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**Livestock & Grain Market News**  
Des Moines, IA  
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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.	6,453	204.37	-21.89
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 lbs.	30,904	220.80	-1.12
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 lbs.	1,130,284	224.57	-5.24
120	Brisket	6-14 lbs.	509,859	189.42	-0.65
123A	Short Rib	1-4 lbs.	130,999	293.30	-8.59
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 lbs.	55,002	195.71	-10.55
161	Round, Bnls	42-80 lbs.	40,482	212.32	-4.54
168	Inside Round	14-26 lbs.	533,769	200.94	-20.68
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 lbs.	170,046	195.44	-5.78
	Coarse ground Blend 81%		363,173	180.58	-1.14
	Coarse ground Blend 85%		116,661	198.28	-10.56

**Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items**

Boneless Chuck 85%		28,000		178.01	-0.92
Top Inside Round (168)	10-up lbs.	81,815		217.78	-13.79

**Bnls Processing Beef/Trimblings, Fresh**

90% Chemical Lean		3,679,455		179.10	0.41
50% Chemical Lean		3,701,641		95.15	-11.17

**Pork**

Pork Loins, Fresh 1/4" Trim	21 lbs./dn	28.5		134.91	-5.69
Boston Butt, Fresh 1/4" Trim	5-10 lbs.	99.0		108.99	-7.05
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 lbs./dn	35.5		138.00	-19.53

Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	17-20 lbs.	0.0	0.00		--
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	20-23 lbs.	6.0	87.33		2.70

Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	14-16 lbs.	7.0	112.86		-18.54
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	16-18 lbs.	3.0	110.00		-22.14
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		10.0	110.60		-14.40
72% Chemical Lean		17.0	104.18		-13.82

Dollars per hundredweight - equated to FOB Omaha basis.

**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
2.0100- 2.1500	2.0325 - 2.1725

**American Cheese**

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

This Week	Last Week
1.8775- 2.6600	2.1075 - 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** 95.95 **New York** 73.62

Whole Body 2/: **Chicago** 71.85

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)	136.49	53.04
Southern States (FOB)	128.96	48.27

**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)	107.40 <sup>1</sup>	
16-24 lb. (Toms)	107.50 <sup>1</sup>	

<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
USDA Grade A & Grade A	USDA Grade A & Grade A
Northeast	New York 123.00-127.00
Southeast	Midwest 131.00-139.00
Midwest	USDA Grade AA & Grade AA
S. Central	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	TFEWR	Whites	TFEWR	Yolks	75.00-83.00
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**Frozen** - Packed in 30-pound containers; less-than-trucklot reflects a minimum volume of 25 containers. (Range)

	Trucklots	LTL
Whole	82.00-90.00	88.00-90.00
Whites	71.00-76.00	76.00

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

Whole	2.60-3.15	Yolks	1.95-2.35	Blends <sup>1/</sup>	2.35-2.46
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<sup>1/</sup> Whole plus sweetener.

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

**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	10.00
8-1 lb containers w/lids, med-large, Santa Maria	9.50
Oranges, 7/10 bushel cartons, Valencia, 88s, Shippers first grade, Central & Southern CA	12.64
Peaches, 1/2 bushel cartons, Yellow Flesh Varieties, 2 1/4-2 1/2 inch, South New Jersey	8.90
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seedless Type, 24 inch bins per hundred weight 45s, Delaware, Maryland and Eastern Shore Virginia	15.50
Grapes, Thompson Seedless, 19 lb containers bagged, large, San Joaquin Valley, CA	14.10
<b>Vegetables</b>	
Broccoli, Bunched 14s, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville CA	7.83
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	7.68
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1 1/9 bushel cartons, large, Michigan	9.35
Tomatoes, 25 lb cartons loose, Mature Greens, large, Central District CA	9.95
Onions, Yellow Hybrid, 50 lb sacks, Jumbo, North and East Points Colorado	8.25
Potatoes, Russet Burbank, U.S. One, 50 lb cartons, 70s, Upper Valley, Twin Falls-Burley District ID	22.00

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.