



NATIONAL EGG REVIEW

At the beginning of the week, in all regions prices decreased on larger sizes and were higher on mediums. Throughout the week prices in New York were lower for the larger sizes and unchanged for mediums. The trade sentiment was about steady to weak on the larger sizes and steady for the lighter sizes, with improved undertone noted by the end of the period. Demand into all outlets was light to moderate. Supplies were adequate to fully adequate for the larger sizes and adequate for the lighter weight sizes. Breaking stock prices were unchanged throughout the period. Offerings were fully adequate to ample and included graded loose shell eggs. Demand was light to moderate. Breaking schedules full-time to overtime. The trade sentiment was barely steady to weak. In the north central region spent hen removal costs remained unchanged. Demand was moderate to fairly good for the limited offers. The trade sentiment was steady.

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, PRICES DELIVERED TO WAREHOUSE, CENTS PER DOZEN.

MIDWEST REGIONAL Prices to producers in IA-MN-WI were 3 cents lower for large and 2 cents lower for medium. Midwest delivered prices were unchanged but were trending lower for all sizes for next week. The trade sentiment was barely steady to weak for the larger sizes and mixed on medium and small. Retail demand was light to moderate. Food service movement was moderate. Supplies were fully adequate to available for the larger sizes and adequate for medium and small. Central states breaking stock prices were unchanged. Offerings were adequate to ample for the moderate demand. Floor stocks were fully adequate to ample. Schedules were full-time to over-time.

Table with columns: RANGE, MOSTLY. Rows: EXTRA LARGE (99-108, 102-105), LARGE (98-107, 100-103), MEDIUM (84-93, 86-89). Includes Midwest Area: IA, IL, IN, KY, MI, MN, OH, NE, ND, SD, WI, WV, western NY, and western PA.

NORTHEAST REGIONAL Prices were unchanged. Trade sentiment was steady to instances weak. Retail demand was very light. Supplies were adequate to available for present trade requirements. Eastern region breaking stock schedules were normal to heavy for fully adequate offerings. Light type hens were sufficient to fully sufficient for regular processing schedules.

Table with columns: RANGE, MOSTLY. Rows: EXTRA LARGE (108-123, 109-112), LARGE (102-116, 107-111), MEDIUM (84-97, 89-91). Includes Northeast Area: CT, DC, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, eastern NJ, eastern NY, PA, RI, northern VA, and VT.

COMBINED REGIONAL

October 05, 2007

Average prices on sales to volume buyers, Grade A Large or better, White eggs in cartons, delivered warehouse, cents per dozen.

Table with columns: REGIONS, EX LARGE, LARGE, MEDIUM. Rows: NORTHEAST, SOUTHEAST, MIDWEST, SOUTH CENTRAL, COMBINED REGIONAL. Includes note: Computed from simple weekly averages weighted by regional area populations.

IOWA-MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN PRICES PAID TO PRODUCERS FOR LOOSE EGGS AT FARM, CASES EXCHANGED, GRADE YIELD BASIS, CENTS PER DOZEN

Table with columns: Large, Medium. Rows: 10-09-07, 10-02-07, 10-10-06. Values: Large (80-89, 88-97, 31-40), Medium (68-73, 66-71, 26-32).

WEEKLY SHELL EGG INVENTORY REPORT-OCT 08, 2007
STOCKS ON HAND AVAILABLE FOR MARKETING 1/
(30 DOZEN CASES-IN THOUSANDS)

Table with columns: Northeast, No Cent, So Cent, Atl Pacific, 5-Area. Rows: Jumbo, Ex Lge, Large, Medium, Small, Misc, Ungraded, Total. Includes Change and Percent columns.

Table with columns: TOTAL, Number of Cases, Percent Change, Number of Cooperators. Rows: Shell Egg, Shell Egg Breaking Stock, Total Shell Egg.

1/ Information supplied by a universe of 154 cooperators who normally have stocks on hand each Monday A.M. and is on the basis of matched plants reporting in both the current and previous weeks. This is a representative sample of the U.S. inventory and includes eggs packed for export when in cooperator's coolers.

No valid comparison can be made with year ago or previous months' figures due to changes in number of plants surveyed, holidays falling in different weeks or changes in size of plant operations.

