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DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER FACTS FAX

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

DATE	PRODUCTION (000)		ICE-PACKED, MULTI-DROP, IMMEDIATE DELIVERY			
	Actual Slaughter	Live Weight	Price Range	Weighted Price	# of Boxes	
10/31	1,959	6.36	62-85	(A)	(A)	
11/01	2,157	6.25	63-87	(A)	(A)	
11/02	1,928	6.33	62-87	(A)	(A)	
11/03	2,114	6.16	60-87	(A)	(A)	
11/04	1,722	6.25	58-87	(A)	(A)	
Weekly	9,880	6.27	Cumulative:		(A)	(A)

(A)Not released to avoid disclosing individual operations

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

Weighted Averages for:	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
New York	66.73	66.77	77.62
Detroit	TFEWR	TFEWR	TFEWR
Los Angeles	95.40	93.14	94.04
Composite Weighted Average	73.84	74.55	80.80

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

Weighted Averages for:	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
Chicago	62.73	65.02	77.95

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

	Weekly Weighted Average Price	Total Volume/Pounds
Breast - B/S	118.59	3,433,480
Tenderloins	123.59	783,800
Breast - With Ribs	88.91	314,401
Breast - Line Run	76.34	357,536
Legs	70.08	494,400
Leg Quarters (Bulk)	52.34	1,329,638
Drumsticks	67.99	463,025
Thighs	77.59	326,480
B/S Thighs	131.33	408,280
Wings (Whole)	123.01	1,005,280

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

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

	Current Week	Last Week	10-Weeks	7-Weeks
	Week	Week	Prior	Prior
Eggs Set	185,905	183,538	193,461	180,043
Chicks Placed	152,989	152,120	163,695	162,016

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

	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
Head (000)	152,604	155,241	164,780
Average Live Weight	5.74	5.81	5.73
To Date 2011 (000)	6,808,919	6,656,315	---
To Date 2010 (000)	6,954,345	6,789,565	---

MONTHLY COLD STORAGE: Total frozen poultry supplies on September 30, 2011 were down 3 percent from the previous month but up slightly from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were down 3 percent from the previous month and down 5 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were down 2 percent from last month but up 9 percent from September 30, 2010.

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