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Majority prices were generally unchanged in the East and Midwest, but lower in the West when compared to previous week. Trade sentiment was mixed in the West, but steady elsewhere. Retail demand was light to moderate at best with few features. Food service was light to fairly good, best into delis, fast food, and sports bar restaurants. Supplies were irregular, varying by size and locations, but overall obtainable if needed. In the parts structure, demand was usually fair at best as needs were assessed and floor stocks kept in balance with needs. Supplies of all items were mixed, ranging at least adequate to readily available, with limited interest. In production areas, live supplies were moderate at weights in a full range.

Final Report of prices negotiated for trucklot sales of ready-to-cook ice-packed broiler/fryers (includes branded product) to be delivered to first receivers at major market centers week of 30-OCT-2006 (cents per lb)

AREAS	US GRADE A		COMPOSITE		
	MAJORITY	WTD AVG	LOADS	WTD AVG	
Boston/New England	TFEWR	:		61.41	21
Chicago	57.00-60.00	59.69	35	60.69	63
Ohio Cities	TFEWR	:		57.25	22
Denver	75.50	75.42	13	76.39	14
Detroit	59.00-60.00	61.00	9	61.90	44
Los Angeles	76.00	74.65	66	70.69	159
New York	60.00-63.00	61.52	21	63.77	53
Philadelphia	58.50-61.00	60.27	11	60.25	22
Pittsburgh	59.00-62.00	60.92	12	65.21	57
St. Louis	59.50	59.04	20	60.21	32
San Francisco	76.50	76.22	34	77.49	73

Composite Weighted Average

Loads	10/30/06	Change Last Wk	10/23/06	10/31/05
560	65.57	-.09	65.48	66.53

WOG BROILERS (without giblets) - prices paid per lb delvd to first receivers in trucklot and less than trucklot quantities.

REGIONS	Majority	Wtd Avg	Loads
Eastern	63.50-64.50	64.12	32
Central	55.00-65.00	61.51	62
Western	60.00-67.00	66.64	34
Southeast Area FOB Dock Equivalent			
Mississippi	65.00-67.00	67.30	93

GEORGIA F.O.B. DOCK PRICES Georgia f.o.b. dock quoted price on broilers/fryers for this week's trading is 69.25 cents based on ice-packed USDA grade "A" sized 2 1/2 to 3 pound birds.

LOADS	RANGE	MONDAY FINAL WTD AVG FOB DOCK OR EQUIVALENT
1,150	57.00-71.00	68.27

The Georgia f.o.b. dock confirmed final weighted average prices on ice packed parts:

	WTD AVG	VOLUME
LINE RUN TENDERS	149.00	1,450
BREASTS - B/S	115.00	5,992
BREASTS - WHOLE	74.00	1,467
THIGH MEAT - B/S	79.00	1,175
LEG QUARTERS	28.50	9,387
WINGS	89.00	2,753

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NORTHEAST REGION BROILER/FRYER Trucklot buying activity on ready-to-cook whole broiler/fryers generally light to fair entering the week. Offerings of 3.5 and smaller sizes were adequate to fully adequate; heavier sizes were at least adequate to instances ample for current trade needs. Movement through retail and distributive channels was fair. The market tone was steady. In the parts complex, breast items were at least adequate to readily available; wings were at least sufficient for current needs. Dark meat cuts were adequate to fully adequate.

SOUTHERN REGION BROILER/FRYERS Trade sentiment was generally steady. Demand following the weekend was light to fair, and trading usually limited to regular commitments. Supplies of all sizes were more than sufficient with wogs in the closest balance. In the parts structure, movement was mostly no better than fair. Availability of all items was adequate to ample and frequently discounted to aid movement. In production areas, live supplies were moderate at mixed, but mostly desirable weights.

WESTERN REGION BROILER/FRYERS Final majority prices were 1 cent lower. Reported trading for this week deliveries were at mixed levels, with regular commitments at generally lower prices and new negotiations at unchanged to higher prices. Offerings were adequate to fully adequate. Buying activity was light to moderate. Retailer demand best where featured elsewhere fair. Dealers reported satisfactory weekend clearances. Trading reported on parts were 29.5-31.5 on leg quarters, wings 88-95, breast with bone attached 74-92 and boneless breasts 91-100. The Los Angeles negotiated WOG weighted average was 63.04 up 2.19 and the volume reported unchanged from last week at 26 loads.

