POULTRY MARKETS



N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, May 24 Report Supplied by USDA

PRICES PAID PER DOZEN GRADE "A" BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS

DELIVERED TO RETAIL STORES

EX. LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
.7478	.72- 76	57- 61	30- 41
.7677	.7677 .7475		39- 40
.76- 80	74- 78	58- 62	40- 44
.76	74	58	40
.8088	.7886	.65- 72	
· .80	.78	.65	
.8187	.7985	.64- 71	4449
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New York **Eggs**

Wed., May 25, 1988

Prices were unchanged. Trade sentiment was steady. Demand was mostly fair into retail outlets, somewhat better into food service and breaking channels. Supplies were adequate.

PRICES TO RETAILERS - SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, CONSUMER GRADE A WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS DELIVERED STORE DOOR.

A Extra Large .56-.58; A Large .53-.56; A Medium .43-.46.

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Chambersburg

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Eastern PA & **New Jersey** Poultry Wed., May 25, 1988

Prices were unchanged under a generally steady market tone. Live supplies were fully adequate to ample. Movement of dressed product remained sluggish with more pro-

LIVE LIGHT TYPE HENS: AT FARM 2 1/2- 3 MOSTLY 3 F.O.B. PLANT -

Heinsey's Poultry Roots, E. Petersburg, Pa.

Tues., May 24, 1988 Muscovy Ducks, Drakes 1.78-1 90. Hens 1.70-1.74 Pekin Ducks 50-.68. Pullets 5-7# .38-.50. Red Fowl: 4-4.5# .25-.34 5-6# .34- 52. Crossbred Roosters 4-6# .34- 74 7-11#

Crossbred Fowl: 5-9# 30-.48. Banty Roosters 3.00-5 25 ea. Banty Hens 1.50-2.50 ca. Guinea Pigs 1.00-3.25 ea

30-.54.

Goats 30 00-72.00 ca. Kid Goats 23 00-34 00 ca. Guinea Fowl 1.50-1.75. Geese 9-12# 40-58.

Pigeons 1 60-2.00 ea. White Pigeons 375-425 ca Rabbits: 4-6# .60-1.00 7-11# 60-.84.

Leghorn Hens 09-.16 Bunnies .50-2 50 ca. Doves 2.75-4.50 ca. Chukars 6.85-7.50 ea

Silkies 6.00-7.85 ca Total Coops Sold 1,020.

. National Egg Market

Wed., May 25, 1988

Prices were unchanged to higher on extra-large and large in the Midwest and New England; balance unchanged. The market tone was steady. Cartoned egg demand was slow to moderate. Loose egg movement was also slow to moderate, occasionally better into food service and breaking channels. Supplies of all sizes were generally adequate to sometimes fully adequate and held with confidence. Breakers provided a moderate demand for the adequate offerings, but were generally less aggressive than last week. Live supplies of spent hens were at least fully adequate under a generally steady market tone.

Weekly New York Egg Market **Northeast Quotes**

From Fri., May 20 to Thurs., May 26						
	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	
WHITE						
JUMBO	.67	67	.68	.68	.68	
EX. LARGE	62	.62	.63	.63	63	
LARGE	57	57	58	58	58	
MEDIUM	48	48	48	.48	48	
PULLETS	.42	42	42	.42	42	
OFF GRADE	.45	45	.46	.46	46	
BROWN						
EX. LARGE	.66	66	67	67	.67	
LARGE	.61	61	.62	.62	62	
MEDIUM	.51	.51	51	.51	.51	
OFF GRADE						
UNDERGRADES						
AND CHECKS	.22	.23	.23	.23	.23	

BREAKING STOCKS: 42-44 LBS. THURS. 23.00-25 00. 48-50 LBS. FRI 30 00-32 00, MON. 31 00-32.00, THURS 31.00-33 00 50 LBS UP FRI. 33.00-34.00, THURS. 34.00-35 00

Northeast Chicken Parts Wed., May 25, 1988

Trading activity was fairly good for less than trucklot volumes of cutlets while volume lots continued to be bid and sold at lower levels. Whole breast were showing signs of moving into better balance as prices decline. Legs and leg quarters were in best demand; supplies were irregular and despite higher prices paid at several points, others continued to trade in a range of 32 to 34 cents. Wings were fully adequate; demand was mixed but improving.

TODAY'S 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 BONE-LESS 205-210 RIBS ON 93-95 LINE RUN 92-93 LEGS 39-40 LEG QUARTERS 36-37 WINGS 38-39 BACKS & NECKS 11-12 LIVERS 15 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 30-35

Includes New York City Metropolitan area, Northern New Jersey, Massachusetts, Connecticut and Rhode Island.

