TURKEY: Weekly National Fresh and Frozen Whole Young Turkeys (Fri)

Fri. Feb 22, 2013

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Weighted Average Prices, cents per pound, F.O.B. Shipper Dock Basis - Week Ending February 22, 2013

FROZEN Whole Body Turkeys - commodity pack or equivalent; minimum 10,000 lb lots; current negotiation for delivery within two weeks.

U.S. Grade A - FROZEN	Current Week		Last Week		Last Year		January 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
8-16 lb. (Hens)	92.65	205	95.00 [1]		102.00	600	96.27	99.08	98.35
16-24 lb. (Toms)	92.75	209	96.29	19	102.10	954	96.27	100.36	98.76

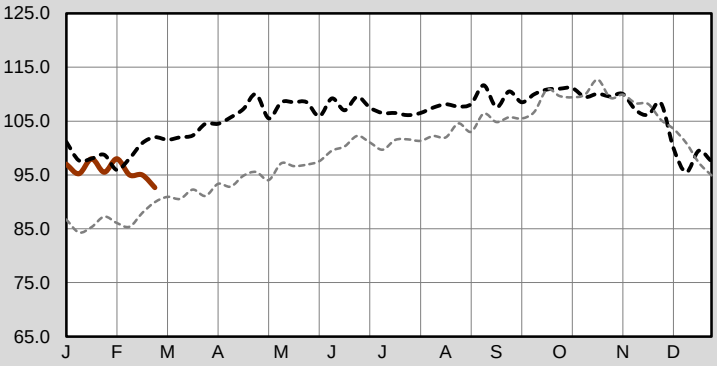
[1] based on offers.

FRESH Whole Body Turkeys - with timers; for delivery within the next seven days.

U.S. Grade A - FRESH	Current Week		Last Week		Last Year		January 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
Priced At Time Of Sale:									
8-16 lb. (Hens)	108.73	139.0	108.73	139.0	106.37	139.5	110.99	132.42	108.39
16-24 lb. (Toms)	106.49	78.0	106.49	78.0	105.27	65.0	111.72	131.74	108.34
Price To Be Determined:									
8-16 lb. (Hens)	--	2.5	--	2.5	--	2.5	--	--	--
16-24 lb. (Toms)	--	2.5	--	2.5	--	2.5	--	--	--

2013 — 2012 — Prior 3 Year Avg.

National FROZEN Hen Trend
(weighted average price in cents per pound; f.o.b. shipper dock)



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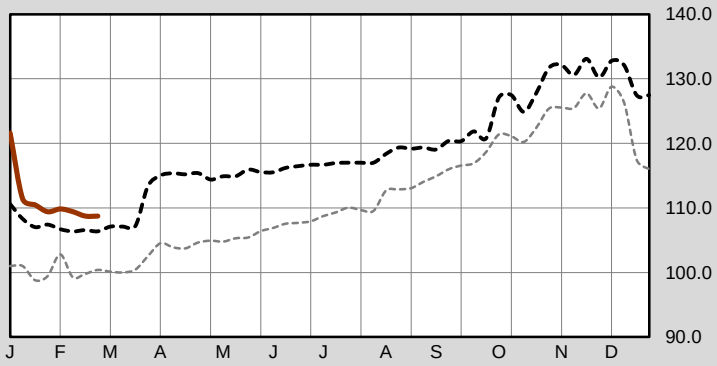
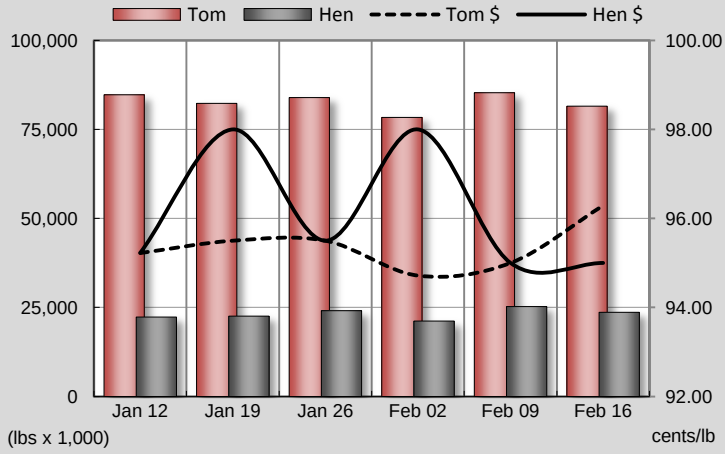
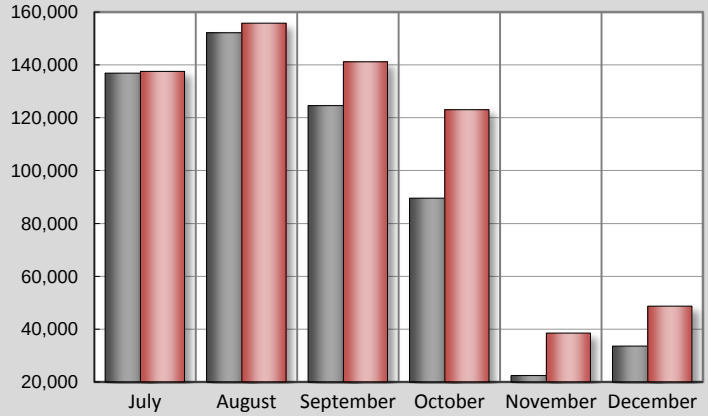


Weekly Turkey: RTC Volume vs. Frozen Price



Cold Storage Holdings - Frozen Hen Turkeys
(1,000 pounds) Source: NASS Monthly Cold Storage



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