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CHICAGO BROILER/FRYER

PRELIMINARY For Delivery the Week of 30-JUN-2008

RANGE MAJORITY WTD AVG LOADS

CHICAGO 67-85.75 76-79 77.24 22

ESTIMATED U.S. LIVE POULTRY SLAUGHTER

UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION FOR W/E 28-JUN-08

Current Week Previous Week

Broiler/fryer 170,146 167,489 **GEORGIA FOB DOCK PRICES WEDNESDAY - 86.75**

FRIDAY PRELIM. WTD. AVG. - 85.74

Georgia f.o.b. dock confirmed PRELIMINARY weighted average price

on ice-packed parts:

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	WTD AVG	VOLUME		
ITEM (CENTS	PER POUND)	(000) POUNDS)		
LINE RUN TENDERS	181.00	891		
BREASTS - B/S	154.00	4,692		
BREASTS - WHOLE	86.50	1,090		
THIGH MEAT - B/S	129.50	778		
LEG QUARTERS	50.50	7,555		
WINGS	100.00	2,252		

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

MIDWEST BROILER/FRYER - Preliminary majority prices on next weeks' trade into the Chicago market were unchanged. Whole broiler/fryer market tone was steady to firm. Producer offerings were limited on light to moderate trade call. Retail and food service demand mostly light to moderate to instances good. Floor stocks were adequate to long; weights desirable to trending heavy. Parts supplies were available on light to moderate trade inquiry. The market tone was steady on to firm on leg cuts, wings and steady on the balance.

WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICES FOR WHOLE YOUNG TURKEYS. FROZEN CONSUMER SIZES, COMMODITY PACK OR EQUIVALENT, US GRADE A, DENTS PER LB, DELIVERED, (MINIMUM 10,000 LB LOTS) W/E JUNE 27, 2008

	CURRENT	LAST	SAME WEEK	С	URRENT	LAST	SAME WEEK
8-16 LB HENS	WEEK	WEEK	YEAR AGO	16-24 LB TOMS	WEEK	WEEK	YEAR AGO
EASTERN REGIO	ON 91.65 **	93.50	84.90**	EASTERN REGION	91.50 **	91.50 **	84.90 **
CENTRAL REGIO	ON 91.55 **	91.75	84.90**	CENTRAL REGION	91.50 **	91.50 **	84.90 **
WESTERN REGIO	ON 91.50 **	91.50**	84.90**	WESTERN REGION	91.50 **	91.50 **	84.90 **
**BASED ON OFF	FERS						

LIVE POULTRY SLTRD UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION

WEEK ENDING 21-JUN-2008 (PRELIMINARY)

YOUNG CHICKENS **THOUSANDS** Head 166,930 Avg Wt 5.62 Last week 166,837 Same wk yr ago 168.893 Avg Wt 5.40 To-date/2008 4,105,678 To-date/2007 3,979,658

LIVE TURKEYS SLTRD UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION

YOU	JNG HENS	YOUNG TOMS	
	THOUSANDS		
Head	2,064	2,774	
Avg Wt	16.36	37.48	
Last week	2,283	2,748	
Same wk yr ago	2,241	2,708	
Avg Wt	16.49	38.26	
To-date/2008	49,063	67,928	
To-date/2007	48,153	63,638	

	FRESH	BEEF	CUTS
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PRICE	RANGE	WTD AVG
585.00	636.00	620.41
195.00	215.00	203.15
631.00	650.00	644.29
141.85	157.00	149.01
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Source: USDA/AMS, Livestock and Grain Market News