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DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER FACTS FAX

The "Source" of Poultry and Egg Market Information

DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET, US Grade A, Week Ending 19-OCT-13

DATE	PRODUCTION (000)	
	Actual Slaughter	Live Weight
09/14	2,139	6.28
09/15	2,104	6.32
09/16	2,085	6.19
09/17	2,101	6.33
09/18	2,006	6.32
Weekly	10,435	6.29

(A) Not released to avoid disclosing individual operations

NEGOTIATED TRADING, Whole Body, with or without giblets, all grades, brands, and packaging for 18-OCT-13

Weighted Averages for:	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
New York	91.65	92.35	82.59*
Los Angeles	90.62	93.00	86.75*
Chicago	86.99	88.37	78.04
Composite Weighted Average	91.11	92.60	84.25

(* last year's composite average as of 15-OCT-12)

Last week's prices represent last reported prices from Sept 27, 2013.

NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS Ice-Packed, Delivered first receivers, pool and trucklot volumes, cents per pound, Week Ending 18-OCT-2013

	Weekly Weighted Average Price	Total Volume/Pounds
Breast - B/S	133.46	1,619,940
Tenderloins	174.63	437,160
Breast - With Ribs	117.95	64,986
Breast - Line Run	101.24	150,777
Legs	74.74	118,920
Leg Quarters (Bulk)	48.48	494,039
Drumsticks	64.86	116,860
Thighs	80.13	82,000
B/S Thighs	149.70	183,160
Wings (Whole)	157.82	406,260

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

BROILER EGGS SET AND CHICKS PLACED (000), Week Ending 12-OCT-13

	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago	10-Weeks Prior	7-Weeks Prior
Eggs Set	UNAVAILABLE UNTIL NEXT TUESDAY				
Chicks Placed	UNAVAILABLE UNTIL NEXT TUESDAY				

SLAUGHTER OF YOUNG CHICKENS UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION W/E 12-OCT-13

	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year Ago</u>
Head (000)	157,959	157,842	154,969
Average Live Weight	5.91	5.75	5.86
To Date 2013 (000)	6,322,640	5,689,083	---
To Date 2012 (000)	6,257,782	5,638,527	---

Monthly Cold Storage: Total frozen poultry supplies on August 31, 2013 were up slightly from the previous month and up 5 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were up 1 percent from the previous month and up 5 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were down slightly from last month but up 6 percent from August 31, 2012.

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