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NATIONAL EGG MARKET AT-A-GLANCE

New York prices remained unchanged when compared to values a day earlier. Trade sentiment was steady to barely steady, mostly steady with caution noted entering the weekend. Demand ranged light to at times fairly good. Retail feature activity is higher than a week ago. Supplies were sufficient to available for buyer and seller requirements. Breaking stock offerings were generally adequate for a light to moderate demand. Light type hens were sufficient for normal processing schedules.

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

MIDWEST REGIONAL All reported prices were unchanged. Trade sentiment was steady with some caution noted. Retail demand was light to instances fairly good, usually moderate. Food service movement was slow. Supplies were adequate to available for current trade needs. Central states breaking stock prices were unchanged. Offerings were adequate for the moderate demand. Floor stocks balanced to adequate. Schedules were full-time. Trade sentiment steady to instances barely steady.

	RANGE	MOSTLY	IA-MN-WI	Prices pai	d t
EXTRA LARGE	145-154	148-151	producers.	-	ı
LARGE	144-153	146-149	LARGE MEDIUM	119-129 106-110	
MEDIUM	128-137	130-133	SMALL	73-79	

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 with caution noted entering the weekend. Demand was light to fair. Supplies ranged adequate to available for present trade needs. Eastern region breaking stock offerings were sufficient for a moderate demand. Light type hen demand was fairly good for generally adequate offerings. **RANGE** MOSTLY EXTRA LARGE 155-169 155-158 **LARGE** 149-163 154-158 **MEDIUM** 132-145 136-139 NORTHEAST AREA: CT, DC, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, Eastern NJ, Eastern NY, PA, RI, Northern VA, and VT

SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL Prices were unchanged. The trade sentiment was steady. Retail demand was moderate to usually fairly good. Food service movement was light to moderate. Supplies were adequate to fully adequate. Central states breaking stock prices were unchanged. Offerings were adequate for the moderate demand. Floor stocks balanced to adequate. Schedules full time. Trade sentiment steady to instances barely steady.

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EXTRA LARGE

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EXTRA LARGE	154.5-163	156-159
LARGE	152.5-161	154-157
MEDIUM	135.5-144	137-140
SOUTH CENTRAL AREA: AR.AZ.CO.	(S.LA.MO.NM.O	C. and TX

SOUTHEAST REGIONAL Prices were unchanged. Trade sentiment was cautiously steady. Demand was light to moderate. Supplies were sufficient to fully adequate for trade requirements. Eastern region breaking stock offerings were adequate for a light to moderate demand. Light hen offerings were adequate for normal processing schedules.

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EXTRA LARGE	154.5-162	156-159
LARGE	153-160	154-157
MEDIUM	134.5-143.25	135-139
SOUTHEAST AREA: AL. FL. GA. MS. NC.	SC. Fastern TN, and	Southern VA

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

NEW YORK EGGS Extra large, large and medium prices were all unchanged when compared to the previous day's values. Trade sentiment was at best steady. Demand was light to moderate. Supplies were adequate to available for buyer and seller needs.

	KANGE
EXTRA LARGE	156-160
LARGE	154-158
MEDIUM	138-142

MIDWEST REGIONAL	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	152-160	153-155
LARGE	150-158	151-153
MEDIUM	134-142	135-137

<u>WESTERN REGIONAL</u> Prices were unchanged. Asking prices for next week were 4 cents lower for jumbo, 5 cents lower for extra large, and 7 to 8 cents lower for large and medium. Trade sentiment was steady to barely steady. Demand was mixed from light to fairly good. Offerings were adequate. Floor stocks balanced to adequate.

CALIFORNIA Prices were unchanged. Asking prices for next week were 4 cents lower for jumbo, 5 cents lower for extra large, and 8 cents lower on the balance of sizes. Trade sentiment was steady to barely steady. Offerings were adequate while demand was mixed from light to fairly good. Supplies were balanced. Small benchmark price \$1.52.

<u>CALIFORNIA</u> Shell egg marketers benchmark price for negotiated egg sales of USDA Grade AA and Grade AA in cartons, cents per dozen. This price does not reflect discounts or other contract terms.

