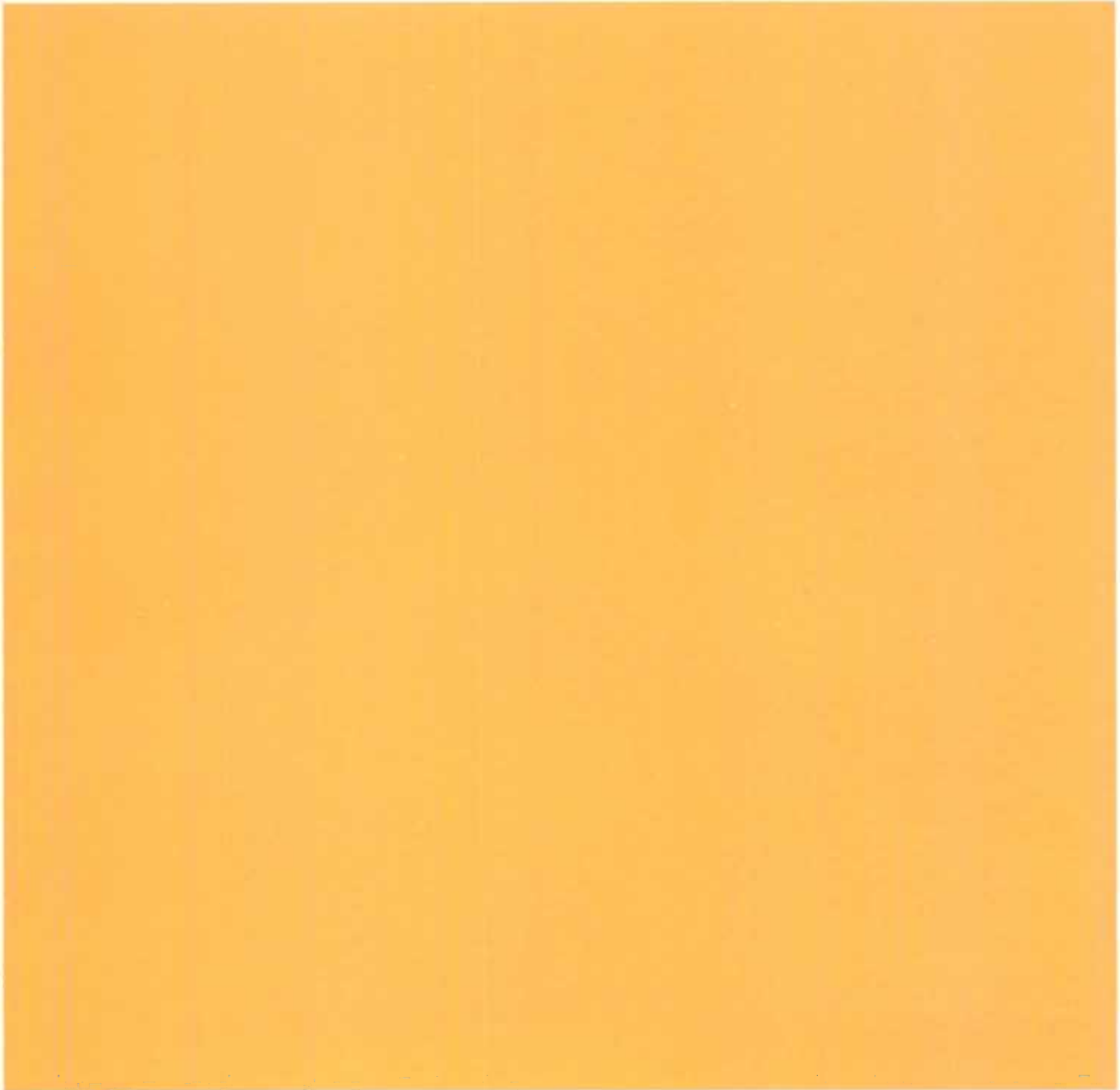


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This report contains data on the stocks of frozen meat held by meat packers and their sales' outlets, wholesale butchers, abattoirs and cold storage warehouses. Inventories are taken only at the wholesale level. Stocks of fresh and cured meats previously reported in this publication are no longer collected and therefore not available. Canned meat stocks are collected by the Manufacturing and Primary Industries Division of Statistics Canada.

