



Cold Storage

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March 2020 Highlights

Total natural cheese stocks in refrigerated warehouses on March 31, 2020 were up 1 percent from the previous month but down 1 percent from March 31, 2019.

Butter stocks were up 3 percent from last month and up 15 percent from a year ago.

Total frozen poultry supplies on March 31, 2020 were up 4 percent from the previous month but down 2 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were down slightly from the previous month but up 6 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 14 percent from last month but down 17 percent from March 31, 2019.

Total frozen fruit stocks were down 7 percent from last month and down 11 percent from a year ago.

Total frozen vegetable stocks were down 7 percent from last month and down 1 percent from a year ago.

Total red meat supplies in freezers were down 2 percent from the previous month but up 7 percent from last year. Total pounds of beef in freezers were up 2 percent from the previous month and up 11 percent from last year. Frozen pork supplies were down 4 percent from the previous month but up 2 percent from last year. Stocks of pork bellies were up 6 percent from last month and up 34 percent from last year.

Records

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

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**Nuts, Dairy Products, Frozen Eggs, and Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – United States:
March 31, 2020 with Comparisons**

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			March 31, 2020 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Nuts						
Shelled						
Pecans	65,269	53,633	56,220	86	105	
In-Shell						
Pecans	177,727	229,427	228,307	128	100	
Dairy products						
Butter	269,697	301,820	309,557	115	103	296,373
Natural cheese						
American	784,761	778,265	775,141	99	100	
Swiss	31,487	24,089	23,100	73	96	
Other	568,118	559,737	575,164	101	103	
Total natural cheese	1,384,366	1,362,091	1,373,405	99	101	1,099,097
Frozen eggs						
Whites	2,918	2,806	2,729	94	97	
Yolks	731	555	983	134	177	
Whole and mixed	18,423	18,671	18,897	103	101	
Unclassified	15,489	16,391	16,977	110	104	
Total frozen eggs	37,561	38,423	39,586	105	103	39,016
Frozen poultry						
Chicken						
Broilers, fryers, and roasters	19,048	19,933	20,209	106	101	
Hens, mature chickens	6,990	6,781	6,154	88	91	
Breasts and breast meat	178,114	222,937	226,734	127	102	
Drumsticks	38,692	41,217	37,924	98	92	
Leg quarters	65,717	93,530	82,258	125	88	
Legs	11,190	15,172	22,087	197	146	
Thigh and thigh quarters	9,451	10,703	12,929	137	121	
Thigh Meat	33,065	37,802	35,852	108	95	
Wings	61,582	50,970	53,582	87	105	
Paws and feet	26,753	37,038	33,881	127	91	
Other	417,757	388,350	389,812	93	100	
Total chicken	868,359	924,433	921,422	106	100	
Turkey						
Whole turkeys						
Toms	108,833	75,136	92,296	85	123	
Hens	116,216	56,285	72,766	63	129	
Total whole turkeys	225,049	131,421	165,062	73	126	
Breasts	108,897	88,591	93,328	86	105	
Legs	11,413	8,889	9,278	81	104	
Mechanically deboned meat	7,619	5,750	5,804	76	101	
Other	29,631	27,770	30,217	102	109	
Unclassified	87,726	78,288	85,427	97	109	
Total turkey	470,335	340,709	389,116	83	114	
Ducks	4,162	2,651	3,396	82	128	
Total frozen poultry	1,342,856	1,267,793	1,313,934	98	104	1,240,720

**Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice Concentrate in Cold Storage – United States: March 31, 2020
with Comparisons**

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			March 31, 2020 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen fruit						
Apples	35,219	29,614	28,684	81	97	
Apricots	3,432	3,436	3,101	90	90	
Blackberries						
Individual quick frozen	14,127	12,164	10,463	74	86	
Pails and tubs	1,137	1,354	1,263	111	93	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	3,625	2,457	1,631	45	66	
Concentrate	680	633	648	95	102	
Total blackberries	19,569	16,608	14,005	72	84	
Blueberries	129,739	215,903	196,529	151	91	
Boysenberries	423	387	274	65	71	
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)	114,474	105,679	102,669	90	97	
Cherries, tart (juice stock)	9,488	8,380	8,426	89	101	
Cherries, tart (juice concentrate)	2,386	2,307	2,200	92	95	
Cherries, sweet	12,370	9,362	8,270	67	88	
Grapes	5,684	5,453	3,558	63	65	
Peaches	52,611	43,092	38,861	74	90	
Raspberries, black	904	637	828	92	130	
Raspberries, red						
Individual quick frozen	23,738	18,760	17,430	73	93	
Pails and tubs	5,243	4,743	5,072	97	107	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	19,970	17,503	14,241	71	81	
Concentrate	1,349	1,558	1,498	111	96	
Total red raspberries	50,300	42,564	38,241	76	90	
Strawberries						
Individual quick frozen and poly	67,405	52,816	65,958	98	125	
Pails and tubs	54,694	33,415	33,609	61	101	
Barrels and drums	28,709	20,722	20,981	73	101	
Juice stock	7,025	8,220	7,073	101	86	
Total strawberries	157,833	115,173	127,621	81	111	
Other	501,052	447,440	400,708	80	90	
Total frozen fruit	1,095,484	1,046,035	973,975	89	93	861,740
Frozen juice concentrate						
Orange	704,400	784,878	844,564	120	108	
(Gallon equivalent)	71,180	79,313	85,344			
Other	353,646	379,644	376,139	106	99	
Total frozen juice concentrate	1,058,046	1,164,522	1,220,703	115	105	333,763

