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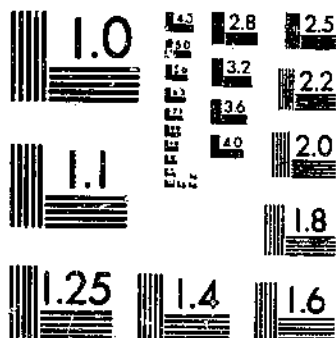
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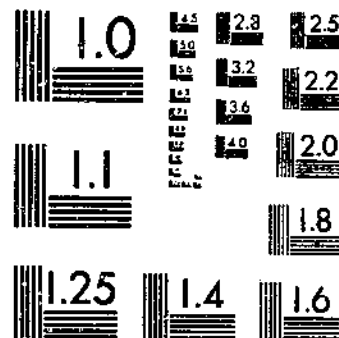
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TABLE 1.--STORAGE: Holdings of poultry products in Selected Storage Centers, by weeks, 1975^{1 2}
(Includes Government stocks)

Week ending		Shell eggs	Frozen eggs	Processed turkeys	Processed other poultry
		Thousand cases	Thousand pounds	Thousand pounds	Thousand pounds
1975					
January	6.....	13.5	18,154	89,712	55,067
	13.....	16.8	17,907	86,890	53,486
	20.....	13.9	17,415	85,960	52,825
	27.....	10.9	16,945	88,755	51,739
February	3.....	10.6	16,438	84,886	50,980
	10.....	10.5	15,935	83,034	50,544
	18.....	8.1	15,975	81,710	48,596
	24.....	7.7	15,781	78,522	50,782
March	3.....	8.4	15,600	72,867	50,409
	10.....	8.6	15,232	71,731	49,540
	17.....	8.3	15,252	70,486	48,844
	24.....	7.4	14,724	68,469	48,366
	31.....	9.8	14,808	67,006	48,080
April	7.....	10.3	14,402	65,102	48,158
	14.....	9.0	14,614	62,525	47,439
	21.....	6.9	14,470	62,316	46,298
	28.....	7.3	14,398	60,413	46,002
May	5.....	6.8	13,878	58,330	44,857
	12.....	6.5	13,864	57,582	43,992
	19.....	7.4	13,995	56,482	43,397
	27.....	9.2	14,094	54,746	42,448
June	2.....	9.2	14,108	55,420	42,168
	9.....	8.4	14,495	54,899	41,587
	16.....	6.5	15,597	56,488	41,496
	23.....	5.7	15,453	59,214	41,802
30.....	6.4	15,938	62,391	41,083	
July	7.....	7.2	16,581	65,711	40,325
	14.....	18.1	16,557	69,572	39,651
	21.....	16.6	17,071	75,273	40,983
	28.....	13.8	17,307	78,842	40,221
August	4.....	21.5	17,526	84,218	39,620
	11.....	21.8	17,942	95,103	39,650
	18.....	21.3	18,413	105,026	39,736
	25.....	19.1	18,638	107,716	39,894
September	2.....	20.2	18,410	117,346	40,376
	8.....	20.0	18,016	125,570	39,392
	15.....	4.7	18,094	134,722	38,599
	22.....	4.7	18,172	144,060	39,137
29.....	7.8	18,070	155,167	39,668	
October	6.....	6.2	17,869	165,021	40,289
	14.....	3.5	17,641	172,518	40,171
	20.....	6.3	17,862	181,991	39,999
	28.....	5.9	17,741	187,636	40,623
November	3.....	6.9	17,500	188,603	41,304
	10.....	7.2	18,634	182,893	38,096
	17.....	7.5	17,955	167,738	38,082
	24.....	8.5	17,491	129,195	37,900
December	1.....	8.4	17,068	109,454	44,926
	8.....	7.6	16,795	105,892	37,851
	15.....	5.3	16,466	95,873	35,833
	22.....	4.8	15,808	80,586	37,287
	29.....	6.7	15,049	71,721	38,080

¹ See appendix for directory of Selected Storage Centers.
² Holdings as of mornings of given dates.

TABLE 2.--STORAGE: Total U.S. holdings of eggs and egg products at close of each month, 1975¹
(Includes Government stocks)

Month and year	Shell eggs	Frozen eggs				Total
		Whites	Yolks	Whole or mixed	Unclassified	
	Thousand cases	Thousand pounds	Thousand pounds	Thousand pounds	Thousand pounds	Thousand pounds
1975						
January.....	35	8,964	11,524	29,276	4,067	53,831
February.....	48	8,828	10,950	27,000	4,972	51,750
March.....	32	8,251	9,904	24,137	4,718	47,010
April.....	25	5,685	10,516	22,848	4,539	43,588
May.....	68	5,145	10,372	25,031	4,264	44,812
June.....	82	5,615	10,520	26,489	5,344	47,968
July.....	90	6,008	10,666	29,465	5,073	51,212
August.....	80	6,623	11,013	29,349	4,882	51,867
September.....	72	6,681	10,883	29,115	4,511	51,190
October.....	55	6,028	10,608	26,020	3,894	46,550
November.....	40	5,247	9,411	23,904	3,704	42,266
December.....	23	4,702	8,600	19,512	3,451	36,265

¹ As reported by Statistical Reporting Service.

TABLE 3.--STORAGE: Total U.S. holdings of processed turkeys at close of each month, 1975¹
(Includes Government stocks)

Month and year	Whole birds	Other	Total
1975			
January.....	205,152	61,852	267,004
February.....	184,055	56,150	240,205
March.....	156,910	50,201	207,111
April.....	133,966	43,621	177,587
May.....	119,542	40,072	159,614
June.....	153,296	39,721	193,017
July.....	207,642	40,015	247,657
August.....	286,760	41,738	328,498
September.....	361,509	47,726	409,235
October.....	430,222	53,282	483,504
November.....	235,714	51,876	287,590
December.....	146,762	48,415	195,177

¹ As reported by Statistical Reporting Service.

TABLE 4.--STORAGE: Total U.S. holdings of processed poultry at close of each month, 1975¹
(Includes Government stocks)

Month and year	Broilers, fivers and roasters	Hens	Ducks	Other frozen poultry
1975				
January.....	12,950	55,314	5,343	78,542
February.....	11,791	55,414	4,434	76,533
March.....	28,791	57,084	3,761	73,194
April.....	28,528	56,939	3,306	72,604
May.....	24,251	55,680	3,345	71,879
June.....	22,668	55,679	4,740	70,711
July.....	19,201	50,492	5,285	65,001
August.....	22,814	50,174	6,407	62,323
September.....	22,900	49,046	6,838	54,091
October.....	21,749	44,761	6,033	54,746
November.....	21,442	41,627	5,507	50,963
December.....	22,312	39,220	3,781	53,122

¹ As reported by Statistical Reporting Service.

TABLE 5.--STORAGE: Percent of total U.S. holdings of poultry products in Selected Storage Centers at the close of each month, by years, 1971-1975¹

(Includes Government stocks)

Month	Frozen eggs				
	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
January.....	45.0	44.1	43.3	47.9	30.5
February.....	42.9	46.0	41.2	48.4	30.1
March.....	41.9	43.6	41.6	44.0	31.3
April.....	43.7	42.8	43.6	43.4	32.1
May.....	43.7	39.9	42.3	41.8	31.5
June.....	43.8	41.0	41.1	42.5	33.6
July.....	44.1	43.4	41.7	40.2	34.1
August.....	43.5	43.3	38.8	38.2	35.5
September.....	42.1	42.1	39.8	36.9	35.1
October.....	41.9	43.6	40.8	34.1	37.6
November.....	43.1	44.2	42.2	34.2	40.4
December.....	43.5	42.3	46.4	34.0	42.3
Yearly average....	43.3	43.0	41.9	40.5	34.5

Month	Processed turkeys				
	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
January.....	38.6	38.7	43.1	41.1	31.8
February.....	39.5	39.9	44.3	41.3	30.3
March.....	39.9	40.4	44.9	40.8	32.2
April.....	38.0	41.0	45.3	39.7	33.1
May.....	39.2	40.9	41.2	37.9	34.7
June.....	38.7	37.7	33.6	37.9	32.8
July.....	40.7	38.0	35.3	36.4	33.6
August.....	41.8	43.4	39.3	36.8	35.7
September.....	43.0	44.3	40.4	37.2	39.4
October.....	42.5	43.3	41.6	38.7	39.0
November.....	41.4	43.8	42.0	36.4	38.1
December.....	37.5	43.2	39.9	33.4	42.5
Yearly average....	40.1	41.2	40.9	38.1	35.3

Month	Processed other poultry				
	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
January.....	39.6	38.3	37.6	33.9	29.6
February.....	38.3	37.4	37.9	31.7	29.6
March.....	37.5	38.7	42.3	33.9	29.5
April.....	37.4	41.0	37.4	34.1	27.9
May.....	36.8	41.2	34.4	31.1	27.7
June.....	36.2	39.7	34.3	30.6	26.6
July.....	35.0	39.2	31.6	32.1	28.6
August.....	34.6	37.1	34.6	32.3	28.5
September.....	34.5	35.1	33.4	32.3	30.1
October.....	34.8	36.5	34.8	31.3	34.4
November.....	35.6	37.3	35.8	31.7	37.6
December.....	37.2	38.0	34.7	30.5	32.2
Yearly average....	36.5	38.3	35.7	32.1	30.2

¹ See appendix for directory of Selected Storage Centers.

TABLE 6.—SHELL EGGS: Commercial egg movement, by weeks, 1975

		Receipts from producers ¹			
Week ending	Number of cases	As a percentage of--			
		Previous week	First week of year ^a	Same week last year	
		Thousands	Percent	Percent	Percent
1975					
January	4.....	1484.1	102	100	105
	11.....	1538.0	104	104	104
	18.....	1507.0	98	102	103
	25.....	1487.0	99	100	103
February	1.....	1454.4	98	98	101
	8.....	1477.5	102	100	102
	15.....	1480.5	100	100	99
	22.....	1457.4	98	98	99
March	1.....	1483.6	102	100	100
	8.....	1480.8	100	100	98
	15.....	1471.0	99	99	98
	22.....	1513.1	103	102	101
	29.....	1574.0	104	106	105
April	5.....	1429.3	91	96	93
	12.....	1481.4	104	100	95
	19.....	1456.3	98	98	99
	26.....	1443.0	99	97	97
May	3.....	1449.2	100	98	98
	10.....	1453.5	100	98	98
	17.....	1439.8	99	97	99
	24.....	1458.4	101	98	100
	31.....	1462.1	100	99	101
June	7.....	1485.2	102	100	101
	14.....	1468.1	99	99	100
	21.....	1478.9	101	100	101
	28.....	1472.4	100	99	102
July	5.....	1445.8	98	97	100
	12.....	1482.8	103	100	102
	19.....	1478.5	100	100	101
	26.....	1460.6	99	98	102
August	2.....	1457.6	100	98	102
	9.....	1496.0	103	101	104
	16.....	1479.2	99	100	102
	23.....	1460.8	99	98	101
	30.....	1503.3	103	101	103
September	6.....	1469.8	98	99	103
	13.....	1483.1	101	100	102
	20.....	1485.8	100	100	101
	27.....	1477.0	99	100	102
October	4.....	1494.3	101	101	104
	11.....	1435.4	96	97	100
	18.....	1457.2	102	98	102
	25.....	1452.8	100	98	100
November	1.....	1450.1	100	98	101
	8.....	1450.9	100	98	98
	15.....	1464.1	101	99	100
	22.....	1485.2	101	100	103
	29.....	1458.9	98	98	99
December	6.....	1462.1	100	99	93
	13.....	1479.6	101	100	101
	20.....	1499.3	101	101	103
	27.....	1453.1	97	98	103

¹ Eggs purchased from producers as reported by commercial egg handlers.

TABLE 7.--SHELL EGGS: Movement into retail channels at specified cities, by weeks, 1975¹

(Cases - in thousands)

Week ending	Atlanta	Boston	Chicago	Detroit	Kansas City	Los Angeles
1975						
January 4.....	8.2	19.1	51.3	33.1	14.6	139.6
11.....	8.1	22.5	70.7	57.5	16.2	153.1
18.....	8.2	21.4	52.9	43.2	14.8	144.7
25.....	7.9	20.0	48.9	32.7	11.5	136.6
February 1.....	8.3	20.3	60.3	36.2	11.6	137.8
8.....	8.4	20.5	55.3	34.2	14.0	137.0
15.....	8.1	19.9	50.5	45.2	13.4	142.6
22.....	8.0	19.4	56.6	38.5	16.4	137.4
March 1.....	8.4	20.2	54.5	42.9	13.3	144.0
8.....	8.0	20.0	46.8	40.9	12.8	141.1
15.....	8.6	21.6	53.8	36.2	12.1	136.7
22.....	8.2	21.4	85.4	49.9	12.2	148.5
29.....	9.0	26.6	84.4	54.5	18.1	193.9
April 5.....	8.3	21.1	40.9	27.0	11.3	128.2
12.....	8.8	20.1	57.2	45.0	13.2	144.8
19.....	7.9	22.9	51.8	38.6	12.5	139.8
26.....	8.6	16.8	50.9	40.3	11.7	135.1
May 3.....	8.3	21.4	50.1	61.5	11.1	135.6
10.....	8.5	21.5	53.8	39.2	14.2	129.6
17.....	8.9	21.1	53.3	35.1	13.0	129.7
24.....	9.2	19.5	55.1	41.6	12.3	137.7
31.....	8.1	18.0	51.6	36.8	11.3	135.4
June 7.....	8.5	20.2	63.3	45.4	15.1	142.6
14.....	8.8	22.0	51.9	39.4	13.5	138.5
21.....	9.0	20.8	43.7	36.2	14.4	139.4
28.....	8.3	19.5	54.6	40.0	11.5	143.9
July 5.....	8.5	17.6	45.1	37.9	12.2	140.4
12.....	8.1	19.4	57.9	36.1	13.2	140.0
19.....	8.5	19.8	50.3	44.4	15.1	143.0
26.....	8.6	18.4	54.8	37.7	11.7	142.5
August 2.....	8.1	19.2	50.7	35.7	12.6	143.8
9.....	8.2	18.1	49.4	39.1	13.2	143.3
16.....	7.7	18.0	54.2	41.1	13.0	131.2
23.....	8.0	17.5	59.3	40.0	13.4	143.9
30.....	9.5	18.8	46.9	42.9	13.6	148.0
September 6.....	8.4	18.5	49.3	37.2	12.0	138.8
13.....	8.7	20.6	50.4	38.1	13.2	138.4
20.....	8.4	17.9	53.4	36.7	14.7	136.4
27.....	8.8	18.9	58.4	39.2	15.6	135.4
October 4.....	8.9	19.0	62.9	42.0	13.6	145.8
11.....	8.2	20.9	67.9	41.4	14.8	144.1
18.....	8.7	18.5	57.8	33.3	12.9	152.2
25.....	8.6	20.0	58.1	39.9	13.6	143.7
November 1.....	8.8	19.5	56.4	37.2	13.9	139.3
8.....	8.8	19.8	68.7	42.6	15.3	143.9
15.....	8.5	19.0	57.2	42.9	13.6	142.9
22.....	8.3	21.8	56.6	42.7	15.7	144.5
29.....	9.0	31.1	54.4	38.1	12.8	142.7
December 6.....	8.7	21.4	61.1	41.5	14.9	144.5
13.....	11.6	19.2	83.6	46.9	15.4	140.4
20.....	9.5	21.9	57.6	41.7	15.1	144.9
27.....	10.1	22.0	56.8	34.6	13.5	145.2

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 7.--SHELL EGGS: Movement into retail channels at specified cities, by weeks, 1975¹--Continued
(Cases - in thousands)

Week ending	New Orleans	New York	Pittsburgh	Portland-Vancouver	St. Louis	San Francisco
1975						
January 4.....	12.9	160.7	21.9	18.2	10.0	52.9
11.....	10.3	177.7	27.9	21.1	10.5	56.9
18.....	10.9	180.9	25.4	22.3	10.7	54.3
25.....	9.2	164.5	24.0	17.6	9.1	52.1
February 1.....	8.6	158.9	20.0	17.7	7.9	51.9
8.....	9.5	154.1	27.1	21.3	11.3	53.4
15.....	12.8	158.5	24.5	18.9	11.1	55.3
22.....	13.3	149.3	24.8	18.8	9.0	42.1
March 1.....	10.1	153.9	28.6	19.3	11.3	53.3
8.....	9.1	153.7	22.4	17.9	11.1	54.5
15.....	9.1	151.3	23.5	20.3	9.8	52.2
22.....	9.3	158.4	35.2	20.0	8.6	54.6
29.....	14.0	204.0	45.7	33.7	16.4	69.5
April 5.....	9.2	139.5	12.8	16.2	8.3	56.7
12.....	8.0	168.4	22.9	20.7	9.8	55.1
19.....	9.0	135.2	21.8	13.5	9.4	55.3
26.....	13.6	143.4	20.1	18.4	8.4	50.3
May 3.....	11.0	142.0	23.4	20.5	7.3	45.3
10.....	8.8	151.5	23.9	20.7	8.3	46.4
17.....	9.1	142.0	22.6	19.6	8.2	45.8
24.....	9.0	151.7	28.4	18.5	9.3	47.2
31.....	9.4	139.8	21.2	17.7	10.6	43.8
June 7.....	10.8	150.7	29.4	19.8	9.5	48.2
14.....	14.7	146.8	20.3	15.4	9.6	45.7
21.....	9.1	147.2	25.7	15.2	10.2	45.3
28.....	9.6	143.1	21.1	18.5	9.1	46.1
July 5.....	14.2	148.5	22.2	16.2	8.3	50.4
12.....	12.8	152.9	25.9	18.8	9.8	45.7
19.....	10.5	162.2	27.7	16.9	13.5	46.0
26.....	9.7	141.0	21.7	16.2	11.7	45.0
August 2.....	9.9	137.4	22.0	20.1	8.3	45.2
9.....	10.9	148.5	20.8	18.1	9.8	47.7
16.....	12.7	151.6	24.5	17.7	9.7	34.1
23.....	10.9	147.2	23.5	12.4	9.8	47.8
30.....	9.7	150.5	22.9	19.5	9.9	55.1
September 6.....	9.1	152.6	22.8	16.0	11.2	48.3
13.....	9.3	156.6	22.9	18.4	9.5	49.0
20.....	10.0	146.9	24.8	16.2	10.4	49.4
27.....	11.8	146.6	22.9	17.6	10.5	44.2
October 4.....	9.6	165.4	27.1	18.8	10.6	46.7
11.....	9.3	150.3	23.2	20.2	9.8	46.1
18.....	10.7	159.6	22.2	19.5	10.3	43.5
25.....	13.4	138.9	26.5	17.8	10.8	47.4
November 1.....	9.9	135.8	19.9	18.6	9.5	43.6
8.....	9.5	150.8	26.5	17.9	12.8	45.6
15.....	15.1	142.9	22.8	19.2	8.9	45.3
22.....	10.1	144.4	24.8	20.4	9.3	48.2
29.....	10.9	139.0	23.8	17.7	10.7	44.6
December 6.....	9.7	136.5	24.9	20.1	11.6	46.8
13.....	9.6	130.9	27.5	21.8	12.1	45.7
20.....	10.3	140.1	24.4	21.6	12.1	47.1
27.....	10.1	135.4	21.7	22.0	11.5	44.8

¹ This report compiled from data furnished by sample group of metropolitan area retail food chains, milk distributing companies and wholesale and producer distributors that move one hundred or more cases (thirty dozen) per week.

