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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.	4,023	173.89	-11.36
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnl	50-80 lbs.	28,537	208.96	-0.72
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 lbs.	4,381,195	185.35	-12.93
120	Brisket	6-14 lbs.	841,473	168.89	-1.08
123A	Short Rib	1-4 lbs.	86,645	290.79	8.93
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 lbs.	14,655	192.82	-1.08
161	Round, Bnl	42-80 lbs.	81,935	203.05	-7.92
168	Inside Round	14-26 lbs.	499,302	200.15	1.55
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 lbs.	22,582	199.19	-2.12
Coarse ground Blend 81%			710,269	199.89	-1.33
Coarse ground Blend 85%			79,690	221.11	-1.49
Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items					
Boneless Chuck 85%			26,000	199.30	-0.71
Top Inside Round (168)		10-up lbs.	78,966	212.22	-1.80
Bnl Processing Beef/Trimblings, Fresh					
90% Chemical Lean			4,038,740	203.53	-0.22
50% Chemical Lean			2,311,620	100.80	-0.44

**Pork**

Pork Loins, Fresh 1/4" Trim	21 lbs./dn	20.5	134.24	0.85
Boston Butt, Fresh 1/4" Trim	5-10 lbs.	78.0	113.73	-4.73
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 lbs./dn	14.0	158.50	1.09
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	17-20 lbs.	0.0	0.00	--
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	20-23 lbs.	0.0	0.00	--
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	14-16 lbs.	6.0	141.33	-3.33
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	16-18 lbs.	6.0	141.33	-5.67
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		4.0	95.00	3.00
72% Chemical Lean		9.0	82.44	-1.71

Dollars per hundredweight - equated to FOB Omaha basis.

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**Butter**

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities  
 This Week Last Week  
 2.0000- 2.1100 1.9700 - 2.0800

**American Cheese**

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars/lb.  
 This Week Last Week  
 1.7125- 2.2400 1.7225 - 2.1700

**Fluid Milk - May 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%)	1.6982	0.0275	0.5116
Whole Milk	1.6534	0.0290	0.4989
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	1.4342	0.0361	0.4391
Fat-free Milk	1.1671	0.0446	0.3661

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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** 95.32 **New York** 82.24  
 Whole Body 2/: **Chicago** 79.71

1/: Includes branded product.

2/: Whole Body category includes whole body birds with or without giblets, all grades, brands, and 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)	134.04	47.68
Southern States (FOB)	128.26	44.35

**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 April 29, 2011

	Wtd Avg (cents/lb.)	Volume (000 lbs.)
8-16 lb. (Hens)	95.32 <sup>1</sup>	31
16-24 lb. (Toms)	95.59	17

<sup>1</sup>Based on offers

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

Delivered Warehouse	Delivered Store Door	Metropolitan Areas
<u>USDA Grade A &amp; Grade A</u>	<u>USDA Grade A &amp; Grade A</u>	
Northeast	110.00	New York 113.00-117.00
Southeast	110.50	Midwest 104.00-112.00
Midwest	101.50	<u>USDA Grade AA &amp; Grade AA</u>
S. Central	111.50	S. CA 126.00-135.00

**Egg Products**

**National Frozen**, wholesale selling prices, FOB shipping point, (cents/lb., in 30 lb. Containers)

	Trucklots - Range	LTL Range (min. 25 cont.)
Whole	70.00-75.00	70.00-81.00
Whites	67.00-71.00	67.00-78.00

**National Liquid**, non-pasteurized trucklot, FOB Plant, cents/lb. (Range)

Whole	47.50-51.00	Whites	48.50-50.00	Yolks	TFEWR
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**National Dried**, wholesale prices, dollars/lb., in containers, trucklot & LTL (range)

Whole	2.45-2.80	Yolks	1.80-2.10	Blends	2.00-2.10
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**Fruit & Vegetable Market News**  
 WA, DC  
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**Fruits**

Apples, Red Delicious, WAExFancy, containers tray pack, 100s, Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District, WA	17.00
Pears, D'Anjou, U.S.One, 4/5 bushel cartons wrapped, 100s, Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District, WA	23.00
Strawberries, 8-1 lb containers w/lids, med-large, Salinas-Watsonville, CA	7.50
Oranges, 7/10 bushel cartons, 88s Navel, Shippers first grade, Central & Southern CA	10.14
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seedless Type, 24 inch bins per hundred weight 45s, FL	15.50
Grapes, Thompson Seedless, 18 lb containers bagged, large, Chile Port of Entry Philadelphia area	16.00

**Vegetables**

Broccoli, Bunched 14s, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville CA	5.73
Carrots, medium-large Sacks, 48 1-lb film bags, Kern District CA	21.00
Celery, 2 1/2 dozen, cartons, Oxnard District CA	21.45
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24s, cartons film lined, Salinas-Watsonville CA	8.04
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1 1/9 bushel cartons, large, Central & South FL	14.85
Tomatoes, 25 lb cartons loose, Mature Greens, 6x6 size, U.S. 85% U.S. One or Better, South FL	9.45
Onions, Yellow Grano, 50 lb sacks, Jumbo, Lower Rio Grande Valley TX	5.25
Potatoes, Russet Burbank, U.S. One, 50 lb cartons, 70s, Upper Valley, Twin Falls-Burley District ID	20.50

**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.**