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Live Weight Poultry Inspections preliminarily totaled 1.51 billion pounds (687 thousand metric tons) during February 1983, an increase of 3 percent from February 1982, but 9 percent below January 1983, according to the Crop Reporting Board.

Inspections included 1.27 billion pounds (577 thousand metric tons) of young chickens, 3 percent above February 1982, but 9 percent below January 1983; 65.0 million pounds (29.5 thousand metric tons) of mature chickens, a decrease of 6 percent from February 1982 and 22 percent below January 1983. Turkey inspections totaled 169 million pounds (76.6 thousand metric tons), 8 percent above February 1982 but 7 percent below January 1983. Duck inspections of 9.15 million pounds (4150 metric tons) were 6 percent above February 1982 but 6 percent below January 1983.

Poultry Certified Wholesome during February 1983 totaled 1.11 billion pounds (502 thousand metric tons) ready-to-cook weight, 3 percent above February 1982. The percentage breakdown for the February 1983 total is 85 percent chilled and 15 percent frozen.

Ante-Mortem Condemnations during February totaled 5.24 million pounds (2380 metric tons) live weight. Condemnations were 0.34 percent of the quantity inspected for February 1983 compared with 0.38 percent for February 1982. Post-Mortem Condemnations were 24.1 million pounds (10.9 thousand metric tons) (N.Y.D. Weight), 1.77 percent of quantities inspected compared with 1.84 percent during February 1982.

Further Processed poultry totaled 294 million pounds (133 thousand metric tons) ready-to-cook weight. Cut-Up packaged poultry products totaled 491 million pounds (223 thousand metric tons) ready-to-cook weight.

Annual Total Poultry Slaughter (including slaughter in non-federally inspected plants) during 1982 was 15.3 billion pounds (6.93 million metric tons) ready-to-cook weight, slightly more than 1981 slaughter. Federal inspection covered 99 percent of the annual ready-to-cook poundage.

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POULTRY: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, FEBRUARY 1983 WITH COMPARISONS

	CHICKENS										TURKEY				OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
	YOUNG		MATURE		TOTAL		FRYER-ROASTERS	YOUNG 2/	OLD	TOTAL	DUCKS					
	1/	1/1	1/1	TOTAL	THOUSANDS											
NUMBER INSPECTED																
JANUARY 1983	339,491	18,946	358,437	107	8,337	89	8,532	1,537								
FEBRUARY 1982	310,082	15,573	325,655	265	7,481	58	7,539	1,345								
FEBRUARY 1983	311,911	16,667	328,578	32	8,221	69	8,322	1,446								
JAN-FEB 1982	625,592	32,780	658,372	516	15,027	147	15,590	2,653								
JAN-FEB 1983	651,403	33,614	685,017	140	16,559	157	16,856	2,979								
POUNDS INSPECTED																
JANUARY 1983	1,394,550	82,824	1,477,374	1,057	179,620	1,953	182,630	9,747	189	1,669,940						
FEBRUARY 1982	1,239,909	69,409	1,309,318	2,577	151,834	1,314	155,725	8,627	191	1,473,861						
FEBRUARY 1983	1,271,003	65,005	1,336,008	312	167,062	1,560	168,934	9,149	180	1,516,271						
JAN-FEB 1982	2,522,792	143,297	2,666,089	5,092	314,671	3,247	323,310	17,053	453	3,006,605						
JAN-FEB 1983	2,665,553	147,829	2,813,382	1,370	346,682	3,513	351,565	18,897	369	3,184,213						
AVERAGE LIVELINEWEIGHT																
JANUARY 1983	4.10	4.37	4.12	9.86	21.54	22.19	21.40	6.35								
FEBRUARY 1982	3.99	4.45	4.02	9.70	20.29	22.55	19.95	6.40								
FEBRUARY 1983	4.07	4.43	4.09	9.49	20.31	22.35	20.29	6.32								
JAN-FEB 1982	4.03	4.37	4.04	9.85	20.93	21.95	20.58	6.42								
JAN-FEB 1983	4.09	4.39	4.10	9.77	20.93	22.27	20.85	6.34								

1/ OF THE MATURE CHICKENS INSPECTED, THE NUMBER REPORTED IN THOUSANDS AS HEAVY FOWL (BROILER BREEDING STOCK) WAS:

FEBRUARY 1982: 2,846

FEBRUARY 1983: 2,758

2/ OF THE YOUNG TURKEYS INSPECTED, THE NUMBER REPORTED IN THOUSANDS AS YOUNG BANDED BREEDERS WAS:

