

AMS Cooked Diced Chicken Contractor Indicator Organism Performance - Fiscal Year: 2018<sup>1,2/</sup>

Contractor	# Sub-lots Produced (% of Total)	Standard Plate Count <sup>3/</sup>		Total Coliforms <sup>4/</sup>		Generic <i>E. coli</i> <sup>5/</sup>		<i>S. aureus</i> <sup>6/</sup>	
		# Exceeding Critical Limit	% Exceeding Critical Limit	# Exceeding Critical Limit	% Exceeding Critical Limit	# Exceeding Critical Limit	% Exceeding Critical Limit	# Exceeding Critical Limit	% Exceeding Critical Limit
C1	912 (84.9)	2	0.22	10	1.10	3	0.33	0	0
C4	162 (15.1)	1	0.62	4	2.47	1	0.62	0	0
Total	1,074 (100.0)	3	0.28	14	1.30	4	0.37	0	0

<sup>1/</sup>A full description of the cooked diced chicken purchase program specification is available at <https://www.ams.usda.gov/selling-food/product-specs#chicken>.

<sup>2/</sup>Production Dates: October 1, 2017 to September 30, 2018.

<sup>3/</sup>Standard Plate Count Critical Limit: 1,000 CFU/g.

<sup>4/</sup>Total Coliforms Critical Limit: 50 CFU/g.

<sup>5/</sup>Generic *E. coli* Critical Limit: 10 CFU/g.

<sup>6/</sup>*S. aureus* Critical Limit: 10 CFU/g.

