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NATIONAL EGG MARKET AT-A-GLANCE

Regional prices were higher on mediums, lower on large and extra large sizes when compared to the previous week. New York prices were unchanged. Trade sentiment was mostly steady on lighter weights, barely steady to weak on larger sizes. Demand was very light to fairly good, generally fair. Supplies ranged about sufficient to ample, with larger sizes in the longest position. Breaking stock floor stocks were adequate for the light to fair demand. Light type fowl offerings were about sufficient to ample for the mixed processing schedules.

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

MIDWEST Midwest delivered prices were lower for the larger sizes and slightly higher for mediums. Other reported prices were unchanged. Trade sentiment was weak for the larger sizes and mostly steady for mediums and smalls. Cartoned egg sales were light to at times moderate. Loose egg movement was very light. Supplies were ample for the larger sizes and adequate for the lighter weight eggs. Central states breaking stock prices were unchanged. Demand was light for the quiet offerings. Floor stocks were adequate. Trade sentiment was steady.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	107-116	110-113
LARGE	106-115	108-111
MEDIUM	85-94	87-90

Prices to store door

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	114-122	115-117
LARGE	112-120	113-115
MEDIUM	91-99	92-94

IOWA-MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN EGGS

Prices paid to producers, Cents per dozen

	RANGE	MOSTLY
LARGE	88-98	92
MEDIUM	67-71	69
SMALL	52-58	

Midwest Area: IA, IL, IN, KY,MI, MN, MN, OH, NE, ND, SD, WI, WV, western NY & western PA

NORTHEAST Prices declined 3 cents on extra large and large, however mediums were 1 cent higher than prices last week. Trade sentiment was at least steady on mediums, barely steady to weak on heavier weights. Demand was light to moderate. Supplies were fully adequate to available on large sizes, about sufficient on lighter weights. Breaking stock floor stocks were about adequate to adequate for mostly normal to reduced processing schedules. Light type hen offerings were adequate to at least sufficient for the moderate demand.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	113-127	116-120
LARGE	110-124	115-119
MEDIUM	87-100	92-94

NORTHEAST AREA: CT, DC, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, Eastern NJ, Eastern NY, PA, RI, Northern VA, & VT

SOUTHEAST REGIONAL Prices were higher on mediums, however lower on larger sizes when compared to last week's prices. Trade sentiment was about steady on mediums, barely steady to at times weak on larger sizes. Demand was light to mostly moderate. Supplies were at least sufficient to instances ample for the immediate trade needs. Eastern region breaking stocks were adequate for the light to fair demand. Light type hen offerings were sufficient to at least sufficient for normal processing schedules.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	118-126	120-123
LARGE	117-124	118-121
MEDIUM	86.25-97	90-94

Southeast Area: AL, FL, GA, MS, NC, SC, eastern TN, & southern VA

SOUTH CENTRAL Prices were lower on large and extra large, slightly higher on medium. Trade sentiment was steady to barely steady, with mediums in the best position. Retail demand was moderate to instances fairly good. Food service movement was slow. Supplies were usually balanced to adequate. Central states breaking stock prices were unchanged. Offerings were light for the quiet demand. Floor stocks were adequate. Trade sentiment was steady.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	117.5-126	119-122
LARGE	116.5-125	118-121
MEDIUM	90.5-99	92-95

South Central Area: AR, AZ, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, & TX

NEW YORK Prices were unchanged on all sizes when compared to last Friday's prices. Trade sentiment ranged steady to barely steady. Demand was fair. Supplies were about sufficient on mediums, although fully adequate to available on larger sizes for present trading requirements.

Prices to retailers, sales to volume buyers, USDA grade A, and grade A white eggs in cartons, delivered store, cents per dozen

	RANGE
EXTRA LARGE	124-128
LARGE	122-126
MEDIUM	99-103

WESTERN Prices were unchanged for jumbo, 2 cents lower for extra large and large, and 1 cent higher for medium and small. Trade sentiment was weak for the larger sizes and steady to barely steady for mediums. The Pacific inventory increased 6% from last Monday, with California increasing 12% and OR-WA-UT down 2%. Offerings were adequate to mostly fully adequate with demand light to fairly good, mostly moderate. Floor stocks adequate.

CALIFORNIA Benchmark prices were unchanged for jumbo, 2 cents lower for extra large and large, and 1 cent higher for medium and small. Trade sentiment was weak for the larger sizes and steady to barely steady for medium. The Pacific inventory increased 6% from last Monday, with California up 12% and OR-WA-UT down 2%. Offerings were fully adequate with demand light to fairly good, mostly moderate. Floor stocks adequate to fully adequate. Small benchmark price $1.11.