FEBRUARY 1982: 185

FEBRUARY 1983: 064

POULTRY: POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WEIGHTS), FEBRUARY 1983 WITH COMPARISONS

	CHICKENS										TURKEY				OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
	YOUNG		MATURE		TOTAL		FRYER-ROASTERS	YOUNG	OLD	TOTAL	DUCKS					
	1/	1/1	1/1	TOTAL	THOUSANDS											
JANUARY 1983	938,077	43,093	981,170	182	55,196	728	56,106	1,082	101	1,038,358						
CHILLED FROZEN	80,581	7,991	88,572	634	86,497	825	87,956	5,717	101	182,346						
TOTAL	1,018,658	51,084	1,069,742	816	141,693	1,553	144,262	6,799	101	1,220,704						
FEBRUARY 1982	828,497	35,309	863,806	348	40,366	667	41,381	706	1	905,894						
CHILLED FROZEN	73,730	7,803	81,533	1,681	79,944	332	81,957	5,337	104	168,931						
TOTAL	902,227	43,112	945,339	2,029	120,310	999	123,338	6,043	105	1,074,825						
FEBRUARY 1983	851,448	32,836	884,284	92	49,680	781	50,543	1,036	94	935,863						
CHILLED FROZEN	76,398	7,286	83,684	162	81,814	454	82,430	5,310	94	171,518						
TOTAL	927,846	40,122	967,968	244	131,494	1,235	132,973	6,346	94	1,107,381						
JAN-FEB 1982	1,684,235	72,596	1,756,831	910	79,922	1,318	82,150	10,403	1	1,840,385						
CHILLED FROZEN	151,746	15,596	167,342	3,060	169,111	1,191	173,342	10,543	242	351,469						
TOTAL	1,835,981	88,192	1,924,173	3,950	249,033	2,509	255,492	11,946	243	2,191,854						
JAN-FEB 1983	1,789,525	75,929	1,865,454	265	104,877	1,510	106,652	2,119	196	1,974,225						
CHILLED FROZEN	156,979	15,277	172,256	796	168,312	1,279	170,387	11,028	196	353,867						
TOTAL	1,946,504	91,206	2,037,710	1,061	273,189	2,789	277,039	13,147	196	2,328,092						

POULTRY: CONDEMNATIONS OF POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, FEBRUARY 1983 WITH COMPARISONS

	CHICKENS				TURKEY				OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY	
	YOUNG		MATURE		FRYER-ROASTERS		YOUNG				DUCKS
	1/	2/	1/	2/	1/	2/	1/	2/			
ANTE-MORTEM											
1,000 POUNDS (LIVWEIGHT)											
JANUARY 1983	4,272	967	5,239	1	552	5	559	11		5,809	
FEBRUARY 1982	4,164	963	5,127	7	520	8	535	17		5,679	
FEBRUARY 1983	3,895	809	4,704		522	8	530	9		5,243	
JAN-FEB 1982	9,637	2,297	11,934	30	1,138	13	1,191	33	1	13,149	
JAN-FEB 1983	8,167	1,777	9,944	2	1,075	14	1,091	21		11,056	
PERCENT 1/	.33	1.38	.39	.31	.34	.65	.34	.19	.34	.38	
FEBRUARY 1983	.30	1.24	.35	.20	.31	.51	.31	.10	.12	.34	
POST-MORTEM											
1,000 POUNDS (N.Y. DRESSED)											
JANUARY 1983	20,446	2,740	23,186	9	2,775	55	2,839	168	1	26,194	
FEBRUARY 1982	19,152	2,206	21,358	29	2,836	62	2,927	140	1	24,426	
FEBRUARY 1983	18,960	2,234	21,194	2	2,691	53	2,746	139	1	24,080	
JAN-FEB 1982	40,157	4,763	44,920	59	5,683	143	5,885	291	3	51,099	
JAN-FEB 1983	39,406	4,975	44,381	12	5,467	109	5,587	308	3	50,279	
PERCENT 2/	1.72	3.58	1.81	1.26	2.08	5.39	2.09	1.81	1.11	1.84	
FEBRUARY 1983	1.66	3.86	1.76	1.27	1.79	3.82	1.81	1.70	1.07	1.77	

1/ POUNDS CONDEMNED AS PERCENT OF POUNDS (LIVWEIGHT) INSPECTED. PERCENTAGE BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
 2/ POUNDS CONDEMNED AS PERCENT OF EQUIVALENT N.Y. DRESSED WEIGHT OF QUANTITY INSPECTED. PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

POULTRY: FURTHER PROCESSED AND CUT-UP (READY-TO-COOK) UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, FEBRUARY 1983 WITH COMPARISONS