**Frozen Vegetables and Frozen Potatoes in Cold Storage – United States: March 31, 2020
with Comparisons**

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			March 31, 2020 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen vegetables						
Asparagus	6,419	4,893	4,611	72	94	
Lima beans	26,059	27,080	24,164	93	89	
Green beans, regular cut	117,427	126,346	108,254	92	86	
Green beans, french style	11,534	13,264	13,314	115	100	
Broccoli, spears	34,710	45,744	49,471	143	108	
Broccoli, chopped and cut	37,688	33,750	34,048	90	101	
Brussels sprouts	12,916	11,691	9,551	74	82	
Carrots, diced	109,514	156,725	139,077	127	89	
Carrots, other	87,761	81,789	72,868	83	89	
Cauliflower	24,059	29,012	29,605	123	102	
Corn, cut	351,796	451,650	424,806	121	94	
Corn, cob	202,924	216,990	191,224	94	88	
Mixed vegetables	53,253	45,978	42,388	80	92	
Okra	21,396	35,209	27,609	129	78	
Onion rings	15,731	17,777	18,690	119	105	
Onions, other	59,335	56,446	64,410	109	114	
Blackeye peas	1,712	1,135	1,338	78	118	
Green peas	147,662	154,812	136,659	93	88	
Peas and carrots mixed	8,001	10,364	9,506	119	92	
Spinach	33,114	37,613	37,223	112	99	
Squash, summer/zucchini	52,618	46,919	43,760	83	93	
Southern greens	10,351	10,947	10,471	101	96	
Other	476,131	402,718	386,833	81	96	
Total frozen vegetables	1,902,111	2,018,852	1,879,880	99	93	1,613,077
Frozen potatoes						
French fries	1,038,225	1,032,576	1,076,862	104	104	
Other	253,586	216,925	231,651	91	107	
Total frozen potatoes	1,291,811	1,249,501	1,308,513	101	105	1,213,679

Frozen Red Meat and Commodities in Cold Storage – United States: March 31, 2020 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			March 31, 2020 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen red meat						
Beef						
Boneless	422,310	460,340	466,869	111	101	
Beef cuts	29,630	34,253	35,555	120	104	
Total beef	451,940	494,593	502,424	111	102	492,212
Pork						
Picnics, bone-in	8,019	12,164	10,326	129	85	
Hams						
Bone-in	29,174	36,483	25,124	86	69	
Boneless	74,312	78,051	63,170	85	81	
Total hams	103,486	114,534	88,294	85	77	
Bellies	58,783	74,270	78,822	134	106	
Loins						
Bone-in	17,110	18,363	19,264	113	105	
Boneless	24,522	30,618	27,070	110	88	
Total loins	41,632	48,981	46,334	111	95	
Ribs	140,779	138,615	136,156	97	98	
Butts	26,271	26,892	27,618	105	103	
Trimmings	55,835	59,091	59,862	107	101	
Other	85,359	83,639	80,063	94	96	
Variety meats	32,782	36,948	38,124	116	103	
Unclassified	55,433	53,841	56,334	102	105	
Total pork	608,379	648,975	621,933	102	96	558,811
Other red meat						
Veal	4,574	4,842	5,038	110	104	
Lamb and mutton	31,026	37,379	38,560	124	103	
Total other red meat	35,600	42,221	43,598	122	103	41,134
Total frozen red meat	1,095,919	1,185,789	1,167,955	107	98	1,092,157
Commodities						
Stored in coolers	1,897,059	1,946,971	1,967,489	104	101	1,467,407
Stored in freezers	7,823,788	7,970,915	7,904,546	101	99	6,394,152
Total Commodities	9,720,847	9,917,886	9,872,035	102	100	7,861,559

Nuts and Dairy Products in Cold Storage – Regions: March 31, 2020 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			March 31, 2020 as a percent of	
	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Nuts ¹					
Shelled					
Pecans					
South Atlantic	17,875	10,621	10,916	61	103
East South Central	1,032	771	872	84	113
West South Central	46,362	42,241	44,432	96	105
In-shell					
Pecans					
South Atlantic	53,632	78,624	76,366	142	97
East South Central	1,746	1,810	1,586	91	88
West South Central	122,349	148,993	150,355	123	101
Dairy products					
Natural cheese					
American, total					
New England	69,199	72,728	68,360	99	94
Middle Atlantic	73,542	73,605	73,350	100	100
East North Central	331,941	314,543	316,501	95	101
West North Central	122,382	124,759	128,431	105	103
South Atlantic	545	100	106	19	106
East South Central	13,712	10,083	10,188	74	101
West South Central	4,776	10,413	10,141	212	97
Mountain	54,242	55,070	51,426	95	93
Pacific	114,422	116,964	116,638	102	100
Other					
New England	914	852	820	90	96
Middle Atlantic	17,425	21,447	21,242	122	99
East North Central	359,284	340,495	353,547	98	104
West North Central	46,712	51,735	48,258	103	93
South Atlantic	50,840	42,449	43,865	86	103
East South Central	21,376	34,081	38,177	179	112
West South Central	4,695	3,496	3,837	82	110
Mountain	2,695	3,926	3,937	146	100
Pacific	64,177	61,256	61,481	96	100

