



USDA, AMS, Poultry Market News and Analysis Weekly Egg Products Report February 16, 2007

The "SOURCE" of Poultry and Egg Market Information

COMBINED REGIONAL REPORT - Combined regional for week ending 16-Feb-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
This week	87.00	86.50	81.50	88.50	85.97
Last week	112.00	112.50	106.50	113.50	111.21

SELECTED CITIES DELIVERED STORE DOOR LARGE - 16-Feb-07:

New York 92-96 Midwest 84-92 California 124

WEEKLY SHELL EGG AND BREAKING STOCK INVENTORY - 12-Feb-07 - (30 DOZEN CASES - IN THOUSANDS)

	Northeast	North Central	South Central	South Atlantic	Pacific	5-Area	Breaking Stock	Total
Current week	99.0	351.0	173.2	198.3	254.2	1075.7	265.5	1341.2
% change PW	-11	8	16	7	9	7	24	10

Breaking Stock 16-Feb-07 - prices paid cents/dozen, material exchanged, 30-dozen case equivalent, 48 lb minimum, delivered to breakers.

	Central States		Eastern Region	
Nest Run	50-56	M 52-54	51-55	M 52-54
Checks & Undergrades	39-46	M 42-44	38-45	M 39-42

Eggs Processed under federal inspection week ending 10-Feb-07. Lbs. in Thousands (excludes ingredients)

	Cases Broken	Liquid Whole	Liquid White	Liquid Yolk	Dried	Inedible
Current Week	1,242,214	29,768	12,338	6,656	2,831	4,216
Previous Week	1,181,877	29,454	11,094	5,690	2,004	4,122
Last Year	1,333,180	32,373	12,554	7,245	4,090	4,549
% Change PWK	5%	1%	11%	17%	41%	2%
% Change LY	-7%	-8%	-2%	-8%	-31%	-7%
To-Date 2007	7,095,471	176,318	65,713	35,264	14,640	25,068
To-Date 2006	7,698,485	185,504	73,745	41,019	19,635	26,329
% Change YTD	-8%	-5%	-11%	-14%	-25%	-5%

AVERAGE YIELD PER CASE (INEDIBLE INCLUDED)

Current Week: 42.65 Previous Week: 42.61 Last Year: 42.55

AVERAGE YIELD PER CASE (INEDIBLE EXCLUDED)

Current Week: 39.25 Previous Week: 39.12 Last Year: 39.13

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	610,418	49.1%	16,068	54.0%
PREVIOUS WEEK	592,810	50.2%	16,490	56.0%
LAST YEAR	617,006	46.3%	15,790	48.8%

National Liquid Eggs - 16-Feb-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	14	41-43	42.14	-.22
WHITES	25	41-46.5	42.46	.59
YOLKS	13	48-51	49.31	.31

Pasteurized whites and salted yolk were too few to report.

Frozen Egg Prices - 16-Feb-07 wholesale selling price cents/lb, 30-lb containers.

Class	Trucklot Eastern		Central	Less-than-Trucklot (min 25 cont.)	
	Eastern	South California ²		Eastern	South California ²
Whole	63-69 M 64-66		64-69 M 65-68	70-74	70-74
Blends ³	TOO FEW TO REPORT				
Whites	63-69 M 64-67		65-69 M 69	69-78	69-72
Yolks ⁴					
Sugared	64-69 M 65-67		65-69	69-78	69-72
Salted	61-67 M 61-63		61-67 M 61-62	65-76	66-69

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 - 16-Feb-07 - wholesale selling prices \$/lb, in containers, trucklot and less-than-trucklot volumes.

Class	Range	Mostly
WHOLE	2.25-2.40	2.25-2.35
YOLKS	1.38-1.95	1.40-1.50
ALBUMEN, SPRAY, DRIED	4.60-5.00	4.65-4.75
BLENDS (WHOLE PLUS SWEETENER)	1.65-1.80	

Number of Light Hens Sltrd. in Federally Inspected Plants (Thousands) Weekending 10-Feb-2007

Fowl Slaughtered in U.S.	U.S. Fowl Slaughtered in Canada	Total U.S. Fowl Slaughtered
This week	This week	This week
1,121	231	1,352
Last week	Last week	Last week
1,202	157	1,359
Last year	Last year	Last year
1,269	313	1,582
To Date 2007	To Date 2007	To Date 2007
6,488	1,196	7,684
To Date 2006	To Date 2006	To Date 2006
8,359	1,547	9,906

U.S. Exports To Canada, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 03-Feb-07

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	50	0	0	50
Last year /1	209	0	0	209
To date 2007/2	621	3	80	704
To date 2006	1,041	40	0	1,081

U.S. Imports From Canada, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 03-Feb-07

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	319	9	0	328
Last year /1	31	7	0	38
To date 2007/2	1,229	26	0	1,255
To date 2006	268	113	0	381

Inspected Shell Eggs

U.S. Exports To Canada, in 30-Dozen Cases (Preliminary) week ending - 03-Feb-07

	Jumbo	EX-Lg	Large	Medium	Ungraded	Misc	Total
Current week	0	0	400	750	0	0	1,150
Last year /1	0	300	1,200	1,650	750	0	3,900
To date 2007/2	0	180	2,071	750	0	0	3,001
To date 2006	0	2,730	4,290	1,830	1,650	0	10,500

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

/2 Includes revisions to previous week(s).

USDA BUYS: ALL PURPOSE EGG MIX

DATE: Feb. 15, 2007

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) today purchased 396,000 pounds of all purpose egg mix in 6-ounce pouches for domestic food nutrition assistance programs. This purchase-to be produced from about 29,000 cases of shell eggs from domestic production-was made at an approximate cost of \$950,000. Details of today's purchase follow:

Product	Pounds Accepted	Award Prices Inv. No. 3	No. of Bids Accepted
all purpose egg mix (6-oz.)	396,000	\$2.3490-\$2.4494	1 of 2

Invitations under Announcement PY-320 will be issued on a quarterly basis.

Total purchases of all purpose egg mix since the program was announced on December 28, 2006.

Product	Cumulative Pounds	Cumulative Dollars
all purpose egg mix (6-oz.)	396,000	\$950,000

The awards for all purpose egg mix made under Announcement PY-320, Invitation 3, to be delivered from April 1 to May 31, follow:

Sonstegard Foods Company 396,000 @ \$2.3490-\$2.4494

Inquiries may be made by telephoning (202) 720-7693 or addressing the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch; STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave., SW; Washington, D.C. 20250. An electronic version of this Food Purchase Report can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.