TABLE 8.--SHELL EGGS: Weekly Inventory Report, by weeks, 1975¹

Date	Number of cases reported	Percent change from-- ²		Date	Number of cases reported	Percent change from-- ²	
		Previous week	Same week year ago			Previous week	Same week year ago
1975				1975			
January 6...	487.8	+18	+24	July 7...	508.1	+4	+24
13...	407.9	-16	+23	14...	487.7	-4	+17
20...	396.3	-3	+23	21...	437.7	-10	+3
27...	436.4	+11	+11	28...	433.6	-1	-10
February 3...	492.8	+13	+2	August 4...	449.0	+4	-8
10...	498.8	+1	+15	11...	452.4	+1	-3
18...	528.4	+6	+20	18...	467.4	+3	+9
24...	506.6	-4	+9	25...	465.9	No Chg	+2
March 3...	488.9	-3	+5	September 2...	464.7	No Chg	+6
10...	492.7	+1	-2	8...	470.8	+1	+9
17...	513.2	+4	-7	15...	457.1	-3	+11
24...	492.0	-4	-15	22...	473.6	+4	+11
31...	350.4	-29	-41	29...	488.4	+3	+3
April 7...	360.0	+6	-27	October 6...	456.6	-7	-2
14...	719.2	-12	-3	14...	453.6	No Chg	+1
21...	354.0	+10	-16	20...	468.5	+3	+2
28...	433.7	+23	-4	28...	483.9	+3	+10
May 5...	453.5	+5	-1	November 3...	475.8	-1	+9
12...	429.4	-5	-2	10...	421.0	-12	-3
19...	447.4	+4	+1	17...	447.9	+6	+1
27...	444.3	-2	No Chg	24...	409.9	-8	+6
June 2...	457.6	+2	-2	December 1...	440.4	+7	+4
9...	419.4	-9	-8	8...	414.3	-6	-4
16...	439.4	+3	No Chg	15...	395.5	-5	-6
23...	452.9	+2	+8	22...	389.4	-2	+8
30...	487.5	+8	+25	29...	430.3	+10	+4

¹ As reported by representative sample of distributors of stocks each Monday A.M. in the following states: PA, NY, NJ, MD, DE, ME, RI, NH, CT, MA, OH, IN, MI, MN, MO, IA, GA, FL, AL, MS, NC, VA, OR, and WA.
² The percent change is on a matched plant basis.

TABLE 9.--SHELL EGGS: Average prices paid at farm in specified areas, by months, 1975
 (Cents per dozen--cases exchanged)¹

Month and year	Iowa				
	Under quality and volume incentive programs		Other production		
	Grade A or better, white		Grade A or better, mixed colors		Grade B large mixed colors
	Large	Medium	Large	Medium	
1975					
January.....	50.25	44.32	38.07	31.31	25.43
February.....	43.34	37.21	33.13	26.24	21.10
March.....	45.26	37.38	33.98	26.48	21.90
April.....	36.09	30.48	26.59	23.09	20.95
May.....	36.86	26.26	26.81	21.71	21.12
June.....	36.90	25.90	26.64	21.48	18.33
July.....	39.27	27.89	28.34	23.61	19.50
August.....	44.64	34.02	32.19	25.95	21.09
September.....	49.43	39.31	35.78	28.71	22.86
October.....	45.12	38.55	32.79	27.07	22.40
November.....	51.05	42.95	36.92	29.39	24.71
December.....	58.52	53.25	43.75	37.02	27.90
Average 1975.....	44.73	36.46	32.92	26.84	22.27
Average 1974.....	46.68	39.37	37.00	29.37	26.22

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 9.--SHELL EGGS: Average prices paid at farm in specified areas, by months, 1975--Continued
(Cents per dozen--cases exchanged)¹

Month and year	Fresno, California area ² (Southern San Joaquin Valley)			Modesto, California area ² (Northern San Joaquin Valley)					
	Produced under AA quality and volume incentive programs								
	Large	Medium	Small	Large	Medium	Small			
1975									
January.....	52.31	49.86	42.22	51.81	49.36	40.72			
February.....	52.44	49.44	39.23	51.94	49.94	37.73			
	Central California ²								
	Large	Medium	Small	Large	Medium	Small			
March.....	48.69	44.15	32.05						
April.....	38.46	34.00	22.53						
May.....	38.53	33.69	21.76						
June.....	37.34	30.03	19.50						
July.....	38.92	31.73	19.50						
August.....	44.34	34.73	19.73						
September.....	48.84	41.84	22.19						
October.....	45.03	40.50	22.88						
November.....	51.25	46.75	37.00						
December.....	56.11	53.88	44.65						
Average 1975.....	(3)	(3)	(3)						
Average 1974.....	(3)	(3)	(3)						
	New England area								
	Grade A								
	Brown					White			
	Jumbo	Extra large	Large	Medium	Small	Extra large	Large	Medium	Small
1975									
January.....	65.00	60.18	58.09	53.77	40.91	59.91	57.82	52.50	39.68
February.....	61.13	53.32	54.24	50.34	33.37	56.05	53.29	46.18	33.39
March.....	61.55	58.07	55.07	48.60	25.83	58.45	55.45	47.83	25.33
April.....	56.50	47.05	45.77	40.91	26.91	45.05	43.05	40.91	26.25
May.....	52.12	44.44	43.36	37.74	22.40	43.12	42.07	37.74	21.40
June.....	53.20	47.55	45.65	36.90	19.15	46.95	44.05	36.50	19.35
July.....	57.55	51.05	49.45	42.00	25.00	51.64	47.50	38.50	23.50
August.....	65.81	57.48	56.48	44.48	25.14	56.88	51.98	42.64	24.21
September.....	66.57	58.52	57.67	54.95	31.24	58.36	55.64	49.36	(3)
October.....	60.90	56.14	53.09	47.36	33.95	52.50	52.26	46.37	(3)
November.....	67.54	61.00	57.09	53.23	41.00	60.85	58.09	51.15	(3)
December.....	66.00	62.40	61.15	57.55	46.75	63.90	62.65	59.05	(3)
Average 1975.....	61.16	54.77	53.09	47.32	30.98	54.57	51.94	45.73	(3)
Average 1974.....	61.62	55.17	53.05	47.84	31.43	53.25	51.82	45.87	30.42

¹ Net prices paid producers for eggs on actual yield graded at packing plant.

² Series combined as "Central California" March 1975.

³ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 10.--SHELL EGGS: Average prices paid producers delivered grading plants in Missouri, by months, 1975
(Cents per dozen--cases returned)¹

Month and year	U. S. Consumer			Grade B
	Grade A white			
	Large	Medium	Small	Large
1975				
January.....	58.18	54.64	49.85	53.18
February.....	51.45	47.16	42.71	46.45
March.....	54.19	48.83	34.62	49.19
April.....	45.14	41.77	34.91	40.14
May.....	45.07	36.95	29.12	40.07
June.....	45.69	37.07	26.57	40.69
July.....	47.50	38.23	27.95	42.50
August.....	53.17	43.88	28.76	48.17
September.....	56.79	48.69	33.00	51.79
October.....	52.60	49.07	34.76	47.60
November.....	60.29	54.24	44.47	55.29
December.....	67.30	65.30	54.05	62.30
Average 1975..	53.11	47.15	36.73	48.11
Average 1974..	54.54	49.00	39.49	49.54

¹ Prices paid producers for eggs on actual grade yield at packing plant.

TABLE 11.--SHELL EGGS: Average prices paid for breaking stock, delivered plant, by months, 1975
(Dollars per case--cases exchanged)

Month and year	Central States ¹					Southeastern area ²			
	Heavy nest run ³	Checks and Under- grades ⁴	Mixed quality - small lots ⁵			Nest run ⁵	Under- grades	Checks	
			Minnesota, North and South Dakota	Iowa and Nebraska	Missouri, Kansas and Illinois				Wisconsin
1975									
January.....	9.66	9.44	(6)	10.95	9.82	10.52	12.26	10.71	10.17
February.....	10.46	8.40	9.27	9.53	9.10	9.47	10.48	9.67	9.07
March.....	10.64	8.10	9.00	9.45	(6)	9.12	(6)	9.51	8.94
April.....	9.81	7.97	8.67	8.81	8.94	8.63	(6)	9.03	8.43
May.....	11.22	9.54	9.84	10.31	9.88	10.24	11.10	10.71	10.11
June.....	10.74	9.10	9.78	9.90	9.74	9.75	10.59	10.20	9.81
July.....	11.26	9.49	9.94	10.05	9.85	10.12	11.22	10.57	10.09
August.....	12.18	10.05	11.10	11.33	10.56	10.97	11.96	11.21	10.61
September.....	19.61	11.04	12.07	11.90	11.66	11.90	13.05	12.13	11.53
October.....	12.75	10.87	11.60	11.83	11.65	11.63	12.63	11.67	11.19
November.....	13.52	11.42	12.20	12.32	12.19	12.04	13.38	12.15	11.81
December.....	13.68	11.49	12.14	11.87	12.20	12.18	13.53	12.69	12.15
Average 1975..	12.13	9.74	(6)	10.69	(6)	10.55	(6)	10.85	10.33
Average 1974..	(6)	(6)	11.46	11.36	(6)	11.24	(6)	11.38	10.66

¹ Includes Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Iowa, Nebraska, Missouri, Kansas, Illinois, and Wisconsin.

² Includes Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, and Tennessee.

³ Trucklots.

⁴ Less than cartlots.

⁵ Minimum average gross weight: Fifty-two pounds.

⁶ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

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TABLE 12.--SHELL EGGS: Average prices paid delivered at specified cities, by months, 1975
(Cents per dozen--cases included)

Month and year	Denver, Colorado ¹					
	Grade AA white			Grade A white		Grade B
	Large	Medium	Small	Large	Medium	Large
1975						
January.....	62.09	59.09	42.00	61.09	58.09	44.09
February.....	57.75	53.50	39.00	56.75	52.50	39.75
March.....	58.88	52.31	37.07	57.88	51.31	40.36
April.....	51.05	45.50	35.59	50.05	44.50	32.05
May.....	49.83	43.79	34.98	48.83	42.78	30.93
June.....	49.45	46.74	31.69	48.45	39.74	30.95
July.....	50.95	43.00	32.05	49.95	42.00	29.64
August.....	55.21	46.21	31.50	54.21	45.21	36.71
September.....	59.79	51.45	33.40	58.79	50.45	41.29
October.....	55.93	50.17	32.50	54.93	49.17	37.43
November.....	62.82	56.60	37.61	61.82	55.60	44.31
December.....	69.60	65.60	47.12	68.60	64.60	51.10
Average 1975..	56.95	50.66	36.21	55.95	49.66	38.22
Average 1974..	57.87	51.53	36.03	56.87	50.53	37.99

Month and year	Detroit, Michigan ²					Midwestern cities ³		
	U. S. and Consumer Grade A, loose, white					U. S. and Consumer Grade A, cartonned		
	Jumbo	Extra large	Large	Medium	Small	Extra large	Large	Medium
1975								
January.....	64.23	61.11	59.86	54.35	46.90	68.00	66.20	62.00
February.....	58.92	55.43	53.86	47.58	40.97	61.00	59.62	54.88
March.....	62.93	55.05	56.46	49.07	34.15	63.62	61.38	55.50
April.....	54.05	49.22	47.75	43.50	35.50	55.25	53.25	49.50
May.....	54.86	49.83	47.98	37.96	28.38	54.95	53.20	45.20
June.....	55.67	50.24	47.81	37.88	26.70	55.00	52.75	44.25
July.....	57.77	52.73	49.97	39.33	26.36	57.40	55.20	45.60
August.....	62.29	56.73	54.74	43.37	26.24	63.00	60.50	50.50
September.....	67.24	60.98	59.00	49.32	29.64	67.69	65.25	56.38
October.....	61.26	56.13	54.48	50.08	34.24	63.00	60.90	56.60
November.....	67.00	63.04	61.85	54.09	39.50	70.12	67.75	61.00
December.....	71.23	69.81	68.44	66.95	48.50	(4)	(4)	(4)
Average 1975..	61.62	56.69	55.18	47.79	34.76	(4)	(4)	(4)
Average 1974..	63.69	58.07	56.02	49.42	34.49	62.72	61.39	55.16

¹ Loose or in buyers' cartons.

² Delivered distributor.

³ Includes IN, IL, IA, MI, MN, MO, SD and WI.

⁴ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 13.--SHELL EGGS: Average wholesale selling prices in New York, by months, 1975
(Cents per dozen)¹

Month and year	Minimum 10 percent AA 75 percent A quality white, loose		
	Large	Medium	Small
<u>1975</u>			
January.....	62.18	57.75	53.50
February.....	55.44	50.58	46.08
March.....	59.24	53.24	38.25
April.....	50.17	46.18	40.45
May.....	49.26	40.76	34.45
June.....	50.55	41.43	32.43
July.....	52.59	42.58	32.84
August.....	58.21	48.28	33.31
September.....	61.56	53.07	38.89
October.....	56.65	53.61	41.67
November.....	65.67	59.42	53.00
December.....	71.85	70.50	62.10
Average 1975.....	57.78	51.45	42.25
Average 1974.....	58.18	52.33	(2)

¹ F.o.b. dock.

² Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 14.--SHELL EGGS: Average prices on Consumer Grade A cartoned white eggs to volume buyers, store door delivery, by months, 1975
(Cents per dozen)

Month and year	Atlanta metropolitan area			Birmingham, Alabama		
	Extra large	Large	Medium	Extra large	Large	Medium
<u>1975</u>						
January.....	69.72	67.72	63.80	70.50	68.44	64.43
February.....	64.54	62.67	58.03	64.84	63.08	58.84
March.....	63.51	61.83	56.48	63.69	62.15	56.51
April.....	56.83	55.27	51.27	55.90	54.85	50.90
May.....	56.56	55.11	47.12	56.08	55.15	47.21
June.....	54.81	53.45	44.55	55.32	54.20	45.37
July.....	57.05	56.11	47.49	57.57	56.57	48.07
August.....	61.91	60.91	51.06	62.68	61.68	52.00
September.....	67.58	66.58	58.01	68.23	67.23	58.96
October.....	62.79	61.79	57.32	63.46	62.46	58.25
November.....	68.29	67.29	61.24	68.78	67.78	62.04
December.....	76.35	75.35	72.96	76.98	75.98	74.00
Average 1975.....	63.73	62.01	55.78	63.67	62.46	56.38
Average 1974.....	65.01	63.36	57.47	65.13	63.16	57.51

TABLE 14.--SHELL EGGS: Average prices on Consumer Grade A cartoned white eggs to volume buyers, store door delivery, by months, 1975--Continued

(Cents per dozen)

Month and year	Boston metropolitan area ¹			Chicago metropolitan area ²		
	Extra large	Large	Medium	Extra large	Large	Medium
<u>1975</u>						
January.....	73.68	71.59	66.80	65.18	63.68	59.64
February.....	69.68	67.79	63.76	58.92	57.42	52.63
March.....	71.57	68.57	62.10	62.17	60.67	54.81
April.....	60.55	59.27	53.16	53.14	51.64	47.77
May.....	57.95	56.86	51.24	52.92	51.26	42.79
June.....	61.45	59.55	50.80	53.44	51.69	43.07
July.....	65.52	63.95	56.18	55.36	53.86	44.41
August.....	72.03	70.98	58.98	61.17	59.67	50.32
September.....	73.02	72.21	69.45	64.79	63.29	54.99
October.....	70.64	67.88	61.67	60.60	59.10	55.32
November.....	75.50	71.50	67.73	68.29	66.79	60.49
December.....	76.85	75.55	72.05	75.30	73.80	72.05
Average 1975.....	69.04	67.14	61.16	60.94	59.41	53.19
Average 1974.....	68.04	66.14	61.02	61.37	59.78	54.01

See footnotes at end of table.

