

## SHELL EGGS: Weekly Shell Egg Inventory (Mon) **Agricultural Marketing Service**

**Poultry Market News & Analysis** 

## Weekly Shell Egg Inventory:

Stocks on Hand Available for Marketing (30-dozen cases in thousands) 11 (Includes Conventional and Specialty)

		Northeast	Southeast	Midwest	South Central	Southwest	Northwest	6-Area Total
Jumbo	This Week	10.2	11.1	16.7	6.9	15.9	3.9	64.8
	% Change	-12.1%	-7.7%	-6.3%	-23.6%	49.3%	-3.7%	-0.7%
Extra Large	This Week	25.4	18.7	30.5	10.2	31.3	4.4	120.6
	% Change	9.7%	-19.8%	1.4%	-33.9%	7.2%	-13.5%	-4.6%
Large	This Week	46.1	101.4	88.9	53.0	66.1	33.8	389.2
	% Change	-14.3%	-16.6%	-16.7%	-38.6%	-1.6%	-16.1%	-18.2%
Medium	This Week	14.6	17.1	47.4	19.7	32.0	9.4	140.1
	% Change	5.4%	-21.0%	-10.9%	2.7%	25.3%	-11.9%	-2.7%
Small	This Week	5.7	4.4	7.6	4.0	1.1	2.2	25.1
	% Change	30.8%	51.4%	69.4%	144.2%	18.9%	-1.8%	50.9%
Miscellaneous	This Week	1.9	11.8	37.9	12.9	5.4	2.2	72.1
	% Change	-29.7%	-7.5%	25.2%	-10.1%	7.5%	13.1%	7.5%
Ungraded	This Week	6.0	7.4	42.0	34.0	7.4	10.4	107.2
	% Change	-55.9%	-7.0%	-34.6%	12.5%	-42.6%	16.3%	-22.2%
Total Shell Egg	This Week	110.0	171.8	271.0	140.8	159.3	66.2	919.1
	% Change	-10.7%	-15.0%	-11.6%	-20.1%	5.1%	-9.5%	-11.0%

Totals	Cases	Percent Change	
Shell Egg	919.1	-11.0%	
Breaking Stock	238.8	-4.9%	
Total Shell Egg	1,157.9	-9.8%	

## Specialty Shell Egg Inventory 12

Stocks on Hand to be Marketed as Specialty (30-dozen cases in thousands)

		Northeast	Southeast	Midwest	South Central	Southwest	Northwest	6-Area Total
Large	This Week	4.9	6.6	3.3	4.6	4.3	1.7	25.4
	% Change	-9.4%	-9.0%	-11.3%	32.7%	0.7%	3.0%	-1.5%
Ungraded	This Week	0.0	0.0	12.7	8.0	0.0	1.3	21.9
	% Change	0.0%	0.0%	-2.5%	-32.8%	0.0%	-3.7%	-16.2%
Total Specialty	This Week	4.9	6.6	16.0	12.5	4.3	3.0	47.3
	% Change	-9.4%	-9.0%	-4.4%	-18.1%	0.7%	0.0%	-8.9%

Large: 36.6% **Ungraded:** 29.4%

33.2%

Percentage of Specialty Shell Egg Inventory Comprised of USDA Certified Organic:

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Total:

Regional Definitions: Northeast = CT, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, and VT; Southeast = AL, FL, GA, MS, NC, SC, TN, VA, and WV; Midwest = IA, IL, IN, KY, MI, MN, ND, NE, OH, SD, and WI; South Central = AR, AZ, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, TX, and UT; **Southwest** = CA and NV; **Northwest** = ID, MT, OR, WA, and WY.

<sup>1/</sup> Cooperators normally have stocks on hand each Monday A.M. and must report in both the current and previous week. This is a representative sample of the U.S. inventory and includes eggs packed for export when in cooperator's coolers.

<sup>2/</sup> Specialty eggs include certified organic, nutritionally enhanced, cage-free, and vegetarian-fed types.