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September 2020 Highlights

Total natural cheese stocks in refrigerated warehouses on September 30, 2020 were down 1 percent from the previous month and down 1 percent from September 30, 2019.

Butter stocks were down 7 percent from last month but up 18 percent from a year ago.

Total frozen poultry supplies on September 30, 2020 were down 2 percent from the previous month and down 3 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were up 1 percent from the previous month but down 3 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were down 5 percent from last month and down 4 percent from September 30, 2019.

Total frozen fruit stocks were up slightly from last month but down 6 percent from a year ago.

Total frozen vegetable stocks were up 19 percent from last month but down slightly from a year ago.

Total red meat supplies in freezers were up 1 percent from the previous month but down 13 percent from last year. Total pounds of beef in freezers were up 3 percent from the previous month but down 1 percent from last year. Frozen pork supplies were up slightly from the previous month but down 22 percent from last year. Stocks of pork bellies were down 20 percent from last month and down 39 percent from last year.

Records

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**Nuts, Dairy Products, Frozen Eggs, and Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – United States:
September 30, 2020 with Comparisons**

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2020 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020	September 30, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Nuts						
Shelled						
Pecans	69,602	62,518	57,957	83	93	
In-Shell						
Pecans	42,677	120,626	85,556	200	71	
Dairy products						
Butter	290,649	371,519	343,899	118	93	331,383
Natural cheese						
American	774,761	789,594	772,584	100	98	
Swiss	26,392	20,602	20,762	79	101	
Other	572,703	567,711	566,940	99	100	
Total natural cheese	1,373,856	1,377,907	1,360,286	99	99	966,224
Frozen eggs						
Whites	2,553	3,489	3,337	131	96	
Yolks	586	737	726	124	99	
Whole and mixed	18,067	18,654	17,702	98	95	
Unclassified	15,093	16,374	16,145	107	99	
Total frozen eggs	36,299	39,254	37,910	104	97	37,318
Frozen poultry						
Chicken						
Broilers, fryers, and roasters	23,264	29,041	24,848	107	86	
Hens, mature chickens	7,818	8,186	8,844	113	108	
Breasts and breast meat	185,505	203,899	216,593	117	106	
Drumsticks	46,976	37,326	35,783	76	96	
Leg quarters	77,570	80,383	81,426	105	101	
Legs	13,567	27,502	22,381	165	81	
Thigh and thigh quarters	9,575	19,616	20,808	217	106	
Thigh Meat	33,626	27,257	28,646	85	105	
Wings	68,818	51,706	51,734	75	100	
Paws and feet	30,754	26,636	28,611	93	107	
Other	416,884	373,235	370,091	89	99	
Total chicken	914,357	884,787	889,765	97	101	
Turkey						
Whole turkeys						
Toms	162,371	153,999	152,273	94	99	
Hens	151,815	135,338	125,749	83	93	
Total whole turkeys	314,186	289,337	278,022	88	96	
Breasts	82,625	86,396	83,875	102	97	
Legs	8,083	7,919	6,376	79	81	
Mechanically deboned meat	7,136	5,048	5,163	72	102	
Other	25,687	24,590	21,839	85	89	
Unclassified	90,677	119,995	110,550	122	92	
Total turkey	528,394	533,285	505,825	96	95	
Ducks	3,698	6,752	5,257	142	78	
Total frozen poultry	1,446,449	1,424,824	1,400,847	97	98	1,318,694

**Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice Concentrate in Cold Storage – United States: September 30, 2020
with Comparisons**

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2020 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020	September 30, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen fruit						
Apples	20,286	28,310	27,784	137	98	
Apricots	3,237	6,871	4,703	145	68	
Blackberries						
Individual quick frozen	23,037	26,287	22,613	98	86	
Pails and tubs	1,402	1,047	1,117	80	107	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	4,660	5,960	5,816	125	98	
Concentrate	565	634	602	107	95	
Total blackberries	29,664	33,928	30,148	102	89	
Blueberries	290,020	319,296	318,640	110	100	
Boysenberries	1,323	1,354	1,022	77	75	
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)	152,361	112,451	107,055	70	95	
Cherries, tart (juice stock)	8,603	8,923	7,887	92	88	
Cherries, tart (juice concentrate)	3,452	2,964	2,981	86	101	
Cherries, sweet	17,361	20,662	18,233	105	88	
Grapes	5,158	2,479	3,347	65	135	
Peaches	65,860	48,826	51,839	79	106	
Raspberries, black	1,437	1,507	1,452	101	96	
Raspberries, red						
Individual quick frozen	43,293	48,669	41,000	95	84	
Pails and tubs	7,514	6,103	5,556	74	91	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	31,578	28,374	26,776	85	94	
Concentrate	2,013	1,066	1,221	61	115	
Total red raspberries	84,398	84,212	74,553	88	89	
Strawberries						
Individual quick frozen and poly	91,230	102,413	87,532	96	85	
Pails and tubs	75,756	78,236	63,592	84	81	
Barrels and drums	66,234	72,560	60,574	91	83	
Juice stock	17,057	9,970	8,768	51	88	
Total strawberries	250,277	263,179	220,466	88	84	
Other	332,966	258,879	326,056	98	126	
Total frozen fruit	1,266,403	1,193,841	1,196,166	94	100	1,040,892
Frozen juice concentrate						
Orange	809,639	723,932	677,295	84	94	
(Gallon equivalent)	81,815	73,154	68,441			
Other	321,336	361,004	360,201	112	100	
Total frozen juice concentrate	1,130,975	1,084,936	1,037,496	92	96	352,732

