

POULTRY

Slaughtered Under Federal Inspection and Poultry
Used in Canning and Other Processed Foods
March 1962

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Canned and processed poultry: Poultry inspected and used for canning and other processed food in March 1962 totaled 39, 016, 000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 39, 805, 000 pounds in March 1961--a decrease of 2 percent. The quantity used in March 1962 consisted of 7, 048, 000 pounds of young chickens, 18, 570, 000 pounds of mature chickens, 9, 591, 000 pounds of turkeys, and 3, 807, 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 March 1962 amounted to 145, 877, 000, compared with 144, 856, 000 in March 1961. The number of head (live weight) inspected by classes were: young chickens, 136, 857, 000 head, 470, 872, 000 pounds; mature chickens, 7, 126, 000 head, 37, 002, 000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1, 051, 000 head, 9, 253, 000 pounds; young turkeys, 375, 000 head, 6, 538, 000 pounds; old turkeys, 82, 000 head, 1, 674, 000 pounds; and ducks, 386, 000 head, 2, 406, 000 pounds.

Certified poultry: The quantity of poultry certified as wholesome during March 1962 totaled 380, 552, 000 pounds ready-to-cook weight of which 324, 506, 000 pounds were iced and 56, 046, 000 pounds were frozen. Total pounds certified by class of poultry were as follows: young chickens, 339, 473, 000 pounds; mature chickens 25, 549, 000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 7, 244, 000 pounds; young turkeys, 5, 212, 000 pounds; old turkeys, 1, 317, 000 pounds; ducks, 1, 694, 000 pounds; and other poultry, 63, 000 pounds.

Ante-mortem condemnations amounted to 1, 145, 000 pounds live weight for all classes. Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 0. 21 percent; mature chickens, 0. 27 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 0. 31 percent; young turkeys, 0. 20 percent; and old turkeys, 0. 19 percent.

Post-mortem condemnations in March 1962 amounted to 12, 520, 000 pounds (NYD) weight. Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 2. 72 percent, mature chickens, 2. 26 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1. 39 percent; young turkeys, 1. 46 percent; old turkeys, 3. 19 percent; and ducks 1. 71 percent. In March 1961, the condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 1. 97 percent; mature chickens, 2. 35 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1. 06 percent; young turkeys, 0. 94 percent; old turkeys, 2. 19 percent; and ducks 1. 51 percent.

Poultry: Condemnations of poultry slaughtered under Federal inspection, March 1962 with comparisons

Class	Ante-mortem condemnations				Post-mortem condemnations			
	Pounds (live weight)		Percent 1/		Pounds (live weight)		Percent 2/	
	March 1961	March 1962	March 1961	March 1962	March 1961	March 1962	March 1961	March 1962
Young chickens	967	1,000	0.21	0.21	1,000	1,000	1.97	2.72
Mature chickens	73	101	.24	.27	388	11,482	2.35	2.26
Total chickens	1,040	1,101	.21	.22	3,485	12,233	1.99	2.68
Fryer-roasters	35	28	.22	.31	112	115	1.06	1.39
Young turkeys	12	13	.11	.20	90	86	.94	1.46
Old turkeys	5	3	.14	.19	8	48	2.19	3.19
Total turkeys	52	44	.17	.25	210	249	1.14	1.59
Ducks 3/	3	---	.11	---	1	37	1.51	1.71
Other poultry 3/	---	---	---	---	1	1	---	---
Total	1,095	1,145	.21	.22	3,697	12,520	1.94	2.64

Poultry: Inspected for canning and other processed foods 4/, March 1962 with comparisons

Class	Pounds used ready-to-cook weight				Pounds condemned ready-to-cook weight			
	February 1962		March 1962		February 1962		March 1962	
	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962
Young chickens	5,834	7,284	7,048	19,692	2	15	27	15
Mature chickens	15,851	20,021	18,570	56,651	3	7	52	30
Turkeys	8,193	9,560	9,591	25,527	5	9	17	14
Other poultry 5/	3,377	2,940	3,807	7,897	1	1	4	5
Total	33,255	39,805	39,016	109,767	11	32	100	64

1/ Pounds condemned as percent of pounds (live weight) inspected. Percentages 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 pounds. 4/ All poultry inspected for canning and other processing. Excludes raw product cut up and packaged. (Data issued currently during 1961 included raw product cut up and packaged in plants other than those in which the birds were slaughtered and eviscerated.) 5/ Poultry parts and fat used in canning that cannot be identified by class are included in "other poultry."

