

LIVE SPENT HEAVY FOWL

Prices are trending mostly weak. Offerings are moderate to heavy for the light and unaggressive demand. Processing schedules for next week are noted as less than normal due to the holiday. Sales of finished product are light to moderate for current needs. Market activity is slow. Retail activity is very light.

Final Prices at Farm Buyer Loading: Price Range Wtd Avg

Prices in cents per pound. 0.0 - 1.5 1.22
 (Southeast Region broiler breeder hens generally for processing, 7 lbs. and up; under 7 lbs. subject to discount.)
 Southeast Region = AL, FL, GA, KY, MS, NC, SC, TN, AND VA.

LIVE SPENT LIGHT FOWL

Prices are trending steady. Demand is light for the at least sufficient offerings of spent hens. Processing schedules for next week are less than normal. Market activity is slow. The majority price for removal cost are unchanged at 0-7 cents per head. Feature activity is moderate with the majority of interest being in the Southeast region.

(live hens are predominately egg-layers averaging about 3.5 lbs. live weight per bird.) Eastern region = AL, CT, DE, GA, KY, MA, MD, ME, MS, NC, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, SC, TN, VA, VT, and WV; North Central = IA, IL, IN, MI, MN, ND, NE, OH, SD, WI; South Central = AR, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, TX.

READY-TO-COOK FOWL

Midwest Region Negotiated Prices to First Receivers

(cents/lb. delivered to first receivers; US Grade A and Plant Grade)

	Price Range
Ice Packed (12/box):	80.0 - 86.0
Vacuum Packed (6-9/box):	85.0 - 90.0

Midwest region = IL, IN, MI, MO, OH, and WI

LIVE FOWL AUCTIONS

Hackettstown, NJ - Tue Mar. 30

		Price Range	Avg.
Heavy Fowl	each:	3.50 9.50	8.16
	per pound:		

Graystone Small Animal, Manheim, PA - Tue Mar. 30

Red Fowl	5-6 lbs:	0.65 0.80	per pound
	4-5 lbs:	0.60 0.65	per pound
Crossbred Fowl	5-9 lbs:	0.75 1.05	per pound

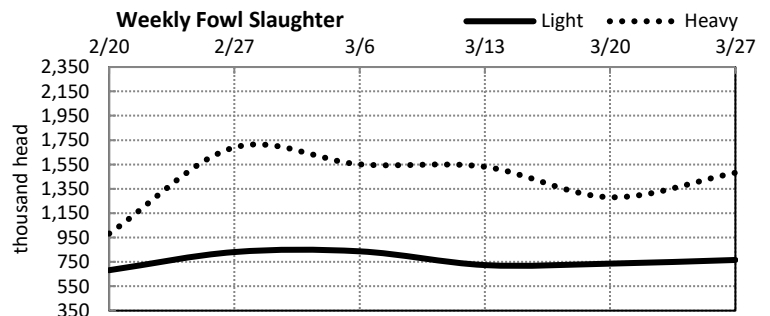
LIVE FOWL SLAUGHTER

Weekly Fowl Slaughtered Under Federal Inspection

Week ending 03-27-21

	Head	Avg Wt	RTC Wt	Dress%
Light Hens:	766	3.58	1,481	54%
Heavy Hens:	1,482	8.22	7,918	65%
Total Hens:	2,248	6.64	9,399	--

(head and ready-to-cook weight in thousands; avg. wght in lbs.)



RETAIL FOWL FEATURING

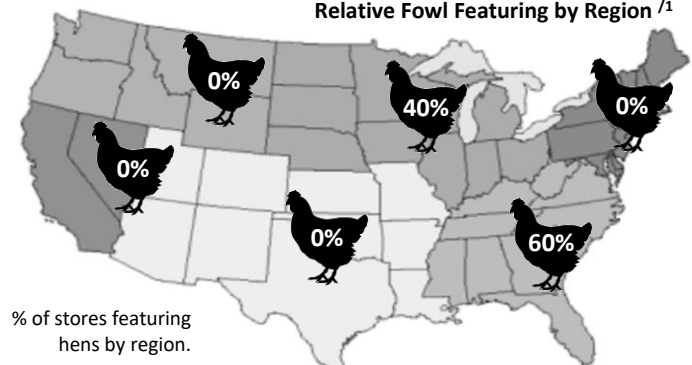
Supermarket featuring during the week of 04/02 to 04/08

(ad prices in \$/lb)	Light Hens		Heavy Hens	
Region	Stores	Wtd Avg	Stores	Wtd Avg
	302	1.07	9	1.08
Northeast				
Southeast	208	1.10	3	1.13
Midwest	94	0.99		
South Central			6	1.06
Southwest				
Northwest				

^{1/} %'s reflect feature activity relative to the sample size of each region.

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Relative Fowl Featuring by Region ^{1/}



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