

Table 863. Meat Supply and Use: 1990 to 2009

[In millions of pounds (carcass weight equivalent) (62,255 represents 62,255,000,000). 2008 data are forecasts for red meats and 2009 are forecasts for poultry. Carcass weight equivalent is the weight of the animal minus entrails, head, hide, and internal organs; includes fat and bone. Covers federal and state inspected, and farm slaughtered]

Year and type of meat	Production	Imports	Supply ¹	Exports	Consumption ²	Ending stocks
RED MEAT AND POULTRY						
1990	62,255	3,295	66,673	2,472	62,937	1,263
2000	82,372	4,136	88,480	9,344	77,068	2,069
2005	86,783	4,845	93,819	9,274	82,333	2,212
2006	88,907	4,326	95,445	10,070	83,240	2,135
2007	90,934	4,297	97,365	11,069	84,102	2,194
2008	93,681	4,130	100,004	12,014	85,816	2,174
ALL RED MEATS						
1990	38,787	3,295	42,742	1,250	40,784	707
2000	46,299	4,127	51,340	3,760	46,559	1,021
2005	45,848	4,803	51,838	3,373	47,385	1,080
2006	47,675	4,265	53,020	4,158	47,696	1,166
2007	48,817	4,223	54,206	4,579	48,435	1,192
2008	50,567	4,055	55,814	5,259	48,333	1,222
Beef:						
1990	22,743	2,356	25,434	1,006	24,031	397
2000	26,888	3,032	30,332	2,468	27,338	525
2005	24,787	3,599	29,023	697	27,754	571
2006	26,256	3,085	29,912	1,145	28,137	630
2007	26,523	3,052	30,205	1,431	28,144	630
2008	26,682	2,930	30,242	1,515	28,127	600
Pork:						
1990	15,354	898	16,565	238	16,031	296
2000	18,952	965	20,406	1,287	18,642	478
2005	20,705	1,024	22,272	2,666	19,112	494
2006	21,074	990	22,558	2,995	19,048	514
2007	21,962	968	23,444	3,138	19,763	542
2008	23,554	925	25,021	3,735	20,686	600
Veal:						
1990	327	(NA)	331	(NA)	325	6
2000	225	(NA)	230	(NA)	225	5
2005	165	(NA)	169	(NA)	164	5
2006	156	(NA)	161	(NA)	155	6
2007	145	(NA)	151	(NA)	144	7
2008	150	(NA)	157	(NA)	153	4
Lamb and mutton:						
1990	363	41	412	6	397	8
2000	234	130	372	5	354	13
2005	191	180	375	9	355	10
2006	190	190	390	18	356	16
2007	188	202	406	10	384	13
2008	181	200	394	9	367	18
POULTRY, TOTAL						
1990	23,468	—	23,931	1,222	22,153	556
2000	36,073	9	37,140	5,584	30,508	1,048
2005	40,935	42	41,970	5,902	34,949	1,119
2007	42,143	74	43,174	6,618	35,574	982
2008	43,235	92	44,309	7,785	35,379	1,144
2009	41,219	103	42,466	7,470	34,116	880
Broilers:						
1990	18,430	—	18,651	1,143	17,266	242
2000	30,209	6	31,011	4,918	25,295	798
2005	34,986	34	35,722	5,203	29,609	910
2007	35,772	61	36,565	5,904	29,942	719
2008	36,511	79	37,309	6,961	29,603	745
2009	35,131	85	35,961	6,835	28,509	616
Mature chicken:						
1990	523	—	530	25	496	9
2000	531	2	540	220	311	9
2005	516	1	520	130	388	2
2007	498	5	508	168	337	2
2008	559	5	566	148	415	3
2009	500	5	508	100	406	2
Turkeys:						
1990	4,514	—	4,750	54	4,390	306
2000	5,333	1	5,589	445	4,902	241
2005	5,432	8	5,728	570	4,952	206
2007	5,873	10	6,101	547	5,294	261
2008	6,165	8	6,434	676	5,361	396
2009	5,588	13	5,998	535	5,201	262

— Represents zero. NA Not available. ¹ Total supply equals production plus imports plus ending stocks of previous year.

² Includes shipments to territories.

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, *Food Consumption, Prices, and Expenditures, 1970–1997* and "Agricultural Outlook: Statistical Indicators," <<http://www.ers.usda.gov/publications/agoutlook/aotables/>>.