Young chickens: Slaughtered under Federal inspection, by regions and selected States, March 1961 and 1962

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations					
	1961	1962	1,000	pounds	1961	1962	1,000	pounds	1961	1962	1,000	Percent	1961	1962
N.Atl.	13,321	11,508	50,582	44,495	3.80	3.87	35,812	31,655	889	922	1.96	1.96	2.31	2.31
E.N.Cent.	4,344	3,491	15,575	12,219	3.59	3.50	11,313	8,827	226	189	1.62	1.62	1.72	1.72
W.N.Cent.	5,549	4,162	18,654	13,810	3.36	3.32	13,176	9,819	377	380	2.25	2.25	3.07	3.07
S.Atl.	56,529	58,263	193,420	202,625	3.42	3.48	139,350	147,221	3,077	4,689	1.77	1.77	2.58	2.58
S.Cent.	51,464	55,879	168,300	185,342	3.27	3.32	120,468	133,145	3,241	4,988	2.14	2.14	3.00	3.00
West.	4,481	3,554	16,207	12,381	3.62	3.48	11,547	8,806	372	314	2.56	2.56	2.83	2.83
U.S.	136,688	136,857	462,738	470,872	3.41	3.44	331,666	339,473	8,182	11,482	1.97	1.97	2.72	2.72
Maine	4,659	4,701	18,458	18,270	3.96	3.89	13,351	13,447	281	402	1.70	1.70	2.45	2.45
Mass.	410	408	1,680	1,667	4.10	4.09	1,171	1,166	29	47	1.95	1.95	3.18	3.18
Conn.	1,361	799	4,329	2,891	3.18	3.62	2,837	1,945	81	90	2.10	2.10	3.50	3.50
N.J.	41	32	199	165	4.79	5.09	65	46	3	1	1.36	1.36	4.6	4.6
Pa.	5,776	4,973	21,751	19,252	3.77	3.87	15,546	13,615	422	319	2.16	2.16	1.85	1.85
Ohio	1,411	997	5,125	3,498	3.63	3.51	3,716	2,540	80	49	1.73	1.73	1.54	1.54
Ind.	1,376	1,316	4,698	4,366	3.41	3.32	3,427	3,142	55	84	1.30	1.30	2.14	2.14
Ill.-Mich. 3/	175	181	813	728	4.65	4.02	572	512	9	17	.90	.90	2.61	2.61
Wis.	1,382	997	4,939	3,627	3.57	3.64	3,598	2,633	82	39	1.85	1.85	1.20	1.20
Minn. 4/	798	---	2,841	---	3.56	---	2,106	---	45	---	1.79	1.79	---	---
Mo.	4,415	3,155	14,462	10,234	3.26	3.24	10,065	7,190	318	309	2.44	2.44	3.36	3.36
Del.	5,861	6,294	21,439	23,996	3.66	3.81	15,634	17,653	288	523	1.50	1.50	2.42	2.42
Md.	8,760	7,678	32,443	28,556	3.70	3.72	22,782	20,431	386	485	1.32	1.32	1.89	1.89
Va.	4,999	4,033	15,023	12,526	3.01	3.11	10,774	8,902	348	236	2.58	2.58	2.10	2.10
N.C.	13,321	14,395	45,673	50,310	3.43	3.50	33,822	36,600	580	1,076	1.41	1.41	2.38	2.38
S.C.	759	1,311	2,538	4,457	3.34	3.40	1,824	3,177	35	114	1.50	1.50	2.84	2.84
Ga.	21,924	23,760	73,378	80,156	3.35	3.37	52,427	58,558	1,409	2,225	2.14	2.14	3.09	3.09
Ky.	1,915	1,510	6,569	5,086	3.43	3.37	4,635	3,589	97	100	1.64	1.64	2.21	2.21
Tenn.	4,385	4,100	15,075	14,274	3.44	3.48	10,295	10,384	269	307	1.99	1.99	2.40	2.40
Ala.	10,937	13,571	36,417	45,669	3.33	3.37	26,636	33,354	710	1,554	2.17	2.17	3.79	3.79
Miss.	8,714	9,476	28,440	31,335	3.26	3.31	20,929	22,847	551	721	2.15	2.15	2.56	2.56
Ark.	16,985	17,433	53,884	56,410	3.17	3.24	37,861	39,599	1,136	1,647	2.48	2.48	3.25	3.25
La.-Okla. 3/	1,976	2,514	6,593	8,319	3.34	3.31	4,764	5,959	127	221	2.18	2.18	2.96	2.96
Texas	6,552	7,275	21,322	24,249	3.25	3.33	15,348	17,413	351	438	1.99	1.99	2.01	2.01
Idaho	288	326	933	1,123	3.23	3.44	669	825	20	12	2.41	2.41	1.20	1.20
Wash.	499	643	1,699	2,212	3.41	3.44	1,188	1,561	57	39	1.63	1.63	1.96	1.96
Oreg. 4/	549	---	1,851	---	3.37	---	1,256	---	57	---	3.49	3.49	---	---
Calif.	3,025	2,444	11,302	8,538	3.74	3.49	8,127	6,063	266	255	2.63	2.63	3.33	3.33

