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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		171,102	250.32	0.14
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 Lbs			--
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 Lbs	771,449	304.80	3.40
120	Brisket	6-14 Lbs	810,945	303.84	2.76
123A	Short Rib	1-4 Lbs	47,111	513.52	-26.92
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 Lbs	9,570	300.39	-9.04
161	Round, Bnls	42-80 Lbs	20,260	298.16	-21.31
168	Inside Round	14-26 Lbs	594,845	272.22	-29.94
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 Lbs	154,753	253.72	-10.93
	Blended Coarse ground 81%		632,853	265.45	-0.42
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<b>Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items</b>					
	Boneless Chuck 85%		161,052	275.09	-4.19
	Top Inside Round (168)	10-up Lbs	91,386	293.95	-10.74
<b>Boneless Processing Beef</b>					
<b>Beef Trimblings, Fresh</b>					
	90% Chemical Lean		2,402,876	298.81	1.09
	50% Chemical Lean		4,064,334	132.10	-8.61
<b>Pork - FOB Plant</b>					
		<b>Kilo Lbs</b>			
	1/4" Trimmed Loin VAC		2,287	133.28	-10.48
	1/4" Trim Butt VAC		6,014	144.03	-7.53
	Trm'd Spareribs - LGT		1,186	169.27	0.58
	Trm'd Selected Ham	17-20 Lbs	56	106.49	-8.56
	Trm'd Selected Ham	20-23 Lbs	1,211	103.00	-1.51
	Skin-on Belly	14-16 Lbs	43	118.97	-21.39
	Skin-on Belly	16-18 Lbs	14	140.21	3.67
	Picnic Meat Combo Cushion Out		1,357	108.43	-6.83
	72% Trim Combo		2,124	91.87	-10.19

**National Whole Broiler Fryer – Whole Body**

**New York** 103.46    **Chicago** 96.34    **Los Angeles** 98.47  
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.

**Broiler/Fryer Parts Bulk** - Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, cents/lb.  
Weekly Weighted Average Price

	Breast B/S	Leg Quarters
Northeast (Delivered)	183.30	46.64
Southern States (f.o.b.)	175.91	40.35

**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.)
<b>8-16 lb. (Hens)</b>	112.02	762
<b>16-24 lb. (Toms)</b>	111.53	611

<sup>1</sup> Based on offers

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

Delivered Warehouse (Weekly Average Prices)	Delivered Store Door Metropolitan Areas
<b>USDA Grade A &amp; Grade A</b>	<b>USDA Grade A &amp; Grade A</b>
Northeast 119.00	New York 128-132
Southeast 119.50	Midwest 113-121
Midwest 110.50	<b>USDA Grade AA &amp; Grade AA</b>
South Central 123.50	Southern CA

**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 TFEWR	Yolks TFEWR
75.27		

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

	Trucklot	Less-than-Trucklot
<b>Whole</b>	110.00-116.00	114.00-116.00
<b>Whites</b>	140.00-150.00	145.00-163.00

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

Whole	Yolk	Blends <sup>1/</sup>
3.85-4.35	1.55-1.75	3.20-3.25

<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	19.00
Pears, Bartlett U.S. One, 40 pound cartons wrapped, 100s, Sacramento & San Joaquin Valley, California	22.50
Grapes, 19 pound containers bagged, Thompson Seedless, large, Kern District, California	14.95
Strawberries, 8-1 pound containers with lids, medium-large, Salinas-Watsonville, California	12.00
Oranges, 7/10 bushel cartons, Valencia, 88s, Shippers first grade, South and Central District California	18.35
Peaches, 25 pound cartons loose, Various yellow flesh varieties, 54-56 size, Central and Southern San Joaquin Valley	17.35
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seedless Type, bins per pound, 45s, Delaware, Maryland and Eastern Shore Virginia	.13

**Vegetables**

Broccoli, Cartons, Bunched 14s, Salinas-Watsonville, California	16.30
Carrots, Sacks, 48 1-lb film bags, medium-large, Kern District, California	12.50
Celery, cartons, 2 1/2 dozen, Salinas-Watsonville California	8.17
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24s, cartons film lined, Salinas-Watsonville California	17.95
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1 1/9 bushel cartons, large, Western North Carolina	8.85
Tomatoes, 25 pound cartons loose, Mature Greens 85% U.S. One or Better, 6x6 size, Eastern Shore Virginia	9.95
Onions, Yellow Spanish Hybrid, 50 pound sacks, Jumbo, Idaho and Malheur County Oregon	8.00
Potatoes, Russet Norkotah, U.S. One, 50 pound cartons, 70s, Twin Falls-Burley District & Western Idaho	7.25

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.

**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
2.7200 - 2.8150	2.6800 - 2.7750

**American Cheese**

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

This Week	Last Week
2.3375 - 2.6975	2.2700 - 2.6300

**Fluid Milk – September 2014**

Base prices paid for raw milk by Class I milk processors, dollars per gallon

Product	Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
Class I Base (3.5%)	2.0318	-0.0207	0.3843
Whole Milk	1.9762	-0.0231	0.3590
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	1.7020	-0.0362	0.2314
Fat-free Milk	1.3681	-0.0517	0.0774