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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.	8,398	197.82	-13.86
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 lbs.	42,821	221.15	1.20
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 lbs.	2,309,645	238.55	-7.82
120	Brisket	6-14 lbs.	729,946	191.00	-2.81
123A	Short Rib	1-4 lbs.	60,031	296.12	0.07
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 lbs.	13,059	198.15	-3.58
161	Round, Bnls	42-80 lbs.	25,409	210.39	-1.82
168	Inside Round	14-26 lbs.	1,341,539	194.84	-7.78
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 lbs.	86,009	201.03	1.22
	Coarse ground Blend 81%		262,603	175.43	-2.02
	Coarse ground Blend 85%		133,966	194.59	-14.28
Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items					
	Boneless Chuck 85%		30,000	165.83	-6.82
	Top Inside Round (168)	10-up lbs.	143,640	226.54	9.58
Bnls Processing Beef/Trimblings, Fresh					
	90% Chemical Lean		4,190,165	170.23	-4.49
	50% Chemical Lean		3,674,615	89.32	-0.13

Pork

	Pork Loins, Fresh 1/4" Trim	21 lbs./dn	37.0	129.99	-0.61
	Boston Butt, Fresh 1/4" Trim	5-10 lbs.	99.0	111.65	-2.01
	Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 lbs./dn	23.5	139.38	-0.06
	Ham, Bone-in, Trm'd TS 1	17-20 lbs.	1.0	93.00	--
	Ham, Bone-in, Trm'd TS 1	20-23 lbs.	6.0	92.33	4.13
	Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trm'd	14-16 lbs.	0.0	0.00	--
	Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trm'd	16-18 lbs.	0.0	0.00	--
	Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		0.0	0.00	--
	72% Chemical Lean		14.0	105.00	1.18

Dollars per hundredweight - equated to FOB Omaha basis.

Dairy Market News
Madison, WI
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Butter

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities
This Week Last Week
1.6900- 1.8400 1.7150 - 1.8950

American Cheese

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars/lb.
This Week Last Week
1.8025- 2.4800 1.8500 - 2.4800

Fluid Milk - October 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%)	1.6819	-0.1908	0.2563
Whole Milk	1.6368	-0.1888	0.2604
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	1.4170	-0.1788	0.2820
Fat-free Milk	1.1492	-0.1664	0.3074

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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** 96.48 **New York** 64.52
Whole Body 2/: **Chicago** 59.24

1/: Includes branded product. 2/: Whole Body category includes whole body birds with or without giblets, all grades, brands, & packaging.

Broiler/Fryer Parts Bulk - Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, cents/lb.

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Weekly Weighted Average Price

	Breast B/S	Leg Quarters
Northeast (Delivered)	122.03	53.52
Southern States (FOB)	112.79	46.53

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 September 23, 2011

	Wtd Avg (cents/lb)	Volume (000 lbs)
8-16 lb. (Hens)	112.20 ¹	
16-24 lb. (Toms)	109.90 ¹	

¹Based 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 & Grade A</u>	<u>USDA Grade A & Grade A</u>	
Northeast	New York	122-126
Southeast	Midwest	108-116
Midwest	<u>USDA Grade AA & Grade AA</u>	
S. Central	S. CA	123-134

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 66.50-69.00 **Whites** 50.50-57.00 **Yolks** 80.00-83.50

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

	Trucklot	Less-than-Trucklot
Whole	83.00-89.00	88.00-89.00
Whites	72.00-76.00	75.00-76.00

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

Whole 2.40-3.05 **Yolks** 2.15-2.35 **Blends**^{1/} 2.40-2.45

^{1/} Whole plus sweetener.

Fruit & Vegetable Market News
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Fruits

Apples, Gala, WAExFancy, cartons tray pack, 100s, Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District, WA	21.00
Blueberries, 12-6 ounce cups with lids, med-large, Oregon and Washington	23.50
Strawberries, 8-1 lb containers w/lids, med, Salinas-Watsonville, CA	7.50
med-large, Santa Maria	7.50
Oranges, 7/10 bushel cartons, Valencia, 88s, Shippers first grade, Central & Southern CA	13.14
Peaches, 25 lb. cartons loose, Various Yellow Flesh Varieties, 60-64 size	10.10
Central and Southern San Joaquin Valley, California	
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seedless Type, 24 inch bins per pound 45s, Texas and Oklahoma	.21
Grapes, Thompson Seedless, 19 lb containers bagged, large, San Joaquin Valley, CA	14.10

Vegetables

Broccoli, Bunched 14s, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville CA	7.88
Carrots, medium-large Sacks, 48 1-lb film bags, Kern District CA	13.88
Celery, 2 1/2 dozen, cartons, Salinas-Watsonville CA	7.51
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24s, cartons film lined, Salinas-Watsonville CA	6.97
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1 1/9 bushel cartons, large, Michigan	9.43
Tomatoes, 25 lb cartons loose, Mature Greens, large, Central District CA	6.45
Onions, Yellow Hybrid, 50 lb sacks, Jumbo, ID and Malheur County, OR	5.50
Potatoes, Russet Norkotah, U.S. One, 50 lb cartons, 70s, Upper Valley, Twin Falls-Burley District ID	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.