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Young chickens: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, March 1962

Region and State	Tuber- culosis	Leu- coccidia	Septi- cemia	Airsac- culitis	Inflam- matory	Tumors	Para- sites	Bruises	Cadaver- infection	Contam- nation	Over- scaled	Decom- position	Other	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N.Atl.	---	38,002	97,435	66,810	20,130	757	6	3,321	4,048	9,014	269	25	745	240,562
E.N.Cent.	---	3,285	18,056	28,373	4,436	410	3	1,279	3,869	2,449	463	337	1,276	64,236
W.N.Cent.	---	2,407	45,330	63,451	10,255	209	3	1,026	4,421	6,564	230	---	129	134,125
S.Atl.	---	85,251	163,900	750,387	45,486	2,615	20	6,934	31,870	44,749	4,697	1,222	346,765	1,483,896
S.Cent.	---	41,562	233,089	942,003	43,361	3,217	33	10,056	40,436	40,392	2,945	391	187,580	1,545,065
West.	---	3,582	32,623	35,794	10,491	704	15	1,044	2,091	5,247	707	8	14,884	107,190
U.S.	---	174,089	590,433	1,886,818	134,159	7,912	80	23,660	86,735	108,515	9,311	1,983	551,379	3,575,074
Maine	---	13,035	48,019	21,486	7,392	294	---	2,273	2,048	4,340	101	9	325	99,322
Mass.	---	831	4,669	894	2,158	149	---	137	468	237	52	---	55	9,650
Conn.	---	9,397	7,276	6,852	2,815	73	2	136	185	1,988	14	---	1	28,739
N.J.	---	25	38	72	23	2	---	26	2	1	---	---	---	189
Pa.	---	12,804	35,385	26,069	4,956	217	4	566	1,078	2,087	99	13	221	83,499
Ohio	---	1,572	5,748	6,612	1,775	168	1	324	823	584	13	337	109	18,066
Ind.	---	1,407	7,465	15,405	1,363	116	2	402	813	854	398	---	270	28,495
Ill.-Mich. I/	---	113	1,673	2,274	398	9	---	49	768	268	8	---	5	5,565
Wis.	---	193	3,170	4,082	900	117	---	504	1,465	743	44	---	892	12,110
Mo.	---	2,099	39,532	54,997	9,823	186	2	876	3,697	5,675	223	---	54	117,164
Del.	---	26,242	50,858	61,622	18,868	504	1	520	2,074	1,988	319	---	105	163,101
Md.	---	18,928	47,997	54,077	12,510	594	---	744	2,663	3,996	693	13	8,858	151,073
Va.	---	9,083	30,502	32,240	4,732	133	---	257	736	1,565	164	15	570	79,997
N.C.	---	9,531	13,404	144,556	5,481	561	13	2,479	11,137	9,266	1,151	30	128,289	325,898
S.C.	---	314	1,072	18,520	136	22	---	274	1,565	1,688	50	35	10,817	34,493
Ga.	---	19,560	18,474	436,073	3,497	767	6	2,553	13,177	25,789	2,254	1,129	194,881	718,160
Ky.	---	1,252	7,083	22,310	1,548	62	---	912	1,343	1,067	160	---	54	35,791
Tenn.	---	2,591	12,194	54,267	1,245	88	15	516	2,788	3,592	44	125	21,108	98,573
Ala.	---	4,788	13,171	391,660	298	237	---	865	8,538	8,000	585	71	87,911	516,124
Miss.	---	7,906	9,331	135,434	1,553	434	1	1,600	4,514	8,220	972	15	38,033	208,013
Ark.	---	12,955	131,197	251,613	20,258	1,046	3	3,500	16,191	10,137	571	94	39,951	487,516
La.-Okla. I/	---	2,695	23,108	36,048	4,158	375	13	931	1,590	2,144	48	18	49	71,177
Texas	---	9,375	37,005	50,671	14,301	975	1	1,732	5,472	7,232	565	68	474	127,871
Idaho	---	35	1,612	728	119	8	---	194	203	203	59	---	1,051	4,222
Wash.	---	261	7,784	2,769	453	10	---	116	98	231	38	7	1,936	13,703
Calif.	---	3,084	22,591	32,214	9,623	661	15	675	1,737	4,766	610	1	10,777	86,754