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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE AA AND GRADE AA, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE

DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN.	RANGE
JUMBO	177-191
EXTRA LARGE	179-184
LARGE	178-181
MEDIUM	159-162

BREAKING STOCK

Prices in cents per dozen, delivered to breakers, 48 lb. minimum net weight per 30 dozen case, eggs from table egg layers. Packaging may vary.

<u>CENTRAL REGION</u> Prices were unchanged. Offerings were adequate with demand moderate as most breakers worked from regular commitments and contractual agreements. Floor stocks balanced to adequate. Schedules full-time. Trade sentiment steady to instances barely steady.

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	KANGE	WOSILI
BREAKING STOCK	94-100	98-100
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES	82-90	82-84
CENTRAL STATES AREA: AR,CO,IA,IL,I	IN,KS,LA,MI,MN,I	MO,NM,ND,NE,
OH,OK,SD,TX,WI		

EASTERN REGION Mostly prices were lower compared to early week trading. Trade sentiment was barely steady with buyer cautious and closely watching further market developments. Demand was light to fair. Floor stocks were sufficient for regular processing schedules. Cases broken under federal inspection in the Eastern region for week ending 05-Jan-2008 were 3% more than last week and 2% higher than a year ago.

	NANGE	WOSILI
BREAKING STOCK	93-98	94-96
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES	79-87	80-84
EASTERN STATES AREA: AL, CT, DE, FL,	GA, KY, ME, M	D, MA, MS, NH,
N.I. NY NC PA RI SC TN VT VA WV		

EGGS PROCESSED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION

W/E 05-J	an-2008	(lbs. in thousands)		(Exclud	(Excludes Ingredient	
Total	Cases	Liquid	Liquid	Liquid	Dried	Ined
Production	on Broken	Whole	Whites	Yolk		
CW	1,146,339	28,740	10,344	5,650	2,734	4,112
PW	1,142,258	28,349	10,133	5,526	2,350	3,714
LY	1,149,401	28,538	10,345	6,151	2,917	3,976
% PW	0%	1%	2%	2%	16%	11%
% LY	0%	1%	0%	-8%	-6%	3%
2008	1,146,339	28,740	10,344	5,650	2,734	4,112
2007	1,149,401	28,538	10,345	6,151	2,917	3,976
% YTD	0%	1%	0%	-8%	-6%	3%
				CW	PW	LY
Average `	Yield Per Ca	se - (Inedib	le Include	ed) 42.61	41.78	42.64
Average `	Yield Per Ca	ise - (Inedib	le Exclud	ed) 39.02	38.53	39.18

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

	Cases Broken		Liqu	uid Whole	
	Cases	% of Total	Lbs.	% of Total	
CURRENT WEEK	621,044	54.2%	16,725	58.2%	
PREVIOUS WEEK	634,423	55.5%	16,932	59.7%	
LAST YEAR	581,916	50.6%	15,790	55.3%	

NATIONAL LIQUID Pasteurized whites and salted yolk were too few to report with pasteurized whole egg reported at \$1.00 fob. Trade sentiment was barely steady to instances weak for whole egg and mostly steady to instances fully steady on the balance of products. Offerings were adequate for whole egg and balanced to tight for whites and yolk. Demand was fairly good for whole egg and whites and fair for yolk. Breaking stock prices were lower when compared to last week's reported prices.

Prices paid cents per lb., FOB Plant to 10:00 AM non-pasteurized trucklot. For delivery within 14 days.

CLASS	LOADS	RANGE	WTD. AVG.	% FROM LW
WHOLE	27	78-90	86.70	-5.91
WHITES	17	56-62	58.12	1.62
YOLKS	4	126 5-129	128 38	

FROZEN

<u>CENTRAL REGION</u> Frozen whole egg and white prices were unchanged. Sugared yolk ranged unchanged to 1 cent lower with salted yolk unchanged to 1 cent higher. Trade sentiment continued steady for all products. Demand was light to moderate for all frozen products with the exception of salted yolk which was reported as light. Offerings were in very close balance to adequate. Breaking stock prices were lower when compared to last week's reported prices.

