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NATIONAL EGG MARKET AT-A-GLANCE

Regional prices are lower on Extra Large, Large and Medium sizes. New York prices are unchanged. Demand into all channels is mostly light to moderate. Current supplies are moderate to heavy for trade requirements. Market activity is slow to moderate. Breaking stock offerings are light; demand is moderate. Spent fowl offerings are moderate for the moderate to good demand.

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, CENTS PER DOZEN.

MIDWEST REGIONAL Midwest delivered asking prices are 10 cents lower for extra large and large, and 6 cents lower for medium. Daily producer prices are steady. The market undertone is barely steady. Despite a slight improvement, retail demand is still noted as light to moderate. Food service demand is light to moderate. Offerings are moderate. Supplies are moderate to heavy. Market activity is slow to moderate. Breaking stock prices are steady. Offerings are light on moderate demand. Supplies are light to moderate. Market activity is slow.

Prices delivered to warehouse:	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	78-87	81-84
LARGE	77-86	79-82
MEDIUM	70-79	72-75

Prices delivered to store door:	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	85-93	86-88
LARGE	83-91	84-86
MEDIUM	76-84	77-79

IOWA-MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN EGGS

Prices paid to producers, cents per dozen:	RANGE	MOSTLY
LARGE	59-69	63
MEDIUM	52-56	54
SMALL	49-55	

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

NORTHEAST REGIONAL Prices are 10 to 11 cents lower on Extra Large, 10 cents lower on Large and 5 to 6 cents lower on Medium. Trade sentiment is mostly steady. Supplies are moderate to at times heavy for needs. Demand is light to moderate. Market activity is slow to moderate. Eastern region breaking stock floor stocks are more than sufficient for generally normal breaking schedules. Light type hen demand in the East is moderate to instances good for moderate offerings.

Prices delivered to warehouse:	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	85-99	85-88
LARGE	79-93	84-88
MEDIUM	72-85	77-79

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

SOUTHEAST REGIONAL Prices are lower on larger sizes and Mediums. Demand into retail and distributive channels is mostly light to moderate. Current supplies are moderate on Extra Large and Large eggs, heavy on Mediums for trading purposes. Market activity is slow to moderate. Eastern region breaking stock offerings are light; demand is light to moderate. Spent hen offerings are sufficient for the moderate to at times good demand.

Prices delivered to warehouse:	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	87.5-98	89-92
LARGE	86-94	87-90
MEDIUM	75.5-83	76-80

SOUTHEAST AREA: AL, FL, GA, MS, NC, SC, Eastern TN, and Southern VA

SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL Prices are 11 cents lower for extra large, 10 cents lower for large, and 6 cents lower for medium. The undertone is steady to barely steady. Retail and food service demand range light to moderate. Offerings are moderate. Supplies are moderate to heavy. Market activity is slow to moderate. Central states breaking stock prices are steady. Demand is moderate with offerings light. Supplies are light to moderate. Market activity is slow.

Prices delivered to warehouse:	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	89.5-98	91-94
LARGE	86.5-95	88-91
MEDIUM	74.5-83	76-79

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

NEW YORK EGGS Prices are unchanged on Extra Large, Large and Medium. Trade sentiment is steady. Supplies are moderate to occasionally heavy. Demand is light to moderate. Market activity is slow to mostly moderate.

Prices delivered store door:	RANGE
EXTRA LARGE	93-97
LARGE	91-95
MEDIUM	84-88

WESTERN REGIONAL Prices are 10 cents lower for jumbo, 11 cents lower for extra large, 10 cents lower for large and 6 cents lower for medium and small. The Pacific inventory increased 5% from last Monday, with California up 1% and OR-WA-UT increasing 14%. Offerings are light with demand light to mostly moderate. Supplies are moderate to instances heavy. Market activity is slow.

CALIFORNIA EGGS Prices are 10 cents lower for jumbo, 11 cents lower for extra large, 10 cents lower for large and 6 cents lower for medium and small. The Pacific inventory increased 5% from last Monday, with California increasing 1% and OR-WA-UT up 14%. Demand is light to mostly moderate with offerings light. Supplies are moderate to occasionally heavy. Market activity is slow. Small benchmark price 91 cents.

CALIFORNIA

Shell egg marketer's 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	126
EXTRA LARGE	127
LARGE	121
MEDIUM	111

NATIONAL RETAIL EGG PURCHASES REPORT Cooperators estimate orders for the week ending March 11, 2011 will increase by 0 percent. Present week purchases for the week ending March 04, 2011 were 152,579 cases which was 7 percent below the prior week and 6 percent below estimates.

