



USDA, AMS, Poultry Market News and Analysis Weekly Egg Products Report May 11, 2007

The "SOURCE" of Poultry and Egg Market Information

COMBINED REGIONAL REPORT - Combined regional for week ending 11-May-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	99.00	99.50	90.50	99.50	97.18
Last week	99.00	99.50	90.50	99.50	97.18

SELECTED CITIES DELIVERED STORE DOOR LARGE - 11-May-07:

New York 93-97 Midwest 93-101 California 134

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

	Northeast	North Central	South Central	South Atlantic	Pacific	5-Area	Breaking Stock	Total
Current week	109.8	289.7	148.9	205.0	245.8	999.2	204.7	1203.9
% change PW	18%	14%	7%	13%	10%	12%	0%	10%

Breaking Stock 11-May-07 - prices paid cents/dozen, material exchanged, 30-dozen case equivalent, 48 lb minimum, delivered to breakers.

	Central States		Eastern Region	
Breaking Stock	60-66	M 60-62	54-66	M 57-59
Checks & Undergrades	45-52	M 47-50	42-49	M 43-47

Eggs Processed under federal inspection week ending 05-May-07. Lbs. in Thousands (excludes ingredients)

	Cases Broken	Liquid Whole	Liquid White	Liquid Yolk	Dried	Inedible
Current Week	1,226,797	31,085	11,081	6,146	2,087	4,344
Previous Week	1,204,213	30,394	11,336	5,811	2,031	4,182
Last Year	1,347,068	33,063	12,787	6,900	3,263	4,383
% Change PWK	2%	2%	-2%	6%	3%	4%
% Change LY	-9%	-6%	-13%	-11%	-36%	-1%
To-Date 2007	22,046,199	548,142	205,236	110,047	42,665	77,143
To-Date 2006	22,945,531	568,170	214,066	115,726	52,130	78,077
% Change YTD	-4%	-4%	-4%	-5%	-18%	-1%

AVERAGE YIELD PER CASE (INEDIBLE INCLUDED)

Current Week: 42.92 Previous Week: 42.95 Last Year: 42.41

AVERAGE YIELD PER CASE (INEDIBLE EXCLUDED)

Current Week: 39.38 Previous Week: 39.48 Last Year: 39.16

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	596,766	48.6%	16,966	54.6%
PREVIOUS WEEK	594,353	49.4%	16,562	54.5%
LAST YEAR	608,387	45.2%	16,757	50.7%

National Liquid Eggs - 11-May-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	27	53-53.5	53.04	.04
WHITES	37	50-56	53.86	.28
YOLKS	16	64-70	66.41	2.30

Pasteurized whites and salted yolk were too few to report.

Frozen Egg Prices - 11-May-07 wholesale selling price cents/lb, 30-lb containers.

Class	Trucklot Eastern		Central	Less-than-Trucklot (min 25 cont.)	
				Eastern	South California ²
Whole	69-76	M 70-75	70-76 M 70-74	75-79	76-80
Blends ³	TOO FEW TO REPORT				-
Whites	66-77	M 68-74	69-77 M 69-71	73-82	73-76
Yolks ⁴					
Sugared	78-83	M 79-82	80-83 M 80-82	85-89	85-88
Salted	72-80	M 74-77	74-80 M 77-79	80-85	81-84

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

Class	Range	Mostly
WHOLE	2.40-2.56	2.42-2.50
YOLKS	1.65-1.85	1.67-1.80
ALBUMEN, SPRAY, DRIED	5.15-5.45	5.20-5.35
BLENDS (WHOLE PLUS SWEETENER)	1.90-2.00	

Number of Light Hens Sltrd. in Federally Inspected Plants (Thousands) Weekending 05-May-2007

Fowl Slaughtered in U.S.	U.S. Fowl Slaughtered in Canada	Total U.S. Fowl Slaughtered
This week	This week	This week
1,232	294	1,526
Last week	Last week	Last week
1,156	306	1,462
Last year	Last year	Last year
1,121	152	1,273
To Date 2007	To Date 2007	To Date 2007
20,199	3,993	24,192
To Date 2006	To Date 2006	To Date 2006
21,405	4,251	25,656

U.S. Exports To Canada, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 28-Apr-07

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	0	0	0	0
Last year /1	156	0	1	157
To date 2007/2	2,061	7	169	2,237
To date 2006	3,273	125	147	3,545

U.S. Imports From Canada, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 28-Apr-07

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	310	3	40	353
Last year /1	154	3	0	157
To date 2007/2	4,940	132	351	5,423
To date 2006	995	365	41	1,401

Inspected Shell Eggs

U.S. Exports To Canada, in 30-Dozen Cases (Preliminary) week ending - 28-Apr-07

	Jumbo	EX-Lg	Large	Medium	Ungraded	Misc	Total
Current week	0	1,140	688	1,830	1,500	0	5,158
Last year /1	0	1,560	4,130	2,100	5,220	0	13,010
To date 2007/2	0	12,029	25,049	17,735	16,820	2,425	74,058
To date 2006	150	26,790	34,615	25,475	29,324	2,580	118,934

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

/2 Includes revisions to previous week(s).

