



Movement is moderate to good entering the week best where promotions were active. Offerings of breast cuts are light and moving well; tenders and most leg items are moderate and wings are fully sufficient for current needs. Weights are mixed but noted as mostly desirable.

**YOUNG CHICKENS SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION**

**Classified by Weight - Week Ending Apr 27, 2013**

	<b>4.25 lbs. &amp; down</b>	<b>4.26 - 6.25 lbs</b>	<b>6.26 - 7.75 lbs</b>	<b>7.76 lbs &amp; up</b>	<b>Total</b>
Head (1,000's)	47,680	52,131	27,851	28,376	156,038
Avg. Live Weight	3.72	5.45	6.79	8.54	5.72
% of Total	31%	33%	18%	18%	100%

**FAST FOOD AND FOOD SERVICE SIZES**

<b>live weight</b>	<b>RTC wog weight</b>	<b>head (000)</b>	<b>% of Total Slaughter</b>
3.60 lbs & lighter	Under 2.5 lbs.	10,460	6.70%
3.61 - 3.80 lbs.	2.5 - 2.63 lbs.	11,746	7.53%
3.81 - 4.00 lbs.	2.63 - 2.75 lbs.	6,523	4.18%
4.01 - 4.25 lbs.	2.75 - 2.9 lbs.	18,951	12.15%
		47,680	30.56%

**Broiler Egg Set Chicks Placed In 19 States Compared With U.S. Broiler Slaughter**

Slaughter Week	Egg Sets (000)	Chicks Placed (000)	Eggs Set		Chicks Placed		Preliminary Federal Inspection		
			% <sup>1</sup>	(000)	% <sup>1</sup>	(000)	(000)	% <sup>2</sup>	
Mar 16	<b>200,195</b>	<b>101 164,867</b>	101	196,205	102	162,809	101	151,262	99
Mar 23	<b>199,607</b>	<b>102 164,541</b>	100	196,004	102	162,830	101	154,139	102
Mar 30	<b>199,611</b>	<b>101 163,806</b>	99	195,604	101	162,179	100	149,707	97
Apr 06	<b>199,360</b>	<b>100 165,249</b>	100	197,531	102	163,343	101	153,236	102
Apr 13	<b>200,083</b>	<b>100 163,594</b>	100	197,420	102	163,186	102	154,212	101
Apr 20	<b>199,230</b>	<b>100 164,394</b>	99	197,087	101	162,563	100	153,623	100
Apr 27	<b>198,023</b>	<b>100 165,364</b>	99	198,947	102	164,743	101	156,038	102

NOTE: Data in bold subject to revision; 1/ Percent of previous year; 2/ Percent change from previous week

**Whole Broiler/Fryers (cents/lb) Week of May 06, 2013**

	<b>Majority</b>	<b>Current Week</b>	<b>Previous Week</b>	<b>Previous Year</b>
<b>Whole Body: /3:</b>				
New York:	107-111	108.33	108.07	83.77
Los Angeles:	107-112	107.67	109.13	102.32
Chicago:	96-104	102.79	103.19	80.45
<b>Weekly Composite:</b>		107.02	107.73	86.87
<b>Southern States Index:</b>		71.89	71.42	64.87
<b>Georgia Dock (FOB, wtd avg)(Wed Dock 103.25</b>		103.20	102.83	92.45

Note: 3/ Contains whole body, with or without giblets, all grades, brands, and packaging.

**Broiler/Fryer Parts (cents/lb.)**

<b>Weekly Weighted Average Price</b>	<b>Northeast (delivered) 5/3/2013</b>	<b>Sthrn States (FOB) 5/3/2013</b>	<b>Georgia (FOB) 5/6/2013</b>	
Bnls/Sknls Breast	178.53	186.27	202.00	
Tenderloins	178.81	179.62	206.00	(line-run)
Breast - Line Run	118.19	117.38	118.50	(whole)
Leg Quarters	53.52	49.50	55.50	
Wings	139.98	TFEWR	140.00	