

POULTRY

Slaughtered Under Federal Inspection and Poultry
Used in Canning and Other Processed Foods
December 1961

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Canned and processed poultry - Poultry inspected for canning and other processed food in December 1961 totaled 48,670,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 45,956,000 pounds in December 1960, an increase of 6 percent. The quantity used in December consisted of 17,550,000 pounds of young chickens, 15,964,000 pounds of mature chickens, 13,366,000 pounds of turkeys, and 1,790,000 pounds of other poultry.

Inspected poultry - The number of head (chickens, turkeys, and ducks combined) inspected under the Poultry Inspection Act carried on by the U.S. D.A. during December 1961 totaled 129,854,000, compared with 131,520,000 head the same month a year earlier. The number of head and pounds (live weight) inspected by classes were: young chickens, 108,725,000 head, 383,068,000 pounds; mature chickens, 11,400,000 head, 53,863,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1,467,000 head, 12,831,000 pounds; young turkeys, 7,798,000 head, 159,728,000 pounds; old turkeys, 77,000 head, 1,610,000 pounds; and ducks, 387,000 head, 2,351,000 pounds.

Certified poultry - The quantity of poultry certified as wholesome during December 1961 totaled 452,784,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight of which 290,707,000 pounds were iced and 162,077,000 pounds frozen. Total pounds certified by class of poultry were as follows: young chickens, 275,849,000 pounds; mature chickens, 36,971,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 9,874,000 pounds; young turkeys, 126,838,000 pounds; old turkeys, 1,298,000 pounds; ducks, 1,673,000 pounds; and other poultry 281,000 pounds.

Ante-mortem condemnations amounted to 1,331,000 pounds live weight for all classes. Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of the quantities inspected: young chickens, 0.22 percent; mature chickens 0.33 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 0.55 percent; young turkeys, 0.16 percent; old turkeys, 0.16 percent; and ducks, 0.03 percent.

Post-mortem condemnations totaled 13,360,000 pounds (NYD weight). Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of the quantities inspected: young chickens, 2.59 percent; mature chickens, 2.76 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 2.19 percent; young turkeys, 1.94 percent; old turkeys, 1.31 percent; ducks, 2.32 percent; and other poultry 0.27 percent. In December 1960, the condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 2.38 percent; mature chickens, 2.53 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1.91 percent; young turkeys, 1.12 percent; old turkeys, 1.32 percent; and ducks, 2.28 percent.

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Poultry: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, December 1961 with comparisons

Class	Number inspected			Pounds inspected (live weight)			Average live weight		
	Nov. 1961	December 1961	January 1961	Nov. 1961	December 1961	January 1961	Nov. 1961	December 1961	January 1961
Young chickens	119,662	111,863	108,725	1,533,560	1,726,024	1,726,024	423,473	389,617	383,068
Mature chickens	13,806	11,206	11,400	110,466	119,035	64,933	54,135	53,863	535,181
Total chickens	133,468	123,069	120,125	1,644,026	1,845,059	1,790,997	477,608	443,480	890,249
Fryer-roasters	1,664	1,177	1,467	13,787	17,056	15,057	10,590	12,831	119,936
Young turkeys	14,611	6,791	7,798	54,225	72,697	297,756	142,971	159,728	1,019,850
Old turkeys	73	89	77	2,690	3,407	1,460	1,610	50,221	4,401
Total turkeys	16,348	8,057	9,342	70,702	93,160	314,273	155,324	174,169	1,190,007
Ducks	630	394	387	10,086	9,626	3,990	2,385	2,351	62,287
Other poultry	---	---	---	---	---	2,428	442	411	4,401
Total poultry	---	---	---	---	---	809,097	601,903	613,862	6,928,709

Pounds certified (ready-to-cook weights)

