Weekly New York Egg Market **Northeast Quotes**

	From Fri., April 10 to Thurs., April 16						
	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS		
WHITE							
JUMBO ,	.73	.73	.73	.73	.73		
EX. LARGE	.72	.72	.72	.72	.72		
LARGE	.67	.67	.67	.68	.70		
MEDIUM	.55	.55	.55	.55	.57		
PULLETS	.48	.48	.48	.48	.50		
OFF GRADE BROWN	.55	.55	.55	.56	.58		
EXTRA LARGE	.69	.69	.69	.69	.69		
LARGE	.64	.64	.64	.64	.64		
MEDIUM	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55		
OFF GRADE UNDERGRADE	S						
AND CHECKS	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20		

BREAKING STOCKS: FRI. 48-50 LBS. 33.00-35.00, 50 LBS. AND UP 35.00-36.00.

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Eastern PA & NJ **Poultry** April 14, 1992

Prices unchanged to lower on light type but too few sales to report on heavy hens. Offerings of leghorn fowl are fully adequate for the reduced seasonal slaughter schedules. Heavy hen availability remains limited but generally adequate for desired needs. Further processed users find current requirements easily filled. Undertone

steady to barely steady.
CENTS PER LB., GENERALLY FOR SLAUGHTER THE FOLLOWING

HEAVY TYPE (7 POUNDS AND UP) AT FARM BUYER LOADING TOO FEW TO REPORT FOB PLANT TOO FEW TO REPORT

LIGHT TYPE AT FARM BUYER LOADING 1-3 CENTS/LB. MOSTLY 2 POB PLANT TOO FEW TO REPORT

* WEIGHTS UNDER 7 LBS. SUB-JECT TO DISCOUNT.

New York Eggs April 15, 1992

Prices on the large sizes were higher, and medium prices were unchanged. Trade sentiment was steady to instances firm where premiums were paid to secure extra supplies. Demand continued good with widespread features on large at 49-59 cents with restrictions, 79 cents no restrictions, and 3 dozen medium for \$1.00 with coupon. Supplies were adequate to barely adequate, and last minute holiday inquiry for additional eggs found very limited

offerings at premium prices.
PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN.

RANGE EXTRA LARGE 66-68 LARGE 63-66 MEDIUM 50-53

Heinsey's Poultry Roots, E. Petersburg April 14, 1992

Banty Hens 2.00 - 3.25 ea. Banty Roosters 2.00 - 4.75 ca. Bunnies .35 - 3.00 ca. Crossbred Fowl 5-9 .30 - .62 Crossbred Roosters 4-6.40 - .82 Crossbred Roosters 7-11 .40 - .74 Doves 2.50 - 4.00 ca. Geese 9-12 .30 - .54 Goats 38.00 - 75.00 ca. Guinea Powl 1.35 - 1.70 Guinea Pigs 1.00 3.00 ca. Kid Goats 20.00 - 41.00 ca. Leghorn Hens .16 - .24 Muscovy Ducks -Drakes 1.20 - 1.34 Muscovy Ducks - Hens 1.30 - 1.44 Pekin Ducks .60 - .74 Pigeons 1.75 - 2.25 ea. Pullets 4-6 .30 - .52 Rabbits 4-6 .50 - 1.30 Rabbits 7-11 .50 - 1.10 Red Powl 4-4.5 .40 - .54 Red Powl 5-6 .56 - .78 Silkies 3.75 - 5.10 ea. White Pigeons 2.25 Total Coops Sold 1,462

N.E. Chicken Parts April 15, 1992

Trucklot buying interest centered around tight supplies of yellow skin wings

for retail needs. Boneless skinless breasts were in good balance with a fair demand with some additional buying interest showing for late ek. Line run breasts were in close balance with trade needs, some processors asked higher prices but all trades were at steady prices. Leg quarters were fully adequate to ample with asking prices trending lower. Yellow skin wings were short of meeting a very good demand and trading was at higher prices; white skin wings were in close balance to tight.

