

N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

August 24, 1999

Report Supplied by USDA

PRICES PAID PER DOZEN GRADE "A" BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS DELIVERED STORE DOOR:

	EX. LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
MAINE	1.12	1.02	.68	.41
NEW HAMPSHIRE	1.05-1.09	95-.99	.61-.65	.34-.38
MOSTLY	1.07-1.08	97-.98	.63-.64	.36-.37
RHODE ISLAND	1.08-1.12	98 1.02	.64-.68	.37-.41
MOSTLY	1.08	98	.64	.37
VERMONT	1.15	1.05	.69-.71	
MOSTLY			.69	

North Atlantic Shell Eggs

August 26, 1999

Atlanta, Ga.

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IN PHILADELPHIA, PRICES WERE UNCHANGED TO 1 CENT HIGHER ON MEDIUMS AND OTHER PRICES AND LOCATIONS WERE UNCHANGED. THE MARKET TONE WAS STEADY FOR THE LARGER SIZES AND FULLY STEADY FOR MEDIUMS. DEMAND WAS LIGHT TO MODERATE, MOSTLY MODERATE. SUPPLIES WERE IN A BETTER POSITION ON MEDIUMS AND LARGE WERE SUFFICIENT FOR CURRENT TRADING NEEDS. BREAKING STOCK SUPPLIES WERE ADEQUATE. LIGHT TYPE HENS WERE FULLY ADEQUATE FOR SLAUGHTER REQUIREMENTS.

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 64-66, LARGE 62-64, MEDIUM 36-41.

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 98-100, LARGE 88-90, MEDIUM 54-56.

NEW ENGLAND: PRICES PAID TO PRODUCERS, CASES EXCHANGED, GRADE YIELD BASIS, BROWN EGGS LOOSE, AT FARM, CENTS PER DOZEN. JUMBO 127-130, EXTRA LARGE 79-82, LARGE 69-72, MEDIUM 35-38, SMALL 8-11.

Heinsey's Poultry

Roots, East Petersburg

Tuesday, August 24, 1999

Report Supplied By Auction

Muscovy duck drakes .46-1.02; hens .58-.94.

Peking ducks, .28-.38.

Red fowl 4-4 1/2 .40-.62, 5-6 .56-.84.

Crossbred fowl 5-9 lbs. .50-.98.

Crossbred roosters 4-6 lbs. .40-1.24,

7-11 lbs. .50-1.12.

Guinea fowl, not enough.

Bantam roosters 2.50-6.00 ea., hens 1.50-3.25.

Leghorn hens .10-.22.

Leghorn rooster .10-.34.

Silkie .85-1.75.

Geese, 9-14 lbs. .20-.34.

Pigeons 1.75-2.25 ea.

White pigeons 1.75-2.50 ea.

Rabbits 4-6 lbs. .60-1.08, 7-11 lbs. .60-.98.

Bunnies 1.00-5.50 ea.

Guinea pigs 3.00-6.00 ea.

Goats, not enough.

Kids 15.00-50.00 ea.

Doves 3.50-4.50.

Chukars, not enough.

Pullets .60-.84.

Total coops 724.

Delmarva Broiler

ATLANTA, GA.

AUGUST 25, 1999

DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET. FEDERAL-STATE

Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was generally fair and about as expected for mid-week trading. Offerings were adequate on the 3.5 and heavier sizes; fully adequate on the smaller sizes. Live supplies were moderate, with weights ranging light to desirable mostly desirable. Processing schedules were moderately heavy. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchanged at 55 to 67 cents. Trade sentiment was mostly steady. In the parts complex, breast items were in close balance. Leg items were adequate to fully adequate. Wings were generally adequate.

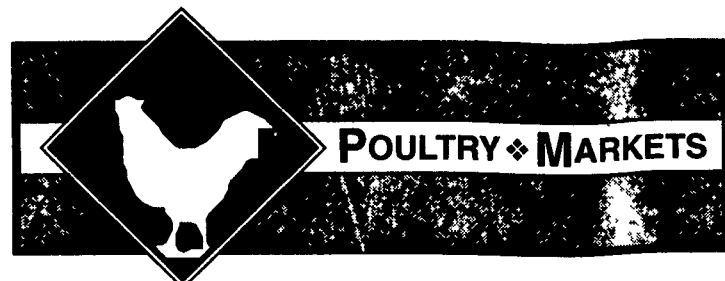
ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000)

ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT 08/25 08/23 08/18 08/16

2,411 2,453 4,99 2,478 4,95

*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 56-67 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 58.75 NO. OF BOXES 6,684

*5 of 8 plants reporting.



Weekly New York Egg Market Northeast Quotes

Prices Supplied By Urner-Barry

	From August 20-26				
	FRI	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.
WHITE					
JUMBO	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.03
EX. LARGE	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75
LARGE	.68	.68	.68	.68	.68
MEDIUM	.43	.43	.43	.45	.46
PULLETS	.31	.31	.31	.31	.31
BROWN					
EXTRA LARGE	.85	.85	.86	.88	.88
LARGE	.80	.80	.81	.83	.83
MEDIUM	.48	.48	.48	.48	.48
UNDERGRADES					
AND CHECKS	.18	.18	.18	.18	.18
BREAKING STOCKS: FRI 42-44 LBS. .20-.22, 48-50 LBS. .32-.34, 50 LBS. AND UP .34-.35.					

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Poultry

ATLANTA, GA.

AUGUST 23, 1999

SOUTHEAST HEAVY LIVE HEN REPORT, AUGUST 23, 1999. FEDERAL-STATE

Majority prices were unchanged to higher when compared to a week earlier. However, markets were very unsettled and at best barely steady. Offerings were ample for a unaggressive demand. Processing schedules were close to normal.

HEAVY TYPE HENS (7 POUNDS AND UP) *

FINAL PRICE, CENTS PER LB., GENERALLY FOR SLAUGHTER THE WEEK OF 23-AUG-99

RANGE MAJORITY WTD AVG

AT FARM BUYER LOADING 7.5-17

CENTS/LB. 14.5-17 14.59 AT FARM

PRODUCER LOADING TOO FEW TO

REPORT FOB PLANT TOO FEW TO

REPORT

National Egg Market

ATLANTA, GA

AUGUST 25, 1999

NATIONAL EGG MARKET - AT A GLANCE

Prices were generally 2 cents higher on mediums in Chicago and New York, unchanged to 2 cents higher in Philadelphia, other sizes and in most other locations prices were unchanged. The market tone was mostly fully steady to firm on mediums, larger sizes were reported as unsettled to steady. Demand was mixed and usually in a full range of light to instances good. Supplies were adequate to ample in the West, and in other location offerings were adequate on extra large, adequate to available on large, and adequate but well cleared on mediums. Breaking stock supplies were usually sufficient from regular suppliers. Light type hens were fully adequate to ample for immediate needs but not as available as last week.

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