Month and year	Detroit metropolitan area			Jackson, Mississippi		
	Extra large	Large	Medium	Extra large	Large	Medium
<u>1975</u>						
January.....	65.93	64.55	60.60	70.25	68.25	63.75
February.....	60.05	58.68	54.13	65.75	63.75	58.50
March.....	63.32	61.83	55.79	66.60	64.60	58.30
April.....	53.73	52.23	48.64	58.50	56.50	52.25
May.....	54.26	52.57	43.89	59.00	57.00	48.25
June.....	55.00	53.00	44.33	59.00	57.00	47.90
July.....	56.57	54.68	45.26	60.50	58.50	49.13
August.....	62.24	60.52	50.80	65.75	63.75	53.50
September.....	66.08	64.42	55.55	70.40	68.40	56.90
October.....	62.05	60.05	55.98	66.00	64.00	59.50
November.....	71.08	68.21	62.05	72.50	70.50	64.00
December.....	78.45	75.45	73.95	80.40	78.40	76.30
Average 1975.....	62.40	60.52	54.25	66.22	64.22	57.36
Average 1974.....	63.12	60.89	54.93	66.82	64.82	58.28

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 14.--SHELL EGGS: Average prices on Consumer Grade A cartoned white eggs to volume buyers, store door delivery, by months, 1975--Continued

(Cents per dozen)

Month and year	Los Angeles metropolitan area ^{3 4}			New York metropolitan area		
	Extra large	Large	Medium	Extra large	Large	Medium
<u>1975</u>						
January.....	71.32	68.32	67.32	69.68	68.43	63.14
February.....	71.71	68.71	67.71	63.42	62.09	56.13
March.....	71.55	68.55	65.67	66.67	65.42	58.31
April.....	61.74	58.74	53.85	57.64	56.39	51.27
May.....	63.26	60.26	54.55	57.57	56.32	46.86
June.....	61.50	58.50	50.50	58.19	56.94	47.57
July.....	58.73	55.73	49.27	60.09	58.84	48.82
August.....	64.64	61.64	52.74	65.71	64.46	54.58
September.....	69.78	66.78	59.78	69.38	67.85	58.70
October.....	66.74	63.74	60.93	64.86	63.11	58.58
November.....	73.00	70.00	69.00	72.32	70.49	63.43
December.....	78.48	75.48	74.48	78.84	76.84	74.55
Average 1975.....	(6)	(6)	(6)	65.36	63.93	56.83
Average 1974.....	(6)	(6)	(6)	65.89	64.49	57.74

Month and year	Major Ohio Cities			Pittsburgh metropolitan area		
	Extra large	Large	Medium	Extra large	Large	Medium
<u>1975</u>						
January.....	67.40	64.19	60.18	69.98	67.59	63.50
February.....	61.22	58.95	54.51	64.71	62.42	57.37
March.....	63.22	59.95	54.79	65.62	63.02	57.00
April.....	54.78	52.63	49.22	57.23	55.50	51.58
May.....	55.46	53.02	44.79	58.05	55.52	46.73
June.....	54.54	52.71	43.84	56.62	54.24	45.24
July.....	56.85	54.54	45.64	59.05	56.30	47.50
August.....	62.57	60.31	50.12	64.88	62.00	52.52
September.....	66.97	64.59	56.12	68.76	66.76	58.12
October.....	62.07	59.29	55.74	64.40	62.10	57.69
November.....	68.34	66.06	59.70	71.66	68.99	62.45
December.....	75.68	73.77	71.89	78.75	75.87	74.17
Average 1975.....	62.43	60.00	53.88	64.98	62.53	56.16
Average 1974.....	63.53	61.23	55.31	65.90	63.39	57.64

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 14.--SHELL EGGS: Average prices on Consumer Grade A cartoned white eggs to volume buyers, store door delivery, by months, 1975--Continued

(Cents per dozen)

Month and year	Philadelphia metropolitan area		
	Extra large	Large	Medium
1975			
January.....	70.20	69.20	62.59
February.....	64.91	63.91	56.68
March.....	65.80	64.80	56.83
April.....	58.26	57.26	51.30
May.....	57.99	56.99	46.76
June.....	57.06	56.06	45.49
July.....	59.22	58.22	47.41
August.....	64.57	63.57	52.04
September.....	69.02	68.02	57.82
October.....	64.71	63.71	58.30
November.....	71.04	70.04	62.67
December.....	78.85	77.85	73.82
Average 1975.....	65.14	64.14	55.98
Average 1974.....	65.66	64.66	56.91

Month and year	San Francisco metropolitan area ^{3 5}			Wisconsin		
	Extra large	Large	Medium	Extra large	Large	Medium
1975						
January.....	69.50	67.50	65.05	69.23	66.73	61.18
February.....	69.95	67.95	64.95	63.45	60.95	54.71
March.....	67.59	65.59	60.82	66.02	63.52	56.21
April.....	57.17	55.17	50.78	56.82	54.32	49.34
May.....	58.10	56.10	51.62	56.31	53.81	44.93
June.....	57.52	55.00	47.52	56.40	53.90	44.74
July.....	59.36	56.36	49.18	58.50	56.00	46.27
August.....	64.90	61.90	52.24	63.88	61.38	51.62
September.....	69.38	66.00	59.38	68.02	65.02	56.83
October.....	65.67	62.67	58.05	63.55	61.05	56.93
November.....	71.63	68.63	64.05	70.82	68.32	61.71
December.....	76.70	73.70	71.50	78.10	75.60	73.55
Average 1975.....	(b)	(6)	(b)	64.26	61.76	54.84
Average 1974.....	(b)	(6)	(b)	65.11	62.37	55.49

¹ Series are for Brown Eggs.

² Delivered warehouse.

³ Grade AA.

⁴ Discount included July 1, 1975.

⁵ Discount included March 1, 1975.

⁶ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 15.--SHELL EGGS: Weighted average prices of Grade A cartoned white eggs on sales to volume buyers, store door delivery, by weeks, 1975

(Cents per dozen)

Week ending	Northeast area ¹			Midwest area ²		
	Extra large	Large	Medium	Extra large	Large	Medium
1975						
January	3...: 73.19	71.82	67.63	69.63	67.59	64.31
	10...: 68.87	67.59	62.41	64.92	62.71	59.06
	17...: 68.48	67.07	61.58	65.16	63.40	58.88
	24...: 70.40	69.06	63.08	67.29	65.32	62.34
	31...: 70.94	69.59	63.92	67.61	65.94	61.58
February	7...: 68.63	67.31	61.48	65.41	63.41	59.09
	14...: 64.83	63.53	57.31	60.80	59.18	54.67
	21...: 61.44	60.16	54.36	57.76	56.02	51.50
	28...: 60.46	59.12	52.21	57.03	55.19	49.33
March	7...: 62.40	61.05	54.30	59.11	57.46	51.74
	14...: 67.06	65.71	58.37	64.12	62.47	56.23
	21...: 68.81	67.46	60.09	65.52	63.21	57.25
	28...: 67.42	66.01	58.76	64.21	62.01	56.19
April	4...: 59.28	57.97	52.54	54.88	53.14	49.12
	11...: 56.13	54.78	50.44	52.33	50.55	47.78
	18...: 57.42	56.08	51.50	54.01	52.38	49.08
	25...: 58.81	57.46	51.94	55.36	53.97	49.43
May	2...: 59.56	58.21	50.61	56.19	54.57	48.11
	9...: 59.87	58.50	49.55	56.66	54.83	47.00
	16...: 58.77	57.45	47.50	55.23	53.35	44.44
	23...: 55.94	54.58	44.54	52.27	50.16	41.06
	30...: 55.00	53.65	43.62	51.58	49.66	40.53
June	6...: 54.87	53.53	43.49	51.55	49.62	40.44
	13...: 55.98	54.65	44.30	52.73	50.82	41.35
	20...: 58.69	57.41	48.67	55.67	53.82	45.32
	27...: 60.65	59.27	50.26	57.55	55.58	47.48
July	3...: 59.61	50.52	49.77	56.23	54.27	46.52
	11...: 57.79	56.38	47.55	54.30	52.27	44.30
	18...: 57.42	56.07	46.16	54.12	52.29	43.09
	25...: 61.01	59.66	48.50	57.84	56.09	45.46
August	1...: 63.55	62.14	50.36	60.50	58.74	47.53
	8...: 63.94	62.53	50.61	60.63	58.79	47.44
	15...: 63.94	62.53	52.05	60.64	58.86	48.93
	22...: 65.10	63.69	54.52	61.87	60.07	51.41
	29...: 68.51	67.17	57.89	65.54	63.77	55.22
September	5...: 70.14	68.86	59.14	67.16	65.43	56.32
	12...: 70.61	69.33	59.20	67.55	65.79	56.29
	19...: 70.14	68.55	58.90	67.03	65.02	56.21
	26...: 67.35	65.76	57.44	63.92	62.08	54.59
October	3...: 65.16	63.58	56.27	62.00	60.06	53.61
	10...: 64.53	62.94	58.13	61.53	59.76	55.67
	17...: 64.72	63.06	58.87	61.51	59.52	56.37
	24...: 64.72	63.06	59.00	61.60	59.50	56.38
	31...: 65.06	63.41	59.00	61.79	59.74	56.02
November	7...: 66.79	64.88	59.37	64.67	62.50	59.16
	14...: 71.98	70.36	62.55	69.36	67.39	59.84
	21...: 74.40	72.65	65.14	71.77	69.60	63.08
	28...: 74.53	72.69	66.36	71.84	69.54	64.19
December	5...: 74.68	72.81	68.86	72.15	70.08	67.47
	12...: 78.15	76.24	73.61	76.00	73.96	72.13
	19...: 80.70	79.01	76.72	78.40	76.40	75.06
	26...: 81.26	79.39	77.35	78.62	76.70	75.40

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 15.--SHELL EGGS: Weighted average prices of Grade A, cartonned white eggs on sales to volume buyers, store door delivery, by weeks, 1975--Continued

(Cents per dozen)

Week ending	Southern area ³			Western area ^{4 5}			14 major metropolitan areas			
	Extra large	Large	Medium	Extra large	Large	Medium	Extra large	Large	Medium	
1975										
January	3.... 76.23	74.44	72.85	74.51	71.85	70.43	72.55	70.62	67.58	
	10.... 70.86	68.07	64.72	69.94	67.20	65.61	67.96	65.91	62.22	
	17.... 68.32	66.32	62.38	69.94	67.20	65.53	67.70	65.82	61.66	
	24.... 70.29	68.20	63.06	70.62	68.04	65.79	69.41	67.51	63.46	
	31.... 71.48	69.32	64.87	72.36	69.78	67.53	70.20	68.40	64.05	
February	7.... 71.32	69.12	64.91	72.28	69.70	67.45	68.61	66.71	62.33	
	14.... 66.03	64.29	59.44	71.46	68.80	66.39	65.12	63.36	58.70	
	21.... 63.30	61.39	57.18	71.05	68.39	66.14	62.54	60.78	56.36	
	28.... 60.20	58.20	52.89	67.79	65.05	62.72	61.00	59.12	53.74	
March	7.... 61.01	58.81	53.66	67.40	64.74	62.41	62.36	60.54	55.52	
	14.... 63.44	61.84	56.07	70.69	67.95	64.59	66.65	64.86	58.93	
	21.... 68.19	66.38	60.35	71.26	68.60	64.17	68.24	66.23	60.11	
	28.... 68.37	66.67	60.64	71.26	68.60	63.94	67.32	65.33	59.25	
April	4.... 64.08	62.44	56.32	(6)	(6)	(6)	(6)	(6)	(6)	
	11.... 55.85	53.85	50.77	59.12	56.37	51.54	55.54	53.67	49.83	
	18.... 55.18	53.63	50.60	58.60	55.86	51.02	56.39	54.61	50.51	
	25.... 57.72	56.17	52.31	59.27	56.61	51.94	57.68	56.00	51.13	
May	2.... 57.89	56.34	51.84	61.18	58.52	54.70	58.69	56.93	50.82	
	9.... 59.02	57.02	50.91	61.51	58.93	54.61	59.12	57.27	49.98	
	16.... 59.22	57.63	49.46	62.93	60.35	54.45	58.59	56.77	48.25	
	23.... 57.27	55.63	46.28	62.35	59.69	53.46	56.31	54.38	45.58	
	30.... 54.84	52.99	44.07	59.60	57.00	49.03	54.92	53.05	43.88	
June	6.... 54.70	52.81	43.90	59.60	56.94	48.95	54.85	52.96	43.77	
	13.... 54.70	52.81	43.90	59.60	56.94	48.95	55.64	53.77	44.37	
	20.... 57.45	55.37	46.07	57.87	54.62	46.88	57.40	55.41	46.94	
	27.... 59.64	57.79	49.64	58.71	55.79	47.45	59.09	57.12	48.64	
July	3.... 60.48	58.81	50.69	58.19	55.28	47.45	58.22	56.27	48.22	
	11.... 58.33	56.28	49.13	58.36	55.28	48.86	56.80	54.75	46.89	
	18.... 57.15	55.28	46.86	58.36	55.04	48.37	56.52	54.51	45.70	
	25.... 58.53	56.45	47.37	60.20	57.20	50.29	59.58	57.86	47.82	
August	1.... 63.36	61.28	50.50	63.53	60.36	52.62	62.52	60.53	49.95	
	8.... 63.89	61.81	50.90	63.53	60.36	52.62	62.74	60.73	50.05	
	15.... 63.89	61.81	50.90	65.20	62.04	52.62	63.13	61.14	51.06	
	22.... 63.89	61.81	53.57	65.20	62.04	53.03	63.96	61.96	53.07	
	29.... 66.24	64.57	56.45	67.78	64.78	54.35	67.18	65.28	56.07	
September	5.... 69.76	67.88	59.76	70.94	67.94	59.11	69.31	67.43	58.24	
	12.... 70.71	68.63	59.90	72.03	68.94	60.78	69.93	68.01	58.65	
	19.... 70.48	68.81	59.90	71.82	68.74	61.09	69.52	67.44	58.59	
	26.... 69.01	67.34	59.90	68.19	65.11	59.94	66.53	64.51	57.26	
October	3.... 65.92	64.25	57.13	65.61	62.69	58.61	64.27	62.25	56.00	
	10.... 64.48	63.01	57.02	65.44	62.69	58.78	63.74	61.83	57.38	
	17.... 64.48	63.01	59.43	65.44	62.69	59.27	63.80	61.79	58.17	
	24.... 66.12	63.64	60.29	67.45	64.62	60.94	64.30	62.24	58.63	
	31.... 64.48	63.01	59.49	69.21	66.29	62.94	64.89	62.83	58.96	
November	7.... 65.10	63.63	59.79	70.03	67.03	64.10	66.70	64.49	60.43	
	14.... 69.04	67.57	60.72	70.86	67.78	64.94	70.63	68.56	62.06	
	21.... 73.86	72.39	65.24	75.52	72.69	69.85	73.74	71.62	65.56	
	28.... 74.48	73.01	66.90	75.52	72.69	70.19	73.86	71.67	66.57	
December	5.... 74.48	73.01	68.35	75.52	72.69	70.77	74.19	71.89	68.80	
	12.... 76.13	74.66	72.45	77.52	74.69	73.10	77.13	75.00	72.91	
	19.... 80.02	78.34	76.96	79.98	77.22	75.97	79.71	77.68	76.01	
	26.... 81.08	79.61	78.29	80.14	77.31	76.05	80.11	78.03	76.47	

¹Based on data from metropolitan New York, Philadelphia and Pittsburgh areas.

²Based on data from metropolitan Chicago and Detroit areas, major Ohio cities, and major Wisconsin cities.

³Based on data from metropolitan Atlanta, Baton Rouge, Birmingham, and Jackson areas.

⁴Based on data from metropolitan San Francisco, Los Angeles, and Houston areas.

⁵San Francisco and Los Angeles are Grade AA.

⁶Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 16.—SHELL EGGS: Average prices paid for Consumer cartoned white eggs delivered to retailers at specified cities or areas, by months, 1975
(Cents per dozen)¹

Month and year	Baltimore Maryland		Colorado					
			Western Slope			Northern Colorado		
	Grade A		Grade AA		Grade AA	Grade A		
	Large	Medium	Large	Medium	Small	Large	Large	Medium
<u>1975</u>								
January.....	73.86	69.89	70.00	69.00	59.00	68.25	66.25	60.37
February.....	68.37	63.84	70.75	69.75	59.75	65.00	63.00	57.75
March.....	74.58	68.47	70.50	68.75	58.50	66.50	64.25	58.37
April.....	62.34	58.43	58.50	54.50	41.90	58.70	57.30	52.80
May.....	62.02	53.95	58.50	53.50	42.75	56.50	55.50	50.25
June.....	61.43	52.74	55.25	48.00	37.50	56.25	55.25	48.50
July.....	62.07	52.98	57.50	50.50	39.10	57.90	56.90	50.80
August.....	67.50	58.05	65.50	56.00	41.00	61.75	60.75	53.25
September.....	72.19	63.81	68.50	60.75	41.50	66.25	65.25	59.00
October.....	63.55	60.79	62.25	58.75	41.00	62.40	61.40	56.50
November.....	71.82	65.55	69.87	65.87	50.62	70.00	68.00	62.50
December.....	79.12	77.22	76.60	73.60	61.30	76.90	74.90	71.90
Average 1975....	68.24	62.14	65.31	60.75	47.83	63.87	62.40	56.83
Average 1974....	69.98	64.26	66.45	61.69	51.23	64.67	63.02 ^B	57.13

Month and year	Detroit, Michigan					Fresno, California ²			
	Grade A					Grade AA			
	Jumbo	Extra large	Large	Medium	Small	Extra ⁵ large	Large	Medium	Small
<u>1975</u>									
January.....	76.89	71.00	68.73	64.41	52.86	72.50	68.50	65.93	56.40
February.....	71.34	65.37	62.87	57.32	46.97	72.94	68.94	65.44	53.73
March.....	73.38	67.93	65.43	58.98	42.31	67.25	63.25	58.37	45.75
April.....	64.68	59.32	56.82	53.00	42.52	57.84	55.23	50.76	37.92
May.....	64.31	59.31	56.81	48.21	33.90	57.00	55.00	50.61	36.53
June.....	64.33	59.40	56.90	48.02	31.70	56.23	54.00	46.53	35.00
July.....	67.70	61.32	58.86	49.73	32.45	58.42	55.42	48.23	35.00
August.....	73.26	66.81	64.33	54.86	33.67	63.84	60.84	51.23	35.23
September.....	75.26	70.67	68.26	60.38	36.05	68.30	65.30	58.30	37.69
October.....	70.02	66.52	63.55	60.43	40.50	64.71	61.71	57.07	38.71
November.....	77.50	74.55	71.97	65.89	49.24	70.75	67.75	63.25	52.50
December.....	84.60	81.75	79.35	77.65	60.08	75.61	72.61	70.38	60.15
Average 1975....	71.94	67.00	64.49	58.24	41.85	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)
Average 1974....	71.69	66.89	64.67	58.33	41.55	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 16.--SHELL EGGS: Average prices paid for Consumer cartoned white eggs delivered to retailers at specified cities or areas, by months, 1975--Continued
(Cents per dozen)¹

Month and year	West Central and Northeast Florida markets			
	Grade A			
	Extra large	Large	Medium	Small
<u>1975</u>				
January.....	72.66	71.76	67.85	62.12
February.....	68.06	66.41	62.06	56.47
March.....	68.13	66.04	60.16	47.48
April.....	62.11	60.20	55.08	46.57
May.....	59.45	58.70	51.51	45.22
June.....	58.06	56.20	46.75	40.97
July.....	59.61	57.46	48.93	42.98
August.....	64.39	62.06	51.65	42.95
September.....	70.48	60.89	59.27	48.19
October.....	65.47	63.57	58.79	50.21
November.....	70.13	68.56	62.38	57.56
December.....	78.48	76.96	73.70	69.78
Average 1975.....	66.42	64.07	58.18	50.88
Average 1974.....	68.87	66.20	59.84	51.30

Month and year	Major Ohio cities				
	Grade A ⁴				
	Jumbo	Extra large	Large	Medium	Small
<u>1975</u>					
January.....	80.57	77.39	74.41	69.50	61.77
February.....	74.63	71.45	68.84	63.37	56.26
March.....	77.55	73.86	70.95	64.83	51.05
April.....	69.39	65.45	62.50	58.23	48.75
May.....	69.33	65.81	62.48	54.52	45.60
June.....	69.31	65.81	62.31	54.07	42.76
July.....	71.07	67.30	63.95	55.07	44.91
August.....	76.38	71.90	68.93	59.64	45.60
September.....	80.90	76.48	73.98	64.88	50.50
October.....	76.55	72.14	69.60	64.93	50.57
November.....	83.83	79.33	76.83	69.72	58.25
December.....	90.85	86.65	84.15	80.03	67.13
Average 1975.....	76.70	72.80	69.91	63.23	51.93
Average 1974.....	77.45	72.91	69.84	64.11	52.22

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 16.--SHELL EGGS: Average prices paid for Consumer cartoned white eggs delivered to retailers at specified cities or areas, by months, 1975--Continued

(Cents per dozen)¹

Month and year	North Carolina ¹				Portland, Oregon		
	Grade A			Grade AA			
	Large	Medium	Small	Extra large	Large	Medium	Small
1975							
January.....	69.45	65.23	58.73	76.50	72.50	70.05	61.91
February.....	63.18	57.98	51.68	74.47	71.16	68.50	57.87
March.....	66.47	60.13	44.79	71.86	68.83	65.86	54.81
April.....	57.47	53.28	44.64	62.82	58.89	54.45	44.55
May.....	57.31	48.63	39.73	61.83	58.55	53.05	42.67
June.....	57.62	48.64	37.23	61.79	58.26	48.83	39.31
July.....	59.77	49.91	39.06	63.80	59.77	52.20	40.50
August.....	65.31	55.45	40.27	68.88	65.26	55.62	40.74
September.....	69.34	60.24	45.10	74.24	70.37	64.74	42.87
October.....	64.86	60.84	47.12	(6)	(6)	(6)	(6)
November.....	72.36	65.80	57.82	(6)	(6)	(6)	(6)
December.....	79.46	77.28	67.47	(6)	(6)	(6)	(6)
Average 1975.....	65.22	58.62	47.80	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)
Average 1974.....	65.56	59.60	48.51	71.81	67.68	61.44	48.19

Month and year	Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania				
	Grade A ⁴				
	Jumbo	Extra large	Large	Medium	Small
1975					
January.....	77.09	73.86	71.55	66.39	58.45
February.....	71.34	68.16	65.82	60.42	52.21
March.....	72.76	69.95	66.00	60.64	44.67
April.....	65.73	61.66	58.89	54.73	44.83
May.....	65.86	61.90	59.00	50.43	41.44
June.....	66.38	61.14	58.50	49.02	37.00
July.....	69.50	63.09	60.23	50.82	38.91
August.....	74.21	68.98	66.05	56.00	39.57
September.....	77.79	73.26	70.76	61.57	44.69
October.....	70.95	68.98	66.14	61.31	46.67
November.....	77.26	75.03	72.79	65.84	57.05
December.....	86.30	83.02	79.85	77.72	64.55
Average 1975.....	72.93	69.09	66.30	59.57	47.50
Average 1974.....	74.74	69.70	67.25	60.69	48.24

- 1 Minimum sale - one unit.
- 2 Discount included March 1, 1975.
- 3 Weighted average prices.
- 4 Includes U. S. Grade A.
- 5 Includes AA and A.
- 6 Discontinued October 1, 1975.
- 7 Not computed because of insufficient price data.
- 8 Revised.

