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Beef

IMPS#	Description	Wts	lbs./loads	Avg	Change Prv/wk
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3					
113A	Chuck, 2-pc	72-119 lbs.	9,408	202.83	5.01
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 lbs.	31,570	222.33	1.18
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 lbs.	1,007,338	245.43	6.88
120	Brisket	6-14 lbs.	1,123,848	189.86	-1.14
123A	Short Rib	1-4 lbs.	43,590	313.21	17.09
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 lbs.	14,544	200.33	2.17
161	Round, Bnls	42-80 lbs.	41,774	211.89	1.50
168	Inside Round	14-26 lbs.	619,302	202.49	7.66
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 lbs.	96,505	208.07	7.05
	Coarse ground Blend 81%		249,659	178.63	3.20
	Coarse ground Blend 85%		133,156	198.31	3.72
Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items					
	Boneless Chuck 85%		33,160	165.65	-0.18
	Top Inside Round (168)	10-up lbs.	92,337	210.24	-16.30
Bnls Processing Beef/Trimnings, Fresh					
	90% Chemical Lean		5,539,038	167.31	-2.92
	50% Chemical Lean		5,449,147	89.11	-0.21

Pork

	Pork Loins, Fresh 1/4" Trim	21 lbs./dn	37.5	129.89	-0.09
	Boston Butt, Fresh 1/4" Trim	5-10 lbs.	91.5	110.54	-1.11
	Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 lbs./dn	28.8	141.57	2.19
	Ham, Bone-in, Trm'd TS 1	17-20 lbs.	2.0	95.00	2.00
	Ham, Bone-in, Trm'd TS 1	20-23 lbs.	4.0	95.00	2.67
	Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trm'd	14-16 lbs.	2.0	122.00	--
	Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trm'd	16-18 lbs.	2.0	122.00	--
	Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		10.0	109.80	--
	72% Chemical Lean		8.0	98.63	-6.38

Dollars per hundredweight - equated to FOB Omaha basis.

Dairy Market News
Madison, WI
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Butter

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities
This Week Last Week
1.7025- 1.8425 1.6900 - 1.8400

American Cheese

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars/lb.
This Week Last Week
1.7825- 2.4800 1.8025 - 2.4800

Fluid Milk - October 2011

Product	Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
Class I Base (3.5%)	1.6819	-0.1908	0.2563
Whole Milk	1.6368	-0.1888	0.2604
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	1.4170	-0.1788	0.2820
Fat-free Milk	1.1492	-0.1664	0.3074

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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** 94.71 **New York** 62.50
Whole Body 2/: **Chicago** 60.40

1/: Includes branded product. 2/: Whole Body category includes whole body birds with or without giblets, all grades, brands, & packaging.

Broiler/Fryer Parts Bulk - Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, cents/lb.

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Weekly Weighted Average Price

	Breast B/S	Leg Quarters
Northeast (Delivered)	122.01	53.02
Southern States (FOB)	116.48	46.54

National Turkeys - Frozen Whole Body Trading, (commodity pack or equivalent; min. 10,000 lb. lots) U.S. Grade A, FOB Shipper Dock basis
Week Ending October 07, 2011

	Wtd Avg (cents/lb)	Volume (000 lbs)
8-16 lb. (Hens)	112.08	240
16-24 lb. (Toms)	111.25	160

¹Based on offers

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

Delivered Warehouse	Delivered Store Door Metropolitan Areas
<u>USDA Grade A & Grade A</u>	<u>USDA Grade A & Grade A</u>
Northeast	New York 122-126
Southeast	Midwest 113-121
Midwest	<u>USDA Grade AA & Grade AA</u>
S. Central	S. CA 125-137

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 62.00-65.00 **Whites** 53.00-58.75 **Yolks** 80.00-81.00

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

	Trucklot	Less-than-Trucklot
Whole	82.00-89.00	88.00-89.00
Whites	72.00-79.00	75.00-76.00

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

Whole 2.70-3.40 **Yolks** 2.10-2.40 **Blends^{1/}** 2.40-2.45

^{1/} Whole plus sweetener.

Fruit & Vegetable Market News
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Fruits

Apples, Gala, WAExFancy, cartons tray pack, 100s, Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District, WA	23.00
Blueberries, 12-6 ounce cups with lids, med-large, Oregon and Washington	25.50
Strawberries, 8-1 lb containers w/lids, med, Salinas-Watsonville, CA	-
large, Santa Maria	11.00
Oranges, 7/10 bushel cartons, Valencia, 88s, Shippers first grade, Central & Southern CA	13.14
Peaches, 25 lb. cartons loose, Various Yellow Flesh Varieties, 60-64 size Central and Southern San Joaquin Valley, California	10.10
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seedless Type, supplies insufficient to establish a market	-
Grapes, Thompson Seedless, 19 lb containers bagged, large, San Joaquin Valley, CA	14.10

Vegetables

Broccoli, Bunched 14s, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville CA	7.50
Carrots, medium-large Sacks, 48 1-lb film bags, Kern District CA	13.88
Celery, 2 1/2 dozen, cartons, Salinas-Watsonville CA	6.82
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24s, cartons film lined, Salinas-Watsonville CA	7.05
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1 1/9 bushel cartons, large, South Georgia	10.35
Tomatoes, 25 lb cartons loose, Mature Greens, large, Central District CA	8.45
Onions, Yellow Hybrid, 50 lb sacks, Jumbo, ID and Malheur County, OR	5.25
Potatoes, Russet Burbank , U.S. One, 50 lb cartons, 70s, Upper Valley, Twin Falls-Burley District ID	9.50

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.