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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.	6,755	208.07	8.70	
115 Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 lbs.	20,749	225.68	2.22	
116A Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 lbs.	1,096,456	228.54	5.25	
120 Brisket	6-14 lbs.	498,751	205.11	10.33	
123A Short Rib	1-4 lbs.	61,838	321.03	0.05	
160 Round, Bn-in	50-85 lbs.	10,983	203.22	1.89	
161 Round, Bnls	42-80 lbs.	37,144	215.91	2.66	
168 Inside Round	14-26 lbs.	133,190	206.60	4.46	
170 Gooseneck Round	18-33 lbs.	14,489	219.80	8.55	
Coarse ground Blend 81%		226,088	191.48	13.77	
Coarse ground Blend 85%		62,952	209.06	14.29	

Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items

Boneless Chuck 85%		46,000	181.23	-1.92	
Top Inside Round (168)	10-up lbs.	208,004	206.96	-8.23	
Bnls Processing Beef/Trimming, Fresh					
90% Chemical Lean		5,675,131	182.10	1.44	
50% Chemical Lean		2,971,482	125.29	1.85	

Pork

Pork Loins, Fresh 1/4" Trim	21 lbs./dn	58.5	114.32	-1.49	
Boston Butt, Fresh 1/4" Trim	5-10 lbs.	68.0	110.68	1.60	
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 lbs./dn	20.5	156.15	1.41	
Ham, Bone-in, Trm'd TS 1	17-20 lbs.	1.0	90.00	3.00	
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Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trm'd	14-16 lbs.	6.0	106.67	-3.33	
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trm'd	16-18 lbs.	4.0	107.50	-2.50	
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		10.0	93.60	-1.40	
72% Chemical Lean		21.0	82.48	-1.86	

Dollars per hundredweight - equated to FOB Omaha basis.

Dairy Market News
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Butter

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities
This Week Last Week
1.6350- 1.7400 1.7200 - 1.8250

American Cheese

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars/lb.
This Week Last Week
2.0650- 2.4900 1.9550 - 2.3800

Fluid Milk - December 2011

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

Product	Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
Class I Base (3.5%)	1.5881	0.0017	0.1298
Whole Milk	1.5475	0.0000	0.1372
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	1.3467	-0.0113	0.1745
Fat-free Milk	1.1019	-0.0248	0.2191

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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** 91.61 **New York** 68.82
Whole Body 2/: **Chicago** 65.41

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

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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)	122.48	51.79
Southern States (FOB)	118.12	46.07

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 November 10, 2011

	Wtd Avg (cents/lb)	Volume (000 lbs)
8-16 lb. (Hens)	111.42	260
16-24 lb. (Toms)	112.30	100

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 118.00	New York 123-127
Southeast 118.50	Midwest 114-122
Midwest 111.50	<u>USDA Grade AA & Grade AA</u>
S. Central 123.50	S. CA 127-139

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 53.00-61.50 **Whites** 54.50-64.00 **Yolks** 65.00-76.00

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

	Trucklot	Less-than-Trucklot
Whole	80.50-89.00	87.00-89.00
Whites	75.00-79.00	76.00-77.00

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

Whole 2.75-3.15 **Yolks** 2.08-2.40 **Blends^{1/}** 2.45-2.90

^{1/} Whole plus sweetener.

Fruit & Vegetable Market News
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Fruits

Apples, Red Delicious, WAExFancy, cartons tray pack, 100s, Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District, WA	18.00
Blueberries, 12-4.4 ounce cups with lids, medium-large, Argentina through Miami	21.00
Strawberries, 8-1 pound containers with lids, medium-large Santa Maria	17.00
Oranges, 7/10 bushel cartons, Navel, 88s, Shippers first grade, Central & Southern CA and AZ	13.24
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seedless Type, cartons per lb, 5s, Mexico Crossings through Nogales, AZ	.17
Grapes, Crimson Seedless, 19lb containers bagged, large, Kern District, CA	17.10

Vegetables

Broccoli, Bunched 14s, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville CA	18.68
Carrots, medium-large Sacks, 48 1-lb film bags, Kern District CA	13.88
Celery, 2 1/2 dozen, cartons, Salinas-Watsonville CA	10.70
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24s, cartons film lined, Western AZ	21.31
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1 1/9 bushel cartons, large, Central and South FL	9.35
Tomatoes, 85% U.S. One or Better 25lb cartons loose, Mature Greens, 6x6 size, Central and South FL	14.95
Onions, Yellow Hybrid, 50 lb sacks, Jumbo, Idaho and Malheur County, OR	5.25
Potatoes, Russet Burbank, U.S. One, 50 lb cartons, 70s, Upper Valley, Twin Falls-Burley District ID	9.75

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.