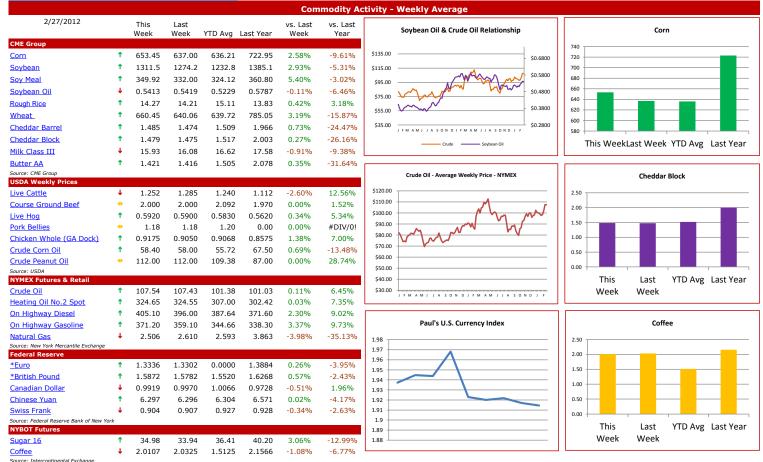


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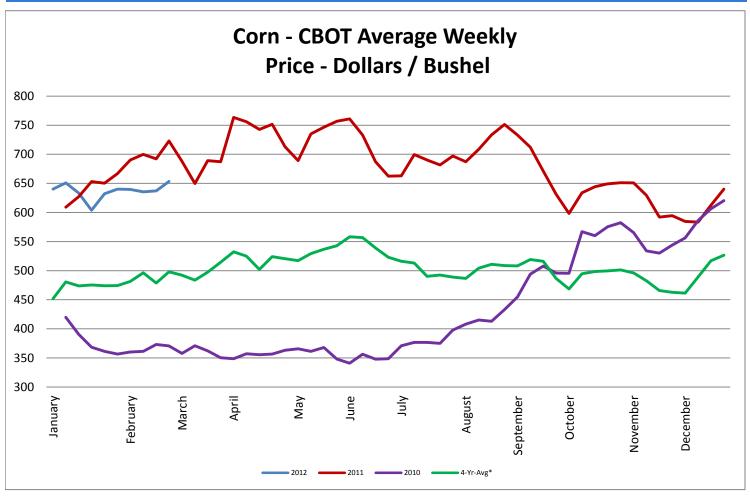
Market Commentary

Commentary: Towards week's end, the U.S. dollar started to gain some strength, and with it, crude oil started to slide. Crude oil for the week, though, was still higher vs. the previous week. However, the crude oil slide was enough to take soybean oil lower for the week, while the rest of the soybean complex and the rest of AG commodities averaged the week higher. Soybeans and soybean meal ended higher as a result of the USDA reducing the South American bean production number, putting a likely strain on the U.S. supply number. Port delays in Brazil are also causing a premium to be added to beans and meal, as China is forced to move purchases to the U.S. Exports have been increasing for China in recent weeks after the Chinese New Year celebration. It is reported that there is a substantial amount of managed money sitting and waiting to enter into the soybean complex. It is expected that any breaks in the market will be the entry point for the fund money and that any breaks will therefore be small.

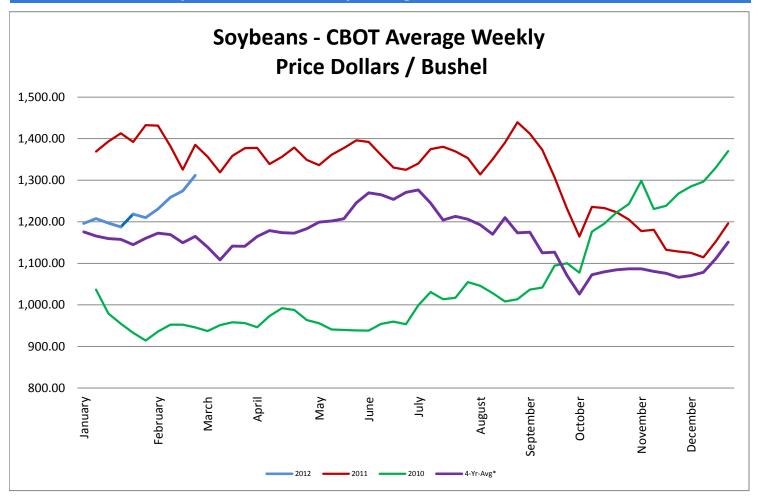
Corn futures closed between 6.39-1/2 and 6.56-1/2 per bushel, ending the week at 6.56-1/2. Soybean futures closed between 12.76-1/2 and 13.13-1/2 per bushel, ending the week at 13.13-1/2. Soybean meal futures closed between 332.90 and 351.20 per short ton, ending the week at 351.20. Soybean oil futures closed between 0.5409 and 0.5446 per pound, ending the week at 0.5409. Wheat futures closed between 6.41 and 6.64-1/4 per bushel, ending the week at 0.5409.