Class	November 1961			December 1961			January 1961			December 1960			January 1960			December 1959		
	Iced	Frozen	Total	Iced	Frozen	Total	Iced	Frozen	Total	Iced	Frozen	Total	Iced	Frozen	Total	Iced	Frozen	Total
Young chickens	264,395	41,570	305,965	252,541	28,212	280,753	241,070	34,779	275,849	3,381,971	317,118	3,699,089	3,847,152	438,634	4,285,786	---	---	---
Mature chickens	30,516	13,697	44,213	24,587	13,113	37,700	24,670	12,301	36,971	250,508	121,845	372,353	266,399	132,012	398,411	---	---	---
Total chickens	294,914	55,267	350,181	277,128	41,325	318,453	265,740	47,080	312,820	3,632,479	438,963	4,071,442	4,113,551	571,646	4,685,197	---	---	---
Fryer-roasters	2,704	8,836	11,540	1,193	7,084	8,277	2,108	7,766	9,874	19,954	73,174	93,128	25,510	89,246	114,756	---	---	---
Young turkeys	30,954	205,794	236,748	21,485	93,870	115,355	22,155	104,683	126,838	123,279	691,912	815,191	109,413	979,679	1,089,092	---	---	---
Old turkeys	534	622	1,156	356	1,062	1,418	452	846	1,298	4,821	35,272	40,093	5,202	47,129	52,331	---	---	---
Total turkeys	34,192	215,252	249,444	23,034	102,016	125,050	24,715	113,295	138,010	148,054	800,398	948,412	140,125	1,116,054	1,256,179	---	---	---
Ducks	169	2,584	2,753	238	1,472	1,710	221	1,452	1,673	2,667	41,718	44,385	1,929	40,575	42,504	---	---	---
Other poultry	61	1,689	1,750	32	272	304	31	250	281	230	2,829	3,059	122	4,041	4,163	---	---	---
Total poultry	329,336	274,792	604,128	300,432	145,085	445,517	290,707	162,077	452,784	3,783,430	1,283,868	5,067,298	4,255,727	4,732,316	5,988,043	---	---	---

POULTRY: Condemnations of poultry slaughtered under Federal Inspection, December 1961 with comparisons

Class	Ante-mortem condemnations				Post-mortem condemnations			
	Pounds (live weight)		Pounds (live weight)		Pounds (N.Y. dressed wt.)		Pounds (N.Y. dressed wt.)	
	December	Percent	January-December	Percent	December	Percent	January - December	Percent
	1960	1961	1960	1961	1960	1961	1960	1961
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
	pounds	Percent	pounds	Percent	pounds	Percent	pounds	Percent
Young chickens	1,044	0.27	12,018	0.22	8,316	2.38	114,901	2.59
Mature chickens	180	.33	1,761	.33	1,228	2.53	12,316	2.76
Total chickens	1,224	.28	13,779	.23	9,544	2.40	127,217	2.62
Fryer-roasters	40	.38	268	.55	181	1.91	1,518	2.19
Young turkeys	410	.29	1,413	.16	1,436	1.12	11,237	1.94
Old turkeys	2	.11	70	.16	21	1.32	654	1.31
Total turkeys	452	.29	1,751	.19	1,638	1.18	13,409	1.95
Ducks	1	.04	38	.03	49	2.28	962	2.32
Other poultry ^{2/}	---	---	3	---	---	---	31	.27
Total	1,677	.28	15,571	.22	11,231	2.08	141,619	2.42

Poultry: Inspected for canning and other processed foods, December 1961 with comparisons 4/

Class	Pounds used ready-to-cook weight				Pounds condemned ready-to-cook weight			
	November		December		November		December	
	1961	1960	1961	1960	1961	1960	1961	1960
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds
Young chickens	20,327	12,456	17,550	101,752	40.9	1.3	1,367.7	177.5
Mature chickens	16,688	16,808	15,964	191,644	29.9	12.4	298.3	181.0
Turkeys	16,002	13,626	13,366	101,512	4.3	3.1	74.1	43.1
Other poultry	2,279	3,066	1,790	33,473	10.9	3.6	21.8	49.7
Total	55,296	45,956	48,670	596,556	86.0	20.4	1,761.9	451.3

1/ Average weight based on unrounded data.
 2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N.Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.
 3/ Dashes mean less than 500 head or 500 pounds.
 4/ Since October 1960 data on poultry parts and fat used in canning are no longer available by class of poultry. For December 1961 the 1,790,000 pounds shown above as other, include 1,389,000 pounds of parts, 324,000 pounds of fat, and 77,000 pounds of duck and other poultry.

Young chickens: Slaughtered under Federal inspection, by regions and selected States, December 1960 and 1961

