

National Egg Market
ATLANTA, GA
NOVEMBER 12, 1997

NATIONAL EGG MARKET - AT A GLANCE:

Prices were unchanged to higher east of the Rockies, and unchanged elsewhere. The market tone remained steady to firm. Demand ranged moderate to very good, mostly good, and best where features were either planned or already in progress prior to upcoming holidays. Supplies were short to adequate and floor stocks were often intentionally increased in anticipation of upcoming holiday needs. Breaking stock supplies were also short to instances adequate, and additional offerings were limited for the mixed demand. Offerings of light type fowl were generally adequate for slaughter schedules.

NE Chicken Parts 1 & 2
ATLANTA, GA
NOVEMBER 12, 1997

NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS - PART I FEDERAL-STATE

Trucklot buying activity was mixed with most dealers cautious and working from hand to mouth. Offerings were usually adequate to cover immediate trade needs. Retail and distributive movement was about moderate. The market tone was cautiously steady.

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 145-150 BREAST - WITH RIBS 66-67 BREAST - LINE RUN 66 LEGS 42-43 LEG QUARTERS (BULK) 29-30 DRUMSTICKS 37-38 THIGHS 42-43 WINGS (WHOLE) 57-58 BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED) 12-14 LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS) 25 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 50-55

INCLUDES NEW YORK CITY METROPOLITAN AREA, NORTHERN NEW JERSEY, MASSACHUSETTS, CONNECTICUT, RHODE ISLAND, AND PENNSYLVANIA (NORTHEAST OF HARRISBURG). TODAY'S NEGOTIATED SALES AS OF 11:30 A.M.

Delmarva Broiler
ATLANTA, GA
NOVEMBER 10, 1997
DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET. FEDERAL-STATE

Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was generally noted as no better than fair. Seller offerings were fully adequate and easily handled current trade needs. Live supplies were moderate, with weights mostly desirable. Processing schedules were moderately heavy. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchanged at 48 to 62 cents. Trade sentiment was cautiously steady. In the parts complex, offerings of boneless/skinless breasts were difficult to place, while large wings were difficult to find. Other items were for the most part generally balanced.

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000)

ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT
11/10 11/06 11/06 11/03 10/30
2,428 ***2,449*** 4.91 2,445 4.92

*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 ***45-67*** WEIGHTED AVERAGE 51.03 NO. OF BOXES 11,640 *8 of 9 plants reporting.

E. PA & NJ Poultry
ATLANTA, GA
NOVEMBER 10, 1997

SOUTHEAST HEAVY LIVE HEN REPORT, NOVEMBER 10, 1997. FEDERAL-STATE

Majority prices were unchanged to slightly higher than a week earlier. Demand was fair for usually adequate offerings. Undertone was mostly steady.

HEAVY TYPE HENS (7 POUNDS AND UP) *

FINAL PRICE, CENTS PER LB., GENERALLY FOR SLAUGHTER THE WEEK OF 10-NOV-97

RANGE MAJORITY WTD AVG AT FARM BUYER LOADING 14.5-22.5 CENTS/LB. 18-21 19.00 AT FARM PRODUCER LOADING TOO FEW TO REPORT FOB PLANT TOO FEW TO REPORT

* WEIGHTS UNDER 7 LBS. SUBJECT TO DISCOUNT.

Hackettstown Poultry & Egg
Hackettstown, N.J.

Report Supplied by Auction Tuesday, November 11, 1997

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HEAVY FOWL .10-.70.
LEGHORN FOWL .45-.70.
MIXED FOWL .25-.45.
BROILERS .70-.80.
TURKEYS .50-.60.
PULLETS 1.05.
GEESE .40-.60.
BANTAMS .25-.30 LB., .35-2.00 EA.
ROOSTERS .35-1.15.
BUNNIES 1.50 EA.
DUCKS .40-1.45.
RABBITS .35-1.35.
PIGEONS EA. .85-2.50.
GUINEAS EA. 4.00-7.50.
GRADE A EGGS: WHITE EXTRA LARGE & JUMBO .90-1.10, MEDIUM .60-.80. BROWN EXTRA LARGE & JUMBO .97-1.06, LARGE .85-.86, MEDIUM .50-.80.