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: March 31, 2020 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			March 31, 2020 as a percent of	
	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen poultry					
Chicken ¹					
Broilers, fryers, and roasters					
South Atlantic	9,401	8,998	8,575	91	95
East South Central	1,074	1,365	1,279	119	94
West South Central	5,175	8,473	8,501	164	100
Pacific	3,398	1,097	1,854	55	169
Hens, mature chickens					
South Atlantic	2,883	2,861	2,607	90	91
East South Central	107	58	486	454	838
West South Central	3,948	3,738	2,944	75	79
Pacific	52	124	117	225	94
Breasts and breast meat					
South Atlantic	65,099	90,897	87,872	135	97
East South Central	29,821	39,471	40,881	137	104
West South Central	69,872	82,111	85,841	123	105
Pacific	13,322	10,458	12,140	91	116
Drumsticks					
South Atlantic	17,422	17,347	14,212	82	82
East South Central	9,099	12,017	10,556	116	88
West South Central	10,724	10,785	11,339	106	105
Pacific	1,447	1,068	1,817	126	170
Leg quarters					
South Atlantic	33,209	35,547	39,387	119	111
East South Central	11,543	13,303	9,710	84	73
West South Central	20,408	42,792	30,858	151	72
Pacific	557	1,888	2,303	413	122
Legs					
South Atlantic	7,719	10,281	13,983	181	136
East South Central	446	757	1,403	315	185
West South Central	1,227	2,674	4,244	346	159
Pacific	1,798	1,460	2,457	137	168
Thigh and thigh quarters					
South Atlantic	5,554	7,440	8,116	146	109
East South Central	842	612	574	68	94
West South Central	2,578	1,594	1,776	69	111
Pacific	477	1,057	2,463	516	233
Thigh meat					
South Atlantic	24,454	30,614	28,133	115	92
East South Central	2,225	2,445	2,471	111	101
West South Central	3,983	3,628	3,425	86	94
Pacific	2,403	1,115	1,823	76	163
Wings					
South Atlantic	24,189	18,503	18,607	77	101
East South Central	6,598	7,071	6,969	106	99
West South Central	27,381	24,244	24,889	91	103
Pacific	3,414	1,152	3,117	91	271
Paws and feet					
South Atlantic	18,908	22,156	19,351	102	87
East South Central	4,733	8,711	9,523	201	109
West South Central	2,890	5,880	4,568	158	78
Pacific	222	291	439	198	151
Other					
South Atlantic	133,032	155,919	155,586	117	100
East South Central	55,550	61,336	59,565	107	97
West South Central	197,016	139,039	143,295	73	103
Pacific	32,159	32,056	31,366	98	98
Total chicken					
South Atlantic	341,870	400,563	396,429	116	99
East South Central	122,038	147,146	143,417	118	97
West South Central	345,202	324,958	321,680	93	99
Pacific	59,249	51,766	59,896	101	116

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Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – Regions: March 31, 2020 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			March 31, 2020 as a percent of	
	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Turkeys					
Whole turkeys					
New England	997	1,418	2,341	235	165
Middle Atlantic	11,652	5,847	6,831	59	117
East North Central	9,868	10,173	10,698	108	105
West North Central	40,207	23,292	26,971	67	116
South Atlantic	57,156	22,437	31,275	55	139
East South Central	3,622	2,322	5,228	144	225
West South Central	93,187	56,605	67,093	72	119
Mountain	4,131	2,736	4,986	121	182
Pacific	4,229	6,591	9,639	228	146
Breasts					
New England	14	976	882	6,300	90
Middle Atlantic	2,544	867	658	26	76
East North Central	26,908	25,543	23,313	87	91
West North Central	38,344	26,816	27,416	72	102
South Atlantic	13,233	8,734	11,011	83	126
East South Central	787	1,147	1,442	183	126
West South Central	20,400	19,550	20,213	99	103
Mountain	3,046	3,453	4,228	139	122
Pacific	3,621	1,505	4,165	115	277
Legs					
New England	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	1,216	83	85	7	102
East North Central	2,359	2,987	2,093	89	70
West North Central	4,240	3,879	4,513	106	116
South Atlantic	1,165	587	974	84	166
East South Central	30	135	232	773	172
West South Central	1,989	734	828	42	113
Mountain	410	416	502	122	121
Pacific	4	68	51	1,275	75
Mechanically deboned meat					
New England	15	7	6	40	86
Middle Atlantic	932	779	667	72	86
East North Central	931	1,176	1,156	124	98
West North Central	739	539	471	64	87
South Atlantic	1,799	1,141	1,225	68	107
East South Central	297	361	431	145	119
West South Central	336	386	371	110	96
Mountain	595	411	410	69	100
Pacific	1,975	950	1,067	54	112

