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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		7,729	242.87	2.28
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 Lbs	282,774	275.37	1.02
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 Lbs	78,033	251.57	4.87
120	Brisket	6-14 Lbs	100,384	279.83	10.36
123A	Short Rib	1-4 Lbs	39,996	509.17	0.63
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 Lbs			--
161	Round, Bnls	42-80 Lbs	3,850	227.97	--
168	Inside Round	14-26 Lbs	268,176	227.30	4.44
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 Lbs	89,253	201.07	1.33
	Blended Coarse ground 81%		675,694	182.86	4.17
	Blended Coarse ground 85%				--
Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items					
	Boneless Chuck 85%				--
	Top Inside Round (168)	10-up Lbs	43,399	238.00	11.21
Boneless Processing Beef/ Beef Trimmings, Fresh					
	90% Chemical Lean		1,613,787	216.25	1.96
	50% Chemical Lean		2,111,410	79.12	4.07
Pork - FOB Plant					
Kilo Lbs					
	1/4" Trimmed Loin VAC		1,773	78.97	5.99
	1/4" Trim Butt VAC		4,603	77.29	3.52
	Trm'd Spareribs - LGT		1,482	127.83	-1.72
	Trm'd Selected Ham	17-20 Lbs	84	60.25	10.07
	Trm'd Selected Ham	20-23 Lbs	645	61.93	7.22
	Skin-on Belly	14-16 Lbs	37	125.17	8.45
	Skin-on Belly	16-18 Lbs	12	135.00	15.20
	Picnic Meat Combo Cushion Out		2,321	54.61	4.64
	72% Trim Combo		1,944	51.37	5.60

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

Fruits	
Apples, Cartons tray pack, Gala, WAExFancy, 100s, Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District, Washington	22.00
Pears, 4/5 bushel cartons wrapped, D'Anjou, U.S. One, 100s, Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District, Washington	21.45
Grapes, 18 lb containers bagged, White Seedless, exlge, Chile Port of Entry Philadelphia Area	23.00
Strawberries, 8-1 pound containers with lids, medium, Central Florida	10.90
Oranges, 7/10 bushel cartons, Navel, 88s, Shippers first grade, Central and Southern California and Arizona	12.97
Watermelons, 24 inch bins, per pound, Red Flesh Seedless Type, approx. 45 count, Mexico Crossings Through Nogales, Arizona	.23
Vegetables	
Broccoli, Cartons, Bunched 14s, Western Arizona	13.00
Carrots, sacks 48 1-lb film bags, medium-large, Kern District, California	14.55
Celery, cartons, 2 1/2 dozen, Oxnard District California	56.70
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24s, cartons film lined, Western Arizona	19.15
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1 1/9 bushel cartons, large, Central and South Florida	28.35
Tomatoes, 25-lb cartons loose, Mature Greens, 85% U.S. One or better 6x6 size, Central and South Florida	17.95
Onions, Yellow Spanish Hybrid, US One, 50 pound sacks, Jumbo Idaho and Malheur County, Oregon	13.50
Potatoes, Russet Burbank, U.S. One, 50 pound cartons, 70s, Upper Valley, Twin Falls-Burley District Idaho	14.50

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.

National Whole Broiler Fryer – Whole Body

New York: 95.27 **Chicago:** 85.43 **Los Angeles:** 94.92
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 (Bulk)
Northeast (Delivered)	110.07	39.30
Southern States (f.o.b.)	123.83	30.10

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)	84.00 ¹	
16-24 lb. (Toms)	82.50 ¹	

⁽¹⁾ 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 (Range)
USDA Grade A & Grade A	USDA Grade A & Grade A
Northeast	New York 94-98
Southeast	Midwest 84-92
Midwest	USDA Grade AA & Grade AA
South Central	Southern CA 150-157

National Egg Products - F.O.B. Shipper Dock Basis; Wholesale prices; cents per pound unless otherwise noted.

Liquid - Current trading for delivery within 14 days. (Wtd Avg)

Whole	Whites <i>Non-certified in trucklots</i>	Yolks
TFEWR	TFEWR	TFEWR
	<i>Certified in trucklots</i>	
TFEWR	TFEWR	TFEWR

Frozen - Packed in 30-pound containers; Prices in cents per pound.

Trucklot	Range
Whole	51.00-60.00
Whites	67.00-75.00

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

Class	Range
Whole	2.20-2.75
Yolk	2.45-2.90
Albumen ^{1/}	4.65-5.15
Blends ^{2/}	-

^{1/} Spray Dried; ^{2/} Whole plus sweetener.

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	
	2.3075 – 2.3575	2.3125 – 2.3625	
American Cheese	Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, \$/lb.		
	This Week	Last Week	
	1.4950 – 1.8675	1.4850 – 1.8575	
Fluid Milk – Jan 2019	Base prices paid, raw milk by Class I milk processors, \$/gallon.		
Product	Product	Product	Product
Class I Base (3.5%)	1.3740	0.0584	0.2252
Whole Milk	1.3205	0.0572	0.2209
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	1.0551	0.0502	0.1983
Fat-free Milk	0.7332	0.0417	0.1707