Processed Eggs: Weekly National Egg Products (Fri)

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F.O.B. Shipper Dock Basis; Wholesale prices; cents per pound unless otherwise noted.

LIQUID EGGS

Liquid whole egg and yolk prices are too few to report with white prices steady to lower. Trade sentiment is steady for whole egg and whites and barely steady to weak for yolk. Most observers see the market as attempting to settle. Demand is light for whole egg and yolk and moderate for whites. Offerings are moderate for whole egg and whites and moderate to heavy for yolk. Market activity is slow.

Non-pasteurized in trucklots; current trading for delivery within 14 days.

Class	Current Week			Last Week			Dec Averages	
	Range	Loads	Wtd Avg	Range	Loads	Wtd Avg	Loads	Wtd Avg
Whole	TFEWR			TFEWR			20	58.20
Whites	44.50 - 52.00	18	45.89	46.00 - 52.00	9	47.44	64	48.02
Yolk	TFEWR			TFEWR			12	100.75

FROZEN EGGS

Frozen white prices are steady to lower with the balance of frozen prices lower. The undertone is steady to barely steady for all frozen products. Offerings are moderate to heavy with demand seasonally light. Supplies are moderate to heavy. Market activity is slow to instances moderate.

Packed in 30-pound containers; less-than-trucklot reflects a minimum volume of 25 containers.

TRUCKLOT	Current Week		Last Week		Dec Averages	
	Range	Mostly	Range	Mostly	This Month	Last Month
Whole	74.00 - 90.00	75.00 - 79.00	81.00 - 92.00	81.00 - 83.00	90.13	102.75
Whites	63.00 - 78.00	66.00 - 73.00	66.00 - 78.00	68.00 - 73.00	72.25	74.38
Sugar Yolk 1/	115.00 - 126.00	119.00 - 121.00	121.00 - 136.00	121.00 - 123.00	131.75	148.25
Salt Yolk 1/	116.00 - 123.00	117.00 - 118.00	118.00 - 133.00	120.00 - 124.00	129.25	146.00

LESS-THAN TRUCKLOT	Current Week		Last Week		Dec Averages	
	Range	Mostly	Range	Mostly	This Month	Last Month
Whole	82.00 - 84.00		88.00 - 92.00	88.00 - 90.00	92.88	104.50
White	73.00 - 74.00		73.00 - 74.00		74.75	75.00
Sugar Yolk 1/	122.00 - 125.00		130.00 - 135.00		135.75	150.63
Salt Yolk 1/	122.00 - 125.00		130.00 - 135.00		135.75	150.63

1/ Minimum 43% solids.

DRIED EGGS

Prices are lower on dried whole egg, albumen and blends; mixed on yolk. The undertone ranges barely steady to weak. Seasonal demand continues light. Offerings are adequate for trade needs. Trading is limited as buyers and sellers await market developments. Market activity is slow.

Prices in dollars per pound; in containers; includes trucklot and less-than-trucklot volumes.

Class	Current Week		Last Week		Dec Averages	
	Range	Mostly	Range	Mostly	This Month	Last Month
Whole	2.90 - 3.35	3.00 - 3.10	3.00 - 3.50	3.10 - 3.20	3.27	3.56
Yolk	2.70 - 3.20	2.75 - 2.80	2.60 - 3.20	2.90 - 3.00	3.09	3.29
Albumen 2/	4.55 - 5.25	4.80 - 4.90	4.75 - 5.30	4.85 - 4.95	5.03	5.25
Blends 3/	2.75 - 2.85		2.85 - 2.90		2.84	2.97

2/ Spray Dried; 3/ Whole plus sweetener.

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