

**Delmarva
Broiler/Fryer**
ATLANTA, GA.
January 2, 2001

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Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was about moderate and was sufficient in keeping offerings in good balance to well cleared. Plants closing for the holiday and adverse weather conditions in terminal markets had disrupted shipping schedules. Live supplies were moderate; weights were mostly desirable. Processing schedules were moderate to moderately heavy. Less than trucklot asking prices were 1 cent higher at 51 to 65 cents. Trade sentiment was fully steady to firm. Parts, both cuts and volumes available varied from closely cleared to fully adequate. **ACTUAL SLAUGHTER WEEK ENDING 12/30/2000 WAS 9,690,725 4.96 LBS.**

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000)

ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT
01/02 12/29 12/29 12/26 12/22

2,303 2,774 4.94 2,197 5.07
01/01 12/28 12/28 12/25 12/21

Holiday 2,328 4.88 Holiday 4.89

BROILER/FRYER CURRENT NEGOTIATED PRICES FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY INCLUDES MOSTLY MULTIPLE-DROP SHIPMENTS OF BRANDED AND WING

TAGGED TO NEW YORK CITY FROM DELMARVA
BRANDED U.S. GRADE A RANGE
40-61 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 52.88
NO. OF BOXES 13,288
7 of 8 plants reporting.

**Northeast Broiler
Fryer Parts
Part I**

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Trucklot buying interest was mostly light to fair entering the week as dealers cautiously gauged the market and acquired little beyond normal commitments. Offerings of breast items were at least adequate, and dark meat parts were more than sufficient. Wings remained the best item as strong demand kept product no more than adequate to closely cleared. Movement into retail channels was very good over the holiday weekend as winter weather spurred active consumer buying activity. The market tone was fully steady on wings, about steady on the balance.

ICE PACKED BROILER/FRYER PARTS, DELIVERED TO FIRST RECEIVERS IN POOL TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES, CENTS PER POUND. ITEM CURRENT NEGOTIATED TRADING BREAST - B/S 115-120 TENDERLOINS 130-135 BREAST - WITH RIBS

47-48 BREAST - LINE RUN 47 LEGS 33-34 LEG QUARTERS (BULK) 20-21 DRUMSTICKS 26-27 THIGHS 30-31 B/S THIGHS 78-79 WINGS (WHOLE) 86-87 BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED) 10-12 LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS) 35-40 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 65-70

INCLUDES NEW YORK CITY METROPOLITAN AREA, NORTHERN NEW JERSEY, MASSACHUSETTS, CONNECTICUT, RHODE ISLAND, AND PENNSYLVANIA (NORTHEAST OF HARRISBURG).

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Part II**

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ICE PACKED BROILER/FRYER PARTS, DELIVERED TO FIRST RECEIVERS IN POOL TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES, CENTS PER POUND CURRENT NEGOTIATED WTD VOLUME ITEM TRADING AVG /LBS BREAST - B/S 115-120 121.49 627,520 TENDERLOINS 130-135 134.85 185,280 BREAST - WITH RIBS 47-48 53.94 317,320 BREAST - LINE RUN 47 46.88 144,000 LEGS 33-34 36.20 213,640 LEG QUARTERS (BULK) 20-21 20.01 603,932 DRUMSTICKS 26-27 33.12 226,520 THIGHS 30-31 31.67 267,520 B/S THIGHS 78-79 83.96 52,760 WINGS (WHOLE) 86-87 94.58 370,240 BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED) 10-12 12.04 107,240 LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS) 35-40 39.78 106,280 GIZZARDS

(HEARTS) 65-70 69.78 156,240
INCLUDES NEW YORK CITY METROPOLITAN AREA, NORTHERN NEW JERSEY, MASSACHUSETTS, CONNECTICUT, RHODE ISLAND, AND PENNSYLVANIA (NORTHEAST OF HARRISBURG).

**Daily National
Grain Market
Summary**

St. Joseph, MO
January 2, 2001

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Daily National Grain Market Summary

Grains bids finished lower due to lack of fresh export sales and favorable news of soybean production in South America. Wheat bids steady to 4 cents lower. Corn 4 to 6 cents lower. Sorghum 8 cents lower. Soybeans 1 to 6 cents lower.

Export inspections for last week were fair for wheat but poor for other grains and soybeans especially year to date figures. Lower soybean meal prices added weakness to bean bids.

Grains inspected for export for week ended 12/28/00: Wheat totaled 21.0, up 6.2 million bushels, corn 15.1, down 25.3, sorghum 1.0, down 3.8, and soybeans 18.9, up 500 thousand bushels compared to a week ago.

