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CHICAGO BROILER/FRYER

PRELIMINARY For Delivery the Week of 02-November-2007

	RANGE	MAJORITY	WTD AVG	LOADS
CHICAGO	47-81.5	61-64	63.85	26

GEORGIA FOB DOCK PRICES

WEDNESDAY – 78.50

FRIDAY PRELIM. WTD. AVG. – 77.99

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	172.50	1,105
BREASTS - B/S	139.50	4,982
BREASTS - WHOLE	84.50	1,108
THIGH MEAT - B/S	111.00	1,009
LEG QUARTERS	43.50	7,660
WINGS	113.00	2,425

ESTIMATED U.S. LIVE POULTRY SLAUGHTER

UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION FOR W/E 03-November-07

	Current Week	Previous Week
Broiler/fryer	171,900	169,718

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

MIDWEST BROILER/FRYER - Preliminary majority prices delivered Chicago unchanged. The whole broiler/fryer market tone steady on light to moderate offerings. Retail movement was in full range, mostly moderate to fairly good. Food service was light to moderate. First of the month retail features, and fast food dark meat promotions were best consumer draw. Floor stocks were adequate to fully adequate; weights mostly desirable. Supplies were sufficient for current trade needs. The market tone on parts was 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) NOVEMBER 02, 2007

8-16 LB HENS	CURRENT	LAST	SAME WEEK	16-24 LB TOMS	CURRENT	LAST	SAME WEEK
	WEEK	WEEK	YEAR AGO		WEEK	WEEK	YEAR AGO
EASTERN REGION	97.00	96.00	103.00**	EASTERN REGION	97.00	96.00	103.00**
CENTRAL REGION	95.67	96.63	102.00	CENTRAL REGION	95.00	95.14	103.00**
WESTERN REGION	97.00	95.50	103.00**	WESTERN REGION	97.00	95.00	103.00**

**BASED ON OFFERS

LIVE POULTRY SLTRD UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION

WEEK ENDING 27-OCT-2007 (PRELIMINARY)

YOUNG CHICKENS THOUSANDS

Head	167,574
Avg Wt	5.67
Last week	169,642
Same wk yr ago	164,244
Avg Wt	5.47
To-date/2007	6,962,196
To-date/2006	6,958,505

LIVE TURKEYS SLTRD UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION

YOUNG HENS YOUNG TOM THOUSANDS

Head	2,498	3,060
Avg Wt	16.85	36.30
Last week	2,190	3,089
Same wk yr ago	2,524	2,879
Avg Wt	17.04	35.78
To-date/2007	85,224	113,419
To-date/2006	83,485	110,802

FRESH BEEF CUTS

FOB Negotiated

	PRICE RANGE	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
112A 3 Rib, ribeye, bnls, heavy	560.00 660.00	578.62
168 3 Round, top inside round	143.80 150.00	145.77
180 3 Loin, strip, bnls, 0x1	450.00 500.25	472.86
Ground Beef 81%	101.55 114.35	105.66

Source: USDA/AMS, Livestock and Grain Market News