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NATIONAL EGG MARKET AT-A-GLANCE

Southeast area prices were higher on larger sizes, however irregular on mediums. In other regions prices were higher on heavier weights, but unchanged on mediums when compared to the previous week's prices. New York prices were unchanged when compared to Friday. Trade sentiment was mostly steady. Retail and distributive demand ranged light to good, usually light to moderate. Supplies were adequate to short, generally adequate for immediate trade needs. Breaking stock floor stocks were sufficient for normal processing schedules. Spent hen offerings were adequate to ample for the light to moderate demand.

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 higher for the larger sizes. All other reported prices were unchanged. Trade sentiment was steady. Cartoned egg demand was light to moderate. Loose egg movement was light. Supplies were adequate. Central states breaking stock prices were unchanged. Offerings were light for the light to moderate demand. Floor stocks adequate. Schedules were full-time. Trade sentiment steady.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	82-91	85-88
LARGE	81-90	83-86
MEDIUM	50-59	52-55

Prices to store door

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	89-97	90-92
LARGE	87-95	88-90
MEDIUM	56-64	57-59

IOWA-MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN EGGS

Prices paid to producers, Cents per dozen

	RANGE	MOSTLY
LARGE	63-73	67
MEDIUM	32-36	34
SMALL	23-29	

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

NORTHEAST Prices increased 9 cents on extra large and large when compared to prices last week. Medium eggs remained unchanged. Trade sentiment was mostly steady entering the week. Demand was light to moderate. Supplies were about adequate for trading needs. Breaking stock floor stocks in the Eastern regions were usually sufficient for regular processing schedules. Light type hens were at least adequate for the fair demand.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	87-101	90-94
LARGE	84-98	89-93
MEDIUM	53-66	58-60

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

SOUTHEAST Prices were higher on large and extra large sizes, irregular on mediums when compared to the previous week's prices. Trade sentiment was steady. Retail and distributive demand was fair to mostly moderate. Supplies were sufficient for current trade needs. Eastern region breaking stock floor stocks were adequate for mostly normal processing schedules. Light type hen offerings were at least sufficient for the usually fair demand.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	84.25-97	91-94
LARGE	81.5-95	89-92
MEDIUM	55.5-63	56-60

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

SOUTH CENTRAL Prices were sharply higher on extra large and large, unchanged on medium. The trade sentiment was mostly steady. Retail demand was moderate to good, best where feature activity continued to provide increased movement. Food service movement was slow to moderate. Supplies were balanced to short. Central states breaking stock prices were unchanged. Demand was mostly slow to moderate with offerings light. Schedules were full-time. Trade sentiment was steady.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	91.5-100	93-96
LARGE	90.5-99	92-95
MEDIUM	57.5-66	59-62

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

NEW YORK Prices remained the same on lighter and heavier weight eggs as prices reported last Friday. Trade sentiment was steady. Demand into all channels was light to moderate. Supplies were generally adequate for immediate buyer and seller 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	98-102
LARGE	96-100
MEDIUM	65-69

WESTERN Prices were 8 cents higher for jumbo, extra large, and large, with medium and small unchanged. Trade sentiment was mostly steady to instances cautiously steady. The Pacific inventory declined 2% from last week, with California down 9% and OR-WA-UT increasing 11%. Demand was mostly moderate with offerings adequate. Floor stocks balanced to adequate.

CALIFORNIA Benchmark prices were 8 cents higher for jumbo, extra large, and large, and unchanged on medium and small. Trade sentiment was steady to instances cautiously steady. The Pacific inventory decreased 2% from last week, with California down 9% and OR-WA-UT up 11%. Offerings were balanced to mostly adequate with demand usually moderate. Small benchmark price 73 cents.

Shell egg marketer's 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.

	RANGE
JUMBO	133
EXTRA LARGE	130
LARGE	124
MEDIIUM	93

NATIONAL RETAIL EGG PURCHASES REPORT

Cooperators estimate orders for the week ending June 05, 2009 will decrease by 0 percent. Present week purchases for the week ending May 29, 2009 were 180,797 cases which was 6 percent below the prior week and 5 percent below estimates.

	CARTONED	LOOSE	TOTAL
Cases purchased present week.....	134,511	46,286	180,797
% change from the prior week.....	-10	+6	-6

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. Offerings were light while demand was mostly light to moderate. Floor stocks adequate. Schedules full-time. 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	36-40	38-40
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES	20-26	24-26

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 01-JUN-2009

SOUTH CENTRAL

The volume of spent fowl was of insufficient volume to report prices. Demand was moderate for at least adequate offerings to processing outlets. Schedules were reduced. Finished sales were slowing. Trade sentiment was about steady.

	RANGE	MAJ	WTD AVG
AT FARM BUYER LOADING	TOO FEW TO REPORT		

SOUTHEAST

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

	RANGE	MAJ	WTD AVG
AT FARM BUYER LOADING	8-17 CENTS/LB.		11.33
AT FARM PRODUCER LOADING	TOO FEW TO REPORT		
FOB PLANT	TOO FEW TO REPORT		

*WEIGHTS UNDER 7 LBS. SUBJECT TO DISCOUNT.

