

LIVE SPENT HEAVY FOWL

Prices are trending no better than steady when compared to the previous week. Supplies are moderate to heavy for the seasonally light to moderate demand. Processing schedules returned to normal following the Thanksgiving Day holiday. Retail feature activity is moderate. Finished product supplies are moderate to heavy. Market activity is slow to moderate.

Final Prices at Farm Buyer Loading: Price Range Wtd Avg

Prices in cents per pound. 8.0 - 16.5 13.20

(Southeast Region broiler breeder hens generally for processing, 7 lbs. and up; under 7 lbs. subject to discount.)

LIVE SPENT LIGHT FOWL

Prices are trending generally steady. Demand is seasonally light to moderate for the moderate to heavy offerings of light type hens. Processing schedules are normal following the Thanksgiving holiday. Market activity is slow to moderate. The majority price for removal costs remains unchanged at 0-7 cents per head.

(live hens are predominately egg-layers averaging about 3.5 lbs. live weight per bird.) Eastern region = AL, CT, DE, GA, KY, MA, MD, ME, MS, NC, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, SC, TN, VA, VT, and WV; North Central = IA, IL, IN, MI, MN, ND, NE, OH, SD, WI; South Central = AR, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, TX.

READY-TO-COOK FOWL

Midwest Region Negotiated Prices to First Receivers

(cents/lb.delivered to first receivers; US Grade A and Plant Grade)

| | Price Range |
|--------------------------|-------------|
| Ice Packed (12/box): | 80.0 - 86.0 |
| Vacuum Packed (6-9/box): | 85.0 - 90.0 |

Midwest region = IL, IN, MI, MO, OH, and WI

LIVE FOWL AUCTIONS

Hackettstown, NJ - Tue Nov. 29

| | Price Range | Avg. |
|------------------|-------------|------|
| Heavy Fowl each: | 4.25 | |
| per pound: | 0.60 - 3.15 | 1.66 |

Graystone Small Animal, Manheim, PA - Tue Nov. 29

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|-------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| Red Fowl 5-6 lbs: | 0.50 - 0.60 | per pound |
| 4-5 lbs: | 0.45 - 0.65 | per pound |
| Crossbred Fowl 5-9 lbs: | 0.45 - 0.50 | per pound |

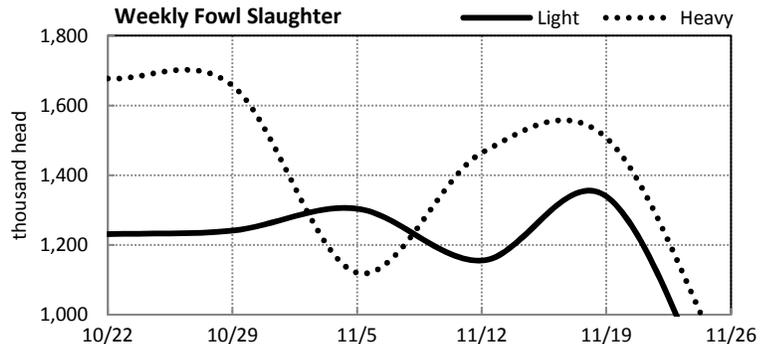
LIVE FOWL SLAUGHTER

Weekly Fowl Slaughtered Under Federal Inspection

Week ending 11-26-11

| | Head | Avg Wt | RTC Wt | Dress% |
|-------------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Light Hens: | 649 | 3.39 | 1,188 | 54% |
| Heavy Hens: | 820 | 7.75 | 4,131 | 65% |
| Total Hens: | 1,469 | 5.82 | 5,319 | -- |

(head and ready-to-cook weight in thousands; avg. wght in lbs.)



RETAIL FOWL FEATURING

Supermarket featuring during the week of 12/02 to 12/08

| Region | Light Hens | | Heavy Hens | |
|---------------|------------|---------|------------|---------|
| | Stores | Wtd Avg | Stores | Wtd Avg |
| Northeast | | | | |
| Southeast | | | | |
| Midwest | | | | |
| South Central | | | 48 | 0.99 |
| Southwest | | | | |
| Northwest | | | | |

^{1/} %'s reflect feature activity relative to the sample size of each region.

