

POULTRY MARKETS



N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, March 28

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.	1.09-1.13	1.06-1.10	.87-.91	.63-.67
MOSTLY	1.11-1.12	1.08-1.09	.89-.90	.65-.66
RHODE ISLAND	1.12-1.16	1.09-1.13	.90-.94	.74-.78
MOSTLY	1.12	1.09	.90	.74
VERMONT	1.15-1.21	1.10-1.19	.89-.99	
MOSTLY	1.15	1.10	.95	
MAINE	1.186-1.21	1.15-1.18	.96-.99	.72-.83

Eastern PA & New Jersey Poultry

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CORRECTION: 5TH LINE: SHOULD READ "PUT" INSTEAD OF "PUR"

Prices were unchanged to lower. Offers from producers were light and scattered. Supplies were barely adequate. Buyers were active but cautious. Several flocks

booked for current line time were cancelled or rescheduled. Some flocks expected to become available during next couple of weeks will be ***put*** into molt instead. Processors operated part time schedules. Demand for canner pack product was fair for an irregular supply. However, further processors were bidding at lower price levels.

LIVE LIGHT TYPE HENS: AT FARM 15-15.50 MOSTLY - F.O.B. PLANT - MOSTLY.

Heinsey's Poultry

Roots, East Petersburg
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Muscovy Ducks, Drakes 1.14-1.28.
Hens 1.00-1.22.
Pekin Ducks .40-.72.
Pullets 5-8# .40-.56.
Red Fowl: 4-4.5# .30-.48; 5-6# .50-.64.
Crossbred Roosters: 4-6# .30-.74; 7-11# .30-.72.
Crossbred Fowl: 5-9# .30-.54.
Banty Roosters 2.50-4.75 ea.
Banty Hens 1.50-3.00 ea.
Guinea Pigs 1.00-2.25 ea.
Goats 32.00-45.00 ea.
Guinea Fowl 1.00-1.30.
Geese 9-12# .30-.54.
Pigeons 1.60-1.85 ea.
White Pigeons 3.50-4.00 ea.
Rabbits: 4-6# .70-1.10; 7-11# .40-.72.
Leghorn Hens .20-.24.
Bunnies .75-2.50 ea.
Doves 3.50-5.50 ea.
Silkies 5.00-7.75 ea.
Total Coops Sold \$46.

Delmarva Broiler/Fryer Market

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Demand for ready-to-cook whole fryers was no better than fair. Supplies were fully adequate. In the parts complex supplies of breast items and leg quarters were about adequate for an active buyer interest, cutlets and wings were fully adequate. Less than trucklot asking prices were steady at 59-66 cents. Live supplies were adequate. Weights ranged desirable to heavy. Slaughter schedules were moderately heavy. Trade sentiment was steady.

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000) ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WGT. ACTUAL AVG. WGT. 3/29 3/27 3/27 3/22 3/20 1982 1,717 4,79 1,933 4.

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 59-66 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 61.92 NO. OF BOXES 7,211.

New York Egg Market

Wednesday, March 29, 1989

Prices were lower on all sizes. Trade sentiment was unsettled and cautious. Cartoned egg demand was just about fair at best. Supplies were fully adequate and easily covered current dealer needs.

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

A EXTRA LARGE .84-.86; A LARGE .81-.84; A MEDIUM .71-.74.

Weekly New York Egg Market Northeast Quotes

From Mon., March 27 to Thurs., March 30

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.
WHITE					
JUMBO	C .99	.92	.89	.86	
EX. LARGE	L .97	.90	.87	.84	
LARGE	O .96	.89	.86	.82	
MEDIUM	S .86	.79	.76	.72	
PULLETS	E .70	.63	.60	.56	
OFF GRADE	D .84	.77	.74	.70	
BROWN					
EX. LARGE		1.04	1.01	.98	.94
LARGE		.97	.94	.91	.87
MEDIUM		.87	.84	.81	.77
OFF GRADE					
UNDERGRADES AND CHECKS		.47	.44	.42	.41

BREAKING STOCKS: MON. 48-50 LBS. 55.00-57.00, 50 LBS. AND UP 57.00-58.00; TUES. 48-50 LBS. 52.00-54.00, 50 LBS. AND UP 54.00-55.00; WED. 48-50 LBS. 50.00-51.00, 50 LBS. AND UP 52.00-54.00; THURS. 48-50 LBS. 49.00-51.00, 50 LBS. AND UP 51.00-52.00.

