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A yearly average price may not be computed when an average price is not reported for 1 or more months. Where appropriate, a yearly price may be computed when the volumes associated with all reported prices can be determined; in which case, a yearly weighted average may be reported.

Matched plant comparisons are made by comparing information from the same sources reporting in each of two different periods, e.g., current and previous week or current and previous year.

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**Table 1 -- COLD STORAGE: Holdings of egg and poultry products in selected storage centers, by weeks  
2003 1/2/3/**

Date		Frozen Eggs	Processed Turkeys 4/	Processed Other Poultry 5/
		<u>1,000 Pounds</u>	<u>1,000 Pounds</u>	<u>1,000 Pounds</u>
<b>2003</b>				
January	6	2,044	134,279	79,029
	13	2,399	132,363	80,425
	20	2,790	165,933	78,370
	27	2,159	140,399	76,468
February	3	1,717	155,703	76,443
	10	1,902	160,345	74,807
	17	2,739	164,286	74,008
	24	2,845	162,316	73,736
March	3	2,772	174,509	68,879
	10	2,877	184,523	64,269
	17	2,750	173,968	64,209
	24	2,756	185,901	62,110
	31	2,745	188,765	61,764
April	7	2,629	194,464	61,836
	14	2,750	192,775	61,323
	21	2,738	189,242	61,183
	28	2,787	189,739	61,729
May	5	2,635	190,183	63,630
	12	2,761	194,162	63,223
	19	2,572	198,485	61,970
	26	2,688	218,471	43,620
June	2	2,700	219,295	43,194
	9	2,716	212,253	44,544
	16	2,624	204,993	59,572
	23	3,175	217,721	46,058
	30	3,217	206,547	57,525
July	7	3,330	208,405	59,120
	14	3,350	212,645	58,070
	21	3,384	217,974	55,745
	28	3,305	217,580	58,524
August	4	3,365	217,088	59,151
	11	3,364	217,308	58,509
	18	3,385	217,524	59,015
	25	3,965	223,458	54,164
September	1	3,798	221,358	58,470
	8	3,756	223,763	49,149
	15	3,832	218,715	48,186
	22	4,035	212,212	48,379
	29	4,762	205,614	50,058
October	6	5,768	206,468	48,272
	13	6,009	200,892	47,795
	20	3,553	194,387	47,102
	27	3,561	189,245	48,238
November	3	3,598	182,037	44,797
	10	3,513	181,365	45,208
	17	3,465	157,123	46,242
	24	3,417	126,613	44,131
December	1	3,395	110,555	45,473
	8	3,333	120,415	44,559
	15	3,343	111,389	44,291
	22	3,383	114,020	43,979
	29	3,377	114,342	44,646

1/ See appendix for directory of selected storage centers.

2/ Holdings as of mornings of given dates.

3/ Includes Government Stocks.

4/ Processed turkeys includes whole birds and other turkey items.

5/ Processed other poultry includes broilers, fryers, hens, other frozen chicken and ducks.

Cold Storage Holdings - 2002-2003

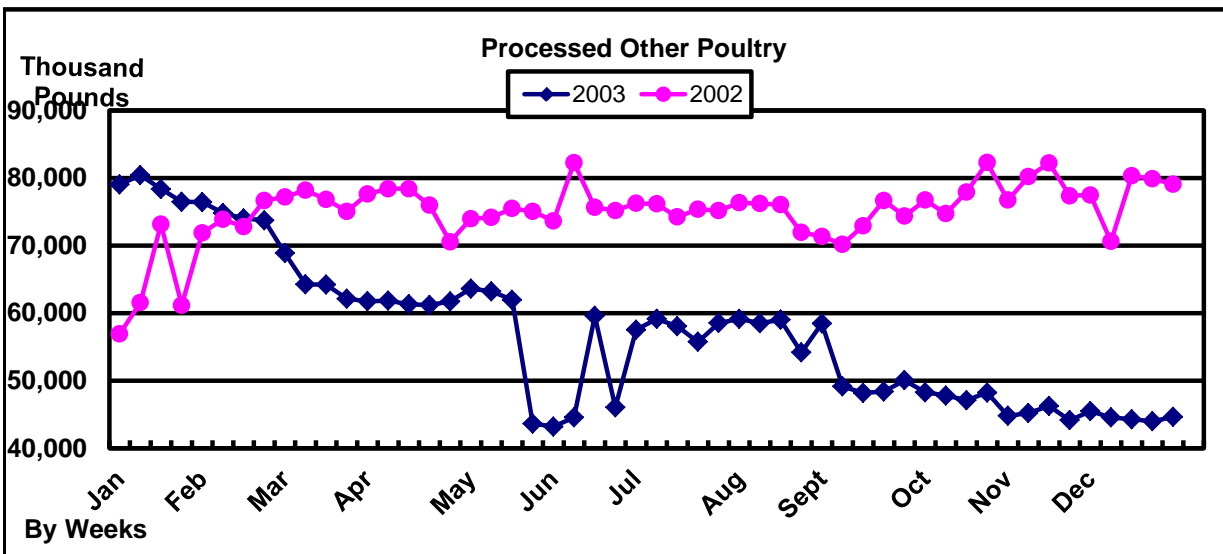
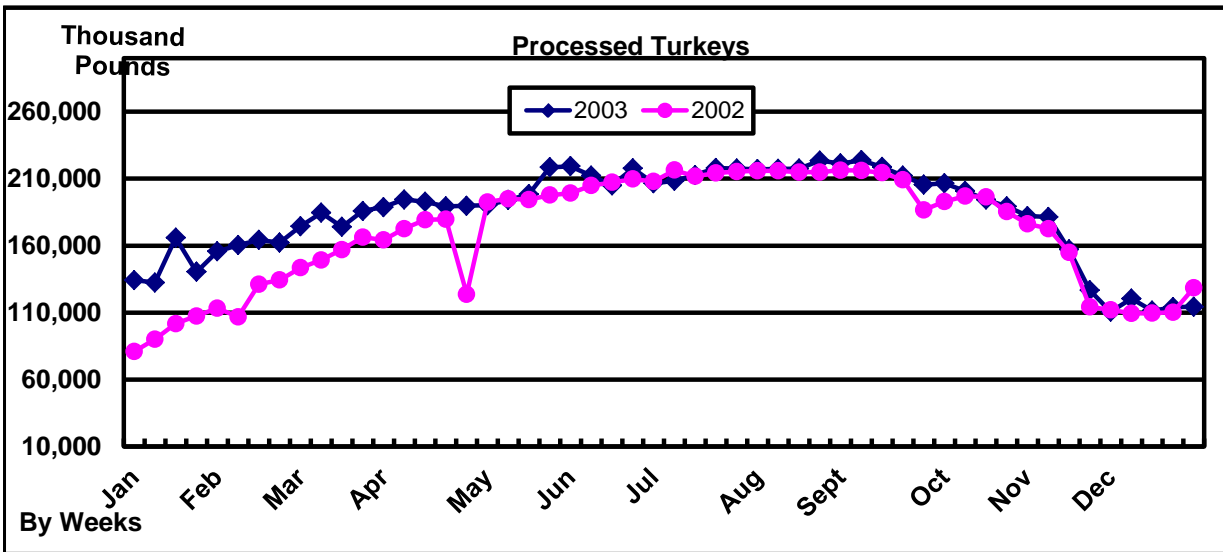
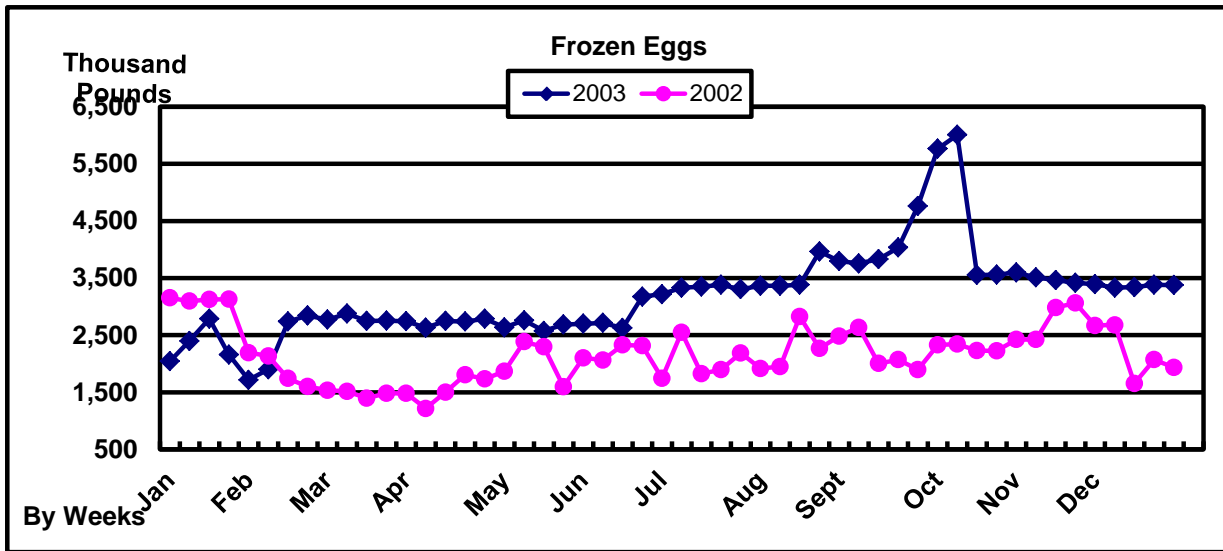


Table 2 -- SHELL EGGS: Commercial Egg Movement, by weeks, 2003

Week Ending	Receipts from Producers 1/			
	Number of Cases	As a percentage of --		
		Previous Week 2/	First Week of Year	Same Week Last Year 2/
	<u>Thousands</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Percent</u>
<b>2003</b>				
<b>January</b>	<b>4</b>	1523.9	99	100
	<b>11</b>	1542.1	101	101
	<b>18</b>	1614.6	105	106
	<b>25</b>	1493.4	92	98
<b>February</b>	<b>1</b>	1488.1	100	98
	<b>8</b>	1498.3	101	98
	<b>15</b>	1544.3	103	101
	<b>22</b>	1502.6	97	99
<b>March</b>	<b>1</b>	1523.5	101	100
	<b>8</b>	1540.1	101	101
	<b>15</b>	1569.6	103	103
	<b>22</b>	1571.6	100	103
	<b>29</b>	1581.7	101	104
<b>April</b>	<b>5</b>	1611.9	102	106
	<b>12</b>	1639.9	102	108
	<b>19</b>	1692.7	103	111
	<b>26</b>	1441.7	85	95
<b>May</b>	<b>3</b>	1412.8	98	93
	<b>10</b>	1408.9	99	92
	<b>17</b>	1517.4	108	100
	<b>24</b>	1490.3	98	98
	<b>31</b>	1483.6	100	97
<b>June</b>	<b>7</b>	1514.8	102	99
	<b>14</b>	1497.8	99	98
	<b>21</b>	1524.7	102	100
	<b>28</b>	1488.5	98	98
<b>July</b>	<b>5</b>	1492.5	100	98
	<b>12</b>	1472.9	99	97
	<b>19</b>	1512.3	103	99
	<b>26</b>	1534.5	101	101
<b>August</b>	<b>2</b>	1494.3	97	98
	<b>9</b>	1525.4	102	100
	<b>16</b>	1516.9	99	100
	<b>23</b>	1516.7	100	100
	<b>30</b>	1525.1	101	100
<b>September</b>	<b>6</b>	1532.1	100	101
	<b>13</b>	1561.2	102	102
	<b>20</b>	1513.7	99	99
	<b>27</b>	1469.4	97	96
<b>October</b>	<b>4</b>	1496.7	102	98
	<b>11</b>	1500.4	100	98
	<b>18</b>	1510.0	101	99
	<b>25</b>	1519.9	101	100
<b>November</b>	<b>1</b>	1545.4	102	101
	<b>8</b>	1579.3	102	104
	<b>15</b>	1589.3	101	104
	<b>22</b>	1643.0	103	108
	<b>29</b>	1455.8	89	96
<b>December</b>	<b>6</b>	1537.7	106	101
	<b>13</b>	1589.2	104	104
	<b>20</b>	1607.3	101	105
	<b>27</b>	1493.9	93	98
<b>January</b>	<b>3</b>	1487.0	100	98

1/ Eggs purchased from producers as reported by commercial egg handlers.

2/ The percentage change is on a matched plant basis.

Table 3 -- SHELL EGGS: National Retail Egg Purchase Report, by weeks, 2003 1/

Date		Total Cases Purchased	Total % Change From Previous Week	Prior Week Est'd % Change for Present Week	% Change of the Est. V.s. Present Week	Cases Purchased Loose	Loose % Change from Previous Week	Cases Purchased Carton	Carton % Change From Previous Week	No. of Co-op
<b>2003</b>										
January	3	287,435	-1	12	12	38,595	-15	248,840	2	16
	10	268,984	-6	-11	5	37,971	-2	231,013	-7	16
	17	267,386	-1	-6	6	42,500	12	224,886	-3	16
	24	258,873	-3	-9	6	46,936	10	211,937	-6	16
	31	222,192	-14	-13	-1	36,525	-22	185,667	-12	16
February	7	243,758	10	-2	12	35,115	-4	208,643	12	16
	14	246,910	1	-3	4	40,616	16	206,294	-1	16
	21	261,551	6	4	2	39,868	-2	221,684	7	16
	28	234,637	-10	-1	-9	45,709	15	188,928	-15	16
March	7	216,205	-8	-4	-4	38,840	-15	177,365	-6	16
	14	234,280	8	-17	30	42,129	8	192,151	8	16
	21	249,295	6	3	4	40,301	-4	208,994	9	16
	28	255,824	3	4	-1	47,273	17	208,551	0	16
April	4	248,380	-3	-5	2	41,756	-12	206,624	-1	16
	11	265,138	7	15	-7	39,299	-6	225,839	9	16
	18	384,994	49	12	32	47,041	20	337,953	54	15
	25	215,289	-44	-32	-7	46,522	-1	168,767	-50	15
May	2	187,979	-13	0	13	38,752	-17	149,227	-12	15
	9	219,166	17	12	4	38,878	0	180,288	21	15
	16	207,746	-5	1	-6	43,799	13	163,947	-9	15
	23	222,118	7	7	0	44,080	1	178,038	9	15
	30	219,349	-1	-5	3	34,883	-21	184,466	4	15
June	6	231,780	6	18	-11	40,111	15	191,669	4	15
	13	254,468	10	9	0	41,046	2	213,422	11	15
	20	218,631	-14	-7	-8	41,254	1	177,377	-17	15
	27	201,473	-8	-8	0	41,199	0	160,274	-10	15
July	4	230,223	14	21	-5	37,574	-9	192,649	20	15
	11	235,297	2	1	1	40,438	8	194,859	1	15
	18	224,108	-5	-7	3	38,077	-6	186,031	-5	15
	25	217,212	-3	-3	0	39,821	5	177,391	-5	15
August	1	274,643	26	5	-20	41,028	3	233,615	32	15
	8	247,908	-10	-13	4	40,690	-1	207,218	-11	15
	15	234,239	-6	-12	7	38,989	-4	195,250	-6	15
	22	228,559	-2	-6	4	37,136	-5	191,423	-2	15
	29	222,148	-3	0	-3	42,350	14	179,798	-6	15
September	5	246,751	11	3	8	36,545	-14	210,206	17	15
	12	244,279	-1	3	4	40,268	10	204,011	-3	15
	19	208,045	-15	-14	-1	39,081	-3	168,964	-17	15
	26	227,018	9	-8	19	39,582	1	187,436	11	15
October	3	174,435	-17	2	-19	35,574	-10	138,861	-19	14
	10	237,075	29	6	22	37,914	7	199,161	35	14
	17	245,038	3	-2	5	43,743	15	201,295	1	14
	24	219,557	-10	-6	-5	35,590	-19	183,967	-9	14
	31	241,453	10	-10	22	41,348	16	200,105	9	14
November	7	295,738	22	22	1	37,643	-9	258,095	29	14
	14	201,777	-32	-18	-17	39,167	4	162,610	-37	14
	21	281,948	40	17	20	47,119	20	234,829	44	14
	28	304,349	8	4	4	42,399	-10	261,950	12	14
December	5	246,467	-19	-22	4	38,676	-9	207,791	-21	14
	12	279,180	13	7	6	39,357	2	239,823	15	14
	19	243,669	-13	-10	-3	34,516	-12	209,153	-13	14
	26	288,692	18	9	9	41,123	19	247,569	18	14

1/ The purpose of this report is to measure the current movement of cartoned and loose eggs into retail channels.

Table 4 -- SHELL EGGS: Movement into retail channels at specified cities, by weeks, 2003 1/ --continued

Week Ending		Atlanta	Boston	Chicago	Detroit	Kansas City	Los Angeles
		<u>1,000 Cases</u>	<u>1,000 Cases</u>	<u>1,000 Cases</u>	<u>1,000 Cases</u>	<u>1,000 Cases</u>	<u>1,000 Cases</u>
<b>2003</b>							
<b>January</b>	4	23.7	3.6	50.6	34.8	4.4	87.8
	11	23.7	3.8	54.4	31.0	4.4	98.3
	18	24.1	3.8	44.2	26.2	4.0	87.1
	25	21.5	3.2	42.5	27.3	4.0	84.3
<b>February</b>	1	23.2	3.4	45.1	30.0	3.8	84.3
	8	23.9	3.1	47.2	26.7	4.7	83.8
	15	21.4	3.1	62.2	25.6	3.9	89.3
	22	21.9	3.3	51.8	34.4	4.4	88.1
<b>March</b>	1	23.4	3.4	55.2	26.7	4.9	83.6
	8	21.4	3.5	54.5	26.0	4.9	85.4
	15	19.6	3.5	53.7	28.0	4.1	86.9
	22	21.2	3.8	43.9	31.2	3.8	82.6
	29	22.1	3.3	54.0	33.5	4.3	84.6
<b>April</b>	5	21.5	3.5	59.1	23.2	10.8	81.2
	12	27.8	5.5	68.0	47.4	7.2	101.4
	19	31.2	4.6	80.1	51.1	6.7	120.7
	26	17.8	3.6	37.2	23.7	3.2	75.0
<b>May</b>	3	20.1	3.2	39.7	24.8	3.2	74.6
	10	22.8	3.4	66.9	28.7	8.0	90.2
	17	21.1	3.8	64.8	24.5	8.0	83.2
	24	20.8	3.0	59.9	31.2	2.7	86.2
	31	21.6	3.7	56.2	23.4	3.7	80.2
<b>June</b>	7	21.1	3.3	57.5	26.8	3.8	87.0
	14	19.4	3.4	58.2	30.9	2.8	81.6
	21	18.4	3.9	56.5	26.6	3.9	87.5
	28	21.9	3.4	55.9	28.7	8.2	88.1
<b>July</b>	5	21.1	3.6	56.0	27.2	12.4	88.3
	12	21.8	3.4	61.8	27.8	4.4	85.3
	19	21.9	3.5	88.1	26.6	3.4	89.6
	26	21.3	3.6	83.3	26.2	4.2	85.6
<b>August</b>	2	21.7	3.7	64.1	21.1	21.6	96.5
	9	21.0	3.3	66.5	27.4	4.1	100.5
	16	23.0	3.3	62.4	25.2	3.9	80.1
	23	22.9	3.5	58.2	58.5	4.1	78.8
	30	23.6	3.3	69.5	29.6	4.4	88.4
<b>September</b>	6	21.7	3.4	71.3	29.8	4.9	80.4
	13	25.3	3.8	61.9	27.9	5.6	96.8
	20	22.8	3.5	57.0	33.0	3.5	85.9
	27	23.2	3.6	64.2	26.5	3.9	84.9
<b>October</b>	4	25.2	3.5	55.6	23.7	3.8	88.4
	11	25.5	3.5	56.1	29.5	6.8	88.2
	18	24.9	3.0	46.6	26.7	8.2	91.6
	25	23.8	3.6	49.4	27.8	2.5	94.3
<b>November</b>	1	26.1	3.6	47.3	27.1	3.7	86.7
	8	29.9	3.8	50.9	31.1	6.3	91.7
	15	25.6	3.9	48.3	27.9	4.4	89.8
	22	32.5	3.7	64.9	30.1	4.7	96.0
	29	28.7	4.0	68.9	33.7	5.6	107.7
<b>December</b>	6	30.0	3.8	60.6	26.5	4.0	99.0
	13	28.6	3.9	72.2	36.9	5.7	101.1
	20	33.2	4.1	64.2	33.2	5.9	84.7
	27	33.0	4.3	69.4	33.0	5.8	103.5
<b>January</b>	3	25.3	4.1	66.7	32.9	4.5	97.1
<b>Total 2003</b>		1,260.2	191.4	3,104.7	1,579.3	280.1	4,723.9
<b>Total 2002</b>		1,134.7	184.0	2,560.2	1,522.1	241.9	4,809.5

See footnote at the end of the table.

Table 4 -- SHELL EGGS: Movement into retail channels at specified cities, by weeks, 2003 1/

Week Ending		New Orleans	New York	St. Louis	San Francisco	Total
		<u>1,000 Cases</u>	<u>1,000 Cases</u>	<u>1,000 Cases</u>	<u>1,000 Cases</u>	<u>1,000 Cases</u>
<b>2003</b>						
<b>January</b>	<b>4</b>	11.5	40.3	16.3	24.1	297.1
	<b>11</b>	12.2	34.1	17.1	24.9	303.9
	<b>18</b>	12.9	34.6	18.7	22.9	278.5
	<b>25</b>	12.8	33.6	15.1	22.2	266.5
<b>February</b>	<b>1</b>	12.7	33.2	15.0	22.1	272.8
	<b>8</b>	15.9	29.8	15.8	21.9	272.8
	<b>15</b>	14.7	28.6	17.6	22.2	288.6
	<b>22</b>	14.2	34.4	17.8	22.6	292.9
<b>March</b>	<b>1</b>	14.0	36.5	15.8	23.0	286.5
	<b>8</b>	11.1	33.0	16.1	22.4	278.3
	<b>15</b>	12.7	32.1	17.0	22.1	279.7
	<b>22</b>	12.7	31.5	17.7	22.3	270.7
	<b>29</b>	14.1	31.3	18.3	21.8	287.3
<b>April</b>	<b>5</b>	12.6	31.0	17.1	22.2	282.2
	<b>12</b>	14.8	36.8	25.5	25.0	359.4
	<b>19</b>	16.0	35.5	20.6	24.9	391.4
	<b>26</b>	10.9	29.3	15.9	20.1	236.7
<b>May</b>	<b>3</b>	12.8	34.1	15.9	19.5	247.9
	<b>10</b>	14.2	33.2	17.5	19.6	304.5
	<b>17</b>	11.8	30.1	18.5	21.2	287.0
	<b>24</b>	11.3	34.4	20.3	23.4	293.2
	<b>31</b>	12.0	32.3	15.7	22.1	270.9
<b>June</b>	<b>7</b>	11.6	33.5	19.2	21.3	285.1
	<b>14</b>	13.4	31.0	18.4	21.7	280.8
	<b>21</b>	10.3	30.9	17.4	21.7	277.1
	<b>28</b>	11.4	31.5	16.6	21.6	287.3
<b>July</b>	<b>5</b>	13.8	30.2	17.6	22.4	292.6
	<b>12</b>	13.7	32.2	18.5	22.2	291.1
	<b>19</b>	11.6	28.3	15.4	22.2	310.6
	<b>26</b>	16.5	28.2	17.1	21.5	307.5
<b>August</b>	<b>2</b>	9.5	31.7	16.4	21.3	307.6
	<b>9</b>	10.9	31.2	18.3	21.6	304.8
	<b>16</b>	11.6	31.3	16.3	21.0	278.1
	<b>23</b>	14.0	30.5	17.3	20.5	308.3
	<b>30</b>	11.0	29.3	17.4	23.0	299.5
<b>September</b>	<b>6</b>	7.0	30.2	18.4	22.5	289.6
	<b>13</b>	7.3	29.9	16.7	22.2	297.4
	<b>20</b>	8.1	29.5	17.5	21.7	282.5
	<b>27</b>	8.0	30.1	16.8	21.6	282.8
<b>October</b>	<b>4</b>	10.7	28.3	16.8	21.1	277.1
	<b>11</b>	8.6	28.7	18.5	22.2	287.6
	<b>18</b>	9.2	27.3	15.4	22.7	275.6
	<b>25</b>	6.4	28.6	17.5	22.2	276.1
<b>November</b>	<b>1</b>	7.6	29.8	20.4	22.2	274.5
	<b>8</b>	8.8	28.3	21.4	19.1	291.3
	<b>15</b>	8.5	28.4	19.1	22.0	277.9
	<b>22</b>	13.0	33.8	24.7	27.4	330.8
	<b>29</b>	9.6	29.9	18.2	26.3	332.6
<b>December</b>	<b>6</b>	8.7	27.2	17.2	22.4	299.4
	<b>13</b>	8.7	31.9	21.5	24.8	335.3
	<b>20</b>	10.1	36.3	24.3	27.8	323.8
	<b>27</b>	10.5	31.8	16.3	24.7	332.8
<b>January</b>	<b>3</b>	9.7	31.3	18.5	24.0	314.1
<b>Total 2003</b>		607.7	1670.8	950.4	1191.4	15560.4
<b>Total 2002</b>		601.8	1,756.1	913.1	1,183.3	14,906.7

1/ This report was compiled from data furnished by a sample group of metropolitan area retail food chains, milk-distributing companies, and wholesale and producer distributors that move 100 or more cases (30 dozen) per week.

Table 5 -- SHELL EGGS: Weekly inventory report, by weeks, 2003 --continued

Date	Eggs Available for Marketing			Eggs in Breakers' Coolers			
	Number of Cases Reported 1/ Thousands	Percent Change From Previous Week 2/	Number of Cooperators	Number of Cases Reported 3/ Thousands	Percent Change From Previous Week 2/	Number of Cooperators	
<b>2003</b>							
<b>January</b>	<b>6</b>	948.1	-1	175	349.9	7	38
	<b>13</b>	754.9	-20	175	313.4	-10	38
	<b>20</b>	758.6	0	175	310.9	-1	38
	<b>27</b>	879.0	16	175	269.9	-13	38
<b>February</b>	<b>3</b>	985.3	12	175	281.4	4	38
	<b>10</b>	984.4	0	175	292.5	4	38
	<b>17</b>	950.5	-4	175	268.8	-8	38
	<b>24</b>	928.3	-4	175	274.1	2	38
<b>March</b>	<b>3</b>	954.2	3	175	281.3	3	38
	<b>10</b>	958.2	0	175	267.8	-5	38
	<b>17</b>	1047.0	9	174	253.2	-5	38
	<b>24</b>	1162.1	11	175	229.4	-9	38
	<b>31</b>	1275.9	10	175	231.1	-4	38
<b>April</b>	<b>7</b>	1286.0	1	175	217.3	-6	38
	<b>14</b>	933.2	-26	174	205.3	-4	37
	<b>21</b>	676.5	-28	174	219.2	7	37
	<b>28</b>	855.0	26	173	222.6	2	37
<b>May</b>	<b>5</b>	941.0	9	174	250.5	13	36
	<b>12</b>	859.5	-9	174	277.6	11	36
	<b>19</b>	837.9	-3	174	251.8	-9	36
	<b>26</b>	821.4	-1	172	260.0	3	36
<b>June</b>	<b>2</b>	859.1	5	172	264.8	2	36
	<b>9</b>	856.9	0	172	253.7	-4	36
	<b>16</b>	855.8	0	172	260.3	3	36
	<b>23</b>	875.7	2	172	266.0	2	36
	<b>30</b>	916.0	5	172	238.3	-10	36
<b>July</b>	<b>7</b>	947.2	3	172	284.1	19	35
	<b>14</b>	858.1	-9	172	299.3	5	35
	<b>21</b>	906.4	6	172	271.3	-9	35
	<b>28</b>	908.9	0	172	243.9	-10	35
<b>August</b>	<b>4</b>	923.4	0	172	248.2	2	35
	<b>11</b>	888.8	-4	172	252.6	2	35
	<b>18</b>	893.1	0	172	245.6	-3	35
	<b>25</b>	946.9	6	172	240.6	-2	37
<b>September</b>	<b>1</b>	962.2	2	172	254.7	6	37
	<b>8</b>	938.6	-2	172	292.1	15	37
	<b>15</b>	905.2	-4	172	260.1	-11	37
	<b>22</b>	948.6	5	172	239.8	-8	37
	<b>29</b>	1051.7	11	172	225.9	-6	37
<b>October</b>	<b>6</b>	1007.5	-4	172	239.8	6	37
	<b>13</b>	961.6	-5	172	237.3	-1	37
	<b>20</b>	960.5	0	171	236.0	-1	36
	<b>27</b>	1029.5	7	171	212.0	-10	36
<b>November</b>	<b>3</b>	1074.4	4	171	233.0	10	36
	<b>10</b>	1011.0	-6	171	247.0	6	36
	<b>17</b>	1060.3	5	171	211.0	-15	36
	<b>24</b>	900.4	-15	171	174.0	-18	36
<b>December</b>	<b>1</b>	1095.1	22	171	216.0	24	36
	<b>8</b>	1165.8	6	171	222.0	3	36
	<b>15</b>	1119.9	-4	171	232.0	5	36
	<b>22</b>	873.2	-22	171	198.0	-15	36
	<b>29</b>	915.0	5	171	280.0	41	36

See footnotes at the end of the table.

Table 5 -- SHELL EGGS : Weekly inventory report, by weeks, 2003

Date	Eggs Available for Marketing, on a Matched Plant Basis, in Thousands 1/								
	Jumbo	Extra Large	Large	Medium	Small	Miscellaneous	Ungraded	Total	
<b>2003</b>									
January	6	50.4	135.9	351.3	111.3	35.6	63.1	200.5	948.1
	13	44.9	102.1	279.0	92.8	32.3	54.7	149.1	754.9
	20	48.0	107.7	291.7	100.1	26.0	56.1	129.0	758.6
	27	60.0	142.6	352.4	101.5	24.9	68.7	128.9	879.0
February	3	64.5	154.4	413.2	116.7	29.4	49.9	157.2	985.3
	10	64.3	148.5	395.1	123.8	25.2	46.8	180.7	984.4
	17	63.8	143.3	389.9	119.9	20.4	55.2	158.0	950.5
	24	63.8	132.6	369.6	113.4	25.4	53.9	169.6	928.3
March	3	64.5	131.3	399.7	115.5	27.6	59.1	156.5	954.2
	10	68.9	134.0	419.1	105.8	25.9	52.5	152.0	958.2
	17	64.2	150.1	463.9	109.3	28.6	62.1	168.8	1047.0
	24	75.8	177.0	526.2	127.2	27.1	55.0	173.8	1162.1
	31	78.4	189.3	607.0	130.9	30.7	55.1	184.5	1275.9
April	7	77.6	176.6	654.5	114.0	26.3	47.9	189.1	1286.0
	14	75.7	131.7	417.9	98.2	20.6	55.5	133.6	933.2
	21	62.1	97.8	251.9	86.0	21.4	50.4	106.9	676.5
	28	58.7	123.8	376.0	95.6	27.9	46.0	127.0	855.0
May	5	56.3	146.2	433.3	104.3	23.3	43.6	134.0	941.0
	12	48.5	131.2	362.1	123.2	26.1	50.4	118.0	859.5
	19	46.8	119.1	351.3	134.0	26.0	55.0	105.7	837.9
	26	50.9	124.0	340.8	122.4	23.3	55.8	104.2	821.4
June	2	56.4	135.8	340.3	126.8	27.5	49.9	122.4	859.1
	9	58.9	144.2	344.2	124.2	28.9	51.6	104.9	856.9
	16	78.1	126.8	336.5	128.9	26.2	54.8	104.5	855.8
	23	60.6	130.8	382.0	121.2	22.7	50.1	108.3	875.7
	30	56.4	140.3	409.6	129.1	20.9	52.3	107.4	916.0
July	7	51.5	124.3	417.5	131.0	29.1	55.8	138.0	947.2
	14	54.7	128.8	334.0	129.1	23.1	56.8	131.6	858.1
	21	56.4	134.2	357.7	133.6	35.1	61.5	127.9	906.4
	28	58.3	135.8	374.6	123.4	29.8	51.1	135.9	908.9
August	4	59.2	142.0	385.1	129.7	29.2	52.5	125.7	923.4
	11	54.3	149.9	372.1	127.8	26.5	50.0	108.2	888.8
	18	53.7	134.0	377.0	124.5	28.1	56.0	119.8	893.1
	25	52.9	143.6	427.6	129.3	29.5	52.4	111.8	946.9
September	1	50.5	144.4	415.0	137.8	28.8	55.6	130.1	962.2
	8	50.8	134.0	388.3	134.8	26.5	65.5	138.7	938.6
	15	54.4	132.3	384.9	116.9	26.0	52.4	138.3	905.2
	22	56.8	149.3	400.3	123.1	25.5	54.8	138.8	948.6
	29	59.4	173.3	477.8	122.4	25.0	49.0	144.8	1051.7
October	6	58.7	163.3	459.5	118.1	24.1	47.8	136.0	1007.5
	13	62.9	154.6	441.0	109.2	27.3	49.7	116.8	961.7
	20	64.8	151.2	434.8	126.7	22.4	43.1	117.5	960.5
	27	61.2	155.0	487.8	128.3	23.4	49.5	124.3	1029.5
November	3	60.0	169.5	510.7	136.6	22.4	54.7	120.5	1074.4
	10	53.9	147.0	464.2	137.5	22.2	53.9	132.3	1011.6
	17	57.2	150.0	506.4	144.4	21.9	56.2	124.2	1060.3
	24	56.0	135.2	384.8	135.7	21.0	52.9	114.8	900.4
December	1	60.9	166.8	471.9	139.2	24.3	65.7	166.3	1095.1
	8	64.4	180.0	535.7	147.0	23.5	59.6	155.6	1165.8
	15	70.9	164.8	517.0	131.8	23.2	62.1	150.1	1119.9
	22	63.6	119.7	393.3	116.2	19.9	57.6	102.9	873.2
	29	60.3	117.6	395.2	131.4	20.6	64.0	125.9	915.0

1/ Sample does not include total U.S. inventory but includes eggs packed for export when in cooperators coolers.

2/ The per cent change is on a matched plant basis.

3/ Sample does not include total U.S. inventory.



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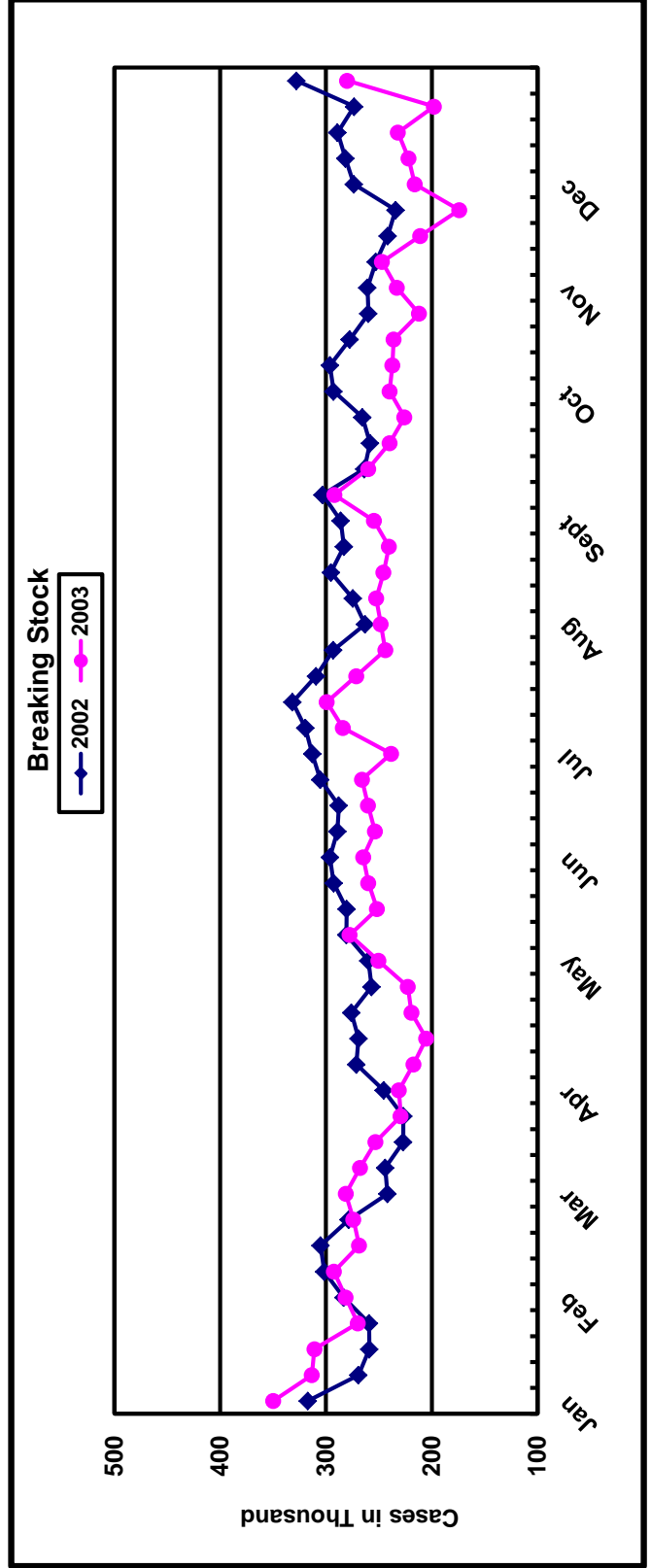
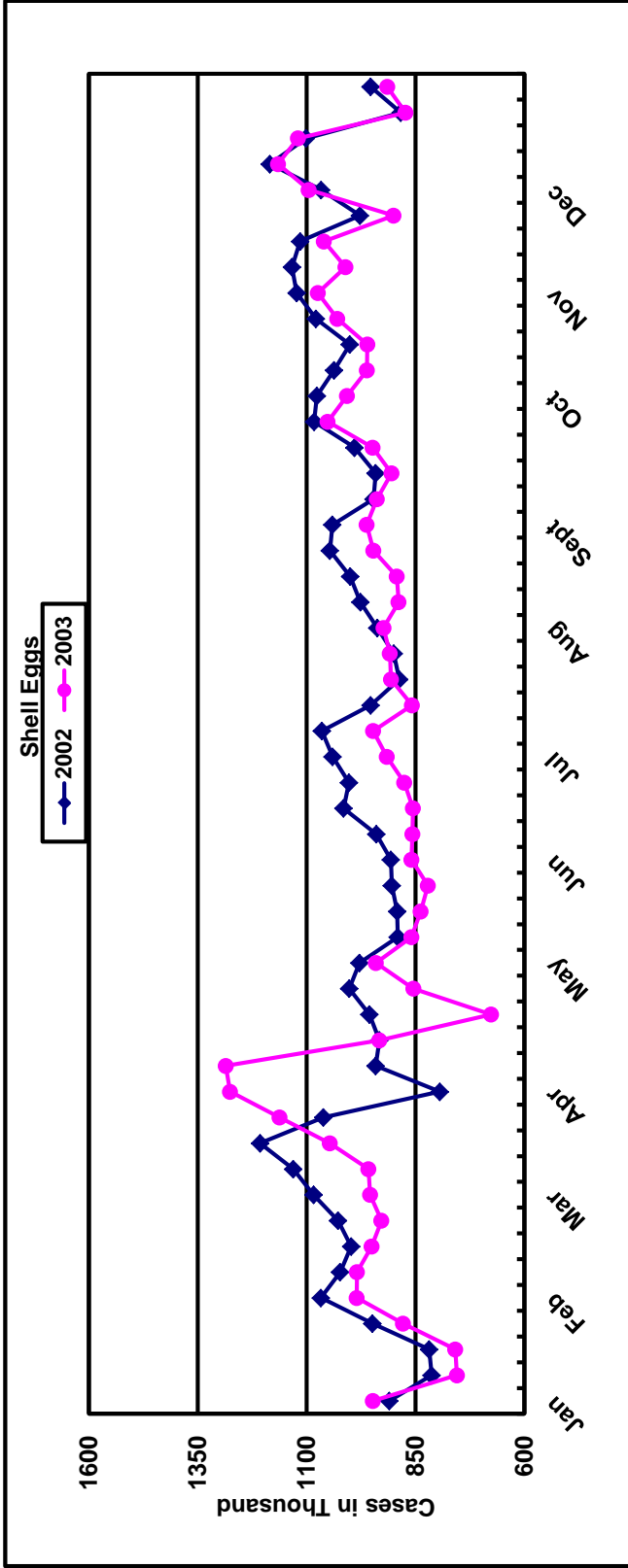


Table 6 -- EGGs: Monthly average prices, delivered, trailer loads, by region, by months, 2003 1/ --continued

(Cents per dozen) 2/

Gradeable Nest Run - Class 1							
Month and Year	6 Regions 3/ Sales	SE 4/ Sales	NE Sales	MW 4/ Sales	SC 4/ Sales	NW Sales	SW 4/ Sales
<b>2003</b>							
January	64.0	56.7	50.6	56.1	89.8	5/	66.7
February	52.3	50.4	47.9	5/	53.6	5/	57.1
March	56.5	52.1	55.7	5/	57.1	5/	61.1
April	52.9	53.6	49.5	48.5	55.0	5/	57.7
May	43.6	45.3	42.9	39.3	40.0	5/	50.6
June	54.1	52.9	52.0	52.8	52.0	5/	61.0
July	56.0	55.3	55.1	56.4	57.0	5/	5/
August	70.1	64.7	70.9	70.3	74.6	5/	5/
September	69.4	5/	69.9	69.5	5/	5/	68.8
October	84.6	91.2	77.6	5/	85.0	5/	5/
November	104.1	107.0	101.1	107.0	101.1	5/	5/
December	77.4	79.3	80.8	72.0	5/	5/	5/
Average 2003	65.4	64.4	62.8	63.5	66.5	5/	60.4
Average 2002	46.8	47.2	44.1	42.3	50.9	44.0	48.2
Gradeable Nest Run - Class 2							
Month and Year	6 Regions 3/ Sales	SE 4/ Sales	NE Sales	MW 4/ Sales	SC 4/ Sales	NW Sales	SW 4/ Sales
<b>2003</b>							
January	53.0	46.3	45.0	57.3	55.3	5/	61.2
February	49.0	50.3	5/	43.8	52.0	5/	50.0
March	52.3	52.0	54.0	51.0	5/	5/	5/
April	51.0	5/	52.0	51.0	50.0	5/	5/
May	43.0	39.0	47.0	5/	5/	5/	5/
June	47.9	51.0	46.0	46.8	5/	5/	5/
July	52.7	55.4	5/	5/	50.0	5/	5/
August	68.4	68.0	5/	68.8	5/	5/	5/
September	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/
October	82.5	5/	5/	82.5	5/	5/	5/
November	92.6	5/	89.2	95.9	5/	5/	5/
December	71.1	62.0	73.0	78.3	5/	5/	5/
Average 2003	60.3	53.0	58.0	63.9	51.8	5/	55.6
Average 2002	42.3	44.0	44.1	38.5	48.4	5/	5/
Gradeable Nest Run - Class 3							
Month and Year	6 Regions 3/ Sales	SE 4/ Sales	NE Sales	MW 4/ Sales	SC 4/ Sales	NW Sales	SW 4/ Sales
<b>2003</b>							
January	45.7	54.0	37.2	46.0	45.4	5/	5/
February	35.0	5/	5/	35.0	5/	5/	5/
March	40.5	40.5	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/
April	40.9	41.5	5/	5/	40.3	5/	5/
May	35.8	37.5	5/	34.0	5/	5/	5/
June	41.0	43.0	5/	39.0	5/	5/	5/
July	48.5	5/	5/	48.5	5/	5/	5/
August	58.0	5/	5/	58.0	5/	5/	5/
September	66.7	5/	67.0	66.3	5/	5/	5/
October	60.8	55.0	5/	66.5	5/	5/	5/
November	76.0	5/	70.0	82.0	5/	5/	5/
December	63.8	60.0	71.5	60.0	5/	5/	5/
Average 2003	51.0	47.4	61.4	53.5	42.9	5/	5/
Average 2002	35.6	36.3	32.3	32.8	39.9	5/	52.0

See footnotes at the end of table.

Table 6 -- EGGs: Monthly average prices, delivered, trailer loads, by region, by months, 2003 1/ --continued

(Cents per dozen) 2/

Gradeable Nest Run - Class 4							
Month and Year	6 Regions 3/ Sales	SE 4/ Sales	NE Sales	MW 4/ Sales	SC 4/ Sales	NW Sales	SW 4/ Sales
<b>2003</b>							
January	39.3	37.0	42.0	39.0	5/	5/	5/
February	29.0	5/	5/	29.0	5/	5/	5/
March	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/
April	27.8	29.0	5/	26.5	5/	5/	5/
May	23.9	5/	22.0	25.8	5/	5/	5/
June	40.7	5/	5/	40.7	5/	5/	5/
July	43.2	5/	5/	43.2	5/	5/	5/
August	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/
September	52.0	5/	5/	52.0	5/	5/	5/
October	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/
November	75.0	79.0	73.0	73.0	5/	5/	5/
December	59.3	5/	53.0	65.6	5/	5/	5/
Average 2003	43.4	48.3	47.5	43.9	5/	5/	5/
Average 2002	22.7	31.9	23.6	32.2	26.3	5/	33.0
Graded Loose Large							
Month and Year	6 Regions 3/ Sales	SE 4/ Sales	NE Sales	MW 4/ Sales	SC 4/ Sales	NW Sales	SW 4/ Sales
<b>2003</b>							
January	69.5	65.6	62.9	71.0	67.4	80.7	69.2
February	58.3	61.2	59.0	51.0	55.0	62.5	60.9
March	65.4	63.2	65.4	59.0	65.4	70.5	69.0
April	59.2	63.1	59.4	53.7	61.8	54.5	62.4
May	51.2	51.9	51.0	45.5	51.7	52.0	54.8
June	61.9	62.8	59.3	57.6	62.2	65.0	64.4
July	65.1	66.7	63.7	61.4	64.7	5/	69.0
August	79.5	76.9	77.7	73.7	81.8	83.0	83.8
September	77.6	76.8	77.5	74.3	77.3	5/	82.2
October	88.2	92.2	83.2	88.3	88.5	5/	89.0
November	111.0	113.5	111.9	113.6	105.6	5/	110.5
December	88.9	91.0	88.7	83.8	92.7	5/	88.6
Average 2003	73.0	73.7	71.6	69.4	72.8	66.9	75.3
Average 2002	51.3	53.7	49.5	45.9	51.3	54.9	51.7
Graded Loose Medium							
Month and Year	6 Regions 3/ Sales	SE 4/ Sales	NE Sales	MW 4/ Sales	SC 4/ Sales	NW Sales	SW 4/ Sales
<b>2003</b>							
January	50.8	63.0	48.6	39.7	49.5	48.0	55.8
February	46.8	47.5	43.9	46.9	47.1	45.4	49.9
March	48.8	48.3	46.7	44.1	49.0	51.8	52.8
April	50.0	51.8	53.6	49.3	50.8	43.0	51.4
May	47.2	44.6	48.0	48.3	46.5	5/	48.4
June	47.0	48.2	48.3	44.9	45.8	5/	47.7
July	48.2	50.2	46.3	45.7	48.0	5/	50.7
August	55.6	54.8	51.2	51.6	56.0	65.0	55.1
September	58.7	59.5	55.9	53.7	60.0	60.0	62.9
October	75.7	5/	73.9	73.2	74.3	75.0	82.0
November	87.9	91.9	89.4	83.3	85.0	88.8	88.8
December	72.1	71.1	72.8	68.2	75.7	5/	72.7
Average 2003	57.4	57.4	56.6	54.1	57.3	59.6	59.9
Average 2002	36.9	37.9	35.1	35.9	37.2	42.9	38.9

See footnotes at the end of table.

Table 6 -- EGGs: Monthly average prices, delivered, trailer loads, by region, by months, 2003 1/

(Cents per dozen) 2/

Graded Loose - Small							
Month and Year	6 Regions 3/ Sales	SE 4/ Sales	NE Sales	MW 4/ Sales	SC 4/ Sales	NW Sales	SW 4/ Sales
<b>2003</b>							
January	32.8	34.2	33.3	32.8	28.5	5/	35.3
February	31.5	34.1	32.1	28.5	27.6	5/	35.0
March	33.0	33.1	32.6	5/	31.8	5/	34.3
April	30.9	32.2	32.3	29.3	27.0	5/	33.5
May	31.1	32.0	32.1	5/	27.5	5/	32.8
June	31.9	33.0	32.4	5/	28.0	5/	34.0
July	31.6	33.1	32.9	32.2	28.0	5/	5/
August	37.5	36.9	36.4	37.6	37.8	5/	39.0
September	39.6	39.8	36.7	42.3	5/	5/	5/
October	58.3	5/	56.4	56.0	58.6	5/	62.0
November	62.8	5/	59.9	62.0	5/	5/	66.5
December	53.0	54.3	53.8	46.9	57.0	5/	5/
Average 2003	39.5	36.3	39.2	40.8	35.2	5/	41.4
Average 2002	25.7	25.8	25.0	24.1	23.9	27.0	30.9
Nest Run Breaking Stock 6/							
Month and Year	6 Regions 3/ Sales	SE 4/ Sales	NE Sales	MW 4/ Sales	SC 4/ Sales	NW Sales	SW 4/ Sales
<b>2003</b>							
January	36.0	5/	34.8	37.2	5/	5/	5/
February	37.9	5/	35.7	40.1	5/	5/	5/
March	41.4	5/	39.0	43.7	5/	5/	5/
April	40.5	5/	40.7	40.2	5/	5/	5/
May	42.6	5/	39.1	40.7	5/	5/	48.0
June	47.6	5/	46.7	48.5	5/	5/	5/
July	50.3	50.0	48.0	52.8	5/	5/	5/
August	65.5	67.1	60.3	69.2	5/	5/	5/
September	68.0	67.3	65.8	71.0	5/	5/	5/
October	77.0	79.5	73.0	79.5	76.0	5/	5/
November	86.8	5/	85.0	88.7	5/	5/	5/
December	71.5	67.0	73.7	74.0	5/	5/	5/
Average 2003	55.4	66.2	53.5	57.1	76.0	5/	48.0
Average 2002	33.9	32.6	33.3	34.3	34.5	38.7	5/

1/ 600 or more, 30 dozen cases = 1 trailer load.

2/ Monthly weighted average price rounded to the nearest tenth of a cent.

3/ 6 Regions include:

SE - AL, FL, GA, KY, MS, NC, SC, TN, VA, WV.

NE - CT, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, VT.

MW - IA, IL, IN, MI, MN, ND, NE, OH, SD, WI.

SC - AR, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, TX.

NW - ID, MT, OR, WA, WY.

SW - AZ, CA, NV, UT.

4/ Effective October 2003: Kentucky moved to the Midwest Region; Arizona and Utah moved to the South Central Region.

5/ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

6/ 48 lbs. net weight.

