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CHICAGO BROILER/FRYER

PRELIMINARY FOR DELIVERY THE WEEK OF 12-Mar-2007

	RANGE	MAJORITY	WTD.AVG.	LOADS
US GRADE A	69.5-84	73-76	75.74	29

GEORGIA FOB DOCK PRICES

WEDNESDAY

76.00

FRIDAY PRELIM. WTD.AVG.:

75.95

Georgia f.o.b. dock confirmed preliminary weighted average price on ice packed parts:

ITEM	WTD.AVG. (CENTS PER POUND)	VOLUME (000 POUNDS)
LINE RUN TENDERS	196.50	1,149
BREASTS - B/S	158.50	5,107
BREASTS - WHOLE	101.00	1,163
THIGH MEAT - B/S	108.50	1,040
LEG QUARTERS	41.00	7,893
WINGS	132.50	2,464

This information is supplied by the Georgia Department of Agriculture's Poultry Market News Service.

ESTIMATED U.S. LIVE POULTRY SLAUGHTER

UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION FOR WEEK ENDING 10-Mar-2007

	Current Week	Previous Week
Broiler/fryer	159,281	161,688

MIDWEST Preliminary majority was unchanged on next week's deliveries into the Chicago market area. Whole broiler/fryer market tone ended the week steady. Offers were sufficient for light fill-in call. Retail demand was light to moderate at best. Food service movement was generally the same with fairly good demand noted in Ohio and Michigan and fast food in the Chicago area. Floor stocks were adequate to ample; weights desirable to light. Parts trade continued hand to mouth, other than wings which were sought after. Supplies of parts were adequate to in close balance. The market tone on parts was generally steady; occasionally firm.

WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICES FOR WHOLE YOUNG TURKEYS, FROZEN CONSUMER SIZES, COMMODITY PACK OR EQUIVALENT, US GRADE A, CENTS PER LB, DELIVERED (MINIMUM 10,000 LB LOTS) WEEK ENDING MARCH 09, 2007

	8-16 LB HENS			16-24 LB TOMS		
	CURRENT WEEK	LAST WEEK	SAME WEEK YEAR AGO	CURRENT WEEK	LAST WEEK	SAME WEEK YEAR AGO
EASTERN REGION	70.50	70.90**	67.70	70.50	70.90**	66.50
CENTRAL REGION	71.00**	70.90**	66.00	71.00**	72.00	65.50
WESTERN REGION	71.00**	70.90**	66.50**	71.00**	70.90**	66.50**

**BASED ON OFFERS

LIVE POULTRY SLTRD UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION

WEEK ENDING 03-Mar-2007 (PRELIMINARY)

YOUNG CHICKENS THOUSANDS

Head	160,025
Avg Wt	5.37
Last week	159,231
Same wk yr ago	158,348
Avg Wt	5.34
To-date/2007	1,396,222
To-date/2006	1,441,743

LIVE TURKEYS SLAUGHTERED

YOUNG HENS YOUNG TOMS THOUSANDS

Head	1,688	2,423
Avg Wt	17.44	38.41
Last week	1,915	2,566
Same wk yr ago	2,086	2,511
Avg Wt	17.59	38.14
To-date/2007	15,924	22,278
To-date/2006	14,742	22,111

FRESH BEEF CUTS

FOB Negotiated	PRICE	RANGE	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
112A 3 Rib, rib eye, bnls, heavy	640.00	670.05	640.82
168 3 Round, top inside round	186.00	202.00	197.95
180 3 Loin, strip, bnls, 0x1	580.00	600.00	586.43
Ground Beef 81%	112.00	131.00	117.83

Source: USDA/ AMS, Livestock and Grain Market News