Wholesale selling prices (cents per lb. in 30 lb. containers)

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	RANGE	MOSTLY
WHOLE	109-113	
WHITES	78-81	
SGRD YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	143-150	143-145
SLTD YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	136-140	136-138

EASTERN REGION Mostly prices were unchanged to slightly higher on whole, but the balance of items were unchanged when compared to a week earlier. Demand was light to moderate for about sufficient offerings. Undertone was steady. Liquid and frozen eggs (ingredients included) processed under federal inspection in the Eastern region for the week ending 05-Jan-2008 were 5% less than the previous week and 5% more than a year ago.

Wholesale selling prices (cents per lb. in 30 lb. containers)

			LTL
	TRUCKLOTS	(MIN)	N. 25 CONT.)
	RANGE	MOSTLY	RANGE
WHOLE	108-116	109-114	115-119
BLENDS (/)	TFEWR		
WHITES	75-81	76-79	82-94
SGRD YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLID	S) 140-149	140-145	147-159
SLTD YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS	3) 133-142	135-142	141-151
(/) - Whole plus yolk plus sweetener,	generally 28-32	% egg solids.	

<u>SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA</u> Prices were unchanged on frozen whole egg and whites with the balance of prices 1 cent higher. Demand was fairly good to instances good for whole egg with demand for the remainder of products moderate. Offerings were tight. Trade sentiment was steady on all frozen products.

Wholesale selling prices, FOB shipping point (cents per lb. in 30 lb. containers)

	LTL
	(MIN. 25 CONT.)
	RANGE
WHOLE	115-119
WHITES	83-86
SGRD YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	145-148
SLTD YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	140-143
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NATIONAL DRIED Mostly prices were higher on whole, unchanged to higher on yolks and albumen, and unchanged on blends, when compared to a week earlier. Demand was improved. Trade sentiment was at least steady to fully steady. Dried eggs processed under federal inspection for the week ending 05-Jan-2008 were 16% more than the previous week, but 6% lower than a year ago. The total production year to date, of dried eggs processed was 6% less than a year ago.

Wholesale selling prices, dollars per lb., in cont., Trucklot and LTL volumes.

WHOLE	4.30-4.70	MOSTLY 4.40-4.50
YOLKS	3.35-3.60	MOSTLY 3.35-3.50
ALBUMEN, SPRAY, DRIED	5.10-5.74	MOSTLY 5.20-5.30
BLENDS (Whole plus sweetener)	3.05-3.20	MOSTLY 3.05-3.15

TRAILER LOAD EGG SALES WEEKLY WTD AVG PRICES (CENTS/DOZ) NATIONAL TRADING FOR JAN 04, 2007-JAN 10, 2008

CURRENT LOADS 91.25 FUTURE LOADS 76.75 TOTAL LOADS 168.00

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CLASS	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	LOADS	CLASS	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	LOADS
GNR W 1	124.00		128.50	127.75		118.00	20.00	GNR W 1		127.00					12.00
GNR BR 1							1.00	GL W J		143.75			145.00	148.50	5.00
GL W J			141.75	144.00	132.19		6.00	GL W XL	131.50	136.29		139.57		141.44	31.50
GL W XL		143.22	138.67	139.86	127.88		64.75	GL W LG	123.93	134.48		138.25		135.00	27.00
GL W LG		144.45		136.57	122.12	133.00	57.75	GL W MD	117.90	117.71				113.40	19.00
GL W MD		121.10	117.38	122.17	109.56	109.40	34.00	GL W SM		83.25					.50
GL W SM		83.00	87.50	88.50	75.00		2.75	NRBS - 50		104.00					.50
GL BR XL							.50								
GL BR LG							.75								
GL BR MD	101.00	104.00					1.00								
NRBS - 48			93.00	94.00	92.30	99.13	22.00	1							

WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICES ARE LISTED FOR VARIOUS CLASSES PRICED BY ORIGIN AND/OR DESTINATION FOR 6 REGIONS. THE LOADS COLUMN REFLECTS TOTAL LOADS REPORTED AND INCLUDES LOADS WITH PRICES TO BE DETERMINED LATER. NRBS CATEGORIES REPRESENT NET WEIGHT-MATERIAL MAY OR MAY NOT BE INCLUDED. LOAD MOVEMENT REPRESENTS TOTAL MOVEMENT WITHIN 6 REGIONS.

