

North Atlantic Eggs

Atlanta, Georgia
Report Supplied by USDA
December 13, 2001

In Philadelphia, prices were unchanged to 1 cent higher on all sizes. Prices paid to producers in New England were 1 cent higher for extra large and large, unchanged on the balance of sizes. In Boston, prices remained unchanged. The market tone was fully steady. Demand improved and ranged light to moderate, best where features stimulated interest.

Supplies were adequate for full trade needs. Breaking stock supplies were ample to burdensome for the only fair demand. Light type fowl were sufficient 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. RANGE: EXTRA LARGE .66-.69, LARGE .64-.67, MEDIUM .45-.49

BOSTON: PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN. RANGE: EXTRA LARGE .99-1.01, MEDIUM .69-.71

NEW ENGLAND: PRICES PAID TO PRODUCERS, CASES EXCHANGED, GRADE YIELD BASIS, BROWN EGGS LOOSE, AT FARM, CENTS PER DOZEN. RANGE: JUMBO 1.20-1.23, EXTRA LARGE .81-.84, LARGE .73-.76, MEDIUM .50-.53, SMALL 23-26

Delmarva Broiler/Fryer
ATLANTA, GA.

December 12, 2001

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Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was mostly light to fair at best and typical of mid-week trading. Seller offerings were more than sufficient for trade requirements. Live supplies were moderate; weights were in a full range of light to heavy. Processing schedules were moderate. Less than trucklot asking prices was unchanged at 48 to 62 cents. Trade sentiment was no better than steady. In the parts complex, bone-in breasts were in good balance and clearing satisfactorily. Boneless-skinless breasts were adequate to available. The balance of items were at least adequate for trade needs.

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA

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ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT
12/12 12/10 12/10 12/05 12/03
2,099 2,140 5.22 2,328 5.12
BROILER/FRYER CURRENT NEGOTIATED PRICES FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY INCLUDES MOSTLY MULTIPLE-DROP SHIPMENTS OF BRANDED AND WING TAGGED TO NEW YORK CITY FROM DELMARVA.
RANGE .40-.66, WEIGHTED AVERAGE 50.74 NO. OF BOXES 9,931
8 of 8 plants reporting.

Livestock Cooperative Auction Market of North Jersey Poultry & Egg

Hackettstown, N.J.
Report Supplied by Auction
Tuesday, December 11, 2001

HEAVY FOWL .40-.90 LB.
LEGHORN FOWL .20 LB.
MIXED FOWL .30-.70 LB.
ROASTERS .50 LB.
PULLETS EACH 4.00.
GEESE EACH 5.00.
BANTAMS .55-1.10 LB., .75-4.00 EA.
ROOSTERS .50-.80 LB., 1.00-3.00 EACH.
BUNNIES .35-6.50 EA.
DUCKS .30-1.00 LB., 6.00 EACH.
RABBITS .30-1.95 LB., .75-2.75 EACH.
PIGEONS .75-2.75 EACH.
GUINEAS 2.75-3.50 EACH.
GRADE A EGGS
WHITE JUMBO, EX. LRGE. .72, LARGE .65-.70; BROWN JUMBO, EX. LRGE. .67-.76, LARGE .58-.73, MEDIUM .41-.48.

National Broiler Market At A Glance

Atlanta, Ga.

December 12, 2001

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FEDERAL/STATE: Trade sentiment was no better than steady. Retail demand was seasonally slow to fair, best for light features and more traditional holiday foods. Food service was light to fairly good as catered holiday functions, fast food promotions, and restaurant business attracted additional interest. Supplies were at least adequate and available, at times long for heavier sizes. In the parts structure, breast items moved into a better position, particularly bone-in, and cleared well. Wings were sufficient, but closer balanced for party wings, and dark meat was at least available. In production areas, live supplies were moderate. Weights were in a full range.

Eastern Region Whole Young Turkeys

Des Moines, Iowa
December 12, 2001

Report Supplied By USDA

WHOLE YOUNG TURKEYS, FROZEN, Consumer Sizes, Commodity Pack or Equivalent, US Grade A, cents per lb, del. minimum of 10,000 lb lots for Dec. 12.

CURRENT SHIPMENTS: Eastern Region: HENS, 8-16 lb FROZEN: Offers 65-70.5; Sales 70.5, wtd. avg. 70.50; 30,000 lbs. TOMS, 16-24 lb FROZEN: Offers 58-60; Sales 58, wtd. avg. 58.00; 80,000 lbs.

FRESH TURKEYS: With Timers or Equivalent, US Grade A delivered first receivers, cents per lb, Eastern Region, Week of Dec. 10, 2001.

HENS, 8-16 lb FRESH: Sales (Promotions included) 87.03; 458,000 lbs. Sales (Promotions not included) 87.03; 458,000 lbs. TOMS, 16-24 lbs. FRESH: Sales (Promotions not included): 80.58; 277,000 lb. Sales (Promotions not included) 80.58; 277,000 lb.

