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**Livestock & Grain Market News**  
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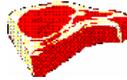


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**Beef**

IMPS#	Description	Wts	Lbs/Lds	Avg	Change Prw/wk
<b>Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3</b>					
113A	Chuck, 2-pc	72-119	39633	125.60	-6.96
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80	200181	131.17	-4.48
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25	3209181	147.12	-8.25
120	Brisket	6-14	923820	118.38	0.78
123A	Short Rib	1-4	150114	111.36	1.82
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85	78576	137.86	-2.49
161	Round, Bnls	42-80	298228	146.06	-5.63
168	Inside Round	14-26	1674738	141.86	-5.12
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33	189572	146.21	1.10
	Coarse ground Blend 81%		3173883	128.65	-1.66
	Coarse ground Blend 85%		176384	146.88	-5.74
<b>Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items</b>					
	Boneless Chuck 85%			147.08	4.23
	Top Inside Round	12-16		168.98	7.49
<b>Boneless Processing Beef/Beef Trimmings, Fresh</b>					
	90% Chemical Lean		2798613	146.41	-0.25
	50% Chemical Lean		358058	153.35	-1.77

**Pork**



Pork Loins, Fresh 1/4" Trim	21 lbs/dn	24.5	112.31	-3.28
Boston Butt, Fresh 1/4" Trim	5-10 lbs	44.5	75.66	-4.01
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 lbs	5.8	124.09	-1.71
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	17-20 lbs	5.0	79.00	3.00
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	20-23 lbs	20.0	73.45	-0.67
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	14-16 lbs	2.0	92.00	0.00
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	16-18 lbs	10.0	90.40	-0.80
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		10.0	74.80	0.80
72% Chemical Lean		14.5	68.00	1.79

Dollars per Hundredweight - Equated to FOB Omaha Basis

**Broiler/Fryers**

Whole Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound, Delivered  
New York 61.22 Chicago 63.08 Los Angeles 81.32

**Parts Bulk**

Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound  
Northeast (Delivered) Breast B/S 151.84 Leg Quarters 31.94  
Southern States (FOB) Breast B/S 123.88 Leg Quarters 25.73

**Young Turkeys**

Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Frozen, Per Lb., Delivered  
Hens 8-16 Lbs Toms 16-24 Lbs  
Eastern 73.75 73.75  
Central 73.25 73.25  
Western 73.00 73.75

**Table Eggs**

Large, USDA Grade A, White, In Cartons, In Volume, Cents Per Dozen  
Northeast 51.00 Metropolitan Areas  
Southeast 49.50 New York 60.00-64.00  
Midwest 44.50 Chicago 46.00-54.00  
S. Central 50.50 S. California 67.00-70.00

**Egg Products**

Liquid, Non-pasteurized, Trucklot Volume, FOB, Per Pound  
Whole 31.00-33.00 Whites 30.50-36.00 Yolks 46.00-47.00  
Frozen, 30Lb Containers, Wholesale per Lb  
Whole Eggs Whites  
Eastern (Less Than Trucklot) 49.00-53.00 51.00-58.00  
Central 42.00-45.00 46.00-50.00  
S. Calif. (Less Than Trucklot) 48.00-51.00 54.00-57.00  
Dried, Wholesale Prices, Dollars Per Pound, In Container (Range)  
Whole 1.60-1.98 Yolks 1.34-1.60 Blends 1.47-1.70

**Fruit & Vegetable Market News**  
Washington, DC  
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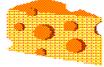
**Fruits**

Apples, Red Delicious, WA ExFcy, C.A. Storage, 100s Containers Tray Pack, Yakima Valley & Wenatchee District, WA 16.00  
Pears, Bartlett, U.S. One, 4/5 bushel cartons wrapped 100s, Yakima Valley & Wenatchee District, WA 16.00  
Strawberries, flats 12 1-pint baskets, large-exlarge, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 13.90  
Oranges, Valencia Shippers 1<sup>st</sup> grade, cartons 113s ctns, Central & Southern CA & AR 14.50

**Vegetables**

Broccoli, Bunched 14s Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 16.38  
Carrots, Medium-Large Sks 48 1-lb filmbags, Kern District, CA 8.85  
Celery, 2 1/2 doz ctns, Santa Maria, CA 5.80  
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24S, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 6.63  
Santa Maria, CA 8.85  
Peppers, Bell Type, Green; 1 1/9 buctns/crates, large, MI 8.17  
San Joaquin Valley, CA 6.85  
Tomatoes, Mature Greens, 85% U.S. One or better, 25 lb. Cartons, 6x6 Eastern TN N/A  
Central District, CA 25 lb cartons, lge 7.20  
Onions, Yellow Spanish Hybrid, Jumbo, 50 lb sacks, Idaho and Malheur County, OR 4.25  
Potatoes, Russet Burbank few Norkotah, U.S. One, 50lb ctns, 70s, Upper Valley, Twin Falls, Burley District and Western ID 7.75

Simple Average of Weekending Prices of Stated Grades or Stock of Generally Good Merchantable Quality and Condition. Prices FOB Shipping Point Basis. Dollars per Unit.



**Dairy Market News**  
Madison, WI  
608.224.5080

**Butter**

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities

This Week  
1.6975-1.8025

Last Week  
1.6425-1.7475

**American Cheese**

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars per pound

This Week  
1.7000-2.0000

Last Week  
1.7200-2.0700

**Fluid Milk = Basic Formula Price - 20-Aug-04**

Basic price used to set Class I prices, dollars per gallon, September

Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
1.1986	-0.0585	+0.0198