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**DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER FACTS FAX**

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**DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET, US Grade A, Week Ending 23-NOV-12**

DATE	PRODUCTION (000)		ICE-PACKED, MULTI-DROP, IMMEDIATE DELIVERY				
	Actual	Slaughter	Live Weight	Price Range	Weighted Price	# of Boxes	
11/19	2,094		6.35	68-113	(A)	(A)	
11/20	2,069		6.24	80-115	(A)	(A)	
11/21	2,019		6.16	82-115	(A)	(A)	
11/22	H	O	L	I	D	A	Y
11/23	1,896		6.20	69-115	(A)	(A)	
Weekly	8,078		6.24	Cumulative:	(A)	(A)	

(A) Not released to avoid disclosing individual operations

**NEGOTIATED TRADING, USDA GRADE A WHOLE ICE-PACKED, Week of 26-NOV-12**

Weighted Averages for:	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
New York	98.27	95.24	76.30
Detroit	TFEWR	TFEWR	TFEWR
Los Angeles	108.92	107.33	97.22
Composite Weighted Average	98.50	95.66	81.01

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

Weighted Averages for:	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
Chicago	96.32	92.95	72.27

**NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS Ice-Packed, Delivered first receivers, pool and trucklot volumes, cents per pound, Week Ending 23-NOV-2012**

	Weekly Weighted Average Price	Total Volume/Pounds
Breast - B/S	130.15	3,193,460
Tenderloins	142.80	721,400
Breast - With Ribs	107.78	191,792
Breast - Line Run	96.33	256,772
Legs	70.18	393,228
Leg Quarters (Bulk)	51.24	1,057,050
Drumsticks	62.31	305,699
Thighs	75.94	275,540
B/S Thighs	130.28	331,040
Wings (Whole)	188.53	894,776

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

**BROILER EGGS SET AND CHICKS PLACED (000), Week Ending 17-NOV-12**

	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago	10-Weeks Prior	7-Weeks Prior
Eggs Set	195,714	191,287	195,158	184,443	187,879
Chicks Placed	156,027	147,267	152,567	160,553	153,990

**SLAUGHTER OF YOUNG CHICKENS UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION W/E 17-NOV-12**

	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
Head (000)	151,106	154,621	147,263
Average Live Weight	5.83	5.93	5.67
To Date 2012 (000)	7,020,721	6,869,615	---
To Date 2011 (000)	7,261,250	7,113,987	---

**Monthly Cold Storage:** Total frozen poultry supplies on **October 31, 2012** were down 6 percent from the previous month and down slightly from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were down slightly from the previous month and down 7 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were down 13 percent from last month but up 12 percent from October 31, 2011.

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