**Table 7 -- SHELL EGGS: Average on Grade A white eggs paid to producers, by months, 2003  
(Cents per dozen )**

Month and Year	Iowa/Minnesota/Wisconsin		
	Large	Medium	Small
<b>2003</b>			
January	47.57	35.43	16.14
February	43.47	32.37	14.21
March	46.67	32.05	13.33
April	46.77	36.59	14.00
May	37.10	31.24	14.00
June	46.76	34.00	14.00
July	50.05	34.05	15.95
August	64.76	41.33	20.67
September	62.71	42.76	22.81
October	69.05	61.27	37.27
November	91.06	74.61	45.00
December	78.95	59.81	41.14
<b>Average 2003</b>	<b>57.08</b>	<b>42.96</b>	<b>22.38</b>
<b>Average 2002</b>	<b>37.49</b>	<b>24.68</b>	<b>8.99</b>

**Table 8-- SHELL EGGS: Weighted average prices on USDA Grade A and Grade A cartoned white eggs in small lots,  
delivered nearby to retail outlets, by months, 2003  
(Cents per dozen)**

Month and Year	North Carolina			
	Extra Large	Large	Medium	Small
<b>2003</b>				
January	87.92	85.92	72.76	55.63
February	89.51	87.51	76.20	56.25
March	88.27	86.27	71.27	54.27
April	88.14	87.43	73.82	54.27
May	78.85	76.52	71.28	54.27
June	87.85	84.85	70.94	52.54
July	89.62	86.64	71.73	52.24
August	102.00	98.25	77.08	53.83
September	103.21	98.82	78.70	54.77
October	109.48	105.92	96.53	70.68
November	129.29	127.82	109.59	82.00
December	121.36	120.36	99.58	76.57
<b>Average 2003</b>	<b>97.96</b>	<b>95.53</b>	<b>80.79</b>	<b>59.78</b>
<b>Average 2002</b>	<b>78.95</b>	<b>75.88</b>	<b>61.21</b>	<b>47.07</b>

**Table 9 -- SHELL EGGS: Average prices on USDA Grade A and Grade A cartoned white eggs to consumers, major chains, by months, 2003  
(Cents per dozen)**

Month and Year	New York			Southern California			
	Extra Large	Large	Medium	Jumbo	Extra Large	Large	Medium
<b>2003</b>							
January	176.00	159.60	135.00	270.11	265.11	209.00	189.00
February	181.50	163.62	140.25	282.75	277.75	210.88	189.00
March	184.00	161.00	144.00	289.00	284.00	214.00	191.22
April	182.75	153.75	144.00	292.75	284.00	219.00	194.00
May	176.00	131.00	140.00	299.00	284.00	219.00	192.89
June	181.50	166.00	142.25	300.11	288.44	223.44	198.44
July	176.50	166.00	146.50	299.00	286.50	224.00	199.00
August	178.80	168.30	144.00	300.50	281.50	242.75	203.00
September	191.25	180.00	159.00	308.00	292.00	261.00	210.00
October	195.80	183.50	168.00	311.50	299.00	262.00	214.00
November	204.25	207.13	185.25	321.50	311.50	261.50	202.75
December	208.50	201.00	189.00	326.78	319.00	284.56	240.11
<b>Average 2003</b>	186.40	170.08	153.10	300.08	289.40	235.93	201.95
<b>Average 2002</b>	168.58	157.54	130.13	270.08	256.22	207.90	183.93

**Table 10-- SHELL EGGS: Average CEMA 1/ and other marketers benchmark prices on USDA Grade AA and Grade AA cartoned white eggs for negotiated sales, by months, 2003  
(Cents per dozen)**

Month and Year	California 1/ 2/			
	Jumbo	Extra Large	Large	Medium
<b>2003</b>				
January	109.43	105.76	100.33	87.24
February	108.68	103.68	97.68	86.42
March	113.00	108.00	102.10	86.10
April	109.86	105.82	102.64	89.59
May	100.33	96.43	91.48	85.62
June	112.57	107.81	100.81	88.24
July	114.77	110.18	102.77	88.00
August	130.57	127.29	119.05	93.95
September	130.90	128.43	116.43	93.10
October	135.91	133.68	123.05	111.36
November	149.58	148.58	142.79	126.53
December	142.19	140.90	136.19	116.95
<b>Average 2003</b>	121.48	118.05	111.28	96.09
<b>Average 2002</b>	3/	3/	3/	3/

1/ CEMA: California Egg Marketing Association

2/ Prices do not reflect discounts or other contract terms.

3/ New report as of Jan. 3, 2003, comparable year ago data not available.

Table 11 -- EGGs: Average prices on USDA Grade A and Grade A cartoned white eggs to volume buyers, delivered warehouse, by months, 2003 --continued

(Cents per dozen)

Month and Year	Southeast Regional 1/			Northeast Regional 2/		
	Extra Large	Large	Medium	Extra Large	Large	Medium
<b>2003</b>						
January	70.19	68.45	54.73	74.12	70.38	59.02
February	72.21	69.71	58.59	70.89	67.39	57.18
March	72.10	70.29	55.25	76.50	73.50	59.00
April	75.51	71.50	57.76	75.00	71.82	62.14
May	62.27	60.79	54.82	64.17	60.21	56.69
June	71.82	69.60	56.30	74.14	70.12	59.55
July	73.98	72.09	57.25	78.02	73.95	59.23
August	83.56	81.12	61.06	89.86	85.50	63.98
September	86.39	84.46	62.89	92.71	88.21	64.98
October	91.89	89.43	77.48	96.36	92.32	81.45
November	110.24	107.79	92.99	115.56	112.06	96.11
December	112.36	110.96	89.14	110.95	107.33	87.26
<b>Average 2003</b>	81.88	79.68	64.86	84.86	81.07	67.22
<b>Average 2002</b>	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/

Month and Year	Midwest Regional 3/			South Central Regional 4/		
	Extra Large	Large	Medium	Extra Large	Large	Medium
<b>2003</b>						
January	64.50	63.00	51.24	72.31	70.81	56.46
February	62.18	60.68	51.47	69.71	68.21	55.64
March	67.31	65.81	51.52	76.31	74.31	57.50
April	66.09	64.59	54.55	75.75	73.86	60.15
May	54.98	53.48	50.29	64.76	60.77	55.98
June	67.12	65.62	54.00	75.46	70.82	56.75
July	70.27	68.77	54.00	78.11	73.11	56.75
August	84.40	82.90	60.90	91.94	87.65	62.94
September	82.98	81.48	61.43	92.55	88.30	65.75
October	89.55	88.05	79.36	96.07	92.84	81.89
November	108.28	107.06	92.11	114.31	113.03	98.86
December	102.69	101.19	81.95	109.94	109.23	88.51
<b>Average 2003</b>	76.70	75.22	61.90	84.77	81.91	66.43
<b>Average 2002</b>	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/	5/

1/ Southeast Area: AL, FL, GA, MS, NC, SC, eastern TN, and southern VA.

2/ Northeast Area: CT, DC, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, eastern NJ, eastern NY, PA RI, northern VA, and VT.

3/ Midwest Area: IA, IL, IN, KY, MI, MN, OH, NE, ND, SD, WI, WV, western NY, and western PA.

4/ South Central Area: AR, AZ, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, AND TX.

5/ New report as of Jan. 3, 2003, comparable year ago data not available.

Table 11 -- EGGS: Average prices on cartoned white eggs to volume buyers, delivered store door, by months, 2003 --  
continued

(Cents per dozen)

Month and Year	Southern California 1/		
	Extra Large	Large	Medium
<b>2003</b>			
January	90.80	88.10	74.90
February	89.00	86.00	74.75
March	93.38	91.00	75.00
April	94.88	92.50	78.25
May	83.90	80.50	74.50
June	93.75	89.25	76.75
July	95.38	90.75	76.50
August	90.70	86.60	66.20
September	111.88	104.50	80.75
October	117.70	111.30	98.90
November	134.88	131.00	114.75
December	128.63	125.25	106.00
<b>Average 2003</b>	102.07	98.06	83.10
<b>Average 2002</b>	81.94	77.60	64.30

Month and Year	Chicago 2/		
	Extra Large	Large	Medium
<b>2003</b>			
January	71.57	69.57	57.43
February	67.47	65.47	54.37
March	73.05	71.05	55.67
April	70.77	68.77	58.59
May	61.10	59.10	54.24
June	70.76	68.76	57.00
July	74.27	72.39	57.61
August	89.76	88.26	66.83
September	87.71	86.21	68.05
October	93.68	92.18	86.09
November	115.06	113.53	99.11
December	102.95	101.45	84.31
<b>Average 2003</b>	81.51	79.73	66.61
<b>Average 2002</b>	59.18	57.17	43.54

1/ Prices to retailers USDA Grade AA and Grade AA

2/ USDA Grade A and Grade A



Table 11 -- SHELL EGGS: Average prices on USDA Grade A and Grade A cartoned white eggs to volume buyers, delivered store door, by months, 2003

(Cents per dozen)

Month and Year	New York Metropolitan Area		
	Extra Large	Large	Medium
<b>2003</b>			
January	79.43	77.43	67.67
February	76.05	74.05	61.95
March	82.00	80.00	64.00
April	79.09	77.09	67.32
May	69.67	67.67	63.10
June	78.90	76.90	66.14
July	82.95	80.95	65.55
August	95.76	93.76	71.57
September	96.90	94.90	72.76
October	101.95	99.95	90.36
November	124.94	122.94	104.89
December	111.33	109.33	89.81
Average 2003	89.91	87.91	73.76
Average 2002	69.08	67.06	52.40

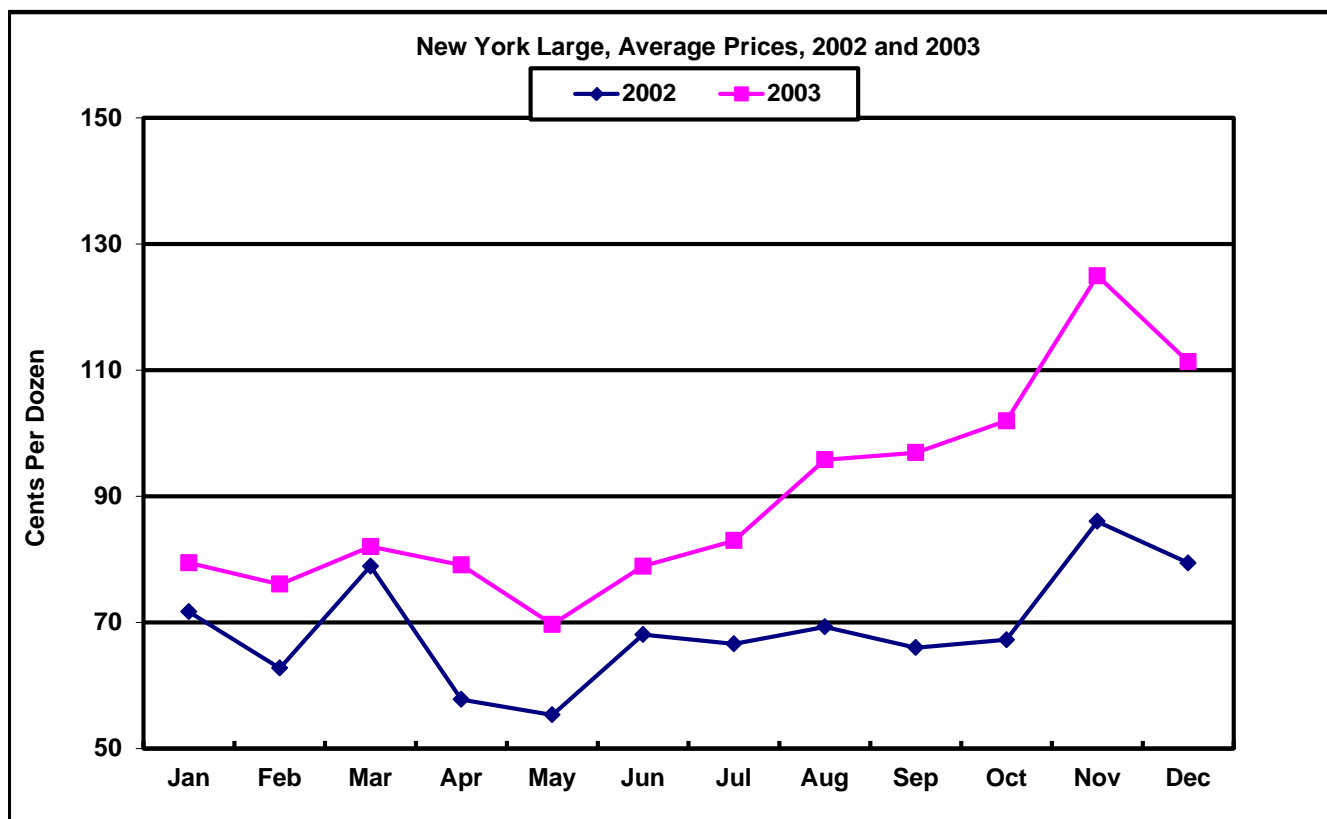


Table 12 -- SHELL EGGS: Average prices of USDA Grade A and Grade A cartoned white eggs to volume buyers, delivered warehouse, by weeks,  
2003 --continued  
(Cents per dozen) 1/

Week Ending	Northeast 3/			Southeast 4/			
	Extra Large	Large	Medium	Extra Large	Large	Medium	
<b>2003</b>							
January	3	69.00	64.00	47.00	64.50	62.50	47.00
	10	69.00	64.00	47.00	64.50	62.50	47.00
	17	69.50	64.50	56.00	65.50	63.50	50.00
	24	78.00	76.00	66.00	80.50	78.50	66.00
	31	79.00	77.00	70.00	81.50	79.50	70.00
February	7	74.00	72.00	63.00	75.50	73.50	63.00
	14	65.50	63.50	52.00	66.50	64.50	53.00
	21	66.00	64.00	52.00	68.50	64.50	53.00
	28	70.00	68.00	53.00	71.50	69.50	54.00
March	7	73.50	73.00	56.00	71.50	69.50	54.00
	14	73.50	73.00	56.00	71.50	69.50	54.00
	21	73.50	73.00	56.00	71.50	69.50	54.00
	28	73.50	73.00	56.00	71.50	69.50	54.00
April	4	73.50	73.00	56.00	71.50	69.50	54.00
	11	73.50	73.00	58.00	72.50	70.50	56.00
	18	73.50	73.00	61.00	74.50	72.50	59.00
	25	72.50	70.00	61.00	74.50	72.50	59.00
May	2	65.50	64.00	59.00	66.50	64.50	57.00
	9	60.00	58.00	54.00	59.50	57.00	54.00
	16	60.00	58.00	54.00	57.50	55.50	52.00
	23	60.50	59.00	54.50	59.50	57.50	53.00
	30	66.50	63.00	57.00	68.50	66.00	54.50
June	6	71.50	68.50	58.00	71.50	69.50	55.00
	13	71.50	68.50	58.00	71.50	69.50	55.00
	20	71.50	68.50	58.00	71.50	69.50	55.00
	27	73.50	72.00	58.00	72.50	70.50	55.00
July	4	72.50	71.00	59.00	72.50	70.50	55.00
	11	75.50	72.00	59.00	72.50	70.50	56.00
	18	75.50	72.00	57.00	72.50	70.50	56.00
	25	76.50	73.00	57.00	73.50	71.50	56.00
August	1	77.50	76.00	57.00	75.50	73.50	56.00
	8	80.00	78.00	57.00	78.50	76.50	56.00
	15	86.50	85.00	62.50	84.50	82.50	61.00
	22	93.00	91.00	67.00	88.50	86.50	64.00
	29	93.00	92.00	65.50	88.50	86.50	64.00
September	5	88.50	88.00	63.00	85.50	83.50	62.00
	12	87.50	87.00	56.50	84.50	82.50	59.00
	19	87.50	87.00	61.00	84.50	82.50	60.00
	26	88.50	88.00	66.50	86.50	84.50	65.00
October	3	91.00	90.00	73.50	88.50	86.50	72.00
	10	91.00	90.00	74.50	88.50	86.50	73.00
	17	91.00	90.00	76.00	88.50	86.50	74.00
	24	94.00	92.00	84.50	92.50	90.50	84.00
	31	98.00	96.00	90.00	99.50	97.50	92.00
November	7	101.00	99.00	90.00	103.50	101.50	90.00
	14	108.00	106.00	90.00	109.50	107.50	89.00
	21	118.50	117.00	97.00	117.50	115.50	95.00
	28	127.50	126.00	102.00	125.50	123.50	100.00
December	5	127.50	126.00	102.00	125.50	123.50	100.00
	12	112.00	110.00	90.00	112.50	110.50	90.00
	19	100.00	98.00	78.00	100.50	98.50	77.00
	26	97.50	96.00	75.50	98.50	96.50	75.00
<b>Average 2003</b>		82.22	80.18	65.14	81.04	78.98	63.82
<b>Average 2002</b>		2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 12 -- SHELL EGGS: Average prices of USDA Grade A and Grade A cartoned white eggs to volume buyers,  
delivered warehouse, by weeks, 2003  
(Cents per dozen) 1/**

Week Ending	Midwest 5/			South Central 6/			Combined Regional			
	Extra Large	Large	Medium	Extra Large	Large	Medium	Extra Large	Large	Medium	
<b>2003</b>										
January	3	56.00	55.00	42.00	64.50	63.00	45.75	63.50	61.19	45.43
	10	56.00	55.00	42.00	64.50	63.00	45.75	63.50	61.19	45.43
	17	58.00	57.00	45.50	67.50	66.00	50.75	65.21	62.90	50.54
	24	73.00	72.00	62.50	80.50	79.00	65.75	78.10	76.49	65.08
	31	74.00	73.00	66.50	81.50	80.00	69.75	79.10	77.49	69.08
February	7	67.00	66.00	60.50	74.50	73.00	60.75	72.80	71.19	61.74
	14	58.00	57.00	49.50	65.50	64.00	52.75	63.92	62.31	51.85
	21	58.00	57.00	49.50	65.50	64.00	52.75	64.50	62.42	51.85
	28	63.00	62.00	51.50	72.50	71.00	55.75	69.39	67.77	53.67
March	7	66.00	65.00	52.50	74.50	72.50	57.50	71.52	70.11	55.13
	14	66.00	65.00	52.50	76.50	74.50	57.50	72.11	70.70	55.13
	21	67.00	66.00	53.50	76.50	74.50	57.50	72.35	70.94	55.37
	28	68.00	67.00	53.50	77.50	75.50	57.50	72.88	71.48	55.37
April	4	68.00	67.00	53.50	77.50	75.50	57.50	72.88	71.48	55.37
	11	68.00	67.00	55.50	77.50	75.50	59.50	73.11	71.71	57.37
	18	68.00	67.00	57.50	77.50	75.50	61.50	73.57	72.17	59.84
	25	63.00	63.00	57.50	75.50	74.00	61.50	71.54	70.06	59.84
May	2	56.00	56.00	55.50	68.00	66.00	60.25	64.17	62.77	58.06
	9	51.00	51.00	50.50	63.50	58.75	55.75	58.74	56.30	53.67
	16	51.00	51.00	50.50	61.75	57.75	55.00	57.76	55.66	52.99
	23	53.00	53.00	51.50	63.75	59.75	55.25	59.41	57.42	53.65
	30	66.50	63.00	57.00	69.75	65.75	56.25	67.91	64.50	56.20
June	6	66.00	64.50	54.00	72.50	68.50	56.00	70.46	67.76	55.76
	13	66.00	64.50	54.00	72.50	68.50	56.00	70.46	67.76	55.76
	20	66.00	64.50	54.00	72.50	68.50	56.00	70.46	67.76	55.76
	27	68.00	66.50	54.00	74.50	70.50	56.00	72.23	69.89	55.76
July	4	69.00	67.50	54.00	74.50	70.50	56.00	72.24	69.89	55.99
	11	69.00	67.50	54.00	74.50	70.50	56.00	72.94	70.13	56.22
	18	69.00	67.50	54.00	74.50	70.50	56.00	72.94	70.13	55.75
	25	70.00	68.50	54.00	75.50	71.50	56.00	73.94	71.13	55.75
August	1	72.00	70.50	54.00	77.50	73.50	56.00	75.71	73.36	55.75
	8	76.00	74.50	55.00	81.00	76.50	56.00	78.98	76.37	55.99
	15	85.00	83.50	61.00	90.00	85.50	62.00	86.70	84.21	61.65
	22	89.50	87.50	65.00	94.00	89.50	64.00	91.41	88.68	64.95
	29	88.50	86.50	64.00	94.50	91.50	65.50	91.32	89.26	64.79
September	5	82.50	80.50	59.00	90.50	87.00	64.00	86.95	84.86	62.10
	12	81.50	79.50	58.00	89.50	85.50	63.00	85.95	83.71	60.05
	19	81.50	79.50	59.00	91.00	87.00	64.00	86.38	84.15	61.17
	26	84.50	82.50	65.00	92.50	91.00	71.00	88.25	86.74	67.11
October	3	87.50	85.50	72.00	94.00	93.50	75.00	90.46	89.13	73.23
	10	87.50	85.50	72.00	94.00	93.50	76.00	90.46	89.13	73.99
	17	87.50	85.50	75.00	94.00	93.50	78.00	90.46	89.13	75.88
	24	90.50	88.50	84.00	94.00	95.50	87.00	92.81	91.83	85.00
	31	93.50	91.50	88.00	96.50	94.50	89.50	96.82	94.82	89.83
November	7	96.50	94.50	88.00	101.50	99.50	89.50	100.63	98.63	89.37
	14	103.50	101.50	88.00	108.50	107.50	89.50	107.40	105.70	89.14
	21	113.50	111.50	94.00	117.50	116.50	97.50	116.77	115.18	95.96
	28	122.50	120.50	99.00	126.50	125.50	102.50	125.54	123.95	100.96
December	5	122.50	120.50	99.00	126.50	125.50	102.50	125.54	123.95	100.96
	12	105.50	103.50	87.00	112.50	111.50	91.50	110.69	108.98	89.71
	19	93.50	91.50	73.00	100.50	99.50	79.50	98.69	96.98	77.00
	26	91.50	89.50	71.00	97.50	97.50	79.00	96.28	97.98	75.32
<b>Average 2003</b>		76.04	74.62	62.16	83.29	80.92	65.44	80.73	78.64	64.22
<b>Average 2002</b>		2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/

1/ Computed from simple weekly averages weighted by regional area populations.

2/ New report as of Jan. 3, 2003. Comparable year ago data not available.

3/ Northeast Region includes: CT, DC, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, Eastern NJ, Eastern NY, PA, RI, Northern VA, and VT

4/ Southeast Region includes: AL, FL, GA, MS, NC, SC, Eastern TN, and Southern VA

5/ Midwest Region includes: IA, IL, IN, KY, MI, MN, OH, NE, ND, SD, WI, WV, Western NY, and Western PA

6/ South Central Region includes: AR, AZ, CO, KSLA, MO, NM, OK, and TX

Table 13--SHELL EGGS: Average prices paid for breaking stock, delivered plant, by months, 2003

(Cents per dozen)

Month and Year	Central States 1/ 2/		Eastern Area 1/ 3/	
	Nest Run 4/	Checks and Under grades 5/	Nest Run 4/	Checks and Under grades 5/
<b>2003</b>				
January	36.82	23.88	35.67	25.13
February	39.35	28.50	37.75	26.83
March	42.52	30.79	37.50	26.86
April	39.89	28.77	37.56	27.15
May	37.88	23.13	38.06	27.51
June	48.07	34.88	44.81	34.58
July	51.86	38.82	48.56	38.08
August	67.35	54.17	61.22	52.11
September	69.32	57.71	67.28	57.26
October	78.80	65.73	73.92	62.17
November	85.36	74.11	84.06	72.31
December	70.00	63.80	72.38	60.31
<b>Average 2003</b>	55.60	43.69	53.23	42.53
<b>Average 2002</b>	33.74	19.92	32.67	21.00

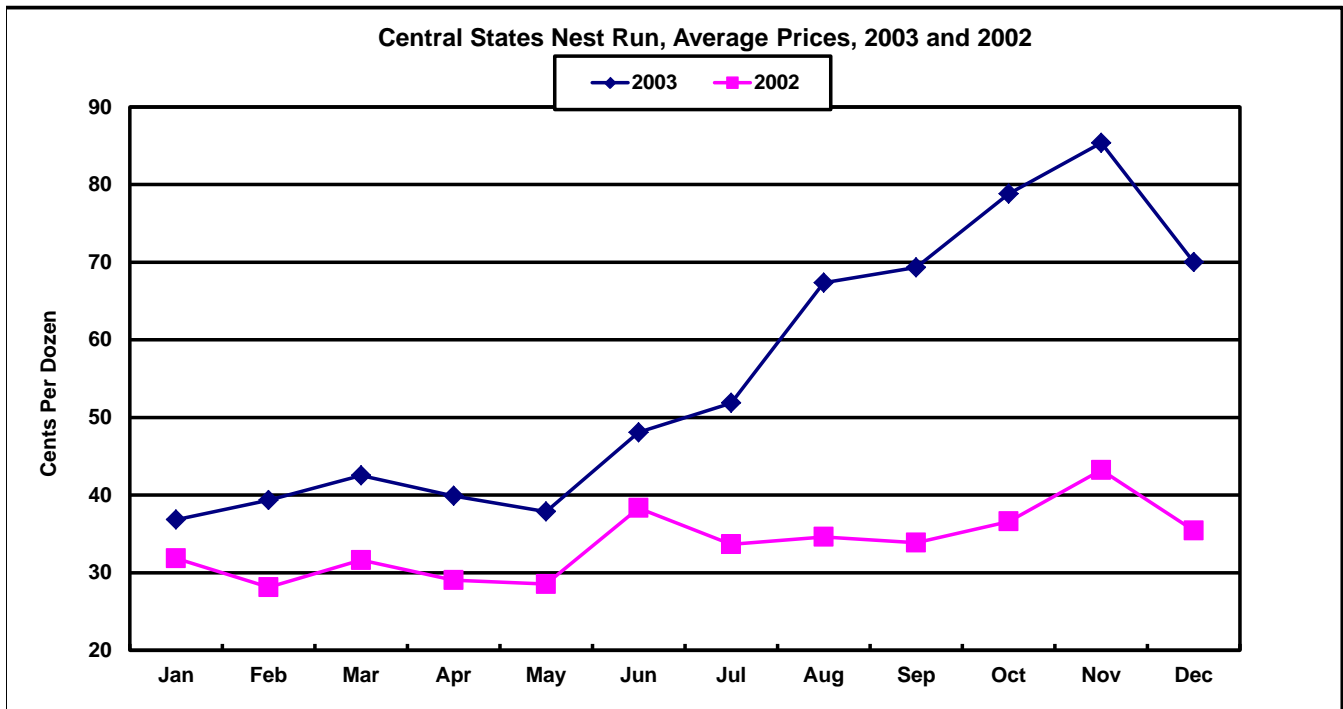
1/ 48 pound minimum net weight per 30 dozen case equivalent.

2/ Central States includes: AR, CO, IA, IL, IN, KS, LA, MI, MN, MO, NM, ND, NE, OH, OK, SD, TX, and WI.

3/ Eastern area includes: AL, CT, DE, FL, GA, KY, ME, MD, MA, MS, NH, NJ, NY, NC, PA, RI, SC, TN, VT, VA, and WV.

4/ Trucklots

5/ Less than trucklot.



**Table 14--FROZEN EGGS: Wholesale selling prices in specified areas, by months, 2003**  
(Cents per pound in 30-pound containers in LESTHAN TRUCKLOT) 2/

Month and Year	Whole Eggs		Blends	Whites		Sugared Yolks Minimum 43% Solids		Salted Yolks Minimum 43% Solids	
	Eastern Region 1/	Southern California	Eastern Region 1/	Eastern Region 1/	Southern California	Eastern Region 1/	Southern California	Eastern Region 1/	Southern California
<b>2003</b>									
January	50.90	48.70	76.30	34.90	31.30	87.70	86.70	85.40	82.70
February	52.88	50.50	74.13	38.75	36.50	83.00	80.50	82.50	76.50
March	55.50	53.25	72.38	42.81	41.00	82.00	78.50	81.50	74.50
April	57.25	54.75	75.25	44.00	43.00	81.38	77.25	80.88	73.25
May	56.80	54.30	73.40	46.50	45.50	78.90	74.30	79.40	70.50
June	63.00	61.00	79.88	51.75	51.00	82.25	80.25	81.50	77.00
July	67.88	65.75	85.75	55.60	53.50	89.50	89.00	86.50	86.00
August	77.20	76.50	95.00	60.50	58.50	103.40	101.90	98.90	98.90
September	83.25	81.50	99.00	66.50	64.25	110.50	107.50	105.00	104.50
October	86.50	84.90	100.00	74.10	73.10	110.50	107.50	106.00	104.50
November	93.50	92.25	101.13	79.00	77.50	110.50	107.50	106.00	104.50
December	88.25	84.25	95.88	81.00	80.00	99.50	93.75	94.13	90.75
<b>Average 2003</b>	69.41	67.30	85.68	56.28	54.60	93.26	90.39	90.64	86.97
<b>Average 2002</b>	52.69	51.18	76.51	35.93	29.60	87.76	87.13	85.28	83.13

1/ The Eastern Region includes: CT, DE, FL, GA, MA, MD, ME, NC, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, SC, VA, VT, WV.

2/ Minimum sale 25 cans

**Table 15 -- FROZEN EGGS: Wholesale selling prices in specified areas, by months, 2003**  
(Cents per pound in 30-pound containers in TRUCKLOTS)

Month and Year	Whole		Whites		Yolks, Minimum 43% Solids			
	Eastern Region 1/	Central Region 2/	Eastern Region 1/	Central Region 2/	Eastern Region 1/	Central Region 2/	Eastern Region 1/	Central Region 2/
					Sugared		Salted	
<b>2003</b>								
January	42.60	42.10	27.00	27.20	81.00	80.70	76.40	76.60
February	43.50	45.75	31.25	32.88	77.25	74.50	72.75	70.88
March	45.88	47.00	36.00	37.50	72.00	72.50	68.00	67.50
April	49.63	48.50	36.88	38.25	71.38	71.00	66.13	66.75
May	46.90	48.20	38.60	39.90	67.00	68.50	63.80	64.00
June	52.13	54.50	43.25	44.88	72.13	75.13	70.00	70.88
July	57.69	59.31	46.13	47.63	80.00	83.00	78.25	80.25
August	67.60	70.40	53.20	53.90	94.60	97.60	90.80	93.55
September	74.25	75.19	57.38	59.25	102.13	102.50	98.38	98.63
October	77.70	78.50	66.50	68.10	101.40	102.20	97.50	98.10
November	83.88	85.00	72.13	72.88	101.75	103.38	98.50	98.88
December	81.81	78.25	73.63	74.25	90.25	87.63	86.25	85.13
<b>Average 2003</b>	60.30	61.06	48.50	49.72	84.24	84.89	80.56	80.93
<b>Average 2002</b>	43.71	43.87	26.79	26.86	80.75	81.52	76.85	76.91

1/ Eastern Region includes: CT, DE, FL, GA, MA, MD, ME, NC, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, SC, VA, VT, WV.

2/ Central Region includes: AL, AR, IA, IL, IN, KS, KY, LA, MI, MN, MO, MS, NE, ND, OH, OK, SD, TN, TX, WI.

Table 16 -- DRIED EGGS: Wholesale selling prices, by months, 2003  
(Dollars per Pound)

Month and Year	Whole Eggs	Yolks	Albumen (Spray)	Dried Blends
<b>2003</b>				
January	1.73	1.97	1.81	1.31
February	1.76	1.89	2.10	1.34
March	1.78	1.82	2.68	1.36
April	1.81	1.82	2.84	1.37
May	1.82	1.74	2.98	1.37
June	2.00	1.73	3.29	1.44
July	2.22	1.92	3.55	1.57
August	2.55	2.23	4.13	1.83
September	2.85	2.44	4.65	2.04
October	3.10	2.26	5.22	2.10
November	3.34	2.25	5.59	2.24
December	3.31	2.10	5.83	2.21
Average 2003	2.36	2.01	3.72	1.68
Average 2002	1.67	1.93	1.87	1.26

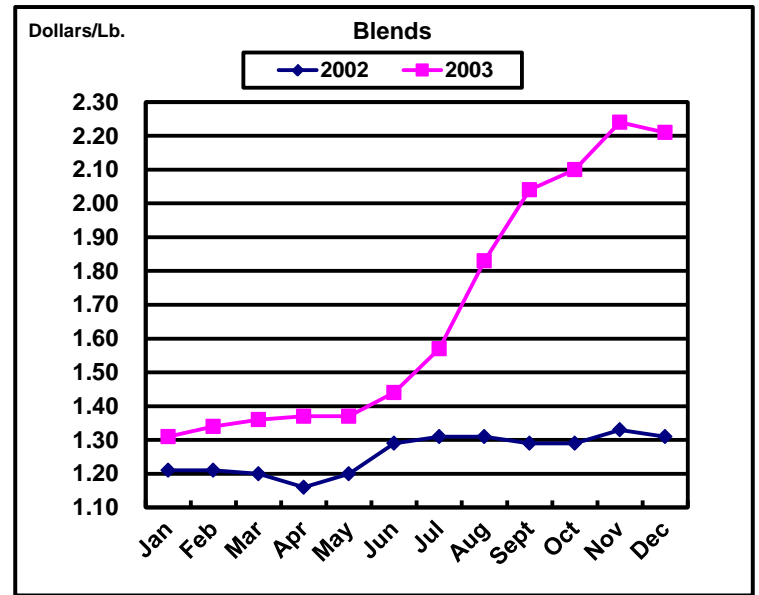
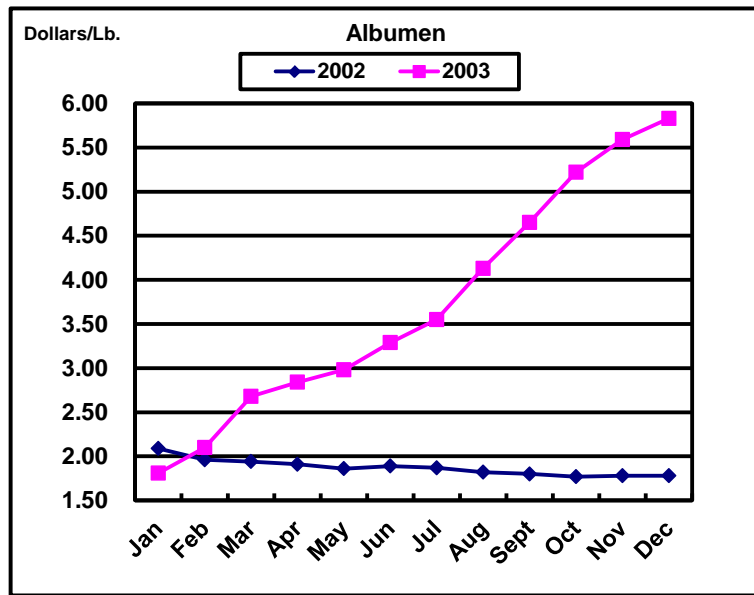
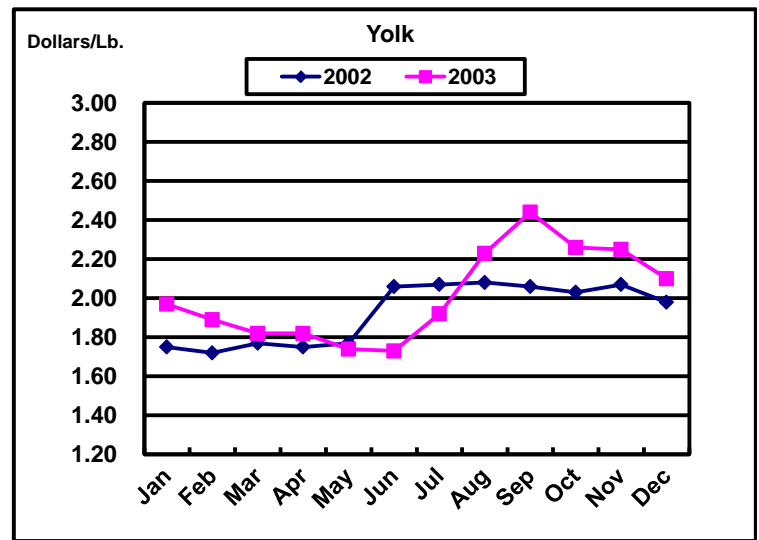
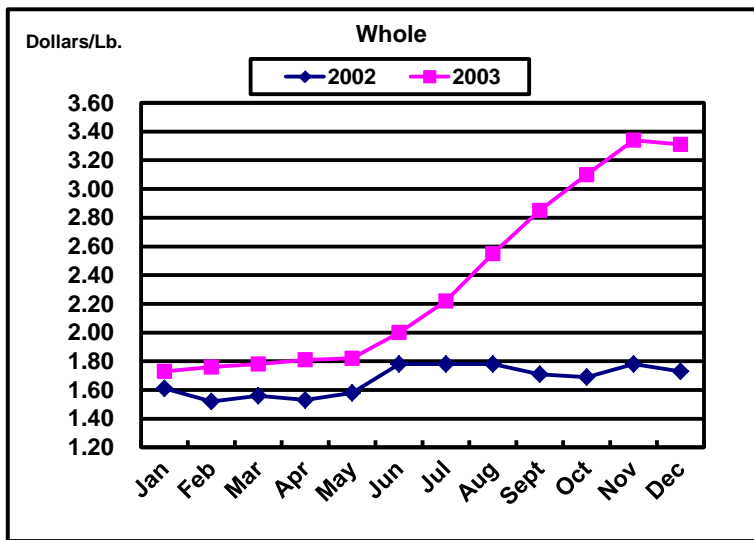


Table 17--DRIED EGGS: Inventory, by months, 2003 1/

Month and Year	Dried Whole						Whole Blend		
	Plain			Free Flowing 2/			Pounds	% Change Last Month	% Change Last Year
	Pounds	% Change Last Month	% Change Last Year	Pounds	% Change Last Month	% Change Last Year			
<b>2003</b>									
January	1,585,476	9	22	4,665,859	30	74	1,888,861	-2	25
February	1,500,427	-5	14	4,334,415	-7	33	1,944,361	3	15
March	1,494,730	0	55	4,557,847	5	63	1,615,770	-17	41
April	1,532,983	3	67	3,330,744	-27	-5	1,624,276	1	21
May	1,377,065	-8	11	3,545,944	8	-16	1,594,550	-2	-11
June	1,548,015	12	62	3,604,240	2	-32	1,687,443	6	-14
July	1,589,331	0	19	3,642,100	0	-30	1,481,319	-12	-31
August	1,322,780	-17	-8	3,614,760	-1	-21	1,265,262	-15	-17
September	1,029,687	-22	-34	3,389,633	-6	-11	1,279,306	1	-17
October	927,354	-10	-21	2,614,325	-23	15	1,254,702	-2	-24
November	702,690	-24	-55	1,973,010	-25	-8	940,973	-25	-51
December	995,977	42	-30	1,760,800	-11	-51	1,297,173	38	-33

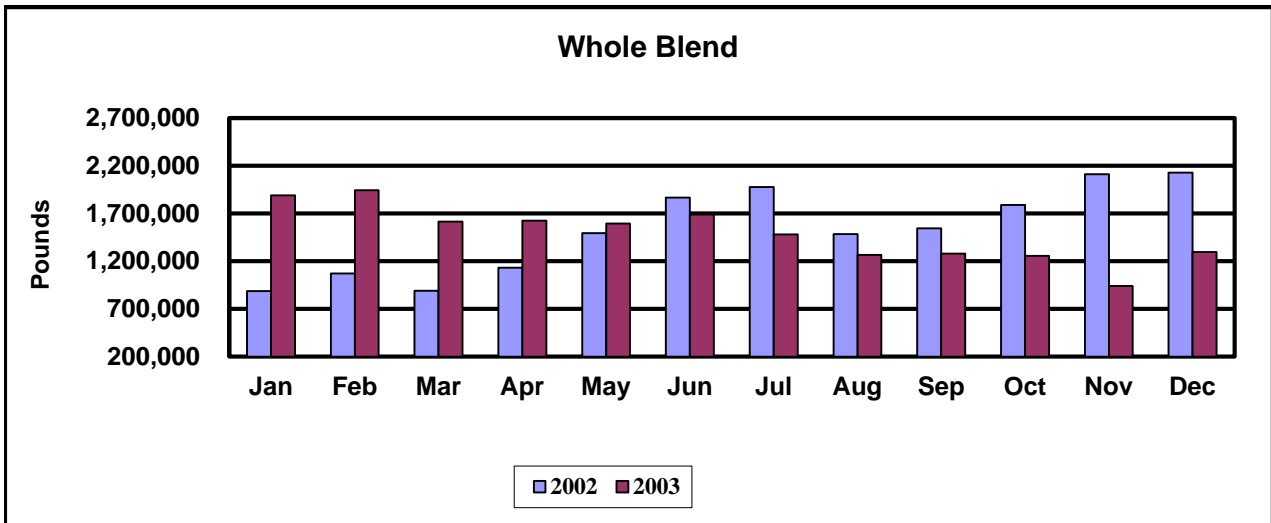
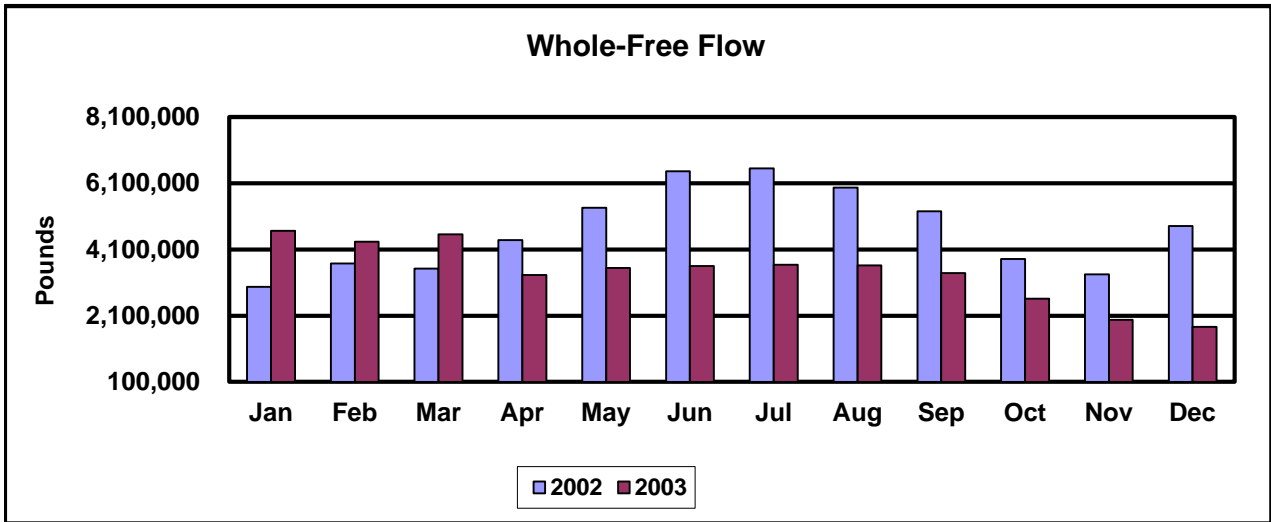
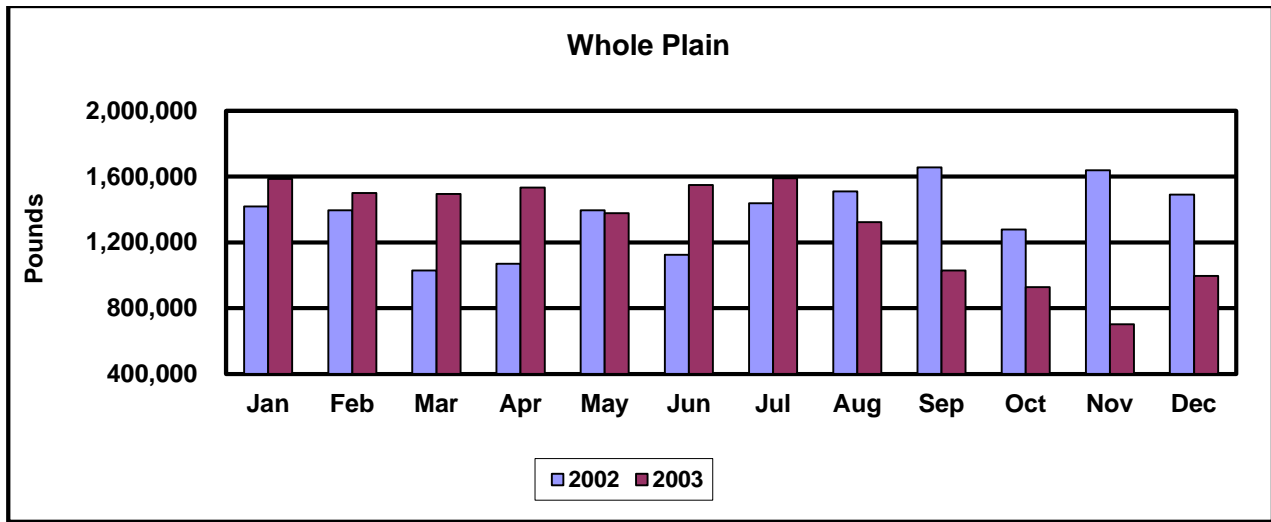
Month and Year	Dried Yolks								
	Plain			Blend			Free Flowing 2/		
	Pounds	% Change Last Month	% Change Last Year	Pounds	% Change Last Month	% Change Last Year	Pounds	% Change Last Month	% Change Last Year
<b>2003</b>									
January	2,240,576	12	131	97,550	27	46	5,200,530	24	139
February	1,304,253	-42	37	86,950	-11	10	4,725,943	-9	56
March	2,218,358	70	162	86,950	0	88	4,610,733	-2	65
April	2,042,308	-8	71	97,450	12	63	4,594,973	0	42
May	1,826,200	-1	52	76,250	-22	64	4,795,511	5	40
June	1,751,869	-4	27	93,950	23	128	4,885,694	1	-18
July	1,976,709	5	12	67,487	-28	69	4,715,171	-4	5
August	1,672,786	-15	-8	122,837	82	316	5,085,759	8	10
September	1,325,376	-21	-23	66,287	-46	82	5,247,876	3	3
October	1,271,058	-4	-4	81,737	26	300	4,853,958	-8	-5
November	979,907	-23	-34	32,737	-60	100	3,627,873	-25	-25
December	1,084,343	11	-46	30,987	-5	-60	2,867,943	-21	-32

Month and Year	Dried Whites						Total
	Albumen			Blend			Dried Inventory
	Pounds	% Change Last Month	% Change Last Year	Pounds	% Change Last Month	% Change Last Year	Pounds
<b>2003</b>							
January	10,458,097	-1	7	203,000	-7	16	26,339,949
February	9,995,829	-4	1	194,350	-4	180	24,086,528
March	8,136,548	-19	-18	201,500	4	57	22,922,436
April	7,186,584	-12	-29	121,800	-40	49	20,531,118
May	6,221,171	-12	-38	122,750	1	1	19,559,441
June	5,989,965	-4	-42	134,600	10	-36	19,695,776
July	6,157,001	1	-49	103,500	-23	-68	19,732,618
August	6,117,961	-1	-51	107,300	4	-57	19,309,445
September	5,689,685	-7	-54	101,400	-5	-63	18,129,250
October	5,064,059	-11	-55	94,350	-7	-47	16,161,543
November	4,515,279	-11	-61	82,700	-12	-63	12,855,169
December	4,116,420	-9	-61	119,900	45	-45	12,273,543

1/ The per cent change is on a matched plant basis.