**Frozen Vegetables and Frozen Potatoes in Cold Storage – United States: September 30, 2020
with Comparisons**

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2020 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020	September 30, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen vegetables						
Asparagus	6,372	7,179	6,449	101	90	
Lima beans	31,086	15,256	24,552	79	161	
Green beans, regular cut	203,481	197,229	252,907	124	128	
Green beans, french style	20,285	14,283	17,823	88	125	
Broccoli, spears	47,694	40,433	39,789	83	98	
Broccoli, chopped and cut	45,550	29,956	29,366	64	98	
Brussels sprouts	12,237	10,037	9,967	81	99	
Carrots, diced	62,579	69,085	57,547	92	83	
Carrots, other	67,712	54,034	76,336	113	141	
Cauliflower	19,684	28,218	28,386	144	101	
Corn, cut	662,567	428,748	648,696	98	151	
Corn, cob	332,852	207,409	290,655	87	140	
Mixed vegetables	47,185	51,436	54,576	116	106	
Okra	58,883	40,993	41,940	71	102	
Onion rings	12,238	14,362	12,859	105	90	
Onions, other	64,243	66,515	65,384	102	98	
Blackeye peas	1,930	1,758	1,723	89	98	
Green peas	309,511	342,402	309,834	100	90	
Peas and carrots mixed	8,515	8,965	7,790	91	87	
Spinach	30,952	48,463	43,025	139	89	
Squash, summer/zucchini	46,079	43,454	44,935	98	103	
Southern greens	14,477	16,026	15,950	110	100	
Other	423,955	386,604	448,064	106	116	
Total frozen vegetables	2,530,067	2,122,845	2,528,553	100	119	2,352,530
Frozen potatoes						
French fries	921,903	916,855	948,513	103	103	
Other	238,779	222,633	226,246	95	102	
Total frozen potatoes	1,160,682	1,139,488	1,174,759	101	103	1,038,514

**Frozen Red Meat and Commodities in Cold Storage – United States: September 30, 2020
with Comparisons**

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2020 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020	September 30, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen red meat						
Beef						
Boneless	434,191	417,914	426,793	98	102	
Beef cuts	34,790	31,441	35,194	101	112	
Total beef	468,981	449,355	461,987	99	103	450,406
Pork						
Picnics, bone-in	8,582	7,975	8,358	97	105	
Hams						
Bone-in	90,628	58,985	61,605	68	104	
Boneless	110,630	85,150	84,739	77	100	
Total hams	201,258	144,135	146,344	73	102	
Bellies	40,543	31,046	24,876	61	80	
Loins						
Bone-in	17,703	14,494	12,790	72	88	
Boneless	21,992	25,749	28,356	129	110	
Total loins	39,695	40,243	41,146	104	102	
Ribs	85,287	62,696	64,626	76	103	
Butts	15,494	14,383	16,409	106	114	
Trimming	38,736	37,781	36,202	93	96	
Other	83,900	53,667	54,371	65	101	
Variety meats	32,436	25,560	24,369	75	95	
Unclassified	52,819	47,979	49,773	94	104	
Total pork	598,750	465,465	466,474	78	100	423,970
Other red meat						
Veal	5,727	6,965	9,263	162	133	
Lamb and mutton	41,648	39,466	30,668	74	78	
Total other red meat	47,375	46,431	39,931	84	86	38,439
Total frozen red meat	1,115,106	961,251	968,392	87	101	912,815
Commodities						
Stored in coolers	1,776,784	1,932,570	1,847,698	104	96	1,333,323
Stored in freezers	8,685,981	7,966,439	8,344,123	96	105	7,053,495
Total Commodities	10,462,765	9,899,009	10,191,821	97	103	8,386,818

Nuts and Dairy Products in Cold Storage – Regions: September 30, 2020 with Comparisons

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2020 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Nuts ¹					
Shelled					
Pecans					
South Atlantic	16,520	13,311	12,403	75	93
East South Central	806	688	521	65	76
West South Central	52,276	48,519	45,033	86	93
In-shell					
Pecans					
South Atlantic	15,045	36,472	26,016	173	71
East South Central	1,376	1,312	47	3	4
West South Central	26,256	82,842	59,493	227	72
Dairy products					
Natural cheese					
American, total					
New England	70,452	69,681	69,445	99	100
Middle Atlantic	87,000	69,355	68,775	79	99
East North Central	329,809	326,799	321,093	97	98
West North Central	114,446	125,703	129,448	113	103
South Atlantic	215	114	91	42	80
East South Central	10,856	11,811	8,735	80	74
West South Central	3,741	7,576	7,284	195	96
Mountain	50,439	49,443	50,024	99	101
Pacific	107,803	129,112	117,689	109	91
Other					
New England	1,219	738	681	56	92
Middle Atlantic	14,761	17,697	16,558	112	94
East North Central	365,354	349,932	351,029	96	100
West North Central	49,171	48,038	49,610	101	103
South Atlantic	39,943	42,839	45,582	114	106
East South Central	36,027	35,535	32,785	91	92
West South Central	2,233	8,588	7,582	340	88
Mountain	3,379	3,620	3,905	116	108
Pacific	60,616	60,724	59,208	98	98

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.

Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – Regions: September 30, 2020 with Comparisons

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2020 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen poultry¹					
Chicken					
Broilers, fryers, and roasters					
South Atlantic	10,029	11,267	9,560	95	85
East South Central	2,018	6,291	5,565	276	88
West South Central	8,129	8,752	7,222	89	83
Pacific	3,088	2,731	2,501	81	92
Hens, mature chickens					
South Atlantic	3,462	3,072	3,314	96	108
East South Central	206	803	1,286	624	160
West South Central	3,637	3,964	3,830	105	97
Pacific	513	347	414	81	119
Breasts and breast meat					
South Atlantic	70,358	74,731	77,464	110	104
East South Central	36,601	41,178	43,788	120	106
West South Central	66,346	77,465	84,731	128	109
Pacific	12,200	10,525	10,610	87	101
Drumsticks					
South Atlantic	19,082	16,588	11,821	62	71
East South Central	10,295	8,398	9,923	96	118
West South Central	15,286	7,770	8,751	57	113
Pacific	2,313	4,570	5,288	229	116
Leg quarters					
South Atlantic	29,799	31,100	33,153	111	107
East South Central	12,378	11,479	9,584	77	83
West South Central	34,246	34,863	35,650	104	102
Pacific	1,147	2,941	3,039	265	103
Legs					
South Atlantic	8,852	13,475	10,538	119	78
East South Central	649	2,704	2,013	310	74
West South Central	1,762	9,423	8,065	458	86
Pacific	2,304	1,900	1,765	77	93
Thigh and thigh quarters					
South Atlantic	6,106	11,669	10,576	173	91
East South Central	737	1,294	1,719	233	133
West South Central	2,004	1,903	2,274	113	119
Pacific	728	4,750	6,239	857	131
Thigh meat					
South Atlantic	26,680	18,858	19,623	74	104
East South Central	2,060	2,825	2,664	129	94
West South Central	3,661	3,682	3,881	106	105
Pacific	1,225	1,892	2,478	202	131
Wings					
South Atlantic	25,580	16,511	15,581	61	94
East South Central	7,331	6,348	5,843	80	92
West South Central	32,426	26,002	24,955	77	96
Pacific	3,481	2,845	5,355	154	188
Paws and feet					
South Atlantic	18,681	16,036	15,841	85	99
East South Central	8,167	5,514	6,870	84	125
West South Central	3,387	4,839	5,703	168	118
Pacific	519	247	197	38	80
Other					
South Atlantic	155,489	142,147	136,801	88	96
East South Central	53,609	46,408	48,490	90	104
West South Central	172,150	141,969	135,290	79	95
Pacific	35,636	42,711	49,510	139	116
Total chicken					
South Atlantic	374,118	355,454	344,272	92	97
East South Central	134,051	133,242	137,745	103	103
West South Central	343,034	320,632	320,352	93	100
Pacific	63,154	75,459	87,396	138	116

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Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – Regions: September 30, 2020 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2020 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Turkeys					
Whole turkeys					
South Atlantic	117,262	103,518	101,221	86	98
East South Central	35,816	32,856	32,041	89	98
West South Central	127,483	121,984	110,330	87	90
Pacific	33,625	30,979	34,430	102	111
Breasts					
South Atlantic	9,811	11,822	10,972	112	93
East South Central	21,709	21,488	22,709	105	106
West South Central	44,049	45,490	43,107	98	95
Pacific	7,056	7,596	7,087	100	93
Legs					
South Atlantic	1,345	1,752	901	67	51
East South Central	2,165	1,616	1,278	59	79
West South Central	4,192	4,139	3,844	92	93
Pacific	381	412	353	93	86
Mechanically deboned meat					
South Atlantic	2,631	1,305	1,475	56	113
East South Central	1,651	1,634	1,870	113	114
West South Central	858	909	741	86	82
Pacific	1,996	1,200	1,077	54	90
Other					
South Atlantic	9,176	9,224	8,895	97	96
East South Central	6,320	7,500	5,900	93	79
West South Central	7,180	5,644	5,024	70	89
Pacific	3,011	2,222	2,020	67	91
Unclassified					
South Atlantic	46,366	52,832	48,696	105	92
East South Central	13,077	27,133	26,208	200	97
West South Central	21,954	28,299	24,447	111	86
Pacific	9,280	11,731	11,199	121	95
Total turkey					
South Atlantic	186,591	180,453	172,160	92	95
East South Central	80,738	92,227	90,006	111	98
West South Central	205,716	206,465	187,493	91	91
Pacific	55,349	54,140	56,166	101	104
Ducks					
South Atlantic	1,816	3,205	2,245	124	70
East South Central	263	2,198	1,873	712	85
West South Central	162	226	249	154	110
Pacific	1,457	1,123	890	61	79

¹ New England and Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic. East North Central combined with East South Central. West North Central combined with West South Central. Mountain combined with Pacific.

Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice Concentrate in Cold Storage – Regions: September 30, 2020 with Comparisons

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2020 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen fruit ¹					
Apples					
Middle Atlantic	1,907	1,596	1,576	83	99
East North Central	12,185	16,439	15,652	128	95
West North Central	74	94	72	97	77
South Atlantic	553	512	693	125	135
West South Central	982	1,338	1,271	129	95
Pacific	4,585	8,331	8,520	186	102
Blueberries					
Middle Atlantic	23,762	32,063	32,710	138	102
East North Central	79,474	80,650	76,843	97	95
West North Central	1,019	1,438	1,739	171	121
South Atlantic	8,360	12,279	11,504	138	94
West South Central	1,023	1,730	1,331	130	77
Pacific	176,382	191,136	194,513	110	102
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)					
Middle Atlantic	6,217	3,542	4,108	66	116
East North Central	113,354	70,942	66,444	59	94
West North Central	403	499	476	118	95
South Atlantic	207	174	205	99	118
West South Central	389	255	346	89	136
Pacific	31,791	37,039	35,476	112	96
Cherries, sweet					
Middle Atlantic	925	1,168	1,142	123	98
East North Central	9,562	11,519	10,041	105	87
West North Central	116	91	47	41	52
South Atlantic	306	360	380	124	106
West South Central	424	953	1,202	283	126
Pacific	6,028	6,571	5,421	90	82
Peaches					
Middle Atlantic	1,144	1,751	1,929	169	110
East North Central	8,975	6,319	6,309	70	100
West North Central	899	919	1,019	113	111
South Atlantic	2,710	2,732	3,251	120	119
West South Central	347	838	1,130	326	135
Pacific	51,785	36,267	38,201	74	105
Raspberries, red					
Middle Atlantic	2,092	2,182	1,583	76	73
East North Central	2,286	2,089	2,060	90	99
West North Central	1,555	681	502	32	74
South Atlantic	1,042	1,401	547	52	39
West South Central	1,147	900	861	75	96
Pacific	76,276	76,959	69,000	90	90

