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NATIONAL EGG REVIEW

Regional and California prices are unchanged on Jumbo, steady to 12 cents higher on Extra Large, steady to 15 cents higher on Large, unchanged on Medium and Small. New York prices are steady on all sizes. The undertone is steady to firm. Offerings are light to moderate. Demand into the retail and food service channels is mostly moderate to fairly good nearing the upcoming holiday. Supplies are light to moderate for trade requirements. Market activity is slow to moderate. Breaking stock offerings are at times light to moderate for the moderate to fairly good demand. Spent fowl offerings are more than sufficient; processing schedules are normal to less than normal.

Prices to Retailers, Sales to Volume Buyers, USDA Grade A and Grade A, White Eggs in Cartons, Cents per Dozen, Unless Otherwise Noted

Delivered to Warehouse:

Region	AMS	Range	Mostly
Midwest Regional	AMS_2845		
EXTRA LARGE		73-82	76-79
LARGE		72-81	74-77
MEDIUM		71-80	73-76

Region	AMS	Range	Mostly
Northeast Regional	AMS_2735		
EXTRA LARGE		83-106	85-92
LARGE		77-91	82-86
MEDIUM		77-90	82-84

Region	AMS	Range	Mostly
South Central	AMS_2846		
EXTRA LARGE		99.5-108	101-104
LARGE		86.5-95	88-91
MEDIUM		81.5-90	83-86

Region	AMS	Range	Mostly
Southeast Regional	AMS_2736		
EXTRA LARGE		87.5-97	89-92
LARGE		85.5-93	87-90
MEDIUM		80.5-88	81-85

Delivered to Store Door:

Region	AMS	Range	Mostly
Midwest Regional	AMS_2845		
EXTRA LARGE		80-88	81-83
LARGE		78-86	79-81
MEDIUM		77-85	78-80

Region	AMS	Range	Mostly
New York	AMS_2734		
EXTRA LARGE		91-95	--
LARGE		89-93	--
MEDIUM		89-93	--

(Fri) Prices to Consumers Major Chains, New York Metropolitan Area

Region	Range	Mostly
EXTRA LARGE	149-299	169-199
LARGE	129-279	159-179
MEDIUM	119-229	149-169

Prices Paid to Producers

Region	AMS	Range	Mostly
IA, MN & WI	AMS_2845		
LARGE		54-64	58
MEDIUM		53-57	55
SMALL		40-46	

Midwest: IA, IL, IN, KY, MI, MN, OH, NE, ND, SD, WI, WV, western NY, & western PA; Northeast: CT, DC, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, eastern NJ, eastern NY, PA, RI, northern VA, & VT; South Central: AR, AZ, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, & TX; Southeast: AL, GA, MS, NC, SC, eastern TN, & southern VA

North Carolina AMS_3155 - Prices wtd avg, in small lots, nearby retail outlet.

Region	Mostly
EXTRA LARGE	108.64
LARGE	103.99
MEDIUM	93.14
SMALL	82.00

Weekly New England Shell Eggs AMS_2739

Prices paid per dozen Grade A brown eggs in cartons delivered store door.

Region	Extra Large	Large	Medium	Small
MAINE MOSTLY	142	132	120	94
NEW HAMPSHIRE MOSTLY	135-139	125-129	113-117	87-91
RHODE ISLAND MOSTLY	138-145	128-135	116-123	90-97
VERMONT MOSTLY	142-269	132-259	120-169	-

USDA Wholesale Certified Organic Brown Shell Eggs AMS_2759

Prices cents per carton delivered to first receivers

Region	Price Range	Mostly
Extra Large	doz.	
1/2 doz.		Data not Available.
Large	doz.	
1/2 doz.		

Certified Organic are products grown and processed according to USDA's national organic standards and certified by USDA accredited State and private certification organizations. For more information, visit the National Organic Program www.ams.usda.gov/NOPNationalOrganicProgramHome

California AMS_2844

Benchmark prices are unchanged for Jumbo, 12 cents higher for Extra Large, 15 cents higher for Large and unchanged for Medium and Small. Trade sentiment is firm. Retail demand is moderate to good. Food service movement is mostly moderate. Offerings are light to moderate. Supplies are light to in close balance with anticipated needs. Market activity is moderate. Small benchmark price \$1.03.

