**Young Turkey Parts** And Bulk Meat Des Moines, Iowa January 2, 2002 **Report Supplied By USDA** 

NATIONAL YOUNG TURKEY PARTS AND BULK MEAT, Frozen, unless specified, cents per lb, delivered first receivers, part and full trucklots, as of Jan. 2, 2002.

Demand and trading slow as people start returning from the holidays. Some isolated interest was noted on 4-8 lb breasts for January retail features. Offerings mixed.

DOMESTIC TRADING: BREASTS, 4-8 lbs: Grade A - avg. 99.00; Plant Grade none. DRUMSTICKS: TOM avg. 27.51; HEN - none. WINGS, FULL-CUT: TOM - avg. 29.00; HEN - none. WING, V-TYPE: TOM - avg. 35.00; HEN - AVG. 38.00. NECKS: TOM - avg. 28.00; HEN - none. BREASTS, B/S, TOM - NONE FROZEN; FRESH 142.21. THIGH MEAT, avg. 81.00. SCAPULA MEAT, none. DES-TRAPPED TENDERS, avg. 122.00. WING MEAT WITH SKIN - none. MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 14.50.

EXPORT TRADING: DRUM-STICKS: TOMS - avg. 26.18. WINGS, FULL-CUT: TOM - NONE. WINGS V-TYPE: - TOMS - avg. 27.00. TAILS ---none. MECHANICALLY SEPA-RATED: avg. 15.00. THIGH MEAT avg. 81.00.

**National Canner Fowl Market** Atlanta, Ga. Dec. 28, 2001 **Report Supplied By USDA** 

NATIONAL CANNER FOWL MARKET: Majority prices were generally unchanged on the light canners, irregular on the heavies when compared to a week earlier. Demand was fair to farily good. Supplies were sufficient on lights, about adequate on the heavies. Undertone was generally steady on lights; at least steady on heavies.

Cents per pound, current negotiations with out freight cost: LIGHT CANNER HENS: Line run without necks: 24.5-27, majority 26-27. HEAVY CANNER HENS: Without necks: 30.75-38, majority 33-34.75.

Cents per pound, current negotiations freight cost included: LIGHT CANNER HENS: Line run without necks 25-28.5, majority 26.5-27. HEAVY CANNER HENS: Without necks: 32.75-41 majority 35-36.

#### **Morrison's Cove Poultry & Rabbit** Martinsburg, Pa.

**Report Supplied by Auction** Monday, December 31, 2001 **ROOSTERS 4.00-7.00.** HEAVY HENS 2.00. **BANTY HENS 2.00.** PIGEONS 1.90. BUNNIES 2.50-4.00. **RABBITS 3.50-5.25.** AUCTION EVERY MON., 7:30 P.M.

#### **National Retail Egg Purchases** Atlanta, Ga. January 2, 2002 **Report Supplied By USDA**

Cooperators estimate orders for the week ending January 4, 2002, will decrease by 20 percent. Present week purchases for the week ending December 28, 2001 were 334,724 cases which was 14 percent below the prior week and 11 percent above estimates.

CASES PURCHASED: CAR-TONED: 303,735, down 13% from prior week; LOOSE: 30,989, down 24%; TOTAL: 334,724, down 14%. Comparison figures are compiled on a matched plant basis. Purchases and estimates by 17 cooperators; 30 dozen cases or equivalent.

### **National Egg Market** At A Glance Atlanta, Ga. January 2, 2002

**Report Supplied By USDA** Prices were generally unchanged. The market tone was steady to instances fully steady, with the mediums in the strongest position. Demand was light to good, usually moderate with winter weather providing some additional movement. Breaking stock supplies were fully adequate to ample for the light demand. Schedules were reduced due to the New Year holiday. The National shell egg inventory was 15% more than a week ago. Light type hens were mostly sufficient for the fair demand.

Some markets not available because of the holiday

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Virginia Broilers **And Fryers** Warrenton, Va. January 2, 2002 Report Supplied By USDA

Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was moderate. Demand was moderate. Live supplies were light to moderate for plant needs with an estimated slaughter of 1,371,000 compared to 1,282,000 last Wednesday. Weights were desirable. Processing schedules were moderate.

Negotiated F.O.B. dock prices, 2 pounds and heavier ice-packed broilers and fryers, trucklot sales of US Grade A or equivalent were higher at .49 - .60 per pound, less than trucklot sales .49 -.69 per pound.

**New York Broilers/Fryers** ATLANTA, GA. January 2, 2002 **Report Supplied By USDA** Trucklot buying activity on ready-to-

cook whole broiler/fryers ranged fair to moderate at best. Offerings of all sizes continued no more than adequate to tight at times; however, reduced processing schedules and down time during the holiday period appeared to be the most significant market factor. Movement through retail and distributive channels was only fair at best. The market tone was steady to fully steady, instances firm.

#### Virginia Eggs Harrisonburg, Va. Janaury 2, 2002

**Report Supplied By USDA** Prices were unchanged on all three sizes today. Supplies are moderate for plant needs.

Prices to retailers, in small lots, USDA Grade A and Grade A, 30 dozen cases, white eggs in cartons, delivered store door, cents per dozen. Large 77; Medium 64; Small 48.



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