

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.

CENTRAL REGION All prices were higher. Offerings continued tight to inadequate with demand mostly good. Supplies were balanced to tight. Schedules full-time to part-time for next week. Trade sentiment firm.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
BREAKING STOCK	82-85	85
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES	66-72	66-68
CENTRAL STATES AREA: AR,CO,IA,IL,IN,KS,LA,MI,MN,MO,NM,ND,NE,OH,OK,SD,TX,WI		

EASTERN REGION Prices were higher when compared to early week trading. Trade sentiment ranged fully steady to firm. Offerings were limited for the fairly good to good demand. Processing schedules were noted as mostly normal. Cases broken under federal inspection in the Eastern region for the week ending 16-Aug-08 were unchanged from the previous week, however 9 percent less than the same week a year ago.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
BREAKING STOCK	82-86	83-84
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES	67-71	69-70
EASTERN STATES AREA: AL, CT, DE, FL, GA, KY, ME, MD, MA, MS, NH, NJ, NY, NC, PA, RI, SC, TN, VT, VA, WV		

EGGS PROCESSED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION

W/E 16-AUG-200	(lbs. in thousands)		(Excludes Ingredients)			
Total	Cases	Liquid	Liquid	Liquid		
Production	Broken	Whole	Whites	Yolk	Dried	Inedible
CW	1,323,479	33,298	11,942	6,094	2,795	4,503
PW	1,350,065	34,045	12,034	6,260	3,104	4,471
LY	1,332,031	32,753	12,347	6,498	2,763	4,474
% PW	-2%	-2%	-1%	-3%	-10%	1%
% LY	-1%	2%	-3%	-6%	1%	1%
2008	42,883,298	1,053,655	404,010	212,506	95,834	144,286
2007	41,677,613	1,027,627	387,625	208,584	83,977	142,906
% YTD	3%	3%	4%	2%	14%	1%
				CW	PW	LY
Average Yield Per Case - (Inedible Included)				42.19	42.08	42.10
Average Yield Per Case - (Inedible Excluded)				38.79	38.77	38.74

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	661,023	49.9%	18,560	55.7%
PREVIOUS WEEK	657,905	48.7%	18,264	53.6%
LAST YEAR	616,012	46.2%	16,302	49.8%

NATIONAL LIQUID Pasteurized salted yolk and whites were too few to report. Trade sentiment was firm for whole egg, steady to fully steady for whites, and fully steady to firm for yolk. Offerings were tight to short of needs for whole egg, adequate for whites and tight for yolk. Demand was good for whole egg and whites and fairly good for yolk. Breaking stock prices were higher when compared to the past 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	6	72-73	72.83	9.16
WHITES	12	46.5-48.5	47.96	.75
YOLKS		TFEWR		

FROZEN

CENTRAL REGION Frozen whole egg prices ranged 1 cent higher with whites unchanged to 1 cent higher. Frozen sugared yolk ranged 1 to 3 cents higher with salted yolk unchanged to 3 cents higher. Trade sentiment was firm for frozen whole egg and sugared yolk, mostly steady for whites, and steady to fully steady for salted yolk. Demand was fairly good to good for whole egg, fairly good for sugared yolk and moderate for whites and salted yolk. Offerings were balanced to adequate for all products. Breaking stock prices were sharply higher when compared to the past week's reported prices.

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

	RANGE	MOSTLY
WHOLE	81-83	
WHITES	72-76	
SGRD YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	143-145	
SLTD YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	138-140	140

EASTERN REGION Mostly prices were unchanged on whole, unchanged to slightly lower on whites, and higher on yolks when compared to last week. Trade sentiment was fully steady on yolk, firm on whole, and steady on the balance of frozen products. Offerings were adequate for the fairly good to good demand. Liquid and frozen eggs (ingredients included) processed under federal inspection for the week ending 16-Aug-08 were 8% higher than a week ago, but 4% less than the same week last year.

