

Poultry Market Reports

Weekly New York Egg Market

Note: Due to a change in production and mailing schedules, this market will now carry prices from the previous Friday thru the Thursday of this week.

From Friday, April 27 to Thursday, May 3

	Fri.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.
WHITE					
Jumbo	73	73	73	73	73
Ex Large	70	70	70	70	70
Large	69	69	69	69	68
Mediums	63	64	64	64	64
Pullets	50	51	51	51	52
Peewees	40	41	41	41	42

	Fri.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.
BROWN					
Large	73	73	73	73	73
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peewees	Unquoted				

	Fri.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.
Off Grade					
Large	60	61	61	62	62
Checks	39	39	40	40	40

Breakers 47 47 48 48½ 48½
Tone: Large barely steady, mediums steady, pullets firm.
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N. E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

February 6, 1979

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

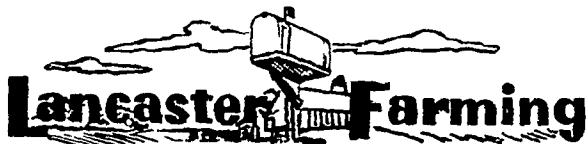
	Ex. Large	Large	Medium	Small
MASS. +	76-80	73-79	66-76	47-53
Mostly	77-78	74-76	67-74	48-51
NEW HAMP.	70-76	63-68	60-66	41-47
Mostly	71-72	64-65	61-62	42-43
R.I.	80-81	77-78	70-71	51-52
VERMONT	78-87	75-83	68-78	-
Mostly	80-85	77-80	70-72	-
MAINE	76-79	73-76	67-69	47-50

+ 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.	57	56
Class 2 - Large	45 lbs.	55	54
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	52	52
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	42	42
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	49	49
Checks	48 lbs.	41	41



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Philadelphia Eggs

May 2, 1979

EGGS: Prices unchanged. Cartoning demand fair though often less aggressive than expected. Offerings fully adequate on large, often barely adequate on smaller sizes. Undertone steady.

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

A Extra Large 68-71, A Large 67-69, A Medium 60-63.

Baltimore Eggs

May 2, 1979

EGGS: Market steady. Demand unaggressive. Supplies ample. - Surplus farm run continues to clear to breakers.

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

Grade A Large 73-76
Grade A Medium 67-69

Delmarva Poultry

May 2, 1979

Ready-to-cook movement fair but aggressive. Slaughter schedules fairly heavy. Today's LTL asking prices mostly 47 cents on Plant and 48 cents on U.S. Grade A. Advance interest often slow in developing. Supplies ample at weights within desirable ranges. Undertone unsettled.

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

RANGE: U.S. Grade A 47-50, Plant Grade 45-48½, Premium Sales (X) U.S. Grade A 53.

WTD. AVG.: U.S. Grade A 47.78, Plant Grade 46.98, Premium Sales (X) U.S. Grade A 53.00.

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

PACMA Fowl

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 April 30 were not available.

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U.S. population is slowing down, meaning a fewer number of new customers and an older average age.

Hay Markets

Good's Hay

Leola, Pa.

Wednesday, May 2

Total 107 loads. All prices per ton, unless noted.

Alfalfa 35-115, mostly 70-80; timothy hay 49, 51, 69; clover 72, 88; mixed hay 38-100; straw 55-76; corn 68-87.50; broomgrass 55; 1 load corn fodder 38; 4 loads orchard grass 54-89.

New Holland Hay

Monday, April 30

New Holland

Sales Stables

Total 154 loads. All prices per ton unless noted.

Alfalfa 39-96; mixed hay 36-82; timothy 29-75; straw 72-84; corn 75-83.50

Serving Fondue

For a successful Fondue, stirrers or dunkers are necessary. The real secret to Fondue is to keep the cheese mixture moving by having guests dunking into it with their pieces of bread, vegetables or fruit.

Eastern Pa. & N.J. Poultry

May 2, 1979

Prices unchanged to higher on light type hens at both farm and plant. Offerings lighter for a good competitive demand. Offerings of heavy type ample for a light to fair interest.

Prices paid at farm: light type hens 12-13½, mostly 13-13½.

F.O.B. Plant 15-16, mostly 15½-16.

Heavy type hens TFEWR.

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Regional Hay

April 30, 1979

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

Hay & Straw steady.
Alfalfa 50.00-60.00, few to 70.00; Mixed hay 40.00-50.00, few to 60.00; Timothy hay 35.00-50.00; Straw 40.00-60.00; Mulch 20.00-30.00.

Green Dragon Hay

Ephrata, Pa.

April 27, 1979

Prices per ton: Total 61 loads hay & 6 loads straw.

Alfalfa 50.00-89.00; Timothy 40.00-46.00; Mixed hay 40.00-72.00, few down to 34.00; Clover, one load at 55.00; Straw 63.00-90.00; Ear Corn, 6 loads 77.00-82.00; Corn-Fodder, one load at 43.00; Oats, one load \$1.80 per bushel.

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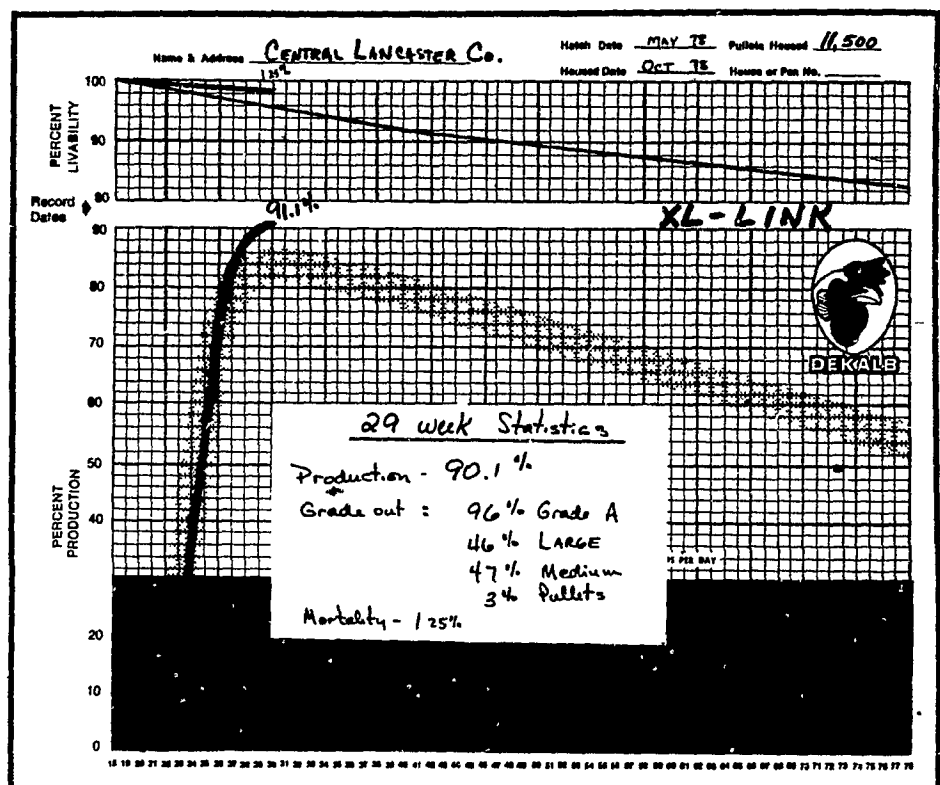
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