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Average live weight inspected		Total pounds certified (ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations			
	1960	1961	1960	1961	1960	1961	1960	1961	1960	1961	Percent 1960	Percent 1961
N. Atl.	11,246	11,185	44,165	45,930	3.93	4.11	31,551	32,827	1,084	927	2.74	2.25
E. N. Cent.	4,092	3,028	15,254	11,451	3.73	3.78	11,004	8,288	211	177	1.55	1.72
W. N. Cent.	3,600	3,650	12,419	12,515	3.45	3.43	8,860	8,817	207	411	1.86	3.67
S. Atl.	49,424	46,185	172,630	163,003	3.49	3.53	124,787	118,356	3,655	3,406	2.36	2.33
S. Cent.	40,413	41,494	133,394	138,194	3.30	3.33	96,063	99,128	2,869	3,654	2.40	2.94
West	3,088	3,183	11,755	11,975	3.81	3.76	8,488	8,433	290	352	2.75	3.28
U. S.	111,863	108,725	389,617	383,068	3.48	3.52	280,753	275,849	8,316	8,927	2.38	2.59
Maine	4,147	4,976	17,022	20,773	4.11	4.17	12,416	15,185	449	470	2.94	2.52
Mass.	385	324	1,756	1,555	4.56	4.80	1,224	1,093	44	52	2.80	3.77
Conn.	1,235	749	3,876	2,826	3.14	3.77	2,618	1,906	78	57	2.26	2.24
N. J. 3/	43	21	232	102	5.35	4.91	112	32	6	---	2.83	---
Pa.	4,475	4,336	17,456	17,449	3.90	4.02	12,534	12,476	444	308	2.85	1.97
Ohio	1,287	937	4,769	3,575	3.71	3.82	3,470	2,588	64	63	1.49	1.95
Ind.	1,394	1,019	4,840	3,520	3.47	3.46	3,542	2,546	64	48	1.46	1.51
Ill.-Mich. 4/	224	193	1,219	874	5.44	4.53	828	630	14	20	1.28	2.55
Wis.	1,187	879	4,426	3,482	3.73	3.96	3,164	2,524	69	46	1.75	1.49
Minn.	386	910	1,477	3,389	3.82	3.73	1,096	2,416	14	154	1.06	5.12
Iowa	101	125	621	632	6.16	5.07	468	463	5	6	.84	.93
Mo.	2,919	2,563	9,549	8,272	3.27	3.23	6,728	5,776	177	250	2.06	3.37
Del.	4,820	5,170	18,839	20,087	3.91	3.88	13,755	14,753	558	378	3.30	2.10
Md.	7,605	7,086	29,201	26,437	3.84	3.73	20,832	18,978	697	409	2.66	1.72
Va.	3,291	2,893	9,761	8,847	2.97	3.06	7,047	6,240	207	209	2.36	2.63
N.C.	11,667	11,353	40,535	40,386	3.47	3.56	29,289	29,265	551	675	1.51	1.86
S.C.	702	1,076	2,408	3,736	3.43	3.47	1,719	2,620	40	135	1.86	4.01
Ga.	20,346	18,010	68,501	61,554	3.37	3.42	49,690	45,079	1,555	1,563	2.53	2.82
Ky.	1,884	1,408	6,452	4,849	3.42	3.45	4,529	3,244	157	133	2.72	3.07
Tenn.	3,226	2,885	10,892	9,788	3.38	3.39	7,917	7,115	217	234	2.22	2.67
Ala.	10,467	10,562	35,484	36,094	3.39	3.42	26,022	26,335	965	1,176	3.03	3.63
Miss.	6,616	7,134	21,869	23,157	3.31	3.25	16,151	16,902	518	542	2.64	2.61
Ark.	11,861	12,967	38,023	42,372	3.21	3.27	26,581	29,839	687	1,111	2.01	2.92
La.-Okla. 4/5/	---	1,390	4,838	---	---	3.48	---	3,459	---	108	---	---
Texas	5,001	5,148	16,117	17,096	3.22	3.32	11,608	12,234	230	350	1.59	2.28
Idaho	247	353	804	1,278	3.25	3.62	583	922	12	14	1.60	1.28
Utah	72	37	274	134	3.78	3.62	201	98	3	1	1.56	.77
Wash.	339	400	1,194	1,450	3.52	3.63	840	990	28	35	2.59	2.68
Oreg. 5/	429	---	1,448	---	3.38	---	1,029	---	21	---	1.61	---
Calif.	2,001	2,308	8,035	8,811	4.02	3.82	5,835	6,215	226	296	3.13	3.74

1/ Average weight based on unrounded data.
 2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N.Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.
 3/ Dashes mean less than 500 head or 500 pounds.
 4/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.
 5/ Data for only 1 year published in order to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Young chickens: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, December 1961