Inventory statement forms are supplied to each firm with instructions to complete and mail in time to reach the Bureau no later than the sixth of the month. Firms are required to report all stocks in their own establishment or in specially rented rooms elsewhere as at the opening of the first business day of the month. By a special arrangement, made with the industry through the Meat Packers Council of Canada, the larger meat packers report total meat inventories regardless of where held and are also permitted to submit figures of their period-end inventory providing such inventory has been taken within three days prior to the month end. Cold Storage warehouses are instructed not to report stocks held for these large packers.

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## STOCKS OF FROZEN MEAT PRODUCTS IN COLD STORAGE

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

#### Total Meat

Total frozen meat in cold storage at the opening of the first business day of January 1973 amounted to 85,145,000 lb. as compared with 92,035,000 lb. last month and 87,806,000 lb. a year ago. The "out-of-storage" movement for December 1972 was 6.9 million pounds as compared with a similar movement of 10.8 million pounds last year.

#### Pork

Stocks of frozen pork products at January 1, 1973 amounted to 21,006,000 lb. as compared with 26,454,000 lb. last month and 32,559,000 lb. at January 1, 1972. The "out-of-storage" movement for December 1972 was 5.4 million pounds.

#### Beef

Domestic and imported stocks of frozen beef products in cold storage were 45,649,000 lb. as compared with 46,559,000 lb. last month and 40,450,000 lb. at January 1, 1972 and showed an "out-of-storage" movement of 910 thousand pounds for December 1972. Imported stocks amounted to 16,117,000 lb. at January 1, 1973 as compared with 13,028,000 lb. a year ago.

#### Veal

Stocks of frozen veal products, including imports, amounted to 9,024,000 lb. at January 1, 1973 as compared with 7,771,000 lb. last month and 3,659,000 lb. a year ago. The "in-to-storage" movement for December 1972 was 1.3 million pounds. Imported stocks at January 1, 1973 were 4,729,000 lb.

#### Mutton and Lamb

Total stocks of frozen mutton and lamb products, including imported products, amounted to 9,466,000 lb. at January 1, 1973 as compared with 11,251,000 lb. last month and 11,138,000 lb. a year ago. The December 1972 "out-of-storage" movement was 1.8 million pounds as compared with a similar movement of 1.9 million pounds last year. Imported stocks of mutton and lamb amounted to 3,690,000 lb. and 4,100,000 lb., respectively.

#### Fancy Meats

Stocks of frozen fancy meats at January 1, 1973 amounted to 7,580,000 lb. as compared with 7,462,000 lb. last month and 9,036,000 lb. last year. The "in-to-storage" movement for December 1972 was 118 thousand pounds.

