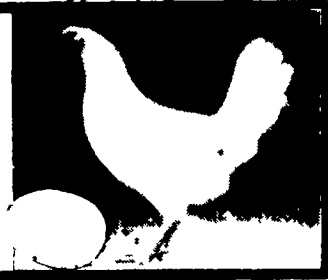


POULTRY MARKETS



Delmarva Broiler/Fryer & NY Multiple Drop

Thursday, September 10, 1987
 MINIMUM AMOUNTS - SHELL EGGS 15,000 DZN, ALL OTHER ITEMS 30,000 LBS. DPSC - DAILY PRICE SPREAD - TRUCKLOT NORMAL REQUIREMENTS - NORMAL PROCUREMENT LEAD TIME (14 DAYS) TOTAL TRUCKLOT SHELL EGGS PURCHASED UNDER NATIONAL SOLICITATION-120,000 DOZEN.

SHELL EGGS: AREA SIZE EXPORT DOMESTIC EAST MED OR LARGER - 43.50 NORTHWEST MED OR LARGER 46.25 45.20 SO. CALIFORNIA MED OR LARGER 47.80 41.94-43.94.

FROZEN EGGS: WHOLE, TABLE GRADE, 10 LB. CANS - 15,000 LBS. EAST - 49.74.

TURKEY, BONELESS, FROZEN, RAW - 38,000 LBS. EAST 127.70 - CALIFORNIA 121.99 - TURKEY, RTC WHOLE YOUNG TOMS - 38,000 LBS. EAST 58.20.

National Egg Market

Thursday, September 10, 1987
 NATIONAL EGG MARKET - AT A GLANCE:
 THE MARKET TONE WAS MOSTLY

STEADY. CARTONED EGG MOVEMENT WAS GENERALLY MODERATE TO GOOD IN AREAS OF ATTRACTIVE RETAIL PROMOTIONS. SUPPLIES WERE USUALLY IN BALANCE WITH CURRENT DEMAND ALTHOUGH SOME AREAS REPORTED A TIGHTENING OF MEDIUMS AND SMALLS. BREAKERS WERE UNAGGRESSIVE WITH OFFERINGS INCREASING. FINISHED PRODUCT SALES WERE LIGHT.

Philadelphia Eggs

Thursday, Sept. 10
 Report Supplied by USDA
 MARKET COMMENT: PRICES WERE UNCHANGED. THE MARKET TONE WAS GENERALLY STEADY TO INSTANCES FULLY STEADY. CARTONED EGG DEMAND WAS FAIR TO GOOD. SUPPLIES WERE GENERALLY IN GOOD BALANCE WITH SOME DEALERS REPORTING SMALLS AND MEDIUMS AS BECOMING INCREASINGLY DIFFICULT TO LOCATE.

PRICES TO RETAILERS: SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, CONSUMER GRADES WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS DELIVERED STORE DOOR:
 A EXTRA LARGE .71-.73; A LARGE .69-.71; A MEDIUM .52-.54.

Northeast Chicken Parts

Thursday, Sept. 10, 1987
 COMMENT: TRADING ACTIVITY WAS LIGHT TO OCCASIONALLY FAIR. CUTLETS WERE IRREGULAR BUT THE BULK OF SALES STILL TOOK PLACE IN THE 1.80-1.85 RANGE. LINE RUN BREASTS WERE FULLY ADEQUATE AND EASILY AVAILABLE AT 75 CENTS WITH AN OCCASIONAL SALE NOTED BELOW THIS LEVEL. RIB BREASTS WERE FULLY ADEQUATE TO OCCASIONALLY AMPLE FOR A DISINTERESTED CALL. LEG QUARTERS WERE INCREASINGLY AVAILABLE AND SLOW TO CLEAR. LEGS WERE NOT AS DIFFICULT TO MOVE AS QUARTERS BUT HAVE ALSO INCREASED IN AVAILABILITY. WINGS WERE TIGHT AND WANTED AS MOST BUYERS FIND ORDERS WERE BEING SHORTED TO SOME DEGREE.

BREASTS, SKINNED, BONELESS 1.80-1.85.
 RIB-ON-BREASTS .79-.80.
 LINE RUN BREASTS .75.
 LEGS .40-41.
 LEG QUARTERS .29-.30.
 WINGS .41-42.
 BACKS AND NECKS .11-.12.
 LIVERS .30-.35.
 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) .25-.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.

Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey

Wednesday, Sept. 9
 Report Supplied by USDA
 MARKET COMMENT: TRADING PRICES RETURNED TO A MORE NORMAL SPREAD COMPARED TO LAST WEEK. THE MARKET TONE WAS FULLY STEADY. OFF-FARM MOVEMENT WAS LIGHT AND MOST BUYERS HAD NOT COMPLETED BOOKINGS, FOR NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULES. FINISHED PRODUCT SALES WERE UNAGGRESSIVE BUT FAIR OVERALL.
 PRICES PAID AT FARM:
 LIGHT TYPE HENS: .10-.12, MOSTLY .11

