

Daily National Shell Egg Index Report (5-day rolling average)

Agricultural Marketing Service Livestock, Poultry, and Grain Market News

** Report Correction on Fri May 2, 2025 **

Thu May 1, 2025

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Report for: 05/01/2025

Special Note: **CORRECTION National Cage Free Graded Loose Brown Medium is a FOB Price.**

National FOB shell egg weighted average prices are steady to higher for conventional, steady to lower for cage free. The undertone is steady. Retail movement remains light to moderate. Food service movement is light to at times moderate. Offerings are light to moderate on generally moderate. Market activity is moderate. California weighted average delivered prices are mixed. The undertone is weak. Movement into retail and food service channels is light. Offerings are light. Supplies are moderate. Market activity is slow to moderate.

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	NEGOTIATED REGIONAL VOLUME MOVEMENT											
Shell Eggs (30-Dozen Cases)												
			Desti	nation								
Origin	MW	NE	NW	SC	SE	SW	Total					
MW	3,150	1,620		22,312	6,162	3,366	36,610					
NE	720	13,074		4,860	8,982		27,636					
NW						1,590	1,590					
SC	7,380		2,340	1,680		9,198	20,598					
SE					3,432	780	4,212					
Total	11,250	14,694	2,340	28,852	18,576	14,934	90,646					

NATIONAL SHELL EGGS¹ - Caged

30-Dozen Cases / Cents Per Dozen / FOB

Туре	Color	Class	Volume	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Change	Last Reported (4/30/2025)	Year Ago
Graded Loose	White	Jumbo	1,440	305.00 - 317.00	311.00	0.00	311.00	
	White	Extra Large	13,260	320.00 - 355.00	334.59	7.71	326.88	
	White	Large	31,384	291.00 - 340.00	326.82	2.07	324.75	
	White	Medium	5,520	292.00 - 313.00	299.94	0.74	299.20	
	White	Small	1,008	158.00 - 158.00	158.00	0.00	158.00	
	Brown	Large	1,560	300.00 - 315.00	307.50	7.50	300.00	
Gradeable Nest Run	White	1	780	336.00 - 336.00	336.00	0.00	336.00	
	Brown	1					205.00	

NATIONAL SHELL EGGS¹ - Cage-Free

30-Dozen Cases / Cents Per Dozen / FOB

						Last Reported				
Туре	Color	Class	Volume	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Change	(4/30/2025)	Year Ago		
Graded Loose	White	Large	11,340	400.00 - 415.00	410.30	-11.61	421.91			
	White	Medium	840	345.00 - 345.00	345.00	0.00	345.00			

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Graded Loose	Brown	Large	2,340	400.00 - 400.00	400.00	0.00	400.00
	Brown	Medium	840	320.00 - 320.00	320.00	0.00	320.00

NATIONAL SHELL EGGS¹ - USDA Organic

30-Dozen Cases / Cents Per Dozen / FOB

							Last Reported	
Type	Color	Class	Volume	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Change	(4/30/2025)	Year Ago
Graded Loose	Brown	Large	3,120	475.00 - 475.00	475.00	0.00	475.00	
Gradeable Nest Run	Brown	1	2,280	432.00 - 452.00	444.53	0.00	444.53	

CALIFORNIA SHELL EGGS¹ - Cage-Free

30-Dozen Cases / Cents Per Dozen / Delivered

							Last Reported	
Type	Color	Class	Volume	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Change	(4/30/2025)	Year Ago
Graded Loose	White	Extra Large	1,560	430.00 - 455.00	443.27	12.24	431.03	
	White	Large	7,518	400.00 - 491.00	439.11	-14.05	453.16	
	White	Medium	1,776	300.00 - 340.00	321.08	0.00	321.08	
	Brown	Large	4,080	425.00 - 426.00	425.62	0.00	425.62	

Explanatory Notes:

Regional Definitions:

Northeast = CT, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, and VT

Southeast = AL, FL, GA, MS, NC, SC, TN, VA, and WV

Midwest = IA, IL, IN, KY, MI, MN, ND, NE, OH, SD, and WI

South Central = AR, AZ, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, TX, and UT

Southwest = CA and NV

Northwest = ID, MT, OR, WA, and WY

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^{1 -} Egg prices are negotiated for spot delivery within 14 days; Graded Loose is Grade A or higher.