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 Des Moines, IA  
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**Beef**

IMPS#	Description	Wts	lbs./loads	Avg	Change Prv/wk
<b>Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3</b>					
113A	Chuck, Semi-bnls, neck off		180,049	203.64	-1.45
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 lbs.	17,132	228.64	1.98
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 lbs.	937,308	223.99	-6.96
120	Brisket	6-14 lbs.	278,007	210.01	1.90
123A	Short Rib	1-4 lbs.	245,489	257.04	-54.35
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 lbs.	12,632	210.99	-0.92
161	Round, Bnls	42-80 lbs.	26,955	227.54	5.17
168	Inside Round	14-26 lbs.	296,678	205.28	-5.97
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 lbs.	53,851	199.09	-10.06
	Coarse ground Blend 81%		159,828	200.07	-1.94
	Coarse ground Blend 85%		143,453	223.64	3.86

**Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items**

Boneless Chuck 85%		26,060	202.43	0.59
Top Inside Round (168)	10-up lbs.	94,044	220.38	5.86

**Boneless Processing Beef/Trimmings, Fresh**

90% Chemical Lean		4,131,748	206.30	-0.79
50% Chemical Lean		5,138,979	98.83	0.02

**Pork**

Pork Loins, Fresh 1/4" Trim	21 lbs./dn	41.5	114.01	-2.28
Boston Butt, Fresh 1/4" Trim	5-10 lbs.	99.5	107.72	-0.09
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 lbs./dn	14.5	159.90	-0.69

Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	17-20 lbs.			--
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Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	14-16 lbs.	4.0	127.50	--
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	16-18 lbs.	2.0	125.00	--
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		6.0	83.17	0.50
72% Chemical Lean		18.0	68.67	5.33

Dollars per hundredweight - equated to FOB Omaha basis.

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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)	127.04	52.42
Southern States (FOB)	118.14	49.23

**National Turkeys** - Frozen Whole Body Trading, (commodity pack or equivalent; min. 10,000 lb. lots) U.S. Grade A, FOB Shipper Dock basis  
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	Wtd Avg (cents/lb)	Volume (000 lbs)
8-16 lb. (Hens)	95.92	3,040
16-24 lb. (Toms)	96.42	2,349

<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 101-105
Southeast	Midwest 94-102
Midwest	USDA Grade AA & Grade AA
S. Central	S. CA 111-123

**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)

<b>Whole</b> 36.00-46.50	<b>Whites</b> 41.00-56.00	<b>Yolks</b> 58.00-67.50
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**Frozen** - Packed in 30-pound containers; less-than-trucklot reflects a minimum volume of 25 containers. (Range)

	Trucklot	Less-than-Trucklot
<b>Whole</b>	63.00-69.00	69.00-73.00
<b>Whites</b>	72.00-76.00	73.00-76.00

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

<b>Whole</b> 2.30-2.80	<b>Yolks</b> 1.65-2.05	<b>Blends<sup>1/</sup></b> 2.08-2.30
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<sup>1/</sup> Whole plus sweetener.

**Dairy Market News**  
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**Butter**

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

This Week	Last Week
1.4475- 1.5775	1.5075 - 1.6375

**American Cheese**

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

This Week	Last Week
1.6150- 2.3600	1.6475 - 2.3600

**Fluid Milk - February 2012**

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%)	1.4643	-0.1522	0.0980
Whole Milk	1.4298	-0.1519	0.1026
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	1.2608	-0.1518	0.1247
Fat-free Milk	1.0545	-0.1512	0.1509

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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** 98.26 **New York** 80.67

Whole Body 2/: **Chicago** 72.47

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

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

**Fruits**

Apples, Red Delicious, WAExFancy, cartons tray pack, 100s,	18.00
Yakima Valley & Wenatchee District, WA	
Blueberries, 12-1 pint cups with lids, medium-large,	22.00
Chile through Philadelphia	
Strawberries, 8-1 pound containers with lids, medium-large,	
Oxnard District CA	11.00
Central FL medium-large	7.90
Oranges, 7/10 bushel cartons, Navel, 88s, Shippers first grade,	9.74
Central & Southern CA & AZ	
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seedless Type, cartons per lb, 5s,	.23
Mexico Crossings through TX	
Grapes, Sugraone, 18 lb containers bagged, large,	15.00
Chile Imports-Port of Entry Philadelphia Area	

**Vegetables**

Broccoli, Bunched 14s, Cartons, Central & Western AZ	6.00
Carrots, medium-large Sacks, 48 1-lb film bags, Kern District CA	13.20
Celery, 2 1/2 dozen, cartons, Oxnard District CA	9.06
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24s, cartons film lined, Western AZ	6.79
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1 1/9 bushel cartons, large, Central & South FL	8.85
Tomatoes, 85% U.S. One or Better 25lb cartons loose, Mature Greens,	5.95
6x6 size, Central & South FL	
Onions, Yellow Hybrid, 50 lb sacks, Jumbo, Idaho & Malheur County, OR	3.25
Potatoes, Russet Burbank, U.S. One, 50 lb cartons, 70s,	9.25
Upper Valley Twin Falls-Burley District ID	

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.