

PRODUCTION

Organic Poultry Slaughtered under Federal Inspection

Live weight in lbs. **Week Ending 12-29-18**

	Current Week		Last Week	
	Head	Avg Wght	Head	Avg Wght
CHICKEN	778,497	6.30	1,175,879	6.72
TURKEY	0	0.00	14,963	34.01

Estimated Weekly Organic Table Egg Production

(does not reflect all organic production; estimates based on data collected from industry cooperators and other sources.)

Est. Layer Flock Size: 15,686,000 hens

Est. Lay Rate: 75.8%

Weekly Egg Production: 231,042 30-dozen cases

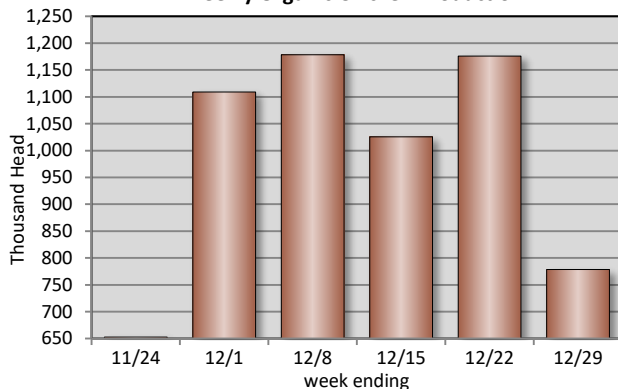
Weekly Organic Shell Egg Inventory

(stocks on hand on Dec-31-2018 to be marketed as Organic)

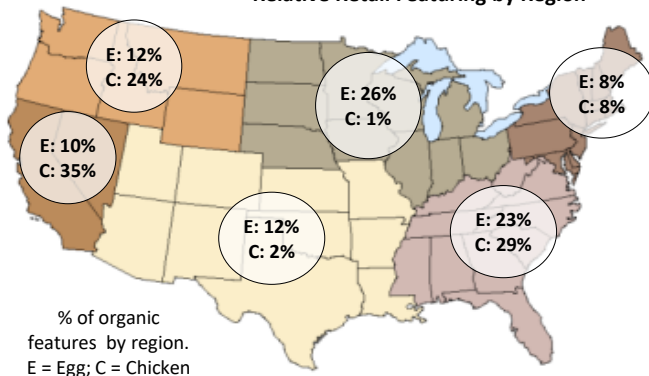
30-doz cases in 1,000's	% Change	Based on a representative sample of U.S. inventory.
Total: 72.1	-1.4%	

GRAPHS

Weekly Organic Chicken Production



Relative Retail Featuring by Region ^{2/}



WHOLESALE

Organic Brown Shell Eggs in Cartons

(price cents per carton delivered to first receivers)

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

Organic Young Chicken

(price cents per pound delivered to first receivers)

	Price Range	Mostly
Whole Fryer		
B/S Breast		
Bone-in Breast		Data Not Available
Whole Legs		
Thighs		
Whole Wings		

RETAIL

Store featuring during the week of 01/04 to 01/10

Advertised Prices for Organic Brown Eggs in Cartons

(prices in dollars per dozen carton)

	Stores	Wtd Avg	Feature Rate
Extra Large:	213	3.79	44.7% of shell egg features.
Large:	6,441	3.42	

Advertised Prices for Organic Young Chicken

(prices \$/lb, fresh tray-pack product unless noted)

	Stores	Wtd Avg	Feature Rate
Whole Fryer	356	2.57	8.1% of chicken features.
Bnls/Sknl's Breast	2,122	7.06	
Breast Tenders	1,523	7.45	
Split, bn-in Breast	169	4.99	
Whole Wings			
Legs			
Thighs	212	3.54	
Drumsticks	326	2.56	
Bnls/Sknl's Thighs	189	5.88	

Graph Explanatory Notes:

2/: percentages reflect feature activity for organic poultry and eggs relative to the sample size of each region. Numbers may not add up due to rounding.

3/: Seasonal; non-basted, w/o net and timer; consumer sizes.

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 NOP website at www.ams.usda.gov/NOPNationalOrganicProgramHome.