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Regional and California prices are 17 cents higher for Jumbo, up 6 to 15 cents for Extra Large, 5.5 to 17 cents higher for Large, up 5.5 to 13 cents for Medium and Small. New York prices are 1 cent higher on larger sizes, unchanged on Medium. The undertone is steady to higher. Demand into all channels is moderate to good. Offerings are light to moderate. Supplies are light to mostly moderate. Market activity is moderate. Breaking stock floor stocks are light to moderate; breaking schedules are full-time. Spent hen supplies are at least adequate for the unaggressive demand.

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:

Midwest Regional	Range	Mostly
Extra-Large	63-72	66-69
Large	62-71	64-67
Medium	34-43	36-39

Northeast Regional	Range	Mostly
Extra Large	67-98	71-84
Large	61-75	68-70
Medium	37-50	42-44

South Central	Range	Mostly
Extra Large	86.5-95	88-91
Large	74.5-83	76-79
Medium	39.5-48	41-44

Southeast Regional	Range	Mostly
Extra Large	60.5-101	67-70
Large	56.5-81	65-68
Medium	33-56	39-43

Delivered To Store Door:

Midwest Regional	Range	Mostly
Extra Large	70-78	71-73
Large	68-76	69-71
Medium	40-48	41-43

New York	Range	Mostly
Extra Large	78-82	
Large	76-80	
Medium	49-53	

Prices to Consumers Major Chains, New York Metropolitan Area

Extra Large	159-339	159-179
Large	139-309	139-159
Medium	99-299	129-149

Prices Paid To Producers

Iowa-Minnesota-Wisconsin	Range	Mostly
Large	46-56	50
Medium	16-20	18
Small	1-7	

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, GL, GA, MS, NC, SC, eastern TN, & southern VA

North Carolina

Prices weighted average, in small lots, nearby retail outlet.

	Range
Extra Large	98.97
Large	84.71
Medium	56.86
Small	38.00

Weekly New England Shell Eggs

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

	Extra Large	Large	Medium	Small
Maine	107	97	50	37
Mostly	-	-	-	-
New Hampshire	103-107	93-97	46-50	31-35
Mostly	105-106	95-96	48-49	33-34
Rhode Island	110-114	100-104	53-57	38-42
Mostly	110	100	53	38
Vermont	109-115	99-105	50-52	-
Mostly	-	-	-	-

USDA Wholesale Certified Organic Brown Shell Eggs

Prices cents per carton delivered to first receivers

			Price Range	Mostly
Extra Large		doz.	261 - 360	275 - 310
	1/2	doz.	180 - 195	181 - 189
Large		doz.	230 - 350	265 - 300
	1/2	doz.	171 - 190	171 - 178

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 Benchmark prices 17 cents higher for Jumbo, 14 cents higher for Extra Large, 17 cents higher for Large and 13 cents higher for Medium and Small. Trade sentiment is fully steady. Demand is moderate to good. Offerings are light to moderate. Supplies are light to moderate. Market activity is moderate.

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.*

	Range
Jumbo	173
Extra Large	147
Large	137
Medium	90

Southern California: *Prices to Retailers, Sales to Volume Buyers, USDA Grade AA and Grade AA, White Eggs in Cartons, Delivered Store Door, Cents/Dozen*

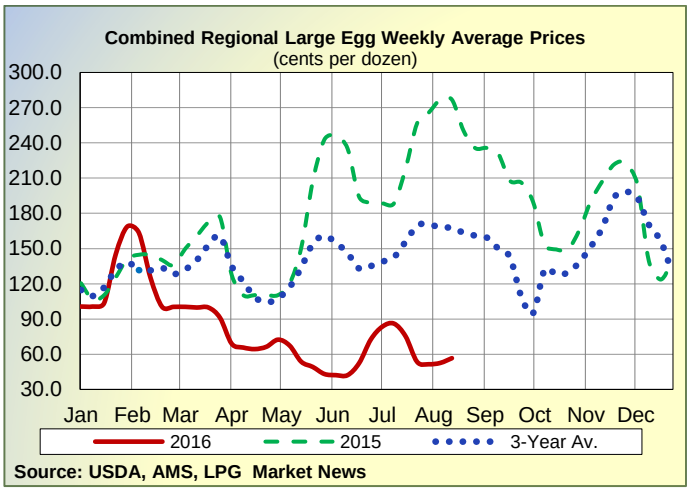
Jumbo	128-138
Extra Large	96-106
Large	91-100
Medium	42-47

Weekly Combined Regional

Average prices on sales to volume buyers, delivered warehouse.

Regions	Ex Large	Large	Medium
Northeast	65.00	56.00	32.00
Southeast	57.50	55.50	30.00
Midwest	54.50	52.50	26.50
South Central	75.50	61.50	31.50
Combined Regional	63.80	56.62	30.04

Computed from simple weekly averages weighted by regional area populations.



