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DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER FACTS FAX

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DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET, US Grade A, Week Ending 14-SEP-13

DATE	PRODUCTION (000)	
	<u>Actual Slaughter</u>	<u>Live Weight</u>
09/09	2,025	6.49
09/10	2,116	6.36
09/11	2,115	6.25
09/12	2,054	6.22
09/13	2,019	6.17
Weekly	10,329	6.30

(A) Not released to avoid disclosing individual operations

NEGOTIATED TRADING, Whole Body, with or without giblets, all grades, brands, and packaging for 06-SEP-13

Weighted Averages for:	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year Ago</u>
New York	91.78	91.13	82.87*
Los Angeles	89.90	86.66	86.90*
Chicago	86.50	84.05	77.11
Composite Weighted Average	91.07	88.94	82.03

(* last year's composite average as of 10-SEP-12)

NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS Ice-Packed, Delivered first receivers, pool and trucklot volumes, cents per pound, Week Ending 13-SEP-2013

	<u>Weekly Weighted Average Price</u>	<u>Total Volume/Pounds</u>
Breast - B/S	150.79	4,462,540
Tenderloins	180.84	947,120
Breast - With Ribs	126.16	268,346
Breast - Line Run	107.03	351,000
Legs	70.04	748,240
Leg Quarters (Bulk)	53.70	1,467,523
Drumsticks	70.36	592,843
Thighs	84.85	246,780
B/S Thighs	153.76	496,680
Wings (Whole)	159.95	1,461,478

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

BROILER EGGS SET AND CHICKS PLACED (000), Week Ending 07-SEP-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	195,391	200,295	202,797	202,737	199,085
Chicks Placed	165,348	166,180	171,299	167,343	168,019

SLAUGHTER OF YOUNG CHICKENS UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION W/E 07-SEP-13

	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year Ago</u>
Head (000)	140,890	163,183	139,196
Average Live Weight	5.64	5.91	5.74
To Date 2013 (000)	5,531,241	5,390,351	---
To Date 2012 (000)	5,483,642	5,344,446	---

Monthly Cold Storage: Total frozen poultry supplies on July 31, 2013 were up 3 percent from the previous month and up 5 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were up 4 percent from the previous month and up 5 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 3 percent from last month and up 6 percent from July 31, 2012.

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