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National Turkey Market At-A-Glance

Domestic Market Highlights

The market on frozen 8-16 lb. hens and 16-24 lb. toms is steady with a firm undertone. Fresh and frozen demand was light to moderate. Frozen and fresh offerings light. Frozen basted equivalent offering prices on a national basis for hens 112.00-117.00 cents shipping point and 16-24 lb. toms 109.00-114.00 cents shipping point for current deliveries. No trading was reported.



The market on bulk parts is steady to firm. Demand was moderate to good. Offerings light. The market on white meat is steady and not fully tested. Demand was light to moderate. Offerings light to moderate. The market on thigh meat is firm. Demand was moderate to good. Offerings light and held with confidence. The market on fresh mechanically separated turkey (MST) is steady to barely steady. Demand and offerings light to moderate. Trading for parts was slow to moderate.

Export Market Highlights

Trading was slow. The market is steady to firm. Demand was moderate to good. Offerings light.

California Processed Turkey – cents per pound

Southern (Los Angeles area) -

Delivered To Restaurants and Institutions

San Francisco –

Delivered To Restaurants & Institutions

	<u>Range</u>
Turkeys Y Hens	147-169
Turkeys Y Toms Under 22#	144-169
Turkeys Y Toms 22-24#	144-169
Turkeys Y Toms 24-26#	146-169
Turkeys Y Toms 26 Lbs & Over	148-169

	<u>Range</u>
Frozen Turkeys Y Toms 24-28#	115-125
Frozen Turkeys Y Toms 28# & Up	117-127
Breasts 10-12#	174-184
Cooked Rolls 60/40% 9# & Up	

Delivered To Retailers

	<u>Range</u>
Fresh Turkeys Y Hens 8-16#	118-128
Fresh Turkeys Y Toms 14-24#	
Frozen Turkeys Y Hens 8-16#	114-119
Frozen Turkeys Y Toms 14-24#	111-121
Frozen Turkeys Y Toms 24-28#	115-125

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National Young Turkey Parts

Including bulk meat and frozen (unless specified), cents per lb., delivered to first receivers, part and full trucklot.

The market on bulk parts was steady to firm. Demand was moderate to good. Offerings light and held with confidence. The market on white meat is steady and not fully tested. Demand and offerings were light to moderate. The market on thigh meat was firm. Demand was moderate to good. Offerings light. Trading was slow.

Domestic Trading	Price Range	L.S.T. Code 1/	Wtd Avg Price	Volume (000)
Breasts, 4-8 lbs. Grade A 2/	132.00-133.00		132.50	80
Breasts, 4-8 lbs. Grade A--Fresh 2/		F	165.33	30
Breasts, 4-8 lbs. Plant Grade 2/				
Drumsticks, Tom		F	93.00	40
Drumsticks, Tom--Fresh	86.00		86.00	40
Drumsticks, Hen	85.00		85.00	2
Wings, Full-Cut, Tom		R	91.00	3
Wings, Full-Cut, Hen	84.00		84.00	2
Wings, V-Type, Tom	116.00		116.00	80
Wings, V-Type, Hen	122.00		122.00	2
Necks, Tom		F	52.77	130
Necks, Hen	40.00		40.00	2
Breasts, B/S, Tom 3/		R	259.00	20
Breasts, B/S, Tom--Fresh 3/		R	267.00	16
Thigh Meat		F	148.00	10
Thigh Meat--Fresh		F	138.96	220
Breast Trim Meat		R	170.00	4
Scapula Meat		F	192.00	5
Wing Meat with Skin		R	160.00	40
Tenderloins	215.00		215.00	6
Destrapped Tenders	221.00		221.00	80
Destrapped Tenders--Fresh				
Mechanically Separated 4/		R	34.50	40
Mechanically Separated--Fresh 4/	31.50-33.00		32.50	120

Export Trading

Drumsticks, Toms		F	120.00	108
Wings Full-Cut - Toms				
Wings, V-Type, Tom				
Tails		R	51.28	94
Mechanically Separated 4/				
Thigh Meat - Frozen		F	150.00	40

1/ Codes for last significant trade (L.S.T.)

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

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

3/ Boneless & skinless without tenderloins.

4/ 15-20% fat with skin added.