DOMESTIC MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

The market on frozen 8-16 lb. hens and 16-24 lb. toms is steady to firm. Demand is light to moderate. Frozen domestic processor offerings of Grade A 8-16 lb. hens and 16-24 lb. toms are very light to light. Frozen Grade A basted equivalent processor offering prices on a national basis for 8-16 lb. hens are 164.00-189.00 FOB and 16-24 lb. toms at 164.00-180.00 cents FOB for current deliveries. No trading reported.

The market on white meat and white trims is steady to firm. Demand is moderate to good. Offerings very light to light. Further processed demand moderate to good. Consumer and institutional sized bone-in breasts are steady to firm. Demand moderate to good, mostly moderate. Offerings very light to light. The tom drum and full-cut wing markets are steady to firm, tom 2-joint wings mostly steady and tom necks steady to weak. Demand moderate to good on tom drums and full-cut wings, tom 2-joint wings and tom necks light to moderate. Offerings very light to light on tom drums and full-cut wings while tom 2-joint wings and necks are light to instances moderately heavy with necks longest. The defatted gizzards and tails markets are steady to weak. The market on thigh meat is generally steady. Demand moderate. Offerings light. The mechanically separated turkey market is steady to instances weak. Demand and offerings are light to moderate. Some note the lack of cold storage availability is influencing decisions on whether to store or sell product. Trading slow.

EXPORT MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

Trading slow with frozen scapula noted at higher prices. The market is steady with steady to firm undertones. Demand is light to moderate. Offerings very light to light.

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