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NATIONAL EGG MARKET AT-A-GLANCE

New York prices were up 2 cents on larger sizes and Mediums when compared to the previous day. Regional prices were unchanged. Trade sentiment was fully steady to firm. Demand into all channels was moderate to instances very good. Supplies were adequate to very tight for buyer and seller needs. Breaking stock offerings were sufficient to short; processing schedules were usually full-time. Light type hen offerings ranged tight to fully adequate for the moderate to good demand.

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

MIDWEST REGIONAL Producer prices were 5 cents higher for large, up 7 cents for medium and unchanged for small. Midwest delivered prices were unchanged with asking prices for next week up 7 cents for extra large and large and 9 cents higher for medium. The trade sentiment was fully steady to firm. Cartoned shell egg demand was very good. Loose shell egg demand was moderate. Supplies were very tight for all sizes. Central states breaking stock prices were higher. Demand was moderate to good for the tight offerings. Floor stocks were closely balanced to barely adequate. Processing schedules were full-time. The trade sentiment was fully steady to firm.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	101-110	104-107
LARGE	100-109	102-105
MEDIUM	65-74	67-70

IA-MN-WI Prices paid to producers.	Range	Mostly
LARGE	89-99	93
MEDIUM	56-60	58
SMALL	50-56	

MIDWEST AREA: IA,IL,IN,KY,MI,MN,OH,NE,ND,SD,WI,WV, Western NY, and Western PA

NORTHEAST REGIONAL Prices were unchanged. Asking prices for next week's deliveries were trending higher. Trade sentiment was fully steady to firm. Demand ranged fair to good. Supplies were adequate to barely adequate for current trading purposes. Breaking stock offerings in the Eastern region were sufficient to short for the moderate to fairly good demand. Eastern region light type hen offerings were adequate for regular processing schedules.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	108-122	111-115
LARGE	104-118	109-113
MEDIUM	73-88	80-82

N0RTHEAST AREA: CT, DC, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, Eastern NJ, Eastern NY, PA, RI, Northern VA, and VT

SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL Prices were unchanged. Next week's asking prices were trending 7 cents higher for extra large and large, 5 cents higher for medium. The trade sentiment was fully steady to firm. Retail demand was fairly good to very good. Loose shell egg demand was light to at times moderate. Supplies remained tightly balanced to adequate. Central states breaking stock prices, along with checks and undergrades, were higher. Demand was moderate to good with offerings tight to short. The trade sentiment was fully steady to firm.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	112.5-121	114-117
LARGE	108.5-117	110-113
MEDIUM	77.5-86	79-82

SOUTH CENTRAL AREA: AR, AZ, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, and TX

SOUTHEAST REGIONAL Prices were unchanged. Asking prices for next week's deliveries were trending higher on all sizes. Trade sentiment was fully steady to mostly firm. Retail demand was good to at times very good. Distributive demand was moderate. Supplies were at best adequate to tight for current trade needs. Eastern region breaking stock offerings were sufficient to tight for the fairly good demand. Light type fowl offerings were usually adequate; processing schedules were normal.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	108.5-116	110-113
LARGE	107-114	108-111
MEDIUM	75.5-83	76-80

SOUTHEST AREA: AL, FL, GA, MS, NC, SC, Eastern TN, and Southern VA

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

NEW YORK EGGS Prices were 2 cents higher on Medium and larger sizes when compared to yesterday's prices. Trade sentiment remained fully steady to firm. Demand was fairly good to good. Supplies were at best sufficient for current needs.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	127-131	-
LARGE	125-129	-
MEDIUM	94-98	-

MIDWEST REGIONAL	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	108-116	109-111
LARGE	106-114	107-109
MEDIUM	71-79	72-74

WESTERN REGIONAL Prices were unchanged. Asking prices for next week were 7 cents higher for jumbo, extra large, and large and 9 cents higher for medium and small. Trade sentiment was fully steady to mostly firm. Offerings were tight to barely adequate. Demand ranged moderate to good. Floor stocks adequate to tight.

CALIFORNIA Benchmark prices were unchanged. Asking prices for next week were 7 cents higher for jumbo, extra large, and large, and 9 cents higher for medium and small. Trade sentiment was fully steady to mostly firm. Demand was moderate to good with offerings tight to barely adequate and confidently held. Floor stocks tight to adequate. Small benchmark price 88 cents.

CALIFORNIA

Shell egg marketers 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	150
EXTRA LARGE	154
LARGE	147
MEDIUM	108

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE AA AND GRADE AA, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN.

