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NATIONAL EGG MARKET AT-A-GLANCE

Prices in the Southeast increased on heavier weights and were higher to unchanged on mediums. All other regional prices were unchanged from the previous week. The market tone was steady. Demand into all channels was light to good, mostly light to moderate. Supplies were sufficient to instances fully sufficient for buyer and seller needs. Breaking stock offerings were about sufficient to tight for the moderate to good demand. Light type hen offerings were adequate to balanced; processing schedules were reduced due to the holiday.

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

MIDWEST Prices were unchanged. The trade sentiment was steady. Cartoned and loose shell egg demand were both light to moderate. Supplies were adequate to at times fully adequate. Central states breaking stock prices were unchanged. Demand was moderate to good for the tight offerings. Schedules were mixed. The trade sentiment was steady.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	114-123	117-120
LARGE	113-122	115-118
MEDIUM	91-100	93-96

Prices to store door

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	121-129	122-124
LARGE	119-127	120-122
MEDIUM	97-105	98-100

IOWA-MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN EGGS

Prices paid to producers, Cents per dozen

	RANGE	MOSTLY
LARGE	95-105	99
MEDIUM	73-77	75
SMALL	49-55	

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

NORTHEAST Prices were unchanged when compared to the previous week. Trade sentiment was steady. Retail and distributive demand was light to moderate. Supplies were about adequate to adequate for current trading purposes. Eastern region breaking stock floor stocks were usually sufficient for regular processing schedules. Light type hen offerings were mostly balanced for the moderate to fairly good demand.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	116-130	119-123
LARGE	113-127	118-122
MEDIUM	89-102	94-96

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

SOUTHEAST Prices increased on heavier weight eggs and were higher to unchanged on mediums. The market tone was steady. Retail and distributive demand was moderate to fairly good. Supplies were sufficient to instances fully sufficient for present trade needs. Eastern region breaking stock offerings were about adequate; processing schedules were reduced. Light type fowl offerings were usually balanced for the moderate to fairly good demand.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	121-129	123-126
LARGE	120-127	121-124
MEDIUM	93.5-101	94-98

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

SOUTH CENTRAL Prices were unchanged. The trade sentiment was steady to instances fully steady. Cartoned shell egg demand continued fairly good to good. Loose shell egg demand was light to moderate. Supplies ranged tightly balanced to adequate. Central states breaking stock prices were unchanged. Offerings were tight to short for the moderate to at times good demand. The trade sentiment was mostly steady.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	124.5-133	126-129
LARGE	124.5-133	126-129
MEDIUM	98.5-107	100-103

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

NEW YORK Prices were unchanged on medium and larger sizes when compared to last Friday's prices. Trade sentiment was steady. Demand into all channels was light to moderate. Supplies were adequate for trade requirements.

	RANGE
EXTRA LARGE	127-131
LARGE	125-129
MEDIUM	101-105

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

WESTERN Prices were unchanged. Trade sentiment was steady. The Pacific inventory was unchanged from last Monday, with California down 8% and OR-WA-UT up 12%. Demand was good to instances very good while offerings were adequate. Floor stocks balanced to adequate.

CALIFORNIA Benchmark prices were unchanged. Trade sentiment was steady. The Pacific inventory was unchanged from last Monday, with California down 8% and OR-WA-UT up 12%. Demand was reported as brisk and rated good to instances very good. Offerings were adequate. Floor stocks balanced to adequate. Small benchmark price $1.07.

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	158
EXTRA LARGE	163
LARGE	161
MEDIUM	127

NATIONAL RETAIL EGG PURCHASES REPORT

Cooperators estimate orders for the week ending December 04, 2009 will decrease by 0 percent. Present week purchases for the week ending November 27, 2009 were 206,202 cases which was 3 percent below the prior week and 1 percent below estimates.

	CARTONED	LOOSE	TOTAL
Cases purchased present week.....	170,515	35,687	206,202
% change from the prior week.....	-0	-13	-3

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 unchanged. Demand was moderate to instances good with offerings tight to short of full-time off-line needs. Schedules mixed. Trade sentiment mostly steady.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
BREAKING STOCK	60-72	60-63
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES	40-45	43-45

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

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

FINAL PRICE,
GENERALLY FOR SLAUGHTER THE WEEK OF 30-NOV-2009

SOUTH CENTRAL

Trading levels were TFEWR. Spent hen offerings were sufficient for the moderate demand. Schedules were normal. Finished sales were seasonally moderate. Trade sentiment was about steady.

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

SOUTHEAST

Prices were generally unchanged when compare to the previous week. Demand was seasonally moderate to fairly good for the about adequate to adequate offerings of heavy fowl. Processing schedules were mostly normal. Finished product supplies were sufficient for current trade needs. The undertone was at least steady to fully steady.