California: Shell egg marketer's benchmark price for negotiated egg sales of USDA Grade AA and Grade AA in cartons. This price does not reflect discounts or other contract terms.

Region	Range
JUMBO	175
EXTRA LARGE	144
LARGE	139
MEDIUM	123

(Fri) Southern California: Prices to Retailers, Sales to Volume Buyers, USDA Grade AA & Grade AA, White Eggs in Cartons, Delivered Store Door, Cents/Dozen

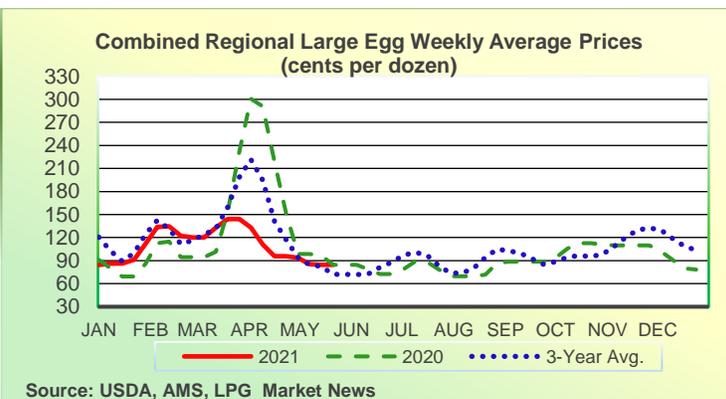
JUMBO	167-181
EXTRA LARGE	120-131
LARGE	111-122
MEDIUM	109-124

Weekly Combined Regional AMS_2848

Average prices on sales to volume buyers, delivered warehouse.

REGIONS	EX LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM
NORTHEAST	85.50	84.00	83.00
SOUTHEAST	90.50	88.50	83.00
MIDWEST	77.50	75.50	74.50
SOUTH CENTRAL	94.50	89.50	84.50
COMBINED REGIONAL	87.34	84.57	81.37

Computed from simple weekly averages weighted by regional area populations



National Weekly Shell Egg Inventory

Regions	Total Stocks on Hand Available for Marketing (30-dozen cases in thousands)	
Northeast	Total	210.3
	% Change	-3.9%
Southeast	Total	310.7
	% Change	-0.2%
Midwest	Total	507.3
	% Change	-4.8%
South Central	Total	329.3
	% Change	-3.7%
Southwest	Total	156.9
	% Change	0.1%
Northwest	Total	94.4
	% Change	-9.5%
6-Area Total	Total	1,609.0
	% Change	-3.4%

	Cases	Percent Change
Shell Egg Inventory	1,609.0	-3.4%
Breaking Stock Inventory	327.4	-3.2%
Total Inventory	1,936.4	-3.4%

Specialty/Organic/Cage Free: Stocks on Hand to be Marketed as Specialty/Organic/Cage Free from totals above (30-dozen cases in thousands)

6-Area Total		
Specialty	This Week	49.5
	% Change	2.4%
Organic	This Week	120.2
	% Change	7.9%
Cage Free	This Week	162.3
	% Change	-1.6%

1/ 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/ Total Inventories from Totals of Specialty/Organic/Cage Free includes conventional and specialty 3/ Specialty eggs include nutritionally enhanced and vegetarian-fed types.

