

TURKEYS AND CHICKENS TESTED

MAY 1967

June 19, 1967

TURKEYS TESTED

Testings of heavy breed turkeys by Official State Agencies for pullorum disease during May 1967 were reported at 27,734, a decrease of 23 percent from the same month a year earlier. Testings of turkeys are now at the low point of the season. The number of heavy white breed turkeys tested decreased 34 percent, whereas the number of other heavy breeds tested increased 67 percent from May 1966 levels. Aggregate testings of heavy breeds from July 1966 through May 1967 totaled 3,880,370, an increase of 4 percent from the comparable period a year earlier.

Light breed turkeys tested during May totaled 54,177 compared with 25,018 during May 1966, an increase of 117 percent. Testings of light breeds for the period July 1966 through May 1967 totaled 356,417, an increase of 5 percent from the same period a year earlier.

CHICKENS TESTED

Chickens tested for supplying hatching eggs for broiler-type chicks during May 1967 totaled 2,063,602, up 16 percent from May 1966. Accumulative testings for July 1966 through May 1967 totaled 28,390,245, an increase of 16 percent from the same period a year earlier.

Testings of chickens during May for supplying eggs for hatching egg-type chicks totaled 249,541, a decrease of 1 percent from May 1967. Egg-type birds tested from July 1966 through May 1967 totaled 7,639,192, up 6 percent from the corresponding period a year earlier.

Testings summarized in this report are tabulations of records from Official State Testing Agencies. The degree of coverage may vary from month to month and from State to State. This report is prepared in cooperation with the National Poultry Improvement Plan, the National Turkey Improvement Plan, Official State Agencies, the Animal Husbandry Research Division of the Agricultural Research Service and the Agricultural Estimates Division of the Statistical Reporting Service.

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Turkeys tested by official State agencies

State and division	During May							
	Heavy white breeds		Other heavy breeds		Total all heavy breeds		Light breeds	
	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967
	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Maine	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N. H.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vt.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mass.	31	476	0	128	31	604	0	0
R. I.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Conn.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N. Y.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N. J.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pa.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N. A.	31	476	0	128	31	604	0	0
Ohio	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,394	0
Ind.	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,094	0
Ill.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mich.	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,400	4,656
Wis.	5,378	3,329	0	0	5,378	3,329	0	0
E.N.C.	5,378	3,329	0	0	5,378	3,329	10,888	4,656
Minn.	8,039	3,339	0	0	8,039	3,339	0	18,552
Iowa	3,872	0	0	2,100	3,872	2,100	0	5,408
Mo.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N. Dak.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S. Dak.	0	0	0	0	0	0	716	0
Nebr.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kans.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
W.N.C.	11,911	3,339	0	2,100	11,911	5,439	716	23,960
Del.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Md.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Va.	2,017	0	0	0	2,017	0	0	13,641
W. Va.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N. C.	5,169	0	333	3,076	5,502	3,076	0	0
S. C.	4,337	4,845	0	0	4,337	4,845	0	0
Ge.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fla.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S. A.	11,523	4,845	333	3,076	11,856	7,921	0	13,641
Ky.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tenn.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ala.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Miss.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ark.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
La.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Okla.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Texas	3,051	0	3,711	0	6,762	0	0	0
S. C.	3,051	0	3,711	0	6,762	0	0	0
Mont.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Idaho	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wyo.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Colo.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N. Mex.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ariz.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Utah	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nev.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wash.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oreg.	12	0	0	0	12	0	13,414	11,575
Calif.	0	8,975	0	1,466	0	10,441	0	345
West.	12	8,975	0	1,466	12	10,441	13,414	11,920
U. S.	31,906	20,964	4,044	6,770	35,950	27,734	25,018	54,177

