

# Weekly Broiler Report

Hatcherymen in the Commonwealth placed 885,000 chicks for commercial broiler production during the week ending August 22, according to the Pennsylvania Crop Reporting Service. This was a decrease of 2 per cent from the previous week but 27 per cent above the comparable week a year ago. The 10 week total was 10 per cent above the same period last year. Eggs set for commercial broiler production totaled 1,063,000, 9 per cent less than a week earlier, but the same as last year. The 3 week total was 8 per cent above a year ago. In shipments of broiler-type chicks the past 10 weeks totaled 710,000 or 56 per cent above the comparable period last year. Outshipments of 1,353,000 were down 13 per cent. Placements in the 22 major producing states totaled 38,710,000 chicks, only 2 per cent below a week earlier, but 9 per cent above a year ago. The 10 week total was 6 per cent above last year. Settings at 49,062,000 eggs, were 3 per cent below the previous week, but 4 per cent above a year earlier. The 3-week total of 151,834,000 eggs set was 7 per cent above last year.

**Eastern Pa. & New Jersey**  
Supplies of heavy type hens limited with bulk of procurement from nearby states. Demand fair with occasional flocks moved at 14½¢. Offerings of light type hens limited & confined mainly to producers preparing space for

scheduled replacement flocks. Most producers holding birds for additional egg production due in part to favorable egg prices. Supplies of bronze hen turkeys ample, whites 14-16¢ barely adequate. Demand ranged light to fair on both types. Some bronze hens moved on an undetermined price basis though some priced at 24¢ & whites hens at 26¢. Prices paid at farms for light type hens 7-8¢ mostly 7½-8¢.

**Fogelsville, Pa.**  
(Prices for dock weights, ¢ per lb except where noted)  
Hens, light type 7½-9½, mostly 7½-8½; hens, heavy type 8½-16½, mostly 11-14; Pullets 22½-29½, mostly 24½-28½; Roasters 8-29, mostly 22-26½; Capons 26-32; Ducks 13-24½; Turkeys, toms 21½; Turkeys, hens 26-28; Rabbits 15-24½, mostly 18-22; Pigeons (per pan) 60-75, mostly 62½-70 Total coops sold 1,071.

## Chicago

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200-250 Higher in the Chicago carlot dressed trade, steer and heifer beef largely 100-200 Lower. Cow beef 200-250 Higher.

**Slaughter steers:** Loadlots Prime 1150-1425 lbs. 27 75-28-50, including nine loads at 28-50 on Monday but nothing exceeded 28 25 Wednesday with only three loads at the price, Bulk High Choice and Prime 1150-1450 lbs. 27 25-28 00, load High Choice & Prime 1475 lbs 27 75, load 1775 lbs 24 00, Choice 1100-1450 lbs 26 25-27-50, couple loads mostly Choice around 1500 lbs. at 26 00, Choice 900-1100 lbs. 25 25-26 75 and on Tuesday, several loads Choice 1000-1100 lbs. 27 00-27 25, Good all weights 22 50-25 00, Mixed Good and Choice 24 25-26 00, Standard and Low Good 19 00-22 50.

## Delmarva Prices Decline Over ½ Cent

Live broiler and flyer prices declined more than ½ cent. Demand was only fair for moderately active offering.

Ready to cook demand was spotty, and ranged from slow to fair as buyers continued to resist price range. Sizes continued lighter than desired. Delivered prices were mostly ¼ cent higher in an unchanged range, and very competitive.

Eastern slaughter for Friday and Saturday was 856,000 head as compared to 829,000 head last weekend.

Prices paid and reported purchases  
Broilers and flyers — 15 8 to 17 0.

938,700 head were purchased. This included 557,400 head purchased from a 586,700 head offered at Eastern Poultry Growers Exchange.

Forty-eight percent of the auction sales were at 16 0 to 16 4.

The Delmarva broiler-feed ratio for the week ending Aug. 22 was down 2 points from last week at 3 0. Broilers averaged 16 24 cents per pound, and average mash price was \$97.71 per ton.

# Weekly New York Egg Mkt.

From Monday, August 24th to Friday, August 28th

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
<b>WHITE</b>					
Ex.					
Fcy. Hywts.	46	46	46	46	46
Fcy Hywts.	43	42½-43	43	42	42
Fcy Med.	33½-34	35½	36 36½	36½	36½
No 1 Med.	32 33	33 34½	34½ 35½	35½	35½
Pullets	21	21	21	19½-20	20
Peewees	16-17	17	17	16	16
<b>BROWN</b>					
Ex.					
Fcy. Hywts.	46	47	47	47 48	47
Fcy Hywts.	44	44-45	45	45 46	46
Fcy Med.	34	35½	36½	36½	36½
Pullets	26	26	26	26	26
Peewees	16-17	17	17	16	16
<b>MIXED</b>					
Fcy Hywts.	42½	42½	42½	42	42
Standards	34-35	34-35	35	35	35
Checks	23-24	23-24	24	24	25

Trend Fine eggs continue to clear, but undertone rather irregular. Mediums in good balance.

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## Vintage

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20 25, U.S. 1-2 165-180 lbs. 18 60-19 10.  
SHEEP 17. Not enough on sale to establish a market. At the August 22 sale, hogs weighing 160-180 lb brought 18 85-19 35, 200-220 lb were 19 75-21 25, 220-240 lb were 19 75-20 85, 240 lb. up were 19 75-20 35; Sows brought 13.75-15 35.

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