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DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET, US Grade A, Week Ending 04-FEB-11

DATE	PRODUCTION (000)		ICE-PACKED, MULTI-DROP, IMMEDIATE DELIVERY			
	Actual	Slaughter	Live Weight	Price Range	Weighted Price	# of Boxes
01/31	2,062		6.16	61-95	(A)	(A)
02/01	2,292		6.06	59-95	(A)	(A)
02/02	2,308		5.94	65-95	(A)	(A)
02/03	2,321		5.90	59-95	(A)	(A)
02/04	2,232		5.91	64-97	(A)	(A)
Weekly	11,215		5.99	Cumulative:	(A)	(A)

(A)Not released to avoid disclosing individual operations

NEGOTIATED TRADING, USDA GRADE A WHOLE ICE-PACKED, Week of 07-FEB-11

Weighted Averages for:	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
New York	73.57	73.33	77.39
Detroit	TFEWR	TFEWR	TFEWR
Los Angeles	92.42	92.28	92.55
Composite Weighted Average	74.17	75.05	79.74

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

Weighted Averages for:	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
Chicago	65.12	66.40	72.87

NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS Ice-Packed, Delivered first receivers, pool and trucklot volumes, cents per pound, Week Ending 04-FEB-2011

	Weekly Weighted Average Price	Total Volume/Pounds
Breast - B/S	116.44	3,290,200
Tenderloins	112.25	722,583
Breast - With Ribs	84.81	397,736
Breast - Line Run	76.04	353,929
Legs	51.77	1,267,060
Leg Quarters (Bulk)	35.59	1,436,578
Drumsticks	50.42	523,493
Thighs	52.20	375,080
B/S Thighs	98.18	371,360
Wings (Whole)	101.31	777,260

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

BROILER EGGS SET AND CHICKS PLACED (000), Week Ending 29-JAN-11

	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago	10-Weeks Prior	7-Weeks Prior
Eggs Set	203,820	203,086	202,304	206,876	204,790
Chicks Placed	168,385	167,706	165,437	164,888	170,650

SLAUGHTER OF YOUNG CHICKENS UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION W/E 29-JAN-11

	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
Head (000)	162,184	163,577	151,334
Average Live Weight	5.59	5.80	5.48
To Date 2011 (000)	643,151	480,967	---
To Date 2010 (000)	634,754	483,420	---

MONTHLY COLD STORAGE: Total frozen poultry supplies on December 31, 2010 were up 4 percent from the previous month and up 9 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were up 4 percent from the previous month and up 25 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 8 percent from last month but down 28 percent from December 31, 2009.

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