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

Shell Eggs Processed Under Federal Inspection

Total Production in Thousands of Pounds W/E 5/15/2021						
TOTAL PRODUCTION	Cases Broken	Liquid Whole	Liquid White	Liquid Yolk	Dried	Inedible
CW	1,468,858	34,086	15,137	7,669	1,864	4,516
PW	1,491,822	34,428	14,797	7,617	2,389	4,658
% Change	-1.5%	-1.0%	2.3%	0.7%	-22.0%	-3.1%
LY	1,156,640	24,451	12,660	6,771	3,191	3,829
% Change	27.0%	39.4%	19.6%	13.3%	-41.6%	17.9%
2021 YTD	27,085,363	614,887	282,353	141,782	45,186	84,618
2020 YTD	28,854,326	646,866	301,528	152,015	61,806	91,639
% Change	-6.1%	-4.9%	-6.4%	-6.7%	-26.9%	-7.7%

Average Yields Per Case			
	Yield with Inedible	Yield W/O Inedible	
CW	41.81	38.73	
PW	41.22	38.10	
LY	41.25	37.94	
2021 YTD	41.49	38.36	
2020 YTD	41.31	38.14	

In-Line Production in Thousands of Pounds				
	In-line Cases Broken	In-line % of Total Cases Broken	In-line Liquid Whole Egg	In-line % of Total Liquid Whole Egg
CW	780,219	53.1%	18,076	53.0%
PW	810,533	54.3%	18,912	54.9%
LY	596,607	51.6%	10,972	44.9%
2021 YTD	14,701,663	54.3%	329,767	53.6%
2020 YTD	16,101,779	55.8%	355,348	54.9%
% Change	-8.7%		-7.2%	

Weekly National Egg Products f.o.b. Shipper Dock Basis; Wholesale prices; cents per pound unless otherwise noted.

Liquid Eggs					
Certified liquid white prices are higher while the balance of liquid egg prices are too few participants to report prices. The undertone is steady for whole egg, steady to barely steady for whites and fully steady to firm for yolk. Offerings are light to moderate for whole egg and whites and mostly light for yolk. Demand is moderate for whole egg, light to moderate for whites and fairly good for yolk. Market activity is moderate.					
Non-certified in trucklots; current trading for delivery within 14 days.					
Class	Current Week			Apr Averages	
	Range	Loads	Wtd Avg	Loads	Wtd Avg
Whole Whites	TFEWR			TFEWR	
Yolk	TFEWR			44	89.56

Class	Current Week			Apr Averages	
	Range	Loads	Wtd Avg	Loads	Wtd Avg
Whole Whites	43.00 - 49.00	8	45.75	11	61.45
Yolk	TFEWR			8	44.00
				11	87.36

Frozen Eggs					
Frozen egg product prices are steady to higher for whole egg, steady to lower for whites and higher for sugared and salted yolk. The undertone is higher on whole egg and yolk and lower on whites. Demand is fairly good to good on sugared and salted yolk and moderate on the balance of frozen egg products. The majority of trading centers around an increase in seasonal demand and food service needs and inquires for year-end contracts. Offerings and supplies are light to moderate. Market activity is moderate to active.					
Packed in 30-pound containers; Prices in cents per pound					
Trucklot	Current Week		Apr Averages		
	Range	Mostly	This Month	Last Month	
Whole	70.00 - 95.00	75.00 - 80.00	84.50	95.00	
Whites	64.00 - 82.00	69.00 - 71.00	73.50	78.00	
Sugar Yolk ^{1/}	111.00 - 137.00	115.00 - 120.00	120.00	120.00	
Salt Yolk ^{1/}	109.00 - 137.00	112.00 - 115.00	119.00	119.00	

1/ Minimum 43% solids.

Dried Eggs					
Dried egg prices are steady to higher for whole and yolk, unchanged for albumen. The undertone is steady. Offering are light to moderate. Demand is fairly good to good on whole and yolk, moderate on albumen with noted inquiries for end of year contractual requirements. Supplies are light to moderate for trade needs. Market activity is moderate to at times active.					
Prices in dollars per pound; in containers; includes trucklot and less-than-trucklot volumes.					
Class	Current Week		Apr Averages		
	Range	Mostly	This Month	Last Month	
Whole	2.85 - 3.85	3.00 - 3.15	3.28	3.28	
Yolk	2.15 - 2.90	2.20 - 2.35	2.35	2.35	
Albumen ^{2/}	4.60 - 5.15	4.75 - 4.95	4.90	4.90	
Blends ^{3/}	-	-	-	-	

2/ Spray Dried; 3/ Whole plus sweetener.