TABLE 17.--SHELL EGGS: Average prices paid by consumers at Los Angeles, California, by months, 1975
(Cents per dozen, in cartons)

Month and year	Consumer Grade AA white			
	In large retail stores			On milk routes
	Extra large	Large	Medium	Large
1975				
January.....	79.05	73.05	70.75	86.32
February.....	78.61	73.89	70.61	86.71
March.....	79.40	70.76	68.50	86.12
April.....	72.59	63.59	58.14	75.95
May.....	70.50	62.38	57.52	74.50
June.....	70.50	61.50	56.43	74.50
July.....	68.32	61.27	56.34	74.59
August.....	71.36	65.64	59.67	78.52
September.....	79.64	72.19	65.62	82.14
October.....	76.05	68.29	65.40	79.24
November.....	81.84	74.50	71.39	84.87
December.....	88.20	79.92	75.52	86.08
Average 1975..	76.34	68.92	64.66	80.80
Average 1974..	73.37	68.80	62.52	81.71

TABLE 18.--FROZEN EGGS: Wholesale selling prices at specified cities or areas, by months, 1975
(Cents per pound in 10-pound containers in less than carlot)

Month and year	New York and Philadelphia ¹			San Francisco ¹		
	Whole eggs	Blends	Whites	Whole eggs	Blends	Whites
1975						
January.....	42.11	50.89	22.28	46.45	57.48	27.05
February.....	40.31	48.19	21.38	45.24	55.74	26.29
March.....	37.92	45.86	20.50	41.02	(2)	24.52
April.....	36.89	45.94	20.50	39.32	(2)	24.91
May.....	41.89	48.75	24.25	38.64	(2)	26.55
June.....	42.91	48.07	23.38	38.95	(2)	27.62
July.....	43.03	49.25	24.94	40.77	(2)	28.30
August.....	43.75	49.36	25.47	43.19	(2)	29.02
September.....	43.28	50.75	26.69	45.26	(2)	30.02
October.....	44.33	51.25	25.78	46.45	60.50	31.40
November.....	44.62	50.31	26.00	45.24	60.76	29.50
December.....	44.86	42.62	26.07	45.00	61.00	29.50
Average 1975..	42.16	48.44	23.94	42.96	(2)	27.89
Average 1974..	(2)	(2)	22.76	46.91	(2)	25.47

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 18.--FROZEN EGGS: Wholesale selling prices at specified cities or areas, by months, 1975--Continued
(Cents per pound in 30-pound containers in less than carlot)

Month and year	New York and Philadelphia ¹		San Francisco ¹	
	Yolks, minimum 43% solids			
	Sugared	Salted	Sugared	Salted
1975				
January.....	75.11	(2)	80.50	77.00
February.....	71.44	(2)	78.84	76.21
March.....	68.94	(2)	72.17	71.93
April.....	62.44	(2)	68.86	66.50
May.....	65.47	(2)	66.50	65.05
June.....	65.38	(2)	66.07	65.67
July.....	65.78	(2)	71.20	66.93
August.....	67.11	(2)	76.05	70.05
September.....	70.36	(2)	75.76	74.85
October.....	70.61	(2)	76.86	75.88
November.....	71.12	(2)	75.53	(2)
December.....	71.43	(2)	76.00	(2)
Average 1975..	68.77	(2)	73.70	(2)
Average 1974..	78.28	(2)	81.26	81.66

¹ Minimum sale - twenty-five cans.

² Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 19.--FROZEN EGGS: Wholesale selling prices at specified cities or areas, by months, 1975
(Cents per pound in 30-pound containers in carlots or trucklots)

Month and year	Whole light colored		Whites		Yolks, minimum 43% solids			
	New York- Phila.	Chicago	New York- Phila.	Chicago	Sugared		Salted	
					New York- Phila.	Chicago	New York- Phila.	Chicago
1975								
January.....	36.06	35.85	17.57	17.20	69.39	69.50	(1)	67.45
February.....	33.81	32.75	16.97	16.44	64.69	64.56	(1)	62.00
March.....	32.48	31.31	16.41	16.34	60.69	61.84	59.13	58.50
April.....	32.72	32.00	16.38	16.81	57.69	(1)	55.97	52.88
May.....	37.94	37.00	18.75	18.88	60.58	(1)	59.31	60.30
June.....	37.59	37.31	20.44	19.97	61.75	62.25	59.71	59.81
July.....	38.38	38.06	21.38	20.69	62.69	63.50	62.34	61.31
August.....	39.80	39.45	22.27	21.90	64.72	64.56	62.92	63.12
September.....	42.31	41.62	23.11	22.94	67.69	67.50	66.17	66.00
October.....	41.39	40.55	22.69	22.50	67.42	67.45	65.91	66.15
November.....	42.16	41.83	22.94	22.58	67.94	67.50	(1)	66.00
December.....	41.79	(1)	(1)	(1)	68.11	(1)	(1)	(1)
Average 1975..	38.04	(1)	(1)	(1)	64.45	(1)	(1)	(1)
Average 1974..	39.72	39.24	17.84	18.25	(1)	73.89	(1)	(1)

¹ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 20.—FROZEN EGGS: Average prices delivered to bakers, hotels and restaurants at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, by months, 1975 ¹

(Cents per pound in 30-pound containers) ²

Month and year	Whole	Whites	Yolks, sugared
1975			
January.....	45.00	26.63	84.50
February.....	44.25	26.38	84.50
March.....	42.25	25.50	81.12
April.....	38.80	23.50	74.50
May.....	42.12	24.62	76.50
June.....	42.62	25.12	77.00
July.....	43.50	26.80	77.80
August.....	45.00	27.81	78.50
September.....	47.00	29.00	81.80
October.....	47.62	29.25	81.75
November.....	48.00	29.37	80.12
December.....	48.75	30.00	81.00
Average 1975.....	44.58	27.00	79.92
Average 1974.....	47.55	26.80	87.46

¹ Based on Friday's weekly reported prices.

² Sales of one-five containers.

TABLE 21.—DRIED EGGS: Wholesale selling prices at New York, by months, 1975

(Dollars per pound) ¹

Month and year	Whole eggs (palatability 7)	Yolks	Albumen (Spray)
1975			
January.....	1.56	1.76	(2)
February.....	1.44	1.65	1.44
March.....	1.32	(2)	1.36
April.....	1.31	1.44	1.35
May.....	1.47	1.55	1.57
June.....	1.45	1.52	1.56
July.....	1.50	1.57	1.59
August.....	1.59	1.66	1.66
September.....	1.69	1.76	1.78
October.....	1.65	1.73	1.77
November.....	1.66	1.75	1.78
December.....	1.64	1.74	1.76
Average 1975.....	1.52	(2)	(2)
Average 1974.....	(2)	(2)	1.59

¹ Sales of one-fifty drums or barrels.

² Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 22.--DRIED EGGS: Inventory, by months, 1975

Date	Dried whole						White			
	Plain		Free flowing ¹		Whole blend		Albumen		Blend	
	Pounds	% chg	Pounds	% chg	Pounds	% chg	Pounds	% chg	Pounds	% chg
1975										
January.....	1,161,872	+ 3	593,837	+25	4,780,155	+ 2	3,663,429	- 1	325,537	+135
February.....	1,036,714	-11	768,541	-38	4,451,126	- 7	3,596,400	- 2	182,602	- 44
March.....	961,492	- 7	278,513	-24	4,078,031	- 8	3,063,987	-15	102,907	- 44
April.....	902,121	- 6	414,805	+49	3,802,189	- 7	2,776,939	- 9	95,317	- 7
May.....	1,048,460	+16	629,672	+52	3,846,535	+ 1	2,643,557	- 5	59,147	- 38
June.....	1,046,386	No chg	642,148	+ 2	3,556,169	- 8	2,711,811	+ 3	83,597	+ 41
July.....	1,284,436	+23	542,702	-15	3,386,783	- 5	2,731,180	+ 1	87,062	+ 4
August.....	1,164,952	- 9	439,648	-19	3,667,425	+ 8	2,651,043	- 3	112,597	+ 29
September.....	1,340,235	+15	88,498	No chg	3,382,517	- 8	2,564,031	- 3	104,717	- 7
October.....	1,276,237	- 4	320,984	-26	3,856,222	-14	2,481,489	- 3	160,455	+ 53
November.....	830,797	-35	484,299	+51	2,528,426	-34	2,476,163	No chg	104,428	- 35
December.....	758,670	- 9	217,103	-55	2,085,564	-18	2,404,239	- 3	126,989	+ 22

Date	Dried yolks					
	Plain		Blend		Free Flowing ¹	
	Pounds	% chg	Pounds	% chg	Pounds	% chg
1975						
January.....	809,772	-18	195,700	- 2	2,700,754	+ 9
February.....	921,274	+14	166,468	- 15	2,588,220	- 4
March.....	1,017,539	+10	116,420	- 30	2,693,510	+ 4
April.....	1,055,309	+ 4	58,790	- 50	2,228,523	-17
May.....	1,220,758	+16	165,421	+181	1,843,387	-17
June.....	1,418,171	+16	148,622	- 10	1,671,913	- 9
July.....	1,289,424	- 9	179,594	+ 21	1,375,598	-18
August.....	795,467	-38	184,073	+ 2	1,069,875	-22
September.....	1,389,271	+75	224,578	+ 22	1,248,697	+17
October.....	1,040,583	-25	230,675	+ 2	1,668,576	+33
November.....	989,106	- 5	148,191	- 36	1,533,742	- 8
December.....	797,213	-20	110,592	- 25	1,442,086	- 6

¹ With sodium silico aluminate.

TABLE 23.--LIQUID EGGS: Average prices paid f.o.b. processor's dock for non-pasteurized liquid eggs in the Southeast area,¹ by months, 1975

(Cents per pound in tank trucklots)

Month and year	Whites	Month and year	Whites
<u>1975</u>		<u>1975</u>	
January.....	13.97	November.....	17.63
February.....	12.47	December.....	17.13
March.....	12.31		
April.....	12.41	Average 1975.....	15.08
May.....	15.75		
June.....	14.97	Average 1974.....	(2)
July.....	15.05		
August.....	15.87		
September.....	16.50		
October.....	16.85		

¹ Includes Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi, and Tennessee.

² Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 24.--EGGS: Volume processed in plants under Federal Inspection, by weeks, 1975
(Pounds)¹

Week ending	Liquid	Dried	Cases broken	Week ending	Liquid	Dried	Cases broken
	(000)	(000)			(000)	(000)	
<u>1975</u>				<u>1975</u>			
January 4....	9,051	660	241,258	August 2....	15,518	1,204	417,940
11....	12,658	993	328,103	9....	16,026	1,275	424,602
18....	12,435	965	327,789	16....	15,876	1,307	434,740
25....	13,041	1,067	330,754	23....	15,859	1,379	417,910
February 1....	12,977	1,024	336,156	30....	14,602	1,192	396,203
8....	12,306	831	314,362	September 6....	12,835	1,044	342,829
15....	12,248	857	307,200	13....	15,133	1,189	401,437
22....	12,077	846	309,673	20....	15,126	1,422	400,292
March 1....	11,996	665	298,066	27....	14,995	1,337	401,474
8....	12,628	799	315,414	October 4....	15,746	1,293	404,460
15....	11,392	784	282,683	11....	14,718	1,380	375,827
22....	10,894	680	281,558	18....	14,488	1,381	373,643
29....	10,184	626	270,822	25....	14,311	1,451	369,229
April 5....	11,606	784	296,516	November 1....	14,111	1,399	363,901
12....	12,825	1,079	324,873	8....	14,016	1,362	355,064
19....	13,074	1,037	324,342	15....	12,521	1,247	318,708
26....	12,494	994	318,250	22....	12,416	1,003	296,444
May 3....	13,005	928	325,986	29....	8,694	754	220,106
10....	14,426	1,073	365,227	December 6....	12,418	893	318,653
17....	15,363	1,129	380,311	13....	12,030	882	296,953
24....	16,818	1,171	430,656	20....	11,232	609	280,888
31....	14,882	1,111	392,972	27....	7,066	408	159,427
June 7....	17,936	1,247	450,671				
14....	17,802	1,288	460,422	Total 1975....	711,028	55,812	18,319,949
21....	17,129	1,207	441,134				
28....	16,152	1,287	424,478	Total 1974....	792,204	72,765	20,847,366
July 5....	13,465	1,155	343,137				
12....	17,161	1,348	442,874				
19....	17,123	1,417	457,592				
26....	16,173	1,349	425,940				

¹ Preliminary data.

TABLE 25.--LIVE POULTRY: Average weights and numbers of commercial poultry slaughtered under Federal Inspection by class, by weeks, 1975 ¹

Week ending	Fowl											
	Young Chickens		Light						Heavy		Total	
	Head	Avg. Wt.	Head	Avg. Wt.	Head	Avg. Wt.	Head	Avg. Wt.	Head	Avg. Wt.		
	Thous.	Pounds	Thous.	Pounds	Thous.	Pounds	Thous.	Pounds	Thous.	Pounds		
1975												
January	8	54,863	3.84	3,457	3.72	454	7.44	3,911	4.15	144	6.35	
	15	53,418	3.81	3,890	3.73	504	7.32	4,394	4.14	132	6.44	
	22	55,248	3.75	3,796	3.67	581	7.33	4,377	4.16	128	6.43	
	29	50,936	3.72	3,184	3.70	654	7.40	3,838	4.33	136	6.39	
February	5	52,265	3.73	2,940	3.76	497	7.30	3,437	4.27	112	6.19	
	12	54,306	3.74	3,041	3.71	500	7.33	3,541	4.22	123	6.45	
	19	49,542	3.73	2,934	3.68	533	7.40	3,467	4.25	124	6.38	
	26	51,199	3.79	3,604	3.75	443	7.49	4,047	4.16	128	6.39	
March	5	54,436	3.80	3,601	3.74	528	7.45	4,129	4.21	129	6.31	
	12	55,321	3.77	3,437	3.74	500	6.79	3,937	4.13	131	6.53	
	19	54,605	3.79	2,956	3.75	576	7.35	3,532	4.34	154	6.32	
	26	50,976	3.74	2,895	3.78	612	7.51	3,507	4.43	107	6.27	
April	2	52,534	3.80	3,650	3.71	349	7.56	3,999	4.04	188	6.44	
	9	55,675	3.81	4,088	3.71	388	7.32	4,476	4.02	204	6.55	
	16	57,063	3.85	4,240	3.66	356	7.75	4,596	3.98	249	6.39	
	23	56,111	3.84	3,561	3.74	361	7.42	3,922	4.08	244	6.39	
	30	57,224	3.75	3,025	3.78	353	7.53	3,378	4.17	250	6.39	
May	7	58,527	3.77	2,747	3.76	426	7.48	3,173	4.26	263	6.46	
	14	59,097	3.75	2,434	3.76	443	7.54	2,877	4.34	183	6.34	
	21	58,412	3.76	2,343	3.79	613	7.65	2,956	4.59	287	6.35	
	28	52,543	3.73	2,095	3.75	493	7.46	2,588	4.46	257	6.29	
June	4	60,244	3.73	2,817	3.82	616	7.52	3,433	4.48	312	6.40	
	11	59,607	3.71	2,719	3.76	704	7.40	3,423	4.51	299	6.49	
	18	59,554	3.74	2,526	3.73	698	7.45	3,224	4.54	323	5.75	
	25	58,859	3.70	2,580	3.64	657	7.35	3,237	4.39	319	6.23	
July	2	62,738	3.67	2,197	3.78	355	7.51	2,552	4.30	315	6.00	
	9	48,654	3.69	1,640	3.77	290	7.60	1,930	4.34	235	5.88	
	16	58,131	3.69	2,620	3.80	384	7.65	3,004	4.29	289	5.98	
	23	60,044	3.70	2,848	3.81	342	7.52	3,190	4.21	287	5.99	
	30	60,830	3.67	2,505	3.63	453	7.53	2,958	4.22	260	5.98	
August	6	59,617	3.66	2,390	3.78	409	7.56	2,799	4.33	202	5.89	
	13	60,719	3.68	2,466	3.74	487	7.44	2,953	4.35	345	5.91	
	20	59,727	3.70	2,483	3.79	463	7.41	2,946	4.36	266	5.89	
	27	61,935	3.65	2,574	3.74	456	7.32	3,030	4.28	290	6.05	
September	3	49,397	3.66	1,939	3.80	454	7.50	2,393	4.50	195	5.97	
	10	60,322	3.68	2,488	3.79	683	7.52	3,171	4.59	228	6.03	
	17	60,335	3.72	2,489	3.75	604	7.20	3,093	4.42	260	6.18	
	24	58,183	3.76	2,707	3.80	581	7.56	3,288	4.47	250	6.27	
October	1	58,895	3.79	3,104	3.73	575	7.40	3,679	4.30	259	6.27	
	8	59,859	3.81	3,160	3.74	566	7.42	3,726	4.30	269	6.32	
	15	58,689	3.80	2,932	3.75	493	7.29	3,425	4.26	217	6.33	
	22	58,114	3.79	2,971	3.79	425	7.50	3,396	4.25	224	6.35	
	29	56,361	3.80	2,732	3.86	276	7.60	3,008	4.20	202	6.47	
November	5	59,032	3.82	3,140	3.75	364	7.67	3,504	4.15	218	6.30	
	12	57,349	3.76	2,871	3.79	315	7.50	3,186	4.16	215	6.27	
	19	52,011	3.79	2,673	3.71	622	7.41	3,295	4.41	245	6.36	
	26	48,176	3.80	2,415	3.73	413	7.40	2,828	4.42	227	6.37	
December	3	44,178	3.91	2,001	3.67	257	7.35	2,258	4.09	169	6.22	
	10	59,759	3.84	3,254	3.75	405	7.42	3,659	4.16	200	6.48	
	17	59,903	3.80	3,550	3.80	723	7.40	4,273	4.42	212	6.34	
	24	46,241	3.78	3,002	3.66	454	7.40	3,456	4.15	187	6.24	
	31	46,748	3.92	1,893	3.73	239	7.42	2,132	4.14	120	6.38	
Total 1975		2,908,512		149,604		24,927		174,531		11,312		
Total 1974		2,938,332		162,319		32,442		194,761		11,577		

