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M311H — ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE FATS AND OILS (WAREHOUSE STOCKS)

DEFINITIONS AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. Scope of survey

This survey covers public or private warehouses storing major edible and inedible fats and oils.

2. Figures to be reported

Companies with more than one establishment manufacturing the products covered by this survey are requested to complete a separate report form for each location. If you have not received a separate form for each of your establishments, please call the contact shown on the report form or write to the U.S. Census Bureau for additional forms.

If you cannot report your stocks as of the inventory date specified, please enter the inventory date you used in Section IV, "Remarks."

If you are not holding stocks of an oil which is prelisted on your report form, please post "0" or "NONE" for the month. This will avoid any misunderstanding on our part.

Stocks held in private warehouses operated at plants either processing oilseeds or producing or consuming oils should be included on Form M311J, "Oilseeds, Beans, and Nuts: Monthly Report of Primary Processors," or M311N, "Monthly Report of Producers or Consumers of Animal and Vegetable Fats and Oils."

Units of measure

Report all figures in thousands of pounds.

Your figures should include —

Stocks of the individual oils on a consolidated basis regardless of ownership including those of government agencies. It is not necessary to report the names of the individual owners of these stocks.

Stocks in transit to this warehouse on the last day of the month should be reported as stocks of this warehouse.

3. Definitions

Refined edible oils — Oils which have been alkali or caustic washed. Include hydrogenated oils and vegetable oil winter stearin.

Baking or frying fat (Shortening) — Fats which meet all the following conditions:

- (a) Have been made from vegetable oils or meat fats or combinations thereof
- (b) Have been deodorized, or hydrogenated and deodorized
- (c) Exhibit consistencies which may be fluid, plastic, or solid at room temperatures
- (d) Are produced and sold entirely or primarily for baking and frying. Include mono- and di-glycerides.

Salad or cooking oils — Oils which meet all of the following conditions:

- (a) Have been made from vegetable oils
- (b) Have been deodorized, or winterized and deodorized
- (c) Are completely liquid at room temperature

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REFERENCE LIST

FORM M311H		ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE FATS AND OILS	
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Product code	Item code	Item description	
3112231100 3112234100	0212 0712	Cottonseed, crude Cottonseed, refined (include hydrogenated oil and winter stearin)	
3112221151 3112221231 3112252845	1212 1512 1612	Soybean, crude (include degummed, blown, boiled, heat treated, acid refined) Soybean, refined Soybean cooking or salad oil	
3112252885	1712	All other cooking or salad oil	
311223H151 311223H102	2212 2412	Linseed, raw and boiled Linseed, all other	
311223H101 311223H102	2614 2812	Coconut, crude (including that being stored under U.S. Customs bond) Coconut, refined	
311223H152	3112	Tung oil	
3112218111 3112218125	3412 3612	Corn, crude Corn, refined	
311223H101 311223H102	3912 4112	Peanut, crude Peanut, refined	
311223H166 311223H102 311223H167 311223H185	4412 4512 4712 4912	Palm, crude Palm, refined Palm kernel, crude Palm kernel, refined	
311223H101 311223H102	5112 5312	Sunflower, crude Sunflower, once-refined	
311223H196	5412	Castor, crude (No. 1 and No. 3)	
311223H168 311223H186	5612 5712	Rapeseed (canola), crude Rapeseed (canola), refined	
31122528D1	5912	Vegetable foots, raw and acidulated (100% basis)	
311223H169 311223H187	6212 6412	Safflower, crude Safflower, refined	
311223H195	6812	All other primary fats and oils (such as babassu, oiticica, etc.)	

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Product code	Item code	Item description	
311611D131	7112	Lard, including rendered pork fat (include lard stearin)	
311611R131 3116132112	7212 7412	Tallow, edible (include oleo stock and edible animal stearin) Tallow, inedible (including inedible animal stearin)	
3116132132 3116132141	8912 9212	Grease, yellow Grease, other (other than wool grease)	
3117124400	7612	Sperm oil	
3117124415	7712	Fish oil, other than cod or liver, and marine mammal oil other than sperm (including refined and hydrogenated)	
3112252811 3112252821	8112 8212	Baking or frying fat (shortening) 100% vegetable oil Baking or frying fat (shortening) 100% animal fat or blends of vegetable oil and animal fat	
3112254100	8312	Margarine	
325611A111 325611A131	8412 8512	Glycerin, crude (100% basis) Glycerin, refined (all grades, 100% basis)	
3251910125 3251910235	8612 8712	Tall oil, crude Tall oil, refined or distilled (containing less than 90% free fatty acids excluding rosin acids)	
3251991191	8812	Fatty acids (all types)	

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