Region and State	Tuber-culosis		Leu-cosis		Septi-cemia		Airsac-culitis		Inflam-matory		Tumors		Fars-ites		Bruises		Cadaver-Inspection		Contam-ination		Over-:scald		Decom-position		Other		Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
N. Atl.	28,836	105,909	59,521	15,405	1,098	65	2,660	5,198	6,893	133	84	789	226,891														
E. N. Cent.	1,935	19,479	21,651	8,996	347	17	1,647	3,243	2,340	184	17	1,222	57,180														
W. M. Cent.	2,956	34,637	78,887	16,338	298	9	1,267	6,338	7,091	341	2	275	148,636														
S. Atl.	67,710	150,500	553,895	39,426	2,573	53	5,941	23,701	32,682	4,010	2,026	230,452	1,112,970														
S. Cent.	35,229	195,866	641,898	33,132	3,132	47	9,585	35,200	34,507	3,656	312	169,833	1,162,397														
West.	2,117	30,579	45,671	9,230	743	7	1,426	2,241	6,075	758	19	14,962	113,828														
U.S.	138,783	536,970	1,401,523	118,627	8,191	198	22,526	75,921	89,588	9,382	2,460	417,533	2,821,902														
Maine	11,304	53,273	17,232	8,857	676	42	1,871	2,974	3,686	156	4	422	100,497														
Mass.	1,287	7,905	1,062	403	14	---	96	349	240	74	1	94	11,525														
Conn.	3,758	5,400	4,021	1,013	42	---	107	104	1,195	39	---	7	15,686														
N.J.	11	32	1	6	1	---	4	2	4	---	---	---	61														
Pa.	11,005	37,412	31,267	4,165	318	5	514	1,414	1,579	79	71	266	88,095														
Ohio	743	8,697	7,843	1,847	99	---	268	1,031	678	20	15	239	21,480														
Ind.	716	5,122	5,542	1,997	102	17	413	469	638	84	2	427	15,531														
Ill.-Michl./	286	2,083	2,525	530	21	---	141	529	115	57	---	6	6,293														
Wis.	190	3,577	5,741	722	125	---	825	1,214	909	23	---	550	13,876														
Minn.	566	9,004	34,675	819	157	3	406	1,768	1,495	41	---	229	49,318														
Iowa	213	390	201	21	8	---	30	61	378	3	---	---	1,311														
Mo.	2,159	25,056	43,900	15,475	132	1	804	4,478	5,150	297	---	46	97,498														
Del.	16,876	37,486	39,864	12,821	345	7	506	2,070	1,714	248	649	978	113,564														
Md.	17,019	41,389	40,672	9,347	677	3	746	3,011	2,801	950	1	9,468	126,084														
Va.	7,171	27,390	34,001	8,300	129	7	282	650	1,048	281	17	628	79,904														
N.C.	7,424	18,051	94,583	4,974	713	23	2,199	7,158	7,078	862	254	92,300	235,619														
S.C.	239	483	25,660	93	23	1	221	2,213	1,160	42	42	9,883	40,061														
Ga.	18,184	24,524	309,335	3,740	655	11	1,912	8,165	18,661	1,623	1,063	114,074	501,947														
Ky.	1,050	12,882	29,743	2,530	62	9	1,918	1,420	1,573	557	---	29	51,773														
Tenn.	2,183	9,342	45,960	879	94	5	447	2,509	2,434	254	43	19,549	83,699														
Ala.	5,186	11,904	247,012	2,345	375	9	709	8,636	8,062	308	69	99,554	384,249														
Miss.	5,114	16,563	112,800	1,719	338	4	1,528	5,643	8,248	1,044	102	30,963	184,096														
Miss.	11,466	101,413	147,725	14,261	923	18	2,870	11,380	7,549	1,071	27	19,585	318,288														
Ark.	1,908	9,826	10,178	1,948	603	1	527	1,079	1,455	43	5	23	27,596														
La.-Okla. L/	8,322	33,936	48,480	9,450	737	1	1,556	4,533	5,186	299	66	130	112,696														
Texas	51	1,353	1,521	102	32	1	157	279	346	154	---	980	4,976														
Idaho	33	107	17	12	---	2	8	20	3	---	---	---	202														
Utah	151	3,070	3,777	450	7	---	144	84	156	94	6	4,103	12,042														
Wash.	1,754	25,304	40,267	8,474	699	4	1,056	1,791	5,501	510	13	9,035	94,408														
Calif.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---														

L/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Mature chickens: Slaughtered under Federal inspection, by regions and selected States, December 1960 and 1961