	RANGE
JUMBO	142-146
EXTRA LARGE	143-149
LARGE	141-144
MEDIUM	99-102

BREAKING STOCK

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

CENTRAL REGION

All prices continued higher. Offerings were tight to instances short of next week's production needs. Demand remained moderate to good, mostly fairly good. Floor stocks closely balanced to barely adequate. Schedules full-time. Trade sentiment fully steady to firm.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
BREAKING STOCK	50-80	50-53
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES	33-38	35-38

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 on breaking stock and checks and undergrades when compared to early week prices. Trade sentiment was fully steady to at times firm. Offerings were sufficient to short for the fair to fairly good demand. Breaking schedules were mostly normal. Cases broken under federal inspection in the Eastern region for week ending 09-Jan-10 were 25 percent higher than last week and 28 percent more than the same week a year ago.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
BREAKING STOCK	49-75	49-56
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES	32-38	34-36

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 09-JAN-2010 (lbs. in thousands) (Excludes Ingredients)

Total Production	Cases Broken	Liquid Whole	Liquid Whites	Liquid Yolk	Dried	Ined
CW	1,306,527	31,462	13,025	6,454	3,401	4,335
PW	1,177,793	28,899	11,354	5,598	2,960	3,718
LY	1,270,891	31,537	11,999	5,895	3,207	4,444
% PW	11%	9%	15%	15%	15%	17%
% LY	3%	0%	9%	9%	6%	-2%
2010	1,306,527	31,462	13,025	6,454	3,401	4,335
2009	1,270,891	31,537	11,999	5,895	3,207	4,444
% YTD	3%	0%	9%	9%	6%	-2%

	CW	PW	LY
Average Yield Per Case - (Inedible Included)	42.31	42.09	42.39
Average Yield Per Case - (Inedible Excluded)	38.99	38.93	38.89

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	690,763	52.9%	17,768	56.5%
PREVIOUS WEEK	694,700	59.0%	18,225	63.1%
LAST YEAR	653,669	51.4%	18,332	58.1%

*Note: Year-to-date total reflects comparable time period.

NATIONAL LIQUID

Trade sentiment was firm for whole egg, steady to fully steady for whites, and steady for yolk. Offerings were adequate to tight for whole egg and whites and adequate for yolk. Demand was fairly good to good for whole egg, fair to fairly good for whites, and light to moderate for yolk. Continued fairly good to good demand for shell eggs has some breakers purchasing liquid to cover customer needs. Breaking stock prices were higher when compared to the past week's reported prices. Production schedules full-time.

Trade 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	24	39-52.5	43.44	8.44
WHITES	13	31-64	41.02	-.61
YOLKS	6	64-67.5	65.54	

NATIONAL DRIED

Majority prices were higher on whole and albumen, however unchanged on remaining dried products when compared to the previous week's prices. Trade sentiment was at least steady. Demand was irregular, but improved and was light to moderate as traders monitor further market developments. Supplies were sufficient to close balanced for needs. Dried eggs processed under federal inspection for the week ending 09-Jan-2010 were 15% higher than last week and 6% above the same week last year. The total year to date production of dried eggs produced was 6% less than a year earlier.

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

WHOLE	2.20-2.50	MOSTLY	2.30-2.40
YOLKS	1.45-1.65	MOSTLY	1.45-1.50
ALBUMEN, SPRAY, DRIED	3.28-3.85	MOSTLY	3.35-3.60
BLENDS (WHOLE PLUS SWEETENER)	1.95-2.05	MOSTLY	2.00-2.05

NATIONAL FROZEN

Trucklot prices on frozen whole egg ranged unchanged with whites 1 to 5 cents higher. Sugared yolk ranged unchanged to 1 cent higher with salted yolk unchanged to 1 cent lower. Trade sentiment was firm for whole egg and whites and about steady for frozen yolk products. Demand for all frozen products was light to moderate with the exception of frozen salt yolk which was reported as light. Offerings were tight to adequate for whole egg and whites and adequate on the balance.

Wholesale selling prices (cents per lb., in 30 lb. containers)
Sugared and salted yolks are minimum 43% solids.

