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DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER FACTS FAX

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DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET, US Grade A, Week Ending 06-JUN-08

DATE	PRODUCTION (000)		ICE-PACKED, MULTI-DROP, IMMEDIATE DELIVERY			
	Actual Slaughter	Live Weight	Price Range	Weighted Price	# of Boxes	
06/02	2,316	5.82	73-90	(A)	(A)	
06/03	2,286	5.91	73-93	(A)	(A)	
06/04	2,177	5.89	72-90	(A)	(A)	
06/05	2,260	5.83	67-93	(A)	(A)	
06/06	2,531	5.84	63-90	(A)	(A)	
Weekly	11,570	5.85	Cumulative:		(A)	(A)

(A)Not released to avoid disclosing individual operations

NEGOTIATED TRADING, USDA GRADE A WHOLE ICE-PACKED, Week of 09-JUN-08

Weighted Averages for:	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
New York	77.55	77.67	82.60
Chicago	77.34	77.46	78.41
Detroit	79.18	78.64	81.89
Los Angeles	92.29	92.18	87.75
Composite Weighted Average	82.06	82.82	81.88

NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS Ice-Packed, Delivered first receivers, pool and trucklot volumes, cents per pound, Week Ending 06-JUN-2008

	Weekly Weighted Average Price	Total Volume/Pounds
Breast - B/S	141.03	2,925,066
Tenderloins	134.21	634,970
Breast - With Ribs	87.92	507,120
Breast - Line Run	80.02	309,600
Legs	71.20	737,720
Leg Quarters (Bulk)	48.80	991,360
Drumsticks	71.98	379,429
Thighs	69.20	310,840
B/S Thighs	128.51	282,080
Wings (Whole)	92.58	738,930

(Includes NY City metro area, RI, Northern NJ, MA, CT, PA (NE of Harrisburg))

BROILER EGGS SET AND CHICKS PLACED (000), Week Ending 31-MAY-08

	Current Week	Last Week	10-Weeks Prior	7-Weeks Prior
Eggs Set	216,480	216,453	218,990	215,850
Chicks Placed	175,570	176,575	180,055	181,091

SLAUGHTER OF YOUNG CHICKENS UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION W/E 31-MAY-08

	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
Head (000)	152,590	167,881	155,232
Average Live Weight	5.43	5.54	5.46
To Date 2008 (000)	3,604,170	3,451,580	-----
To Date 2007 (000)	3,482,518	3,327,486	-----

MONTHLY COLD STORAGE: Total frozen poultry supplies on April 30, 2008 were up 4 % from the previous month and up 28 % from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were down 1 % from the previous month but up 24 % from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 15 % from last month and up 37 % from April 30, 2007.

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