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

	TRUCKLOTS	(MIN. 25 CONT.)	LTL
	RANGE	MOSTLY	RANGE
WHOLE	77-84	78-82	82-89
BLENDS (/)	TFEWR		
WHITES	69-76	72-73	75-81
SGRD YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	138-145	143-145	146-152
SLTD YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	133-140	137-138	140-145
(/) - Whole plus yolk plus sweetener, generally 28-32% egg solids.			

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA Frozen whole egg prices were 4 cents higher with whites unchanged. Sugared and salted yolk prices increased 2 cents from last week's reported prices. Trade sentiment was firm for frozen whole egg, steady for whites, and fully steady for frozen yolk products. Demand was fairly good for whole egg and mostly moderate on the balance of products. Offerings were adequate.

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

	TRUCKLOTS	(MIN. 25 CONT.)	LTL
	RANGE	MOSTLY	RANGE
WHOLE	82-86		
WHITES	78-81		
SGRD YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	143-146		
SLTD YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	138-141		

NATIONAL DRIED Mostly prices were unchanged on whole, unchanged to lower on yolks, and unchanged to higher on whites when compared to the previous week's values. Trade sentiment was generally steady. Demand ranged fair to fairly good as inquiry levels continued to increase. Floor stocks were sufficient. Dried eggs processed under federal inspection for the week ending 16-Aug-2008 were 10% less than the previous week and 1% more than a year ago. The total year to date production of dried eggs produced was 14% higher than a year earlier.

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

WHOLE	YOLKS	ALBUMEN, SPRAY, DRIED	BLENDS (WHOLE PLUS SWEETENER)
3.45-3.70	3.10-3.30	5.50-5.75	3.25-3.30
MOSTLY	MOSTLY	MOSTLY	
3.50-3.60	3.25-3.30	5.55-5.60	

TRAILER LOAD EGG SALES WEEKLY WTD AVG PRICES (CENTS/DOZ) NATIONAL TRADING FOR AUG 15, 2008-AUG 21, 2008

CURRENT LOADS 75.25

FUTURE LOADS 62.50

TOTAL LOADS 137.75

CLASS	SE		NE		MW		LOADS	CLASS	SC		NW		SW		LOADS
	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST			ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	
GNR W 1	88.50	98.69	88.33	90.40	95.00	--	31.00	GNR W 1	--	104.20	--	--	--	--	15.00
GNR W 2	--	--	--	--	--	--	6.00	GNR W 2	--	100.00	--	--	--	--	6.00
GNR BR 1	--	--	--	--	--	--	2.25	GNR BR 1	--	--	--	--	--	--	1.25
GL W J	--	--	110.00	112.00	102.50	110.00	5.00	GL W J	111.32	109.00	--	--	118.00	118.91	6.75
GL W XL	110.00	105.67	107.90	108.67	99.33	--	29.00	GL W XL	97.50	109.17	--	114.00	--	106.00	5.25
GL W LG	--	107.14	100.89	102.43	92.54	102.00	55.75	GL W LG	--	106.12	--	--	--	102.73	36.50
GL W MD	66.00	76.00	64.29	63.38	61.56	66.00	18.25	GL W MD	65.00	--	--	--	69.00	71.27	10.25
GL W SM	44.67	48.00	45.00	48.50	47.00	50.50	6.00	GL BR LG	--	--	--	--	114.00	117.00	.50
GL BR XL	--	--	--	--	--	--	.50	NRBS - 42	--	76.00	--	--	--	--	2.00
GL BR LG	--	--	98.50	--	--	--	2.00								
NRBS - 48	--	--	--	--	--	80.50	8.00								
NRBS - 45	--	--	--	--	67.00	74.00	1.00								
NRBS - 42	--	--	--	67.67	--	--	3.00								
NRBS - 39	--	--	--	--	43.00	50.00	2.00								
NRBS - 36	--	--	45.00	47.00	--	--	1.00								

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.