1/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Mature chickens: Slaughtered under Federal inspection, by regions and selected States, March 1961 and 1962

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations			
	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962		
N.Atl.	1,326	1,344	7,328	7,462	5.53	5.55	4,908	5,201	105	109	1.60	1.63
E.N.Cent.	859	1,037	3,864	4,597	4.50	4.43	3,141	3,251	91	98	2.62	2.38
W.N.Cent.	903	1,312	4,054	6,038	4.49	4.60	2,751	4,026	113	148	3.12	2.74
S.Atl.	1,128	1,756	6,657	10,394	5.90	5.92	4,778	7,243	116	189	1.94	2.02
S.Cent.	742	777	4,091	4,634	5.51	5.96	2,852	3,246	100	108	2.72	2.59
West.	1,051	900	4,557	3,877	4.34	4.31	2,946	2,582	120	99	2.44	2.84
U.S.	6,009	7,126	30,551	37,002	5.08	5.19	21,376	25,549	645	751	2.35	2.26
Maine	261	251	1,662	1,720	6.36	6.84	1,112	1,246	24	38	1.60	2.41
Conn.	160	70	1,019	436	6.39	6.21	691	301	8	7	.95	1.77
N.Y.	184	141	832	649	4.53	4.60	555	484	10	7	1.43	1.16
N.J.	237	335	946	1,342	3.99	4.01	593	838	23	21	2.67	1.71
Pa.	186	260	1,537	1,537	5.25	5.92	676	1,074	15	16	1.63	1.14
Ohio	259	263	1,180	1,177	4.56	4.47	818	843	26	22	2.48	2.12
Ind.	319	471	1,479	2,114	4.64	4.49	954	1,470	27	44	2.05	2.33
Ill.	153	197	644	850	4.22	4.31	957	578	29	19	5.00	2.52
o.Mich.	17	30	82	120	4.77	4.06	69	90	1	4	1.71	3.15
Wis.	111	76	479	336	4.32	4.42	343	270	8	9	1.93	2.89
Minn.	328	514	1,388	2,140	4.23	4.17	934	1,410	46	75	3.64	3.94
Iowa	124	42	536	209	4.32	4.96	366	153	18	2	3.78	1.11
Mo.	310	596	1,513	3,021	4.88	5.07	1,048	2,020	25	51	1.84	1.89
Nebr.	112	---	472	---	4.21	---	304	---	22	---	5.14	---
Kans.	29	---	145	---	5.07	---	99	---	2	---	1.62	---
Del.	15	40	114	304	7.70	7.64	81	221	1	4	1.60	1.31
Va.	74	186	406	1,062	5.50	5.71	289	746	14	19	3.81	2.00
N.C.	414	540	2,514	3,368	6.08	6.24	1,780	2,274	33	50	1.59	1.64
S.C.	32	214	214	201	6.68	6.66	154	141	5	6	2.40	2.97
Ca.	388	658	2,549	4,207	6.57	6.39	1,867	3,001	46	89	2.02	2.35
Ky.	22	64	155	363	6.90	5.65	106	250	2	6	1.38	1.86
Tenn.	172	165	940	1,040	5.46	6.29	650	721	13	17	1.52	1.83
Ala.	132	157	727	903	5.52	5.74	537	667	21	20	3.25	2.47
Miss.	41	97	294	530	7.11	5.49	211	367	6	9	2.28	1.84
Ark.	76	63	469	444	6.15	7.03	326	304	13	15	3.11	3.76
La.-Okla.	73	99	377	620	5.16	6.26	256	435	14	17	4.13	3.06
Texas	226	132	1,129	734	5.00	5.54	766	502	31	24	3.07	3.74
Idaho	11	16	56	72	4.90	4.56	49	49	1	1	1.34	2.33
Utah	32	25	119	91	3.70	3.68	83	65	3	---	3.12	---
Wash.	97	77	411	347	4.24	4.48	268	227	6	7	1.76	2.16
Oreg.	70	---	297	---	4.24	---	206	---	10	---	3.86	---
Calif.	841	756	3,674	3,258	4.31	4.31	2,350	2,168	100	87	3.02	2.98

