



Movement is mostly moderate to instances good entering the holiday week. Offerings of tenders are in good balance and moving well; breast cuts, wings and most dark meat items are moderate to heavy with the larger sized wings noted as available and slow to clear. Weights are mixed but noted as mostly desirable.

**YOUNG CHICKENS SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION**  
**Classified by Weight - Week Ending Dec 14, 2013**

	4.25 lbs. & down	4.26 - 6.25 lbs	6.26 - 7.75 lbs	7.76 lbs & up	Total
Head (1,000's)	45,275	56,908	26,686	29,821	158,690
Avg. Live Weight	3.70	5.44	6.83	8.70	5.79
% of Total	29%	36%	17%	18%	100%

**FAST FOOD AND FOOD SERVICE SIZES**

live weight	RTC wog weight	head (000)	% of Total Slaughter
3.60 lbs & lighter	Under 2.5 lbs.	16,900	10.65%
3.61 - 3.80 lbs.	2.5 - 2.63 lbs.	1,948	1.23%
3.81 - 4.00 lbs.	2.63 - 2.75 lbs.	12,598	7.94%
4.01 - 4.25 lbs.	2.75 - 2.9 lbs.	13,829	8.71%
		45,275	28.53%

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

Slaughter Week	Egg Sets (000)	Chicks Placed (000)	Eggs Set 10 Weeks Previous		Chicks Placed 7 Weeks Previous		Preliminary Federal Inspection			
			(000)	% <sup>1</sup>	(000)	% <sup>1</sup>	(000)	% <sup>2</sup>		
Nov 02	<b>191,247</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>156,327</b>	103	200,308	105	164,772	103	158,028	99
Nov 09	<b>190,235</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>152,871</b>	103	195,444	105	160,651	104	157,077	99
Nov 16	<b>199,918</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>160,677</b>	103	193,058	105	158,942	103	153,482	98
Nov 23	<b>199,875</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>154,821</b>	102	191,190	102	156,876	101	153,024	100
Nov 30	<b>200,938</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>156,701</b>	98	195,618	106	161,234	104	122,995	80
Dec 07	<b>199,659</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>163,251</b>	100	185,238	99	152,902	98	149,409	121
Dec 14	<b>201,435</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>163,992</b>	101	190,356	105	156,182	103	158,690	106

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 Dec 23, 2013**

	Majority	Current Week	Previous Week	Previous Year
<b>Whole Body: /3:</b>				
New York:	92-99	95.95	96.55	95.94
Los Angeles:	90-97	94.35	93.47	99.91
Chicago:	83-94	90.90	90.57	90.31
<b>Weekly Composite:</b>		93.94	94.89	98.17
<b>Southern States Index:</b>		62.75	63.25	63.84
<b>Georgia Dock (FOB, wtd avg)(Wed Dock 104.25)</b>		103.83	103.73	97.28

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

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

Weekly Weighted Average Price	Northeast (delivered) 12/20/2013	Sthrn States (FOB) 12/20/2013	Georgia (FOB) 12/23/2013
Bnls/Sknl's Breast	126.05	119.45	187.50
Tenderloins	146.40	153.59	190.50 (line-run)
Breast - Line Run	93.67	78.86	109.00 (whole)
Leg Quarters	41.34	36.87	50.50
Wings	118.51	97.35	124.50