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CHICAGO BROILER/FRYER

Preliminary for Delivery the Week of 19-Jul-2010

	RANGE	MAJ	WTD AVG	LOADS
WHOLE BODY 1/	68.00-95.50	77-84	80.10	35
1/: Whole Body category includes whole body birds with or without giblets, all grades, brands, and packaging.				

ESTIMATED U.S. LIVE POULTRY SLAUGHTER

UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION FOR W/E 17-Jul-10

	Current Week	Previous Week
Broiler/fryer	163,179	147,722

GEORGIA FOB DOCK PRICES

WEDNESDAY – 88.00 FRIDAY PRELIM. WTD. AVG. – 87.60

Confirmed preliminary prices on ice-packed parts:

ITEM	WTD AVG (CENTS PER LB)	VOL (000 LBS)
LINE RUN TENDERS	207.50	1,175
BREASTS - B/S	185.50	5,326
BREASTS - WHOLE	105.50	1,125
THIGH MEAT - B/S	87.00	965
THIGHS	48.00	794
DRUMSTICKS	61.50	842
LEG QUARTERS	38.50	7,497
WINGS	121.50	2,724

This info is supplied by the GA Dept. of Ag/Poultry Market News Service.

MIDWEST BROILER/FRYER - Preliminary prices were 2 cents lower into Chicago and TFEWR elsewhere. Whole broiler/fryer prices were trending barely steady to lower. Offers on whole birds were light to heavy with light trade interest noted. Parts prices were steady to barely steady on boneless skinless breasts, fully steady to higher on wings and steady on the balance of parts. Supplies of wings were light; all other parts moderate to instances heavy. Retail and food service demand was slow to moderate; fairly good demand noted into resort areas. Best movement noted on wings and eight piece cutup. Floor stocks were in close balance to long; weights mostly desirable.

WEEKLY WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICES FOR FROZEN WHOLE YOUNG TURKEYS, (consumer sizes, commodity pack or equivalent, U. S. Grade A, cents/lb. (minimum 10,000 lb. lots)

W/E 16-JUL-10

National	Current Week		Last Week		Last Year		June Averages		
	Wtd avg (cents/lb.)	volume (000 lbs.)	Wtd avg (cents/lb.)	volume (000 lbs.)	Wtd avg (cents/lb.)	volume (000 lbs.)	This Month	Last Month	Last Year
Weighted Average Price (FOB Shipper Dock basis)									
8-16 lb. (Hens)	94.71	1,620	94.00 ¹	--	78.75	--	90.28	82.46	78.18
16-24 lb. (Toms)	96.29	865	94.00 ¹	--	78.75	--	89.98	82.33	78.19

¹ based on offers.

SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION W/E 10-Jul-2010 (PRELIMINARY)

LIVE POULTRY Young Chickens ---Thousands---		LIVE TURKEYS Young Hens Young Toms -----Thousands-----	
Head	144,989	Head	1,658 2,222
Avg Wt	5.53	Avg Wt	16.96 38.22
Last week	164,596	Last week	1,905 2,547
Same wk yr ago	159,921	Same wk yr ago	2,067 2,645
Avg Wt	5.46	Avg Wt	18.07 36.86
To-date/2010*	4,311,879	To-date/2010*	48,137 67,599
To-date/2009*	4,212,647	To-date/2009*	51,632 69,556
% Change YTD	2%	% Change YTD	-7% -3%
<i>Ready-to-Cook Weight and Dressing Percentage</i>		<i>Ready-to-Cook Weight and Dressing Percentage</i>	
Current week	597,333	Current week	22,490 67,944
Last week	671,980	Last week	27,359 75,324
Same wk yr ago	650,511	Same wk yr ago	29,881 77,996
To-date/2010*	17,907,595	To-date/2010*	657,172 2,100,643
To-date/2009*	17,246,358	To-date/2009*	689,524 2,120,148
% Change YTD	4%	% Change YTD	-5% -1%
Dressing %	74.5%	Dressing %	80.0% 80.0%

(A) Dressing % adjustments reflect quarterly update. *Note: Year to-date totals reflect comparable time periods.

FRESH BEEF CUTS

FOB Negotiated

	PRICE RANGE	WTD AVG
112A 3 Rib, ribeye, bnls, heavy	556.00 605.00	576.04
168 3 Round, top inside round	159.00 172.00	162.62
180 3 Loin, strip, bnls, 0x1	490.00 520.00	503.35
Ground Beef 81%	142.00 154.81	146.03

Source: USDA/AMS, Livestock and Grain Market News