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Movement is moderate entering the week, best where feature activity was planned. Offerings of tenders and breast cuts are readily available and slow to clear; wings and most dark meat cuts are moderate to heavy for current needs. Weights are mixed but noted as mostly desirable.

YOUNG CHICKENS SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION Classified by Weight - Week Ending Aug 24, 2013

	classified by Weight Week Ending Aug 24, 2015					
	4.25 lbs.	4.26 -	6.26 -	7.76 lbs	Total	
	& down	6.25 lbs	7.75 lbs	& up	Total	
Head (1,000's)	44,147	57,221	31,968	28,147	161,483	
Avg. Live Weight	3.75	5.35	6.75	8.54	5.70	
% of Total	27%	35%	20%	18%	100%	

FAST FOOD AND FOOD SERVICE SIZES						
live	RTC wog	head	% of Total			
weight	weight	(000)	Slaughter			
3.60 lbs & lighter	Under 2.5 lbs.	7,659	4.74%			
3.61 - 3.80 lbs.	2.5 - 2.63 lbs.	10,762	6.66%			
3.81 - 4.00 lbs.	2.63 - 2.75 lbs.	8,671	5.37%			
4.01 - 4.25 lbs.	2.75 - 2.9 lbs.	17,055	10.56%			
		44 147	27 33%			

Broiler Egg Set Chicks Placed In 19 States Compared With U.S. Broiler Slaughter

	_		_		Eggs Set		Chicks Placed		Preliminary	
Slaughter Egg Chick		Chicks	Chicks 10 Weeks		7 Weeks		Federal			
Week	Sets Placed		Previous		Previous		Inspection			
	(000)	% ¹	(000)	$\%$ 1	(000)	% ¹	(000)	% ¹	(000)	% ²
Jul 13	202,208	103	167,019	102	201,072	100	166,530	100	158,066	114
Jul 20	199,950	103	165,920	101	201,913	101	166,497	100	155,916	99
Jul 27	201,391	103	167,223	104	202,847	101	167,999	100	157,778	101
Aug 03	199,889	103	167,365	102	203,424	101	168,078	100	157,644	100
Aug 10	202,060	105	165,645	102	203,145	102	168,164	101	159,384	101
Aug 17	200,730	105	165,791	102	202,524	103	167,861	102	158,185	99
Aug 24	201,121	105	164,390	101	202,006	103	167,343	102	161,483	102

NOTE: Data in bold subject to revision; 1/ Percent of previous year; 2/ Percent change from previous week

Whole Broiler/Fryers (cents/lb) Week of Sep 03,2013

	Majority	Current	Previous	Previous	
Whole Body: /3:		Week	Week	Year	
New York:	88-94	91.48	94.79	84.98	
Los Angeles:	86-90	87.88	88.54	87.81	
Chicago:	77-88	84.71	86.08	78.39	
Weekly Composite:		90.18	91.89	81.76	
Southern States Index:		72.75	72.40	64.80	
Georgia Dock (FOB, wtd avg)(Wed Dock 106.50		104.41	104.67	94.55	

Note: 3/ Contains whole body, with or without giblets, all grades, brands, and packaging.

Broiler/Fryer Parts (cents/lb.)
Weekly Weighted Average Price

)		Northeast	Sthrn States	Georgia	
		(delivered)	(FOB)	(FOB)	
		8/30/2013	8/30/2013	9/3/2013	
	Bnls/Sknls Breast	171.73	160.66	202.50	
	Tenderloins	192.99	177.73	211.50	(line-run)
	Breast - Line Run	114.62	110.06	120.00	(whole)
	Leg Quarters	51.54	47.65	53.50	
	Wings	157.30	130.20	144.00	