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Des Moines, IA – (515)284-4460**

Beef

IMPS#	Description	Wts	lbs./loads	Avg	Change Prv/wk
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3					
113C	Chuck, Semi-bnls, neck/off		170,748	201.50	0.02
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 Lbs	22,576	234.14	-3.04
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 Lbs	1,479,958	231.48	-5.71
120	Brisket	6-14 Lbs	902,610	203.19	-0.28
123A	Short Rib	1-4 Lbs	147,416	293.74	-31.20
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 Lbs	10,088	206.82	2.23
161	Round, Bnls	42-80 Lbs	16,913	211.97	-2.36
168	Inside Round	14-26 Lbs	474,630	202.31	6.32
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 Lbs	180,118	194.58	-6.41
	Blended Coarse ground 81%		202,643	197.22	-0.95
	Blended Coarse ground 85%		108,718	226.96	1.35

Cow Cuts/

Boneless Processing Items

Boneless Chuck 85%					--
Top Inside Round (168)	10-up Lbs	117184	217.18		-1.89

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

90% Chemical Lean		4,131,748	206.30		-0.79
50% Chemical Lean		1,679,318	74.00		-1.35

Pork

Pork Loins, Fresh 1/4" Trim	21 Lbs/dn	30.5	102.54		-3.74
Boston Butt, Fresh 1/4" Trim	5-10 Lbs	58.0	98.57		0.28
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 Lbs/dn	21.0	137.07		-1.59

Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	17-20 Lbs				--
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	20-23 Lbs	4.0	75.50		-3.00

Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	14-16 Lbs	6.0	126.67		--
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	16-18 Lbs	10.0	125.00		--
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh					--
72% Chemical Lean		30.5	63.41		-4.50

**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
1.7850– 1.9450 1.8375 – 1.9625

American Cheese

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars/lb.
This Week Last Week
2.0850 - 2.8550 21550– 2.9250

Fluid Milk – November 2012

Product	Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
Class I Base (3.5%)	1.7799	0.1565	0.1935
Whole Milk	1.7371	0.1539	0.1896
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	1.5283	0.1434	0.1703
Fat-free Milk	1.2735	0.1304	0.1468

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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** 104.86 **New York** 89.19
Whole Body 2/: **Chicago** 88.12

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)	129.66	51.48
Southern States (FOB)	129.28	47.77

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)	107.07	286
16-24 lb. (Toms)	112.92	125

¹Based on offers

Table Eggs - LARGE, sales to volume buyers, white (in cartons), cents/doz.

Delivered Warehouse	USDA Grade A & Grade A	Delivered Store Door Metropolitan Areas	USDA Grade A & Grade A
Northeast	127.00	New York	136-140
Southeast	133.50	Midwest	125-133
Midwest	122.50	USDA Grade AA & Grade AA	
S. Central	133.50	S. CA	141-153

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
75.00-85.00	52.00-67.00	TFEWR

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

	Trucklot	Less-than-Trucklot
Whole	99.00-106.00	104.00-106.00
Whites	68.00-79.00	74.00-75.00

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

Whole	Yolk	Blends ^{1/}
3.28-3.75	3.20-3.45	2.90-3.00

^{1/} Whole plus sweetener.

**Fruit & Vegetable Market News
Washington, DC – (202)720-2745**

Fruits

Apples, Red Delicious, WAExFancy, cartons tray pack, 100s, Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District, Washington	21.00
Pears, Bartlett, U.S. One, 4/5 bushel cartons wrapped, 100s, Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District, Washington	21.00
Grapes, Crimson Seedless, 19 lb containers bagged, large-extra large, Kern District California	23.10
Strawberries, 8-1 pound containers with lids, med-large, Oxnard District, CA	19.00
Oranges, 7/10 bushel cartons, Navel, 88s, Shippers first grade, South & Central District, California	12.40
Lower Rio Grande Valley, Texas, Navel U.S. Combination 88s	14.25
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seedless Type, 5s per pound, Mexico Crossings Through Nogales, AZ	.13

Vegetables

Broccoli, Bunched 14s, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, California	10.24
Carrots, medium-large Sacks, 48 1-lb film bags, Kern District, California	12.70
Celery, 2 1/2 dozen, cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, California	14.00
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24s, cartons film lined, Western Arizona	11.75
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1 1/9 bushel cartons, large, South Georgia	10.60
Tomatoes, 25 pound cartons loose, Mature Greens, 85% U.S. One or Better 6x6 size, West Florida	13.95
Onions, U.S. One Yellow Spanish Hybrid, 50 pound sacks, Jumbo, Idaho and Malheur County, Oregon	8.25
Potatoes, Russet Burbank, U.S. One, 50 pound cartons, 70s, Upper Valley Twin Falls- Burley District Idaho	5.75

***unavailable**

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.