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 from the previous week. Demand was mostly moderate for the at least adequate offerings of light type hens. Processing schedules were noted as normal to instances heavy. Trade sentiment was steady.

	RANGE	MAJORITY
REMOVAL COST	3-12	4-8

SOUTH CENTRAL Spent leghorn fowl were TFEWR. Offerings were adequate for current slaughter needs. Finished sales were slow. Trade sentiment was about steady.

	RANGE	MAJORITY
REMOVAL COST	TOO FEW TO REPORT	

NORTH CENTRAL Prices unchanged. Offerings were adequate to instances fully adequate while demand remains mostly moderate. Schedules full-time. 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.

REGIONS	EX LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM
NORTHEAST	114.50	113.00	73.50
SOUTHEAST	112.50	110.50	72.00
MIDWEST	105.50	103.50	67.50
SOUTH CENTRAL	120.50	114.50	73.50
COMBINED REGIONAL	113.61	110.55	71.68

Computed from simple weekly averages weighted by regional area populations.

NATIONAL CANNER FOWL MARKET

Sales were too few to report prices. Offerings were at least sufficient for current needs. Demand was light to fair with trading limited on both the heavy and light canners with most available supplies being used internally. Processing schedules were normal. The undertone was steady. CENTS PER POUND, CURRENT NEGOTIATIONS, WITHOUT FREIGHT COST

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

WEEKLY U.S./CANADIAN LIVE POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER INSPECTION Week ending 16-Aug-08

	U.S. fowl slaughtered domestically		
	Light Hens	Heavy Hens	Total Hens
	-----Thousands-----		
Head	1,460	1,728	3,188
Last Week	1,272	1,804	3,076
Same week yr ago	1,045	1,524	2,569
To-date/2008	46,202	52,828	99,030
To-date/2007	36,867	47,692	84,559

	U.S. fowl slaughtered in Canada		
	Light Hens	Heavy Hens	Total Hens
	-----Thousands-----		
Head	309	0	309
Last Week	339	8	347
Same week yr ago	318	0	318
To-date/2008	10,900	46	10,946
To-date/2007	8,374	23	8,397

Total U.S. fowl slaughtered in the U.S. and Canada

	Light Hens	Heavy Hens	Total Hens
		-----Thousands-----	
Head	1,769	1,728	3,497
Last Week	1,611	1,812	3,423
Same week yr ago	1,363	1,524	2,887
To-date/2008	57,102	52,874	109,976
To-date/2007	45,241	47,715	92,956

SOURCE: USDA AMS Poultry Programs, Market News & Analysis Branch

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

U.S. Exports to Canada, in Pounds (000) (Preliminary)				
Week Ending Aug 09, 2008	Year-To-Date			
Type	2008	2007 /1	2008 /2	2007
Liquid	49	155	445	2,617
Frozen	0	0	39	25
Dried	0	0	406	447
Total	49	155	890	3,089

U.S. Imports From Canada, in Pounds (000) (Preliminary)				
Week Ending Aug 09, 2008	Year-To-Date			
Type	2008	2007 /1	2008 /2	2007
Liquid	416	284	12,216	10,337
Frozen	4	1	353	263
Dried	0	30	393	619
Total	420	315	12,962	11,219

Inspected Shell Eggs

U.S Exports to Canada, in 30-Dozen Cases (Preliminary)				
Week Ending Aug 09, 2008	Year-To-Date			
Type	2008	2007 /1	2008 /2	2007
Jumbo	0	0	0	0
Extra Large	2,790	1,350	37,330	27,379
Large	2,770	2,000	42,473	49,816
Medium	1,500	450	27,191	33,515
Ungraded	780	11,826	218,414	46,400
Misc	0	1,488	1,562	6,325
Total	7,840	17,114	326,970	163,435