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Region and State	Tuber- culosis	Leu- cemia	Septi- cemia	Alrscac- ulculitis	Inflam- matory	Tumors	Para- sites	Bruises	Ca- saver	Contam- ination	Over- scaled	Decom- position	Other	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
M. Atl.	53	2,311	8,811	55	4,366	2,717	4	410	488	1,478	57	249	10	21,009
E. N. Cent.	2,071	4,463	9,206	30	2,299	3,449	97	484	810	1,443	30	---	2,012	26,394
W. N. Cent.	4,635	2,605	12,524	148	5,177	3,293	190	980	761	1,081	204	10	4,321	35,929
S. Atl.	11	1,342	8,086	245	3,677	1,939	2	356	983	2,110	152	3	18,683	37,589
S. Cent.	21	3,383	8,760	206	3,184	921	16	247	310	1,793	135	10	4,165	23,151
West.	---	991	11,846	251	4,715	4,772	83	578	786	893	85	75	2,793	27,868
U.S.	16,791	15,095	59,233	935	23,418	17,091	392	3,055	4,138	8,798	663	347	31,984	171,940
Maine	---	444	2,220	---	1,468	245	---	80	68	550	22	2	9	5,108
Conn.	---	192	600	14	334	138	1	6	1	119	---	---	---	1,405
N.Y.	31	226	794	2	322	343	---	95	97	67	13	5	---	1,995
N.J.	21	489	2,630	13	911	941	---	87	157	335	4	---	---	5,588
Pa.	1	424	1,630	16	565	424	1	48	61	211	11	8	---	3,400
Ohio	387	1,192	1,896	9	1,141	686	63	99	234	204	8	---	80	5,999
Ind.	456	2,254	3,896	14	441	2,024	28	230	245	505	11	---	1,706	11,810
Ill.	756	632	2,265	2	358	243	6	79	251	622	8	---	212	5,434
Mich.	5	109	409	5	15	176	---	6	48	43	3	---	6	825
Wis.	467	276	740	---	344	320	---	70	32	69	---	---	8	2,326
Minn.	2,376	751	6,202	3	2,699	1,741	81	360	327	482	119	3	3,191	18,335
Iowa	195	120	234	---	7	4	---	2	16	8	---	---	12	558
Mo.	317	1,260	3,761	145	1,577	1,359	94	555	381	379	81	---	1,025	10,934
Del.	---	116	240	12	138	38	1	1	13	10	4	---	---	573
Va.	---	246	2,263	12	1,373	590	---	21	66	172	1	---	---	4,745
N.C.	---	226	1,365	48	638	333	---	75	389	737	104	---	6,586	10,501
S.C.	---	29	74	21	74	12	---	12	47	57	---	---	575	901
Ga.	---	238	1,500	150	506	412	1	83	226	990	8	3	11,287	15,404
Ky.	20	59	602	1	220	199	---	54	25	57	---	---	1	1,238
Tenn.	---	395	2,149	3	354	130	2	46	36	252	41	---	208	3,616
Ala.	---	167	558	22	74	156	---	13	73	184	2	---	3,301	4,550
Miss.	---	77	439	10	169	56	---	25	33	205	72	---	641	1,727
Ark.	---	325	1,154	43	595	108	---	24	47	379	1	---	---	2,676
La.-Okla. 1/2	1	403	1,606	9	556	185	11	30	34	205	3	7	14	3,064
Texas	---	1,957	2,252	118	1,216	87	3	55	62	511	16	3	---	6,280
Idaho	---	50	185	10	28	68	---	12	8	24	---	---	7	392
Utah	---	36	112	---	2	10	1	5	2	3	1	---	---	172
Wash.	---	110	899	---	236	117	---	7	13	78	---	---	396	1,856
Calif.	---	733	10,454	241	4,075	4,555	82	552	724	762	83	75	2,105	24,441

