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HIGHLIGHTS			
Poultry Summary Agricultural Prices	Poultry Slaughter Peanut Stocks	Livestock Slaughter Winter Wheat	Cold Storage Peach Production

EGGS IN INCUBATORS, UNITED STATES, MAY 1, 2006-2007

Item	2006	2007	% of Year Ago
	--Thousands--		--Percent--
Chickens, Egg Type	37,516	36,848	98
Chickens, Broiler Type	658,354	679,972	103
Turkeys, All Breeds	31,667	32,529	103

[Results from the monthly Chicken and Egg Report and the monthly Turkey Hatchery Report].

POULTRY HATCHING AND PLACEMENT, APRIL 2006-2007

Item	2006	2007	% of year ago	January thru March		% of year ago
				2006	2007	
	--Thousands--		--Percent--	--Thousands--		--Percent--
Pullet Chicks Placed Domestic (U.S.)^{1/}						
Broiler Type	6,593	6,692	102	28,023	27,913	100
Egg Type	254	274	108	938	1,021	109
Chicks Hatched - Broiler Type						
Georgia	122,591	126,528	103	485,707	498,040	103
United States	787,457	800,524	102	3,143,525	3,132,075	100
Chicks Hatched- Egg Type						
Georgia	2,236	2,316	104	9,197	9,102	99
United States	35,435	39,704	112	142,808	153,933	108
Turkey Poults Placed^{2/}						
United States	24,212	26,140	108	188,776	198,986	105

[Results from the monthly Chicken and Egg Report and the monthly Turkey Hatchery Report]. 1/ Domestic placements as reported by leading breeders includes expected pullet replacements from eggs sold during the preceding month at the rate of 125 pullet chicks per 30 dozen case of eggs. 2/ Accumulated turkey poults placed are September 1 to current month.

NUMBER OF LAYERS AND EGG PRODUCTION DURING APRIL 2006-2007^{1/}

	Number of Layers		Eggs per 100 Layers		Total Eggs Produced	
	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007
	--Thousands--		--Number--		--Millions--	
GEORGIA						
Hatching	9,711	9,678	1,854	1,881	180	182
Table	10,025 ^{2/}	9,815 ^{2/}	2,163	2,199	219	218
Total Georgia	19,836	19,593	2,011	2,042	399	400
UNITED STATES						
Hatching	58,701	59,245	1,831	1,845	1,075	1,093
Table	289,942	284,580	2,231	2,228	6,468	6,341
Total U.S.	348,643	343,825	2,164	2,162	7,543	7,434

[Results from the Monthly Chicken and Egg Report]. 1/ Totals may not add due to rounding. 2/ Table egg layers in flocks 30,000 and above.

COMMERCIAL POULTRY SLAUGHTER^{1/}--MARCH AND APRIL 2007

Item	Mar	Apr	% of Last Month	January to Date
	--Thousands--		--Percent--	--Thousands--
Young Chickens				
Georgia	107,320	105,144	98	422,775
United States	726,260	713,870	98	2,857,695
Mature Chickens				
Light Type, U.S.	4,992	4,745	95	18,693
Heavy Type, U.S.	5,922	5,777	98	23,299
Total U.S.	10,914	10,522	96	41,992
Percent Condemned Young Chickens	--Percent--			--Percent--
Georgia	1.11	0.97		1.04
United States	1.22	1.14		1.20

^{1/} Federally inspected slaughter data as collected by Meat and Poultry Inspection Program.

LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER, UNITED STATES,^{1/} APRIL 2006-2007

Species	Number Slaughtered			Average Live Weight		Total Live Weight	
	2006	2007	2007 as % of 2006	2006	2007	2006	2007
	--Thousand Head--		--Percent--	--Pounds--		--Thousand Pounds--	
Cattle	2,608.6	2,701.6	104	1,240	1,235	3,222,245	3,324,260
Calves	47.7	56.9	119	361	347	17,156	19,674
Hogs	7,959.3	8,465.3	106	272	270	2,160,169	2,284,018
Sheep & Lambs	247.1	216.9	88	136	139	33,477	30,004

[Results from the U.S. Livestock Slaughter Release]. ^{1/} Includes slaughter under Federal Inspection and other commercial slaughter, excludes farm slaughter.

PER CAPITA CONSUMPTION, RETAIL WEIGHT^{1/}

Per capita consumption, Retail Lb.	2005	2006
	--Pounds--	
Beef	65.4	65.7
Pork	49.9	49.3
Broilers	85.6	86.9
Turkeys	16.7	16.9
Total Red Meat & Poultry	220.5	221.4
Eggs, Number	255.3	255.7

^{1/} Livestock, Dairy and Poultry Outlook, May 21, 2007, LDP-M-142, Economic Research Service, USDA.

