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NATIONAL TURKEY MARKET-AT-A-GLANCE

DOMESTIC MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

The market on 8-16 lb. hens and 16-24 lb. toms is steady to weak with offering prices unchanged to lower. Frozen whole turkey offerings at least moderate for the very light buyer interest. Frozen Grade A basted equivalent offering prices on a national basis for hens 93.00-99.00 cents fob and 16-24 lb. toms 96.00-99.00 cents fob for current shipments. No truck-lot trading reported.

The market on white meat is steady with a steady to weak undertone. Demand light for the at least moderate offerings. The market on tom bulk parts is mostly steady. Demand on tom bulk parts is light for the light to moderate offerings. Trading light.

EXPORT MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

No trading reported. The market is generally steady. Demand light. Offering light to moderate.

NATIONAL YOUNG TURKEY PARTS

Including bulk meat and frozen (unless specified), cents per pound, delivered first receivers, part and full trucklots.

The market on bulk parts was steady. Demand was light. Offerings were light to moderate. The market on tom breast meat and the balance of white meat was steady to weak. Demand was light. Offerings moderate to heavy. The market on thigh meat was steady. Demand and offerings was light to moderate. Trading was slow. For domestic: fresh full cut wings 42 cents, fresh tom necks 45 cents, fresh scapula 113 cents, frozen tails 54.5 cents, grade A breast non basted 8-10 lbs. 157 cents and 12-16 lbs. 167 cents delivered.

DOMESTIC TRADING

	PRICE RANGE	L.S.T. CODE 1/	WTD AVG PRICE	VOLUME (000)
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A 2/				
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A--FRESH 2/				
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS PLANT GRADE 2/				
DRUMSTICKS, TOM		F	59.00	40
DRUMSTICKS, TOM--FRESH	58.00-60.00		59.00	80
DRUMSTICKS, HEN		F	52.00	12
WINGS, FULL-CUT, TOM		F	48.00	40
WINGS, FULL-CUT, HEN				
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM		M	78.00	40
WINGS, V-TYPE, HEN		F	117.00	2
NECKS, TOM	49.00		49.00	41
NECKS, HEN		F	31.00	12
BREASTS, B/S, TOM 3/				
BREASTS, B/S, TOM--FRESH 3/		F	198.00	14
THIGH MEAT		R	138.37	82
THIGH MEAT--FRESH		R	138.00	20
BREAST TRIM MEAT				
SCAPULA MEAT		R	113.00	14
WING MEAT WITH SKIN		R	87.00	14
TENDERLOINS		F	158.00	2
DESTRAPPED TENDERS		F	161.00	14
DESTRAPPED TENDERS--FRESH		F	161.00	14
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/		R	27.50	160
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED--FRESH 4/	30.50-32.00		31.52	342

EXPORT TRADING

DRUMSTICKS, TOMS		R	61.00	80
WINGS FULL-CUT - TOMS				
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM				
TAILS				
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/				
THIGH MEAT - FROZEN				

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 and skinless without tenderloins.

4/ 15-20% fat with skin added.