Trucklot buying activity remained light and unaggressive during midweek trading. Offerings of boneless-skinless breasts were at least adequate and bone-in breasts were more than sufficient. Dark meat cuts were generally adequate. Wings and tenderloins were clearing movement through retail and distributive channels was lackluster. The market tone was fully steady on tenderloins, and about steady on the balance.

ICE PACKED BROILER/FRYER PARTS, DELIVERED TO FIRST RE-CEIVERS IN POOL TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES, CENTS PER POUND.

ITEM CURRENT NEGOTIATED TRADING

BREAST - B/S 175-180 TENDER-LOINS 145-150 BREAST - WITH RIBS 86-87 BREAST - LINE RUN 86 LEGS 37-38 LEG QUARTERS (BULK) 27-28 DRUMSTICKS 33-34 THIGHS 26-27 B/ S THIGHS 69-70 WINGS (WHOLE) 68-69 BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED) 10-12 LIVERS 25-30 GIZ-ZARDS (HEARTS) 35-40

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

Northeast Broiler Frver Parts Part II ATLANTA, GA. August 27, 2003

Report Supplied By USDA ICE PACKED BROILER/FRYER

PARTS, DELIVERED TO FIRST RE-CEIVERS IN POOL TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES, CENTS PER POUND

CURRENT NEGOTIATED WTD **VOLUME ITEMS TRADING AVG /LBS**

BREAST - B/S 175-180 178.70 530,480 TENDERLOINS 145-150 153.87 76,520 BREAST - WITH RIBS 86-87 90.92 208.600 BREAST - LINE RUN 86 86.21 82,680 LEGS 37-38 37.08 216,400 LEG QUARTERS (BULK) 27-28 28.88 390,002 DRUMSTICKS 33-34 41.38 102,680 THIGHS 26-27 37.06 67,440 B/S THIGHS 69-70 77.32 69,840 WINGS (WHOLE) 68-69 79.20 152,880 BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED) 10-12 12.03 34,480 LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS) 25-30 29.83 12,880 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 35-40 43.83 14,000

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

TODAYS NEGOTIATED SALES AS OF 11:30 AM.

WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICE OF ALL GRADES AND BRANDS OF PRODUCT SHIPPED, OR TO BE SHIPPED.

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National Retail Egg Purchases

Atlanta, Ga. August 26, 2003 **Report Supplied By USDA**

Cooperators estimate orders for the week ending August 29 will decrease by 0 percent. Present week purchases for the week ending August 22 were 228,559 cases which was 2 percent below the prior week and 4 percent above estimates.

CASES PURCHASED: CARTONED: 191,423 — down 2%; LOOSE: 37,136 ---down 5%; TOTAL: 228,559 - down 2%.

Comparison figures are compiled on a matched plant basis. Purchases and estimates by 15 cooperators; 30 dozen cases or equivalent.

National Turkey **Market At A Glance** Des Moines, Iowa

August 27, 2003

Report Supplied By USDA DOMESTIC MARKET HIGH-LIGHTS: Trade sentiment was steady to fully steady on frozen hens and consumer sized toms. Inquiry light to fair with some slowing noted due to the up-coming holi-day weekend. Offerings light to adequate with some higher trending asking prices noted for September shipments. The market continued strong on fresh tom breast meat and fresh destrapped tenderloins, however, some isolated caution was noted.

EXPORT MARKET HIGHLIGHTS: Trading light. The market continued strong on thigh meat, most parts items, and mechanically sperated turkey for Russia. Demand fair to good for the tight to instances adequate offerings.

Eastern Region Whole Young Turkeys Des Moines, Iowa August 25, 2003

Report Supplied By USDA WHOLE YOUNG TURKEYS, FRO-ZEN, Consumer Sizes, Commodity Pack or Equivalent, US Grade A, cents per lb, delivered (minimum of 10,000 lb lots) for August 25.

CURRENT SHIPMENTS: Eastern Region: HENS, 8-16 lb FROZEN: Offers 58-59: Sales 59: 240,000 lbs. TOMS, 16-24 Ib FROZEN: Offers 58-59; Sales 59; 280.000lbs.

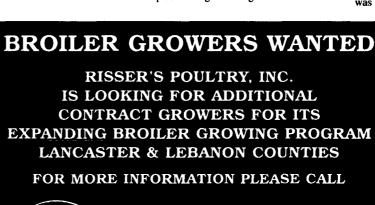
TURKEYS, FRESH with timers or equivalent, US Grade A delivered first receivers, Eastern Region, cents per lb, week of August 25.

SALES (Promotions Included): HENS (8-16 lbs): Sales, promotions included: no report. TOMS (16-24 lbs): Sales, promotions included: no report.

National Egg Market At A Glance Atlanta, Ga. August 27, 2003

Report Supplied By USDA

Prices were unchanged in Chicago. In New York, prices were lower on all sizes. The market tone was steady to barely steady. Demand was light to instances good. Supplies were balanced to fully sufficient for present trade needs. Breaking stock offerings were adequate to tight for the moderate to good demand. The National total shell egg inventory was 4% more than the previous week. Light type fowl were at least sufficient to fully adequate for regular slaughter schedules.



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Eastern Region **Miscellaneous Poultry** Atlanta, GA.

August 22, 2003 **Report Supplied By USDA** FASTERN REGION MISCELLANF-OUS POULTRY FOR CURRENT DE-

LIVERY for week of Aug. 18 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 124-128, Fresh-125-130.

ROASTERS: Prices negotiated by first receivers, US Grade A and Plant Grade, 5 pounds and up, delivered: ICE PACKED (12 per box) 63-66.50 mostly 63-63.50. VACUUM PACKED (6-9 per box) 57-86.50 mostly 65-70.50.

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.

New York Broilers/Fryers ATLANTA, GA. August 25, 2003

Report Supplied By USDA

Trucklot buying activity on ready-tocook whole broiler/fryers was light and unaggressive entering the week. Offerings varied; the pound and lighter birds were adequate to balanced at times and the 3.5 pound and heavier weights were available. Retail and distributive movement was no better than fair. The market tone

> was steady on the 2.5 to 3 pound birds and barely steady on the balance.

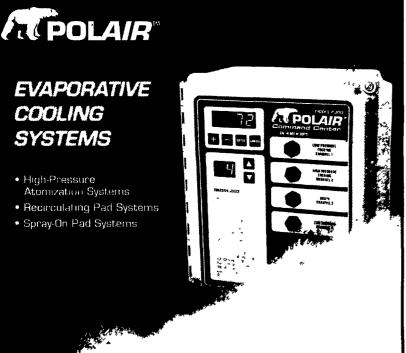
Final report of prices negotiated for trucklot sales of ready-to-cook ice-packed broiler/fryers, to be delivered to first receivers, New York, for delivery the week of Aug.25 - US Grade A. Majority 57-60, wtd. avg 57 64, loads 22. Composite avg. 59.74; 49 loads.

New York Eggs ATLANTA, GA. August 26, 2003

Report Supplied By USD A Prices declined 1 cent on all sizes The market tone was barely steady Demand was moderate to occasionally good The New York shell egg inventory was 2 percent higher when compared to a week ago Supplies were adequate for current requirements

Prices to Retailers, Sales to Volume Buyers, USDA Grade A and Grade A, White Fggs in Cartons, Delivered Store Door, Cents per Dozen EXTRA LARGE 97-101, LARGE 95-99; MEDIUM 70-74.









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