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NATIONAL TURKEY MARKET-AT-A-GLANCE

DOMESTIC MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

The hen and 16-24 lb. tom market is mostly steady. Demand and offerings light to moderate. Frozen basted equivalent offering prices on a national basis for hens 96.00-103.00 cents shipping point and 16-24 lb. toms 96-103.00 cents shipping point for current deliveries. Trading heavy on frozen basted equivalent hens and 16-24 lb. toms at 96.50 cents shipping point for January-February shipments.

The white meat market is steady with steady to weak undertones. Demand light. Offerings moderate to heavy. The market on tom bulk parts is mostly steady. Demand light to moderate. Offerings light to moderately heavy, mostly moderate. The market on 4-8 lb. bone-in breasts is generally steady and institutional sizes are steady at best. Demand light. Offerings light to moderate. The thigh meat market is steady. Demand moderate to good, mostly moderate. Offerings light to sometimes moderate. The mechanically separated turkey market is generally steady. Demand light. Offerings light to moderate. Trading light.

EXPORT MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

Trading light. Demand and offerings light to moderate.

CALIFORNIA PROCESSED TURKEY

SAN FRANCISCO

Delivered to Restaurants and Institutions (cents per pound)

	RANGE
TURKEYS Y HENS	149-185
TURKEYS Y TOMS UNDER 22#	146-185
TURKEYS Y TOMS 22-24#	146-185
TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-26#	152-185
TURKEYS Y TOMS 26 LBS & OVER	154-185

SOUTHERN (LA. AREA)

Delivered to Retailers (cents per pound)

	RANGE
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-28#	114-129
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 28# & UP	115-130
BREASTS 10-12#	175-185
COOKED ROLLS 60/40% 9# & UP	

DELIVERED TO RETAILERS	RANGE
FRESH TURKEYS Y HENS 8-16#	117-128
FRESH TURKEYS Y TOMS 14-24#	
FROZEN TURKEYS Y HENS 8-16#	103-115
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 14-24#	103-125
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-28#	114-129

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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. Demand was light to moderate. Offerings moderate. The market on white meat was steady to weak. Demand was light. Offerings moderate to heavy. The market on thigh meat was steady. Demand was moderate. Offerings were light to moderate. Trading was slow to moderate. For domestic: fresh scapula 130 cents delivered.

DOMESTIC TRADING	PRICE RANGE	L.S.T. CODE 1/	WTD AVG PRICE	VOLUME (000)
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A 2/		T	125.29	280
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A--FRESH 2/		F	169.00	25
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS PLANT GRADE 2/		T	116.00	160
DRUMSTICKS, TOM	77.00		77.00	2
DRUMSTICKS, TOM--FRESH	73.00		73.00	40
DRUMSTICKS, HEN		R	83.00	4
WINGS, FULL-CUT, TOM	75.00		75.00	2
WINGS, FULL-CUT, HEN		F	85.00	5
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM		F	101.08	44
WINGS, V-TYPE, HEN		F	124.00	5
NECKS, TOM	54.00		54.00	2
NECKS, HEN		R	43.00	4
BREASTS, B/S, TOM 3/				
BREASTS, B/S, TOM--FRESH 3/				
THIGH MEAT	147.00		147.00	10
THIGH MEAT--FRESH		F	146.56	36
BREAST TRIM MEAT		R	128.00	8
SCAPULA MEAT	130.00		130.00	5
WING MEAT WITH SKIN				
TENDERLOINS		F	200.00	8
DESTRAPPED TENDERS				
DESTRAPPED TENDERS--FRESH	200.00		200.00	5
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/		T	31.00	40
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED--FRESH 4/	33.00		33.00	30
EXPORT TRADING				
DRUMSTICKS, TOMS	66.00		66.00	360
WINGS FULL-CUT - TOMS		W	73.50	27
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM		F	96.50	162
TAILS		R	58.00	40
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/		F	33.33	324
THIGH MEAT - FROZEN		F	147.00	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.