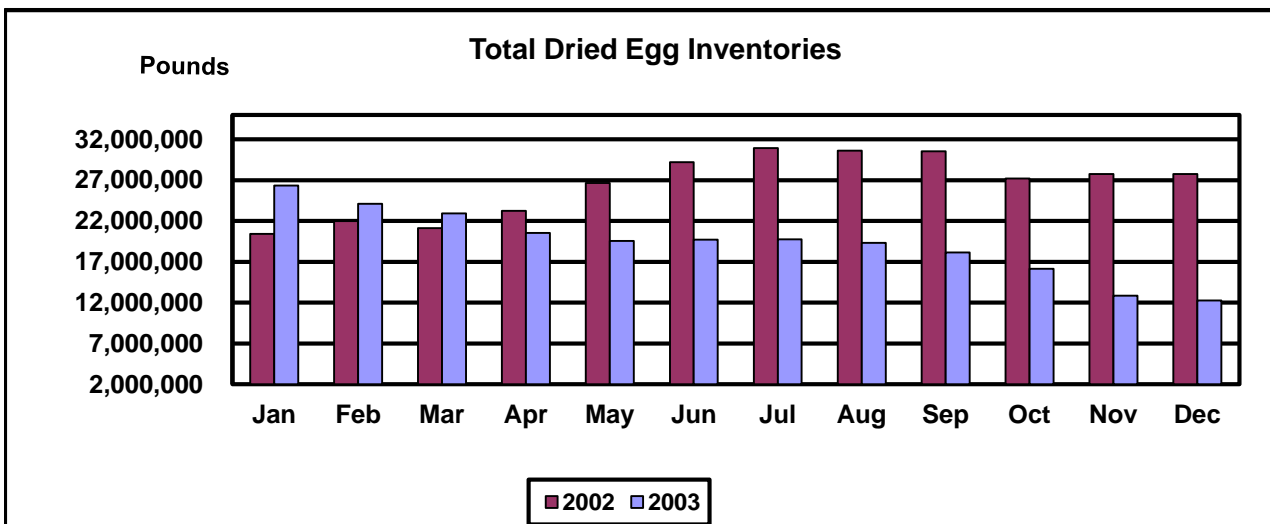
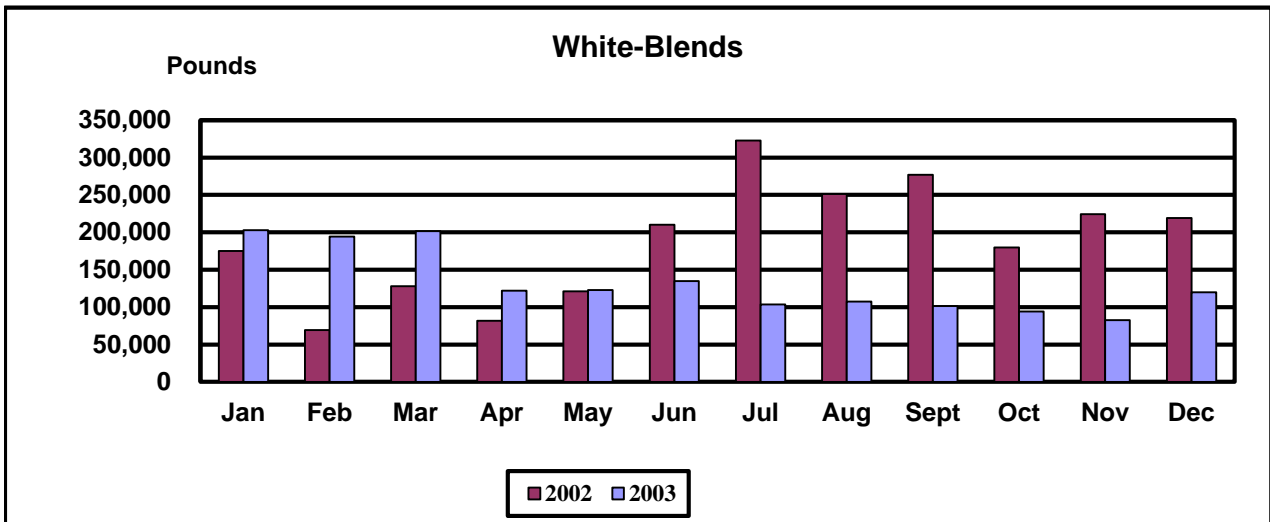
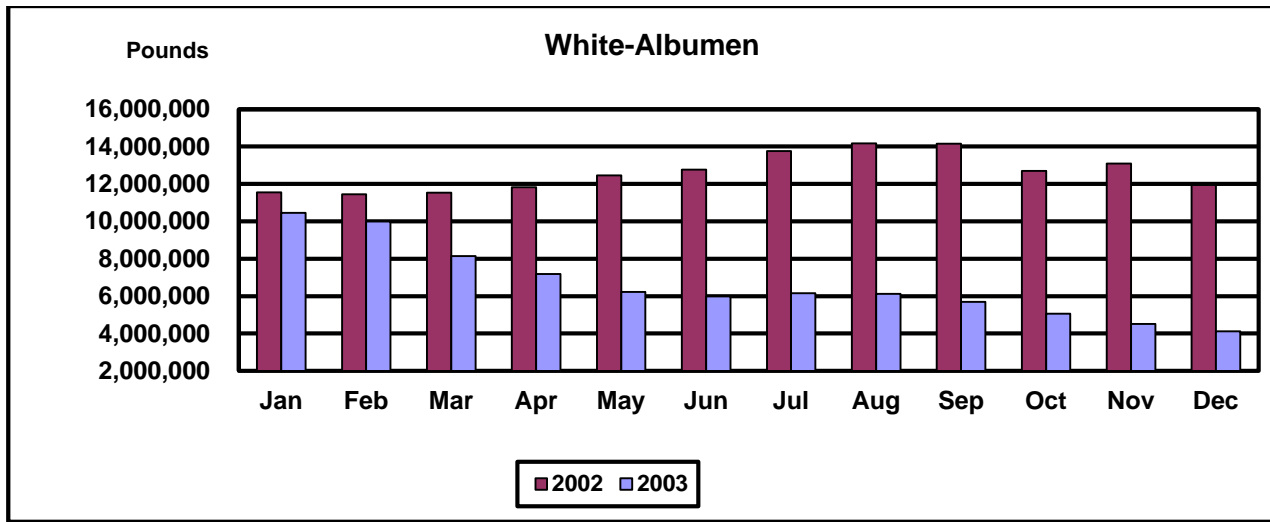
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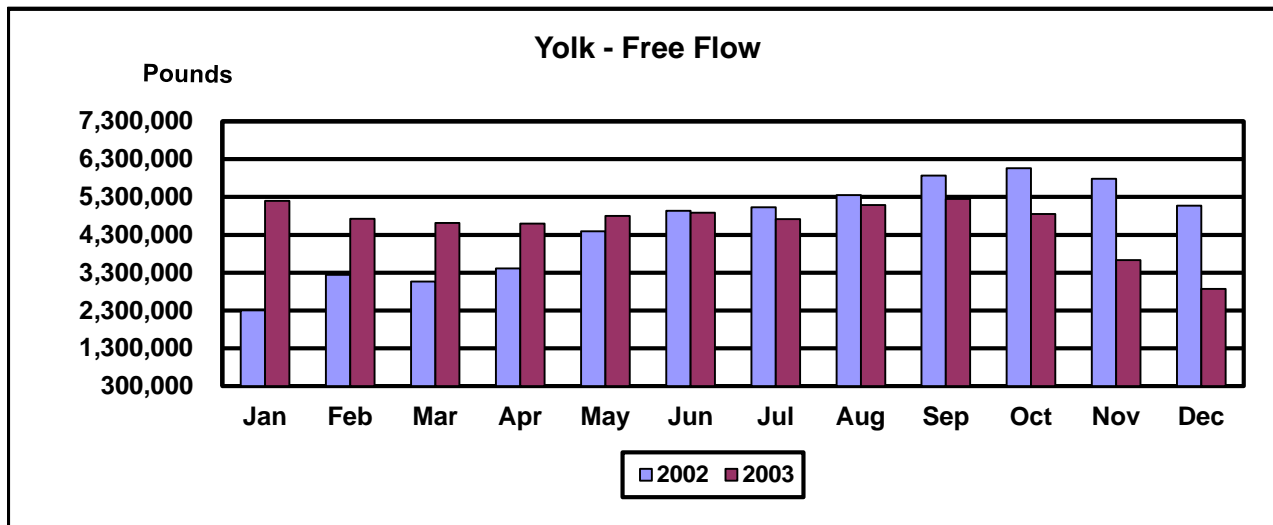
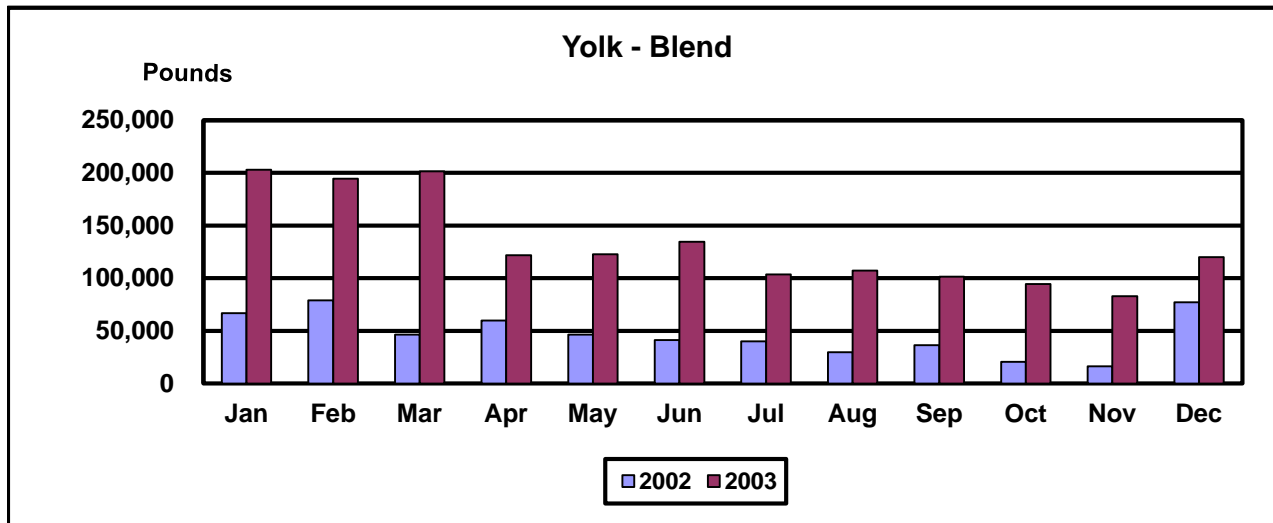
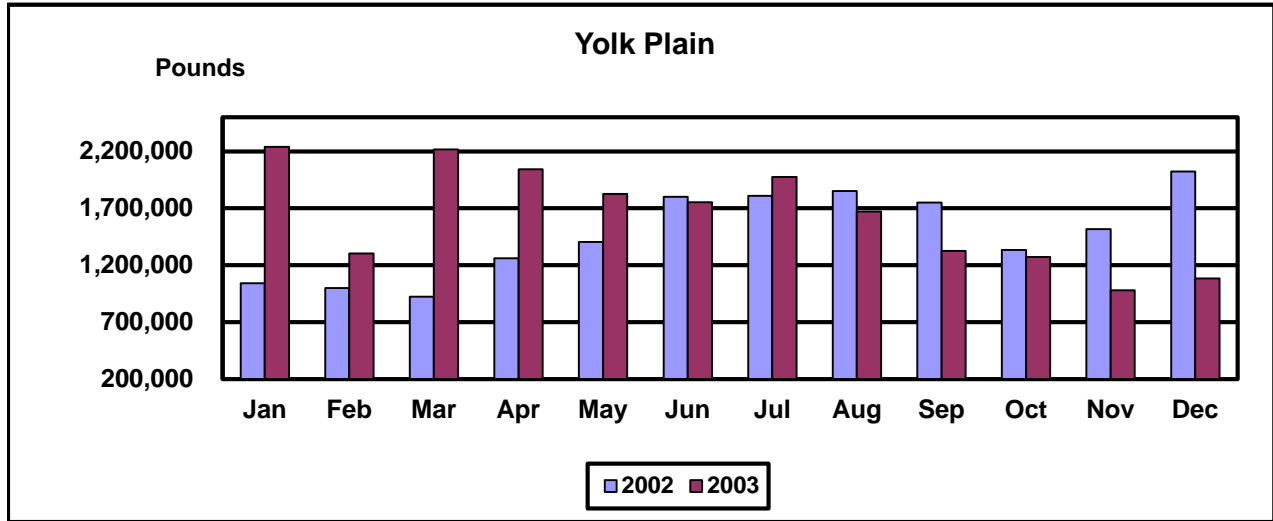




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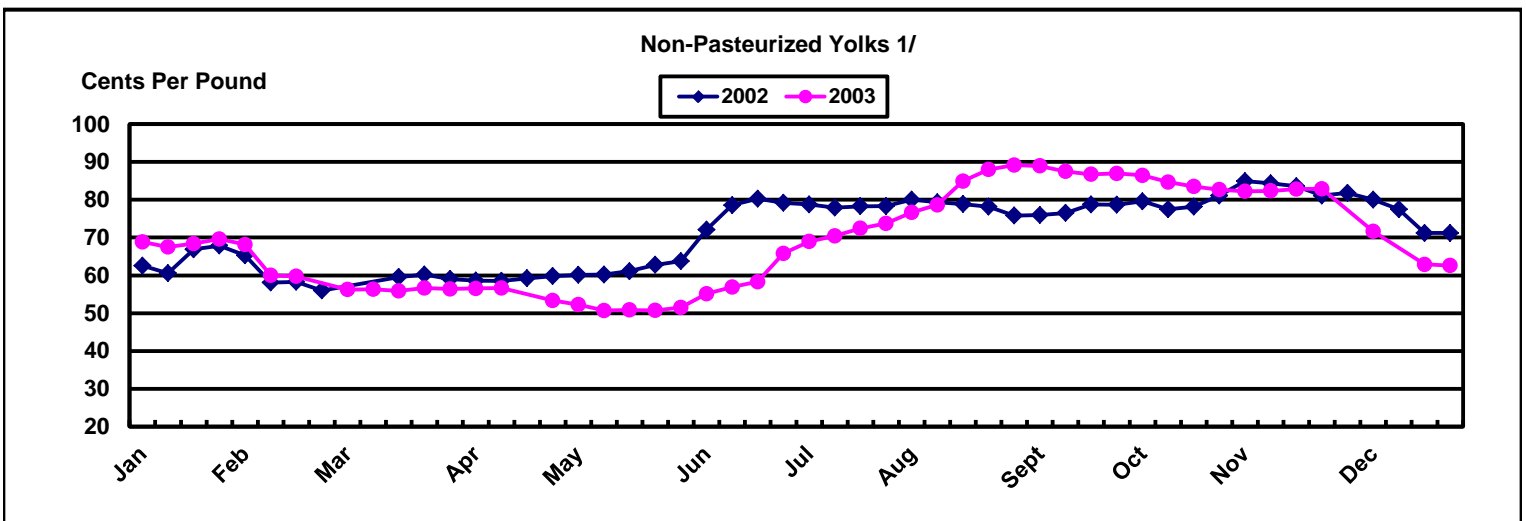
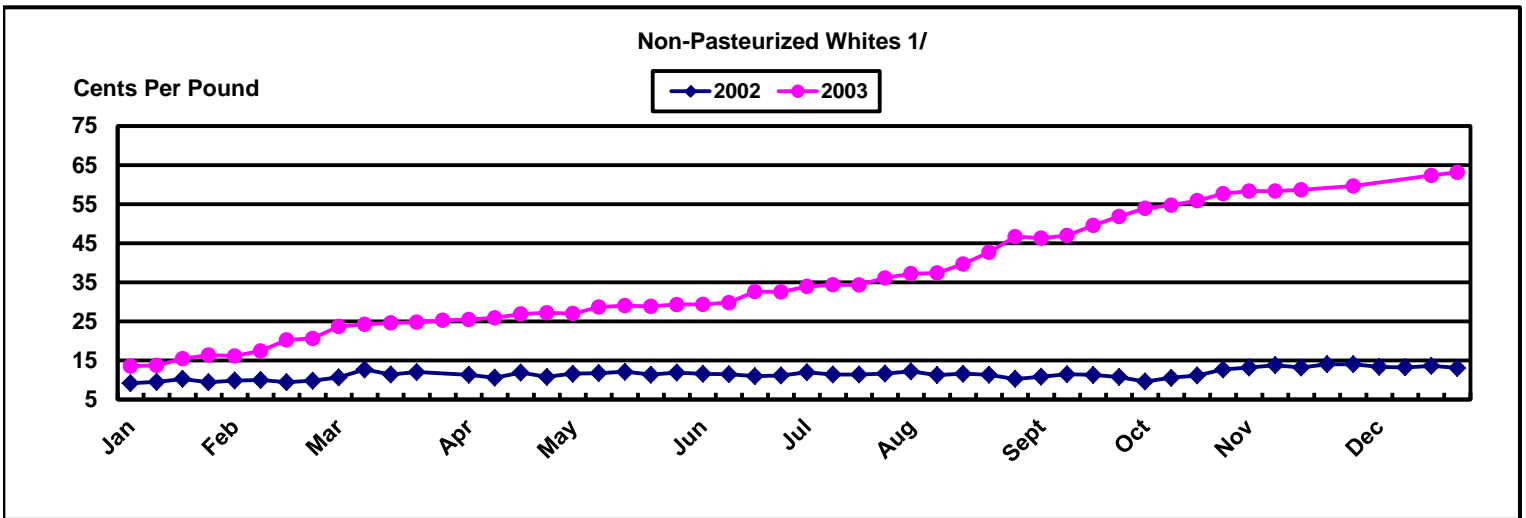
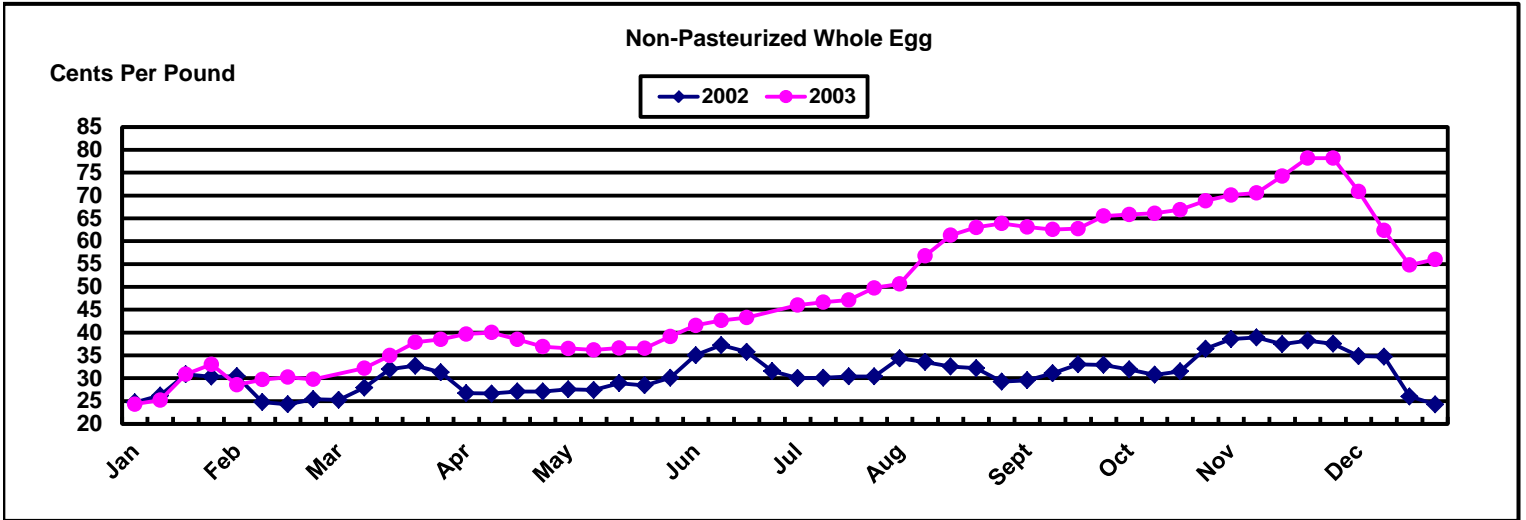
**Table 18--LIQUID EGGS: Weighted average prices paid for non-pasteurized liquid eggs, f.o.b. plant 1/  
by weeks, 2003  
(Cents per pound in tank trucklots)**

Date		Whole	Whites	Yolks
<b>2003</b>				
<b>January</b>	3	24.31	13.55	68.86
	10	25.17	13.78	67.54
	17	30.88	15.47	68.39
	24	33.00	16.39	69.60
	31	28.56	16.17	68.17
<b>February</b>	7	29.69	17.46	60.05
	14	30.25	20.29	59.75
	21	29.75	20.64	2/
	28	2/	23.73	56.25
<b>March</b>	7	32.18	24.27	56.35
	14	34.95	24.63	55.91
	21	37.88	24.80	56.68
	28	38.48	25.28	56.42
<b>April</b>	4	39.67	25.52	56.56
	11	40.00	25.90	56.63
	18	38.50	26.93	2/
	25	36.92	27.24	53.33
<b>May</b>	2	36.50	27.00	52.30
	9	36.19	28.66	50.71
	16	36.62	29.03	50.86
	23	36.56	28.88	50.75
	30	39.14	29.33	51.50
<b>June</b>	6	41.56	29.35	55.12
	13	42.63	29.81	56.92
	20	43.27	32.60	58.32
	27	2/	32.55	65.78
<b>July</b>	4	46.00	33.95	68.96
	11	46.63	34.38	70.44
	18	47.11	34.33	72.43
	25	49.75	36.13	73.73
<b>August</b>	1	50.63	37.23	76.63
	8	56.80	37.40	78.63
	15	61.29	39.66	84.91
	22	63.00	42.69	88.00
	29	63.86	46.71	89.13
<b>September</b>	5	63.08	46.29	88.94
	12	62.55	46.97	87.50
	19	62.73	49.57	86.72
	26	65.50	51.85	86.94
<b>October</b>	3	65.81	53.93	86.44
	10	66.11	54.75	84.67
	17	66.88	55.92	83.50
	24	68.82	57.66	82.67
	31	70.08	58.33	82.25
<b>November</b>	7	70.56	58.36	82.33
	14	74.26	58.69	82.78
	21	78.17	2/	82.88
	28	78.17	59.63	2/
<b>December</b>	5	70.88	2/	71.62
	12	62.33	2/	2/
	19	54.76	62.37	62.90
	26	56.00	63.17	62.60
<b>January</b>	2	2/	2/	2/
<b>Average 2003</b>		49.29	35.70	69.17
<b>Average 2002</b>		30.88	11.51	71.53

1/ For delivery within 14 days

2/ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

# Liquid Egg Prices-2002-2003



By Weeks

1/Gaps indicate prices not computed because of insufficient price data.

Source: USDA, AMS, Poultry Programs, Market News Branch

Table 19 -- EGGS: Volume processed in plants under federal inspection, by weeks, 2003 1/ 2/ --continued

Week Ending		Liquid Whole	Liquid White	Liquid Yolk
		<u>1,000 Pounds</u>	<u>1,000 Pounds</u>	<u>1,000 Pounds</u>
<b>2003</b>				
January	4	24,655	10,600	5,859
	11	27,997	11,648	6,546
	18	26,439	10,550	5,851
	25	26,315	9,700	5,416
February	1	25,475	11,463	6,386
	8	26,376	10,950	6,085
	15	27,185	10,353	5,736
	22	26,564	9,555	5,234
March	1	27,512	9,276	4,894
	8	27,580	9,310	5,396
	15	28,986	9,562	5,182
	22	27,636	9,365	5,209
	29	27,577	9,448	5,344
April	5	27,129	10,036	5,181
	12	26,476	9,801	5,575
	19	25,961	9,449	5,117
	26	26,695	11,101	6,185
May	3	28,556	10,535	5,799
	10	30,374	11,305	6,319
	17	30,114	11,857	6,225
	24	29,906	9,832	5,327
	31	27,488	9,555	5,427
June	7	28,802	10,506	5,780
	14	28,990	10,997	5,794
	21	29,222	10,934	5,916
	28	29,759	11,355	6,307
July	5	25,632	10,380	5,631
	12	29,053	11,278	6,145
	19	29,053	11,792	5,956
	26	29,207	11,292	6,274
August	2	29,736	10,526	5,678
	9	29,564	11,171	6,160
	16	29,700	11,385	6,283
	23	30,193	10,939	5,900
	30	29,960	11,692	6,262
September	6	28,250	10,113	5,230
	13	30,260	12,440	6,354
	20	31,190	11,301	5,818
	27	31,072	10,889	5,984
October	4	30,591	11,064	6,006
	11	30,867	11,291	5,783
	18	30,792	10,632	5,762
	25	31,193	10,139	5,575
November	1	30,308	9,917	5,386
	8	30,515	10,000	5,465
	15	30,398	10,171	5,501
	22	30,760	9,437	5,114
	29	26,536	8,070	4,508
December	6	30,491	10,516	5,729
	13	30,302	10,280	5,552
	20	30,297	10,722	5,990
	27	25,126	8,518	4,734
January	3	24,594	9,555	5,050
<b>Total 2003 4/</b>		1,515,409	554,553	301,920
<b>Total 2002</b>		1,464,611	594,295	319,444

See footnotes at the end of the table.

Table 19 -- EGGS: Volume processed in plants under Federal Inspection, by weeks, 2003 1/ 2/

Week Ending		Dried	Inedible	Cases Broken 3/
		<u>1,000 Pounds</u>	<u>1,000 Pounds</u>	
<b>2003</b>				
January	4	3,046	4,084	1,075,635
	11	2,883	4,448	1,212,923
	18	3,179	4,093	1,124,446
	25	2,681	4,164	1,090,348
February	1	2,587	4,286	1,131,969
	8	2,893	4,147	1,124,687
	15	2,656	4,149	1,133,238
	22	2,254	3,971	1,072,373
March	1	1,927	4,093	1,081,456
	8	2,094	4,029	1,092,767
	15	1,823	4,118	1,119,153
	22	1,917	3,966	1,103,928
	29	1,868	4,080	1,089,488
April	5	1,721	4,133	1,104,923
	12	1,698	4,070	1,088,515
	19	1,731	4,122	1,045,025
	26	1,939	4,208	1,140,780
May	3	2,012	4,269	1,165,148
	10	2,302	4,397	1,233,065
	17	2,545	4,178	1,241,568
	24	2,483	4,147	1,165,269
	31	2,293	3,751	1,085,855
June	7	2,553	4,088	1,164,538
	14	2,342	4,225	1,186,785
	21	2,306	4,149	1,197,007
	28	2,507	4,281	1,229,918
July	5	2,200	3,954	1,077,056
	12	2,529	4,317	1,216,309
	19	2,847	4,190	1,227,765
	26	2,451	4,341	1,231,641
August	2	2,396	4,420	1,196,517
	9	2,695	4,362	1,219,067
	16	2,439	4,285	1,236,425
	23	2,367	4,246	1,226,600
	30	2,583	4,454	1,255,064
September	6	2,435	3,893	1,131,404
	13	2,497	4,507	1,299,926
	20	2,533	4,405	1,256,835
	27	2,573	4,291	1,243,457
October	4	2,352	4,317	1,229,298
	11	2,337	4,306	1,257,598
	18	2,286	4,102	1,217,401
	25	2,198	4,041	1,206,006
November	1	1,974	4,068	1,179,440
	8	1,590	4,226	1,184,793
	15	1,548	4,263	1,194,814
	22	1,993	4,077	1,165,662
	29	1,168	3,566	1,026,258
December	6	1,975	4,299	1,199,334
	13	2,033	4,331	1,189,328
	20	2,243	4,112	1,208,513
	27	2,256	3,521	989,735
January	3	2,574	3,645	1,023,841
<b>Total 2003 4/</b>		121,312	220,185	61,590,894
<b>Total 2002</b>		144,323	221,726	62,467,024

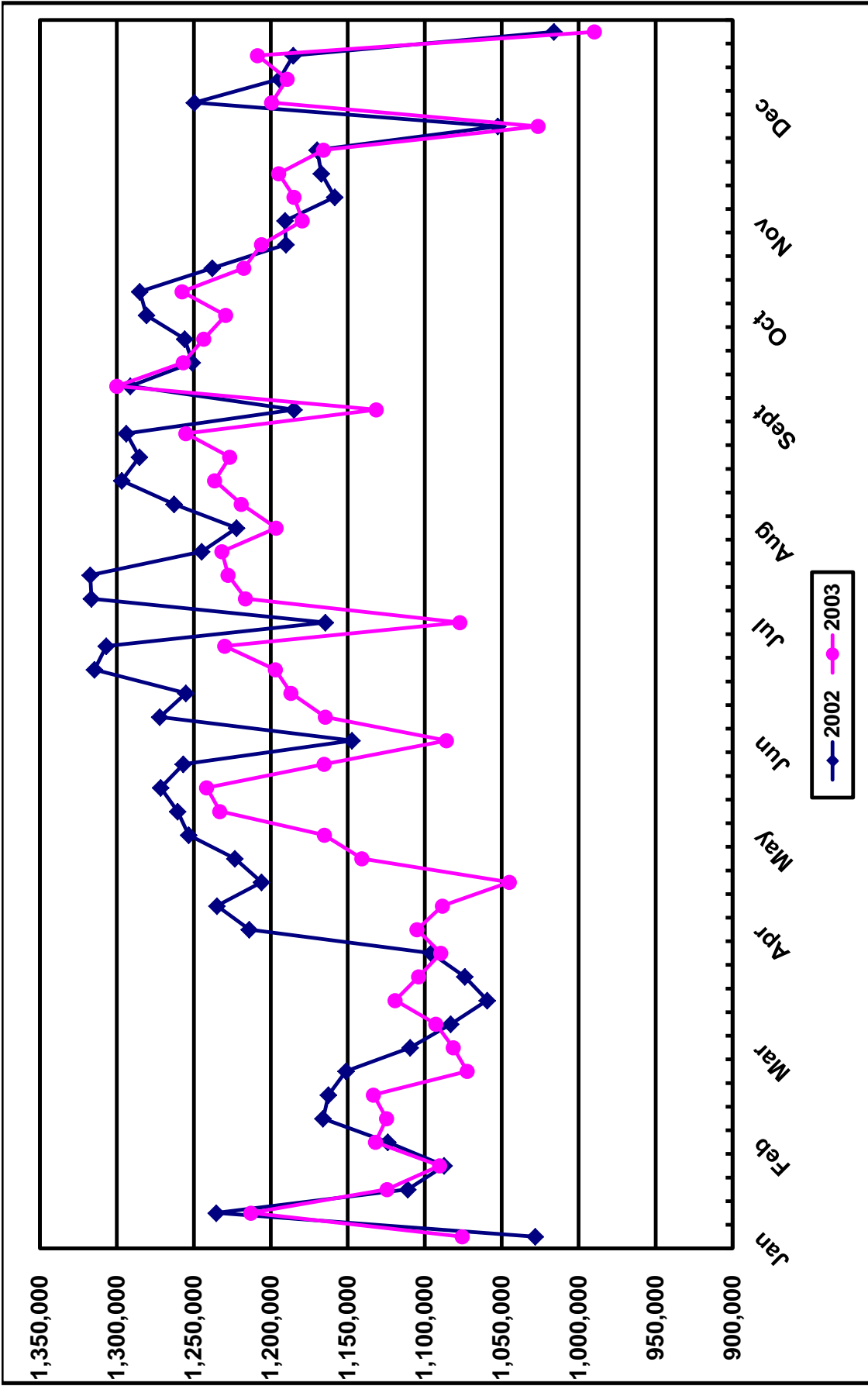
1/ Preliminary data.

2/ Volume excludes ingredients.

3/ Case = 30 dozen.

4/ Totals may not add due to revisions.

Cases Broken-2002 and 2003 1/  
In 30 Dozen Cases



By Weeks  
1/Sharp weekly declines may be the result of reduced holiday schedules.  
Source: USDA, AMS, Poultry Programs, Market News Branch

## Shell Eggs Broken in the United States in 30 Dozen Cases

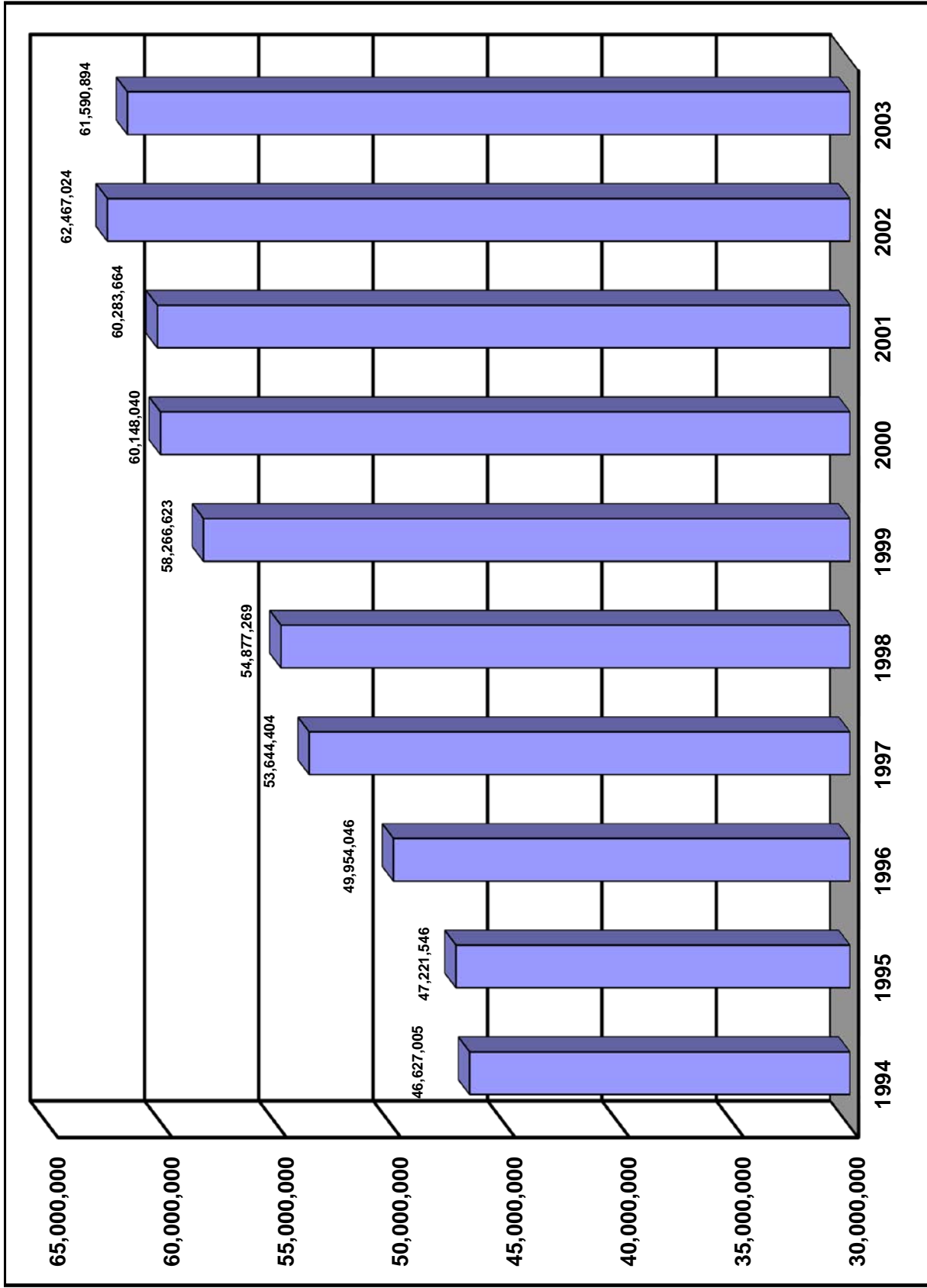




Table 20 -- EGGS: Processed and Shell Egg Trade with Canada, by weeks, 2003 1/ --continued

Week Ending	Inspected Egg Products (in pounds) 2/				
	Exports		Imports		
	Liquid	Dried	Liquid	Dried	
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	
<b>2003</b>					
January	4	0	0	41	0
	11	416	0	37	0
	18	363	44	143	0
	25	268	0	182	0
February	1	206	0	233	0
	8	211	40	208	0
	15	0	0	193	0
	22	102	0	72	40
March	1	104	0	108	0
	8	103	0	43	7
	15	154	51	49	40
	22	204	0	72	40
	29	202	0	124	40
April	5	196	0	74	40
	12	303	0	0	40
	19	301	0	41	0
	26	500	0	29	0
May	3	457	0	70	40
	10	411	41	141	0
	17	512	0	66	40
	24	463	41	106	80
	31	363	0	136	80
June	7	407	14	150	0
	14	608	0	151	0
	21	407	25	118	80
	28	507	0	64	40
July	5	556	14	116	40
	12	198	0	112	0
	19	362	55	148	17
	26	256	0	127	4
August	2	261	9	121	0
	9	407	0	131	0
	16	402	0	120	42
	23	255	28	94	0
	30	411	0	118	0
September	6	257	23	105	40
	13	460	3	251	0
	20	359	0	76	0
	27	362	0	159	40
October	4	450	42	116	40
	11	459	0	55	0
	18	311	0	121	80
	25	458	41	103	0
November	1	408	0	59	0
	8	551	0	114	76
	15	254	0	55	0
	22	306	40	31	40
	29	358	40	90	0
December	6	354	0	2	32
	13	358	0	62	40
	20	359	40	26	0
	27	49	0	8	0
January	3	90	0	36	0
<b>Total 2003</b>		17,079	591	5,207	1,098
<b>Total 2002</b>		20,682	912	6,034	5,135

See footnotes at the end of the table.

Table 20 -- EGGS: Processed and Shell Egg Trade with Canada, by weeks, 2003 1/

Week Ending	Inspected Shell Eggs (in 30 dozen cases) 3/ 4/				
	Exports				
	Extra Large	Large	Medium	Ungraded	Miscellaneous
<b>2003</b>					
January	4	0	905	20	0
	11	0	0	0	1,470
	18	0	0	0	1,470
	25	0	0	0	0
February	1	150	200	360	0
	8	0	0	1,500	0
	15	0	1,680	799	0
	22	0	1,188	1,495	0
March	1	0	750	0	0
	8	0	480	1,590	0
	15	30	30	3,120	0
	22	60	360	774	0
	29	750	60	2,594	0
April	5	780	90	2,970	0
	12	780	3,690	735	2,826
	19	0	1,430	1,680	3,720
	26	30	4,310	1,475	2,220
May	3	1,280	2,850	1,590	2,220
	10	290	2,825	690	5,250
	17	810	2,783	890	2,340
	24	1,040	3,685	750	0
	31	500	2,950	690	1,440
June	7	1,190	5,513	1,500	3,720
	14	1,145	3,440	1,500	2,160
	21	893	4,410	750	6,120
	28	869	2,697	1,680	6,600
July	5	410	3,250	1,710	2,880
	12	950	3,410	1,770	3,600
	19	750	2,828	2,321	1,400
	26	180	2,340	0	2,880
August	2	1,160	2,540	0	6,660
	9	150	2,542	1,764	7,520
	16	870	2,030	750	5,460
	23	1,840	4,070	1,140	8,630
	30	1,020	3,100	2,250	8,600
September	6	360	2,350	240	7,140
	13	1,080	1,640	2,430	7,204
	20	1,140	4,540	1,560	13,740
	27	510	3,330	1,920	10,830
October	4	240	4,760	810	10,880
	11	1,635	3,960	525	10,718
	18	1,790	5,770	870	6,610
	25	1,320	5,910	1,320	3,540
November	1	1,050	5,110	1,610	7,200
	8	1,601	7,180	2,234	3,600
	15	767	5,107	1,550	3,600
	22	2,428	4,942	1,580	2,784
	29	1,970	2,848	3,200	4,500
December	6	2,370	6,390	1,849	3,330
	13	2,940	6,430	2,432	1,560
	20	4,250	8,084	1,687	0
	27	1,230	2,720	0	0
January	3	1,110	3,055	1,623	0
<b>Total 2003</b>		45,718	156,562	68,297	186,422
<b>Total 2002</b>		74,720	155,167	57,766	375,555

1/ Source USDA/AM S Poultry Programs, Market News Branch in cooperation with Agriculture Canada, Poultry Development Division.

2/ Frozen exports to Canada totaled 96,000 lbs, frozen imports totaled 3,706,000 lbs in 2003.

3/ There were no shell eggs imported from Canada in 2003.

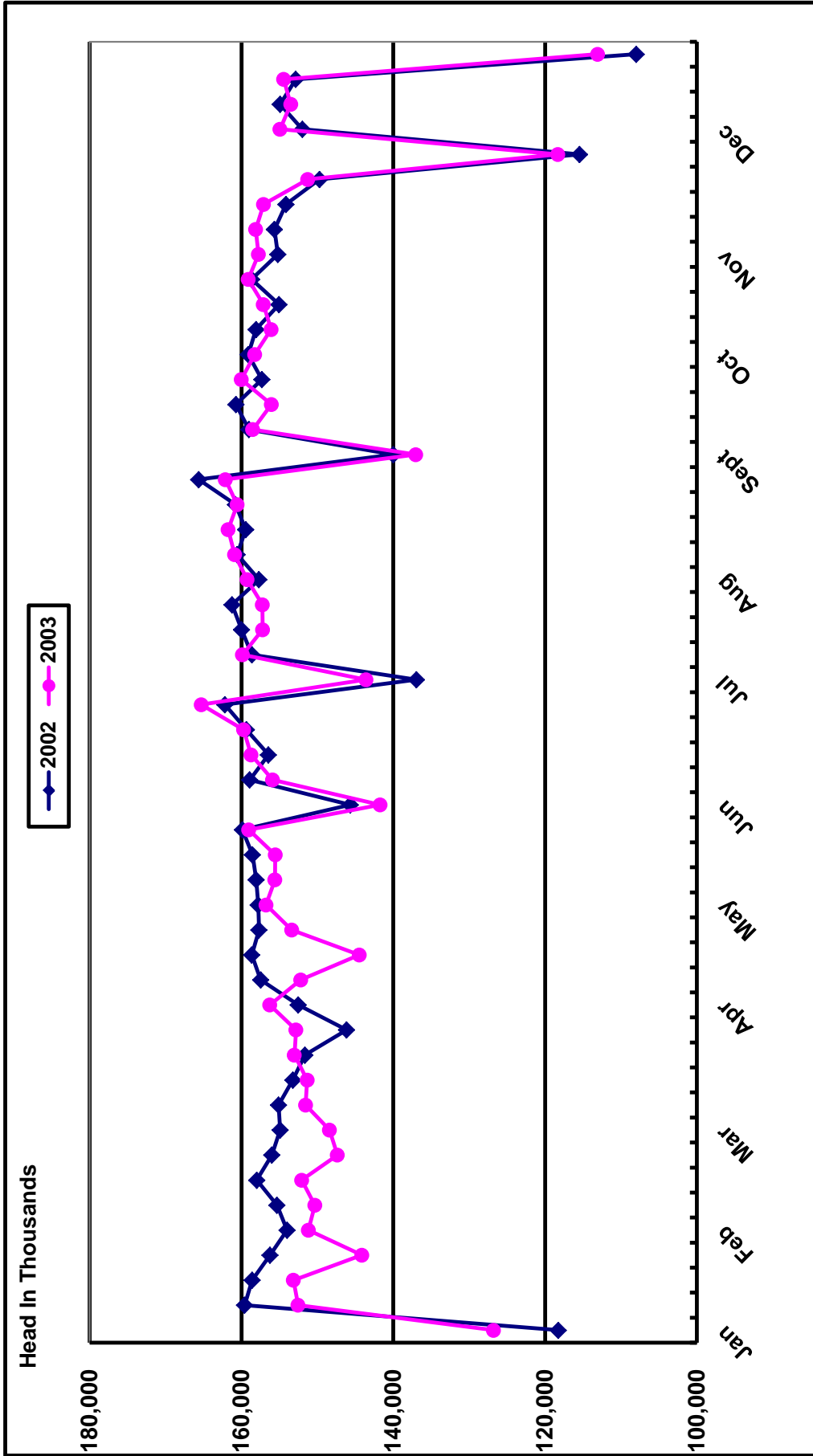
4/ There were 655 cases of jumbo eggs exported to Canada in 2003.

**Table 21 -- LIVE POULTRY: Average weights and number of commercial poultry slaughtered under federal inspection by class, by weeks, 2003 1/**

Week Ending	Young Chickens		Hens						Ducks		
	Head (thousands)	Avg. Wt.	Light		Heavy		Total		Head (thousands)	Avg. Wt.	
			Head (thousands)	Avg. Wt.	Head (thousands)	Avg. Wt.	Head (thousands)	Avg. Wt.			
<b>2003</b>											
<b>January</b>	4	126,793	5.15	1,179	3.39	1,127	7.83	2,306	5.56	388	6.57
	11	152,541	5.11	1,736	3.32	1,413	7.75	3,149	5.31	421	6.81
	18	153,150	5.14	1,841	3.30	1,505	7.84	3,346	5.34	410	6.48
	25	144,124	5.17	1,746	3.41	1,292	7.89	3,038	5.32	398	6.62
<b>February</b>	1	151,181	5.21	1,579	3.58	1,443	7.38	3,022	5.39	440	7.02
	8	150,335	5.05	1,689	3.26	1,377	7.49	3,066	5.16	421	6.62
	15	152,044	5.15	1,793	3.43	1,257	7.77	3,050	5.22	418	6.90
	22	147,355	5.04	1,534	3.33	1,450	8.03	2,984	5.61	466	6.51
<b>March</b>	1	148,405	5.12	1,686	3.34	1,296	7.86	2,982	5.30	425	6.56
	8	151,538	4.94	1,465	3.22	1,255	7.89	2,720	5.37	380	6.68
	15	151,337	5.23	1,558	3.49	1,356	8.18	2,914	5.67	425	6.20
	22	153,022	5.09	1,597	3.40	1,280	7.89	2,877	5.40	411	6.32
	29	152,814	5.07	1,980	3.43	1,391	7.84	3,371	5.25	413	6.92
<b>April</b>	5	156,255	5.06	1,801	3.30	1,347	7.94	3,148	5.29	422	6.54
	12	152,185	5.17	1,955	3.44	1,221	8.00	3,176	5.19	405	6.73
	19	144,469	5.31	1,751	3.45	1,235	8.11	2,986	5.38	410	6.60
	26	153,380	5.16	1,880	3.43	1,242	7.94	3,122	5.22	428	6.64
<b>May</b>	3	156,760	5.09	1,846	3.54	1,209	7.93	3,055	5.28	440	6.52
	10	155,587	5.20	1,586	3.40	1,364	8.02	2,950	5.54	483	6.93
	17	155,533	5.25	1,493	3.42	1,313	7.93	2,806	5.53	418	7.01
	24	159,049	5.01	1,624	3.45	1,463	8.26	3,087	5.73	470	6.85
	31	141,722	5.16	1,369	3.70	1,217	8.03	2,586	5.74	363	6.52
<b>June</b>	7	155,892	5.23	1,569	3.41	1,465	8.16	3,034	5.70	392	6.57
	14	158,742	5.34	1,573	3.37	1,654	8.10	3,227	5.79	425	6.07
	21	159,714	5.12	1,564	3.48	1,596	8.24	3,160	5.88	422	6.65
	28	165,296	5.37	1,474	3.62	1,544	8.11	3,018	5.92	407	6.58
<b>July</b>	5	143,589	5.24	1,019	3.41	1,179	7.78	2,198	5.03	340	6.43
	12	159,849	5.23	1,153	3.74	1,515	8.04	2,668	6.18	347	6.68
	19	157,206	5.14	1,141	3.62	1,642	8.11	2,783	6.27	405	6.52
	26	157,247	5.11	1,105	3.45	1,459	7.80	2,564	5.93	383	6.45
<b>August</b>	2	159,246	5.14	1,133	3.40	1,499	8.20	2,632	6.13	522	6.68
	9	160,883	5.26	1,044	3.59	1,471	7.89	2,515	6.11	430	6.19
	16	161,757	5.18	1,225	3.54	1,483	7.95	2,708	5.96	414	6.63
	23	160,560	5.19	1,256	3.53	1,538	7.97	2,794	5.97	392	6.56
	30	162,103	5.05	1,229	3.64	1,556	8.09	2,785	6.13	379	6.58
<b>September</b>	6	137,041	5.15	980	3.33	1,378	7.83	2,358	5.96	293	6.75
	13	158,505	5.18	1,121	3.46	1,597	7.91	2,718	6.07	447	6.73
	20	156,044	5.30	1,153	3.35	1,418	7.88	2,571	5.85	402	6.55
	27	160,024	5.24	1,280	3.34	1,611	7.80	2,891	5.83	433	6.56
<b>October</b>	4	158,247	4.99	1,346	3.56	1,444	8.10	2,790	5.91	435	6.77
	11	156,092	5.14	1,263	3.40	1,443	8.06	2,706	5.88	406	6.80
	18	157,115	5.26	1,164	3.42	1,378	8.40	2,542	6.12	408	6.75
	25	159,099	5.25	1,137	3.44	1,383	7.95	2,520	5.92	429	6.84
<b>November</b>	1	157,750	5.36	1,093	3.41	1,314	7.89	2,407	5.86	434	6.74
	8	158,112	5.04	1,258	3.48	1,473	8.00	2,731	5.92	438	6.71
	15	157,078	5.30	1,126	3.45	1,656	7.98	2,782	6.15	416	6.79
	22	151,254	5.25	1,097	3.36	1,427	8.22	2,524	6.11	446	6.82
	29	118,334	5.35	668	4.10	897	7.98	1,565	6.32	305	6.81
<b>December</b>	6	154,912	5.45	1,399	3.78	1,437	8.01	2,836	5.92	394	6.62
	13	153,501	5.23	1,379	3.40	1,292	8.05	2,671	5.65	453	6.62
	20	154,431	5.34	1,340	3.72	1,509	7.84	2,849	5.90	440	7.08
	27	113,075	5.22	918	3.39	808	8.24	1,726	5.66	374	6.83
<b>January</b>	3	134,816	5.15	1,118	3.19	898	7.95	2,016	5.31	413	6.82
<b>Total 2003</b>		8,067,093		74,013		73,017		147,030		21,879	
<b>Total 2002</b>		7,986,625		89,440		72,815		162,255		21,547	

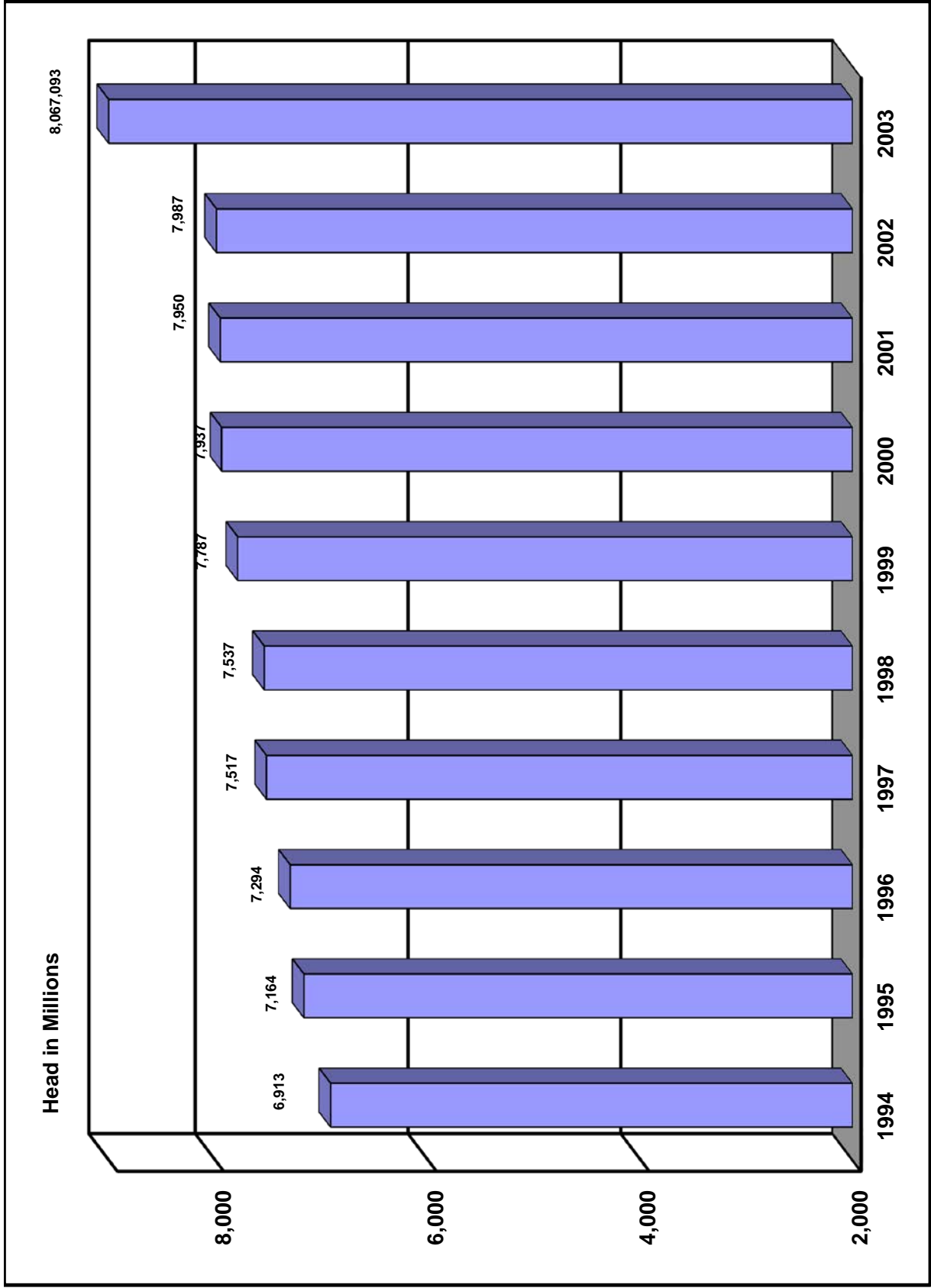
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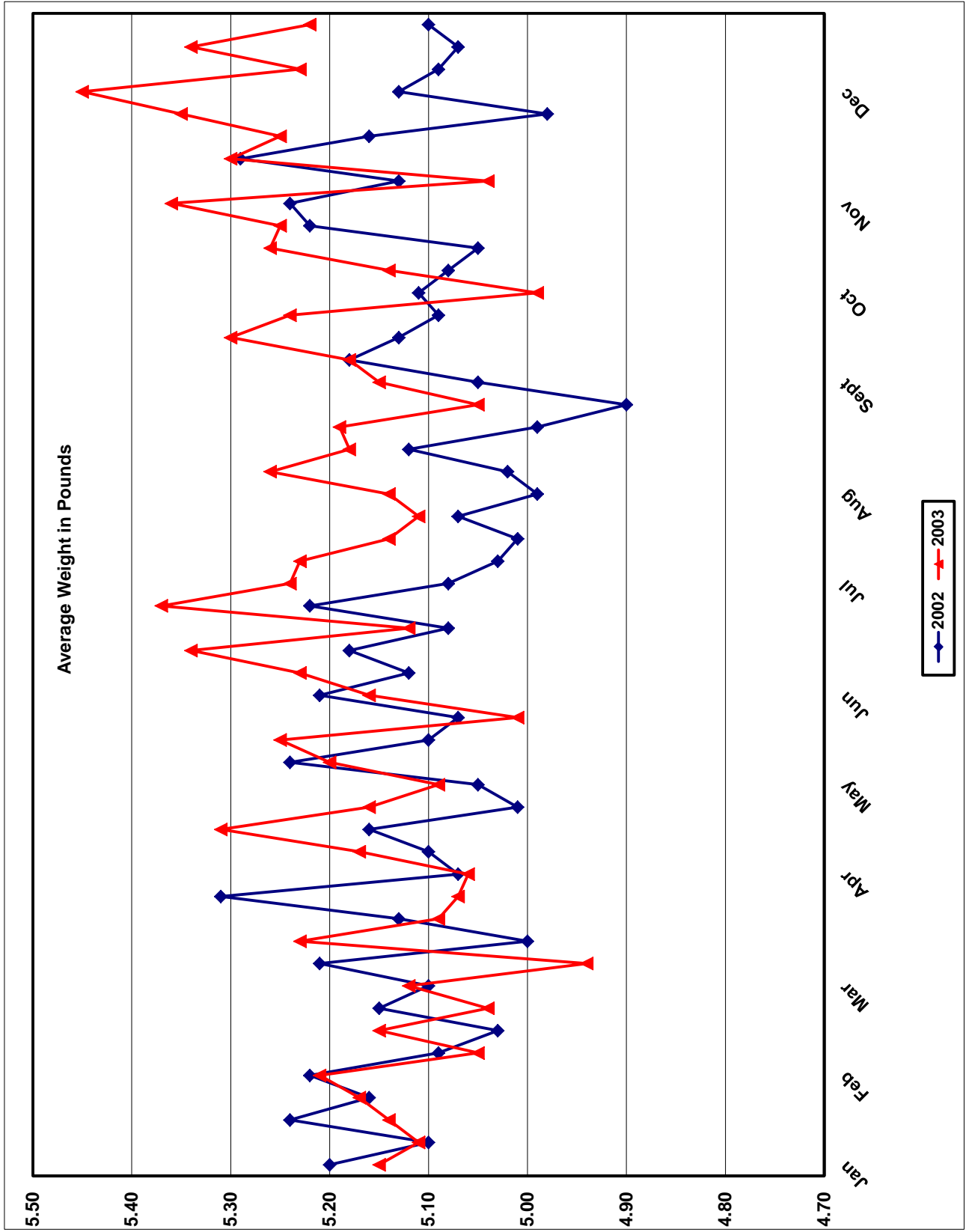