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Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice Concentrate in Cold Storage – Regions: September 30, 2020 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2020 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Strawberries, total					
Middle Atlantic	6,288	8,604	7,950	126	92
East North Central	13,195	12,294	10,936	83	89
West North Central	4,124	3,876	4,005	97	103
South Atlantic	13,485	11,808	10,501	78	89
West South Central	17,342	21,670	18,692	108	86
Pacific	195,843	204,927	168,382	86	82
Other					
Middle Atlantic	53,469	43,983	55,285	103	126
East North Central	105,726	71,683	116,575	110	163
West North Central	9,080	6,159	7,372	81	120
South Atlantic	9,589	4,746	4,619	48	97
West South Central	18,360	19,067	20,916	114	110
Pacific	136,742	113,241	121,289	89	107
Frozen juice concentrate ²					
Orange					
New England	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
East North Central	2,685	2,784	2,999	112	108
West North Central	321	307	287	89	93
South Atlantic	779,518	695,784	651,145	84	94
East South Central	14	9	8	57	89
West South Central	4,997	2,603	2,249	45	86
Mountain	1,284	1,354	1,173	91	87
Pacific	20,820	21,091	19,434	93	92
Other					
New England	10,265	10,536	9,854	96	94
East North Central	31,893	36,929	31,580	99	86
West North Central	3,282	3,922	4,183	127	107
South Atlantic	92,435	110,571	109,349	118	99
East South Central	472	522	552	117	106
West South Central	20,127	23,137	20,472	102	88
Mountain	6,448	757	766	12	101
Pacific	156,414	174,630	183,445	117	105
Total frozen juice concentrate					
New England	10,265	10,536	9,854	96	94
East North Central	34,578	39,713	34,579	100	87
West North Central	3,603	4,229	4,470	124	106
South Atlantic	871,953	806,355	760,494	87	94
East South Central	486	531	560	115	105
West South Central	25,124	25,740	22,721	90	88
Mountain	7,732	2,111	1,939	25	92
Pacific	177,234	195,721	202,879	114	104

- Represents zero.

(X) Not applicable.

¹ New England combined with Middle Atlantic. East South Central combined with South Atlantic. Mountain combined with Pacific.

² Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic.

Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: September 30, 2020 with Comparisons

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2020 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen vegetables ¹					
Asparagus					
Middle Atlantic	276	317	322	117	102
East North Central	3,586	3,773	3,434	96	91
West North Central	82	230	76	93	33
South Atlantic	225	502	378	168	75
West South Central	431	246	253	59	103
Pacific	1,772	2,111	1,986	112	94
Lima beans					
Middle Atlantic	7,052	2,100	1,918	27	91
East North Central	1,034	1,462	4,463	432	305
West North Central	1,396	2,046	3,868	277	189
South Atlantic	4,079	1,703	2,015	49	118
West South Central	152	149	103	68	69
Pacific	17,373	7,796	12,185	70	156
Green beans, regular cut					
Middle Atlantic	49,571	39,010	51,583	104	132
East North Central	50,059	44,244	60,671	121	137
West North Central	18,038	17,489	18,743	104	107
South Atlantic	4,347	8,278	8,569	197	104
West South Central	1,503	2,057	2,458	164	119
Pacific	79,963	86,151	110,883	139	129
Green beans, french style					
Middle Atlantic	4,817	2,557	4,473	93	175
East North Central	3,550	1,766	2,198	62	124
West North Central	372	184	422	113	229
South Atlantic	565	531	585	104	110
West South Central	76	35	32	42	91
Pacific	10,905	9,210	10,113	93	110
Broccoli, spears					
Middle Atlantic	10,249	7,544	7,918	77	105
East North Central	17,040	13,363	11,383	67	85
West North Central	2,222	1,597	1,905	86	119
South Atlantic	5,269	4,201	4,697	89	112
West South Central	6,022	5,154	5,038	84	98
Pacific	6,892	8,574	8,848	128	103
Broccoli, chopped and cut					
Middle Atlantic	1,978	2,580	2,388	121	93
East North Central	7,804	5,546	5,961	76	107
West North Central	530	501	479	90	96
South Atlantic	2,141	2,544	2,293	107	90
West South Central	5,304	8,566	8,566	162	100
Pacific	27,793	10,219	9,679	35	95

See footnote(s) at end of table.

