



USDA, AMS, Poultry Market News Weekly Egg Products Report January 20, 2006

The "SOURCE" of Poultry and Egg Market Information

COMBINED REGIONAL REPORT - Combined regional for week ending 20-Jan-06 average prices on Sales to volume buyers, Grade A large, white eggs in cartons, delivered warehouse, cents per dozen.

	Northeast	Southeast	Midwest	South Central	Combined Regional
This week	66.00	63.50	56.50	63.50	62.37
Last week	78.00	78.50	70.50	77.50	76.14

SELECTED CITIES DELIVERED STORE DOOR LARGE - 20-Jan-06:

New York 70-74 **Midwest** 59-67 **California** 99

WEEKLY SHELL EGG AND BREAKING STOCK INVENTORY - 17-Jan-06 - (30 DOZEN CASES - IN THOUSANDS)

	Northeast	North Central	South Central	South Atlantic	Pacific	5-Area	Breaking Stock	Total
Current week	113.9	362.8	129.8	200.3	215.3	1022.1	222.7	1244.8
% change PW	8	-2	-6	13	-1	1	-8	-1

Breaking Stock 20-Jan-06 - prices paid cents/dozen, material exchanged, 30-dozen case equivalent, 48 lb minimum, delivered to breakers.

	Central States		Eastern Region	
Nest Run	31-34	M 31-33	28-34	M 28-30
Checks & Undergrades	18-22	M 18-20	14-21	M 15-19

Eggs Processed under federal inspection week ending 14-Jan-06. Lbs. in Thousands (excludes ingredients)

	Cases Broken	Liquid Whole	Liquid White	Liquid Yolk	Dried	Inedible
Current Week	1,317,037	31,203	12,634	7,159	3,209	4,603
Previous Week	1,193,910	30,200	10,781	5,867	2,696	4,031
Last Year	1,248,943	29,882	12,296	6,559	3,559	4,437
% Change PWK	10%	3%	17%	22%	19%	14%
% Change LY	5%	4%	3%	9%	-10%	4%
To-Date 2006	2,510,947	61,403	23,415	13,026	5,905	8,635
To-Date 2005	2,537,694	60,624	24,788	13,309	6,955	8,998
% Change YTD	-1%	1%	-6%	-2%	-15%	-4%

AVERAGE YIELD PER CASE (INEDIBLE INCLUDED)

Current Week: 42.22 **Previous Week:** 42.62 **Last Year:** 42.58

AVERAGE YIELD PER CASE (INEDIBLE EXCLUDED)

Current Week: 38.72 **Previous Week:** 39.24 **Last Year:** 39.02

In-Line Production (of total production; lbs. in thousands; may include a limited amount of off-line source material)

	CASES BROKEN		LIQUID WHOLE	
	Cases	% of Total	Lbs.	% of Total
CURRENT WEEK	584,682	44.4%	15,656	50.2%
PREVIOUS WEEK	554,062	46.4%	15,412	51.0%
LAST YEAR	495,635	39.7%	12,882	43.1%

National Liquid Eggs - 20-Jan-06 - prices paid cents/lb, f.o.b. plant, non-pasteurized trucklots, for delivery within 14 days.

Class	Loads	Range	Wtd. Avg.	Change From Last Week
WHOLE		TFEWR		
WHITES	12	25-27	26.33	-.49
YOLKS	8	43-45	44.13	.95

Pasteurized salt yolk reported from 42 to 44 cents fob with pasteurized whites reported at 32.5 to 33 cents fob.

Frozen Egg Prices - 20-Jan-06 wholesale selling price cents/lb, 30-lb containers.

Class	Trucklot		Less-than-Trucklot (min 25 cont.)			
	Eastern		Central	Eastern	South California ²	
Whole	43-48	M 46-48	45-48	M 46-48	51-55	50-54
Blends ³	TOO FEW TO REPORT				61-80	-
Whites	36-43	M 41-43	38-43	M 41-43	43-55	43-46
Yolks ⁴						
Sugared	59-65	M 61-65	60-63		67-79	67-70
Salted	54-62	M 57-58	57-60	M 57-60	63-78	64-67

² f.o.b. shipping point

³ whole plus yolk plus sweetener, generally 28-32% egg solids

⁴ minimum 43% solids

National Dried Egg Prices - 20-Jan-06 - wholesale selling prices \$/lb, in containers, trucklot and less-than-trucklot volumes.

Class	Range	Mostly
WHOLE	1.38-1.64	1.50-1.60
YOLKS	1.34-1.63	1.40-1.45
ALBUMEN, SPRAY, DRIED	2.40-2.75	2.60-2.70
BLENDS (WHOLE PLUS SWEETENER)	1.25-1.45	1.35-1.45

Number of Light Hens Sltrd. in Federally Inspected Plants (Thousands) Weekending 07-Jan-2006

Fowl Slaughtered in U.S.	U.S. Fowl Slaughtered in Canada	Total U.S. Fowl Slaughtered
This week	This week	This week
1,275	116	1,391
Last week	Last week	Last week
984	209	1,193
Last year	Last year	Last year
1,471	301	1,772
To Date 2006	To Date 2006	To Date 2006
1,275	116	1,391
To Date 2005	To Date 2005	To Date 2005
1,471	301	1,772

U.S. Exports To Canada, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 31-Dec-05

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	262	0	40	302
Last year /1	207	0	40	247
To date 2005/2	17,657	130	902	18,689
To date 2004	20,746	39	953	21,738

U.S. Imports From Canada, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 31-Dec-05

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	27	0	0	27
Last year /1	26	4	0	30
To date 2005/2	6,546	823	371	7,740
To date 2004	7,715	1,612	2,149	11,476

Inspected Shell Eggs

U.S. Exports To Canada, in 30-Dozen Cases (Preliminary) week ending - 31-Dec-05

	Jumbo	EX-Lg	Large	Medium	Ungraded	Misc	Total
Current week	0	2,330	4,230	802	0	0	7,362
Last year /1	0	2,100	2,320	750	0	0	5,170
To date 2005/2	200	188,721	316,676	100,809	232,678	9,753	848,837
To date 2004	392	234,666	477,943	142,841	340,611	17,740	1,214,193

/1 Comparable week, to-date figures may not total due to rounding.

/2 Includes revisions to previous week(s).