By Weeks  
 1/ Sharp weekly declines may be the result of reduced holiday schedules  
 Source: USDA, AM S, Poultry Programs, Market News Branch

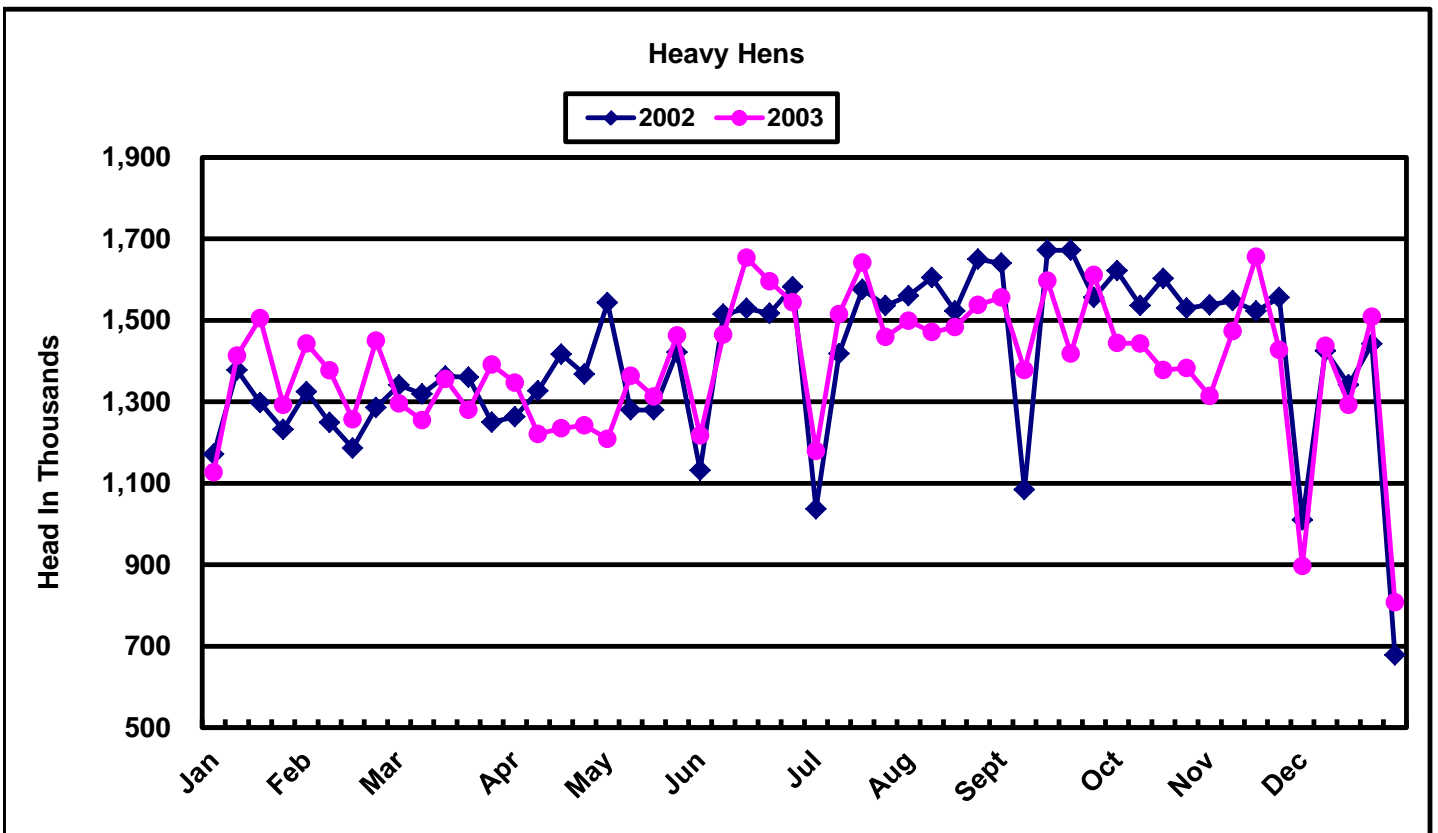
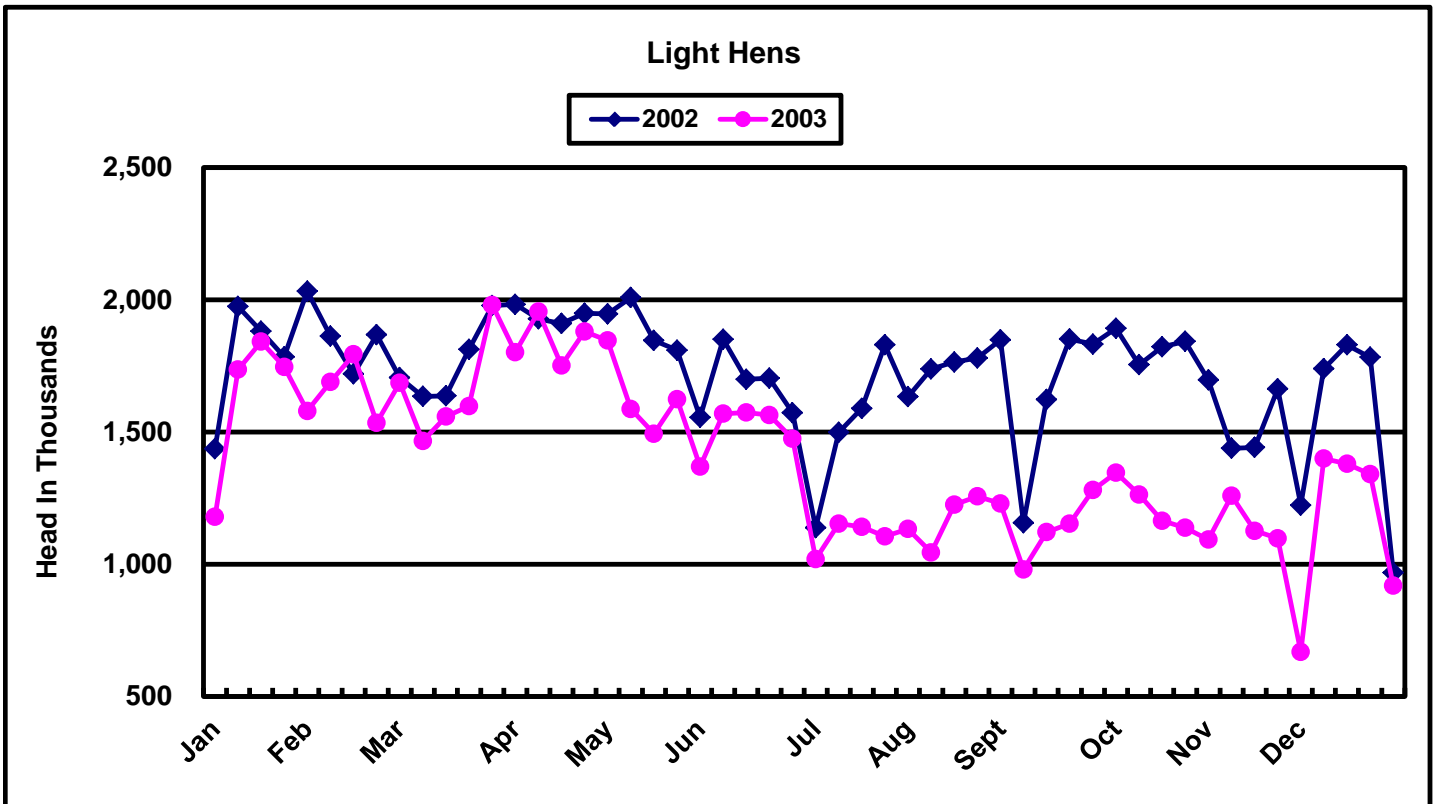
# Young Chickens Slaughtered, 1994-2003



# Average Live Weight, Young Chickens, 2002 and 2003



## Fowl Slaughtered in the U.S. - 2002 and 2003



**Table 22--LIVE POULTRY: Average weights and number of young chickens slaughtered under federal inspection, classified by live weight, by weeks, 2003 1/**

Week Ending	Fast Food/Food Service 2/ 4.20 lbs. and down			Retail 3/ 4.21 - 5.25 lbs			Deboning 4/ 5.26 lbs. and up			
	Head (thousands)	Avg. Wt.	% of Total	Head (thousands)	Avg. Wt.	% of Total	Head (thousands)	Avg. Wt.	% of Total	
<b>2003</b>										
<b>January</b>	<b>4</b>	19,242	3.79	25	18,030	4.70	24	38,654	6.04	51
	<b>11</b>	12,009	3.69	23	15,024	4.79	29	25,186	6.35	48
	<b>18</b>	24,410	3.66	28	21,325	4.76	24	42,892	6.17	48
	<b>25</b>	21,565	3.87	24	21,968	4.74	24	46,844	6.24	52
<b>February</b>	<b>1</b>	27,057	3.80	29	20,919	4.77	23	44,740	6.18	48
	<b>8</b>	26,723	3.75	27	27,698	4.93	28	43,415	6.26	44
	<b>15</b>	29,212	3.85	31	19,535	4.81	21	46,376	6.17	49
	<b>22</b>	22,373	3.76	25	21,547	4.73	24	47,090	6.22	52
<b>March</b>	<b>1</b>	21,450	3.63	25	18,021	4.46	21	46,347	6.22	54
	<b>8</b>	21,171	3.72	24	20,312	4.85	23	47,467	6.47	53
	<b>15</b>	26,160	3.71	31	21,941	4.83	26	36,261	6.21	43
	<b>22</b>	27,427	3.71	28	29,572	4.74	30	40,349	6.30	41
	<b>29</b>	33,617	3.86	31	26,598	4.73	24	49,199	6.04	45
<b>April</b>	<b>5</b>	23,614	3.86	27	25,770	4.80	29	39,318	6.20	44
	<b>12</b>	23,134	3.89	25	29,678	4.72	32	38,638	6.18	42
	<b>19</b>	24,407	3.77	26	23,714	4.76	25	47,106	6.10	49
	<b>26</b>	28,712	3.88	29	24,779	4.85	25	44,172	6.01	45
<b>May</b>	<b>3</b>	23,416	3.77	24	20,909	4.75	22	52,871	6.15	54
	<b>10</b>	25,759	3.79	24	32,656	4.82	31	48,513	6.09	45
	<b>17</b>	30,155	3.78	29	22,403	4.81	21	52,665	6.06	50
	<b>24</b>	27,164	3.77	25	29,097	4.70	27	50,271	6.16	47
	<b>31</b>	23,211	3.67	23	24,606	4.60	24	54,145	6.07	53
<b>June</b>	<b>7</b>	17,702	3.75	19	22,750	4.64	24	55,024	6.05	58
	<b>14</b>	27,218	3.82	26	19,252	4.76	19	56,439	5.84	55
	<b>21</b>	28,595	3.83	28	20,694	4.71	20	53,856	6.77	52
	<b>28</b>	23,020	3.80	24	19,298	4.78	20	54,183	6.05	56
<b>July</b>	<b>5</b>	26,710	3.88	30	22,277	4.86	25	39,430	6.05	45
	<b>12</b>	18,022	3.89	27	17,412	4.81	26	31,731	6.14	47
	<b>19</b>	23,946	3.81	23	31,450	4.85	30	49,431	6.15	47
	<b>26</b>	25,641	3.80	27	25,332	4.81	26	45,084	6.10	47
<b>August</b>	<b>2</b>	21,506	3.79	24	25,470	4.87	28	42,988	5.99	48
	<b>9</b>	22,630	3.77	24	22,655	4.69	24	50,566	6.05	53
	<b>16</b>	21,598	3.76	23	26,338	4.71	28	44,638	6.26	48
	<b>23</b>	14,424	3.64	23	22,216	4.79	35	26,200	6.20	42
	<b>30</b>	12,599	3.90	16	31,103	4.69	39	35,944	6.02	45
<b>September</b>	<b>6</b>	15,480	3.71	20	18,694	4.72	25	42,103	6.18	55
	<b>13</b>	24,993	3.85	23	29,801	4.78	28	51,995	6.17	49
	<b>20</b>	24,812	3.82	23	29,830	4.79	28	51,708	6.14	49
	<b>27</b>	18,785	3.60	24	26,724	4.56	34	33,161	6.04	42
<b>October</b>	<b>4</b>	17,670	3.81	25	18,235	4.73	26	35,284	6.50	50
	<b>11</b>	16,750	3.79	24	18,866	4.80	27	33,600	6.24	49
	<b>18</b>	28,310	3.77	27	24,861	4.79	24	52,102	6.27	49
	<b>25</b>	24,262	3.77	22	31,632	4.77	29	52,622	6.29	48
<b>November</b>	<b>1</b>	22,698	3.70	27	24,710	4.73	30	36,344	6.23	43
	<b>8</b>	28,380	3.78	27	31,306	4.80	30	45,207	6.40	43
	<b>15</b>	28,162	3.72	27	29,689	4.78	28	47,181	6.27	45
	<b>22</b>	24,513	3.76	25	25,381	4.77	26	46,333	6.28	48
	<b>29</b>	17,845	3.71	25	17,766	4.69	25	35,324	6.38	50
<b>December</b>	<b>6</b>	22,550	3.78	23	30,305	4.77	31	43,864	6.21	45
	<b>13</b>	25,306	3.69	26	29,485	4.46	30	42,058	6.49	43
	<b>20</b>	14,351	3.64	28	12,189	4.60	24	25,303	6.19	49
	<b>27</b>	20,542	3.77	30	19,674	4.70	29	27,559	6.27	41
<b>January</b>	<b>3</b>	18,409	3.88	23	23,913	4.65	29	39,165	6.26	48
<b>Total 2003</b>		1,219,417			1,265,410			2,308,946		
<b>Total 2002</b>		1,309,673			1,150,411			2,115,156		

1/ Preliminary.

2/ This weight class generally denotes chickens marketed in the fast food and food service industries. May also include cornish hens.

3/ This weight class generally denotes chickens marketed in the retail industry.

4/ This weight class generally denotes chickens used in further processing. May also include heavy roasters sold in retail channels.



**Table 23 -- LIVE POULTRY: Number of U.S. light and heavy fowl slaughtered under federal inspection in the United States and Canada, 2003**

Week Ending	U.S. Fowl Slaughtered in the U.S. and Canada						
	Light Hens			Heavy Hens			
	U.S.	Canada 1/	Total	U.S.	Canada 1/	Total	
	<u>thousands</u>	<u>thousands</u>	<u>thousands</u>	<u>thousands</u>	<u>thousands</u>	<u>thousands</u>	
<b>2003</b>							
<b>January</b>	<b>4</b>	1,179	169	1,348	1,127	4	1,131
	<b>11</b>	1,736	425	2,161	1,413	7	1,420
	<b>18</b>	1,841	350	2,191	1,505	8	1,513
	<b>25</b>	1,746	416	2,162	1,292	0	1,292
<b>February</b>	<b>1</b>	1,579	337	1,916	1,443	14	1,457
	<b>8</b>	1,689	277	1,966	1,377	14	1,391
	<b>15</b>	1,793	541	2,334	1,257	0	1,257
	<b>22</b>	1,534	347	1,881	1,450	3	1,453
<b>March</b>	<b>1</b>	1,686	240	1,926	1,296	0	1,296
	<b>8</b>	1,465	221	1,686	1,255	0	1,255
	<b>15</b>	1,558	190	1,748	1,356	3	1,359
	<b>22</b>	1,597	139	1,736	1,280	0	1,280
	<b>29</b>	1,980	239	2,219	1,391	0	1,391
<b>April</b>	<b>5</b>	1,801	331	2,132	1,347	0	1,347
	<b>12</b>	1,955	281	2,236	1,221	8	1,229
	<b>19</b>	1,751	192	1,943	1,235	0	1,235
	<b>26</b>	1,880	134	2,014	1,242	4	1,246
<b>May</b>	<b>3</b>	1,846	279	2,125	1,209	3	1,212
	<b>10</b>	1,586	98	1,684	1,364	0	1,364
	<b>17</b>	1,493	211	1,704	1,313	0	1,313
	<b>24</b>	1,624	58	1,682	1,463	0	1,463
	<b>31</b>	1,369	60	1,429	1,217	6	1,223
<b>June</b>	<b>7</b>	1,569	292	1,861	1,465	9	1,474
	<b>14</b>	1,573	288	1,861	1,654	3	1,657
	<b>21</b>	1,564	287	1,851	1,596	14	1,610
	<b>28</b>	1,474	121	1,595	1,544	0	1,544
<b>July</b>	<b>5</b>	1,019	219	1,238	1,179	0	1,179
	<b>12</b>	1,153	326	1,479	1,515	0	1,515
	<b>19</b>	1,141	366	1,507	1,642	8	1,650
	<b>26</b>	1,105	276	1,381	1,459	0	1,459
<b>August</b>	<b>2</b>	1,133	196	1,329	1,499	0	1,499
	<b>9</b>	1,044	205	1,249	1,471	7	1,478
	<b>16</b>	1,225	127	1,352	1,483	0	1,483
	<b>23</b>	1,256	151	1,407	1,538	7	1,545
	<b>30</b>	1,229	78	1,307	1,556	0	1,556
<b>September</b>	<b>6</b>	980	103	1,083	1,378	0	1,378
	<b>13</b>	1,121	61	1,182	1,597	7	1,604
	<b>20</b>	1,153	288	1,441	1,418	8	1,426
	<b>27</b>	1,280	302	1,582	1,611	0	1,611
<b>October</b>	<b>4</b>	1,346	266	1,612	1,444	0	1,444
	<b>11</b>	1,263	141	1,404	1,443	0	1,443
	<b>18</b>	1,164	92	1,256	1,378	0	1,378
	<b>25</b>	1,137	100	1,237	1,383	4	1,387
<b>November</b>	<b>1</b>	1,093	175	1,268	1,314	0	1,314
	<b>8</b>	1,258	171	1,429	1,473	0	1,473
	<b>15</b>	1,126	0	1,126	1,656	0	1,656
	<b>22</b>	1,097	34	1,131	1,427	0	1,427
	<b>29</b>	668	0	668	897	0	897
<b>December</b>	<b>6</b>	1,399	250	1,649	1,437	4	1,441
	<b>13</b>	1,379	241	1,620	1,292	3	1,295
	<b>20</b>	1,340	192	1,532	1,509	4	1,513
	<b>27</b>	918	88	1,006	808	7	815
<b>January</b>	<b>3</b>	1,118	150	1,268	898	0	898
	<b>Total 2003 2/</b>	74,013	11,121	85,134	73,017	159	73,176
	<b>Total 2002</b>	89,440	15,282	104,722	72,815	308	73,123

1/ Source: Agriculture Canada, Poultry Development Division.

2/ Totals may not add due to revisions

Table 24--LIVE POULTRY (HENS): Hen Market in specified areas, by months, 2003

Month and Year	Light Type 1/			Heavy Type 2/ 3/		
	Removal Cost			At Farm		Delivered Processing Plants
				Buyer Loading		
	Eastern Area 4/	North Central 5/	South Central 6/	South East Area 7/ 8/	South Central 6/	Southeast Area 7/
<b>2003</b>						
January	3.50	3.50	9/	8.00	8.13	9/
February	3.50	4.31	9/	8.03	8.56	9/
March	4.00	3.75	9/	8.01	8.30	9/
April	4.13	4.19	9/	8.08	8.50	9/
May	4.90	4.53	9/	8.06	8.28	9/
June	5.50	5.75	9/	8.15	8.55	9/
July	6.00	5.63	9/	8.25	8.56	9/
August	6.00	7.45	9/	8.28	8.34	9/
September	6.00	6.25	9/	8.29	8.71	9/
October	6.00	9.25	9/	8.37	8.66	9/
November	6.00	7.38	9/	8.48	8.84	9/
December	6.00	8.13	9/	8.53	9.04	9/
Average 2003	5.13	5.84	9/	8.21	8.54	9/
Average 2002	10/	10/	10/	8.59	8.69	9/

1/ Cents per head. (Includes handling, freight and any other charges, weights average about 3.50 pounds)

2/ Cents per pound.

3/ Weights under 7 pounds subject to discount.

4/ Includes: AL, CT, DE, FL, GA, KY, MA, MD, ME, MS, NC, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, SC, TN, VA, VT, WV.

5/ Includes: IA, IL, IN, MI, MN, ND, NE, OH, SD, WI.

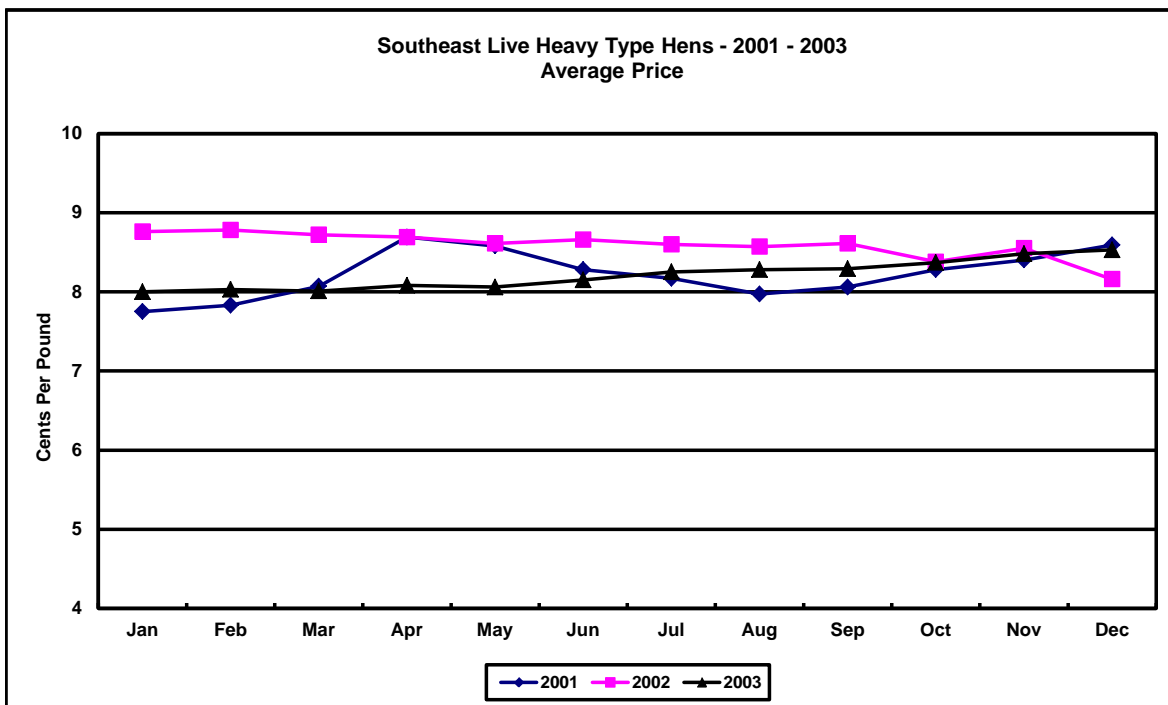
6/ Includes: AR, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, TX.

7/ Weighted according to volume and price reported.

8/ Includes: AL, FL, GA, KY, MS, NC, SC, TN, VA.

9/ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

10/ 2002 prices were cents per pound for hens, generally for slaughter.



**Table 25--LIVE POULTRY (HENS): Final prices paid for live heavy hens in the Southeast, by weeks, 2003 1/2/**  
(Cents per Pound)

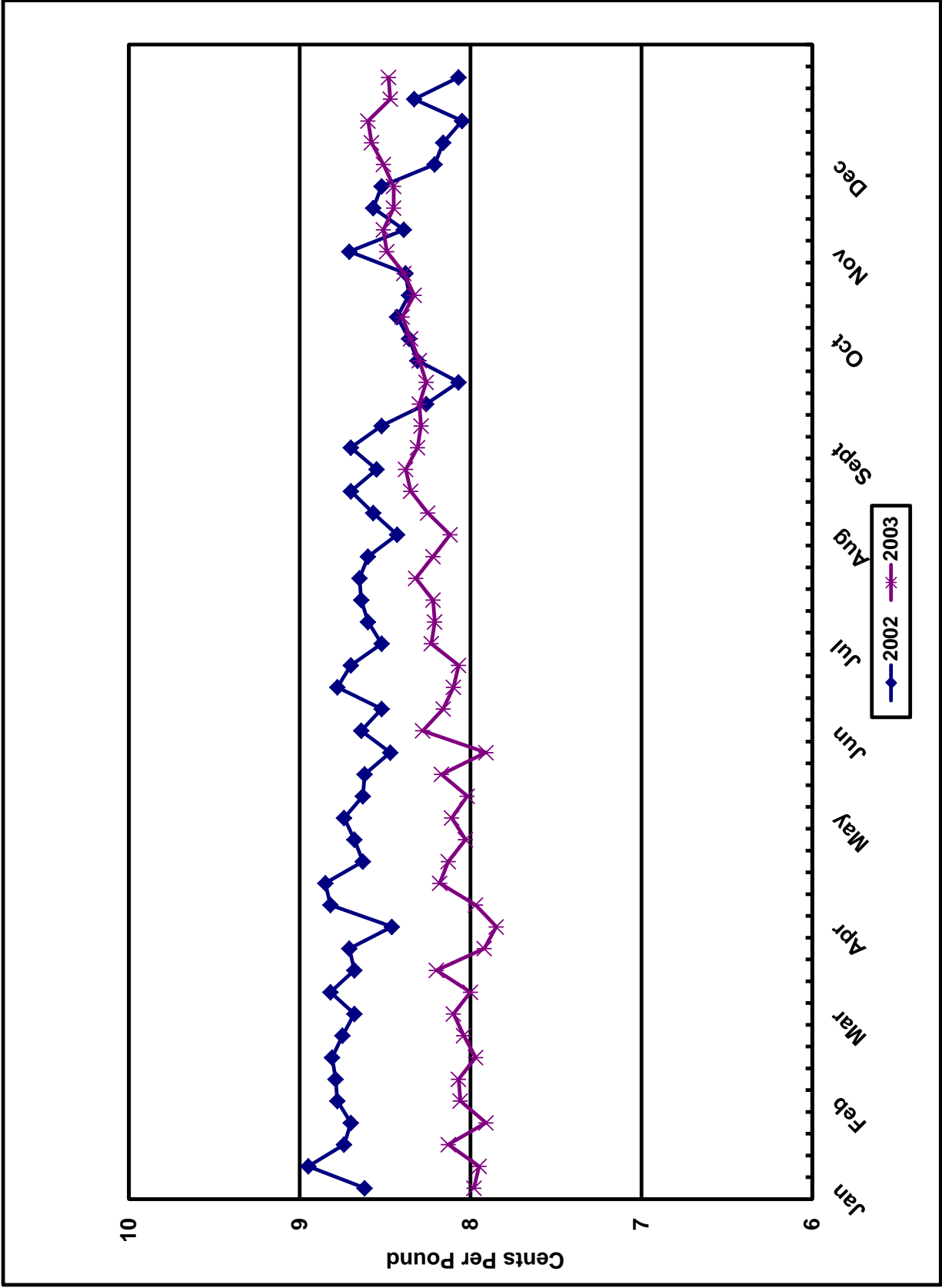
Generally for slaughter the following week

Week Beginning		Range			Majority			Weighted Average
<b>2003</b>								
January	6	5.00	--	9.50	7.00	--	8.50	7.98
	13	5.00	--	9.50	7.00	--	8.50	7.95
	20	6.00	--	9.50	8.00	--	8.50	8.13
	27	6.00	--	9.50	7.00	--	8.50	7.91
February	3	6.00	--	9.50	7.00	--	8.50	8.06
	10	6.00	--	9.50	8.00	--	8.50	8.07
	17	6.00	--	9.50	7.00	--	8.50	7.97
	24	6.50	--	9.50	7.00	--	8.50	8.04
March	3	6.00	--	9.50	8.00	--	8.50	8.10
	10	6.00	--	9.50	7.00	--	8.50	8.00
	17	7.50	--	9.50	8.00	--	8.50	8.20
	24	5.00	--	9.50	7.00	--	8.50	7.92
	31	5.00	--	9.50	7.00	--	8.00	7.85
April	7	5.00	--	9.50	7.00	--	8.00	7.97
	14	6.00	--	9.50	8.00	--	8.50	8.18
	21	6.00	--	9.50	8.00	--	8.50	8.13
	28	5.50	--	9.50	8.00	--	8.50	8.03
May	5	6.00	--	9.50	8.00	--	8.50	8.11
	12	6.00	--	9.50	8.00	--	8.50	8.02
	19	5.00	--	9.50	8.00	--	8.50	8.17
	26	5.00	--	9.50	7.00	--	8.50	7.91
June	2	6.00	--	8.75	8.00	--	8.50	8.28
	9	5.50	--	8.75	8.00	--	8.50	8.16
	16	6.00	--	8.75	8.00	--	8.50	8.10
	23	6.50	--	8.75	8.00	--	8.50	8.07
	30	6.00	--	9.00	8.00	--	8.50	8.23
July	7	5.75	--	9.00	8.00	--	8.50	8.21
	14	5.00	--	8.75	8.00	--	8.50	8.22
	21	6.00	--	9.00	8.25	--	8.50	8.32
	28	6.00	--	8.75	8.00	--	8.50	8.22
August	4	6.00	--	9.00	8.00	--	8.50	8.12
	11	6.00	--	9.00	8.25	--	8.50	8.25
	18	6.00	--	9.25	8.25	--	8.50	8.35
	25	6.00	--	9.25	8.25	--	8.50	8.38
September	1	6.00	--	9.00	8.25	--	8.50	8.31
	8	6.00	--	9.00	8.25	--	8.50	8.29
	15	6.00	--	8.75	8.25	--	8.50	8.30
	22	6.00	--	9.00	8.25	--	8.50	8.26
	29	6.00	--	8.75	8.25	--	8.50	8.30
October	6	6.00	--	9.25	8.25	--	8.75	8.35
	13	6.00	--	9.50	8.25	--	8.75	8.40
	20	6.00	--	9.00	8.25	--	8.50	8.33
	27	6.00	--	9.00	8.25	--	8.50	8.39
November	3	6.00	--	9.00	8.25	--	8.75	8.49
	10	6.00	--	9.00	8.00	--	9.00	8.51
	17	6.00	--	9.00	8.00	--	9.00	8.45
	24	6.00	--	9.00	8.00	--	9.00	8.45
December	1	6.00	--	9.00	8.00	--	9.00	8.51
	8	6.00	--	9.00	8.00	--	9.00	8.58
	15	6.00	--	9.00	8.50	--	9.00	8.60
	22	6.00	--	9.00	8.00	--	9.00	8.47
	29	6.00	--	9.00	8.00	--	9.00	8.48
<b>Average 2003</b>								8.21
<b>Average 2002</b>								8.57

1/ Southeast Region includes: AL, FL, GA, KY, MS, NC, SC, TN, VA.

2/ At Farm Buyer Loading.

# Southeast Live Heavy Type Hens, Weighted Average Price 2002 and 2003



**Table 26 -- PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler/Fryers): Georgia f.o.b dock quoted price for ice-pack  
USDA grade A sized 2 1/2 to 3 lb. birds, by weeks, 2000-2003 1/ 2/  
(Cents per Pound)**

Week Number	Comparative Periods				
	2003	2002	2001	2000	
January	1	62.00	62.75	61.50	58.50
	2	62.25	63.00	61.50	58.25
	3	62.25	63.00	61.50	58.00
	4	62.25	63.00	61.50	58.00
	5	62.50	63.00	61.75	58.00
February	1	62.75	63.00	61.75	57.75
	2	63.00	63.00	61.75	57.50
	3	63.25	62.75	61.75	57.25
	4	63.50	62.75	62.00	57.25
	5				
March	1	63.75	62.75	62.00	57.25
	2	64.00	62.75	62.00	57.25
	3	64.00	62.75	62.00	57.25
	4	63.75	62.50	62.00	57.25
	5				
April	1	63.50	62.50	62.00	57.25
	2	63.50	62.50	62.00	57.25
	3	63.50	62.50	62.00	57.25
	4	63.50	62.50	62.25	57.25
	5	63.75	62.75	62.50	57.25
May	1	64.00	63.25	63.00	57.25
	2	64.50	63.50	63.25	57.50
	3	65.00	63.75	63.25	57.75
	4	65.25	63.75	63.50	58.25
	5				
June	1	65.50	63.75	63.50	58.75
	2	65.75	63.75	63.50	59.00
	3	66.00	63.75	63.50	59.00
	4	66.50	64.00	63.75	59.25
	5				
July	1	67.00	64.25	64.00	59.50
	2	67.25	64.25	64.00	59.75
	3	67.50	64.25	64.50	59.75
	4	67.75	64.25	64.75	59.75
	5	68.00	64.00	65.00	60.00
August	1	68.25	64.00	65.25	60.00
	2	68.50	64.00	65.50	60.00
	3	68.75	64.25	66.00	60.00
	4	69.00	64.25	66.25	60.50
	5				
September	1	69.25	64.25	66.50	61.00
	2	69.25	64.25	66.50	61.50
	3	69.25	64.00	66.50	62.00
	4	69.25	63.75	66.50	62.00
	5				
October	1	69.00	63.50	66.25	61.75
	2	68.75	63.25	65.75	61.50
	3	68.50	63.00	65.50	61.50
	4	68.25	62.75	65.25	61.50
	5	68.25	62.50	65.00	61.50
November	1	68.25	62.25	64.50	61.50
	2	68.25	62.00	64.25	61.50
	3	68.50	61.75	64.00	61.50
	4	68.75	61.50	64.00	61.50
	5				
December	1	69.00	61.25	63.50	61.50
	2	69.00	61.25	63.25	61.50
	3	69.00	61.50	63.00	61.50
	4	69.00	61.75	62.75	61.50
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1/ Information is supplied by the Georgia Department of Agriculture's Poultry Market News Service, for information please call 404-656-3656  
2/ The f.o.b. dock prices presented are those reported on Wednesday for the next week's market.

Georgia f.o.b. dock price on Broiler/Fryers - 2000-2003

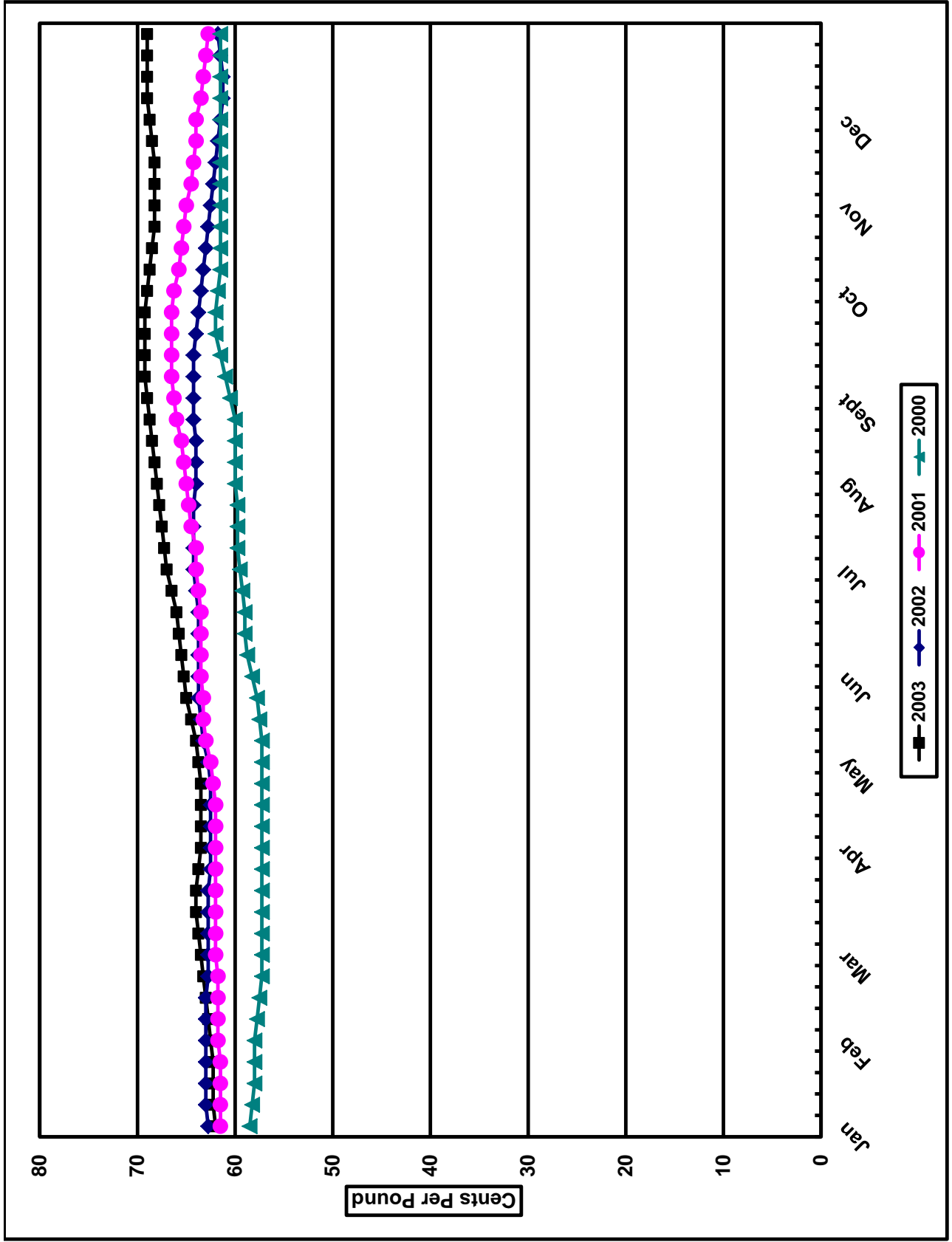
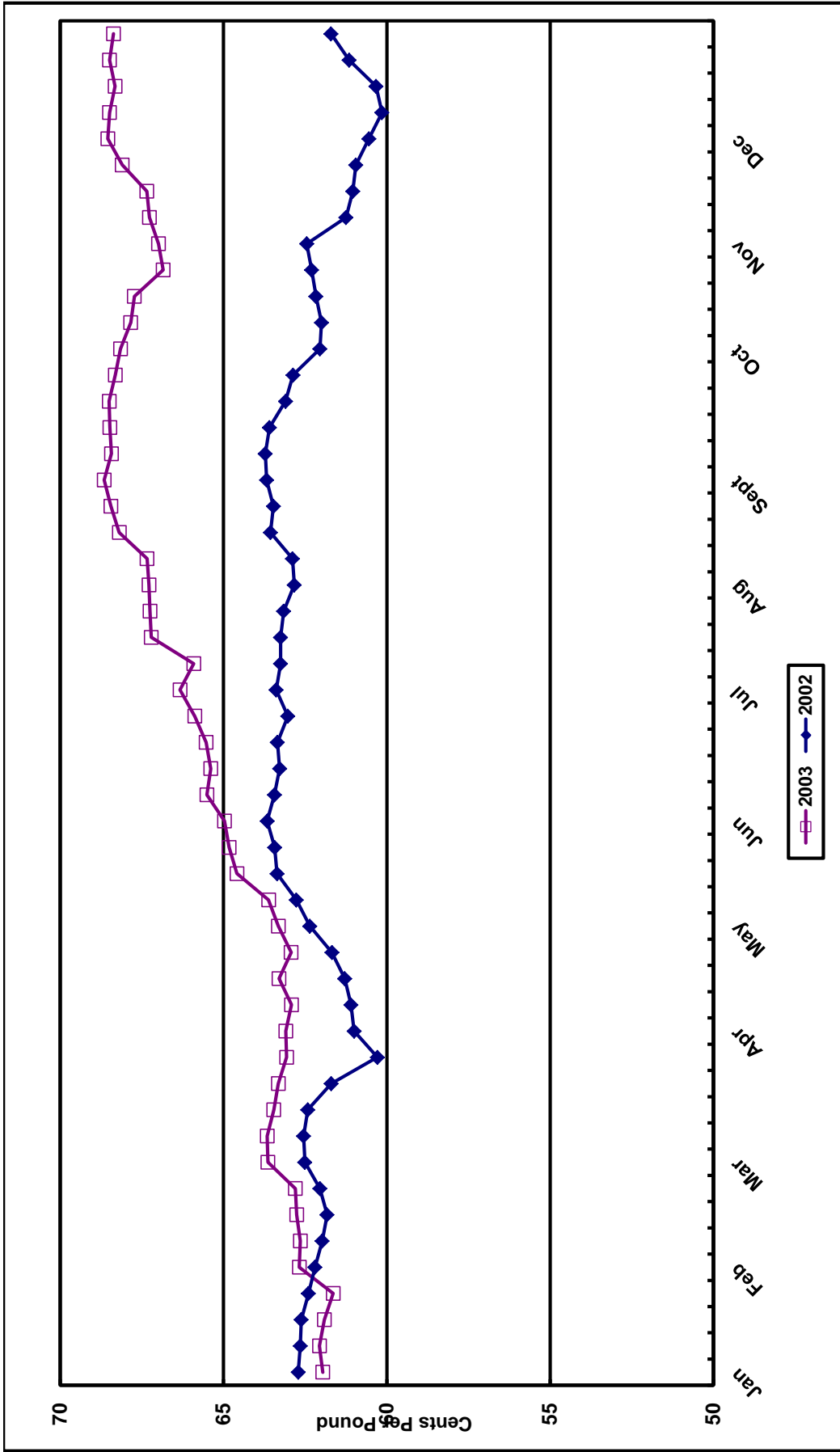


Table 27 -- PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler-Fryers): f.o.b dock equivalent, weighted average prices for ready-to-cook, ice-packed, and CO2 packed broiler-fryers, in Mississippi, by weeks, 2002-2003  
(Cents per Pound)

Week Beginning		2003	2002
January	6	61.96	62.71
	13	62.06	62.65
	20	61.91	62.62
	27	61.64	62.40
February	3	62.68	62.20
	10	62.65	61.98
	17	62.76	61.83
	24	62.80	62.05
March	3	63.64	62.51
	10	63.66	62.55
	17	63.46	62.42
	24	63.32	61.70
	31	63.07	60.29
April	7	63.09	61.00
	14	62.92	61.10
	21	63.30	61.29
	28	62.93	61.68
May	5	63.32	62.36
	12	63.62	62.77
	19	64.59	63.36
	26	64.83	63.43
June	2	64.97	63.66
	9	65.51	63.44
	16	65.39	63.28
	23	65.53	63.35
	30	65.88	63.03
July	7	66.33	63.39
	14	65.91	63.25
	21	67.21	63.25
	28	67.25	63.16
August	4	67.28	62.83
	11	67.34	62.89
	18	68.19	63.56
	25	68.45	63.47
September	1	68.65	63.68
	8	68.43	63.72
	15	68.48	63.59
	22	68.50	63.10
	29	68.31	62.87
October	6	68.15	62.05
	13	67.84	62.00
	20	67.73	62.17
	27	66.85	62.30
November	3	66.99	62.45
	10	67.27	61.25
	17	67.35	61.04
	24	68.10	60.95
December	1	68.54	60.55
	8	68.49	60.15
	15	68.32	60.33
	22	68.49	61.15
	29	68.37	61.71

Mississippi f.o.b. dock Weighted Average Price  
 Broiler/Fryers - 2002-2003





**Table 28 -- PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler/Fryers): Weighted average prices for trucklot sales of ready-to-cook, ice-packed broiler-fryers delivered to first receivers at major market area, by weeks, 2003 --continued (Cents per pound)**

Week Beginning	Boston/New England		Chicago		Denver		
	U.S. Grade A (Including Branded)	Composite	U.S. Grade A (Including Branded)	Composite	U.S. Grade A (Including Branded)	Composite	
<b>2003</b>							
<b>January</b>	6	61.11	59.67	56.44	57.88	66.46	66.25
	13	58.58	56.85	56.55	58.69	66.47	66.47
	20	55.22	57.19	55.51	57.98	66.47	65.43
	27	55.24	56.83	55.49	57.85	66.47	66.30
<b>February</b>	3	55.47	58.08	55.24	57.79	67.43	64.97
	10	54.44	56.86	55.41	57.79	67.44	66.14
	17	56.44	57.38	55.28	57.58	67.46	66.69
	24	58.00	59.39	55.32	57.27	67.47	61.90
<b>March</b>	3	57.33	58.19	55.49	57.69	68.43	67.40
	10	56.33	56.29	55.39	57.84	68.44	67.89
	17	56.00	58.06	54.70	57.17	68.50	68.32
	24	53.67	55.48	51.12	53.53	68.50	67.05
	31	53.71	56.98	49.95	52.17	68.44	67.81
<b>April</b>	7	53.67	55.00	50.15	52.40	68.43	63.78
	14	54.00	55.59	50.10	52.57	68.43	66.51
	21	54.23	56.75	50.37	52.99	68.43	67.99
	28	53.67	57.53	50.09	52.62	68.50	67.08
<b>May</b>	5	53.67	56.63	50.36	53.10	68.45	68.06
	12	56.00	57.25	52.04	54.48	68.46	68.24
	19	56.67	58.67	52.52	54.79	69.43	66.15
	26	59.33	60.47	55.13	57.21	69.46	65.95
<b>June</b>	2	59.00	61.70	54.99	57.32	69.50	69.43
	9	60.67	60.79	55.41	57.04	70.50	70.24
	16	62.67	62.38	55.42	57.43	70.50	70.20
	23	61.88	62.70	55.38	57.31	70.50	69.83
	30	61.33	62.76	55.79	57.93	71.41	68.51
<b>July</b>	7	61.33	62.44	55.37	57.40	71.50	70.94
	14	60.00	61.82	55.33	57.84	71.43	70.86
	21	60.63	61.16	55.84	58.50	72.50	71.19
	28	60.31	60.57	55.95	58.60	72.50	67.04
<b>August</b>	4	61.67	60.44	56.30	58.11	72.50	72.22
	11	60.67	61.39	56.94	59.21	72.50	71.42
	18	60.82	61.64	57.13	59.56	73.50	73.20
	25	56.67	61.33	56.88	59.31	73.50	73.26
<b>September</b>	1	57.33	60.34	57.19	59.80	73.50	73.17
	8	60.67	62.04	57.12	59.52	73.50	66.97
	15	62.67	63.90	58.26	60.56	73.50	73.17
	22	61.67	63.81	58.27	60.65	73.50	69.74
	29	57.67	61.09	56.65	58.90	73.50	73.11
<b>October</b>	6	59.67	62.30	56.56	58.72	73.50	72.89
	13	62.00	62.47	56.58	58.63	73.50	72.67
	20	61.14	62.76	56.45	58.65	73.38	69.13
	27	59.64	63.13	56.78	58.97	72.43	71.74
<b>November</b>	3	59.95	61.96	56.40	58.69	72.43	70.65
	10	60.22	60.96	56.81	59.34	72.41	68.50
	17	61.74	63.59	57.50	59.74	72.50	72.22
	24	62.15	64.71	58.91	61.69	73.31	72.84
<b>December</b>	1	62.24	60.93	59.00	61.51	73.50	73.10
	8	62.94	64.20	59.29	61.76	73.50	72.11
	15	61.32	60.77	59.22	61.30	73.41	72.79
	22	61.19	61.67	58.67	61.44	73.50	72.58
	29	63.73	62.65	59.29	61.24	73.50	71.89

See footnote at the end of the table.