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Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – Regions: March 31, 2020 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			March 31, 2020 as a percent of	
	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Other					
New England	40	92	72	180	78
Middle Atlantic	2,938	388	458	16	118
East North Central	9,035	8,226	8,371	93	102
West North Central	4,681	5,495	5,983	128	109
South Atlantic	6,722	8,115	10,120	151	125
East South Central	626	844	704	112	83
West South Central	3,250	2,220	1,903	59	86
Mountain	641	864	993	155	115
Pacific	1,698	1,526	1,613	95	106
Unclassified					
New England	17	67	73	429	109
Middle Atlantic	4,948	1,297	1,201	24	93
East North Central	10,571	11,182	10,270	97	92
West North Central	11,993	13,529	13,848	115	102
South Atlantic	42,867	37,404	43,890	102	117
East South Central	265	104	130	49	125
West South Central	9,725	7,621	8,510	88	112
Mountain	2,975	1,425	1,501	50	105
Pacific	4,365	5,659	6,004	138	106
Total turkey					
New England	1,083	2,560	3,374	312	132
Middle Atlantic	24,230	9,261	9,900	41	107
East North Central	59,672	59,287	55,901	94	94
West North Central	100,204	73,550	79,202	79	108
South Atlantic	122,942	78,418	98,495	80	126
East South Central	5,627	4,913	8,167	145	166
West South Central	128,887	87,116	98,918	77	114
Mountain	11,798	9,305	12,620	107	136
Pacific	15,892	16,299	22,539	142	138
Ducks					
New England	91	37	33	36	89
Middle Atlantic	1,952	865	1,138	58	132
East North Central	258	171	653	253	382
West North Central	147	128	152	103	119
South Atlantic	67	68	36	54	53
East South Central	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
West South Central	1	-	-	(X)	(X)
Mountain	23	28	32	139	114
Pacific	1,623	1,354	1,352	83	100

- Represents zero.

(X) Not applicable.

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: March 31, 2020
with Comparisons**

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			March 31, 2020 as a percent of	
	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen fruit					
Apples					
New England	163	117	115	71	98
Middle Atlantic	1,723	2,175	2,040	118	94
East North Central	23,872	19,723	18,857	79	96
West North Central	144	115	180	125	157
South Atlantic	180	376	349	194	93
East South Central	85	86	151	178	176
West South Central	672	1,585	1,440	214	91
Mountain	22	107	106	482	99
Pacific	8,358	5,330	5,446	65	102
Blueberries					
New England	17,163	15,802	16,240	95	103
Middle Atlantic	3,015	5,534	5,314	176	96
East North Central	35,155	57,862	54,725	156	95
West North Central	1,228	879	590	48	67
South Atlantic	3,323	5,059	4,229	127	84
East South Central	8	8	232	2,900	2,900
West South Central	1,223	1,007	740	61	73
Mountain	65	246	190	292	77
Pacific	68,559	129,506	114,269	167	88
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)					
New England	-	3	3	(X)	100
Middle Atlantic	7,656	3,147	2,288	30	73
East North Central	92,218	80,322	74,176	80	92
West North Central	144	194	175	122	90
South Atlantic	90	124	85	94	69
East South Central	8	7	7	88	100
West South Central	261	214	65	25	30
Mountain	9,360	17,249	21,424	229	124
Pacific	4,737	4,419	4,446	94	101
Cherries, sweet					
New England	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	1,188	661	652	55	99
East North Central	5,902	5,393	4,593	78	85
West North Central	30	73	43	143	59
South Atlantic	416	106	114	27	108
East South Central	280	22	19	7	86
West South Central	767	173	195	25	113
Mountain	-	14	6	(X)	43
Pacific	3,787	2,920	2,648	70	91
Peaches					
New England	15	39	34	227	87
Middle Atlantic	1,445	1,640	1,487	103	91
East North Central	9,361	8,233	7,448	80	90
West North Central	515	605	488	95	81
South Atlantic	2,077	1,979	1,851	89	94
East South Central	805	113	101	13	89
West South Central	1,072	472	814	76	172
Mountain	5	112	133	2,660	119
Pacific	37,316	29,899	26,505	71	89
Raspberries, red					
New England	344	141	127	37	90
Middle Atlantic	1,521	1,282	1,489	98	116
East North Central	2,101	1,949	1,873	89	96
West North Central	901	751	730	81	97
South Atlantic	345	195	165	48	85
East South Central	392	470	345	88	73
West South Central	1,373	557	1,161	85	208
Mountain	156	33	60	38	182
Pacific	43,167	37,186	32,291	75	87

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Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice Concentrate in Cold Storage – Regions: March 31, 2020 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			March 31, 2020 as a percent of	
	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Strawberries, total					
New England	94	144	141	150	98
Middle Atlantic	5,789	5,977	5,862	101	98
East North Central	13,745	7,659	8,774	64	115
West North Central	4,852	2,946	2,610	54	89
South Atlantic	10,621	8,481	8,528	80	101
East South Central	1,721	1,132	1,338	78	118
West South Central	20,341	10,726	20,817	102	194
Mountain	276	216	202	73	94
Pacific	100,394	77,892	79,349	79	102
Other					
New England	53,512	58,645	51,649	97	88
Middle Atlantic	13,301	13,332	12,781	96	96
East North Central	231,781	213,142	185,522	80	87
West North Central	10,264	9,655	8,275	81	86
South Atlantic	6,849	5,028	4,972	73	99
East South Central	402	431	572	142	133
West South Central	13,772	13,622	11,511	84	85
Mountain	283	169	108	38	64
Pacific	170,888	133,416	125,318	73	94
Frozen juice concentrate					
Orange¹					
New England	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
East North Central	2,962	2,837	2,980	101	105
West North Central	324	313	341	105	109
South Atlantic	671,019	754,973	813,434	121	108
East South Central	15	9	10	67	111
West South Central	18,747	6,260	6,415	34	102
Mountain	1,229	1,168	1,228	100	105
Pacific	10,104	19,318	20,156	199	104
Other					
New England	25,730	24,864	21,989	85	88
Middle Atlantic	61,258	67,640	65,456	107	97
East North Central	40,125	37,288	37,780	94	101
West North Central	4,346	3,841	3,717	86	97
South Atlantic	44,495	41,800	44,855	101	107
East South Central	538	478	473	88	99
West South Central	19,314	30,170	31,566	163	105
Mountain	8,090	1,057	996	12	94
Pacific	149,750	172,506	169,307	113	98
Total frozen juice concentrate²					
New England	25,730	24,864	21,989	85	88
Middle Atlantic	61,258	67,640	65,456	107	97
East North Central	43,087	40,125	40,760	95	102
West North Central	4,670	4,154	4,058	87	98
South Atlantic	715,514	796,773	858,289	120	108
East South Central	553	487	483	87	99
West South Central	38,061	36,430	37,981	100	104
Mountain	9,319	2,225	2,224	24	100
Pacific	159,854	191,824	189,463	119	99