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

| Kind and classification         | Jan. 1, 1973<br>preliminary | Dec. 1, 1972<br>revised | Jan. 1,<br>1972 |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
|                                 | thousand pounds             |                         |                 |
| <b>Pork:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Hams - 18/down .....            | 1,547                       | 3,834                   | 2,529           |
| 18/25 .....                     | 1,087                       | 1,799                   | 1,064           |
| 25/up .....                     | 237                         | 358                     | 523             |
| Backs - Boneless, skinless .... | 1,841                       | 1,911                   | 2,670           |
| Loins .....                     | 644                         | 746                     | 1,669           |
| Bellies - 12/down .....         | 1,887                       | 1,779                   | 3,722           |
| 12/up .....                     | 268                         | 265                     | 569             |
| Shoulders .....                 | 277                         | 348                     | 879             |
| Butts .....                     | 1,733                       | 1,494                   | 1,817           |
| Picnics .....                   | 1,155                       | 1,879                   | 1,594           |
| Tenderloins .....               | 128                         | 95                      | 138             |
| Spare ribs .....                | 920                         | 1,156                   | 878             |
| Back ribs .....                 | 163                         | 201                     | 424             |
| Trimnings - 80 % and up lean .. | 1,524                       | 2,406                   | 2,156           |
| below 80 % .....                | 1,212                       | 1,295                   | 1,541           |
| skinless neck fat .....         | 599                         | 566                     | 882             |
| Unclassified .....              | 3,311                       | 3,877                   | 5,914           |
| Totals .....                    | 18,533                      | 24,009                  | 28,969          |
| <b>Beef:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Bone in .....                   | 7,253                       | 8,221                   | 7,074           |
| Boneless .....                  | 33,676                      | 33,678                  | 28,292          |
| Totals .....                    | 40,929                      | 41,899                  | 35,366          |
| <b>Veal:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Bone in .....                   | 3,503                       | 2,748                   | 1,174           |
| Boneless .....                  | 5,188                       | 4,725                   | 2,193           |
| Totals .....                    | 8,691                       | 7,473                   | 3,367           |
| <b>Mutton and lamb:</b>         |                             |                         |                 |
| Carcasses and cuts .....        | 9,412                       | 11,192                  | 11,068          |
| <b>Fancy meats:</b>             |                             |                         |                 |
| Pork .....                      | 2,473                       | 2,445                   | 3,590           |
| Beef .....                      | 4,720                       | 4,660                   | 5,084           |
| Veal .....                      | 333                         | 298                     | 292             |
| Lamb .....                      | 54                          | 59                      | 70              |
| Totals .....                    | 7,580                       | 7,462                   | 9,036           |
| Total frozen meat .....         | 85,145                      | 92,035                  | 87,806          |

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

| Kind and classification         | Jan. 1, 1973<br>preliminary | Dec. 1, 1972<br>revised | Jan. 1,<br>1972 |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
|                                 | thousand pounds             |                         |                 |
| Pork:                           |                             |                         |                 |
| Hams - 18/down .....            | 74                          | 154                     | 69              |
| 18/25 .....                     | 21                          | 97                      | 19              |
| 25/up .....                     | 18                          | 16                      | 19              |
| Backs - Boneless, skinless .... | 8                           | 12                      | 19              |
| Loins .....                     | 91                          | 84                      | 194             |
| Bellies - 12/down .....         | 193                         | 123                     | 293             |
| 12/up .....                     |                             |                         |                 |
| Shoulders .....                 | 28                          | 38                      | 63              |
| Butts .....                     | 11                          | 26                      | 38              |
| Picnics .....                   | 49                          | 216                     | 136             |
| Tenderloins .....               | —                           | —                       | 3               |
| Spare ribs .....                | 59                          | 60                      | 80              |
| Back ribs .....                 | 5                           | 5                       | 22              |
| Trimnings - 80 % and up lean .. | 6                           | 13                      | 36              |
| below 80 % .....                | 12                          | 28                      | 83              |
| skinless neck fat .....         | 12                          | 11                      | 22              |
| Unclassified .....              | 100                         | 39                      | 123             |
| Totals .....                    | 687                         | 922                     | 1,219           |
| Beef:                           |                             |                         |                 |
| Bone in .....                   | 359                         | 370                     | 200             |
| Boneless .....                  | 1,262                       | 1,335                   | 1,171           |
| Totals .....                    | 1,621                       | 1,705                   | 1,371           |
| Veal:                           |                             |                         |                 |
| Bone in .....                   | 101                         | 123                     | 28              |
| Boneless .....                  | 9                           | 11                      | 43              |
| Totals .....                    | 110                         | 134                     | 71              |
| Mutton and lamb:                |                             |                         |                 |
| Carcasses and cuts .....        | 652                         | 679                     | 882             |
| Fancy meats:                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Pork .....                      | 73                          | 112                     | 148             |
| Beef .....                      | 219                         | 187                     | 238             |
| Veal .....                      | 10                          | 6                       | 6               |
| Lamb .....                      | 3                           | 3                       | 2               |
| Totals .....                    | 305                         | 308                     | 394             |
| Total frozen meat .....         | 3,375                       | 3,748                   | 3,937           |