TODAY'S NEGOTIATED SALES AS OF 11:30 A.M., 15-APR-92 PRICES PAID PER POUND, ICE PACKED PARTS DELIVERED IN POOL TRUCK-LOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES ITEM CURRENT NEGOTIATED

TRADING **BREAST - BONELESS SKINLESS** 185 BREAST - WITH RIBS 92-93 BREAST - LINE RUN 91 LEGS 32-33 LEG QUARTERS 20 THIGHS 31-32 DRUMSTICKS 26-27 WINGS 42-43 BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED) 10-12 LIVERS 20 GIZZARDS

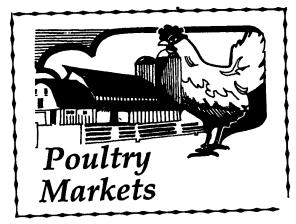
(HEARTS) 15-20 Includes New York City Metropolitan area, Northern New Jersey, Massachusetts, Connecticut and Rhode Island.

New York & Philadelphia Frozen Egg Report

Tuesday, April 14, 1992

The market tone remained barely steady to weak. Holiday buying activity had come to an end and forward interest was lacking enthusiasm. Increasingly competitive pricing compared to costs of raw materials continued to disturb further processors. Floor stocks were in good balance to easily satisfy current buyer needs.

WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES (CENTS PER POUND IN 30 LB. CON-TAINERS) TRUCKLOTS LTL (MIN. 25 CONT.) RANGE MOSTLY RANGE WHOLE 38-42 39-40 43-50 BLEND (/) 50-60 WHITES 36-38 37-38 38-46 SUGARED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS) 48-52 50-51 53-58 SALTED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS) 46-48 47-48 49-55 (/) WHOLE PLUS YOLK PLUS SWEETENER, GENERALLY 28-32% EGG SOLIDS.



N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, April 14 Report Supplied by USDA

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

DELIVERED TO RE	TAIL STORES:			
	EX. LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
N. HAMP.	.7478	.7377	.6771	.4145
MOSTLY	.7677	.7576	.6970	.4344
RHODE ISLAND	.7781	.7680	.7074	.4448
MOSTLY	.77	.76	.70	.44
VERMONT	.8489	.8385	.7779	
MAINE	.81	.80	.74	.48

New England Shell **Eggs** April 15, 1992

NEW ENGLAND:

Prices paid to producers were higher for large and extra-large, unchanged on the balance. Trade sentiment was steady to firm, strongest on white eggs and large brown. Demand for white eggs was very good, and brown egg movement was generally moderate. Supplies of white eggs were short to adequate, and limited offerings were available at premium prices, and brown egg supplies were adequate.
PRICES PAID TO PRODUCERS.

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

RANGE JUMBO 52-55 EXTRA LARGE 49-52 LARGE 48-51 MEDIUM 41-44 SMALL 15-18

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 67-69 LARGE 66-68 MEDIUM 60-62

Philadelphia Eggs Thursday, April 16, 1992 Report Supplied by USDA

MARKET COMMENT: TRADE SEN-TIMENT WAS FULLY STEADY TO FIRM, DEMAND WAS GOOD TO VERY GOOD AS HOLIDAY BUYING CONTINUED. INTER-DEALER INQUIRY POR EXTRA CARTONED AND LOOSE EGGS WAS ACTIVE, AND OFFERINGS REMAINED VERY LIMITED. SUP-PLIES WERE SHORT TO ADEQUATE, AND THE FEW EXTRA EGGS THAT WERE OFFERED GENERALLY BROUGHT PREMIUM PRICES. A EXTRA LARGE .63-.68, A LARGE .61-.66, A MEDIUM .49-.52.

Delmarva Broiler

Fryer April 15, 1992

Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was light to very light. Supplies were fully adequate to ample and extra product remained slow in clearing. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchang- ed at 46 to 58 cents, but some product was negotiable at less than normal practices in an effort to clear stocks. Live supplies were moderate to light. Weights were desirable to heavy. Slaughter schedules reflected some reduction in operations today which were moderately heavy over-all. Trade sentiment was no better than steady; improved for next week. Wings remained in tight supply for a good demand. Other parts were about steady

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ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT 04/15 04/13 04/13 04/08 04/06 2,042 1,608 4.59 1,843 4.71

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