- Northeast - CT, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, VT
North Central - IA, IL, IN, MI, MN, ND, NE, OH, SD, WI
South Central - AR, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, TX
South Atlantic - AL, FL, GA, KY, MS, NC, SC, TN, VA, WV
Pacific - AZ, CA, ID, MT, NV, OR, UT, WA, WY

EGGS PROCESSED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION

W/E 06-OCT-2007

	Cases	(Lbs In Thousands) (Excludes Ingredients)				
		Liquid Whole	Liquid White	Liquid Yolk	Dried	Inedible
CW	1,367,795	35,265	12,137	6,015	2,450	4,414
PW	1,362,380	34,490	12,271	6,459	2,544	4,434
LY	1,339,918	35,161	11,226	5,826	2,041	4,324
% Chg PWK	0%	2%	-1%	-7%	-4%	0%
% Chg LY	2%	0%	8%	3%	20%	2%
2007	50,857,888	1,263,581	466,841	250,112	99,680	173,293
2006	51,896,035	1,275,814	484,477	256,122	114,439	174,660
% Chg YTD	-2%	-1%	-4%	-2%	-13%	-1%

Average Yield Per Case -	Current Week	Previous Week	Last Year
(Inedible Included)	42.28	42.32	42.19
(Inedible Excluded)	39.05	39.06	38.97

IN-LINE PRODUCTION (of total production; lbs. in thousands; may include limited amount of off-line source material)

	CASES BROKEN		LIQUID WHOLE	
	Cases	% of Total	Lbs.	% of Total
CURRENT WEEK	649,890	47.5%	17,554	49.8%
PREVIOUS WEEK	659,482	48.4%	17,334	50.3%
LAST YEAR	607,473	45.3%	17,925	51.0%

BROILER HATCHERY

19 Selected States STATE	Broiler Eggs Set In		Broiler Chicks Placed	
	SEP 29	OCT 06	SEP 29	OCT 06
	Thousand			
AL	30,714	31,892	20,015	20,489
AR	*26,379	27,443	*23,197	22,624
DE	*4,218	3,996	*4,540	4,790
FL	1,344	1,344	1,393	1,183
GA	*33,548	35,453	*28,243	28,416
KY	6,891	7,555	*5,832	6,078
LA	3,712	4,015	4,057	3,552
MD	8,732	8,495	*6,343	5,429
MS	17,106	17,409	16,618	16,183
NC	*18,396	18,271	*14,872	15,897
OK	6,373	6,896	5,097	4,950
PA	4,316	4,289	3,155	3,022
SC	5,728	5,394	*4,663	4,890
TX	14,173	14,691	12,202	11,155
VA	5,855	6,264	4,887	4,561
CA, MO, TN, & WV	*19,560	19,604	*16,881	15,942
19 State Total	*207,045	213,011	*171,995	169,161
Prev Yr Total	203,118	205,727	167,530	164,849
% of Prev Year	102	104	103	103

* Revised

WEEKLY FRYERS AVAILABLE FOR MARKETING

Based on the preliminary chick placements, the number of fryers available for marketing during the week ending 17-Nov-07 is estimated at 157.1 million head. This compares to 160.4 million head the previous week and to 156.3 million head the same week a year ago, when the slaughter was 162.4 million head and the composite weighted average price was 65.99 cents per pound.

TRAILER LOAD EGG SALES – WEEKLY WTD AVG PRICES

(CNTS/DOZ) NATIONAL TRADING FOR 10/04/07 - 10/10/07

CURRENT LDS	91.25		FUTURE LDS		67.25		TOTAL LDS		158.50
	SE	NE	SE	NE	MW	MW			
CLASS	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	LOADS		
GNR W 1	83.50	--	82.83	85.17	--	--	82.00	13.00	
GNR BR 1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1.00	
GL W J	--	--	95.50	97.00	97.88	--	--	3.00	
GL W XL	95.00	94.59	95.50	92.93	85.24	88.33	42.25		
GL W LG	--	92.75	78.25	81.43	75.05	--	22.75		
GL W MD	83.00	83.00	72.63	76.67	73.96	76.17	22.50		
GL W SM	60.00	62.00	54.11	57.28	--	--	3.25		
GL BR LG	--	--	--	--	151.00	--	1.75		
NRBS - 50	--	--	--	80.00	--	--	3.00		
NRBS - 48	79.75	81.00	--	76.85	76.00	78.62	60.00		
NRBS - 45	--	--	--	76.50	72.50	75.00	15.00		
NRBS - 42	--	--	--	72.00	67.25	--	1.00		

