



USDA, AMS, Poultry Market News and Analysis Weekly Egg Products Report February 22, 2008

The "SOURCE" of Poultry and Egg Market Information

COMBINED REGIONAL REPORT - Combined regional for week ending **22-Feb-08** 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	149.00	150.50	141.50	150.50	147.95
Last week	149.00	150.50	141.50	150.50	147.95

SELECTED CITIES DELIVERED STORE DOOR LARGE - 22-Feb-08:

New York 155-159 **Midwest** 144-152 **California** 184

WEEKLY SHELL EGG AND BREAKING STOCK INVENTORY - 19-Feb-08 - (30 DOZEN CASES - IN THOUSANDS)

	Northeast	North Central	South Central	South Atlantic	Pacific	5-Area	Breaking Stock	Total
Current week	111.4	273.8	159.7	180.0	244.5	969.4	224.8	1194.2
% change PW	5%	-10%	10%	-3%	9%	0%	0%	0%

Breaking Stock 22-Feb-08 - prices paid cents/dozen, material exchanged, 30-dozen case equivalent, 48 lb minimum, delivered to breakers.

	Central States		Eastern Region	
Breaking Stock	112-116 M	114-116	107-111 M	107-109
Checks & Undergrades	97-102 M	97-99	90-98 M	91-96

Eggs Processed under federal inspection week ending **16-Feb-08**. Lbs. in Thousands (excludes ingredients)

	Cases Broken	Liquid Whole	Liquid White	Liquid Yolk	Dried	Inedible
Current Week	1,227,757	30,870	11,073	5,853	2,559	4,252
Previous Week	1,214,538	29,812	11,105	6,043	2,327	4,121
Last Year	1,206,613	30,642	10,930	5,839	2,504	4,199
% Change PWK	1%	4%	0%	-3%	10%	3%
% Change LY	2%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%
To-Date 2008	8,653,734	216,368	77,792	41,701	18,645	30,029
To-Date 2007	8,302,084	206,960	76,643	41,103	17,145	29,267
% Change YTD	4%	5%	1%	1%	9%	3%

AVERAGE YIELD PER CASE (INEDIBLE INCLUDED)

Current Week: 42.39 **Previous Week:** 42.06 **Last Year:** 42.77

AVERAGE YIELD PER CASE (INEDIBLE EXCLUDED)

Current Week: 38.93 **Previous Week:** 38.66 **Last Year:** 39.29

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	613,336	50.0%	16,595	53.8%
PREVIOUS WEEK	601,944	49.6%	16,365	54.9%
LAST YEAR	579,389	48.0%	15,731	51.3%

National Liquid Eggs - 22-Feb-08 - 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	18	89-96	93.44	2.91
WHITES	9	69-78.5	71.94	.65
YOLKS		TFEWR		

Pasteurized whites and salted yolk were too few to report.

Frozen Egg Prices - 22-Feb-08 wholesale selling price cents/lb, 30-lb containers.

Class	Trucklot		Less-than-Trucklot (min 25 cont.)			
	Eastern		Central		Eastern	South California ²
Whole	112-117 M	115-117	114-117 M	115-117	116-123	119-123
Blends ³	TOO FEW TO REPORT					
Whites	83-95 M	87-90	87-95 M	87-89	90-97	92-95
Yolks ⁴						
Sugared	141-149 M	145-147	145-149 M	145-147	148-159	146-149
Salted	136-142 M	139-140	140-142		142-155	141-144

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 - 22-Feb-08 - wholesale selling prices \$/lb, in containers, trucklot and less-than-trucklot volumes.

Class	Range	Mostly
WHOLE	4.40-4.68	4.50-4.55
YOLKS	3.40-3.60	3.50-3.60
ALBUMEN, SPRAY, DRIED	5.95-6.35	6.10-6.35
BLENDS (WHOLE PLUS SWEETENER)	3.35-3.50	3.35-3.40

Number of Light Hens Sltrd. in Federally Inspected Plants (Thousands) Weekending 16-Feb-08

Fowl Slaughtered in U.S.	U.S. Fowl Slaughtered in Canada	Total U.S. Fowl Slaughtered
This week	This week	This week
1,315	281	1,596
Last week	Last week	Last week
1,320	310	1,630
Last year	Last year	Last year
1,105	240	1,345
To Date 2008	To Date 2008	To Date 2008
9,775	1,984	11,759
To Date 2007	To Date 2007	To Date 2007
7,593	1,436	9,029

U.S. Exports To Canada, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 09-Feb-08

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	0	0	0	0
Last year /1	0	0	0	0
To date 2008/2	0	0	40	40
To date 2007	621	3	80	704

U.S. Imports From Canada, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 09-Feb-08

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	514	42	0	556
Last year /1	322	40	36	398
To date 2008/2	2,224	132	0	2,356
To date 2007	1,551	66	36	1,653

Inspected Shell Eggs

U.S. Exports To Canada, in 30-Dozen Cases (Preliminary) week ending - 09-Feb-08

	Jumbo	EX-Lg	Large	Medium	Ungraded	Misc	Total
Current week	0	510	150	90	5,310	0	6,060
Last year /1	0	210	510	0	2,160	0	2,880
To date 2008/2	0	510	150	1,740	15,030	0	17,430
To date 2007	0	390	2,581	750	2,160	0	5,881

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

/2 Includes revisions to previous week(s).