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NATIONAL TURKEY MARKET-AT-A-GLANCE

DOMESTIC MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

The market tone on 8-16 lb. hens and 16-24 lb. toms was fully steady, with a firm undertone noted. No trading was reported. Demand was light to moderate. Offerings were short to adequate. The market tone on parts was steady. Fresh tom breast, scapula and wing meat was barely steady to weak. Offerings of fresh tom breast meat was fully adequate. Demand was light. Parts and meats trading was seasonally slow.



EXPORT MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

Trading was slow. Demand was light to moderate. Offerings were light to adequate.

WHOLE YOUNG TURKEYS, FROZEN 1/, CONSUMER SIZES, COMMODITY PACK OR EQUIVALENT, US GRADE A, CENTS PER LB, DELIVERED (MINIMUM 10,000 LB LOTS) **OCT 10, 2007**

	CURRENT SHIPMENTS 2/				FORWARD SHIPMENTS 6/			OPEN COMMITMENTS 7/	
	OFFERS	SALES	WTD AVG	VOLUME (000)	WTD AVG	VOLUME (000)	DEL. PER	VOLUME (000)	DEL PER
8-16 LB HENS									
EASTERN REGION 3/	93-96	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CENTRAL REGION 4/	93-96	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WESTERN REGION 5/	93-96	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16-24 LB TOMS									
EASTERN REGION	93-96	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CENTRAL REGION	93-96	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WESTERN REGION	93-96	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1/ May include product stored at temperatures in range of 1 to 25 degrees F. 2/ Includes product priced for shipment within 14 days. 3/ Includes product with 3 percent broth basting. 4/ Includes product with 3-6 percent broth basting. 5/ Includes products with 6 percent broth basting. 6/ Includes product committed for pricing during the previous 24 hours but shipment in more than 14 days from date of commitment. 7/ Includes product committed during previous 24 hours at prices to be determined at later date.

NATIONAL YOUNG TURKEY PARTS, INCLUDING BULK MEAT and FROZEN (UNLESS SPECIFIED), CENTS PER LB., DELIVERED FIRST RECEIVERS, PART AND FULL TRUCKLOTS AS OF 10 OCTOBER 2007.

The market tone on fresh tom breast meat remains weak and under pressure. Offerings of fresh tom breast meat was adequate. Inquiry was very light. The market tone on parts and meats was steady. Trading was seasonally slow. Offerings of parts was light as many processors bagging birds to cover whole body sales. Demand was limited.

DOMESTIC TRADING	PRICE RANGE	L.S.T. CODE 1/	WTD AVG PRICE	VOLUME (000)
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A 2/				
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A--FRESH 2/		R	158.45	159
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS PLANT GRADE 2/				
DRUMSTICKS, TOM	60.00		60.00	20
DRUMSTICKS, TOM--FRESH		T	60.00	40
DRUMSTICKS, HEN	58.00		58.00	20
WINGS, FULL-CUT, TOM	49.00		49.00	20
WINGS, FULL-CUT, HEN	46.00		46.00	20
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM	59.00		59.00	20
WINGS, V-TYPE, HEN		F	75.00	40
NECKS, TOM	57.00		57.00	20
NECKS, HEN				
BREASTS, B/S, TOM 3/				
BREASTS, B/S, TOM--FRESH 3/		T	274.50	80
THIGH MEAT				
THIGH MEAT--FRESH		F	95.14	288
BREAST TRIM MEAT		R	134.00	80
SCAPULA MEAT		R	92.00	80
WING MEAT WITH SKIN				
TENDERLOINS				
DESTRAPPED TENDERS				
DESTRAPPED TENDERS--FRESH		F	250.00	35
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/		R	21.00	40
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED--FRESH 4/		F	20.13	146
EXPORT TRADING				
DRUMSTICKS, TOMS		F	60.00	40
WINGS FULL-CUT - TOMS		R	48.86	148
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM		F	59.00	324
TAILS		T	28.00	20
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/		F	19.00	40
THIGH MEAT - FROZEN		F	89.00	160

1/ CODES FOR LAST SIGNIFICANT TRADE (L.S.T.):

M=MONDAY T=TUESDAY W=WEDNESDAY R=THURSDAY F=FRIDAY

2/ Breasts are bagged; rib, back, and wing meat included; and basted.

3/ Boneless and skinless without tenderloins.

4/ 15-20% fat with skin added.

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