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## Statistics on Egg Prices Honolulu Retail Market, April 2025

Egg prices in the Honolulu retail market were mixed in April 2025. The benchmark price for a dozen large, locally produced conventional eggs increased marginally by 0.7% to \$9.58 compared to the previous month. In contrast, the price of conventional mainland eggs declined modestly by 1.5% over the same period. The price range for both local and mainland-sourced eggs narrowed, suggesting more consistent pricing across retailers. Meanwhile, prices for larger quantity cartons (18-count), experienced a slight decline.

The price of locally produced organic eggs increased sharply by 18.8%, to \$12.07 per dozen, in the leadup to the Easter holiday. The price for mainland-imported organic eggs also increased, though more modestly, by 2.6% to \$9.74 per dozen. As a result, the average price differential between locally produced and U.S. imported organic eggs increased to \$2.33 per dozen, up from 67 cents previously.

| Origin                 | CT<br>Size | March 2025<br>Avg. Price | April 2025<br>Avg. Price | Monthly<br>Change | March 2025<br>Price Range | April 2025<br>Price Range |
|------------------------|------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Local                  | 12         | \$9.51                   | \$9.58                   | 0.7%              | \$6.49-\$11.79            | \$5.82-\$10.99            |
|                        | 18         | \$14.05                  | \$13.79                  | -1.9%             | \$10.49-\$15.99           | \$10.49-\$15.99           |
| U.S.                   | 12         | \$9.46                   | \$9.32                   | -1.5%             | \$6.49-\$10.99            | \$4.97-\$10.99            |
|                        | 18         | \$14.17                  | \$13.87                  | -2.1%             | \$8.99-\$15.99            | \$8.99-\$16.29            |
| Local-U.S.<br>Variance | 12         | \$0.05                   | \$0.26                   |                   |                           |                           |

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|------------------------|------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Local                  | 12         | \$10.16                  | \$12.07                  | 18.8%             | \$7.99-\$11.99            | \$11.49-\$12.99           |
|                        | 18         | N/A                      | N/A                      | N/A               | N/A                       | N/A                       |
| U.S.                   | 12         | \$9.49                   | \$9.74                   | 2.6%              | \$9.49-\$9.49             | \$9.49-\$9.99             |
|                        | 18         | N/A                      | N/A                      | N/A               | N/A                       | N/A                       |
| Local-U.S.<br>Variance | 12         | \$0.67                   | \$2.33                   |                   |                           |                           |

 Table 2: Organic Egg Price in the Honolulu Retail Market, March and April, 2025

## Chart 1: U.S. Average Egg Price Per Dozen and Percentage Change at Retail, January 2024 to March 2025



Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics. Eggs, Grade A, Large, Per Dozen, in U.S. City Average, Average Price. Available at: <u>https://data.bls.gov/timeseries/APU0000708111</u> (accessed April 14, 2025).

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