

U.S. red meat and poultry forecasts

	2004	2005	2006				2007 ^{1/}					
	Annual	Annual	I	II	III	IV	Annual	I	II	III	IV	Annual
Production, million lb												
Beef	24,548	24,683	6,082	6,724	6,834	6,513	26,153	6,350	6,850	6,950	6,425	26,575
Pork	20,509	20,684	5,335	5,008	5,087	5,625	21,055	5,325	5,200	5,325	5,750	21,600
Lamb and mutton	195	187	49	47	42	47	185	48	45	43	46	182
Broilers	34,063	35,365	8,938	9,130	8,884	8,801	35,753	8,750	9,050	9,100	9,000	35,900
Turkeys	5,454	5,504	1,355	1,440	1,419	1,473	5,687	1,410	1,460	1,440	1,470	5,780
Total red meat & poultry	85,441	87,097	21,920	22,516	22,428	22,619	89,483	22,042	22,768	23,021	22,850	90,681
Table eggs, mil. doz.	6,365	6,411	1,611	1,610	1,624	1,649	6,494	1,590	1,605	1,650	1,675	6,520
Per capita consumption, retail lb ^{2/}												
Beef	66.1	65.5	15.8	16.8	16.9	16.3	65.8	16.0	17.2	17.3	15.9	66.4
Pork	51.3	50.0	12.3	11.9	11.9	13.1	49.4	12.2	12.1	12.5	13.1	50.0
Lamb and mutton	1.1	1.1	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	1.1	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	1.1
Broilers	84.3	85.8	21.8	22.5	21.9	20.8	87.0	21.1	21.7	21.8	21.2	85.7
Turkeys	17.1	16.7	3.5	3.9	4.3	5.2	16.9	3.6	3.9	4.3	5.1	16.9
Total red meat & poultry	221.4	220.9	54.2	55.9	55.7	56	221.7	53.6	55.6	56.5	56.0	221.7
Eggs, number	257.2	255.1	63.9	63.6	63.9	64.5	256.0	61.9	62.6	64.4	64.9	253.9
Market prices												
Choice steers, Neb., \$/cwt	84.75	87.28	89.24	80.39	85.40	86.61	85.41	90-91	85-89	81-87	82-88	84-89
Feeder steers, Ok City, \$/cwt	104.76	110.94	106.80	104.08	115.17	103.22	107.32	97-98	98-102	96-102	96-102	96-101
Boning utility cows, S. Falls, \$/cwt	52.35	54.36	48.89	47.79	49.28	44.29	47.56	48-49	49-51	48-52	48-52	49-51
Choice slaughter lambs, San Angelo, \$/cwt	96.69	97.76	77.03	66.56	81.10	84.53	77.31	84-85	83-87	81-87	83-89	82-87
Barrows & gilts, N. base, i.e. \$/cwt	52.51	50.05	42.63	48.45	51.83	46.13	47.26	46-47	46-48	44-48	43-47	45-47
Broilers, 12 City, cents/lb	74.10	70.80	62.7	61.0	67.8	65.9	64.4	74-75	74-78	72-78	70-76	72-77
Turkeys, Eastern, cents/lb	69.70	73.40	67.3	71.3	79.4	89.8	77.0	70-71	72-76	75-81	80-86	74-79
Eggs, New York, cents/doz.	82.20	65.50	71.4	62.7	64.0	89.0	71.8	103-104	85-89	79-85	85-93	88-93
U.S. trade, million lb												
Beef & veal exports	461	689	223	315	307	308	1,153	310	335	350	350	1,345
Beef & veal imports	3,679	3,599	843	789	731	722	3,085	760	880	830	810	3,280
Lamb and mutton imports	181	180	53	44	41	52	190	55	50	42	47	194
Pork exports	2,179	2,660	770	763	653	811	2,997	815	805	690	840	3,150
Pork imports	1,099	1,024	259	237	239	254	989	260	240	240	250	990
Live swine imports	8,505	8,191	2,133	2,087	2,205	2,338	8,763	2,300	2,300	2,350	2,400	9,350
Broiler exports	4,768	5,147	1,338	1,298	1,224	1,412	5,272	1,325	1,330	1,350	1,400	5,405
Turkey exports	443	569	119	125	152	149	545	130	145	155	155	585

^{1/} Forecasts are in **bold**.

^{2/} Per capita meat and egg consumption data are revised, incorporating a new population series from the Commerce Department's Bureau of Economic Analysis based on the 2000 Census.

Source: World Agricultural Supply and Demand Estimates and Supporting Materials.