MIDWEST REGION BROILER/FRYER Final majority prices were generally unchanged into Midwest markets; Ohio cities TFEWR, St. Louis slightly higher. Whole broiler/fryer market tone was steady. Offerings available with 2 3/4 to 3 pound birds tight. Retail demand was light to moderate at best. Food service was light to fairly good; best into sports bar restaurants, delicatessens and fast food. Floor stocks were adequate to long; weights mixed. Parts trade activity received light call. Supplies of parts were available. The market tone on parts was about steady.

DELMARVA BROILER/FRYERS Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was light on heavy weights, and usually fair on smaller weights for early week business. Overall, offerings ranged from fully adequate to clearing satisfactory. Live supplies were moderate; weights were mostly desirable to heavy. Processor schedules were moderate. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchanged at 61 to 73 cents. Trade sentiment was steady. In the parts complex, offerings were irregular and ranged from balance to available for immediate delivery.

*BROILER/FRYER CURRENT NEGOTIATED PRICES FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY INCLUDES MOSTLY MULTIPLE-DROP SHIPMENTS OF BRANDED AND WING TAGGED TO NEW YORK CITY FROM DELMARVA

	BRANDED U.S. GRADE A
RANGE	58-74
WEIGHTED AVERAGE	(A)
NO. OF BOXES	(A)

(A) Not reported to avoid disclosing individual operations

NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS Trucklot buying interest was noted as fair at best as dealers assess market conditions kept floorstocks in close balance with immediate needs. Offerings of breast items were at least adequate to readily available. Tenders were adequate to at least adequate for current needs. Thighs and drums were adequate to available. Wings were at least sufficient for current needs. Movement through retail and distributive channels was fair. The market tone was barely steady for breast items, thighs and drums. The balance of items were steady.

ICE PACKED BROILER/FRYER PARTS, DELIVERED TO FIRST RECEIVERS IN POOL TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES, CENTS PER POUND

ITEM	CURRENT NEGOTIATED TRADING	WTD AVG	VOLUME /LBS
BREAST - B/S	100-105	95.25	823,976
TENDERLOINS	85-90	91.96	129,960
BREAST - WITH RIBS	68-69	79.23	41,400
BREAST - LINE RUN	68	67.63	98,840
LEGS	39-40	37.46	199,020
LEG QUARTERS (BULK)	28-29	29.22	297,480
DRUMSTICKS	28-29	32.63	58,400
THIGHS	24-25	33.11	46,600
B/S THIGHS	80-81	82.25	115,520
WINGS (WHOLE)	84-85	86.04	243,200
BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED)	10-12	11.16	16,440
LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS)	30-35	37.97	4,600
GIZZARDS (HEARTS)	60-65	64.66	12,440

INCLUDES NEW YORK CITY METROPOLITAN AREA, NORTHERN NEW JERSEY, MASSACHUSETTS, CONNECTICUT, RHODE ISLAND, AND PENNSYLVANIA (NORTHEAST OF HARRISBURG).

* TODAY'S NEGOTIATED SALES AS OF 11:30 A.M.

** WTD AVG PRICE OF ALL GRADES AND BRANDS OF PRODUCT SHIPPED, OR TO BE SHIPPED AS OF 1:30 P.M.

ARKANSAS BROILER/FRYER PARTS F.O.B. DOCK OR EQUIVALENT, ICED-PACKED, PRICES SHOWN ARE DAY OF SHIPMENT (INCLUDES CURRENT AND PRIOR NEGOTIATIONS), TRUCKLOT AND LESS THAN TRUCKLOT VOLUME, CENTS PER POUND.

ITEM	LBS (000)	RANGE	MAJORITY	WT. AVG
BREAST - B/S	1,665	80.00-198.00	82-96	92.78
TENDERLOINS	485	70.00-187.00	-	82.17
BREAST - WITH RIBS		TOO FEW TO REPORT		
FRONT HALVES		TOO FEW TO REPORT		
LEGS		TOO FEW TO REPORT		
LEG QUARTERS (BULK)	1,097	21.00-27.00	22-24	23.28
LEG QUARTERS (4/10)	1,821	24.00-28.00	24-25	24.60
WINGS (WHOLE)	528	62.00-94.00	-	78.63
DRUMSTICKS		TOO FEW TO REPORT		
THIGHS	1,120	13.00-18.00	15-18	17.57

