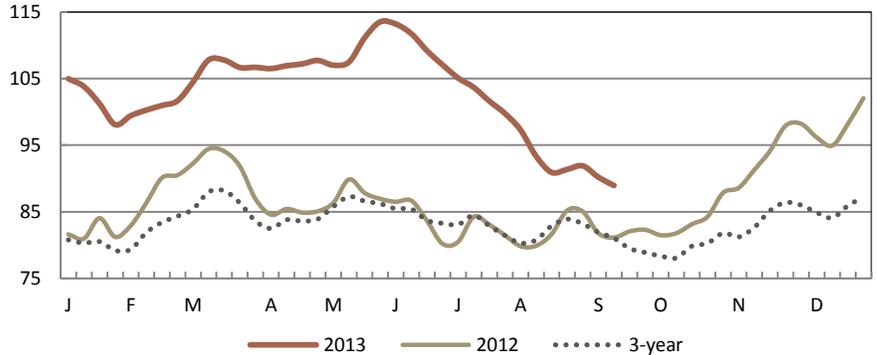




NATIONAL COMPOSITE WEIGHTED AVERAGE

	Wtd Avg	Change	1,000 lbs.
This Week:	88.94	↓ 1.25	11,200
Last Week:	90.18		11,096
Last Year:	81.12	↑ 7.82	12,043
Monthly Composite Weighted Average			
Aug	91.12		48,971



WEEK IN REVIEW

Prices of whole birds are mixed trending mostly steady going into the weekend. Offerings have been moderate to heavy for most of the week, but have cleaned up by week's end with light to moderate offerings. Demand into retail and food service channels is light to moderate with good movement into fast food sectors. Floor stocks are mixed ranging light to heavy. Market activity is slow.

EASTERN REGION

	THIS WEEK				LAST WEEK		
	Price Range	Majority	Wtd Avg	Change	1,000 lbs.	Wtd Avg	1,000 lbs.
Whole Body:	66.00 - 116.00	87.00 - 94.00	92.86	↓ 0.37	5,080	93.24	5,774
WOGS:	75.00 - 112.00	88.00 - 95.00	89.68	↓ 1.85	1,224	91.53	1,398
NEW YORK							
Whole Body:	78.00 - 100.50	88.00 - 94.00	91.13	↓ 0.35	1,333	91.48	1,495

CENTRAL REGION

	THIS WEEK				LAST WEEK		
	Price Range	Majority	Wtd Avg	Change	1,000 lbs.	Wtd Avg	1,000 lbs.
Whole Body:	70.00 - 107.00	76.00 - 88.00	84.00	↓ 1.03	3,974	85.03	3,366
WOGS:	70.00 - 107.00	76.00 - 85.00	82.04	↓ 1.66	3,136	83.70	2,708
CHICAGO							
Whole Body:	70.00 - 107.00	76.00 - 88.00	84.05	↓ 0.66	2,340	84.71	1,920

WESTERN REGION

	THIS WEEK				LAST WEEK		
	Price Range	Majority	Wtd Avg	Change	1,000 lbs.	Wtd Avg	1,000 lbs.
Whole Body:	72.00 - 114.00	85.00 - 89.00	88.79	↓ 1.26	2,146	90.05	1,956
WOGS:	72.00 - 101.00	85.00 - 89.00	87.48	↓ 1.04	1,972	88.51	1,630
LOS ANGELES							
Whole Body:	72.00 - 107.00	85.00 - 88.00	86.66	↓ 1.22	1,506	87.88	1,485

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Negotiated prices in trucklot and less-than-trucklot quantities of ready-to-cook whole body broiler/fryers delivered to first receivers; prices in cents per pound; volume in thousands of pounds.

Eastern Region: AL,CT,DE,FL,GA,MA,MD,ME,MS,NC,NH,NJ,NY,PA,RI,SC,TN,VT,VA,WV. **Central Region:** AR,CO,IA,IL,IN,KS,KY,LA,MI,MN,MO,NE,NM,OK,OH,SD,TX,WI. **Western Region:** AZ,CA,ID,MT,NV,OR,UT,WA,WY.

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