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NATIONAL TURKEY MARKET AT-A-GLANCE

DOMESTIC MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

The undertone for hens and 16-24 lb. toms steady to firm. Limited trading for toms noted. Demand light with most interest for deferred shipments. Parts trading light, meats moderate. MST reported in a better position after post holiday trading. Demand light with best interest for export.

EXPORT MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

Trading light to Asia. Inquiry slow to fair on drums for the light to adequate supplies.



SAN FRANCISCO TURKEYS (CENTS PER LB) DELIVERED TO RESTAURANTS AND INSTITUTIONS

	<u>RANGE</u>
TURKEYS Y HENS	88-89
TURKEYS Y TOMS UNDER 22#	86-89
TURKEYS Y TOMS 22-24#	86-89
TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-26#	88-89
TURKEYS Y TOMS 26 LBS & OVER	89-114

LOS ANGELES PROCESSED TURKEYS (CENTS PER LB) DELIVERED TO RESTAURANTS AND INSTITUTIONS

	<u>RANGE</u>
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-28#	80-92
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 28# & UP	83-100
BREASTS 10-12#	163-198
COOKED ROLLS 60/40% 9# & UP	

	<u>RANGE</u>
<u>DELIVERED TO RETAILERS</u>	
FRESH TURKEYS Y HENS 8-16#	82-90
FRESH TURKEYS Y TOMS 14-24#	82-90
FROZEN TURKEYS Y HENS 8-16#	73
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 14-24#	73-75
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-28#	76-80

WHOLE YOUNG TURKEYS, FROZEN 1/, CONSUMER SIZES, COMMODITY PACK OR EQUIVALENT, US GRADE A, CENTS PER LB, DELIVERED (MINIMUM 10,000 LB LOTS)

	<u>CURRENT SHIPMENTS 2/</u>				<u>FORWARD SHIPMENTS 6/</u>			<u>OPEN COMMITMENTS 7/</u>	
	<u>OFFERS</u>	<u>SALES AVG</u>	<u>WTD (000)</u>	<u>VOLUME</u>	<u>WTD AVG</u>	<u>VOLUME (000)</u>	<u>DEL. PER</u>	<u>VOLUME (000)</u>	<u>DEL. PER</u>
8-16 LB HENS									
EASTERN REGION 3/	67-69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CENTRAL REGION 4/	67-68	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WESTERN REGION 5/	67-69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16-24 LB TOMS									
EASTERN REGION 3/	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CENTRAL REGION 4/	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WESTERN REGION 5/	69-71	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1/ May include product stored at temperatures in range of 1 to 25 degrees F. 2/ Includes product priced for shipment within 14 days. 3/ Includes product with 3 percent broth basting. 4/ Includes product with 3-6 percent broth basting. 5/ Includes products with 6 percent broth basting. 6/ Includes product committed for pricing during the previous 24 hours but shipment in more than 14 days from date of commitment. 7/ Includes product committed during previous 24 hours at prices to be determined at later date.

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NATIONAL YOUNG TURKEY PARTS AND BULK MEAT, FROZEN (UNLESS SPECIFIED), CENTS PER LB., DELIVERED FIRST RECEIVERS, PART AND FULL TRUCKLOTS AS OF 07 JUNE 1999.

Demand light to fair on fresh tom breast meat, fair to good on fresh 15-20% skin added mechanically separated turkey (MST) with some buyers indicating fresh MST less available than fresh tom breast meat. Demand slow to light on tom wings, fair on tom drums, light to fair on necks. Offerings of fresh tom breast uneven ranging from light to at least adequate, MST light. For export: hen necks (2 rail-cars) 15, tom defatted gizzards (2 containers) 59 cents delivered.

DOMESTIC TRADING	PRICE RANGE	L.S.T. CODE 1/	WTD AVG PRICE	VOLUME (000)
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A 2/		F	97.50	80
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A—FRESH 2/		R	129.00	40
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS PLANT GRADE 2/				
DRUMSTICKS, TOM		F	15.40	200
DRUMSTICKS, TOM—FRESH				
DRUMSTICKS, HEN				
WINGS, FULL-CUT, TOM		R	22.20	35
WINGS, FULL-CUT, HEN				
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM		F	20.50	80
WINGS, V-TYPE, HEN		F	44.00	40
NECKS, TOM		R	14.18	57
NECKS, HEN				
BREASTS, B/S, TOM 3/		T	180.00	100
BREASTS, B/S, TOM—FRESH 3/	189.00-193.00		190.89	360
THIGH MEAT				
THIGH MEAT—FRESH		F	59.00	56
BREAST TRIM MEAT		F	110.00	100
SCAPULA MEAT		R	91.00	10
TENDERLOINS				
DESTRAPPED TENDERS		F	162.00	80
WING MEAT WITH SKIN		F	68.00	92
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/				
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED—FRESH 4/	15.75-16.00		15.88	720
EXPORT TRADING				
DRUMSTICKS, TOMS	16.00-17.00		16.50	208
WINGS FULL-CUT - TOMS		F	22.00	80
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM	20.00		20.00	208
TAILS				
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/		F	16.83	480
THIGH MEAT - FROZEN		F	61.19	320

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/ Without tenderloins. 4/ Product contains 15-20% fat with skin added.