Year to Date: Wheat totaled 652.7, down 36.9, corn 616.2, down 72.8, sorghum 63.8, down 6.8, and soybeans 410.9, down 6.0. Crop marketing years begin June 1 for wheat and September 1 for corn, sorghum, and soybeans.

EXPORT SALES: PURCHASER COMMODITY TONNAGE DELIVERY DATE Nothing new to report.

THESE MAY NOT BE THE ONLY EXPORT SALES THAT HAVE TRANSPIRED, BUT THEY ARE THE ONLY SALES THAT COULD BE CONFIRMED BY USDA GRAIN MARKET NEWS.

DATE CHANGE YEAR AGO TRUCK BIDS: 01/02/01 12/29/00 01/03/00 Wheat: Kansas City (HRW

ORD) 3.18 dn 4 2.44 Minneapolis (DNS 14pct) 3.49 1/2 dn 2 3/4 3.28 1/2 Portland (SWW) 2.99-3.01 unch-up 1 2.89-2.91 St. Louis (SRW) 2.45-2.46 dn 2-3 2.27-2.28

Corn, US 2 Yellow: Kansas City 2.13-2.15 dn 5 1.88 Minneapolis 1.93 1/4 dn 4 1/2 1.63 1/4 So. Iowa 2.05-2.11 dn 5-6 1.85-1.87 Omaha 2.03-2.04 dn 5-6 1.77-1.78 Soybeans, US 1 Yellow: Kansas City 4.90 dn 2 4.51 Minneapolis 4.63 dn 4 1/2 No Bid So. Iowa 4.75-4.86 dn 5-6 4.48 Cent. II Processor 4.94 1/2-5.00 1/2 dn 5-1 4.55 1/2-4.59 1/2 Minneapolis truck wheat - to arrive 20 days

FUTURES: Kansas City (Mar) Wheat 3.25 1/2 dn 4 1/2 2.74 1/4 Minneapolis (Mar) Wheat 3.24 1/2 dn 2 3/4 3.16 1/2 Chicago (Mar) Wheat 2.76 1/4 dn 3 1/4 2.47 1/2 Chicago (Mar) Corn 2.27 1/4 dn 4 1/2 2.00 1/4 Chicago (Jan) Soybeans 4.95 dn 4 1/2 4.56 1/2

EXPORT BIDS: Barge or rail, Port of New Orleans or North Texas Gulf.

Bids per bushel except sorghum per cwt.

US 1 HRW Wheat, Ord Protein: 3.55 1/2-3.59 1/2 dn 4 1/2 2.80 1/4-2.83 1/4 US 2 Soft Red Winter Wheat: 2.91 1/4-2.92 1/4 dn 4 1/4 2.54 1/2 US 2 Yellow Corn: 2.51 1/4 dn 11 1/2-12 1/2 2.24 1/4-2.25 1/4 US 2 Yellow Sorghum: Rail 4.68-4.77 dn 10-8 3.76-3.80 Barge 4.84-4.86 dn 12-14 3.94 US 1 Yellow Soybeans: 5.36 1/2-5.37 1/2 dn 5 4.90 1/2

Leinbach's Hay

Shippensburg, Pa.
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Mech. 30 and Jan. 2, 2001
Hay—Straw—Grain

122 LOADS.
ALFALFA: 35.00-177.50.
MIXED HAY: 35.00-107.00.
TIMOTHY: 32.00-115.00.
BROMEGRASS: 35.00-97.50.
ORCHARDGRASS: 30.00-115.00.
STRAW: 50.00-152.00.
EAR CORN: 50.00-98.00.
CORN FODDER: 30.00-52.00.
OATS: 1.50-2.20 BU.
MULCH: 27.00-31.00.
FIREWOOD: 30.00-56.00 LOAD.

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January 2001				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
15	16	17	18	19
22	23 Holiday Inn Cortland, NY 10:20 - 2:30	24 Shadow brook Inn Tipton, PA 11:00 - 2:00	25 Cory Creek B&B Club Middletown, PA 11:00 - 2:00	26
29	30 Pleasant Orchard Inn Berks Co., PA 10:00 - 2:00	31 Quarryville Park Inn Quarryville, PA 10:00 - 2:00		

February 2001				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			1	2
			Yoder Restaurant New Holland, PA 10:20 - 2:30	
5 Mortons Cove Man. Park Middletown, PA 10:20 - 2:30	6 Plain-N-Fancy Restaurant Intercourse, PA 10:20 - 2:30	7 Lebanon Expo Center Lebanon, PA 10:20 - 2:30	8	9
12	13 Kauffman Center Greencastle, PA 10:20 - 2:30	14	15	16

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