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NATIONAL EGG MARKET AT-A-GLANCE

New York prices are 3 cents higher on larger sizes, up 1 cent on Mediums. Regional prices are steady. Next week's delivery prices are trending sharply higher. Retail and food service demand is moderate to good. Current supplies are light to moderate for trade purposes. Market activity is active, with Western regions moderate to active. Breaking stock offerings are light; demand is moderate to mostly good. Spent fowl offerings are light to at least adequate for the mostly 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 16 cents higher on extra large and large, and 13 cents higher on medium. Daily producer prices are 5 cents higher on large, 4 cents higher on medium, and 3 cents higher on small sizes. Food service demand is moderate, while retail demand is moderate to fairly good. Offerings are light. Supplies are light to moderate and held with confidence. Market activity is active. Breaking stock prices are higher. The undertone remains firm. Offerings are light on good demand. Supplies are mostly light. Market activity is moderate to active.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	78-87	81-84
LARGE	77-86	79-82
MEDIUM	59-68	61-64

IA-MN-WI Prices paid to producers.	Range	Mostly
LARGE	75-85	79
MEDIUM	54-58	56
SMALL	34-40	

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 prices for next week's deliveries are trending sharply higher. Offerings are light to moderate for present trading purposes. Retail demand is moderate to instances good. Market activity continues active. Eastern region breaking stock offerings are light for the moderate to good demand. Light type hen offerings are adequate for normal processing schedules.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	85-107	86-98
LARGE	79-93	84-88
MEDIUM	60-73	65-67

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 17 cents higher for extra large, 18 cents higher for large, and 14 cents higher for medium. Retail demand continues moderate to good. Food service demand is light to moderate. Supplies are light to moderate. Market activity is active. Central states breaking stock prices, along with checks and undergrades, are higher. The undertone is firm. Demand is good with offerings light. Supplies are mostly light. Market activity is moderate to active.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	96.5-105	98-101
LARGE	84.5-93	86-89
MEDIUM	63.5-72	65-68

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

SOUTHEAST REGIONAL Prices are steady. Asking prices for next week's deliveries are trending higher. Demand into retail channels is moderate to good. Distributive demand is moderate to light. Current supplies are moderate to light for trade requirements. Market activity is active. Eastern region breaking stock offerings are light for the moderate to mostly good demand. Spent fowl offerings are adequate; demand is moderate.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	77.5-97	85-88
LARGE	73.5-89	83-86
MEDIUM	55.68	61-65

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 3 cents higher on Extra Large and Large. Medium egg prices are 1 cent higher. Offerings are mostly light to moderate. Retail and distributive demand is moderate to good. Market activity is active.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	112-116	-
LARGE	110-114	-
MEDIUM	86-90	-

MIDWEST REGIONAL	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	85-93	86-88
LARGE	83-91	84-86
MEDIUM	65-73	66-68

WESTERN REGIONAL Prices are steady. The undertone is firm. Asking prices for next week are 11 cents higher for jumbo, 16 cents higher for extra large and large and 13 cents higher for medium and small. Demand is moderate to good on light to moderate offerings. Supplies are light to moderate. Market activity is moderate to active.

CALIFORNIA Benchmark prices are steady. The undertone is firm. Asking prices for next week are 11 cents higher for jumbo, 16 cents higher for extra large and large and 13 cents higher for medium and small. Demand is moderate to good on light to moderate offerings. Supplies are light to moderate. Market activity is moderate to active. Small benchmark price 82 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	137
EXTRA LARGE	135
LARGE	121
MEDIUM	102

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	119-129
EXTRA LARGE	117-125
LARGE	101-111
MEDIUM	82-92

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 are higher. The undertone remains firm. Offerings are light on good demand. Supplies are mostly light. Market activity is moderate to active.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
BREAKING STOCK	47-61	47-49
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES	30-37	30-34

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 higher. Offerings remain light. Demand is moderate to mostly good. Market activity is moderate to active. Cases broken under Federal inspection in the Eastern region for week ending 16-Oct-10 are about the same as a week ago, however 10 percent more than the same week last year.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
BREAKING STOCK	45-52	47-49
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES	31-35	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 16-Oct-2010 (lbs. in thousands) (Excludes Ingredients)

Total Production	Cases Broken	Liquid Whole	Liquid Whites	Liquid Yolk	Dried	Ined
CW	1,352,984	35,156	11,928	5,789	2,685	4,374
PW	1,382,974	34,075	13,362	6,815	3,172	4,572
LY	1,322,623	32,692	12,598	6,677	2,741	4,389
% PW	-2%	3%	-11%	-15%	-15%	-4%
% LY	2%	8%	-5%	-13%	-2%	0%
2010	54,705,900	1,327,075	537,938	262,511	118,130	181,776
2009	52,970,573	1,290,934	512,963	258,584	115,921	177,499
% YTD	3%	3%	5%	2%	2%	2%

	CW	PW	LY
Average Yield Per Case - (Inedible Included)	42.31	42.53	42.61
Average Yield Per Case - (Inedible Excluded)	39.08	39.23	39.29

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	680,442	50.3%	18,442	52.5%
PREVIOUS WEEK	692,024	50.0%	18,026	52.9%
LAST YEAR	696,499	52.7%	18,430	56.4%

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

NATIONAL LIQUID All prices are higher. Demand is moderate to mostly good on all liquid products. Bids continue at higher price levels with limited success. Offerings are light to very light for all liquid products. Market activity is moderate to mostly active.