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LIVE LIGHT TYPE HENS

CENTS PER HEAD, GENERALLY FOR REMOVAL
WITHIN THE NEXT 10 DAYS
(INCLUDES HANDLING, FREIGHT AND ANY OTHER CHARGES,
WEIGHTS AVERAGE ABOUT 3.50 POUNDS)

EASTERN Prices were unchanged when compared to the previous week. Demand was fairly good for the generally adequate offerings of light type hens. Processing schedules were noted as normal. Trade sentiment was generally steady.

	RANGE	WAJORIT
REMOVAL COST	3-12	5-8

<u>SOUTH CENTRAL</u> Trading was light and TFEWR. Demand was moderate for at least adequate offerings of spent leghorns. Schedules were reduced. Finished sales were slow. Trade sentiment was about steady.

RANGE MAJORITY
REMOVAL COST TOO FEW TO REPORT

<u>NORTH CENTRAL</u> Prices were unchanged. Demand was good to very good with offerings adequate. Schedules will be full next few weeks. Trade sentiment steady.

	RANGE	MAJORITY
REMOVAL COST	0-10.5	0-5

SHELL EGGS-COMBINED REGIONAL

AVERAGE PRICES ON SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, GRADE A LARGE OR BETTER, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED WAREHOUSE, CENTS PER DOZEN.

EX LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM
156.50	156.00	137.50
157.50	155.50	137.00
149.50	147.50	131.50
157.50	155.50	138.50
155.30	153.67	136.20
	156.50 157.50 149.50 157.50	156.50 156.00 157.50 155.50 149.50 147.50 157.50 155.50

Computed from simple weekly averages weighted by regional area populations.

NATIONAL CANNER FOWL MARKET Sales for both light and heavy canners were too few to report. Supplies of light and heavy canners were generally sufficient for current needs with most available supplies being used internally. Demand was fair to mostly moderate. Processing schedules were normal. The undertone was mostly steady.

CENTS PER POUND, CURRENT NEGOTIATIONS, WITHOUT FREIGHT COST

LIGHT CANNER HENS
(LINE RUN WITHOUT NECKS)
(WITHOUT NECKS)

TOO FEW SALES TO REPORT TOO FEW SALES TO REPORT CENTS PER POUND, CURRENT NEGOTIATIONS, FREIGHT COST INCLUDED

LIGHT CANNER HENS
(LINE RUN WITHOUT NECKS)
TOO FEW SALES TO REPORT

HEAVY CANNER HENS
(WITHOUT NECKS)
TOO FEW SALES TO REPORT

SEE PAGE 5 FOR WEEK ENDING 22-DEC-07

WEEKLY U.S./CANADIAN LIVE POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER INSPECTION Week ending 29-Dec-07

	U.S. fowl slaughtered domestically				
	Light	Total			
	Hens	Hens	Hens		
		Thousands			
Head	767	973	1,740		
Last Week	1,475	1,570	3,045		
Same week yr ago	1,056	782	1,838		
To-date/2007	57,751	75,786	133,537		
To-date/2006	55,722	76,740	132,462		
	U.S.	fowl slaughtered in (Canada		

	Light Hens	Heavy Hens	Total Hens
		Thousands	
Head	50	0	50
Last Week	375	0	375
Same week yr ago	78	0	78
To-date/2007	13,584	58	13,642
To-date/2006	8,052	53	8,105

Data Source: Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, AISD, AID, Poultry Section

Total U.S. fowl slaughtered in the U.S. and Canada						
	Light	Heavy	Total			
	Hens	Hens	Hens			
		Thousands				
Head	817	973	1,790			
Last Week	1,850	1,570	3,420			
Same week yr ago	1,134	782	1,916			
To-date/2007	71,335	75,844	147,179			
To-date/2006	63,774	76,793	140,567			

INSPECTED EGG PRODUCTS-U.S. & CANADA IMPORT/EXPORT TRADE

U.S. Exports to Canada, in Pounds (000) (Preliminary) ~See Page 5 for Week Ending December 22, 2007~

Week Ending December 29, 2007			Year-To-Date		
Type	2007	2006 /1	2007 /2	2006	
Liquid	0	257	3,325	12,247	
Frozen	0	0	71	175	
Dried	68	0	909	747	
Total	68	257	4,305	13,169	
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U.S. Imports From Canada, in Pounds (000) (Preliminary)