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Dairy Forecasts

	2006					2007				
	I	II	III	IV	Annual	I	II	III	IV	Annual
Milk cows (thous.)	9,092	9,128	9,113	9,115	9,112	9,125	9,100	9,070	9,050	9,085
Milk per cow (pounds)	5,010	5,141	4,906	4,894	19,951	5,060	5,225	4,995	4,980	20,260
Milk production (bil. pounds)	45.5	46.9	44.7	44.6	181.8	46.2	47.5	45.3	45.1	184.1
Farm use	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	1.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	1.0
Milk marketings	45.3	46.7	44.4	44.3	180.7	45.9	47.3	45.0	44.8	183.1
Milkfat (bil. pounds milk equiv.)										
Milk marketings	45.3	46.7	44.4	44.3	180.7	45.9	47.3	45.0	44.8	183.1
Beginning commercial stocks	8.0	11.5	13.5	11.6	8.0	9.5	12.4	13.5	11.3	9.5
Imports	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.5	5.0	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.5	5.3
Total supply	54.4	59.3	59.1	57.5	193.7	56.7	61.0	59.8	57.6	197.9
Ending commercial stocks	11.5	13.5	11.6	9.5	9.5	12.4	13.5	11.3	8.6	8.6
Net removals	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Commercial use	42.9	45.8	47.4	48.0	184.2	44.3	47.5	48.5	49.0	189.3
Skim solids (bil. pounds milk equiv.)										
Milk marketings	45.3	46.7	44.4	44.3	180.7	45.9	47.3	45.0	44.8	183.1
Beginning commercial stocks	9.0	9.7	10.2	9.1	9.0	9.1	9.3	10.2	9.1	9.1
Imports	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.4	4.8	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.5	5.2
Total supply	55.3	57.5	55.7	54.8	194.5	56.2	57.9	56.5	55.3	197.4
Ending commercial stocks	9.7	10.2	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.3	10.2	9.1	8.8	8.8
Net removals	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Commercial use	45.6	46.6	46.7	45.7	184.6	46.9	47.7	47.5	46.5	188.6
Milk prices (dol./cwt) 1/										
All milk	13.53	12.00	12.23	13.83	12.90	14.70	14.90	15.00	15.50	15.05
						-14.90	-15.40	-15.80	-16.50	-15.65
Class III	12.23	11.02	11.42	12.88	11.89	13.96	13.96	14.21	14.27	14.10
						-14.16	-14.46	-15.01	-15.27	-14.70
Class IV	11.33	10.30	10.65	11.97	11.06	12.68	13.01	13.06	13.07	12.95
						-12.98	-13.61	-13.96	-14.17	-13.65
Product prices (dol./pound) 2/										
Cheddar cheese	1.272	1.184	1.217	1.316	1.247	1.331	1.305	1.333	1.290	1.330
						-1.351	-1.355	-1.413	-1.390	-1.390
Dry whey	0.345	0.289	0.289	0.381	0.329	0.563	0.612	0.605	0.605	0.595
						-0.583	-0.642	-0.635	-0.635	-0.625
Butter	1.247	1.153	1.210	1.267	1.219	1.204	1.227	1.262	1.265	1.240
						-1.244	-1.307	-1.372	-1.395	-1.330
Nonfat dry milk	0.905	0.831	0.844	0.970	0.887	1.093	1.125	1.113	1.115	1.110
						-1.113	-1.165	-1.173	-1.185	-1.160

1/ Simple averages of monthly prices. May not match reported annual averages.

2/ Simple averages of monthly prices calculated by the Agricultural Marketing Service for use in class price formulas.

¹Based on weekly "Dairy Product Prices".

National Agricultural Statistics Service. Details may be found at http://www.ams.usda.gov/dyfmoms/mib/fedordprc_dscrp.htm

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Economic Indicator Forecasts

	2005		2006					2007				
	IV	Annual	I	II	III	IV	Annual	I	II	III	IV	Annual
GDP, chain wtd (bil. 2000 dol.)	11,234	11,049	11,381	11,385	11,433	11,542	11,422	11,615	11,694	11,780	11,873	11,741
CPI-U, annual rate (pct.)	3.2	3.7	2.0	3.4	2.9	-2.2	2.0	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.5
Unemployment (pct.)	4.9	5.1	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.7
Interest (pct.)												
3-month Treasury bill	3.8	3.2	4.4	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.7	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.9	5.0
10-year Treasury bond yield	4.5	4.3	4.6	5.1	4.9	4.6	4.8	4.8	4.8	5.0	5.0	4.9

Source: Survey of Professional Forecasters, Philadelphia Federal Reserve Bank, February 2007.

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PRODUCTION INDICATORS

	2007			
	Feb. '2006	Dec.	Jan.	Feb. /*
	<i>1,000 Head</i>			
Cattle:				
On feed - US, 1,000+ Hd.	12,110	11,973	11,974	11,726
Net placements	1,515	1,626	1,593	1,584
Marketings	1,602	1,625	1,841	1,711
Broilers:				
Eggs in incubators (000) /1	660,973	652,019	652,471	649,148
Chicks hatched (000) /2	733,145	795,445	797,066	723,753
Hatching egg layers /1	56,040	54,636	55,098	55,668
Pullets placed (000)	7,593	7,196	7,015	7,071
Hvy-type hen slaughter /2	5,517	5,698	6,094	5,525
Turkeys:				
Eggs in incubators (000) /1	30,077	29,242	31,114	31,273
Poults placed (000)	23,296	23,615	25,625	23,987
Eggs:				
Table egg prod. (mil. doz.) /2	498.6	556.9	544.6	493.0
Table egg layers, (000) /1	290,972	291,267	289,466	288,304
Table eggs/100 layers /1	72.9	75.3	73.1	72.7
Chicks hatched (000) /2	33,665	33,430	36,926	36,766
Lt.-type hen slaughter /2	4,483	4,167	4,634	4,450

ESTIMATED RETURNS

	2007			
	Mar. '2006	Jan.	Feb.	Mar. /*
	<i>Cents/lb</i>			
Great Plains cattle feedlot				
Breakeven price /3	95.89	100.20	97.03	95.32
Selling price	86.06	88.14	89.93	97.75
Net margin	-9.83	-12.06	-7.10	2.43
N. Central hog farrow to finish				
Breakeven price /3	39.69	NA	NA	NA
Selling price	43.34	NA	NA	NA
Net margin	3.65	0.00	NA	NA
Broiler				
	Index	Index	Index	Index
Feed Cost 1998-2000=100	101.0	124.8	125.1	129.9
Market Price 1998-2000=100	85.6	118.5	130.3	133.4
Price - Cost 1998-2000=100	80.1	116.2	132.1	134.6
Turkey				
Feed Cost 1998-2000=100	101.5	115.1	129.3	129.3
Market Price 1998-2000=100	101.6	101.7	105.8	106.3
Price - Cost 1998-2000=100	101.7	95.6	95.1	95.9
Egg				
Feed Cost 1998-2000=100	101.4	136.7	142.9	151.5
Market Price 1998-2000=100	93.8	133.3	128.1	127.8
Price - Cost 1998-2000=100	89.8	131.6	120.3	115.4

/1 First of month.

/2 Last month estimated.

/3 Does not include capital replacement cost.

/* estimate.

