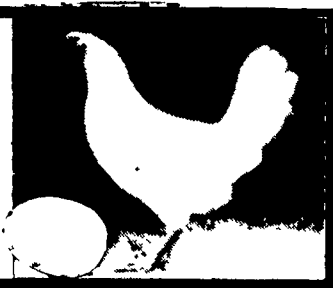


POULTRY MARKETS



Delmarva Broiler/Fryer

Wednesday, February 10, 1988
DEFENSE PERSONNEL SUPPORT CENTER PURCHASES FOR FEBRUARY 9, 1988.
CORRECTION: TO SHOW THAT THERE WERE NO SHELL EGG OR POULTRY PURCHASES.
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).
There were no shell egg or poultry purchases.

National Egg Market

Wednesday, February 10, 1988
West Coast prices were unchanged to lower and the market tone remained unsettled. Elsewhere, prices were unchanged under an about steady and cautious market tone. Cartoned egg demand was mostly moderate, better where featured. Supplies were adequate to ample. Breakers had sufficient offerings to run full schedules. Spent hen offerings were fully adequate under a steady market tone.

New York Egg Market

Wednesday, February 10, 1988
Prices were unchanged. Trade sentiment was cautiously steady. Retail features were noted at 49-69 cents on large with more specials scheduled for next week. Cartoned egg demand was mixed, best where featured. Supplies of all sizes continued adequate to ample with mediums becoming more available.
PRICES TO RETAILERS - SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, CONSUMER GRADE A WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS DELIVERED STORE DOOR.
A EXTRA LARGE .52-.54; A LARGE .49-.52; A MEDIUM .45-.48.

East Pa. And NJ Poultry

Wednesday, February 10, 1988
Prices remained unchanged with a steady undertone. Processors were still finding it easy to fill schedules. Due to sluggish demand an occasional plant was noted as running a reduced schedule.
LIVE LIGHT TYPE HENS. AT FARM 3-4 MOSTLY - F.O.B PLANT - MOSTLY

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Hackettstown Poultry & Egg

Hackettstown, N.J.
Tuesday, Feb. 9, 1988
Report Supplied by Auction
HEAVY FOWL .45-.55.
LEGHORN FOWL .20-.75.
ROASTERS .75-1.40.
GEESE .50-.70.
BATAMS 1.50.
ROOSTERS .30-1.35.
DUCKS .50-.75.
RABBITS .40-1.70.
PIGEONS 1.60.
GUINEAS 1.70-2.50.

EGGS
GRADE A
WHITE
JUMBO X LGE .35-.67; LARGE .30-.50; MEDIUM .28-.50.
BROWN
JUMBO X LGE .54-.69; LARGE .41-.51, MEDIUM .27-.31; SMALL 22.

NE Chicken Parts

Wednesday, February 10, 1988
Trading activity was fair overall and sufficient to keep supplies in good balance to tight depending on the item. Inquiry for breasts remains fairly active and difficult to fill particularly on line run breasts. Cutlets were still adequate and most buyers could still cover current needs at 1.60. Legs and leg quarters were in better balance but adequate for immediate deliveries. Wings were well cleared and dealers were willing to build some inventory on this item. Giblets were irregular but have moved into a closer balance in a few quarters.
TODAYS NEGOTIATED SALES AS OF 11:30 A.M., PRICES PAID PER POUND ON ICE PACKED PARTS DELIVERED IN POOL TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES: ITEM CURRENT NEGOTIATED TRADING
BREASTS SKINNED BONELESS 1.60
RIBS ON 92-.93.
LINE RUN .89-.90
LEGS .26-.27.
LEG QUARTERS 18-19
WINGS .32-.33.
BACKS & NECKS .11-.12.
LIVERS .10-.15
GIZZARDS (HEARTS) .20-.25.
Includes New York City Metropolitan area, Northern New Jersey, Massachusetts, Connecticut and Rhode Island.

Philadelphia Eggs

Thursday, Feb. 11, 1988
Report Supplied by USDA
MARKET COMMENT: PRICES WERE STEADY AND THE UNDERTONE WAS CAUTIOUS. CARTONED EGG DEMAND WAS SLOW TO GOOD WITH FEATURES, MOSTLY MODERATE. LOOSE EGG DEMAND WAS SLOW TO FAIR AND NEGOTIATED TRADES CONTINUED AT COMPETITIVE LEVELS. SUPPLIES WERE ADEQUATE TO AMPLE.
PRICES TO RETAILERS: SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, CONSUMER GRADES WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS DELIVERED STORE DOOR:
A EXTRA LARGE .50-.53; A LARGE .48-.51; A MEDIUM .41-.46.