	CARTONED	LOOSE	TOTAL
Cases purchased present week.....	113,268	39,311	152,579
% change from the prior week.....	-11	+8	-7

Comparison figures are compiled on a matched plant basis. Purchases and estimates by 14 cooperators; 30 dozen cases or equivalent.

CENTRAL STATES BREAKING STOCK Prices are steady. Offerings are light on moderate demand. Supplies are light to moderate. Market activity is slow.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
BREAKING STOCK	53-55	
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES	35-42	35-39

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

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LIVE HEAVY-TYPE HENS (7 POUNDS AND UP)*

FINAL PRICE,
GENERALLY FOR SLAUGHTER THE WEEK OF 07-MAR-2011

SOUTH CENTRAL Trading was TFEWR. Demand for heavy hens was light and easily serviced from the field. Schedules were as desired. Finished sales were fair. Trade sentiment was about steady.

	RANGE	MAJ	WTD AVG
AT FARM BUYER LOADING	TOO FEW TO REPORT		

SOUTHEAST Prices continue to trend steady. Offerings are sufficient for the mostly moderate demand. Processing schedules are noted as normal. Finished product supplies are at least sufficient. Market activity is moderate.

	RANGE	MAJ	WTD AVG
AT FARM BUYER LOADING	8-17.5 CENTS/LB.		12.86
AT FARM PRODUCER LOADING	TOO FEW TO REPORT		
FOB PLANT	TOO FEW TO REPORT		

*WEIGHTS UNDER 7 LBS. SUBJECT TO DISCOUNT.

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CANADIAN EGGS

QUEBEC/MONTREAL: WHOLESALE PRICES-GRADED IN CARTONS (CANADIAN DOLLARS) AS REPORTED BY AGRICULTURE AND AGRI-FOOD CANADA, AISD, AID, POULTRY SECTION FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 21, 2011

GRADE A	XLARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
	2.24	2.22	2.00	1.40

MINIMUM PRICES FOR PRODUCERS FOB FARM FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 21, 2011 AS SET BY ONTARIO EGG PRODUCERS

GRADE A	XLARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
	1.70	1.70	1.54	1.06

WEEKLY SHELL EGG INVENTORY REPORT

Stocks on hand available for marketing 1/
(Includes Conventional and Specialty - 30 dozen cases-in thousands)

		Northeast	No Cent	So Cent	So Atl	Pacific	5-Area
Jumbo	Curr Wk	12.2	13.5	7.6	9.8	18.0	61.1
	Change	0.1	-2.6	-0.1	-0.8	-1.1	-7%
Ex Lge	Curr Wk	32.7	44.2	15.3	31.2	43.0	166.4
	Change	0.6	-1.4	-0.9	-0.9	5.5	2%
Large	Curr Wk	61.0	116.9	97.5	127.0	142.4	544.8
	Change	2.5	-3.1	7.6	12.2	6.3	5%
Medium	Curr Wk	13.7	40.7	21.7	24.9	32.2	133.2
	Change	-1.0	3.9	-2.3	6.3	3.4	8%
Small	Curr Wk	3.4	5.1	1.0	2.8	4.8	17.1
	Change	0.2	-0.1	0.4	0.3	-0.1	4%
Misc	Curr Wk	1.4	21.1	12.6	8.2	6.6	49.9
	Change	0.2	3.3	3.1	-2.0	0.3	11%
Ungraded	Curr Wk	15.2	50.9	12.2	4.8	19.6	102.7
	Change	-5.0	1.9	0.1	-0.6	-0.7	-4%
Total	Curr Wk	139.6	292.4	167.9	208.7	266.6	1075.2
Percent	Change	-2%	1%	5%	7%	5%	3%

TOTAL	No. of Cases	% Change	No. of Coops
Shell Egg	1075.2	3%	157
Shell Egg Breaking Stock	261.6	5%	29
Total Shell Egg	1336.8	4%	186

Specialty Shell Egg Inventory 2/
Shell Egg stocks on hand to be marketed as specialty 1/

		Northeast	No Cent	So Cent	So Atl	Pacific	5-Area
Large	Curr Wk	5.7	6.8	1.2	4.7	5.7	24.1
	Change	0.1	-2.3	0.1	-0.1	1.1	-4%
Ungraded	Curr Wk	0.0	11.1	2.2	0.0	0.0	13.3
	Change	0.0	-0.7	0.1	0.0	0.0	-4%
Total	Curr Wk	5.7	17.9	3.4	4.7	5.7	37.4
Percent	Change	2%	-14%	6%	-2%	24%	-4%

TOTAL	No. of Cases	% Change	No. of Coops
Specialty Shell Egg	37.4	-4%	42

1/ Information supplied by a universe of size indicated by the number of cooperators. 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.

