

Poultry Market Reports

Weekly New York Egg Market

From Friday, July 7 to Thursday, July 12

	Fri.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.
WHITE					
Jumbo	75	75	75	75	75
Ex Large	67	67	67	67	67
Large	65	65	65	65	65
Mediums	55	55	55	55	55
Pullets	42	42	42	42	42
BROWN					
Large	73	73	73	73	73
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peewees	Unquoted				
Off Grade					
Large	60	60	60	59	59
Checks	35	35	35	35	35
Breakers	42	42	42	42	42

Tone: Large steadier, mediums full steady. Pullets about steady.

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N. E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

July 10, 1979

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

	Ex. Large	Large	Medium	Small
MASS.	77-83	75-81	60-66	41-47
Mostly	77-81	76-79	61-64	42-45
NEW HAMP.	75-80	69-73	55-60	36-41
Mostly	75-76	68-69	55-56	36-37
R.I.	81-82	79-80	64-66	45-46
VERMONT	79-86	77-85	62-69	—
Mostly	81-83	79-84	64-68	—
Maine	77-80	75-78	60-63	41-44

—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.	49	49
Class 2 - Large	45 lbs.	47	47
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	40	40
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	34	34
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	46	46
Checks	48 lbs.	37	37

Delmarva Poultry

July 11, 1979

Ready-to-cook movement good on previous commitments but slow on new business. Slaughter schedules heavy in most quarters. Today's LTL asking prices mostly 43-44 on Plant and 44-45 on U.S. Grade A.

Advance interest slow in developing. Live supplies ample at weights. Occasionally heavier than desired. Undertone steady.

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

RANGE: U.S. Grade A 42-46½; Plant Grade 41-44½; Premium X U.S. Grade A 48.00.

WTD. AVG.: U.S. Grade A 43.65; Plant Grade 42.35; Premium X U.S. Grade A 48.00.

X - includes special services selected competitive brands, etc.

Eastern Pa. & N.J. Poultry

July 11, 1979

Prices light type hens unchanged though offering prices for future delivery tending lower. Processor demand fair for ample farm offerings. Offerings of heavy type hens ample for a fair call.

Prices paid at farm: light type hens 10-11, mostly 10½-11.

F.O.B. Plant: 12-13, mostly 13.

Heavy Type Hens: Too Few To Report.

Philadelphia Eggs

July 11, 1979

Prices unchanged. Cartoning demand fair with best interest centered on mediums. Offerings of larger sizes fully adequate, while often short on mediums. Undertone firm on mediums, steady otherwise.

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

A Extra Large 64-68; A Large 63-66; A Medium 52-54½.

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 July 9 were 11 farm, 13 plant.

Hay Markets

Good's Hay

Leola, Pa.

Wednesday, July 10

Total 62 loads. All prices per ton, unless otherwise noted.

Alfalfa 76-85; timothy hay 40-51; mixed hay 36-38; straw 49-64; clover, 1 load 22; corn 93-97.

Green Dragon Hay

July 6, 1979

Prices per ton:

Total: 23 loads hay & 10 loads straw.

Alfalfa, few 49.00-67.00; Timothy, few 48.00-50.00; Mixed hay 38.00-61.00; Clover, couple 46.00 and 55.00; Straw 49.00-60.00; Ear Corn, 24 loads 89.00-96.00, few down to 70; Barley, one load 1.75 per bushel.

Baltimore Eggs

July 11, 1979

Demand fair. Supplies of large adequate to ample, other sizes in balance with needs. Pricing is very competitive.

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

Grade A Large 69-73
Grade A Medium 58-61

New Holland Hay

Monday, July 9
New Holland
Sales Stables

Total 73 loads. All prices per ton unless otherwise noted.

Alfalfa 46-80; mixed hay 19-69; timothy 30-59; straw 26-84; corn 59-97.

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"Middleman" operations, the costs such as transportation, processing and packaging which are attached to a product after it leaves the farm, account for about 60 percent of the purchase price for a supermarket item.

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