	YOUNG CHICKENS			MATURE CHICKENS			TURKEYS			OTHER POULTRY 1/	TOTAL POULTRY
	FURTHER PROCESSED		CUT-UP	FURTHER PROCESSED		CUT-UP	WHOLE CARCASS		FURTHER PROCESSED		
	1/	2/		1/	2/		1/	2/			
READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT POUNDS USED											
JANUARY 1983	130,707	514,526	47,713	2,233	24,525	78,282	60,493	25,378	797	306,605	578,039
FEBRUARY 1982	108,590	418,445	40,889	1,849	31,899	63,877	56,716	24,740	183	269,985	477,193
FEBRUARY 1983	126,720	444,101	50,822	2,009	20,483	71,260	46,927	24,242	256	293,527	491,000
JAN-FEB 1982	216,190	835,146	79,162	3,435	63,060	130,011	113,335	48,888	285	537,311	949,371
JAN-FEB 1983	257,427	958,628	98,535	4,243	45,009	149,542	107,411	49,621	1,054	600,132	1,069,043
POUNDS CONDEMNED											
JANUARY 1983	2,303	2,922	142	12	6	171	120	143	---	2,765	3,054
FEBRUARY 1982	3,140	6,769	39	30	1	125	293	312	---	3,617	7,092
FEBRUARY 1983	3,047	2,752	89	7	9	202	123	116	---	3,463	2,882
JAN-FEB 1982	6,179	9,821	113	58	1	225	522	612	---	7,130	10,501
JAN-FEB 1983	5,350	5,674	232	20	15	373	243	259	---	6,228	5,937

1/ POULTRY PARTS AND FATS USED IN FURTHER PROCESSING THAT CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED BY CLASS ARE INCLUDED IN "OTHER POULTRY".
 2/ WHOLE CARCASS TURKEYS WHICH HAVE BEEN INJECTED, BASTED, MARINATED, SMOKED, BARBECUED, ETC., AND PACKED AS SUCH.
 3/ DATA DOES NOT INCLUDE TOTAL CONDEMNATION TO AVOID DISCLOSING INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

YOUNG CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATES(S), FEBRUARY 1982 AND 1983

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS (LIVWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVWEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS		
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	
UNITED STATES	311,911	1,239,909	1,271,003	3.99	4.07	902,227	927,846	19,152	18,960	1.72	1.66
ALABAMA	38,886	149,397	150,891	3.84	3.83	109,504	111,706	1,883	2,123	1.40	1.56
ARKANSAS	46,777	175,393	184,250	3.74	3.79	126,940	133,930	2,829	2,484	1.67	1.50
CALIFORNIA	12,273	12,241	54,158	4.79	4.42	42,181	39,541	1,020	1,360	1.97	2.80
DELAWARE	12,567	55,016	61,017	4.37	4.98	40,372	43,697	1,042	1,023	2.11	1.97
FLORIDA	6,524	5,916	23,933	4.03	4.04	19,113	17,456	336	285	1.42	1.32
GEORGIA	45,956	181,647	184,136	3.95	4.03	133,193	135,903	2,813	2,447	1.72	1.48
LOUISIANA	7,255	7,006	27,532	3.92	3.92	19,042	20,809	689	434	2.69	1.76
MARYLAND	12,854	13,453	54,223	4.15	4.03	40,106	38,393	935	1,043	1.95	2.15
MISSISSIPPI	22,823	24,060	93,177	4.08	4.03	68,793	71,452	1,278	1,221	1.53	1.40
MISSOURI	5,589	4,703	18,128	4.07	4.00	16,539	13,743	491	276	2.41	1.63
NEW YORK	---	527	2,293	---	4.34	---	1,405	32	---	---	1.62
NORTH CAROLINA	31,474	31,859	126,870	4.03	4.36	92,317	101,877	1,924	2,192	1.69	1.75
OREGON	---	1,132	5,125	---	4.52	---	3,501	162	---	---	3.55
PENNSYLVANIA	7,198	7,099	29,285	4.06	4.18	20,806	20,822	703	641	2.67	2.40
SOUTH CAROLINA	4,709	6,120	17,892	3.79	3.63	12,657	15,549	262	296	1.64	1.48
TENNESSEE	6,040	6,022	24,252	4.01	4.01	17,799	19,012	286	269	1.31	1.24
TEXAS	19,787	18,420	80,453	4.06	4.21	59,068	57,302	1,104	868	1.53	1.24
VIRGINIA	16,242	15,167	63,337	4.09	4.25	45,731	46,113	772	907	1.36	1.57
WASHINGTON	1,229	1,453	5,012	4.07	4.32	3,698	4,687	132	111	2.95	1.99