- Represents zero.

(X) Not applicable.

¹ Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic.

² Middle Atlantic orange juice combined with South Atlantic.

Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: March 31, 2020 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			March 31, 2020 as a percent of	
	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen vegetables ¹					
Asparagus					
Middle Atlantic	412	274	268	65	98
East North Central	3,512	2,322	2,173	62	94
West North Central	146	124	114	78	92
South Atlantic	327	383	371	113	97
West South Central	576	332	309	54	93
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	1,446	1,458	1,376	95	94
Lima beans					
Middle Atlantic	3,880	6,748	5,949	153	88
East North Central	1,082	1,467	1,093	101	75
West North Central	1,125	2,278	2,098	186	92
South Atlantic	5,124	5,584	4,622	90	83
West South Central	323	131	142	44	108
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	14,525	10,872	10,260	71	94
Green beans, regular cut					
Middle Atlantic	20,018	29,083	23,052	115	79
East North Central	42,091	31,746	28,988	69	91
West North Central	6,590	8,991	7,556	115	84
South Atlantic	3,134	3,449	2,467	79	72
West South Central	2,011	1,843	1,742	87	95
Mountain	113	84	72	64	86
Pacific	43,470	51,150	44,377	102	87
Green beans, french style					
Middle Atlantic	2,356	2,996	2,370	101	79
East North Central	1,907	2,749	2,550	134	93
West North Central	259	373	335	129	90
South Atlantic	1,056	291	308	29	106
West South Central	48	93	173	360	186
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	5,908	6,762	7,578	128	112
Broccoli, spears					
Middle Atlantic	11,272	9,541	9,820	87	103
East North Central	8,992	16,529	16,338	182	99
West North Central	2,744	2,278	2,228	81	98
South Atlantic	1,331	3,599	4,472	336	124
West South Central	6,187	8,024	9,263	150	115
Mountain	48	11	755	1,573	6,864
Pacific	4,136	5,762	6,595	159	114
Broccoli, chopped and cut					
Middle Atlantic	4,137	2,176	2,033	49	93
East North Central	9,237	7,340	5,704	62	78
West North Central	192	433	464	242	107
South Atlantic	2,517	1,531	1,585	63	104
West South Central	9,048	9,333	11,111	123	119
Mountain	23	63	43	187	68
Pacific	12,534	12,874	13,108	105	102

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: March 31, 2020 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			March 31, 2020 as a percent of	
	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Brussels sprouts					
Middle Atlantic	1,330	2,169	1,821	137	84
East North Central	723	362	504	70	139
West North Central	493	336	265	54	79
South Atlantic	3,237	1,403	1,317	41	94
West South Central	856	982	1,022	119	104
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	6,277	6,439	4,622	74	72
Carrots, diced					
Middle Atlantic	11,435	15,269	14,221	124	93
East North Central	34,112	44,412	40,226	118	91
West North Central	8,736	11,815	11,298	129	96
South Atlantic	609	683	694	114	102
West South Central	1,843	939	934	51	99
Mountain	7	372	370	5,286	99
Pacific	52,772	83,235	71,334	135	86
Carrots, other					
Middle Atlantic	7,091	8,696	8,193	116	94
East North Central	14,941	18,066	16,797	112	93
West North Central	3,120	3,962	3,714	119	94
South Atlantic	1,173	603	517	44	86
West South Central	5,523	2,464	2,201	40	89
Mountain	274	85	46	17	54
Pacific	55,639	47,913	41,400	74	86
Cauliflower					
Middle Atlantic	2,980	4,579	4,239	142	93
East North Central	5,238	8,415	8,396	160	100
West North Central	444	570	434	98	76
South Atlantic	1,103	991	902	82	91
West South Central	6,025	4,202	3,937	65	94
Mountain	69	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	8,200	10,255	11,697	143	114
Corn, cut					
Middle Atlantic	27,637	30,587	25,043	91	82
East North Central	26,242	42,881	33,739	129	79
West North Central	48,645	64,038	51,030	105	80
South Atlantic	8,330	9,734	8,273	99	85
West South Central	4,633	2,405	1,815	39	75
Mountain	301	800	713	237	89
Pacific	236,008	301,205	304,193	129	101
Corn, cob					
Middle Atlantic	3,543	4,510	3,796	107	84
East North Central	5,904	12,520	10,883	184	87
West North Central	41,053	48,246	37,695	92	78
South Atlantic	3,053	749	868	28	116
West South Central	2,162	2,067	2,172	100	105
Mountain	1,490	195	503	34	258
Pacific	145,719	148,703	135,307	93	91

