

National Retail Egg Purchases

Atlanta, Ga.
July 1, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

Cooperators estimate orders for the week ending July 5, 2002, will increase by 6 percent. Present week purchases for the week ending June 28 were 242,472 cases which was 4 percent below the prior week and 2 percent below estimates.

CASES PURCHASED: CARTONED: 201,792 — down 4%; LOOSE: 40,680 — unchanged; TOTAL: 242,472 — down 4%.

Comparison figures are compiled on a matched plant basis. Purchases and estimates by 17 cooperators; 30 dozen cases or equivalent.

National Egg Market At A Glance

Atlanta, Ga.
July 2, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

Prices were generally unchanged. The market tone was steady to barely steady. Demand was light to instances good with the best movement centered around feature activity. Supplies were adequate to available for trade needs. Breaking stock offerings were fully sufficient to ample for a light to moderate demand. The national shell egg inventory 3% more than last week. Light type fowl were fully adequate to ample for an unaggressive demand.

National Canner Fowl Market

Atlanta, Ga.
June 28, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

NATIONAL CANNER FOWL MARKET: Majority of prices were generally unchanged on both heavy and light canners; when compared to week earlier. Offerings were clearing but were fully sufficient for trade needs. Demand was fair and generally unaggressive for reduced needs. The undertone was mostly steady.

Cents per pound, current negotiations with out freight cost: LIGHT CANNER HENS: Line run without necks: 21-25, majority 21-22. HEAVY CANNER HENS: Without necks: 30-38 mostly 30-33.

Cents per pound, current negotiations freight cost included: LIGHT CANNER HENS: Line run without necks 22-27.5, majority 23. HEAVY CANNER HENS: Without necks: 32-40, majority 32-34.

National Turkey Market At A Glance

Des Moines, Iowa
July 2, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

DOMESTIC MARKET HIGHLIGHTS: The market tone on 8-16 lb hens and 16-24 lb toms steady, instances firm. Trading and demand inactive. Bulk parts and meats offerings available and only finding limited demand. Trading and demand very slow as most purchases taking place are for partial loads for fill-in needs.

EXPORT MARKET HIGHLIGHTS: Trading inactive. Demand was very light as most exporters remained idle due to the upcoming holiday and breakdown of negotiations for product.

New York Broilers/Fryers

ATLANTA, GA.
July 2, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

Trucklot buying activity on ready-to-cook whole broiler/fryers was light to fair with dealers cautious and selective. Offerings of all sizes were sufficient for trade needs. Movement through retail and distributive channels was light. The market tone was barely steady.

New York Eggs

ATLANTA, GA.
July 2, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

Prices were unchanged all sizes. The market tone was generally steady. Retail demand was light to moderate with some feature activity noted. Large 18 count eggs were advertised at 1.29. The New York shell egg inventories increased 5% and the New Jersey shell inventories were 16% higher than the previous week. Supplies were fully adequate to ample 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 61-65, Large 59-63, Medium 50-54.

Virginia Eggs

Harrisonburg, Va.
July 2, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

Prices were unchanged on three sizes 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 64; Small 49.

Trucklot, prices to retailers, sales to volume buyers: Large 59-69 mostly 69; Medium 48-58 mostly 58; Small 37-44 mostly 44.

Virginia Broilers And Fryers

Harrisonburg, Va.
July 2, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was moderate and clearing the market at a reasonable rate. Demand was moderate with buyer interest and trading. Live supplies were moderate to heavy for the market being reported with an estimated slaughter of 1,375,000 compared to 1,306,000 last Tuesday. Weights were desirable. Processing schedules were moderate. Supply and demand of leg quarters are moderate for the market being reported. Actual slaughter for the week of 6/24=6/29 was 7,401,669 head with an average of 4.90 lbs.

Negotiated F.O.B. dock prices, 2 pounds and heavier ice-packed broilers and fryers, trucklot sales of US Grade A or equivalent were steady at .50 -.60 per pound; less than trucklot sales .49 -.67 per pound.

Northeast Broiler Fryer Parts

ATLANTA, GA.
July 2, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

Trucklot buying activity was light to fair as dealers remained cautious and selective and limited orders to immediate needs. Offerings of bone-in breasts were adequate; boneless skinless breast were at least adequate. Dark meat cuts were more than sufficient. Wings were available and competitively priced. Movement through retail and distributive channels ranged light to moderate with best interest centering around planned feature activity. The market tone was generally steady breast items; about steady to barely steady on leg and leg quarters, barely steady to weak on thighs and thigh meat.

ICE PACKED BROILER/FRYER PARTS, DELIVERED TO FIRST RECEIVERS IN POOL TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES, CENTS PER POUND. ITEM CURRENT NEGOTIATED TRADING BREAST - B/S 140-145 TENDERLOINS 105-110 BREAST - WITH RIBS 78-79 BREAST - LINE RUN 78 LEGS 32-33 LEG QUARTERS (BULK) 20-21 DRUMSTICKS 34-35 THIGHS 18-19 B/S THIGHS 69-70 WINGS (WHOLE) 53-54 BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED) 10-12 LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS) 15-20 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 30-35

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

North east Broiler Fryer Parts Part II

ATLANTA, GA.
July 2, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

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 BREAST - B/S 140-145 145.76 527,470 TENDERLOINS 105-110 102.86 222,870 BREAST - WITH RIBS 78-79 85.12 176,880 BREAST - LINE RUN 78 79.24 121,320 LEGS 32-33 37.47 128,000 LEG QUARTERS (BULK) 20-21 20.19 889,800 DRUMSTICKS 34-35 32.47 249,270 THIGHS 18-19 30.08 134,860 B/S THIGHS 69-70 72.84 90,080 WINGS (WHOLE) 53-54 60.85 167,480 BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED) 10-12 12.10 26,720 LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS) 15-20 15.78 17,800 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 30-35 39.06 30,290

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

Eastern Region Frozen Eggs

ATLANTA, GA.
June 28, 2001

Report Supplied By USDA

Mostly prices were unchanged on whites, unchanged to lower on sugar yolks and lower on whole and salt yolks when compared to previous week's trading. The market tone was about steady to steady on whites and mixed to barely steady on the remainder of products. Demand was unaggressive for supplies that were at least adequate on whites, sufficient on whole, and adequate to fully adequate on yolks. Liquid and frozen eggs (ingredients included) processed under federal inspection in the Eastern region for the week ending June 22 were 42% higher than the previous week, and 8% higher than a year ago.

WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES (CENTS PER POUND IN 30 LB CONTAINERS):

TRUCKLOTS: WHOLE 45-50, mostly 46-48; BLENDS (I) TFEWR; WHITES 21-32, mostly 22-25; SUGARED YOLKS (min. 43% solids) 85-90, mostly 88-90; SALTED YOLKS (min. 43% solids) 81-86, mostly 89-94.

LESS THAN TRUCKLOT (min. 25 cont.): WHOLE 54-58; BLENDS 71-85; WHITES 27-45; SUGARED YOLKS (min. 43% solids) 89-97; SALTED YOLKS (min. 43% solids) 89-94.

(I) - WHOLE PLUS YOLK PLUS SWEETENER, GENERALLY 28-32% EGG SOLIDS.

Eastern Region Miscellaneous Poultry

Atlanta, GA.
June 28, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

EASTERN REGION MISCELLANEOUS POULTRY FOR CURRENT DELIVERY for the week of June 24.

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) 56-62 mostly 54-56. VACUUM PACKED (6-9 per box) 58-85 mostly 62-70.

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.

North Atlantic Eggs

Atlanta, Georgia

Report Supplied by USDA

July 3, 2002

In Philadelphia, prices were unchanged to two cents lower on mediums and unchanged on the larger sizes. In Boston and New England, prices remained unchanged. The market tone ranged steady to barely steady, instances weak on mediums. Demand was light to moderate, slightly better where limited feature activity was present. Supplies were adequate to available for current trade requirements. Breaking stock offerings were ample for the fair demand. Light type hens were fully adequate to ample.

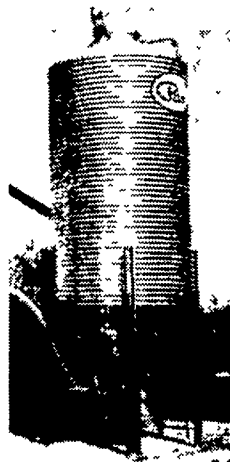
PHILADELPHIA: PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN. RANGE: EXTRA LARGE .59-.65, LARGE .58-.63, MEDIUM .47-.53.5

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 .95-.97, LARGE .88-.90, MEDIUM .71-.73

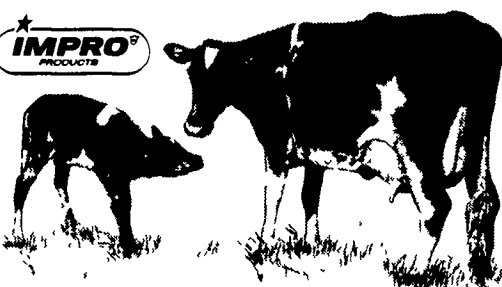
NEW ENGLAND: PRICES PAID TO PRODUCERS, CASES EXCHANGED. GRADE YIELD BASIS, BROWN EGGS LOOSE, AT FARM, CENTS PER DOZEN. RANGE: JUMBO 1.17-1.20, EXTRA LARGE .76-.79, LARGE .69-.72, MEDIUM .52-.55, SMALL .25-.28



The Pax QUICK-START™ pan feeding system grows chicks into FINISHED broilers efficiently.



Feed Storage and Delivery Systems



Give Your Calves a Helping Hand...

The New Born Calf

OPTI-START / OPTI-CARE contains a source of live, naturally occurring microorganisms to help support the natural developing microbiological environment in the digestive tract.

Give Your Cows a Helping hand...

The High SCC Cow

Boost Immune System - Shed Down Infection
Use IMPRO GEL - CAP FORMULA (NO Milk Withholding)
Give 1 each DAIRY M CAP
Each 1 each DAIRY R CAP
Cow 1 each FRESH COW C CAP
Feed 2 oz MVP DAIRY BOOST daily for 30 days

IMPRO Is Your Source For ALL NATURAL Animal Health Support

AARON GROFF & SON
103 Clearview Drive
Ephrata, PA 17522

(717) 354-4631 (800) 468-4909

Ray K. Espenshade
Lewisburg, PA
(570) 524-7566
Carl Deibert
Bedford, PA
(814) 623-6443
Carl Close
Glen Rock, PA
(717) 235-2730
Maryland Farm Care
Westminster, MD
(717) 359-5793

HAY, STRAW & GRAIN SALE
Every Thursday at 12 NOON
Vintage Sales
Stables, Inc.
(Rt. 30, Paradise, PA)
For more information
(717) 442-4181
(717) 768-8204

HAY, STRAW & GRAIN SALES
Hay And Straw Sales
Will Start At 10 A.M.
Every Wed.
WOLGEMUTH'S AUCTION
formerly Good's Auction
109 North Maple Ave.
Leola, PA 17540
717-656-2947

JANSEN Poultry Equipment
The Ultimate Nest For Commercial Floor Birds
Farmer Automatic
OF AMERICA, INC
Zeiset Equipment
2187 North Penryn Rd., Manheim, PA 17545
Phone (717) 665-4056 Fax (717) 665-2240