¹ Preliminary

TABLE 26.--LIVE POULTRY (Hens): Average prices paid at farm for light type hens in specified areas, by months, 1975

(Cents per pound)

Month and year	Central California ¹	Southern California ¹	Florida	Ohio
<u>1975</u>				
January.....	5.19	4.86	3.99	4.88
February.....	5.67	5.89	4.21	5.38
March.....	5.70	5.68	4.19	4.93
April.....	4.08	3.66	3.82	(5)
May.....	3.35	3.74	6.62	6.95
June.....	4.34	4.73	5.61	5.84
July.....	4.63	4.60	5.85	5.20
August.....	4.53	4.90	5.93	6.16
September.....	4.50	5.73	6.23	6.85
October.....	5.75	6.31	6.89	7.77
November.....	5.75	7.22	8.84	9.50
December.....	7.28	7.38	8.62	9.23
Average 1975.....	5.06	5.39	5.90	(5)
Average 1974.....	6.09	5.94	5.27	6.14

Month and year	Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey	Portland-Willamette Valley, Oregon area ¹	Southeast area ²	West North Central ^{3 4}
<u>1975</u>				
January.....	5.38	4.00	4.18	(5)
February.....	4.81	(5)	4.98	5.21
March.....	4.75	(5)	4.46	4.82
April.....	4.20	3.30	4.46	(5)
May.....	4.19	(5)	6.81	4.47
June.....	4.88	(5)	5.75	5.46
July.....	5.25	(5)	5.76	5.31
August.....	5.38	(5)	5.89	5.84
September.....	6.00	4.33	6.55	6.40
October.....	8.00	5.42	7.42	7.26
November.....	8.94	(5)	9.60	9.03
December.....	10.05	(5)	8.76	9.31
Average 1975.....	5.99	(5)	6.22	(5)
Average 1974.....	6.11	(5)	5.89	(5)

¹ Weighted according to volume and price reported.

² Includes Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi, and Tennessee.

³ Formerly Iowa.

⁴ States covered include ND, SD, MN, IA, KS, NE, and MO.

⁵ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 27.--LIVE POULTRY (Hens): Average prices paid at farm for heavy type hens in specified areas, by months, 1975

(Cents per pound)

Month and year	New England states ^{1 2}		North Carolina	Southeast area ³
<u>1975</u>				
January.....	9.19		13.85	14.68
February.....	11.53		16.35	16.63
March.....	12.00		18.61	18.33
April.....	9.50		(4)	20.78
May.....	9.89		17.75	18.02
June.....	8.93		14.46	14.36
July.....	9.71		(4)	20.91
August.....	10.44		20.82	21.11
September.....	10.88		20.19	21.88
October.....	12.18		26.19	28.53
November.....	13.25		30.33	31.70
December.....	13.25		30.13	30.65
Average 1975.....	10.90		(4)	21.47
Average 1974.....	(4)		14.35	15.37

- ¹ Weighted according to volume and price reported.
- ² Weight range five - seven pounds.
- ³ Includes Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi, and Tennessee.
- ⁴ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 28.--LIVE POULTRY (Hens): Average prices paid for hens delivered processing plants in specified areas, by months, 1975

(Cents per pound)

Month and year	Light type			Heavy type		
	Southern California ¹	Southeast area ²	New England states ³	North Carolina	Southeast area ²	
<u>1975</u>						
January.....	5.93	6.71	11.64	17.38	17.28	
February.....	6.91	7.68	11.31	18.55	19.13	
March.....	6.84	7.20	13.81	21.21	20.70	
April.....	5.00	6.82	11.39	(4)	23.67	
May.....	4.90	8.94	(4)	21.63	20.52	
June.....	6.03	7.78	10.69	17.65	17.14	
July.....	5.82	7.60	11.81	(4)	24.07	
August.....	6.11	7.63	12.44	24.04	24.37	
September.....	6.85	8.46	12.94	24.29	24.39	
October.....	7.44	9.37	14.00	28.50	30.95	
November.....	8.38	11.40	15.25	33.00	34.18	
December.....	8.64	10.78	15.25	33.88	33.48	
Average 1975.....	6.57	8.36	(4)	(4)	24.16	
Average 1974.....	7.15	8.36	(4)	(4)	18.06	

- ¹ Weighted according to volume and price reported.
- ² Includes Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi, and Tennessee.
- ³ Weight range five - seven pounds.
- ⁴ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 29.--PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler-Fryers): F.o.b. dock equivalent, weighted average prices on ready-to-cook, ice-packed and CO₂ chilled broiler-fryers delivered to major market areas, by weeks, 1975

(Cents per pound in trucklots)

Week beginning	Alabama		Mississippi	
	U.S. Grade A	Plant Grade	U.S. Grade A	Plant Grade
1975				
January 6.....	38.00	37.81	38.70	37.67
13.....	39.05	38.91	39.27	38.85
20.....	41.76	41.42	42.20	41.50
27.....	40.27	39.41	40.82	39.25
February 3.....	38.07	37.51	38.64	37.33
10.....	40.06	39.81	40.57	40.00
18.....	41.46	41.10	42.04	41.55
24.....	37.85	37.52	38.49	37.71
March 3.....	38.80	38.45	39.42	38.25
10.....	38.81	38.44	39.31	38.25
17.....	40.15	39.25	40.15	39.25
24.....	37.60	37.15	38.13	37.31
31.....	39.24	38.91	39.82	38.03
April 7.....	37.73	37.16	38.55	(1)
14.....	39.33	38.64	39.88	38.75
21.....	38.10	37.43	38.88	(1)
28.....	37.95	37.38	38.31	37.60
May 5.....	39.37	38.69	39.66	(1)
12.....	41.42	40.70	41.96	40.50
19.....	41.48	40.72	41.99	(1)
27.....	42.30	41.84	42.43	(1)
June 2.....	43.35	43.02	43.48	43.15
9.....	44.37	44.17	44.56	(1)
16.....	46.43	46.86	46.63	(1)
23.....	46.39	45.98	46.45	46.00
30.....	50.34	50.25	50.44	(1)
July 7.....	52.37	52.30	52.69	(1)
14.....	50.43	50.28	50.83	(1)
21.....	46.60	46.39	46.84	46.00
28.....	48.06	47.59	48.51	(1)
August 4.....	47.88	47.52	48.50	46.80
11.....	45.88	45.32	46.28	(1)
18.....	47.97	47.63	48.43	48.50
25.....	50.85	50.57	51.01	50.08
September 2.....	48.65	48.52	49.14	(1)
8.....	46.10	45.94	46.68	(1)
15.....	49.39	49.08	49.76	48.00
22.....	49.20	48.75	49.97	(1)
29.....	45.89	45.44	46.47	(1)
October 6.....	45.21	45.16	46.43	(1)
14.....	47.60	47.41	48.40	(1)
20.....	45.87	45.65	46.53	45.00
28.....	44.31	44.03	44.55	43.00
November 3.....	46.10	45.99	46.56	45.00
10.....	46.10	45.90	46.57	(1)
17.....	43.76	43.31	44.38	(1)
24.....	41.15	41.13	42.12	39.50
December 1.....	44.50	44.31	44.81	(1)
8.....	41.24	40.98	41.94	40.12
15.....	37.94	37.57	38.52	37.50
22.....	37.09	35.60	37.91	(1)
29.....	41.24	40.65	41.69	(1)

¹ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 30.--PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler-Fryers): Weighted average prices for trucklot sales of ready-to-cook, ice-packed and CO₂ chilled broiler-fryers delivered to major market areas, by weeks, 1975

(Cents per pound)

Week beginning	Baltimore-Washington	Boston		Chicago		Cincinnati	
	Plant Grade	U.S. Grade A	Plant Grade	U.S. Grade A	U.S. Grade A	Plant Grade	
1975							
January	6...	38.52	41.30	39.74	39.20	39.40	39.59
	13...	40.11	43.81	42.33	40.80	40.68	41.41
	20...	42.52	45.15	43.81	43.36	43.08	42.94
	27...	40.54	43.65	42.26	41.46	41.38	41.37
February	3...	38.67	42.19	40.88	39.57	39.96	39.08
	10...	41.24	44.25	43.23	41.67	41.79	41.93
	18...	42.50	45.19	44.03	43.03	43.00	43.03
	24...	38.54	42.17	40.08	39.34	39.70	39.13
March	3...	39.55	43.04	40.86	40.35	40.25	40.24
	10...	39.55	42.54	40.98	40.36	40.34	40.18
	17...	40.57	42.98	41.55	40.99	41.00	41.13
	24...	38.56	41.31	39.73	38.95	39.07	38.88
	31...	39.56	42.72	40.59	40.68	40.81	40.47
April	7...	38.24	40.63	39.31	39.04	39.10	38.89
	14...	39.56	43.07	40.78	40.75	41.00	40.40
	21...	38.57	41.89	39.79	39.40	(1)	39.25
	28...	38.56	41.23	39.90	39.31	39.19	39.22
May	5...	39.68	43.23	41.13	40.73	41.15	40.38
	12...	41.60	46.00	43.81	42.81	43.00	42.27
	19...	41.58	44.20	42.45	42.85	43.00	42.23
	27...	42.77	46.92	44.69	43.84	44.00	43.67
June	2...	43.72	47.96	45.87	44.87	45.00	44.91
	9...	45.15	49.57	46.98	45.89	46.00	45.84
	16...	47.60	51.16	49.33	48.06	48.05	47.81
	23...	47.46	50.59	48.63	47.88	48.05	47.73
	30...	51.56	54.32	52.74	51.81	52.00	51.88
July	7...	53.58	56.05	54.34	54.00	54.00	53.96
	14...	51.56	54.42	52.88	51.92	52.00	52.00
	21...	47.55	50.82	48.52	48.06	48.00	48.21
	28...	48.51	51.81	49.59	49.55	49.69	49.50
August	4...	48.57	51.59	49.80	49.20	49.36	(1)
	11...	46.30	49.68	47.99	47.23	47.28	47.29
	18...	48.88	54.17	50.43	49.48	49.48	49.38
	25...	51.55	55.63	52.99	52.33	52.36	52.50
September	2...	49.49	52.78	50.45	50.00	(1)	50.40
	8...	46.61	50.74	48.50	47.62	(1)	48.02
	15...	49.99	53.94	51.77	51.00	(1)	51.00
	22...	49.62	53.31	51.04	50.66	51.04	50.79
	29...	46.67	49.59	47.53	47.30	47.69	47.59
October	6...	46.65	49.45	47.56	46.67	46.83	46.38
	14...	48.64	52.71	51.22	49.07	49.48	49.31
	20...	46.58	50.05	47.72	47.30	47.38	47.29
	28...	44.61	48.67	45.81	45.80	46.04	(1)
November	3...	46.58	50.57	48.01	47.71	47.94	(1)
	10...	46.50	50.17	47.93	47.60	48.00	47.36
	17...	43.50	47.80	44.97	44.82	(1)	(1)
	24...	40.54	48.08	45.46	42.23	42.30	42.00
December	1...	44.59	49.72	44.50	45.99	46.06	(1)
	8...	41.94	44.97	42.57	42.57	(1)	(1)
	15...	36.90	40.08	37.95	39.25	38.50	38.78
	22...	35.60	39.58	36.14	38.30	38.30	(1)
	29...	41.51	46.53	43.74	42.92	42.67	(1)

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 30.--PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler-Fryers); Weighted average prices for trucklot sales of ready-to-cook, ice-packed and CO₂ chilled broiler-fryers delivered to major market areas, by weeks, 1975--Continued

(Cents per pound)

Week beginning	Cleveland		Columbus	Denver	Detroit		Los Angeles	
	U.S. Grade A	Plant Grade	Plant Grade	U.S. Grade A	U.S. Grade A	Plant Grade	U.S. Grade A	
1975								
January	6...	39.20	39.42	39.25	41.38	39.78	39.62	41.56
	13...	(1)	40.94	41.03	41.49	40.88	40.92	42.03
	20...	(1)	43.38	42.92	44.44	43.56	43.32	44.99
	27...	41.54	41.28	41.48	43.92	41.63	41.57	43.47
February	3...	40.08	39.47	38.84	40.40	39.77	39.16	40.88
	10...	41.82	41.92	41.83	42.48	41.96	41.87	43.02
	18...	43.08	43.20	42.88	44.47	43.21	43.07	44.99
	24...	39.61	39.25	38.89	40.49	39.71	39.24	41.00
March	3...	40.59	40.43	39.89	41.46	40.55	40.22	42.02
	10...	40.14	40.36	39.84	41.46	40.39	40.17	41.99
	17...	41.00	41.15	40.80	42.47	41.18	41.23	42.98
	24...	39.06	39.05	38.64	40.47	39.29	39.00	40.99
	31...	40.78	40.70	40.31	42.48	40.87	40.39	42.98
April	7...	39.17	39.14	(1)	40.47	39.21	38.88	40.93
	14...	40.92	40.37	(1)	42.47	41.00	40.40	42.97
	21...	39.92	39.33	(1)	41.14	39.50	39.19	41.84
	28...	39.42	39.39	(1)	40.48	39.52	39.28	40.99
May	5...	40.85	40.78	(1)	42.47	41.03	40.34	42.97
	12...	43.00	42.68	(1)	44.48	43.08	42.43	45.00
	19...	42.88	42.61	(1)	44.47	43.06	42.51	44.98
	27...	44.00	43.79	(1)	44.49	43.98	43.59	44.99
June	2...	45.10	44.98	(1)	45.48	45.01	44.98	45.98
	9...	46.03	45.95	(1)	46.54	45.97	45.96	46.91
	16...	48.02	48.09	(1)	48.50	48.10	(1)	49.01
	23...	48.00	47.95	(1)	48.50	48.04	(1)	48.99
	30...	52.00	52.06	(1)	52.50	51.90	52.00	53.01
July	7...	54.00	54.04	(1)	54.53	54.01	54.03	55.03
	14...	52.00	52.09	(1)	52.52	52.02	(1)	53.03
	21...	48.09	48.16	(1)	48.54	48.20	(1)	49.01
	28...	49.61	49.36	(1)	50.43	49.64	(1)	51.00
August	4...	49.25	49.34	(1)	50.47	49.46	49.40	50.97
	11...	47.25	47.25	(1)	48.45	47.55	(1)	49.02
	18...	49.56	49.57	(1)	50.47	49.57	(1)	50.99
	25...	52.50	52.36	(1)	52.63	52.53	52.23	52.98
September	2...	50.19	50.22	(1)	50.49	50.29	(1)	50.92
	8...	48.03	47.55	(1)	48.48	47.85	47.48	49.02
	15...	51.13	50.84	(1)	51.50	51.06	50.73	52.05
	22...	50.45	50.63	(1)	52.27	50.71	50.50	52.47
	29...	47.33	47.44	(1)	48.45	47.64	47.19	48.88
October	6...	46.49	47.05	(1)	48.49	46.96	(1)	48.73
	14...	49.27	49.44	(1)	50.50	49.30	49.12	50.99
	20...	47.25	47.43	(1)	48.43	47.47	(1)	48.93
	28...	45.71	45.59	(1)	46.49	46.00	45.52	46.99
November	3...	47.64	47.68	(1)	48.50	47.72	47.38	48.98
	10...	(1)	47.60	(1)	48.49	47.58	(1)	48.96
	17...	(1)	44.77	(1)	46.50	45.13	45.08	46.90
	24...	42.56	42.35	(1)	43.50	42.60	(1)	43.95
December	1...	46.17	45.47	(1)	46.50	46.34	(1)	46.98
	8...	42.68	42.80	(1)	43.50	42.73	(1)	43.88
	15...	39.29	38.74	(1)	40.48	39.29	39.00	40.81
	22...	38.64	38.07	(1)	40.48	38.25	(1)	40.91
	29...	43.00	42.60	(1)	43.47	42.91	(1)	44.01

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 30.--PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler-Fryers): Weighted Average prices for trucklot sales of ready-to-cook, ice-packed and CO₂ chilled broiler-fryers delivered to major market areas, by weeks, 1975--Continued
(Cents per pound)