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: September 30, 2020 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2020 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Brussels sprouts					
Middle Atlantic	1,611	1,941	1,770	110	91
East North Central	1,403	2,640	3,611	257	137
West North Central	461	312	293	64	94
South Atlantic	2,190	576	433	20	75
West South Central	890	719	693	78	96
Pacific	5,682	3,849	3,167	56	82
Carrots, diced					
Middle Atlantic	2,929	6,193	4,421	151	71
East North Central	19,706	25,874	20,816	106	80
West North Central	2,804	4,309	4,209	150	98
South Atlantic	225	712	838	372	118
West South Central	1,503	509	574	38	113
Pacific	35,412	31,488	26,689	75	85
Carrots, other					
Middle Atlantic	3,598	4,435	4,242	118	96
East North Central	5,398	8,195	9,354	173	114
West North Central	2,782	4,104	3,496	126	85
South Atlantic	1,181	883	1,310	111	148
West South Central	4,210	1,834	2,102	50	115
Pacific	50,543	34,583	55,832	110	161
Cauliflower					
Middle Atlantic	2,095	4,556	4,705	225	103
East North Central	6,507	8,211	7,814	120	95
West North Central	320	552	400	125	72
South Atlantic	303	1,390	1,912	631	138
West South Central	2,931	3,100	3,619	123	117
Pacific	7,528	10,409	9,936	132	95
Corn, cut					
Middle Atlantic	51,880	28,113	55,233	106	196
East North Central	32,887	35,135	65,809	200	187
West North Central	98,833	31,946	69,642	70	218
South Atlantic	22,340	9,086	9,099	41	100
West South Central	1,784	1,867	1,759	99	94
Pacific	454,843	322,601	447,154	98	139
Corn, cob					
Middle Atlantic	6,761	3,597	5,292	78	147
East North Central	14,171	5,815	13,110	93	225
West North Central	80,998	37,927	66,590	82	176
South Atlantic	3,682	567	754	20	133
West South Central	1,987	1,351	1,283	65	95
Pacific	225,253	158,152	203,626	90	129

See footnote(s) at end of table.

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: September 30, 2020 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2020 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Mixed vegetables					
Middle Atlantic	5,944	8,363	7,765	131	93
East North Central	10,294	12,487	12,350	120	99
West North Central	1,540	2,630	6,892	448	262
South Atlantic	2,421	1,509	1,869	77	124
West South Central	4,029	3,640	3,628	90	100
Pacific	22,957	22,807	22,072	96	97
Okra					
Middle Atlantic	2,850	2,175	2,210	78	102
East North Central	226	271	254	112	94
West North Central	250	255	185	74	73
South Atlantic	10,485	4,321	4,612	44	107
West South Central	42,553	32,627	33,670	79	103
Pacific	2,519	1,344	1,009	40	75
Onion rings					
Middle Atlantic	387	380	455	118	120
East North Central	5,814	7,842	6,987	120	89
West North Central	454	137	48	11	35
South Atlantic	1,601	1,476	1,280	80	87
West South Central	1,203	1,911	1,889	157	99
Pacific	2,779	2,616	2,200	79	84
Onions, other					
Middle Atlantic	4,031	5,968	5,672	141	95
East North Central	2,339	2,663	2,561	109	96
West North Central	1,386	1,246	1,453	105	117
South Atlantic	858	915	992	116	108
West South Central	2,967	1,398	1,485	50	106
Pacific	52,662	54,325	53,221	101	98
Blackeye peas					
Middle Atlantic	946	953	918	97	96
East North Central	9	11	14	156	127
West North Central	61	39	39	64	100
South Atlantic	269	445	451	168	101
West South Central	77	23	27	35	117
Pacific	568	287	274	48	95
Green peas					
Middle Atlantic	26,567	22,845	20,983	79	92
East North Central	18,509	32,579	30,985	167	95
West North Central	49,091	72,508	60,756	124	84
South Atlantic	14,012	11,362	9,825	70	86
West South Central	1,216	877	924	76	105
Pacific	200,116	202,231	186,361	93	92

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: September 30, 2020 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2020 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Peas and carrots mixed					
Middle Atlantic	1,154	1,649	1,054	91	64
East North Central	826	680	711	86	105
West North Central	95	144	197	207	137
South Atlantic	500	107	68	14	64
West South Central	295	343	163	55	48
Pacific	5,645	6,042	5,597	99	93
Spinach					
Middle Atlantic	5,835	12,189	10,064	172	83
East North Central	1,961	3,989	3,499	178	88
West North Central	1,180	1,008	1,149	97	114
South Atlantic	7,389	7,665	6,708	91	88
West South Central	4,260	6,540	5,771	135	88
Pacific	10,327	17,072	15,834	153	93
Squash, summer/zucchini					
Middle Atlantic	2,393	2,692	2,861	120	106
East North Central	22,712	21,743	26,268	116	121
West North Central	356	433	493	138	114
South Atlantic	1,669	1,391	1,396	84	100
West South Central	3,960	3,994	3,694	93	92
Pacific	14,989	13,201	10,223	68	77
Southern greens					
Middle Atlantic	3,449	4,427	4,120	119	93
East North Central	53	43	79	149	184
West North Central	189	126	130	69	103
South Atlantic	2,218	1,878	1,685	76	90
West South Central	7,886	8,515	8,900	113	105
Pacific	682	1,037	1,036	152	100
Other					
Middle Atlantic	60,550	48,266	56,702	94	117
East North Central	64,403	51,620	54,361	84	105
West North Central	28,230	31,486	33,372	118	106
South Atlantic	17,434	15,995	18,930	109	118
West South Central	21,899	25,177	27,430	125	109
Pacific	231,439	214,060	257,269	111	120
Total frozen vegetables					
Middle Atlantic	256,923	212,850	257,069	100	121
East North Central	290,291	289,952	346,693	119	120
West North Central	291,670	211,209	274,837	94	130
South Atlantic	105,403	78,037	80,699	77	103
West South Central	117,138	110,632	114,061	97	103
Pacific	1,468,642	1,220,165	1,455,194	99	119

¹ New England combined with Middle Atlantic. East South Central combined with South Atlantic. Mountain combined with Pacific.

