

National Turkey Market At A Glance

Des Moines, Iowa
November 6, 2002

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DOMESTIC MARKET HIGHLIGHTS: DOMESTIC MARKET HIGHLIGHTS: The market tone on frozen 8-16 lb hens was mixed with lighter weights steady to firm, balance steady to fully steady, toms 16-24 lb fully steady. Trading remains on the light side with most sales for prompt deliveries. Demand light. Supplies of both fresh and frozen mixed. Bulk parts and meats trading was light. Demand selective.

EXPORT MARKET HIGHLIGHTS: Trading light and centered on light volumes of thigh meat for export. Demand was slow to moderate from Mexico and centered on tom drums.

Eastern Region Whole Young Turkeys

Des Moines, Iowa
November 1, 2002

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WHOLE YOUNG TURKEYS, FROZEN, Consumer Sizes, Commodity Pack or Equivalent, US Grade A, cents per lb, delivered (minimum of 10,000 lb lots) for Nov. 1:

CURRENT SHIPMENTS: Eastern Region: HENS, 8-16 lb FROZEN: Offers 64-72; Sales 64-70, wtd. avg. price 67.50; 160,000 lbs. TOMS, 16-24 lb FROZEN: Offers 56-62; Sales 56-60, wtd. avg. 59.38; 520,000 lbs.

FRESH TURKEYS, with timers or equivalent, US Grade A delivered first receivers, Eastern Region, cents per lb, week of Nov. 4.

HENS (8-16 lb): Sales (Promotions Included): 74.27; 55,000 lb; Not Included: 74.27, 55,000 lbs. **TOMS (16-24 lb):** Sales (Promotions Included): 68.04, 28,000 lbs.; Not Included: 68.04, 28,000 lbs.

Northeast Broiler Fryer Parts Part II

Atlanta, GA.
November 6, 2002

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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 120 127.24 184,710 TENDERLOINS 105 105.65 50,400 BREAST - WITH RIBS 64-65 73.37 151,160 BREAST - LINE RUN 64 64.08 85,600 LEGS 31-32 34.25 132,040 LEG QUARTERS (BULK) 17-18 17.76 440,113 DRUMSTICKS 21-22 25.75 122,120 THIGHS 20-21 32.73 48,120 B/S THIGHS 62-63 62.64 43,640 WINGS (WHOLE) 40-41 44.71 140,920 BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED) 10-12 11.82 49,840 LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS) 30-35 32.78 10,600 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 55-60 63.16 17,520

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

National Egg Market At A Glance

Atlanta, Ga.
November 6, 2002

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In Chicago, prices were slightly higher on mediums and unchanged on the heavy weighted eggs. Elsewhere, prices were unchanged. The market tone was steady. Demand was light to good, best where features were present. Supplies were adequate to fully adequate. Breaking stock offerings were sufficient to fully sufficient for the light demand. Light type hens were fully adequate for reduced processing schedules.

Eastern Region Miscellaneous Poultry

Atlanta, GA.
November 1, 2002

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EASTERN REGION MISCELLANEOUS POULTRY FOR CURRENT DELIVERY for week of Oct. 28.

DUCKLINGS: Prices negotiated by first receivers, US Grade A, 4-5 pounds, delivered in trucklot and pool trucklot quantities: LONG ISLAND—Frozen 140; Fresh 146. MIDWEST—Frozen 122-126; Fresh—123-127.

ROASTERS: Prices negotiated by first receivers, US Grade A and Plant Grade, 5 pounds and up, delivered: ICE PACKED (12 per box) 49-60 mostly 52-57. VACUUM PACKED (6-9 per box) 60-85 mostly 63-73.

SQUABS: New York Wholesale Prices, Frozen, Plant Grade, dollars per dozen, 1 to 10 boxes: 12 oz. 60.48-69.66; 14 oz. 66.96-76.14; 16 oz. 73.44-83.43.

The eastern region includes: CT, DE, FL, GA, MA, MD, ME, NC, NH, NJ, NY, PA.

Northeast Broiler Fryer Parts Part I

Atlanta, GA.
November 6, 2002

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Trucklot buying activity was mostly fair during midweek trading as dealers maintained balanced inventories and limited purchases to normally committed product. Offerings of bone-in breasts were at least adequate to available with slight discounting occasionally noted to stimulate sales. Boneless skinless breasts were more than sufficient. Dark meat cuts ranged adequate to fully adequate. Wings were readily available. Movement through retail and distributive channels was mostly fair to no better than moderate. The market tone was no better than steady on bone-in breasts and wings, and about steady on the balance.

