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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		35,530	258.39	-13.53
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 Lbs			--
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 Lbs	401,540	273.82	-19.00
120	Brisket	6-14 Lbs	78,852	274.68	28.02
123A	Short Rib	1-4 Lbs	27,709	477.72	6.71
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 Lbs	11,856	269.23	-1.59
161	Round, Bnls	42-80 Lbs	15,822	286.42	5.50
168	Inside Round	14-26 Lbs	134,762	301.91	4.52
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 Lbs	4,704	259.62	-5.70
	Blended Coarse ground 81%		386,200	252.35	9.30
	Blended Coarse ground 85%				--

**Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items**

Boneless Chuck 85%		234,637	238.32	12.43
Top Inside Round (168)	10-up Lbs	123,046	281.05	12.73

**Boneless Processing Beef  
Beef Trimmings, Fresh**

90% Chemical Lean		3,510,303	258.41	6.06
50% Chemical Lean		1,364,637	159.08	25.18

**Pork - FOB Plant**

		Kilo Lbs		
1/4" Trimmed Loin VAC		1,562	162.57	12.91
1/4" Trim Butt VAC		3,928	156.17	19.87
Trmd Spareribs - LGT		1,390	177.37	8.83
Trmd Selected Ham	17-20 Lbs	60	101.98	5.25
Trmd Selected Ham	20-23 Lbs	1,018	110.65	11.30
Skin-on Belly	14-16 Lbs	61	167.06	10.76
Skin-on Belly	16-18 Lbs	13	165.37	--
Picnic Meat Combo Cushion Out		893	123.82	13.19
72% Trim Combo		1,924	116.99	7.95

**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
1.8450 – 2.0050	1.8400 – 1.9600

**American Cheese**

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars per lb	
This Week	Last Week
2.3050 – 2.6650	2.2850 - 2.7025

**Fluid Milk – March 2014**

Product	Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
Class I Base (3.5%)	2.0327	0.1393	0.5022
Whole Milk	1.9931	0.1333	0.4953
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	1.7980	0.1011	0.4614
Fat-free Milk	1.5590	0.0622	0.4196

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**National Whole Broiler Fryer – Whole Body**

New York 109.79	Chicago 105.28	Los Angeles 108.48
Negotiated prices in trucklot and less-than-trucklot quantities of ready-to-cook whole body broiler/fryers delivered to first receivers; prices in cents per pound; volume in thousands of pounds.		

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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)	140.51	43.40
Southern States (f.o.b.)	134.34	40.72

**National Turkeys** - Frozen Whole Body Trading, (commodity pack or equivalent; min. 10,000 lb. lots) U.S. Grade A, FOB Shipper Dock basis

	Wtd Avg (cents/lb.)	Volume (000 lbs.)
8-16 lb. (Hens)	100.44	1,246
16-24 lb. (Toms)	100.51	1,203

<sup>1</sup> Based on offers

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

Delivered Warehouse (Weekly Average Prices) USDA Grade A & Grade A	Delivered Store Door Metropolitan Areas USDA Grade A & Grade A
Northeast	New York 139-143
Southeast	Midwest 126-134
Midwest	USDA Grade AA & Grade AA 123.50
South Central	Southern CA 140-152

Northeast	134.00	New York	139-143
Southeast	134.50	Midwest	126-134
Midwest	123.50	USDA Grade AA & Grade AA	
South Central	135.50	Southern CA	140-152

**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
78.06	103.94	TFEWR

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

	Trucklot	Less-than-Trucklot
Whole	95.00-99.00	94.00-96.00
Whites	117.00-128.00	118.00-130.00

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

Whole	Yolk	Blends <sup>1/</sup>
3.18-3.65	1.45-1.70	2.70-2.75

<sup>1/</sup> 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	18.00
Pears, D'Anjou, U.S. One, 4/5 bushel cartons wrapped, 100s, Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District	24.00
Grapes, 8.2 kilogram containers bagged, Thompson Seedless, large, Chile, Port of Entry Philadelphia	17.00
Strawberries, 8-1 pound containers with lids, medium-large, Oxnard District California	9.50
Central Florida, medium-large	7.90
Oranges, 7/10 bushel cartons, Navel, 88s, Shippers first grade, South and District California	18.85
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seedless Type, cartons per pound, 5s, Mexico Crossings Through Texas	.29

**Vegetables**

Broccoli, Bunched 14s, Cartons, Central and Western Arizona	11.96
Carrots, medium-large Sacks, 48 1-lb film bags, Kern District, California	13.70
Celery, 2 1/2 dozen, cartons, Oxnard District California	7.16
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24s, cartons film lined, Western Arizona	6.96
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1 1/9 bushel cartons, large, Central & South Florida	20.35
Tomatoes, 25 pound cartons loose, Mature Greens 85% U.S. One or Better, 6x6 size, Central & South Florida	13.95
Onions, Yellow Spanish Hybrid, 50 pound sacks, Jumbo, Idaho and Malheur County, Oregon	12.50
Potatoes, Russet Burbank, U.S. One, 50 pound cartons, 70s, Upper Valley Twin Falls-Burley District Idaho	9.00
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.	