

Poultry Market Reports

From Monday, May 8 to Friday, May 12

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Ex Large	56	59	59	60	60
Large	53	56	56	57	57
Mediums	48	49	49	49	49
Pullets	38	39	39	39	39
Peewees	28	29	29	29	29

BROWN					
Large	58	61	61	62	62
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peewees	Unquoted				

Off Grade					
Large	49	51	51	52	52
Checks	31	31	31	32	32

Tone: Steady.

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N. E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

May 9, 1978

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

	Ex. Large	Large	Medium	Small
MASS. +	63-68	62-65	56-63	37-42
Mostly	64-66	63-64	57-59	38-40
NEW HAMP.	57-63	56-62	50-56	31-37
Mostly	61-62	60-61	54-55	35-36
R.I.	66-67	64-65	60-61	40-41
VERMONT	65-75	64-73	58-68	--
Mostly	67-70	66-67	60-65	--
MAINE	65-67	64-66	58-60	39-41

+ Includes Central and Western Sections Only.

Nest Run Eggs

Prices are from Egg Clearinghouse, Inc., (ECI) Durham, N.H. and reflect trading prices for gradable 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.		
Class 1 - Large	48 lbs.	47	48
Class 2 - Large	45 lbs.	43	44
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	38	39
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	31	31
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	41	41
Checks	48 lbs.	33	33

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Delmarva Poultry

May 10, 1978

Ready-to-cook movement good though occasionally less aggressive than past several days. Slaughter schedules fairly heavy. Today's LTL asking prices held unchanged at 47 on plant and 48 on US Grade A. Advance interest light with occasional Wednesday or later sale noted at 46 cents. Early week generally held at 47 cents. However no sales reported. Live supplies fully adequate at weights in a wide acceptable range undertone steady.

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

Range: US Grade A 47-49; Plant Grade 46-47½; Premium X US Grade A 53.00; Premium X Plant Grade 51.00.

Wtd. Avg.: US Grade A 47.95; Plant Grade 46.90; Premium X US Grade A 53.00; Premium X Plant Grade 51.00.

X-includes special services, selected competitive brands, etc.

Baltimore Eggs

May 10, 1978

Prices 1-3 cents higher. Demand irregular despite some feature activity on large in independent stores and on mediums in major chains. Supplies are adequate. Retail prices in major chains range 77-83 cents for extra large, 69-75 cents for large and 61-69 cents for mediums.

Cartoned eggs: Prices to retailers, state graded (Min. one case sale) white. Grade A Large 55-61 Grade A Medium 47-54

Eastern PA. & N.J. Poultry

May 10, 1978

Prices light type hens unchanged. Offerings increased overall, but no more than adequate for a fair processor interest. Offerings of heavy type irregularly distributed but adequate for a fair seasonal demand.

Prices paid at farm: Light type hens 7-9, mostly 8¾-9; FOB Plant 10-11¼, mostly 11 Heavy type hens TFEWR.

PACMA Eggs

PACMA-FACTS

The following market is supplied by PACMA-FACTS, a direct marketing organization affiliated with the Pennsylvania Farmers' Association. Participating poultrymen are members of PACMA, which employs a fowl marketing agent, The Farmers' Agricultural Cooperative Trading Society (FACT) - to sell members' fowl. PACMA works directly with the PFA poultrymen in the program.

Farm point prices prevailing for fowl to be marketed by members during the week of May 8 were 11-11¼ plant, and 9-9¼ farm.

Philadelphia Eggs

May 10, 1978

Eggs: Prices unchanged to higher on all sizes. Cartoning demand mixed ranging light to occasionally good where LTD promotions involved. Ofrgs of large and mediums fully adequate. Other sizes adequate to occasionally barely adequate on jumbos. Undertone steady. Prices to retailers: Sales to volume buyers, consumer grades white eggs in cartons, delivered: store door A Extra Large 52-58 A Large 51-56 A Medium 45-48

Regional Hay

May 8, 1978

(All hay No. 2 and better, prices paid by dealers at the farm and per ton.)

Hay and Straw steady, spots stronger.

Alfalfa 90.00-100.00, few 125.00; Mixed hay 80.00-90.00; Timothy hay 75.00-90.00; Straw 80.00-90.00; Mulch 50.00-65.00.

New Holland Horse

New Holland Sales Stables

Monday, May 8, 1978

Reported receipts of 305 head of horses, mules, and ponies. Market steady with last week's market.

Local driving horses 175-525; riding horses 175-300; better horses 350-750, one registered Quarter horse 1100; lightweight killers 29-35; heavyweight killers 39-42; mares 15-55; colts 10-25; geldings 15-50; larger ponies 75-200.

Hay Markets

Green Dragon Hay

Ephrata, Pa.

May 5, 1978

PRICES PER TON:

45 loads hay and 8 loads straw.

Alfalfa 112.00-168.00; Timothy 113.00-168.00; Mixed hay 94.00-162.00; Clover, 2 loads 106.00 and 116.00; Straw 91.00-120.00; Ear Corn, 6 loads 76.00-79.00; Corn Fodder, 3 loads 59.00-76.00.

New Holland Hay

Monday, May 8

New Holland Sales Stables

Total 118 loads.

Corn fodder 58-64; Timothy 94-132; mixed hay 91-146; straw 84-130; canary grass 137; broom grass 106; corn 73-81.50; and oats 1.70-1.80; alfalfa 96-150.

Harvey Z. Martin Hay Market

Leola, Pa.

Wednesday, May 10, 1978

150 Loads

Alfalfa 79 to 135.50, 1 load 155; Clover 2 loads 95 and 98; Timothy 84 to 132; Mixed Hay 81 to 115, some 120; 140, 2 loads 70 and 71; Meadow Grass 1 load 80; Hay and Straw mixed 2 load 95 and 98; Stubble Hay 62; Straw 17 loads 75 to 135; Corn Fodder 3 loads 58, 59, 57; Ear Corn 10 loads 60 to 80.50; Oats \$1.70 per bushel.



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