	RANGE
JUMBO	159
EXTRA LARGE	157
LARGE	151
MEDIIUM	131

NATIONAL RETAIL EGG PURCHASES REPORT

Cooperators estimate orders for the week ending February 06, 2009 will decrease by 0 percent. Present week purchases for the week ending January 30, 2009 were 202,314 cases which was 1 percent below the prior week and 1 percent below estimates.

	CARTONED	LOOSE	TOTAL
Cases purchased present week.....	158,631	43,683	202,314
% change from the prior week.....	+4	-14	-1

Comparison figures are compiled on a matched plant basis. Purchases and estimates by 14 cooperators; 30 dozen cases or equivalent.

CENTRAL STATES BREAKING STOCK

Prices were unchanged. Demand was light with offerings quiet. Floor stocks adequate. Trade sentiment steady.

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

	RANGE	MOSTLY
BREAKING STOCK	52-54	54
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES	38-45	41-43

CENTRAL STATES AREA: AR, CO, IA, IL, IN, KS, LA, MI, MN, MO, NM, ND, NE, OH, OK, SD, TX, WI

LIVE HEAVY-TYPE HENS (7 POUNDS AND UP)*

FINAL PRICE,
GENERALLY FOR SLAUGHTER THE WEEK OF 02-FEB-2009

SOUTH CENTRAL

Trading was generally unchanged compared to the past week. Demand was moderate for at least adequate offerings from producers. Schedules were as desired. Finished sales were slowing. Trade sentiment was about steady.

	RANGE	MAJ	WTD AVG
AT FARM BUYER LOADING	7.5-14.75 CENTS/LB.		10.85

SOUTHEAST

Prices were generally unchanged when compared to the previous week. Demand was mostly moderate for the generally sufficient offerings of spent fowl. Processing schedules were noted as normal. Finished product supplies were adequate for current trade needs. The undertone was steady.

	RANGE	MAJ	WTD AVG
AT FARM BUYER LOADING	8.75-18.25 CENTS/LB.		11.47
AT FARM PRODUCER LOADING	TOO FEW TO REPORT		
FOB PLANT	TOO FEW TO REPORT		

*WEIGHTS UNDER 7 LBS. SUBJECT TO DISCOUNT.

WEEKLY SHELL EGG INVENTORY REPORT

STOCKS ON HAND AVAILABLE FOR MARKETING 1/
(30 DOZEN CASES-IN THOUSANDS)

FEBRUARY 02, 2009		Northeast	No Cent	So Cent	So Atl	Pacific	5-Area
Jumbo	Curr Wk	9.2	18.0	8.2	9.6	17.0	62.0
	Change	1.8	1.4	-0.7	1.6	1.1	9%
Ex Lge	Curr Wk	29.5	35.7	13.1	25.6	45.6	149.5
	Change	7.2	-2.2	1.5	2.2	6.6	11%
Large	Curr Wk	46.8	108.0	70.4	107.7	121.5	454.4
	Change	9.8	9.0	4.5	17.8	8.5	12%
Medium	Curr Wk	12.4	31.8	16.4	19.3	33.1	113.0
	Change	-3.6	2.9	1.4	4.0	-0.2	4%
Small	Curr Wk	3.6	3.2	1.5	3.0	5.4	16.7
	Change	-1.0	-0.4	-0.5	0.7	2.4	8%
Misc	Curr Wk	2.5	27.2	9.1	13.0	5.3	57.1
	Change	0.2	3.0	2.0	-1.2	-1.7	4%
Ungraded	Curr Wk	10.7	49.1	11.6	25.6	24.6	121.6
	Change	-6.1	9.4	0.0	1.4	-2.6	2%
Total	Curr Wk	114.7	273.0	130.3	203.8	252.5	974.3
Percent	Change	8%	9%	7%	15%	6%	9%

TOTAL	Number of Cases	Percent Change	Number of Cooperators
Shell Egg	974.3	9%	149
Shell Egg Breaking Stock	265.0	3%	31
Total Shell Egg	1239.3	8%	180

1/ Information supplied by a universe of 149 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

CANADIAN EGGS

QUEBEC/MONTREAL: WHOLESALE PRICES-GRADED IN CARTONS (CANADIAN DOLLARS) AS REPORTED BY AGRICULTURE AND AGRI-FOOD CANADA, AISD, AID, POULTRY SECTION FOR THE WEEK OF *JANUARY 12 & 19, 2009*