^{*} Used as the indexing unit of measure for this exchange rate

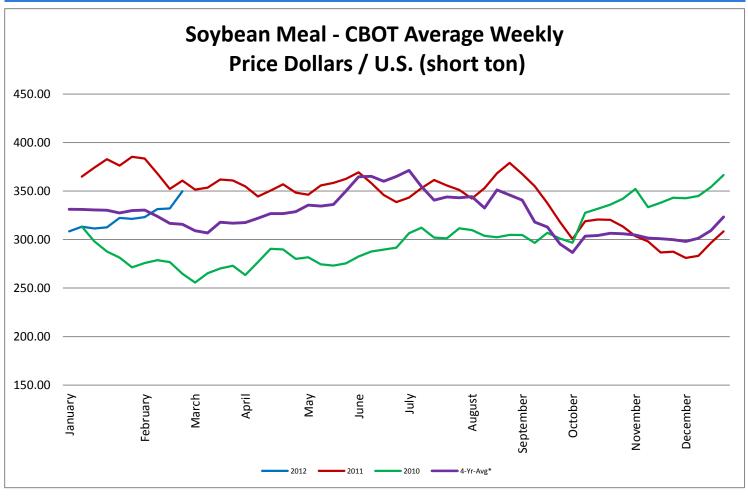




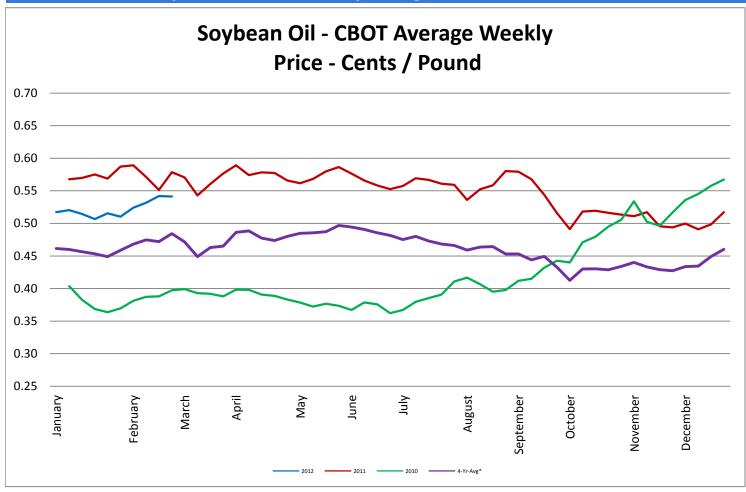
Soybeans - CBOT Weekly Average Price - Dollars / Bushel

