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**DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER FACTS FAX**

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**DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET, US Grade A, Week Ending 29-OCT-10**

DATE	PRODUCTION (000)		ICE-PACKED, MULTI-DROP, IMMEDIATE DELIVERY		
	Actual Slaughter	Live Weight	Price Range	Weighted Price	# of Boxes
10/25	1,919	6.25	68-98	(A)	(A)
10/26	2,272	6.14	71-98	(A)	(A)
10/27	2,153	6.01	67-98	(A)	(A)
10/28	2,309	6.05	70-98	(A)	(A)
10/29	2,237	6.02	64-98	(A)	(A)
Weekly	10,888	6.09	Cumulative:	(A)	(A)

(A)Not released to avoid disclosing individual operations

**NEGOTIATED TRADING, USDA GRADE A WHOLE ICE-PACKED, Week of 01-NOV-10**

Weighted Averages for:	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
New York	77.68	77.71	66.64
Detroit	TFEWR	TFEWR	TFEWR
Los Angeles	94.62	94.70	89.13
Composite Weighted Average	81.56	80.69	71.85

**Whole Body, with or without giblets, all grades, brands, and packaging**

Weighted Averages for:	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
Chicago	77.54	78.08	64.11

**NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS Ice-Packed, Delivered first receivers, pool and trucklot volumes, cents per pound, Week Ending 29-OCT-2010**

	Weekly Weighted Average Price	Total Volume/Pounds
Breast - B/S	127.58	2,478,560
Tenderloins	126.94	581,440
Breast - With Ribs	83.60	325,502
Breast - Line Run	71.87	330,818
Legs	54.62	609,000
Leg Quarters (Bulk)	41.46	958,240
Drumsticks	56.17	298,440
Thighs	55.87	390,571
B/S Thighs	101.29	323,600
Wings (Whole)	132.79	961,520

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

**BROILER EGGS SET AND CHICKS PLACED (000), Week Ending 23-OCT-10**

	Current Week	Last Week	10-Weeks	7-Weeks
	Week	Week	Prior	Prior
Eggs Set	199,012	196,095	203,706	204,208
Chicks Placed	161,546	169,208	167,289	170,329

**SLAUGHTER OF YOUNG CHICKENS UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION W/E 23-OCT-10**

	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
Head (000)	162,546	166,049	160,963
Average Live Weight	5.76	5.85	5.62
To Date 2009 (000)	6,789,565	6,627,019	---
To Date 2008 (000)	6,636,197	6,475,234	---

**MONTHLY COLD STORAGE:** Total frozen poultry supplies on September 30, 2010 were down 2 percent from the previous month and down 5 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were up 1 percent from the previous month and up 12 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were down 6 percent from last month and down 23 percent from September 30, 2009.

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