



## USDA, AMS, Poultry Market News and Analysis Weekly Egg Products Report January 5, 2006

### The "SOURCE" of Poultry and Egg Market Information

**COMBINED REGIONAL REPORT** - Combined regional for week ending 05-Jan-07 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
<b>This week</b>	76.00	74.50	69.50	75.50	73.91
<b>Last week</b>	76.00	74.50	69.50	75.50	73.91

**SELECTED CITIES DELIVERED STORE DOOR LARGE** - 05-Jan-07:

**New York** 88-92                      **Midwest** 72-80                      **California** 111

**WEEKLY SHELL EGG AND BREAKING STOCK INVENTORY** - 03-Jan-07 - (30 DOZEN CASES - IN THOUSANDS)

	Northeast	North Central	South Central	South Atlantic	Pacific	5-Area	Breaking Stock	Total
<b>Current week</b>	88.9	308.2	150.9	180.8	201.1	929.9	274.7	1204.6
<b>% change PW</b>	17	-8	-8	3	6	-1	16	2

**Breaking Stock** 05-Jan-07 - prices paid cents/dozen, material exchanged, 30-dozen case equivalent, 48 lb minimum, delivered to breakers.

	Central States	Eastern Region
<b>Nest Run</b>	38-39	33-38 M 34-36
<b>Checks &amp; Undergrades</b>	23-30 M 25-27	20-28 M 21-25

**Eggs Processed** under federal inspection week ending 30-Dec-06. Lbs. in Thousands (excludes ingredients)

	Cases Broken	Liquid Whole	Liquid White	Liquid Yolk	Dried	Inedible
<b>Current Week</b>	1,177,902	29,528	10,745	5,506	2,482	4,223
<b>Previous Week</b>	1,254,047	32,127	11,283	6,036	2,925	4,427
<b>Last Year</b>	1,126,461	28,790	9,812	5,157	2,344	3,809
<b>% Change PWK</b>	-6%	-8%	-5%	-9%	-15%	-5%
<b>% Change LY</b>	5%	3%	10%	7%	6%	11%
<b>To-Date 2006</b>	66,912,435	1,664,808	613,322	324,325	140,531	225,795
<b>To-Date 2005</b>	67,703,058	1,620,182	646,254	346,243	147,988	228,839
<b>% Change YTD</b>	-1%	3%	-5%	-6%	-5%	-1%

**AVERAGE YIELD PER CASE (INEDIBLE INCLUDED)**

**Current Week:** 42.45                      **Previous Week:** 42.96                      **Last Year:** 42.23

**AVERAGE YIELD PER CASE (INEDIBLE EXCLUDED)**

**Current Week:** 38.87                      **Previous Week:** 39.43                      **Last Year:** 38.85

**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
<b>CURRENT WEEK</b>	606,745	51.5%	16,776	56.8%
<b>PREVIOUS WEEK</b>	612,608	48.9%	17,241	53.7%
<b>LAST YEAR</b>	528,650	46.9%	15,043	52.3%

**National Liquid Eggs - 05-Jan-07** - 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	20	26-29	26.25	.92
WHITES	37	31-37.5	31.72	.72
YOLKS	13	36-42	39.88	.05

Pasteurized whites and salted yolk were too few to report.

**Frozen Egg Prices - 05-Jan-07** wholesale selling price cents/lb, 30-lb containers.

Class	Trucklot		Less-than-Trucklot (min 25 cont.)			
	Eastern		Central		Eastern	South California <sup>2</sup>
Whole	46-51	M 48-50	47-52	M 48-51	51-57	52-56
Blends <sup>3</sup>	TOO FEW TO REPORT					
Whites	44-52	M 47-50	47-53	M 47-51	51-58	51-54
Yolks <sup>4</sup>						
Sugared	52-59	M 55-57	53-59	M 53-58	60-69	60-63
Salted	50-53		50-56	M 50-54	56-64	57-60

<sup>2</sup> f.o.b. shipping point

<sup>3</sup> whole plus yolk plus sweetener, generally 28-32% egg solids

<sup>4</sup> minimum 43% solids

**National Dried Egg Prices - 05-Jan-07** - wholesale selling prices \$/lb, in containers, trucklot and less-than-trucklot volumes.

Class	Range	Mostly
WHOLE	1.65-1.90	1.65-1.85
YOLKS	1.20-1.40	1.25-1.35
ALBUMEN, SPRAY, DRIED	3.35-3.65	3.40-3.60
BLENDS (WHOLE PLUS SWEETENER)	1.35-1.50	1.35-1.45

**Number of Light Hens Sltrd. in Federally Inspected Plants (Thousands) Weekending 16-Dec-2006** (Weekending 23-Dec-2006 and 30-Dec-2006 are unavailable.)

Fowl Slaughtered in U.S.	U.S. Fowl Slaughtered in Canada	Total U.S. Fowl Slaughtered
This week	This week	This week
1,111	156	1,267
Last week	Last week	Last week
1,157	231	1,388
Last year	Last year	Last year
1,404	142	1,546
To Date 2006	To Date 2006	To Date 2006
53,519	7,689	61,208
To Date 2005	To Date 2005	To Date 2005
71,036	12,340	83,376

**U.S. Exports To Canada**, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 16-Dec-06 (Weekending 23-Dec-2006 is unavailable.)

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	50	3	10	63
Last year /1	403	0	14	417
To date 2006/2	11,786	175	747	12,708
To date 2005	17,600	59	861	18,520

**U.S. Imports From Canada**, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 16-Dec-06 (Weekending 23-Dec-2006 is unavailable.)

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	136	0	0	136
Last year /1	129	4	0	133
To date 2006/2	5,504	914	66	6,484
To date 2005	6,609	672	371	7,652

**Inspected Shell Eggs**

**U.S. Exports To Canada**, in 30-Dozen Cases (Preliminary) week ending - 16-Dec-06 (Weekending 23-Dec-2006 is unavailable.)

	Jumbo	EX-Lg	Large	Medium	Ungraded	Misc	Total
Current week	0	2,490	5,813	950	6,480	0	15,733
Last year /1	0	1,430	7,165	630	3,750	0	12,975
To date 2006/2	150	90,171	176,178	86,286	254,718	6,975	614,478
To date 2005	184	193,394	349,265	112,605	236,374	9,753	901,575

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

/2 Includes revisions to previous week(s).