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: March 31, 2020 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			March 31, 2020 as a percent of	
	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Mixed vegetables					
Middle Atlantic	6,922	7,977	6,942	100	87
East North Central	15,171	8,624	7,337	48	85
West North Central	850	787	991	117	126
South Atlantic	1,972	1,860	1,839	93	99
West South Central	9,599	3,634	4,179	44	115
Mountain	672	1,130	778	116	69
Pacific	18,067	21,966	20,322	112	93
Okra					
Middle Atlantic	1,749	2,231	1,886	108	85
East North Central	94	200	263	280	132
West North Central	232	330	291	125	88
South Atlantic	6,150	7,400	5,140	84	69
West South Central	11,192	22,499	17,868	160	79
Mountain	1	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	1,978	2,549	2,161	109	85
Onion rings					
Middle Atlantic	422	489	461	109	94
East North Central	7,025	10,337	10,937	156	106
West North Central	569	576	604	106	105
South Atlantic	2,576	1,719	2,206	86	128
West South Central	1,282	1,627	1,688	132	104
Mountain	3,359	2,293	1,981	59	86
Pacific	498	736	813	163	110
Onions, other					
Middle Atlantic	5,006	3,794	4,257	85	112
East North Central	2,802	2,936	2,979	106	101
West North Central	1,358	1,350	1,307	96	97
South Atlantic	1,148	817	880	77	108
West South Central	2,726	1,775	1,584	58	89
Mountain	9,047	8,171	9,136	101	112
Pacific	37,248	37,603	44,267	119	118
Blackeye peas					
Middle Atlantic	751	393	401	53	102
East North Central	13	8	7	54	88
West North Central	21	54	47	224	87
South Atlantic	295	130	148	50	114
West South Central	96	94	86	90	91
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	536	456	649	121	142
Green peas					
Middle Atlantic	7,035	11,065	8,828	125	80
East North Central	13,487	15,704	12,805	95	82
West North Central	17,893	18,586	12,420	69	67
South Atlantic	7,720	7,227	4,656	60	64
West South Central	1,571	1,044	1,201	76	115
Mountain	42	111	84	200	76
Pacific	99,914	101,075	96,665	97	96

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: March 31, 2020 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			March 31, 2020 as a percent of	
	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Peas and carrots mixed					
Middle Atlantic	763	1,779	1,452	190	82
East North Central	1,030	780	719	70	92
West North Central	46	71	94	204	132
South Atlantic	635	71	77	12	108
West South Central	166	304	334	201	110
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	5,361	7,359	6,830	127	93
Spinach					
Middle Atlantic	7,238	6,460	6,473	89	100
East North Central	2,854	2,595	2,741	96	106
West North Central	894	1,018	843	94	83
South Atlantic	5,970	7,174	6,927	116	97
West South Central	7,614	9,043	9,011	118	100
Mountain	412	376	796	193	212
Pacific	8,132	10,947	10,432	128	95
Squash, summer/zucchini					
Middle Atlantic	3,999	4,633	4,375	109	94
East North Central	18,436	20,918	19,205	104	92
West North Central	359	419	336	94	80
South Atlantic	2,233	1,705	1,842	82	108
West South Central	2,774	1,780	1,799	65	101
Mountain	43	45	35	81	78
Pacific	24,774	17,419	16,168	65	93
Southern greens					
Middle Atlantic	2,347	3,231	2,907	124	90
East North Central	165	32	30	18	94
West North Central	5	192	174	3,480	91
South Atlantic	2,094	2,060	1,959	94	95
West South Central	5,243	4,754	4,419	84	93
Mountain	2	238	365	18,250	153
Pacific	495	440	617	125	140
Other					
Middle Atlantic	59,491	56,035	51,413	86	92
East North Central	62,768	68,018	58,253	93	86
West North Central	21,652	28,138	26,934	124	96
South Atlantic	13,586	21,787	21,067	155	97
West South Central	19,219	22,301	26,529	138	119
Mountain	18,465	17,082	17,057	92	100
Pacific	280,950	189,357	185,580	66	98
Total frozen vegetables					
Middle Atlantic	191,814	214,715	190,200	99	89
East North Central	277,826	318,961	282,667	102	89
West North Central	157,426	194,965	161,272	102	83
South Atlantic	75,373	80,950	73,137	97	90
West South Central	100,717	101,670	103,519	103	102
Mountain	34,368	31,056	32,734	95	105
Pacific	1,064,587	1,076,535	1,036,351	97	96

- Represents zero.

(X) Not applicable.

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

Frozen Potatoes in Cold Storage – Regions: March 31, 2020 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			March 31, 2020 as a percent of	
	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen potatoes					
French fries					
New England	16,388	17,964	26,715	163	149
Middle Atlantic	50,507	32,020	30,247	60	94
East North Central	81,869	110,925	117,318	143	106
West North Central	98,831	111,526	110,152	111	99
South Atlantic	70,836	71,545	72,800	103	102
East South Central	696	994	1,023	147	103
West South Central	37,946	35,675	43,376	114	122
Mountain	200,673	185,224	200,622	100	108
Pacific	480,479	466,703	474,609	99	102
Other					
New England	14,880	12,958	15,379	103	119
Middle Atlantic	11,112	6,202	6,605	59	106
East North Central	45,009	44,462	47,096	105	106
West North Central	18,579	19,611	19,717	106	101
South Atlantic	14,381	16,097	14,366	100	89
East South Central	652	1,236	1,239	190	100
West South Central	17,250	15,239	18,032	105	118
Mountain	70,584	55,406	56,878	81	103
Pacific	61,139	45,714	52,339	86	114
Total frozen potatoes					
New England	31,268	30,922	42,094	135	136
Middle Atlantic	61,619	38,222	36,852	60	96
East North Central	126,878	155,387	164,414	130	106
West North Central	117,410	131,137	129,869	111	99
South Atlantic	85,217	87,642	87,166	102	99
East South Central	1,348	2,230	2,262	168	101
West South Central	55,196	50,914	61,408	111	121
Mountain	271,257	240,630	257,500	95	107
Pacific	541,618	512,417	526,948	97	103

