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**DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER FACTS FAX**

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**DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET, US Grade A, Week Ending 15-APR-11**

DATE	PRODUCTION (000)		ICE-PACKED, MULTI-DROP, IMMEDIATE DELIVERY			
	Actual	Slaughter	Live Weight	Price Range	Weighted Price	# of Boxes
04/11	2,121		6.34	65-96	(A)	(A)
04/12	2,272		6.22	63-96	(A)	(A)
04/13	2,263		6.16	64-96	(A)	(A)
04/14	2,235		6.00	63-96	(A)	(A)
04/15	1,887		6.15	63-96	(A)	(A)
Weekly	10,777		6.17	Cumulative:	(A)	(A)

(A)Not released to avoid disclosing individual operations

**NEGOTIATED TRADING, USDA GRADE A WHOLE ICE-PACKED, Week of 18-APR-11**

Weighted Averages for:	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
New York	81.10	76.86	82.35
Detroit	TFEWR	TFEWR	TFEWR
Los Angeles	94.80	93.56	94.03
Composite Weighted Average	83.37	80.69	81.21

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

Weighted Averages for:	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
Chicago	79.33	75.76	74.68

**NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS Ice-Packed, Delivered first receivers, pool and trucklot volumes, cents per pound, Week Ending 15-APR-2011**

	Weekly Weighted Average Price	Total Volume/Pounds
Breast - B/S	135.82	3,490,440
Tenderloins	158.16	634,798
Breast - With Ribs	99.45	432,316
Breast - Line Run	91.09	360,120
Legs	66.32	718,120
Leg Quarters (Bulk)	47.04	1,068,725
Drumsticks	58.92	575,866
Thighs	68.65	398,520
B/S Thighs	128.53	393,080
Wings (Whole)	83.79	977,840

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

**BROILER EGGS SET AND CHICKS PLACED (000), Week Ending 09-APR-11**

	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago	10-Weeks Prior	7-Weeks Prior
Eggs Set	209,187	207,796	208,937	205,787	206,633
Chicks Placed	172,540	172,680	172,501	168,151	168,805

**SLAUGHTER OF YOUNG CHICKENS UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION W/E 09-APR-11**

	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
Head (000)	159,746	162,524	160,053
Average Live Weight	5.69	5.77	5.49
To Date 2011 (000)	2,235,058	2,075,312	---
To Date 2010 (000)	2,220,048	2,059,995	---

**MONTHLY COLD STORAGE:** Total frozen poultry supplies on February 28, 2011 were down 1 percent from the previous month but up 4 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were down 7 percent from the previous month but up 14 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 17 percent from last month but down 13 percent from February 28, 2010.

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