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Highlights

Frozen food stocks in refrigerated warehouses on June 30, 2006 were greater than year earlier levels for beef, butter, chicken, eggs, and cheese.

Butter stocks were down 1 percent from last month, but up 27 percent from a year ago.

Total red meat supplies in freezers were down 6 percent from last month, but up 2 percent from last year. Frozen pork supplies were down 14 percent from last month and down 17 percent from the previous year. Stocks of pork bellies were down 19 percent from last month and down 26 percent from last year.

Total frozen poultry supplies on June 30, 2006 were up 4 percent from the previous month and up 8 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were up 1 percent from the previous month and up 13 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 8 percent from last month, but down slightly from June 30, 2005.

**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, May 31, 2006, 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	422	106,050	38,820		56,076
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts		250	26		239,510
Pecans ¹	22	212			9,797
In-Shell					
Pecans ¹				20	17,989
Dairy Products					
Natural Cheese	36,524	52,457	222,663		4,219
American, Total	37	10,548	134,751		102
Other Natural Cheese				125,704	
Frozen Poultry				56,946	
Chicken		1,598	316		6,052
Broilers, Fryers	4	590	28		4,209
Roasters (Whole)	2,326	30,454	21,023		285,882
Hens, Mature Chickens	2,330	32,642	21,367	2,567	296,143
Other	3,053	16,855	6,803	141	29,041
Total Chicken	674	4,737	17,884	38,533	85,471
Turkeys	3,727	21,592	24,687	41,241	114,512
Whole Turkeys		124	7,543	58,528	8
Other Turkey	6,057	54,358	53,597	56,201	410,663
Total Turkey				114,729	
Ducks	179		49,623	5	
Total Poultry	4,045	19,115	13,214	155,975	629
Frozen Fruit	23	1,893	52,818		185
Apples	46	2,274	2,291		414
Blueberries	57	219	6,877	127	1
Cherries, Tart (RTP)	123	1,589	2,099	1,173	312
Cherries, Sweet	1,574	1,408	7,508	37	51
Peaches		3,928	137,850	221	1,497
Raspberries, Red		7,042		5,860	932
Strawberries, Total				414	
Other Frozen Fruit				641	
				4,183	

See footnote(s) at end of table.

--continued and United States, May 31, 2006, Revised, (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>

Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,

Total Fresh Apples		2,520	2,982	926,676	1,133,546
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts		91,115	58	177	348,220
Pecans ¹		30,323		179	41,912
In-Shell					
Pecans ¹		123,208			143,214
	17,064				
	1,379				
Dairy Products					
Natural Cheese	2,017	4,531	49,807	94,910	591,329
American, Total		1,093	391	15,247	221,892
Other Natural Cheese					
	514				
Frozen Poultry	2,777				
Chicken		7,248	1,424	2,930	25,205
Broilers, Fryers		1,232	16	140	6,361
Roasters (Whole)		191,270	3,812	43,299	741,533
Hens, Mature Chickens		199,750	5,252	46,369	773,099
Other	3,070				
Total Chicken	1	69,737	6,539	22,089	217,814
Turkeys	124,934	36,698	8,436	35,814	248,765
Whole Turkeys	128,005	106,435	14,975	57,903	466,579
Other Turkey	5,169	6	46	170	7,928
Total Turkey	2,850	306,191	20,273	104,442	1,247,606
Ducks	8,019				
Total Poultry	26	808	40	11,735	82,471
	136,050	330		7,889	28,909
Frozen Fruit		116	134	1,101	61,316
Apples		36	4,533	1,944	4,716
Blueberries	215	530	3	14,575	29,955
Cherries, Tart (RTP)	46	384	146	26,494	30,989
Cherries, Sweet		24,395	28	188,771	227,983
Peaches	1	14,519	331	80,845	249,472
Raspberries, Red	20		2,386		
Strawberries, Total	54				
Other Frozen Fruit	789				
	141				

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--continued and United States, May 31, 2006, 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>

Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,

Includes all boxed primal beef cuts, bone-in.

⁶ Includes spareribs and backribs.

⁷ 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. ⁸

Includes ears, tails, feet, neckbones and snouts.

and United States, June 30, 2006

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	78	65,730			35,669
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts		248			216,952
Pecans ¹	22	196			9,438
In-Shell					
Pecans ¹				19	16,467
			23		
Dairy Products					
Natural Cheese	36,096	51,484			4,482
American, Total	338	11,288			134
Other Natural Cheese					
Frozen Poultry				120,218	
Chicken			231,211	60,287	
Broilers, Fryers	4	1,632	139,934		6,529
Roasters (Whole)	2,336	506			4,641
Hens, Mature Chickens	2,340	32,158			287,054
Other		34,296		1,634	298,224
Total Chicken	3,691	25,496	312	186	33,638
Turkeys	679	4,974	64	40,277	99,039
Whole Turkeys	4,370	30,470	20,490	42,097	132,677
Other Turkey		121	20,866		30
Total Turkey	6,710	64,887	5,542	62,411	430,931
Ducks			18,974	123,751	
Total Poultry	162	16,688	24,516	3	702
Frozen Fruit	2,552	1,901	5,757	165,851	2,055
Apples	18	1,871			
Blueberries	34	116		173	78
Cherries, Tart (RTP)	68	1,664	47,914	940	15
Cherries, Sweet	102	1,245	10,453	78	1,458
Peaches	1,378	4,760	42,339	206	864
Raspberries, Red		6,842	1,940	6,059	
Strawberries, Total			5,903	485	
Other Frozen Fruit			2,267	318	
			7,976	3,959	
			118,168		

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--continued and United States, June 30, 2006 (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>

Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,

Total Fresh Apples		1,260	2,127	527,482	632,346
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts		81,154	62	161	315,697
Pecans ¹		31,650		160	42,733
In-Shell					
Pecans ¹		109,890			127,876
	17,078				
	1,267				
Dairy Products					
Natural Cheese	1,519	5,747	49,396	97,493	596,491
American, Total		996	266	15,709	231,838
Other Natural Cheese					
	364				
Frozen Poultry	2,886				
Chicken		5,807	1,416	2,974	23,254
Broilers, Fryers		1,271	16	141	7,280
Roasters (Whole)		195,715	3,740	45,821	751,470
Hens, Mature Chickens		202,793	5,172	48,936	782,004
Other	2,950				
Total Chicken	451	66,156	9,425	19,956	232,651
Turkeys	123,879	37,514	6,769	40,272	272,733
Whole Turkeys	127,280	103,670	16,194	60,228	505,384
Other Turkey	6,336	5	35	151	6,122
Total Turkey	3,172	306,468	21,401	109,315	1,293,510
Ducks	9,508				
Total Poultry	20	818	38	11,087	77,744
	136,808	293	119	8,211	26,565
Frozen Fruit		60		1,062	47,733
Apples		39	2,305	1,940	4,244
Blueberries	162	235	3	7,746	21,829
Cherries, Tart (RTP)	41	355	95	32,889	37,422
Cherries, Sweet		31,237	33	332,305	379,991
Peaches	15	13,419	551	78,021	225,269
Raspberries, Red	65		2,484		
Strawberries, Total	1,284				
Other Frozen Fruit	134				

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