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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>					
113C	Chuck, Semi-bnls, neck/off		156,845	199.75	5.84
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 Lbs	22,609	225.83	-0.28
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 Lbs	1,293,460	218.54	-2.45
120	Brisket	6-14 Lbs	541,701	210.66	1.10
123A	Short Rib	1-4 Lbs	122,713	277.39	14.91
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 Lbs	14,537	190.94	-0.20
161	Round, Bnls	42-80 Lbs	46,937	202.78	-7.65
168	Inside Round	14-26 Lbs	899,852	198.65	-5.29
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 Lbs	12,494	199.23	-1.78
	Blended Coarse ground 81%		240,385	214.58	2.72
	Blended Coarse ground 85%		107,866	235.98	2.56

**Cow Cuts/**

**Boneless Processing Items**

Boneless Chuck 85%		125,619	220.11	-8.77
Top Inside Round (168)	10-up Lbs	139,690	232.43	8.94

**Bnls Processing Beef/  
Beef Trimmings, Fresh**

90% Chemical Lean		4,131,748	206.30	-0.79
50% Chemical Lean		3,939,551	48.95	-2.48

**Pork**

Pork Loin, Fresh 1/4" Trim	21 Lbs/dn	20.0	144.38	7.24
Boston Butt, Fresh 1/4" Trim	5-10 Lbs	67.5	112.32	5.74
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 Lbs/dn	28.5	159.91	20.47
Ham, Bone-in, Trm'd TS 1	17-20 Lbs	1.0	73.00	--
Ham, Bone-in, Trm'd TS 1	20-23 Lbs	4.0	71.50	6.50
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trm'd	14-16 Lbs	13.0	117.00	14.44
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trm'd	16-18 Lbs	14.0	114.64	12.64
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		4.0	86.50	3.50
72% Chemical Lean		27.0	78.85	1.41

**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
1.4150 - 1.5400	1.3625 - 1.4875

**American Cheese**

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

This Week	Last Week
1.6475 - 2.4200	1.6475 - 2.4200

**Fluid Milk - June 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%)	1.3104	-0.0525	-0.4368
Whole Milk	1.2817	-0.0503	-0.4191
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	1.1426	-0.0360	-0.3318
Fat-free Milk	0.9925	-0.0187	-0.2260

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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** 103.66 **New York** 86.61

Whole Body 2/: **Chicago** 78.37

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)	138.83	52.09
Southern States (FOB)	129.37	49.41

**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 June 15, 2012

	Wtd Avg (cents/lb)	Volume (000 lbs)
8-16 lb. (Hens)	109.50	80
16-24 lb. (Toms)	106.00 <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 103-107
Southeast	Midwest 94-102
Midwest	<b>USDA Grade AA &amp; Grade AA</b>
S. Central	S. CA 108-120

**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
45.00-47.50	TFEWR	57.00-67.00

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

	Trucklot	Less-than-Trucklot
<b>Whole</b>	70.00-76.00	73.00-75.00
<b>Whites</b>	69.00-75.00	70.00-72.00

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

Whole	Yolks	Blends <sup>1/</sup>
2.50-2.75	1.75-1.96	2.20-2.25

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

**Fruit & Vegetable Market News**  
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**Fruits**

Apples, Red Delicious, WAExFancy, cartons tray pack, 100s, Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District, WA	18.00
Blueberries, 12-1 pint cups with lids, medium-large, Eastern NC	16.00
Strawberries, 8-1 pound containers with lids, medium-large, Salinas-Watsonville, District CA	7.50
Oranges, 7/10 bushel cartons, Valencia, 88s, Shippers first grade, South & Central District CA	12.23
Peaches, 1/2 bushel cartons, various yellow flesh varieties, 2 1/4 inch minimum, SC	11.65
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seedless Type, 24 inch bins per hundred weight, 45s, North Florida	16.50
Grapes, Sugaone, 18 pound containers bagged, large, Coachella Valley CA	17.10

**Vegetables**

Broccoli, Bunched 14s, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA	14.50
Carrots, medium-large Sacks, 48 1-lb film bags, Kern District, CA	12.70
Celery, 2 1/2 dozen, cartons, Oxnard District, CA	6.93
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24s, cartons film lined, Salinas-Watsonville, CA	8.06
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1 1/9 bushel cartons, large, South GA	12.60
Tomatoes, 85% U.S. One or Better 25 pound cartons loose, Mature Greens, 6x6 size, West Florida	11.95
Onions, Yellow Hybrid, 50 pound sacks, Jumbo, San Joaquin Valley, CA	6.75
Potatoes, Russet Burbank, U.S. One, 50 pound cartons, 70s, Upper Valley, Twin Falls-Burley District ID	8.25

**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.**