MOVEMENT OF EGGS INTO RETAIL CHANNELS W/E 06-OCT-07

SELECTED CONSUMING CENTERS	THOUSANDS		PCT CHG	
	CW	PW	PW	LY
Atlanta	24.9	25.0	0	-18
Boston	3.0	3.1	-3	7
Chicago	57.6	50.2	15	-21
Detroit	11.3	9.5	19	9
Los Angeles	78.6	86.2	-9	-24
New Orleans	4.4	4.4	0	-25
New York	26.2	27.4	-4	1
St. Louis	27.9	16.7	67	105
San Francisco	13.6	13.2	3	-20
Total	247.5	235.7	5	-12
4 Week Moving Avg.	245.5			

LIVE TURKEYS SLAUGHTERED W/E 06-OCT-07

	YOUNG		YOUNG BREEDERS	OLD	TOTAL TURKEYS
	HENS	TOMS			
Head	1,947	2,730	40	2	4,719
Avg Wt	16.24	37.22	25.87	64.21	28.48
Last week	2,014	2,864	19	0	4,897
Same wk yr ago	2,088	2,860	24	6	4,978
Avg Wt	16.85	36.62	27.59	28.64	28.27
To-date/2007	78,692	104,448	935	204	184,279
To-date/2006	77,070	102,374	984	185	180,613

NUMBER OF TURKEYS SLTRD IN FEDERALLY INSP PLANTS

W/E 06-OCT-07

	(Preliminary)		Avg Live wt	Old Banded	Total Turkeys Avg Live wt
	---Young turkeys---				
	Thousand Head	Pct chg PW			
North East	753	3	24.07	(A)	754 24.07
South Atlantic	746	3	31.41	(A)	747 31.41
North Central	2,291	-3	32.12	(A)	2,291 32.12
South Central	699	-5	18.44	(A)	699 18.44
West	228	-36	27.31	(A)	228 27.31
U.S. total	4,717 (B)	-4	28.48	2	4,719 28.48
To-date 2007	184,075 (B)			204	184,279
To-date 2006	180,428 (B)			185	180,613

(A) Not published to avoid disclosing individual operations.

(B) Number of young banded breeder turkeys included: this week 40,000; for the current year to date 935,000; for last year to date 984,000.

LIVE POULTRY SLTRD UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION

(PRELIMINARY)	Young Chickens	Light Hens	Heavy Hens	Total Hens	Ducks
W/E 06-OCT-2007					
-----THOUSANDS-----					
Head	171,257	1,205	1,598	2,803	490
Avg Wt	5.59	3.36	8.13	6.08	6.79
Last week	173,849	1,050	1,546	2,596	472
Same wk yr ago	169,726	952	1,672	2,624	457
Avg Wt	5.57	3.31	7.90	6.23	6.29
To-date/2007	6,457,894	44,155	58,239	102,394	20,026
To-date/2006	6,466,947	43,743	59,346	103,089	20,059

(A) The estimated number of fryers available for marketing based on the 2-week revised average chick placements 6 to 7 weeks earlier was 167.4 million head. Estimated U.S. slaughter for this period was 173.3 million head, or 5.9 million more than estimated available.

ESTIMATED U.S. LIVE POULTRY SLAUGHTER

UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION FOR WEEK ENDING 13-OCT-07

Class	Current Week	Previous Week
	10/13/07 (1)	10/06/07
	----- Thousand head -----	
Broiler/fryer	170,628(2)	171,787
Light hens	1,045	1,107
Heavy hens	1,594	1,539
Total	173,267	174,433

(1) ESTIMATED

(2) The estimated number of broiler-fryers available for slaughter the week ending 13-Oct-07 is 167.0 million head compared to 163.7 million head slaughtered the same week last year. The estimated U.S. slaughter this week is 171.0 million head or 4.0 million more than estimated available. For the week of 20-Oct-07 the estimated available is 166.7 million head.