1/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Young turkeys (mature): Slaughtered under Federal inspection, by regions and selected States, March 1961 and 1962

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations				
	1961		1962		1961		1962		1961		1962		
	Thou.	Thou.	pounds	pounds	Pounds	Pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	Percent	pounds	Percent	
N. Atl.	71	27	958	630	13.49	23.33	676	512	4	3	0.46	0.53	
E. N. Cent.	77	50	884	600	11.48	12.00	694	472	6	5	.76	.93	
W. N. Cent.	123	58	1,636	846	13.30	14.59	1,293	666	19	13	1.29	1.71	
S. Atl.	199	59	3,057	1,042	15.36	17.66	2,471	838	17	9	.62	.96	
S. Cent.	63	34	884	650	14.03	19.12	696	531	6	4	.75	.68	
West.	251	147	4,089	2,770	16.29	18.84	3,274	2,193	45	52	1.22	2.09	
U. S.	784	375	11,508	6,538	14.68	17.43	9,104	5,212	97	86	.94	1.46	
Pa.	59	25	798	594	13.59	23.46	595	490	3	3	.46	.61	
Ohio 3/	36	10	336	103	9.40	10.76	260	81	2	2	.74	---	
Wis. 4/	---	39	---	477	---	12.32	---	375	---	5	---	1.20	---
Ill.	114	49	1,451	665	12.72	13.45	1,150	530	19	11	1.41	1.79	
Mo. 3/	2	1	43	14	20.57	21.78	31	11	---	---	1.53	---	
Va. 3/	17	7	214	85	12.38	12.29	167	65	2	---	1.15	---	
N. C.	121	35	2,175	714	17.95	20.58	1,778	579	11	8	.58	1.17	
Texas	50	33	747	634	14.84	19.39	596	519	5	4	.74	.79	
Utah 4/	29	---	342	---	11.77	---	264	---	2	---	.44	---	
Calif.	222	118	3,746	2,288	16.90	19.43	3,009	1,808	43	49	1.27	2.35	

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Young turkeys (mature): Number condemned post mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, March 1962

Region and State	Tuber-	Leu-	Septi-	Airsac-	Inflam-	Paras-	Tumors	Brui-	Cadaver-	Contam-	Over-	Decom-	Other	Total
	culosis	cosis	emia	cullitis	matory	sites	inflammation	scald	position					
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N.Atl.	---	---	133	4	11	---	---	2	3	9	---	---	---	162
E.N.Cent.	---	---	193	62	19	---	---	6	11	15	27	---	78	411
W.N.Cent.	---	---	269	206	71	2	---	30	35	74	7	---	20	714
S.Atl.	---	5	138	68	262	---	---	18	6	6	---	---	47	550
S.Cent.	---	10	150	22	70	1	1	6	1	2	---	---	---	263
West.	---	32	572	548	833	5	---	44	48	52	---	---	368	2,502
U.S.	---	47	1,455	910	1,266	8	1	106	104	158	34	---	513	4,602
Pa.	---	---	114	3	8	---	---	2	3	9	---	---	---	139
Ohio	---	---	9	1	2	---	---	1	2	2	---	---	---	17
Wis.	---	---	180	60	17	---	---	5	9	13	27	---	78	389
Minn.	---	---	234	192	67	2	---	27	35	72	7	---	---	636
Mo.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	1
Va.	---	3	19	7	3	---	---	2	2	---	---	---	---	36
N.C.	---	2	79	61	173	---	---	14	---	6	---	---	47	382
Texas	---	8	131	21	62	1	1	6	1	2	---	---	---	233
Calif.	---	32	540	535	789	5	---	39	45	50	---	---	368	2,403

Fryer-roaster turkeys: Slaughtered under Federal inspection, by regions and selected States, March 1961 and 1962