Central and Eastern Region Breaking Stock			
Prices in cents/doz., delivered to breakers, 48 lb. minimum net weight per 30 dozen case, eggs from table egg layers. Packaging may vary.			
Central Region		Eastern Region	
Breaking Stock			
Range	50-56	Range	46-57
Mostly	50-51	Mostly	50-52
Checks & Undergrades			
Range	39-45	Range	38-45
Mostly	39-43	Mostly	
Central States Area: AR, CO, IA, IL, IN, KS, LA, MI, MN, MO, NM, ND, NE, OH, OK, SD, TX, & WI		Eastern States Area: AL, CT, DE, FL, GA, KY, ME, MD, MA, MS, NC, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, SC, TN, VT, VA, & WV	

[Daily 5-Day Weighted Average Trailer Load Egg Sales](#)

NATIONAL TRADING FOR MAY 17, 2021-MAY 21, 2021
COURTESY OF U.S.D.A. FEDERAL/STATE MARKET NEWS

CURRENT LOADS 83.00 FUTURE LOADS TOTAL LOADS 83.00

CLASS	SE		NE		MW		LOADS
	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	
GL W J	--	--	80.00	86.00	76.67	--	4.00
GL W XL	70.36	73.56	67.47	73.21	69.36	74.00	22.00
GL W LG	60.00	69.33	58.75	67.50	76.54	64.00	11.00
GL W MD	--	--	58.50	59.75	52.60	--	13.00
GL W SM	--	--	--	--	33.00	36.00	1.50
GL BR SM	--	--	--	--	31.00	--	0.50
NRBS - 48	--	--	--	--	48.00	50.00	9.00

CLASS	SC		NW		SW		LOADS
	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	
GL W J	70.00	75.60	--	--	--	145.00	3.00
GL W XL	74.80	85.00	--	--	--	86.50	10.25
GL W LG	76.96	72.43	82.00	75.33	--	98.52	19.00
GL W MD	63.00	68.50	--	--	--	--	11.00
GL W SM	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.50
GL BR MD	58.00	--	--	--	--	--	1.00
GL BR SM	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.50

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 Spent Light Fowl](#)

Prices are trending steady. Demand is light for the more than sufficient offerings of spent hens. Processing schedules for next week are normal to less than normal. Market activity is slow. The majority price for removal cost are unchanged at 0-7 cents per head. Feature activity is light and centered in the Southeast.

(live hens are predominately egg-layers averaging about 3.5 lbs. live weight per bird.)

Eastern region = AL, CT, DE, GA, KY, MA, MD, ME, MS, NC, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, SC, TN, VA, VT, and WV; **North Central** = IA, IL, IN, MI, MN, ND, NE, OH, SD, WI; **South Central** = AR, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, TX.

[Weekly Cold Storage Holdings](#) –

~in Selected Centers, Includes Government Stocks in Thousands of Pounds~

Frozen Eggs 5/17/2021	5/1/2021	Change from First of the Month in Total Pounds	% Change from First of the Month
2,399	2,363	36	2%

Revised Last Week data

5/10/2021	5/1/2021		
2,406	2,363	43	2%

Cold Storage Holdings - Pacific Coast

Frozen Eggs	5/17/2021	05/10/21	05/18/20
Pacific w/out Denver:	51	53	46
Los Angeles:	0	0	0

[National Retail Egg Purchases](#)

Cooperators estimate orders for the week ending May 28, 2021 will increase by 1 percent. Present week purchases for the week ending May 21, 2021 were 213,105 cases which was 9 percent below the prior week and 9 percent below estimates.

	CARTONED	LOOSE	TOTAL
Cases purchased present week.....	176,416	36,689	213,105
% change from the prior week.....	-9	-10	-9

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

[Canadian Eggs](#)

Minimum prices for producers' f.o.b. farm as set by Ontario egg producers (Canadian dollars per dozen) as reported by Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, AISD, AID, Poultry Section Week Ending May 15, 2021

GRADE A	XLG	LRG	MED	SMALL
	2.27	2.27	1.99	1.59

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