

Philadelphia Eggs

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MARKET COMMENT: TRADE SENTIMENT WAS STEADY TO FIRM. DEMAND WAS MODERATE TO GOOD. SUPPLIES WERE GENERALLY ADEQUATE, AND EXCESS OFFERINGS WERE AT PREMIUM PRICES. A EXTRA LARGE .80-.85, A LARGE .78-.83, A MEDIUM .65-.70.

New England Shell Eggs

Dec. 11, 1991

NEW ENGLAND:

Prices paid to producers were higher, unchanged on carton egg. Trade sentiment was fully steady. Demand was moderate to good. Supplies were generally adequate for current needs.

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

RANGE JUMBO 92-95 EXTRA LARGE 83-86 LARGE 79-82 MEDIUM 65-68 SMALL 29-32

BOSTON:

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN.

RANGE EXTRA LARGE 101-103 LARGE 97-99 MEDIUM 83-85

Oklahoma City Feeder Cattle

Dec. 11, 1991

COMPARED WITH LAST WEEK: STEERS UNDER 500 LB. \$2.00 HIGHER; STEERS OVER 500 LB. \$2.00-\$4.00 LOWER. HEIFERS AND HEIFER CALVES CLOSED \$2.00-\$3.00 LOWER. DEMAND CLOSED MODERATE TO GOOD FOR STEER CALVES AND MODEST END OF ATTRACTIVE QUALITY FEEDER STEERS. CLOSING DEMAND LIGHT FOR OTHERS, ESPECIALLY FOR PLAIN OFFERINGS. WEIGH CONDITIONS AVERAGE. FLESH CONDITIONS AVERAGE TO THIN. WEATHER VERY NICE, MID 50'S TO MID 60'S AND CONDUCTIVE TO ADDITIONAL WHEAT GROWTH. WARM RAINS FORECASTED FOR LATTER PART OF WEEK. SLAUGHTER COWS AND BULLS \$2.00-\$3.00 LOWER. SLAUGHTER CATTLE DEMAND CLOSED LIGHT. RECEIPTS THIS WEEK 15,150; LAST WEEK 4,047; LAST YEAR 8,555. SUPPLY CONSISTED OF 47% YEARLINGS; 53% CALVES UNDER 600LB.; 5% COWS & BULLS. BULK PRICE RANGES FOLLOW:

FEEDER STEERS: MEDIUM & LARGE FRAME 1, 300-350 LB. \$111.00-\$116.50; 350-400 LB. \$103.00-\$113.00; 400-450 LB. \$97.50-\$108.50; 450-500 LB. \$90.50-\$99.00, SEVERAL LOTS EXOTIC CROSSES \$99.50-\$104.50; 500-550 LB. \$87.00-\$94.50; 550-600 LB. \$82.25-\$89.75; 600-700 LB.

\$80.50-\$86.00; 700-750 LB. \$81.50-\$83.50; 750-800 LB. \$78.50-\$83.00; 800-875 LB. \$75.50-\$81.50. LARGE FRAME 2HOLSTEINS, 450-500 LB. \$75.50-\$79.25; 500-600 LB. \$71.75-\$75.50; 600-700 LB. \$69.00-\$72.00; 700-750 LB. \$69.00-\$70.25; 750-800 LB. \$67.75-\$68.00; 800-900 LB. \$64.75-\$68.50.

FEEDER HEIFERS: MEDIUM & LARGE FRAME 1, 300-400 LB. \$85.00-\$95.00; 400-450 LB. \$85.00-\$93.25; 450-500 LB. \$82.00-\$90.00; 500-600 LB. \$76.75-\$83.00; 600-700 LB. \$76.75-\$82.25; 700-800 LB. \$74.25-\$77.75; 800-875 LB. \$73.00-\$73.50.

SLAUGHTER COWS: CLOSING SALES: CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY Y.G. 1-2, AVERAGE DRESSING \$43.00-\$46.00; HIGH DRESSING \$45.00-\$48.50, YOUNG \$48.50-\$51.25; LOW DRESSING \$37.00-\$42.50. BREAKING UTILITY Y.G. 3-4, AVERAGE DRESSING \$41.00-\$42.50; HIGH DRESSING \$44.25-\$46.00; LOW DRESSING \$37.50-\$40.50.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: CLOSING SALES: Y.G. 1 1050-1625 LB. AVERAGE DRESSING \$54.25-\$55.50; HIGH DRESSING \$56.25.

