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STOCKS OF FROZEN MEAT PRODUCTS IN COLD STORAGE

Held by Packers, Abattoirs, Wholesale Butchers and Cold Storage Warehouses

September 1, 1971

Total Meat

Total frozen meat in cold storage at the opening of the first business day of September 1971 amounted to 97,561,000 lb. as compared with 102,411,000 lb. last month and 92,958,000 lb. a year ago. The "out-of-storage" movement for August 1971 was 4.8 million pounds as compared with an opposite movement of 4.1 million pounds last year.

Pork

Stocks of frozen pork products at September 1, 1971 amounted to 48,738,000 lb. as compared with 55,482,000 lb. last month and 22,503,000 lb. at September 1, 1970. The "out-of-storage" movement for August 1971 was 6.7 million pounds.

Beef

Domestic and imported stocks of frozen beef products in cold storage were 37,386,000 lb. as compared with 35,927,000 lb. last month and 47,605,000 lb. at September 1, 1970 and showed an "in-to-storage" movement of 1.5 million pounds for August 1971. Imported stocks amounted to 13,801,000 lb. at September 1, 1971, as compared with 22,896,000 lb. a year ago.

Veal

Stocks of frozen veal products, including imports, amounted to 3,614,000 lb. at September 1, 1971 as compared with 3,909,000 lb. last month and 4,893,000 lb. a year ago. The "out-of-storage" movement for August 1971 was 295 thousand pounds. Imported stocks at September 1, 1971, were 1,098,000 lb.

Mutton and Lamb

Total stocks of frozen mutton and lamb products, including imported products, amounted to 7,823,000 lb. at September 1, 1971, as compared with 7,093,000 lb. last month and 17,957,000 lb. a year ago. The August 1971 "in-to-storage" movement was 730 thousand pounds as compared with a similar movement of 1.2 million pounds last year. Imported stocks of mutton and lamb amounted to 1,825,000 lb. and 5,102,000 lb., respectively.

Fancy Meats

Stocks of frozen fancy meats at September 1, 1971, amounted to 10,879,000 lb. as compared with 10,833,000 lb. last month and 7,731,000 lb. last year. The "in-to-storage" movement for August 1971 was 46 thousand pounds.

TABLE 1. Stocks of Frozen Meat in Cold Storage, Canada

Kind and classification	Sept 1, 1971 preliminary	Aug. 1, 1971 revised	Sept. 1, 1970
	thousand pounds		
Pork:			
Hams - 18/down	9,563	9,028	2,997
18/25	2,930	3,723	1,277
25/up	724	624	569
Backs - Boneless, skinless	1,559	2,302	679
Loins	892	885	353
Bellies - 12/down	5,858	9,031	914
12/up	640	831	500
Shoulders	549	652	257
Butts	2,856	3,059	788
Picnics	3,744	3,868	772
Tenderloins	291	295	172
Spare ribs	1,516	1,860	755
Back ribs	577	594	454
Trimmings - 80 % and up lean ..	3,698	4,264	1,904
below 80 %	1,578	1,853	1,456
skinless neck fat .	446	673	672
Unclassified	7,065	7,677	5,896
Totals	44,486	51,219	20,415
Beef:			
Bone in	6,042	7,089	7,412
Boneless	24,921	22,483	35,069
Totals	30,963	29,572	42,481
Veal:			
Bone in	1,065	1,174	1,546
Boneless	2,390	2,552	2,894
Totals	3,455	3,726	4,440
Mutton and lamb:			
Carcasses and cuts	7,778	7,061	17,891
Fancy meats:			
Pork	4,252	4,263	2,088
Beef	6,423	6,355	5,124
Veal	159	183	453
Lamb	45	32	66
Totals	10,879	10,833	7,731
Total frozen meat	97,561	102,411	92,958

TABLE 2. Stocks of Frozen Meat in Cold Storage, Maritimes

Kind and classification	Sept. 1, 1971 preliminary	Aug. 1, 1971 revised	Sept. 1, 1970
	thousand pounds		
Pork:			
Hams - 18/down	316	218	163
18/25	110	113	23
25/up	17	27	32
Backs - Boneless, skinless	12	12	6
Loins	217	171	35
Bellies - 12/down)	(276	15
12/up) 242	(65	9
Shoulders	71	66	26
Butts	14	36	58
Picnics	166	115	98
Tenderloins	1	2	2
Spare ribs	123	116	43
Back ribs	2	2	18
Trimmings - 80 % and up lean ..	48	39	43
below 80 %	42	82	48
skinless neck fat .	(1)	(1)	12
Unclassified	117	154	114
Totals	1,498	1,494	745
Beef:			
Bone in	175	188	232
Boneless	672	811	1,852
Totals	847	999	2,084
Veal:			
Bone in	72	86	54
Boneless	45	36	41
Totals	117	122	95
Mutton and lamb:			
Carcasses and cuts	800	578	1,243
Fancy meats:			
Pork	295	281	115
Beef	326	304	287
Veal	5	10	35
Lamb	1	-	2
Totals	627	595	439
Total frozen meat	3,889	3,788	4,606

