

Poultry Markets

N. E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, Mar. 31
Report supplied by USDA

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

	Ex. Large	Large	Medium	Small
MASS +	83-92	79-88	69-78	51-58
Mostly	87-90	83-86	73-76	53-56
N. HAMP.	78-85	74-81	64-71	46-53
Mostly	80-83	76-79	66-69	48-51
R. I.	87-88	83-84	73-74	55-56
VERMONT	85-95	81-90	71-80	-
Mostly	87-90	83-87	73-76	-
MAINE	85-86	81-82	71-72	53-54

+ 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	Mar. 31		Apr. 2	
		Tuesday	Thursday	Tuesday	Thursday
Class 1 - Large	48 lbs.	63	64		
Class 2 - Large	45 lbs.	58	58		
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	50	52		
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	42	42		
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	47	47		
Checks	48 lbs.	42	42		

Weekly New York Egg Market

From Friday, Mar 27 to Apr. 3

	Fri.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.
WHITE					
Jumbo	79	79	80	81	82
Ex Large	77	77	78	79	80
Large	74	74	75	76	77
Mediums	66	66	67	68	69
Pullets	52	52	52	52	52
BROWN					
Jumbo	87	87	87	87	89
Ex Large	83	83	83	83	83
Large	79	79	79	79	79
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peewees	Unquoted				
Off Grade					
Large	68	68	68	68	69
Checks	39	39	39	38	38

Tone Large barely steady Balance medium easy
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Philadelphia Eggs

Wednesday, April 1

Report supplied by USDA

Prices unchanged to 1 cent higher on all sizes. Cartoning demand fair as buyers service weekend needs. Offerings fully adequate on all sizes. Undertone fully steady.

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

A Extra Large 71 1/2-79, A Large 71-76, A Medium 63-67

Eastern Pa. & N.J. Poultry

Wednesday, April 1

Report supplied by USDA

Prices lower on light type hens. Offerings ample to burdensome for a fair demand. Offerings of heavy type fully adequate to ample for a fair but generally unaggressive interest.

Prices paid at Farm
Lightweight at farm 9-10 1/2, mostly 10

FOB plant 11-13, mostly 11-11 1/2
Heavyweight FEWR

Baltimore Eggs

Wednesday, April 1

Report supplied by USDA

Prices unchanged to one cent higher. Demand slow to fair. Supplies adequate to ample.

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

Large 77-80
Medium 69-72

New Holland Horse

Monday, March 30

New Holland Sales Stables

Report supplied by auction

Reported receipts of 249 head of horses, mules, and ponies. Killer market steady, riding stronger. Work horses 950 00-1175 00, singles 1350 00-2000 00 pairs, Better horses 275 00-1000 00, Driving horses 375 00-875 00, Riding horses 375 00-525 00, Lightweight killers 375 00-525 00, Heavyweight killers 550 00-930 00, Mares 40 00-110 00, Colts 15 00-35 00, Geldings 40 00-110 00, Larger ponies 150 00-310 00

Heinsey's Poultry Market

Root's, East Petersburg

Tuesday, March 31

Report supplied by auction

MUSCOVY DUCKS, DRAKES

range 76-86

MUSCOVY DUCKS, HENS

range 72-78

PULLETS 6-8 lbs range 34-38

RED FOWL 4-5 lbs range 26-32

RED FOWL 5-7 lbs range 32-38

CROSSBRED FOWL 6-9 lbs

range 34-42

CROSSBRED ROOSTERS 4-6

lbs range 56-78

CROSSBRED ROOSTERS 7-10

lbs range 42-54

GUINEAS range 1 05-1 20

GEESE 9-12 lbs range 36-44

TURKEYS 23-25 lbs range 40-44

PIGEONS range 1 25-1 50 ea

WHITE PIGEONS range 2 35-3.10 ea

RABBITS 4-6 lbs range 92-1 20

RABBITS 7-10 lbs range 82-1 00

PEKING DUCKS range 68-74

GUINEA PIGS range 1 00-2 10 ea

EASTER BUNNIES range 2 50

+ 75 ea

GOATS range 32 00-54 00

KID GOATS range 23 00-45 00

TOTAL COOPS SOLD 800

Fogelsville Poultry

Fogelsville, Pa.

Tuesday, March 31

Report supplied by USDA

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

HENS, HEAVY TYPE range

38-40

PULLETS range 58

ROASTERS range 53

DUCKS range 79

RABBITS range 72-111

GUINEAS range 100-150

PIGEONS range 225-290

JUMBO SQUAB range 450-750

TOTAL COOPS SOLD 200

Delmarva Poultry

Wednesday, April 1

Report supplied by USDA

RTC movement very light and disappointing on both whole birds and parts. Slaughter schedules moderately heavy as plants occasionally need to kill to keep weights with desirable ranges. Today's LFL asking prices held unchanged at 47-48 on Plant and 48-49 1/2 on US Grade A. Though occasional lower prices indicated as possible. Advance interest very light. Live supplies ample to burdensome at weights occasionally heavier than desired. Undertone very weak and unsettled.

Estimated slaughter of broiler fryers in Delmarva (000)

Estimated 4/1 1641, Actual 3/25 1634, Actual 3/30 1673, Average Weights 3/30 4 26, 3/23 4 21

Joliet Cattle

Thursday, April 2

Report supplied by USDA

Slaughter steers & heifers were higher both Monday and Wednesday this week. Compared with Wednesday a week ago, Slaughter Steers through Wednesday were 50 to 75 higher & heifers fully 75 to mostly 1.00 higher. Although all grades & weights showed price strength, the major part of the week's advance was evident on good to average Choice grades. Cows weak, but very thinly tested after Monday. Receipts this week 3,500, last week 3,333, year ago 3,189.

SLAUGHTER STEERS Mixed Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1325 lb 61 00-62 50, Mostly 62 00-62 50 late; some 3-5 mostly 4 1300-1460 lb 57 00-59 00 Choice 2-4 1000-1225 lb 61 00-62 50, mostly 61 50-62 25 Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1000-1200 lb 59 50-61 50 Few Good 2 1350 lb Holsteins 54 00

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS Mixed Choice and Prime 3-4 975-1075 lb 60 50-61 25, mostly 60 50-61 00 Choice 2-4 900-1075 lb 59 00-61 00, mostly 60 25-61 00 late, load 3 1000 lb 61 25 Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 875-1000 lb 57 50-59 50

COWS Cutter, Utility, few Commercial 1-3 38 00-43 00, few 44 00

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