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations		
	1960	1961	1960	1961	1960	1961	1960	1961	1960	1961	
	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Pounds	Percent	
N. Atl.	1,997	2,081	10,124	10,265	5.07	4.93	6,866	6,925	159	1.82	
E. N. Cent.	1,995	2,016	8,707	8,756	4.36	4.34	6,041	6,041	186	2.17	
W. N. Cent.	2,454	2,635	11,020	11,290	4.40	4.28	7,569	7,574	341	3.45	
S. Atl.	2,113	2,085	11,411	11,151	5.40	5.35	8,155	7,923	224	2.19	
S. Cent.	1,486	1,406	8,252	7,508	5.55	5.34	5,808	5,248	209	2.82	
West.	1,161	1,177	4,621	4,893	3.98	4.16	3,231	3,260	120	2.89	
U.S.	11,206	11,400	54,135	53,863	4.63	4.72	37,700	36,971	1,228	2.53	
Maine	301	254	1,975	1,669	6.56	6.57	1,449	1,228	41	2.27	
Conn. 3/	155	1,023	1,023	---	6.58	---	713	---	15	1.71	
N.Y.	194	937	3,916	3,916	4.07	4.59	2,042	2,444	48	1.37	
N.J.	816	981	3,916	3,916	4.07	4.59	2,042	2,444	48	1.65	
Pa.	305	243	1,507	1,362	4.95	5.61	1,041	939	23	1.75	
Ohio	456	446	2,092	2,003	4.59	4.49	1,480	1,396	45	2.39	
Ind.	581	898	2,661	3,979	4.58	4.43	1,617	2,399	42	1.77	
Ill.	719	572	2,935	2,314	4.08	4.05	2,171	2,006	59	2.25	
Mich.	42	18	198	77	4.70	4.19	127	56	2	1.32	
Wis.	197	82	821	383	4.16	4.65	656	184	21	2.89	
Minn.	873	856	3,627	3,572	4.16	4.17	2,485	2,340	155	4.74	
Iowa	366	394	1,545	1,663	4.20	4.23	1,076	1,133	44	3.18	
Mo.	615	693	3,160	3,044	5.14	4.39	2,219	2,142	52	1.84	
N. Dak. - S. Dak. 4/	96	117	404	554	4.21	4.74	273	354	10	2.75	
Nebr.	446	528	1,966	2,232	4.39	4.23	1,286	1,456	75	4.26	
Kans.	54	47	318	225	5.89	4.79	230	149	5	1.75	
Del.	27	37	191	242	7.10	6.47	140	174	2	1.51	
Md. 3/	---	403	---	---	---	4.04	---	---	---	45	---
Va.	176	239	951	1,196	5.41	5.02	683	841	22	2.52	
N.C.	763	569	4,080	3,335	5.35	5.86	2,863	2,353	76	2.07	
S.C.	40	65	266	384	6.66	5.87	193	275	6	2.61	
Ga.	715	699	4,016	4,016	6.02	5.74	3,137	2,907	86	2.23	
Ky.	36	41	206	224	5.79	5.50	147	153	5	2.72	
Tenn.	294	239	1,707	1,324	5.80	5.55	1,216	910	25	1.61	
Ala.	336	307	1,902	1,422	5.66	4.63	1,361	1,035	49	2.88	
Miss.	216	90	955	628	4.42	6.98	647	455	25	2.96	
Ark.	122	155	708	965	5.78	6.37	493	681	22	3.56	
La. - Okla. 4/	167	191	1,008	1,073	6.04	5.62	700	756	37	4.08	
Texas	315	383	1,766	1,852	5.60	4.83	1,224	1,258	46	2.89	
Idaho	7	12	35	61	5.08	5.19	23	40	1	3.61	
Utah	37	53	194	194	4.19	3.69	110	139	3	2.04	
Wash.	76	96	319	424	4.19	4.32	211	279	7	2.49	
Oreg. 3/	80	---	338	---	4.25	---	234	---	10	3.06	
Calif.	995	995	3,745	4,129	3.92	4.15	2,634	2,744	99	2.95	

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Mature chickens: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, December 1961

