



National Weekly Pork Report FOB Plant - Comprehensive

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USDA Estimated Pork Carcass Cutout

Based on prices and volume of pork cuts delivered and on average industry cutting yields. Values reflect U.S. dollars per 100 pounds.

Calculations for 215 lb Pork Carcass. 55-56% lean, 0.55"-0.70" BF Last Rib

Weekly Estimated Primal Cutout - Comprehensive - Barrow/Gilt Only

	Carcass	Loin	Butt	Picnic	Rib	Ham	Belly
9/18/2020	84.08	75.81	80.94	57.89	125.85	70.85	143.86
Change:	4.37	1.68	1.57	2.40	0.97	7.40	10.08

Total Load Count (Cuts, Trimmings, Processed) 6,791.00

Weekly Pork Cuts FOB Plant - Comprehensive - Barrow/Gilt Only

Current Volume - (one load equals 40,000 pounds)

Loin	1,323.45 loads	52,938,182 pounds
Butt	837.12 loads	33,484,821 pounds
Picnic	318.14 loads	12,725,795 pounds
Rib	570.01 loads	22,800,570 pounds
Ham	1,294.07 loads	51,762,818 pounds
Belly	661.84 loads	26,473,741 pounds
Trimmings	1,218.11 loads	48,724,515 pounds
Variety	405.81 loads	16,232,489 pounds
Added Ingredients	119.18 loads	4,767,164 pounds

Weekly Sow and Boar Only

Sow Total	15.12 loads
Boar Total	0.00 loads
Mixed Bar/Gilt/Sow/Boar Total	38.09 loads

This report covers weekly market activity from Monday to Friday and includes an estimated value of a standard pork carcass and primals based on the various individual cuts and prices of those cuts. The values and volumes reflect marketplace activity for all destinations including export, sales types, delivery periods, refrigeration types, and packaging styles with the exception of specialty pork products.

The pork carcass cutout value of an individual pork carcass is based on the amounts of the various cuts produced by that carcass and the prices of those cuts. Its value is expressed in cents per pound or dollars per hundred pounds. To learn more, visit [A User's Guide to USDA's Pork Carcass Cutout \(pdf\)](#).