Central U.S.**Carlot**

Pork Report

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CENTRAL U.S. CARLOT PORK REPORT FOB OMAHA BASIS INCLUDES MAJOR PRODUCTION AREAS IN MIDWEST AS OF 3 P.M.

COMPARED TUESDAY'S 3:00 P.M. CLOSE: COMPARED TUESDAY'S 3 P.M. CLOSE: FRESH PORK LOINS 4.00 LOWER; BUTTS 2.00 LOWER IN VERY NARROW TEST; SKND. HAMS 17-20 LBS. 1.00 HIGHER, 20-26 LBS. 2.00-4.00 LOWER; SDL. BELLIES STEADY TO 1.00 HIGHER. MARKET ACTIVITY SLOW TO MODERATE, WITH LIGHT TO MODERATE DEMAND AND MODERATE TO HEAVY OFFERINGS.

63.0 LOADS PORK CUTS

36.0 LOADS TRIM/PROCESS

PORK CUTS

LOINS, REG., FRESH

14-18 LBS., * 13.5 LOADS, RANGE 77.50-85.00, WGHTD. AVG. 80.27.

1/2" TRIM 14-18 LBS., 13.5 LOADS, RANGE 95.00-104.00, WGHTD. AVG. 99.27.

18-22 LBS., * 1.0 LOADS, RANGE 73.00, WGHTD. AVG. 73.00.

1/2" TRIM 18-22 LBS., 1.0 LOADS, RANGE 89.00, WGHTD. AVG. 89.00.

COMBO 22 LBS. AND UP, RANGE 55.00, WGHTD. AVG. 55.00 B.

LOIN, BLS CTRCT

5-7 LBS., RANGE 185.00-214.00, WGHTD. AVG. 209.17 A.

BNLS SIRLOIN .75-1 LB. 0.5 LOADS, RANGE 135.00, WGHTD. AVG. 135.00.

TENDERLOIN 1.25 AND DOWN RANGE 368.00-369.00, WGHTD. AVG. 368.33 A.

PICNIC, FRESH (COMBOS) FOR SMOKER TRIMRS 9.0 LOADS, RANGE 55.00-56.00, WGHTD. AVG. 55.67. COMMODITY 4-8 LBS. RANGE 37.00, WGHTD. AVG. 37.00 A.

BOSTON BUTT

4-8 LBS. * 2.0 LOADS, RANGE 56.00, WGHTD. AVG. 56.00.

1/2" TRIM 4-8 LBS., 2.0 LOADS, RANGE 74.00, WGHTD. AVG. 74.00.

COMBOS 8/UP LBS., RANGE 51.00, WGHTD. AVG. 51.00 B.

SPARERIBS, FRESH

1.5-3.5 LBS., RANGE 91.00-96.00, WGHTD. AVG. 93.50 A.

3.5-5.5 LBS., RANGE 70.00, WGHTD. AVG. 70.00 A.

SPARERIB, FROZEN

1.5-3.5 LBS., RANGE 94.00, WGHTD. AVG. 94.00 C.

LOIN BACKRIB (BOXED)

FRSH/FRZN

1.75 AND DOWN LBS., RANGE 212.00, WGHTD. AVG. 212.00 A.

2.00 AND UP LBS., RANGE 134.00, WGHTD. AVG. 134.00 C.

LOIN BACKRIB (COMBOS)

FRSH/FRZN

1.75/DN LBS., RANGE 206.00, WGHTD. AVG. 206.00D.

HAM, SKINNED, SELECTED

FRESH 17-20 LBS., 2.0 LOADS, RANGE 86.00-87.00, WGHTD. AVG. 86.50.

FRESH 20-26 LBS., 14.0 LOADS, RANGE 68.00-75.00, WGHTD. AVG. 72.93.

HAM, SKINNED, COMMODITY

FRESH 14-17 LBS., UNQUOTED.