Monthly Inventory U.S. Dried Eggs as of April 30, 2007 (Released 11-May-07. Next release 08-Jun-07)

COMPARISONS ON THE BASIS OF MATCHED PLANTS

CLASS	NUMBER OF POUNDS	% CHANGE LAST MONTH	% CHANGE LAST YEAR
WHOLE			
PLAIN	1,419,617	-30%	-63%
FREE FLOWING	3,941,710	-1%	-47%
SUBTOTAL:	5,361,327	-11%	-53%
WHITE			
(ALBUMEN)	4,662,191	5%	-20%
YOLK			
PLAIN	2,711,731	-1%	7%
FREE FLOWING (W/SODIUM SILICO ALUMINATE)	2,789,145	4%	-61%
SUBTOTAL:	5,500,876	1%	-43%
BLENDS 1/			
WHOLE	1,035,567	-14%	-35%
WHITE	50,900	-10%	-7%
YOLK	9,100	61%	52%
SUBTOTAL:	1,095,567	-14%	-34%
TOTAL:	16,619,961	-3%	-42%

DRIED EGGS PROCESSED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION:

APRIL 1, 2007 - APRIL 28, 2007
 TOTAL 9,153,000 POUNDS.

 Calculations were adjusted to represent matched plants from current month compared to previous month, and current month compared to previous year. Subsequently, the percent change calculations may be based on different cooperators if directly compared with data on previous reports.
 1/: Blended with a percentage of additives including, but not limited to, sugar, salt, soy, and corn syrup.

SHELL EGGS BROKEN DOWN 1 PERCENT

released May 7, 2007

Shell eggs broken = 168 million dozen during March 2007, down 1% from March 2006.

March 2007 contained 22 weekdays and five Saturdays, compared to 23 weekdays and four Saturdays in March 2006.

Shell Eggs Broken: Federally Inspected, United States, March 2006-07

Month & Region	Eggs Broken	Edible Liquid Whole	Edible Liquid White	Edible Liquid Yolk	Edible Liquid Total	Inedible Liquid
March 2007: United States	(1,000 Dozen) 167,844	(1,000 Pounds) 142,689	(1,000 Pounds) 49,652	(1,000 Pounds) 26,863	(1,000 Pounds) 219,204	(1,000 Pounds) 19,571
March 2006: United States	170,101	144,256	50,454	28,287	222,997	19,429

Egg Products Inspected: Shell Eggs Broken and Products Produced, United States, January - March 2006-07

Period	Eggs Broken	Edible Liquid Whole	Edible Liquid White	Edible Liquid Yolk	Edible Liquid Total	Inedible Liquid
January 1, 2007- March 31 2007	(1,000 Dozen) 477,692	(1,000 Pounds) 399,092	(1,000 Pounds) 146,267	(1,000 Pounds) 79,110	(1,000 Pounds) 624,469	(1,000 Pounds) 56,110
January 1, 2006 - March 31, 2006	494,722	409,345	151,314	86,031	646,690	55,832

Data presented in this report were compiled from inspection reports of the Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS). The best available data at time of publication was used. For information on "Egg Products" call Fleming Gibson at 202-690-3237, office hours 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., ET.

USDA BUYS: ALL PURPOSE EGG MIX

DATE: May 10, 2007

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) today purchased 144,000 pounds of all purpose egg mix in 6-ounce pouches for domestic food nutrition assistance programs. This purchase-to be produced from about 10,000 cases of shell eggs from domestic production-was made at an approximate cost of \$369,000. Details of today's purchase follow:

Product	Pounds Accepted	Award Prices Inv. No. 5	No. of Bids Accepted
all purpose egg mix (6-oz.)	144,000	\$2.5600	1 of 2

Next offers under Announcement PY-320 are due by 12 noon, Central Time, on the following dates:

Inv. Number	Product Type	Offer Date	Acceptance Not Later Than Date	Delivery Period
6	6-ounce pouches	May 14	May 18	Jul. 1-31

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.)	540,000	\$1,319,000

The awards for all purpose egg mix made under Announcement PY-320, Invitation 5, to be delivered from June 1 to June 15, follow:

Primera Foods Corporation 144,000 lbs. @ \$2.5600

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>.

ALL PURPOSE EGG MIX, INVITATION NO. 6, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-320

Date Issued: May 10, 2007

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell all purpose egg mix as indicated below and per the Announcement for school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, May 14. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, May 18. Deliveries are to be made July 1 to July 31.

Offers will be invited from the trade for all purpose egg mix packaged in plastic laminated foil pouches, 6 ounces (170 g) to each pouch and 18 pounds (8.16 kg) net in each fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will consist of 2,000 shipping containers (forty-eight 6-ounce (170-g) pouches each) totaling 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg) net weight.

All offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?>. Offers submitted by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-320, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for All Purpose Egg Mix dated Sept. 2006, as amended, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave., SW; Washington, D.C. 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.