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NATIONAL EGG MARKET AT-A-GLANCE

New York and regional prices are steady. Retail and food service demand ranges light to good, mostly light to moderate for week end. Supplies are usually moderate to heavy for current trade requirements. Market activity is at times slow to moderate. Breaking stock offerings are light; demand is slow to moderate. Light type fowl offerings are moderate to heavy for the moderate 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 Midwest delivered asking prices for next week are steady on extra large and large, and 3 cents higher on medium sized eggs. Producer prices are 3 cents higher on medium sizes and steady all other sizes. Improved retail demand for aggressive featuring for early October has balanced the market place and producers are starting to seek higher prices. Market activity is moderate. All breaking stock prices continue steady. Offerings are light to moderate on light to instances moderate demand. Supplies are moderate to heavy and beginning to come into better balance as breakers work over time schedules. Market activity is slow to moderate.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	53-62	56-59
LARGE	52-61	54-57
MEDIUM	38-47	40-43

IA-MN-WI Prices paid to producers.	Range	Mostly
LARGE	34-44	38
MEDIUM	23-27	25
SMALL	21-27	

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

NORTHEAST REGIONAL Prices are steady. Asking price for next week deliveries are trending higher on Medium, unchanged on larger sizes. Supplies are moderate. Retail demand is light, features are limited. Distributive demand is light to moderate. Market activity is moderate. Eastern region breaking offerings are moderate for the light demand. Spent hen offerings in the East are sufficient with prices holding steady.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	63-81	64-68
LARGE	57-71	62-66
MEDIUM	43-56	48-50

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

SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL Prices are steady. Next week's asking prices are trending 3 cents higher for mediums and unchanged for extra large and large. Retail and food service demand is moderate. Supplies are mostly moderate. Market activity is moderate. Central states breaking stock prices are steady. Demand is light to at times moderate. Offerings are light to moderate. Supplies are moderate to heavy but were improving. Market activity is slow to moderate.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	66.5-75	68-71
LARGE	56.5-65	58-61
MEDIUM	42.5-51	44-47

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

SOUTHEAST REGIONAL Prices are steady. Retail demand is moderate. Food service demand is light to moderate. Current supplies are heavy to moderate for trade requirements. Market activity is at times slow to moderate. Eastern region breaking stock offerings are moderate for light demand. Spent hen offerings are sufficient; processing schedules are normal.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	61.5-79.5	63-66
LARGE	60-75.5	61-64
MEDIUM	45.5-53	46-50

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 are holding steady on all sizes. Offerings are available. Retail and food service demand is light to instances moderate. Market activity is moderate.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	71-75	-
LARGE	69-73	-
MEDIUM	59-63	-

MIDWEST REGIONAL	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	60-68	61-63
LARGE	58-66	59-61
MEDIUM	44-52	45-47

WESTERN REGIONAL Prices are steady. Asking prices are 3 cents higher for medium and small and unchanged on the remainder of sizes. Demand is light to good, mostly light to moderate while offerings are light to moderate. Supplies are mostly moderate and in better balance. Market activity is slow to moderate.

CALIFORNIA Benchmark prices are steady. Asking prices for next week are 3 cents higher for medium and small with the balance of prices unchanged. Retail demand ranges light to good, mostly light to moderate and better into features. Offerings are light to moderate. Supplies are moderate and in better balance. Market activity is mostly moderate. Small benchmark price 59 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	115
EXTRA LARGE	105
LARGE	95
MEDIUM	79

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	97-107
EXTRA LARGE	87-95
LARGE	75-85
MEDIUM	59-69

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 continue steady. Offerings are light to moderate on light to instances moderate demand. Supplies are moderate to heavy and beginning to come into better balance as breakers work over-time schedules. Market activity is slow to moderate.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
BREAKING STOCK	30-33	
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES	14-21	14-18