1/ AVERAGE WEIGHT BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
 2/ POUNDS CONDEMNED AS PERCENT OF EQUIVALENT V.Y. DRESSED WEIGHT OF QUANTITY INSPECTED. PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA
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YOUNG CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), FEBRUARY 1983

STATE	TUBERCULOSIS		LEU- KOSIS		SEPTI- CEMIA		ATRSAC- CULITIS		SYND- VITIS		TUMORS		BRUISES		CAVAVER		CONTAM- INATION		OVER- SCALED		OTHER		TOTAL	
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983		
UNITED STATES	383,603	1,270,794	981,409	19,371	132,797	54,584	105,108	162,590	29,993	98,526	3,239,775	7,128	372,426	427,024	244,612	184,288	48,878	373,957	14,209	65,847	194,721	189,547	48,878	373,957
ALABAMA	21,812	160,059	122,569	2,402	22,191	7,065	12,037	15,503	1,660	7,128	372,426	427,024	244,612	184,288	48,878	373,957	14,209	65,847	194,721	189,547	48,878	373,957	14,209	65,847
ARKANSAS	10,224	175,717	169,249	5,368	19,981	7,691	12,714	16,638	2,120	7,322	427,024	244,612	184,288	48,878	373,957	14,209	65,847	194,721	189,547	48,878	373,957	14,209	65,847	
CALIFORNIA	3,925	105,832	112,361	1,951	3,232	1,456	5,269	4,015	6,513	658	244,612	184,288	48,878	373,957	14,209	65,847	194,721	189,547	48,878	373,957	14,209	65,847		
DELAWARE	84,860	49,905	23,786	314	6,539	1,908	3,855	4,622	1,114	7,385	184,288	48,878	373,957	14,209	65,847	194,721	189,547	48,878	373,957	14,209	65,847			
FLORIDA	528	20,908	8,898	550	3,444	1,278	2,742	6,047	1,284	3,199	48,878	373,957	14,209	65,847	194,721	189,547	48,878	373,957	14,209	65,847				
GEORGIA	8,307	164,851	98,418	1,266	18,745	7,467	13,081	36,348	6,265	14,209	373,957	14,209	65,847	194,721	189,547	48,878	373,957	14,209	65,847					
LOUISIANA	3,478	25,387	26,191	525	2,045	1,061	2,986	2,597	72	1,505	65,847	194,721	189,547	48,878	373,957	14,209	65,847	194,721	189,547	48,878	373,957			
MARYLAND	80,768	54,625	35,281	442	7,053	2,704	3,451	5,728	1,038	3,631	194,721	189,547	48,878	373,957	14,209	65,847	194,721	189,547	48,878	373,957				
MISSISSIPPI	12,616	65,728	75,068	913	5,713	3,634	8,357	11,357	1,146	5,015	189,547	48,878	373,957	14,209	65,847	194,721	189,547	48,878	373,957					
MISSOURI	9,445	17,614	11,950	778	1,980	962	2,831	2,375	477	466	48,878	373,957	14,209	65,847	194,721	189,547	48,878	373,957	14,209	65,847				
NEW YORK	2,018	1,068	588	6	25	210	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
NORTH CAROLINA	13,930	168,794	143,772	416	16,796	4,887	9,438	15,216	1,340	10,421	385,010	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
OREGON	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	
PENNSYLVANIA	27,802	34,292	39,814	206	1,500	1,643	1,890	10,437	344	10,286	129,214	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
SOUTH CAROLINA	1,881	22,791	19,135	223	3,293	1,725	3,200	7,092	1,197	6,301	66,838	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
TENNESSEE	3,219	26,066	10,021	349	2,080	835	1,807	2,598	6	2,393	49,374	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
TEXAS	4,650	73,873	36,023	775	7,312	4,667	5,328	8,947	1,252	1,948	144,775	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
VIRGINIA	67,832	37,548	19,943	97	6,4542	1,234	6,754	4,480	1,556	5,311	151,297	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
WASHINGTON	1,734	10,042	1,173	351	461	498	362	193	---	---	14,814	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		

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MATURE CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), FEBRUARY 1982 AND 1983											
STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED	POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVWEIGHT INSPECTED 1/	TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS		PERCENT 2/	PERCENT 2/	PERCENT 2/
		1982	1983		1982	1983	1982	1983			
UNITED STATES	15,573	14,667	69,409	65,005	4.45	43,112	40,122	2,206	2,234	3.58	3.86
CALIFORNIA	1,664	1,772	6,940	7,190	4.17	4,141	4,339	296	241	4.78	3.75
DELAWARE	3/	118	---	874	7.37	---	643	---	13	---	1.76
GEORGIA	3,150	2,919	16,959	15,989	5.38	10,796	10,044	431	459	2.85	3.23
MARYLAND	174	---	784	---	4.50	469	---	31	---	4.55	---
MISSOURI	3/	246	---	1,629	6.61	---	1,118	---	---	---	2.99
NEW JERSEY	3/	1,647	---	6,864	4.16	3,922	---	228	---	3.76	---
NEW YORK	3/	61	---	226	3.67	143	---	11	---	5.74	2.70
WASHINGTON	557	316	2,116	1,245	3.79	1,295	824	59	36	3.19	3.30

