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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. Demand light to moderate. Offerings of frozen hens and 16-24 lb. toms moderate. Frozen Grade A basted equivalent offering prices on a national basis for hens 93.00-98.00 cents fob and 16-24 lb. toms 93.00-98.00 cents fob for current shipments. No current trading reported.

The market on bulk parts was steady. Demand and offerings was light to moderate. The market on breast meat is steady to weak and not fully tested and the balance of white meat was steady. Demand on breast meat was light with the balance of white meat was light to moderate. Offerings of breast meat was moderate to heavy with the balance of white meat light to moderate. The thigh meat market was steady on fresh and mixed on frozen. Demand and offerings was light to moderate. The market on mechanically separated turkey is steady. Demand and offerings was light to moderate. Trading was slow to moderate.

EXPORT MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

Trading was slow. The export market was steady. Demand and offerings was 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 and offerings light to moderate. The market on tom breast meat was steady to weak and not fully tested and the market on the balance of white meat is steady. Demand on tom breast meat is light with the balance of white meat demand light to moderate. Offerings of tom breast meat moderate to heavy, balance of white meat light to moderate. Trading was slow to moderate. For domestic: fresh tom full-cut wings 42 cents, fresh tom necks 42 cents, fresh scapula 114.25 cents, # 1 thigh trim 92-93.5 cents and fresh tails 53 cents delivered. For export: fresh thigh meat 140.25 cents, fresh tom drums 58-60 cents and # 2 thigh trim 78 cents delivered to port or border.

DOMESTIC TRADING

	PRICE RANGE	L.S.T. CODE 1/	WTD AVG PRICE	VOLUME (000)
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A 2/		F	122.00	16
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A--FRESH 2/		F	165.40	25
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS PLANT GRADE 2/		R	115.00	160
DRUMSTICKS, TOM		F	60.18	22
DRUMSTICKS, TOM--FRESH	58.00-60.00		59.00	160
DRUMSTICKS, HEN		F	60.49	46
WINGS, FULL-CUT, TOM		F	46.19	129
WINGS, FULL-CUT, HEN		W	50.00	4
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM		W	75.00	2
WINGS, V-TYPE, HEN		W	119.00	4
NECKS, TOM	42.00-44.00		43.33	120
NECKS, HEN		W	33.00	6
BREASTS, B/S, TOM 3/		R	170.00	200
BREASTS, B/S, TOM--FRESH 3/		F	198.00	20
THIGH MEAT		F	135.10	186
THIGH MEAT--FRESH	140.00-142.00		141.40	133
BREAST TRIM MEAT	95.00		95.00	24
SCAPULA MEAT	110.00		110.00	12
WING MEAT WITH SKIN	91.00		91.00	15
TENDERLOINS		F	155.00	2
DESTRAPPED TENDERS	155.00		155.00	30
DESTRAPPED TENDERS--FRESH	155.00		155.00	18
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/		R	30.00	40
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED--FRESH 4/	31.50-33.00		32.07	308

EXPORT TRADING

DRUMSTICKS, TOMS	58.00		58.00	120
WINGS FULL-CUT - TOMS		F	42.00	330
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM		F	92.00	162
TAILS		F	53.00	54
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/		R	30.00	540
THIGH MEAT - FROZEN		F	136.50	80

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.