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

EASTERN REGION

Prices are steady. Offerings are moderate. Demand is light. Market activity is slow to moderate. Cases broken under federal inspection in the Eastern region for week ending 18-Sep-2010 are 32 percent higher than the previous week and 29 percent more than the same week last year.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
BREAKING STOCK	29-34	30-32
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES	17-22	TFEWR

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 18-Sep-2010 (lbs. in thousands) (Excludes Ingredients)

Total Production	Cases Broken	Liquid Whole	Liquid Whites	Liquid Yolk	Dried	Ined
CW	1,555,800	37,218	15,424	7,635	3,483	4,818
PW	1,422,278	34,193	13,962	6,622	3,233	4,633
LY	1,310,045	32,300	12,792	6,113	2,561	4,111
% PW	9%	9%	10%	15%	8%	4%
% LY	19%	15%	21%	25%	36%	17%
2010	48,970,067	1,185,461	483,507	235,694	105,571	163,123
2009	47,725,354	1,161,292	462,663	233,292	105,702	160,065
% YTD	3%	2%	5%	1%	0%	2%

	CW	PW	LY
Average Yield Per Case - (Inedible Included)	41.84	41.77	42.22
Average Yield Per Case - (Inedible Excluded)	38.74	38.51	39.09

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	759,942	48.8%	19,344	52.0%
PREVIOUS WEEK	765,171	53.8%	19,576	57.3%
LAST YEAR	689,622	52.6%	18,621	57.7%

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

NATIONAL LIQUID

Whole egg prices are steady to lower with whites steady. Spot demand is light on all products while offerings are moderate for whole egg and whites and moderate to instances heavy on yolk. Contractual pull is holding liquid products in fairly good balance. Market activity is slow to moderate.

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	14	32-39	35.07	-.23
WHITES	10	35-50	39.50	-4.66
YOLKS	4	69-71	70.25	

NATIONAL DRIED

Prices are unchanged to lower whole, unchanged to higher on yolk, unchanged on albumen when compared to last week's prices. Demand is light. Supplies are fully adequate to adequate for needs. Market activity is slow to mostly moderate. Dried eggs processed under federal inspection for the week ending 18-Sep-2010 are 8% more than last week and 36% more than the same week last year. The total year to date production of dried eggs produced is about the same as a year ago.

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

WHOLE	2.27-2.50	MOSTLY	2.30-2.40
YOLKS	1.80-2.05	MOSTLY	1.80-1.90
ALBUMEN, SPRAY, DRIED	3.90-4.10	MOSTLY	3.90-3.95
BLENDS (WHOLE PLUS SWEETENER)	2.00-2.15	MOSTLY	2.05-2.10

NATIONAL FROZEN

Frozen whole egg and sugared yolk prices are unchanged to 1 cent lower with whites and salted yolk prices unchanged to 1 cent higher. Demand varies from light to good, mostly seasonally moderate with offerings moderate for all products. Supplies are moderate and building as raw costs are deemed to be close to a seasonal low. Market activity is light to moderate.

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	57-61	57-60	63-67	63
WHITES	55-60	56-58	61-66	61-64
SUGARED YOLKS	87-94	87-92	95-99	95-97
SALTED YOLKS	83-90	86-88	90-95	90-92

TRAILER LOAD EGG SALES WEEKLY WTD AVG PRICES (CENTS/DOZ) NATIONAL TRADING FOR SEPT 17, 2010 – SEPT 23, 2010

CURRENT LOADS 126.50 **FUTURE LOADS 49.50** **TOTAL LOADS 176.00**

	SE		NE		MW		
CLASS	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**LOADS**
GNR W 1	32.63	--	33.90	35.11	--	--	21.00
GNR BR 1	--	--	105.25	--	--	--	2.00
GL W J	--	--	--	--	71.75	--	4.50
GL W XL	49.50	47.50	52.40	52.50	47.82	--	39.00
GL W LG	44.25	--	47.57	41.00	43.43	--	30.00
GL W MD	31.00	--	36.63	38.25	31.20	34.00	12.50
GL W SM	38.00	--	--	--	--	--	3.00
GL BR XL	--	--	109.00	110.00	--	--	1.00
GL BR LG	--	103.33	87.00	106.00	94.00	--	8.00
GL BR MD	--	--	--	--	45.00	--	3.00
GL BR SM	--	--	38.00	40.00	--	--	.25
NRBS - 48	29.50	31.00	--	29.00	30.58	32.19	25.00
NRBS - 45	--	27.00	--	--	24.00	--	1.00