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

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MATURE CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), FEBRUARY 1983												
STATE	TUBERCULOSIS	LEUCOSIS	SEPTICEMIA	AIRSAC-CULITIS	SYNOVITIS	TUMORS	BRUISES	CADAVER INATION	CONTAMINATION	OVERSCALD	OTHER	TOTAL
UNITED STATES	103	25,590	176,825	1,959	1,158	147,641	31,347	17,355	42,830	2,992	36,782	484,582
CALIFORNIA	---	175	17,886	54	107	24,736	595	751	1,039	255	2,556	48,154
DELAWARE	---	113	1,153	---	---	247	---	55	165	---	---	1,733
GEORGIA	---	496	36,487	349	811	16,419	2,749	3,576	12,699	883	1,280	75,749
WASHINGTON	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	144	---	---	664	808

YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), FEBRUARY 1982 AND 1983

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVWEIGHT INSPECTED 1/		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS				
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983			
UNITED STATES	7,481	8,221	151,834	167,062	20.29	20.31	120,310	131,494	2,836	2,691	2.08	1.79	
ARKANSAS	521	474	9,269	8,938	17.79	18.82	7,511	7,106	163	130	1.96	1.64	
CALIFORNIA	629	985	15,253	22,084	24.23	22.41	12,259	17,573	220	320	1.61	1.62	
INDIANA	271	---	5,051	---	18.62	---	3,997	---	104	---	2.33	---	
IOWA	511	451	12,774	11,768	24.97	26.07	9,899	8,971	217	239	1.91	2.27	
MINNESOTA	674	1,144	11,827	19,558	17.54	17.08	9,149	15,467	448	543	4.23	3.10	
MISSOURI	687	610	13,875	12,832	20.17	21.02	11,343	9,736	277	243	2.23	2.11	
NEW YORK	13	19	330	451	23.93	22.61	251	---	---	---	1.88	1.83	
NORTH CAROLINA	1,249	1,319	22,512	24,940	18.01	18.89	18,470	20,470	275	215	1.36	0.96	
OHIO	---	92	---	1,753	---	19.05	---	1,378	---	33	---	2.15	---
PENNSYLVANIA	284	357	5,937	7,255	20.84	20.31	4,623	5,751	102	101	1.94	1.57	
VIRGINIA	1,080	1,303	20,312	24,016	18.79	18.42	16,035	18,804	305	321	1.68	1.50	

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
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YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATE(S), FEBRUARY 1983

STATE	LEUCOSIS		TUBERCULOSIS		SEPTICEMIA		AIRSAC-CULITIS		SYNDROME		TUMORS		BRUISES		CADAVERE		CONTAMINATION		OVERSCALD		OTHER		TOTAL
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	
UNITED STATES	---	218	48,840	21,511	4,572	68	798	2,720	2,866	494	983	83,070	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
ARKANSAS	---	---	1,918	533	82	---	68	123	318	---	---	3,042	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CALIFORNIA	---	83	7,401	316	108	22	43	627	210	295	48	9,153	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
INDIANA	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
IOWA	---	---	2,519	3,459	674	---	---	49	330	21	259	7,321	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
MINNESOTA	---	---	9,301	11,599	2,668	---	203	338	731	36	45	24,921	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
MISSOURI	---	---	4,720	700	52	---	88	62	326	---	---	5,948	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NORTH CAROLINA	---	---	2,982	800	---	---	66	203	297	---	---	4,348	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
OHIO	---	---	615	134	---	---	27	---	12	---	---	788	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
PENNSYLVANIA	---	---	2,610	140	192	---	42	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
VIRGINIA	---	101	7,852	1,309	101	1	33	879	55	65	147	10,543	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

1/ DATA NOT PUBLISHED TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL, FEBRUARY 1982 AND 1983

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVWEIGHT INSPECTED 1/		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983		
UNITED STATES	265	32	2,577	312	9.70	9.49	2,029	244	29	2	1.26	1.27
	THOUSANDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		THOUSANDS		PERCENT			

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
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FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES TOTAL, FEBRUARY 1983