MEAT STATISTICS

	Jan. - Mar. 2006	Jan. - Mar. 2007	2006 Nov.	2006 Dec.	2007 Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	/*
Commercial production	<i>Million pounds</i>							
Beef	6,082	6,267	2,227	2,050	2,164	1,953	2,150	
Veal	36	39	13	13	14	12	12	
Pork	5,335	5,397	1,896	1,796	1,898	1,636	1,863	
Lamb	49	49	15	15	15	14	19	
Total red meat	11,502	11,751	4,151	3,874	4,091	3,616	4,044	
Broilers	8,938	8,692	2,898	2,725	3,011	2,661	3,020	
Other chicken	126	120	41	37	39	37	44	
Turkeys	1,355	1,389	505	428	483	424	482	
Total poultry	10,418	10,202	3,444	3,190	3,533	3,122	3,546	
Total meat & poultry	21,920	21,953	7,595	7,064	7,625	6,738	7,590	
	Jan. - Mar. 2006	Jan. - Mar. 2007	2006 Nov.	2006 Dec.	2007 Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	/*
Commercial slaughter/**	<i>Thousand head</i>							
Cattle	7,843	8,175	2,842	2,613	2,799	2,562	2,815	
Steers	4,018	4,047	1,386	1,304	1,410	1,257	1,380	
Heifers	2,435	2,551	888	784	834	817	900	
Beef Cows	674	796	301	270	279	246	271	
Dairy Cows	591	666	223	215	232	206	228	
Bulls and stags	126	118	44	40	43	36	39	
Calves	167	206	67	68	74	67	65	
Sheep	676	686	224	224	217	204	265	
Hogs	26,208	26,751	9,365	8,883	9,366	8,117	9,268	
Barrows & gilts	25,350	25,838	9,040	8,577	9,072	7,832	8,934	
Sows	788	816	285	269	269	250	297	
Broilers	2,200,679	2,166,898	715,655	679,262	748,998	671,500	746,400	
Turkeys	58,208	60,759	23,510	19,289	20,759	18,500	21,500	
	Mar. 2006	Mar. 2007	2006 Nov.	2006 Dec.	2007 Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	/*
F.I. dressed weight	<i>Pounds</i>							
Cattle		777	789	790	778	767	764	
Calves		216	195	193	194	183	183	
Sheep		74	70	70	71	72	72	
Hogs		204	203	203	203	202	202	
	Mar. 2006	Mar. 2007	2006 Nov.	2006 Dec.	2007 Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	/*
Beginning cold storage stocks	<i>Million pounds</i>							
Beef		440.6	485.7	520.3	482.1	469.3	451.3	
Pork		540.2	431.3	421.3	442.5	484.3	483.6	
Bellies		61.6	30.6	41.9	38.4	46.2	46.1	
Hams		57.3	65.3	39.7	66.3	66.3	74.3	
Total chicken		923.7	723.5	692.3	750.4	676.6	626.4	
Turkey		315.7	404.2	214.5	218.4	293.4	318.0	
Frozen eggs		24.5	16.3	17.1	16.5	17.2	15.7	

/* Estimates with exception of Cold Storage

/** Slaughter classes are estimated

LIVESTOCK PRICES

	2006		2007				/*
	Mar.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	
Cattle prices			<i>\$/cwt</i>				
Steers, Choice, 11-13 cwt							
Texas Panhandle	86.06	87.53	86.5	88.14	91.4	96.6	
Nebraska Direct	85.73	86.56	85.83	86.75	88.68	96.5	
Cows - Sioux Falls							
Utility breaking, 1200 - 1600 lbs.	52.7	45.83	46.5	49.2	53.63	49.5	
Utility boning, 800 - 1200 lbs.	49.8	43.06	41.5	48.5	52.63	49.5	
Feeder Cattle - Oklahoma City							
Steers: Med. #1							
500-550 lb	132.82	117.18	119.25	116.03	121.16	128.5	
600-650 lb	125.49	104.19	104.63	102.38	111.3	119.5	
750-800 lb	102.3	100.35	100.99	97.17	97.5	104.5	
Heifers: Med. #1							
450-500 lb	125.11	108.62	108.9	108.32	109.89	113.5	
700-750 lb	97.16	95.34	96.14	92.21	93.16	96	
Hog prices							
Barrows and gilts							
National base 51-52% lean (live equivalent = carcass x .74)	43.3418	45.9688	44.8366	44.0448	48.5958	46	
Sows							
Iowa-S. Minn. #1-2, 300-400 lb	36.01	38.97	34.66	32.69	35.94	36	
Sheep & lamb prices							
San Angelo, TX							
Slaughter lambs, Choice	67.47	85.4	83	81	82.27	84	
Ewes, Good	45.21	39.5	38.25	40.5	41.79	43	
Feeder lambs, Choice	104.02	104.3	101.63	102	109.63	108	

GRAIN AND FEED PRICES

	2006		2007				/*
	Mar.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	
			<i>\$/bu</i>				
Corn, #2 Yellow, Cen. Ill	2.04	3.43	3.01	3.23	3.9	3.95	
Wheat, HRW Ord., K.C.	4.44	5.45	5.35	5.15	5.27	5.4	
			<i>\$/ton</i>				
SBM, 48% Solvent, Decatur	175.07	190.67	180.79	190.46	208.81	208	
Alfalfa Hay, U.S. Avg.	100	109	112	115	117	N/A	
Grass Hay, U.S. Avg.	86.6	98.1	99.3	102	105	N/A	