FRESH 17-20 LBS., RANGE 83.00, WGHTD. AVG. 83.00 D.

FRESH 20-26 LBS., RANGE 65.00-68.00, WGHTD. AVG. 66.67A.

FRESH 26-32 LBS., RANGE 53.00-57.00, WGHTD. AVG. 54.33B.

FRESH 32 LBS. AND UP, 2.0 LOADS, RANGE 57.00, WGHTD. AVG. 57.00.

BELLY, SDLS,

SKIN-ON, FRESH

FRESH 10-12 LBS., 1.0 LOADS, RANGE 25.00, WGHTD. AVG. 25.00.

FRESH 12-14 LBS., 3.0 LOADS, RANGE 27.00-29.00, WGHTD. AVG. 28.00.

FRESH 14-16 LBS., 5.0 LOADS, RANGE 26.75-29.00, WGHTD. AVG. 27.95.

FRESH 16-18 LBS., 7.0 LOADS, RANGE 24.00-26.00, WGHTD. AVG. 24.75.

FRESH 18-20 LBS., 1.5 LOADS, RANGE 21.00-22.00, WGHTD. AVG. 21.33.

FRESH 20-25 LBS., 1.5 LOADS, RANGE 17.00-18.00, WGHTD. AVG. 17.33.

PORK TRIMMINGS/

BONELESS PROCESSING PORK (CHEMICAL LEAN)

COMBO 42% FRESH, 8.5 LOADS, RANGE 13.00, WGHTD. AVG. 13.00.

BOXED 42% FROZEN, 2.0 LOADS, RANGE 19.00, WGHTD. AVG. 19.00.

COMBO 72% FRESH, 17.0 LOADS, RANGE 40.00-41.00, WGHTD. AVG. 40.12.

BOXED 72% FROZEN, RANGE 47.50, WGHTD. AVG. 47.50 B.

PICNIC CUSHION MEAT

COMBO 92% FRESH, AND BOXED 92% FROZEN, UNQUOTED.

BONELESS PICNIC MEAT

COMBO 72% FRESH, 8.5 LOADS, RANGE 44.00-48.00, WGHTD. AVG. 46.71.

BOXED 72% FROZEN, RANGE 56.00, WGHTD. AVG. 56.00 B.

SKINNED JOWLS

COMBO FRESH, RANGE 11.00, WGHTD. AVG. 11.00 E.

BOXED FROZEN, RANGE 16.00, WGHTD. AVG. 16.00 A.

NOTE: (* REFLECTS 1/2" TRIMMED PRODUCT BROUGHT BACK TO A REGULAR COMMODITY BASIS.

ABCDE AFTER QUOTES REPRESENTS DAYS SINCE LAST ACTUAL MARKET TEST. QUOTES ARE DROPPED AFTER 5 DAYS OF NOT TEST OR BEFORE IF THEY NO LONGER REFLECT CURRENT MARKET CONDITIONS.

PORK CARCASS CUTOUT

WED., DEC. 11

ESTIMATED GROSS CUTOUT VALUE OF A 175 LB. HOG CARCASS BASED ON USDA CUTTING YIELD TESTS AND CARLOT PRICES. TUESDAY'S CARCASS GRADES AND PRICES PER CWT.:

US#1 58.77, CHANGE FROM TUES. -0.24; US#2 56.68, CHANGE FROM TUES. -0.22; US#3 54.59, CHANGE FROM TUES. -0.20; US#4 52.50, CHANGE FROM TUES. -0.18.

TODAY'S CALCULATIONS FOR US #2 175 LB. PORK CARCASS:

HAM, SKINNED, 14-20 LBS., 21.01% OF CARCASS, 86.50 FOB VALUE, CHANGE FROM TUES. 1.00; LOINS, 1/2" TRIM, 14-22 LBS., 20.33% OF CARCASS, 99.50 FOB VALUE, CHANGE FROM TUES. -2.00.

BELLIES, SDLS, 12-14 LBS., 13.90% OF CARCASS, 28.00 FOB VALUE, 0.75 CHANGE FROM TUES.; SPARERIBS, 3.5 DN LBS., 3.03% OF CARCASS, 94.00 FOB VALUE.