STATE	LEU- KOSIS		SEPTI- CENJA		AIRSAC- CULITIS		SYNO- VITIS		TUMORS		BRUISES		CADAVERI INATION		CONTAM- OVER- SCALD		OTHER		TOTAL	
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983		
UNITED STATES	---	---	203	---	---	---	---	---	4	27	29	---	---	11	274	---	---	---	---	
	THOUSANDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS	

OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATES, FEBRUARY 1982 AND 1983

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVWEIGHT INSPECTED 1/		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS				
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983			
UNITED STATES	58	69	1,314	1,560	22.56	22.36	999	1,235	62	53	5.30	3.82	
OHIO	3/	---	18	---	356	---	19.62	---	277	---	12	---	3.94
	THOUSANDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		THOUSANDS		PERCENT				

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
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OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES TOTAL AND SELECTED STATES, FEBRUARY 1983

STATE	LEU- KOSIS		SEPTI- CENJA		AIRSAC- CULITIS		SYNO- VITIS		TUMORS		BRUISES		CADAVERI INATION		CONTAM- OVER- SCALD		OTHER		TOTAL	
	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983	1982	1983		
UNITED STATES	---	---	961	234	39	19	41	16	41	---	---	18	1,369							
OHIO	---	---	287	67	30	17	24	4	17	---	---	446								
	THOUSANDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS	

POULTRY: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION BY MONTHS, UNITED STATES 1982

TYPE AND MONTH	CHICKENS				TURKEYS				DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
	YOUNG	MATURE	TOTAL	FRYER-ROASTER	YOUNG	OLD	TOTAL	DUCKS			
NUMBER INSPECTED											
JAN	315,510	17,207	332,717	251	7,545	89	7,885	1,307			
FEB	310,082	15,573	325,655	265	7,481	58	7,804	1,345			
MAR	357,859	18,477	376,336	784	9,843	67	10,693	1,588			
APR	341,112	20,027	361,139	539	9,119	109	9,767	1,607			
MAY	338,337	16,565	354,902	538	10,228	122	10,888	1,647			
JUN	367,476	17,928	385,404	549	13,599	158	14,306	1,937			
JUL	352,584	14,249	366,833	624	14,427	259	15,310	1,663			
AUG	360,424	17,024	377,448	540	17,198	141	17,879	1,803			
SEP	351,952	15,494	367,446	520	17,206	73	17,799	1,737			
OCT	336,440	14,736	351,176	554	17,116	88	17,758	1,633			
NOV	312,009	15,433	327,442	463	18,029	54	18,546	1,754			
DEC	324,325	19,124	343,449	105	11,535	85	11,725	1,807			
TOTAL 1/	4,068,116	201,843	4,269,959	5,737	153,331	1,308	160,376	19,834			
LIVE WEIGHT POUNDS											
JAN	1,282,882	73,888	1,356,770	2,514	162,836	1,933	167,283	8,425	261	1,532,739	
FEB	1,239,909	69,409	1,309,318	2,577	151,834	1,314	155,725	8,627	191	1,473,861	
MAR	1,438,246	84,990	1,523,236	7,331	187,334	1,481	196,146	10,315	203	1,729,900	
APR	1,387,554	88,413	1,475,967	4,890	178,494	2,403	185,787	10,387	182	1,672,323	
MAY	1,371,313	73,294	1,444,607	4,934	197,914	2,587	205,435	10,490	184	1,660,716	
JUN	1,480,246	81,125	1,561,371	5,089	261,477	3,247	269,813	12,290	290	1,843,764	
JUL	1,402,794	64,612	1,467,406	5,609	273,994	5,452	285,055	10,172	483	1,763,116	
AUG	1,438,922	75,026	1,513,948	4,965	324,536	2,927	332,428	10,886	639	1,857,901	
SEP	1,423,442	72,174	1,495,616	4,855	327,917	1,466	334,238	10,818	471	1,841,143	
OCT	1,381,465	67,231	1,448,696	5,151	339,370	1,869	346,390	10,490	2,329	1,807,905	
NOV	1,279,385	67,100	1,346,485	4,502	358,631	1,190	364,323	11,165	1,435	1,723,408	
DEC	1,330,369	82,226	1,412,595	1,008	239,638	1,860	242,506	11,421	251	1,666,773	
TOTAL 1/	16,456,631	899,494	17,356,025	53,430	3,003,980	27,734	3,085,144	125,491	6,931	20,573,591	
AVERAGE LIVE WEIGHT:											
JAN	4.06	4.29	4.07	10.01	21.57	21.55	21.21	6.44			
FEB	3.99	4.45	4.02	9.70	20.29	22.56	19.95	6.40			
MAR	4.01	4.59	4.08	9.34	19.03	21.88	18.34	6.49			
APR	4.06	4.41	4.08	9.06	19.57	21.95	19.01	6.46			
MAY	4.05	4.42	4.07	9.16	19.34	21.14	18.86	6.36			
JUN	4.02	4.52	4.05	9.26	19.22	20.50	18.85	6.34			
JUL	3.97	4.53	4.00	8.98	18.99	20.99	18.61	6.11			
AUG	3.99	4.40	4.01	9.18	18.87	20.76	18.59	6.03			
SEP	4.04	4.65	4.07	9.32	19.05	20.09	18.77	6.22			
OCT	4.10	4.56	4.12	9.28	19.82	21.00	19.50	6.42			
NOV	4.10	4.34	4.11	9.72	19.89	21.83	19.64	6.36			
DEC	4.10	4.29	4.11	9.59	20.77	21.81	20.68	6.31			
TOTAL	4.04	4.45	4.06	9.31	19.59	21.19	19.23	6.32			

