



**Processed Chicken: National Mechanically Separated Chicken (Fri.)**  
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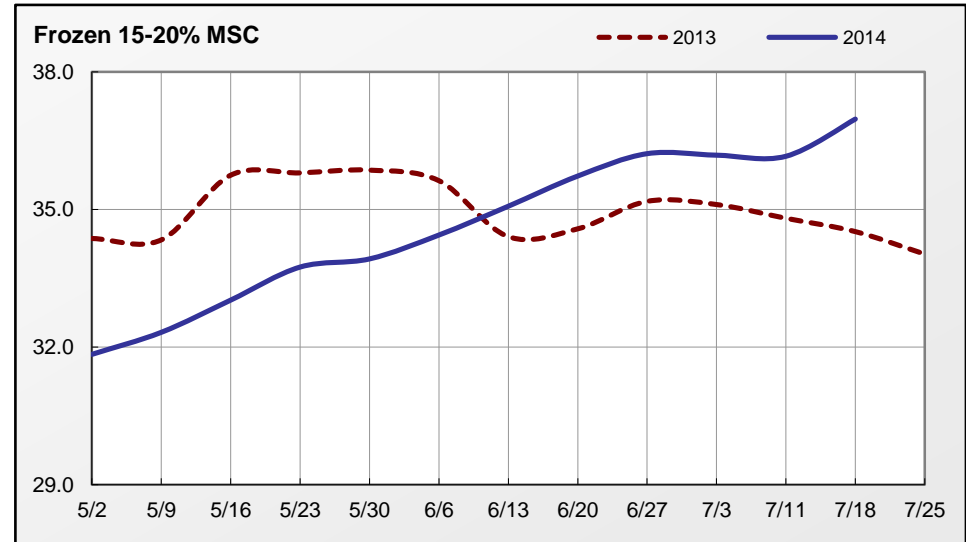
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(F.O.B. Shipper Dock or equivalent; negotiated prices in trucklot and less-than-trucklot volumes reported in thousand pound quantities, cents/pound; delivery within 2 weeks.)

Prices of MSC are steady to weak on all fat contents. Domestic and export demand is mixed; Mexico is moderate to good. Supplies are moderate to available. Spot product is available and slow to clear in the face of mixed interest and activity levels. Industry is closely monitoring the very unpredictable marketplace watching developments both domestically and with Mexico in the near and mid-term. Market activity is mixed ranging slow to instances active. Supplies of raw materials are available. Frames are steady at best trading between 12-15 cents FOB, mostly 12-14 cents FOB.

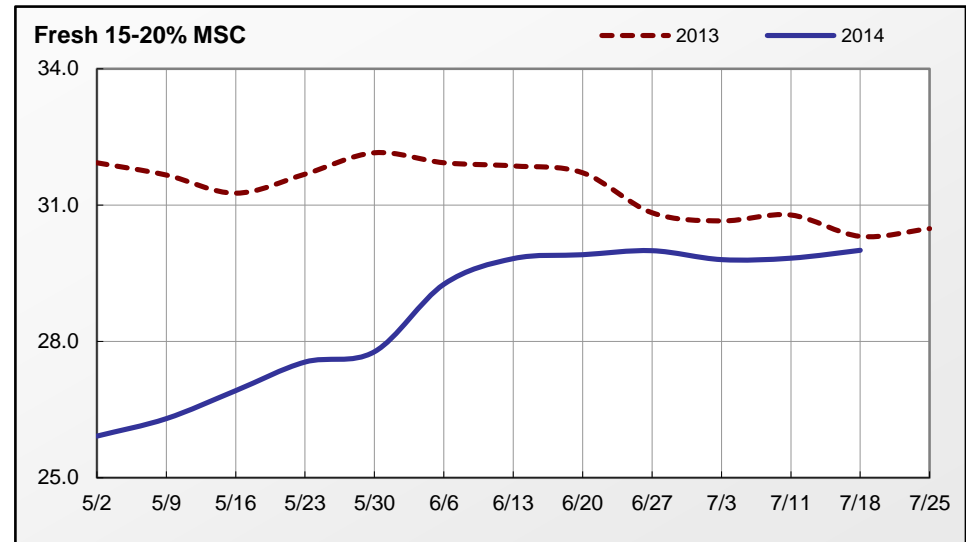
**Weekly MSC Weighted Average Prices (cents/pound) and Volumes (1,000 pounds)**

Fat Content	Frozen			Fresh		
	18-Jul-14	Last Week	Last Year	18-Jul-14	Last Week	Last Year
<b>15% or Less</b>						
Price Range	32.00	32.00	34.00	33.00	31.00	32.00-33.00
Wtd Avg Price	32.00	32.00	34.00	33.00	31.00	32.73
Volume Traded	40	40	40	40	82	224
Volume Exported	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>15-20%</b>						
Price Range	35.00 - 39.00	34.00 - 39.00	32.00-38.00	26.00 - 34.00	26.50 - 34.00	24.00-35.00
Wtd Avg Price	36.97	36.16	35.11	30.00	29.83	30.65
Volume Traded	1,705	2,000	1,200	4,218	2,938	2,611
Volume Exported	1,625	1,820	1,200	408	326	367
<b>20% or More</b>						
Price Range	-	-	-	25.50	25.00	22.00
Wtd Avg Price	-	-	-	25.50	25.00	22.00
Volume Traded	-	-	-	82	82	41
Volume Exported	-	-	-	-	-	-



**Monthly MSC Weighted Average Prices (cents/pound) and Volumes (1,000 pounds)**

Fat Content	Frozen			Fresh		
	Jun 2014	May 2014	Jun 2013	Jun 2014	May 2014	Jun 2013
<b>15% or Less</b>						
Wtd Avg Price	32.00	31.33	34.00	30.16	28.15	32.66
Volume Traded	120	120	40	653	836	775
Volume Exported	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>15-20%</b>						
Wtd Avg Price	35.41	33.05	34.82	29.73	26.94	31.54
Volume Traded	7,573	7,553	7,151	15,422	16,880	12,775
Volume Exported	7,453	6,937	6,588	3,672	2,815	1,265
<b>20% or More</b>						
Wtd Avg Price	-	-	-	25.00	22.73	22.30
Volume Traded	-	-	-	245	449	204
Volume Exported	-	-	-	-	-	-



Note: Volume exported refers to that portion of the total volume that is destined for export markets.