



## USDA, AMS, Poultry Market News Weekly Egg Products Report

### The "SOURCE" of Poultry and Egg Market Information

**12-Metro Area Shell Eggs** - week ending 20-Oct-00 - Average retail and invoice prices on sales to volume buyers, Grade A or better, white Large eggs in cartons, delivered store door (cents per dozen).

	Northeast	Midwest	Southern	Western	12-Metro Area
<b>This week</b>	72.14	65.14	74.63	90.28	77.27
<b>Last week</b>	72.01	65.14	73.91	90.28	77.18

**Selected Cities Large** - 20-Oct-00 **New York** 71-74 **Chicago** 64-69 **California** 95

**Weekly Shell Egg and Breaking Stock Inventory** - 16-Oct-00 - (30 DOZEN CASES - IN THOUSANDS)

	Northeast	North Central	South Central	South Atlantic	Pacific	5-Area	Breaking Stock	Total
<b>Current week</b>	123.7	236.5	121.6	176.0	188.3	846.1	375.7	1221.8
<b>% change PW</b>	-1	14	0	5	0	4	-4	2

**Breaking Stock** 20-Oct-00 - prices paid cents/dozen, material exchanged, 30-dozen case equivalent, 48 lb minimum, delivered to breakers.

	Central States	Eastern Region
<b>Nest Run</b>	44-47 M 45-46	39-42
<b>Checks &amp; Undergrades</b>	29-32	26-31

**Eggs Processed** under federal inspection week ending 14-Oct-00.  
Pounds in Thousands (excludes ingredients)

	Cases Broken	Liquid Whole	Liquid White	Liquid Yolk	Dried	Inedible
<b>Current Week</b>	1,174,939	26,943	11,726	6,040	2,403	4,037
<b>Previous Week</b>	1,181,021	27,275	11,291	6,149	2,369	3,884
<b>Last Year</b>	1,245,446	28,772	11,437	6,558	2,803	3,858
<b>% Change PW</b>	-1	-1	4	-2	1	4
<b>% Change LY</b>	-6	-6	3	-8	-14	5
<b>To Date 2000</b>	47,998,976	1,083,185	483,698	259,643	116,526	159,676
<b>To Date 1999</b>	45,667,636	1,053,529	435,948	237,825	106,111	144,378

**AVERAGE YIELD PER CASE**

**Current Week:** 41.49      **Previous Week:** 41.15      **Last Year:** 40.65

**National Liquid Eggs** - 20-Oct-00 - 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
<b>Whole</b>	12	38.5-41	39.79	-.89
<b>Whites</b>	15	24-26.5	25.10	.25
<b>Yolks</b>	9	58.75-60	59.25	-.47

Pasteurized salt yolk reported from 59 to 64 cents fob, mostly 62 to 64 cents fob with no pasteurized whites reported.

**Frozen Egg Prices** - 20-Oct-00 - wholesale selling price cents/lb, 30-lb containers.

Class	Trucklot		Less-than-Trucklot (min 25 cont.)	
	Eastern	Central	Eastern	South California <sup>2</sup>
Whole	49-52 M 50-51	49-52 M 50-52	53-56	55-58
Blends <sup>3</sup>	Too Few To Report	-	65-82	-
Whites	36-39 M 37-39	36-39 M 37-39	43-54	41-44
Yolks <sup>4</sup>				
Sugared	66-71 M 66-69	66-71 M 67-69	68-70	71-74
Salted	60-70 M 63-65	63-70 M 64-66	65-69	68-71

<sup>2</sup> f.o.b. shipping point

<sup>3</sup> whole plus yolk plus sweetener, generally 28-32% egg solids

<sup>4</sup> minimum 43% solids

**National Dried Egg Prices** - 20-Oct-00 - wholesale selling prices \$/lb, in containers, trucklot and less-than-trucklot volumes.

Class	Range	Mostly
Whole	1.70 - 1.89	1.75 - 1.85
Yolks	1.45 - 1.70	1.55 - 1.60
Albumen, Spray Dried	2.80 - 3.12	2.80 - 2.95
Blends (whole plus sweetener)	1.25 - 1.35	1.27 - 1.30

**Number of Light Hens Sltrd. in Federally Inspected Plants (Thousands)** Weekending 14-Oct-00  
**Fowl Slaughtered in U.S.**      **U.S. Fowl Slaughtered in Canada**      **Total U.S. Fowl Slaughtered**

<b>This week</b>	1,674	<b>This week</b>	293	<b>This week</b>	1,967
<b>Last week</b>	1,796	<b>Last week</b>	427	<b>Last week</b>	2,223
<b>Last year</b>	1,683	<b>Last year</b>	353	<b>Last year</b>	2,036
<b>To Date 2000</b>	78,332	<b>To Date 2000</b>	19,022	<b>To Date 2000</b>	97,354
<b>To Date 1999</b>	85,576	<b>To Date 1999</b>	19,039	<b>To Date 1999</b>	104,615

**Inspected Egg Products**

**U.S. Exports To Canada**, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 07-Oct-00

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	186	33	0	219
Last year*	257	0	0	257
To date 2000	5,612	159	419	6,190
To date 1999	10,875	6	464	11,345

**U.S. Imports From Canada**, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 07-Oct-00

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	57	12	0	69
Last year*	33	36	3	72
To date 2000	4,167	699	712	5,578
To date 1999	3,642	401	169	4,212

**Inspected Shell Eggs**

**U.S. Exports To Canada**, in 30-Dozen Cases (Preliminary) week ending - 07-Oct-00

	Jumbo	XLarge	Large	Medium	Ungraded	Misc	Total
Current week	109	1,530	5,370	615	8,220	0	15,844
Last year*	0	1,530	4,740	750	15,740	0	22,760
To date 2000	2,050	40,592	117,733	27,647	308,734	9,387	506,143
To date 1999	1,131	33,755	114,460	39,164	499,163	7,217	694,890

\*Comparable week, to-date figures may not total due to rounding.