Turkeys tested by official State agencies

State and division	July through May							
	Heavy white breeds		Other heavy breeds		Total all heavy breeds		Light breeds	
	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967
	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Maine	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N. H.	10,474	6,569	0	2,449	10,474	9,018	0	0
Vt.	0	0	440	0	440	0	0	0
Mass.	9,498	7,288	3,626	528	13,124	7,816	4	0
R. I.	184	302	0	0	184	302	0	0
Conn.	3,743	1,463	100	0	3,843	1,463	0	0
N. Y.	8,646	9,348	3,865	2,043	12,511	11,391	0	0
N. J.	838	577	3,202	3,785	4,040	4,362	510	563
Pa.	14,100	10,065	1,645	10,791	15,745	20,856	880	3,235
N. A.	47,483	35,612	12,878	19,596	60,361	55,208	1,394	3,798
Ohio	130,991	134,941	32,686	21,771	163,677	156,712	31,827	26,863
Ind.	7,203	12,157	7,658	10,670	14,861	22,827	9,950	3,599
Ill.	24,566	18,431	3,091	5,869	27,657	24,300	753	452
Mich.	55,229	74,498	38,717	33,706	93,946	108,204	6,387	4,656
Wis.	124,885	145,650	13,096	3,781	137,981	149,431	2,181	0
E. N. C.	342,874	385,677	95,248	75,797	438,122	461,474	51,098	35,570
Minn.	520,032	453,702	163,192	98,428	683,224	552,130	48,857	100,084
Iowa	7,427	63,746	159,085	56,366	166,512	120,112	1,719	8,542
Mo.	84,306	86,482	81,078	103,145	165,384	189,627	42,328	11,565
N. Dak.	7,583	5,697	0	0	7,583	5,697	0	0
S. Dak.	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,747	5,734
Nebr.	2,615	2,288	10,855	24,070	13,470	26,358	0	0
Kans.	21,119	36,807	13,662	7,761	34,781	44,568	938	0
W. N. C.	643,082	648,722	427,872	289,770	1,070,954	938,492	100,589	125,925
Del.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Md.	9,172	1,690	4,270	8,006	13,442	9,696	0	0
Va.	81,159	64,311	0	12,075	81,159	76,386	80,735	105,848
W. Va.	0	15	53	37	53	52	6,729	1,504
N. C.	155,412	211,642	45,530	22,712	200,942	234,354	891	0
S. C.	63,119	70,699	2,260	0	65,379	70,699	0	0
Ga.	18,160	48,924	19,374	0	37,534	48,924	0	0
Fla.	0	3,353	6,092	1,161	6,092	4,514	4,891	5,837
S. A.	327,022	400,634	77,579	43,991	404,601	444,625	93,246	113,189
Ky.	19,082	20,527	13,170	8,697	32,252	29,224	1,966	221
Tenn.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ala.	559	43,283	0	0	559	43,283	0	0
Miss.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ark.	20,300	25,298	26,742	39,940	47,042	65,238	10,621	2,716
La.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Okla.	27,381	40,770	15,269	4,908	42,650	45,678	6,399	14,692
Tex.	215,476	275,819	127,166	141,679	342,642	417,498	3,477	693
S. C.	282,798	405,697	182,347	195,224	465,145	600,921	22,463	18,322
Mont.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Idaho	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wyo.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Colo.	10,000	13,000	9,000	27,500	19,000	40,500	0	0
N. Mex.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ariz.	14,016	17,858	0	0	14,016	17,858	0	0
Utah	3,216	2,189	36,853	58,556	40,069	60,745	0	0
Nev.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wash.	0	6,005	21,070	5,825	21,070	11,830	0	0
Oreg.	64,525	94,614	129,828	96,371	194,353	190,985	63,077	52,390
Calif.	546,894	597,991	444,713	459,741	991,607	1,057,732	7,056	7,223
West.	638,651	731,657	641,464	647,993	1,280,115	1,379,650	70,133	59,613
U. S.	2,281,910	2,607,999	1,437,388	1,272,371	3,719,298	3,880,370	338,923	356,417

