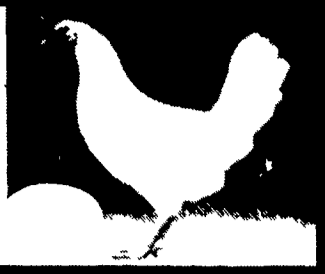


# POULTRY MARKETS



## 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	Weight	DATE	DATE
		May 29 Tuesday	May 31 Thursday
Class 1 - Large	48 lbs.	.60	.57
Class 2 - Large	45 lbs.	.57	.55
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	.52	.52
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	.38	.36
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	.51	.48
Checks	48 lbs.	.46	.43

## N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, May 29

Report supplied by USDA

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

	Ex. Large	Large	Medium	Small
MASS. X	.98-1.00	.96-.98	.85-.87	.73-.75
Mostly	.98	.96	.85	.73
N. HAMP.	.85-.89	.82-.86	.66-.70	.49-.53
Mostly	.87-.88	.84-.85	.68-.69	.51-.52
R.L.	.84-.92	.83-.89	.67-.73	.50-.56
Mostly	.84-.88	.83-.85	.67-.69	.50-.52
VERMONT	1.00-1.05	.95-.99	.79-.81	-
Mostly	1.05	.99	.80	-
MAINE	.92-.97	.89-.94	.73-.77	.56-.61

X Includes Central and Western Sections only.

## Eastern Pa. & N.J. Poultry

Wednesday, May 30

Report supplied by USDA

Market Comment: Prices are lower for this week's spotty trading with bid prices for next week's arrivals trending lower in spite of relatively limited offerings. Finished product sales are slow to fair.

Prices Paid at Farm:  
Light Type Hens: 9-11.  
F.O.B. Plant: 12-14½.

## Philadelphia Eggs

Thursday, May 31

Report supplied by USDA

MARKET COMMENT: Prices unchanged. Cartoned egg movement is light to fair and generally disappointing. Floor stocks of large are at least fully adequate. Extra large and jumbos are about adequate. Mediums and mainly smalls are currently in excess and difficult to move. Undertone barely steady on large sizes. Weak on mediums.

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

A Extra Large .72-.75½; A Large .71-.74½; A Medium .61-.66.

## New York Multiple Drop Broiler Report

Thursday, May 31

Report supplied by USDA

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

RANGE: U.S. Grade A .58-.63; Weighted AVG.: U.S. Grade A 61.63; Premium (X) Boxes 11.046. (X) Includes special services, selected competitive brands, etc.

## Heinsey's Poultry Market

Root's, East Petersburg

Tuesday, May 29

Report supplied by auction

RABBITS: 4-6 lbs. range 1.00-1.18 per lb.

RABBITS: 7-11 lbs. range .40-.82 per lb.

BUNNIES: range 1.00-2.00 ea.

GUINEA PIGS: range 1.25-2.50 ea.

GOATS: range 20.00-31.00 ea.

KID GOATS: range 25.00-38.00 ea.

TOTAL NUMBER COOPS: 290.

## Weekly New York Egg Market

From Friday, May 25 to Thursday, May 31

	Fri.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.
<b>WHITE</b>					
Jumbo	.81		.81	.81	.80
Ex Large	.78		.78	.78	.75
Large	.75	C	.75	.75	.72
Mediums	.66	L	.66	.64	.61
Pullets	.53	O	.53	.50	.47
Off Grade	.65	S	.65	.65	.62
<b>BROWN</b>					
Jumbo	-	E	-	-	-
Ex Large	.86	D	.86	.86	.86
Large	.85		.85	.85	.82
Mediums	.69		.69	.67	.65
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peewees	Unquoted				
<b>Off Grade</b>					
Undergrades	.46		.45	.45	.44
Checks	.44		.43	.43	.42

Breaking Stock: Friday - 15.90-16.20, 16.20-16.50; Tuesday - 15.60-15.90, 15.90-16.20; Wednesday - 15.30-15.60, 15.60-15.90; Thursday - 15.00-15.60, 15.30-15.90.

## Delmarva Poultry

Thursday, May 31

Report supplied by USDA

Market Comment: Ready to cook movement of whole birds is fair and current production is usually cleared to seller's satisfaction. Trading on legs, leg quarters and wings is showing improvement at lower price levels. Cutlets and breasts generally clear well.

Slaughter schedules remain heavy. Weights mostly desirable to heavy. Undertone about steady.

Today's L.T.L. asking prices are unchanged on U.S. Grade A at 58-63 cents.

Estimated slaughter of broiler fryers in Delmarva (000).

Estimated 5/31 2,004; Actual 5/24 1,977; Actual 5/29 1,997; Average Weights 5/29 4.26; Average Weights 5/22 4.32.

## New Holland Dairy

New Holland Sales Stables

Wednesday, May 30

Report supplied by auction

Reported receipts of 59 cows, 73 heifers, and 3 bulls.

Market steady.

Load of PA Fresh cows 875.00-1125.00.

Load of PA Fresh cows 560.00-1050.00.

Load of PA Fresh cows 800.00-1230.00.

Load of Luzerne Co. springers 600.00-830.00.

Load of Canada Fresh cows 850.00-1425.00, springers 950.00-1050.00.

Locally consigned cows 450.00-960.00.

Spring heifers 525.00-1100.00.

Open heifers 270.00-400.00.

Bulls 440.00-530.00.

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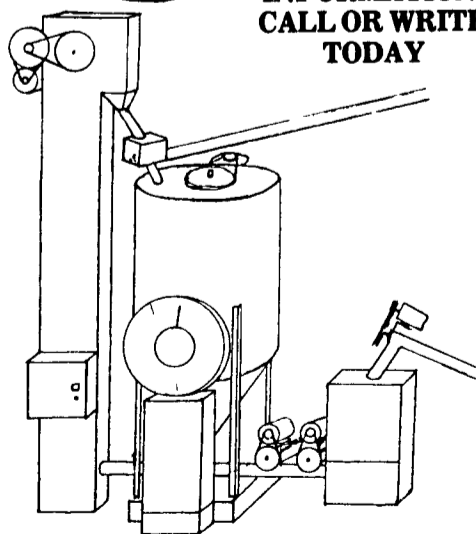
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