Frozen Potatoes in Cold Storage – Regions: September 30, 2020 with Comparisons

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2020 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen potatoes					
French fries					
New England	18,284	23,452	21,695	119	93
Middle Atlantic	32,413	30,448	32,422	100	106
East North Central	81,164	95,342	88,816	109	93
West North Central	97,835	103,323	108,989	111	105
South Atlantic	70,502	53,461	49,235	70	92
East South Central	615	593	575	93	97
West South Central	33,113	41,413	39,037	118	94
Mountain	184,227	174,801	187,396	102	107
Pacific	403,750	394,022	420,348	104	107
Other					
New England	15,132	12,757	11,848	78	93
Middle Atlantic	8,870	3,806	4,660	53	122
East North Central	40,436	48,360	47,736	118	99
West North Central	17,960	14,820	14,390	80	97
South Atlantic	13,435	11,603	10,086	75	87
East South Central	539	1,295	1,214	225	94
West South Central	17,126	16,218	15,056	88	93
Mountain	67,652	62,840	65,882	97	105
Pacific	57,629	50,934	55,374	96	109
Total frozen potatoes					
New England	33,416	36,209	33,543	100	93
Middle Atlantic	41,283	34,254	37,082	90	108
East North Central	121,600	143,702	136,552	112	95
West North Central	115,795	118,143	123,379	107	104
South Atlantic	83,937	65,064	59,321	71	91
East South Central	1,154	1,888	1,789	155	95
West South Central	50,239	57,631	54,093	108	94
Mountain	251,879	237,641	253,278	101	107
Pacific	461,379	444,956	475,722	103	107

Frozen Red Meat in Cold Storage – Regions: September 30, 2020 with Comparisons

Commodity and region	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2020 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020	September 30, 2020	September 30, 2019	August 31, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen red meat ¹					
Beef					
Boneless					
Middle Atlantic	199,676	161,875	147,240	74	91
East North Central	42,323	37,714	41,864	99	111
West South Central	124,207	130,487	145,157	117	111
Pacific	67,985	87,838	92,532	136	105
Beef cuts					
Middle Atlantic	3,280	3,483	3,723	114	107
East North Central	8,343	3,078	4,624	55	150
West South Central	9,788	9,470	11,182	114	118
Pacific	13,379	15,410	15,665	117	102
Total beef					
Middle Atlantic	202,956	165,358	150,963	74	91
East North Central	50,666	40,792	46,488	92	114
West South Central	133,995	139,957	156,339	117	112
Pacific	81,364	103,248	108,197	133	105
Other meat					
Veal					
Middle Atlantic	4,849	6,140	8,525	176	139
East North Central	55	85	110	200	129
West South Central	176	410	199	113	49
Pacific	647	330	429	66	130
Lamb and mutton					
Middle Atlantic	19,985	20,842	13,579	68	65
East North Central	2,348	2,431	2,269	97	93
West South Central	2,040	2,537	2,589	127	102
Pacific	17,275	13,656	12,231	71	90
Total other meat					
Middle Atlantic	24,834	26,982	22,104	89	82
East North Central	2,403	2,516	2,379	99	95
West South Central	2,216	2,947	2,788	126	95
Pacific	17,922	13,986	12,660	71	91

¹ 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.

Record Highs and Lows of Nuts, Dairy Products, Frozen Eggs, and Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – United States: September 2020

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
Nuts					
Shelled					
Pecans	69,602	2019	5,587	1971	January 1970
In-Shell					
Pecans	111,202	2000	1,221	1971	January 1970
Dairy products					
Butter	608,455	1992	21,431	1996	December 1915
Natural cheese					
American	1,140,872	1983	42,065	1918	December 1915
Swiss	31,304	2011	859	1917	August 1917
Other	572,703	2019	2,891	1917	August 1917
Total natural cheese	1,379,703	2018	54,800	1918	August 1917
Frozen eggs					
Whites	54,662	1946	577	1999	April 1940
Yolks	41,397	1955	586	2019	April 1940
Whole and mixed	217,897	1944	5,618	1998	April 1940
Unclassified	55,113	1943	587	1997	April 1940
Total frozen eggs	332,565	1944	6,457	1916	April 1916
Frozen Poultry					
Chicken					
Broilers, fryers, and roasters	52,335	1945	2,396	1916	April 1916
Hens, mature chickens	65,560	1947	1,341	1916	April 1916
Breasts and breast meat	216,593	2020	89,739	2013	May 2003
Drumsticks	46,976	2019	9,439	2009	May 2003
Leg quarters	164,192	2015	60,392	2007	May 2003
Legs	22,381	2020	4,242	2008	May 2003
Thigh and thigh quarters	20,808	2020	3,861	2003	May 2003
Thigh meat	33,626	2019	9,368	2005	May 2003
Wings	104,951	2018	30,988	2003	May 2003
Paws and feet	30,754	2019	8,650	2003	May 2003
Other	854,961	1999	232,493	2014	January 1991
Total chicken	958,003	2018	63,959	1940	December 1939
Turkey					
Whole turkeys					
Toms	227,232	2003	124,748	2006	March 2001
Hens	159,630	2002	105,277	2004	April 2001
Total whole turkeys	378,975	2003	233,639	2006	March 2001
Breasts	92,471	2017	48,599	2014	January 2009
Legs	13,330	2013	6,376	2020	January 2009
Mechanically deboned meat	11,722	2009	4,633	2015	January 2009
Other	240,605	1997	17,109	2001	January 1967
Unclassified	128,193	2009	89,670	2015	January 2009
Total turkey	770,706	1997	296	1916	April 1916
Ducks	18,482	1952	1,570	1996	June 1932
Total frozen poultry	1,526,312	2018	20,041	1916	April 1916

Record Highs and Lows of Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice Concentrate in Cold Storage – United States: September 2020