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER-FRYERS (IN THOUSANDS)

	ESTIMATE 10/30	ACTUAL 10/26	AVG WTS 10/26	ACTUAL 10/23	AVG WTS 10/19
Alabama	4,010	3,972	5.54	3,898	5.44
Arkansas	5,441	5,232	5.25	5,251	5.34
Delmarva	2,196	2,230	5.79	1,978	5.70
KY-LA-TN	2,363	2,303	5.07	2,314	5.09
Mississippi	2,937	2,940	5.88	2,932	5.92
North Carolina	2,687	2,627	6.78	2,634	7.04
Texas	2,501	2,559	4.97	2,430	5.28
Total	22,135	21,863	5.58	21,437	5.62
Mon	22,135(A)			21,437(A)	

(A) Weekly cumulative for states listed above. Broiler-fryer slaughter under federal inspection for 30-Oct 2006 is estimated to be 33,116,000 up 2.95 percent from a week ago. and up 6.1 percent from a year ago. (last week 32,168,000 last year 31,206,000)

SOUTHERN STATES BROILER/FRYER PARTS F.O.B. DOCK OR EQUIVALENT, ICED-PACKED, PRICES SHOWN ARE DAY OF SHIPMENT (INCLUDES CURRENT AND PRIOR NEGOTIATIONS), TRUCKLOT AND LESS THAN TRUCKLOT VOLUME, CENTS PER POUND.

ITEM	POUNDS (000)	RANGE	MAJORITY	WTD AVG
BREAST - B/S	645	85.00-162.00	-	96.66
TENDERLOINS		TOO FEW TO REPORT		
BREAST - LINE RUN		TOO FEW TO REPORT		
FRONT HALVES		TOO FEW TO REPORT		
LEGS	185	29.00-41.00	30-31	30.91
LEG QUARTERS (BULK)	588	19.00-29.00	23-24	23.56
LEG QUARTERS (4/10)	754	20.00-31.00	25	25.06
WINGS (WHOLE)	293	72.00-89.00	74-77	78.78
WINGS (CUT)	220	90.00-100.00	92-96	96.23
DRUMSTICKS		TOO FEW TO REPORT		
THIGHS		TOO FEW TO REPORT		
B/S THIGHS		TOO FEW TO REPORT		

WHOLE BODY INDEX BASED ON SOUTHERN STATES PARTS

TRADING FOR OCT 30, 2006 — F.O.B. DOCK.

RANGE	TODAY'S AVERAGE	5-DAY AVERAGE
36.00 - 43.00	39.39	39.17

The Index is intended solely as an indicator of values for commodity-type product and does not represent industry's willingness to sell or ability to buy.

MIDWEST REGION BROILER/FRYER PARTS ICE-PACKED POOL

TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES DELIVERED TO: IL, IN, IA, KS, MI, MN, MO, NE, ND, OH, SD, AND WI WEEK OF 30-OCT-TO 03-NOV-2006

Price (Cents) Per Lb. Mostly

BREAST - B/S	85.00 - 109.00	85.00 - 96.00
BREAST - LINE RUN	59.00 - 89.00	69.00 - 76.00
LEGS	32.00 - 43.00	-
LEG QUARTERS (BULK)	23.00 - 32.00	27.00 - 30.00
LEG QUARTERS (4/10)	25.00 - 34.00	29.00 - 31.00
DRUMSTICKS	24.00 - 40.00	-
THIGHS	20.00 - 41.00	-
WINGS (WHOLE)	71.00 - 97.00	85.00 - 91.00
BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED)	12.00 - 23.00	-
LIVERS	32.00 - 38.00	-
GIZZARDS (HEARTS)	40.00 - 60.00	-

**SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA (L.A. AREA) PROCESSED POULTRY,
DELIVERED TO RESTAURANTS AND INSTITUTIONS**

	RANGE
WOGS 2# & UP - WHOLE	81.75-99.75
WOGS 2# & UP - CUT UP 8&9 PIECES	85.25-102.25

FROZEN HENS 5# & UP

FROZEN DUCKS

FROZEN SQUABS

DELIVERED TO RETAILERS IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA (L.A. AREA)

