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CHICAGO BROILER/FRYER

PRELIMINARY For Delivery the Week of 06-August-2007

	RANGE	MAJORITY	WTD AVG	LOADS
CHICAGO	61-84	70-73	72.20	30

GEORGIA FOB DOCK PRICES

WEDNESDAY – 81.00

FRIDAY PRELIM. WTD. AVG. – 80.68

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	194.00	1,239
BREASTS - B/S	169.50	5,108
BREASTS – WHOLE	102.50	1,164
THIGH MEAT - B/S	113.50	1,041
LEG QUARTERS	51.50	7,894
WINGS	130.00	2,465

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 W/E 04-August-07

	Current Week	Previous Week
Broiler/fryer	167,506	166,412

MIDWEST BROILER/FRYER - Preliminary majority delivered prices into the Chicago area moved lower. Whole broiler/fryer market tone was steady to weak. Weekend demand picked up and was fairly good into the food service sector, especially into fast food as expectations build for first of month. Retail was mixed, light to instances fairly good. Floor stocks were generally in balance; weights desirable to occasionally heavy. Parts trade activity was very light as current commitments satisfied trade needs. Supplies of all parts remained sufficient for trade call with wings in tightest position. The trade sentiment on parts items was mostly steady.

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) AUGUST 03, 2007

8-16 LB HENS	CURRENT WEEK	LAST WEEK	SAME WEEK YEAR AGO	16-24 LB TOMS	CURRENT WEEK	LAST WEEK	SAME WEEK YEAR AGO
EASTERN REGION	88.00**	87.70**	76.20**	EASTERN REGION	88.00**	90.00	77.33
CENTRAL REGION	89.00	87.70**	75.20**	CENTRAL REGION	87.00**	86.40**	74.00
WESTERN REGION	88.00**	87.70**	75.70**	WESTERN REGION	87.00**	86.40**	75.70**

**BASED ON OFFERS

LIVE POULTRY SLTRD UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION

WEEK ENDING 28-July-2007 (PRELIMINARY)

YOUNG CHICKENS THOUSANDS

Head	164,418
Avg Wt	5.48
Last week	165,807
Same wk yr ago	161,268
Avg Wt	5.22
To-date/2007	4,791,413
To-date/2006	4,826,046

LIVE TURKEYS SLTRD UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION

YOUNG HENS YOUNG TOM THOUSANDS

Head	2,061	2,909
Avg Wt	15.93	36.95
Last week	1,934	2,840
Same wk yr ago	2,041	2,765
Avg Wt	16.08	35.95
To-date/2007	57,946	77,367
To-date/2006	57,438	75,650

FRESH BEEF CUTS

FOB Negotiated

PRICE RANGE

WTD AVG

112A 3 Rib, ribeye, bnls, heavy	499.84 539.05	519.57
168 3 Round, top inside round	162.00 173.00	165.29
180 3 Loin, strip, bnls, 0x1	485.00 520.50	492.92
Ground Beef 81%	105.25 120.00	109.31

Source: USDA/AMS, Livestock and Grain Market News