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National Retail Egg Purchases

Atlanta, Ga.
November 1, 2002

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Cooperators estimate orders for the week ending Nov. 8 will increase by 2 percent. Present week purchases for the week ending Nov. 1 were 262,077 cases which was 10 percent above the prior week and 5 percent above estimates.

CASES PURCHASED: CARTONED: 221,110 — up 14%; LOOSE: 40,967 — down 6%; TOTAL: 262,077 — up 10%.

Comparison figures are compiled on a matched plant basis. Purchases and estimates by 17 cooperators; 30 dozen cases or equivalent.

New York Eggs

Atlanta, Ga.
November 5, 2002

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Prices were slightly higher on medium and unchanged on balance of sizes. Trade sentiment was steady to fully steady. Retail demand ranged light to good, best where featured. Medium sized eggs were selling at 3 dozen for \$1.29. The New York shell egg inventory was 13% less, however the New Jersey shell egg inventory was 1% more when compared to last week. Supplies were sufficient for current needs.

Prices to Retailers, Sales to Volume Buyers, USDA Grade A and Grade A, White Eggs in Cartons, delivered store door, cents per dozen: Extra Large 84-88; Large 82-86; Medium 70-74.

Virginia Broilers And Fryers

Harrisonburg, Va.
November 5, 2002

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Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was moderate and clearing the market at a reasonable rate. Demand was moderate with buyer interest and trading. Live supplies was moderate for the market being reported with an estimated slaughter of 1,310,000 compared to 1,320,000 last Tuesday. Weights were desirable. Processing schedules were moderate. Actual slaughter for the week of 10/28-11/1 was 6,398,199 head with an average weight of 5.09. Supply of wings were heavy and above average while demand was moderate with average buyer interest and trading.

Negotiated F.O.B. dock prices, 2 pounds and heavier ice-packed broilers and fryers, trucklot sales of US Grade A or equivalent were steady at .42 -.56 per pound; less than trucklot sales .45 -.64 per pound.

Virginia Eggs

Harrisonburg, Va.
November 5, 2002

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Prices were unchanged on large and small, up 1 cent on medium 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 98; Medium 85; Small 58.

Trucklot, prices to retailers, sales to volume buyers: Large 80-90 mostly 90; Medium 69-79 mostly 79; Small 44-53 mostly 53.

Delmarva Broiler/Fryer

Atlanta, Ga.
November 6, 2002

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Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was fair to moderate and sufficient in keeping the bulk of 3.00 and 3.5 pound sizes cleared satisfactorily. 2.5 and 4.0 pound sizes were more than sufficient for immediate needs. Live supplies were moderate; weights were spread in a range of light to heavy, mostly desirable to heavy. Processor schedules were moderate with some operations curtailed as a result of yesterdays fire. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchanged at 47 to 61 cents. Trade sentiment was steady to fully steady. In the parts complex, all items were adequate. Bone-in breasts were more readily available than other cuts.

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000)

ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT 11/06 11/04 11/04 10/30 10/28

2,273 2,323 5.18 2,378 5.30

BROILER/FRYER CURRENT NEGOTIATED PRICES FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY INCLUDES MOSTLY MULTIPLE-DROP SHIPMENTS OF BRANDED AND WING TAGGED TO NEW YORK CITY FROM DELMARVA

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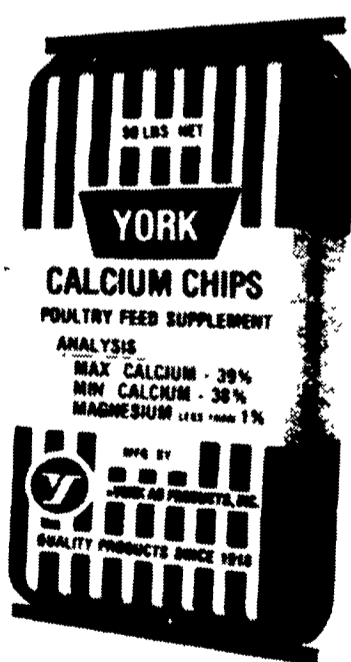
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