FRESH FRYERS	91-100
ROASTERS 4# & UP	99-108
HENS UNDER 5#	
HENS OVER 5#	65-74

DUCKS

RABBITS-WHOLE

RABBITS-CUT UP

SAN FRANCISCO PROCESSED POULTRY

DELIVERED TO RESTAURANTS AND INSTITUTIONS

	RANGE
FRESH FRYERS	ICE PACK 93-105
	DRY PACK 110-114
ROASTERS 4# & UP	ICE PACK 98
	DRY PACK 111-118
HENS OVER 5#	ICE PACK 86-100
	DRY PACK 100-107
DUCKS	190-195

EASTERN REGION MECHANICALLY SEPARATED CHICKEN

F.O.B. SHIPPER DOCK OR EQUIVALENT, PRICES NEGOTIATED FOR MECHANICALLY SEPARATED CHICKEN IN THE EASTERN REGION IN TRUCKLOT AND LESS THAN TRUCKLOT VOLUMES, CENTS PER POUND, DELIVERY WITHIN TWO WEEKS.

CHICKEN WITH SKIN ADDED (Cents per Pound)	OCTOBER 27, 2006			
	PRICES		VOLUME	
FAT CONTENT	FROZEN	FRESH	TOTAL	EXPORT
15% OR LESS				
RANGE	16.00	17.00-18.00	456,000	54,000
WTD AVERAGE	16.00	17.40		
15-20%				
RANGE	15.50-21.00	12.00-16.00	2,127,000	1,426,000
WTD AVERAGE	17.75	13.95		
20% OR MORE				
RANGE	-	13.00-14.00	160,000	-
WTD AVERAGE		13.50		

*INCLUDES THE STATES of CT, DE, FL, GA, MA, MD, ME, NC, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, SC, VA, VT, WV

CENTRAL REGION MECHANICALLY SEPARATED CHICKEN

F.O.B. SHIPPER DOCK OR EQUIVALENT, PRICES NEGOTIATED FOR MECHANICALLY SEPARATED CHICKEN IN THE CENTRAL REGION IN TRUCKLOT AND LESS THAN TRUCKLOT VOLUMES, CENTS PER POUND, DELIVERY WITHIN TWO WEEKS.

CHICKEN WITH SKIN ADDED (Cents per Pound)	OCTOBER 27, 2006			
	PRICES		VOLUME	
FAT CONTENT	FROZEN	FRESH	TOTAL	EXPORT
15% OR LESS				
RANGE	16.00-20.00	-	160,000	160,000
WTD AVERAGE	18.00			
15-20%				
RANGE	15.50-20.00	10.00-16.00	2,019,000	1,041,600
WTD AVERAGE	17.16	12.99		
20% OR MORE				
RANGE	-	-	-	-
WTD AVERAGE				

*INCLUDES THE STATES of AL, AR, IA, IL, IN, KS, KY, LA, MI, MN, MO, MS, ND, NE, OK, OH, SD, TN, TX, WI

SOUTHEAST HEAVY LIVE HEN Prices were generally unchanged when compared to the previous week. Demand was fair to moderate for the adequate to fully adequate offerings of spent hens. Processing schedules were noted as mostly normal. Sales of finished product was fair. The undertone was steady

HEAVY TYPE HENS (7 POUNDS AND UP) *
FINAL PRICE, CENTS PER LB., GENERALLY FOR SLAUGHTER THE WEEK OF 30-OCT-06

	RANGE	MAJORITY	WTD AVG
AT FARM BUYER LOADING	1-7		4.93
AT FARM PRODUCER LOADING	TOO FEW TO REPORT		
FOB PLANT	TOO FEW TO REPORT		

*WEIGHTS UNDER 7 LBS. SUBJECT TO DISCOUNT.

SOUTH CENTRAL HEAVY LIVE HEN Trading levels were near unchanged from the past week. Demand was moderate for fully adequate offerings of spent hens. Schedules were normal. Finished sales were moderate. Trade sentiment was steady at best.

HEAVY TYPE HENS (7 POUNDS AND UP) *
PRELIMINARY PRICE, CENTS PER LB., GENERALLY FOR SLAUGHTER THE WEEK OF 30-OCT-06

	RANGE	MAJORITY	WTD AVG
AT FARM BUYER LOADING	2-8		5.02

*WEIGHTS UNDER 7 LBS. SUBJECT TO DISCOUNT.

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