Region and State	Tuber- : culosis		Leu- : cosis		Septil- : Airtsac- : Inflam- : matory		Para- : sites		Bruises		Cadaver : Ination		Contam- : Over- : scaid		Decom- : position		Other		Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
N.Atl.	513	4,148	16,424	435	7,503	4,511	8	472	912	1,604	150	36	257	36,973					
E.N.Cent.	6,596	6,486	19,182	49	4,475	6,220	244	642	2,582	2,034	115	30	2,065	50,742					
W.N.Cent.	20,861	5,693	36,462	143	8,171	5,515	1,618	1,152	2,442	4,855	426	30	12,448	99,836					
S.Atl.	20	3,265	15,884	367	6,696	2,973	11	668	1,465	2,500	330	12	24,421	56,724					
S.Cent.	68	7,150	19,726	432	8,657	1,747	287	430	1,082	4,800	166	19	7,695	52,259					
West.	---	1,441	20,798	47	7,484	7,153	96	912	1,236	1,298	170	16	6,219	46,872					
U.S.	28,078	28,185	128,476	1,473	42,988	26,119	2,266	4,296	9,719	17,181	1,359	143	53,125	345,406					
Maine	---	505	2,561	3	1,731	341	---	70	79	366	1	1	242	5,920					
N.Y.	6	464	1,728	5	626	450	---	159	244	121	24	11	---	3,836					
N.J.	496	1,367	7,427	2	2,461	2,666	8	110	364	592	89	11	15	15,606					
Pa.	11	440	2,129	24	708	295	---	29	43	258	5	8	---	3,950					
Ohio	1,040	1,866	4,896	3	1,989	2,220	194	186	582	441	28	14	90	13,551					
Ind.	1,637	2,918	8,737	18	797	3,180	13	197	1,154	645	27	9	1,144	20,476					
Ill.	3,651	1,603	4,046	12	1,637	566	37	248	801	774	45	7	816	14,246					
Mich.	19	40	221	---	13	120	---	5	15	32	11	---	---	476					
Wis.	249	61	1,282	16	39	134	---	4	30	142	1	---	35	1,993					
Minn.	5,501	1,024	15,093	9	3,519	3,778	399	493	1,102	2,930	343	7	11,830	46,028					
Iowa	3,337	1,042	5,173	27	1,046	402	94	186	196	655	23	11	34	12,228					
I Mo.	1,119	1,884	7,156	24	1,792	729	566	222	801	617	52	---	276	15,240					
N.Dak.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
S.Dak.	1,940	462	1,292	46	589	67	65	52	32	158	---	1	15	4,719					
Nebr.	8,764	1,202	7,179	10	1,095	488	494	158	229	336	9	9	268	20,241					
Kans.	220	79	569	27	130	51	---	39	82	159	1	2	23	1,382					
Del.	---	171	412	64	119	303	---	2	19	19	1	---	---	1,110					
Md.	20	1,180	5,487	5	2,576	811	---	417	421	358	217	---	274	11,766					
Va.	---	237	3,579	28	1,463	314	---	20	88	145	20	1	1	5,896					
N.C.	---	1,417	3,223	49	2,014	413	---	119	379	711	56	2	6,755	15,138					
S.C.	---	6	121	16	71	37	---	27	108	117	---	5	1,451	1,959					
Ca.	---	194	1,889	201	445	873	11	101	374	1,130	27	4	15,257	20,506					
Ky.	30	61	724	1	247	204	1	7	6	42	---	---	---	1,323					
Tenn.	1	604	2,958	38	688	245	47	70	203	313	102	---	365	5,634					
Ala.	---	405	546	39	198	139	2	30	204	798	14	1	6,665	9,041					
Miss.	---	41	1,312	46	75	64	---	35	54	212	---	---	586	2,425					
Ark.	---	398	3,085	187	990	363	---	57	190	767	---	---	62	6,099					
La., Okla.	37	913	4,618	36	1,062	267	236	101	159	891	20	14	14	8,370					
Texas	---	4,728	6,483	63	5,397	465	1	130	266	1,777	30	4	3	19,367					
Idaho	---	15	141	18	4	38	---	2	5	20	---	---	13	256					
Utah	---	53	238	---	65	100	---	19	8	1	---	---	12	516					
Wash.	---	50	897	---	179	71	1	13	28	160	1	---	932	2,352					
Calif.	---	1,273	19,323	29	6,943	6,934	97	877	1,191	1,078	169	16	5,212	43,142					

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Young turkeys (mature): Slaughtered under Federal inspection, by regions and selected States, December 1960 and 1961

