



Cold Storage

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November 2017 Highlights

Total natural cheese stocks in refrigerated warehouses on November 30, 2017 were down 1 percent from the previous month but up 6 percent from November 30, 2016.

Butter stocks were down 27 percent from last month and down 1 percent from a year ago.

Total frozen poultry supplies on November 30, 2017 were down 11 percent from the previous month but up 15 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were up 3 percent from the previous month and up 13 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were down 37 percent from last month but up 22 percent from November 30, 2016.

Total frozen fruit stocks were down 3 percent from last month and down 15 percent from a year ago.

Total frozen vegetable stocks were down 2 percent from last month but up 4 percent from a year ago.

Total red meat supplies in freezers were down 10 percent from the previous month and down 4 percent from last year. Total pounds of beef in freezers were down 4 percent from the previous month and down 8 percent from last year. Frozen pork supplies were down 16 percent from the previous month and down 3 percent from last year. Stocks of pork bellies were up 12 percent from last month and up 94 percent from last year.

Records

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

Nuts					
Shelled					
Pecans	34,388	46,475	41,706	121	90
In-Shell					
Pecans	74,562	23,686	32,611	44	138
Dairy products					
Butter					
Natural cheese					
American	161,203	217,918	158,823	99	73
Swiss					142,521
Other	713,231	740,404	733,175	103	99
Total natural cheese	24,749	24,277	25,246	102	104
	444,666	503,269	500,257	113	99
Frozen eggs	1,182,646	1,267,950	1,258,678	106	99
Whites					
Yolks					
Whole and mixed					854,462
Unclassified	4,558	4,138	4,599	101	111
Total frozen eggs	1,062	672	733	69	109
	13,130	12,884	11,119	85	86
Frozen poultry Chicken	17,740	15,234	11,365	64	75
Broilers, fryers, and roasters	36,490	32,928	27,816	76	84
Hens, mature chickens					
Breasts and breast meat					
Drumsticks					27,219
Leg quarters					
Legs	15,709	20,281	16,343	104	81
Thigh and thigh quarters	9,636	6,065	4,562	47	75
Thigh Meat	172,231	175,209	183,806	107	105
Wings	18,709	21,869	24,930	133	114
Paws and feet	139,485	120,762	114,322	82	95
Other	11,230	20,317	18,860	168	93
Total chicken	9,304	8,225	9,116	98	111
Turkey	22,066	21,082	23,115	105	110
Whole turkeys	86,351	70,364	76,142	88	108
Toms	20,389	24,602	26,569	130	108
Hens	285,842	385,432	399,678	140	104
Total whole turkeys	790,952	874,208	897,443	113	103
Breasts					
Legs					
Mechanically deboned meat					
Other					
Unclassified					
Total turkey	31,162	154,342	62,929	202	41
	39,205	103,223	48,045	123	47
Ducks	70,367	257,565	110,974	158	43
	55,719	71,492	64,473	116	90
Total frozen poultry	9,653	9,344	12,048	125	129
	7,547	6,189	5,943	79	96
	30,127	33,077	27,804	92	84
	63,449	83,189	68,024	107	82
	236,862	460,856	289,266	122	63
	5,650	3,651	2,877	51	79
	1,033,464	1,338,715	1,189,586	115	89

Nuts ¹					
Shelled					
Pecans					
South Atlantic					
East South Central	7,138	10,717	9,496	133	89
West South Central	808	496	422	52	85
In-shell	26,442	35,262	31,788	120	90
Pecans					
South Atlantic					
East South Central					
West South Central	42,069	3,497	8,880	21	254
	1,030	777	1,529	148	197
Dairy products	31,463	19,412	22,202	71	114
Natural cheese					
American, total					
New England					
Middle Atlantic					
East North Central					
West North Central					
South Atlantic	64,395	64,274	63,051	98	98
East South Central	85,823	61,963	62,134	72	100
West South Central	281,676	322,563	305,899	109	95
Mountain	117,599	108,954	110,714	94	102
Pacific	1,311	673	632	48	94
Other	5,269	11,402	12,663	240	111
New England	16,283	11,108	10,509	65	95
Middle Atlantic	48,760	47,156	54,801	112	116
East North Central	92,115	112,311	112,772	122	100
West North Central					
South Atlantic	1,200	722	882	74	122
East South Central	15,213	14,400	11,455	75	80
West South Central	283,305	329,042	328,722	116	100
Mountain	49,690	44,097	44,219	89	100
Pacific	22,324	30,065	29,600	133	98
	24,041	18,660	19,079	79	102
	1,518	1,237	1,112	73	90
	2,237	8,394	7,466	334	89
	45,138	56,652	57,722	128	102

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.

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Shelled					
Pecans					
In-Shell	44,352	2008	6,003	1971	January 1970
Pecans					
Dairy products	118,126	2000	12,249	1976	January 1970
Butter					
Natural cheese					
American					
Swiss	542,962	1991	15,116	1975	December 1915
Other					
Total natural cheese					
Frozen eggs	1,110,607	1983	25,625	1918	December 1915
Whites	30,906	2012	845	1944	August 1917
Yolks	500,257	2017	2,473	1917	August 1917
Whole and mixed	1,258,678	2017	37,473	1918	August 1917
Unclassified					
Total frozen eggs					
Frozen Poultry Chicken					
Broilers, fryers, and roasters	37,410	1946	494	1999	April 1940
Hens, mature chickens	28,967	1955	514	2002	April 1940
Breasts and breast meat	135,543	1944	5,790	2007	April 1940
Drumsticks	41,834	1944	482	1999	April 1940
Leg quarters	220,180	1944	5,104	1916	April 1916
Legs					
Thigh and thigh quarters					
Thigh meat					
Wings					
Paws and feet					
Other	99,715	1945	9,964	1916	April 1916
Total chicken	102,585	1947	1,213	2012	April 1916
Turkey	183,806	2017	100,207	2003	May 2003
Whole turkeys	31,377	2015	9,741	2003	May 2003
Toms	156,951	2015	49,732	2006	May 2003
Hens	28,856	2010	5,664	2009	May 2003
Total whole turkeys	17,407	2015	5,340	2003	May 2003
Breasts	27,846	2015	12,673	2007	May 2003
Legs	101,564	2013	29,757	2003	May 2003
Mechanically deboned meat	30,980	2011	7,792	2003	May 2003
Other	743,066	1999	237,866	2014	January 1991
Unclassified	897,443	2017	96,380	1968	December 1939
Total turkey					
Ducks					
Total frozen poultry	77,054	2003	23,134	2010	March 2001
	64,201	2008	16,579	2013	April 2001
	131,406	2008	42,347	2010	March 2001
	64,473	2017	27,884	2014	January 2009
	17,161	2011	7,719	2009	January 2009
	9,164	2010	5,943	2017	January 2009
	230,535	1997	13,141	2001	January 1967
	76,864	2012	47,465	2014	January 2009
	438,556	1997	2,154	1922	April 1916
	14,804	1963	1,182	2004	June 1932
	1,189,586	2017	27,139	1916	April 1916

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Record Highs and Lows of Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice in Cold Storage – United States: November 2017

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