	RANGE	MAJ	WTD AVG
AT FARM BUYER LOADING	7.75-17.5 CENTS/LB.		11.96
AT FARM PRODUCER LOADING	TOO FEW TO REPORT		
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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)

NOVEMBER 30, 2009		Northeast	No Cent	So Cent	So Atl	Pacific	5-Area
Jumbo	Curr Wk	8.8	19.4	10.2	12.6	17.3	68.3
	Change	0.5	0.8	0.9	1.9	-0.5	6%
Ex Lge	Curr Wk	26.6	36.3	13.0	28.5	36.1	140.5
	Change	0.1	-1.6	-2.5	0.2	-1.7	-4%
Large	Curr Wk	70.3	109.2	73.3	116.8	120.9	490.5
	Change	10.7	22.7	16.1	16.3	-7.3	14%
Medium	Curr Wk	13.2	47.2	23.0	25.0	34.4	142.8
	Change	1.3	3.5	2.6	-1.1	1.5	6%
Small	Curr Wk	1.2	3.8	0.1	2.3	4.7	12.1
	Change	-1.6	-2.0	0.0	-2.5	-1.5	-39%
Misc	Curr Wk	2.1	23.8	5.8	11.6	9.4	52.7
	Change	0.2	-0.2	-2.5	1.1	4.4	6%
Ungraded	Curr Wk	11.1	66.9	11.4	8.6	29.4	127.4
	Change	3.7	16.4	2.6	1.7	3.9	29%
Total	Curr Wk	133.3	306.6	136.8	205.4	252.2	1034.3
Percent	Change	13%	15%	14%	9%	0%	9%

TOTAL	Number of Cases	Percent Change	Number of Cooperators
Shell Egg	1034.3	9%	156
Shell Egg Breaking Stock	214.9	25%	30
Total Shell Egg	1249.2	12%	186

1/ Information supplied by a universe of 156 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 NOV 16, 2009

GRADE A	XLARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
	2.13	2.11	1.89	1.28

MINIMUM PRICES FOR PRODUCERS FOB FARM FOR WEEK OF NOV 16, 2009 AS SET BY ONTARIO EGG PRODUCERS

GRADE A	XLARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
	1.58	1.58	1.42	0.94

TRAILER LOAD EGG SALES - DAILY WTD AVG PRICES (CENTS/DOZ) NATIONAL TRADING FOR NOV 27, 2009

CURRENT LOADS 18.75 FUTURE LOADS 27.00 TOTAL LOADS 45.75

	SE		NE		MW		
CLASS	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	LOADS
GNR W 1	91.50	--	90.50	93.00	--	--	24.00
GNR BR 1	--	--	--	--	--	--	1.00
GL W J	--	--	--	--	85.00	87.00	1.75
GL W XL	--	--	103.50	106.00	95.00	--	3.25
GL W LG	--	--	103.00	--	85.00	--	7.00
GL W MD	--	--	--	77.00	71.80	--	1.25
GL BR J	--	--	--	--	85.00	87.00	.25
NRBS - 48	--	--	69.00	--	--	72.00	5.00

	SC		NW		SW		
CLASS	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	LOADS
GNR W 1	--	--	--	--	--	--	1.00
GL W XL	--	--	--	--	--	106.67	2.25
GL W LG	--	113.00	--	--	--	96.00	7.00
GL W MD	--	--	74.60	--	--	80.67	1.50
GL BR XL	--	--	--	--	119.00	123.25	.25
GL BR LG	--	--	--	--	119.00	123.25	.75

TRAILER LOAD EGG SALES WEEKLY WTD AVG PRICES (CENTS/DOZ) NATIONAL TRADING FOR NOV 23, 2009 - NOV 27, 2009

CURRENT LOADS 65.75 FUTURE LOADS 99.00 TOTAL LOADS 164.75

	SE		NE		MW		
CLASS	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	LOADS
GNR W 1	91.25	99.00	91.38	94.11	--	101.06	99.00
GNR BR 1	--	105.00	--	--	--	104.00	4.00
GL W J	80.00	--	--	--	92.07	97.80	5.50
GL W XL	--	--	103.63	105.75	95.22	107.57	11.75
GL W LG	--	115.26	101.83	107.11	98.95	106.33	65.75
GL W MD	91.00	81.00	78.75	78.25	71.24	--	10.50
GL W SM	--	--	--	--	--	--	2.00
GL BR J	--	--	--	--	85.00	87.00	.25
GL BR XL	--	--	--	111.50	--	--	1.00
GL BR LG	--	--	--	110.63	--	--	3.00
GL BR SM	--	--	66.00	68.00	--	--	.25
NRBS - 48	66.00	--	66.14	61.00	68.83	71.30	12.00

	SC		NW		SW		
CLASS	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	LOADS
GNR W 1	--	107.25	--	--	--	--	28.00
GL W J	90.00	--	--	--	89.31	93.88	6.25
GL W XL	--	102.67	--	--	--	106.65	5.50
GL W LG	--	113.67	--	--	--	103.75	46.75
GL W MD	72.75	90.00	74.60	--	--	81.25	7.00
GL W SM	--	--	--	--	57.00	--	2.00
GL BR J	--	--	--	--	132.00	134.00	.25
GL BR XL	--	--	--	--	119.00	123.25	.25
GL BR LG	122.00	110.00	--	131.00	119.00	123.25	2.25

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	11/23/09	11/16/09	11/24/08
PACIFIC COAST	14	39	0
LOS ANGELES	0	0	0

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.	225 – 310	265 - 300
1/2 doz.	160 – 189	160 - 178

NORTH CAROLINA EGGS The market is unavailable. Supplies are moderate. Retail demand is good.

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	138.34
LARGE	138.34
MEDIUM	111.86
SMALL	89.00

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