COLD STORAGE STOCKS--UNITED STATES, APRIL 30, 2006

Commodity	Apr 30, 2006	Mar 31, 2007	Apr 30, 2007	% of Apr 2006	% of Mar 2007
	--Thousand Pounds--			--Percent--	
Eggs, Frozen	23,259	14,632	14,319	62	98
Meats, Red	979,105	942,228	956,850	98	102
Beef, Frozen	441,266	425,895	411,813	93	97
Pork, Frozen	520,022	494,761	521,967	100	105
Poultry, Frozen	1,272,729	951,637	969,247	76	102
Peanuts, Shelled	372,893	381,211	380,503	102	100
Peanuts, In Shell	17,288	20,961	15,682	91	75
Pecans, Shelled	37,545	35,362	39,280	105	111
Pecans, In Shell	164,427	99,022	75,389	46	76

[Results from the monthly Cold Storage Report].

PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS--MAY 15, 2007

Commodity	Price per Unit	Georgia			United States		
		May 2006	Apr 2007	May 15, 2007	May 2006	Apr 2007	May 15, 2007
Cotton	¢/Lb	46.20	47.00	46.90	46.40	47.30	45.20
Peanuts, In Shell	¢/Lb	16.60	18.00	17.50	17.30	18.30	17.90
Calves	¢/Lb	124.00	118.00	117.00	134.00	127.00	126.00
Beef Cattle ^{1/}	¢/Lb	65.70	66.30	65.90	82.20	94.30	93.50
Cows ^{2/}	¢/Lb	50.10	49.70	50.70	47.40	49.20	51.60
Steers & Heifers	¢/Lb	96.00	95.80	95.50	86.30	99.90	98.60

[Results from the monthly Prices Received by Farmers]. 1/ "Cows" and "steers and heifers" combined. 2/ Beef cows and cull dairy cows sold for slaughter.

INDEX NUMBERS--UNITED STATES, 2006-2007

Index 1990-92=100	2006		2007	
	Apr	May	Apr	May
Prices Received	111	111	134	138
Prices Paid	148	149	157	158
Ratio ^{1/}	75	74	85	87

[Results from the monthly Prices Received by Farmers]. 1/ Ratio of index of prices received by farmers to index of prices paid.

STOCKS OF PEANUTS AND SPECIFIED PRODUCTS AT MONTH'S END, UNITED STATES--2007^{1/}

Month Ending	Farmer Stocks	Shelled Peanuts ^{2/}	Roasting Stock (In Shell)	Farmer Stock Equivalent	
				Shelled Peanuts	Total ^{3/}
--Thousand Pounds--					
Apr	1,724,794	623,243	45,506	828,913	2,599,213

[Results from the Peanut Stocks and Processing Report]. 1/ Excludes stocks on farms. Includes stocks owned by or held for account of CCC in commercial storages. Farmer stock on net weight basis. 2/ Includes shelled edible grades, shelled oil stock, and shelled seed (untreated). 3/ Actual farmer stock, plus roasting stock, plus shelled peanuts x 1.33.

WINTER WHEAT--SELECTED STATES AND UNITED STATES, 2006-2007^{1/}

State	Area Harvested		Yield		Production	
	2006	Jun 1, 2007	2006	Jun 1, 2007	2006	Jun 1, 2007
--1,000 Acres--		--Bushels--		--1,000 Bushels--		
AR	305	600	61.0	42.0	18,605	25,200
GA	120	250	49.0	40.0	5,880	10,000
KY	320	190	71.0	38.0	22,720	7,220
MS	73	300	59.0	59.0	4,307	17,700
NC	420	460	59.0	38.0	24,780	17,480
SC	123	135	50.0	30.0	6,150	4,050
TN	190	230	64.0	32.0	12,160	7,360
VA	155	175	68.0	61.0	10,540	10,675
US	31,117	37,222	41.7	43.2	1,298,081	1,609,679

1/ AL, FL, and LA state level estimates will be published in the "Small Grains 2006 Summary," to be released September 28, 2007.

PEACH TOTAL PRODUCTION SELECTED STATES

State	2005	2006	Jun 1, 2007 Forecast
		--Tons--	
CA			
All	869,000	712,000	840,000
Clingstone ^{1/}	484,000	359,000	450,000
Freestone	385,000	353,000	390,000
GA	40,000	41,000	17,000
SC	75,000	60,000	8,000
Total	984,000	813,000	865,000

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