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

No valid comparison can be made with year ago or previous months' figures due to changes in number of plants surveyed, holidays falling in different weeks or changes in size of plant operations.

TRAILER LOAD EGG SALES - DAILY WTD AVG PRICES (CENTS/DOZ) NATIONAL TRADING FOR MARCH 04, 2011

CURRENT LOADS 21.00 FUTURE LOADS 9.25 TOTAL LOADS 30.25

	SE		NE		MW		
CLASS	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	LOADS
GNR W 1	--	--	54.50	56.00	--	--	1.00
GL W XL	--	--	68.25	70.00	63.00	--	8.00
GL W LG	63.00	--	65.00	66.00	62.00	--	9.25
GL W MD	--	--	59.50	61.00	55.00	--	2.00
GL W SM	--	--	--	--	--	--	1.00
NRBS - 48	--	--	55.88	58.41	52.00	--	8.00
NRBS - 42	--	--	--	--	--	--	1.00

	SC		NW		SW		
CLASS	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	LOADS
GL W XL	--	--	--	--	--	80.50	3.00
GL W LG	--	73.63	--	--	--	--	2.00
GL W MD	--	--	--	--	--	69.00	1.00
GL W SM	--	--	--	--	60.00	--	1.00

TRAILER LOAD EGG SALES WEEKLY WTD AVG PRICES (CENTS/DOZ) NATIONAL TRADING FOR FEB 28, 2011 – MAR 04, 2011

CURRENT LOADS 110.75 FUTURE LOADS 29.25 TOTAL LOADS 140.00

	SE		NE		MW		
CLASS	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	LOADS
GNR W XL	--	--	--	--	65.00	--	2.00
GNR W 1	56.50	--	55.83	58.57	--	--	7.00
GNR BR 1	--	--	165.00	--	--	174.50	1.00
GL W J	--	--	--	--	64.22	67.50	9.00
GL W XL	--	--	68.75	70.23	64.79	--	40.00
GL W LG	63.00	--	65.25	64.00	61.65	66.00	41.50
GL W MD	--	--	59.50	61.00	62.27	--	8.00
GL W SM	62.50	60.00	61.00	63.75	52.00	--	7.00
GL BR J	--	--	--	--	66.00	--	.25
NRBS - 48	45.00	47.00	53.81	57.03	56.67	54.00	27.00
NRBS - 45	41.50	45.00	--	--	--	--	1.25
NRBS - 42	--	--	--	--	--	49.00	4.00
NRBS - 39	35.50	39.00	50.00	52.00	--	--	3.00

	SC		NW		SW		
CLASS	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	LOADS
GNR W XL	--	78.00	--	--	--	--	2.00
GL W J	77.00	--	--	--	79.93	83.24	10.50
GL W XL	--	79.00	--	--	--	80.67	17.25
GL W LG	--	37.91	--	--	--	76.48	21.00
GL W MD	59.00	--	--	--	--	68.81	10.50
GL W SM	44.00	--	--	--	60.00	51.00	1.50
GL BR J	--	--	--	--	--	84.00	.25

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.

COLD STORAGE MOVEMENT – FROZEN EGGS

(In Thousands)

ON HAND	02/28/11	02/21/11	03/01/10
PACIFIC COAST	30	2	20
LOS ANGELES	0	0	0

CERTIFIED ORGANIC EGGS IN CARTONS

(price per carton delivered to first receivers)

Brown Eggs	CENTS/CARTON	MOSTLY
Extra Large doz.	255 – 316	275 - 310
1/2 doz.	173 – 198	173 - 188
Large doz.	230 – 310	265 - 300
1/2 doz.	160 – 189	160 - 178

NORTH CAROLINA EGGS

The market is steady on small, lower on the balance. Supplies are moderate. Retail demand is light.

PRICES WEIGHTED AVERAGE, IN SMALL LOTS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, NEARBY RETAIL OUTLET, CENTS PER DOZEN.

	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	111.39
LARGE	109.06
MEDIUM	93.86
SMALL	89.00

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