Weekly New York Egg Market Northeast Quotes

	From Fri., Feb. 5 to Thurs., Feb. 11				
	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.
WHITE					
JUMBO	.60	.60	.60	.60	.60
EX. LARGE	.57	.57	.57	.57	.57
LARGE	.54	.54	.54	.54	.54
MEDIUM	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50
PULLETS	.40	.40	.40	.40	.39
OFF GRADE	.42	.42	.42	.42	.42
BROWN					
EX. LARGE	.71	.71	.71	.71	.71
LARGE	.66	.66	.66	.66	.66
MEDIUMS	.58	.58	.58	.58	.58
OFF GRADE					
UNDERGRADES					
AND CHECKS	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
BREAKING STOCKS: 48-50 LBS. FRI. 26 00-28.00, 50 LBS UP 28.00-29.00.					

N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, Feb. 9
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.	.70-.74	.69-.73	.60-.64	36-.40
MOSTLY	.72-.73	.71-.72	.62-.63	38-.39
RI	.73-.77	.72-.76	.63-.67	39-.42
MOSTLY	.77	.76	.67	42
VERMONT	.81-.89	.78-.88	.67-.73	
MOSTLY	.81	.78	.67	
MAINE	.77-.84	.76-.83	.67-.74	43-.50

Heinsey's Poultry

Tuesday, February 9, 1988
Roots, East Petersburg
Muscovy Ducks, Drakes range .60-.72
Hens .60-.76.
Pekin Ducks .30-.46
Pullets 5-8# .42-.56.
Red Fowl. 4-4.5# 20-.34; 5-6# .34-.56
Crossbred Roosters 4 6# 40-.78; 7-12# 30-.62
Crossbred Fowl 5-9# 30-.52.
Banty Roosters 2.50-5.00 ea
Banty Hens 1.00-1.75 ea
Guinea Pigs 1.00-4.85 ea.
Goats 45 00-47 00 ea
Guinea Fowl 1 70-1.95.
Geese 8-15# 30-.54.
Pigeons 1 50-1.90 ea.
White Pigeons 3.25-4.00 ea.
Rabbits: 4-6# .80-1.10; 7-11# .70-.90.
Good White Rabbits 4-6# 1.20-1.80
Leghorn Hens .12-.22.
Bunnies 1.00-3.00 ea.
Doves 2.50-4.50 ea.
Chukars 5.50-6.00 ea.
Silkies 6.00-7.50 ea.
Total Coops Sold 738.

New England Shell Eggs

Wednesday, February 10, 1988
Prices were unchanged. Trade sentiment about steady. Cartoned egg demand was mostly moderate. Supplies were adequate to occasionally ample.
PRICES PAID TO PRODUCERS FOR

LOOSE BROWN EGGS AT FARM, CASES EXCHANGED, GRADE YIELD BASIS, CENTS PER DOZEN: RANGE JUMBO .62-.65, EX LARGE 44-47, LARGE 43-46; MEDIUM 34-.37, SMALL .10-13.
BOSTON. PRICES TO RETAILERS - SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, CONSUMER GRADE BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS DELIVERED STORE DOOR RANGE A EXTRA LARGE 63-.65; A LARGE 62-.64, A MEDIUM 53-.55

New York And Philadelphia

Frozen Egg Report

Tuesday, February 9, 1988
Prices were trending higher on whites, unchanged to lower on other items. The lackluster demand for yolks continued to add pressure on the whites as an increasing number of processors were unwilling to separate. Floor stocks were fully sufficient to handle buyer interest.
WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES (PER POUND IN 30 LB. CONTAINERS) U.S.D.A. INSPECTED CLASS TRUCKLOTS LTL (MIN. 25 CONT.) WHOLE 33-36 MOSTLY 34-35 37-43 BLENDS () - 47-57 WHITES 26-27 MOSTLY 26 28-35 YOLKS (MIN. 43% SOLIDS) SUGARED 48-51 MOSTLY 49-50 52-58 SALTED 45-48 MOSTLY 46-47 - ()-WHOLE PLUS YOLK PLUS SWEETENER, GENERALLY 28-32% EGG SOLIDS. ML 0857E AH

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