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Beef

IMPS#	Description	Wts	lbs./loads	Avg	Change Prv/wk
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3					
113C	Chuck, Semi-bnls, neck/off		152,971	191.72	-0.48
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 Lbs	31,393	218.03	0.28
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 Lbs	1,085,803	215.51	3.10
120	Brisket	6-14 Lbs	2,044,408	195.62	-10.83
123A	Short Rib	1-4 Lbs	145,312	260.79	-9.91
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 Lbs	20,665	192.26	-0.33
161	Round, Bnls	42-80 Lbs	27,349	202.47	-8.27
168	Inside Round	14-26 Lbs	488,718	197.18	-1.90
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 Lbs	208,558	188.94	-0.25
	Blended Coarse ground 81%		175,000	191.56	-3.93
	Blended Coarse ground 85%		47,139	222.41	-3.73

Cow Cuts/

Boneless Processing Items

Boneless Chuck 85%		74,445	204.76	-6.07
Top Inside Round (168)	10-up Lbs	122,635	231.57	-6.69

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

90% Chemical Lean		4,131,748	206.30	-0.79
50% Chemical Lean		5,054,778	45.86	-1.94

Pork

Pork Loin, Fresh 1/4" Trim	21 Lbs/dn	19.0	126.95	3.62
Boston Butt, Fresh 1/4" Trim	5-10 Lbs	61.3	102.61	0.28
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 Lbs/dn	20.5	139.24	1.65
Ham, Bone-in, Trm'd TS 1	17-20 Lbs	1.0	79.00	--
Ham, Bone-in, Trm'd TS 1	20-23 Lbs	4.0	81.00	3.00
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trm'd	14-16 Lbs	2.0	145.00	6.67
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trm'd	16-18 Lbs	6.0	143.33	8.33
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		2.0	99.00	4.00
72% Chemical Lean		17.0	78.94	3.19

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Butter

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities
 This Week Last Week
 1.6025 - 1.7275 1.5325 - 1.6575

American Cheese

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars/lb.
 This Week Last Week
 1.8250 - 2.5975 1.7800 - 2.5525

Fluid Milk - August 2012

Product	Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
Class I Base (3.5%)	1.4230	0.0894	-0.4196
Whole Milk	1.3905	0.0859	-0.4070
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	1.2296	0.0673	-0.3452
Fat-free Milk	0.0331	0.0447	-0.2701

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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** 101.88 **New York** 81.77
 Whole Body 2/: **Chicago** 74.14

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)	138.04	48.91
Southern States (FOB)	130.83	45.84

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)	107.50	80
16-24 lb. (Toms)	106.34	19

¹Based 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 152-156
Southeast	Midwest 123-131
Midwest	USDA Grade AA & Grade AA
S. Central	S. CA 135-147

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
63.00-76.00	48.50-57.00	90.00-104.00

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

	Trucklot	Less-than-Trucklot
Whole	76.00-92.00	74.00-79.00
Whites	70.00-81.00	72.00-74.00

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

Whole	Yolks	Blends ^{1/}
2.59-3.27	1.86-2.60	2.20-2.25

^{1/} 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	19.00
Blueberries, 12-1 pint cups with lids, medium, Michigan	20.75
Strawberries, 8-1 lb. containers with lids, large, Salinas-Watsonville, District CA	7.50
Oranges, 7/10 bushel cartons, Valencia, 88s, Shippers first grade, South & Central District, CA	11.24
Peaches, various yellow flesh varieties, 1/2 bushel cartons, 2 1/2 " minimum, SC	14.65
25-lb carton loose, 60-64 size, Central and Southern San Joaquin Valley, CA	14.10
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seedless Type, 24 " bins per hundred weight, 45s, Delaware, Maryland and Eastern Shore, Virginia	15.50
Grapes, Thompson Seedless, 19 # containers bagged, large, Kern District, CA	16.60

Vegetables

Broccoli, Bunched 14s, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA	6.63
Carrots, med-large Sacks, 48 1-lb film bags, Kern District, CA	12.88
Celery, 2 1/2 dozen, cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA	12.65
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24s, cartons film lined, Salinas-Watsonville, CA	11.73
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1 1/9 bushel cartons, large, San Joaquin Valley, CA	7.98
Tomatoes, 85% U.S. One or Better 25 # cartons loose, Mature Greens, 6x6 size, Eastern Shore VA	12.95
Onions, Yellow Hybrid, 50 # sacks, Jumbo, San Joaquin Valley, CA	11.50
Potatoes, Russet Burbank, U.S. One, 50 # cartons, 70s, Upper Valley, Twin Falls-Burley District, ID	7.50

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.