Week Ending December 29, 2007			Year-To-Date		
Type	2007	2006 /1	2007 /2	2006	
Liquid	163	112	15,964	5,719	
Frozen	4	3	412	919	
Dried	0	0	857	66	
Total	167	115	17,233	6,704	
Inspected Shell Eggs					

U.S Exports To Canada, In 30-Dozen Cases (Preliminary)

Week Ending December 29, 2007			Year-To-Date		
	2007 2006 /1		2007 /2	2006	
Jumbo	0	0	0	150	
Ex Large	1,556	1,265	67,011	93,536	
Large	5,480	3,190	125,723	184,998	
Medium	600	1,798	64,641	88,800	
Ungraded	1,560	0	217,468	256,158	
Misc	0	0	7,849	6,975	
Total	9,196	6,253	482,692	630,617	

/1 Comparable Week, to-date figures may not total due to rounding. /2 Includes revisions to previous week(s)

Data Source: Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, AISD, AID, Poultry Section Source: USDA AMS Poultry Programs, Market News & Analysis

EGG PRODUCTS

Shell Eggs Broken Down 1 Percent from Last Year

Shell eggs broken totaled 160 million dozen during November 2007, down 1 percent from November a year ago, and 12 percent below the 181 million broken last month.

November 2007 contained 22 weekdays (including two holidays) and 4 Saturdays. November 2006 contained 22 weekdays (including two holidays) and 4 Saturdays.

During calendar year 2007 through November, shell eggs broken totaled 1.84 billion dozen, down 1 percent from the comparable period in 2006. To date, cumulative total edible product from eggs broken in 2007 was 2.40 billion pounds, down 1 percent from 2006.

Source: NASS/USDA

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COMMERCIAL EGG MOVEMENT (Receipts From Producers)					
W/E 05-JAN-2008	Cases	% Change F	rom		
REGIONS	(In thousands)	LW	LY		
North Atlantic	175.2	-12	0		
East North Central	606.2	-3	-7		
West North Central	310.9	11	4		
South Atlantic	185.6	-1	4		
South Central	61.4	11	9		
West	189.8	-2	1		
Total	1529.1	-1	-1		
Matched plants repo	rting	81	81		
Areas Covered:	•				
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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)

MOVEMENT OF EGGS INTO RETAIL CHANNELS W/E 05 Jan 2009

W/⊑ 05-Jan-2006				
Selected Consuming	CW	LW	% CHA	NGE
Centers	(Cases in Th	nousands)	LW	LY
Atlanta	27.9	28.0	0	-12
Boston	2.9	3.0	-3	-9
Chicago	33.9	84.8	-60	-60
Detroit	10.9	12.8	-15	0
Los Angeles	98.4	94.4	4	-1
New Orleans	6.3	6.3	0	26
New York	25.3	30.0	-16	-2
St. Louis	57.9	46.3	25	145
San Francisco	14.4	14.5	-1	-19
Total	277.9	320.1	-13	-8
4 Week Moving Avg.	306.9			

WEEKLY COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS - Selected Centers (Inc. Gov't Stocks) (In Thousands)

`Frozen Eggs		Processed Turkeys	Processed other Poultry	
	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	
AM 01/07/08	3,225	43,929	80,834	
AM 12/01/07	3,052	37,974	89,689	
CHG	173	5955	-8855	
PCT CHG	6%	16%	-10%	

Based on the historical relationship of the preliminary U.S. Cold Storage holdings report of November 30, 2007 and the selected centers storage report, the expected U.S. holdings on January 1, 2008 are:

Frozen Eggs 17 MIL LBS PLUS OR MINUS 5% Processed Turkeys 243 MIL LBS PLUS OR MINUS 5% Processed Other Poultry 634 MIL LBS PLUS OR MINUS 5%

NEW ENGLAND WEEKLY SHELL EGG REPORT Jan 08, 2008 Prices paid per doz. Grade A Brown eggs in cartons dlvrd store door.