Week beginning	New York		Philadelphia		Pittsburgh		St. Louis		San Francisco	
	U.S. Grade A	Plant Grade	U.S. Grade A	Plant Grade	U.S. Grade A	Plant Grade	U.S. Grade A	Plant Grade	U.S. Grade A	
1975										
January	6...: 40.01	38.95	39.89	38.77	(1)	39.24	39.46	(1)	41.94	
	13...: 42.06	40.41	42.15	40.39	40.80	40.55	40.57	(1)	42.29	
	20...: 44.04	42.98	43.85	42.87	43.30	43.04	43.08	42.83	45.31	
	27...: 42.07	40.96	41.94	40.82	41.50	41.12	41.43	(1)	43.41	
February	3...: 40.42	39.88	40.44	39.23	(1)	39.16	39.30	39.27	41.22	
	10...: 43.34	41.91	43.44	41.67	42.00	41.43	41.60	(1)	43.28	
	18...: 44.00	43.00	44.06	42.85	(1)	43.10	42.98	42.75	45.26	
	24...: 46.02	39.01	40.11	38.89	39.50	39.10	39.07	(1)	41.28	
March	3...: 40.96	39.97	40.94	39.85	(1)	40.12	40.10	39.50	42.28	
	10...: 41.01	40.01	41.06	39.92	(1)	40.10	40.15	39.67	42.28	
	17...: 41.97	40.78	41.94	40.55	(1)	41.04	41.12	40.67	43.29	
	24...: 39.66	38.82	39.57	38.70	(1)	39.05	38.94	(1)	41.26	
	31...: 41.00	40.04	40.94	39.84	(1)	40.05	40.47	40.12	43.26	
April	7...: 39.53	38.69	39.66	38.47	(1)	38.92	39.04	(1)	41.27	
	14...: 40.85	40.10	40.88	39.88	(1)	40.15	40.73	(1)	43.29	
	21...: 40.04	39.01	39.94	38.93	(1)	39.14	39.36	(1)	41.84	
	28...: 40.00	39.02	39.95	38.88	39.50	39.14	39.29	(1)	41.26	
May	5...: 41.41	40.09	41.45	39.97	41.08	40.27	40.71	(1)	43.28	
	12...: 43.15	42.05	43.15	41.89	43.00	42.17	43.01	41.92	45.27	
	19...: 43.01	41.98	42.95	41.88	(1)	42.17	42.96	42.25	45.29	
	27...: 44.11	43.24	44.14	43.07	(1)	43.16	43.83	43.12	45.31	
June	2...: 45.47	44.49	45.50	44.33	(1)	44.74	44.85	(1)	46.32	
	9...: 46.67	45.72	46.55	45.67	46.14	45.85	45.83	(1)	47.30	
	16...: 49.02	48.04	48.88	47.89	48.31	48.11	47.91	(1)	49.28	
	23...: 48.98	47.99	48.71	47.72	48.43	48.10	47.84	(1)	49.31	
	30...: 52.85	51.90	52.71	51.76	(1)	52.08	52.01	(1)	53.27	
July	7...: 55.02	53.97	54.86	53.86	54.33	54.10	53.95	(1)	55.26	
	14...: 52.98	51.86	52.71	51.77	(1)	52.10	51.90	(1)	53.27	
	21...: 50.82	48.52	48.92	47.86	(1)	48.08	47.94	(1)	49.26	
	28...: 49.90	49.05	49.86	48.87	(1)	49.09	49.59	48.50	51.26	
August	4...: 44.98	49.03	49.82	48.82	(1)	49.09	49.42	48.50	51.27	
	11...: 47.98	46.96	47.91	46.90	47.57	47.10	47.40	46.12	49.26	
	18...: 50.68	49.53	50.62	49.68	(1)	49.92	49.61	48.50	51.29	
	25...: 53.02	52.03	52.91	51.90	(1)	52.17	52.22	51.79	53.26	
September	2...: 50.96	49.90	50.88	49.81	(1)	50.11	49.83	(1)	51.28	
	8...: 48.75	47.34	48.21	47.15	47.93	47.16	47.48	46.50	49.27	
	15...: 51.49	50.55	51.91	50.73	(1)	50.96	51.01	50.50	52.47	
	22...: 51.05	50.05	51.09	49.93	50.96	50.09	50.69	49.50	52.68	
	29...: 48.15	47.04	48.09	46.87	(1)	47.10	47.45	46.50	49.28	
October	6...: 48.17	47.17	48.05	46.91	(1)	47.12	47.19	(1)	49.25	
	14...: 49.96	49.08	49.79	48.86	49.37	49.10	49.24	49.00	51.30	
	20...: 47.91	47.01	47.85	46.81	47.70	47.16	47.37	46.50	49.30	
	28...: 46.24	45.16	46.23	44.93	(1)	45.29	45.73	(1)	47.27	
November	3...: 48.23	47.22	48.29	46.99	(1)	47.34	47.71	(1)	49.26	
	10...: 47.94	46.74	47.86	46.81	(1)	46.73	47.61	(1)	49.28	
	17...: 45.08	44.07	45.06	43.89	(1)	44.07	45.23	(1)	47.28	
	24...: 41.99	41.02	42.07	40.88	(1)	41.12	42.50	(1)	44.51	
December	1...: 45.80	44.81	45.54	44.73	(1)	45.11	45.78	46.00	47.30	
	8...: 42.96	42.21	43.00	41.98	(1)	42.30	42.58	42.17	44.25	
	15...: 38.12	37.24	38.25	37.21	(1)	37.32	39.41	(1)	41.27	
	22...: 36.28	36.01	36.72	35.56	(1)	35.78	38.82	(1)	41.27	
	29...: 43.10	42.55	43.22	42.14	(1)	42.72	42.92	(1)	44.27	

¹ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 31.--PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler-Fryers): 9-City weighted average price for trucklot sales of ready-to-cook, ice-packed and CO₂ chilled broiler-fryers, delivered, by weeks, 1973-1975¹
(Cents per pound)²

Week beginning	Comparative periods		
	1975	1974	1973
1975			
January 6.....	39.87	43.46	32.67
13.....	41.13	38.87	32.67
20.....	43.71	34.66	32.86
27.....	41.86	39.29	32.81
February 3.....	39.96	42.21	32.90
10.....	42.20	38.04	32.97
18.....	43.60	43.43	34.85
24.....	39.73	39.22	38.97
March 3.....	40.71	36.96	42.33
10.....	40.73	40.24	45.54
17.....	41.54	40.17	41.53
24.....	39.53	37.30	38.07
31.....	41.08	37.34	39.38
April 7.....	39.46	38.17	44.31
14.....	41.12	35.33	45.43
21.....	39.93	38.05	45.30
28.....	39.73	35.95	43.58
May 5.....	41.20	33.99	39.29
12.....	43.19	35.87	39.61
19.....	43.16	37.71	42.89
27.....	43.99	35.50	43.79
June 2.....	45.13	33.50	39.99
9.....	46.20	35.51	40.30
16.....	48.37	34.44	43.31
23.....	48.30	31.79	42.71
30.....	52.27	34.47	40.36
July 7.....	54.34	37.67	43.36
14.....	52.29	38.05	44.76
21.....	48.38	34.86	47.70
28.....	49.80	35.15	49.55
August 4.....	49.69	36.34	59.86
11.....	47.71	38.24	73.72
18.....	49.97	36.26	60.52
25.....	52.49	35.21	53.25
September 2.....	50.34	37.67	53.70
8.....	47.97	41.87	53.58
15.....	51.26	42.53	50.45
22.....	50.98	39.05	50.03
29.....	47.75	36.15	39.36
October 6.....	47.52	39.84	39.58
14.....	49.66	41.74	42.40
20.....	47.78	38.73	42.84
28.....	45.97	37.24	37.53
November 3.....	47.92	39.56	37.72
10.....	47.78	41.89	35.81
17.....	45.20	41.89	34.60
24.....	42.39	42.09	32.70
December 1.....	45.92	41.87	34.70
8.....	42.85	43.84	36.73
15.....	39.00	39.14	33.18
22.....	38.13	36.08	35.09
29.....	43.08	39.96	39.46

¹ The nine cities are Chicago, Cleveland, Detroit, Los Angeles, New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, St. Louis, and San Francisco.

² The 9-city average price is computed by weighting by loads the U. S. Grade A and Plant Grade sales for each of the nine cities indicated and weighting the city averages by their metropolitan area populations.

TABLE 32.--PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler-Fryers): Weighted average prices for trucklot sales of ready-to-cook broiler-fryers, delivered, by years, 1971-1975¹
(Cents per pound)

	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
New York.....	27.00	28.00	41.91	37.56	44.70
Chicago.....	26.84	27.87	41.90	38.07	44.72
Los Angeles.....	28.01	28.94	43.06	39.47	46.30

¹ U.S. Grade A and Plant Grade.

TABLE 33.--PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler-Fryers): Average prices paid for mostly multiple drop shipments of ready-to-cook, broiler-fryers delivered New York City, by months, 1975
(Cents per pound)

Month and year	U.S. Grade A	Plant Grade	Premium Packs	
			U.S. Grade A	Plant Grade
1 3/4 - 3 1/2 pounds				
1975				
January.....	42.75	41.81	46.25	44.48
February.....	42.65	41.78	45.11	43.61
March.....	41.29	40.40	44.07	42.60
April.....	39.76	38.99	43.59	42.11
May.....	43.71	42.77	46.43	44.98
June.....	48.89	48.15	52.07	50.57
July.....	51.99	51.24	54.86	53.36
August.....	51.73	50.76	54.55	53.05
September.....	51.15	50.19	54.69	53.19
October.....	48.87	47.97	52.67	51.17
November.....	46.57	45.74	50.47	49.00
December.....	39.98	40.85	45.50	44.02
Average 1975...	45.78	45.06	49.19	47.68
Average 1974...	38.34	38.97	40.74	41.80

TABLE 34.--PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler-Fryers): Average prices paid for broiler-fryers delivered to retailers at specified cities, by months, 1975
(Cents per pound)

Month and year	Florida ¹	Fresno	Los Angeles area ²	Pittsburgh	Portland	San Francisco	Seattle
1975							
January.....	45.47	50.09	48.57	45.78	59.68	50.82	57.45
February.....	44.56	50.56	47.37	45.13	60.50	51.95	58.97
March.....	43.42	51.71	47.57	44.44	60.50	52.36	59.71
April.....	43.78	50.23	48.05	43.38	60.50	51.70	56.80
May.....	45.70	50.94	50.14	45.72	57.29	51.95	58.00
June.....	50.67	54.05	54.38	51.89	59.71	55.43	59.33
July.....	55.22	57.51	58.68	56.06	63.66	60.20	62.07
August.....	53.67	55.50	57.50	54.25	64.00	59.64	64.51
September.....	54.26	54.38	57.52	54.39	64.00	59.45	64.00
October.....	50.89	52.66	55.50	51.06	64.00	57.83	63.74
November.....	50.75	52.93	53.92	49.81	64.00	57.08	64.39
December.....	46.33	49.13	49.90	45.66	62.65	53.62	60.28
Average 1975...	48.73	52.47	52.42	48.96	61.71	55.17	60.77
Average 1974...	42.07	48.11	45.49	41.62	56.80	48.75	54.16

¹ Covers West Central and Northeast Florida area.

² Includes Los Angeles, Ventura, Orange, San Bernardino, and Riverside counties.

TABLE 35.--PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler-Fryer Parts): Average prices paid delivered Chicago, by months, 1975
(Cents per pound)

Month and year	Ready-to-cook, ice-packed					
	Breasts (ribs on)	Legs	Wings	Backs (stripped)	Livers	Gizzards and hearts
<u>1975</u>						
January.....	67.62	52.50	38.75	(1)	54.37	46.75
February.....	66.88	51.38	41.25	10.38	55.00	48.88
March.....	65.55	51.92	38.50	(1)	50.00	44.40
April.....	65.75	50.88	40.00	9.88	52.00	45.88
May.....	68.31	53.25	40.12	(1)	52.50	45.00
June.....	75.15	60.90	41.80	(1)	54.00	43.50
July.....	76.62	65.38	45.25	(1)	55.00	45.38
August.....	76.56	63.94	45.25	(1)	51.88	43.12
September.....	76.70	64.70	48.80	(1)	49.00	42.50
October.....	75.25	60.50	47.38	(1)	48.00	43.38
November.....	73.81	58.38	46.12	6.50	51.00	42.88
December.....	69.00	54.10	46.70	(1)	47.50	44.50
Average 1975....	71.43	57.32	43.33	(1)	51.69	44.68
Average 1974....	60.48	47.48	40.30	(1)	58.12	45.00

¹ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 36.--PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler-Fryer Parts): Average prices paid delivered New York City, by months, 1975
(Dollars per pound)¹

Month and year	Ready-to-cook, ice-packed							
	Breasts		Legs	Wings	Backs and necks	Gizzards	Hearts	Livers
	Ribs on	Skinned, boneless						
<u>1975</u>								
January.....	.71	1.31	.52	.42	.10	.50	.49	.55
February.....	.70	1.32	.48	.42	.09	.44	.44	.50
March.....	.67	1.30	.50	.42	.09	.42	.42	.48
April.....	.67	1.30	.48	.42	.09	.42	.42	.44
May.....	.73	1.41	.53	.43	.09	.42	.42	.44
June.....	.82	1.60	.66	.45	.09	.42	.42	.43
July.....	.80	1.59	.69	.52	.09	.42	.42	.43
August.....	.77	1.51	.67	.54	.09	.42	.42	.45
September.....	.79	1.57	.69	.58	.09	.46	.46	.54
October.....	.77	1.56	.59	.53	.09	.42	.42	.50
November.....	.78	1.57	.57	.50	.09	.43	.43	.52
December.....	.68	1.41	.54	.50	.09	.45	.45	.53
Average 1975....	.74	1.45	.58	.48	.09	.44	.43	.48
Average 1974....	.64	1.22	.47	.38	.11	.46	.46	.54

¹ Pool truckload and truckload quantities.

TABLE 37.--PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler-Fryer Parts): Average prices paid delivered to retailers at Pittsburgh, Pa., by months, 1975

(Cents per pound)

Month and year	Ready-to-cook, ice-packed			
	Breasts (ribs on)	Legs and thighs	Wings	Necks and backs
<u>1975</u>				
January.....	76.56	58.06	46.33	11.44
February.....	75.63	55.38	46.75	11.45
March.....	73.44	53.31	46.69	12.00
April.....	72.62	52.94	44.88	12.00
May.....	77.22	56.56	45.17	12.40
June.....	87.67	66.83	47.72	12.69
July.....	89.89	74.72	53.17	13.35
August.....	84.00	73.19	56.44	13.17
September.....	84.94	74.00	60.50	13.08
October.....	81.50	66.33	57.28	13.00
November.....	83.50	62.50	55.37	14.00
December.....	75.50	59.44	54.87	13.38
Average 1975.....	80.21	62.77	51.26	12.66
Average 1974.....	69.66	52.83	43.92	13.36

TABLE 38.--PROCESSED POULTRY (Roasters and Hens): Average prices paid for U.S. Grade A, ready-to-cook roasters and hens delivered to Chicago, by months, 1975

(Cents per pound)¹

Month and year	Roasters	Hens
	5 pounds and over	4 pounds and over
<u>1975</u>		
January.....	65.42	43.04
February.....	64.06	40.62
March.....	63.00	41.54
April.....	62.38	43.83
May.....	63.52	42.50
June.....	64.65	38.23
July.....	66.79	44.29
August.....	67.50	47.83
September.....	69.37	47.81
October.....	69.70	55.42
November.....	70.38	62.73
December.....	69.02	61.73
Average 1975.....	66.32	47.46
Average 1974.....	61.87	41.24

¹ Minimum sale - ten boxes.

TABLE 39.—PROCESSED POULTRY (Roasters and Hens): Average wholesale selling prices of U.S. Grade A and Plant Grade roasters and hens at New York City, by months, 1975

(Cents per pound)

Month and year	Ready-to-cook, ice-packed						
	Roasters					Hens	
	4 pounds	4½ pounds	5 pounds	5½ pounds	6 pounds and over	4½ pounds	5 pounds and over
1975							
January.....	46.96	49.96	57.88	59.19	61.12	42.00	49.54
February.....	48.32	50.91	57.00	58.50	60.00	41.91	45.27
March.....	48.50	51.00	57.00	58.50	60.00	44.38	47.29
April.....	46.96	50.50	56.73	57.96	58.81	42.54	46.69
May.....	48.58	50.65	58.42	59.42	60.81	42.81	46.77
June.....	53.54	56.23	60.31	61.04	62.81	39.69	42.46
July.....	55.88	59.25	62.42	63.75	65.25	40.25	43.25
August.....	56.12	58.73	64.35	65.88	67.38	40.77	44.46
September.....	57.03	61.38	67.00	68.00	69.50	42.50	47.50
October.....	54.46	60.50	67.00	68.00	69.42	43.61	50.68
November.....	53.17	58.00	67.33	68.33	70.83	52.04	58.62
December.....	47.71	50.50	62.62	63.62	65.25	54.92	60.46
Average 1975..	51.44	54.80	61.50	62.68	64.26	43.95	48.58
Average 1974..	44.44	47.46	57.16	58.11	60.04	40.64	44.41

TABLE 40.—PROCESSED POULTRY (Roasters): Average prices paid for roasters delivered to retailers at specified cities, by months, 1975

(Cents per pound)

Month and year	U. S. Grade A and Plant Grade, ready-to-cook, ice-packed						
	Boston ¹					Los Angeles area ^{2,3}	San Francisco
	4 pounds	4½ pounds	5 pounds	5½ pounds	6 pounds and over	4 pounds and over	4 pounds and over
1975							
January.....	48.40	49.60	57.00	58.00	59.20	63.82	69.50
February.....	49.50	50.50	56.00	57.00	58.00	63.50	69.50
March.....	50.63	51.63	56.63	57.63	59.75	64.40	67.64
April.....	51.00	52.00	57.00	58.00	60.50	64.59	63.00
May.....	51.13	52.13	58.88	59.88	62.00	64.50	66.62
June.....	54.75	55.75	60.13	61.13	63.25	64.12	67.24
July.....	56.80	58.30	62.80	62.90	65.30	64.00	67.00
August.....	58.50	59.50	64.75	65.75	66.75	64.83	67.00
September.....	61.00	62.00	67.00	68.00	69.00	66.07	66.36
October.....	59.10	60.40	67.00	68.00	69.00	68.58	67.93
November.....	57.30	58.00	67.00	68.00	69.00	70.24	68.50
December.....	50.20	50.90	62.80	63.80	65.00	70.00	67.30
Average 1975..	54.00	55.06	61.42	62.34	63.90	65.75	67.30
Average 1974..	44.30	46.98	56.18	57.31	59.49	65.71	66.13

¹ Wholesale selling prices, not delivered.

² Includes frozen.

³ Includes Los Angeles, Ventura, Orange, San Bernardino, and Riverside counties.