	TRUCKLOTS		LTL (MIN. 25 CONT.)	
	RANGE	MOSTLY	RANGE	MOSTLY
WHOLE	58-64	58-60	64-68	64-66
WHITES	51-56	TFEWR	54-59	54-57
SUGARED YOLKS	79-86	80-85	84-89	84-86
SALTED YOLKS	74-79	TFEWR	78-85	80

TRAILER LOAD EGG SALES WEEKLY WTD AVG PRICES (CENTS/DOZ) NATIONAL TRADING FOR JAN 08, 2009 – JAN 14, 2009

CURRENT LOADS 95.75 **FUTURE LOADS 93.00** **TOTAL LOADS 188.75**

	SE		NE		MW		
CLASS	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**LOADS**
GNR W XL	--	--	83.50	85.00	--	--	1.00
GNR W 1	85.70	86.45	85.88	88.29	--	86.00	64.50
GNR W 3	--	60.00	56.00	--	--	--	1.00
GNR BR 1	--	--	--	101.00	--	98.00	7.50
GL W J	--	--	103.50	105.00	99.80	97.00	4.75
GL W XL	--	99.46	91.11	97.67	91.18	--	41.75
GL W LG	--	97.00	--	88.67	90.26	92.00	41.50
GL W MD	--	52.50	60.70	63.60	54.58	59.00	16.00
GL W SM	--	--	55.67	59.00	53.33	55.00	6.50
GL BR XL	--	--	--	--	105.00	107.00	.75
GL BR LG	--	--	--	--	105.00	107.00	5.00
GL BR MD	--	--	--	60.00	55.00	--	.75
NRBS - 48	75.00	--	75.75	--	41.00	60.07	14.00
NRBS - 42	--	--	--	--	50.00	--	5.00
NRBS - 39	--	--	--	--	--	--	3.00

	SC		NW		SW		
CLASS	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**LOADS**
GNR W 1	--	86.82	--	--	--	--	36.00
GNR BR 1	--	100.00	--	--	--	--	1.00
GL W J	--	--	--	--	106.40	113.00	4.25
GL W XL	--	107.14	--	--	--	99.71	9.50
GL W LG	77.00	111.53	--	--	--	95.03	36.00
GL W MD	--	63.00	73.00	--	--	72.33	6.00
GL W SM	57.00	--	--	--	--	63.00	1.50
GL BR XL	--	--	--	--	122.00	126.75	.75
GL BR LG	--	108.64	--	--	125.27	129.61	7.25
NRBS - 48	66.00	--	--	--	--	--	2.00
NRBS - 42	--	59.00	--	--	--	--	2.00
NRBS - 39	--	--	--	--	--	--	2.00

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 when compared to the previous week. Demand was at least moderate for the generally sufficient offerings of light type hens. Processing schedules were normal. Trade sentiment was steady.

	RANGE	MAJORITY
REMOVAL COST	2-11	3-7

SOUTH CENTRAL Trading levels were TFEWR. Demand was light to fair for fully sufficient offerings of light fowl. Schedules were reduced. Finished sales were slow. Trade sentiment was about steady.

	RANGE	MAJORITY
REMOVAL COST	TOO FEW TO REPORT	

NORTH CENTRAL Prices unchanged. Demand fairly good to good with offerings tight to adequate. 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	113.00	111.00	81.00
SOUTHEAST	111.50	109.50	78.00
MIDWEST	105.50	103.50	68.50
SOUTH CENTRAL	115.50	111.50	80.50
COMBINED REGIONAL	111.56	108.97	77.12

Computed from simple weekly averages weighted by regional area populations.

NATIONAL CANNER FOWL MARKET Sales were too few to report. Offerings were at least sufficient for current trade needs. Demand was light to fair with limited trading due to the majority of 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 02-JAN-10

U.S. fowl slaughtered domestically

Thousands	Light Hens	Heavy Hens	Total Hens
Head	1,320	929	2,249
Last Week	974	873	1,847
Same week yr ago	984	1,054	2,038
To-date/2009*	65,461	76,490	141,951
To-date/2008*	70,083	83,162	153,245

U.S.fowl slaughtered in Canada

Thousands	Light Hens	Heavy Hens	Total Hens
Head	86	0	86
Last Week	273	0	273
Same week yr ago	77	0	77
To-date/2009*	16,289	43	16,332
To-date/2008*	15,920	68	15,988

Data Source: Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, AISD, AID,Poultry Section

Total U.S. fowlslaughtered in the U.S. and Canada

Thousands	Light Hens	Heavy Hens	Total Hens
Head	1,406	929	2,335
Last Week	1,247	873	2,120
Same week yr ago	1,061	1,054	2,115
To-date/2009*	81,750	76,533	158,283
To-date/2008*	86,003	83,230	169,233

Note: Year to-date totals reflect comparable time periods.

