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## NATIONAL TURKEY MARKET AT-A-GLANCE

### DOMESTIC MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

Trade sentiment for 8-16 lb. hens and 16-24 lb. toms steady to barely steady. No trading reported and demand light. Offerings more than adequate for trade needs. Parts and meats trading slow to start off the week. Buyers and sellers taking a wait and see attitude. Offerings adequate.



### EXPORT MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

Demand and trading slow. Limited trading centered on tom drums, frozen mechanically separated turkey and frozen thigh meat going to Mexico.

### SAN FRANCISCO TURKEYS (CENTS PER LB)

#### DELIVERED TO RESTAURANTS AND INSTITUTIONS

	<u>RANGE</u>
TURKEYS Y HENS	98-109
TURKEYS Y TOMS UNDER 22#	88-99
TURKEYS Y TOMS 22-24#	88-99
TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-26#	87-99
TURKEYS Y TOMS 26 LBS & OVER	92-99

### LOS ANGELES PROCESSED TURKEYS (CENTS PER LB)

#### DELIVERED TO RESTAURANTS AND INSTITUTIONS

	<u>RANGE</u>
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-28#	67-83
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 28# & UP	83-86
BREASTS 10-12#	140
COOKED ROLLS 60/40% 9# & UP	
<b>DELIVERED TO RETAILERS</b>	
FRESH TURKEYS Y HENS 8-16#	96
FRESH TURKEYS Y TOMS 14-24#	96
FROZEN TURKEYS Y HENS 8-16#	70-81
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 14-24#	67-73
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-28#	68-83

**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)
<b>8-16 LB HENS</b>				
EASTERN REGION 3/	60-62	-	-	-
CENTRAL REGION 4/	58-61	-	-	-
WESTERN REGION 5/	61-62	-	-	-

#### FORWARD SHIPMENTS 6/

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

#### OPEN COMMITMENTS 7/

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

#### 16-24 LB TOMS

EASTERN REGION	59-61	-	-	-
CENTRAL REGION	58-61	-	-	-
WESTERN REGION	60-61	-	-	-

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 22 JANUARY 2001.

Trade sentiment mixed on tom drums with some noting strength with limited offers reported while others have no problems finding product. Neck trade sentiment fully steady. Demand was light to fair on bulk parts with full-cut wings the least active. Trading centered on fair volumes of tom drums for export, light on the balance of items. Tom necks traded at higher trending price levels for domestic and thigh meat at lower price levels for export.

DOMESTIC TRADING	PRICE RANGE	L.S.T. CODE 1/	WTD AVG PRICE	VOLUME (000)
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A 2/		F	99.00	40
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A—FRESH 2/				
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS PLANT GRADE 2/		F	96.00	40
DRUMSTICKS, TOM	21.50-22.00		21.67	120
DRUMSTICKS, TOM—FRESH		F	22.27	55
DRUMSTICKS, HEN		W	22.00	20
WINGS, FULL-CUT, TOM		R	20.50	24
WINGS, FULL-CUT, HEN		W	23.00	20
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM		R	26.67	60
WINGS, V-TYPE, HEN		W	30.00	20
NECKS, TOM	28.00		28.00	80
NECKS, HEN				
BREASTS, B/S, TOM 3/		W	148.83	480
BREASTS, B/S, TOM—FRESH 3/	155.00		155.00	160
THIGH MEAT		R	71.00	20
THIGH MEAT—FRESH		F	71.63	160
BREAST TRIM MEAT				
SCAPULA MEAT		R	113.00	40
TENDERLOINS		R	123.00	80
DESTRAPPED TENDERS		F	125.00	200
DESTRAPPED TENDERS—FRESH	139.00		139.00	40
WING MEAT WITH SKIN		W	57.00	40
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/		T	17.00	120
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED—FRESH 4/		F	17.29	140
EXPORT TRADING				
DRUMSTICKS, TOMS	21.00		21.00	400
WINGS FULL-CUT - TOMS		R	21.50	104
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM		W	25.83	312
TAILS		F	20.00	56
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/				
THIGH MEAT - FROZEN	68.00-69.00		68.50	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.