ESTIMATED U.S. FRYER SLAUGHTER/ FRYER AVAILABILITY COMPARISON

Week Ending	Million Head Slaughtered	Million Head Available	Pct	Avg Wt
Sept 1	173.6	165.9	105%	5.37
8	151.3	164.8	92%	5.39
15	170.4	168.4	101%	5.48
22	172.4	169.1	102%	5.58
29	176.0	168.1	105%	5.43
Oct 6	173.3	167.4	104%	5.59
Year to date	6536.1	6605.6	99%	
Oct 13		167.0		
20		166.7		

FINAL BROILER/FRYER REPORT

Prices negotiated for truck-lot sales of ready-to-cook ice-packed broiler/fryers (includes branded product) to be delivered to first receivers at major market centers week of: 08-OCT-2007 (cents per lb)

	U.S. GRADE A			COMPOSITE	
	MAJ	WTD AVG	LDS	WTD AVG	LDS
Chicago	60.00-63.00	62.69	32	60.74	62
Los Angeles	88.00	85.39	61	77.30	128
New York	66.00-69.00	67.90	21	68.53	44

COMPOSITE WTD AVG PRICES FOR RTC BROILER/FRYERS

WEEKLY	Change from		
08-OCT-2007	01-OCT-2007	01-OCT-2007	09-OCT-2006
70.36	-.30	70.66	65.23
NUMBER OF LOADS	486		

WHOLE YOUNG TURKEYS, FROZEN 1/, CONSUMER SIZES, COMMODITY PACK OR EQUIVALENT, US GRADE A, CENTS PER LB, DELIVERED (MINIMUM 10,000 LB LOTS)

CURRENT SHIPMENTS 2/	OFFERS	SALES	WTD AVG	LBS (000)
8-16 LB HENS				
EASTERN REGION 3/	93-96	-	-	-
CENTRAL REGION 4/	93-96	-	-	-
WESTERN REGION 5/	93-96	-	-	-

16-24 LB TOMS

EASTERN REGION 3/	93-96	-	-	-
CENTRAL REGION 4/	93-96	-	-	-
WESTERN REGION 5/	93-96	-	-	-

1/ May include product stored at temperatures in range of 1 to 25° F.
2/ Includes product priced for shipment within 14 days. 3/ Includes product with 3 percent broth basting. 4/ Includes product with 3-6 percent broth basting. 5/ Includes products with 6 percent broth basting.

WEEKLY COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS -

Selected Centers	(Inc. Gov't Stocks)	(In Thousands)	
		Frozen Eggs	Processed Turkeys
		Lbs	Lbs
AM 10/08/07		3,200	103,756
AM 10/01/07		3,226	107,745
CHG		-26	-3989
PCT CHG		-1%	-4%
			Processed other Poultry Lbs
			74,264
			66,944
			7320
			11%

HEN MARKETS

HEAVY TYPE

(7 pounds and up)* FINAL PRICE, CENTS PER LB., GENERALLY FOR SLAUGHTER THE WEEK OF 08-OCT-07

REGIONS	RANGE	MAJORITY	WTD AVG
Southeast (1)	7-12 CENTS/LB.		9.42
Southeast (2)	TFEWR		
South Central (1)	6-12.25 CENTS/LB.		9.06

(1) At Farm Buyer Loading (2) At Farm Producer Loading

*Weights under 7 lbs. subject to discount.

LIGHT TYPE - REMOVAL COSTS

Cents per head, generally for removal within the next 10 days, (includes handling, freight and any other charges, weights average about 3.50 pounds) 05-OCT-07