GRADE A	XLARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
	2.19	2.17	1.97	1.33

MINIMUM PRICES FOR PRODUCERS FOB FARM FOR WEEK OF *JANUARY 12 & 19, 2009* AS SET BY ONTARIO EGG PRODUCERS

GRADE A	XLARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
	1.58	1.58	1.42	.94

TRAILER LOAD EGG SALES - DAILY WTD AVG PRICES (CENTS/DOZ) NATIONAL TRADING FOR JAN 30, 2009

CURRENT LOADS 16.50 **FUTURE LOADS 14.50** **TOTAL LOADS 31.00**

	SE		NE		MW		
CLASS	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**LOADS**
GNR W 1	88.50	--	88.50	90.50	--	--	5.00
GL W J	--	--	--	--	95.00	97.00	1.50
GL W XL	--	--	101.00	96.50	75.00	81.63	12.25
GL W LG	--	--	92.50	94.00	--	--	2.00
GL W MD	--	--	--	--	70.00	--	1.50
GL W SM	--	61.00	56.00	61.00	--	--	2.00

	SC		NW		SW		
CLASS	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**LOADS**
GNR W 1	--	--	--	--	--	--	3.00
GL W XL	--	85.50	--	--	--	87.25	3.00
GL W LG	--	--	--	--	--	--	4.00
GL W MD	--	--	--	--	--	81.00	3.75
GL W SM	53.00	--	--	--	--	--	1.00

TRAILER LOAD EGG SALES WEEKLY WTD AVG PRICES (CENTS/DOZ) NATIONAL TRADING FOR JAN 26, 2009-JAN 30, 2009

CURRENT LOADS 72.25 **FUTURE LOADS 70.50** **TOTAL LOADS 142.75**

	SE		NE		MW		
CLASS	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**LOADS**
GNR W XL	--	95.00	--	--	--	--	3.00
GNR W 1	91.00	94.78	90.75	92.50	102.20	--	41.00
GNR W 2	--	--	--	--	--	--	3.00
GNR W 3	--	70.50	--	--	--	--	2.00
GL W J	--	--	109.00	110.00	99.42	100.83	7.50
GL W XL	--	111.91	101.86	101.77	78.38	84.75	40.75
GL W LG	--	105.31	98.75	92.22	72.70	105.00	49.00
GL W MD	86.00	78.33	74.50	81.00	77.26	77.25	19.50
GL W SM	--	61.00	57.50	61.25	--	--	5.00
GL BR J	--	--	--	--	100.75	--	.25
GL BR XL	--	--	--	--	--	--	.50
GL BR LG	--	--	--	97.00	--	--	2.75
NRBS - 48	--	--	--	54.00	--	53.57	31.00

	SC		NW		SW		
CLASS	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**LOADS**
GNR W 1	--	94.54	--	--	--	--	25.00
GNR W 2	--	92.33	--	--	--	--	3.00
GL W J	99.71	--	--	--	--	111.47	3.75
GL W XL	85.50	98.18	--	--	--	93.00	15.25
GL W LG	78.50	103.88	--	--	--	91.14	30.50
GL W MD	79.00	80.44	87.00	--	--	85.93	20.00
GL W SM	53.00	--	--	--	--	--	1.00
GL BR J	--	--	--	--	--	115.00	.25
GL BR LG	--	92.00	--	--	--	--	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.

COLD STORAGE MOVEMENT – FROZEN EGGS

(In Thousands)

ON HAND	**01/26/09**	**01/20/09**	**01/28/08**
PACIFIC COAST	0	19	4
LOS ANGELES	0	0	0

CERTIFIED ORGANIC EGGS IN CARTONS FEB 02, 2009

(price per carton delivered to first receivers)

Brown Eggs	**CENTS/CARTON**	**MOSTLY**
Extra Large doz.	255 – 316	275 - 310
1/2 doz.	173 – 198	173 - 188
Large doz.	245 – 310	265 - 300
1/2 doz.	160 – 189	160 - 178

NORTH CAROLINA EGGS FEBRUARY 02, 2009

The market is steady on small, higher on medium, lower on the balance. Supplies are available. Retail demand is slowing.

PRICES WEIGHTED AVERAGE, IN SMALL LOTS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, NEARBY RETAIL OUTLET, CENTS PER DOZEN.

	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	136.91
LARGE	136.02
MEDIUM	107.86
SMALL	91.00

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