

Poultry Market Reports

WEEKLY NEW YORK EGG MARKET

Monday, January 13 to Friday, January 17

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Ex. Large	62	62	62	64	64
Large	62	62	62	64	64
Mediums	58	58	58	59	59
Pullets	55	55	55	55	55
Peewees	40	40	40	40	40

BROWN					
Large	67	67	67	69	69
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peewees	Unquoted				

Off Grade					
Large	56	56	56	56	56
Checks	34	34	34	34	33

Tone — Steady to firm.
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NEST RUN EGGS

Prices are from Egg Clearinghouse, Inc., (ECI) Durham, N.H. and reflect trading prices for gradeable nest run eggs (GNR) on ECI, a nationwide trading center for producers, packers and marketers. GNR eggs are classified by weight in 30-dozen cases, and traded in lots of either 300 or 750 cases. Prices are FOB buyers dock, and are computed Tuesday and Thursday of each week. This week's prices for each classification were:

Classification	New Weight Per Case	Tuesday	Thursday
Extra Large	51 lbs.	0	0
Class 1 - Large	48 lbs.	54	55
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	50	51
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	43	43
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	43	43
Checks	48 lbs.	34	35

New York Dressed Meats

January 16, 1975



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Daily Distributive - less than carlot meat trade.

Compared with Wednesday: General Price structure weak for Steer and Heifer beef, Veal, Calf and Lamb. Listed Port cuts steady to weak.

Chain buyers active this session but purchasing power running conservative in these channels. Beef chucks sharply lower and ribs under pressure.

Steer Beef
Prime 600-900 lbs. \$67.50-69.00; Choice 600-700 67.00-68.50, 700-800 66.50-67.50, 800-900 65.00-66.50; Good 500-800 63.00-64.50.

Heifer Beef
Choice 500-700 lbs. 64.50-65.50.

Calf (Skin Off)
Choice 150-350 lbs. 58.00-66.00; Good 150-350 48.00-56.00; Standard 150-350 45.00-48.00.

Veal (Skin Off)
Choice 90-150 lbs. 84.00-92.00; Good 60-90 71.00-77.00; Standard 60-120 60.00-65.00.

Lamb
Choice and Prime 30-55 66.00-88.00, 55-65 84.00-86.00.

Choice Beef Cuts
Hinds (Steer) 145-190 lbs 76.00-78.00; Arm Chucks 90-105 65.00-69.00; Ribs (7-Rib) 34-40 75.00-80.00; Loins (Trmd) 50-70 90.00-95.00; Rounds (Steer) 70-95 84.00-85.00; Full Plates 35 00-36.00; Hinds (Heifer) 120-170 75.00-77.00.

Pork Cuts (Fresh)
Loins (Regular) 8-14 85.00-88.00, 14-17 85.00-87.00; Picnics (Regular) 4-8 53.00-56.00; Boston Butts 4-8 70.00-73.00; Spareribs 3 lbs. down 78.00-82.00; Hams (Skinned) 14-17 70.00-72.00, 17-20 68.00-70.00

Eastern Pa. & N. J.

Wednesday, Jan. 15
Prices unchanged on light type hens. Demand fair though unaggressive as finished product meeting light sale. Farm offerings fully adequate. Limited offerings of heavy type hens adequate for light needs.

Prices paid at farm: light type hens 5-6 mostly 6 in Pa., mostly 5-6 in N.J., heavy type hens TFEWR

Delmarva

Broiler-Fryer Market
Wednesday, Jan. 15

Ready to cook movement good especially where feature activity involved. Slaughter schedules remain heavy to fill needs. Advance interest fair though generally unaggressive. Today's less than trucklot asking prices ranged higher on both plant and U.S. grade A. Live supplies adequate at desirable weights. Undertone steady.

Negotiated trucklot prices 2-3 lb. ready to cook broiler-fryers for delivery next week: US Grade A, none; Plant Grade 43.

Current broiler-fryer negotiated prices for immediate delivery mostly multiple-drop shipments to New York City from Delmarva.

Range: US Grade A 44-46; Plant Grade 43-45; Premium US Grade A 47-48; Premium Plant Grade 45-46.

Wtd. Avg.: US Grade A 44.96; Plant Grade 44.09; Premium US Grade A 47.90; Premium Plant Grade 45.85.

Baltimore USDA Report

January 13, 1975

CATTLE 300. Slaughter steers & heifers 50c to mostly \$1 higher, other classes being held for morning auction.