Chickens tested by official State agencies

State and division	During May			
	For broiler production		Egg-type chickens	
	1966	1967	1966	1967
	Number	Number	Number	Number
Maine	35,211	22,791	3,431	49
N. H.	30,654	10,349	0	0
Vt.	0	0	9,134	0
Mass.	32,075	6,391	41,212	0
R. I.	3,348	9,703	1,235	0
Conn.	0	0	807	14,750
N. Y.	0	0	12,842	25,425
N. J.	19,083	26,830	1,208	0
Pa.	17,470	36,572	41,179	33,235
N. A.	137,841	112,636	111,048	73,459
Ohio	4,651	545	3,967	5,579
Ind.	43,208	13,170	12,083	22,106
Ill.	0	344	15,503	15,254
Mich.	1,108	0	1,908	8,332
Wis.	11,913	20,199	0	0
E. N. C.	60,880	34,258	33,461	51,271
Minn.	8,065	48,451	1,410	10,527
Iowa	216	0	0	24,383
Mo.	28,995	6,592	0	0
N. Dak.	0	0	0	0
S. Dak.	0	0	0	4,961
Nebr.	732	1,624	7,072	4,213
Kans.	781	0	2,223	0
W. N. C.	38,789	56,667	10,705	44,084
Del.	20,307	33,460	264	0
Md.	46,401	37,741	0	0
Va.	59,789	5,801	0	0
W. Va.	0	0	0	0
N. C.	421,670	592,433	4,674	0
S. C.	11,594	2,616	2,975	0
Ga.	381,486	520,155	19,779	5,807
Fla.	22,171	22,720	3,144	22,978
S. A.	963,418	1,214,926	30,836	28,785
Ky.	0	0	0	0
Tenn.	4,523	3,700	10,830	6,052
Ala.	90,985	114,049	7,379	10,117
Miss.	111,104	127,104	0	576
Ark.	297,726	321,686	12,007	15,278
La.	9,941	3,297	0	0
Okla.	0	303	0	0
Texas	0	0	10,672	14,040
S. C.	514,279	570,139	40,888	46,063
Mont.	0	0	0	0
Idaho	0	0	0	0
Wyo.	0	0	0	0
Colo.	0	0	0	0
N. Mex.	0	0	0	0
Ariz.	0	0	0	0
Utah	0	0	0	0
Nev.	0	0	0	0
Wash.	22,783	21,745	7,610	0
Oreg.	4,380	25,643	7,903	2,094
Calif.	46,081	27,588	8,802	3,785
West.	73,244	74,976	24,315	5,879
U. S.	1,788,451	2,063,602	251,253	249,541

Chickens tested by official State agencies

State and division	July through May			
	For broiler production		Egg-type chickens	
	1966	1967	1966	1967
	Number	Number	Number	Number
Maine	579,765	565,863	94,565	82,237
N. H.	317,566	333,864	3,295	0
Vt.	13,010	11,061	25,876	22,904
Mass.	175,971	152,896	264,828	246,604
R. I.	29,155	28,851	20,027	20,283
Conn.	55,603	38,298	283,287	260,792
N. Y.	0	0	357,898	432,367
N. J.	98,781	156,667	125,361	113,222
Pa.	427,074	536,638	506,631	426,336
N. A.	1,696,925	1,824,138	1,681,768	1,604,745
Ohio	72,874	64,092	417,844	342,251
Ind.	499,179	421,877	467,725	440,415
Ill.	26,490	29,271	450,280	478,024
Mich.	29,556	16,206	69,042	75,986
Wis.	114,674	121,835	61,765	45,485
E. N. C.	742,773	653,281	1,466,656	1,382,161
Minn.	113,489	119,741	625,572	674,313
Iowa	39,238	28,665	472,972	674,259
Mo.	334,341	216,903	271,885	293,943
N. Dak.	0	0	66,426	49,965
S. Dak.	0	4,227	152,071	173,653
Nebr.	23,169	31,488	178,018	175,199
Kans.	32,071	69,873	110,499	96,725
W. N. C.	542,308	470,897	1,877,443	2,138,057
Del.	416,524	443,699	264	0
Md.	547,205	476,872	20,675	13,882
Va.	794,293	665,383	105,980	90,766
W. Va.	36,574	43,441	6,939	8,812
N. C.	5,386,193	6,342,526	214,227	185,413
S. C.	292,253	418,123	63,132	53,246
Ga.	5,803,851	7,000,062	311,619	346,575
Fla.	113,496	247,454	248,489	318,662
S. A.	13,390,389	15,637,560	971,325	1,017,356
Ky.	15,561	5,881	30,847	12,553
Tenn.	206,716	216,144	157,041	203,182
Ala.	1,938,111	2,084,126	144,076	144,858
Miss.	1,963,618	2,192,060	139,800	173,570
Ark.	3,199,231	4,497,737	213,762	314,699
La.	106,446	134,591	0	0
Okla.	63,148	39,583	29,931	28,857
Texas	44,905	13,400	131,901	175,503
S. C.	7,537,736	9,183,522	847,358	1,053,222
Mont.	4,917	310	20,516	26,430
Idaho	9,324	3,351	12,413	33,148
Wyo.	0	334	1,633	1,589
Colo.	3,400	2,400	29,000	29,900
N. Mex.	0	0	0	0
Ariz.	0	0	4,907	0
Utah	24,354	13,565	0	24,537
Nev.	0	0	0	0
Wash.	178,707	143,852	146,112	163,985
Oreg.	178,992	188,151	59,621	67,140
Calif.	241,650	268,884	110,424	96,922
West.	641,344	620,847	384,626	443,651
U. S.	24,551,475	28,390,245	7,229,176	7,639,192

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