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	11	38-48.5	41.73	
WHITES	10	40-51	43.70	4.13
YOLKS	3	76-77	76.33	

NATIONAL DRIED

Mostly prices are steady to higher on whole and yolk, steady on remaining dried product. Offerings are moderate to light. Demand is light to moderate. New sales are limited, however inquiry increased for future needs. Market activity is slow to moderate. Dried eggs processed under federal inspection for the week ending 16-Oct-2010 are 15% less than last week and 2% less than the same week a year ago. The total year to date production of dried eggs produced is 2 percent higher than a year ago.

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

WHOLE	2.20-2.45	MOSTLY	2.30-2.35
YOLKS	1.80-2.00	MOSTLY	1.80-1.85
ALBUMEN, SPRAY, DRIED	3.90-4.10	MOSTLY	3.90-4.00
BLENDS (WHOLE PLUS SWEETENER)	2.00-2.15	MOSTLY	2.00-2.10

NATIONAL FROZEN

Frozen whole egg and salted yolk prices are steady to 1 cent lower with sugared yolk steady to 2 cents lower. Frozen whites prices are steady. Offerings are moderate on light to moderate spot demand. Supplies continue moderate to heavy. 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	57-64	59	63-67	63
WHITES	55-60	55-58	61-66	61-64
SUGARED YOLKS	88-91	TFEWR	91-95	91-93
SALTED YOLKS	83-86	85	86-91	86-89

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TRAILER LOAD EGG SALES WEEKLY WTD AVG PRICES (CENTS/DOZ) NATIONAL TRADING FOR OCT 15, 2010 – OCT 21, 2010

CURRENT LOADS 129.25 **FUTURE LOADS 54.75** **TOTAL LOADS 184.00**

	SE		NE		MW		
CLASS	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**LOADS**
GNR W 1	69.30	72.00	67.17	70.75	70.00	72.25	75.00
GNR W 2	--	64.00	--	--	--	--	2.00
GNR W 3	--	--	53.50	55.00	48.25	--	4.00
GNR BR 1	--	--	116.25	--	--	--	1.00
GL W J	--	--	88.50	90.00	94.23	--	4.50
GL W XL	93.00	--	100.33	100.50	98.19	101.00	29.25
GL W LG	--	90.33	81.67	84.63	85.22	88.25	61.75
GL W MD	72.00	--	69.00	67.13	68.93	--	24.75
GL W SM	--	--	39.13	41.25	40.50	--	7.00
GL BR XL	133.00	--	--	--	--	--	1.00
GL BR MD	--	--	45.00	64.50	57.00	--	1.50

	SC		NW		SW		
CLASS	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**LOADS**
GNR W 1	80.00	74.71	--	--	--	--	32.00
GNR W 2	--	--	--	--	--	--	1.00
GNR W 3	--	55.67	--	--	--	--	3.00
GL W J	97.21	--	98.50	--	102.75	106.56	6.50
GL W XL	--	110.83	--	111.50	--	109.40	14.50
GL W LG	--	99.53	--	--	91.00	93.87	45.00
GL W MD	66.33	--	--	85.25	--	80.49	22.75
GL W SM	42.00	--	--	53.25	--	49.40	4.25
GL BR XL	--	--	--	--	--	144.50	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.

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 continue to trend steady. Demand is mostly moderate for the adequate offerings of light type hens. Processing schedules are normal. Trade activity is moderate.

	RANGE	MAJORITY
REMOVAL COST	2-11	3-7

SOUTH CENTRAL Trading was TFEWR. Demand was moderate for at least adequate offerings from production areas. Schedules were reduced. Finished sales were fair. Trade sentiment was about steady.

	RANGE	MAJORITY
REMOVAL COST	TOO FEW TO REPORT	

NORTH CENTRAL Prices unchanged. Demand is moderate to good, offerings are light to short of needs. Schedules are mostly 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	92.00	86.00	66.00
SOUTHEAST	86.50	84.50	63.00
MIDWEST	82.50	80.50	62.50
SOUTH CENTRAL	99.50	87.50	66.50
COMBINED REGIONAL	90.62	84.74	64.59

Computed from simple weekly averages weighted by regional area populations.