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 MAY 18, 2009

GRADE A	XLARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
	2.09	2.07	1.87	1.28

MINIMUM PRICES FOR PRODUCERS FOB FARM FOR WEEK OF MAY 18, 2009 AS SET BY ONTARIO EGG PRODUCERS

GRADE A	XLARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
	1.58	1.58	1.42	0.94

WEEKLY SHELL EGG INVENTORY REPORT

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

JUNE 01, 2008		Northeast	No Cent	So Cent	So Atl	Pacific	5-Area
Jumbo	Curr Wk	9.3	14.8	5.6	8.1	15.5	53.3
	Change	-0.2	1.1	-0.1	0.2	-0.1	2%
Ex Lge	Curr Wk	21.4	34.2	10.6	23.0	48.2	137.4
	Change	0.9	6.9	0.8	0.9	-1.0	7%
Large	Curr Wk	46.6	104.4	56.5	97.6	138.7	443.8
	Change	2.4	-1.8	6.6	3.8	-12.4	0%
Medium	Curr Wk	13.5	52.2	22.5	26.0	54.4	168.6
	Change	2.7	-1.2	-0.6	-1.2	4.7	3%
Small	Curr Wk	2.1	5.7	0.8	2.6	7.7	18.9
	Change	-0.3	-0.9	-0.3	-0.8	0.8	-7%
Misc	Curr Wk	2.6	24.2	9.6	10.9	10.0	57.3
	Change	0.3	0.9	-1.0	0.7	1.7	5%
Ungraded	Curr Wk	5.4	43.9	12.6	28.3	23.4	113.6
	Change	-3.6	-2.6	-2.5	3.6	-0.6	-5%
Total	Curr Wk	100.9	279.4	118.2	196.5	297.9	992.9
Percent	Change	2%	1%	3%	4%	-2%	1%

TOTAL	Number of Cases	Percent Change	Number of Cooperators
Shell Egg	992.9	1%	155
Shell Egg Breaking Stock	242.5	-2%	31
Total Shell Egg	1235.4	0%	186

1/ Information supplied by a universe of 155 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.

2/ Due to changes in the cooperator universe, the relevant totals for the previous week were ADJUSTED. This adjustment is necessary to facilitate valid comparisons. The revised figures are:

NORTHEAST	NO CENT	SO CENT	SO ATL	PACIFIC	5-AREA SUMMARY
98.7	277.0	115.3	189.3	304.8	985.1

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

TRAILER LOAD EGG SALES Daily WTD AVG Prices (CENTS/DOZ) NATIONAL TRADING FOR MAY 29, 2009

CURRENT LOADS 20.50 FUTURE LOADS 25.50 TOTAL LOADS 46.00

	SE		NE		MW				SC		NW		SW		
CLASS	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**LDS**	**CLASS**	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**LDS**
GNR W 1	61.50	--	61.50	64.00	--	--	15.00	GNR W 1	--	--	--	--	--	--	8.00
GNR W 4	--	--	--	--	--	--	1.00	GL W J	--	--	--	--	--	86.50	1.00
GL W J	--	--	--	--	76.00	--	1.00	GL W XL	--	75.75	--	--	--	79.00	5.00
GL W XL	--	76.25	75.50	78.00	67.15	--	12.00	GL W LG	--	--	--	82.00	--	69.00	3.50
GL W LG	--	--	--	74.00	67.07	--	11.50	GL W MD	--	--	--	--	45.00	46.00	1.50
GL W MD	--	--	--	42.00	35.00	39.00	3.00								
NRBS - 45	--	--	--	--	--	35.00	1.00								

TRAILER LOAD EGG SALES Weekly 5-Day WTD AVG Prices (CENTS/DOZ) NATIONAL TRADING FOR MAY 22, 2009-MAY 29, 2009

CURRENT LOADS 114.75 FUTURE LOADS 113.25 TOTAL LOADS 228.00

	SE		NE		MW				SC		NW		SW		
CLASS	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**LDS**	**CLASS**	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**LDS**
GNR W XL	--	72.33	--	--	--	--	4.00	GNR W 1	--	75.93	--	--	--	--	70.50
GNR W 1	60.50	68.06	58.25	63.80	--	66.83	115.50	GNR W 2	--	--	--	--	--	--	2.00
GNR W 2	--	--	--	--	--	--	3.00	GL W J	77.75	--	--	--	--	81.25	4.50
GNR W 3	--	--	--	35.00	32.00	37.25	2.00	GL W XL	70.50	81.10	--	--	--	78.71	14.00
GNR W 4	--	--	--	--	--	--	1.00	GL W LG	--	79.42	--	82.00	--	76.30	50.25
GL W J	--	--	79.50	81.00	74.25	88.00	6.50	GL W MD	37.75	66.92	--	--	45.00	44.80	8.00
GL W XL	--	79.60	73.58	75.78	70.30	73.00	41.25	GL W SM	39.00	--	--	45.25	--	--	1.00
GL W LG	--	78.06	77.00	71.17	66.43	70.21	88.50	GL BR XL	--	--	--	--	--	72.00	.50
GL W MD	53.00	--	40.83	41.59	35.37	39.40	16.25	GL BR LG	64.00	--	--	--	--	69.75	2.00
GL W SM	--	37.00	34.00	38.50	31.00	--	2.00								
GL BR XL	60.00	63.00	--	--	61.00	--	1.50								
GL BR LG	58.00	62.00	--	--	60.00	--	1.75								
NRBS - 48	--	--	33.00	35.00	35.00	39.54	13.75								
NRBS - 45	--	--	--	--	--	35.00	1.00								
NRBS - 42	--	--	--	--	35.00	37.25	2.00								
NRBS - 39	--	--	--	36.00	27.80	--	5.00								

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	**05/25/09**	**05/18/09**	**05/26/08**
PACICIFIC COAST	0	20	4
LOS ANGELES	0	0	0

NORTH CAROLINA EGGS

The market is steady on small and medium, higher on the balance. Supplies are well balanced. Retail demand is mixed.

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	105.32
LARGE	104.54
MEDIUM	73.86
SMALL	62.00

CERTIFIED ORGANIC EGGS IN CARTONS

(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

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