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NATIONAL TURKEY MARKET AT-A-GLANCE

DOMESTIC MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

The market tone for 8-16 lb. hens and 16-24 lb. toms steady to fully steady. No sales reported. Offerings are mixed. Demand generally slow and selective. Bulk parts trading was slow on all items and demand active. Supplies ranged from light to short of buyer needs.

EXPORT MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

Trading inactive with no sales reported. Interest noted on frozen thigh meat and tom drums, balance of items for export light. Supplies generally limited and held with confidence.



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

	<u>RANGE</u>
TURKEYS Y HENS	87-102
TURKEYS Y TOMS UNDER 22#	81-99
TURKEYS Y TOMS 22-24#	81-99
TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-26#	81-99
TURKEYS Y TOMS 26 LBS & OVER	93-101

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

	<u>RANGE</u>
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-28#	69-94
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 28# & UP	80-99
BREASTS 10-12#	140-145
COOKED ROLLS 60/40% 9# & UP	
DELIVERED TO RETAILERS	
FRESH TURKEYS Y HENS 8-16#	98
FRESH TURKEYS Y TOMS 14-24#	98
FROZEN TURKEYS Y HENS 8-16#	68-76
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 14-24#	68-76
FROZEN TURKEYS Y TOMS 24-28#	69-76

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/ 7/

	OFFERS	SALES	WTD AVG	VOLUME (000)
8-16 LB HENS				
EASTERN REGION 3/	67-68	-	-	-
CENTRAL REGION 4/	66-67	-	-	-
WESTERN REGION 5/	67-68	-	-	-
16-24 LB TOMS				
EASTERN REGION	63-64	-	-	-
CENTRAL REGION	62-63	-	-	-
WESTERN REGION	63-64	-	-	-

FORWARD SHIPMENTS 6/

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

OPEN COMMITMENTS

VOLUME DEL. (000)	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 10 SEPTEMBER 2001.

The trade sentiment on bulk parts was steady to firm with drums in the strongest position. Inquiry continued active on bulk parts with interest centered mostly on tom items. Offerings of tom bulk parts ranged from instances light to short of buyers' needs. Hen parts offerings were light and generally held with confidence, except for hen necks which showed some spot availability. Trading slow on all items.

DOMESTIC TRADING	PRICE RANGE	L.S.T. CODE 1/	WTD AVG PRICE	VOLUME (000)
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A 2/		R	103.06	127
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A—FRESH 2/				
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS PLANT GRADE 2/		F	95.00	8
DRUMSTICKS, TOM		F	34.47	95
DRUMSTICKS, TOM—FRESH		F	34.33	60
DRUMSTICKS, HEN		F	32.00	35
WINGS, FULL-CUT, TOM		F	30.00	6
WINGS, FULL-CUT, HEN		R	35.00	40
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM		R	34.39	66
WINGS, V-TYPE, HEN		R	50.57	70
NECKS, TOM		R	30.55	31
NECKS, HEN		F	30.00	29
BREASTS, B/S, TOM 3/		R	165.00	20
BREASTS, B/S, TOM—FRESH 3/	185.00-187.00		186.00	80
THIGH MEAT		W	67.00	80
THIGH MEAT—FRESH		F	66.00	60
BREAST TRIM MEAT		W	119.86	140
SCAPULA MEAT		F	122.75	40
TENDERLOINS				
DESTRAPPED TENDERS	150.00		150.00	40
DESTRAPPED TENDERS—FRESH		F	157.00	40
WING MEAT WITH SKIN		F	72.67	120
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/		W	17.00	40
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED—FRESH 4/		F	17.14	430
EXPORT TRADING				
DRUMSTICKS, TOMS		R	32.89	280
WINGS FULL-CUT - TOMS		F	29.00	40
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM				
TAILS		F	29.00	80
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/		F	17.00	80
THIGH MEAT - FROZEN		F	66.10	408

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.