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DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER FACTS FAX

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DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET, US Grade A, Week Ending 15-FEB-14

DATE	PRODUCTION (000)	
	<u>Actual Slaughter</u>	<u>Live Weight</u>
02/10	2,063	6.22
02/11	2,128	6.13
02/12	2,163	6.12
02/13	2,014	6.20
02/14	2,253	6.04
Weekly	10,621	6.14

(A) Not released to avoid disclosing individual operations

NEGOTIATED TRADING, Whole Body, with or without giblets, all grades, brands, and packaging for 14-FEB-14

Weighted Averages for:	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year Ago</u>
New York	92.64	93.22	102.35
Los Angeles	92.18	91.57	101.81
Chicago	88.35	88.37	93.95
Composite Weighted Average	91.58	92.21	100.96

NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS Ice-Packed, Delivered first receivers, pool and trucklot volumes, cents per pound, Week Ending 14-FEB-2014

	<u>Weekly Weighted Average Price</u>	<u>Total Volume/Pounds</u>
Breast - B/S	124.99	3,965,640
Tenderloins	144.85	970,880
Breast - With Ribs	103.39	263,894
Breast - Line Run	85.10	454,976
Legs	59.31	908,840
Leg Quarters (Bulk)	41.94	1,638,634
Drumsticks	55.34	451,880
Thighs	72.33	298,040
B/S Thighs	122.05	389,920
Wings (Whole)	128.48	1,470,760

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

BROILER EGGS SET AND CHICKS PLACED (000), Week Ending 08-FEB-14

	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year Ago</u>	<u>10-Weeks Prior</u>	<u>7-Weeks Prior</u>
Eggs Set	199,042	200,080	206,887	201,392	199,855
Chicks Placed	162,590	163,332	168,188	165,229	163,918

SLAUGHTER OF YOUNG CHICKENS UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION W/E 08-FEB-14

	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year Ago</u>
Head (000)	160,029	139,171	155,020
Average Live Weight	5.87	5.80	5.88
To Date 2014 (000)	889,788	729,759	---
To Date 2013 (000)	901,074	746,054	---

Monthly Cold Storage: Total frozen poultry supplies on **December 31, 2013** were down 3 percent from the previous month and down 6 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were down 7 percent from the previous month and down slightly from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 8 percent from last month but down 20 percent from December 31, 2012.

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