PICNICS, 8-12 LBS., 10.31% OF CARCASS, 32.25 FOB VALUE, CHANGE FROM TUES. -1.00; BUTTS, 1/2" TRIM, 4-8 LBS., 7.25% OF CARCASS, 75.00 FOB VALUE.

JOWL, 2.85% OF CARCASS, 11.00 FOB VALUE; NECKBONES, 1.52% OF CARCASS, 11.00 FOB VALUE, CHANGE FROM TUES. -2.00.

FEET, 1.05% OF CARCASS, 13.00 FOB VALUE; TAILS, 0.22% OF CARCASS, FOB VALUE 21.50. CHANGE FROM TUES. 0.50.

TRIM 72%, 2.19% OF CARCASS, 40.50 FOB VALUE; LARD, 10.85% OF CARCASS, 11.25 FOB VALUE.

TOTAL CARCASS 94.51%. US#2 CARCASS VALUE PER CWT. 56.68.

NOTE: VALUE MAY CHANGE WITHOUT ADEQUATE TEST.

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Beef Report

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CENTRAL U.S. CARLOT BEEF REPORT (INCLUDES THE MAJOR PRODUCTION AREAS IN THE MIDWEST AND TEXAS) AS OF 3 P.M. COMPARED TO TUESDAY'S 3 P.M. REPORT: BREAKING UTILITY CARCASSES 1.00 LOWER; BONING UTILITY UNEVEN; CUTTER 2.00 LOWER; BULL STEADY TO WEAK. DEMAND LIGHT TO MODERATE FOR MODERATE OFFERINGS.

COW & BULL CARCASSES

FOB OMAHA BASIS

28 LOADS REPORTED

UTBRK 2-4, 5 LOADS, RANGE 79.00, LATEST ESTB. MKT. 79.00.

UTBNG 1-3, 400 AND UP, 15 LOADS, RANGE 82.00-84.00, LATEST ESTB. MKT. 82.00-84.00.

CUTTER 1-2 350 AND UP, 5 LOADS, RANGE 92.00, LATEST ESTB. MKT. 92.00.

BULLS 500/UP YG1, 3 LOADS, RANGE 101.00-102.50, LATEST ESTB. MKT. 101.00-102.50.

BONELESS PROCESSING BEEF/

BEEF TRIMMINGS

99 LOADS REPORTED

FRESH 90% BONELESS BEEF

3.00-5.50 LOWER; OTHER TYPES NOT TESTED. DEMAND LIGHT TO MODERATE FOR MODERATE TO HEAVY OFFERINGS. BEEF TRIMMINGS WEAK ON LIGHT DEMAND AND OFFERINGS.

FOB OMAHA BASIS

90%FR, 22 LOADS, RANGE 127.0-131.0, WT. AVG. 129.23.

90%FZ, UNQUOTED.

85%FR, 85%FZ, 75%FR AND 75%FZ, UNQUOTED.

65%FR, RANGE 72.0, WT. AVG. 72.00 A.

65%FZ, UNQUOTED.

50%FR, 54 LOADS, RANGE 39.00-41.50, WT. AVG. 40.32.

50%FZ AND 50%BK, UNQUOTED.

BULL 92-94, RANGE 146.0, WT. AVG. 146.00 A.

FOB E. TX AND OK

90%FR, 19 LOADS, RANGE 130.0-130.5, WT. AVG. 130.05.

90%FZ, 23 LOADS, RANGE 134.05, WT. AVG. 134.00.

85%FR, 85%FZ, UNQUOTED.

75%FR, RANGE 94.5, WT. AVG. 94.50 B.

75%FZ, 65%FR, 65%FZ, BULL 92-94, UNQUOTED.

CAF NORTHEAST AREAS

90%FR, 2 LOADS, RANGE 131.0, WT. AVG. 131.00.

90%FZ, UNQUOTED.

85%FR, RANGE 125.0, WT. AVG. 125.00 D.

85%FZ, 75%FR, 75%FZ, 65%FR AND 65%FZ UNQUOTED.

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