

National Egg Market
St. Joseph, MO
Wed Feb 10, 1999

USDA-MO Dept Ag Market News
DAILY NATIONAL GRAIN SUMMARY

Wheat bids finished steady to firm as good overnight export sales offered strength. Corn bids moved slightly higher due to USDA's increased projection for yearly export and cut ending stocks back to 1.786 billion bushels. Fractionally higher soybean bids were also due to increased USDA projected ending stocks and higher Argentine and Brazilian production numbers. Wheat steady to 3 cents higher. Corn 1 to 3 cents higher. Sorghum 6 cents higher. Soybeans steady to 2 cents higher.

U.S. EXPORT SALES: Purchaser Commodity Tonnage Del date Japan Ordinary Hard Red Winter Wheat 10,000 Apr/May 14% Dark Northern Spring Wheat 30,000 13% protein Hard Red Winter Wheat 20,000 Western White Wheat 20,100 South Korea 14% Dark Northern Spring Wheat 5,000 May 10% Soft White Wheat 6,000 Max 9.5% Soft White Wheat 2,500 11.5% Hard Red Winter Wheat 7,000 Japan Feed Barley 20,000 Apr/May

Totals: Wheat 100,600 tonnes. Barley 20,000 tonnes. report.
Date Change Year Ago Truck Bids: 02/10/99 02/09/99 02/11/98 Wheat: Kansas City (HRW, ORD) 2.90 Unch

3.50-3.52 Minneapolis (DNS, 14pct) 3.67 1/2 Unch 3.99 3/4 Portland (SW) 3.08-3.12 Dn 2-unch 3.58-3.60 St. Louis (SRW) 2.31-2.52 Up 2-3 3.31-3.36

Corn, US 2 Yellow: Kansas City 2.16-2.17 Up 3 2.65 Minneapolis 1.98 1/4 Up 2 1/2 2.42 1/4 Southern Iowa 2.13 1/2-2.16 Up 1-2 2.62-2.64 Omaha Not available 2.48-2.50

Soybeans, US 1 Yellow: Kansas City 4.99 Unch 6.72-6.73 Minneapolis 4.75 1/4 Up 1/4 6.52 1/2 Southern Iowa 4.91-4.94 Dn 1-up 1 6.73-6.77 Cent IL Processors 4.97 1/4-5.08 1/4 up 1/4- 6.80 1/2-6.91 1/2 2 1/4 Futures: Kansas City (Mar) Wheat 3.02 Up 1/2 3.45 1/4 Minneapolis (Mar) Wheat 3.54 1/2 Unch 3.74 3/4 Chicago (Mar) Wheat 2.67 1/4 Up 2 3/4 3.32 1/2 Chicago (Mar) Corn 2.20 1/4 Up 3 1/2 2.68 1/4 Chicago (Mar) Soybeans 4.99 1/4 Up 1/4 6.75 1/2

Export Bids: Barge or rail, Port of New Orleans or North Texas Gulf. US 1 HRW Wheat, Ord. Protein: 3.28-3.34 Up 1 1/2-4 1/2 3.79 1/4-3.81 1/4 US 2 Soft Red Winter Wheat: 2.72 1/4-2.74 1/4 UP 2 3/4 3.51 1/2-3.52 1/2 US 2 Yellow Corn: 2.45 1/4-2.46 3/4 UP 2 1/2-3 1/2 2.85 1/4-2.86 1/4 US 2 Yellow Sorghum: Rail 4.18-4.24 UP 5-7 5.06 Barge 4.38 UP 8-5 5.09-5.11 US 1 Yellow Soybeans: 5.30-5.32 Up 1/4 7.07 1/2-7.09 1/2

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FEBRUARY 11, 1999

NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS - PART I FEDERAL-STATE

Trucklot buying activity was slow to develop and difficult to find. Offerings continued to easily satisfy the limited dealer interest. Retail and distributive movement was struggling as holiday activity and a wide variety of items enticed consumers. 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 150 BREAST - WITH RIBS 76-77 BREAST - LINE RUN 76 LEGS 22-23 LEG QUARTERS (BULK) 15-16 DRUMSTICKS 34-35 THIGHS 22-23 WINGS (WHOLE) 62-63 BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED) 12-14 LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS) 40-45 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 40-45

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.
FEBRUARY 11, 1999

DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET. FEDERAL-STATE

Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was seasonally slow. Offerings were fully adequate to ample and excess supplies were competitively priced to stimulate buyers interest. Live supplies were mostly moderate; weights remained mixed and irregular. Processing schedules were moderate to moderately heavy. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchanged at 52 to 66 cents. Trade sentiment was barely steady to weak. In the parts complex, bone-in breasts continued to clear handily and were generally no more than adequate. Ample leg quarters were attracting good buying interest but other parts were somewhat slow in clearing.

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000)

ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT 02/11 02/09 02/09 02/04 02/02

2,370 2,340 5.08 2,429 5.14
*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 45-71 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 55.13 NO. OF BOXES 8,295
*7 of 9 plants reporting.

New York Egg Market
ATLANTA, GA.

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NEW YORK EGGS, FEBRUARY 11, 1999. FEDERAL-STATE

Prices were unchanged. The market tone continued steady. Demand was light to moderate, best where featured. Supplies were adequate for current needs.

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

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