NATIONAL CANNER FOWL MARKET Sales are too few to report prices. Offerings are moderate to heavy 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 to instances heavy. Trade activity is slow 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 16-OCT-10

U.S. fowl slaughtered domestically

Thousands	Light Hens	Heavy Hens	Total Hens
Head	1,274	1,529	2,803
Last Week	1,643	1,392	3,035
Same week yr ago	1,120	1,564	2,684
To-date/2010*	57,836	57,947	115,783
To-date/2009*	52,859	61,965	114,824

U.S. fowl slaughtered in Canada

Thousands	Light Hens	Heavy Hens	Total Hens
Head	220	25	245
Last Week	448	0	448
Same week yr ago	188	0	188
To-date/2010*	13,995	443	14,438
To-date/2009*	12,813	43	12,856

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
Head	1,494	1,554	3,048
Last Week	2,091	1,392	3,483
Same week yr ago	1,308	1,564	2,872
To-date/2010*	71,831	58,390	130,221
To-date/2009*	65,672	62,008	127,680

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 Oct 09, 2010 Year-To-Date*

Type	2010	2009 /1	2010 /2	2009
Liquid	0	473	3,008	9,312
Frozen	0	0	88	95
Dried	0	48	345	636
Total	0	521	3,441	10,043

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

Week Ending Oct 09, 2010 Year-To-Date*

Type	2010	2009 /1	2010 /2	2009
Liquid	374	317	15,485	13,591
Frozen	11	0	480	252
Dried	0	0	151	0
Total	385	317	16,116	13,843

Inspected Shell Eggs

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

Week Ending Oct 09, 2010 Year-To-Date*

	2010	2009 /1	2010 /2	2009
Jumbo	0	0	0	0
Extra Large	2,040	2,730	64,501	61,783
Large	4,380	7,156	110,565	129,947
Medium	0	870	34,222	41,947
Ungraded	16,404	20,130	203,167	306,397
Misc	0	840	900	9,770
Total	22,824	31,726	413,355	549,844

/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:	Aug 2009	Aug 2010	Sep 2009	Sep 2010
Whites	2,910	3,134	2,634	3,523
Yolks	1,309	597	1,483	643
Whole & Mixed	9,570	7,267	8,856	8,518
Unclassified	8,769	13,690	8,617	13,472
Total Frozen Eggs	22,558	24,688	21,590	26,156

Source: USDA/NASS

CHICKENS AND EGGS

September Egg Production Up 1 Percent

United States egg production totaled 7.48 billion during September 2010, up 1 percent from last year. Production included 6.43 billion table eggs, and 1.05 billion hatching eggs, of which 980 million were broiler-type and 70 million were egg-type. The total number of layers during September 2010 averaged 337 million, up 1 percent from last year. September egg production per 100 layers was 2,218 eggs, up slightly from September 2009.

All layers in the United States on October 1, 2010 totaled 335 million, up slightly from last year. The 335 million layers consisted of 279 million layers producing table or market type eggs, 53.6 million layers producing broiler-type hatching eggs, and 2.89 million layers producing egg-type hatching eggs. Rate of lay per day on October 1, 2010, averaged 73.6 eggs per 100 layers, up slightly from October 1, 2009.

Source: USDA/NASS

COMMERCIAL EGG MOVEMENT (Receipts from Producers)

W/E 16-Oct-2010 REGIONS	Cases (in thousands)	% Change From LW	LY
North Atlantic	198.0	3	9
East North Central	677.5	1	15
West North Central	228.3	3	-23
South Atlantic	141.1	2	-18
South Central	53.7	3	6
West	102.1	-3	-6
Total	1400.7	1	0
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 16-Oct -2010

Selected Consuming Centers	CW (Cases, in thousands)	LW	% Change LW	LY
Atlanta	17.3	17.6	-2	-28
Boston	3.1	2.4	29	15
Chicago	50.3	52.5	-4	0
Los Angeles	56.9	68.5	-17	1
New Orleans	5.7	5.5	4	19
New York	33.1	35.0	-5	0
St. Louis	80.7	80.1	1	29
San Francisco	19.3	19.0	2	-8
Total	266.4	281.1	-5	5
4 Week Moving Avg.	274.5			

WEEKLY COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS – Selected Centers

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

	Frozen Eggs lbs.	Proc. Turkeys lbs.	Proc. other Poultry lbs.
AM 10/18/10	3,197	127,695	62,132
AM 10/01/10	3,080	155,588	61,130
CHG	117	-27893	1002
PCT CHG	4%	-18%	2%

NEW ENGLAND WEEKLY SHELL EGG REPORT Oct 19, 2010

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

	Ex Large	Large	Med	Small
MAINE	146	137	92	74
MOSTLY	-	-	-	-
NEW HAMPSHIRE	142-146	132-136	86-90	67-71
MOSTLY	144-145	134-135	88-89	69-70
RHODE ISLAND	150-154	140-144	95-99	75-79
MOSTLY	150	140	95	75
VERMONT	146	137	92-93	-
MOSTLY	-	-	-	-