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WHOLESALE PRICES

	2006		2007				/*
	Mar.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	
Beef, Central U.S.							
Boxed beef cutout			\$/cwt				
Choice 1-3, 600 - 900 lbs.	144.94	143.64	142.92	149.15	149.54	158.25	
Choice 1-3 700-850 lb	144.94	143.64	142.92	149.15	149.54	0	
Select 1-3, 600 - 900 lbs.	134.01	130.8	126.29	136.89	142.48	148.75	
Canner-Cutter Cows	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Bnls. beef, 90% fresh	141.48	127.16	127.19	142.79	142.46	144	
Importd bnls. beef 90% frz.	130.68	137.5	134.33	132.95	135.13	132.5	
Hide & offal value	7.98	8.98	9.16	9.53	9.67	9.66	
Veal carcass, 220-280 lb	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Pork, Central U.S.							
Pork cutout composite	63.15	65.89	64.86	63.7	69.87	69	
Loins, 14-19 lb BI 1/4" trim	101.31	92.02	101.15	100.96	112.08	110	
Bellies, 12-14 lb skin on trmd.	78.67	78.64	79.5	86.25	96.08	94	
Hams, 20-23 lb BI trmd. TS1	57.29	70.27	60.31	55.44	61.32	61	
Trimnings, 72% fresh	47.93	48.25	48.24	47.02	44.75	43	
Lamb, East Coast							
55 lb Down, Choice	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
55-65 lb, Choice	190.63	201.13	205.43	206.21	205.18	207	
			cents/lb				
Broilers							
12 City Avg.	61.77	65.93	66.48	70.43	75.89	78.1	
Georgia dock	67.02	68.06	68.73	70.6	73.1	75.2	
Northeast							
Breast, boneless	99.87	95.34	114.93	127.3	144.33	152.1	
Breast, Ribs on	64.24	68.83	75.28	84.76	100.46	108.4	
Legs, whole	27.93	37.25	43.33	48.63	53.43	56.75	
Leg quarters	17.65	29.11	31.61	34.07	38.8	40.8	
Turkeys							
<i>Eastern region</i>							
Toms, 16-24 lb	67.43	98.99	73.58	67.63	69.84	70.2	
Hens, 8-16 lb	67.67	99.51	74.2	67.63	69.84	70.2	
Breast, 4-8 lb	114.43	128.56	129	118.46	118.5	117.5	
Drumsticks	45.9	38.76	39.78	42.3	47.2	50.1	
Wings, full cut	24.72	30.3	32.06	36.14	30.8	32.1	
Eggs, grd A, lg, doz							
12 City Metro	68.56	87.93	89.36	97.47	93.63	93.4	
New York	79.61	99.95	95.65	113.85	97.5	102	

/* Estimates.

Source: Agricultural Marketing Service.

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U.S. dairy situation at a glance 1/

	Unit	2004	2005	2006	Dec-05	Jan-06	Feb-06	Mar-06
Milk production:								
Production (23 States)	Mil. lb.	155,528	161,582	166,645	13,599	14,027	13,018	14,599
Milk cows (23 States)	Thou.	8,082	8,138	8,246	8,179	8,198	8,206	8,224
Milk per cow (23 States)	Lb.	19,243	19,857	20,210	1,663	1,711	1,586	1,775
Production (U.S. est.)	Mil. lb.	170,934	176,989	181,839	14,853	15,336	14,246	15,971
Milk prices:								
All milk	Dol./cwt	16.05	15.14	12.90	14.80	14.50	13.50	12.60
Milk eligible for fluid use	Dol./cwt	16.05	15.14	12.92	14.80	14.50	13.50	12.60
Manufacturing grade milk	Dol./cwt	15.44	14.48	12.21	14.40	14.00	12.60	11.50
Class III (cheese milk) 3.5% fat	Dol./cwt	15.39	14.05	11.89	13.37	13.39	12.20	11.11
Class IV (butter-powder milk) 3.5% fat	Dol./cwt	13.20	12.88	11.06	12.57	12.20	11.10	10.68
Slaughter cow price, WI	Dol./cwt	52.66	53.94	49.08	49.56	49.06	51.94	51.65
Chicago Mercantile Exchange prices:								
Butter	Dol./lb.	1.8166	1.5484	1.2364	1.3552	1.3368	1.1930	1.1663
American cheese, 40-pound blocks	Dol./lb.	1.6492	1.4928	1.2562	1.4224	1.3335	1.1989	1.1638
American cheese, barrels	Dol./lb.	1.6036	1.4484	1.2317	1.3896	1.3009	1.1742	1.1237
Wholesale price:								
Nonfat dry milk, Central States	Dol./lb.	0.8793	0.9918	1.0245	1.0597	1.0096	0.9263	0.8788
Retail prices:								
Consumer Price Index	1982-84=100	188.9	195.3	201.6	196.8	198.3	198.7	199.8
All food	1982-84=100	186.2	190.7	195.2	192.9	194.1	194.0	194.0
Dairy products	1982-84=100	180.2	182.4	181.4	183.2	183.7	183.4	183.0
Fluid milk	Dec 1997=100	125.0	127.0	125.5	128.7	127.9	128.9	127.1
Other dairy products	Dec 1997=100	120.2	122.1	122.8	121.9	122.6	123.4	123.7
Dairy product output:								
Butter	Mil. lb.	1,246.7	1,347.2	1,443.6	126.0	147.3	137.0	142.0
American cheese	Mil. lb.	3,738.8	3,813.0	3,937.4	330.1	324.5	304.4	338.4
Other-than-American cheese	Mil. lb.	5,134.3	5,314.2	5,522.8	468.8	447.8	416.6	474.3
Frozen products 2/	Mil. gal.	1,284.4	1,308.0	1,288.7	80.0	91.2	91.2	113.9
All products (m.e.-fat)	Mil. lb.	108,944	113,377	117,036	9,362	9,811	9,298	10,389
Nonfat dry milk	Mil. lb.	1,412.4	1,186.1	1,227.6	103.7	107.3	117.5	128.3
Beginning stocks:								
Commercial butter	Mil. lb.	93.4	44.9	58.5	60.4	58.5	125.1	169.0
Commercial American cheese	Mil. lb.	481.8	476.0	536.7	516.0	536.7	541.7	553.5
Other cheese	Mil. lb.	233.0	224.7	221.3	204.1	223.3	223.1	229.0
Manufacturers' nonfat dry milk	Mil. lb.	110.8	98.2	114.1	91.1	114.1	114.0	119.4
All commercial (m.e.-fat)	Mil. lb.	8,333	7,154	8,007	7,721	8,007	9,512	10,667
All commercial (m.e.-skim)	Mil. lb.	8,476	8,181	8,951	8,306	8,951	9,020	9,309
All Government (m.e.-fat)	Mil. lb.	582	177	20	24	20	23	20
All Government (m.e.-skim)	Mil. lb.	10,405	4,901	809	827	809	764	646
Commercial disappearance:								
Butter	Mil. lb.	1,352.4	1,370.1	2,169.6	132.8	821.0	94.5	118.5
American cheese	Mil. lb.	3,805.6	3,794.9	3,991.1	313.6	329.1	298.7	327.6
Other-than-American cheese	Mil. lb.	5,536.4	5,723.9	5,931.5	495.6	471.9	437.1	489.8
Nonfat dry milk	Mil. lb.	1,320.9	1,262.2	1,201.9	84.6	107.3	112.2	120.5
All products:								
m.e.-fat	Mil. lb.	176,355	180,170	184,250	15,106	14,209	13,323	15,402
Milkfat	Mil. lb.	6,460	6,585	6,776	572	537	499	572
Skim solids	Mil. lb.	15,034	15,660	15,981	1,271	1,363	1,232	1,376
USDA net removals:								
Butter	Mil. lb.	-6.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Cheese	Mil. lb.	5.9	-2.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Nonfat dry milk	Mil. lb.	105.4	-81.5	62.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2
All products (m.e.-fat)	Mil. lb.	-65	-39	14	0	0	0	0
All products (m.e.-skim)	Mil. lb.	1285	-972	728	0	0	0	14
Imports:								
All products (m.e.-fat)	Mil. lb.	5,278	5,071	4,981	630	470	315	347
All products (m.e.-skim)	Mil. lb.	4,839	4,839	4,762	558	385	342	343
International market prices:								
Butter	\$/metric ton	1,898	1,970	1,910	2,013	2,013	2,003	2,000
Nonfat dry milk	\$/metric ton	2,072	2,261	2,460	2,194	2,106	2,125	2,290

