					
Pecans					12,572
Dairy Products					
Natural Cheese	37,566	49,046	236,161	120,143	833
American, Total	156	15,388	168,917	60,015	95
Other Natural Cheese					
Frozen Poultry					
Chicken ²					
Broilers, Fryers					8,839
Roasters (Whole)					4,942
Hens, Mature Chickens					29,926
Breasts & Breast Meat					4,029
Drumsticks					19,051
Leg Quarters					5,381
Legs					4,947
Thigh & Thigh Quarters					5,751
Thigh Meat					12,495
Wings					10,373
Paws and Feet					150,828
Other	428	12,941	312	37,876	256,562
Total Chicken	198	2,976	13,974	47,946	24,323
Turkeys	626	15,917	14,286	85,822	65,078
Whole Turkeys					89,401
Other Turkey	173	18,916	54,292	47	
Total Turkey	7,218	3,760	37,937	2,284	1,223
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	21	124	7,834	314	21
Blueberries	66	2,041	7,527	6,628	260
Cherries, Tart (RTP)	48	729	2,090	217	289
Cherries, Sweet	18,516	3,977	8,054	1,207	65
Peaches		3,424	203,493	6,553	871
Raspberries, Red					4,571
Strawberries, Total					
Other Frozen Fruit					

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Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,

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			9,026	2,383,907	3,118,066
Nuts ¹					
Shelled					
Peanuts					335,298
Pecans					36,309
In-Shell					
Pecans		81,859			110,515
	23,307	26,244			
Dairy Products	1,598				
Natural Cheese		95,592	27,308	89,262	562,269
American, Total	2,351		2,926	10,986	262,176
Other Natural Cheese					
Frozen Poultry	314	1,636			
Chicken ²	3,034	659			
Broilers, Fryers				3,381	23,576
Roasters (Whole)				111	6,190
Hens, Mature Chickens				10,364	119,643
Breasts & Breast Meat		6,103		569	10,908
Drumsticks	5,253	1,013		153	50,741
Leg Quarters	124	58,495		188	7,834
Legs	20,858	3,455		60	7,967
Thigh & Thigh Quarters	2,855	16,639		1,651	12,678
Thigh Meat	14,898	1,939		1,450	30,178
Wings	326	1,969		8,420	14,878
Paws and Feet	991	3,976		26,347	335,481
Other	1,300	11,316	7,540		620,074
Total Chicken	4,917	2,542	2,811	9,014	145,878
Turkeys	1,963	94,795	10,351	15,208	166,859
Whole Turkeys	81,438	202,242			312,737
Other Turkey	134,923	51,139	35	12,527	88,246
Total Turkey	2,305	26,407	112	23,244	75,709
	3,580	77,546	7,591	2,526	88,896
Frozen Fruit				3,982	12,516
Apples			628	45,498	62,954
Blueberries	393	640	32	36,011	39,593
Cherries, Tart (RTP)	93	403	158	129,333	158,007
Cherries, Sweet		65	50	116,430	371,397
Peaches	1	1			
Raspberries, Red	16	306			
Strawberries, Total	85	298			
Other Frozen Fruit	617	13,742			
	140	18,220			

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Commodity	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic
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Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,

New England combined with Middle Atlantic. East South Central combined with South Atlantic.

⁵ 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. ⁶

⁷ Includes all boxed primal beef cuts, bone-in.

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.

and United States, March 31, 2007

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	3,961	264,499	147,261		118,487
Nuts ¹					
Shelled					
Peanuts					300,273
Pecans					8,305
In-Shell					
Pecans					11,430
Dairy Products					
Natural Cheese	37,364	49,352	246,956		4,250
American, Total	166	15,006	170,675		44
Other Natural Cheese				115,483	
				58,922	
Frozen Poultry					
Chicken ²					
Broilers, Fryers					9,422
Roasters (Whole)					4,394
Hens, Mature Chickens					29,015
Breasts & Breast Meat					3,237
Drumsticks					17,034
Leg Quarters					4,677
Legs					8,614
Thigh & Thigh					4,570
Quarters					15,565
Thigh Meat					8,475
Wings					136,512
Paws and Feet	1,218	13,252	2,110		241,515
Other	249	3,070	14,893		27,901
Total Chicken	1,467	16,322	17,003	47,671	66,328
Turkeys				52,419	94,229
Whole Turkeys				100,090	
Other Turkey	190	23,331	55,906		
Total Turkey	6,041	2,477	32,987		1,198
	30	4,153	64,283	167	767
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	19	2,063	6,442	1,982	20
Blueberries	57	839	1,754	292	252
Cherries, Tart (RTP)	32	4,602	7,572	7,761	61
Cherries, Sweet	13,179	3,093	174,909	467	2,743
Peaches				887	4,350
				5,771	

Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,

Total Fresh Apples			5,082	1,774,733	2,314,023
Nuts ¹					
Shelled					
Peanuts					408,099
Pecans					36,276
In-Shell					
Pecans	25,179	82,647			98,675
	1,688	26,283			
Dairy Products					
Natural Cheese	2,072	85,173	28,104	92,239	576,241
American, Total			2,947	10,821	262,051
Other Natural Cheese					
		2,233			
Frozen Poultry	260	434			
Chicken ²	3,036			3,637	23,898
Broilers, Fryers				116	6,077
Roasters (Whole)				8,358	113,408
Hens, Mature Chickens		5,380		664	9,846
Breasts & Breast Meat	5,459	1,466		148	51,073
Drumsticks	101	54,769		87	6,757
Leg Quarters	21,266	3,076		190	
Legs	2,869	17,477		1,194	11,855
Thigh & Thigh	16,414	1,696		1,290	11,071
Quarters	297				33,342
Thigh Meat		1,754		8,260	13,423
Wings	1,297	3,894		23,944	313,665
Paws and Feet	1,413	11,131	9,691		594,415
Other	5,356	2,999	3,107	11,659	176,019
Total Chicken	1,949	94,170	12,798	6,216	176,035
Turkeys	74,723	197,812		17,875	352,054
Whole Turkeys	131,144				
Other Turkey	2,876	59,641	30	12,679	94,467
Total Turkey	2,125	27,628	100	20,257	65,070
	5,001	87,269	5,356	2,007	76,174
Frozen Fruit				3,596	11,415
Apples		637	627	40,872	58,272
Blueberries	329	379	27	31,860	35,372
Cherries, Tart (RTP)	80	50	115	104,009	135,467
Cherries, Sweet	1	16	53	98,642	318,779
Peaches	15	230			
Raspberries, Red	73	234			
Strawberries, Total	415	15,092			
Other Frozen Fruit	118	18,664			

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Commodity	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic
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