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#### NATIONAL TURKEY MARKET-AT-A-GLANCE

#### **DOMESTIC MARKET HIGHLIGHTS**

The market on hens and 16-24 lb. toms is generally steady. Demand very light to light for current shipments. Offerings are moderate on hens and light to moderate on 16-24 lb. toms. Frozen Grade A basted equivalent offering prices on a national basis for hens 102.00-110.00 cents fob and 16-24 lb. toms 103.00-110.00 cents fob for current deliveries. No trading reported.



The market on market on most meat and parts items is steady with steady to weak undertones. Demand and trading is light as industry members prepare for the July 4th Holiday. The continuing heat wave continues to be part of conversations as industry members continue to deal with possible ramifications and work to alleviate possible disasters. Offerings mixed and vary by processor and commodity. Trading light.

#### **EXPORT MARKET HIGHLIGHTS**

Trading light at best. The market is mostly steady with mixed sentiments being expressed on the strength of items. Demand is light. Offerings range light to heavy, mostly moderate.

### **CALIFORNIA PROCESSED TURKEY**

# SAN FRANCISCO SOUTHERN (LA. AREA) Delivered to Retailers (co

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	<u>RANGE</u>		<u>RANGE</u>
TURKEYS Y HENS	150-185	FRESH TURKEYS Y HENS 8-16#	117-136
TURKEYS Y TOMS UNDER 22#	149-185	FRESH TURKEYS Y TOMS 14-24#	
TURKEYS Y TOMS 22-24#	149-185	FROZEN TURKEYS Y HENS 8-16#	110-116
TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-26#	149-185	FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 14-24#	111-126
TURKEYS Y TOMS 26 LBS & OVER	150-185	FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-28#	114-130

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## NATIONAL YOUNG TURKEY PARTS

INCLUDING BULK MEAT AND FROZEN (UNLESS SPECIFIED), CENTS PER LB., DELIVERED FIRST RECEIVERS, PART AND FULL TRUCKLOTS AS OF 03 JULY 2012.

The market on most items is steady at best with demand and trading light as industry members prepare for the July 4th Holiday. The continuing heat wave in parts of the country continues to be a topic of conversation as industry members watch for ramifications. Offerings of most items light to moderate. For export: fresh thigh meat 80 cents delivered border.

DOMESTIC TRADING	PRICE RANGE	L.S.T. CODE 1/	WTD AVG PRICE	VOLUME (000)
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A 2/		R	128.00	20
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE AFRESH 2/		R	166.00	30
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS PLANT GRADE 2/				
DRUMSTICKS, TOM	58.00		58.00	18
DRUMSTICKS, TOMFRESH	52.00		52.00	120
DRUMSTICKS, HEN		W	62.00	8
WINGS, FULL-CUT, TOM	46.00		46.00	14
WINGS, FULL-CUT, HEN		W	49.83	12
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM		F	89.63	16
WINGS, V-TYPE, HEN		W	120.00	2
NECKS, TOM	38.00		38.00	14
NECKS, HEN		W	38.00	10
BREASTS, B/S, TOM 3/				
BREASTS, B/S, TOMFRESH 3/	176.00		176.00	120
THIGH MEAT		F	81.00	5
THIGH MEATFRESH	83.00		83.00	20
BREAST TRIM MEAT	68.00		68.00	40
SCAPULA MEAT		W	98.33	12
WING MEAT WITH SKIN				
TENDERLOINS				
DESTRAPPED TENDERS		W	183.00	40
DESTRAPPED TENDERSFRESH				
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/		M	39.00	40
MECHANICALLY SEPARATEDFRESH 4/		M	39.25	160
EXPORT TRADING				
DRUMSTICKS, TOMS		M	53.63	216
WINGS FULL-CUT - TOMS				
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM		F	77.50	162
TAILS				
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/		W	37.00	40
THIGH MEAT - FROZEN		M	84.00	324

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

M=Monday T=Tuesday W=Wednesday R=Thursday F=Friday

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

<sup>3/</sup> Boneless and skinless without tenderloins. 4/ 15-20% fat with skin added.