1/ Some data series different than formerly published due to changes in availability.

2/ Hard ice cream, ice milk, and sherbet.

m.e.-fat (skim) = Milk equivalent, fat (skim solids)basis

NA=Not available

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Apr-06	May-06	Jun-06	Jul-06	Aug-06	Sep-06	Oct-06	Nov-06	Dec-06	Jan-07	Feb-07
14,222	14,712	14,033	13,937	13,838	13,307	13,637	13,332	13,983	14,276	13,129
8,240	8,257	8,269	8,258	8,255	8,251	8,255	8,260	8,276	8,280	8,277
1,726	1,782	1,697	1,688	1,676	1,613	1,652	1,614	1,690	1,724	1,586
15,546	16,057	15,305	15,164	15,089	14,486	14,885	14,541	15,213	15,666	14,397
12.10	12.00	11.90	11.80	12.00	12.90	13.50	13.90	14.10	14.50	14.70
12.20	12.00	11.90	11.80	12.10	12.90	13.50	13.90	14.10	14.50	14.70
11.30	11.30	11.30	11.00	11.10	12.30	12.70	13.60	13.80	13.90	14.70
10.93	10.83	11.29	10.92	11.06	12.29	12.32	12.84	13.47	13.56	14.18
10.36	10.33	10.22	10.21	10.64	11.10	11.51	12.11	12.30	12.53	12.71
50.81	50.40	49.75	48.94	49.35	49.38	48.81	45.25	43.63	45.60	50.31
1.1632	1.1755	1.1643	1.1645	1.3035	1.3170	1.3206	1.2915	1.2405	1.2248	1.2187
1.1651	1.1855	1.1924	1.1630	1.2345	1.2933	1.4470	1.3745	1.3223	1.3180	1.3408
1.1295	1.1674	1.1818	1.1271	1.2223	1.2899	1.3961	1.3813	1.2860	1.3310	1.3374
0.8603	0.8484	0.8487	0.8659	0.9514	1.0326	1.2255	1.5202	1.3264	1.2851	1.2953
201.5	202.5	202.9	203.5	203.9	202.9	201.8	201.5	201.8	202.4	202.5
193.7	194.2	194.5	195.0	195.5	196.2	197.1	196.8	197.0	198.8	200.0
181.3	181.0	179.6	180.8	180.0	179.9	182.0	180.6	181.0	183.5	183.8
126.3	124.0	123.6	124.1	123.2	123.4	126.0	125.6	125.5	127.0	128.0
121.6	124.0	123.1	123.3	124.8	122.2	123.7	120.0	121.7	123.3	124.7
128.5	128.1	100.8	94.6	88.3	103.8	118.6	117.6	137.2	151.0	NA
338.7	346.5	337.0	328.2	318.9	325.2	321.2	314.9	339.4	342.7	NA
447.8	465.1	456.9	439.2	470.0	459.1	479.1	476.2	490.8	481.2	NA
114.0	124.1	135.1	127.2	127.2	107.4	98.0	82.7	76.6	92.4	NA
10,015	10,436	9,942	9,589	9,568	9,432	9,524	9,189	9,843	10,282	NA
129.2	132.3	117.0	88.2	75.9	64.9	72.3	80.0	114.7	110.8	NA
195.2	227.6	261.4	262.9	259.7	215.1	190.4	157.4	108.0	108.5	148.5
569.2	580.1	601.4	603.6	601.7	580.3	562.7	533.5	519.2	534.0	543.6
241.2	252.4	261.9	272.3	297.1	281.7	280.2	276.3	265.1	283.2	288.6
126.5	155.3	145.4	111.1	82.9	56.5	40.8	35.7	41.5	80.7	81.4
11,492	12,401	13,412	13,519	13,646	12,370	11,646	10,559	9,245	9,509	10,536
9,687	10,257	10,462	10,171	10,105	9,442	9,058	8,601	8,384	9,141	9,329
13	10	10	12	16	14	14	16	13	10	16
351	250	232	438	624	450	429	386	367	318	298
97.4	98.2	105.5	100.1	135.2	130.6	154.8	170.9	142.9	112.9	NA
332.0	330.0	336.4	331.5	342.5	345.4	360.7	334.1	329.4	338.3	NA
466.9	487.7	479.5	450.5	520.6	563.5	518.8	531.8	513.4	498.4	NA
83.4	116.8	132.7	116.3	102.4	80.6	77.4	74.9	77.4	110.1	NA
14,879	15,368	15,540	15,345	16,657	15,469	16,274	16,320	15,464	15,587	NA
547	557	554	543	594	565	611	614	583	552	NA
1,308	1,376	1,351	1,325	1,368	1,297	1,367	1,327	1,291	1,349	NA
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
17.0	26.2	17.6	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
4	6	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
198	305	205	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
336	418	435	400	383	348	394	553	582	414	NA
370	402	354	392	391	350	396	525	512	312	NA
1,963	1,923	1,819	1,813	1,813	1,822	1,834	1,898	2,025	2,028	2,038
2,200	2,308	2,275	2,313	2,622	2,675	2,766	2,906	2,931	3,110	3,138

