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DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER FACTS FAX

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DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET, US Grade A, Week Ending 02-NOV-12

DATE	PRODUCTION (000)		ICE-PACKED, MULTI-DROP, IMMEDIATE DELIVERY			
	Actual Slaughter	Live Weight	Price Range	Weighted Price	# of Boxes	
10/29	0	0	74-103	(A)	(A)	
10/30	0	0	TFEWR	(A)	(A)	
10/31	2,048	6.67	69-103	(A)	(A)	
11/01	2,160	6.55	69-103	(A)	(A)	
11/02	3,934	6.55	75-105	(A)	(A)	
Weekly	8,142	6.59	Cumulative:	(A)	(A)	

(A) Not released to avoid disclosing individual operations

NEGOTIATED TRADING, USDA GRADE A WHOLE ICE-PACKED, Week of 05-NOV-12

Weighted Averages for:	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
New York	85.82	85.76	66.73
Detroit	TFEWR	TFEWR	TFEWR
Los Angeles	103.03	104.00	95.40
Composite Weighted Average	88.99	88.83	73.84

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

Weighted Averages for:	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
Chicago	86.02	85.40	62.73

NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS Ice-Packed, Delivered first receivers, pool and trucklot volumes, cents per pound, Week Ending 02-NOV-2012

	Weekly Weighted Average Price	Total Volume/Pounds
Breast - B/S	131.10	2,043,400
Tenderloins	147.96	509,640
Breast - With Ribs	108.01	80,942
Breast - Line Run	96.32	165,204
Legs	67.97	148,320
Leg Quarters (Bulk)	50.61	578,240
Drumsticks	61.01	168,049
Thighs	77.32	131,920
B/S Thighs	129.55	270,709
Wings (Whole)	186.71	562,240

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

BROILER EGGS SET AND CHICKS PLACED (000), Week Ending 27-OCT-12

	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago	10-Weeks Prior	7-Weeks Prior
Eggs Set	186,371	177,099	185,172	192,248	184,443
Chicks Placed	156,892	154,258	153,311	162,464	160,553

SLAUGHTER OF YOUNG CHICKENS UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION W/E 27-OCT-12

	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
Head (000)	153,401	155,464	152,604
Average Live Weight	5.76	5.95	5.74
To Date 2012 (000)	6,566,647	6,413,246	---
To Date 2011 (000)	6,808,919	6,656,315	---

Monthly Cold Storage: Total frozen poultry supplies on **September 30, 2012** were down 3 percent from the previous month and down 1 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were down 1 percent from the previous month and down 3 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were down 5 percent from last month but up 2 percent from September 30, 2011.

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