

Virginia Broilers And Fryers

Harrisonburg, Va.
December 3, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

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 were moderate for the market being reported with an estimated slaughter of 1,146,000 compared to 1,177,000 last Tuesday. Weights were desirable. Processing schedules were moderate. Supply and demand of wings are moderate for the market being reported. Actual slaughter for the week of 11/25-11/29 was 5,018,240 head with an average weights of 4.96.

Negotiated FOB dock prices, 2 pounds and heavier ice-packed broilers and fryers, trucklot sales of US Grade A or equivalent were steady at 42-57 per pound, less than trucklot sales 46-65 per pound.

Virginia Eggs

Harrisonburg, Va.
December 3, 2002

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Prices were down 2 cents on large and medium, unchanged on small 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 96, Medium 79, Small 56.

Trucklot, prices to retailers, sales to volume buyers. Large 78-88 mostly 88, Medium 63-73 mostly 73, Small 42-51 mostly 51.

North Atlantic Eggs

Atlanta, Georgia

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December 5, 2002

In Philadelphia, prices were unchanged to one cent lower on the larger sizes and unchanged to two cents lower on mediums. In Boston and New England, prices remained unchanged. The market tone was barely steady to instances weak. Demand was light to moderate, but slightly better in areas where winter weather conditions increased sales. Supplies were adequate to available on white eggs, however browns remained in a tight position. Breaking stock offerings were generally adequate for the light to good demand. Light type fowl were sufficient for the light to fair demand.

PHILADELPHIA, PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN RANGE: EXTRA LARGE 78-86, LARGE 77-84, MEDIUM 59-69.

BOSTON PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN RANGE: EXTRA LARGE 116-118, LARGE 107-109, MEDIUM 75-77.

NEW ENGLAND PRICES PAID TO PRODUCERS, CASES EXCHANGED, GRADE YIELD BASIS, BROWN EGGS LOOSE, AT FARM, CENTS PER DOZEN RANGE: JUMBO 122-125, EXTRA LARGE 97-100, LARGE 88-91, MEDIUM 56-59, SMALL 25-28.

Delmarva Broiler/Fryer

ATLANTA, GA.

December 4, 2002

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Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was seasonally fair. Seller offerings were adequate and in fairly good balance mainly due to production cutbacks. However, an increased call from some buyers was noted this morning in advance of hazardous weather forecasts in several areas. Live supplies were seasonally moderate, weights varied in a full range of light to heavy. Processor schedules were light. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchanged at 48 to 62 cents. Trade sentiment remained about steady. In the parts complex, breast cuts were adequate to closely cleared. Other items were at least adequate.

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000)

ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG WEIGHT
12/04 12/02 12/02 1 1/2 1 1/2
2,059 2,313 5 20 2,213 5 17

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
45-65 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 51.88
NO OF BOXES 8,250
8 of 8 plants reporting

Eastern Region Whole Young Turkeys

Des Moines, Iowa
December 4, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

WHOLE YOUNG TURKYS, FROZEN, Consumer Sizes, Commodity Pack or Equivalent, US Grade A, cents per lb, delivered (minimum of 10,000 lb lots) for Dec 4.

CURRENT SHIPMENTS Eastern Region HFNS, 8-16 lb FROZEN Offers 69-72; Sales 70-71, wtd avg price 70.90, 400,000 lbs. TOMS, 16-24 lb FROZEN, Offers 60-64, Sales 64, wtd avg price 64, 40,000 lbs.

FRESH TURKYS, with timers or equivalent, US Grade A delivered first receivers, Eastern Region, cents per lb, week of Dec 2.

SALES (Promotions Included) HFNS (8-16 lb): 78.50, 40,000 lbs. TOMS (16-24 lb) 68.50, 20,000 lbs.

SALES (Promotions Not Included) HFNS, 78.50, 40,000

lbs. TOMS 68.50, 20,000 lbs.

Livestock Cooperative Auction Market Of North Jersey

Hackettstown, N.J.

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December 3, 2002

Hay—Straw—Grain

MIXED HAY, 20 LOTS, 1.50-3.10 BALE.

TIMOTHY, 2 LOTS, 2.20 AND 2.60 BALE

GRASS 9 LOTS, 1.40-2.90 BALE

MULCH 3 LOTS, 75-1.20 BALE

OAT STRAW 2.20 BALE

WHEAT STRAW, 7 LOTS, 1.30-1.90 BALE

RYE STRAW: 1.70 BALE

EAR CORN: 1.70

SHelled CORN: 3.50 AND 4.90

OATS 2 AT 3.00 AND 3.25 BU.

WHFAT 2.70

FIREWOOD: 45.00 LOAD

50 LOTS TOTAL.

Pa. Grain/Hay Reports

December 2, 2002

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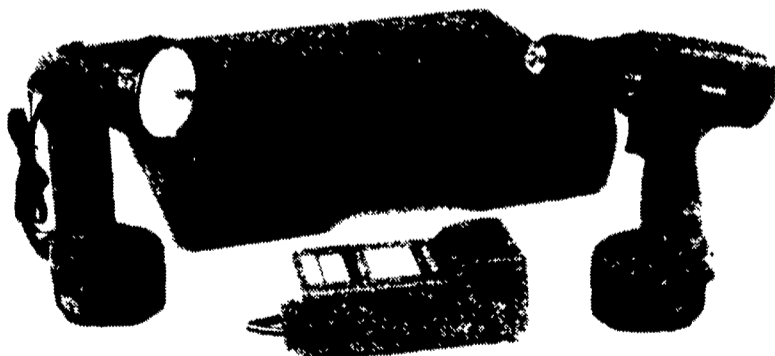
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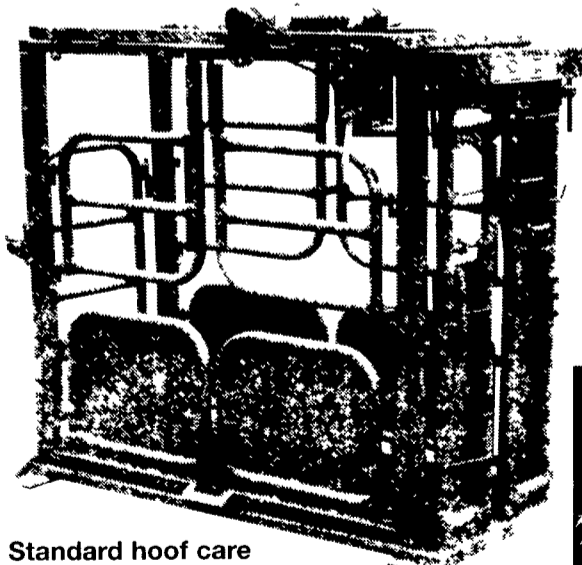
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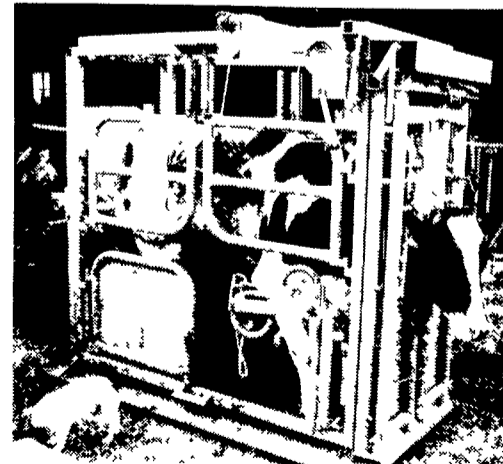


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