**Table 28 -- PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler/Fryers): Weighted average prices for trucklot sales of ready-to-cook, ice-packed broiler-fryers delivered to first receivers at major market areas, by weeks, 2003 -- continued (Cents per pound)**

Week Beginning	Detroit		Los Angeles		New York		
	U.S. Grade A (Including Branded)	Composite	U.S. Grade A (Including Branded)	Composite	U.S. Grade A (Including Branded)	Composite	
<b>2003</b>							
<b>January</b>	6	54.83	58.53	66.16	64.77	59.68	59.22
	13	56.31	58.48	66.47	65.73	59.71	60.48
	20	56.60	58.55	65.87	64.07	55.91	57.55
	27	55.46	58.25	65.90	64.60	56.39	56.48
<b>February</b>	3	56.08	58.41	67.02	65.33	55.48	57.40
	10	56.38	56.13	66.68	66.74	54.74	57.33
	17	56.09	58.04	66.66	64.47	54.11	57.13
	24	56.60	58.90	66.50	65.30	56.57	57.67
<b>March</b>	3	56.23	57.50	67.42	65.51	55.73	57.49
	10	56.45	59.02	67.60	66.61	55.26	57.73
	17	54.73	56.95	67.82	67.36	54.95	57.13
	24	51.86	55.88	67.66	64.09	51.41	54.72
	31	49.08	54.13	67.26	64.27	51.55	54.01
<b>April</b>	7	49.18	54.29	67.18	64.62	52.04	54.47
	14	50.60	54.40	67.19	64.62	52.14	53.61
	21	50.60	55.11	67.41	62.92	52.24	53.10
	28	50.67	55.15	67.59	63.27	52.36	55.10
<b>May</b>	5	50.60	55.29	67.01	63.13	52.39	55.40
	12	53.18	56.68	67.09	64.49	55.09	56.18
	19	51.93	56.87	67.85	65.88	55.13	58.01
	26	55.64	58.92	68.37	66.07	57.04	58.23
<b>June</b>	2	55.45	58.98	68.59	66.00	57.26	58.18
	9	55.00	58.43	69.68	66.89	59.14	59.97
	16	55.27	59.08	68.83	64.90	59.55	59.88
	23	56.44	59.22	69.03	66.78	59.14	58.88
	30	55.57	58.65	69.54	68.27	59.17	58.52
<b>July</b>	7	55.83	59.50	69.94	67.82	59.41	59.99
	14	56.00	59.00	69.85	73.64	59.02	59.80
	21	56.00	59.64	70.97	68.84	58.76	60.01
	28	56.45	60.45	70.93	66.02	59.13	60.87
<b>August</b>	4	56.45	61.01	71.17	67.68	58.96	59.56
	11	57.60	61.82	71.37	67.74	59.09	60.06
	18	56.29	62.13	71.32	68.55	58.83	59.52
	25	57.27	61.17	71.94	68.28	57.64	59.74
<b>September</b>	1	57.20	61.64	72.17	70.82	57.48	59.51
	8	57.60	61.87	71.32	70.06	58.71	60.59
	15	58.83	61.87	71.58	68.62	61.13	61.49
	22	58.55	62.46	71.62	68.21	61.68	62.82
	29	56.36	60.39	71.57	68.53	58.95	58.82
<b>October</b>	6	57.00	60.59	71.58	70.11	59.52	61.70
	13	57.00	59.85	70.84	68.58	59.87	59.48
	20	56.29	59.74	70.65	70.08	59.81	62.99
	27	56.50	60.56	70.62	70.26	58.86	61.01
<b>November</b>	3	57.18	60.24	70.93	70.23	59.50	61.39
	10	56.83	60.81	70.45	70.19	59.83	59.99
	17	57.11	61.11	71.77	71.63	61.46	61.33
	24	58.91	62.68	72.26	72.69	61.13	61.95
<b>December</b>	1	58.80	62.86	72.05	72.61	61.25	63.05
	8	59.00	63.75	71.79	71.74	62.26	62.81
	15	58.14	63.21	72.35	72.58	61.36	62.93
	22	60.17	64.07	72.04	72.19	60.91	61.87
	29	60.50	63.76	71.92	70.61	62.57	63.21

See footnote at the end of the table.

**Table 28 -- PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler/Fryers): Weighted average prices for trucklot sales of ready-to-cook, ice-packed broiler-fryers delivered to first receivers at major market areas, by weeks, 2003 --continued  
(Cents Per Pound)**

Week Beginning	Ohio Cities 1/		Philadelphia		Pittsburgh		
	U.S. Grade A (Including Branded)	Composite	U.S. Grade A (Including Branded)	Composite	U.S. Grade A (Including Branded)	Composite	
<b>2003</b>							
January	6	1/	61.45	59.30	57.69	59.45	60.52
	13	1/	61.82	59.55	60.39	59.60	61.06
	20	1/	58.65	55.36	56.10	55.70	60.16
	27	1/	58.45	54.55	55.39	54.60	60.22
February	3	1/	61.54	54.64	55.43	55.00	60.01
	10	1/	60.45	54.30	55.43	54.90	60.20
	17	1/	60.35	54.27	55.25	54.73	59.93
	24	1/	58.39	56.36	56.72	56.50	60.45
March	3	1/	60.24	55.64	55.93	55.91	60.42
	10	1/	60.48	55.23	55.73	55.30	60.64
	17	1/	60.36	54.50	54.88	55.05	60.04
	24	1/	58.64	51.92	52.07	52.70	56.65
	31	1/	57.15	51.73	50.98	52.18	57.27
April	7	1/	56.92	52.09	52.18	52.82	57.23
	14	1/	55.30	52.27	51.25	52.90	57.49
	21	1/	55.43	52.55	51.39	52.45	57.07
	28	1/	56.90	52.33	52.37	52.00	57.77
May	5	1/	56.76	52.55	52.20	52.18	57.23
	12	1/	58.48	54.50	53.31	55.18	58.76
	19	1/	57.93	55.00	53.61	55.36	58.96
	26	1/	60.06	56.36	57.67	57.10	60.76
June	2	1/	58.82	56.27	55.75	57.09	60.90
	9	1/	57.92	58.36	56.80	59.10	61.35
	16	1/	56.97	58.45	58.56	59.09	59.22
	23	1/	59.11	58.36	58.46	58.91	60.71
	30	1/	57.09	58.95	57.73	59.00	61.71
July	7	1/	58.22	58.59	58.64	59.25	61.78
	14	1/	57.68	58.60	56.83	58.95	61.29
	21	1/	57.78	58.45	57.27	58.91	61.62
	28	1/	58.70	59.18	57.59	59.09	62.58
August	4	1/	59.60	58.36	57.25	58.91	62.49
	11	1/	60.56	58.55	57.14	59.18	62.71
	18	1/	61.10	58.80	59.52	58.73	63.47
	25	1/	60.04	57.45	57.34	57.33	62.89
September	1	1/	58.81	57.40	57.31	57.55	63.10
	8	1/	60.23	57.64	57.43	58.08	63.11
	15	1/	61.77	60.36	61.85	60.91	63.35
	22	1/	61.03	60.55	59.80	60.40	63.48
	29	1/	59.66	59.09	58.72	60.00	62.05
October	6	1/	59.75	58.83	57.59	59.91	59.37
	13	1/	58.71	59.32	57.77	59.83	61.83
	20	1/	58.74	59.17	59.31	60.18	62.17
	27	1/	58.33	59.46	58.04	59.88	61.98
November	3	1/	58.57	59.73	58.11	60.08	61.83
	10	1/	59.43	59.67	58.10	60.17	62.47
	17	1/	59.83	60.45	58.84	61.00	62.82
	24	1/	59.83	60.58	59.93	61.08	64.58
December	1	1/	60.13	60.18	59.76	60.50	63.55
	8	1/	61.67	61.45	60.34	62.08	65.04
	15	1/	61.29	60.50	59.89	60.92	64.85
	22	1/	61.92	59.50	59.40	60.42	64.96
	29	1/	61.84	62.36	60.72	63.08	64.78

See footnote at the end of the table.

**Table 28 -- PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler/Fryers): Weighted average prices for trucklot sales of ready-to-cook, ice-packed broiler-fryers delivered to first receivers at major market areas, by weeks, 2003 (Cents per pound)**

Week Beginning	St. Louis		San Francisco		
	U.S. Grade A (Including Branded)	Composite	U.S. Grade A (Including Branded)	Composite	
<b>2003</b>					
<b>January</b>					
	6	55.40	55.63	67.34	69.43
	13	55.99	56.48	67.30	67.90
	20	54.90	56.32	66.76	65.02
	27	54.80	56.39	66.82	67.66
<b>February</b>					
	3	54.58	55.48	67.78	68.09
	10	54.75	55.28	67.64	70.92
	17	54.81	56.24	67.90	68.46
	24	54.65	55.87	67.50	67.72
<b>March</b>					
	3	55.00	55.98	68.64	71.31
	10	54.71	55.99	68.60	68.79
	17	54.39	55.35	68.78	70.35
	24	49.69	51.82	68.64	67.43
	31	48.57	49.75	68.48	70.63
<b>April</b>					
	7	47.92	49.50	68.46	68.25
	14	48.95	50.07	68.29	69.58
	21	49.10	50.12	68.25	71.71
	28	48.80	49.85	67.95	69.65
<b>May</b>					
	5	49.12	49.86	68.21	68.57
	12	51.37	52.02	68.32	66.58
	19	51.20	52.68	68.95	70.15
	26	54.24	55.31	69.32	70.94
<b>June</b>					
	2	54.27	54.77	68.92	71.47
	9	54.48	54.34	70.36	67.67
	16	54.55	54.86	70.48	71.66
	23	54.47	55.64	70.32	71.75
	30	54.71	54.27	70.77	72.03
<b>July</b>					
	7	54.71	54.96	70.61	72.62
	14	54.40	54.92	70.98	78.48
	21	54.76	55.89	71.79	70.54
	28	55.55	56.56	71.95	72.84
<b>August</b>					
	4	55.60	57.19	71.98	76.38
	11	55.99	56.45	72.15	74.25
	18	56.40	56.56	72.77	73.60
	25	56.08	56.36	72.73	74.27
<b>September</b>					
	1	56.23	58.94	73.15	77.14
	8	56.84	57.55	72.77	71.54
	15	57.47	58.37	72.73	72.11
	22	57.61	58.57	72.95	77.88
	29	56.01	56.69	72.95	77.86
<b>October</b>					
	6	55.97	56.64	72.76	76.46
	13	56.03	56.12	72.79	73.48
	20	55.81	56.31	72.76	73.23
	27	55.56	56.53	71.92	76.49
<b>November</b>					
	3	55.62	56.24	71.70	75.90
	10	55.72	55.39	72.05	76.30
	17	56.61	56.44	72.78	78.78
	24	58.18	58.49	73.12	79.13
<b>December</b>					
	1	58.37	58.32	72.84	75.69
	8	58.51	58.69	73.18	78.88
	15	58.31	58.51	73.34	78.78
	22	58.10	59.26	73.06	78.42
	29	58.66	59.22	73.26	76.88

1/ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

**Table 29 -- PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler/Fryer): Composite weighted average price for trucklot sales of ready-to-cook broiler-fryers delivered, by weeks, 2000-2003 1/ (Cents per pound) 2/**

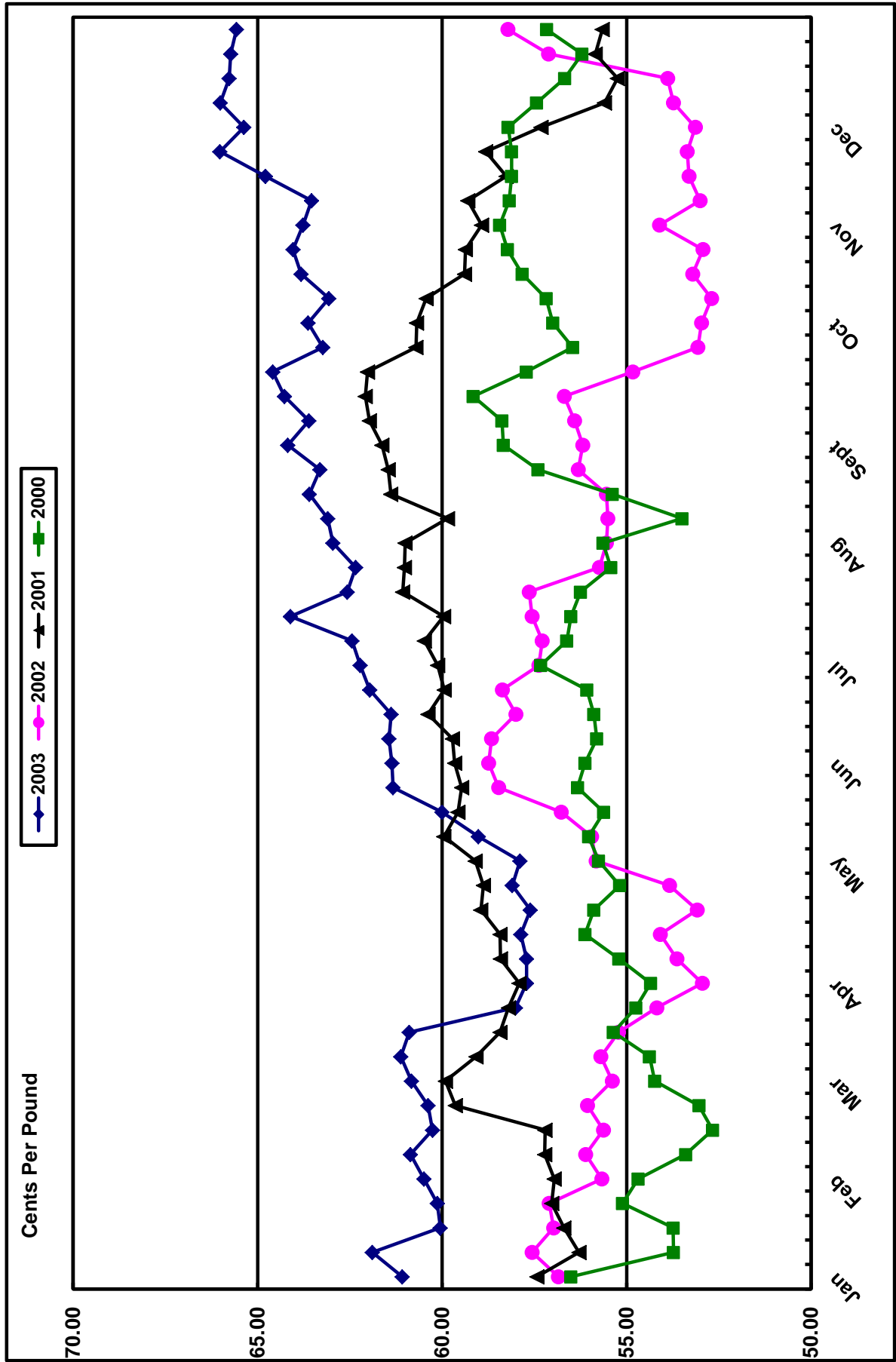
Week Beginning	Comparative Periods				
	Composite Weighted Average				
	2003	2002	2001	2000	
<b>2003</b>					
January	6	61.08	56.85	57.43	56.51
	13	61.89	57.56	56.29	53.73
	20	60.05	56.98	56.70	53.74
	27	60.13	57.10	57.03	55.11
February	3	60.49	55.67	56.96	54.69
	10	60.86	56.11	57.22	53.40
	17	60.26	55.63	57.21	52.67
	24	60.38	56.06	59.64	53.04
March	3	60.83	55.39	59.91	54.24
	10	61.12	55.70	59.08	54.38
	17	60.89	55.22	58.43	55.36
	24	58.01	54.18	58.20	54.75
	31	57.71	52.95	57.91	54.35
April	7	57.71	53.64	58.42	55.21
	14	57.87	54.09	58.43	56.13
	21	57.61	53.09	58.95	55.89
	28	58.10	53.84	58.88	55.19
May	5	57.89	55.83	59.10	55.76
	12	59.02	55.95	59.95	56.03
	19	60.00	56.77	59.57	55.62
	26	61.33	58.47	59.47	56.33
June	2	61.36	58.74	59.66	56.13
	9	61.44	58.66	59.72	55.81
	16	61.38	58.00	60.38	55.89
	23	61.96	58.37	59.94	56.08
	30	62.22	57.38	60.12	57.33
July	7	62.44	57.29	60.48	56.62
	14	64.11	57.56	59.96	56.51
	21	62.57	57.64	61.07	56.25
	28	62.34	55.74	61.02	55.43
August	4	62.96	55.55	61.00	55.64
	11	63.10	55.51	59.85	53.50
	18	63.60	55.55	61.39	55.39
	25	63.31	56.31	61.46	57.40
September	1	64.18	56.19	61.63	58.34
	8	63.61	56.41	61.97	58.38
	15	64.27	56.69	62.08	59.16
	22	64.59	54.83	62.02	57.72
	29	63.23	53.07	60.71	56.46
October	6	63.63	52.97	60.69	57.00
	13	63.07	52.70	60.43	57.18
	20	63.82	53.21	59.39	57.83
	27	64.04	52.93	59.37	58.23
November	3	63.77	54.11	58.93	58.44
	10	63.54	53.01	59.30	58.18
	17	64.79	53.31	58.26	58.12
	24	66.02	53.36	58.82	58.12
December	1	65.37	53.14	57.32	58.21
	8	66.01	53.73	55.60	57.44
	15	65.77	53.89	55.25	56.68
	22	65.73	57.12	55.85	56.21
	29	65.57	58.22	55.66	57.17

1/ The composite regions are: Boston, Chicago, Denver, Detroit, Los Angeles, New York, Ohio Cities, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, St. Louis, and San Francisco.

2/ The composite weighted average price is computed by dividing the country into 3 marketing regions and weighting prices in each region by the population of the region. Composite prices include U.S. Grade A (including branded) and Plant Grade ice-packed, whole-car cass chillpack product and whole birds without giblets (WOGS).

3/ As of January 6, 2003, Cleveland and Cincinnati were combined into the Ohio Cities Report. The 12-City weighted average was renamed Composite weighted average and was unaffected.

Composite Weighted Average Price  
Broiler-Fryers-2000-2003



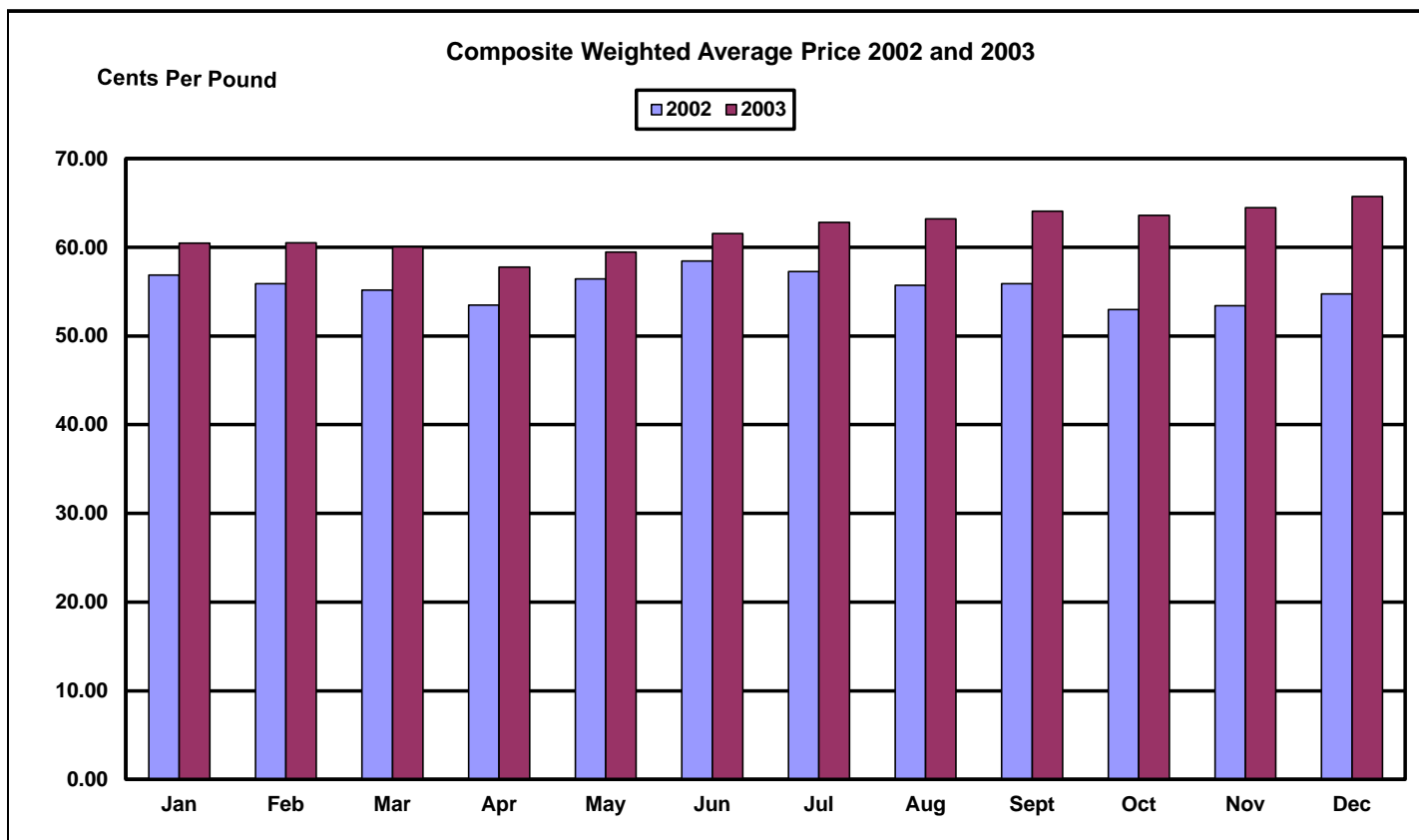
**Table 30 -- PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler/Fryer): Composite weighted average price for trucklot sales of ready-to-cook broiler-fryers delivered, by month and quarter, 2003 1/ (Cents per pound) 2/**

Month and Year	Composite Weighted Average			
	Monthly	Loads	Quarterly	Loads
<b>2003</b>				
January	60.46	2,712.80	January-March	60.33
February	60.49	2,330.00		
March	60.02	2,401.20		
April	57.78	2,479.40	April-June	59.59
May	59.44	2,546.40		
June	61.56	2,476.40		
July	62.80	2,865.40	July-September	63.35
August	63.20	2,604.20		
September	64.08	2,623.20		
October	63.59	2,831.80	October-December	64.57
November	64.45	2,270.00		
December	65.71	2,642.60		
Average 2003	62.01	30,801.40		
Average 2002	55.52	30,349.60		

1/ The composite regions are: Boston, Chicago, Denver, Detroit, Los Angeles, New York, Ohio Cities, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, St. Louis, and San Francisco.

2/ The Composite weighted average price is computed by dividing the country into 3 marketing regions and weighting prices in each region by the population of the region. Composite prices include U.S. Grade A (including branded) and Plant Grade ice-packed.

3/ As of January 6, 2003, Cleveland and Cincinnati were combined into the Ohio Cities report. The 12-City weighted average was renamed Composite weighted average and was unaffected.



**Table 31-- PROCESSED POULTRY: Average current negotiated prices paid for ready-to-cook broiler-fryers for immediate delivery in New York from Delmarva, including multiple-drop shipments of branded and wing tagged products, by weeks, 2002-2003**

Week Ending	Comparative Periods				
	2003		2002		
	Branded U.S. Grade A Weighted Average	No. of Boxes	Branded U.S. Grade A Weighted Average	No. of Boxes	
<b>2003</b>					
January	3	59.71	37,409	54.06	44,694
	10	62.98	45,926	57.81	55,885
	17	61.38	43,928	59.32	49,794
	24	58.22	33,465	57.57	38,335
	31	58.67	38,496	55.97	48,076
February	7	58.04	39,657	54.28	51,191
	14	58.27	43,170	54.01	52,903
	21	57.98	30,635	52.28	47,102
	28	59.57	42,827	52.64	49,944
March	7	58.00	46,401	51.87	53,625
	14	58.09	39,865	51.63	48,305
	21	56.82	37,666	50.89	44,393
	28	54.10	37,117	49.38	42,928
April	4	54.65	39,374	48.56	40,195
	11	54.68	39,100	49.41	46,016
	18	54.88	44,699	49.12	46,555
	25	55.16	33,027	49.33	49,026
May	2	55.16	46,326	50.30	46,199
	9	55.85	44,615	53.44	49,377
	16	58.05	41,375	54.30	47,641
	23	58.77	42,895	56.86	48,403
	30	59.76	40,227	59.91	39,639
June	6	60.95	46,560	60.59	45,029
	13	62.24	46,594	60.50	47,971
	20	61.83	44,045	60.05	41,163
	27	62.16	40,900	57.30	40,327
July	4	62.32	27,280	52.27	36,862
	11	62.28	42,865	54.14	40,712
	18	61.95	42,651	53.51	43,091
	25	61.89	42,205	53.19	42,348
August	1	62.12	41,810	50.34	40,766
	8	62.19	43,381	50.11	35,681
	15	61.78	38,906	50.28	41,841
	22	60.84	37,817	50.35	48,483
	29	60.93	41,803	50.81	52,233
September	5	60.53	37,634	51.70	39,560
	12	63.06	47,505	53.13	45,778
	19	64.22	35,989	54.24	45,828
	26	63.92	44,748	50.97	40,379
October	3	63.29	40,330	48.10	44,741
	10	63.54	40,683	48.68	43,547
	17	63.29	44,638	48.94	46,697
	24	63.12	44,321	48.98	44,629
	31	62.95	41,643	49.86	43,278
November	7	62.96	44,716	50.90	44,733
	14	63.15	43,979	51.34	37,464
	21	63.56	37,319	50.88	38,311
	28	63.77	32,623	49.98	31,521
December	5	64.68	39,248	51.44	41,404
	12	64.96	40,428	54.11	41,457
	19	63.66	41,467	54.67	36,253
	26	64.57	32,005	55.66	30,980
<b>Annual Average</b>		60.59		52.92	



**Table 32 -- PROCESSED POULTRY: Weighted average prices for trucklot and less than trucklot quantity sales of ready-to cook, ice-packed broiler-fryers, delivered to first receivers, by weeks, 2003**

(Cents per pound)

Week Beginning	Whole Broiler-Fryers Without Giblets			
	East 1/	Central 2/	West 3/	
<b>2003</b>				
January	6	60.24	60.64	63.48
	13	59.65	60.80	63.46
	20	58.86	59.95	63.05
	27	58.86	60.20	63.56
February	3	58.30	59.88	64.58
	10	58.72	59.94	63.81
	17	60.27	59.79	63.86
	24	60.16	59.52	63.21
March	3	60.16	59.83	63.90
	10	60.29	60.30	63.66
	17	59.39	59.86	64.51
	24	55.86	56.98	61.45
	31	54.48	55.21	59.51
April	7	54.47	55.37	59.16
	14	53.87	55.51	57.12
	21	54.78	55.93	59.24
	28	55.12	55.63	58.61
May	5	53.72	55.83	58.25
	12	55.29	57.06	57.51
	19	56.82	57.56	62.38
	26	60.07	60.03	65.01
June	2	60.07	60.17	64.00
	9	60.13	59.17	62.30
	16	60.18	59.84	62.33
	23	60.69	60.17	60.00
	30	60.33	59.78	62.19
July	7	60.41	60.10	61.18
	14	60.14	59.80	64.78
	21	60.09	60.23	62.18
	28	60.53	60.83	61.27
August	4	61.44	60.82	62.90
	11	61.26	61.81	64.46
	18	61.66	62.04	67.29
	25	62.03	62.15	67.24
September	1	62.07	61.99	65.30
	8	61.94	61.97	64.76
	15	63.10	62.88	63.23
	22	62.96	63.32	61.55
	29	61.18	61.44	61.60
October	6	61.11	61.17	60.74
	13	61.02	60.47	61.04
	20	62.16	60.72	62.89
	27	61.07	61.15	63.61
November	3	61.03	61.19	62.56
	10	60.63	61.76	62.44
	17	61.26	61.88	63.88
	24	63.62	63.94	65.96
December	1	63.61	63.64	65.61
	8	64.02	63.58	63.29
	15	63.74	63.38	63.59
	22	63.81	64.17	64.41
	29	63.79	63.88	64.46

1/ Eastern region includes: Boston, New York, Philadelphia, and Pittsburgh.

2/ Central region includes: Chicago, Detroit, Ohio Cities and St. Louis.

3/ Western region includes: Denver, Los Angeles, and San Francisco.

**Table 33--PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler-Fryer Parts): Average prices paid and delivered to first receivers in the Midwest Region, by month, 2003 1/ 2/ (Cents per pound)**

Ready-to-cook, for Ice-packed broiler parts										
Month and Year	Breasts		Legs	Leg Quarters Bulk	Drumsticks	Thighs	Wings	Backs and Necks (Stripped)	Livers	Gizzards
	Boneless-Skinless 3/	Line Run								
<b>2003</b>										
January	130.00	77.88	30.38	18.13	26.88	26.38	69.38	15.25	34.75	43.63
February	138.00	92.00	31.75	20.38	28.38	26.25	70.88	15.00	35.00	43.88
March	144.40	91.45	32.60	21.15	29.75	29.25	62.80	14.70	38.10	41.70
April	138.00	89.81	32.88	20.63	27.88	29.00	66.25	13.38	36.50	42.63
May	154.75	95.38	33.75	22.31	29.75	30.31	69.25	14.25	34.38	40.50
June	164.90	98.15	35.40	24.70	32.30	30.20	68.10	13.50	34.70	41.70
July	167.13	94.69	33.84	27.00	35.06	33.31	64.38	16.50	35.25	43.63
August	183.38	95.56	37.38	28.88	36.81	32.94	67.38	16.00	35.50	42.38
September	176.10	97.90	38.10	28.25	36.20	33.10	75.80	16.00	35.00	40.90
October	158.50	90.25	41.13	29.19	37.13	34.25	84.63	16.25	35.00	41.50
November	146.50	88.13	40.00	29.00	39.13	36.63	90.25	14.88	34.88	42.13
December	147.40	88.30	40.90	28.50	39.70	40.00	99.90	15.40	34.70	42.40
<b>Average 2003</b>	154.09	91.63	35.68	24.84	33.25	31.80	74.08	15.09	35.31	42.25
<b>Average 2002</b>	130.45	78.05	34.39	20.26	33.39	29.62	58.25	14.87	33.64	42.58

1/ Pool truckload and truckload quantities.

2/ Midwest region includes: IL, IN, IA, KS, MI, MN, MO, NE, ND, OH, SD, AND WI.

3/ Without tender loins.

**Table 34 -- PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler-Fryer): Average prices paid for broiler-fryers delivered to retailers at specified cities, by months, 2003 (Cents per pound)**

Month and Year	Los Angeles Area 1/	San Francisco 2/
<b>2003</b>		
January	90.00	94.50
February	91.00	97.00
March	92.00	97.50
April	90.77	97.50
May	90.46	97.71
June	91.85	98.81
July	93.38	100.41
August	94.46	101.24
September	95.00	100.29
October	94.68	100.00
November	94.00	99.50
December	94.00	99.50
<b>Average 2003</b>	92.63	98.66
<b>Average 2002</b>	89.64	93.75

1/ Los Angeles area includes: Los Angeles, Ventura, Orange, San Bernardino, and Riverside counties.

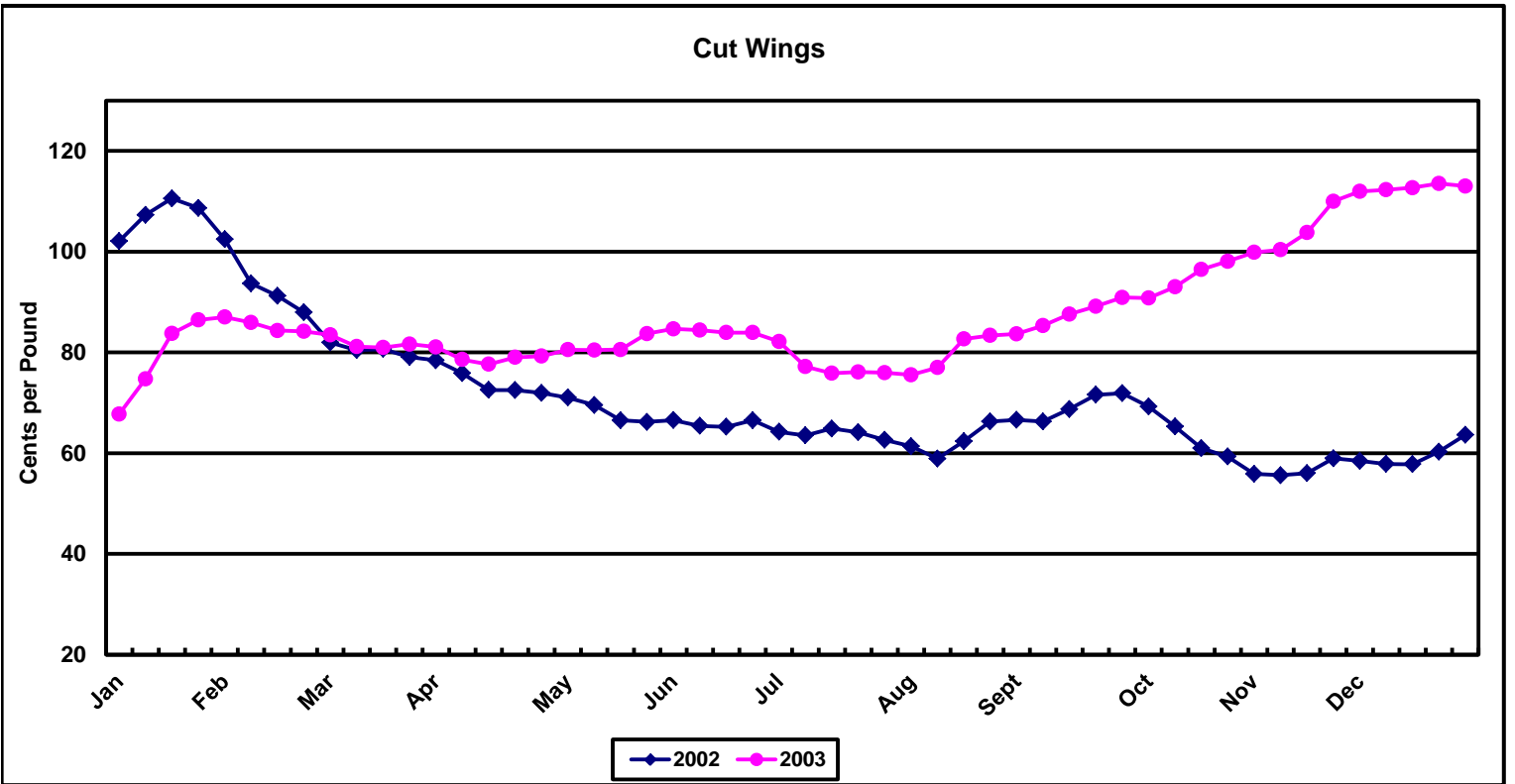
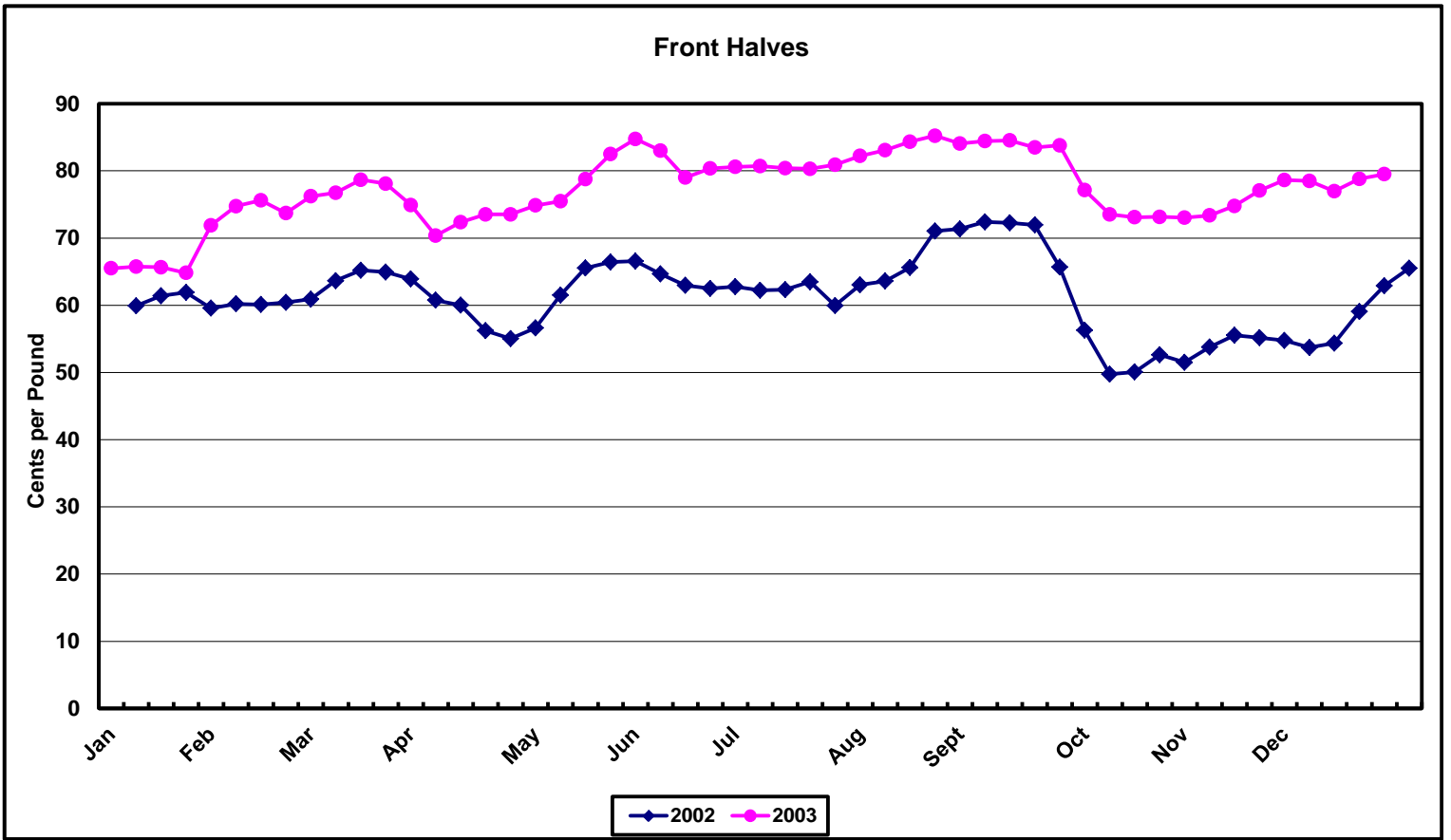
2/ Delivered to restaurants and institutions.

**Table 35-PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler-Fryer Parts): Weighted average price for trucklot and less than trucklot sales of ice-packed broiler parts, f.o.b. shipper's dock, in Arkansas, by weeks, 2003**

Week Beginning	Breasts			Front Halves	Drumsticks	Legs	Leg Quarters		Thighs	Wings	
	Boneless-Skinless	Tenders	With Ribs				Bulk	4/10			
<b>2003</b>											
January	6	121.24	124.83	1/	58.97	1/	1/	15.01	17.00	15.30	55.56
	13	123.46	160.76	69.57	65.47	1/	1/	15.11	17.12	16.73	69.36
	20	119.83	125.70	70.59	62.19	1/	1/	14.51	17.43	16.02	70.96
	27	129.85	125.45	79.68	66.17	1/	1/	16.19	17.80	16.01	69.41
February	3	140.75	121.29	84.78	69.57	1/	1/	16.04	18.22	16.63	1/
	10	134.87	132.64	84.14	68.83	1/	1/	17.04	18.32	16.17	64.46
	17	131.46	126.80	84.05	68.85	1/	1/	17.49	19.21	17.07	59.28
	24	133.38	129.31	1/	72.68	1/	1/	17.31	19.93	17.19	63.10
March	3	149.03	129.33	1/	70.47	1/	1/	18.17	20.88	17.97	62.90
	10	141.89	128.28	1/	75.61	1/	1/	18.68	21.03	19.56	61.06
	17	145.00	127.80	1/	71.89	1/	1/	19.19	20.97	1/	62.25
	24	142.20	124.06	82.07	69.12	1/	1/	18.82	20.74	19.68	56.51
	31	138.27	127.31	79.18	68.33	1/	1/	17.85	20.84	18.00	64.67
April	7	139.35	134.26	77.36	70.22	1/	1/	17.55	20.23	18.24	67.85
	14	136.77	137.35	1/	69.86	1/	1/	16.87	19.30	17.20	65.55
	21	139.03	143.10	1/	69.94	1/	1/	17.45	18.84	17.60	70.66
	28	144.75	146.95	81.97	71.68	1/	1/	16.97	18.75	18.03	70.41
May	5	140.11	145.02	1/	66.33	1/	1/	17.15	19.10	18.82	66.93
	12	145.65	150.98	87.20	69.96	1/	1/	19.00	20.10	19.67	66.83
	19	155.86	161.38	95.15	73.69	1/	1/	20.90	22.96	19.48	69.53
	26	160.57	145.44	99.88	68.78	1/	1/	20.92	23.19	21.64	70.20
June	2	160.20	157.70	105.75	72.60	1/	1/	20.98	23.84	20.95	68.41
	9	154.54	150.85	93.85	69.78	1/	1/	21.11	23.26	20.00	68.49
	16	153.70	152.14	86.00	68.72	1/	1/	21.09	23.44	1/	1/
	23	157.99	151.64	86.62	68.88	1/	1/	20.88	23.92	20.07	69.55
	30	153.59	149.93	85.49	73.49	1/	1/	21.83	24.10	19.89	63.60
July	7	158.05	157.46	79.61	77.07	1/	1/	23.91	25.07	20.38	61.61
	14	159.07	161.68	1/	74.22	1/	1/	23.69	25.60	19.21	59.27
	21	156.18	151.17	90.44	77.30	1/	1/	23.83	26.25	19.11	59.95
	28	159.41	147.19	1/	77.36	1/	1/	24.41	25.62	18.34	61.28
August	4	169.60	149.07	86.33	73.76	1/	1/	24.18	25.70	18.26	61.12
	11	169.79	148.40	89.60	75.04	1/	1/	24.50	25.83	18.25	63.29
	18	178.29	160.09	87.73	73.46	1/	1/	24.69	26.86	19.30	70.30
	25	171.21	156.53	82.44	75.37	1/	1/	25.92	27.43	19.32	66.83
September	1	170.34	160.37	94.82	75.00	1/	1/	26.27	27.69	23.32	1/
	8	171.95	155.78	87.69	73.09	1/	1/	26.82	28.14	24.83	1/
	15	172.79	156.51	88.95	1/	1/	1/	26.29	28.08	28.36	1/
	22	175.55	156.52	87.16	1/	1/	1/	26.47	27.97	30.36	69.34
	29	165.74	182.83	90.15	68.42	1/	1/	26.17	27.89	27.49	75.31
October	6	155.93	154.97	80.04	1/	31.00	1/	26.10	28.07	27.68	71.48
	13	151.99	172.48	1/	1/	31.01	1/	26.13	28.65	26.90	80.99
	20	148.19	147.78	1/	1/	1/	1/	25.86	28.10	28.24	82.13
	27	144.89	147.16	1/	1/	1/	1/	25.96	28.03	29.45	82.73
November	3	141.38	152.85	1/	1/	1/	1/	26.05	28.04	27.93	82.48
	10	141.14	144.82	1/	1/	1/	1/	26.24	28.01	31.01	84.30
	17	138.02	155.56	1/	1/	1/	1/	26.13	28.01	1/	89.68
	24	136.97	1/	79.38	1/	1/	1/	26.31	27.90	1/	93.95
December	1	134.60	144.00	1/	1/	1/	1/	26.17	27.88	33.84	1/
	8	135.22	157.17	79.25	70.68	1/	1/	26.24	28.16	33.80	94.53
	15	137.73	146.39	77.01	72.61	34.50	1/	26.30	28.26	34.36	94.46
	22	136.48	155.00	72.31	69.43	1/	1/	25.90	28.10	34.29	95.55
	29	137.28	142.84	76.60	70.39	1/	1/	26.30	28.33	31.26	91.42

1/ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

Southern States f.o.b. Broiler-Fryer Parts



**Table 36--PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler-Fryers): Weighted average price and volume for trucklot and less than trucklot sales of ice packed broiler parts, f.o.b dock or equivalent, Southern area, by weeks, 2003 /1 --continued**

(Cents per pound, Volume in thousand pounds)

Week Ending	Breasts								Wings				
	Boneless-Skinless 2/		Tenderloins		Line Run		Front Halves		Whole		Cut		
	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	
<b>2003</b>													
<b>January</b>	<b>3</b>	128.47	3,437	133.02	543	66.84	359	65.50	217	54.56	1,132	67.76	1,697
	<b>10</b>	123.93	4,257	134.71	706	66.11	515	65.75	193	61.83	1,415	74.74	2,005
	<b>17</b>	121.15	4,586	128.98	688	68.68	441	65.66	223	69.18	1,459	83.75	2,294
	<b>24</b>	131.20	3,495	136.10	390	75.88	298	64.82	191	73.46	1,197	86.44	1,938
	<b>31</b>	130.87	4,061	133.65	615	80.55	593	71.90	261	73.91	921	87.02	2,156
<b>February</b>	<b>7</b>	137.77	4,565	134.63	629	85.99	473	74.73	273	72.91	1,050	85.95	2,411
	<b>14</b>	129.50	4,275	132.19	655	86.14	551	75.63	272	71.79	1,036	84.35	2,207
	<b>21</b>	129.87	3,648	127.68	860	86.33	408	73.70	221	70.98	744	84.17	1,825
	<b>28</b>	134.39	4,098	135.51	625	86.58	567	76.21	277	70.42	1,015	83.48	2,077
<b>March</b>	<b>7</b>	140.19	4,064	139.08	507	86.40	595	76.73	266	69.98	1,207	81.18	2,302
	<b>14</b>	138.89	4,435	134.12	713	87.27	475	78.68	234	67.42	685	80.99	2,595
	<b>21</b>	138.31	3,924	134.31	682	86.89	484	78.10	312	67.17	686	81.65	2,244
	<b>28</b>	134.82	4,239	131.70	1,085	84.64	463	74.91	369	67.31	1,025	81.09	2,102
<b>April</b>	<b>4</b>	133.82	4,292	135.20	1,678	83.98	366	70.36	261	65.65	1,230	78.59	2,784
	<b>11</b>	135.60	4,625	141.52	1,139	84.04	385	72.35	217	65.83	1,050	77.65	2,497
	<b>18</b>	139.04	4,020	142.58	1,399	83.93	414	73.52	229	66.44	1,230	79.02	2,093
	<b>25</b>	137.76	4,031	142.19	1,197	83.83	400	73.51	279	66.34	873	79.26	2,211
<b>May</b>	<b>2</b>	138.36	4,640	142.44	1,221	85.03	340	74.86	246	69.11	1,245	80.53	2,422
	<b>9</b>	144.80	3,593	145.15	1,282	87.12	477	75.48	279	70.30	1,235	80.47	2,649
	<b>16</b>	159.47	4,300	156.00	1,163	90.54	560	78.77	314	71.03	1,051	80.57	2,550
	<b>23</b>	168.22	4,493	162.85	1,180	95.38	493	82.50	340	72.25	1,254	83.71	2,534
	<b>30</b>	164.77	3,363	166.18	734	97.39	395	84.73	214	72.74	760	84.66	1,763
<b>June</b>	<b>6</b>	157.51	4,183	160.80	1,244	95.96	556	83.01	294	72.53	1,577	84.42	2,295
	<b>13</b>	153.17	4,381	160.25	1,028	94.89	532	79.00	314	73.29	1,145	83.94	2,367
	<b>20</b>	153.21	4,366	156.49	1,026	93.43	499	80.36	335	73.47	1,483	83.96	2,569
	<b>27</b>	154.16	4,307	159.19	890	93.23	507	80.60	304	71.58	994	82.14	2,409
<b>July</b>	<b>4</b>	159.60	3,252	150.46	824	94.19	462	80.70	250	70.88	969	77.20	1,867
	<b>11</b>	160.09	4,300	150.93	823	96.05	543	80.40	210	68.90	1,502	75.89	2,223
	<b>18</b>	159.70	4,427	153.93	1,053	93.63	425	80.30	320	72.33	1,389	76.09	2,270
	<b>25</b>	161.09	4,323	150.21	1,107	94.56	471	80.90	360	72.23	1,389	75.98	2,247
<b>August</b>	<b>1</b>	173.66	4,358	155.55	1,197	95.52	502	82.23	291	68.68	1,513	75.53	2,042
	<b>8</b>	181.30	4,422	158.56	1,101	97.84	492	83.09	317	72.53	1,243	77.02	2,061
	<b>15</b>	181.98	4,534	157.96	1,140	97.63	509	84.32	330	75.63	1,197	82.70	2,401
	<b>22</b>	177.39	4,447	159.33	1,181	98.92	458	85.22	306	79.67	2,962	83.38	2,324
	<b>29</b>	172.36	4,646	168.28	1,395	95.41	424	84.07	287	77.91	1,230	83.69	1,981
<b>September</b>	<b>5</b>	171.21	3,740	170.70	865	95.42	344	84.43	235	83.02	1,128	85.32	1,857
	<b>12</b>	167.14	4,432	176.02	1,342	95.62	409	84.52	320	86.70	1,388	87.57	2,405
	<b>19</b>	169.77	4,495	172.60	2,004	95.05	455	83.49	385	86.62	1,725	89.13	2,838
	<b>26</b>	166.35	4,342	172.70	1,938	94.47	456	83.80	275	80.09	480	90.90	3,156
<b>October</b>	<b>3</b>	156.55	4,451	175.90	1,077	89.89	547	77.15	330	82.30	845	90.80	2,386
	<b>10</b>	146.72	3,939	169.24	927	86.31	595	73.52	250	81.46	532	93.01	2,700
	<b>17</b>	144.55	3,464	159.08	817	84.25	434	73.09	230	84.76	669	96.47	2,167
	<b>24</b>	149.25	4,340	151.98	1,075	83.97	495	73.15	275	88.27	696	98.10	2,849
	<b>31</b>	138.03	4,745	151.40	988	82.90	503	73.05	305	92.94	900	99.88	2,843
<b>November</b>	<b>7</b>	135.33	4,189	150.94	1,033	82.75	540	73.37	292	88.56	560	100.38	3,170
	<b>14</b>	132.57	3,438	151.50	816	81.30	349	74.78	230	92.44	896	103.79	1,937
	<b>21</b>	136.64	4,410	151.47	1,073	82.54	513	77.07	298	98.23	1,519	110.00	2,216
	<b>28</b>	128.31	2,717	144.91	979	82.35	279	78.62	185	99.41	965	111.96	1,507
<b>December</b>	<b>5</b>	134.66	4,233	151.58	1,030	83.28	511	78.48	316	102.86	1,612	112.30	2,215
	<b>12</b>	135.21	4,110	152.57	835	84.59	393	76.97	233	104.46	1,491	112.70	2,235
	<b>19</b>	135.64	4,105	156.63	984	82.56	450	78.80	305	101.98	1,475	113.54	2,119
	<b>26</b>	135.55	2,376	151.70	544	82.85	214	79.50	170	101.45	831	113.02	1,131
<b>Average 2003</b>		148.03	213,913	152.54	52,027	88.56	23,919	77.67	14,240	77.39	59,805	87.14	118,143
<b>Average 2002</b>		132.18	219,253	134.69	34,215	73.59	24,441	61.48	16,861	62.06	70,489	71.48	103,866

