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NATIONAL TURKEY MARKET AT-A-GLANCE



DOMESTIC MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

The market tone was steady to firm on hens and toms. Offerings remained mixed and ranged from tight to adequate. Demand limited by the holiday weekend. No trading reported. Trading on parts and bulk meats was generally inactive due to the holiday weekend.

EXPORT MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

Demand and trading very slow as the holiday took precedence. Little or no activity reported. Inquiry was light to moderate.

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

	<u>RANGE</u>
TURKEYS Y HENS	85-104
TURKEYS Y TOMS UNDER 22#	88-104
TURKEYS Y TOMS 22-24#	88-104
TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-26#	88-104
TURKEYS Y TOMS 26 LBS & OVER	102-104

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

	<u>RANGE</u>
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-28#	77-85
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 28# & UP	78-88
BREASTS 10-12#	141-143
COOKED ROLLS 60/40% 9# & UP	
<u>DELIVERED TO RETAILERS</u>	
	<u>RANGE</u>
FRESH TURKEYS Y HENS 8-16#	90-94
FRESH TURKEYS Y TOMS 14-24#	87-94
FROZEN TURKEYS Y HENS 8-16#	79-81
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 14-24#	76-78
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-28#	77-80

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

CURRENT SHIPMENTS 2/

	OFFERS	SALES	WTD AVG	VOLUME (000)
8-16 LB HENS				
EASTERN REGION 3/	74-75	-	-	-
CENTRAL REGION 4/	73-74	-	-	-
WESTERN REGION 5/	74-75	-	-	-
16-24 LB TOMS				
EASTERN REGION	71-72	-	-	-
CENTRAL REGION	70-71	-	-	-
WESTERN REGION	71-72	-	-	-

FORWARD SHIPMENTS 6/

WTD AVG	VOLUME (000)	DEL. PER
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	-	-

OPEN COMMITMENTS 7/

VOLUME (000)	DEL. PER
-	-
-	-
-	-
-	-
-	-
-	-

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 05 SEPTEMBER 2000.

Trade sentiment fully steady on thigh meat and drums, 2-joint wings fully steady to firm, necks steady to weak. Demand light to fair. Trading slow on all items. Offerings of full-cut wings light to adequate; drums, thigh meat and 2-joint wings light and held with confidence; necks available with some moving excess inventories into pet foods.

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	28.00			
DRUMSTICKS, TOM—FRESH DRUMSTICKS, HEN		R	149.00	20
WINGS, FULL-CUT, TOM	22.00		28.00	5
WINGS, FULL-CUT, HEN		F	26.00	10
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM		F	32.00	40
WINGS, V-TYPE, HEN		R	23.00	40
NECKS, TOM	15.00		32.80	200
NECKS, HEN		R	15.00	40
BREASTS, B/S, TOM 3/ BREASTS, B/S, TOM—FRESH 3/ THIGH MEAT	181.00		181.00	40
THIGH MEAT—FRESH		R	56.00	6
BREAST TRIM MEAT		R	56.00	40
SCAPULA MEAT		W	121.00	40
TENDERLOINS		R	134.00	40
DESTRAPPED TENDERS		W	143.00	40
DESTRAPPED TENDERS—FRESH		W	173.00	70
WING MEAT WITH SKIN		R	37.33	60
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/ MECHANICALLY SEPARATED—FRESH 4/		W	15.00	40
		F	16.00	40
EXPORT TRADING				
DRUMSTICKS, TOMS	28.00		28.00	80
WINGS FULL-CUT - TOMS		R	23.00	208
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM				
TAILS		W	19.50	360
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/		F	16.08	392
THIGH MEAT - FROZEN		F	57.59	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.