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Beef

IMPS#	Description	Wts	Lbs/Lds	Avg	Change Prv/wk
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3					
113A Chuck, 2-pc		72-119 Lbs	6,187	200.80	-8.86
115 Chuck, 2-pc bnls		50-80 Lbs	45,973	224.53	2.43
116A Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1		13-25 Lbs	868,817	246.49	-8.47
120 Brisket		6-14 Lbs	1,039,197	172.25	-0.30
123A Short Rib		1-4 Lbs	45,062	334.75	-15.54
160 Round, Bn-in		50-85 Lbs	7,353	201.13	-2.35
161 Round, Bnls		42-80 Lbs	41,841	209.37	0.84
168 Inside Round		14-26 Lbs	425,928	217.55	-1.14
170 Gooseneck Round		18-33 Lbs	73,008	205.46	-4.13
Coarse ground Blend 81%			701,736	189.94	6.11
Coarse ground Blend 85%			28,040	211.80	4.45
Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items					
Boneless Chuck 85%			18,000	197.57	-6.95
Top Inside Round (168)	10-up Lbs		82,958	209.30	-2.37
Bnls Processing Beef/Trimnings, Fresh					
90% Chemical Lean			3,805,205	199.88	2.75
50% Chemical Lean			2,929,447	110.51	5.99

Pork

Pork Loins, Fresh 1/4" Trim	21 Lbs/dn	18.5	122.05	0.12
Boston Butt, Fresh 1/4" Trim	5-10 Lbs	102.0	114.89	-3.73
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 Lbs/dn	21.5	153.65	0.57
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	17-20 Lbs	1.0	85.00	--
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	20-23 Lbs	6.0	84.00	4.00
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	14-16 Lbs	0.0	0.00	--
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	16-18 Lbs	0.0	0.00	--
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		13.0	97.92	3.05
72% Chemical Lean		17.0	89.65	5.57

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
2.0350 - 2.1450 2.0800 - 2.1900

American Cheese

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars/lb.
This Week Last Week
1.9050 - 2.3325 2.1000 - 2.5250

Fluid Milk - April 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%)	1.6707	0.1032	0.5340
Whole Milk	1.6244	0.1044	0.5189
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	1.3981	0.1121	0.4445
Fat-free Milk	1.1225	0.1213	0.3539

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Broiler/Fryers

Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, cents/lb., Delivered to First Receivers 1/

U.S. Grade A: **Los Angeles** 94.33 **New York** 79.90

Whole Body 2/: **Chicago** 80.41

1/: Includes branded product.

2/: Whole Body category includes whole body birds with or without giblets, all grades, brands, and 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)	136.92	43.69
Southern States (FOB)	133.31	42.84

Frozen Whole Young Turkeys -

consumer sizes, comm. pack or equiv., U.S. Grade A, cents/lb. (min. 10,000 lb lots)
Weighted Average Price (FOB Shipper Dock basis)

NATIONAL	Current Week
	wtd avg (cents/lb) volume (000 lbs.)
Hens 8-16 Lbs	92.25 40
Toms 16-24 Lbs	92.80 ¹

¹Based on offers

Table Eggs - Large, White, in Cartons, in Volume, cents/doz.

Delivered Warehouse	Delivered Store Door Metropolitan Areas
USDA Grade A & Grade A	USDA Grade A & Grade A
Northeast 87.00	New York 109.00-113.00
Southeast 86.50	Midwest 84.00-92.00
Midwest 81.50	USDA Grade AA & Grade AA
S. Central 89.50	S. CA 104.00-114.00

Egg Products

National Frozen, Wholesale Selling Prices, FOB Shipping Point,
(cents/lb., in 30 lb. containers)

	Range (Trucklots)	Range LTL (MIN. 25 CONT.)
WHOLE	62.00-69.00	70.00-76.00
WHITES	61.00-68.00	67.00-73.00

National Liquid, non-pasteurized trucklot, FOB Plant, cents/lb. (Range)
Whole 45.00-54.00 Whites 44.00-67.00 Yolks 65.00-72.00

National Dried, Wholesale Prices, dollars/lb., in Containers, trucklot & LTL (Range)
Whole 2.45-2.70 Yolks 1.79-2.05 Blends 2.15-2.25

Fruit & Vegetable Market News
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Fruits

Apples, Red Delicious, WAExFancy, containers tray pack, 100s, Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District, Washington	17.00
Pears, D'Anjou, U.S.One, 4/5 bushel cartons wrapped, 100s, Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District, Washington	23.00
Strawberries, 8-1 lb containers w/lids, med-large, Oxnard District CA	10.50
Central Florida	8.90
Oranges, 7/10 bushel cartons, 88s Navel, Shippers first grade, Central & Southern California	9.64
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seedless Type, cartons per pound 5s, Mexico Crossings through Texas	.31
Grapes, Thompson Seedless, 18 lb containers bagged, large, Chile Port of Entry Philadelphia Area	15.00

Vegetables

Broccoli, Bunched 14s, Cartons, Central and Western Arizona	10.38
Carrots, medium-large Sacks, 48 1-lb film bags, Kern District CA	21.00
Celery, 2 1/2 dozen, cartons, Oxnard District CA	13.45
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24s, cartons film lined, Western Arizona	9.74
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1 1/9 bushel cartons, large, Central and South Florida	9.50
Tomatoes, 25 lb cartons loose, Mature Greens, 6x6 size, U.S. 85% U.S. One or Better, South Florida	24.95
Onions, Yellow Spanish Hybrid, U.S. One 50 lb sacks, Jumbo, Idaho and Malheur County, Oregon	4.25
Potatoes, Russet Burbank, U.S. One, 50 lb cartons, 70s, Upper Valley, Twin Falls-Burley District Idaho	22.50

Simple Average of Week Ending Prices of Stated Grades or Stock of Generally Good Merchantable Quality and Condition. Prices FOB Shipping Point Basis. Dollars per Unit.