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DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER FACTS FAX

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DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET, US Grade A, Week Ending 16-NOV-12

DATE	PRODUCTION (000)		ICE-PACKED, MULTI-DROP, IMMEDIATE DELIVERY			
	Actual	Slaughter	Live Weight	Price Range	Weighted Price	# of Boxes
11/12	1,863		6.49	68-109	(A)	(A)
11/13	2,102		6.44	69-109	(A)	(A)
11/14	1,916		6.48	69-109	(A)	(A)
11/15	1,822		6.26	71-114	(A)	(A)
11/16	2,018		6.15	68-113	(A)	(A)
Weekly	9,721		6.36	Cumulative:	(A)	(A)

(A) Not released to avoid disclosing individual operations

NEGOTIATED TRADING, USDA GRADE A WHOLE ICE-PACKED, Week of 19-NOV-12

Weighted Averages for:	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
New York	95.24	89.19	74.05
Detroit	TFEWR	TFEWR	TFEWR
Los Angeles	107.33	104.86	93.65
Composite Weighted Average	95.66	91.60	79.77

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

Weighted Averages for:	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
Chicago	92.95	88.12	72.53

NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS Ice-Packed, Delivered first receivers, pool and trucklot volumes, cents per pound, Week Ending 16-NOV-2012

	Weekly Weighted Average Price	Total Volume/Pounds
Breast - B/S	129.66	3,631,680
Tenderloins	142.27	882,000
Breast - With Ribs	107.71	123,796
Breast - Line Run	95.07	324,075
Legs	68.33	519,990
Leg Quarters (Bulk)	51.48	968,453
Drumsticks	62.24	419,231
Thighs	77.04	319,320
B/S Thighs	127.40	406,240
Wings (Whole)	186.24	1,012,429

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

BROILER EGGS SET AND CHICKS PLACED (000), Week Ending 10-NOV-12

	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago	10-Weeks Prior	7-Weeks Prior
Eggs Set	191,287	180,840	194,224	185,586	185,350
Chicks Placed	147,267	151,059	152,174	159,594	154,686

SLAUGHTER OF YOUNG CHICKENS UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION W/E 10-NOV-12

	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
Head (000)	154,621	148,347	151,253
Average Live Weight	5.93	5.87	5.75
To Date 2012 (000)	6,869,615	6,714,994	---
To Date 2011 (000)	7,113,987	6,962,734	---

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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