Northeast Chicken Parts

Wednesday, March 29, 1989

Trading activity was light to fair and unaggressive for immediate deliveries. Cutlets were fully adequate at 2.40 to 2.45 on yellow product despite well balanced supplies of white. Whole breasts were no more than adequate with the bulk of trading for retail use noted on an "as needed basis". Legs were fully adequate while leg quarters were adequate to barely adequate. Wings were sharply discounted in some instances with spot trading reported in the mid-fifties to bring better balances to supplies.

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 240-245 RIBS ON 125-126 LINE RUN 125 LEGS 35-36 LEG QUARTERS 27 WINGS 58-59 BACKS & NECKS 10-12 LIVERS 15-20 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 45.

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

New England Shell Eggs

Wednesday, March 29, 1989

Prices lower on loose eggs, unchanged on cartons. Trade sentiment was cautious. Cartoned egg demand was generally fair to instances good. Supplies for the most part were clearing well but were sufficient for present trade requirements.

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

RANGE JUMBO .83-.86; EX LARGE .80-.83; LARGE .77-.80; MEDIUM .58-.61; SMALL .32-.35.

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

A EXTRA LARGE 1.02-1.04; A LARGE .99-1.01; A MEDIUM .80-.82.

National Egg Market

Wednesday, March 29, 1989

Prices trended lower in the Northeast and Midwest, unchanged elsewhere, under a weak and unsettled market tone. Cartoned egg demand continued to taper and for the most part was moderate at best. Supplies were adequate to fully adequate and easily satisfied buyer needs. Breakers remained cautious and in most instances worked on a hand to mouth basis. Finished product sales were slow and disappointing as most buyers took a wait and see position.

Hackettstown Poultry & Egg

Hackettstown, N.J.

Tuesday, March 28, 1989

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HEAVY FOWL: .50-.65.
LIGHT FOWL: .40.
MIXED FOWL: .90-1.00.
PULLETS: .70-.75.
GEESE: .50.
BANTAMS: .50-1.30.
BROILERS: .45-.50.
ROOSTERS: .40-1.00.
TURKEYS: .50-1.10.
BUNNIES, EACH: .25-2.50.
GEESE: .40-.55.
PIGEONS: 1.30-2.30.
RABBITS: .70-1.35.
DUCKS: .75-1.85.
GUINEAS: 1.00-2.00.

WHITE

JUMBO X LGE. .86-.94; LARGE .90-.91.

BROWN

JUMBO X LGE. 1.01-1.09; LARGE .95-1.02.

New York & Philadelphia Eggs Frozen

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The market tone was unsettled as processors were more competitive attempting to snare limited trading activity. Raw materials were usually readily available but breakers bid lower in an attempt to keep costs in line with finished product prices. Floor stocks were generally in balance with current trade requirements.

WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES (CENTS PER POUND IN 30 LB. CONTAINERS) U.S.D.A. INSPECTED CLASS TRUCKLOTS LTL (MIN. 25 CONT.) WHOLE 55-60 MOSTLY 57-58 60-68 BLENDS () - MOSTLY 62-72 WHITES 51-55 MOSTLY 53-54 56-63 YOLKS (MIN. 43% SOLIDS) SUGARED 65-68 MOSTLY 65-66 68-77 SALTED 62-66 MOSTLY 62-63 - () - WHOLE PLUS YOLK PLUS SWEETENER, GENERALLY 28-32% EGG SOLIDS.

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