



Processed Chicken: National Mechanically Separated Chicken (Fri.)

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CORRECTION TO 2009/2010 GRAPH DATA

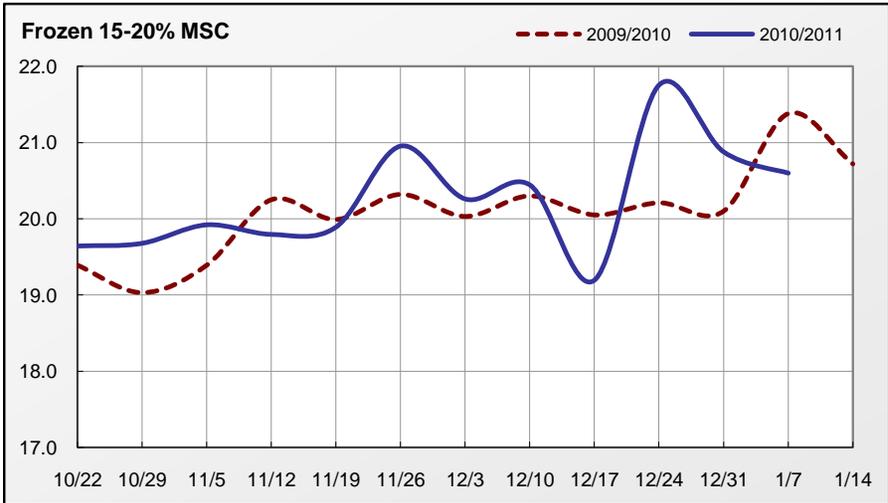
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(F.O.B. Shipper Dock or equivalent; negotiated prices in trucklot and less-than-trucklot volumes reported in thousand pound quantities, cents/pound; delivery within 2 weeks.)

Prices for MSC to start 2011 were steady on all fat contents. Supplies of fresh 15-20% were moderate to instances heavy with the remainder of fat contents light to moderate. Schedules were normal. Domestic demand was light with export demand mixed. Some noted good interest on frozen and anticipate good movement of all MSC throughout January. Market activity was slow to moderate with many suppliers trying to stay ahead. Contracts for 2011 are finalized, though there might be room for a few future opportunities throughout the year. Prices were confirmed at levels slightly lower than last year and in line with the current spot marketplace. For many, new contracts began this week and so far most have transitions have gone smoothly with a few typical hiccups noted. Supplies of raw materials were moderate to heavy. Frame values were steady ranging 6-8 cents FOB, mostly 7-8 cents FOB.

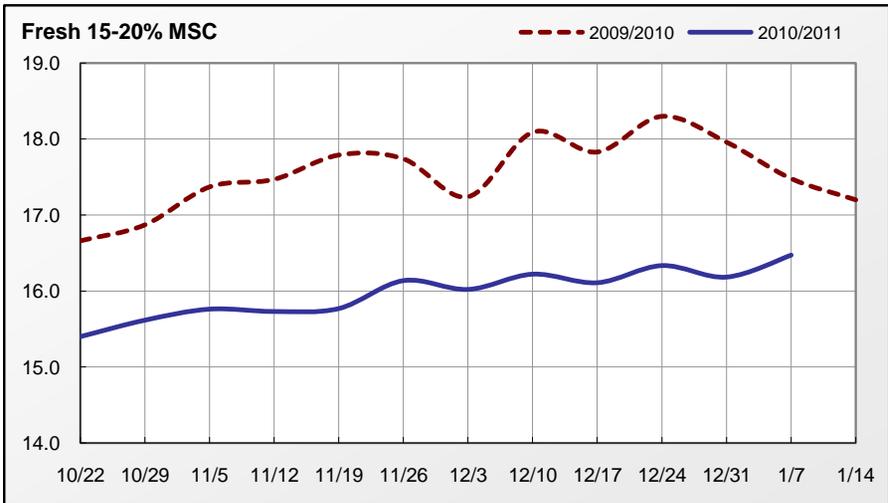
Weekly MSC Weighted Average Prices (cents/pound) and Volumes (1,000 pounds)

Fat Content	Frozen			Fresh		
	7-Jan-11	Last Week	Last Year	7-Jan-11	Last Week	Last Year
15% or Less						
Price Range			24.00	18.00 - 19.00	18.00 - 19.00	18.00-19.00
Wtd Avg Price			24.00	18.50	18.50	18.73
Volume Traded	-	-	40	245	82	445
Volume Exported	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-20%						
Price Range	15.00 - 26.00	15.00 - 24.00	18.00-24.00	13.00 - 20.50	13.00 - 20.50	16.00-21.00
Wtd Avg Price	20.60	20.88	21.38	16.47	16.18	17.48
Volume Traded	1,730	1,146	1,597	3,723	2,978	2,448
Volume Exported	1,450	966	1,437	408	408	428
20% or More						
Price Range	-	-	-	18.00 - 20.00	18.00 - 20.00	16.00
Wtd Avg Price	-	-	-	19.00	19.00	16.00
Volume Traded	-	-	-	163	82	82
Volume Exported	-	-	-	-	-	-



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

Fat Content	Frozen			Fresh		
	Dec 2010	Nov 2010	Dec 2009	Dec 2010	Nov 2010	Dec 2009
15% or Less						
Wtd Avg Price	-	-	-	18.48	18.50	18.55
Volume Traded	-	-	-	592	530	894
Volume Exported	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-20%						
Wtd Avg Price	20.34	20.04	20.14	16.16	15.85	17.84
Volume Traded	7,720	5,595	6,781	17,110	12,556	12,366
Volume Exported	6,300	4,755	5,659	2,938	2,856	3,060
20% or More						
Wtd Avg Price	-	-	-	19.29	19.38	16.18
Volume Traded	-	-	-	571	530	449
Volume Exported	-	-	-	-	-	-



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

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