PRICES PAID PER POUND ON ICE PACKED PARTS DELIVERED IN POOL TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUAN-TITIES: CURRENT ITEM NEGO-TIATED TRADING* WEIGHTED AVG.** VOLUME/LBS. BREASTS SKINNED BONELESS 205-210 217 158,400 RIBS ON 93-95 103.38 156,600 LINE RUN 92-93 94.34 288,000 LEGS 39-40 42 08 261,000 LEG QUARTERS 36-37 34.24 531,000 WINGS 38-39 41.08 268,200 BACKS & NECKS 11-12 10.67 10,800 LIVERS 15 19.17 10,800 GIZ-ZARDS (HEARTS) 30-35 35.56 16,200

*TODÀY'S NEGOTIATED SALES AS OF 11:30 A.M. **WEIGHTED AVER-AGE PRICE OF ALL GRADES AND BRANDS OF PRODUCT SHIPPED, OR TO BE SHIPPED FROM PROCESSORS AS OF 2:00 P.M. DAY OF REPORT. (INCLUDES NEW YORK CITY MET-ROPOLITAN AREA, NORTHERN NEW JERSEY, MASSACHUSETTS, CONNECTICUT AND RHODE ISLAND)

New England Shell Eggs Wed., May 25, 1988

Prices were unchanged to higher on cartoned large and extra large; balance unchanged. Trade sentiment was steady. Retail movement of cartoned eggs was mostly moderate. Supplies of all sizes were

LOOSE BROWN EGGS AT FARM, CASES EXCHANGED, GRADE YIELD BASIS, CENTS PER DOZEN:

Jumob .61-.64; Ex Large .48-.51, Large .46-.49; Medium .31-.34; Small .11-.14. **BOSTON: PRICES TO RETAILERS -**SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, CON-SUMER GRADE BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS DELIVERED STORE DOOR: A Extra Large .66-.69; A Large .64-.67; A Medium .48-.52.

Philadelphia Eggs Thursday, May 26, 1988 Report Supplied by USDA

MARKET COMMENT: PRICES WERE UNCHANGED. TRADE SENTI-MENT WAS CAUTIOUSLY STEADY. CARTONED EGG DEMAND WAS IRREGULAR WITH SOME DEALERS DISAPPOINTED WITH HOLIDAY ORDERS. SUPPLIES WERE USUALLY SUFFICIENT TO COVER CURRENT BUYER INTEREST.

PRICES TO RETAILERS: SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, CONSUMER GRADES WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS DELIVERED STORE DOOR:

A EXTRA LARGE .51-.56; A LARGE .49-.54; A MEDIUM .41-.43

Delmarva **Broiler-Fryer** Wed., May 25, 1988

Demand for ready-to-cook whole birds was good overall. Supplies were in fairly good balance. In the parts complex breast items remained fully adequate. Legs and leg quarters were in good balance while wings continued to move into better balance. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchanged to 1 cent lower at 56 to 69 cents. Live supplies were moderate. Weights were desirable. Slaughter schedules were moderate. The undertone was steady.

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000).

ESTIMATED ACTUAL ACTUAL **AVERAGE WEIGHTS 5/25 5/18 5/23** 5/23 5/16 1,867 1,618 1,938 4.60 4.31. NEW YORK MULTIPLE DROP BROILER REPORT:

CURRENT BROILER/FRYER NEGO-TIATED 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 56-69 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 61 81 NO. OF BOXES 8,983.

Hackettstown Poultry & Egg

Hackettstown, N.J. Tuesday, May 24, 1988 Report Supplied by Auction HEAVY FOWL .20-60 LIGHT FOWL .20-.25. ROASTERS .25-.65. BATAMS .90-2.50. ROOSTERS .45-1 70. TURKEYS .20-1 20. DUCKS .80-1.15. RABBITS .80-1.30. PIGEONS 1.70-2.00. GUINEAS 185-2.05.

> **EGGS** GRADE A WHITE

JUMBO X LGE. 62-.73; LARGE .31-.59; MEDIUM .22-.45,

BROWN

JUMBO X LGE. .51-.71; LARGE PRICES PAID TO PRODUCERS FOR .31-.53; MEDIUM .15-.30; SMALL .16.

New York **Philadelphia** Frozen Eggs Tues., May 24, 1988

Prices were unchanged to higher Trading activity was spotty as buyers resisted the higher asking prices. Costs of raw materials continued to increase forcing breakers to reassess their position Floor stocks were adequate

WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES (PER POUND IN 30 LB, CONTAINERS) USDA. INSPECTED CLASS TRUCK-LOTS LTL (MIN 25 CONT.) WHOLE 36-39 MOSTLY 37 40-46 BLENDS (/) - -46-56 WHITES 28-30 MOSTLY 28 31-38 YOLKS (MIN. 43% SOLIDS) SUGARED 46-49 MOSTLY 48 49-57 SALTED 43 45 MOSTLY 43 - (/)-WHOLE PLUS YOLK PLUS SWEETENER, GENERALLY 28-32% EGG SOLIDS

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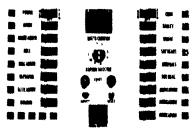
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