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**Beef**

IMPS#	Description	Wts	lbs./loads	Avg	Change Prv/wk
<b>Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3</b>					
113C	Chuck, Semi-bnls, neck/off		123,795	264.13	-10.16
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 Lbs			--
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 Lbs	1,093,478	319.40	-14.18
120	Brisket	6-14 Lbs	809,929	300.56	2.03
123A	Short Rib	1-4 Lbs	48,199	534.79	-9.49
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 Lbs	7,148	308.51	-5.13
161	Round, Bnls	42-80 Lbs	7,255	316.72	-3.57
168	Inside Round	14-26 Lbs	411,943	326.91	-25.91
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 Lbs	38,136	267.44	-14.23
	Blended Coarse ground 81%		444,606	274.46	0.44
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<b>Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items</b>					
	Boneless Chuck 85%		153,117	285.02	5.75
	Top Inside Round (168)	10-up Lbs	70,058	317.51	-0.35
<b>Boneless Processing Beef</b>					
<b>Beef Trimblings, Fresh</b>					
	90% Chemical Lean		2,854,710	296.17	2.35
	50% Chemical Lean		2,788,833	145.82	-4.04
<b>Pork - FOB Plant</b>					
		<b>Kilo Lbs</b>			
	1/4" Trimmed Loin VAC	1,843		154.98	-6.45
	1/4" Trim Butt VAC	5,689		159.42	-5.90
	Trm'd Spareribs - LGT	1,939		173.74	-5.96
	Trm'd Selected Ham	17-20 Lbs	39	143.16	-0.05
	Trm'd Selected Ham	20-23 Lbs	1,706	111.41	-31.48
	Skin-on Belly	14-16 Lbs	28	147.49	6.07
	Skin-on Belly	16-18 Lbs	6	142.90	-5.51
	Picnic Meat Combo Cushion Out		615	128.13	-10.21
	72% Trim Combo		1,362	119.97	-14.34

**National Whole Broiler Fryer – Whole Body**

**New York** 102.83    **Chicago** 95.67    **Los Angeles** 98.09  
Negotiated prices in trucklot and less-than-trucklot quantities of ready-to-cook whole body broiler/fryers delivered to first receivers; prices in cents per pound; volume in thousands of pounds.

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

	Breast B/S	Leg Quarters
Northeast (Delivered)	182.20	51.06
Southern States (f.o.b.)	175.53	47.09

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

	Wtd Avg (cents/lb.)	Volume (000 lbs.)
<b>8-16 lb. (Hens)</b>	106.36	122
<b>16-24 lb. (Toms)</b>	106.57	84

<sup>1</sup> Based on offers

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

Delivered Warehouse (Weekly Average Prices)	Delivered Store Door Metropolitan Areas
<b>USDA Grade A &amp; Grade A</b>	<b>USDA Grade A &amp; Grade A</b>
Northeast	New York 121-125
Southeast	Midwest 113-121
Midwest	<b>USDA Grade AA &amp; Grade AA</b>
South Central	Southern CA 128-140

**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	Whites	Yolks
78.00	126.50	59.13

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

	Trucklot	Less-than-Trucklot
<b>Whole</b>	110.00 - 116.00	116.00 - 118.00
<b>Whites</b>	140.00 - 163.00	145.00 - 163.00

**Dried** - Prices in dollars per pound; in containers; includes trucklot & less-than-trucklot volumes. (Range)

Whole	Yolk	Blends <sup>1/1</sup>
3.85 - 4.35	1.45 - 1.75	3.15 - 3.25

<sup>1/1</sup> Whole plus sweetener.

**Fruit & Vegetable Market News  
Washington, DC – (202)720-2745**

**Fruits**

Apples, Red Delicious, WAExFancy, cartons tray pack, 100s, Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District, Washington	19.00
Pears, Bartlett U.S. One, 40 pound cartons wrapped, 100s, Sacramento & San Joaquin Valley, California	24.50
Grapes, 19 pound containers bagged, Flame Seedless, large, Kern District, California	18.45
Strawberries, 8-1 pound containers with lids, medium-large, Salinas-Watsonville, California	9.50
Oranges, 7/10 bushel cartons, Valencia, 88s, Shippers first grade, South and Central District California	18.35
Peaches, 25 pound cartons loose, Various yellow flesh varieties, 54-56 size, Central and Southern San Joaquin Valley	21.35
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seedless Type, bins per pound, 45s, Delaware, Maryland and Eastern Shore Virginia	.11

**Vegetables**

Broccoli, Cartons, Bunched 14s, Salinas-Watsonville, California	12.85
Carrots, Sacks, 48 1-lb film bags, medium-large, Kern District, California	12.50
Celery, cartons, 2 1/2 dozen, Salinas-Watsonville California	9.53
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24s, cartons film lined, Salinas-Watsonville California	14.78
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1 1/9 bushel cartons, large, Western North Carolina	10.65
Tomatoes, 25 pound cartons loose, Mature Greens 85% U.S. One or Better, 6x6 size, Eastern Shore Virginia	11.95
Onions, Yellow Grano, 50 pound sacks, Jumbo, Southern New Mexico	12.00
Potatoes, Russet Norkotah, U.S. One, 50 pound cartons, 70s, Twin Falls-Burley District & Western Idaho	8.00

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.

**Dairy Market News  
Madison, WI – (608)278-4150**

**Butter**

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

This Week	Last Week
2.4925 - 2.5925	2.3600 - 2.4600

**American Cheese**

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

This Week	Last Week
2.2100 - 2.5700	2.0675 - 2.4275

**Fluid Milk – August 2014**

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%)	2.0525	0.0731	0.4291
Whole Milk	1.9993	0.0694	0.4075
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	1.7382	0.0498	0.2995
Fat-free Milk	1.4198	0.0260	0.1688