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**Beef**

IMPS#	Description	Wts	Lbs/Lds	Avg	Change Prv/wk
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3					
113A	Chuck, 2-pc	72-119 Lbs	8,494	135.36	4.47
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 Lbs	378,202	144.64	-0.94
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 Lbs	3,238,793	170.74	0.21
120	Brisket	6-14 Lbs	1,444,554	138.81	0.41
123A	Short Rib	1-4 Lbs	479,655	186.69	-1.22
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 Lbs	74,008	140.33	-0.82
161	Round, Bnls	42-80 Lbs	229,724	151.27	1.66
168	Inside Round	14-26 Lbs	2,001,933	151.26	-4.31
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 Lbs	171,008	145.11	0.48
Coarse ground Blend 81%			2,461,415	116.65	2.45
Coarse ground Blend 85%			69,289	150.06	4.58

**Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items**

Boneless Chuck 85%			141.53	9.25
Top Inside Round (168)	10-up Lbs		160.22	-5.96

**Bnls Processing Beef/Trimblings, Fresh**

90% Chemical Lean		2,752,673	145.98	3.84
50% Chemical Lean		7,984,242	49.99	-3.25

**Pork**

Pork Loins, Fresh 1/4" Trim	21 Lbs/dn	22.5	111.20	-4.51
Boston Butt, Fresh 1/4" Trim	5-10 Lbs	38.5	83.13	-0.74
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 Lbs/dn	2.5	128.40	2.96
Ham, Bone-in, Trmrd TS 1	17-20 Lbs	3.0	68.00	-1.18
Ham, Bone-in, Trmrd TS 1	20-23 Lbs	11.0	66.64	-1.86

Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmrd	14-16 Lbs	4.0	90.00	1.00
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmrd	16-18 Lbs	2.0	91.00	--
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		0.0	0.00	--
72% Chemical Lean		6.0	56.00	-0.50

Dollars per Hundredweight - Equated to FOB Omaha Basis

**Dairy Market News**  
Madison, WI  
608.224.5080

**Butter**

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

This Week	Last Week
1.3520 - 1.4320	1.3775 - 1.4575

**American Cheese**

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

This Week	Last Week
2.0300 - 2.5000	2.0250 - 2.5000

**Fluid Milk - September 2007**

Base prices paid for raw milk by Class I milk processors, dollars per gallon

Product	Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
Class I Base (3.5%)	1.8839	0.0129	0.9510
Whole Milk	1.8521	0.0121	0.9447
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	1.6984	0.0081	0.9184
Fat-free Milk	1.5095	0.0033	0.8847

**Poultry Market News & Analysis Branch**  
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**Broiler/Fryers**

Whole Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Cents per Pound, Delivered  
Chicago 76.47 Los Angeles 86.53 New York 76.81

**Parts Bulk**

Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Cents per Pound  
Northeast (Delivered) Breast B/S 163.20 Leg Quarters 49.93  
Southern States (FOB) Breast B/S 167.12 Leg Quarters 44.30

**Young Turkeys**

Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Frozen, Cents per Pound, Delivered  
Hens 8-16 Lbs Toms 16-24 Lbs  
EASTERN REGION 90.70 90.00  
CENTRAL REGION 88.00 \*\* 88.00\*\*  
WESTERN REGION 89.70 \*\* 89.70\*\*

\*\*BASED ON OFFERS

**Table Eggs**

Large, USDA Grade A, White, In Cartons, In Volume, Cents per Dozen  
Delivered Warehouse Delivered Store Door  
Northeast 101.00 Metropolitan Areas  
Southeast 98.50 New York 120.00-124.00  
Midwest 92.50 Midwest 95.00-103.00  
S. Central 101.50 S. California 121.00-124.00

**Egg Products**

Liquid, Non-pasteurized, Trucklot Volume, FOB, Cents per Pound (Range)  
Whole 62.00-66.00 Whites 48.00-58.00 Yolks 83.00-86.50  
Frozen, 30Lb Containers, Wholesale Cents per Pound (Range)  
Whole Whites  
Eastern (Less than Trucklot) 85.00-90.00 74.00-87.00  
Central 81.00-86.00 70.00-72.00  
S. Calif. (Less than Trucklot) 87.00-91.00 76.00-79.00  
Dried, Wholesale Prices, Dollars per Pound, In Containers (Range)  
Whole 2.75-3.05 Yolks 2.15-2.35 Blends 1.97-2.25

**Fruit & Vegetable Market News**  
Washington, DC  
202.720.2745

**Fruits**

Apples, Red Delicious, WAExFancy, containers tray pack, controlled atmosphere storage, 100s Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District, WA 17.00  
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seeded Type, 24 inch bins per lb, approximately 35 count, San Joaquin Valley CA .10  
Red Flesh Seedless Type, approximately 45 count .14  
Strawberries, flats 12-1pint baskets, med-large, Salinas-Watsonville CA 12.40  
Santa Maria, flats 8- 1 lb containers with lids, med-large 10.40  
Oranges, Valencia, Shippers First Grade, 7/10 bushel cartons, 88s, Central and South District CA 16.50

**Vegetables**

Broccoli, Bunched 14s, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville 9.78  
Carrots, Medium-Large Sacks 48 1-lb film bags, Kern District CA 12.92  
Celery, 2 1/2 dozen, cartons, Salinas-Watsonville CA 5.39  
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24s, cartons, Salinas-Watsonville CA 13.27  
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1 1/9 bushel cartons, large, Western NC 7.43  
Tomatoes, Mature Greens, 25 lb cartons, 6x6 size, Eastern Shore VA 11.65  
Vine Ripes, flats 2 layer, 4x5s, Southern California Coast & Mexico 8.95  
Crossing through Otay Mesa  
Onions, 50 lb sacks Yellow Grano Type, Jumbo, San Joaquin Valley CA 3.75  
Potatoes, Russet Norkotah, U.S. One, 50 lb cartons, 70s, Upper Valley 8.50  
Twin Falls- Burley District ID

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