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DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER FACTS FAX

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DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET, US Grade A, Week Ending 16-MAR-13

DATE	PRODUCTION (000)	
	<u>Actual Slaughter</u>	<u>Live Weight</u>
03/11	1,931	6.34
03/12	2,071	6.20
03/13	1,846	6.29
03/14	1,981	6.11
03/15	1,968	6.06
Weekly	9,797	6.20

(A) Not released to avoid disclosing individual operations

NEGOTIATED TRADING, Whole Body, with or without giblets, all grades, brands, and packaging for 15-MAR-13

Weighted Averages for:	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year Ago</u>
New York	109.90	109.93	95.77*
Los Angeles	110.59	110.36	95.61*
Chicago	104.18	103.72	91.24
Composite Weighted Average	107.78	107.82	94.38

(* last year's composite average as of 12-MAR-12)

NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS Ice-Packed, Delivered first receivers, pool and trucklot volumes, cents per pound, Week Ending 15-MAR-2013

	<u>Weekly Weighted Average Price</u>	<u>Total Volume/Pounds</u>
Breast - B/S	145.48	4,305,760
Tenderloins	142.42	974,600
Breast - With Ribs	120.86	238,002
Breast - Line Run	106.12	541,502
Legs	66.85	625,120
Leg Quarters (Bulk)	51.79	1,446,312
Drumsticks	63.69	634,309
Thighs	82.90	257,440
B/S Thighs	132.10	424,240
Wings (Whole)	173.70	1,255,240

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

BROILER EGGS SET AND CHICKS PLACED (000), Week Ending 09-MAR-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	199,479	200,228	207,468	196,205	197,531
Chicks Placed	165,121	162,346	170,987	163,388	162,809

SLAUGHTER OF YOUNG CHICKENS UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION W/E 09-MAR-13

	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year Ago</u>
Head (000)	153,392	154,389	150,226
Average Live Weight	5.83	5.74	5.79
To Date 2013 (000)	1,512,027	1,358,635	---
To Date 2012 (000)	1,492,190	1,341,964	---

Monthly Cold Storage: Total frozen poultry supplies on January 31, 2013 were up 5 percent from the previous month and up 12 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were down 3 percent from the previous month but up 8 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 22 percent both from last month and from January 31, 2012.

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