### N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report April 30

**Report Supplied by USDA** PRICES PAID PER DOZEN GRADE "A" BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS

TAIL STORES:			
EX. LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
1.08	1.01	.94	.72
1.01-1.05	.9498	.8791	.6569
1.03-1.04	.9697	.8990	.6768
1.04-1.08	.97-1.01	.9094	.6872
1.04	.97	.90	.68
1.10-1.11	1.04-1.05	.9397	
1.11	1.04	.97	
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Delmarva Broiler

MAY 8, 1996 Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was good. Seller offerings of 3 pound and smaller sizes were closely cleared to short; larger sizes were adequate and clearing well at most plants. Live supplies were moderate with weights ranging desirable to heavy. Processing schedules were mod-erate to heavy. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchanged at 61 to 73 cents. Trade sentiment was fully steady to firm. In the parts complex, boneless skinless breast were adequate. Bone-in breast were in good balance to short. Other items were

noted as well balanced and clearing. ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000) ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT 05/08 05/06 05/06 05/01 04/29 2,430 2,468 4.91 2,451 4.96 \*BROILER/FRYER CURRENT NEGOTIATED PRICES FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY INCLUDES MOSTLY MULTIPLE-DROP SHIP-MENTS OF BRANDED AND WING TAGGED TO NEW YORK CITY FROM DELMARVA

BRANDED U.S. GRADE A RANGE 59-73 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 62.23 NO. OF BOXES 10,210 \*8 of 9 plants reporting.

## E. PA & NJ Poultry

MAY 6, 1996 Final majority prices were unchanged, yet the weighted average trended slightly higher than a week ago. The undertone was generally steady. Offerings remained at least adequate for full trade requirements.

Demand was moderate at best as further processed sales declined in price. HEAVY TYPE HENS (7 POUNDS AND UP) FINAL PRICE, CENTS PER LB., GENERALLY FOR SLAUGHTER THE WEEK OF 06-MAY-96 RANGE MAJORITY WTD AVG AT FARM BUY-ER LOADING 10-13 CENTS/LB. 10-11 11.24 AT FARM PRODUCER LOADING TOO FEW TO REPORT FOB PLANT TOO FEW TO REPORT WEIGHTS UNDER 7 LBS. SUBJECT TO DISCOUNT.

### Heinsey's Poultry MAY 9, 1996

RANGE Muscovy Ducks - Drakes 1.20 - 1.42 Muscovy Ducks - Hens 1.30 - 1.44 Pekin Ducks .60 - .82 Red Fowl 4-4.5 .50 - .62 Red Fowl 5-6 .64 - .84 Crossbred Fowl 5-9 .30 - .66 Guinea Fowl 1.75 - 2.00 Banty Roosters 3.00 - 5.50 ea. Banty Hens 2.50 - 4.00 ea. Leghorn Hens .12 - .24 Silkies 1.00 - 2.25 ca. Geese 9-12 .30 - .56 Pigeons 2.50 - 2.95 ea. White Pigeons 3.85 - 4.75 ca. Rabbits 4-6 1.10 - 1.40 Rabbits 7-11 1.00 - 1.34 Bunnies 1.00 - 4.00 es. Guinea Pigs 2.00 - 5.50 ca. Goats 40.00 - 70.00 ca. Kid Goats 25.00 - 40.00 ea. Doves 3.00 - 4.50 ea. Pullets 4-6 .50 - .74

### **NE Chicken** Pts 1&2 MAY 8, 1996

Total Coops Sold 1092

Trucklot buying interest was light to fair on boneless breast, modrate to good on ribbreast and leg quarters, good on wings. Offerings of drums and thighs were in close balance to short with drums in the tightest position. Retail and distributive movement was moderate as business improved in some locations for mother's day.

PRICES PAID PER POUND, ICE PACKED AND CO2 PACKED BROILER/FRYER PARTS, DELIV-**ERED TO FIRST RECEIVERS IN POOL** TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUAN-TITIES. ITEM CURRENT NEGO-TIATED TRADING\* BREAST - B/S (W & W/O TENDERS) 190-195 BREAST -WITH RIBS 99-100 BREAST - LINE RUN 99 LEGS 46-47 LEG QUARTERS (BULK) 36-37 DRUMSTICKS 48-49 THIGHS 40-41 WINGS (WHOLE) 47-48 BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED) 12-14 LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS) 25-30 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 40 INCLUDES NEW YORK CITY METROPOLITAN AREA, NORTHERN NEW JERSEY, MASSACHUSETTS, CONNECTICUT, RHODE ISLAND, AND PENNSYLVA-NIA (NORTHEAST OF HARRISBURG). \* TODAY'S NEGOTIATED SALES AS OF 11:30 A.M.

# POULTRY + MARKETS

# Weekly New York Egg Market **Northeast Quotes**

From Friday, May 3-9						
	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	
WHITE						
JUMBO	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	
EX. LARGE	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	
LARGE	.76	.76	.76	.76	.76	
MEDIUM	.71	.71	.71	.71	.71	
PULLETS	.61	.61	.61	.61	.61	
OFF GRADE	.64	.64	.64	.64	.64	
BROWN						
EXTRA LARGE	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	
LARGE	.82	.82	.82	.82	.82	
MEDIUM	.73	.73	.73	.73	.73	
UNDERGRADES						
AND CHECKS	.34	.34	.34	.34	.34	

BREAKING STOCKS: FRI. 42-44 LBS. .40-.42, 48-50 LBS. .47-.49, 50 LBS. AND UP .49-.50.

# **Belleville Poultry**

Belleville, Pa. Wednesday, May 8, 1996 **Report supplied by Auction** Geese: 3.50 ca. Turkeys: 9.00-18.00 ca. Roosters: 4.50-7.50 ca. Bantams: 2.00-3.50 ca. Heavy hens: 4.00 ca. Guineas: 5.50 ea. Silkies: 2.00 ca. Muscovy hens: 6.00 ea. Muscovy drakes: 9.00-11.00 ea. Mixed ducks: 7.50 ea. Guinea pigs: 2.00 ca. Bam pigeons: 2.60 ea. White birds: 3.75 ca. Pheasants: 5.50-10.50 ea. Peacocks: none. Quail: none. Fancy birds: 4.50 ca. Rabbits: under 4 lbs. 2.75-4.00 ea., 4-6 lbs. 4.70-7.00 ca., over 6 lbs. 8.00-10.00 ca.

#### Hackettstown Poultry & Egg Hackettstown, N.J. **Report Supplied by Auction** Tuesday, May 7, 1996 **Report Supplied by Auction** HEAVY FOWL 1.35-1.45. LEGHORN FOWL .80-2.10. MIXED FOWL .95-1.20. FRYERS .90. CHICKS EACH .60-1.60. GEESE .20-.40. BANTAMS EACH 2.00-3.60. ROQSTERS .85-2.10 IURKEYS .60-2.20. BUNNIES EACH 2.50-7.25. DUCKS .45-1.40. RABBITS .75-1.80. PIGEONS EACH 2.25-4.00. GUINEAS EACH 9.00-12.50. EGGS: WHITE EXTRA LARGE & JUMBO 80-.87, LARGE .70-.82, SMALL 35, PEEWEES .21-.35; BROWN EXTRA LARGE & JUMBO .79-.87, LARGE 76- 84, MEDIUM 60, SMALL 31, PEE-WEES 22-.30

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