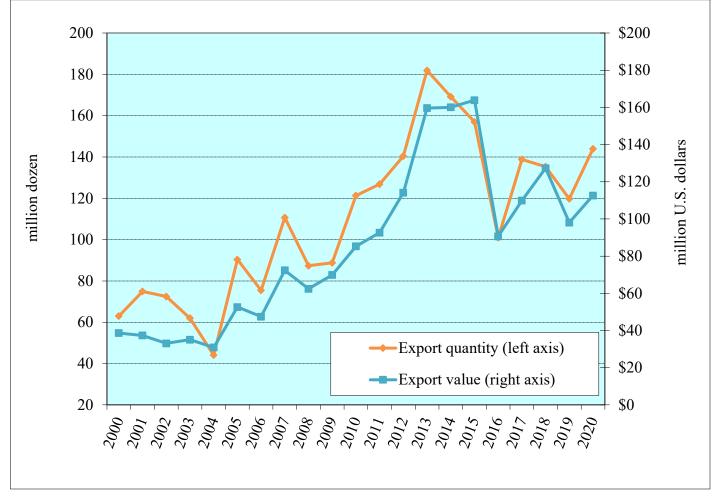
## **U.S. Egg Exports Gain in First Half of 2020**

## Year-to-Date Egg Exports Continue to Gain

Total egg exports (table eggs plus egg products in shell egg equivalent) for the first half of 2020 increased by 20.2% to 143.9 million dozen. The value of those exports grew by 14.8% to \$112.6 million.



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U.S. exports of table eggs and egg products (in shell equivalent) in Jan-June since 2000.

Source: USDA/FAS/GATS Database as published in the August 10, 2020 issue of USAPEEC's "Monday Line".

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## TABLE EGG EXPORTS

Cumulative exports of table eggs for January through June this year were 65.0 million dozen, up 1.5% from the same period a year earlier, while export value reached \$59.2 million, up 14.7%. Of the total shipments, 91.3% or 59.4 million dozen were shipped to the top six export markets, namely Hong Kong, Mexico, Canada, the U.A.E., Bahamas, and Israel.

Table egg exports for June 2020 were 11.6 million dozen, up 0.4% from the same month of last year, while export value was \$8.2 million, up 3.9%. June exports to Mexico increased by 154% year over year to 5.2 million dozen, while exports to Hong Kong decreased by 35.2% to 3.8 million dozen and exports to Canada dropped by 97.8% to merely 56,224 dozen. Shipments to the U.A.E., Oman, Guatemala, and Bahamas increased.



## EGG PRODUCT EXPORTS

For egg products, cumulative exports in January-June 2020 were 20,085 metric tons, up 34.6% from the same period of last year, while export value was \$53.4 million, up 14.9%. Export sales to the top six markets including Japan, Mexico, Canada, EU-27 (plus UK), South Korea, and Philippines accounted for 82.7% or \$44.2 million.

June exports of egg products were 2,972 metric tons, up 13.7% from the same month of last year, while export value was \$7.9 million, down 2.1%. Export sales to Japan were \$2.3 million, down 21.1%, while exports to Canada were \$1.6 million, up 55.3%. Exports to Mexico increased by 9.5% to \$1.1 million, exports to EU-27 (plus UK) increased by 63.4% to \$0.8 million. While export sales to South Korea, Vietnam, and India increased significantly, export value to the Philippines, U.A.E. and Australia decreased notably. Analysis was provided by USAPEEC's Dr. Renan Zhuang.