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Southern States f.o.b. Broiler-Fryer Parts

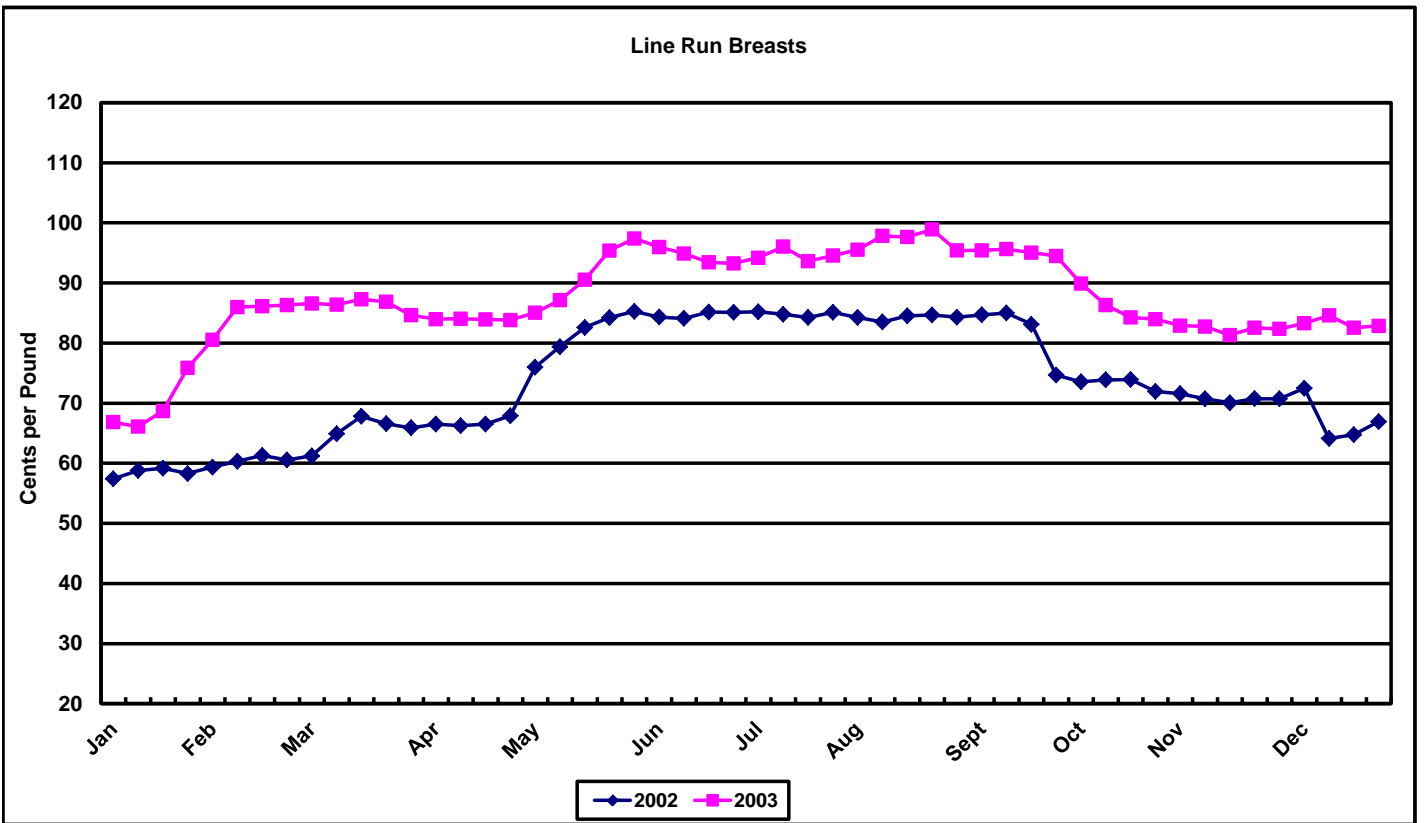
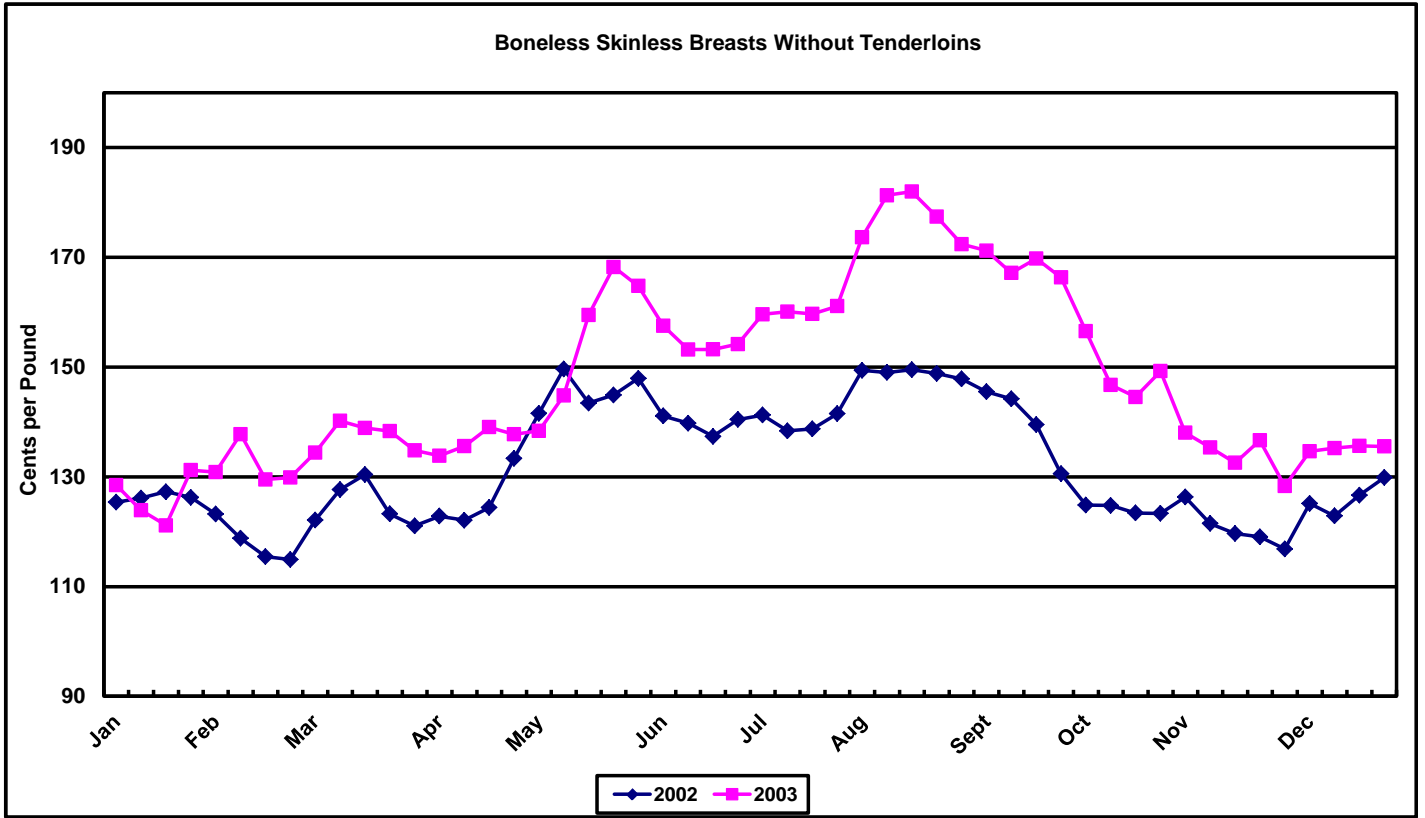


Table 36--PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler-Fryers): Weighted average price and volume for trucklot and less than trucklot sales of ice packed broiler parts, f.o.b dock or equivalent, Southern area, by weeks, 2003 /1

(Cents per pound, Volume in thousand pounds)

Week Ending	Whole Legs		Leg Quarters				Drumsticks		Thighs				
			Bulk		4/10				Whole		Boneless Skinless		
	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	
<b>2003</b>													
January	3	22.99	359	15.23	2,840	18.71	4,828	33.83	276	35.72	116	52.37	127
	10	22.29	502	15.05	3,094	18.78	5,339	33.82	354	34.48	136	53.15	219
	17	21.67	480	15.12	2,736	18.92	7,899	33.71	341	35.04	141	58.56	139
	24	22.90	353	16.50	2,524	19.51	4,212	33.71	272	35.36	112	61.75	80
	31	22.33	522	15.93	3,167	19.93	5,457	33.40	346	33.54	183	56.46	199
February	7	22.69	470	16.94	3,120	20.05	5,330	33.59	341	36.01	141	57.43	140
	14	24.67	517	17.71	3,294	20.85	5,438	34.18	339	33.08	143	55.21	194
	21	27.29	279	17.84	2,614	21.32	4,068	36.12	270	37.88	112	57.36	127
	28	27.29	489	18.74	3,072	21.62	5,923	35.50	340	37.52	145	58.48	174
March	7	29.21	486	18.84	3,188	22.09	5,054	36.23	344	38.54	144	59.26	115
	14	30.06	494	19.22	3,385	22.03	4,753	36.41	345	37.48	145	59.97	155
	21	30.37	463	18.93	3,115	21.97	5,207	36.68	286	38.86	140	64.00	110
	28	30.34	481	19.04	3,523	21.86	4,932	37.35	301	35.13	143	58.48	115
April	4	28.60	572	18.62	3,088	21.31	4,887	36.53	362	29.67	188	55.51	143
	11	27.73	471	17.15	3,169	20.48	5,725	38.52	349	39.61	100	56.23	172
	18	27.56	492	17.31	3,187	20.44	5,545	37.25	346	35.93	127	57.44	192
	25	27.26	487	17.35	3,109	20.11	5,586	40.83	335	41.65	119	58.60	159
May	2	26.59	511	17.37	3,165	19.90	5,905	39.02	293	41.01	123	58.47	231
	9	26.67	497	17.96	2,813	20.33	5,705	38.12	342	39.24	147	60.71	140
	16	26.62	478	20.91	2,970	22.43	5,845	39.26	340	40.60	140	60.29	124
	23	29.26	519	22.00	3,446	24.80	5,620	40.91	340	42.03	140	73.20	100
	30	30.61	361	21.99	2,475	24.98	3,904	43.03	302	42.36	132	73.22	121
June	6	31.25	518	22.02	3,133	25.07	5,380	42.89	342	43.80	142	73.00	180
	13	31.44	517	22.16	3,314	25.47	6,070	44.41	340	46.00	140	72.33	180
	20	31.69	486	22.39	3,570	25.47	5,494	44.13	340	44.39	132	67.35	248
	27	31.16	513	22.38	3,050	25.75	5,695	43.65	272	46.67	96	69.91	309
July	4	32.59	443	23.97	2,499	26.99	4,545	46.57	272	47.04	112	73.48	216
	11	33.85	441	24.50	3,130	28.51	7,644	47.40	341	47.74	141	74.39	401
	18	32.85	521	24.52	3,028	27.67	4,712	46.22	383	47.36	112	75.12	455
	25	32.60	553	24.90	3,138	27.39	5,341	49.30	342	49.82	131	74.79	415
August	1	33.34	615	25.00	5,338	27.84	5,475	50.54	279	50.22	115	79.07	140
	8	33.80	578	25.57	3,357	27.76	6,313	52.47	126	51.84	141	74.90	418
	15	33.77	557	26.96	2,909	28.94	5,786	54.87	78	51.54	219	76.68	247
	22	33.83	517	27.56	5,334	29.34	6,000	54.29	70	51.61	141	73.60	333
	29	33.74	585	26.94	3,125	30.12	6,070	54.29	56	64.35	184	77.61	474
September	5	34.03	445	27.30	2,601	30.20	4,430	54.29	56	51.82	112	79.66	325
	12	34.03	568	28.26	3,190	30.36	5,650	54.03	70	51.92	200	84.11	382
	19	35.24	600	28.31	3,094	30.51	5,255	54.54	70	53.63	284	90.06	640
	26	35.64	585	26.52	3,095	29.80	4,590	3/	3/	56.77	140	89.03	511
October	3	34.99	680	27.24	3,104	29.96	4,864	54.06	91	56.52	116	89.73	440
	10	35.66	538	26.58	2,887	30.00	5,496	50.89	70	53.39	155	89.44	448
	17	35.46	492	26.60	2,474	29.70	4,365	44.41	116	53.46	112	89.03	272
	24	35.74	560	26.65	3,060	29.94	4,815	51.77	102	55.46	140	92.34	320
	31	35.15	569	26.84	3,105	29.50	5,255	55.20	70	52.58	132	94.30	242
November	7	34.01	488	26.11	1,442	29.09	7,252	52.10	360	49.34	190	88.62	349
	14	34.62	323	26.09	1,178	29.44	5,184	54.50	56	50.69	127	94.42	285
	21	36.51	593	26.36	1,362	29.36	6,508	55.14	70	64.69	128	91.61	439
	28	37.31	323	26.35	823	29.67	4,644	55.04	50	51.57	92	89.07	311
December	5	37.54	540	26.36	1,351	29.78	5,862	54.05	82	52.28	302	90.89	422
	12	38.31	443	26.45	1,280	29.86	5,680	54.27	71	51.44	141	94.00	400
	19	36.98	523	26.17	2,600	29.88	5,455	53.97	68	51.28	122	88.37	499
	26	36.67	330	25.56	1,517	29.93	3,100	53.86	42	54.14	84	89.19	315
Average 2003		31.30	25,727	22.25	150,182	25.47	280,092	41.44	11,849	45.91	7,400	77.85	13,892
Average 2002		25.85	22,410	16.40	101,609	20.39	329,808	38.55	17,305	39.57	7,456	69.12	7,367

1/ Southern Region includes: AL, FL, GA, KY, LA, MS, SC, TN, TX.

2/ Boneless skinless breast without tenderloins.

3/ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

Southern States f.o.b. Broiler-Fryer Parts

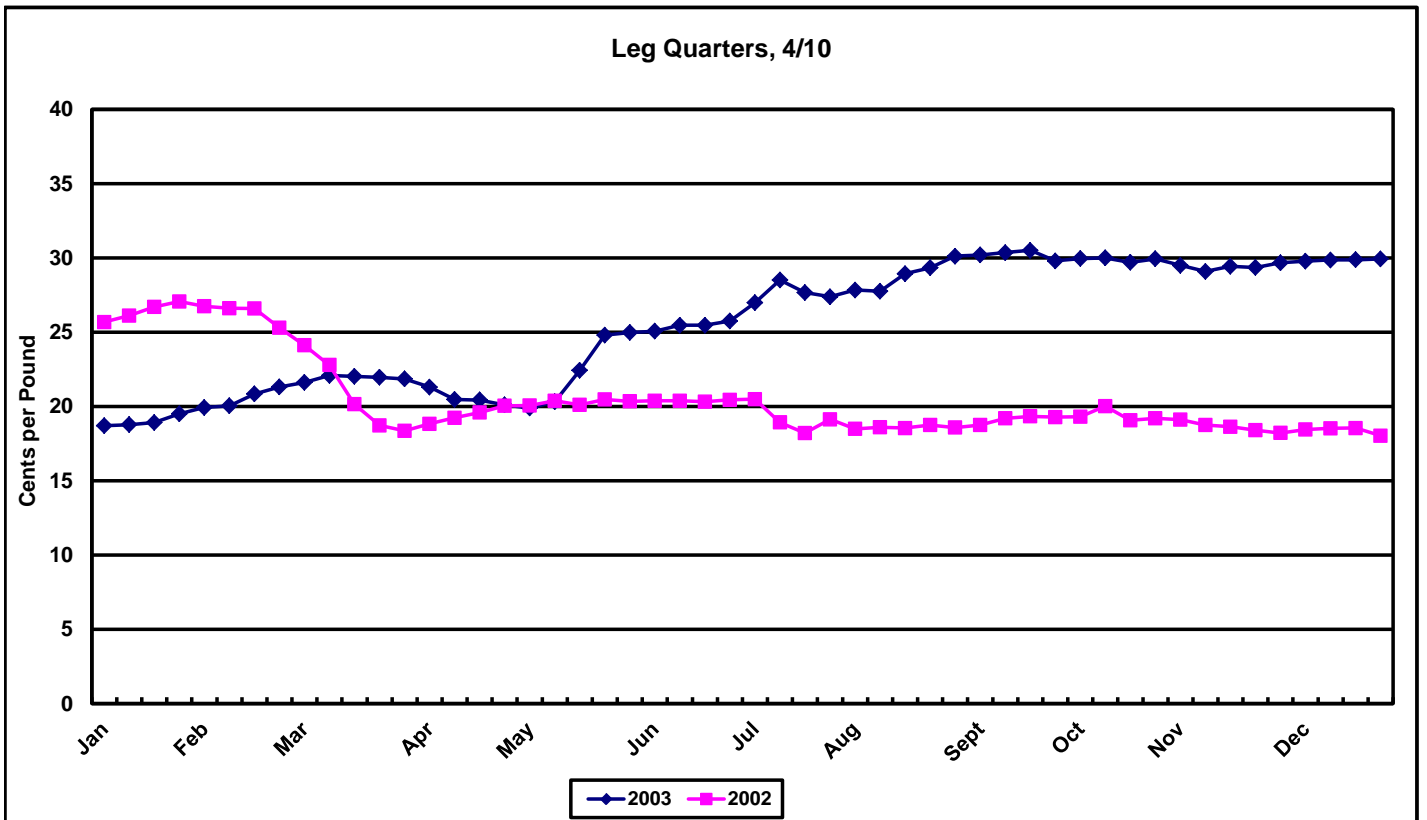
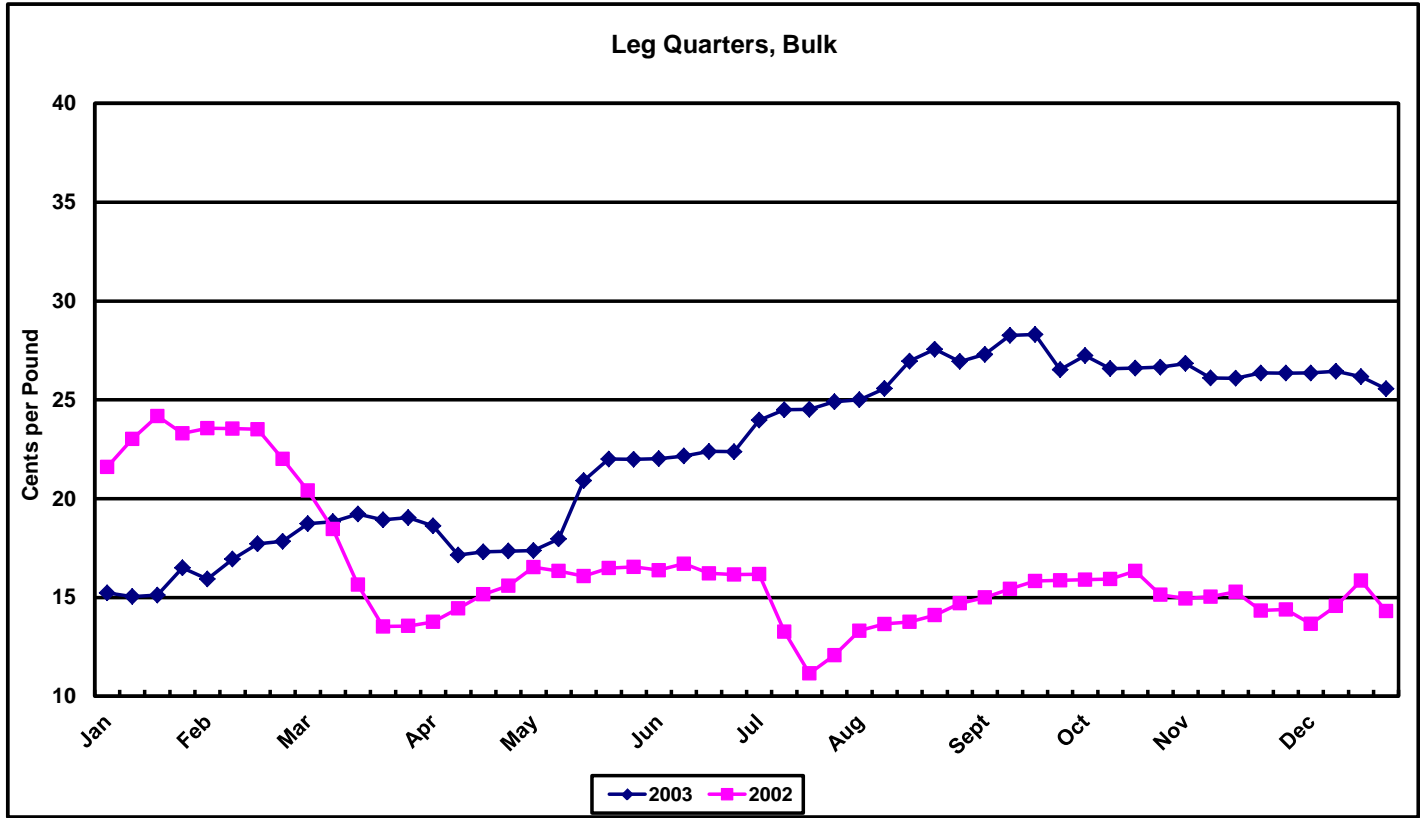




Table 37--PROCESSED POULTRY: Whole Body Index, based on Southern States, Broiler/Fryer Parts, by weeks, 2001-2003 1/

		(Cents per pound)		
Week Ending		2003	2002	2001
<b>2003</b>				
January	3	40.41	40.84	29.80
	10	40.40	42.38	29.96
	17	40.44	42.81	33.89
	24	40.67	41.72	37.76
	31	44.16	41.94	40.27
February	7	45.96	41.84	42.4
	14	46.68	41.98	44.36
	21	46.29	41.63	46.49
	28	47.59	42.17	48.81
March	7	48.13	42.09	48.83
	14	49.00	40.22	48.44
	21	48.55	38.73	50.67
	28	47.23	37.25	51.17
April	4	44.86	36.78	49.95
	11	44.76	35.49	50.12
	18	45.38	35.15	51.28
	25	45.50	36.27	51.03
May	2	46.20	39.21	50.02
	9	47.05	41.03	51.92
	16	50.10	41.58	52.55
	23	52.36	41.90	53.39
	30	53.43	40.60	51.95
June	6	52.47	39.97	48.13
	13	50.62	39.39	43.66
	20	51.33	39.49	44.47
	27	51.54	39.34	48.11
July	4	52.39	39.37	48.94
	11	52.42	38.43	49.96
	18	52.43	35.51	49.72
	25	52.99	37.53	49.58
August	1	53.64	38.45	50.55
	8	54.52	39.44	51.98
	15	55.68	42.42	53.47
	22	56.26	42.69	53.93
	29	55.53	43.20	53.73
September	5	55.88	43.68	54.01
	12	56.37	43.70	54.17
	19	56.02	40.73	53.93
	26	55.15	36.18	51.15
October	3	52.25	32.80	48.96
	10	49.96	33.00	47.12
	17	49.90	34.47	46.06
	24	49.92	33.34	44.44
	31	49.96	34.53	43.91
November	7	49.75	35.35	43.51
	14	50.42	35.18	41.80
	21	51.73	34.62	41.44
	28	52.57	34.21	39.84
December	5	52.48	33.94	40.57
	12	51.84	36.76	39.60
	19	52.52	39.49	40.41
	26	52.61	39.92	40.70

1/ The Whole body index is intended solely as an indicator of values for commodity-type product and does not represent industry's willingness to sell or ability to buy.

Southern States Whole Body Index  
2002-2003

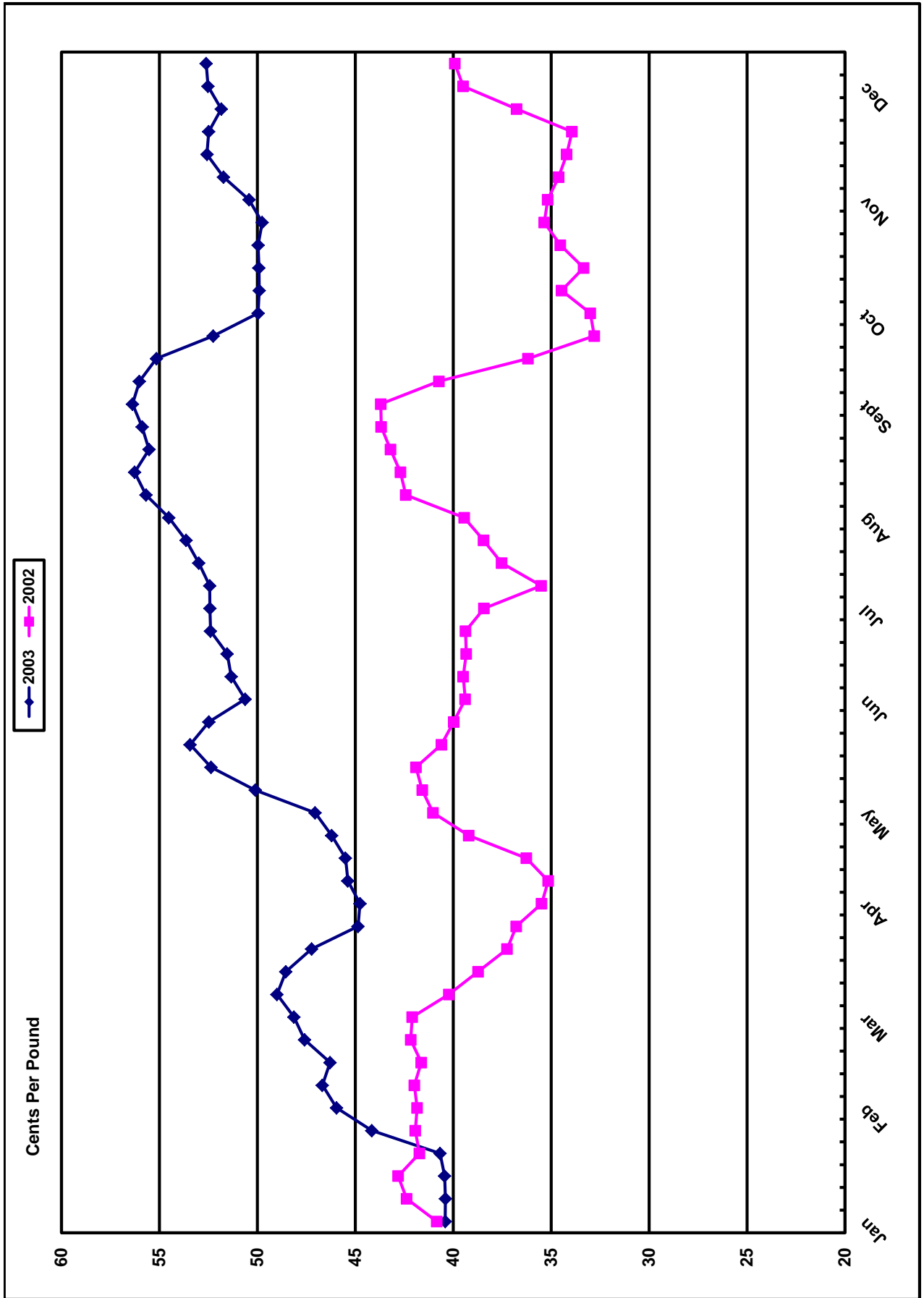


Table 38 -- PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler-Fryer Parts): Weighted average price for trucklot and less than trucklot sales of ice-packed broiler parts, delivered to first receivers, in the Northeast, by weeks, 2003 1/ --continued

(Cents per pound, Volume in thousand pounds)

Week Ending	Breasts								Legs		Leg Quarters		Drumsticks		
	Boneless-Skinless 2/		With Ribs		Tenderloins		Line Run		Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	
	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume							
<b>2003</b>															
January	3	127.72	2,077	70.86	635	111.39	524	64.30	604	29.71	1,333	18.02	2,195	27.30	506
	10	129.07	2,453	71.00	872	111.16	520	67.23	816	30.91	1,274	18.09	2,358	26.84	643
	17	126.96	2,181	75.23	849	110.20	621	72.86	598	30.42	1,246	18.24	2,390	26.53	647
	24	129.54	1,768	81.76	657	113.87	400	80.12	561	31.04	898	19.42	1,860	27.41	440
	31	142.39	2,209	89.18	812	116.71	515	86.68	659	30.95	1,192	20.52	1,983	27.67	585
February	7	145.59	2,308	89.02	837	115.39	514	86.12	574	29.01	1,026	21.51	2,282	27.35	666
	14	138.41	2,194	90.84	882	114.47	479	86.44	628	31.00	1,150	20.89	2,265	28.08	617
	21	137.68	1,478	89.67	635	110.48	440	86.52	427	30.85	1,092	21.03	1,945	29.58	424
	28	137.50	2,482	86.67	1,190	116.45	637	79.65	705	30.95	1,757	20.93	2,251	28.65	639
March	7	147.61	2,181	86.51	839	114.28	492	81.79	552	32.41	1,461	21.12	2,216	28.40	592
	14	149.32	2,282	87.13	838	113.33	718	81.56	492	33.16	1,673	21.14	2,243	26.79	691
	21	148.88	1,783	87.68	651	114.31	408	82.05	482	32.90	1,116	20.80	1,423	27.15	414
	28	146.99	2,261	84.63	1,037	118.21	548	81.07	441	33.72	1,285	20.73	2,277	27.44	617
April	4	147.88	2,114	84.45	825	127.64	638	79.49	531	33.23	1,327	21.00	2,262	28.31	616
	11	147.90	2,214	85.21	856	126.44	633	80.70	526	32.46	1,334	21.21	2,030	28.57	598
	18	148.37	2,241	83.02	927	134.93	465	80.09	474	31.36	1,466	21.17	1,858	29.70	537
	25	148.61	2,127	83.04	972	135.57	556	78.89	576	31.25	1,324	20.91	2,109	28.32	532
May	2	148.60	2,398	84.20	935	133.43	704	79.77	510	30.35	1,321	20.82	2,469	29.64	670
	9	154.48	2,348	88.73	900	137.70	695	87.06	521	31.15	1,313	21.90	2,528	30.29	723
	16	162.48	2,040	94.96	879	146.43	470	92.13	537	35.34	849	24.63	2,275	31.68	546
	23	168.54	2,700	98.85	1,086	158.43	620	96.53	541	34.28	1,271	25.03	2,660	31.71	744
	30	171.18	1,775	100.91	797	158.71	507	97.38	428	34.77	1,013	25.27	1,955	32.46	613
June	6	168.15	2,602	98.68	1,066	159.22	567	90.46	517	34.90	1,390	25.55	2,306	32.63	706
	13	162.72	2,581	92.62	1,077	155.23	562	84.25	561	35.03	1,354	24.89	2,433	34.73	606
	20	162.11	2,839	87.39	1,047	148.29	639	80.03	707	35.14	1,205	24.92	2,434	34.30	688
	27	162.74	2,309	86.25	926	146.77	535	82.06	454	35.16	1,072	25.07	1,820	34.27	583
July	4	164.80	2,521	89.25	865	140.53	546	86.48	452	34.72	1,316	25.76	1,752	35.55	679
	11	167.40	2,118	91.01	1,283	136.74	548	86.04	574	37.42	1,323	27.04	2,709	36.89	701
	18	167.61	2,508	89.48	1,133	138.60	596	86.12	551	37.43	1,250	26.96	2,196	39.26	529
	25	167.02	2,770	88.34	1,153	135.46	741	83.82	435	36.63	1,383	26.68	2,215	37.60	781
August	1	170.63	3,143	89.16	1,199	141.08	768	83.85	581	36.28	1,519	27.11	2,067	38.07	675
	8	180.18	2,849	90.83	1,119	143.15	592	86.64	620	36.46	1,422	27.45	2,135	38.32	660
	15	182.18	2,703	92.54	1,109	142.25	657	88.18	611	36.47	1,438	28.75	2,095	37.57	668
	22	182.20	2,544	92.03	1,173	145.22	648	87.32	748	36.58	1,460	28.66	1,939	37.71	648
	29	179.75	2,285	90.74	1,268	151.49	499	86.26	507	37.68	1,239	28.91	2,122	40.08	525
September	5	175.58	1,970	91.11	1,038	153.84	483	87.55	503	37.31	1,219	28.64	1,896	38.80	583
	12	173.99	3,135	91.94	1,339	160.40	687	88.98	501	37.45	1,928	28.66	2,375	38.70	752
	19	176.33	1,916	93.52	1,007	165.12	443	89.70	571	38.27	1,271	28.31	1,622	39.06	461
	26	175.13	2,050	92.23	1,356	166.09	607	87.22	610	38.35	1,299	28.57	1,766	38.08	612
October	3	172.57	2,421	87.82	1,031	164.44	492	82.24	722	38.32	1,130	28.47	1,695	38.98	739
	10	163.72	2,641	84.90	1,231	159.29	573	80.07	613	38.34	1,265	28.71	2,552	38.72	699
	17	158.93	2,121	82.72	1,055	148.10	633	78.08	636	38.88	1,165	29.00	1,909	39.48	613
	24	153.86	2,845	84.04	1,008	143.93	745	78.45	538	38.33	1,227	29.73	2,070	38.54	628
	31	152.69	3,396	81.79	1,080	142.03	757	78.11	552	38.48	1,289	29.76	1,726	39.18	562
November	7	148.10	2,801	81.35	1,033	143.22	524	75.33	636	37.67	1,281	29.63	2,214	39.24	674
	14	147.57	2,767	80.61	901	140.10	528	76.26	524	37.76	1,167	29.68	2,122	39.94	588
	21	144.40	3,169	80.36	820	142.39	679	74.91	561	37.62	1,592	29.59	2,220	39.40	553
	28	144.04	2,560	80.26	850	142.25	541	74.50	430	36.39	1,363	29.43	1,571	38.31	509
December	5	145.16	3,129	82.02	760	144.86	628	76.16	491	37.88	1,312	29.72	1,575	38.73	594
	12	145.60	3,162	83.13	766	142.93	652	77.24	543	37.09	1,829	29.54	1,844	38.96	777
	19	147.55	2,950	84.28	880	143.55	743	75.67	648	37.48	1,927	29.72	2,021	38.74	628
	26	147.15	1,898	79.51	654	144.48	399	72.95	395	37.86	1,333	29.75	1,644	39.73	489
Average 2003		156.17	127,020	87.26	50,138	138.30	30,116	83.19	28,975	35	68,689	25.02	108,879	34.14	31,970
Average 2002		133.64	101,984	72.55	46,924	112.96	28,182	68.69	35,230	35.24	37,735	20.26	112,187	32.62	30,730

See footnote at the end of the table.

**Table 38 -- PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler-Fryer Parts): Weighted average price for trucklot and less than trucklot sales of ice packed broiler parts, delivered to first receivers, in the Northeast, by weeks, 2003 /1**

(Cents per pound, Volume in thousand pounds)

Week Ending	Thighs		B/S Thighs		Wings		Back and Necks Stripped		Livers		Gizzards and Hearts	
	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume
<b>2003</b>												
<b>January</b>												
3	30.80	226	64.29	305	58.18	699	12.09	152	32.12	61	64.08	97
10	31.91	324	60.95	280	64.37	984	12.09	203	33.47	80	63.80	123
17	31.06	343	63.79	285	74.00	942	12.16	177	29.29	68	58.64	104
24	32.08	230	63.63	208	80.02	645	12.07	142	31.65	50	51.73	90
31	30.91	287	61.36	372	77.89	728	12.11	195	30.15	80	50.27	106
<b>February</b>												
7	31.23	276	63.62	379	72.21	860	12.16	165	30.66	64	48.46	108
14	31.17	307	66.22	320	71.75	906	12.11	189	29.90	85	47.91	116
21	32.33	231	64.38	275	74.53	570	12.22	164	30.55	58	49.21	89
28	32.83	321	65.01	373	71.73	1,007	12.13	186	27.43	81	48.67	119
<b>March</b>												
7	32.30	287	67.29	351	71.24	946	12.14	177	27.42	90	48.86	118
14	33.24	248	68.62	357	70.88	990	12.11	195	24.21	114	48.62	124
21	33.27	176	67.43	285	70.74	691	12.14	143	27.76	46	48.88	60
28	32.77	252	67.96	350	68.95	931	12.09	154	28.07	76	45.05	109
<b>April</b>												
4	32.54	282	68.64	366	61.81	970	12.16	188	27.69	68	39.98	120
11	31.64	275	66.42	412	61.73	759	12.09	169	28.17	82	42.05	112
18	32.49	292	66.54	359	63.91	902	12.13	166	29.53	84	43.38	112
25	32.21	214	66.02	502	65.63	888	12.30	170	28.41	70	43.22	94
<b>May</b>												
2	33.69	298	65.14	442	65.90	976	12.10	165	27.76	81	44.17	136
9	34.15	308	66.58	420	67.47	993	12.11	163	25.68	75	42.67	127
16	35.52	330	65.34	374	70.55	812	12.19	168	22.96	76	40.19	110
23	35.12	358	68.96	458	72.71	1,014	12.19	188	25.49	70	40.80	126
30	35.15	376	70.59	337	73.80	734	12.06	158	24.62	60	40.64	109
<b>June</b>												
6	33.30	428	71.19	442	73.08	1,056	12.11	168	26.24	57	40.19	123
13	35.22	376	71.33	336	71.54	979	12.10	154	26.13	54	39.69	127
20	35.15	330	70.41	411	74.29	877	12.16	156	26.50	59	40.19	127
27	35.53	299	69.29	453	76.45	747	12.22	159	26.68	42	39.67	95
<b>July</b>												
4	35.77	377	72.58	392	70.31	809	12.16	107	24.79	53	36.71	90
11	37.15	448	72.65	350	68.03	846	12.17	199	27.69	54	39.38	134
18	36.28	442	74.02	352	67.36	1,007	12.31	205	26.96	54	40.12	133
25	37.72	304	73.09	462	68.75	928	12.16	168	21.00	145	40.58	102
<b>August</b>												
1	37.13	335	72.59	416	67.46	1,065	12.15	175	21.60	148	41.59	119
8	34.83	340	72.26	430	68.66	1,202	12.08	170	26.11	51	40.52	123
15	38.05	316	73.22	459	73.17	1,118	12.13	153	29.11	55	44.06	114
22	36.11	346	73.13	439	74.76	1,042	12.08	161	26.77	81	42.90	112
29	38.59	334	74.41	305	72.90	878	12.07	166	29.64	67	41.62	108
<b>September</b>												
5	37.34	326	75.89	338	78.10	645	12.01	148	29.17	60	41.52	120
12	37.20	432	77.70	419	79.59	904	12.09	180	31.04	71	44.33	130
19	39.60	255	82.18	284	82.40	525	12.09	149	31.10	60	44.74	91
26	38.58	333	86.13	377	84.01	761	12.17	179	30.35	84	50.28	113
<b>October</b>												
3	38.96	297	85.95	377	83.32	726	12.08	157	32.39	90	58.52	116
10	38.61	347	86.72	394	84.87	743	12.15	185	34.65	68	59.72	136
17	37.97	370	86.62	282	86.91	726	12.09	185	33.92	72	63.36	138
24	39.02	325	86.68	422	86.98	681	12.04	194	33.01	61	61.68	121
31	38.09	383	88.38	448	88.14	745	12.00	174	30.97	81	60.26	139
<b>November</b>												
7	38.73	379	89.27	372	88.10	611	12.05	175	31.18	91	63.08	123
14	39.60	403	87.06	213	93.11	517	11.96	187	35.09	75	63.94	129
21	40.39	264	88.45	435	97.40	674	11.95	168	31.74	98	64.65	96
28	39.70	255	88.02	257	97.75	558	11.99	171	34.70	83	64.19	96
<b>December</b>												
5	40.59	274	89.05	308	99.82	657	11.99	186	34.02	62	65.07	107
12	39.47	479	88.05	372	99.36	712	11.88	208	34.11	88	68.09	108
19	40.78	333	87.83	429	99.13	720	11.97	194	34.99	89	68.61	119
26	41.15	279	87.10	252	101.49	467	12.05	142	37.00	70	69.06	89
<b>Average 2003</b>	35.69	16,650	73.64	19,036	74.54	42,873	12.08	8,900	28.89	3,842	49.49	5,887
<b>Average 2002</b>	30.71	19,966	71.94	18,370	64.18	61,728	12.19	8,476	24.29	3,362	49.08	6,010

1/ Northeast includes: CT, MA, NY City metropolitan area, Northern NJ, RI, and PA northeast of Harrisburg.

2/ Boneless/skinless breast includes with and without tenderloins.

**Table 39 -- PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler/Fryers- Mechanically Separated): Average prices paid for chicken and chicken (with skin added) in the Eastern Region 1/, in trucklot and less than trucklot volume (in thousands), by months, 2003 2/**

(Cents per pound)

Month and Year	Fresh							
	Chicken		Chicken (with skin added)					
	15% or less 4/		15% or less 4/		15 - 20% 4/		20% or More 4/	
	f.o.b.	Volume	f.o.b	Volume	f.o.b.	Volume	f.o.b	Volume
<b>2003</b>								
Jan	3/	3/	13.66	1,015	11.75	4,495	11.10	840
Feb	3/	3/	13.81	804	12.54	3,699	11.46	520
Mar	3/	3/	15.58	687	12.92	4,672	12.31	320
Apr	3/	3/	16.10	598	12.69	5,685	11.70	400
May	3/	3/	15.96	338	12.51	7,542	11.54	442
Jun	3/	3/	16.11	518	12.18	5,039	11.20	202
Jul	3/	3/	17.24	218	12.54	4,920	11.00	360
Aug	3/	3/	16.25	160	12.81	6,681	11.00	206
Sep	3/	3/	16.79	954	12.68	6,057	11.00	165
Oct	3/	3/	17.64	882	12.12	5,829	11.10	205
Nov	3/	3/	17.57	302	11.98	4,558	11.00	164
Dec	3/	3/	16.44	164	12.29	3,624	11.00	122
Average 2003	3/	3/	15.81	6,640	12.44	62,801	11.34	3,946
Average 2002	16.43	376	13.83	18,551	12.03	54,436	11.00	160

Month and Year	Frozen							
	Chicken		Chicken (with skin added)					
	15% or less 4/		15% or less 4/		15 - 20% 4/		20% or More 4/	
	f.o.b.	Volume	f.o.b	Volume	f.o.b.	Volume	f.o.b	Volume
<b>2003</b>								
Jan	3/	3/	14.69	3,567	12.92	2,021	3/	3/
Feb	3/	3/	15.15	3,188	13.17	1,036	3/	3/
Mar	3/	3/	16.01	3,164	13.84	1,767	3/	3/
Apr	3/	3/	16.92	2,824	14.07	980	3/	3/
May	3/	3/	17.11	2,764	15.25	1,916	3/	3/
Jun	3/	3/	17.11	1,828	15.54	1,628	3/	3/
Jul	3/	3/	16.92	1,594	16.09	1,836	3/	3/
Aug	3/	3/	17.72	4,064	16.49	2,016	3/	3/
Sep	3/	3/	19.03	3,764	21.61	3,840	3/	3/
Oct	3/	3/	18.55	4,831	25.46	6,556	3/	3/
Nov	3/	3/	18.40	2,650	26.16	3,064	3/	3/
Dec	3/	3/	15.72	1,410	18.88	1,664	3/	3/
Average 2003	3/	3/	17.08	35,648	19.66	28,324	3/	3/
Average 2002	16.06	1,641	15.30	31,726	13.42	19,811	14.50	8

1/ Eastern region includes: CT, DE, FL, GA, MA, MD, ME, NC, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, SC, VA, VT, WV.

2/ Weighted average based on volume and price reported.

3/ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

4/ Fat content.

**Table 40 -- PROCESSED POULTRY (Broiler/Fryers- Mechanically Separated): Average prices paid for chicken and chicken (with skin added) in the Central Region 1/, in trucklot and less than trucklot volume (in thousands), by months, 2003 2/**

(Cents per pound)

Month and Year	Fresh							
	Chicken		Chicken (with skin added)					
	15% or less 4/		15% or less 4/		15 - 20% 4/		20% or More 4/	
	f.o.b.	Volume	f.o.b	Volume	f.o.b.	Volume	f.o.b	Volume
<b>2003</b>								
Jan	3/	3/	13.51	517	10.93	3,848	11.2	152
Feb	3/	3/	13.75	448	11.71	4,066	10.67	92
Mar	3/	3/	14.89	309	13.59	4,200	11.39	52
Apr	3/	3/	15.94	632	12.33	4,310	11.11	111
May	3/	3/	15.67	630	12.38	6,955	12.24	158
Jun	3/	3/	16.12	253	12.00	7,080	11.00	20
Jul	3/	3/	15.00	400	11.77	6,640	10.70	50
Aug	3/	3/	15.96	428	13.25	7,458	11.00	82
Sep	18.00	41	14.78	101	13.93	4,947	3/	3/
Oct	3/	3/	16.96	551	14.00	4,569	11.00	20
Nov	3/	3/	16.17	245	13.75	4,686	11.00	50
Dec	3/	3/	14.65	469	11.77	4,525	3/	3/
<b>Average 2003</b>	18.00	41	15.31	4,983	12.62	63,284	11.27	787
<b>Average 2002</b>	3/	3/	13.01	4,709	10.96	59,903	10.03	462

Month and Year	Frozen							
	Chicken		Chicken (with skin added)					
	15% or less 4/		15% or less 4/		15 - 20% 4/		20% or More 4/	
	f.o.b.	Volume	f.o.b	Volume	f.o.b.	Volume	f.o.b	Volume
<b>2003</b>								
Jan	3/	3/	14.29	143	11.40	4,497	3/	3/
Feb	3/	3/	14.33	122	11.95	3,473	3/	3/
Mar	3/	3/	14.83	60	13.85	2,854	3/	3/
Apr	3/	3/	15.50	81	13.77	2,054	3/	3/
May	3/	3/	14.50	120	14.53	1,178	3/	3/
Jun	3/	3/	15.80	400	14.33	1,060	3/	3/
Jul	3/	3/	16.50	80	15.97	3,832	3/	3/
Aug	3/	3/	16.88	160	15.66	4,779	3/	3/
Sep	3/	3/	17.48	273	19.46	4,441	20.00	40
Oct	3/	3/	17.86	221	19.77	5,050	3/	3/
Nov	3/	3/	22.00	81	19.23	2,752	3/	3/
Dec	3/	3/	20.04	82	14.88	1,626	3/	3/
<b>Average 2003</b>	3/	3/	16.55	1,823	15.75	37,596	20.00	40
<b>Average 2002</b>	3/	3/	14.45	2,892	12.25	23,858	3/	3/

1/ Central Region includes: AL, AR, IA, IL, IN, KS, KY, LA, MI, MN, MO, MS, ND, NE, OK, OH, SD, TN, TX, WI.

2/ Weighted average based on volume and price reported.

3/ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

4/ Fat content.

Table 41 -- PROCESSED POULTRY (Roasters and Hens): Average prices paid for roasters and hens delivered to first receivers in specified areas, by months, 2003

Month and Year	(Cents per pound) 1/ U.S. Grade A and Plant Grade Ready-to-Cook, 5 Pounds and Over			
	Central Region 2/		Eastern Region 3/	
	Hens		Roasters	
	Ice-Packed 4/	Vacuum Packed 5/	Ice-Packed 4/	Vacuum Packed 5/
<b>2003</b>				
Jan	61.00	70.50	59.38	73.50
Feb	61.75	70.13	63.00	73.88
Mar	61.00	69.50	63.13	74.13
Apr	61.00	69.50	61.63	73.25
May	61.00	70.25	61.45	73.65
Jun	61.00	70.50	62.00	72.38
July	62.00	70.50	61.38	71.38
Aug	60.63	65.75	63.50	71.50
Sept	61.20	69.00	68.63	71.56
Oct	62.00	70.13	68.60	71.90
Nov	61.63	70.63	71.44	72.31
Dec	61.50	71.00	72.88	71.50
Average 2003	61.31	69.78	64.75	72.58
Average 2002	59.24	65.33	58.11	73.38

1/ Minimum sales: 10 boxes.

2/ Central Region includes: AL, AR, IA, IL, IN, KS, KY, LA, MI, MN, MO, MS, ND, NE, OH, OK, SD, TN, TX, WI.

3/ Eastern Region includes: CT, DE, FL, GA, MA, MD, ME, NC, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, SC, VA, WV, VT.

4/ 12 head per box.

5/ 6-9 head per box.