Egg Inventory Stocks on Hand Available for Marketing
(30-dozen cases in thousands) /1 (Includes Conventional and Specialty)

Regions	Total Shell Eggs This Week	% Change
Northeast	**102.5**	-9.1%
Southeast	**219.5**	0.2%
Midwest	**384.2**	1.2%
South Central	**215.0**	-12.9%
Southwest	**175.7**	4.7%
Northwest	**94.9**	4.2%
6-Area Total	**1,191.8**	**-2.1%**
Totals	**Cases**	**% Change**
Shell Egg	1,191.8	-2.1%
Breaking Stock	294.3	-3.9%
Total Shell Egg	**1,486.1**	**-2.4%**

Specialty Shell Egg Inventory[2] Stocks on Hand to be Marketed

(30-dozen cases in thousands)	6-Area Total This Week	% Change
Large	**85.1**	0.7%
Ungraded	**115.6**	-4.6%
Total Specialty	**200.6**	**-2.4%**

Percentage of Specialty Shell Egg Inventory Comprised of USDA Certified Organic:

Large:	**29.7%**
Ungraded:	**122.3%**
Total:	**83.0%**

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/ Specialty eggs include certified organic, nutritionally enhanced, cage-free, and vegetarian-fed types. Regional Definitions: **Northeast** = CT, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, AND 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.

Eggs Processed Under Federal Inspection

W/E 13-Aug-2016 (Lbs. In Thousands) (Excludes Ingredients)

Total Production	Cases Broken	Liquid Whole	Liquid White	Liquid Yolk	Dried	Inedible
CW	1,503,233	37,190	13,766	6,479	2,582	4,451
PW	1,571,619	38,005	14,755	6,971	2,909	4,534
LY	1,262,196	31,149	12,004	5,672	1,871	3,854
% PW	-4%	-2%	-7%	-7%	-11%	-2%
% LY	19%	19%	15%	14%	38%	16%
2016	46,093,864	1,119,839	443,031	218,320	82,062	141,025
2015	43,840,299	1,045,960	442,846	213,647	77,741	131,845
% YTD	5%	7%	0%	2%	6%	7%

	Current Week	Prev. Week	Last Year
Average Yield Per Case - (Inedible Included)	41.17	40.89	41.74
Average Yield Per Case - (Inedible Excluded)	38.21	38.01	38.68

In Line Production (of total production; lbs. in thousands; may include a limited amount of off-line source material.)

	Cases Broken Cases	Cases Broken % of Total	Liquid Whole lbs.	Liquid Whole % of Total
Current Week	788,841	52.5%	20,224	54.4%
Previous Week	797,384	50.7%	19,713	51.9%
Last Year	540,410	42.8%	16,025	51.4%

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 steady to lower when compared to the last reported trading with the balance of liquid egg product prices too few to report. The undertone is steady for all liquid egg prices. Offerings are moderate to heavy on mostly moderate demand. Market activity is slow to moderate.

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

Class	Current Week Range	Current Week Loads	Current Week Wtd Avg	Jul Averages Loads	Jul Averages Wtd Avg
Whole	TFEWR				TFEWR
Whites	TFEWR			24	20.25
Yolk	TFEWR				TFEWR

Certified in trucklots; current trading for delivery within 14 days.

Class	Current Week Range	Current Week Loads	Current Week Wtd Avg	Jul Averages Loads	Jul Averages Wtd Avg
Whole	TFEWR				TFEWR
Whites	21.00 - 21.50	17	21.18	12	22.04
Yolk	TFEWR				TFEWR

Frozen Eggs

Frozen whole prices are steady with whites steady to lower and sugared and salted yolk prices steady to higher. The undertone is steady to lower for frozen whites and mostly steady for the balance of frozen egg products. Offerings are usually moderate on light to moderate demand. Floor stocks are light to moderate. Market activity is moderate to at times slow.

Packed in 30-pound containers; Prices in cents per pound

Trucklot	Current Week Range	Current Week Mostly	Jul Averages This Month	Jul Averages Last Month
Whole	43.00 - 52.00	45.00 - 50.00	47.75	46.50
Whites	40.00 - 52.00	44.00 - 50.00	47.50	51.20
Sugar Yolk [1/]	82.00 - 95.00	86.00 - 92.00	89.88	89.80
Salt Yolk [1/]	83.00 - 95.00	85.00 - 92.00	89.63	89.30

1/ Minimum 43% solids.

Dried Eggs

Prices are steady to lower for whole and yolk, lower for albumen and blends. The undertone is steady on whole and blends, lower on the balance of dried products. Demand outside of regular commitments is moderate with an increase of inquires noted into next year. Offerings are moderate to heavy. Supplies remain in a full range, mostly moderate to heavy for needs. Market activity is moderate.

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

Class	Current Week Range	Current Week Mostly	Jul Averages This Month	Jul Averages Last Month
Whole	1.45 - 1.85	1.45 - 1.60	1.70	1.74
Yolk	1.79 - 2.30	1.80 - 1.90	2.09	2.07
Albumen [2/]	2.79 - 3.45	2.85 - 3.05	3.77	4.35
Blends [3/]	1.70 - 1.75		1.79	1.85

2/ Spray Dried; 3/ Whole plus sweetener.