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

| Kind and classification         | Jan. 1, 1973<br>preliminary | Dec. 1, 1972<br>revised | Jan. 1,<br>1972 |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
|                                 | thousand pounds             |                         |                 |
| <b>Pork:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Hams - 18/down .....            | 442                         | 965                     | 1,327           |
| 18/25 .....                     | 255                         | 443                     | 283             |
| 25/up .....                     | 69                          | 137                     | 187             |
| Backs - Boneless, skinless .... | 542                         | 624                     | 552             |
| Loins .....                     | 195                         | 226                     | 958             |
| Bellies - 12/down .....         | 178                         | 151                     | 696             |
| 12/up .....                     | 48                          | 79                      | 234             |
| Shoulders .....                 | 151                         | 200                     | 711             |
| Butts .....                     | 627                         | 709                     | 321             |
| Picnics .....                   | 393                         | 1,048                   | 536             |
| Tenderloins .....               | 11                          | 12                      | 33              |
| Spare ribs .....                | 224                         | 227                     | 175             |
| Back ribs .....                 | 19                          | 33                      | 71              |
| Trimmings - 80 % and up lean .. | 804                         | 1,544                   | 1,312           |
| below 80 % .....                | 350                         | 420                     | 715             |
| skinless neck fat .....         | 142                         | 158                     | 407             |
| Unclassified .....              | 1,363                       | 1,865                   | 2,847           |
| Totals .....                    | 5,813                       | 8,841                   | 11,365          |
| <b>Beef:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Bone in .....                   | 3,943                       | 4,641                   | 4,914           |
| Boneless .....                  | 13,660                      | 14,614                  | 13,948          |
| Totals .....                    | 17,603                      | 19,255                  | 18,862          |
| <b>Veal:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Bone in .....                   | 1,739                       | 1,600                   | 911             |
| Boneless .....                  | 2,420                       | 2,462                   | 1,402           |
| Totals .....                    | 4,159                       | 4,062                   | 2,313           |
| <b>Mutton and lamb:</b>         |                             |                         |                 |
| Carcasses and cuts .....        | 4,216                       | 5,166                   | 6,536           |
| <b>Fancy meats:</b>             |                             |                         |                 |
| Pork .....                      | 611                         | 539                     | 755             |
| Beef .....                      | 838                         | 791                     | 869             |
| Veal .....                      | 217                         | 238                     | 219             |
| Lamb .....                      | 18                          | 23                      | 21              |
| Totals .....                    | 1,684                       | 1,591                   | 1,864           |
| Total frozen meat .....         | 33,475                      | 38,915                  | 40,940          |



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

| Kind and classification         | Jan. 1, 1973<br>preliminary | Dec. 1, 1972<br>revised | Jan. 1,<br>1972 |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
|                                 | thousand pounds             |                         |                 |
| <b>Pork:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Hams - 18/down .....            | 449                         | 1,369                   | 339             |
| 18/25 .....                     | 153                         | 225                     | 172             |
| 25/up .....                     | 42                          | 26                      | 24              |
| Backs - Boneless, skinless .... | 271                         | 284                     | 374             |
| Loins .....                     | 112                         | 185                     | 178             |
| Bellies - 12/down .....         | 645                         | 791                     | ) 1,348         |
| 12/up .....                     | 46                          | -                       |                 |
| Shoulders .....                 | 18                          | 5                       | 18              |
| Butts .....                     | 153                         | 129                     | 347             |
| Picnics .....                   | 209                         | 177                     | 191             |
| Tenderloins .....               | 47                          | 35                      | 56              |
| Spare ribs .....                | 275                         | 313                     | 314             |
| Back ribs .....                 | 33                          | 55                      | 160             |
| Trimnings - 80 % and up lean .. | 247                         | 307                     | 224             |
| below 80 % .....                | 455                         | 420                     | 431             |
| skinless neck fat .....         | 120                         | 100                     | 206             |
| Unclassified .....              | 674                         | 773                     | 1,048           |
| Totals .....                    | 3,949                       | 5,194                   | 5,430           |
| <b>Beef:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Bone in .....                   | 1,460                       | 1,301                   | 840             |
| Boneless .....                  | 12,437                      | 11,283                  | 8,525           |
| Totals .....                    | 13,897                      | 12,584                  | 9,365           |
| <b>Veal:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Bone in .....                   | 1,103                       | 783                     | 71              |
| Boneless .....                  | 2,495                       | 2,053                   | 536             |
| Totals .....                    | 3,598                       | 2,836                   | 607             |
| <b>Mutton and lamb:</b>         |                             |                         |                 |
| Carcasses and cuts .....        | 2,960                       | 3,353                   | 2,213           |
| <b>Fancy meats:</b>             |                             |                         |                 |
| Pork .....                      | 645                         | 539                     | 787             |
| Beef .....                      | 1,229                       | 1,089                   | 1,482           |
| Veal .....                      | 85                          | 38                      | 54              |
| Lamb .....                      | 2                           | 4                       | 27              |
| Totals .....                    | 1,961                       | 1,670                   | 2,350           |
| Total frozen meat .....         | 26,365                      | 25,637                  | 19,965          |