Frozen Red Meat in Cold Storage – Regions: March 31, 2020 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			March 31, 2020 as a percent of	
	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	February 29, 2020
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen red meat					
Beef					
Boneless					
New England	296	311	286	97	92
Middle Atlantic	166,293	162,671	156,403	94	96
East North Central	39,165	46,986	43,771	112	93
West North Central	92,112	104,427	105,814	115	101
South Atlantic	11,688	11,580	18,503	158	160
East South Central	1,016	1,131	1,274	125	113
West South Central	27,145	36,135	42,321	156	117
Mountain	11,111	15,036	12,490	112	83
Pacific	73,484	82,063	86,007	117	105
Beef cuts					
New England	354	460	315	89	68
Middle Atlantic	985	2,593	2,583	262	100
East North Central	4,204	4,484	4,401	105	98
West North Central	6,371	6,109	7,733	121	127
South Atlantic	2,257	1,353	1,903	84	141
East South Central	378	315	380	101	121
West South Central	2,233	2,426	2,363	106	97
Mountain	2,753	3,311	2,944	107	89
Pacific	10,095	13,202	12,933	128	98
Total beef					
New England	650	771	601	92	78
Middle Atlantic	167,278	165,264	158,986	95	96
East North Central	43,369	51,470	48,172	111	94
West North Central	98,483	110,536	113,547	115	103
South Atlantic	13,945	12,933	20,406	146	158
East South Central	1,394	1,446	1,654	119	114
West South Central	29,378	38,561	44,684	152	116
Mountain	13,864	18,347	15,434	111	84
Pacific	83,579	95,265	98,940	118	104
Other meat ¹					
Veal					
Middle Atlantic	3,520	4,298	4,400	125	102
East North Central	125	39	44	35	113
West South Central	400	305	407	102	133
Pacific	529	200	187	35	94
Lamb and mutton					
Middle Atlantic	9,592	15,921	16,747	175	105
East North Central	2,422	2,610	3,162	131	121
West South Central	3,763	1,832	1,705	45	93
Pacific	15,249	17,016	16,946	111	100
Total other meat					
Middle Atlantic	13,112	20,219	21,147	161	105
East North Central	2,547	2,649	3,206	126	121
West South Central	4,163	2,137	2,112	51	99
Pacific	15,778	17,216	17,133	109	100

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: March 2020

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
Nuts					
Shelled					
Pecans	65,269	2019	11,072	1973	January 1970
In-Shell					
Pecans	265,843	2000	20,803	1977	January 1970
Dairy products					
Butter	645,297	1992	3,044	1927	December 1915
Natural cheese					
American	1,117,272	1984	6,750	1919	December 1915
Swiss	34,224	2007	347	1945	August 1917
Other	575,164	2020	1,593	1918	August 1917
Total natural cheese	1,384,366	2019	15,102	1919	August 1917
Frozen eggs					
Whites	40,070	1950	666	1990	April 1940
Yolks	25,211	1950	573	1999	April 1940
Whole and mixed	96,164	1948	4,215	1986	April 1940
Unclassified	39,091	1946	716	1966	April 1940
Total frozen eggs	149,710	1946	2,394	1917	April 1916
Frozen Poultry					
Chicken					
Broilers, fryers, and roasters	78,103	1946	9,681	1917	April 1916
Hens, mature chickens	68,594	1952	1,526	2013	April 1916
Breasts and breast meat	226,734	2020	88,847	2004	May 2003
Drumsticks	38,692	2019	9,857	2007	May 2003
Leg quarters	189,412	2015	51,240	2007	May 2003
Legs	22,087	2020	6,632	2013	May 2003
Thigh and thigh quarters	16,763	2006	7,028	2004	May 2003
Thigh meat	35,852	2020	10,656	2005	May 2003
Wings	77,032	2016	22,201	2009	May 2003
Paws and feet	33,881	2020	9,972	2006	May 2003
Other	776,682	2000	218,807	2014	January 1991
Total chicken	921,422	2020	38,325	1943	December 1939
Turkey					
Whole turkeys					
Toms	151,384	2004	361	2001	March 2001
Hens	117,368	2009	72,766	2020	April 2001
Total whole turkeys	255,228	2004	361	2001	March 2001
Breasts	108,897	2019	47,509	2015	January 2009
Legs	21,419	2012	8,127	2014	January 2009
Mechanically deboned meat	11,383	2012	5,712	2015	January 2009
Other	245,649	1998	18,786	2002	January 1967
Unclassified	120,569	2009	73,271	2011	January 2009
Total turkey	549,278	2003	2,892	1917	April 1916
Ducks	10,499	2016	590	1945	June 1932
Total frozen poultry	1,342,856	2019	25,988	1917	April 1916