	SC		NW		SW		
CLASS	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**LOADS**
GNR W 1	--	--	--	--	--	--	12.00
GL W J	78.93	80.00	--	--	79.50	86.46	9.75
GL W XL	51.44	48.75	--	--	56.00	59.60	20.50
GL W LG	43.75	54.56	38.00	--	--	49.77	21.00
GL W MD	31.35	34.00	--	--	--	40.50	10.00
GL W SM	28.00	--	--	--	36.00	--	2.00
GL BR LG	--	101.00	--	108.00	--	84.00	4.00
NRBS - 48	30.00	--	--	--	--	--	26.00

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 are trending steady. Demand is mostly moderate for the generally sufficient offerings of light type hens. Processing schedules are normal. Trade activity is moderate.

	RANGE	**MAJORITY**
REMOVAL COST	2-11	3-7

SOUTH CENTRAL Negotiations were TFEWR. Demand was light for fully adequate offerings of spent light hens. Schedules were reduced. Finished sales were seasonally improved. Trade sentiment was about steady.

	RANGE	**MAJORITY**
REMOVAL COST	TOO FEW TO REPORT	

NORTH CENTRAL Prices unchanged. Demand is moderate, offerings light to heavy. Schedules are part time to full time. Market activity is moderate to good.

	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	66.00	64.00	49.00
SOUTHEAST	64.50	62.50	48.00
MIDWEST	57.50	55.50	41.50
SOUTH CENTRAL	69.50	59.50	45.50
COMBINED REGIONAL	64.60	60.26	45.91

Computed from simple weekly averages weighted by regional area populations.

NATIONAL CANNER FOWL MARKET Sales are too few to report. Offerings are at least sufficient for current trade needs. Demand is light to moderate with trading limited due to the majority of supplies being used internally. Processing schedules are normal. Trade activity is light to moderate.

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 18-SEP-10

****CORRECTION ON LAST WEEK FOWL IN CANADA****

U.S. fowl slaughtered domestically

Thousands	**Light Hens**	**Heavy Hens**	**Total Hens**
Last Week	964	1,301	2,265
Same week yr ago	1,203	1,608	2,811
To-date/2010*	51,961	52,107	104,068
To-date/2009*	47,693	55,635	103,328

U.S. fowl slaughtered in Canada

Thousands	**Light Hens**	**Heavy Hens**	**Total Hens**
Last Week	**270	**24	**294
Same week yr ago	401	0	401
To-date/2010*	12,606	391	12,997
To-date/2009*	11,725	19	11,744

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

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

Thousands	**Light Hens**	**Heavy Hens**	**Total Hens**
Last Week	1,234	1,325	2,559
Same week yr ago	1,604	1,608	3,212
To-date/2010*	64,567	52,498	117,065
To-date/2009*	59,418	55,654	115,072

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 Sep 11, 2010			Year-To-Date*	
Type	**2010**	**2009 /1**	**2010 /2**	**2009**
Liquid	247	159	2,911	7,818
Frozen	0	0	88	95
Dried	11	0	305	547
Total	258	159	3,304	8,460

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

Week Ending Sep 11, 2010			Year-To-Date*	
Type	**2010**	**2009 /1**	**2010 /2**	**2009**
Liquid	283	371	14,001	12,161
Frozen	4	0	358	230
Dried	0	0	151	0
Total	287	371	14,510	12,391