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

| Kind and classification         | Jan. 1, 1973<br>preliminary | Dec. 1, 1972<br>revised | Jan. 1,<br>1972 |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
|                                 | thousand pounds             |                         |                 |
| <b>Pork:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Hams - 18/down .....            | 157                         | 392                     | 328             |
| 18/25 .....                     | 336                         | 479                     | 272             |
| 25/up .....                     | 45                          | 54                      | 166             |
| Backs - Boneless, skinless .... | 384                         | 335                     | 596             |
| Loins .....                     | 96                          | 94                      | 146             |
| Bellies - 12/down .....         | 273                         | 181                     | 725             |
| 12/up .....                     | 119                         | 134                     | 244             |
| Shoulders .....                 | 22                          | 26                      | 52              |
| Butts .....                     | 332                         | 238                     | 387             |
| Picnics .....                   | 147                         | 92                      | 196             |
| Tenderloins .....               | 23                          | 17                      | 10              |
| Spare ribs .....                | 78                          | 146                     | 104             |
| Back ribs .....                 | 35                          | 30                      | 46              |
| Trimnings - 80 % and up lean .. | 113                         | 169                     | 284             |
| below 80 % .....                | 68                          | 72                      | 132             |
| skinless neck fat .....         | 116                         | 81                      | 72              |
| Unclassified .....              | 561                         | 655                     | 1,152           |
| Totals .....                    | 2,905                       | 3,195                   | 4,912           |
| <b>Beef:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Bone in .....                   | 448                         | 676                     | 323             |
| Boneless .....                  | 2,117                       | 2,438                   | 1,820           |
| Totals .....                    | 2,565                       | 3,114                   | 2,143           |
| <b>Veal:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Bone in .....                   | 78                          | 74                      | 47              |
| Boneless .....                  | 79                          | 89                      | 94              |
| Totals .....                    | 157                         | 163                     | 141             |
| <b>Mutton and lamb:</b>         |                             |                         |                 |
| Carcasses and cuts .....        | 591                         | 673                     | 353             |
| <b>Fancy meats:</b>             |                             |                         |                 |
| Pork .....                      | 299                         | 325                     | 598             |
| Beef .....                      | 494                         | 733                     | 623             |
| Veal .....                      | 8                           | 3                       | 2               |
| Lamb .....                      | 4                           | 2                       | 5               |
| Totals .....                    | 805                         | 1,063                   | 1,228           |
| Total frozen meat .....         | 7,023                       | 8,208                   | 8,777           |