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TABLE 3. Stocks of Frozen Meat in Cold Storage, Quebec

Kind and classification	Sept. 1, 1971 preliminary	Aug. 1, 1971 revised	Sept. 1, 1970
	thousand pounds		
Pork:			
Hams - 18/down	4,448	4,098	1,569
18/25	1,192	1,206	474
25/up	97	111	117
Backs - Boneless, skinless	181	295	110
Loins	242	298	120
Bellies - 12/down	1,558	2,358	126
12/up	173	137	19
Shoulders	319	406	130
Butts	816	887	202
Picnics	483	510	210
Tenderloins	19	41	28
Spare ribs	220	324	91
Back ribs	184	137	98
Trimmings - 80 % and up lean ..	2,096	2,535	1,043
below 80 %	679	713	479
skinless neck fat ..	269	405	378
Unclassified	3,278	3,378	1,904
Totals	16,254	17,839	7,098
Beef:			
Bone in	3,544	4,555	4,123
Boneless	11,526	9,570	16,904
Totals	15,070	14,125	21,027
Veal:			
Bone in	727	739	1,231
Boneless	1,615	1,640	1,922
Totals	2,342	2,379	3,153
Mutton and lamb:			
Carcasses and cuts	4,200	3,712	8,359
Fancy meats:			
Pork	887	1,004	346
Beef	747	716	928
Veal	89	108	339
Lamb	12	8	36
Totals	1,735	1,836	1,649
Total frozen meat	39,601	39,891	41,286

TABLE 4. Stocks of Frozen Meat in Cold Storage, Ontario

Kind and classification	Sept. 1, 1971 preliminary	Aug. 1, 1971 revised	Sept. 1, 1970
	thousand pounds		
Pork:			
Hams - 18/down	1,073	963	285
18/25	326	391	222
25/up	10	7	3
Backs - Boneless, skinless	211	364	166
Loins	103	109	64
Bellies - 12/down	766	1,589)	189
12/up	151	271)	
Shoulders	55	65	31
Butts	432	451	105
Picnics	305	595	104
Tenderloins	159	132	71
Spare ribs	474	599	278
Back ribs	103	135	126
Trimmings - 80 % and up lean ..	319	354	284
below 80 %	392	644	462
skinless neck fat ..	27	38	55
Unclassified	1,565	1,560	2,206
Totals	6,471	8,267	4,651
Beef:			
Bone in	862	879	1,148
Boneless	8,076	7,974	10,438
Totals	8,938	8,853	11,586
Veal:			
Bone in	134	238	61
Boneless	581	724	736
Totals	715	962	797
Mutton and lamb:			
Carcasses and cuts	1,383	1,922	5,965
Fancy meats:			
Pork	896	684	592
Beef	1,578	2,018	1,065
Veal	23	23	64
Lamb	12	10	16
Totals	2,509	2,735	1,737
Total frozen meat	20,016	22,739	24,736

TABLE 5. Stocks of Frozen Meat in Cold Storage, Manitoba

Kind and classification	Sept 1, 1971 preliminary	Aug. 1, 1971 revised	Sept. 1, 1970
	thousand pounds		
Pork:			
Hams - 18/down	1,689	1,575	364
18/25	546	1,198	280
25/up	296	212	214
Backs - Boneless, skinless	381	607	130
Loins	95	180	9
Bellies - 12/down	2,138	3,184	369
12/up	215	283	317
Shoulders	92	93	61
Butts	517	757	264
Picnics	1,195	1,205	217
Tenderloins	36	42	21
Spare ribs	224	297	126
Back ribs	106	110	108
Trimnings - 80 % and up lean ..	252	199	276
below 80 %	142	100	141
skinless neck fat .	39	78	32
Unclassified	1,034	1,458	949
Totals	8,997	11,578	3,878
Beef:			
Bone in	315	330	229
Boneless	1,627	1,465	1,958
Totals	1,942	1,795	2,187
Veal:			
Bone in	18	19	15
Boneless	68	60	119
Totals	86	79	134
Mutton and lamb:			
Carcasses and cuts	615	223	518
Fancy meats:			
Pork	729	764	330
Beef	960	777	701
Veal	17	16	3
Lamb	3	-	5
Totals	1,709	1,557	1,039
Total frozen meat	13,349	15,232	7,756