STEERS: Part load high Good and mostly Choice yield grade 2-4, 1050 lbs. 39.25; mixed Good & Choice 980-1360 lbs. 38.00-39.00; Good 1000-1400 lbs. 31.50-36.00. **HEIFERS:** Few mixed Good & Choice 885-950 lbs. 34.00; Good 905-1050 lbs. 27.00-31.75.

HOGS 650. Barrows & Gilts 50c to 75c higher. US No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 41.00-41.50, near 50 head 41.75, No. 2-3 240-260 lbs. 40.50-41.00, No. 2-4 260-280 lbs. 39.75-40.50.

SOWS: Steady. US No. 1-3 300-400 lbs. 32.00-32.50, few 275-330 lbs. 32.50-33.00, No. 2-3 400-600 lbs. 31.50-32.00.

Philadelphia Eggs

Wednesday, Jan. 15
Prices unchanged. Cartoning demand light to occasional fairly good as retail clerks strike continues. Offerings adequate for current needs. Undertone steady.

Prices to retailers: sales to volume buyers, consumer grades white eggs in cartons, delivered: store door.

A extra large 67-68 1/2, a large 66-67 1/2, a medium 60-61 1/2.

Baltimore Eggs

Wednesday Jan. 15
Baltimore eggs: market steady. Demand is fair to good in instances where promotions in effect. Supplies are fully adequate.

Cartoned eggs: prices to retailers, state graded (min one case sale) white.

Grade A Large 69-75, mostly 69-71; Grade A medium 65-71 mostly 65-67.

New Holland Horse Auction

Monday, January 13
Reported receipts of 402 horses, mules and ponies. Market stronger than last week.

Local work horses 310-660; mules 185-275; better horses 240-675; driving horses 150-500; lightweight killers 16-18; heavyweight killers 20-23; mare ponies 15-35; colts 5-15 larger ponies 45-70 and pairs of work horses 650-1350.

Lancaster Feeder

Friday, January 10

Today 417
Last Week 496

FEEDER CATTLE: Feeder steers strong to 50 higher; insufficient volume bulls and heifers to establish a trend.

FEEDER STEERS: Choice 700-910 lb. 30.50-33.35; Choice 625-685 lb. 29.00-30.50; one lot mixed Good and Choice 425 lb. 29.75; Good 410-700 lb. 27.00-28.00; Standard 440-985 lb. Holsteins 18.50-19.00.

FEEDER BULLS: One lot Standard 775 lb. 17.85.

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NEW ENGLAND WEEKLY SHELL EGG REPORT

Tuesday, January 14, 1975

Prices paid per dozen Grade "A" brown eggs in cartons delivered to retail stores:

	EX LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
MASS+	72-81	69-78	64-73	52-61
Mostly	73-75	70-72	65-67	53-55
N. H.	70-77	67-74	62-69	50-57
Mostly	72-73	69-70	64-65	TWATE
R. I.	78-79	75-76	70-71	60-61
VERMONT	74-81	71-80	66-73	
Mostly	74-80	71-78	66-70	
MAINE	74-76	71-73	66-68	54-56

+Includes Central and Western Sections Only.

Fogelsville

January 7, 1975

(Prices paid dock weights, cents per pound, except where noted.)

Hens, Heavy Type 6-20, mostly 8-16; Pullets 43-48, mostly 43-48; Roasters 24-36, mostly 30-36; Ducks 43-55, mostly 43-48; Drakes 36-56, mostly 48-53; Turkeys Hens 47-51 1/2, mostly 47-50; Rabbits 35-62, mostly 55-57; Guineas 95 1/2, mostly 95 1/2; Pigeons (per pair) 1.00-4.31, mostly 1.40-4.10.

Total Coops Sold 447.

Sale of
January 14, 1975
Hens, Heavy Type 8-17,

mostly 10-12; Pullets 32-48, 43-48; Roasters 33-43, mostly 40-43; Capons 40; Ducks 49 1/2-51 1/2; Drakes 50 1/2; Geese 56; Turkeys, Toms 30-31; Rabbits 45-58, mostly 55; Guineas 86; Pigeons (per pair) 50-4.01, mostly 1.40-1.50.

Total Coops Sold 269.

Poultry received Monday 7 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. Tuesday 7 a.m. to 12 Noon. Sale at 11:30 a.m.

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