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

| Kind and classification         | Jan. 1, 1973<br>preliminary | Dec. 1, 1972<br>revised | Jan. 1,<br>1972 |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
|                                 | thousand pounds             |                         |                 |
| <b>Pork:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Hams - 18/down .....            | 233                         | 333                     | 232             |
| 18/25 .....                     | 112                         | ) 159                   | 115             |
| 25/up .....                     | 35                          |                         |                 |
| Backs - Boneless, skinless .... | 373                         | 417                     | 760             |
| Loins .....                     | 28                          | 36                      | 39              |
| Bellies - 12/down .....         | 344                         | 284                     | 186             |
| 12/up .....                     | 47                          | 40                      | 30              |
| Shoulders .....                 | 7                           | 27                      | 6               |
| Butts .....                     | 354                         | 185                     | 353             |
| Picnics .....                   | 112                         | 163                     | 188             |
| Tenderloins .....               | 30                          | 12                      | 20              |
| Spare ribs .....                | 88                          | 182                     | 112             |
| Back ribs .....                 | 39                          | 40                      | 66              |
| Trimnings - 80 % and up lean .. | 72                          | 113                     | 137             |
| below 80 % .....                | 113                         | 96                      | 61              |
| skinless neck fat .....         | 49                          | 18                      | 47              |
| Unclassified .....              | 290                         | 226                     | 390             |
| <b>Totals .....</b>             | <b>2,326</b>                | <b>2,331</b>            | <b>2,742</b>    |
| <b>Beef:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Bone in .....                   | 399                         | 503                     | 413             |
| Boneless .....                  | 928                         | 870                     | 838             |
| <b>Totals .....</b>             | <b>1,327</b>                | <b>1,373</b>            | <b>1,251</b>    |
| <b>Veal:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Bone in .....                   | 10                          | 4                       | 4               |
| Boneless .....                  | 40                          | 43                      | 48              |
| <b>Totals .....</b>             | <b>50</b>                   | <b>47</b>               | <b>52</b>       |
| <b>Mutton and lamb:</b>         |                             |                         |                 |
| Carcasses and cuts .....        | 93                          | 73                      | 127             |
| <b>Fancy meats:</b>             |                             |                         |                 |
| Pork .....                      | 331                         | 430                     | 806             |
| Beef .....                      | 298                         | 335                     | 347             |
| Veal .....                      | 3                           | 1                       | 1               |
| Lamb .....                      | 1                           | 1                       | -               |
| <b>Totals .....</b>             | <b>633</b>                  | <b>767</b>              | <b>1,154</b>    |
| <b>Total frozen meat .....</b>  | <b>4,429</b>                | <b>4,591</b>            | <b>5,326</b>    |

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

| Kind and classification         | Jan. 1, 1973<br>preliminary | Dec. 1, 1972<br>revised | Jan. 1,<br>1972 |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
|                                 | thousand pounds             |                         |                 |
| <b>Pork:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Hams - 18/down .....            | 114                         | 387                     | 152             |
| 18/25 .....                     | 189                         | 429                     | 222             |
| 25/up .....                     | 26                          | 74                      | 93              |
| Backs - Boneless, skinless .... | 200                         | 169                     | 332             |
| Loins .....                     | 70                          | 60                      | 45              |
| Bellies - 12/down .....         | 136                         | 135                     | 313             |
| 12/up .....                     | 4                           | 6                       | 11              |
| Shoulders .....                 | 33                          | 52                      | 28              |
| Butts .....                     | 165                         | 105                     | 221             |
| Picnics .....                   | 112                         | 69                      | 194             |
| Tenderloins .....               | 4                           | 3                       | 7               |
| Spare ribs .....                | 52                          | 94                      | 37              |
| Back ribs .....                 | 18                          | 23                      | 45              |
| Trimmings - 80 % and up lean .. | 152                         | 173                     | 75              |
| below 80 % .....                | 166                         | 233                     | 40              |
| skinless neck fat .....         | 5                           | 8                       | 4               |
| Unclassified .....              | 149                         | 131                     | 121             |
| Totals .....                    | 1,595                       | 2,151                   | 1,940           |
| <b>Beef:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Bone in .....                   | 509                         | 609                     | 248             |
| Boneless .....                  | 1,381                       | 1,443                   | 592             |
| Totals .....                    | 1,890                       | 2,052                   | 840             |
| <b>Veal:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Bone in .....                   | 43                          | 44                      | 32              |
| Boneless .....                  | 45                          | 44                      | 25              |
| Totals .....                    | 88                          | 88                      | 57              |
| <b>Mutton and lamb:</b>         |                             |                         |                 |
| Carcasses and cuts .....        | 436                         | 570                     | 217             |
| <b>Fancy meats:</b>             |                             |                         |                 |
| Pork .....                      | 361                         | 388                     | 432             |
| Beef .....                      | 1,318                       | 1,285                   | 1,392           |
| Veal .....                      | 9                           | 11                      | 9               |
| Lamb .....                      | 17                          | 18                      | 14              |
| Totals .....                    | 1,705                       | 1,702                   | 1,847           |
| Total frozen meat .....         | 5,714                       | 6,563                   | 4,901           |