/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 Branch

WEEKLY COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS –

		Selected Centers (Inc. Gov't Stocks)		(In Thousands)	
		Frozen	Processed	Processed	Processed
		Eggs	Turkeys	other Poultry	
		Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs
AM	08/18/08	3,103	133,960	80,820	
AM	08/01/08	3,186	131,834	74,868	
CHG		-83	2126	5952	
PCT CHG		-3%	2%	8%	

MONTHLY COLD STORAGE REPORT (In Units of 1,000)

	June 2007	June 2008	July 2007	July 2008
FROZEN EGGS:				
Whites	3,135	3,056	3,151	3,025
Yolks	1,060	901	1,424	1,111
Whole & Mixed	7,011	8,215	6,249	9,551
Unclassified	6,205	3,967	6,671	6,199
Total Frozen Eggs	17,411	16,139	17,495	19,886

Source: USDA/NASS

CHICKENS AND EGGS

July Egg Production Up Slightly

U.S. egg production totaled 7.60 billion during July 2008, up slightly from last year. Production included 6.49 billion table eggs, and 1.12 billion hatching eggs, of which 1.05 billion were broiler-type and 64 million were egg-type. The total number of layers during July 2008 averaged 336 million, down 1 percent from last year. July egg production per 100 layers was 2,262 eggs, up 1 percent from July 2007.

All layers in the U.S. on August 1, 2008 totaled 335 million, down 2 percent from last year. The 335 million layers consisted of 277 million layers producing table or market type eggs, 55.2 million layers producing broiler-type hatching eggs, and 2.69 million layers producing egg-type hatching eggs. Rate of lay per day on August 1, 2008, averaged 72.5 eggs per 100 layers, up 1 percent from August 1, 2007.

Source: USDA/NASS

COMMERCIAL EGG MOVEMENT (Receipts From Producers)
W/E 16-AUG-2008

REGIONS	Cases (In Thousands)	% Change From	
		LW	LY
North Atlantic	178.2	1	8
East North Central	652.9	0	3
West North Central	321.6	1	14
South Atlantic	158.9	-1	-6
South Central	55.3	9	4
West	177.8	-13	-8
Total	1544.7	-1	3
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)			

MOVEMENT OF EGGS INTO RETAIL CHANNELS

W/E 16-AUG-2008

Selected Consuming Centers	CW (Cases, in Thousands)	LW	% CHANGE	
			LW	LY
Atlanta	24.6	24.2	2	-6
Boston	2.9	2.9	0	-3
Chicago	70.0	70.5	-1	26
Detroit	8.3	8.6	-3	-31
Los Angeles	93.9	93.0	1	24
New Orleans	6.1	5.7	7	3
New York	27.9	29.1	-4	9
St. Louis	43.2	41.9	3	98
San Francisco	14.0	14.0	0	2
Total	290.9	289.9	0	27
4 Week Moving Avg.	297.8			

NEW ENGLAND WEEKLY SHELL EGG REPORT AUG 19, 2008

Prices paid per doz. Grade A Brown eggs in cartons dlvr'd store door.

	Ex Large	Large	Med	Small
MAINE	161	156	108	85
MOSTLY	-	-	-	-
NEW HAMPSHIRE	154-158	149-153	100-104	78-82
MOSTLY	156-157	151-152	102-103	80-81
RHODE ISLAND	160-164	155-159	107-111	84-88
MOSTLY	160	155	107	84
VERMONT	163	157-158	108-109	-
MOSTLY	-	-	-	-

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**California Department of Food and Agriculture
Egg Quality Control
Out of State Eggs - State Compilation**

Report Period: 8/10/2008 - 8/16/2008

Region	Cases Shipped to:			Total State
	Northern CA	Central CA	Southern CA	
Midwest:	13,408	6,889	67,844	88,141
South Central:	5,125	0	14,050	19,175
Southeast:	3,476	0	8,285	11,761
Northeast:	0	0	0	0
Western:	4,130	730	9,156	14,016
Grand Total:	26,139	7,619	99,335	133,093
Military:	0	0	0	0
Non-Military:	26,139	7,619	99,335	133,093
