

POULTRY MARKETS



Northeast Chicken Parts

Thursday, Feb. 12, 1987

Comment: Buying interest was slightly improved but still no better than fair overall. Cutlets were fully adequate at 1.80. Line-one breasts were spotty but adequate for needs at 82 cents. Rib breasts were in good balance and no more than adequate. Legs were fully adequate to occasionally ample and clearances were not that good at current price levels. Leg quarters were ample and difficult to clear today with some product offered out for next week at 29-30 cents. Wings were tight as the demand remained fairly good in most quarters.
Breasts, skinned, boneless 1.80.
Rib-on-breasts .87-.89.
Line one breasts .82.
Legs .42-.43.
Leg quarters .31-.32.
Wings .46-.47.
Backs and necks .11-.12.

Livers .15.
Gizzards (hearts) .30.

Today's negotiated sales as of 11:30 a.m. prices paid per pound on ice packed part delivered in pool trucklot and trucklot quantities.

Philadelphia Eggs

Thursday, Feb. 12, 1987

Report Supplied by USDA

Market Comment: Prices were unchanged to lower on extra large and large, unchanged on medium. Trade sentiment barely steady to weak. Movement of cartoned eggs was mostly fair. Supplies of graded stock were starting to build in some quarters with loose product also in an adequate to fully adequate position.

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

A Extra Large .64-.68; A Large .62-.66; A Medium .54-.58.50.

Heinsey's Poultry Report

Root's, East Petersburg
Tuesday, Feb. 10, 1987

Report supplied by auction

Muscovy Ducks, Drakes: range .80-.96 per lb.
Muscovy Ducks, Hens: range .70-.78 per lb.
Pekin Ducks: range .50-.68 per lb.
Pullets: 5-7 lbs. range .50-.58 per lb.
Red Fowl: 4-4½ lbs. range .30-.42 per lb.
Red Fowl: 5-6 lbs. range .40-.52 per lb.
Crossbred Fowl: 5-9 lbs. range .30-.54 per lb.
Crossbred Roosters: 4-6 lbs. range .44-.84 per lb.
Crossbred Roosters: 7-11 lbs. range .40-.62 per lb.
Guinea Fowl: range 1.35-1.60 per lb.
Banty Roosters: range 3.00-5.50 ea.
Banty Hens: range 1.00-2.25 ea.
Leghorn Hens: range .11-.22 per lb.
Geese: 11-14 lbs. range .34-.44 per lb.
Pigeons: range 1.35-1.80 ea.
White Pigeons: range 3.25-3.85 ea.
Silkies: range 2.50-3.75 ea.
Doves: range 3.00-4.50.
Chukars: range 4.25-4.60 ea.
Rabbits: 4-6 lbs. range .90-1.20 per lb.
Rabbits: 7-11 lbs. range .80-1.00 per lb.
Bunnies: .75-1.50 ea.
Guinea Pigs: range .50-3.00 ea.
Kid Goats: range 10.00-30.00.
Total Number of Coops: 524.

Delmarva Broiler/Fryer Market

Thursday, February 12, 1987

*****CORRECTED COPY ON ACTUAL SLAUGHTER ON 2/5 SHOULD READ 2021*****
DEMAND FOR READY-TO-COOK WHOLE BIRDS WAS IMPROVED IN MOST QUARTERS AND WAS FAIR TO OCCASIONALLY FAIRLY GOOD OF FERINGS REMAINED ADEQUATE AND IN FAIRLY GOOD BALANCE FOR IMMEDIATE TYPE DELIVERIES. ADVANCE INTEREST WAS SPOTTY AND GENERALLY UNAGGRESSIVE BONELESS AND WHOLE BREASTS WERE IN GOOD OVERALL BALANCE WITH DEMAND AND WINGS CLEARED WELL AT HIGHER TRENDING PRICES LEGS AND LEG QUARTERS WERE COMPETITIVELY PRICED AND STILL SLOW IN CLEARING LESS THAN TRUCKLOT ASKING PRICES WERE UNCHANGED AT 48-54 CENTS LIVE SUPPLIES WERE MODERATE TO HEAVY WEIGHTS DESIRABLE TO HEAVY SLAUGHTER SCHEDULES WERE MODERATELY HEAVY THE UNDERTONE WAS CAUTIOUSLY STEADY ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000)
ESTIMATED ACTUAL ACTUAL AVERAGE WEIGHTS 2/12 2/5 2/10 2/10 2/3 2010 **2021***
963 4 54 4 65
NEW YORK MULTIPLE DROP BROILER REPORT CURRENT BROILER/FRYER NEGOTIATED PRICES FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY INCLUDES MOSTLY MULTIPLE-DROP SHIPMENTS OF BRANDED AND WING TAGGED TO NEW YORK CITY FROM DELMARVA BRANDED U.S. GRADE A RANGE 48 54 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 51 67 NO OF BOXES 8 756 PSJR 1259E AC