National Grain Market
St. Joseph, MO
Wed, Nov 12, 1997

USDA-MO Dept Ag Market News
corrections on Kansas City soybean bid, Jan Futures and KC Gulf bid for Tuesday 11/11/97
DAILY NATIONAL GRAIN SUMMARY
Grain and soybean bids lost some of Tuesday's gains due to light profit taking on the board, slow export demand and

increased farmer selling of corn and beans. Wheat 2 to 5 cents lower. Corn 1 to 3 cents lower. Sorghum 1 to 5 cents lower. Soybeans 5 to 7 cents lower. Wheat bids fell slightly lower today following a lower corn and bean market. Export demand has been light this week for wheat and reports Tunisia bought 5.5 million bushels of optional origin wheat, added pressure. Lower corn and soybean bids were a reaction to harvest pressure, lack of foreign orders, and a pick up in farmer selling. Increased crop production estimates by USDA and private sources also weighed on bids. Profit taking was noted on the board. Indications that South Korea may have bought some US corn overnight, limited losses in corncom. Weakness in soybean meal bids added more pressure to bean bids.

U.S. Export Sales: PURCHASER COMMODITY TONNAGE DEL DATE
Egypt 11.5 pct Hard Red Winter Wheat 12,400 Jan/Feb 14.0 pct DN Spring Wheat 14,000 Jan/Feb Any protein Soft White Wheat 7,200 Jan/Feb 9.5 pct Soft White Wheat 3,500 Jan/Feb 10.0 pct Soft White Wheat 5,400 Jan/Feb Western White Wheat 2,500 Jan/Feb
Totals: Wheat 45,000 tonnes.

Date Change Year ago Truck Bids: 11/12/97 11/11/97 11/13/96 Wheat: Kansas City (HRW, ORD) 3.62 dn 2 4.75 Minneapolis (DNS, 14%) 4.14 dn 1/4 4.51 Portland (SW) 3.88-3.90 dn 5 4.21-4.23 St. Louis (SRW) 3.49-3.53 dn 4 3.91-4.01

Corn, US 2 Yellow: Kansas City 2.58 dn 3 2.72 Minneapolis 2.55 1/4 dn 1/4 2.51 3/4 Southern Iowa 2.70-2.74 dn 2-1 2.72-2.77 Omaha 2.50-2.54 No comparison 2.57-2.61

Soybeans, US 1 Yellow: Kansas City 7.17 dn 7 6.85-6.87 **Correction on Kansas City Soybeans on 11/11/97 7.24 Up

16** Minneapolis 7.11 1/2 dn 5 1/4 6.67 1/2 Southern Iowa 7.27-7.33 dn 7-5 6.97-7.01 Cent IL Processors 7.30 1/2-7.41 3/4 dn 7 1/4-6 7.00 1/2-7.04 1/2

Futures: Kansas City (Dec) Wheat 3.59 3/4 dn 2 1/2 4.35 Minneapolis (Dec) Wheat 3.82 dn 2 1/2 4.16 Chicago (Dec) Wheat 3.44 3/4 dn 4 3/4 4.00 3/4 Chicago (Dec) Corn 2.74 1/4 dn 2 1/4 2.71 3/4 Chicago (Jan) Soybeans 7.30 1/2 dn 7 1/4 6.90 1/2 **Correction on Chicago (Jan) Soybeans 7.37 3/4 on 11/11/97**

Export Bids: Barge or rail, Port of New Orleans or North Texas Gulf. US 1 HRW Wheat, Ord. Protein: 4.04 3/4 dn 3 1/2 4.95 US 2 Soft Red Winter Wheat: 3.74 3/4 dn 2 3/4-4 3/4 4.30 3/4-4.31 3/4 US 2 Yellow Corn: 2.96 1/4-2.98 1/4 dn 2 1/4-1/4 3.00 3/4-3.01 1/4 US 2 Yellow Sorghum: Rail 5.00 dn 4 4.82 Barge 5.13-5.17 dn 4-5 5.10-5.14 US 1 Yellow Soybeans: 7.57 1/2-7.59 1/2 dn 4 1/4 7.27 1/2-7.28 1/2 **Soybeans should have been 7.61 3/4-7.63 3/4 on Tuesday 11/11/97**

Westminster Hay
Westminster, Md.

Tuesday, November 11, 1997
Report Supplied by Auction

144 LOTS.
ALFALFA: 2.60-4.60 BALE.
TIMOTHY: 3.50-4.10 BALE.
CLOVER: 2.80-3.20 BALE.
MIXED HAY: 1.75-4.20 BALE.
GRASS: 1.60-3.00 BALE, 31.00-36.00 LARGE ROUND.
STRAW: 1.30-1.90 BALE.
MULCH: 1.30-1.50 BALE.
FIREWOOD: 47.00-87.00 CORD.
COWS FEED: 10.00 BAG.

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