



USDA, AMS, Poultry Market News and Analysis Weekly Egg Products Report February 19, 2010

The "SOURCE" of Poultry and Egg Market Information

COMBINED REGIONAL REPORT - Combined regional for week ending **19-Feb-10** average prices on Sales to volume buyers, Grade A large, white eggs in cartons, delivered warehouse, cents per dozen.

	Northeast	Southeast	Midwest	South Central	Combined Regional
This week	104.00	102.50	95.50	104.50	101.73
Last week	116.00	117.50	110.50	119.50	116.02

SELECTED CITIES DELIVERED STORE DOOR LARGE 19-Feb-10:

New York 107-111	Midwest 98-106	California 137
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WEEKLY SHELL EGG AND BREAKING STOCK INVENTORY - 15-Feb-16 - (30 DOZEN CASES - IN THOUSANDS)

	Northeast	North Central	South Central	South Atlantic	Pacific	5-Area	Breaking Stock	Total
Current week	113.3	286.1	141.8	173.0	250.7	964.9	217.1	1182.0
% change PW	-15%	-2%	6%	2%	2%	-1%	-12%	-3%

Breaking Stock 19-Feb-10 - prices paid cents/dozen, material exchanged, 30-dozen case equivalent, 48 lb minimum, delivered to breakers.

	Central States			Eastern Region		
Breaking Stock	57-62	M	59-61	52-60	M	55-59
Checks & Undergrades	40-45	M	42-45	37-47	M	40-43

Eggs Processed under federal inspection week ending **13-Feb-10**. Lbs. in Thousands (excludes ingredients)

	Cases	Liquid	Liquid	Liquid	Dried	Inedible
	Broken	Whole	White	Yolk		
Current Week	1,259,935	30,193	12,848	6,264	2,834	4,331
Previous Week	1,251,127	29,424	12,828	6,390	2,603	4,192
Last Year	1,241,162	29,166	12,619	6,664	2,746	4,224
% Change PWK	1%	3%	0%	-2%	9%	3%
% Change LY	2%	4%	2%	-6%	3%	3%
To-Date 2010	7,426,815	177,511	75,073	37,035	16,207	25,321
To-Date 2009	7,472,756	180,853	71,711	36,857	16,827	25,906
% Change YTD	-1%	-2%	5%	0%	-4%	-2%

AVERAGE YIELD PER CASE (INEDIBLE INCLUDED)

Current Week: 42.57 **Previous Week:** 42.23 **Last Year:** 42.44

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Current Week: 39.13 **Previous Week:** 38.88 **Last Year:** 39.04

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	700,931	55.6%	17,961	59.5%
PREVIOUS WEEK	681,842	54.5%	16,964	57.7%
LAST YEAR	650,074	52.4%	16,134	55.3%

National Liquid Eggs - 19-Feb-10 - prices paid cents/lb, f.o.b. plant, non-pasteurized trucklots, for delivery within 14 days.

Class	Loads	Range	Wtd. Avg.	Change From
				Last Week
WHOLE	11	42-45	43.91	-2.62
WHITES	13	34-66	39.65	5.15
YOLKS	5	61-66	62.40	

National Frozen Egg Prices - 19-Feb-10 wholesale selling price cents/lb, 30-lb containers.

Class	Trucklot		Less-than-Trucklot (min 25 cont.)	
	RANGE	MOSTLY	RANGE	MOSTLY
WHOLE	59-69	63-66	69-75	69-71
WHITES	49-56	51-56	55-61	55-57
SUGARED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	78-84	78-81	83-89	84-86
SALTED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	74-79	TFEWR	78-85	80

National Dried Egg Prices - 19-Feb-10 - wholesale selling prices \$/lb, in containers, trucklot and less-than-trucklot volumes.

Class	Range		Mostly	
WHOLE	2.25-2.60		2.25-2.40	
YOLKS	1.40-1.80		1.50-1.55	
ALBUMEN, SPRAY, DRIED	3.25-3.85		3.25-3.50	
BLENDS (WHOLE PLUS SWEETENER)	1.95-2.10		1.95-2.05	

Number of Light Hens Sltrd. in Federally Inspected Plants (Thousands) Weekending 13-Feb-10

Fowl Slaughtered in U.S.		U.S. Fowl Slaughtered in Canada		Total U.S. Fowl Slaughtered	
		This week		This week	
This week	1,339	This week	308	This week	1,647
Last week	1,490	Last week	490	Last week	1,980
Last year	1,106	Last year	246	Last year	1,352
To Date 2010*	9,455	To Date 2010*	2,271	To Date 2010*	11,365
To Date 2009*	7,792	To Date 2009*	1,505	To Date 2009*	9,297

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

U.S. Exports To Canada, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 06-Feb-10

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	193	0	0	193
Last year /1	143	0	40	183
To date 2010/2	724	0	40	764
To date 2009	335	0	81	416

U.S. Imports From Canada, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 06-Feb-10

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	520	6	0	526
Last year /1	360	0	0	360
To date 2010/2	1,972	33	0	2,005
To date 2009	1,717	67	0	1,784

Inspected Shell Eggs

U.S. Exports To Canada, in 30-Dozen Cases (Preliminary) week ending - 06-Feb-10

	Jumbo	EX-Lg	Large	Medium	Ungraded	Misc	Total
Current week	0	0	0	750	2,472	0	3,222
Last year /1	0	390	0	1,110	4,878	0	6,378
To date 2010/2	0	1,500	800	750	19,716	0	22,766
To date 2009	0	1,033	5,360	1,110	6,942	136	14,581

/1 Comparable week, to-date figures may not total due to rounding.

/2 Includes revisions to previous week(s).

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) today purchased 48,000 cases of shell eggs at a cost of approximately \$604,000 for domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Details of today's purchase follow:

Product Type	Cases	Awarded Prices Inv. No. 005	No. of Bids Accepted
shell eggs	48,000	\$11.4300-\$14.6500	3 of 6

Invitations under PY-347 will be issued on a quarterly basis.

Total purchases of shell eggs since the program was announced on April 28, 2009, follow:

Product Type	Cumulative Cases	Cumulative Dollars
shell eggs	139,500	\$2,013,000

The awards for shell eggs made today under PY-347, Invitation 005, to be delivered from Apr. 1 to June 15, follow:

Crystal Lake Egg Products	3,000 @ \$14.6500
Rose Acres Farms Inc.	43,500 @ \$11.4300-\$14.0700
Sonstegard Foods Company	1,500 @ \$14.5900

Inquiries may be made by telephoning (202) 720-7693 or addressing the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch; STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave., SW; Washington, D.C. 20250. An electronic version of this Food Purchase Report can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/PYProcurement>.