

POULTRY MARKETS



Delmarva Broiler/Fryer Report

Wednesday, July 13, 1988

Demand for ready-to-cook whole birds had slowed significantly and discounting was increasing in an attempt to clear a fully adequate to ample supply. In the parts complex skinned-boneless breasts and wings were at least adequate. The remaining items were fully adequate to occasionally ample. Less than trucklot asking prices were 3 cents lower at 68 to 76 cents. Live supplies were moderate. Weights were generally desirable. Slaughter schedules were moderately heavy. The undertone was weak.

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000).

ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WGT. ACTUAL AVG. WGT.

7/13 7/11 7/11 7/6 7/4 1,987 1,941 4.48 1,976 * * Not reported to avoid disclosing individual operations.

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 68-79 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 73.02 NO. OF BOXES 8,546.

Heinsey's Poultry

Tuesday, July 12, 1988

Roots, East Petersburg

Muscovy Ducks, Drakes range 1.84-2.20.
Hens 1.70-2.00.
Pekin Ducks .60-.74.
Pullets 5-8# .30-.46.
Red Fowl: 4-4.5# .20-.44; 5-6# .44-.68.
Crossbred Roosters: 4-6# .30-.82; 7-11# .15-.38.
Crossbred Fowl: 5-9# .30-.44.
Banty Roosters 2.50-5.00 ea.
Banty Hens .75-1.25 ea.
Guinea Pigs .25-2.00 ea.
Goats 30.00-52.00 ea.
Kid Goats 11.00-34.00 ea.
Guinea Fowl .75-1.10.
Geese 8-10# .18-.24.
Pigeons .75-1.25 ea.
White Pigeons 3.50-4.50 ea.
Rabbits: 4-6# .40-.62; 7-11# .40-.52.
Leghorn Hens 4-.10.
Bunnies .25-1.25 ea.
Doves 3.50-5.50 ea.
Chukars 4.25-4.75 ea.
Silkies 4.50-6.25 ea.
Total Coops Sold 901.

Northeast Chicken Parts

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Trading activity was limited as buyers viewed increased offerings on most items with caution. Cutlets were irregularly available ranging in good balance to fully adequate with spot trading noted as low as \$2.45. Whole breast had increased in availability and buyers bid sharply lower for new receipts; however, few negotiated sales were reported as most looked to commercial quotes for direction. Legs and particularly leg quarters were fully adequate to ample. Wings were in best balance with some spot trading noted at 59 cents.

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 BONELESS 2.55-2.60.

RIBS ON 1.31-1.32.

LINE RUN 1.30.

LEGS .48-.50.

LEG QUARTERS .34-.35.

WINGS .61-.62.

BACKS & NECKS .11-.12.

LIVERS .10-.15.

GIZZARDS (HEARTS) .25-.30.

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 QUANTITIES: CURRENT ITEM NEGOTIATED TRADING* WEIGHTED AVG.** VOLUME/LBS.

BREASTS SKINNED BONELESS 2.55-2.60 258.54 160,200.

RIBS ON 1.31-1.32 136.32 140,400.

LINE RUN 1.30 131.25 181,800.

LEGS .48-.50 53.39 190,800.

LEG QUARTERS .34-.35 37.85 315,000.

WINGS .61-.62 63.53 153,000.

BACKS & NECKS .11-.12 10.73 19,800.

LIVERS .10-.15 17.00 12,600.

GIZZARDS (HEARTS) .25-.30 30.62 23,400.

*TODAY'S NEGOTIATED SALES AS OF 11:30 A.M. **WEIGHTED AVERAGE 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 METROPOLITAN AREA, NORTHERN NEW JERSEY, MASSACHUSETTS, CONNECTICUT AND RHODE ISLAND).

National Egg Market

Wednesday, July 13, 1988

NATIONAL EGG MARKET - AT A GLANCE: Prices continued to increase in the Northeast, and Midwest, unchanged elsewhere. The market tone was fully steady to firm. Demand was fair to good, best where featured and in vacation areas. Supplies of jumbo and extra-large were generally tight, large were barely adequate to fully adequate and mediums were generally adequate. Breakers provided a moderate demand for shell eggs and light weight eggs were more available than heavy shell eggs.

Weekly New York Egg Market Northeast Quotes

From Fri., July 8 to Thurs., July 14

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.
WHITE					
JUMBO	.86	.86	.89	.91	.93
EX. LARGE	.81	.81	.84	.86	.88
LARGE	.73	.73	.76	.77	.79
MEDIUM	.56	.56	.59	.61	.63
PULLETS	.47	.47	.50	.52	.53
OFF GRADE	.61	.61	.64	.65	.67
BROWN					
EX. LARGE	.90	.90	.93	.95	.97
LARGE	.82	.82	.85	.87	.89
MEDIUM	.66	.66	.68	.70	.72
OFF GRADE					
UNDERGRADES					
AND CHECKS	.31	.32	.34	.35	.36

BREAKING STOCKS: 42-44 LBS. FRI. 29.00-31.00; MON. 30.00-32.00; TUES. 32.00-35.00; WED. 34.00-36.00; THURS. 35.00-37.00. 48-50 LBS. FRI. 39.00-41.00; MON. 40.00-42.00; TUES. 43.00-45.00; WED. 44.00-46.00; THURS. 45.00-47.00. 50 LBS. UP FRI. 41.00-43.00; MON. 42.00-44.00; TUES. 45.00-47.00; WED. 46.00-48.00; THURS. 47.00-49.00.