New York & Philadelphia Frozen Eggs

Friday, September 4, 1987
 PRICES CONTINUED TO TREND HIGHER RAW MATERIALS WERE LIMITED AND CONFIDENTLY HELD BUYERS GENERALLY TOOK A WAIT AND SEE POSITION FLOOR STOCKS WERE USUALLY ADEQUATE FOR IMMEDIATE TYPE NEEDS
 WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES (PER POUND IN 30 LB. CONTAINERS) U.S.D.A. INSPECTED CLASS TRUCKLOTS LCL (MIN 25 CONT) WHOLE 44-47 MOS 45-46 48-55 BLENDS (I) - 54-63 WHITES 26-28 MOS 27-28 28-35 YOLKS (MIN. 43% SOLIDS) SUGARED 63-68 MOS 65-67 69-75 SALTED 61-65 MOS 63-64 (I) - WHOLE PLUS YOLK PLUS SWEETENER, GENERALLY 28-32% SOLIDS

Weekly New York Egg Market Northeast Quotes

	From Friday, Sept. 4 to Thursday, Sept. 10				
	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.
WHITE					
JUMBO	.96		.96	.96	.96
EX. LARGE	.88		.88	.88	.88
LARGE	.75		.75	.75	.75
MEDIUM	.58		.58	.59	.59
PULLETS	.45		.45	.45	.45
OFF GRADE	.64		.64	.64	.64
BROWN					
EX. LARGE	.90		.90	.90	.90
LARGE	.84		.84	.84	.84
MEDIUMS	.60		.60	.60	.60
OFF GRADE					
UNDERGRADES					
AND CHECKS	.32		.32	.32	.32
BREAKING STOCKS: FRIDAY 42-44 LBS. 32.00-34.00, 48-50 lbs. 40.00-42.00, 50 LBS. UP 42.00-44.00.					

N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

Thursday, Sept. 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.	.92-.96	.83-.92	.61-.65	.38-.42
MOSTLY	.94-.95	.83-.84	.62-.64	.40-.41
R.I.	.91-.99	.87-.95	.60-.68	.37-.45
MOSTLY	.91	.87	.60	.37
VERMONT	.99-1.05	.95-.99	.72-.75	
MOSTLY	1.00	.95	.72	
MAINE	.99-1.06	.95-1.02	.68-.75	.45-.52

New England Shell Eggs

Wednesday, September 9, 1987
 SHELL EGGS IN NEW ENGLAND: FEDERAL-STATE MEDIUM LOOSE PRICES INCREASED, BALANCE UNCHANGED.

THE MARKET TONE WAS STEADY TO FULLY STEADY. SUPPLIES OF BROWN EGGS WERE BARELY ADEQUATE TO ADEQUATE FOR THE MOSTLY GOOD DEMAND. WHITE EGGS HAD BECOME SOMEWHAT MORE AVAILABLE, BUT WERE STILL DIFFICULT TO LOCATE.

PRICES PAID TO PRODUCERS FOR LOOSE BROWN EGGS AT FARM, CASES EXCHANGED, GRADE YIELD BASIS, CENTS PER DOZEN
 RANGE JUMBO 94-97; EX LARGE 66-69, LARGE 62-65, MEDIUM 36-39, SMALL 12-15
 BOSTON PRICES TO RETAILERS SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, CONSUMER GRADE BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS DELIVERED STORE DOOR
 RANGE A EXTRA LARGE 87-90, A LARGE 83-86, A MEDIUM 56-59

St. Louis Cattle, Hogs

Thursday, September 10, 1987
 FLASH 51 CLOSE CATTLE AND CALVES 900: (SLTR 100, FDRS 800) BULK OF RECEIPTS FEEDER CATTLE FOR THURSDAY'S AUCTION. OPEN MARKET CONSISTS OF COWS. TRADING SLOW COWS 1.00-2.00 HIGHER, MOST ADVANCE ON HIGH-YIELDING CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY.

COWS BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 2-4 43.00-46.00. CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 1-2 46.00-48.00. HIGH-YIELDING CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 1-2 48.00-49.00, FEW UP TO 50.00. CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 1-2 40.00-44.00 SHELLY CANNER 1-2 36.00-40.00. DS CB 43.00-46.00 CD 45.00-50.00 CG 43.00-49.00 CH 39.00-43.00.

CLOSE HOGS: BARROWS AND GILTS 260-270 LBS. 58.00, LATE 57.50 REST UNCHANGED RM B 58.00-58.25 C 58.25-58.25 G 58.00-58.25 H 58.25-58.25 J 58.00-58.25 @ 57.50-58.25 P 55.75-55.25 VV 48.50-49.50 WW 49.50-51.00 XX 54.00-55.50 YY 56.00-56.50 ZZ 47.50-47.50.



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choppy trading with pressure stemming from long liquidation on profit-taking and the unwinding of some cattle/belly spreads. Futures were unable to sustain any rallies with traders expressing concern that the pit was overbought, and due for a technical correction. Support came from higher dressed beef prices and ideas beef cut-out values would increase. Nearby losses were pared by the strong cash fundamentals. Feeder cattle closed slightly higher, and just under session highs.

CME FEEDER CATTLE SETTLEMENT PRICE: 9/07/87 \$78.16 up \$.50.

ACRES NEXT DAY OUTLOOK: cash - steady.

ACRES HOG UPDATE: Live hog and pork belly prices settled mostly higher on ideas of steady to higher cash hogs at terminal and interior hog buying stations tomorrow and cash-connected establishment of long positions. Buying was also prompted by firmer than expected midday pork product prices. Bellies continued to be dominated by technical factors as prices were lifted by light short-covering and the lifting of cattle/belly spreads.

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