Commercial disappearance: Milk in all products, 2006

Item	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Million pounds													
Supply:													
Production	15,336	14,246	15,971	15,546	16,057	15,305	15,164	15,089	14,486	14,885	14,541	15,237	181,863
Farm use	92	83	91	89	91	89	91	91	89	91	89	91	1,077
Marketings	15,244	14,163	15,880	15,457	15,966	15,216	15,073	14,998	14,397	14,794	14,452	15,146	180,786
Beginning commercial stocks	8,007	9,512	10,667	11,492	12,401	13,412	13,519	13,646	12,370	11,646	10,559	9,245	8,007
Imports	470	316	347	336	418	435	400	383	348	394	553	582	4,981
Total supply	23,721	23,991	26,894	27,285	28,786	29,063	28,992	29,027	27,115	26,834	25,565	24,973	193,774
Utilization:													
Ending commercial stocks	9,512	10,667	11,492	12,401	13,412	13,519	13,646	12,370	11,646	10,559	9,245	9,509	9,509
USDA net removals	0	0	0	4	6	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	14
Commercial disappearance	14,209	13,323	15,402	14,879	15,368	15,540	15,345	16,657	15,469	16,274	16,320	15,464	184,251
Percent change from a year ago	-0.2	2.4	3.8	3.5	0.2	2.1	0.8	4.2	0.0	4.3	4	2	2
Cumulative disappearance	14,209	27,532	42,934	57,814	73,181	88,722	104,067	120,724	136,193	152,467	168,787	184,251	
	First quarter			Second quarter			Third quarter			Fourth quarter			
	42,934			45,787			47,471			48,058			
Percent change from a year ago	2.0			1.9			1.7			4.9			

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Commercial disappearance: Milk in all products, 2007

Item	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
	Million pounds												
Supply:													
Production	15,679												
Farm use	92												
Marketings	15,587												
Beginning commercial stocks	9,509												
Imports	414												
Total supply	25,511												
Utilization:													
Ending commercial stocks	10,536												
USDA net removals	0												
Commercial disappearance	14,975												
Percent change from a year ago	5.4												
Cumulative disappearance	14,975												
	First quarter			Second quarter			Third quarter			Fourth quarter			
Percent change from a year ago													

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Commercial disappearance: Milkfat, 2006

Item	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Million pounds													
Supply:													
Production	580	534	594	572	583	546	538	537	530	558	551	577	6,702
Farm use	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	40
Marketings	576	531	591	569	580	543	535	534	527	555	548	574	6,662
Beginning commercial stocks	294	349	392	422	455	492	496	501	454	428	388	339	294
Imports	16	11	12	11	14	15	13	13	12	14	18	19	167
Total supply	886	891	994	1,002	1,049	1,051	1,044	1,048	993	996	953	932	7,123
Utilization:													
Ending commercial stocks	349	392	422	455	492	496	501	454	428	388	339	349	349
USDA net removals	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commercial disappearance	537	499	572	547	557	554	543	594	565	608	614	583	6,774
Percent change from a year ago	0.3	3.3	4.7	4.5	0.9	2.6	1.2	5.1	0.7	5.3	3	2	3
Cumulative disappearance	537	1,037	1,609	2,156	2,712	3,266	3,810	4,403	4,969	5,577	6,190	6,774	
	First quarter			Second quarter			Third quarter			Fourth quarter			
	1,609			1,658			1,702			1,805			
Percent change from a year ago	2.8			2.6			2.4			5.2			

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Commercial disappearance: Milkfat, 2007

Item	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Million pounds													
Supply:													
Production	593												
Farm use	3												
Marketings	589												
Beginning commercial stocks	349												
Imports	15												
Total supply	953												
Utilization:													
Ending commercial stocks	387												
USDA net removals	0												
Commercial disappearance	566												
Percent change from a year ago	5.8												
Cumulative disappearance	566												
	First quarter			Second quarter			Third quarter			Fourth quarter			
Percent change from a year ago													

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Commercial disappearance: Skim solids, 2006

Item	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Million pounds													
Supply:													
Production	1,344	1,234	1,388	1,350	1,393	1,321	1,293	1,286	1,241	1,295	1,271	1,320	15,735
Farm use	8	7	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	93
Marketings	1,335	1,227	1,380	1,342	1,385	1,313	1,286	1,278	1,234	1,287	1,263	1,312	15,642
Beginning commercial stocks	769	775	800	832	881	898	874	868	811	778	739	721	769
Imports	33	29	29	32	35	30	34	34	30	34	45	44	410
Total supply	2,138	2,031	2,209	2,206	2,300	2,242	2,193	2,180	2,075	2,099	2,047	2,076	16,821
Utilization:													
Ending commercial stocks	775	800	832	881	898	874	868	811	778	739	721	785	785
USDA net removals	0	0	1	17	26	18	1	0	0	0	0	0	62
Commercial disappearance	1,363	1,232	1,376	1,308	1,376	1,351	1,325	1,368	1,297	1,360	1,327	1,291	15,973
Percent change from a year ago	2.8	2.3	3.5	0.7	1.6	2.3	2.7	3.2	-2.0	3.3	2	2	2
Cumulative disappearance	1,363	2,595	3,971	5,279	6,655	8,006	9,330	10,699	11,995	13,356	14,683	15,973	
	First quarter			Second quarter			Third quarter			Fourth quarter			
	3,971			4,035			3,990			3,978			
Percent change from a year ago	2.9			1.5			1.3			3.1			

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Commercial disappearance: Skim solids, 2007