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected		Average live weight inspected		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations		
	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	
N.Atl. 3/	55	2	476	17	8.65	8.50	367	13	3	0.63	
E.N.Cent.	480	379	4,366	3,474	9.10	9.17	3,441	2,738	35	27	0.87
W.N.Cent.	881	489	7,808	4,208	8.86	8.61	6,179	3,326	79	61	1.62
S.Atl.	148	61	1,270	555	8.58	9.10	962	412	20	13	1.75
S.Cent.	67	38	498	329	7.43	8.66	392	251	2	3	1.01
West.	177	82	1,422	670	8.03	8.17	1,102	504	12	11	1.83
U.S.	1,808	1,051	15,840	9,253	8.76	8.80	12,443	7,244	151	115	1.06
Ohio	43	30	365	265	8.55	8.68	284	205	2	2	.57
Wis.	425	346	3,928	3,182	9.25	9.19	3,102	2,512	33	25	.94
Minn.	796	468	7,170	4,034	9.01	8.61	5,713	3,193	75	61	1.17
Iowa 3/ 4/	31	---	210	---	6.72	---	132	---	---	---	---
Va.	121	59	1,038	538	8.58	9.08	779	399	20	13	2.13
Calif.	153	80	1,230	655	8.02	8.21	947	492	11	11	1.07

Fryer-roaster turkeys: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, March 1962

Region and State	Tuberc-		Leu-		Septi-		Aireac-		Inflam-		Tumors		Para-		Bruises		Cadaaver		Contam-		Over-		Decom-		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.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	No.
E.N.Cent.	8	---	974	405	277	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	No.
W.N.Cent.	2	---	3,731	1,208	334	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	No.
S.Atl.	5	---	325	902	39	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	No.
S.Cent.	---	---	178	82	106	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	No.
West.	1	---	383	470	112	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	No.
U.S.	16	---	5,591	3,067	868	6	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	No.
Ohio	---	---	51	5	11	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	No.
Wis.	8	---	910	400	266	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	No.
Minn.	2	---	3,718	1,207	325	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	No.
Va.	5	---	317	899	38	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	No.
Calif.	1	---	372	470	111	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	No.

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Old turkeys (breeders): Slaughtered under Federal inspection, by regions and selected States, March 1961 and 1962

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected		Average live weight inspected		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations	
	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962
N. Atl. 3/	6	18	116	379	25.95	2	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
E. N. Cent.	49	26	946	500	19.33	91	298	8	1.92	2.35
W. N. Cent.	20	2	363	54	19.31	744	388	16	2.71	3.57
S. Atl. 3/	21	2	341	50	18.15	287	43	7	2.15	---
S. Cent.	83	32	1,734	689	16.24	263	38	2	.65	6.67
West.					20.89	1,374	548	35	2.24	3.39
U.S.	179	80	3,500	1,647	19.55	2,759	1,317	69	2.19	3.19
Ohio 3/	1	1	21	32	27.42	16	26	1	---	2.80
Wis. 4/	---	17	---	337	19.49	---	264	7	---	2.21
Minn.	38	26	727	492	18.62	572	382	16	2.96	3.80
Iowa 4/	10	---	191	---	---	150	---	3	1.46	---
Va. 3/	8	2	129	48	19.94	100	38	1	1.30	---
Texas 4/	13	---	210	---	---	169	---	1	.87	---
Calif.	68	31	1,421	674	21.68	1,124	536	30	2.38	3.16

Old turkeys (breeders): Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, March 1962

Region and State	Tuberc-		Leu-		Septi-		Airsac-		Inflam-		Tumors		Para-		Bruises		Cadaver		Contam-		Over-		Decom-		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.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
E. N. Cent.	2	116	2	29	51	13	8	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	278
W. N. Cent.	2	370	2	166	227	6	30	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	824
S. Atl.	---	---	---	8	2	1	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	48
S. Cent.	---	44	---	12	3	1	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	184
West.	---	445	2	90	161	17	36	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	892
U.S.	---	6 1,011	---	305	444	92	76	4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	2,226
Ohio	---	---	---	9	7	4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	26
Wis.	---	2 100	---	27	43	3	7	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	48
Minn.	---	2 368	---	166	227	21	30	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	822
Va.	---	---	---	21	8	1	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	33
Calif.	---	2 395	---	88	154	66	31	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	68

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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.
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