Inspected Shell Eggs

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

Week Ending Sep 11, 2010			Year-To-Date*	
	2010	**2009 /1**	**2010 /2**	**2009**
Jumbo	0	0	0	0
Extra Large	600	2,100	55,621	52,133
Large	1,670	3,210	95,455	111,051
Medium	1,290	840	31,202	38,077
Ungraded	14,286	12,450	156,916	250,039
Misc	0	0	900	6,218
Total	17,846	18,600	340,094	457,518

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

FROZEN EGGS:	**July 2009**	**July 2010**	**August 2009**	**August 2010**
Whites	3,158	3,398	2,910	3,147
Yolks	1,044	620	1,309	597
Whole & Mixed	8,987	6,755	9,570	7,257
Unclassified	9,389	13,911	8,769	13,690
Total Frozen Eggs	22,578	24,684	22,558	24,691

Source: USDA/NASS

CHICKENS AND EGGS

August Egg Production Up 2 Percent

United States egg production totaled 7.74 billion during August 2010, up 2 percent from last year. Production included 6.64 billion table eggs, and 1.10 billion hatching eggs, of which 1.02 billion were broiler-type and 73 million were egg-type. The total number of layers during August 2010 averaged 339 million, up 2 percent from last year. August egg production per 100 layers was 2,283 eggs, unchanged from August 2009.

All layers in the United States on September 1, 2010 totaled 340 million, up 2 percent from last year. The 340 million layers consisted of 283 million layers producing table or market type eggs, 53.6 million layers producing broiler-type hatching eggs, and 3.00 million layers producing egg-type hatching eggs. Rate of lay per day on September 1, 2010, averaged 74.1 eggs per 100 layers, up slightly from September 1, 2009.
Source: USDA/NASS

COMMERCIAL EGG MOVEMENT (Receipts from Producers)

W/E 18-Sep-2010	**Cases**	**% Change From**	
REGIONS	**(in thousands)**	**LW**	**LY**
North Atlantic	182.7	-6	7
East North Central	652.3	1	8
West North Central	213.1	3	-32
South Atlantic	132.1	-1	-24
South Central	58.8	12	16
West	108.2	2	3
Total	1347.2	1	-5
Matched plants reporting		76	76

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 18-Sep -2010

Selected Consuming	**CW**	**LW**	**% Change**	
Centers	**(Cases, in thousands)**		**LW**	**LY**
Atlanta	18.6	13.3	40	-20
Boston	2.8	3.3	-15	-3
Chicago	52.5	48.3	9	15
Los Angeles	66.1	52.9	25	15
New Orleans	5.3	5.2	2	15
New York	29.8	32.1	-7	-16
St. Louis	77.4	69.1	12	31
San Francisco	20.3	19.9	2	-14
Total	272.8	244.1	12	8
4 Week Moving Avg.	258.5			

NEW ENGLAND WEEKLY SHELL EGG REPORT Sep 21, 2010
Prices paid per doz. Grade A Brown eggs in cartons dlvrd store door.

	Ex Large	**Large**	**Med**	**Small**
MAINE	122	114	79	66
MOSTLY	-	-	-	-
NEW HAMPSHIRE	117-121	109-113	72-76	59-63
MOSTLY	119-120	111-112	74-75	61-62
RHODE ISLAND	121-125	113-117	78-82	65-69
MOSTLY	121	113	78	65
VERMONT	122-135	114-125	79-85	-
MOSTLY	-	-	-	-

WEEKLY COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS – Selected Centers
(Inc. Gov't Stocks) (In Thousands)

	Frozen Eggs lbs.	**Proc. Turkeys lbs.**	**Proc. other Poultry lbs.**
AM 09/20/10	3,041	164,212	59,527
AM 09/01/10	3,004	173,558	53,630
CHG	37	-9346	5897
PCT CHG	1%	-5%	11%