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
Frozen fruit					
Apples	64,309	1995	6,030	1949	June 1944
Apricots	80,757	1964	3,237	2019	June 1945
Blackberries					
Individual quick frozen	32,682	2008	9,170	1993	June 1992
Pails and tubs	8,117	1992	1,117	2020	June 1992
Barrels, 400 lbs net	13,668	2013	3,266	1994	June 1992
Concentrate	2,318	2000	49	2006	June 1992
Total blackberries	44,603	2007	5,566	1938	June 1938
Blueberries	332,379	2016	2,866	1939	June 1938
Boysenberries	17,364	1959	721	2017	January 1959
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)	193,298	1987	50,514	2012	January 1967
Cherries, tart (juice stock)	14,004	2018	372	2010	January 1990
Cherries, sweet	26,942	1989	8,846	2003	January 1978
Grapes	12,746	1944	881	2016	June 1944
Peaches	121,663	1988	17,877	1950	June 1944
Raspberries, black	9,066	1959	751	2011	January 1959
Raspberries, red					
Individual quick frozen	47,645	2018	7,619	1992	June 1992
Pails and tubs	23,626	1995	5,556	2020	June 1992
Barrels, 400 lbs net	44,888	2018	15,744	1996	June 1992
Concentrate	3,802	1994	737	2004	June 1992
Total red raspberries	103,199	2018	15,366	1972	January 1959
Strawberries					
Individual quick frozen and poly	256,249	2002	87,532	2020	January 2002
Pails and tubs	130,801	2007	63,592	2020	January 2002
Barrels and drums	111,976	2012	23,241	2002	January 2002
Juice stock	33,079	2009	8,768	2020	January 2002
Total strawberries	442,746	2000	25,526	1944	June 1938
Other	515,569	2017	37,617	1964	June 1938
Total frozen fruit	1,707,938	2016	21,030	1923	June 1923
Frozen juice concentrate					
Orange	1,803,852	1998	29,506	1949	September 1949
Other	521,471	1994	15,864	1944	June 1944
Total frozen juice concentrate	2,236,660	1998	15,864	1944	June 1944

**Record Highs and Lows of Frozen Vegetables and Frozen Potatoes in Cold Storage – United States:
September 2020**

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
Frozen Vegetables					
Asparagus	32,078	1957	4,171	1938	June 1938
Lima beans	154,933	1969	24,552	2020	January 1960
Green beans, regular cut	288,757	2012	82,311	1960	January 1960
Green beans, french style	89,930	1990	15,847	2018	January 1960
Broccoli, spears	80,125	1987	18,453	1997	January 1972
Broccoli, chopped and cut	136,078	1993	26,656	1976	January 1972
Brussels sprouts	31,412	1973	734	1945	June 1944
Carrots, diced	85,034	2016	13,560	1981	January 1976
Carrots, other	151,510	1996	31,070	1976	January 1976
Cauliflower	66,703	1979	992	1945	June 1944
Corn, cut	662,567	2019	178,992	1971	January 1970
Corn, cob	392,194	1991	50,752	1970	January 1970
Mixed vegetables	74,115	2017	8,324	1956	January 1956
Okra	74,356	1987	23,909	1972	January 1972
Onion rings	17,467	1989	3,423	2009	January 1973
Onions, other	68,926	2011	9,152	1973	January 1973
Blackeye peas	18,836	1974	1,650	2016	January 1972
Green peas	431,648	1985	10,875	1937	December 1936
Peas and carrots mixed	14,330	1969	4,898	2006	January 1956
Spinach	105,636	1990	631	1937	December 1936
Squash, summer/zucchini	75,904	1997	30,905	1979	January 1979
Southern greens	41,927	1974	9,672	2012	January 1972
Other	618,682	2017	6,120	1937	December 1936
Total frozen vegetables	2,731,834	2017	1,091,268	1964	January 1962
Frozen potatoes					
French fries	1,071,789	2001	19,006	1956	January 1956
Other	277,033	1994	61,989	1973	January 1971
Total frozen potatoes	1,323,762	2001	311,835	1973	January 1971

**Record Highs and Lows of Frozen Red Meat and Commodities in Cold Storage – United States:
September 2020**

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
Frozen red meat					
Beef					
Boneless	477,690	2016	188,390	1980	January 1972
Beef cuts	77,597	2008	23,508	1989	January 1972
Total beef	519,022	2016	14,139	1932	December 1915
Pork					
Picnics, bone-in	16,891	1998	2,448	1968	January 1957
Hams					
Bone-in	132,723	2015	59,928	1997	January 1995
Boneless	132,733	2017	27,440	1995	January 1995
Total hams	248,972	2016	17,326	1961	January 1957
Bellies	50,654	1971	4,785	1990	January 1957
Loins					
Bone-in	19,064	2005	4,924	1995	January 1993
Boneless	28,356	2020	4,024	1993	January 1993
Total loins	41,146	2020	4,922	1966	December 1960
Ribs	88,032	2017	5,917	1962	December 1960
Butts	24,664	2012	1,940	1962	December 1960
Trimnings	55,583	1998	7,728	1961	December 1960
Other	141,051	1991	42,623	1965	January 1957
Variety meats	64,870	2000	15,557	1993	January 1993
Unclassified	74,495	2012	8,165	1993	January 1993
Total pork	655,930	2015	38,851	1916	December 1915
Other red meat					
Veal	13,736	2018	2,326	2014	June 1944
Lamb and mutton	41,921	2015	1,112	1925	December 1915
Total other red meat	54,202	2018	8,285	2004	June 1944
Total frozen red meat	1,205,064	2016	228,101	1946	December 1916

Cold Storage Regional Listing

New England:	Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont.
Middle Atlantic:	New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania.
South Atlantic:	Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia.
East North Central:	Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, Wisconsin.
East South Central:	Alabama, Kentucky, Mississippi, Tennessee.
West North Central:	Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota.
West South Central:	Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Texas.
Mountain:	Arizona, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah, Wyoming.
Pacific:	Alaska, California, Oregon, Washington.

