

Virginia Eggs

Warrenton, Va.
December 27, 2001

Report Supplied By USDA

★Effective January 2, 2002, the Prices to Retailers series covering carton-egg delivered into retailers'

warehouses or directly to the retail outlet will be adjusted to reflect changes in pricing terms. Previously unidentified changes in some pricing terms were found during a review of current data collection and price reporting procedures. Market News will continue to monitor this egg price series and change prices as dictated by pricing procedures used by the egg industry. The prices reported do not reflect marketing allowances. As adjustments are made in individual reports comprising the Prices to Retailers series, the applicable report will include prices both with and without the adjustments on the day the adjustments are made. All affected reports will be adjusted by January 7.★★

Prices were unchanged on all three sizes. 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 63; Small 48.

Trucklot, prices to retailers, sales to volume buyers: Large 59-69, mostly 69; Medium 45-57, mostly 57; Small 33-43, mostly 43.

Northeast Broiler

Fryer Parts Part I

ATLANTA, GA.
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Trucklot buying activity was light and unaggressive following the holiday as dealers assessed the market and attempted to keep inventories in close balance during this seasonally slow period. Offerings of breast items were readily available, with sharp discounting occasionally noted where product was older and had become difficult to place. Dark meat cuts were at least adequate, although, legs were mixed ranging balanced to adequate. Wings were at least sufficient. Movement through retail and distributive channels was generally no better than fair, with spot refill and feature activity offering the best draw. The market tone was barely steady on bone-in breasts, cautiously steady on the balance.

ICE PACKED BROILER/FRYER PARTS, DELIVERED TO FIRST RECEIVERS IN POOL TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES, CENTS PER POUND. ITEM CURRENT NEGOTIATED TRADING BREAD - B/S 115 TENDERLOINS 100 BREAST - WITH RIBS 45-46 BREAST - LINE RUN 45 LEGS 37-38 LEG QUARTERS (BULK) 22-23 DRUMSTICKS 38-39 THIGHS 28-29 B/S THIGHS 86-87 WINGS (WHOLE) 83-84 BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED) 10-12 LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS) 30-35 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 55-60

INCLUDES NEW YORK CITY METROPOLITAN AREA, NORTHERN NEW JERSEY, MASSACHUSETTS, CONNECTICUT, RHODE ISLAND, AND PENNSYLVANIA (NORTHEAST OF HARRISBURG).

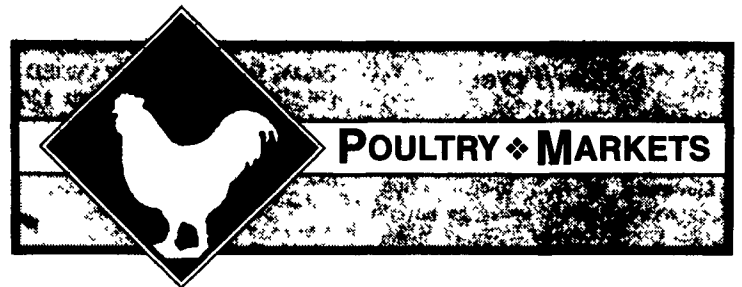
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Fryer Parts Part II

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ICE PACKED BROILER/FRYER PARTS, DELIVERED TO FIRST RECEIVERS IN POOL TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES, CENTS PER POUND. CURRENT NEGOTIATED WTD VOLUME ITEM TRADING AVG/LBS BREAD - B/S 115 122.05 204,470 TENDERLOINS 100 107.54 21,650 BREAST - WITH RIBS 45-46 50.73 172,600 BREAST - LINE RUN 45 45.85 133,200 LEGS 37-38 42.48 77,120 LEG QUARTERS (BULK) 22-23 25.43 338,834 DRUMSTICKS 38-39 41.58 102,280 THIGHS 28-29 38.46 59,160 B/S THIGHS 86-87 86.37 30,720 WINGS (WHOLE) 83-84 93.24 186,160 BACKS



Weekly New York Egg Market Northeast Quotes

Prices Supplied By Urner-Barry From Dec. 21-27

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.
WHITE					
JUMBO	.73	C	C	.73	.73
EX.LARGE	.72	L	L	.72	.72
LARGE	.71	O	O	.71	.71
MEDIUM	.57	S	S	.57	.57
PULLETS	.44	E	E	.44	.44
BROWN					
EX.LARGE	.79	D	D	.79	.79
LARGE	.76			.76	.76
MEDIUM	.60			.60	.60
UNDERGRADES AND CHECKS	.13			.13	.13
BREAKING STOCKS: FRI. 42-44 LBS. .20-.22, 48-50 LBS. .27-.29, 50 LBS. AND UP .29-.30.					

AND NECKS (STRIPPED) 10-12 12.44 26,480 LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS) 30-35 34.90 7,410 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 55-60 58.55 10,060

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TODAY'S NEGOTIATED SALES AS OF 11:30 A.M.

WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICE OF ALL GRADES AND BRANDS OF PRODUCT SHIPPED, OR TO BE SHIPPED AS OF 1:30 P.M. 26-DEC-2001.

New York Eggs

ATLANTA, GA.
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Prices were unchanged on all sizes. The market tone was steady following the Christmas holiday. Demand was moderate to good. Supplies were sufficient for needs.

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 .69-.71, LARGE .66-.69, MEDIUM .52-.55.

Eastern Region Miscellaneous Poultry

Atlanta, GA.
December 21, 2001

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EASTERN REGION MISCELLANEOUS POULTRY FOR CURRENT DELIVERY for the week of December 17, 2001.

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) 62-67 mostly 64-65. VACUUM PACKED (6-9 per box) 65-85 mostly 65-73.

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.

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- GEESSE: 2.00-9.50 EA.
- TURKEYS: 7.00 EA.
- GUINEAS: NONE.
- ROOSTERS: 2.00-4.75 EA.
- BANTAMS: .50-1.50 EA.
- HEAVY HENS: 1.50 EA
- SILKIES: 2.75 EA.
- MUSCOVY HENS: 2.00-3.00 EA.
- MUSCOVY DRAKES: 7.50 EA.
- MIXED DUCKS: 3.00-3.75 EA
- BARN PIGEONS: 2.00 EA
- WHITE BIRDS: 2.25 EA.
- FANCY BIRDS: NONE
- PEACOCKS: NONE.
- PHEASANTS: NONE.
- DOVES: NONE.
- QUAIL: NONE.
- GUINEA PIGS: NONE.
- RABBITS: UNDER 4 LBS. 1.50-4.50, 4-6 LBS. 6.00-7.50, OVER 6 LBS 8.00-13.00, ALL EACH.

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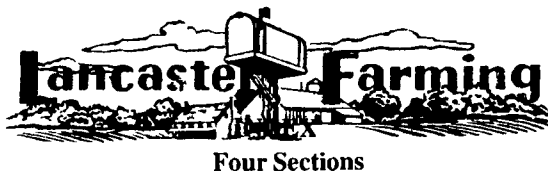
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