# USDA Weekly National Whole Broiler/Fryer Report (Fri)

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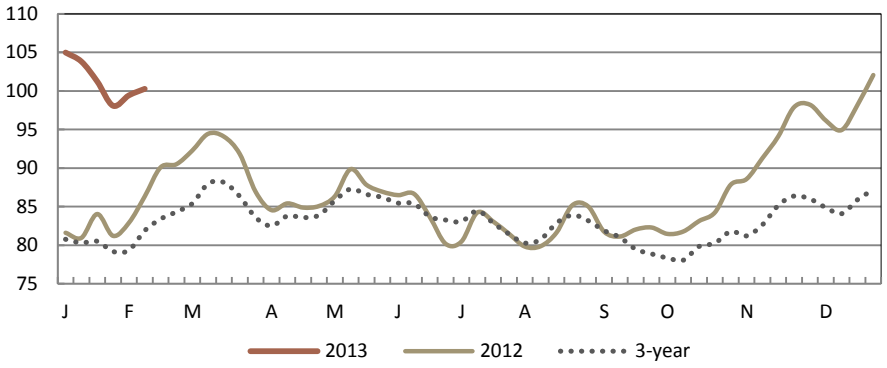
## NATIONAL COMPOSITE WEIGHTED AVERAGE

| | Wtd Avg | Change | 1,000 lbs. |
|---|---|---|---|
| **This Week:** | 100.27 | 0.84 | 12,350 |
| **Last Week:** | 99.43 | | 10,348 |
| **Last Year:** | 86.32 | 13.95 | 12,840 |

| Monthly Composite Weighted Average | | |
|---|---|---|
| **Jan** | 101.48 | 58,174 |




## WEEK IN REVIEW

Prices are steady to firm in the Eastern and Central regions and steady in the Western region when compared to the previous week. Offerings are light to moderate at most. Demand into retail and food service channels is light to moderate with good weekend movement. Buyers are cautious when ordering keeping floor stocks balanced to light. Market activity is slow to moderate.

## EASTERN REGION

| | THIS WEEK | | | | | LAST WEEK | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Price Range | Majority | Wtd Avg | Change | 1,000 lbs. | Wtd Avg | 1,000 lbs. |
| Whole Body: | 86.00 - 126.00 | 97.00 - 105.00 | 102.61 | ↑ 0.82 | 6,065 | 101.79 | 5,507 |
| WOGS: | 93.00 - 112.00 | 98.00 - 104.00 | 101.09 | ↑ 0.38 | 1,838 | 100.70 | 1,262 |
| **NEW YORK** | | | | | | | |
| Whole Body: | 94.00 - 108.00 | 100.00 - 106.00 | 102.35 | ↑ 0.52 | 1,613 | 101.83 | 1,473 |

## CENTRAL REGION

| | THIS WEEK | | | | | LAST WEEK | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Price Range | Majority | Wtd Avg | Change | 1,000 lbs. | Wtd Avg | 1,000 lbs. |
| Whole Body: | 79.00 - 108.50 | 89.00 - 98.00 | 94.65 | ↑ 0.40 | 3,653 | 94.24 | 3,574 |
| WOGS: | 79.00 - 103.00 | 89.00 - 97.00 | 92.37 | ↑ 1.02 | 2,758 | 91.35 | 2,604 |
| **CHICAGO** | | | | | | | |
| Whole Body: | 79.00 - 108.25 | 87.00 - 97.00 | 93.95 | ↓ 0.41 | 1,885 | 94.36 | 1,920 |

## WESTERN REGION

| | THIS WEEK | | | | | LAST WEEK | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Price Range | Majority | Wtd Avg | Change | 1,000 lbs. | Wtd Avg | 1,000 lbs. |
| Whole Body: | 90.00 - 126.00 | 98.00 - 109.00 | 102.69 | ↓ 1.08 | 2,631 | 103.77 | 1,266 |
| WOGS: | 90.00 - 110.00 | 98.00 - 102.00 | 98.66 | ↓ 0.80 | 1,912 | 99.46 | 760 |
| **LOS ANGELES** | | | | | | | |
| Whole Body: | 90.00 - 126.00 | 98.00 - 109.00 | 101.81 | ↓ 0.31 | 1,832 | 102.12 | 886 |

## EXPLANATORY NOTES

Negotiated prices in trucklot and less-than-trucklot quantities of ready-to-cook whole body broiler/fryers delivered to first receivers; prices in cents per pound; volume in thousands of pounds.

**Eastern Region:** AL,CT,DE,FL,GA,MA,MD,ME,MS,NC,NH,NJ,NY,PA,RI,SC,TN,VT,VA,WV. **Central Region:** AR,CO,IA, IL,IN,KS,KY,LA,MI,MN,MO,NE,NM,OK,OH,SD,TX,WI. **Western Region:** AZ,CA,ID,MT,NV,OR,UT,WA,WY.

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