N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, July 12

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PRICES PAID PER DOZEN GRADE "A" BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS DELIVERED TO RETAIL STORES:

	EX. LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
N. HAMP.	.96-1.00	.92-.96	.68-.72	.44-.48
MOSTLY	.98-.99	.94-.95	.70-.71	.46-.47
R.I.	.96-1.00	.92-.96	.68-.72	.44-.48
MOSTLY	.96	.92	.68	.44
VERMONT	.99-1.05	.95-1.02	.75-.77	—
MOSTLY	1.05	1.00	.75	—
MAINE	1.03-1.07	.99-1.03	.75-.78	.51-.57

New England Shell Eggs

Wednesday, July 13, 1988

Prices were higher on loose extra-large through small, unchanged to higher for all cartoned sizes and unchanged on jumbo loose. The market tone was firm. Demand was good to excellent. Supplies were short to barely adequate with some product located in the Southern Region.

PRICES PAID TO PRODUCERS FOR LOOSE BROWN EGGS AT FARM, CASES EXCHANGED, GRADE YIELD BASIS, CENTS PER DOZEN:

RANGE JUMBO 87-.90; EX LARGE .72-.75; LARGE .67-.70; MEDIUM .44-.47; SMALL .20-.23.

BOSTON: PRICES TO RETAILERS - SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, CONSUMER GRADE BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN:

A EXTRA LARGE 86-.91; A LARGE .82-.87; A MEDIUM .58-.63.

New York Egg Market

Wednesday, July 13, 1988

Prices increased on all sizes. Trade sentiment was firm. Cartoned egg movement was mixed from fair to good. Extra-large supplies were tight, large were barely adequate, and mediums were generally adequate.

PRICES TO RETAILERS - SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, CONSUMER GRADE A WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN:

A EXTRA LARGE .75-.77; A LARGE .72-.75; A MEDIUM .56-.59.

Eastern PA & New Jersey Poultry

Wednesday, July 13, 1988

Prices were higher under a generally steady market tone. Supplies were tighter due, in part, to a stronger egg market. Most plants were content to operate with no more than previously booked commitments. Movement of dressed product continued seasonally light.

LIVE LIGHT TYPE HENS. AT FARM 5-8 MOSTLY 6 F.O.B. PLANT - MOSTLY.

Hackettstown Poultry & Egg

Hackettstown, N.J.

Tuesday, July 12, 1988

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HEAVY FOWL .50-.75.

ROOSTERS .50.

FRYERS .30-.35.

PULLETS .45-.80.

GEESE .40-.75.

BANTAMS .40.

ROOSTERS .55-.65.

TURKEYS .65-.75.

DUCKS 40-1.65.

RABBITS .10-.75.

PIGEONS 1.25-2.25.

EGGS

GRADE A

WHITE

JUMBO X LGE. .80-.90; LARGE

.50-.75; MEDIUM .31-.58; SMALL .18.

BROWN

JUMBO X LGE. .73-.95; LARGE

.62-.75; MEDIUM .60.

New York & Phila. Frozen Egg Report

Tuesday, July 12, 1988

Prices continued to trend higher on most items. The market tone was generally unsettled as raw materials were held in firm hands. Most breakers ran regular schedules, most packing previous commitments. Floor stocks were usually sufficient for both current and anticipated needs.

WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES (CENTS PER POUND IN 30 LB. CONTAINERS) U.S.D.A. INSPECTED CLASS TRUCKLOTS LTL (MIN. 25 CONT.) WHOLE 45-47 MOSTLY 46-47 48-55 BLENDS () - 51-63 WHITES 33-35 MOSTLY 34 36-43 YOLKS (MIN. 43% SOLIDS) SUGARED 58-60 MOSTLY 58-59 61-68 SALTED 54-57 MOSTLY 55-56 - () - WHOLE PLUS YOLK PLUS SWEETENER, GENERALLY 28-32% EGG SOLIDS.

Philadelphia Eggs

Thursday, July 21, 1988

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MARKET COMMENT: PRICES WERE UNCHANGED TO HIGHER. TRADE SENTIMENT WAS FULLY STEADY TO FIRM. MOVEMENT WAS IN A WIDE RANGE OF SLOW TO GOOD. SUPPLIES OF EXTRA LARGE WERE SHORT, LARGE WERE BARELY ADEQUATE TO ADEQUATE, AND MEDIUMS WERE ADEQUATE.

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

A EXTRA LARGE .67-.77; A LARGE .65-.75; A MEDIUM .48-.58.

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