Item	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
	Million pounds												
Supply:													
Production	1,374												
Farm use	8												
Marketings	1,366												
Beginning commercial stocks	785												
Imports	27												
Total supply	2,178												
Utilization:													
Ending commercial stocks	802												
USDA net removals	0												
Commercial disappearance	1,376												
Percent change from a year ago	3.8												
Cumulative disappearance	1,376												
	First quarter			Second quarter			Third quarter			Fourth quarter			
Percent change from a year ago													

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Commercial disappearance: Butter, 2006

Item	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Million pounds													
Supply:													
Production	147.3	137.0	142.0	128.5	128.1	100.8	94.6	88.3	103.8	118.6	117.6	137.2	1,443.8
Beginning commercial stocks	58.5	125.1	169.0	195.2	227.6	261.4	262.9	259.7	215.1	190.4	157.4	108.0	58.5
Imports	1.4	1.4	2.7	1.3	3.8	6.2	2.4	2.2	2.2	3.2	4.0	6.2	37.0
Total supply	207.2	263.5	313.6	325.0	359.6	368.4	359.9	350.3	321.1	312.2	278.9	251.5	1,539.3
Utilization:													
Ending commercial stocks	125.1	169.0	195.2	227.6	261.4	262.9	259.7	215.1	190.4	157.4	108.0	108.5	108.5
USDA net removals	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Commercial disappearance	82.1	94.5	118.5	97.4	98.2	105.5	100.1	135.2	130.6	154.8	170.9	142.9	1,430.7
Percent change from a year ago	-15.9	9.3	12.1	10.0	-11.5	-1.4	-1.4	10.3	3.1	12.0	12.4	7.6	5.8
Cumulative disappearance	82.1	176.6	295.0	392.4	490.6	596.1	696.2	831.4	962.0	1,116.9	1,287.8	1,430.7	
	First quarter			Second quarter			Third quarter			Fourth quarter			
	295.0			301.1			366.0			468.7			
Percent change from a year ago	1.8			-1.8			4.3			10.8			

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Commercial disappearance: Butter, 2007

Item	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Million pounds													
Supply:													
Production	151.0												
Beginning commercial stocks	108.5												
Imports	1.9												
Total supply	261.4												
Utilization:													
Ending commercial stocks	148.5												
USDA net removals	0.0												
Commercial disappearance	112.9												
Percent change from a year ago	37.5												
Cumulative disappearance	112.9												
	First quarter			Second quarter			Third quarter			Fourth quarter			
Percent change from a year ago													

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Commercial disappearance: Nonfat dry milk, 2006

Item	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Million pounds													
Supply:													
Production	107.3	117.5	128.3	129.2	132.3	117.0	88.2	75.9	64.9	72.3	80.0	114.7	1,227.6
Beginning commercial stocks	114.0	114.0	119.4	126.5	155.3	145.4	111.1	82.9	56.5	40.8	35.7	41.4	114.0
Imports	0.0	0.1	0.5	0.0	0.9	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.5	2.0	4.9
Total supply	221.3	231.6	248.3	255.7	288.5	262.6	199.7	158.9	121.4	113.2	116.3	158.1	1,346.5
Utilization:													
Ending commercial stocks	114.0	119.4	126.5	155.3	145.4	111.1	82.9	56.5	40.8	35.7	41.4	80.7	80.7
USDA net removals	0.0	0.0	1.2	17.0	26.2	18.9	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	63.8
Commercial disappearance	107.4	112.1	120.5	83.5	116.8	132.7	116.3	102.4	80.6	77.4	74.9	77.4	1,202.0
Percent change from a year ago	-10.5	2.3	6.2	-14.0	-8.6	4.4	8.0	5.8	-25.2	-5.5	-15.5	-8.5	-4.8
Cumulative disappearance	107.4	219.5	340.0	423.5	540.3	673.0	789.3	891.7	972.3	1,049.7	1,124.6	1,202.0	
	First quarter			Second quarter			Third quarter			Fourth quarter			
	340.0			333.0			299.3			229.8			
Percent change from a year ago	-0.9		-5.4		-4.2		-9.9						

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Commercial disappearance: Nonfat dry milk, 2007

Item	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Million pounds													
Supply:													
Production	110.8												
Beginning commercial stocks	80.7												
Imports	0.0												
Total supply	191.5												
Utilization:													
Ending commercial stocks	81.4												
USDA net removals	0.0												
Commercial disappearance	110.1												
Percent change from a year ago	2.5												
Cumulative disappearance	110.1												
	First quarter			Second quarter			Third quarter			Fourth quarter			
Percent change from a year ago													

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Commercial disappearance: American cheese, 2006

Item	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Million pounds													
Supply:													
Production	324.5	304.4	338.4	338.7	346.5	337.0	328.2	318.9	325.2	321.2	314.9	339.4	3,937.4
Beginning commercial stocks	536.7	541.7	553.5	569.2	580.1	601.4	603.6	601.7	580.3	562.7	533.5	519.2	536.7
Imports	9.6	6.2	4.9	4.2	4.7	1.7	1.3	2.2	2.6	4.0	4.8	4.8	51.0
Total supply	870.8	852.3	896.8	912.1	931.4	940.1	933.2	922.8	908.1	887.9	853.3	863.4	4,525.1
Utilization:													
Ending commercial stocks	541.7	553.5	569.2	580.1	601.4	603.6	601.7	580.3	562.7	533.5	519.2	534.0	534.0
USDA net removals	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Commercial disappearance	329.1	298.7	327.6	332.0	330.0	336.4	331.5	342.5	345.4	354.4	334.1	329.4	3,991.1
Percent change from a year ago	0.7	7.8	4.6	9.1	8.2	6.5	8.4	1.8	4.2	8.4	-1.9		5.2
Cumulative disappearance	329.1	627.9	955.4	1,287.5	1,617.5	1,953.9	2,285.4	2,627.9	2,973.3	3,327.7	3,661.7	3,991.1	
	First quarter			Second quarter			Third quarter			Fourth quarter			
	955.4			998.5			1,019.4			1,017.8			
Percent change from a year ago	4.2			7.9			4.7			3.8			

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Commercial disappearance: American cheese, 2007