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

| Kind and classification         | Jan. 1, 1973<br>preliminary | Dec. 1, 1972<br>revised | Jan. 1,<br>1972 |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
| thousand pounds                 |                             |                         |                 |
| <b>Pork:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Hams - 18/down .....            | 78                          | 234                     | 82              |
| 18/25 .....                     | 23                          | 18                      | 15              |
| 25/up .....                     |                             |                         |                 |
| Backs - Boneless, skinless .... | 63                          | 70                      | 37              |
| Loins .....                     | 52                          | 61                      | 109             |
| Bellies - 12/down .....         | 119                         | 116                     | 200             |
| 12/up .....                     | 3                           | 4                       | 11              |
| Shoulders .....                 | 18                          | -                       | (1)             |
| Butts .....                     | 91                          | 102                     | 150             |
| Picnics .....                   | 133                         | 114                     | 153             |
| Tenderloins .....               | 13                          | 16                      | 9               |
| Spare ribs .....                | 144                         | 134                     | 56              |
| Back ribs .....                 | 14                          | 15                      | 14              |
| Trimnings - 80 % and up lean .. | 130                         | 87                      | 88              |
| below 80 % .....                | 48                          | 26                      | 79              |
| skinless neck fat .....         | 155                         | 190                     | 124             |
| Unclassified .....              | 174                         | 188                     | 234             |
| Totals .....                    | 1,258                       | 1,375                   | 1,361           |
| <b>Beef:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Bone in .....                   | 135                         | 121                     | 136             |
| Boneless .....                  | 1,891                       | 1,695                   | 1,398           |
| Totals .....                    | 2,026                       | 1,816                   | 1,534           |
| <b>Veal:</b>                    |                             |                         |                 |
| Bone in .....                   | 429                         | 120                     | 81              |
| Boneless .....                  | 100                         | 23                      | 45              |
| Totals .....                    | 529                         | 143                     | 126             |
| <b>Mutton and lamb:</b>         |                             |                         |                 |
| Carcasses and cuts .....        | 464                         | 678                     | 740             |
| <b>Fancy meats:</b>             |                             |                         |                 |
| Pork .....                      | 153                         | 112                     | 64              |
| Beef .....                      | 324                         | 240                     | 133             |
| Veal .....                      | 1                           | 1                       | 1               |
| Lamb .....                      | 9                           | 8                       | 1               |
| Totals .....                    | 487                         | 361                     | 199             |
| Total frozen meat .....         | 4,764                       | 4,373                   | 3,960           |

(1) Less than three firms reporting this item. The figures therefore cannot be shown separately but are included in unclassified.

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

| Kind and classification | Jan. 1, 1973    | Dec. 1, 1972 | Jan. 1, |
|-------------------------|-----------------|--------------|---------|
|                         | preliminary     | revised      | 1972    |
|                         | thousand pounds |              |         |
| Beef - Bone-in .....    | 1,242           | 1,161        | 743     |
| Boneless .....          | 14,875          | 16,043       | 12,285  |
| Veal - Bone-in .....    | 1,589           | 1,128        | 120     |
| Boneless .....          | 3,140           | 2,598        | 509     |
| Mutton .....            | 3,690           | 4,065        | 4,503   |
| Lamb .....              | 4,100           | 5,297        | 5,288   |
| Totals .....            | 28,636          | 30,292       | 23,448  |

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

| Kind                  | Jan. 1, 1973    | Dec. 1, 1972 | Jan. 1, |
|-----------------------|-----------------|--------------|---------|
|                       | preliminary     | revised      | 1972    |
|                       | thousand pounds |              |         |
| Pork .....            | 21,006          | 26,454       | 32,559  |
| Beef .....            | 45,649          | 46,559       | 40,450  |
| Veal .....            | 9,024           | 7,771        | 3,659   |
| Mutton and lamb ..... | 9,466           | 11,251       | 11,138  |
| Totals .....          | 85,145          | 92,035       | 87,806  |



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