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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 firm, mostly steady with hens strongest. Demand light to instances moderate. Processor offerings of hens and 16-24 lb. toms light with some finding hens less available than toms. Frozen Grade A basted equivalent processor offering prices on a national basis for hens 96.00-101.00 cents fob and 16-24 lb. toms 92.00-101.00 cents fob for current shipments. No trading reported.

The market on wing meat and fresh tom breast meat is steady with a steady to firm undertone; frozen tom breast meat and the balance of white meat and trims steady to firm. Demand light to good, mostly moderate to good on white meat and white trims. Offerings light to moderate, mostly light. The market on tom bulk parts is steady to firm on tom drums and tom full-cut wings, balance of tom bulk parts steady. Demand light to good, mostly light to moderate. Offerings of tom drums and tom full-cut wings light, balance of tom bulk parts light to moderate. The market on thigh meat is steady. Offerings light to moderate. The mechanically separated turkey market is steady. Demand and offerings light to moderate. Trading light.

### EXPORT MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

Trading light with activity also found on frozen tom breast meat, scapula, and both hen and tom defatted gizzards. The market on tom drums and tom full-cut wings is steady to firm, thigh meat steady to instances firm and the balance of items steady. Demand light to moderate, sometimes 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, instances firm. Demand and offerings was light to moderate. Tom breast meat market is steady, with the balance of white meat steady to firm. Demand was in a full range, light to good. Offerings light to moderate. Thigh meat and mechanically separated market was mixed and mostly steady. Demand and offerings light to moderate. Trading for parts was slow. For domestic: fresh breast trim 114 cents, frozen tails 54 cents, fresh scapula 126 cents, fresh wing meat 93 cents, fresh punched drums 104 cents, grade A breast non basted 8-10 lbs. 132 cents, 10-12 lbs. 125 cents and 12-16 lbs. 137 cents delivered. For export: frozen scapula 128 cents, frozen tom breast meat 180 cents, hand defatted to gizzards 100 cents, hens 87 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/				
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A--FRESH 2/		F	175.17	30
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS PLANT GRADE 2/				
DRUMSTICKS, TOM	71.00		71.00	10
DRUMSTICKS, TOM--FRESH	67.00		67.00	40
DRUMSTICKS, HEN		F	63.00	6
WINGS, FULL-CUT, TOM	46.00		46.00	10
WINGS, FULL-CUT, HEN		F	47.00	7
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM		R	75.00	42
WINGS, V-TYPE, HEN		R	118.00	4
NECKS, TOM	41.00		41.00	50
NECKS, HEN		F	37.00	6
BREASTS, B/S, TOM 3/	152.00		152.00	10
BREASTS, B/S, TOM--FRESH 3/	155.00		155.00	40
THIGH MEAT	108.00		108.00	10
THIGH MEAT--FRESH	117.00		117.00	10
BREAST TRIM MEAT	114.00		114.00	40
SCAPULA MEAT		R	126.00	2
WING MEAT WITH SKIN		M	86.00	100
TENDERLOINS		W	148.00	2
DESTRAPPED TENDERS				
DESTRAPPED TENDERS--FRESH	148.00-150.00		149.29	62
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/	38.00		38.00	12
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED--FRESH 4/	37.00		37.00	120

### EXPORT TRADING

DRUMSTICKS, TOMS	73.00		73.00	108
WINGS FULL-CUT - TOMS	45.00		45.00	108
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM	76.00		76.00	54
TAILS		T	55.00	216
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/	37.00		37.00	108
THIGH MEAT - FROZEN	110.00		110.00	216

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.