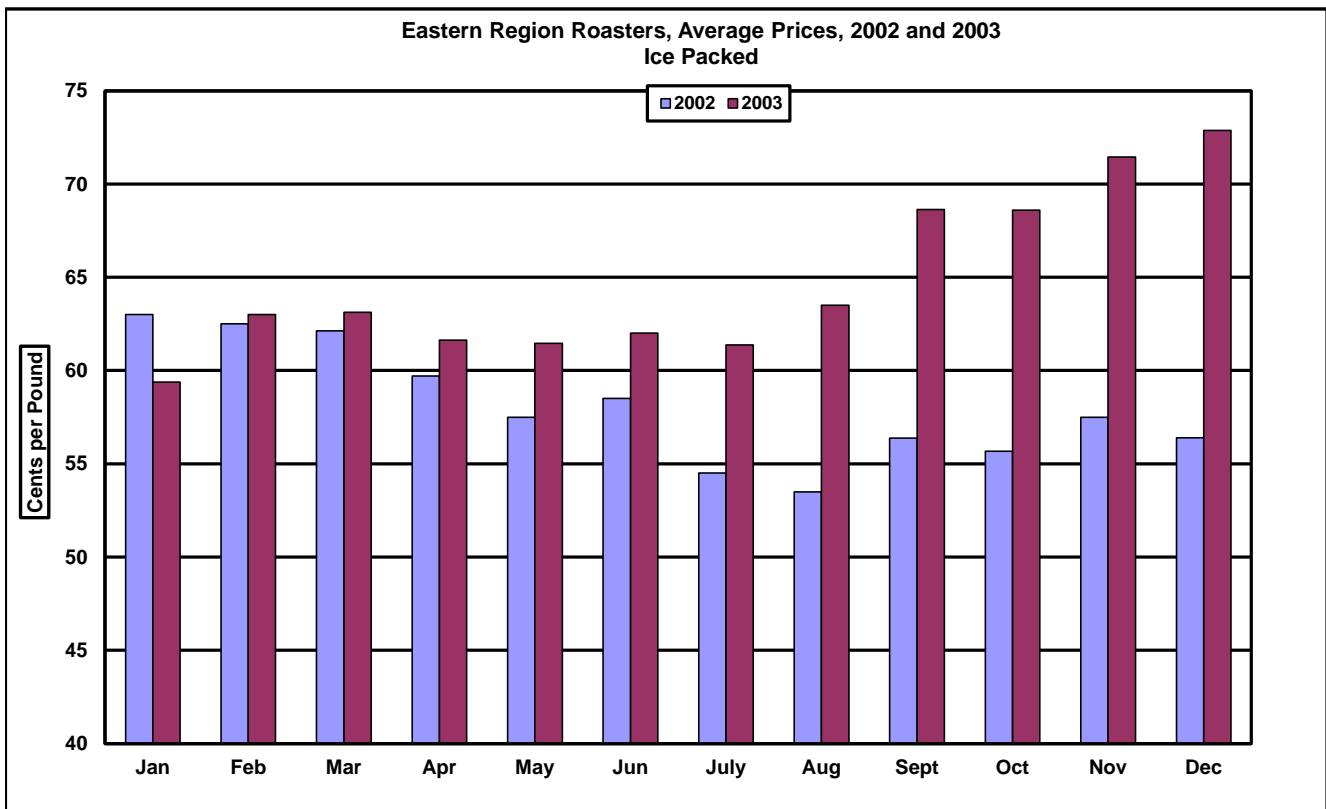


Table 42 -- PROCESSED POULTRY (Roasters and Hens): Average prices paid for roasters and hens delivered to first receivers at specified cities, by months, 2003

(Cents per pound)				
U.S. Grade A and Plant Grade Ready-to-Cook				
Month and Year	Los Angeles 1/		San Francisco 2/ 3/	
	Roasters	Hens	Roasters	Hens
	4 Pounds and Over	5 Pounds and Over	4 Pounds and Over	5 Pounds and Over
<b>2003</b>				
January	87.50	66.81	104.21	94.79
February	87.50	65.75	104.50	94.50
March	87.50	65.50	104.50	94.50
April	87.50	64.31	104.50	94.50
May	87.50	63.00	104.50	94.50
June	87.50	63.00	104.50	94.50
July	87.50	63.00	104.50	94.50
August	87.50	63.00	104.50	94.50
September	87.50	61.85	106.52	91.67
October	87.50	61.50	105.00	91.00
November	87.50	61.50	105.00	91.00
December	88.00	61.50	105.00	91.00
Average 2003	87.54	63.39	104.77	93.41
Average 2002	87.08	74.84	106.60	97.40

1/ Includes Los Angeles, Ventura, Orange, San Bernardino, and Riverside counties.

2/ Delivered to restaurants and institutions.

3/ Ice-packed only.

4/ Insufficient data

Table 43 -- PROCESSED POULTRY (Canner pack hens): Prices paid, with and without freight, current negotiations for trucklot sales of ice-packed canner pack, by months, 2003

(Cents per pound)				
Month and Year	Light Type 1/		Heavy Type 2/	
	Delivered First Receiver	f.o.b. Primary Processor Dock	Delivered First Receiver	f.o.b. Primary Processor Dock
<b>2003</b>				
January	24.55	22.75	34.35	32.50
February	24.56	22.63	33.75	32.00
March	24.19	22.50	33.94	32.31
April	24.38	22.75	34.19	32.13
May	24.40	22.95	33.90	31.90
June	24.56	22.75	34.31	32.31
July	24.06	22.38	34.63	32.75
August	23.90	22.60	34.20	32.15
September	24.25	22.75	34.56	32.13
October	24.50	22.80	34.75	32.40
November	24.82	23.25	34.86	32.94
December	24.88	23.06	34.75	32.63
Average 2003	24.42	22.76	34.35	32.35
Average 2002	25.29	23.46	34.91	33.55

1/ Line run, without necks.

2/ Without necks.



**Table 44 -- LIVE POULTRY (Canner Pack Hens): Prices paid, Light canners, Current  
Negotiations for trucklot sales of ice-packed, by weeks, 2003 1/ --continued**

		(Cents Per Pound)					
Date		With Freight			Without Freight		
		Range	Majority		Range	Majority	
<b>2003</b>							
January	3	22.00 - 29.50	24.00 - 24.50	20.00 - 27.50	22.00 - 23.00		
	10	22.00 - 26.50	24.00 - 24.50	20.00 - 25.00	22.00 - 23.00		
	17	22.00 - 26.50	24.00 - 24.50	20.00 - 25.00	22.00 - 22.50		
	24	22.00 - 26.50	24.00 - 24.50	20.00 - 25.00	22.00 - 22.50		
	31	22.00 - 26.50	24.00 - 24.50	20.00 - 25.00	22.00 - 23.00		
February	7	22.00 - 26.50	24.00 - 24.50	20.00 - 25.00	22.00 - 22.50		
	14	22.00 - 26.50	24.25 - 24.50	20.00 - 25.00	22.00 - 22.50		
	21	22.50 - 28.00	24.25 - 24.25	20.00 - 26.00	22.00 - 22.50		
	28	22.50 - 26.50	24.50 - 24.75	20.00 - 25.00	22.00 - 22.75		
March	7	22.50 - 26.50	24.50 - 25.00	20.00 - 25.00	22.00 - 23.00		
	14	22.00 - 26.50	24.50 - 25.00	20.00 - 25.00	22.00 - 23.00		
	21	22.00 - 26.50	24.50 - 25.00	20.00 - 25.00	22.50 - 23.00		
	28	21.00 - 26.50	24.75 - 25.00	20.00 - 25.00	22.50 - 23.00		
April	4	22.00 - 26.50	24.75 - 25.00	20.00 - 25.00	22.50 - 23.00		
	11	22.00 - 26.50	24.75 - 25.00	20.00 - 25.00	22.50 - 23.00		
	18	22.50 - 26.50	24.75 - 25.00	21.00 - 25.00	22.50 - 23.00		
	25	22.50 - 26.50	25.00 - 25.00	21.00 - 25.00	22.50 - 23.00		
May	2	22.50 - 26.50	25.00 - 25.00	21.00 - 25.00	22.50 - 23.00		
	9	22.00 - 26.50	25.00 - 25.25	20.50 - 25.00	23.00 - 23.50		
	16	22.00 - 26.50	25.00 - 25.25	21.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 23.50		
	23	22.00 - 26.50	25.00 - 25.50	21.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 23.50		
	30	23.00 - 26.50	25.00 - 25.50	21.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 23.50		
June	6	22.00 - 26.50	25.00 - 25.50	20.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 23.75		
	13	22.00 - 29.00	25.00 - 26.00	20.00 - 27.50	23.00 - 24.00		
	20	22.00 - 26.50	25.00 - 26.00	20.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 24.00		
	27	22.00 - 26.50	25.00 - 26.00	20.00 - 24.50	23.00 - 24.00		
July	4	22.00 - 26.50	25.00 - 26.00	20.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 24.00		
	11	22.00 - 26.00	25.50 - 26.00	20.00 - 24.00	23.00 - 24.00		
	18	22.00 - 26.00	25.50 - 26.00	20.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 24.00		
	25	22.00 - 26.00	25.50 - 26.00	20.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 24.00		
August	1	23.00 - 26.00	25.75 - 25.75	21.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 24.00		
	8	22.00 - 26.00	25.50 - 26.00	20.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 24.00		
	15	21.00 - 26.00	25.50 - 26.00	20.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 24.00		
	22	21.00 - 26.00	25.50 - 26.00	20.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 24.00		
	29	22.00 - 26.00	25.50 - 26.00	20.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 24.00		
September	5	22.00 - 26.00	25.50 - 26.00	21.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 24.00		
	12	22.00 - 26.00	25.50 - 26.00	20.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 24.00		
	19	22.00 - 27.00	25.50 - 26.00	20.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 24.00		
	26	22.00 - 27.00	25.50 - 26.00	21.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 24.00		
October	3	22.00 - 27.00	25.50 - 26.00	20.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 23.75		
	10	22.00 - 27.00	25.50 - 26.00	21.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 23.75		
	17	22.00 - 27.00	25.50 - 26.00	20.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 23.75		
	24	22.00 - 27.00	25.50 - 26.00	20.00 - 26.00	23.00 - 23.75		
	31	22.00 - 27.00	25.50 - 26.00	20.00 - 26.00	23.00 - 23.75		
November	7	22.00 - 27.00	25.50 - 26.00	21.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 24.00		
	14	22.00 - 27.00	25.50 - 26.00	20.00 - 25.50	23.00 - 24.00		
	21	22.00 - 27.00	25.50 - 26.00	21.00 - 25.00	23.25 - 24.00		
	28	22.00 - 27.00	26.00 - 26.00	21.00 - 25.00	23.00 - 24.00		
December	5	22.00 - 27.00	26.00 - 26.00	20.00 - 25.00	23.50 - 24.50		
	12	23.00 - 27.00	26.00 - 26.00	21.00 - 25.50	23.50 - 24.50		
	19	23.00 - 27.00	26.00 - 26.00	21.00 - 25.50	23.50 - 24.50		
	26	23.00 - 27.00	26.00 - 26.00	21.00 - 25.50	23.50 - 24.50		

See footnotes at the end of the table.

**Table 44 -- LIVE POULTRY (Canner Pack Hens): Prices paid, Heavy Canners, Current  
Negotiations for trucklot sales of ice-packed, by weeks, 2003 1/**

(Cents Per Pound)									
Date	Without Freight				With Freight				
	Range		Majority		Range		Majority		
<b>2003</b>									
<b>January</b>	<b>3</b>	31.00	35.00	31.00	33.00	33.00	37.00	33.00	34.00
	<b>10</b>	30.00	35.00	31.00	33.00	32.00	37.00	32.50	34.50
	<b>17</b>	29.00	35.00	31.00	33.00	31.00	37.00	32.50	34.50
	<b>24</b>	30.00	35.00	31.00	33.00	31.00	37.00	32.50	34.50
	<b>31</b>	30.00	35.00	31.00	33.00	31.50	37.00	32.50	34.50
<b>February</b>	<b>7</b>	30.00	31.00	2/	2/	31.50	33.00	2/	2/
	<b>14</b>	30.00	35.00	31.00	32.00	31.50	37.00	33.00	34.00
	<b>21</b>	30.00	35.00	31.00	32.00	31.50	37.00	33.00	34.00
	<b>28</b>	30.00	35.00	31.00	32.00	31.50	37.00	33.00	34.00
<b>March</b>	<b>7</b>	30.50	35.00	31.00	32.00	31.00	37.00	33.00	34.00
	<b>14</b>	29.00	35.00	31.00	32.00	30.00	37.00	33.00	34.00
	<b>21</b>	30.00	35.00	31.00	33.00	31.50	37.00	33.00	34.00
	<b>28</b>	29.00	35.00	31.00	32.00	31.00	37.00	33.00	34.00
<b>April</b>	<b>4</b>	29.00	35.00	31.00	32.00	31.00	37.00	33.00	34.00
	<b>11</b>	29.00	35.00	31.00	32.00	31.50	37.00	33.00	34.00
	<b>18</b>	29.00	35.00	31.00	32.00	31.50	37.00	33.50	34.00
	<b>25</b>	30.00	35.00	31.00	32.00	31.50	37.00	33.50	34.00
<b>May</b>	<b>2</b>	29.00	35.00	31.00	33.00	31.50	37.00	33.50	34.00
	<b>9</b>	28.00	35.00	31.00	33.00	30.00	37.00	33.00	34.50
	<b>16</b>	29.00	35.00	32.00	33.00	30.00	37.00	33.00	34.50
	<b>23</b>	28.00	35.00	32.00	33.00	30.00	37.00	33.50	34.50
	<b>30</b>	30.00	35.00	32.50	33.00	32.50	37.00	34.00	34.50
<b>June</b>	<b>6</b>	30.00	35.00	32.50	33.00	31.50	37.00	34.00	35.00
	<b>13</b>	29.00	35.50	32.50	33.00	31.00	37.00	34.00	35.00
	<b>20</b>	29.00	35.00	32.50	33.00	31.50	37.00	34.00	35.00
	<b>27</b>	29.00	36.00	32.50	33.00	31.50	38.00	34.00	35.00
<b>July</b>	<b>4</b>	30.00	36.00	32.50	33.00	31.50	38.00	34.00	35.00
	<b>11</b>	29.00	36.00	32.50	34.00	31.50	38.00	34.00	36.50
	<b>18</b>	29.50	36.00	32.50	34.00	31.00	38.00	34.00	36.50
	<b>25</b>	29.50	36.00	32.50	34.00	31.00	38.00	34.00	36.50
<b>August</b>	<b>1</b>	28.00	36.00	32.50	34.00	31.50	38.00	34.50	36.50
	<b>8</b>	28.00	36.00	32.50	34.50	30.50	38.00	34.50	36.50
	<b>15</b>	28.50	36.00	32.50	34.50	30.00	38.00	34.50	36.50
	<b>22</b>	29.00	36.00	33.50	34.50	30.00	38.00	34.50	36.50
	<b>29</b>	28.00	36.00	33.50	34.50	30.00	38.00	34.50	36.50
<b>September</b>	<b>5</b>	28.00	36.00	34.00	35.00	31.00	38.00	35.00	37.00
	<b>12</b>	28.00	36.00	34.00	35.00	31.00	38.00	35.00	37.00
	<b>19</b>	28.00	36.00	34.00	35.00	31.00	38.00	35.00	37.00
	<b>26</b>	29.00	36.00	34.00	35.00	31.00	38.00	35.00	37.00
<b>October</b>	<b>3</b>	29.00	36.00	34.00	35.00	31.50	38.00	35.00	37.00
	<b>10</b>	29.00	36.00	34.00	35.00	31.50	38.00	35.00	37.00
	<b>17</b>	28.00	36.00	34.00	35.00	31.50	38.00	35.00	37.00
	<b>24</b>	29.00	36.00	34.00	35.00	31.50	38.00	35.00	37.00
	<b>31</b>	29.00	36.00	34.00	35.00	31.50	38.00	35.00	37.00
<b>November</b>	<b>7</b>	29.50	36.00	33.00	34.00	31.00	38.00	35.00	37.00
	<b>14</b>	29.00	36.00	34.00	35.00	31.00	38.00	35.00	36.00
	<b>21</b>	30.00	36.00	34.00	35.00	31.50	38.00	35.50	37.00
	<b>28</b>	29.00	36.00	34.00	35.00	31.50	38.00	35.50	37.00
<b>December</b>	<b>5</b>	29.00	36.00	34.00	35.00	31.50	38.00	35.50	37.50
	<b>12</b>	30.00	36.00	34.00	35.00	31.50	38.00	35.50	37.50
	<b>19</b>	29.00	36.00	34.00	35.00	31.50	38.00	35.50	37.50
	<b>26</b>	29.00	36.00	34.00	35.00	31.50	38.00	35.50	37.50

1/ Without necks.

2/ No majority reported on this date.

**Table 45 -- PROCESSED POULTRY (Ducklings): Average prices paid, delivered to first receivers  
at specified cities, by months, 2003 1/**

(Cents per pound)

U.S. Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, 4-5 Pounds						
Month and Year	Central 3/		Eastern 4/			
	Midwest Origin		Long Island Origin		Midwest Origin	
	Frozen	Fresh	Frozen	Fresh	Frozen	Fresh
<b>2003</b>						
January	120.00	125.00	140.00	146.00	124.00	125.00
February	120.00	125.00	140.00	146.00	124.00	125.00
March	117.75	125.00	140.00	146.00	124.75	125.75
April	115.50	125.00	140.00	146.00	126.00	127.50
May	115.50	125.00	140.00	146.00	126.00	127.50
June	115.50	125.00	140.00	146.00	126.00	127.50
July	115.50	125.00	140.00	146.00	126.00	127.50
August	115.50	125.00	140.00	146.00	126.00	127.50
September	115.50	125.00	140.00	146.00	126.00	127.50
October	115.50	125.00	140.00	146.00	126.00	127.50
November	115.50	125.00	140.00	146.00	126.00	127.50
December	115.50	125.00	140.00	146.00	126.00	127.50
<b>Average 2003</b>	116.44	125.00	140.00	146.00	125.56	126.94
<b>Average 2002</b>	120.00	125.00	143.75	137.75	125.00	124.00

U.S. Grade A, Ready-to-Cook Delivered to Retailers		
Month and Year	Los Angeles 5/ 6/	San Francisco 5/ 7/
	<b>2003</b>	
January	2/	159.00
February	2/	159.00
March	2/	160.14
April	2/	160.50
May	2/	160.50
June	2/	160.50
July	2/	160.50
August	2/	160.50
September	2/	162.93
October	2/	163.50
November	2/	163.50
December	2/	163.50
<b>Average 2003</b>	2/	161.17
<b>Average 2002</b>	139.00	159.00

1/ Pool trucklot and trucklot volumes.

2/ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

3/ Central Region includes: AL, AR, IA, IL, IN, KS, KY, LA, MI, MN, MO, MS, NE, ND, OH, OK, SD, TN, TX, WI.

4/ Eastern Region includes: CT, DE, FL, GA, MA, MD, ME, NC, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, SC, VA, VT, WV.

5/ Ice-packed and frozen.

6/ Includes: Los Angeles, Ventura, Orange, San Bernardino, and Riverside counties.

7/ Delivered to restaurants and institutions.

Table 46 -- PROCESSED RABBITS: Average prices paid in specified areas, by months, 2003

(Cents per pound)

Month and Year	Ready-to-Cook, Delivered to Retailers 1/		
	Los Angeles Area 2/		San Francisco 3/
	Whole Body	Cut up	Whole Body
<b>2003</b>	4/	4/	345.00
January	4/	4/	345.00
February	4/	4/	345.00
March	4/	4/	345.00
April	4/	4/	345.00
May	4/	4/	345.00
June	4/	4/	345.00
July	4/	4/	345.00
August	4/	4/	345.00
September	4/	4/	345.00
October	4/	4/	345.00
November	4/	4/	345.00
December	4/	4/	345.00
Average 2003	4/	4/	345.00
Average 2002	4/	4/	346.25

1/ Frozen.

2/ Los Angeles area includes: Los Angeles, Ventura, Orange, San Bernardino, and Riverside counties.

3/ Delivered to restaurants and institutions.

4/ Not computed because of insufficient price data.

Table 47 -- PROCESSED SQUABS: Average wholesale selling prices, New York, by months, 2003

(Dollars per dozen)

Month and Year	Frozen Eviscerated, Plant Grade, 1-10 Boxes, Packed 12 Head Per Box		
	12 Oz	14 Oz	16 Oz
<b>2003</b>			
January	65.07	71.55	78.44
February	65.07	71.55	78.44
March	65.07	71.55	78.44
April	65.07	71.55	78.44
May	65.07	71.55	78.44
June	65.07	71.55	78.44
July	65.07	71.55	78.44
August	65.07	71.55	78.44
September	65.07	71.55	78.44
October	65.07	71.55	78.44
November	65.07	71.55	78.44
December	65.07	71.55	78.44
Average 2003	65.07	71.55	78.44
Average 2002	65.07	71.55	78.44

Table 48--LIVE TURKEYS: Average weight and number of turkeys slaughtered under federal inspection,  
By class, by weeks, 2003 1/

Week Ending	Young Hens		Young Toms		Young, Total		Yearlings		Total Turkey 2/		
	Head (thousands)	Avg. Wgt.	Head (thousands)	Avg. Wgt.	Head (thousands)	Avg. Wgt.	Head (thousands)	Avg. Wgt.	Head (thousands)	Avg. Wgt.	
<b>2003</b>											
January	4	1,265	15.43	1,987	38.84	3,252	29.73	9	31.41	3,279	29.73
	11	1,774	15.42	2,609	38.76	4,383	29.31	19	29.20	4,478	29.27
	18	1,717	15.61	2,681	38.16	4,398	29.36	9	26.66	4,476	29.28
	25	1,512	15.44	2,504	37.60	4,016	29.26	10	30.73	4,081	29.20
February	1	1,656	15.28	2,695	36.78	4,351	28.60	5	30.03	4,411	28.54
	8	1,758	15.77	2,504	37.77	4,262	28.70	20	29.17	4,333	28.65
	15	1,717	15.59	2,575	37.60	4,292	28.79	7	40.51	4,351	28.75
	22	1,668	15.79	2,606	37.14	4,274	28.81	17	29.37	4,367	28.76
March	1	1,793	15.72	2,619	36.82	4,412	28.25	29	26.29	4,502	28.18
	8	1,858	15.87	2,732	36.33	4,590	28.05	5	32.46	4,674	28.03
	15	1,736	15.88	2,757	36.34	4,493	28.43	25	31.97	4,564	28.42
	22	1,777	15.79	2,744	36.29	4,521	28.23	28	28.94	4,592	28.21
	29	1,592	16.22	2,920	36.68	4,512	29.46	28	27.90	4,577	29.43
April	5	1,638	15.95	2,810	36.97	4,448	29.23	22	28.71	4,535	29.16
	12	1,978	15.69	2,909	37.15	4,887	28.46	9	30.31	4,967	28.44
	19	1,778	16.18	2,644	37.07	4,422	28.67	9	32.09	4,508	28.66
	26	1,868	15.76	2,929	37.18	4,797	28.84	2	28.19	4,844	28.79
May	3	1,916	16.06	2,925	37.19	4,841	28.83	30	35.70	4,943	28.80
	10	2,123	15.99	2,910	37.41	5,033	28.37	5	36.52	5,134	28.38
	17	2,120	16.00	2,863	36.85	4,983	27.98	10	30.84	5,090	27.95
	24	2,024	15.89	2,784	36.69	4,808	27.93	12	27.41	4,859	27.91
	31	1,702	15.95	2,254	36.60	3,956	27.72	9	33.17	4,021	27.70
June	7	1,977	15.96	2,900	36.97	4,877	28.45	14	30.01	4,949	28.42
	14	2,100	15.82	2,812	36.83	4,912	27.85	7	31.77	5,002	27.80
	21	2,003	15.59	2,872	36.35	4,875	27.82	31	29.71	4,973	27.79
	28	2,086	16.33	2,981	35.92	5,067	27.86	9	28.82	5,127	27.83
July	5	1,639	16.06	2,256	35.91	3,895	27.56	2	44.56	3,944	27.52
	12	2,125	15.85	2,901	35.33	5,026	27.09	21	29.70	5,094	27.08
	19	2,010	15.74	2,723	35.73	4,733	27.24	27	30.36	4,831	27.22
	26	2,034	15.50	2,758	35.67	4,792	27.11	10	31.91	4,864	27.08
August	2	2,127	15.81	2,752	35.10	4,879	26.69	9	35.23	4,958	26.67
	9	1,842	16.22	2,726	35.23	4,568	27.56	13	25.69	4,675	27.49
	16	2,075	15.58	2,675	34.75	4,750	26.38	8	31.17	4,814	26.35
	23	2,088	15.41	2,761	34.37	4,849	26.21	15	24.19	4,933	26.15
	30	2,027	15.43	2,857	33.94	4,884	26.26	2	30.51	4,979	26.21
September	6	1,670	15.40	2,356	34.38	4,026	26.51	22	27.87	4,089	26.47
	13	1,980	15.25	2,882	34.37	4,862	26.58	8	30.02	4,907	26.56
	20	1,876	15.38	2,718	34.52	4,594	26.70	14	29.43	4,689	26.66
	27	2,044	15.75	2,877	34.80	4,921	26.89	12	31.14	4,981	26.85
October	4	1,929	15.53	2,743	34.43	4,672	26.63	10	27.19	4,760	26.58
	11	1,848	15.80	2,869	34.86	4,717	27.39	10	26.55	4,815	27.33
	18	1,876	15.87	2,896	34.78	4,772	27.35	0	0.00	4,823	27.32
	25	1,801	16.04	3,022	34.33	4,823	27.50	0	0.00	4,901	27.49
November	1	2,391	16.13	3,124	33.98	5,515	26.24	2	62.54	5,572	26.25
	8	2,520	16.18	3,280	35.83	5,800	27.29	10	28.00	5,909	27.29
	15	2,541	15.57	3,250	33.65	5,791	25.72	23	27.33	5,888	25.72
	22	2,076	15.49	3,087	33.59	5,163	26.31	0	0.00	5,200	26.34
	29	1,018	15.61	1,605	37.60	2,623	29.07	5	29.30	2,678	29.02
December	6	1,924	16.35	2,841	35.97	4,765	28.05	1	50.13	4,835	28.00
	13	2,132	15.44	2,805	35.28	4,937	26.71	1	52.33	4,973	26.71
	20	2,490	15.63	2,747	35.44	5,237	26.02	1	52.41	5,251	26.02
	27	901	15.02	1,212	37.60	2,113	27.97	1	51.50	2,115	27.99
January	3	1,347	15.51	1,786	37.67	3,133	28.14	13	30.23	3,163	28.13
<b>Total 2003</b>		99,467		143,035		242,502		620		246,278	
<b>Total 2002</b>		96,225		142,925		241,355		665		242,552	

1/ Preliminary.

2/ Includes 3,156,000 head of young breeders in 2003 and 2,737,000 in 2002.

Table 49 -- PROCESSED TURKEY: Commodity pack delivered to first receivers in the Eastern Region 1/, by weeks, 2003

(Cents per pound)

Week Beginning	U.S. Grade A, Fresh, Ready-to-Cook (Includes Timers or Equivalent) 3/					
	Hens 8-16 Pounds			Toms 16-24 Pounds		
	Price	Volume (thousands)	Volume (thousands) with Price to be Determined	Price	Volume (thousands)	Volume (thousands) with Price to be Determined
<b>2003</b>						
January	6	69.89	37	2/	2/	2/
	13	68.47	15	2/	64.33	6
	20	67.62	26	2/	67.00	20
	27	67.25	32	2/	64.00	5
February	3	68.49	205	2/	64.00	20
	10	67.24	42	2/	64.00	18
	17	67.00	30	2/	64.00	10
	24	68.22	64	2/	63.64	28
March	3	67.48	124	20	64.00	20
	10	68.20	100	2/	64.46	13
	17	68.46	92	2/	64.67	15
	24	68.46	82	20	64.67	15
	31	67.89	54	2/	66.60	25
April	7	68.31	924	820	64.46	520
	14	66.43	117	400	63.71	77
	21	67.24	34	2/	64.00	7
	28	67.00	30	2/	64.00	7
May	5	67.09	44	2/	64.00	17
	12	68.22	97	2/	65.29	31
	19	68.22	90	2/	65.00	35
	26	66.75	80	20	63.67	30
June	2	67.96	125	2/	65.50	40
	9	68.22	102	2/	65.00	20
	16	67.00	50	40	64.00	15
	23	67.06	64	10	64.00	10
	30	67.03	132	40	64.00	20
July	7	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
	14	67.10	42	2/	64.00	40
	21	67.00	120	10	65.54	52
	28	65.00	50	20	65.00	20
August	4	65.67	42	2/	63.50	10
	11	67.82	212	40	64.67	12
	18	66.00	60	20	63.20	25
	25	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
September	1	64.86	7	10	64.00	2
	8	68.44	142	2/	66.00	20
	15	66.33	90	20	64.87	150
	22	68.42	157	60	66.67	30
	29	71.69	320	20	69.20	100
October	6	71.73	220	40	68.00	40
	13	72.08	260	40	69.86	70
	20	76.27	310	400	73.00	100
	27	77.95	370	2/	75.00	105
November	3	78.70	195	200	75.65	85
	10	82.54	622	1,480	80.14	510
	17	81.95	1,640	1,320	76.26	1,820
	24	86.00	400	40	85.65	340
December	1	78.11	10	10	78.00	12
	8	84.57	280	40	81.67	120
	15	80.33	5,270	160	77.08	5,070
	22	83.53	4,425	2/	70.76	995
	29	81.16	62	2/	76.73	110
Average 2003		78.44	18,098	5,300	75.01	10,862
Average 2002		78.24	18,791	5,545	76.06	16,824

1/ Eastern Region includes: CT, DE, FL, GA, MA, MD, ME, NC, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, SC, VA, VT, WV.

2/ Not computed because of insufficient data.

3/ Promotions Included

**Table 50 -- PROCESSED TURKEYS: Weighted Average prices for Whole Young Turkeys, Consumer Sizes, Frozen Commodity Pack or Equivalent, US Grade A, by Region, by months, 2003  
(Cents per pound)**

Month and Year	Young 8-16 lb Hens			Young 16 - 24 lb Toms		
	Eastern	Central	Western	Eastern	Central	Western
<b>2003</b>						
Jan	61.04	60.63	60.55	58.36	57.65	57.29
Feb	61.13	60.21	60.76	58.63	57.74	57.29
Mar	61.24	60.90	61.48	58.45	58.31	58.20
Apr	61.43	61.05	61.50	58.89	58.45	58.34
May	60.36	59.43	60.64	58.12	57.67	58.05
Jun	60.12	59.10	60.01	58.83	57.38	57.88
Jul	58.18	56.70	59.73	57.32	56.20	57.64
Aug	57.74	56.89	58.88	57.05	56.25	57.40
Sept	61.52	60.70	61.79	60.49	59.51	59.68
Oct	66.08	65.48	65.93	63.20	63.02	63.34
Nov	69.33	68.07	69.14	64.92	63.86	64.85
Dec	66.85	65.80	67.02	60.45	59.48	60.98
<b>Average 2003</b>	62.09	61.25	62.29	59.56	58.79	59.25
<b>Average 2002</b>	64.45	63.80	64.48	58.38	57.81	58.14

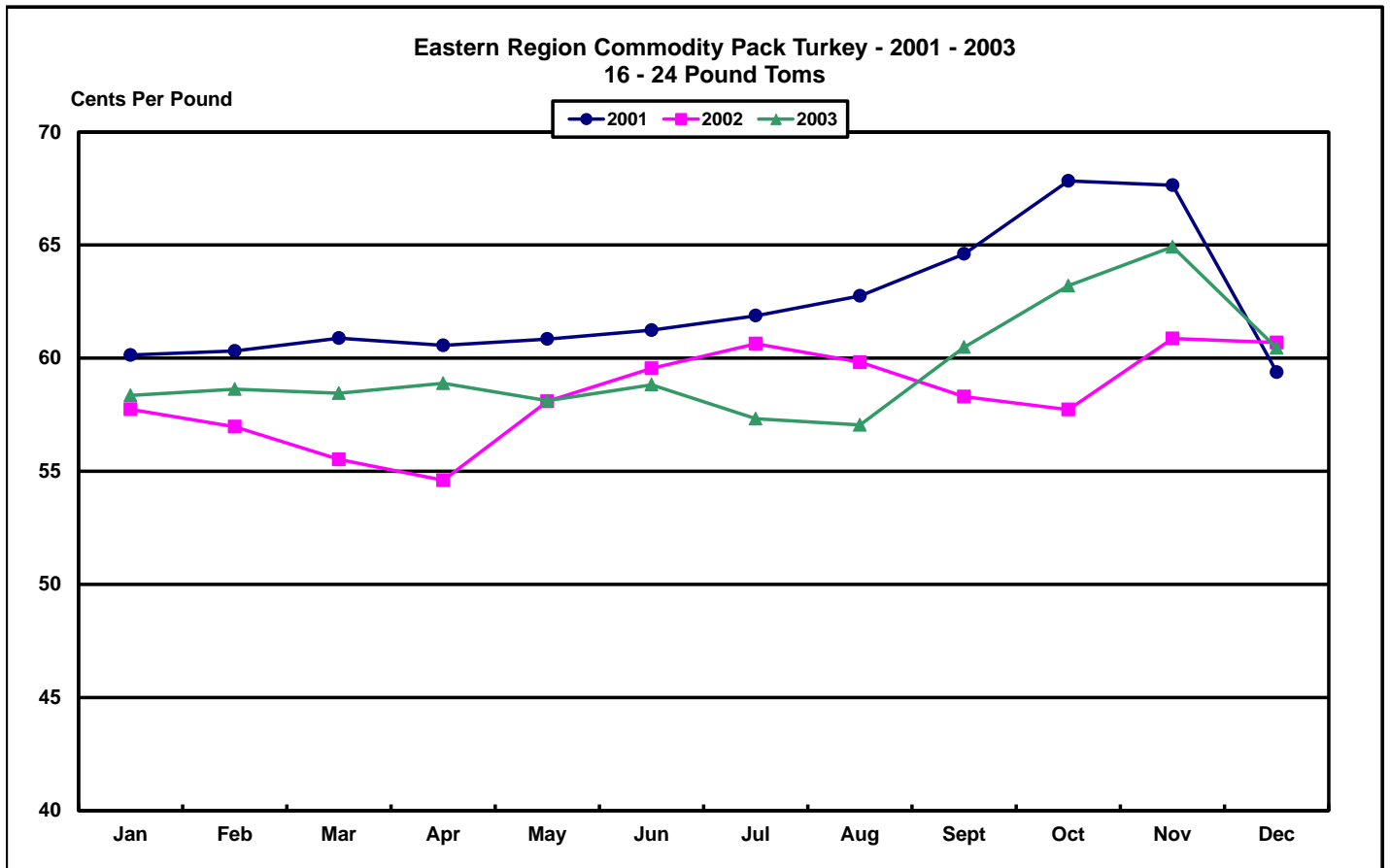


Table 51 -- PROCESSED TURKEYS: Average prices for Whole, Consumer Sizes, Frozen Commodity Pack or Equivalent, US Grade A, Region, by weeks, 2003 1/ (Cents per Pound)

Week Ending	Young 8-16 lb Hens			Young 16-24 lb Toms		
	Eastern	Central	Western	Eastern	Central	Western
<b>2003</b>						
<b>January</b>						
	3	62.00	61.50	61.50	58.00	57.50
	10	61.00	60.50	60.50	58.10	57.50
	17	59.75	60.48	60.50	58.50	57.99
	24	61.00	60.50	60.38	58.50	57.75
	31	61.00	60.70	62.00	58.50	57.80
<b>February</b>						
	7	61.00	59.00	60.50	58.50	57.00
	14	61.00	60.00	60.50	58.50	58.00
	21	61.00	60.00	60.50	58.50	57.50
	28	61.50	60.31	61.50	59.00	58.00
<b>March</b>						
	7	60.47	60.00	61.50	57.97	58.50
	14	61.20	61.00	61.00	58.35	58.50
	21	62.00	61.00	61.50	59.00	58.50
	28	59.03	60.80	61.50	57.50	56.50
<b>April</b>						
	4	62.00	61.00	61.50	59.00	59.00
	11	61.50	61.00	61.50	59.00	58.80
	18	61.50	61.00	61.50	59.00	58.50
	25	61.50	62.00	61.50	59.00	58.50
<b>May</b>						
	2	59.50	60.90	61.40	58.00	58.40
	9	64.00	58.00	60.80	58.50	58.10
	16	61.00	59.50	60.50	58.50	58.50
	23	55.00	59.00	60.50	55.00	57.00
	30	60.00	59.38	60.50	58.50	57.75
<b>June</b>						
	6	60.50	60.50	60.24	59.00	59.50
	13	60.50	62.00	60.30	59.00	57.00
	20	57.50	56.50	57.88	58.90	58.00
	27	60.00	59.00	60.00	58.50	57.00
<b>July</b>						
	4	60.00	58.50	60.00	58.50	57.00
	11	58.40	57.14	60.00	57.28	56.10
	18	57.50	56.56	59.90	55.50	58.33
	25	57.25	56.00	59.50	56.50	55.50
<b>August</b>						
	1	57.35	55.15	59.20	56.50	54.25
	8	57.50	57.04	59.10	57.00	56.00
	15	56.50	55.40	57.00	55.00	55.00
	22	57.40	55.50	60.00	56.90	55.85
	29	59.00	59.67	59.00	59.00	60.00
<b>September</b>						
	5	60.00	59.31	60.97	59.63	58.44
	12	62.31	62.00	61.50	59.33	58.70
	19	62.00	61.99	64.57	61.26	59.50
	26	62.57	61.20	63.25	60.50	62.00
<b>October</b>						
	3	63.28	63.33	63.33	61.63	60.82
	10	64.58	64.46	64.19	62.50	62.63
	17	65.35	65.55	66.29	63.00	64.00
	24	66.20	68.00	67.63	63.83	64.64
	31	67.38	70.90	66.80	65.69	64.79
<b>November</b>						
	7	68.56	66.50	70.71	63.31	64.55
	14	68.00	67.00	69.56	66.00	67.00
	21	69.20	68.00	71.00	64.40	63.20
	28	69.00	67.90	67.64	65.00	62.00
<b>December</b>						
	5	69.50	67.00	69.00	65.00	61.00
	12	68.94	67.90	66.00	60.84	60.88
	19	66.10	64.20	68.28	59.10	57.20
	26	64.50	63.50	65.00	58.50	57.50

1/ Some prices are based on offers.



**Table 52 -- PROCESSED TURKEYS: Average prices sold delivered to retailers at specified cities, by months, 2003  
(Cents per Pound)**

Month and Year	U.S. Grade A, Ready-to-cook				
	Los Angeles Area 1/				
	Fresh		Frozen		
	Young Hens 8-16 Pounds	Young Toms 14-24 Pounds	Young Hens 8-16 Pounds	Young Toms	
			14-24 Pounds	24-28 Pounds	
<b>2003</b>					
January	94.73	94.73	65.81	62.64	68.15
February	96.00	96.00	65.50	63.00	68.50
March	95.92	95.92	65.54	63.00	67.69
April	94.31	94.31	66.00	63.00	68.50
May	95.69	95.69	66.00	63.69	68.50
June	96.00	96.00	66.00	64.00	68.50
July	96.00	96.00	66.00	64.00	68.50
August	96.00	96.00	65.88	64.00	68.50
September	96.00	96.00	65.81	64.85	69.12
October	96.00	96.00	68.96	69.43	74.25
November	105.63	105.63	72.50	71.50	76.00
December	106.15	106.15	72.42	70.96	75.62
<b>Average 2003</b>	97.37	97.37	67.20	65.34	70.15
<b>Average 2002</b>	97.23	97.23	69.46	64.02	70.29

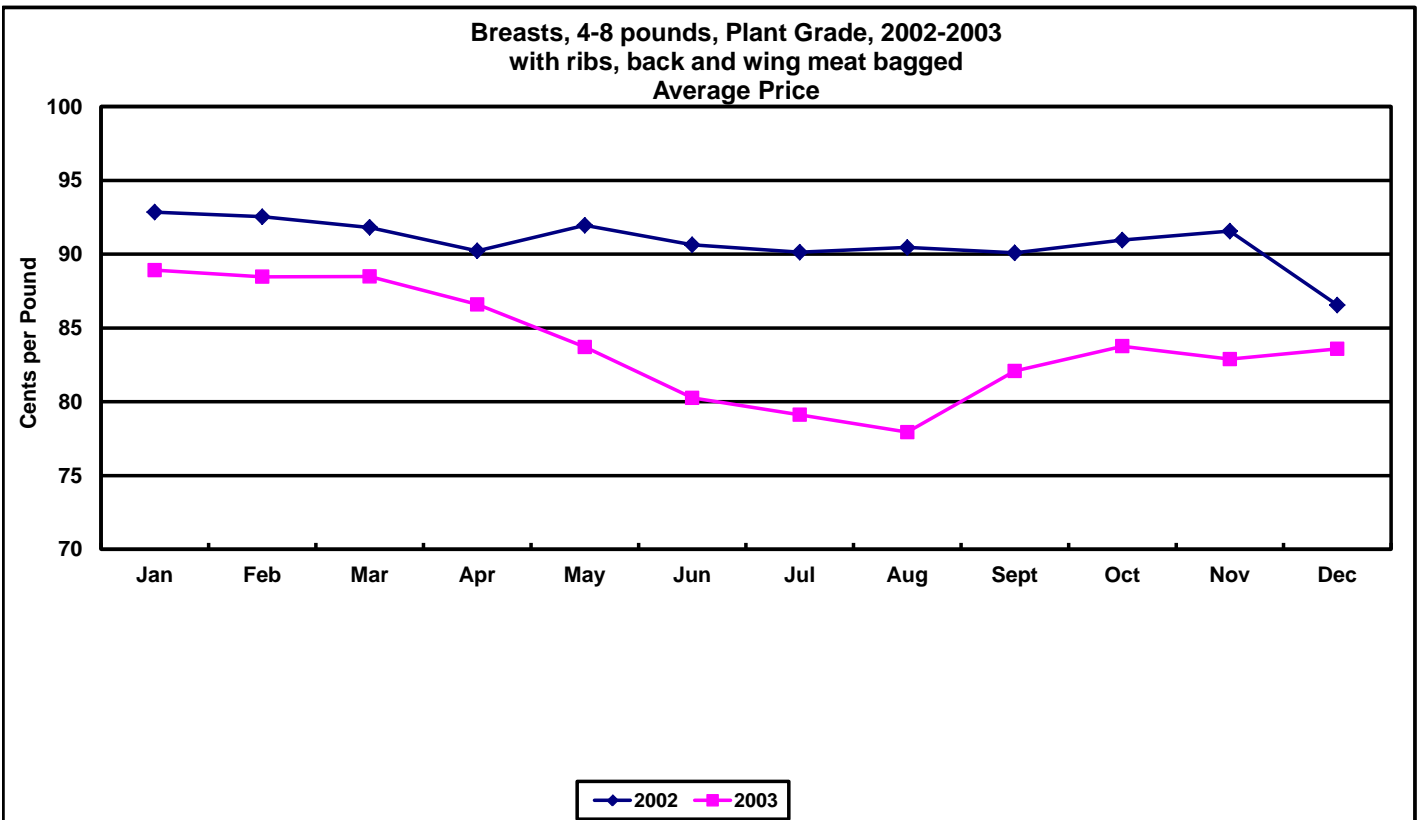
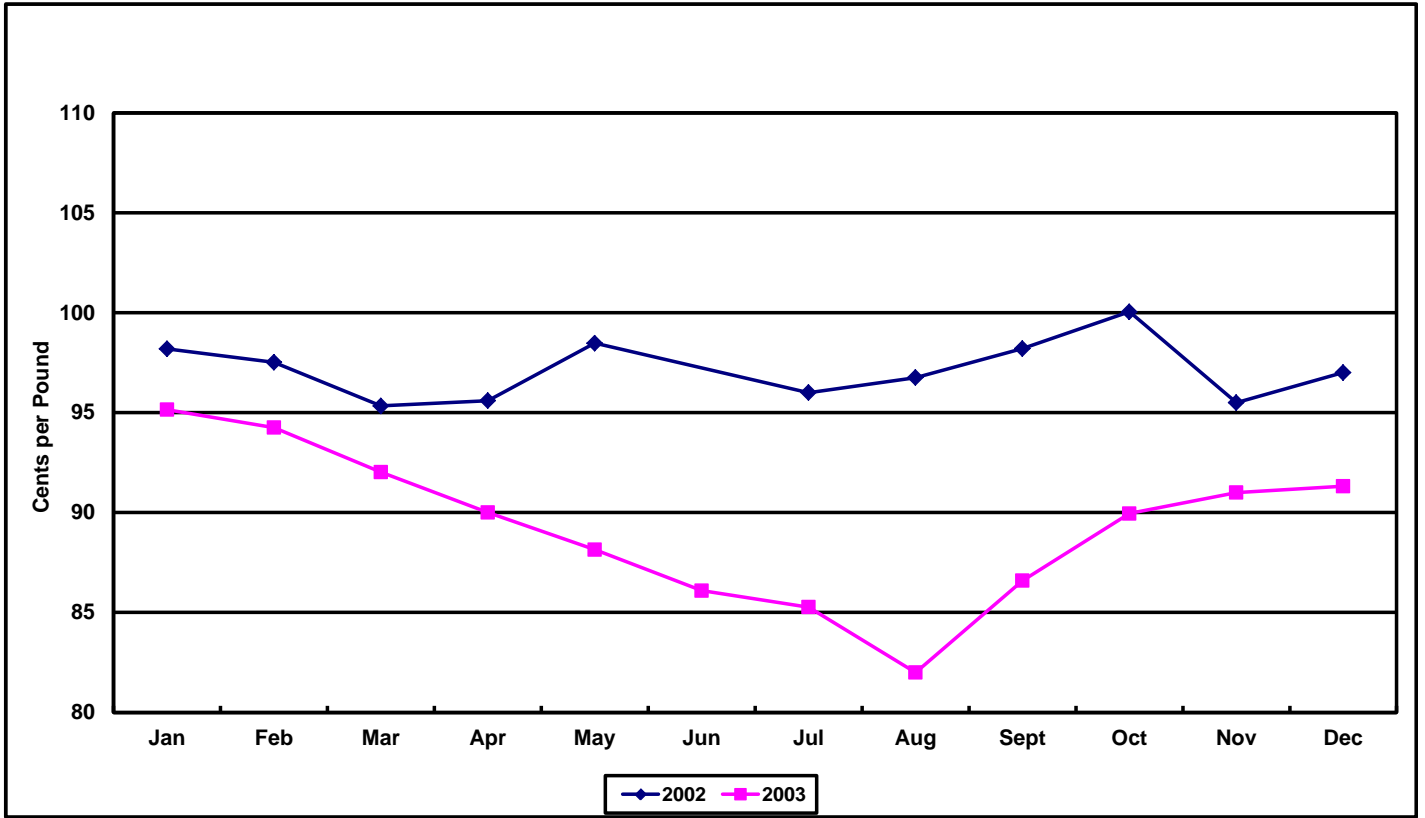
(Cents per Pound)

Month and Year	U.S. Grade A, Frozen, Ready-to-cook, Young				
	San Francisco 2/				
	Hens	Toms			
	8-16 Pounds	Under 22 Pounds	22-24 Pounds	24-26 Pounds	26 Pounds And Over
<b>2003</b>					
January	123.14	122.29	118.29	119.14	119.14
February	122.00	120.00	120.00	122.00	122.00
March	123.52	113.90	113.90	115.90	115.90
April	124.00	112.00	112.00	114.00	114.00
May	124.00	112.00	112.00	114.00	114.00
June	124.00	112.00	112.00	114.00	114.00
July	124.00	112.00	112.00	114.00	114.00
August	124.00	112.00	112.00	114.00	114.00
September	104.17	94.19	94.19	93.76	102.26
October	99.50	90.00	90.00	89.00	99.50
November	119.00	112.00	112.00	114.00	117.50
December	119.00	112.00	112.00	114.00	117.50
<b>Average 2003</b>	119.19	110.37	110.03	111.48	113.65
<b>Average 2002</b>	108.47	107.53	99.25	99.03	106.16

1/ Los Angeles area includes: Los Angeles, Ventura, Orange, San Bernardino, and Riverside counties.

2/ Includes deliveries to restaurants and institutions.

