



CSPI's Field Guide to Safer Turkeys

Salmonella- Contamination Rates

		Est.	Company	2001 *	2002 **
	Brands include:			% Positive	% Positive
BEST	Perdue	P-00286	Perdue Foods, Washington, IN	0.0%	?
Good Birds	Wampler Foods	P-06710	Wampler Foods/Pilgrim's Pride, Harrisburg, VA	1.7%	?
	Wampler Foods	P-00244	Pilgrim's Pride, New Oxford, PA	1.8%	?
	Jennie-O	P-00279	Heartland Food/Jennie-O, Marshall, MN	1.8%	?
	Zacky Farms	P-00312	Zacky Farms, Fresno, CA	1.8%	?
	Northern Pride	P-00425	Northern Pride, Thief River Falls, MN	1.8%	?
	Honeysuckle White	P-00961	Cargill, Inc., California, MO	1.8%	?
	Butterball	P-07174	Butterball Turkey, Huntsville, AR	1.8%	?
	Golden Legacy	P-20935	Michigan Turkey Producers, Wyoming, MI	1.8%	1.8%
Caution	Honeysuckle White	P-00963	Cargill, Inc., Springdale, AR	3.6%	?
	Foster Farms	P-00157	Foster Farms, Turlock, CA	5.3%	?
	Butterball	P-00737	Butterball Turkey, Wallace, NC	5.4%	?
	Jennie-O	P-00403	West Central Turkeys/Jennie-O, Pelican Rapids, MN	7.0%	?
	Shady Brook Farms	P-00018	Cargill, Inc., Dayton, VA	7.1%	?
	Empire Kosher	P-01015	Empire Kosher Poultry, Mifflintown, PA	7.1%	?
	Plainville Farms	P-09905	Plainville Turkey Farm, Plainville, NY	8.9%	?
	Louis Rich (Not sold as uncooked birds)	P-09070	Louis Rich Co., Newberry, SC	8.9%	?
	Jennie-O	P-00551	Jennie-O-Foods, Willmar, MN	8.9%	?
Honeysuckle White	P-00511	Cargill, Inc., Ozark, AR	8.9%	?	
More Caution	Cooper Farms	P-02130	Cooper Foods, Saint Henry, OH	10.7%	?
	Jennie-O	P-00544	Jennie-O-Foods, Melrose, MN	10.7%	?
	Jennie-O; The Turkey Store	P-00190	Jerome Foods/Jennie-O, Barron, WI	10.7%	?
	Turkey Valley; Country Day	P-07669	Iowa Turkey Products, Postville, IA	12.5%	?
	Oak Valley Farms (Not sold as uncooked birds)	P-05665	El Jay/Oak Valley Farms, Watertown, SD	12.5%	?
	Wampler Foods	P-01096	Wampler Foods/Pilgrim's Pride, Hinton, VA	12.5%	?
	House of Raeford	P-00239	House of Raeford Farms, Raeford, NC	12.5%	?
	Jennie-O; The Turkey Store	P-00579	Jerome Foods/Jennie-O, Faribault, MN	14.3%	?
	Carolina Turkey	P-07345	Carolina Turkeys, Mount Olive, NC	15.8%	?
	Norbest	P-00538	Nebraska Turkey Growers Co-op, Gibbon, NE	16.1%	?
	Willow Brook Farms	P-07249	Willow Brook Farms, Springfield, MO	19.6%	?
	Koch's	P-08437	Koch's Turkey Farm, Tamaqua, PA	19.6%	?
	Butterball (Some fresh birds; Most not sold as uncooked birds)	P-08727	Butterball Turkey, Carthage, MO	19.6%	?
West Liberty Foods	P-05533	West Liberty Foods, West Liberty, IA	21.4%	?	
Bad Birds	Farbest Foods (Not sold as uncooked birds)	P-07769	Farbest Foods, Huntingburg, IN	28.1%	?
	Diestel; Diestel Petite; Heidi's Hens (organic)	P-09332	Diestel Turkey Ranch, Chinese Camp, CA	30.4%	?
	Sara Lee (Not sold at retail)	P-00757	Bil Mar Foods/Sara Lee, Storm Lake, IA	32.1%	?
	Plantation (Not sold as uncooked birds)	P-00635	Cargill, Inc., Waco, TX	34.5%	?
	Longmont (Not sold as uncooked birds)	P-00552	ConAgra Poultry, Longmont, CO	49.1%	?

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