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POULTRY: POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT), BY MONTHS, UNITED STATES, 1982

TYPE AND MONTH	CHICKENS				TURKEYS				DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
	YOUNG	MATURE	TOTAL	FRYER-ROASTER	YOUNG	OLD	TOTAL				
THOUSANDS											
<u>CHILLED INSPECTED</u>											
JAN	855,738	37,286	893,024	561	39,555	651	40,767	697	---	934,488	
FEB	828,497	35,309	863,806	348	40,366	667	41,381	706	1	905,894	
MAR	968,957	43,699	1,012,656	4,059	51,198	527	55,778	686	5	1,069,125	
APR	946,321	45,903	992,224	2,896	45,992	1,049	49,937	764	9	1,042,934	
MAY	937,879	38,471	976,350	3,069	44,948	867	48,884	703	1	1,025,938	
JUN	1,007,069	39,949	1,047,018	2,999	58,056	1,393	62,448	907	---	1,110,373	
JUL	956,455	32,985	989,440	3,089	56,580	2,130	61,799	803	---	1,052,042	
AUG	983,521	38,237	1,021,758	2,689	69,280	1,753	73,722	873	---	1,096,353	
SEP	966,147	37,007	1,003,154	3,001	70,688	664	74,353	897	---	1,078,404	
OCT	930,465	34,757	965,222	3,127	75,641	947	79,715	879	301	1,046,117	
NOV	848,481	35,273	883,754	2,894	104,691	707	108,292	995	386	993,427	
DEC	885,416	43,167	928,583	274	75,237	1,086	76,597	1,445	3	1,006,628	
TOTAL 1/	11,114,950	462,050	11,577,000	29,010	732,236	12,439	773,685	10,360	709	12,361,754	
<u>FROZEN</u>											
JAN	78,015	7,792	85,807	1,359	89,167	859	91,385	5,206	137	182,535	
FEB	73,730	7,803	81,533	1,681	79,944	332	81,957	5,337	104	168,931	
MAR	83,470	9,016	92,486	1,834	96,677	619	99,130	6,571	101	198,288	
APR	71,727	7,994	79,721	938	95,703	806	97,447	6,538	86	183,792	
MAY	68,468	6,768	75,236	815	113,446	1,117	115,378	6,675	96	197,185	
JUN	78,108	10,241	88,349	1,018	151,655	1,102	153,775	7,745	152	250,021	
JUL	73,010	7,465	80,475	1,298	163,131	2,098	166,527	6,332	285	253,619	
AUG	73,647	7,915	81,562	1,175	189,994	534	191,703	6,746	385	280,396	
SEP	76,982	8,223	85,205	812	192,040	498	193,350	6,699	274	285,528	
OCT	79,942	6,798	86,740	939	195,422	523	196,884	6,348	1,231	291,203	
NOV	81,289	6,048	87,337	632	180,663	216	181,511	6,777	575	276,200	
DEC	85,878	7,528	93,406	505	115,259	376	116,140	6,523	128	216,197	
TOTAL 1/	924,073	93,596	1,017,669	13,011	1,663,107	9,087	1,685,205	77,501	3,562	2,783,937	
<u>TOTAL (CHILLED PLUS FROZEN)</u>											
JAN	933,753	45,078	978,831	1,920	128,722	1,510	132,152	5,903	137	1,117,023	
FEB	902,227	43,112	945,339	2,029	120,310	999	123,338	6,043	105	1,074,825	
MAR	1,052,427	52,715	1,105,142	5,893	147,875	1,140	154,908	7,257	106	1,267,413	
APR	1,018,048	53,897	1,071,945	3,834	141,695	1,855	147,384	7,302	95	1,226,726	
MAY	1,006,147	45,239	1,051,386	3,884	158,394	1,984	164,262	7,378	97	1,223,123	
JUN	1,085,177	50,190	1,135,367	4,017	209,711	2,495	216,223	8,652	152	1,360,394	
JUL	1,029,465	40,450	1,069,915	4,387	219,711	4,228	228,326	7,135	285	1,305,661	
AUG	1,057,168	46,152	1,103,320	3,864	259,274	2,287	265,425	7,619	385	1,376,749	
SEP	1,043,129	45,230	1,088,359	3,813	262,728	1,162	267,703	7,596	274	1,363,932	
OCT	1,010,407	41,555	1,051,962	4,066	271,063	1,470	276,599	7,227	1,532	1,337,320	
NOV	929,770	41,321	971,091	3,526	285,354	923	289,803	7,772	961	1,269,627	
DEC	971,294	50,695	1,021,989	779	190,496	1,462	192,737	7,968	131	1,222,825	
TOTAL 1/	12,039,023	555,646	12,594,669	42,021	2,395,343	21,526	2,458,890	87,861	4,271	15,145,691	