Definitions

Beef, boneless: 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.

Beef cuts: Includes all boxed primal beef cuts, bone-in.

Orange juice concentrate: Adjusted to 42.0 degrees Brix equivalent (9.896 pounds per gallon).

Pork, boneless hams: Includes full ham, bone removed and individual muscles separated.

Pork, boneless loins: Includes pork tenderloins.

Pork, ribs: Includes spareribs and backribs.

Pork, trimmings: 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 not included.

Pork, other: Includes ears, tails, feet, neckbones and snouts.

Pork, variety meats: Includes tongues, kidneys, livers, stomachs, hearts, chitterlings, salivary glands, and other organs removed from slaughtered hogs.

Pork, unclassified: Includes product unable to be classified elsewhere in this report.

Public refrigerated storages: Refrigerated facilities maintained for storing food for others at specified rates per unit.

Private and semiprivate refrigerated storages: Refrigerated facilities maintained by an operator to facilitate his principal function as a producer, processor, or manufacturer of food products. The space is used to store the owner's products, although some space may be used by others at specified rates per unit stored. Working space, chill rooms, and curing rooms in meat storages are not included in the storage statistics.

Publication Notes

Published October 22, 2020: NASS has standardized Cold Storage regional data within commodities, in an effort to publish more data to NASS Quick Stats website, which will allow NASS to publish regional data in the near future.

Published February 28, 2020: The 2019 revisions to commodities were a result of updated facility information. Please refer to the *Cold Storage 2019 Summary*, published February 28, 2020 for all the 2019 cold storage commodity estimates. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

Published December 22, 2012: Beginning with the February 22, 2013 release, estimates for shelled and in-shell peanuts are scheduled to be discontinued.

Published February 22, 2011: Beginning with the January 31, 2010 data, cherries, tart (juice) was published under two categories: cherries, tart (juice stock) and cherries, tart (juice concentrate). All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

Published June 22, 2010: A change in classification of reported data beginning with May 31, 2010 in the Other Chicken category resulted in an increase of Leg Quarters, Legs, and Paws and Feet along with a corresponding decrease in Other Chicken. There was also an increase in reported data for Drumsticks, Leg Quarters, Paws and Feet, and Other Chicken due to increased coverage and participation of facilities in the survey. Updated historic data prior to May 31, 2010 for these facilities were unavailable. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

Published February 22, 2010: A change in classification of reported data beginning with January 31, 2009 in the Other Chicken category resulted in an increase of Leg Quarters along with a corresponding decrease in Other Chicken. The updated 2009 data for these categories was published in the *Cold Storage 2009 Summary*, released on February 22, 2010. The Total Chicken category was unaffected by this change in reporting. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

Published October 22, 2009: Beginning with the February 22, 2010 *Cold Storage report*, Other Turkey was separated into the following five categories: breast meat, legs, mechanically deboned meat, other, and unclassified. The 2009 data for these categories was published in the *Cold Storage 2009 Summary*, released on February 22, 2010. Data for the five categories prior to 2009 was not available. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

Published June 22, 2009: Beginning with April 30, 2009 revised estimates, an increase in strawberry inventory was the result of increased coverage of cold storage facilities as well as updated plant information. The April 2009 revisions of frozen strawberries covered the following categories: Total, IQF and Poly, Pails and Tubs, Barrels and Drums, and Juice Stock. Updated historic reported strawberry data prior to April 2009 was unavailable. Year to year relationships for strawberry and the total fruit categories were impacted by this change.

Statistical Methodology

Survey Procedures: Questionnaires are mailed about the 24th of each month to all operators on the list of approximately 800 public and private cold storage warehouses. In addition, data are obtained from special surveys and other sources. All survey data represent stocks as of the end of the month.

Data are collected from warehouses artificially cooled to a temperature of 50 degrees Fahrenheit or lower, and whose food products are normally stored for 30 days or more. All food items in these facilities are reported regardless of the number of days stored at the time of the report. Also included are specialized storage facilities meeting the 30 day requirement, such as fruit houses, dairy manufacturing plants, frozen fruit, fruit juice, vegetable processors, and poultry and meat packing plants. Excluded are stocks in space maintained by wholesalers, jobbers, distributors, chain stores, locker plants containing individual lockers, meat packer branch houses, and frozen food processors whose entire inventories are turned over more than once a month.

All commodities reported on the cold storage report are regardless of ownership or origin. NASS does not differentiate between commodities owned by manufacturer, producer, wholesaler, retailer, government owned, or domestically produced vs. imported.

Estimating Procedures: Data for reporting firms are added to estimates for non-reporting firms to obtain regional and National totals. Estimates for non-reporting firms are obtained by multiplying the previous month's figure by a percent change from the previous month. The percent change is calculated for each item from totals of the current and previous month summed from firms that reported both months.

Revision Policy: Data are revised the following month based on late reports or corrected data. Final figures are published in the annual summary in February of the following year.

Reliability: Reports are received from approximately 660 firms each month which represent about 80 percent of the total capacity. Firms that are not on the list or firms who have never reported are not represented in the data. Plants storing butter or cheese are required under Federal law as defined in Public Laws 106-532 and 107-171 to complete the monthly *Cold Storage* report. Monthly data can vary due to different firms reporting month to month. Survey data are also subject to non-sampling errors such as omissions and mistakes in reporting and in processing the data. While these errors cannot be measured directly, they are minimized by carefully reviewing all reported data for consistency and reasonableness.

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