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations			
	1960	1961	1960	1961	1960	1961	1960	1961	1960	1961	Percent	Percent
	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Percent	Percent
N.Atl.	335	406	5,995	7,685	17.90	18.93	4,792	5,997	36	66	0.67	0.96
E.N.Cent.	827	1,072	16,268	19,870	19.67	18.54	33,019	15,736	140	315	0.96	1.76
W.N.Cent.	1,956	2,346	41,248	46,596	21.09	19.86	33,259	36,940	416	1,003	1.12	2.40
S.Atl.	583	599	9,919	11,564	17.01	19.31	7,859	8,951	89	132	1.00	1.27
S.Cent.	1,011	1,055	21,768	23,169	21.53	21.96	17,228	18,392	241	421	1.23	2.02
West	2,079	2,320	47,773	50,844	22.98	21.92	39,198	40,822	514	841	1.20	1.84
U.S.	6,791	7,798	142,971	159,728	21.05	20.48	115,355	126,838	1,436	2,778	1.12	1.94
Pa.	286	303	5,095	5,831	17.80	19.25	4,128	4,600	28	40	.60	.77
Ohio	252	267	4,689	5,198	18.60	19.47	3,730	4,097	43	44	1.02	.93
Ind.	242	278	5,154	5,687	21.29	20.45	4,146	4,557	40	100	.86	1.95
Ill.-Mich. 3/	177	167	3,560	3,193	20.11	19.12	2,866	2,504	34	117	1.06	4.07
Wis.	156	360	2,865	5,792	18.42	16.07	2,277	4,578	23	54	.92	1.04
Miss.	643	960	12,028	16,360	18.71	17.04	9,664	12,878	138	411	1.28	2.80
Low.	621	602	13,681	12,979	22.02	21.56	11,056	10,406	133	247	1.06	2.12
Mo.	390	450	10,026	8,754	22.28	22.45	8,101	6,808	103	229	1.14	2.91
N.Dak.-S.Dak. 3/4/	---	25	---	375	---	15.00	---	---	297	---	---	1.48
Nebr.	167	274	3,919	6,274	23.50	22.94	3,171	5,083	28	64	.60	1.49
Kans.	64	95	1,427	1,854	22.30	19.52	1,132	1,468	12	27	.94	1.62
Va.	263	277	3,825	5,117	14.57	18.48	2,941	3,827	49	74	1.40	1.61
N.C.	148	148	3,232	3,233	21.90	21.81	2,632	2,604	18	23	.59	.80
S.C.	40	28	880	629	21.75	22.49	708	507	5	8	.63	1.02
Ga.	46	63	1,042	1,267	22.75	20.23	846	1,019	7	5	.72	.70
Ky.	115	114	2,177	2,271	18.98	19.87	1,728	1,750	7	32	.35	1.61
Ark.	308	279	6,834	5,963	22.20	21.34	5,330	4,551	108	158	1.76	2.95
Okla.	129	202	2,703	4,517	20.97	22.35	2,145	3,593	33	66	1.35	1.64
Texas	418	434	9,261	9,913	22.15	22.83	7,426	8,119	85	158	1.02	1.77
Colo.	167	124	4,161	2,867	24.98	23.06	3,390	2,355	19	26	.49	1.04
Utah	268	306	7,377	6,997	27.57	22.90	6,143	5,635	55	78	.63	1.25
Wash.	45	35	1,000	798	22.10	22.50	795	630	6	10	.77	1.48
Oreg.	151	151	3,174	3,036	21.02	20.11	2,460	2,428	38	57	1.34	2.12
Calif.	1,419	1,665	31,528	36,463	22.22	21.90	25,982	29,218	392	668	1.39	2.04

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Young turkeys (mature): Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, December 1-61

