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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 for current shipments. Demand light for current deliveries. Offerings of hens and 16-24 lb. toms moderate. Frozen Grade A basted equivalent processor offering prices on a national basis for hens 94.00-99.00 cents fob and 16-24 lb. toms 94.00-99.00 cents fob from current production for current shipments. No truck-lot trading reported.

The market on breast meat and tenderloins is steady with a steady to weak undertone. The market on white trims is steady to firm, mostly steady. Demand on tom breast meat and tenderloins light. Demand on white trims is light to mostly moderate. Offerings of breast meat and tenderloins moderate to moderately heavy. Breast trim, scapula and wing meat offerings light to moderate with scapula the least available. The market on tom bulk parts is steady to firm. Demand light to mostly moderate. Offerings light to moderate. The thigh meat market is steady at best. Demand generally light. Offerings moderate. The market on mechanically separated turkey is steady. Demand moderate. Offerings light to moderate. Trading light.

EXPORT MARKET HIGHLIGHTS Trading light. The market on tom bulk parts is steady to firm, balance of items steady. Demand light to moderate, instances good. Offerings 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 to fully steady with tom full cut wings and tom necks best. Demand and offerings was light to moderate. The market on tom breast meat and destrapped tenderloins is steady to weak and not fully tested. The balance of white trims was steady. The thigh meat market is steady. Demand was light. Offerings light to moderate. Trading was slow to moderate. For domestic: fresh wing meat 90 cents and frozen hearts 38 cents delivered. For export: Fresh thigh meat 121 cents, fresh tom drums 56 cents, frozen scapula 115 cents and frozen livers 28 cents delivered to border or port..

DOMESTIC TRADING

	PRICE RANGE	L.S.T. CODE 1/	WTD AVG PRICE	VOLUME (000)
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A 2/		F	123.00	14
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A--FRESH 2/		R	174.00	20
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS PLANT GRADE 2/		T	115.50	80
DRUMSTICKS, TOM	62.00		62.00	4
DRUMSTICKS, TOM--FRESH	56.00-60.00		57.33	120
DRUMSTICKS, HEN		F	56.00	80
WINGS, FULL-CUT, TOM	48.00-49.00		48.95	84
WINGS, FULL-CUT, HEN		R	50.00	6
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM		R	75.00	2
WINGS, V-TYPE, HEN		R	119.00	2
NECKS, TOM	50.00		50.00	40
NECKS, HEN		M	33.00	40
BREASTS, B/S, TOM 3/		T	150.00	20
BREASTS, B/S, TOM--FRESH 3/	160.00		160.00	20
THIGH MEAT		F	116.40	100
THIGH MEAT--FRESH	121.00		121.00	80
BREAST TRIM MEAT		R	95.00	44
SCAPULA MEAT	111.00		111.00	12
WING MEAT WITH SKIN		T	86.00	240
TENDERLOINS		R	146.00	2
DESTRAPPED TENDERS		W	148.00	40
DESTRAPPED TENDERS--FRESH		T	148.00	44
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/	31.00		31.00	40
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED--FRESH 4/		F	32.10	284

EXPORT TRADING

DRUMSTICKS, TOMS		F	64.37	688
WINGS FULL-CUT - TOMS		F	50.00	54
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM		R	88.00	162
TAILS		F	53.00	40
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/				
THIGH MEAT - FROZEN		F	115.42	228

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.