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POULTRY: CONDEMNATIONS OF POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION BY MONTHS, UNITED STATES, 1982

TYPE AND MONTH	CHICKENS			TURKEYS			DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
	YOUNG	MATURE	TOTAL	FRYER-ROASTER	YOUNG	OLD			
<u>ANTE-MORTEM (LIVE WEIGHT)</u>									
JAN	5,472	1,334	6,806	22	617	5	644	16	7,467
FEB	4,164	963	5,127	7	520	8	535	17	5,679
MAR	3,914	949	4,863	13	400	6	419	12	5,294
APR	3,652	1,007	4,659	7	357	15	379	12	5,050
MAY	3,335	801	4,136	9	389	30	428	14	4,578
JUN	3,967	973	4,940	8	537	20	565	11	5,516
JUL	5,055	822	5,877	9	729	36	774	13	6,664
AUG	4,610	973	5,583	13	912	19	944	12	6,539
SEP	3,662	768	4,430	7	736	5	748	11	5,189
OCT	3,329	617	3,946	8	775	13	796	8	4,751
NOV	3,242	693	3,935	15	762	4	781	11	4,727
DEC	3,722	984	4,706	1	535	8	544	10	5,260
TOTAL 1/	48,130	10,889	59,019	125	7,275	176	7,576	152	66,755
<u>POST-MORTEM (N Y DRESSED)</u>									
JAN	21,005	2,556	23,561	30	2,846	79	2,955	151	26,669
FEB	19,152	2,206	21,358	29	2,836	62	2,927	140	24,426
MAR	19,992	2,685	22,677	66	3,247	62	3,375	155	26,208
APR	18,720	2,898	21,618	44	2,685	113	2,842	153	24,613
MAY	17,284	2,264	19,548	37	2,543	141	2,721	160	22,429
JUN	17,776	2,493	20,269	41	3,265	138	3,444	169	23,883
JUL	17,250	1,946	19,196	46	3,766	189	4,001	158	23,358
AUG	17,977	2,160	20,137	44	4,958	92	5,094	170	25,406
SEP	17,485	2,295	19,780	39	5,782	45	5,866	161	25,811
OCT	17,028	2,153	19,181	43	5,559	79	5,681	147	25,022
NOV	17,480	2,194	19,674	50	5,266	35	5,351	155	25,189
DEC	18,774	2,647	21,421	9	3,626	70	3,705	160	25,287
TOTAL 1/	219,933	28,511	248,444	488	46,392	1,119	47,999	1,891	298,390

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TOTAL POULTRY SLAUGHTERED (READY-TO-COOK WEIGHTS),
1981 AND 1982

YEAR	FEDERAL INSPECTION	NON-FEDERAL INSPECTION 1/	TOTAL INSPECTION
MILLION POUNDS			
1981	15,058	168	15,226
1982	15,146	135	15,281

1/ EXCLUDES DUCKS AND OTHER MISCELLANEOUS POULTRY.

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Definitions Used to Report Federally Inspected Slaughter.

Young chickens - Commercially grown broilers-fryers and other young immature birds such as roasters and capons.

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.

Other poultry - Includes all other ready-to-cook products which bear the U.S.D.A. Inspected for Wholesomeness legend.

 * The data presented in this report were compiled from reports collected *
 * by the Meat and Poultry Inspection Program, Food Safety Inspection *
 * Service. Data for February 1983 include reports available for summary *
 * in late March 1983. The degree of incompleteness due to late reports *
 * will vary from month to month, especially for further processed and cut- *
 * up data items. Accumulated year-to-date totals and previous month's *
 * data will include late reports received since previous summary. *

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