



Cold Storage

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May 2018 Highlights

Total natural cheese stocks in refrigerated warehouses on May 31, 2018 were up 3 percent from the previous month and up 6 percent from May 31, 2017.

Butter stocks were up 10 percent from last month and up 8 percent from a year ago.

Total frozen poultry supplies on May 31, 2018 were up 4 percent from the previous month and up 7 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were up 1 percent from the previous month and up 12 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 8 percent from last month and up 1 percent from May 31, 2017.

Total frozen fruit stocks were down 5 percent from last month and down 23 percent from a year ago.

Total frozen vegetable stocks were down 8 percent from last month and down 6 percent from a year ago.

Total red meat supplies in freezers were down 2 percent from the previous month but up 9 percent from last year. Total pounds of beef in freezers were down 1 percent from the previous month but up 13 percent from last year. Frozen pork supplies were down 2 percent from the previous month but up 6 percent from last year. Stocks of pork bellies were down 5 percent from last month but up 94 percent from last year.

Records

Record highs and lows for the month of May can be found on pages 20-23.

Nuts						
Shelled						
Pecans	51,084	57,156	60,215	118	105	
In-Shell						
Pecans						
	133,144	161,330	136,594	103	85	
Dairy products						
Butter						
Natural cheese						
American	313,593	307,325	338,807	108	110	316,825
Swiss						
Other	816,266	780,270	804,744	99	103	
Total natural cheese	26,242	29,193	31,402	120	108	
	466,421	535,826	549,693	118	103	
Frozen eggs	1,308,929	1,345,289	1,385,839	106	103	
Whites						
Yolks						988,808
Whole and mixed						
Unclassified	3,530	2,479	3,296	93	133	
Total frozen eggs	914	715	688	75	96	
	13,109	12,596	13,008	99	103	
Frozen poultry						
Chicken						
Broilers, fryers, and roasters	21,480	11,973	13,252	62	111	
Hens, mature chickens	39,033	27,763	30,244	77	109	
Breasts and breast meat						
Drumsticks						29,614
Leg quarters						
Legs	20,662	14,435	14,477	70	100	
Thigh and thigh quarters	6,090	3,927	3,802	62	97	
Thigh Meat	184,393	182,817	187,152	101	102	
Wings	21,240	29,793	32,013	151	107	
Paws and feet	119,333	89,943	87,887	74	98	
Other	23,665	13,169	15,390	65	117	
Total chicken	8,106	8,575	9,856	122	115	
Turkey						
Whole turkeys						
Toms	15,936	24,561	23,611	148	96	
Hens	56,609	71,637	80,030	141	112	
Hens	21,337	25,403	30,235	142	119	
Total whole turkeys	307,465	403,236	392,746	128	97	
Breasts	784,836	867,496	877,199	112	101	
Legs						
Mechanically deboned meat						
Other						
Unclassified						
Total turkey	130,431	125,410	149,376	115	119	
	141,572	123,454	134,596	95	109	
Ducks	272,003	248,864	283,972	104	114	
	106,663	102,215	104,269	98	102	
Total frozen poultry	12,492	11,231	12,439	100	111	
	8,512	7,497	7,831	92	104	
	29,679	29,018	30,256	102	104	
	100,555	95,008	95,849	95	101	
	529,904	493,833	534,616	101	108	
	3,365	3,645	3,840	114	105	
	1,318,105	1,364,974	1,415,655	107	104	

Nuts ¹					
Shelled					
Pecans					
South Atlantic					
East South Central	10,322	13,131	14,298	139	109
West South Central	1,410	1,103	1,190	84	108
In-shell	39,352	42,922	44,727	114	104
Pecans					
South Atlantic					
East South Central					
West South Central	36,366	60,051	51,302	141	85
	85	956	82	96	9
Dairy products	96,693	100,323	85,210	88	85
Natural cheese					
American, total					
New England					
Middle Atlantic					
East North Central					
West North Central					
South Atlantic	67,274	66,885	66,171	98	99
East South Central	53,777	67,007	71,457	133	107
West South Central	353,800	329,005	339,391	96	103
Mountain	137,495	124,787	131,961	96	106
Pacific	1,351	492	508	38	103
Other	14,053	17,263	19,627	140	114
New England	18,364	8,582	9,195	50	107
Middle Atlantic	55,977	60,573	61,027	109	101
East North Central	114,175	105,676	105,407	92	100
West North Central					
South Atlantic	724	1,085	656	91	60
East South Central	18,561	15,414	17,398	94	113
West South Central	306,207	366,095	374,750	122	102
Mountain	49,409	46,665	46,313	94	99
Pacific	29,809	28,654	28,450	95	99
	14,537	17,026	17,863	123	105
	1,449	2,335	2,793	193	120
	3,421	3,533	2,975	87	84
	42,304	55,019	58,495	138	106

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.

Nuts					
Shelled					
Pecans	60,215	2018	11,516	1971	January 1970
In-Shell					
Pecans					
Dairy products	211,479	2000	7,484	1977	January 1970
Butter					
Natural cheese					
American					
Swiss	712,569	1992	7,017	1916	December 1915
Other					
Total natural cheese					
Frozen eggs	1,103,434	1984	7,301	1916	December 1915
Whites	33,702	2011	303	1918	August 1917
Yolks	549,693	2018	2,389	1918	August 1917
Whole and mixed	1,385,839	2018	23,087	1918	August 1917
Unclassified					
Total frozen eggs					
Frozen Poultry Chicken					
Broilers, fryers, and roasters	57,372	1950	627	1999	April 1940
Hens, mature chickens	45,919	1948	596	2010	April 1940
Breasts and breast meat	168,448	1944	4,956	2002	April 1940
Drumsticks	58,489	1944	813	1997	April 1940
Leg quarters	292,445	1944	4,176	1916	April 1916
Legs					
Thigh and thigh quarters					
Thigh meat					
Wings					
Paws and feet					
Other	52,807	1967	815	1916	April 1916
Total chicken	57,652	1959	384	1916	April 1916
Turkey	187,152	2018	88,457	2004	May 2003
Whole turkeys	32,013	2018	8,927	2004	May 2003
Toms	166,213	2015	55,923	2005	May 2003
Hens	23,665	2017	7,540	2009	May 2003
Total whole turkeys	17,080	2006	6,243	2003	May 2003
Breasts	26,614	2010	12,818	2005	May 2003
Legs	89,108	2013	28,939	2009	May 2003
Mechanically deboned meat	37,169	2011	10,182	2005	May 2003
Other	779,501	2000	208,234	2014	January 1991
Unclassified	877,199	2018	12,886	1943	December 1939
Total turkey					
Ducks					
Total frozen poultry	184,323	2003	83,672	2001	March 2001
	141,572	2017	61,596	2001	April 2001
	300,896	2002	145,268	2001	March 2001
	106,663	2017	53,904	2014	January 2009
	22,575	2012	7,979	2014	January 2009
	11,700	2012	5,566	2010	January 2009
	263,632	1998	18,029	2001	January 1967
	145,374	2009	83,984	2015	January 2009
	658,839	2003	180	1916	April 1916
	10,713	1989	358	1945	June 1932
	1,422,202	2002	6,559	1916	April 1916

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Record Highs and Lows of Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice Concentrate in Cold Storage – United States: May 2018

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		