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	Range	Mostly
Breaking Stock	15-17	
Checks	6-11	6-8

Central States Area: AR, CO, IA, IL, IN, KS, LA, MI, MN, MO, NM, ND, NE, OH, OK, SD, TX, & WI

Eastern Region	Range	Mostly
Breaking Stock	13-22	15-19
Checks	3-9	

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 August 15, 2016 - August 19, 2016 – (cents/doz.)
Courtesy of U.S.D.A. Federal/State Market News

Current Loads 159.00 Future Loads 37.25 Total Loads 196.25

	SE		NE		MW		
CLASS	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**LOADS**
GNR W 1	42.50	--	34.00	41.33	27.00	41.63	21.00
GNR W 3	--	--	--	--	27.00	30.00	2.00
GNR BR 1	--	31.50	--	36.50	--	--	6.00
GL W J	--	--	61.00	63.00	115.00	--	2.00
GL W XL	--	84.50	49.67	52.00	72.52	74.41	32.00
GL W LG	--	43.00	47.33	48.41	66.95	55.00	96.75
GL W MD	20.00	--	21.50	24.86	21.21	23.25	20.00
GL BR LG	50.00	--	--	--	48.17	--	4.00
GL BR MD	40.00	--	--	--	--	--	1.00
NRBS BR 39	--	--	5.00	--	15.00	15.50	3.00
NRBS - 48	--	--	--	--	41.00	45.00	9.00
NRBS - 39	--	9.50	--	--	4.50	--	2.00

	SC		NW		SW		
CLASS	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**ORG**	**DST**	**LOADS**
GL W J	--	--	--	--	--	129.00	1.00
GL W XL	68.50	83.53	--	--	--	102.67	14.00
GL W LG	64.00	76.56	--	62.50	100.00	100.85	86.50
GL W MD	18.75	28.67	--	--	--	27.00	9.00
GL W SM	12.00	--	--	--	--	15.00	1.00
GL BR J	30.00	40.00	--	--	--	--	.25
GL BR XL	24.00	34.00	--	--	--	--	.25
GL BR LG	22.00	32.00	--	--	--	--	.50
GL BR MD	17.00	27.00	--	--	--	--	.50
NRBS - 48	--	--	--	--	--	--	5.00

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. Supplies of light type hens are at least sufficient for light and unaggressive demand. Processing schedules for next week were noted as normal. Movement of finished product are light to moderate for trade requirements. Market activity is slow to moderate. The majority price for removal costs are unchanged at 0-7 cents per head.

(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.

Frozen Eggs (000) lbs.

Weekly Cold Storage Holdings

Selected Centers, incl. Gov't Stocks

AM	08/15/16	2,889
AM	08/01/16	2,851
CHG		38
PCT CHG		1%

Cold Storage Holdings Pacific without Denver

	08/15/16	08/08/16	08/17/15
Pacific Coast:			
	54	54	78
Los Angeles:			
	0	0	0

National Retail Egg Purchases

Cooperators estimate orders for the week ending August 26, 2016 will increase by 0 percent. Present week purchases for the week ending August 19, 2016 were 166,334 cases which was 1 percent above the prior week and 0 percent above estimates.

	Cartoned	Loose	Total
Cases purchased present week.....	132,182	34,152	166,334
% change from the prior week	+5	-12	+1

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

Canadian Eggs

Week of Aug 8, 2016
Quebec/Montreal: wholesale prices-graded in cartons (Canadian dollars) as reported by Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, AISD, AID, Poultry Section.

Grade A	Extra Large	Large	Medium	Small
		Unavailable		

Minimum prices for producers' f.o.b. farm as set by Ontario egg producers.

Grade A	Extra Large	Large	Medium	Small
	1.79	1.79	1.58	1.18

Inspected Egg Products-U.S. & Canada Import/Export Trade

U.S. Exports to Canada, in Pounds (000) (Preliminary)

	Week Ending Aug 06, 2016		Year-To-Date*	
Type	**2016**	**2015 /1**	**2016 /2**	**2015**
Liquid	96	0	1,099	789
Frozen	0	0	0	0
Dried	0	5	432	954
Total	96	5	1,531	1,743

U.S. Imports From Canada, in Pounds (000) (Preliminary)

Type	2016	2015 /1	2016 /2	2015
Liquid	63	60	3,211	3,707
Frozen	130	7	1,582	1,061
Dried	0	42	126	289
Total	193	109	4,919	5,057

Inspected Shell Eggs
U.S Exports to Canada, In 30-Dozen Cases (Preliminary)

	2016	2015 /1	2016 /2	2015
Jumbo	0	0	0	0
Extra Large	4,050	3,060	168,537	64,590
Large	1,290	4,650	237,141	186,767
Medium	0	0	1,710	1,560
Ungraded	7,380	24,696	419,746	765,343
Misc	0	0	3,390	2,508
Total	12,720	32,406	830,524	1,020,768

/1 Comparable Week, to-date figures may not total due to rounding.
/2 Includes revisions to previous week(s)
*Note: Year to-date totals reflect comparable time periods.
Data Source: Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, AISD, AID, Poultry Section