



**United States Department of Agriculture
Poultry Market News and Analysis Branch**

Jan 15, 2013

DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER FACTS FAX

The "Source" of Poultry and Egg Market Information

DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET, US Grade A, Week Ending 12-JAN-13

DATE	PRODUCTION (000)	
	<u>Actual Slaughter</u>	<u>Live Weight</u>
01/07	2,002	6.35
01/08	1,916	6.40
01/09	2,086	6.32
01/10	2,101	6.15
01/11	2,053	6.08
Weekly	10,158	6.26

(A) Not released to avoid disclosing individual operations

NEGOTIATED TRADING, Whole Body, with or without giblets, all grades, brands, and packaging for 11-JAN-13

Weighted Averages for:	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year Ago</u>
New York	103.70	105.34	80.17*
Los Angeles	109.03	**113.00**	87.54*
Chicago	97.08	**103.14**	72.62
Composite Weighted Average	103.81	104.98	80.95

(* last year's composite average) (**revised**)

NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS Ice-Packed, Delivered first receivers, pool and trucklot volumes, cents per pound, Week Ending 11-JAN-2013

	<u>Weekly Weighted Average Price</u>	<u>Total Volume/Pounds</u>
Breast - B/S	136.89	4,197,880
Tenderloins	147.70	764,040
Breast - With Ribs	108.08	286,485
Breast - Line Run	97.86	378,000
Legs	66.97	724,240
Leg Quarters (Bulk)	50.38	1,204,670
Drumsticks	57.87	895,477
Thighs	81.35	354,160
B/S Thighs	126.77	473,720
Wings (Whole)	202.52	1,105,300

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

BROILER EGGS SET AND CHICKS PLACED (000), Week Ending 05-JAN-13

	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year Ago</u>	<u>10-Weeks Prior</u>	<u>7-Weeks Prior</u>
Eggs Set	196,326	195,577	193,220	180,603	196,887
Chicks Placed	163,776	158,780	161,868	152,067	151,738

SLAUGHTER OF YOUNG CHICKENS UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION W/E 05-JAN-13

	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year Ago</u>
Head (000)	130,573	115,385	135,215
Average Live Weight	5.84	5.64	5.71
To Date 2013 (000)	130,573	7,874,507	---
To Date 2012 (000)	135,215	8,085,700	---

Monthly Cold Storage: Total frozen poultry supplies on November 30, 2012 were down 16 percent from the previous month but up 10 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were up 3 percent from the previous month and up 4 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were down 43 percent from last month but up 33 percent from November 30, 2011.

For additional information call (404) 562-5850, FAX (404) 562-5875

Email: PYMNATL@ams.usda.gov

Internet: <http://www.ams.usda.gov/pymarketnews>