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

U.S. Exports to Canada, in Pounds (000) (Preliminary)

Week Ending January 02, 2010 Year-To-Date

Type	2009	2008 /1	2009 /2	2008
Liquid	447	0	13,099	1,877
Frozen	0	0	135	84
Dried	0	0	828	652
Total	447	0	14,062	2,613

U.S. Imports From Canada, in Pounds (000) (Preliminary)

Week Ending January 02, 2010 Year-To-Date

Type	2009	2008 /1	2009 /2	2008
Liquid	208	49	17,635	18,887
Frozen	4	0	292	567
Dried	0	0	50	791
Total	212	49	17,977	20,245

Inspected Shell Eggs

U.S Exports to Canada, In 30-Dozen Cases (Preliminary)

Week Ending January 02, 2010 Year-To-Date

	2009	2008 /1	2009 /2	2008
Jumbo	0	0	0	0
Extra Large	3,000	0	90,446	88,145
Large	9,310	0	252,414	130,874
Medium	754	0	50,454	50,515
Ungraded	1,068	0	425,905	453,564
Misc	0	0	11,491	10,760
Total	14,132	0	830,710	733,858

/1 Comparable Week, to-date figures may not total due to rounding.
/2 Includes revisions to previous week(s)
Note: Year to-date totals reflect comparable time periods.
Data Source: Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, AISD, AID, Poultry Section

MONTHLY INVENTORY U.S. DRIED EGGS DEC 31, 2009

Comparisons on the Basis of Matched Plants

CLASS	NUMBER OF POUNDS	% CHANGE LAST MONTH	% CHANGE LAST YEAR
WHOLE			
PLAIN	1,844,487	-14%	-39%
FREE FLOWING	1,964,168	7%	-63%
SUBTOTAL:	3,808,655	-4%	-54%
WHITE			
(ALBUMEN)	7,870,429	-8%	57%
SUBTOTAL:	7,870,429	-8%	57%
YOLK			
PLAIN	2,602,416	-16%	-21%
FREE FLOWING (W/SODIUM SILICO ALUMINATE)	3,019,264	-9%	-12%
SUBTOTAL:	5,621,680	-12%	-17%
BLENDS 1/			
WHOLE	1,464,972	4%	6%
WHITE	7,100	-3%	-32%
YOLK	145,431	-30%	-76%
SUBTOTAL:	1,617,503	-1%	-19%
TOTAL:	18,918,267	-8%	-14%

DRIED EGGS PROCESSED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION:
NOV 29, 2009 - JAN 02, 2010 TOTAL 12,223,000 POUNDS.

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Calculations were adjusted to represent matched plants from current month compared to previous month, and current month compared to previous year. Subsequently, the percent change calculations may be based on different cooperators if directly compared with data on previous reports.

1/: Blended with a percentage of additives including, but not limited to sugar, salt, soy, and corn syrup

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COMMERCIAL EGG MOVEMENT (Receipts from Producers)

W/E 09-JAN-2010

REGIONS	Cases (in thousands)	% Change From LW	% Change From LY
North Atlantic	186.1	-2	2
East North Central	643.0	1	1
West North Central	298.4	0	-4
South Atlantic	164.2	0	-11
South Central	59.3	16	12
West	154.3	-3	-4
Total	1505.3	0	-2
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 09-JAN-2010

Selected Consuming Centers	CW (Cases, in thousands)	LW (Cases, in thousands)	% CHANGE LW	% CHANGE LY
Atlanta	24.1	23.8	1	-11
Boston	3.0	3.0	0	15
Chicago	63.2	60.5	4	-23
Los Angeles	70.8	62.8	13	8
New Orleans	5.6	5.3	6	14
New York	32.3	32.5	-1	-6
St. Louis	82.9	75.3	10	16
San Francisco	20.1	24.8	-19	-3
Total	302.0	288.0	5	-2
4 Week Moving Avg.	291.1			

NEW ENGLAND WEEKLY SHELL EGG REPORT JAN 12, 2010

Prices paid per doz. Grade A Brown eggs in cartons dlvrd store door.

	Ex Large	Large	Med	Small
MAINE	157	156	108	89
MOSTLY	-	-	-	-
NEW HAMPSHIRE	151-155	150-154	101-105	82-86
MOSTLY	153-154	152-153	103-104	84-85
RHODE ISLAND	157-161	156-160	107-111	88-92
MOSTLY	157	156	107	88
VERMONT	157-159	156-157	105-108	-
MOSTLY	-	-	-	-

WEEKLY COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS – Selected Centers

(Inc. Gov't Stocks) (In Thousands)

	Frozen Eggs Lbs	Proc. Turkeys Lbs	Proc. other Poultry Lbs
AM 01/11/10	3,084	82,572	57,616
AM 01/01/10	2,936	73,050	56,224
CHG	148	9522	1392
PCT CHG	5%	13%	2%

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