

N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

January 30
Report Supplied by USDA
PRICES PAID PER DOZEN GRADE "A" BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS
DELIVERED TO RETAIL STORES:

	EX. LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
MAINE	1.32	1.25	1.15	.83
NEW HAMPSHIRE	1.19-1.23	1.12-1.16	1.04-1.08	.73-.77
MOSTLY	1.21-1.22	1.14-1.15	1.06-1.07	.75-.76
RHODE ISLAND	1.26-1.30	1.19-1.23	1.09-1.13	.79-.83
MOSTLY	1.26	1.19	1.09	.79
VERMONT	1.30-1.35	1.25-1.28	1.15-1.18	
MOSTLY	1.35	1.25	1.15	

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Delmarva Broiler

JANUARY 31, 1996

Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds ranged light to fair. Offerings were fully adequate, and generally slow to clear, with 3 pound and heavier sizes in the longest position. Live supplies ranged moderate to heavy, with weights desirable to heavy. Processing schedules were very heavy. Less than trucklot asking prices were down 1 cent to 52 to 63 cents. Trade sentiment was about steady. In the parts complex, bone-in breast were in fairly good balance. Wings were fully adequate and slow to clear. Leg items were adequate.

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000) ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT 01/31 01/29 01/29 01/24 01/22 2,451 2,445 4.99 2,387 4.96 *BROILER/FRYER CURRENT 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 50-67 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 54.12 NO. OF BOXES 10,468 *8 of 9 plants reporting.

North Atlantic Shell Eggs

February 1, 1996
Atlanta, Ga.

PRICES TO RETAILERS WERE UNCHANGED TO LOWER, AND PRICERS PAID TO PRODUCERS IN NEW ENGLAND WERE UNCHANGED. THE MARKET TONE WAS UNSETTLED, AND NO BETTER THAN CAUTIOUSLY STEADY. DEMAND WAS LIGHT TO MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY BETTER WHERE FEATURED. BREAKING STOCK SUPPLIES WERE ADEQUATE TO FULLY ADEQUATE UNDER AN ABOUT STEADY TRADE SENTIMENT.

PHILADELPHIA: PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN. EXTRA LARGE .83-.96%, LARGE .81-.94%, MEDIUM .73-.87%.

Heinsey's Poultry

FEBRUARY 1, 1996

RANGE
Muscovy Ducks - Drakes .78 - .92
Muscovy Ducks - Hens .90 - 1.10
Pekin Ducks .50 - .70
Red Fowl 4-4.5 .30 - .48
Red Fowl 5-6 .50 - .78
Crossbred Fowl 5-9 .30 - .62
Crossbred Roosters 4-6 .40 - .78
Crossbred Roosters 7-11 .40 - .78
Guinea Fowl 1.10 - 1.35
Banty Roosters 2.00 - 4.50 ea.
Banty Hens 1.00 - 2.75 ea.
Leghorn Hens .08 - .18
Silkies 1.50 - 3.00 ea.
Geese 8-14 .20 - .52
Pigeons 1.75 - 2.35 ea.
White Pigeons 4.25 - 4.75 ea.
Rabbits 4-6 .80 - 1.20
Rabbits 7-11 .80 - 1.20
Bunnies 1.00 - 3.50 ea.
Guinea Pigs 1.50 - 4.00 ea.
Kid Goats 25.00 - 40.00 ea.
Doves 2.00 - 4.75 ea.
Pullets 4-6 .40 - .56
Total Coops Sold 815

NE Chicken Pts 1&2

JANUARY 31, 1996

Trucklot buying interest was light. Offerings were generally more than sufficient for the current unaggressive demand. Retail and distributive movement was sluggish with dealers looking to the first of the month for some improvement. Trade sentiment was cautious.

PRICES PAID PER POUND, ICE PACKED AND CO2 PACKED BROILER/FRYER PARTS, DELIVERED TO FIRST RECEIVERS IN POOL TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES. ITEM CURRENT NEGOTIATED TRADING* BREAST - B/S (W & W/O TENDERS) 145-150 BREAST - WITH RIBS 73-74 BREAST - LINE RUN 73 LEGS 55-56 LEG QUARTERS (BULK) 39-40 DRUMSTICKS 52-53 THIGHS 46-47 WINGS (WHOLE) 54-55 BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED) 12 LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS) 30-35 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 50-55 INCLUDES NEW YORK CITY METROPOLITAN AREA, NORTHERN NEW JERSEY, MASSACHUSETTS, CONNECTICUT, RHODE ISLAND, AND PENNSYLVANIA (NORTHEAST OF HARRISBURG).