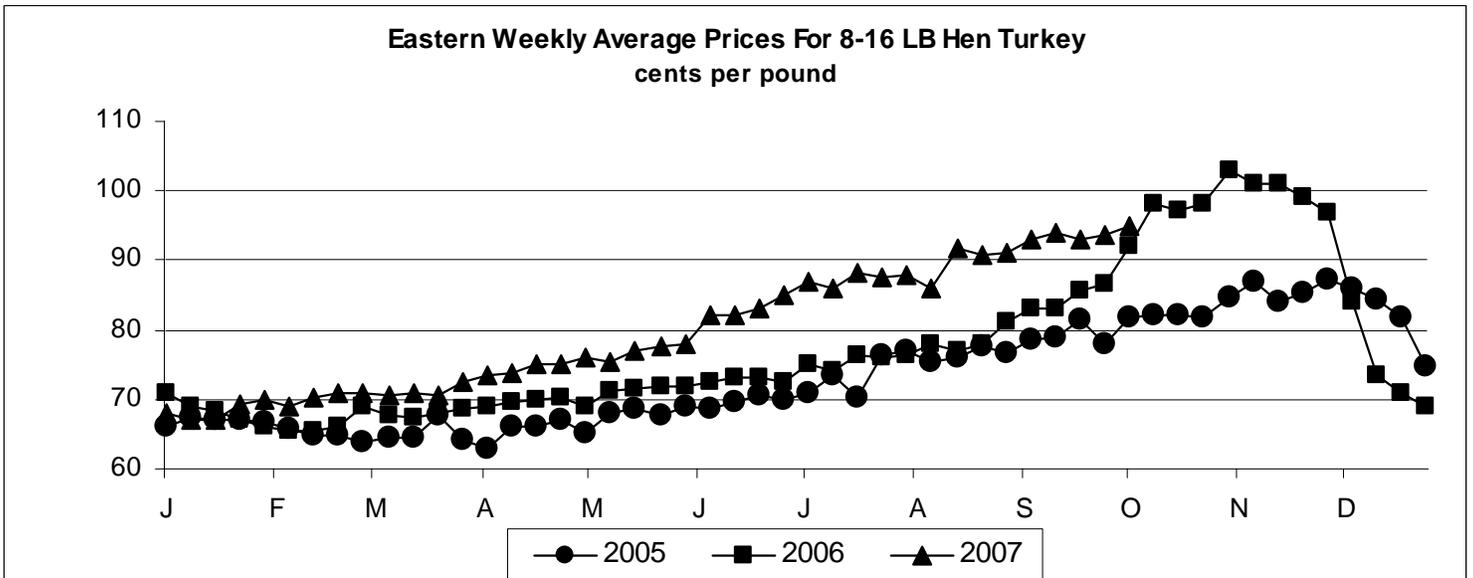
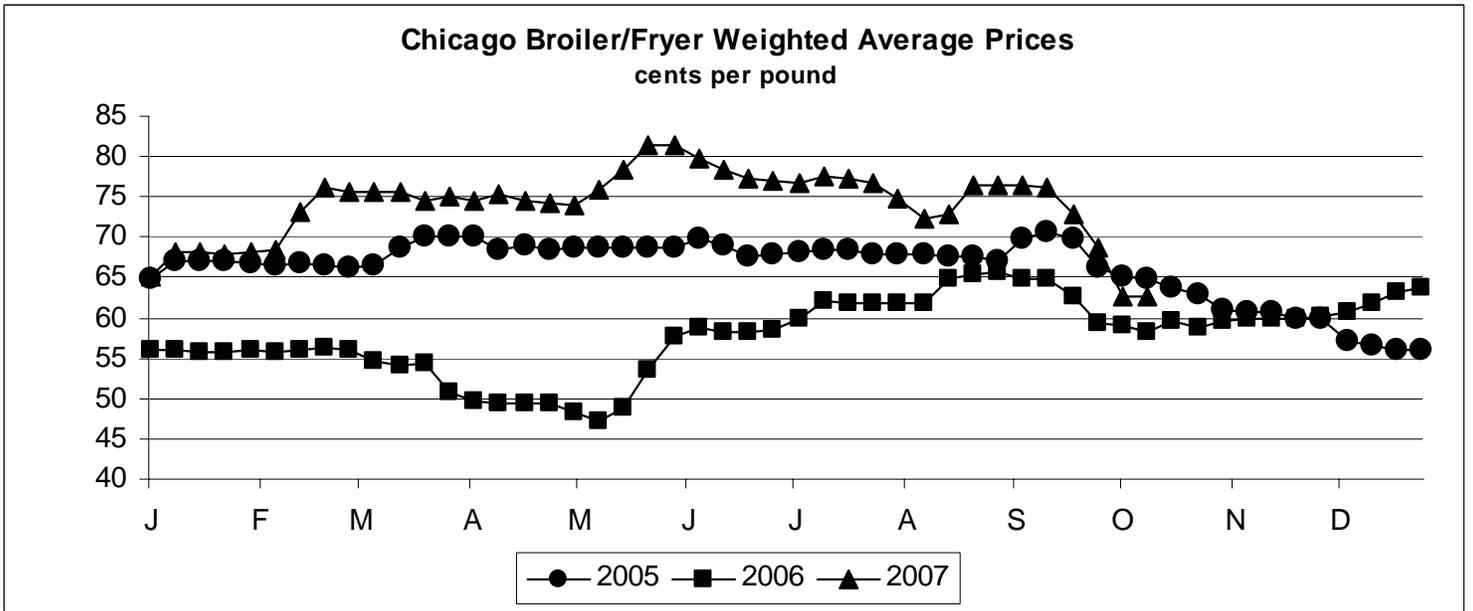
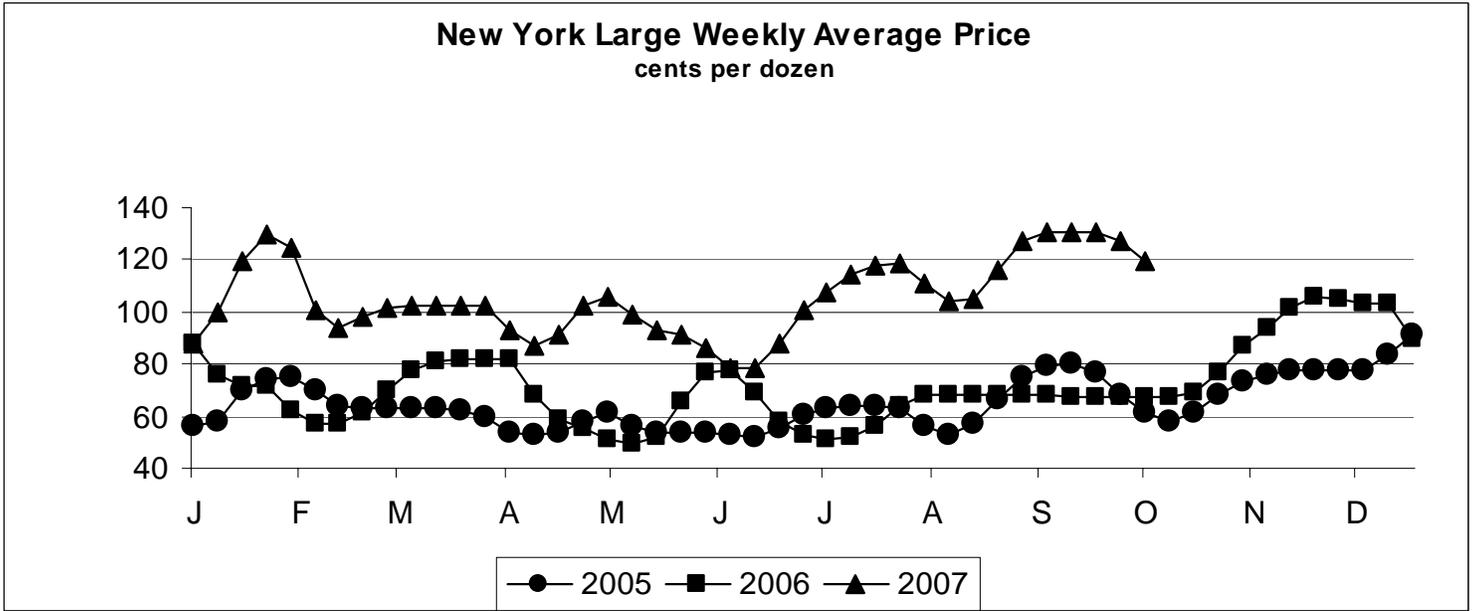
REGIONS	RANGE	MAJORITY
Eastern	3-12	5-8
South Central	Too Few To Report	
North Central	0-9	0-4.5

COMMERCIAL EGG MOVEMENT (Receipts From Producers)

W/E 06-OCT-2007	Cases (In thousands)	% Change From	
REGIONS		LW	LY
North Atlantic	175.6	-2	-1
East North Central	641.5	0	4
West North Central	284.8	0	4
South Atlantic	172.4	-3	-8
South Central	58.8	5	8
West	195.8	-7	1
Total	1528.9	-1	2
Matched plants reporting		81	81

Areas Covered:

North Atlantic (ME, VT, MA, RI, CT, NH, NY, PA, NJ, MD, DE)
East North Central (WI, IL, MI, OH, IN)
West North Central (IA, MN, MO, KS, SD)
South Atlantic (SC, NC, VA, GA, FL, KY)
South Central (TN, AL, AR, MS, OK)
West (CA, CO, WA, OR, UT)



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