

**Novice
Egg & Pullet Farmers
Egg Supply Management
Information Session
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Ontario Processed and Further Processed Markets:

What Are They &
How Are They Filled?

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History of Surplus Removal, Industrial Product, Processed, Further Processed Sectors

- When the egg supply management system was originally set up, eggs surplus to the table market were called 'Surplus Removal' and represented about 10% of all egg production.
- 'Surplus Removal' became known as 'Industrial Product' and now eggs surplus to the table market are called Processed & Further Processed [P&FP].
- Provincially, [in Ontario] 23% production is currently destined for the P&FP market, Nationally approximately 30%.

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How is product sourced for the P&FP sector?

- On a weekly basis, grading stations declare the number of eggs that are not needed to fill their table requirements.
- This is called “buy back”.
- The eggs are “bought back” in order to be re-sold to the P&FP sectors at the current USA \$ price.
- This is done in order to maintain the processing sector and keep jobs in Ontario/Canada.

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What is the size of the P&FP sector?

- In Canada there are eight [8] breakers [breaking plants];
- In Ontario there are six [6] breakers [breaking plants];
- Nationally: approximately 200,000 – 15 dozen boxes each week are sent to the breakers;
- Provincially [Ontario]: approximately 122,000 – 15 dozen boxes each week are sent to the breakers.

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P&FP - what are some of their products?

63% Ingredient Segment:

**Liquid Egg in Pails;
Dried Egg**

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P&FP - what are some of their products?

26% Value-Added Segments:

**Egg Patties for Breakfast
Sandwiches;
Omelettes**

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P&FP - what are some of their products?

11% Retail Segments:

**Liquid Egg Cartons;
Hard Cooked Eggs**

**[sold at retail in smaller
packaging sizes]**

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What is Eggs For Processing [EFP] and how does it fit into the picture?

- In order to meet the increased demand by the P&FP sectors, EFP was started in 1999; in order to place birds where the eggs are needed vs national allocation.
- **EFP eggs:** approximately 21,000 – 15 dozen boxes weekly; the equivalent of 700,000 layers – 8.5% of each hen's production.
- **EFP Pool:** EFP allotment is a % allowance permitting producers to possess fowl and produce and market eggs from such fowl above the amount authorized by the producer's quota for a share of pooled returns.

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QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

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