TABLE 41.--PROCESSED POULTRY (Hens): Average prices paid for hens delivered to retailers at specified cities, by months, 1975

(Cents per pound)

Month and year	U.S. Grade A and Plant Grade, ready-to-cook, ice-packed and frozen				
	Boston ¹		Florida ²	Los Angeles area ³	
	4½ pounds	5 pounds and over	4 pounds and over	3 pounds and under	3 - 4 pounds
<u>1975</u>					
January.....	40.20	49.00	55.11	28.64	34.75
February.....	40.63	43.50	50.25	28.18	34.50
March.....	43.88	47.13	50.54	28.11	34.50
April.....	43.40	46.40	49.46	26.75	33.55
May.....	43.38	46.63	54.30	25.69	32.50
June.....	38.50	41.50	49.95	26.50	33.79
July.....	39.50	41.30	51.35	26.50	34.50
August.....	40.50	44.00	54.48	26.50	34.74
September.....	41.88	47.88	55.15	27.36	35.57
October.....	43.80	50.60	60.39	28.52	36.43
November.....	48.00	56.00	65.88	31.34	38.10
December.....	51.00	57.10	69.98	32.00	38.50
Average 1975.....	42.89	47.59	55.57	28.01	35.12
Average 1974.....	39.45	43.43	50.81	33.48	38.51

Month and year	U.S. Grade A and Plant Grade, ready-to-cook, ice-packed and frozen				
	Portland		San Francisco	Seattle	
	Light type	Heavy type	4 pounds and under	4 pounds and over	Light type
<u>1975</u>					
January.....	29.37	56.73	(4)	54.00	30.48
February.....	26.66	55.50	(4)	(4)	29.00
March.....	31.62	55.50	(4)	(4)	30.00
April.....	30.39	55.27	(4)	51.90	30.00
May.....	30.00	54.50	24.64	50.24	27.76
June.....	30.00	54.50	(4)	53.50	28.79
July.....	30.00	55.52	26.45	53.50	30.75
August.....	30.00	57.00	24.94	52.90	29.33
September.....	30.00	57.00	25.00	55.57	28.60
October.....	30.00	57.00	25.53	60.90	29.50
November.....	30.24	60.79	27.00	60.76	29.50
December.....	30.50	65.00	31.22	62.92	30.60
Average 1975.....	29.90	57.03	(4)	(4)	29.53
Average 1974.....	35.23	60.33	(4)	(4)	35.20

¹ Wholesale selling prices, not delivered.

² Covers West Central and Northeast Florida.

³ Includes Los Angeles, Ventura, Orange, San Bernardino, and Riverside counties.

⁴ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 42.--PROCESSED POULTRY (Hens): Average prices paid for U.S. Grade A and Plant Grade, ready-to-cook, ice-packed hens delivered at specified cities, by months, 1975

(Cents per pound)

Month and year	Detroit	Major Ohio cities	Philadelphia	
	4 pounds and over	5 pounds and over	4½ - 5 pounds	5 pounds and over
1975				
January.....	44.65	43.75	39.50	48.50
February.....	42.92	42.69	40.41	45.09
March.....	44.35	42.12	42.67	46.17
April.....	46.88	44.17	41.04	44.58
May.....	44.92	43.38	40.73	44.73
June.....	39.27	38.71	37.42	40.50
July.....	46.50	45.15	38.50	41.50
August.....	49.08	47.77	39.27	42.65
September.....	48.96	47.73	40.50	46.50
October.....	55.93	55.73	42.57	49.43
November.....	63.54	62.96	49.54	57.00
December.....	62.58	61.96	53.68	57.82
Average 1975.....	49.13	48.01	42.15	47.04
Average 1974.....	42.76	41.22	39.31	43.22

TABLE 43.--PROCESSED POULTRY (Canner Pack Fowl): Prices paid at primary processor's dock or equivalent in the Southeast for ice-packed canner pack fowl, by months, 1975

(Cents per pound)

Month and year	Light type ¹	Heavy type ²
1975		
January.....	19.30	31.09
February.....	18.59	29.69
March.....	18.25	29.92
April.....	16.88	31.50
May.....	18.20	31.15
June.....	18.16	30.75
July.....	19.00	32.00
August.....	19.30	35.25
September.....	20.66	40.12
October.....	23.03	43.91
November.....	24.88	44.13
December.....	25.25	43.58
Average 1975.....	20.12	35.26
Average 1974.....	(3)	(3)

¹ Line run, with necks.

² Without necks.

³ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 44.--PROCESSED POULTRY (Ducks): Average prices paid at specified cities, by months, 1975
(Cents per pound)

Month and year	U. S. Grade A, ready-to-cook, frozen		
	Wholesale		
	New York	Boston	
	All weights	4 - 5 pounds	5 - 6 pounds
1975			
January.....	79.75	83.50	86.50
February.....	79.48	83.50	86.50
March.....	75.29	80.88	82.00
April.....	72.25	77.00	77.00
May.....	71.48	74.25	74.25
June.....	70.25	72.00	72.25
July.....	70.25	71.50	72.50
August.....	70.71	73.12	73.62
September.....	72.25	74.00	75.25
October.....	74.25	77.00	78.00
November.....	74.25	77.00	78.00
December.....	74.25	76.40	77.60
Average 1975.....	73.70	76.68	77.79
Average 1974.....	79.94	82.89	84.70

Month and year	U. S. Grade A, ready-to-cook, frozen			
	Delivered to retailers			
	Los Angeles area ¹	Philadelphia	Pittsburgh	San Francisco
1975				
January.....	86.55	85.50	90.88	92.50
February.....	86.50	85.50	91.00	92.50
March.....	86.50	79.31	89.00	92.50
April.....	84.61	76.50	(2)	89.77
May.....	83.50	75.50	83.00	86.33
June.....	81.93	74.62	84.71	86.50
July.....	80.50	74.00	(2)	86.30
August.....	79.79	72.00	85.75	86.00
September.....	79.50	72.75	85.44	86.14
October.....	79.81	76.70	85.33	87.50
November.....	80.00	77.50	86.00	90.00
December.....	79.73	77.50	86.75	90.00
Average 1975.....	82.41	77.28	(2)	88.84
Average 1974.....	86.27	84.50	(2)	92.25

¹ Includes Los Angeles, Ventura, Orange, San Bernardino, and Riverside counties.
² Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 45.--PROCESSED RABBITS: Average prices paid at specified areas, by months, 1975
(Dollars per pound)

Month and year	Ready-to-cook, delivered to retailers		
	Los Angeles area ¹		San Francisco
	Whole body	Cut-up	Whole body
<u>1975</u>			
January.....	1.13	1.13	1.18
February.....	1.13	1.13	1.18
March.....	1.18	1.19	1.18
April.....	1.18	1.19	1.18
May.....	1.18	1.19	1.18
June.....	1.19	1.20	1.18
July.....	1.20	1.21	1.18
August.....	1.20	1.21	1.18
September.....	1.20	1.21	1.18
October.....	1.21	1.22	1.18
November.....	1.22	1.23	1.22
December.....	1.23	1.24	1.22
Average 1975.....	1.19	1.20	1.19
Average 1974.....	1.19	1.19	1.26

¹ Includes Los Angeles, Ventura, Orange, San Bernardino, and Riverside counties.

TABLE 46.--PROCESSED SQUABS: Average prices paid in specified areas, by months, 1975
(Dollars per pound)

Month and year	Ice-packed New York dressed	Frozen, ready-to-cook
	Wholesale selling prices at New York City	Delivered to restaurants and institutions in Los Angeles area ¹
	12 pounds and over per dozen	11 pounds and over per dozen
<u>1975</u>		
January.....	1.95	3.00
February.....	1.95	3.00
March.....	1.95	3.00
April.....	1.95	3.00
May.....	1.95	3.00
June.....	1.95	3.00
July.....	1.95	3.00
August.....	1.95	3.00
September.....	1.95	3.00
October.....	2.05	3.00
November.....	2.10	2.96
December.....	2.10	2.95
Average 1975.....	1.98	2.99
Average 1974.....	1.90	2.73

¹ Includes Los Angeles, Ventura, Orange, San Bernardino, and Riverside counties.

TABLE 47.--LIVE TURKEYS: Average weight and numbers of turkeys slaughtered under Federal inspection, by class, by weeks, 1975¹

Week ending	Fryer-Roasters		Young		Yearlings		Total	
	Head	Avg. Wt.	Head	Avg. Wt.	Head	Avg. Wt.	Head	Avg. Wt.
	Thous.	Pounds	Thous.	Pounds	Thous.	Pounds	Thous.	Pounds
1975								
January 8.....	123	9.89	631	23.67	10	22.20	764	21.43
15.....	217	9.66	785	21.09	20	19.80	1,022	18.64
22.....	277	9.28	836	21.73	19	21.21	1,132	18.68
29.....	245	9.10	880	21.14	16	20.38	1,141	18.55
February 5.....	239	9.37	625	20.62	8	22.25	872	17.55
12.....	186	9.24	771	18.97	2	26.50	959	17.09
19.....	211	9.09	603	18.38	8	14.25	822	15.95
26.....	290	8.83	638	18.92	2	22.50	930	15.78
March 5.....	314	9.09	719	17.86	20	18.75	1,053	15.26
12.....	284	8.93	673	18.66	18	20.11	975	15.85
19.....	223	8.71	791	17.51	20	20.50	1,034	15.67
26.....	224	9.04	965	17.53	17	21.65	1,206	16.01
April 2.....	300	9.08	504	18.73	9	20.22	813	15.18
9.....	243	9.22	972	17.53	7	17.14	1,222	15.88
16.....	268	8.92	1,026	18.52	7	20.14	1,301	16.55
23.....	191	8.90	1,043	17.72	13	18.08	1,247	16.37
30.....	203	8.92	870	18.13	---	---	1,073	16.39
May 7.....	216	8.82	1,061	18.15	9	18.22	1,286	16.59
14.....	256	8.72	1,187	18.01	10	19.40	1,453	16.38
21.....	245	9.18	1,355	17.52	35	19.71	1,635	16.32
28.....	152	9.05	1,099	17.95	28	20.86	1,279	16.96
June 4.....	244	8.90	1,707	17.95	50	19.74	2,001	16.89
11.....	267	9.18	1,897	17.54	42	18.86	2,206	16.56
18.....	231	9.46	2,086	18.20	26	19.88	2,343	17.36
25.....	203	8.65	2,434	17.78	35	19.17	2,672	17.10
July 2.....	241	9.06	2,372	18.14	61	19.56	2,674	17.35
9.....	222	9.19	2,297	17.88	45	20.47	2,564	17.18
16.....	289	8.91	2,890	18.41	75	18.96	3,254	17.58
23.....	286	8.92	2,777	18.36	71	20.51	3,134	17.55
30.....	247	8.90	2,925	18.13	35	19.37	3,207	17.43
August 6.....	201	8.85	3,270	18.31	41	18.98	3,512	17.78
13.....	207	8.84	3,206	18.01	28	17.79	3,441	17.45
20.....	286	9.25	3,078	18.50	18	17.72	3,382	17.71
27.....	263	8.87	3,091	18.85	16	19.00	3,370	18.07
September 3.....	203	9.40	2,722	18.46	28	16.96	2,953	17.83
10.....	206	9.22	3,584	18.58	15	19.07	3,805	18.07
17.....	225	9.30	3,418	19.06	19	22.32	3,662	18.48
24.....	174	9.26	3,397	19.32	5	17.00	3,576	18.83
October 1.....	216	8.78	3,292	19.50	17	18.88	3,525	18.84
8.....	253	9.40	3,655	19.35	2	17.00	3,910	18.71
15.....	272	9.33	3,309	19.72	4	17.50	3,585	18.93
22.....	284	9.54	3,381	20.05	12	21.42	3,677	19.24
29.....	239	9.19	3,441	19.92	9	21.44	3,689	19.23
November 5.....	240	9.99	3,291	20.85	---	---	3,531	20.12
12.....	267	9.76	3,647	19.99	---	---	3,914	19.30
19.....	219	9.36	4,091	19.41	---	---	4,310	18.90
26.....	356	9.77	1,978	20.16	7	22.14	2,341	18.59
December 3.....	274	9.37	2,283	21.43	3	17.33	2,560	20.14
10.....	366	9.86	2,840	20.78	4	23.75	3,210	19.54
17.....	189	9.48	2,806	19.62	3	21.00	2,998	18.98
24.....	103	9.30	1,061	20.50	3	18.00	1,167	19.51
31.....	73	9.22	710	23.23	8	21.50	791	21.92
Total 1975.....	12,253		104,970 ²		960		118,183	
Total 1974.....	13,832		110,992 ²		1,331		126,155	

¹ Preliminary.

² Includes 1,678,000 head of Young Banded Breeders in 1975 and 1,907,000 in 1974.

TABLE 48.--PROCESSED TURKEYS: Average prices received at Central States shipping points¹ for U.S. Grade A, ready-to-cook, frozen turkeys, by weeks, 1975

(Cents per pound in carlots or trucklots)²

Week ending	Fryer-Roasters	Young hens	Young toms		
	4-9 pounds	8-16 pounds	14-20 pounds	20-22 pounds	22-24 pounds
1975					
January 3.....	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)
10.....	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)
17.....	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)
24.....	47.84	47.53	(3)	(3)	(3)
31.....	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)
February 7.....	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)
14.....	(3)	44.75	44.75	44.75	(3)
21.....	(3)	45.08	(3)	(3)	(3)
28.....	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)
March 7.....	44.94	45.34	42.50	42.50	(3)
14.....	45.50	45.50	(3)	(3)	(3)
21.....	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)
28.....	44.00	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)
April 4.....	45.00	46.00	(3)	(3)	(3)
11.....	(3)	45.88	41.73	41.54	41.81
18.....	(3)	46.08	41.12	41.12	41.25
25.....	(3)	46.59	41.72	41.72	41.00
May 2.....	(3)	47.50	(3)	42.50	43.33
9.....	(3)	48.06	42.96	43.31	44.10
16.....	(3)	49.92	44.25	44.75	(3)
23.....	52.00	50.06	45.46	45.57	48.50
30.....	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)
June 6.....	53.00	50.51	47.41	47.32	(3)
13.....	(3)	51.13	47.14	47.13	(3)
20.....	54.00	51.64	47.45	47.31	(3)
27.....	54.16	52.04	48.33	48.33	(3)
July 3.....	55.00	52.75	48.91	48.91	48.75
11.....	(3)	53.61	49.83	49.81	48.75
18.....	57.13	53.94	50.69	50.61	48.75
25.....	(3)	54.13	51.22	50.98	49.23
August 1.....	58.82	55.59	52.32	52.35	(3)
8.....	59.25	55.83	52.94	52.94	(3)
15.....	(3)	55.67	54.01	53.99	52.26
22.....	(3)	56.02	54.20	54.20	53.63
29.....	(3)	56.32	55.17	55.18	55.75
September 5.....	(3)	56.14	55.04	55.07	55.15
12.....	(3)	55.30	54.94	54.97	54.77
19.....	59.83	55.47	54.99	54.99	(3)
26.....	59.75	53.84	54.83	54.77	54.61
October 3.....	(3)	54.30	54.22	54.04	54.57
10.....	(3)	53.24	54.91	54.84	(3)
17.....	(3)	57.32	55.94	55.94	55.20
24.....	60.70	57.33	55.56	55.77	55.44
31.....	(3)	57.98	55.54	55.43	(3)
November 7.....	(3)	55.52	55.42	55.21	55.13
14.....	(3)	54.83	54.94	54.92	55.16
21.....	(3)	54.50	54.46	53.97	53.15
28.....	(3)	55.14	54.36	54.17	52.96
December 5.....	(3)	54.33	53.85	53.28	(3)
12.....	(3)	51.57	52.91	52.80	52.60
19.....	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)
26.....	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)

¹ Includes Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, Kansas, Illinois, North and South Dakota, and Wisconsin.

² Weighted according to volume and prices reported.

³ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 49.--PROCESSED TURKEYS: 3-City average f.o.b. or equivalent prices, by months, 1975¹
(Cents per pound in carlots and trucklots)

Month and year	U. S. Grade A, frozen, ready-to-cook								
	Fryer- roasters 4-9 pounds	Young hens: 8 - 16 pounds	Young toms						
			14-20 pounds	20-22 pounds	22-24 pounds	24-26 pounds	26-28 pounds	28-30 pounds	30 pounds and over
<u>1975</u>									
January.....	51.26	52.02	49.16	49.12	49.73	49.95	50.96	52.62	55.29
February.....	(2)	47.12	46.14	46.13	46.16	47.57	48.85	50.92	53.87
March.....	46.94	47.45	44.10	44.06	43.21	45.52	46.73	48.57	52.20
April.....	49.43	48.36	43.53	43.52	43.69	46.20	47.61	48.81	51.24
May.....	53.13	51.66	46.94	46.93	48.19	49.60	49.86	50.50	51.68
June.....	55.54	53.43	49.55	49.56	50.81	52.65	52.80	53.38	54.50
July.....	(2)	55.90	52.37	52.37	51.50	54.09	54.43	55.38	56.68
August.....	61.87	57.83	55.85	55.86	55.39	55.95	56.94	57.84	59.51
September.....	61.70	57.14	56.79	56.79	56.82	57.46	58.67	59.74	61.37
October.....	62.42	57.87	57.01	56.98	57.09	60.22	61.61	62.88	64.71
November.....	(2)	57.08	56.31	55.40	56.06	60.07	62.63	64.28	66.13
December.....	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
Average 1975....	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
Average 1974....	(2)	(2)	43.74	43.70	43.43	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)

¹ The three cities are Chicago, New York, and Los Angeles metropolitan areas.
² Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 50.--PROCESSED TURKEYS: Average f.o.b. or equivalent prices at Chicago, by months, 1975
(Cents per pound in carlots and trucklots)

Month and year	U. S. Grade A, frozen, ready-to-cook								
	Fryer- roasters 4-9 pounds	Young hens: 8 - 16 pounds	Young toms						
			14-20 pounds	20-22 pounds	22-24 pounds	24-26 pounds	26-28 pounds	28-30 pounds	30 pounds and over
<u>1975</u>									
January.....	51.14	51.82	49.05	49.02	49.72	49.41	50.35	51.91	54.91
February.....	49.29	46.42	45.64	45.64	45.97	46.62	47.56	49.56	52.81
March.....	46.45	46.75	43.35	43.32	42.00	44.43	45.43	47.43	51.33
April.....	48.81	47.55	42.77	42.77	43.08	45.39	46.45	47.36	50.00
May.....	52.71	51.12	46.50	46.45	48.38	48.96	48.95	49.23	50.64
June.....	55.10	52.81	48.89	48.89	50.88	52.57	52.61	53.15	54.48
July.....	58.62	55.26	51.86	51.86	50.72	53.36	53.70	54.68	56.05
August.....	60.84	57.04	55.12	55.13	54.62	55.24	56.14	57.12	59.07
September.....	61.12	56.61	56.24	56.23	56.37	57.12	58.23	59.12	61.07
October.....	61.32	57.41	56.55	56.53	56.72	60.27	61.69	62.83	64.83
November.....	60.47	56.62	55.82	53.15	55.48	59.58	62.50	64.34	66.34
December.....	(1)	(1)	53.38	53.31	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Average 1975....	(1)	(1)	50.43	50.19	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Average 1974....	(1)	46.47	43.10	43.08	42.81	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