, ,	Ex Large	Large	Med	Small
MAINE	209	206	167	112
MOSTLY-	-	-	-	
NEW HAMPSHIRE	203-207	200-204	160-164	105-109
MOSTLY	205-206	202-203	162-163	107-108
RHODE ISLAND	211-214	208-211	167-170	112-115
MOSTLY	211	208	167	112
VERMONT MOSTLY	209-211	206-208	167	-
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PROCESSED EGGS: Monthly Inventory U.S. Dried Eggs

AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2007

COMPARISONS ON THE BASIS OF MATCHED PLANTS

CLASS	NUMBER OF POUNDS	% CHANGE LAST MONTH	% CHANGE LAST YEAR
WHOLE			
PLAIN	1,045,396	-1%	-72%
FREE FLOWING	1,247,443	23%	-75%
SUBTOTAL:	2,292,839	11%	-74%
WHITE (ALBUMEN) YOLK	3,838,866	-22%	-33%
PLAIN	1,061,617	-4%	-66%
FREE FLOWING (W/SODIUM SILICO ALUMINATE)	1,618,723	41%	-62%
SUBTOTAL: BLENDS 1/	2,680,340	18%	-64%
WHOLE	759,663	-21%	-54%
WHITE	44,200	-1%	-32%
YOLK	7,105	-84%	331%
SUBTOTAL:	810,968	-23%	-53%
TOTAL:	9,623,013	-6%	-59%

DRIED EGGS PROCESSED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION: DECEMBER 2, 2007 - DECEMBER 29, 2007 TOTAL 8,925,000 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.

WEEKLY U.S./CANADIAN LIVE POULTRY SLAUGHTERED

UNDER INSPECTION	Week ending 22-Dec-07				
	U.S. fow	I slaughtered of	domestically		
	Light	Heavy	Total		
	Hens	Hens	Hens		
		Thousands			
Head	1,475	1,570	3,045		
Last Week	1,541	1,443	2,984		
Same week yr ago	1,147	1,531	2,678		
To-date/2007	56,984	74,813	131,797		
To-date/2006	54,666	75,958	130,624		
	U.S. fowl slaughtered in Canada				
	Light	Heavy	Total		
	Hens	Hens	Hens		
		Thousands			
Head	375	0	375		
Last Week	313	12	325		
Same week yr ago	230	0	230		
To-date/2007	13,534	58	13,592		
To-date/2006	7,974	53	8,027		
Data Source: Agriculture ar	•		•		
Total U.	S. fowl slaughte				
	Light	Heavy	Total		
	Hens	Hens	Hens		

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Total U.S. fowl slaughtered in the U.S. and Canada						
	Light	Heavy	Total			
	Hens	Hens	Hens			
		-Thousands				
Head	1,850	1,570	3,420			
Last Week	1,854	1,455	3,309			
Same week yr ago	1,377	1,531	2,908			
To-date/2007	70,518	74,871	145,389			
To-date/2006	62,640	76,011	138,651			

INSPECTED EGG PRODUCTS-U.S. & CANADA IMPORT/EXPORT TRADE

U.S. Exports to Canada, in Pounds (000) (Preliminary)						
Week Ending December 22, 2007 Year-To-Date						
Type	2007	2006 /1	2007 /2	2006		
Liquid	48	204	3,325	11,990		
Frozen	0	0	71	175		
Dried	88	0	841	747		
Total	136	204	4,237	12,912		

U.S. Imports From Canada, in Pounds (000) (Preliminary) Week Ending December 22, 2007 Year-To-Date 2006 Type 2007 2006 /1 2007 /2 Liquid 103 15,801 5,607 319 Frozen 2 408 916 17 Dried 0 0 857 66 17,066 Total 336 105 6,589

Inspected Shell Eggs

U.S Exports To Canada, In 30-Dozen Cases (Preliminary) Week Ending December 22, 2007 Year-To-Date 2007 2006 /1 2007 /2 2006 **Jumbo** 0 0 0 150 750 92,271 Ex Large 2,100 65,455 Large 11,411 5,630 120,243 181,808 Medium 1,731 64,041 716 87,002 **Ungraded** 1,560 1,440 215,908 256,158 Misc

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9,886

7,849

473,496

6,975

624,364

/1 Comparable Week, to-date figures may not total due to rounding. /2 Includes revisions to previous week(s)

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15,452

Data Source: Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, AISD, AID, Poultry Section

Source: USDA AMS Poultry Programs, Market News & Analysis

Total

^{1/:} Blended with a percentage of additives including, but not limited to, sugar, salt, soy, and corn syrup