

Poultry Markets

Weekly New York Egg Market

	From Friday, Aug. 29 to Sept. 4				Thurs.
	Fri.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	
WHITE					
Jumbo	88	88	89	90	91
Ex Large	77	77	78	78	79
Large	71	71	72	73	74
Mediums	63	63	63	63	64
Pullets	45	45	46	47	47
BROWN					
Jumbo	1.07	1.07	1.07	1.07	1.07
Ex Large	89	89	89	89	89
Large	87	87	87	87	87
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peewees	Unquoted				
Off Grade					
Large	64	64	65	66	67
Checks	37	37	38	38	39

Tone: Large barely steady. Balance medium easy.
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N. E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday Sept. 2
Report supplied by USDA

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

	Ex. Large	Large	Medium	Small
MASS. +	89-95	87-93	75-81	45-50
Mostly	91-93	89-91	77-79	47-49
N. HAMP.	84-91	82-89	70-77	40-47
Mostly	86-89	84-87	72-75	42-45
R.I.	93-94	91-92	79-80	49-50
VERMONT	91-97	89-95	77-82	-
Mostly	92-93	89-91	77-79	-
MAINE	91-92	89-90	76-78	47-48

+ 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	Net Weight Per Case	Sept. 2 Tuesday	Sept. 4 Thursday
Class 1 - Large	48 lbs.	58	59
Class 2 - Large	45 lbs.	55	56
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	48	49
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	37	38
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	46	49
Checks	48 lbs.	38	40

Philadelphia Eggs

Wednesday, September 3
Report supplied by USDA
Prices unchanged to higher on larger sizes. Unchanged on mediums. Cartoning demands fair. Offerings adequate on large, fully adequate on mediums. Undertone fully steady. Prices to retailers: sales to volume buyers, consumer grades white eggs in cartons, delivered: store door. A Extra Large 69-78; A Large 68-73; A Medium 58½-63.

Eastern Pa. & N.J. Poultry

Wednesday, September 3
Report supplied by USDA
Prices light type hens held about unchanged. Farm offerings barely adequate to short of needs as producers frequently hold birds for further production in face of rising egg prices. Offerings of heavy type adequate for a fairly good call. Prices paid at farm: light type hens 8-9, mostly 8½. F.O.B. Plant: 10½-11, mostly 11. HEAVY TYPE HENS: TFEWR.

Fogelsville Poultry

Fogelsville, Pa.
Tuesday, September 2
Report supplied by USDA
(Prices paid dock weights, cents per pound, except where noted)
HENS, LIGHT TYPE: range 8.
HENS, HEAVY TYPE: range 12-20.
PULLETS: range 47.
ROASTERS: range 46-47.
FRYERS: range 44.
DUCKS: range 70-89.
RABBITS: range 10-41, mostly 30-31.
GUINEAS: range 2.00.
PIGEONS (Per Pair): range 2.05-4.00, mostly 2.05.
TOTAL COOPS SOLD: 188.

Baltimore Eggs

Wednesday, September 3
Report supplied by USDA
Prices on large unchanged to one cent higher. Demand fair. Supplies adequate.

Cartoned eggs: prices to retailers, state graded (mn. one case sale) white.
Grade A Large 74-77
Grade A Medium 66-68



Western Maryland Market

Hagerstown, Md.
Tuesday, September 2
Report supplied by auction
BUTCHER COWS: Large run, \$1.00 lower. High Yield 48.00-50.60; Standard & Utility 46.00-48.00; Canners 44.00-47.00; Shelly 44.00 Down. Bulls Large run! Good 58.00-61.00; Med. 55.00-58.00; Steers Choice 68.00-70.25; Good 65.00-68.50; Heifers Good to Choice 62.00-66.25; Med. 55.00-61.00.
BUTCHER HOGS: \$3.00 under last week. US #1 & 3 215-240 lbs. 45.50-46.60; 240-260 lbs. 44.85-46.10; 195-210 lbs. 44.75-46.00; 175-195 lbs. 34.50-40.00.
SOWS: 400-600 lbs. 38.00-42.00; 300-400 lbs. 35.00-40.00.
BOARS: One 360 lbs. at 34.25.
VEAL CALVES: Small calves \$5 to \$10 lower. Good

& Choice 85.00-99.00; Standard 75.00-85.00; Stocky 60.00-70.00; Killers 80-100 lbs. 55.00-66.00; Weak & Rough 30.00-54.00.
CALVES RETURNED TO FARM: Good demand for heifers! Holstein Heifers 90-130 lbs. 140.00-190.00; Holstein Bulls 95-115 lbs. 100.00-113.00.
LAMBS: 1 75 lbs. Choice at 59.00.
STOCK CATTLE: Larger run - fair demand. Steers Good & Choice 350-600 lbs. 62.00-76.00; Heifers few 250-400 lbs. 65.00-74.00, bulk 350-600 lbs. 50.00-60.00.
BULLS: Good 300-550 lbs. 55.00-65.00; Choice 300-500 lbs. 65.00-75.00.
PIGS AND SHOATS: Smaller run - prices unevenly lower. By the Head 15-30 lbs. 10.00-21.00; 30-50 lbs. 18.00-30.00; By the Lb. 100-150 lbs. 35.00-40.00.
ST. BOARS: 200-260 lbs. 32.25-33.75.



TOP OF THE HOG MARKET
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EARLY CHICK MORTALITY VS. POTENTIAL EGG PROFITS



MCI Rep. Harold Mishler with Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Wertz, Shoemakersville, PA

How do you measure layer flock profitability? How many of the day old chicks you purchase make it into your laying house?

Excessive early chick mortality can always be replaced or adjusted on subsequent chick orders but not so with the potential income from those 240 eggs each pullet could have given you.

Just 2% instead of 1% early chick mortality on 60,000 chicks could mean the difference of \$600.00 potential income missed in the laying house. (20 doz. x 5¢ x 600 birds) Think of it next time you choose where to buy your next chicks.

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