Region and State	Tuberculosis	Leucosis	Septicemia	Airsacculitis	Inflammatory	Tumors	Parasites	Bruises	Cadaver contamination	Over-scald	Decomposition	Other	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N.Atl.	---	92	2,524	263	361	3	---	36	95	123	3	---	3,503
E.N.Cent.	10	37	8,992	5,377	616	55	3	202	513	742	55	1	1,326
W.N.Cent.	16	269	22,566	23,971	2,242	44	5	580	1,020	2,733	301	27	4,618
S.Atl.	1	37	5,303	700	1,090	6	---	19	131	170	23	4	534
S.Cent.	---	217	9,133	5,646	1,380	59	2	114	217	377	66	13	17,947
West.	---	108	14,412	14,356	5,439	68	1	506	636	716	48	22	40,436
U.S.	27	760	62,950	50,355	11,330	235	11	1,459	2,612	5,063	496	70	111,117
Pa.	---	9	1,396	155	97	3	---	23	69	50	3	---	1,605
Ohio	5	14	1,512	219	241	33	3	44	162	36	5	---	2,260
Ind.	1	10	3,177	1,207	264	4	---	70	96	213	26	1	5,439
Ill.-Mich. 1/	4	4	2,820	3,657	61	2	---	43	89	356	13	---	7,352
Wis.	---	9	1,483	314	252	11	---	25	166	105	11	---	3,060
Minn.	16	24	10,577	11,093	747	12	3	190	644	1,516	163	1	28,767
Iowa	---	21	4,794	6,503	256	14	---	190	173	255	30	11	12,770
Mo.	---	174	5,042	4,696	761	6	---	72	84	524	5	---	11,451
N.Dak.-S.Dak. 1/	---	3	186	181	36	1	---	13	15	10	---	2	449
Nebr.	---	60	1,394	1,175	360	9	2	60	71	334	103	11	3,667
Kans.	---	7	591	343	42	2	---	35	33	92	---	2	1,146
Va.	---	7	3,253	490	371	---	---	5	83	45	13	4	4,271
N.C.	---	9	490	17	465	---	---	6	19	47	3	---	1,426
S.C.	---	1	128	11	49	---	---	1	1	13	---	---	370
Ga.	1	6	196	11	53	6	---	1	5	34	1	---	356
Ky.	---	1	1,345	672	86	2	---	16	16	73	16	---	345
Ark.	---	7	2,479	1,484	162	8	---	21	51	135	21	---	2,234
Okla.	---	25	2,066	486	147	1	---	25	22	45	12	---	5,092
Texas	---	184	3,087	2,948	960	47	2	52	124	117	17	---	7,544
Colo.	---	---	223	255	555	1	---	1	3	35	1	---	1,064
Utah	---	3	1,369	934	772	6	---	16	82	71	15	---	3,307
Wash.	---	2	105	445	3	1	---	2	1	30	---	---	569
Oreg.	---	1	2,238	470	265	15	---	29	65	71	1	---	3,167
Calif.	---	101	10,410	12,249	3,643	44	1	456	473	677	30	---	32,165

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Old turkeys (breeders): Slaughtered under Federal inspection, by regions and selected States, December 1960 and 1961

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations	
	1960 : 1961		1960 : 1961		1960 : 1961		1960 : 1961		1960 : 1961	
	Thou.	Thou.	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Percent	Percent
N. Atl. 3/	---	5	---	22.60	---	88	---	2	---	1.97
E. N. Cent.	13	26	532	20.46	179	431	5	4	2.42	.84
W. N. Cent.	29	25	603	18.60	491	375	10	7	1.84	1.68
S. Atl. 3/	12	2	211	25.00	171	38	1	---	.53	---
S. Cent. 3/	4	---	84	---	67	---	---	---	---	---
West.	31	19	635	23.68	510	366	5	6	.88	1.48
U.S.	89	77	1,763	20.91	1,418	1,298	21	19	1.32	1.31
Ohio	9	19	138	15.12	109	332	---	2	.51	.40
Minn.	29	25	597	20.37	485	374	10	7	1.74	1.66
Va. 4/	2	---	31	14.85	24	---	---	---	1.01	---
Calif.	30	19	622	23.81	500	364	5	6	.92	1.59

Old turkeys (breeders): Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, December 1961

Region and State	Tuberculosis		Leucositis		Septicemia		Airsacculitis		Inflammation		Parasites		Bruises		Cadaver contamination		Over-scald		Decomposition		Other		Total
	1961		1961		1961		1961		1961		1961		1961		1961		1961		1961		1961		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
N. Atl.	---	18	---	8	---	9	---	2	---	8	---	2	---	8	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	36	
E. N. Cent.	---	40	---	11	---	53	---	2	---	4	---	5	---	4	---	9	---	---	---	---	---	77	
W. N. Cent.	---	118	---	6	---	2	---	---	---	2	---	---	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	267	
S. Atl.	---	11	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	21	
S. Cent.	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	4	
West.	---	84	---	47	---	31	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	1	---	6	---	---	---	---	---	226	
U.S.	---	273	---	121	---	76	---	3	---	15	---	9	---	24	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	631	
Ohio	---	33	---	7	---	53	---	2	---	7	---	2	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	53	
Minn.	---	118	---	6	---	2	---	---	---	4	---	5	---	2	---	9	---	---	---	---	---	267	
Va.	---	11	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	21	
Calif.	---	84	---	47	---	31	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	1	---	6	---	---	---	---	---	226	

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- Mature chickens - Fowl from breeder and market egg flocks and stags and cocks.
- Fryer-roaster turkeys - Young immature birds, usually under 16 weeks of age.
- Young turkeys (mature) - Young birds grown to a matured market age, usually 5 to 7 months.
- Old turkeys (breeders) - Fully matured birds held for egg production, usually over 15 months of age.
- Ducks - Includes all ducks regardless of age and weight.
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