**Breasts, 4-8 Pounds, Grade A, 2002 and 2003 /1**  
**With ribs, back and wing meat, bagged**  
**Average Price**



/1 Gaps indicate not computed because of insufficient price data.  
 By Months  
 Source: USDA, AMS, Poultry Programs, Market News Branch

**Table 53 -- PROCESSED TURKEY PARTS: Weighted average prices paid delivered to first receivers, frozen (unless specified), part and full Trucklots, by months, 2003 --continued (Cents per pound, volume in thousands of pounds)**

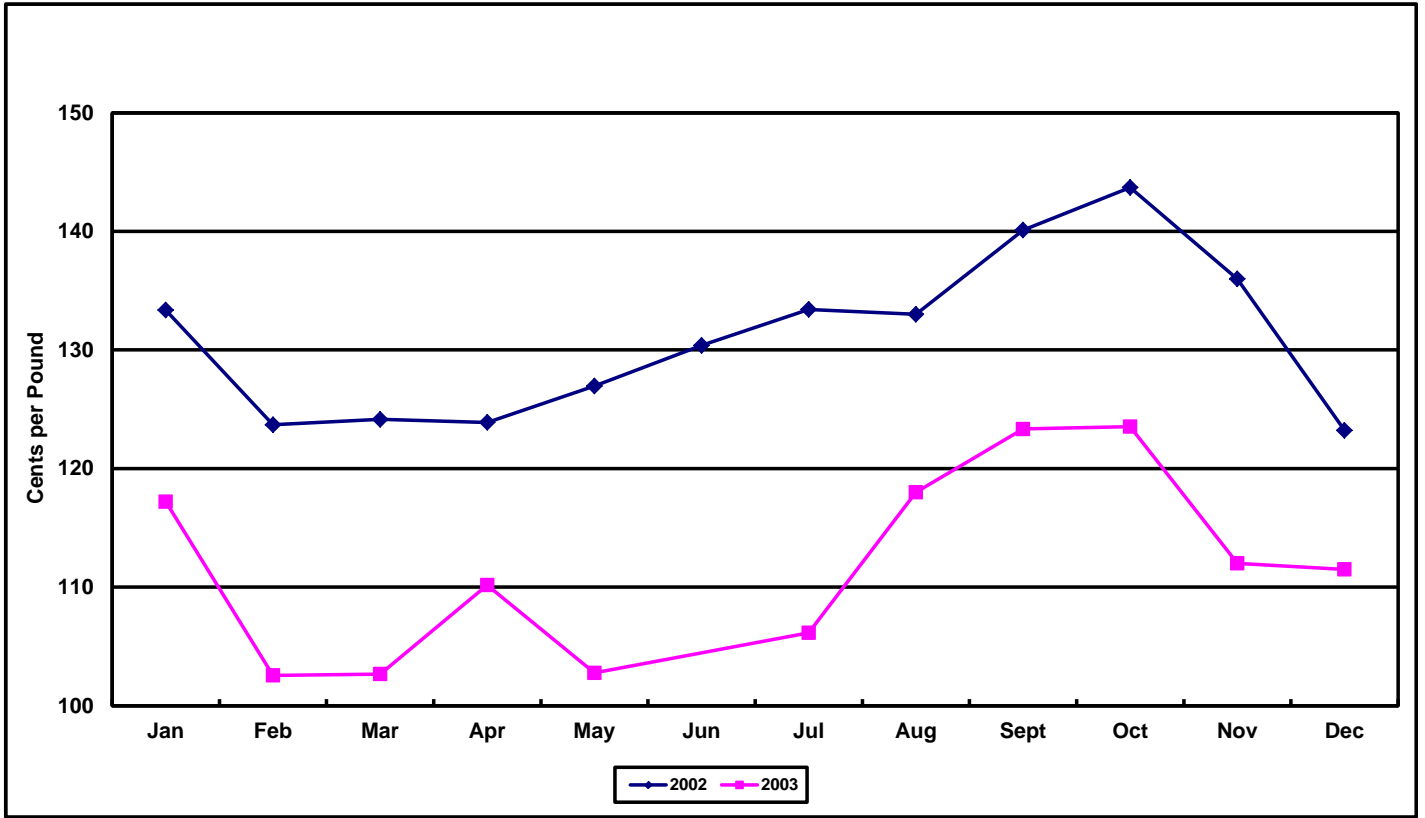
Month and Year	Breasts			
	4 - 8 lbs, Grade A, 1/		4 - 8 lbs, Fresh, Grade A 1/	
	Price	Volume	Price	Volume
<b>2003</b>				
January	95.15	780	154.55	55
February	94.25	960	151.33	95
March	92.02	1,047	148.22	155
April	90.00	2,840	145.00	275
May	88.14	2,711	143.18	85
June	86.09	3,200	114.13	460
July	85.27	1,640	153.00	31
August	82.00	40	141.82	104
September	86.60	400	136.17	259
October	89.95	1,300	153.00	16
November	91.00	80	150.67	899
December	91.31	1,040	148.20	1,072
Average 2003	89.04	16,038	143.16	3,506
Average 2002	97.88	14,390	138.33	10,582

Month and Year	Breasts, 4 - 8 lbs, Plant 1/	
	Price	Volume
<b>2003</b>		
January	88.92	491
February	88.48	420
March	88.50	80
April	86.60	960
May	83.71	1,360
June	80.26	1,000
July	79.13	1,520
August	77.94	1,880
September	82.09	1,280
October	83.77	520
November	82.90	200
December	83.59	1,080
Average 2003	82.24	10,791
Average 2002	90.46	11,414

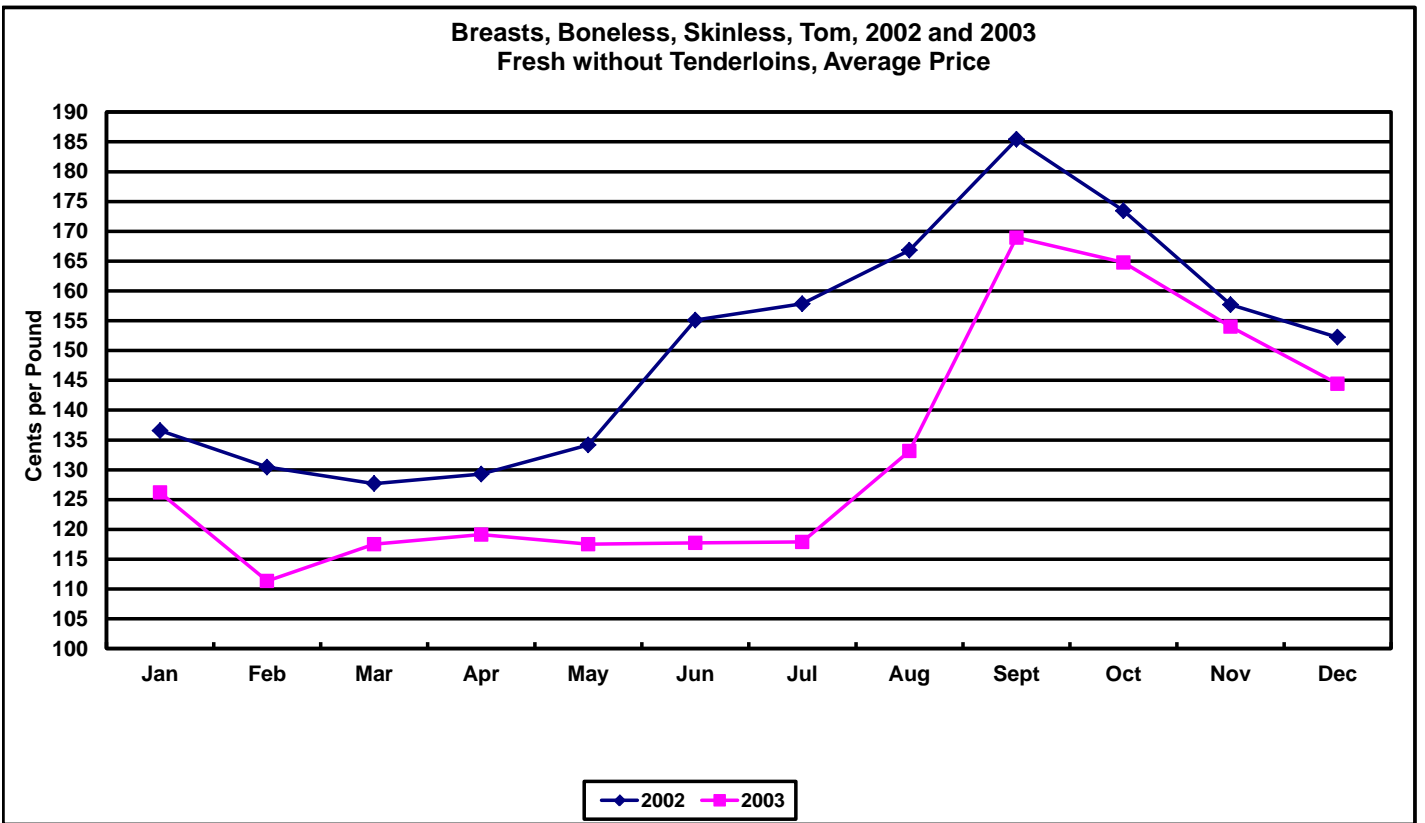
Month and Year	Breasts, Boneless, Skinless, Tom, Without Tenderloins			
	Frozen		Fresh	
	Price	Volume	Price	Volume
<b>2003</b>				
January	117.21	634	126.18	1,144
February	102.55	1,810	111.34	1,536
March	102.67	240	117.52	1,413
April	110.18	220	119.14	1,780
May	102.77	1,332	117.51	1,344
June	2/	2/	117.73	1,493
July	106.14	140	117.90	2,394
August	118.00	40	133.15	3,520
September	123.33	150	168.94	2,492
October	123.54	203	164.77	1,865
November	112.00	60	154.01	1,686
December	111.50	200	144.43	1,130
Average 2003	106.95	5,029	134.39	21,797
Average 2002	154.80	19,909	128.52	10,749

See footnotes at the end of the table.

Breasts, Boneless, Skinless, Tom, 2002 and 2003  
Frozen without Tenderloins, Average Price



Breasts, Boneless, Skinless, Tom, 2002 and 2003  
Fresh without Tenderloins, Average Price



**Table 53 -- PROCESSED TURKEY PARTS: Weighted average prices paid delivered to first receivers, frozen  
(unless specified), part and full Trucklots, by months, 2003 -- continued  
(Cents per pound, volume in thousands of pounds)**

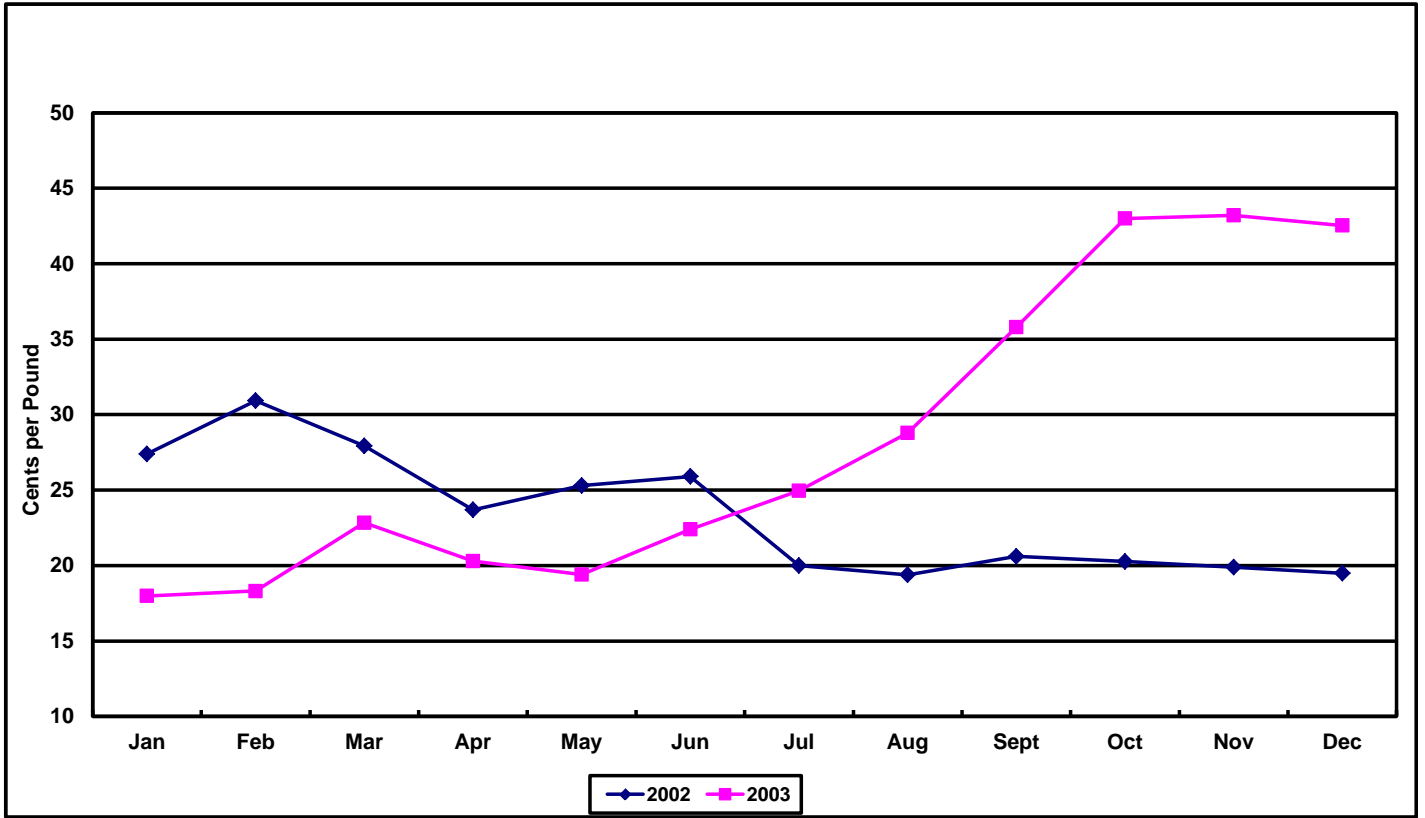
Month and Year	Drumsticks			
	Tom		Hen	
	Price	Volume	Price	Volume
<b>2003</b>				
January	17.99	810	17.89	166
February	18.31	933	16.74	341
March	22.84	972	17.87	460
April	20.30	840	18.00	410
May	19.40	1,021	18.10	401
June	22.40	1,039	20.74	206
July	24.96	1,005	23.83	180
August	28.78	754	24.86	156
September	35.80	885	36.10	147
October	43.00	1,146	42.60	422
November	43.20	818	43.50	80
December	42.53	1,278	42.87	265
<b>Average 2003</b>	<b>28.82</b>	<b>11,501</b>	<b>25.39</b>	<b>3,234</b>
<b>Average 2002</b>	<b>22.78</b>	<b>9,429</b>	<b>21.41</b>	<b>6,053</b>

Month and Year	Wings, Full Cut			
	Tom		Hen	
	Price	Volume	Price	Volume
<b>2003</b>				
January	18.57	933	19.53	85
February	16.09	992	17.00	118
March	16.62	1,309	17.22	367
April	14.81	727	16.71	189
May	12.74	1,608	18.35	345
June	16.32	827	19.88	100
July	19.85	794	20.78	64
August	22.41	1,072	21.25	202
September	27.59	1,356	26.62	179
October	33.68	778	33.34	67
November	43.05	975	42.55	44
December	41.34	833	2/	2/
<b>Average 2003</b>	<b>22.91</b>	<b>12,204</b>	<b>20.43</b>	<b>1,760</b>
<b>Average 2002</b>	<b>22.85</b>	<b>9,601</b>	<b>24.67</b>	<b>2,763</b>

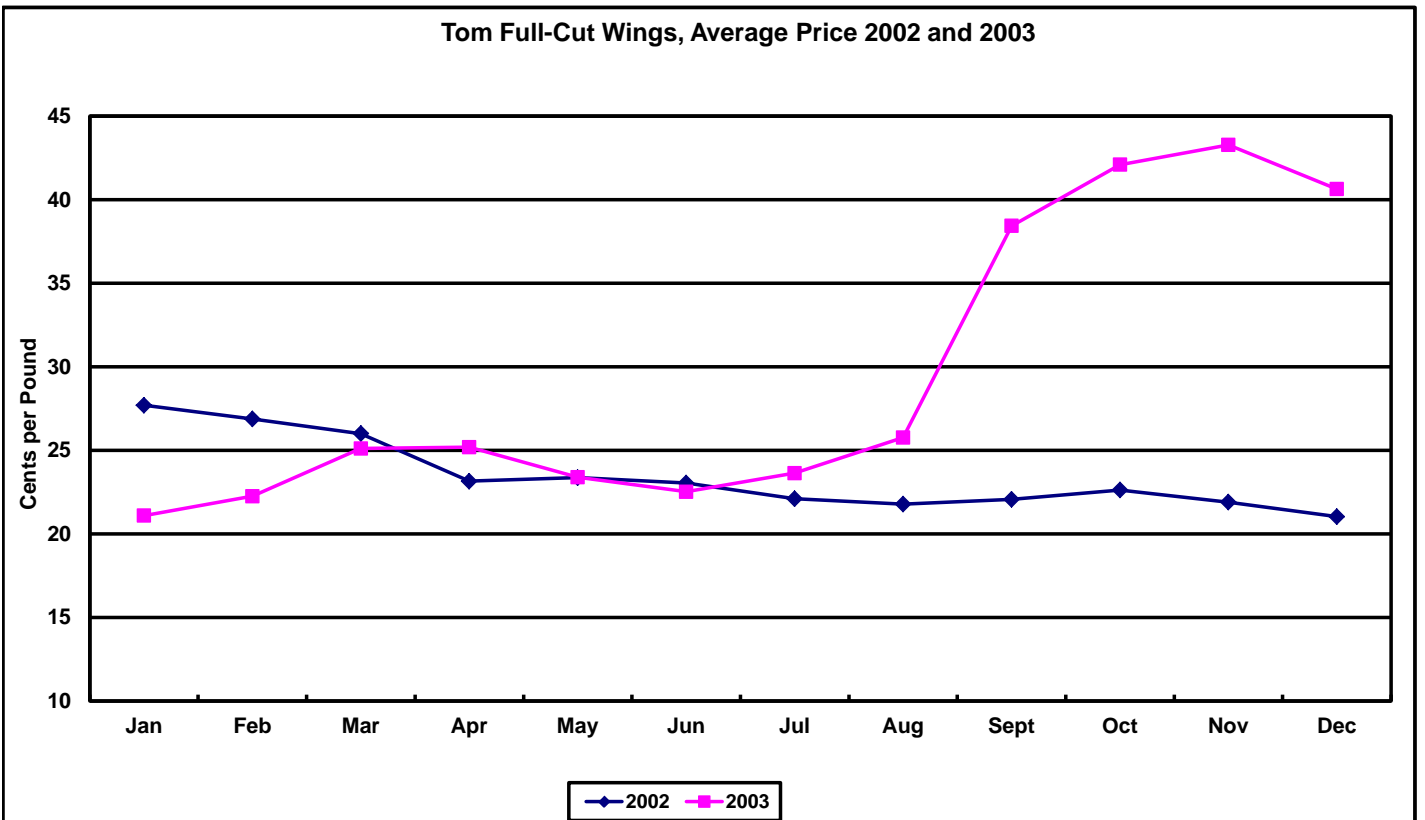
Month and Year	Wings, V-type			
	Tom		Hen	
	Price	Volume	Price	Volume
<b>2003</b>				
January	21.09	178	53.85	189
February	22.25	220	54.08	260
March	25.11	469	54.00	250
April	25.19	161	53.40	200
May	23.39	415	53.30	460
June	22.52	119	54.22	180
July	23.63	343	54.35	113
August	25.76	355	56.00	200
September	38.43	856	65.00	160
October	42.09	756	67.61	62
November	43.27	226	71.00	40
December	40.63	320	71.00	100
<b>Average 2003</b>	<b>32.05</b>	<b>4,418</b>	<b>56.26</b>	<b>2,214</b>
<b>Average 2002</b>	<b>28.24</b>	<b>3,628</b>	<b>44.82</b>	<b>3,818</b>

See footnotes at the end of the table.

Tom Drumsticks, Average Price, 2002-2003



Tom Full-Cut Wings, Average Price 2002 and 2003



**Table 53 -- PROCESSED TURKEY PARTS: Weighted average prices paid delivered to first receivers, frozen  
(unless specified), part and full Trucklots, by months, 2003  
(Cents per pound, volume in thousands of pounds)**

Month and Year	Thigh Meat			
	Frozen		Fresh	
	Price	Volume	Price	Volume
<b>2003</b>				
January	55.14	185	56.26	700
February	50.00	150	54.29	504
March	50.32	667	54.50	797
April	48.18	170	52.35	678
May	50.67	238	53.29	330
June	50.77	170	52.13	320
July	51.79	228	52.87	378
August	63.25	160	60.48	470
September	89.53	120	88.99	334
October	92.17	151	92.68	556
November	91.17	35	90.81	298
December	85.51	305	87.84	390
Average 2003	60.49	2,579	64.45	5,755
Average 2002	53.60	2,650	56.70	3,220

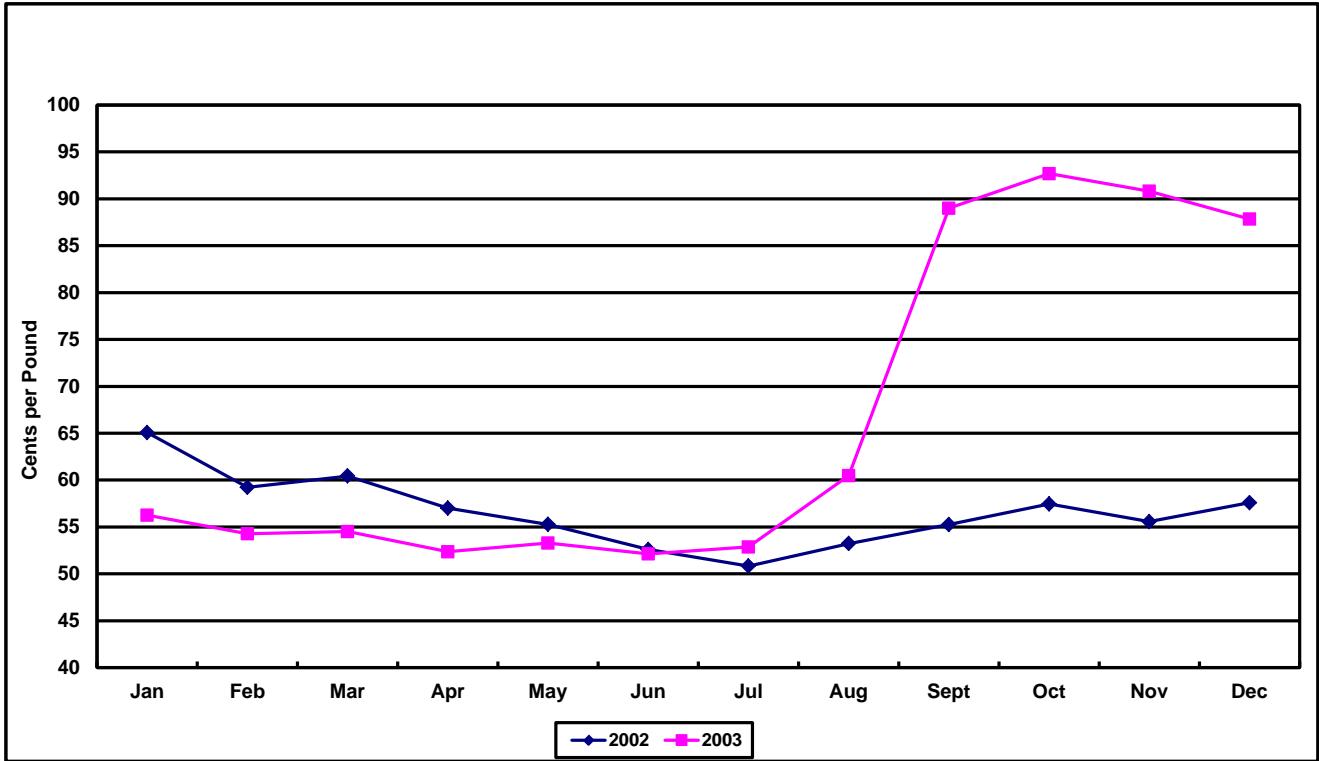
Month and Year	Necks			
	Tom		Hen	
	Price	Volume	Price	Volume
<b>2003</b>				
January	13.33	1,437	10.18	88
February	15.72	1,348	13.74	158
March	21.33	1,139	15.87	106
April	22.48	755	17.00	66
May	19.72	1,060	17.15	52
June	18.95	671	17.00	65
July	17.85	902	17.00	78
August	17.44	761	16.33	26
September	17.51	1,057	17.25	87
October	19.17	1,205	19.17	84
November	21.93	1,235	21.00	60
December	25.55	918	24.00	65
Average 2003	18.96	12,488	16.63	935
Average 2002	16.51	8,883	16.33	536

Month and Year	Tom Drumsticks (Fresh)		Destrapped Tenders	
	Price	Volume	Price	Volume
<b>2003</b>				
January	18.83	290	99.87	2,304
February	19.11	180	98.25	480
March	24.33	60	103.09	440
April	20.56	87	104.71	1,400
May	19.77	130	103.00	80
June	21.10	484	92.75	800
July	26.11	186	91.47	862
August	27.62	519	84.50	320
September	38.38	385	86.46	220
October	42.61	533	87.27	220
November	42.32	185	84.71	890
December	42.84	578	80.59	1,890
Average 2003	31.57	3,617	93.22	9,906
Average 2002	22.65	3,508	115.76	6,349

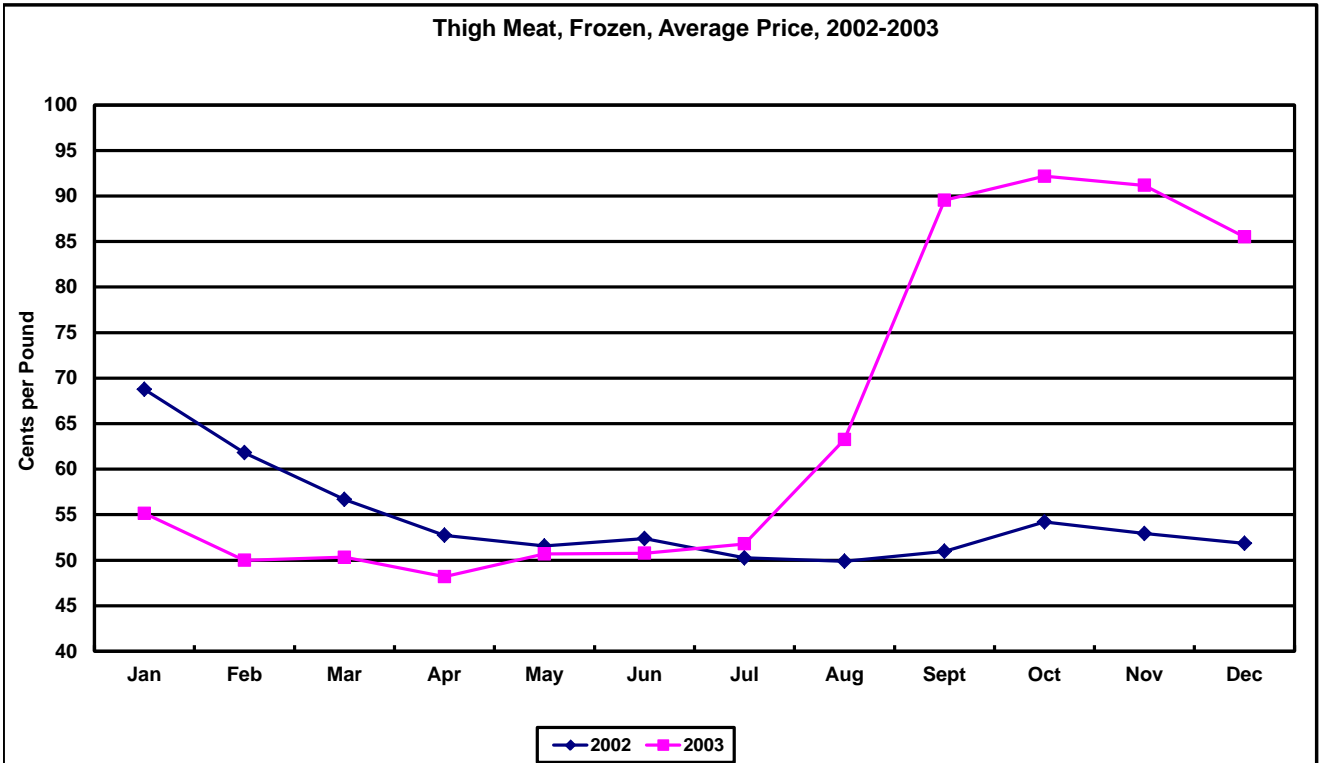
1/ Includes ribs, back, and wing meat, bagged.

2/ Not reported because of insufficient price data.

Thigh Meat, Fresh, Average Price, 2002-2003



Thigh Meat, Frozen, Average Price, 2002-2003





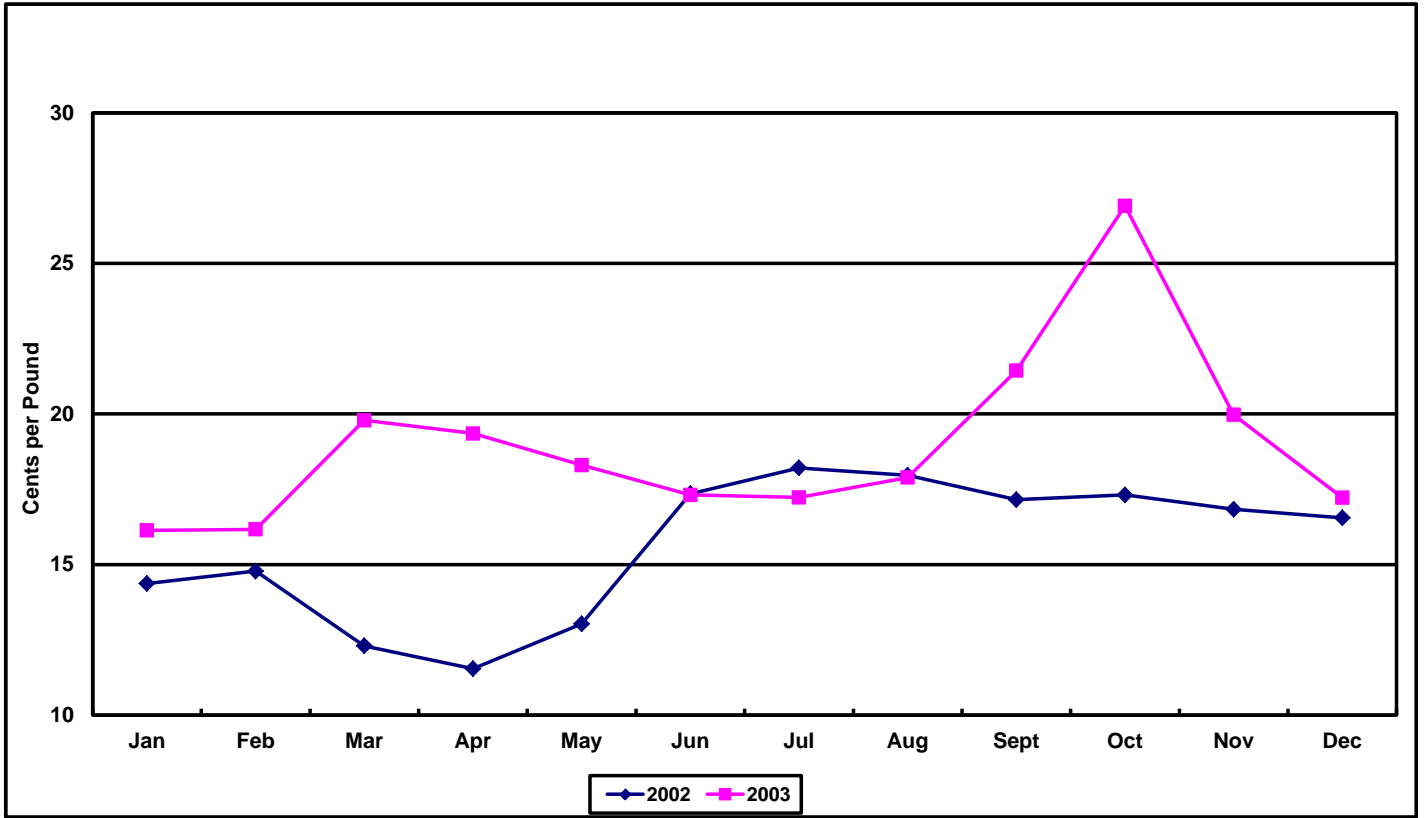
**Table 54 -- PROCESSED TURKEY PARTS: Weighted average prices paid delivered to first receivers, frozen (unless specified), in Trucklots and less than Trucklots, by months, 2003 (Cents per pound, volume in thousands of pounds)**

Month and Year	Breast Trim Meat		Scapula Meat		Tenderloins	
	Sales	Volume	Sales	Volume	Sales	Volume
<b>2003</b>						
January	78.00	200	64.49	923	100.00	40
February	78.67	120	61.02	464	99.00	18
March	72.25	160	63.17	460	97.00	20
April	69.83	240	62.87	300	1/	1/
May	62.56	680	61.21	380	95.00	20
June	59.14	140	53.12	154	96.26	46
July	58.57	299	51.67	120	1/	1/
August	59.83	240	51.44	174	98.00	16
September	74.08	148	65.17	424	96.00	20
October	86.58	151	83.26	276	1/	1/
November	84.94	155	78.74	286	93.00	12
December	79.04	250	71.67	99	1/	1/
<b>Average 2003</b>	69.35	2,783	64.67	4,060	97.16	192
<b>Average 2002</b>	92.28	4,960	85.01	5,094	118.10	958

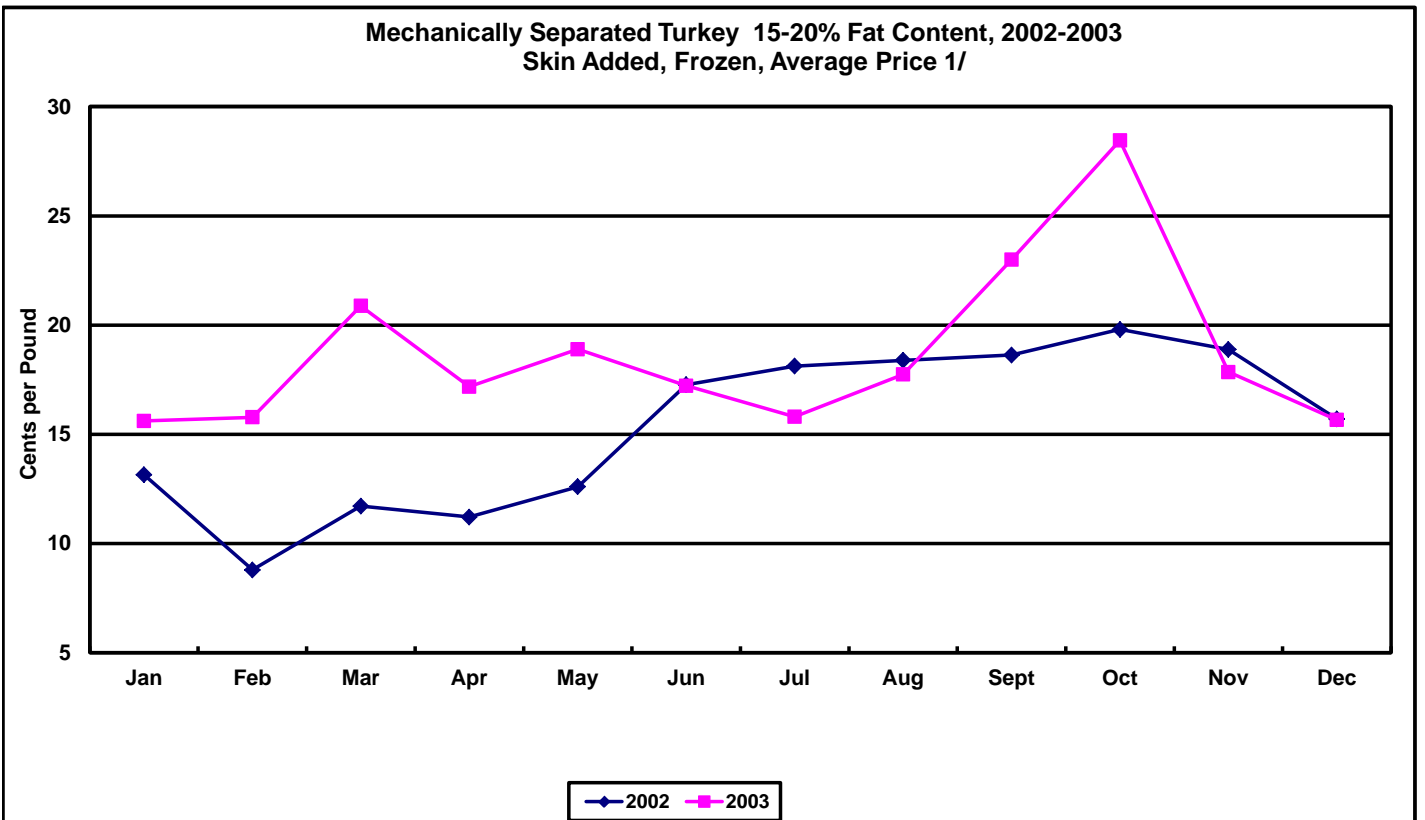
Month and Year	Wing Meat With Skin		15 - 20% Mechanically Separated			
			Frozen		Fresh	
	Sales	Volume	Sales	Volume	Sales	Volume
<b>2003</b>						
January	43.46	1,080	15.61	460	16.13	1,180
February	42.93	280	15.78	180	16.17	700
March	49.00	180	20.88	320	19.79	1,698
April	52.00	40	17.18	440	19.35	1,726
May	48.50	80	18.89	360	18.30	1,676
June	48.00	80	17.22	360	17.31	620
July	34.93	150	15.80	127	17.23	1,080
August	31.63	368	17.74	46	17.89	1,301
September	50.00	50	23.00	120	21.44	981
October	67.33	449	28.46	440	26.91	840
November	68.00	74	17.85	130	19.97	263
December	66.56	108	15.66	298	17.22	1,180
<b>Average 2003</b>	47.43	2,939	19.00	3,281	18.86	13,245
<b>Average 2002</b>	59.01	4,562	14.65	3,152	15.39	38,333

1/ Not reported due to insufficient price data.

Mechanically Separated Turkey 15-20% Fat Content, 2002-2003  
Skin Added, Fresh, Average Price



Mechanically Separated Turkey 15-20% Fat Content, 2002-2003  
Skin Added, Frozen, Average Price 1/



By Months

1/ Gaps indicate prices not computed due to insufficient price data.

Source: USDA, AMS, Poultry Programs, Market News Branch

Table 55--PROCESSED TURKEY PARTS: Frozen weekly weighted average prices paid delivered to first receivers (unless specified), 2003  
Cents per pound, volume in thousands of pounds)

Week Ending	Breast, 4-8 pounds				Breast, Boneless, Skinless Tom, Fresh Without Tenderloins		Wings, Full-Cut Toms		15 - 20% Mechanically Separated Fresh		Tom Drumsticks		
	Grade A		Plant		Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	
	Price	Volume	Price	Volume									
<b>2003</b>													
<b>January</b>													
	3	98.65	460	88.00	40	139.41	324	20.03	163	16.11	187	18.96	155
	10	96.00	40	91.35	51	129.50	160	20.36	185	16.04	452	17.19	104
	17	90.00	200	88.14	280	123.50	240	19.09	286	16.15	260	19.94	177
	24	91.00	120	1/	1/	118.77	260	17.17	152	16.49	81	16.05	149
	31	1/	1/	90.00	120	112.13	160	15.16	147	16.43	280	17.45	225
<b>February</b>													
	7	94.43	840	88.71	280	110.24	750	15.70	269	16.43	140	17.50	80
	14	1/	1/	1/	1/	111.86	306	16.00	408	15.75	160	16.93	543
	21	93.00	80	89.00	20	111.67	120	16.64	39	1/	1/	20.65	170
	28	93.00	40	87.83	120	113.06	360	16.51	276	16.25	400	21.29	140
<b>March</b>													
	7	94.00	160	88.00	40	114.58	190	16.79	287	16.53	424	22.73	152
	14	97.00	200	1/	1/	116.16	233	16.71	340	21.37	700	22.86	289
	21	90.06	680	89.00	40	120.00	50	16.71	328	21.86	280	23.37	163
	28	95.00	7	1/	1/	118.32	940	16.32	354	18.75	294	22.63	368
<b>April</b>													
	4	92.58	960	87.80	200	118.18	396	17.31	109	20.38	341	21.58	242
	11	87.00	400	1/	1/	118.56	360	15.02	202	18.48	339	20.44	270
	18	89.19	1,240	87.29	480	120.35	630	14.21	262	19.85	520	18.99	213
	25	93.00	40	84.57	280	118.65	374	13.80	150	18.73	330	19.70	115
<b>May</b>													
	2	88.57	280	84.00	400	118.22	270	13.74	242	18.54	306	19.38	231
	9	89.14	1,331	83.23	520	118.30	270	12.84	640	18.28	360	19.33	374
	16	1/	1/	84.00	400	118.25	160	12.63	279	18.26	460	19.78	186
	23	87.00	900	84.00	40	117.00	280	13.52	166	18.40	400	19.50	160
	30	87.00	400	1/	1/	116.65	384	11.33	285	18.33	346	18.57	70
<b>June</b>													
	6	86.15	2,600	83.14	280	118.00	108	13.60	223	17.54	260	20.08	217
	13	87.00	20	1/	1/	118.16	99	15.44	315	18.25	120	21.53	228
	20	86.11	360	78.77	600	117.69	800	19.36	280	16.50	120	22.47	344
	27	85.23	220	81.00	120	117.63	486	20.17	9	16.67	120	25.12	250
<b>July</b>													
	4	1/	1/	1/	1/	117.83	240	22.00	32	1/	1/	26.10	80
	11	88.00	400	78.67	600	117.88	1,103	19.87	181	17.25	480	24.60	172
	18	84.20	1,000	79.00	480	117.40	232	19.54	353	17.90	200	24.74	473
	25	85.00	120	1/	1/	119.00	25	19.93	108	16.41	170	24.87	230
<b>August</b>													
	1	85.33	120	79.91	440	117.10	1,349	21.13	310	17.52	364	26.80	50
	8	1/	1/	1/	1/	119.52	715	21.92	295	17.77	664	26.72	120
	15	1/	1/	78.38	1,280	129.70	906	21.70	210	17.68	95	26.31	175
	22	1/	1/	1/	1/	137.83	480	22.07	149	17.51	164	29.53	114
	29	82.00	40	77.00	600	156.64	864	24.44	228	18.48	244	30.51	345
<b>September</b>													
	5	1/	1/	1/	1/	168.46	694	26.00	201	18.55	218	31.71	245
	12	85.40	200	85.33	120	170.47	530	27.70	685	20.89	429	34.79	308
	19	87.00	120	79.00	280	169.04	540	27.88	332	21.92	74	39.29	252
	26	89.00	80	82.64	880	168.21	728	28.42	95	24.62	260	41.25	80
<b>October</b>													
	3	85.31	260	1/	1/	165.67	240	29.58	278	27.26	170	42.29	28
	10	1/	1/	82.50	160	166.43	741	30.66	129	27.42	72	42.80	196
	17	92.50	80	1/	1/	163.77	300	34.45	89	27.53	418	42.86	93
	24	90.96	920	84.50	160	164.80	200	36.42	142	26.00	60	43.70	491
	31	92.00	40	84.40	200	161.75	384	38.44	183	24.42	120	42.22	338
<b>November</b>													
	7	1/	1/	83.50	120	157.82	666	41.44	71	1/	1/	43.42	144
	14	1/	1/	82.00	80	153.71	420	43.08	591	20.44	180	42.47	265
	21	91.00	80	1/	1/	150.00	320	42.73	208	18.91	43	42.74	229
	28	1/	1/	1/	1/	150.00	280	44.57	105	19.00	40	44.67	180
<b>December</b>													
	5	1/	1/	1/	1/	150.00	80	43.83	180	17.73	490	43.02	462
	12	95.00	400	1/	1/	143.22	450	42.84	310	17.14	442	42.79	285
	19	89.00	640	83.56	1,000	144.57	560	39.45	188	16.36	220	42.36	224
	26	1/	1/	84.00	80	145.00	20	38.00	20	16.00	28	42.00	40
<b>Average 2003</b>		89.06	16,078	82.24	10,791	134.38	21,777	22.74	12,069	18.85	13,325	28.51	11,234
<b>Average 2002</b>		97.90	14,550	90.46	11,414	154.83	19,909	22.87	9,641	14.99	38,293	22.78	9,429

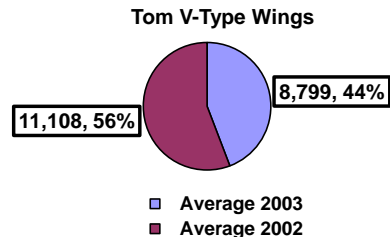
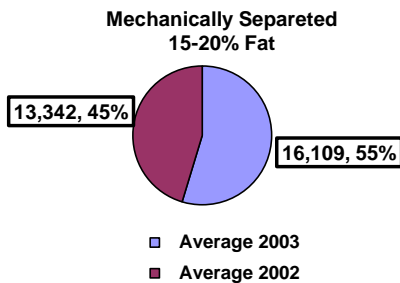
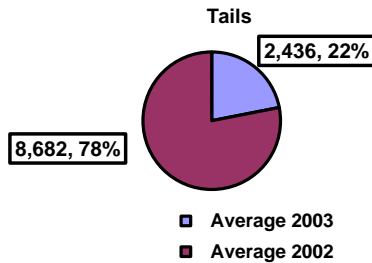
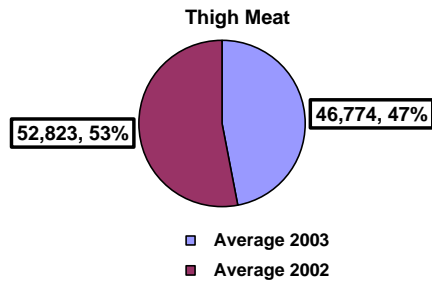
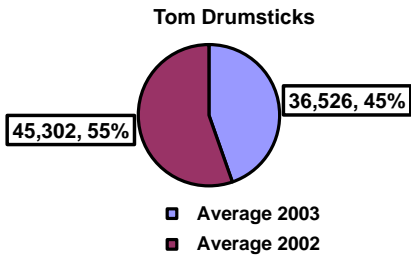
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**Table 56 -- PROCESSED TURKEY PARTS: Weighted average prices paid delivered to first receivers, frozen by months, 2003**  
(Cents per pound, volume in thousands of pounds)

Miscellaneous Export										
Month and Year	Tom Drumsticks		Tails		Thigh Meat		Mechanically Separated 15-20% Fat		Tom V-Type Wings	
	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume
<b>2003</b>										
January	18.04	4,570	18.02	218	44.83	5,553	13.97	1,640	20.39	1,264
February	18.65	3,977	19.83	240	47.17	5,380	17.07	1,232	22.60	520
March	22.04	2,310	18.91	220	49.45	3,298	17.40	924	24.33	312
April	19.33	2,976	17.53	266	50.60	4,504	17.14	1,632	22.28	936
May	19.51	3,297	16.00	52	50.79	6,040	17.38	750	18.61	1,354
June	22.67	4,485	19.25	80	51.26	8,288	16.67	854	21.28	1,404
July	25.12	3,596	16.95	500	51.64	4,968	17.32	3,364	23.61	1,291
August	27.40	1,888	18.77	372	57.92	2,930	18.66	1,584	26.27	782
September	38.75	3,392	22.82	148	89.90	2,360	26.31	768	30.50	260
October	42.00	2,509	23.29	340	93.19	1,448	28.86	628	42.46	676
November	42.16	1,332	1/	1/	87.99	712	17.48	920	1/	1/
December	41.62	2,194	1/	1/	83.98	1,293	16.09	1,813	1/	1/
<b>Average 2003</b>	<b>26.21</b>	<b>36,526</b>	<b>19.14</b>	<b>2,436</b>	<b>54.94</b>	<b>46,774</b>	<b>17.80</b>	<b>16,109</b>	<b>23.72</b>	<b>8,799</b>
<b>Average 2002</b>	<b>22.58</b>	<b>45,302</b>	<b>18.52</b>	<b>8,682</b>	<b>53.69</b>	<b>52,823</b>	<b>15.51</b>	<b>13,342</b>	<b>25.01</b>	<b>11,108</b>

1/ Not reported because of insufficient price data.

**Exports of Turkey Parts in Pounds**



**Table 57--PROCESSED TURKEY PARTS: Frozen weekly weighted average prices paid delivered to first receivers for Export, 2003  
(Cents per pound, volume in thousands of pounds)**

Week Ending	Tom Drumsticks		Thigh Meat		Mechanically Separated 15-20% Fat 2/		Wings Tom V-Type		
	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	Price	Volume	
<b>2003</b>									
January	3	18.57	448	57.08	520	1/	1/	22.11	432
	10	18.56	1,712	50.14	804	14.50	120	19.50	104
	17	18.07	1,288	47.84	556	16.00	104	19.30	260
	24	17.02	704	45.10	744	13.73	756	19.30	260
	31	17.68	602	42.66	3,329	13.82	660	20.00	208
February	7	16.51	659	46.24	672	15.00	40	20.00	104
	14	17.97	1,108	45.36	1,092	17.00	692	1/	1/
	21	19.37	1,490	46.70	2,260	16.50	208	19.00	52
	28	20.19	720	49.87	1,356	17.93	292	23.86	364
March	7	21.58	624	48.85	1,352	14.81	456	25.00	104
	14	22.12	916	48.90	316	19.38	128	24.00	208
	21	23.07	280	49.11	1,182	19.88	80	1/	1/
	28	21.33	386	52.53	448	20.20	260	1/	1/
April	4	21.52	488	59.95	532	19.00	40	23.00	624
	11	20.18	544	49.39	452	17.27	1,092	1/	1/
	18	19.06	1,110	50.00	1,512	15.45	276	20.83	312
	25	18.80	638	51.19	1,000	18.36	144	1/	1/
May	2	18.08	340	47.22	1,580	17.61	132	1/	1/
	9	19.53	1,483	50.08	1,367	16.69	248	18.00	312
	16	19.33	120	47.15	1,221	21.00	50	19.50	312
	23	19.98	838	48.36	1,480	17.60	200	20.00	156
	30	19.02	816	58.16	1,400	17.20	200	18.09	574
June	6	20.00	972	49.51	4,530	15.91	448	21.33	624
	13	21.29	864	46.30	696	18.00	20	21.00	52
	20	24.10	961	50.70	878	18.00	146	20.79	624
	27	24.10	1,688	56.69	2,184	17.00	200	24.00	104
July	4	24.59	296	49.70	606	15.82	228	25.00	216
	11	25.02	864	50.65	2,160	17.77	2,640	24.33	312
	18	24.54	900	51.89	424	14.56	124	23.05	520
	25	25.38	564	50.48	978	17.00	120	1/	1/
August	1	25.65	1,168	55.69	1,022	15.79	368	22.64	243
	8	25.88	828	54.42	1,260	17.77	1,048	26.50	520
	15	28.00	440	54.65	840	1/	1/	1/	1/
	22	1/	1/	62.00	160	17.00	80	1/	1/
	29	30.76	424	75.95	448	22.07	380	25.80	262
September	5	32.35	396	78.22	360	24.55	304	30.50	260
	12	35.80	952	86.82	220	27.50	104	1/	1/
	19	40.40	592	92.63	320	24.38	160	1/	1/
	26	41.59	984	92.78	1,200	29.90	200	1/	1/
October	3	42.63	815	92.53	380	32.00	40	1/	1/
	10	42.80	200	93.06	372	32.75	208	1/	1/
	17	40.81	912	92.17	240	27.40	200	1/	1/
	24	42.55	446	93.46	636	24.79	140	1/	1/
	31	42.38	604	94.00	80	27.00	40	42.46	676
November	7	41.75	240	92.36	212	21.50	40	43.71	140
	14	42.24	680	90.50	264	18.36	364	1/	1/
	21	42.26	412	80.10	196	16.36	280	1/	1/
	28	1/	1/	87.00	40	16.79	236	1/	1/
December	5	42.03	594	83.78	402	16.33	120	1/	1/
	12	42.09	704	84.24	572	17.53	344	1/	1/
	19	41.11	362	85.60	200	15.18	488	1/	1/
	26	41.07	172	78.50	79	16.32	653	1/	1/

1/ Not reported because of insufficient price data.

2/ Skin added.

**Table 58 -- PROCESSED TURKEYS: Average prices paid delivered to restaurants and institutions  
in the Los Angeles area, by months, 2003 1/**

(Cents per pound) 2/

Month and Year	U.S. Grade A, Frozen, Ready-to-cook		
	Young Toms 3/		Breast
	24-28 Pounds	28 Pounds and Over	10 - 12 Pounds
<b>2003</b>			
January	68.63	83.50	118.13
February	68.50	83.50	119.38
March	68.50	83.50	116.50
April	68.50	83.50	115.00
May	68.50	83.50	111.88
June	68.50	83.50	110.00
July	68.50	83.25	110.00
August	68.50	82.50	108.75
September	69.30	82.50	107.50
October	74.88	82.88	115.00
November	76.00	82.63	115.00
December	75.50	82.80	115.00
<b>Average 2003</b>	70.32	83.13	113.51
<b>Average 2002</b>	69.85	81.77	125.87

1/ Los Angeles area includes: Los Angeles, Ventura, Orange, San Bernardino, and Riverside counties.

2/ Price may be subject to total volume delivered.

3/ Includes weight selections and giblets.

**APPENDIX**

DIRECTORY OF SELECTED STORAGE CENTERS

Cold storage data are collected from the following storage centers each Monday and published as Cold Storage Holdings - Selected Storage Centers.

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Detroit, MI	Portland, OR
Grand Rapids, MI	South Bend, IN
Kansas City, MO-KS	Springfield, MA
Logansport, IN	St. Louis, MO

**PROCESSED TURKEYS**

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Atlanta, GA	Mankato, MN
Boston, MA	Memphis, TN
Chicago, IL	Minneapolis -
Corpus Christi, TX	St. Paul, MN
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Harrisonburg, VA	Sioux Falls, SD
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Jacksonville, FL	Springfield, MO
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Lafayette, IN	Turlock, CA
Logansport, IN	Union City, CA
Los Angeles, CA	

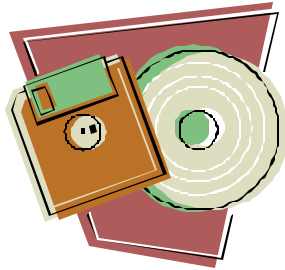
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Boston, MA	Nashville, TN
Chicago, IL	Oakland, CA
Dallas, TX	Omaha, NE
Denver, CO	Philadelphia, PA
Fort Worth, TX	Pittsburgh, PA
Fresno, CA	Portland, OR
Gainesville, GA	Sacramento, CA
Harrisonburg, VA	Springfield, MA
Kansas City, MO-KS	St. Louis, MO
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