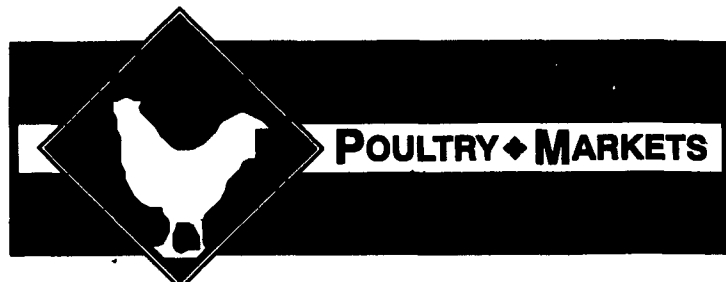
New York Egg Market

JANUARY 31, 1996

Prices were lower. Trade sentiment remained weak. Demand was poor to fair, occasionally better where featured. Supplies were at least adequate and available.

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 85-87
LARGE 82-85 MEDIUM 76-79



Weekly New York Egg Market Northeast Quotes

From Friday, Jan. 26 to Feb. 1

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.
WHITE					
JUMBO	.95	.95	.91	.89	.89
EX. LARGE	.95	.95	.91	.89	.89
LARGE	.93	.93	.89	.87	.87
MEDIUM	.87	.87	.83	.81	.79
PULLETS	.70	.70	.68	.67	.67
OFF GRADE	.81	.81	.77	.75	.75
BROWN					
EXTRA LARGE	1.14	1.14	1.10	1.07	1.04
LARGE	1.12	1.12	1.08	1.05	1.02
MEDIUM	.97	.97	.93	.90	.87
UNDERGRADES AND CHECKS	.44	.44	.43	.40	.40

BREAKING STOCKS: FRI. 42-44 LBS. .50-.52, 48-50 LBS. .57-.59, 50 LBS. AND UP .59-.61; MON. 42-44 LBS. .49-.51; TUES. 42-44 LBS. .48-.50, 48-50 LBS. .56-.58, 50 LBS. AND UP .58-.60; WED. 42-44 LBS. .46-.48, 48-50 LBS. .53-.55, 50 LBS. AND UP .55-.56; THURS. 42-44 LBS. .45-.47.

Hackettstown Poultry & Egg

Hackettstown, N.J.

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Tuesday, January 30, 1996

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HEAVY FOWL 30-1.05.
LEGHORN FOWL .55.
MIXED FOWL .75.
GEESE .80-2.00.
BANTAMS .50-2.00.
ROOSTERS 1.05-1.40.
BUNNIES EACH 2.00.
DUCKS .55-1.60.
RABBITS 1.00-1.80.
PIGEONS 2.20-3.20.
GUINEAS 3.50-5.25.
EGGS: WHITE EXTRA LARGE & JUMBO .58-.92, LARGE .55-.85. BROWN EXTRA LARGE & JUMBO .74-.91, LARGE .60-.78.

NY Phil Frozen Eggs

JANUARY 26, 1996

Prices were unchanged to instances lower. Trade sentiment was barely steady to weak. Demand was light, and centered on less-than-trucklot volumes. Floor stocks were adequate, and kept to a minimum. Shell egg supplies were at least adequate under a barely steady to weak trade sentiment, and prices were lower. Edible liquid and frozen eggs (ingredients included) processed under federal inspection in the Eastern region for the week ending January 20, 1996 were 2% greater than last week, and 12% less than the same week last year.

WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES (CENTS PER POUND IN 30 LB. CONTAINERS) TRUCKLOTS LTL (MIN. 25 CONT.) RANGE MOSTLY RANGE WHOLE 62-67 64-65 68-70 BLENDS (I) TFEWR 80-90 WHITES 45-47 45 48-54 SUGARED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS) 75-82 79 82-87 SALTED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS) 70-77 75 77-79 (I) - WHOLE PLUS YOLK PLUS SWEETENER, GENERALLY 28-32% EGG SOLIDS.

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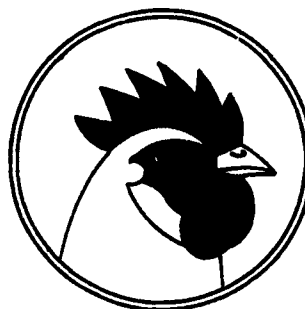
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