Item	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
	Million pounds												
Supply:													
Production	342.7												
Beginning commercial stocks	534.0												
Imports	5.2												
Total supply	881.9												
Utilization:													
Ending commercial stocks	543.6												
USDA net removals	0.0												
Commercial disappearance	338.3												
Percent change from a year ago	2.8												
Cumulative disappearance	338.3												
	First quarter			Second quarter			Third quarter			Fourth quarter			
Percent change from a year ago													

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Commercial disappearance: Other-than-American cheese, 2006

Item	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Million pounds													
Supply:													
Production	447.8	416.6	474.3	447.8	465.1	456.9	439.2	470.0	459.1	479.1	476.2	490.8	5,522.9
Beginning commercial stocks	221.3	223.1	229.0	241.2	252.4	261.9	272.3	297.1	281.7	281.6	276.3	265.1	221.3
Imports	25.9	26.4	27.7	30.4	32.0	33.0	36.2	35.2	30.8	34.4	44.4	40.7	397.1
Total supply	695.0	666.1	731.0	719.4	749.6	751.8	747.7	802.3	771.7	795.1	796.9	796.6	6,141.2
Utilization:													
Ending commercial stocks	223.1	229.0	241.2	252.4	261.9	272.3	297.1	281.7	208.2	276.3	265.1	283.2	283.2
Commercial disappearance	471.9	437.1	489.8	466.9	487.7	479.5	450.5	520.6	563.5	518.8	531.8	513.4	5931.4
Percent change from a year ago	3.6	-3.6	-1.2	2.3	2.7	1.2	-1.5	7.9	13.8	7.3	6.4	3.6	3.6
Cumulative disappearance	471.9	909.0	1398.8	1865.8	2353.4	2832.9	3283.5	3804.0	4367.5	4886.3	5418.1	5931.4	
	First quarter			Second quarter			Third quarter			Fourth quarter			
	1398.8			1434.1			1534.5			1564.0			
Percent change from a year ago	-0.4			2.0			6.9			5.8			

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Commercial disappearance: Other-than-American cheese, 2007

Item	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
	Million pounds												
Supply:													
Production	481.2												
Beginning commercial stocks	283.2												
Imports	22.6												
Total supply	787.0												
Utilization:													
Ending commercial stocks	288.6												
Commercial disappearance	498.4												
Percent change from a year ago	5.6												
Cumulative disappearance	498.4												
	First quarter			Second quarter			Third quarter			Fourth quarter			
Percent change from a year ago													

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Broiler, turkey, and egg feed costs and market prices

	DECATUR SOYBEAN MEAL	CHICAGO No. 2 CORN	Feed costs Liveweight Basis	Market Price	Market Price - Feed costs
BROILERS	\$ / ton	\$ / bushel	1998-2000=100	1998-2000=100	1998-2000=100
Jan-2006	183.64	1.98	93.5	96.2	97.1
Feb-2006	176.73	2.08	101.3	93.5	90.7
Mar-2006	175.04	2.07	101.0	85.6	80.1
Apr-2006	174.64	2.21	101.4	85.8	80.3
May-2006	175.77	2.35	100.9	93.5	90.9
June-2006	177.66	2.28	103.2	101.2	100.5
July-2006	168.97	2.34	105.6	103.8	103.1
Aug-2006	159.77	2.09	104.8	111.4	113.7
Sept-2006	168.92	2.00	104.3	111.4	113.9
Oct-2006	177.63	2.79	98.6	99.3	99.5
Nov-2006	190.62	3.37	98.7	95.8	94.7
Dec-2006	180.84	3.49	113.1	106.4	104.0
Jan-2007	190.56	3.68	124.8	118.5	116.2
Feb-2007	208.81	3.91	125.1	130.3	132.1
TURKEYS	\$ / ton	\$ / bushel	1998-2000=100	1998-2000=100	1998-2000=100
Jan-2006	183.64	1.98	90.6	103.2	109.0
Feb-2006	176.73	2.08	91.7	99.9	103.6
Mar-2006	175.04	2.07	101.5	101.6	101.7
Apr-2006	174.64	2.21	100.9	104.9	106.8
May-2006	175.77	2.35	101.2	107.6	110.4
June-2006	177.66	2.28	100.6	110.5	114.9
July-2006	168.97	2.34	103.2	112.7	116.9
Aug-2006	159.77	2.09	106.2	118.9	124.7
Sept-2006	168.92	2.00	105.3	127.6	137.8
Oct-2006	177.63	2.79	104.4	145.6	164.4
Nov-2006	190.62	3.37	97.5	150.5	174.6
Dec-2006	180.84	3.49	97.8	111.5	117.7
Jan-2007	190.56	3.68	115.1	101.7	95.6
Feb-2007	208.81	3.91	129.3	105.8	95.1
EGGS	\$ / ton	\$ / bushel	1998-2000=100	1998-2000=100	1998-2000=100
Jan-2006	183.64	1.98	99.7	98.2	97.4
Feb-2006	176.73	2.08	100.1	70.5	55.1
Mar-2006	175.04	2.07	101.4	93.8	89.8
Apr-2006	174.64	2.21	100.9	85.4	77.2
May-2006	175.77	2.35	104.3	58.5	34.6
June-2006	177.66	2.28	107.9	81.9	68.4
July-2006	168.97	2.34	106.5	59.5	35.0
Aug-2006	159.77	2.09	106.5	84.4	72.9
Sept-2006	168.92	2.00	98.9	81.1	71.8
Oct-2006	177.63	2.79	98.2	79.7	70.0
Nov-2006	190.62	3.37	119.0	120.3	121.0
Dec-2006	180.84	3.49	135.3	122.2	115.4
Jan-2007	190.56	3.68	136.7	133.3	131.6
Feb-2007	208.81	3.91	142.9	128.1	120.3

NOTE - These statistical series were developed to show changes in poultry feed costs and market prices for broilers products, whole turkeys, large cartoned eggs.

Sources: Corn and soybean prices - AMS Grain and Feed Weekly Summary.
 Broilers, wholesale composite price - ERS.
 Turkeys, 3-region wholesale whole bird price - ERS.
 Eggs, 1 dozen Grade A large combined regional price - ERS.