National Egg Market At A Glance

Atlanta, Ga.

December 11, 2001

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In most locations, prices increased 1 cent on medium with the balance unchanged. The market tone was steady to fully steady. Demand was light to good and was best where features stimulated additional buying interest. Supplies were usually adequate for trade needs. Breaking stock demand continued light to fair for fully adequate to burdensome supplies. The National shell egg inventory was 1% higher than last week. Light type fowl were sufficient for slaughter needs.

Virginia Eggs

Harrisonburg, Va.

December 11, 2001

Report Supplied By USDA

Prices unchanged on large and small, up 1 cents on medium today. Supplies are moderate for plant needs.

Prices to retailers, in small lots, USDA Grade A and Grade A, 30 dozen cases, white eggs in cartons, delivered store door, cents per dozen. Large 77; Medium 58; Small 48.

Trucklot, prices to retailers, sales to volume buyers: Large 59-69, mostly 69; Medium 42-52, mostly 52; Small 33-43, mostly 43.

Eastern Region Miscellaneous Poultry

Atlanta, GA.

December 7, 2001

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EASTERN REGION MISCELLANEOUS POULTRY FOR CURRENT DELIVERY for the week of November 19.

DUCKLINGS: Prices negotiated by first receivers, US Grade A, 4-5 pounds, delivered in trucklot and pool trucklot quantities: LONG ISLAND—Frozen 137; Fresh 143. MIDWEST—Frozen 122-126; Fresh—123-127.

ROASTERS: Prices negotiated by first receivers, US Grade A and Plant Grade, 5 pounds and up, delivered: ICE PACKED (12 per box) 61-68 mostly 63-66. VACUUM PACKED (6-9 per box) 65-85 mostly 68-73.

SQUABS: New York Wholesale Prices, Frozen, Plant Grade, dollars per dozen, 1 to 10 boxes: 12 oz. 60.48-69.66; 14 oz. 66.96-76.14; 16 oz. 73.44-83.43.

The eastern region includes: CT, DE, FL, GA, MA, MD, ME, NC, NH, NJ, NY, PA.

Belleville Poultry

Belleville, Pa.

Report Supplied by Auction
Wednesday, December 12, 2001

GEESE: 2.50 EA.
TURKEYS: 6.00-9.00 EA.
GUINEAS: 2.50-3.50 EA.
ROOSTERS: 4.00-7.00 EA.
BANTAMS: 2.50 EA.
HEAVY HENS: 2.00 EA.
SILKIES: 2.25 EA.
MUSCOVY HENS: 2.00 EA.
MUSCOVY DRAKES: 7.50 EA.
MIXED DUCKS: 2.50 EA.
BARN PIGEONS: 2.25 EA.
WHITE BIRDS: 3.00 EA.
FANCY BIRDS: NONE.
PEACOCKS: 7.00 EA.
PHEASANTS: 2.00-4.00 EA.
DOVES: NONE.
QUAIL: NONE.
GUINEA PIGS: .05-.50.
RABBITS: UNDER 4 LBS. 1.25-4.50, 4-6 LBS. 4.50-7.50, OVER 6 LBS. 7.50-14.50, ALL EACH.
For more information phone 717-242-2898.

Morrison's Cove Poultry & Rabbit

Martinsburg, Pa.

Report Supplied by Auction
Monday, December 10, 2001

ROOSTERS 3.25-7.00.
BANTY ROOSTERS .50-4.50.
HEAVY HENS .25-2.00.
BANTY HENS .50-2.75.
PIGEONS 1.95.
GUINEAS 3.00.
DUCKS 2.00.
MUSCOVY HENS 3.00.
MUSCOVY DRAKES 3.00.
BUNNIES 1.00-5.25.
RABBITS 3.00-6.75.
LARGE RABBITS 8.00-11.50.
AUCTION EVERY MON., 7:30 P.M.

National Retail Egg Purchases

Atlanta, Ga.

December 10, 2001

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Cooperators estimate orders for the week ending December 15 will increase by 12 percent. Present week purchases for the week ending Dec. 7, 2001, were 293,909 cases which was 14 percent above the prior week and 1 percent below estimates. CASES PURCHASED: Cartoned: 265,464 up 16% from prior week; Loose: 28,445 down 5%; Total: 293,909 up 14%.

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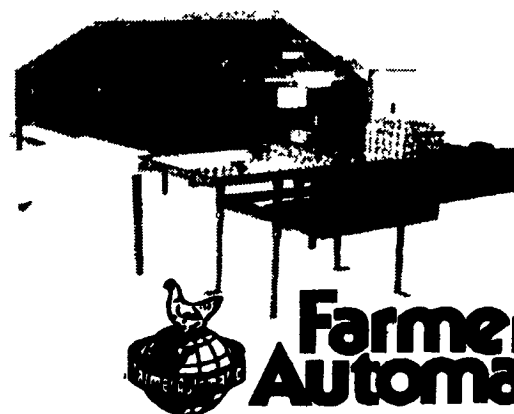
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