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

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
Frozen fruit					
Apples	107,179	1995	16,375	1949	June 1944
Apricots	24,826	1946	1,893	1951	June 1945
Blackberries					
Individual quick frozen	17,913	2007	4,968	1994	June 1992
Pails and tubs	5,508	1993	683	2009	June 1992
Barrels, 400 lbs net	7,828	2014	956	2011	June 1992
Concentrate	2,635	1995	54	2006	June 1992
Total blackberries	24,247	2013	1,722	1939	June 1938
Blueberries	196,529	2020	4,143	1940	June 1938
Boysenberries	13,557	1959	274	2020	January 1959
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)	124,138	2010	26,207	1977	January 1967
Cherries, tart (juice stock)	9,488	2019	290	2010	January 1990
Cherries, sweet	19,586	2013	5,534	2004	January 1978
Grapes	21,674	1951	1,277	2010	June 1944
Peaches	82,498	1991	13,242	1951	June 1944
Raspberries, black	9,416	1959	226	2012	January 1959
Raspberries, red					
Individual quick frozen	29,636	2018	5,170	1993	June 1992
Pails and tubs	13,316	1996	2,804	2008	June 1992
Barrels, 400 lbs net	19,970	2019	4,428	2008	June 1992
Concentrate	4,821	1995	732	2004	June 1992
Total red raspberries	58,003	2018	6,493	1977	January 1959
Strawberries					
Individual quick frozen and poly	117,826	2003	60,478	2006	January 2002
Pails and tubs	67,296	2017	33,609	2020	January 2002
Barrels and drums	67,644	2010	11,348	2002	January 2002
Juice stock	25,959	2017	5,365	2008	January 2002
Total strawberries	255,978	2017	11,533	1945	June 1938
Other	716,384	2001	25,043	1964	June 1938
Total frozen fruit	1,439,934	2017	10,307	1924	June 1923
Frozen juice concentrate					
Orange	2,191,321	1999	44,576	1950	September 1949
Other	670,461	1995	15,174	1945	June 1944
Total frozen juice concentrate	2,642,181	1999	15,174	1945	June 1944

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

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
Frozen Vegetables					
Asparagus	14,526	1973	1,855	1979	June 1938
Lima beans	112,296	1963	24,164	2020	January 1960
Green beans, regular cut	179,446	2013	28,823	1960	January 1960
Green beans, french style	50,309	1991	10,177	2015	January 1960
Broccoli, spears	53,434	1975	15,746	1977	January 1972
Broccoli, chopped and cut	132,956	1993	19,254	1977	January 1972
Brussels sprouts	39,158	1981	2,112	1945	June 1944
Carrots, diced	142,072	2016	44,034	1977	January 1976
Carrots, other	174,813	1996	23,546	1977	January 1976
Cauliflower	84,019	1991	2,671	1945	June 1944
Corn, cut	448,133	2010	82,543	1982	January 1970
Corn, cob	273,553	1992	29,494	1971	January 1970
Mixed vegetables	72,412	2017	14,066	1956	January 1956
Okra	54,340	1995	5,133	1994	January 1972
Onion rings	18,690	2020	3,659	2011	January 1973
Onions, other	64,446	2012	5,893	1973	January 1973
Blackeye peas	19,573	1991	1,306	2012	January 1972
Green peas	238,263	2017	2,663	1937	December 1936
Peas and carrots mixed	17,880	1962	3,964	2008	January 1956
Spinach	105,346	1999	367	1937	December 1936
Squash, summer/zucchini	61,541	1998	19,595	1979	January 1979
Southern greens	49,479	1995	10,351	2019	January 1972
Other	476,131	2019	1,384	1937	December 1936
Total frozen vegetables	2,125,683	2017	714,887	1965	January 1962
Frozen potatoes					
French fries	1,076,862	2020	33,167	1956	January 1956
Other	272,912	2004	84,257	1971	January 1971
Total frozen potatoes	1,308,513	2020	708,544	1971	January 1971

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

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
Frozen red meat					
Beef					
Boneless	466,869	2020	184,710	1982	January 1972
Beef cuts	77,072	1974	17,896	1988	January 1972
Total beef	511,233	2013	21,541	1933	December 1915
Pork					
Picnics, bone-in	19,582	2015	2,926	1990	January 1957
Hams					
Bone-in	51,271	2008	18,454	1996	January 1995
Boneless	74,312	2019	14,487	1995	January 1995
Total hams	105,065	2011	10,092	1977	January 1957
Bellies	139,494	1964	20,570	2017	January 1957
Loins					
Bone-in	22,875	2005	8,907	1996	January 1993
Boneless	30,911	2016	4,498	1993	January 1993
Total loins	48,540	2008	7,645	1991	December 1960
Ribs	146,135	2016	11,048	1961	December 1960
Butts	33,656	2015	3,649	1993	December 1960
Trimming	88,102	1998	17,049	1966	December 1960
Other	146,825	1992	40,600	1961	January 1957
Variety meats	66,152	2000	10,997	1993	January 1993
Unclassified	83,726	2009	4,660	1993	January 1993
Total pork	672,431	2015	64,996	1917	December 1915
Other red meat					
Veal	20,997	1953	2,613	2005	June 1944
Lamb and mutton	40,648	2016	1,222	1932	December 1915
Total other red meat	49,395	2018	9,053	2004	June 1944
Total frozen red meat	1,388,764	1919	409,068	1958	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.
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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 February 28: 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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