¹ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 51.--PROCESSED TURKEYS: Average f.o.b. or equivalent prices at Los Angeles, by months, 1975
(Cents per pound in carlots and trucklots)

Month and year	U. S. Grade A, frozen, ready-to-cook								
	Fryer- roasters 4-9 pounds	Young hens: 8 - 16 pounds	Young toms						
			14-20 pounds	20-22 pounds	22-24 pounds	24-26 pounds	26-28 pounds	28-30 pounds	30 pounds and over
1975									
January.....	50.75	52.65	49.30	49.30	49.30	50.61	51.55	53.36	55.23
February.....	(1)	48.04	46.84	46.84	46.84	49.21	50.89	53.03	55.05
March.....	47.53	48.33	45.26	45.26	45.26	47.52	49.21	50.64	53.07
April.....	49.81	49.27	44.52	44.55	44.61	47.18	49.11	51.00	53.00
May.....	53.27	52.22	47.39	47.39	47.35	49.87	50.76	52.40	53.62
June.....	55.71	54.05	50.10	50.10	50.10	52.19	52.60	53.69	54.67
July.....	(1)	56.44	52.54	52.54	52.53	54.50	54.61	55.52	56.61
August.....	63.00	58.43	56.26	56.26	56.26	56.21	57.19	57.87	59.17
September.....	61.93	57.63	57.14	57.14	57.12	57.38	58.55	59.57	60.57
October.....	63.36	58.07	57.29	57.30	57.30	59.64	60.96	62.14	63.74
November.....	(1)	57.36	56.45	56.45	56.45	60.50	62.50	63.70	65.22
December.....	(1)	52.79	53.98	53.98	53.98	58.35	62.90	65.25	66.45
Average 1975...	(1)	53.77	51.42	51.43	51.42	53.60	55.07	56.51	58.03
Average 1974...	(1)	47.21	44.20	44.20	44.21	46.44	47.61	49.60	(1)

¹ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 52.--PROCESSED TURKEYS: Average f.o.b. or equivalent prices at New York City, by months, 1975
(Cents per pound in carlots and trucklots)

Month and year	U. S. Grade A, frozen, ready-to-cook								
	Fryer- roasters 4-9 pounds	Young hens: 8 - 16 pounds	Young toms						
			14-20 pounds	20-22 pounds	22-24 pounds	24-26 pounds	26-28 pounds	28-30 pounds	30 pounds and over
1975									
January.....	51.89	51.60	49.14	49.05	50.18	49.82	50.98	52.60	55.72
February.....	49.54	46.89	45.95	45.92	45.68	46.89	48.11	50.16	53.74
March.....	46.85	47.27	43.70	43.60	42.38	44.62	45.56	47.65	52.21
April.....	49.67	48.27	43.31	43.23	43.38	46.02	47.28	48.07	50.73
May.....	53.40	51.63	46.92	46.96	48.83	49.98	49.87	49.88	50.79
June.....	55.81	53.42	49.65	49.70	51.44	53.19	53.19	53.29	54.36
July.....	59.40	56.00	52.72	52.72	51.25	54.42	54.98	55.95	57.39
August.....	61.76	58.03	56.18	56.19	55.29	56.39	57.50	58.52	60.29
September.....	62.05	57.17	57.00	56.99	56.98	57.87	59.24	60.52	62.48
October.....	62.58	58.13	57.18	57.11	57.24	60.74	62.17	63.67	65.57
November.....	61.36	57.26	56.66	56.59	56.25	60.13	62.89	64.79	66.82
December.....	(1)	52.23	(1)	(1)	53.48	56.88	61.85	65.00	(1)
Average 1975...	(1)	53.16	(1)	(1)	51.03	53.08	54.47	55.84	(1)
Average 1974...	48.84	(1)	43.93	43.83	43.26	44.50	45.94	48.28	50.76

¹ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 53.--PROCESSED TURKEYS: Average prices paid at seller's dock or warehouse at Chicago, by months, 1975
(Cents per pound in less than carlots)¹

Month and year	U. S. Grade A, frozen, ready-to-cook								
	Fryer-roasters 4-9 pounds	Young hens 8-16 pounds	Young toms						
			14-20 pounds	20-22 pounds	22-24 pounds	24-26 pounds	26-28 pounds	28-30 pounds	30 pounds and over
1975									
January.....	60.00	58.67	53.92	53.92	53.35	52.46	54.00	55.31	57.00
February.....	56.00	52.17	50.96	50.96	51.88	51.88	52.71	54.54	56.67
March.....	(2)	50.54	47.35	47.35	46.48	47.81	49.15	51.77	55.15
April.....	(2)	50.65	46.77	46.77	46.25	48.23	49.15	51.50	55.00
May.....	(2)	53.27	48.73	48.73	50.27	51.04	51.31	52.04	55.00
June.....	(2)	54.67	51.63	51.63	53.04	54.40	54.40	54.88	56.00
July.....	60.56	57.08	53.54	53.54	53.83	55.75	55.83	56.52	57.00
August.....	(2)	58.77	56.98	56.98	56.02	57.23	58.00	59.02	60.31
September.....	62.00	58.50	58.04	58.04	57.92	58.73	59.81	60.85	62.08
October.....	(2)	59.32	58.54	58.54	58.61	60.93	62.25	63.75	65.14
November.....	66.28	60.52	59.50	59.50	58.67	62.75	64.12	66.46	67.21
December.....	57.00	56.98	57.08	57.08	55.92	61.33	64.00	66.75	68.00
Average 1975....	(2)	55.93	53.59	53.59	53.52	55.21	56.23	57.78	59.55
Average 1974....	(2)	49.41	45.72	45.74	45.76	47.23	48.81	51.36	53.80

¹ Minimum sale - five boxes.
² Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 54.--PROCESSED TURKEYS: Average prices paid at seller's dock or warehouse at New York City, by months, 1975
(Cents per pound in less than carlots)¹

Month and year	U. S. Grade A, frozen, ready-to-cook								
	Fryer-roasters 4-9 pounds	Young hens 8-16 pounds	Young toms						
			14-20 pounds	20-22 pounds	22-24 pounds	24-26 pounds	26-28 pounds	28-30 pounds	30 pounds and over
1975									
January.....	(2)	57.50	53.32	53.32	53.85	53.12	55.19	56.42	59.00
February.....	(2)	50.18	49.82	49.82	48.73	49.41	50.41	53.32	56.73
March.....	(2)	50.17	48.50	48.50	45.00	47.00	48.00	51.04	55.00
April.....	52.44	52.31	47.42	47.42	45.73	47.42	48.92	49.67	51.96
May.....	(2)	55.27	50.65	50.65	50.96	51.46	51.46	51.73	52.62
June.....	(2)	57.00	53.38	53.38	53.15	54.88	54.88	55.46	56.50
July.....	(2)	59.29	55.54	55.54	52.88	56.21	57.42	58.42	59.50
August.....	(2)	61.23	59.00	59.00	56.90	57.96	59.02	59.75	61.79
September.....	(2)	61.23	60.42	60.42	59.25	59.56	61.17	62.27	64.27
October.....	(2)	61.18	60.12	60.12	60.25	63.00	64.04	65.04	66.75
November.....	(2)	61.21	60.29	60.29	59.65	63.79	66.25	68.12	69.87
December.....	(2)	57.88	58.67	58.67	57.17	60.00	65.67	68.58	70.00
Average 1975....	(2)	57.04	54.76	54.76	53.63	55.32	56.87	58.32	60.33
Average 1974....	(2)	51.68	48.44	48.29	46.10	47.31	48.73	51.71	53.87

¹ Minimum sale - five boxes.
² Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 55.—PROCESSED TURKEYS: Average prices paid delivered to retailers at specified cities, by months, 1975
(Cents per pound)

U. S. Grade A, frozen, ready-to-cook								
Month and year	Los Angeles area ¹				Pittsburgh, Pa. ²			
	Fryer-roasters 4-9 pounds	Young hens, 8-16 pounds	Young toms		Young hens 8-14 pounds	Young toms		
			14-24 pounds	24-28 pounds		18-22 pounds	22 pounds and up	
1975								
January	59.27	59.20	55.27	57.50	63.50	59.00	62.50	
February	58.03	55.79	53.24	57.24	60.75	57.50	58.25	
March	54.80	54.51	51.74	55.50	57.75	56.37	57.00	
April	55.23	54.89	50.68	55.50	57.00	56.00	57.00	
May	59.37	57.76	52.61	56.69	57.80	56.40	59.40	
June	62.00	60.05	55.99	59.48	58.87	57.50	61.75	
July	62.09	61.82	57.95	62.14	60.75	59.62	62.50	
August	66.31	64.07	62.19	63.69	64.00	62.60	64.20	
September	67.88	64.26	63.65	65.00	64.50	63.50	68.50	
October	68.14	63.62	63.31	65.40	64.90	64.35	67.90	
November	68.87	63.83	63.55	65.76	65.12	64.69	66.12	
December	67.08	60.55	60.58	65.50	62.83	63.67	66.75	
Average 1975	62.42	60.03	57.56	60.78	61.48	60.10	62.66	
Average 1974	54.59	53.80	50.55 ³	53.08 ³	(4)	(4)	(4)	

U. S. Grade A, frozen, ready-to-cook								
Month and year	San Francisco				Seattle			
	Fryer-roasters 4-9 pounds	Young hens, 8-16 pounds	Young toms			Young hens, all weights	Young toms all weights	
			22 pounds and under	22-26 pounds	26 pounds and over			
1975								
January	63.00	63.00	61.50	63.00	65.00	60.32	60.59	
February	(4)	59.08	58.42	57.68	62.08	57.50	59.00	
March	(4)	57.29	56.83	56.83	60.36	54.98	58.90	
April	58.73	57.82	55.64	55.64	60.00	57.00	57.00	
May	58.95	58.50	53.64	55.90	58.79	57.33	56.33	
June	60.71	60.93	56.55	58.05	60.81	58.60	57.98	
July	64.73	62.68	60.14	60.98	63.89	61.34	60.20	
August	67.43	66.00	62.60	63.74	65.86	65.34	63.07	
September	68.00	67.00	63.45	64.66	67.00	66.93	65.60	
October	67.69	65.15	63.81	64.81	67.38	66.50	65.12	
November	69.74	65.26	64.77	65.00	67.37	66.76	67.00	
December	70.40	63.95	63.85	64.88	68.75	63.28	66.32	
Average 1975	(4)	62.25	60.07	60.93	63.94	61.32	61.43	
Average 1974	(4)	57.68	54.61	56.59	59.70	57.01	55.41	

¹ Includes Los Angeles, Ventura, Orange, San Bernardino, and Riverside counties.

² Minimum sale - one box.

³ 1975 averages for 22 pounds and under and 22-26 pounds.

(4) Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 56.—PROCESSED TURKEYS: Average prices paid delivered to retailers at Portland, Oregon, by months, 1975
(Cents per pound)

Month and year	U. S. Grade A, Frozen, ready-to-cook							
	Fryer-roasters	Young hens			Young toms			
	4 - 9 pounds	8 - 14 pounds	14 - 16 pounds	18 - 22 pounds	22 - 24 pounds	24 - 26 pounds	26 - 28 pounds	28 - 30 pounds
<u>1975</u>								
January.....	62.84	60.05	62.05	57.05	57.55	60.07	62.55	65.05
February.....	64.50	60.00	62.00	57.00	57.50	60.50	62.50	65.00
March.....	64.50	60.00	62.00	57.00	57.50	60.50	62.50	65.00
April.....	64.50	59.89	61.61	56.89	57.39	60.39	62.39	64.89
May.....	(1)	58.50	60.07	56.07	56.14	58.71	60.71	61.93
June.....	(1)	59.19	61.19	56.48	56.48	58.60	60.60	61.93
July.....	(1)	61.64	63.64	57.91	57.91	59.86	61.63	63.63
August.....	69.20	64.67	66.79	61.98	61.98	61.62	64.55	65.71
September.....	69.50	66.90	69.31	63.40	63.40	64.90	66.40	67.00
October.....	69.50	67.00	69.50	63.50	63.50	65.31	66.50	68.24
November.....	69.50	66.53	68.79	63.39	63.39	65.76	68.47	69.58
December.....	67.58	62.00	63.60	61.40	61.80	66.05	67.10	70.50
Average 1975....	(1)	62.20	64.21	59.34	59.54	61.86	63.82	65.70
Average 1974....	(1)	57.44	58.95	54.46	55.38	57.40	60.34	60.34

¹ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 57.—PROCESSED TURKEY PARTS: Average prices paid delivered to buyer's dock in Southern California, by months, 1975 ¹

(Dollars per pound in trucklots and less-than-trucklots)

Month and year	U. S. Grade A, frozen, ready-to-cook						
	Cooked rolls 9 pounds		Bulk parts				
	Mixed 60 - 40%	All white	Breast	Hind- quarters	Drumsticks	Necks	Wings 3-joint
<u>1975</u>							
January.....	.99	1.17	.80	.34	.26	.18	.30
February.....	.97	1.14	.79	.32	.25	.17	.32
March.....	.93	1.09	.76	.32	.26	.19	.32
April.....	.92	1.11	.79	.34	.27	.22	.34
May.....	.99	1.16	.85	.35	.29	.27	.38
June.....	1.01	1.17	.89	.36	.29	.28	.39
July.....	1.02	1.14	.91	.36	.30	.29	.40
August.....	1.06	1.20	.96	.38	.30	.30	.39
September.....	1.09	1.21	.97	.36	.28	.28	.36
October.....	1.08	1.22	.98	.35	.28	.26	.32
November.....	1.09	1.24	1.00	.36	.30	.27	.31
December.....	1.09	1.24	.98	.35	.28	.27	.29
Average 1975....	1.02	1.17	.89	.35	.28	.25	.34
Average 1974....	1.00	1.15	.77	.33	.27	.18	.28

¹ Includes Los Angeles, Ventura, Orange, San Bernardino, and Riverside counties.

TABLE 58.--PROCESSED TURKEY PARTS: Average prices paid delivered to first receivers at New York City, by months, 1975

(Dollars per pound in trucklots and less-than-trucklots)

Month and year	Frozen, ready-to-cook								
	Breasts						Bulk parts		
	With ribs, individually bagged		With ribs, back and wing meat included				Drumsticks	Wings	
	4 - 6 pounds	6 - 8 pounds	10 - 12 pounds	12 - 14 pounds	14 - 16 pounds	Full cut		V-type	
1975									
January.....	.89	(1)	.80	.82	.86	.26	.34	.30	
February.....	.80	(1)	.75	.76	.80	.26	.35	.31	
March.....	.79	(1)	.73	.74	.79	.26	.35	.34	
April.....	.83	(1)	.77	.79	.83	.26	.35	.34	
May.....	.88	(1)	.86	.88	(1)	.29	.39	.38	
June.....	.89	(1)	.89	.90	.93	.29	.39	.38	
July.....	.91	(1)	.91	(1)	.95	.30	.38	.37	
August.....	.93	.90	.96	.96	.99	.30	.37	.35	
September.....	.93	(1)	.95	.98	(1)	.29	.34	.32	
October.....	.95	(1)	.96	1.00	1.05	.29	.31	.28	
November.....	.97	(1)	.98	1.02	1.08	.29	.30	.26	
December.....	.93	.87	.93	.96	1.02	.27	.28	.24	
Average 1975.....	.89	(1)	.87	(1)	(1)	.28	.35	.32	
Average 1974.....	(1)	(1)	.73	.75	.78	.28	.32	.27	

¹ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

TABLE 59.--PROCESSED TURKEYS: Average prices paid delivered restaurants and institutions in Los Angeles area, by months, 1975 ¹

(Dollars per pound) ²

Month and year	U. S. Grade A, Frozen, ready-to-cook			
	Young toms ³		Breasts	Cooked roll (60-40%)
	24 - 28 pounds	28 pounds and over	10 - 12 pounds	9 pounds and over
1975				
January.....	.59	.62	.89	1.11
February.....	.58	.62	.90	1.11
March.....	.57	.60	.88	1.05
April.....	.57	.60	.88	1.04
May.....	.58	.61	.92	1.07
June.....	.61	.63	.97	1.11
July.....	.64	.66	.99	1.13
August.....	.66	.67	1.03	1.16
September.....	.67	.68	1.06	1.20
October.....	.69	.70	1.07	1.20
November.....	.70	.72	1.10	1.21
December.....	.70	.73	1.10	1.21
Average 1975.....	.63	.65	.98	1.13
Average 1974.....	.57	.60	.92	1.16

¹ Includes Los Angeles, Ventura, Orange, San Bernardino, and Riverside counties.

² Prices may be subject to total volume delivered.

³ Includes weight selections and giblets.

APPENDIX

DIRECTORY OF SELECTED STORAGE CENTERS

Cold storage data are collected from the following storage centers each Monday and published as Cold Storage Holdings - Selected Storage Centers.

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Atlanta, GA
Boston, MA
Carthage, MI
Chicago, IL
Cleveland, OH
Dallas, TX
Denver, CO
Des Moines, IA
Detroit, MI
Dubuque, IA
Houston, TX
Kansas City, MO
Los Angeles, CA
Minneapolis -
St. Paul, MN

Nashville, TN
Neosho, MO
New York, NY
Oakland, CA
Omaha, NE
Philadelphia, PA
Pittsburgh, PA
Portland, OR
St. Joseph, MO
St. Louis, MO
San Francisco, CA
Sioux City, IA
Springfield, MO
 Wichita, KS

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Cleveland, OH
Dallas, TX
Denver, CO
Detroit, MI
Kansas City, MO
Los Angeles, CA
Minneapolis -
St. Paul, MN

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Wesley, MO
New York, NY
Oakland, CA
Omaha, NE
Philadelphia, PA
Pittsburgh, PA
Portland, OR
St. Louis, MO
San Francisco, CA
Springfield, MO
York, NE

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Cleveland, OH
Dallas, TX
Denver, CO
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Detroit, MI
Dinuba, CA
Dubuque, IA
Duluth, MN
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Jacksonville, FL
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St. Paul, MN
Modesto, CA
Nashville, TN
New York, NY
Oakland, CA
Omaha, NE
Philadelphia, PA
Pittsburgh, PA
Portland, OR
Sacramento, CA
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St. Louis, MO
Salt Lake City -
Ogden, UT
San Francisco, CA
Springfield, MO
Timberville, VA
Turlock, CA
Wichita, KS

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Cleveland, OH
Dallas, TX
Detroit, MI
Dinuba, CA
Dover, DE
Duluth, MN
Fort Worth, TX
Fresno, CA
Gainesville, CA
Harrisonburg, VA

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Los Angeles, CA
Minneapolis -
St. Paul, MN
New York, NY
Oakland, CA
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