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Beef

IMPS# Description	Wts	lbs./loads	Avg	Change Prv/wk
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3				
113A Chuck, 2-pc	72-119 lbs.	5,334	226.26	15.00
115 Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 lbs.	45,181	221.92	7.24
116A Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 lbs.	1,248,245	229.82	-5.01
120 Brisket	6-14 lbs.	1,272,521	190.07	0.51
123A Short Rib	1-4 lbs.	119,038	301.89	-0.45
160 Round, Bn-in	50-85 lbs.	14,278	206.26	1.68
161 Round, Bnls	42-80 lbs.	26,232	216.86	5.44
168 Inside Round	14-26 lbs.	110,806	221.62	-1.15
170 Gooseneck Round	18-33 lbs.	80,216	201.22	-3.21
Coarse ground Blend 81%		196,432	181.72	-2.52
Coarse ground Blend 85%		80,260	208.84	3.99
Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items				
Boneless Chuck 85%		18,000	178.93	0.68
Top Inside Round (168)	10-up lbs.	45,277	231.57	0.81
Bnls Processing Beef/Trimmings, Fresh				
90% Chemical Lean		0	178.69	0.15
50% Chemical Lean		3,508,369	106.32	1.21

Pork

Pork Loins, Fresh 1/4" Trim	21 lbs./dn	26.5	140.60	-9.70
Boston Butt, Fresh 1/4" Trim	5-10 lbs.	41.5	116.04	-0.16
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 lbs./dn	25.5	157.53	-7.09
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	17-20 lbs.	2.0	86.00	0.00
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	20-23 lbs.	19.0	84.63	-3.70
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	14-16 lbs.	10.0	131.40	-16.85
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	16-18 lbs.	7.0	132.14	-16.11
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		6.0	125.00	0.00
72% Chemical Lean		10.0	118.00	8.14

Dollars per hundredweight - equated to FOB Omaha basis.

Dairy Market News
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Butter
Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities

This Week	Last Week
2.0325– 2.1725	2.0275 – 2.1675

American Cheese
Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars/lb.

This Week	Last Week
2.1075– 2.6600	2.2375 – 2.6600

Fluid Milk – September 2011
Base prices paid for raw milk by Class I milk processors, dollars/gallon

Product	Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
Class I Base (3.5%)	1.8727	0.0301	0.5399
Whole Milk	1.8256	0.0281	0.5341
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	1.5958	0.0210	0.5076
Fat-free Milk	1.3156	0.0124	0.4745

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Final Broiler/Fryers
Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, cents/lb., Delivered to First Receivers 1/
U.S. Grade A: **Los Angeles** 95.76 **New York** 77.10
Whole Body 2/: **Chicago** 76.78
1/: Includes branded product.
2/: Whole Body category includes whole body birds with or without giblets, all grades, brands, & packaging.

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Broiler/Fryer Parts Bulk - Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, cents/lb.
Weekly Weighted Average Price

	Breast B/S	Leg Quarters
Northeast (Delivered)	134.49	53.20
Southern States (FOB)	130.53	48.52

National Turkeys - Frozen Whole Body Trading, (commodity pack or equivalent; min. 10,000 lb. lots) U.S. Grade A, FOB Shipper Dock basis
Week Ending August 19, 2011

	Wtd Avg (cents/lb)	Volume (000 lbs)
8-16 lb. (Hens)	107.11	360
16-24 lb. (Toms)	108.25	20

[1]Based on offers

Table Eggs - Large, sales to volume buyers, white (in cartons), cents/doz.

Delivered Warehouse		Delivered Store Door Metropolitan Areas	
USDA Grade A & Grade A		USDA Grade A & Grade A	
Northeast	136.00	New York	141.00-145.00
Southeast	136.50	Midwest	131.00-139.00
Midwest	128.50	USDA Grade AA & Grade AA	
S. Central	139.50	S. CA	148.00-159.00

National Egg Products - F.O.B. Shipper Dock Basis; Wholesale prices; cents per pound unless otherwise noted.

Liquid - non-pasteurized in trucklots, current trading for delivery within 14 days. (Range)
Whole 64.00-66.00 **Whites** 47.50-50.50 **Yolks** 78.00-86.50

Frozen - Packed in 30-pound containers; less-than-trucklot reflects a minimum volume of 25 containers. (Range)

	Trucklots	LTL
Whole	81.00-87.00	87.00
Whites	71.00-76.00	76.00

Dried - Prices in dollars per pound; in containers; includes trucklot and less-than-trucklot volumes. (Range)
Whole 2.82-3.15 **Yolks** 2.02-2.35 **Blends**[1/] 2.30
[1/] Whole plus sweetener.

Fruit & Vegetable Market News
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Fruits

Apples, Red Delicious, WAExFancy, containers tray pack, 100s, Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District, WA	26.00
Blueberries, 12-1 pint cups with lids, med-large, Michigan	24.00
Strawberries, 8-1 lb containers w/lids, med-large, Salinas-Watsonville, CA	8.50
8-l lb containers w/lids, med-large, Santa Maria	8.50
Oranges, 7/10 bushel cartons, Valencia, 88s, Shippers first grade, Central & Southern CA	12.64
Peaches, 1/2 bushel cartons, Yellow Flesh Varieties, 2 ¼-2 ½ inch, South New Jersey	9.40
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seedless Type, 24 inch bins per hundred weight 45s, Delaware, Maryland and Eastern Shore Virginia	14.00
Grapes, Thompson Seedless, 19 lb containers bagged, large, San Joaquin Valley, CA	14.60

Vegetables

Broccoli, Bunched 14s, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville CA	9.08
Carrots, medium-large Sacks, 48 1-lb film bags, Kern District CA	13.88
Celery, 2 1/2 dozen, cartons, Salinas-Watsonville CA	7.52
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24s, cartons film lined, Salinas-Watsonville CA	8.05
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1 1/9 bushel cartons, large, Michigan	8.43
Tomatoes, 25 lb cartons loose, Mature Greens, large, Central District CA	8.95
Onions, Yellow Hybrid, 50 lb sacks, Jumbo, North and East Points Colorado	9.00
Potatoes, Russet Burbank, U.S. One, 50 lb cartons, 70s, Upper Valley, Twin Falls-Burley District ID (2011 crop)	21.50

Simple average of week ending prices of stated grades or stock of generally good merchantable quality & condition. Prices f.o.b. shipping point basis. Dollars per unit.