Weekly New York Egg Market Northeast Quotes

From Friday Feb. 6 to Thursday, Feb. 12

	Fri.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.
WHITE					
Jumbo	.77	.77	.76	.76	.75
Ex. Large	.73	.73	.72	.72	.71
Large	.70	.70	.69	.69	.68
Medium	.62	.62	.60	.60	.60
Pullets	.51	.51	.49	.49	.48
Off Grade	.59	.59	.58	.58	.57
BROWN					
Ex. Large	.91	.91	.89	.89	.87
Large	.86	.86	.84	.84	.82
Mediums	.69	.69	.67	.67	.65
OFF GRADE					
Undergrades	.38	.38	.38	.37	.37
Checks	.36	.36	.36	.35	.35
Breaking Stocks: Friday 48-50 lbs. 43.00-45.00; 50 lbs. up Friday 45.00-46.00; Wednesday 48-50 lbs. 42.00-44.00; 50 lbs. up 44.00-45.00.					

N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, Feb. 10

Report Supplied by USDA

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

	Ex. Large	Large	Medium	Small
N. HAMP.	.88-.92	.82-.86	.76-.80	.40-.52
Mostly	.90-.91	.84-.85	.78-.79	.50-.51
R.I.	.91-.95	.85-.89	.80-.84	.52-.56
Mostly	.91	.85	.80	.52
VERMONT	.95-.99	.89-.95	.79-.92	
Mostly	.95	.89	.84	
MAINE	.95-1.02	.89-.96	.84-.90	.56-.62

Delmarva Poultry

Thursday, Feb. 12, 1987

Market Comment: Demand for ready to cook whole birds was improved in most quarters and was fair to occasionally fairly good. Offerings remained adequate and in fairly good balance for immediate type deliveries. Advanced interest was spotty and generally unaggressive. Boneless and whole breasts were in good overall balance with demand and wings cleared well at higher trending prices. Legs and leg quarters were competitively priced and still slow in clearing. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchanged at 48-54 cents. Live supplies were moderate to heavy. Weights desirable to heavy. Slaughter schedules were moderately heavy. The undertone was cautiously steady.

Estimated slaughter of broiler fryers in Delmarva:

Estimated 2/12 2,010,000; Actual 2/5 1,847,000.

Actual 2/10 963,000.

Average Weights 2/10 4.54, 2/3 4.65.

New York And Philadelphia Frozen Egg Report

Tuesday, February 10, 1987

NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA FROZEN EGG REPORT FEDERAL STATE
PRICES EDGED LOWER ON ALL ITEMS TRADING ACTIVITY WAS LIGHT TO MODERATE RAW MATERIALS WERE USUALLY READILY AVAILABLE AT INCREASINGLY COMPETITIVE PRICE LEVELS MOST BREAKERS WERE RUNNING FULL SCHEDULES FLOOR STOCKS WERE BUILDING AND IN MOST CASES WERE FULLY ADEQUATE FOR CURRENT TRADE NEEDS
WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES (PER POUND IN 30 LB CONTAINERS) U.S. DA INSPECTED CLASS TRUCKLOTS LTL (MIN 25 CONT) WHOLE 45 47 MOS 46 48-56 BLENDS 55-65 WHITES 37 39 MOS 38-39 40-45 YOLKS (MIN 43 PCT SOLIDS) SUGARED 61 64 MOS 62 63 65-72 SALTED 55-58 MOS 56-57
WHOLE PLUS YOLK PLUS SWEETNER GENERALLY 28 32 PCT EGG SOLIDS

Eastern PA and NJ Poultry

Wednesday, Feb. 11, 1987

Report Supplied by USDA

Market Comment: Prices unchanged to slightly lower. Market tone about steady and generally affected by an irregular but somewhat lackluster call for canner pack. Seller offerings at least adequate for next week with most plants closing for the holiday. Prices Paid at Farm:

Light Type Hens: .12-.14, mostly .13-13½.

F.O.B. Plant: .15-.18.

New York Multiple Drop Broiler Report

Thursday, Feb. 12, 1987

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 48-54. Weighted AVG.; U.S. Grade A 51.67.

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Eastern Regional Turkeys

Thursday, February 12, 1987

TRADING FOR MARCH AND APRIL CONTINUED ACTIVE FOR BOTH FRESH AND FROZEN HENS SELLER OFFERINGS WERE LIMITED BUT USUALLY ADEQUATE FOR DEFERRED SHIPMENTS BUYING ACTIVITY ON TOMS WAS LIGHT WITH OFFERINGS CONFIDENTLY HELD



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