National Shell Egg Index Price Report Agricultural Marketing Service, Livestock, Poultry & Grain Market News

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All Prices In Cents Per Dozen, Negotiated for Spot Delivery Within 14 Days

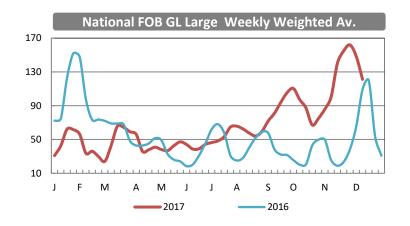
National FOB shell egg weighted average prices are mostly lower. The undertone is steady to weak. Demand is moderate. Offerings are light to moderate. Supplies are mostly moderate. Market activity is slow to moderate. California delivered prices are steady but lightly tested. The undertone is steady to lower. Demand is mostly moderate. Offerings are moderate for the larger sizes and light for Medium. Supplies are moderate. Market activity is slow to moderate.

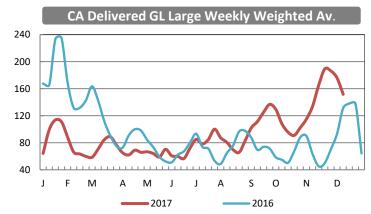
National FOB Shell Egg 5-Day Rolling Average For Animal Care Certified Graded Loose Shell Eggs

	Current Trading					Week Ago Trading				Year Ago Trading			
Egg Class	Loads	<u>Range</u>	Wtd Avg	Change 1/		Loads	Wtd Avg	Change 2/		Loads	Wtd Avg	Change 3/	
GL W J	5.00	128.00 - 163.00	142.00			1.00	129.00	1	13.00	4.00	112.00	1	30.00
GL W XL	14.00	105.50 - 156.00	130.39	1	-0.80	12.00	146.00	1	-15.61	34.25	116.90	1	13.50
GL W L	16.00	102.50 - 149.00	117.72	1	-3.46	31.00	138.15	1	-20.43	61.25	113.57	1	4.15
GL W M	10.00	87.50 - 99.00	94.00	1	-0.30	12.00	94.42	1	-0.42	11.00	58.23	1	35.77
GL W S	2.00	70.00 - 76.00	73.00	1	-0.67	5.00	58.20	1	14.80	5.00	32.00	1	41.00

California Delivered Shell Egg 5-Day Rolling Average For Graded Loose Shell Eggs

	Current Trading				v	Veek Ago Tr	ading	Year Ago Trading			
Egg Class	Loads	<u>Range</u>	Wtd Avg	Change 1/	Loads	Wtd Avg	Change 2/	Loads	Wtd Avg	Change 3/	
GL W J								1.00	131.00		
GL W XL	3.00	153.00 - 170.00	160.67		5.00	173.60	-12.93	2.25	138.67	22.00	
GL W L	3.00	147.00 - 154.00	151.67		7.00	175.93	- 24.26	2.75	135.45	16.21	
GL W M	11.00	129.00 - 137.00	133.91	0.41	11.50	128.96	4.95	3.00	64.00	1 69.91	





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Explanatory Notes

1/: Represents the difference between the current weighted average and the weighted average reported the previous day, 2/: Represents the difference between the current weighted average and the weighted average reported the same day last week, 3/: Represents the difference between the current weighted average and the weighted average reported the previous year.

Source: USDA Livetock, Poultry, & Grain Market News; www.ams.usda.gov/market-news/livestock-poultry-grain