TABLE 6. Stocks of Frozen Meat in Cold Storage, Saskatchewan

Kind and classification	Sept 1, 1971 preliminary	Aug 1, 1971 revised	Sept. 1, 1970
	thousand pounds		
Pork:			
Hams - 18/down	919	906	111
18/25	286	255	(67
25/up			(78
Backs - Boneless, skinless	432	562	121
Loins	33	21	59
Bellies - 12/down	247	738	26
12/up	42	29	57
Shoulders	(1)	6	(1)
Butts	552	362	84
Picnics	960	870	42
Tenderloins	40	46	23
Spare ribs	233	236	65
Back ribs	63	83	50
Trimnings - 80 % and up lean ..	502	505	192
below 80 %	137	165	255
skinless neck fat ..	(1)	(1)	(1)
Unclassified	441	536	303
Totals	4,887	5,320	1,533
Beef:			
Bone in	416	568	554
Boneless	660	546	703
Totals	1,076	1,114	1,257
Veal:			
Bone in	3	1	1
Boneless	9	30	49
Totals	12	31	50
Mutton and lamb:			
Carcasses and cuts	68	64	540
Fancy meats:			
Pork	704	683	245
Beef	723	592	509
Veal	4	4	1
Lamb	-	-	-
Totals	1,431	1,279	755
Total frozen meat	7,474	7,808	4,135

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TABLE 7. Stocks of Frozen Meat in Cold Storage, Alberta

Kind and classification	Sept 1, 1971 preliminary	Aug 1, 1971 revised	Sept. 1, 1970
thousand pounds			
Pork:			
Hams - 18/down	538	464	214
18/25	332	393	177
25/up	212	197	125
Backs - Boneless, skinless	254	332	130
Loins	114	17	32
Bellies - 12/down	565	563	89
12/up	18	28	56
Shoulders	(1)	13	3
Butts	314	351	44
Picnics	300	244	18
Tenderloins	14	19	3
Spare ribs	141	197	92
Back ribs	87	90	40
Trimming - 80 % and up lean ..	423	572	14
below 80 %	115	69	18
skinless neck fat .	(1)	(1)	2
Unclassified	347	275	216
Totals	3,774	3,824	1,273
Beef:			
Bone in	594	466	979
Boneless	1,061	825	1,079
Totals	1,655	1,291	2,058
Veal:			
Bone in	15	22	89
Boneless	23	15	10
Totals	38	37	99
Mutton and lamb:			
Carcasses and cuts	302	291	541
Fancy meats:			
Pork	696	762	418
Beef	1,944	1,769	1,474
Veal	16	15	10
Lamb	15	11	6
Totals	2,671	2,557	1,908
Total frozen meat	8,440	8,000	5,879

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TABLE 8. Stocks of Frozen Meat in Cold Storage, British Columbia

Kind and classification	Sept 1, 1971 preliminary	Aug. 1, 1971 revised	Sept. 1, 1970
	thousand pounds		
Pork:			
Hams - 18/down	580	804	291
18/25	230	237	34
25/up	—	—	—
Backs - Boneless, skinless	88	130	16
Loins	88	89	34
Bellies - 12/down	383	341	(133
12/up			(9
Shoulders	(1)	(1)	5
Butts	211	215	31
Picnics	335	329	83
Tenderloins	22	13	24
Spare ribs	101	91	60
Back ribs	32	37	14
Trimmings - 80 % and up lean ..	58	60	52
below 80 %	71	80	53
skinless neck fat ..	69	84	187
Unclassified	337	387	211
Totals	2,605	2,897	1,237
Beef:			
Bone in	136	103	147
Boneless	1,299	1,292	2,135
Totals	1,435	1,395	2,282
Veal:			
Bone in	96	69	95
Boneless	49	47	17
Totals	145	116	112
Mutton and lamb:			
Carcasses and cuts	410	271	725
Fancy meats:			
Pork	45	85	42
Beef	145	179	160
Veal	5	7	1
Lamb	2	3	1
Totals	197	274	204
Total frozen meat	4,792	4,953	4,560

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TABLE 9. Stocks of Frozen Imported Meat (Included in Tables 1 to 8)

Kind and classification	Sept 1, 1971 preliminary	Aug 1, 1971 revised	Sept. 1, 1970
	thousand pounds		
Beef - Bone-in	642	1,033	689
Boneless	13,159	11,193	22,207
Veal - Bone-in	240	195	223
Boneless	858	826	787
Mutton	1,825	1,116	7,193
Lamb	5,102	5,099	9,112
Totals	21,826	19,462	40,211

TABLE 10. Summary of Frozen Meat Stocks by Kind, Canada

Kind	Sept 1, 1971 preliminary	Aug 1, 1971 revised	Sept. 1, 1970
	thousand pounds		
Pork	48,738	55,482	22,503
Beef	37,386	35,927	47,605
Veal	3,614	3,909	4,893
Mutton and Lamb	7,823	7,093	17,957
Totals	97,561	102,411	92,958