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DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER FACTS FAX

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DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET, US Grade A, Week Ending 26-APR-14

DATE	PRODUCTION (000)	
	<u>Actual Slaughter</u>	<u>Live Weight</u>
04/21	1,036	6.87
04/22	2,139	6.34
04/23	2,212	6.22
04/24	2,210	6.23
04/25	2,445	6.22
Weekly	10,042	6.38

(A) Not released to avoid disclosing individual operations

NEGOTIATED TRADING, Whole Body, with or without giblets, all grades, brands, and packaging for 25-APR-14

Weighted Averages for:	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year Ago</u>
New York	111.69	112.56	108.07
Los Angeles	114.12	114.87	109.13
Chicago	107.65	108.45	103.19
Composite Weighted Average	110.99	111.82	107.73

NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS Ice-Packed, Delivered first receivers, pool and trucklot volumes, cents per pound, Week Ending 25-APR-2014

	<u>Weekly Weighted Average Price</u>	<u>Total Volume/Pounds</u>
Breast - B/S	176.38	3,808,080
Tenderloins	217.74	947,120
Breast - With Ribs	117.47	247,348
Breast - Line Run	108.76	451,253
Legs	67.11	543,120
Leg Quarters (Bulk)	48.85	1,428,913
Drumsticks	55.23	496,682
Thighs	78.60	212,660
B/S Thighs	132.29	462,628
Wings (Whole)	140.77	1,241,840

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

BROILER EGGS SET AND CHICKS PLACED (000), Week Ending 19-APR-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	204,550	204,036	212,754	200,647	199,653
Chicks Placed	164,210	163,636	170,396	163,764	163,415

SLAUGHTER OF YOUNG CHICKENS UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION W/E 19-APR-14

	<u>Current Week</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year Ago</u>
Head (000)	146,685	154,712	153,623
Average Live Weight	5.87	5.91	5.79
To Date 2014 (000)	2,410,922	2,264,237	---
To Date 2013 (000)	2,428,206	2,274,583	---

Monthly Cold Storage: Total frozen poultry supplies on **March 31, 2014** were down 7 percent from the previous month and down 10 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were down 14 percent from the previous month and down 6 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 8 percent from last month but down 16 percent from March 31, 2013.

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