

North Atlantic Shell Eggs

May 27, 1999
Atlanta, Ga.

Report Supplied By USDA

PRICES WERE UNCHANGED IN ALL LOCATIONS. THE MARKET TONE WAS MOSTLY STEADY. DEMAND WAS LIGHT TO MODERATE, ALTHOUGH USUALLY BETTER WHERE LIMITED FEATURE ACTIVITY CREATED ADDITIONAL INTEREST. JUMBO SUPPLIES WERE MIXED FROM AREA TO AREA, HOWEVER, THE REMAINDER OF SIZES WERE GENERALLY ADEQUATE TO AVAILABLE. BREAKING STOCK OFFERINGS FROM REGULAR SOURCES WERE GENERALLY ADEQUATE FOR THE LIGHT TO GOOD DEMAND. LIGHT TYPE FOWL WERE AMPLE FOR SLAUGHTER SCHEDULES.

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 .62-.67, LARGE .60-.65, MEDIUM .42-.43.

BOSTON: PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN. EXTRA LARGE .96-.98, LARGE .87-.89, MEDIUM .61-.63.

NEW ENGLAND: PRICES PAID TO PRODUCERS, CASES EXCHANGED, GRADE YIELD BASIS, BROWN EGGS LOOSE, AT FARM, CENTS PER DOZEN. JUMBO 1.07-1.10, EXTRA LARGE .77-.80, LARGE .68-.71, MEDIUM .42-.45, SMALL .18-.21.

NE Chicken

Parts 1&2

ATLANTA, GA.

MAY 26, 1999

NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS - PART I FEDERAL-STATE

Trucklot buying interest was generally of a light and spotty nature. Offerings were usually in good balance to satisfy the unaggressive buying attitude. Retail business was expected to improve for the holiday, but most interest was expected to center around items such as spare ribs and ground beef. The market tone was extremely 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 160 BREAST - WITH RIBS 79-80 BREAST - LINE RUN 79 LEGS 24-25 LEG QUARTERS (BULK) 17-18 DRUMSTICKS 24-25 THIGHS 17-18 WINGS (WHOLE) 49-50 BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED) 10-12 LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS) 20 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 35

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.

National Egg Market
ATLANTA, GA
MAY 26, 1999

NATIONAL EGG MARKET - AT A GLANCE

Prices were unchanged. The market tone was mostly steady at current price levels. Demand ranged light to moderately good and was best where retail features were a factor. Supplies were closely balanced to tight on jumbos, balance of sizes were generally in a range of adequate to available. Breaking stock supplies were usually adequate for the mostly light demand, and the undertone was usually steady. Light type hens were ample for processors needs.

Middleburg Grain & Hay Auction

Middleburg, Pa.
Tuesday, May 25

Report Supplied by FDA

37 LOADS OF HAY; 67 LOADS TOTAL.
ALFALFA: 7 LOTS, 60.00-100.00.
MIXED HAY: 19 LOTS, 35.00-75.00.
TIMOTHY: 6 LOTS, 40.00-85.00.
CLOVER: 21.00-40.00 ROUND BALES.
ORCHARD GRASS: 40.00-80.00.
STRAW: 13 LOTS, 50.00-75.00.
EAR CORN: 10 LOTS, 70.00-95.00.
OATS: 1.80-2.25 BU.

National Grain Market
St. Joseph, MO
Wed May 26, 1999

USDA-MO Dept Ag Market News
DAILY NATIONAL GRAIN SUMMARY

Wheat bids were steady to slightly lower due to harvest progress and spring wheat planting progress. Corn bids finished steady to slightly higher, supported by additional export sales to South Korea. Soybean bids were lower on planting progress and lack of export orders. Wheat steady to 1 cent lower. Corn mixed. Sorghum steady. Soybeans 2 to 4 cents lower. Corn planters are rolling and although it's late, farmers haven't switched and are planting at a rapid pace. Corn is coming up in many fields that did look bare with no till planting. Hard to tell how many acres have been seeded but now stalks are breaking through the dying foliage that was burned down. Farmers are reluctant to switch to soybeans after many had higher price fertilizers and chemicals put on the ground. They do not want to spend 300.00 per acre to plant 4.00 soybeans.

U.S. EXPORT SALES: Purchaser Commodity Tonnage Del Date South Korea Com 104,000 Jun/Aug

Date Change Year Ago TRUCK BIDS:
05/26/99 05/25/99 05/27/98 Wheat: Kansas City (HRW ORD) 2.62 Unch 3.13 Minneapolis (DNS 14pct) 3.28 3/4 Dn 1 1/2 3.96 1/4 Portland (SW) 3.09-3.10 Unch 3.12-3.16 St. Louis (SRW) 2.31-2.32 Dn 1 2.73-2.74

Corn, US 2 Yellow: Kansas City 2.01-2.02 Unch 2.37 Minneapolis 1.97 3/4 Unch 2.31 Southern Iowa 2.07-2.09 Dn

1-up 1/2 2.37-2.40 Omaha 1.92 Up 1-unch 2.21-2.22

Soybeans, US 1 Yellow: Kansas City 4.49 Dn 4 6.24 Minneapolis 4.36 1/2 Dn 1 1/4 6.08 1/4 Southern Iowa 4.45-4.48 Dn 4-2 6.17-6.21 Cent IL Processors 4.51 1/2-4.56 1/2 Dn 3 1/4- 6.21 1/4-6.40 1/4 4 1/4

FUTURES: Kansas City (Jul) Wheat 2.74 Up 1 1/2 3.12 1/2 Minneapolis (Jul) Wheat 3.17 3/4 Dn 1 1/2 3.60 1/4 Chicago (Jul) Wheat 2.47 1/2 Dn 1 1/4 2.87 1/2 Chicago (Jul) Corn 2.14 3/4 Unch 2.37 Chicago (Jul) Soybeans 4.55 1/2 Dn 4 1/4 6.18 EXPORT BIDS: Barge or rail, Port of New Orleans or North Texas Gulf. US 1 HRW Wheat, Ord. Protein: 2.96 3/4-3.06 3/4 Dn 1/4 3.39 1/2-3.47 1/2 US 2 Soft Red Winter Wheat: 2.49 1/2-2.50 1/2 Dn 1 1/4-3 1/4 2.90 1/2-2.92 1/2 US 2 Yellow Corn: 2.29 3/4-2.30 3/4 Unch 2.60 1/2-2.61 US 2 Yellow Sorghum: Rail 3.83 Unch 4.39-4.41 Barge 3.96 Unch 4.52 US 1 Yellow Soybeans: 4.71 1/2-4.73 1/2 Dn 3 1/4 6.44 1/4-6.47 1/4

Belleville Hay

Wednesday, May 26
Belleville, Pa.

Report Supplied By Auction
ALFALFA HAY: 65.00-130.00.
MIXED HAY: 50.00-100.00.
STRAW: 75.00-80.00.

Lebanon Produce Hay Auction

Lebanon, Pa.

Tuesday, May 25, 1999

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