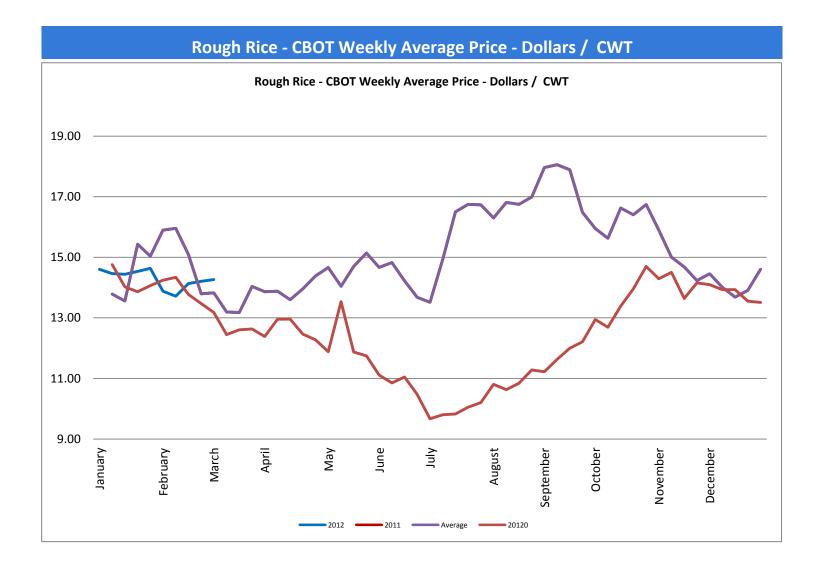


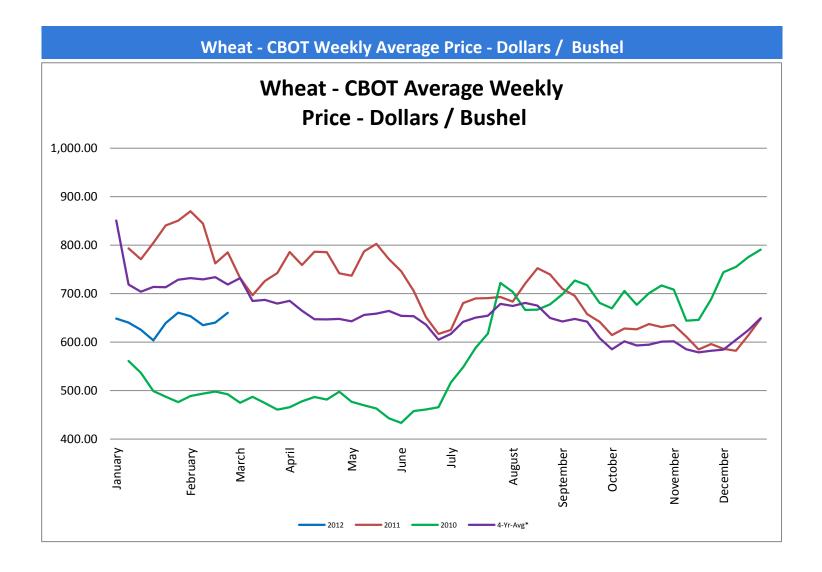


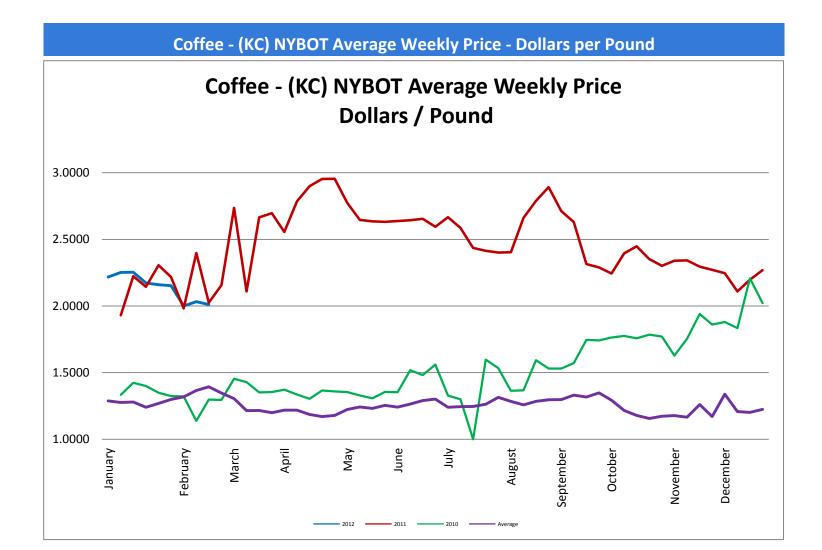




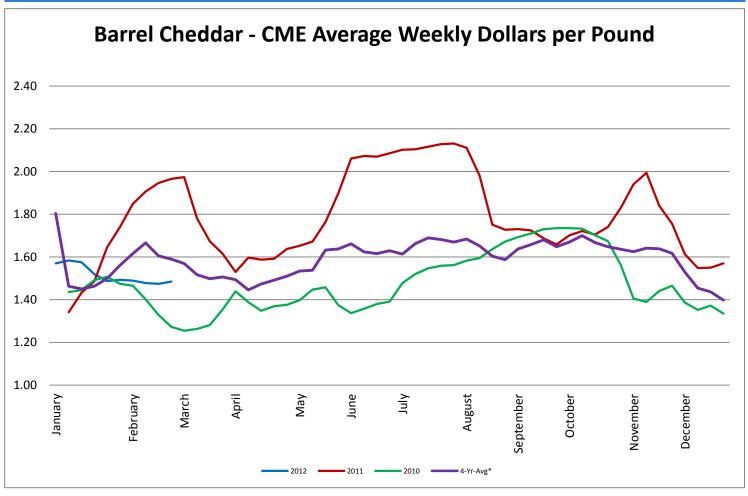




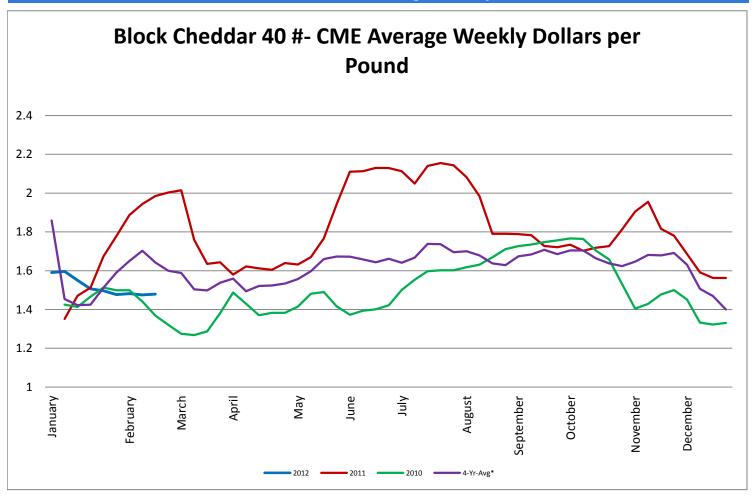


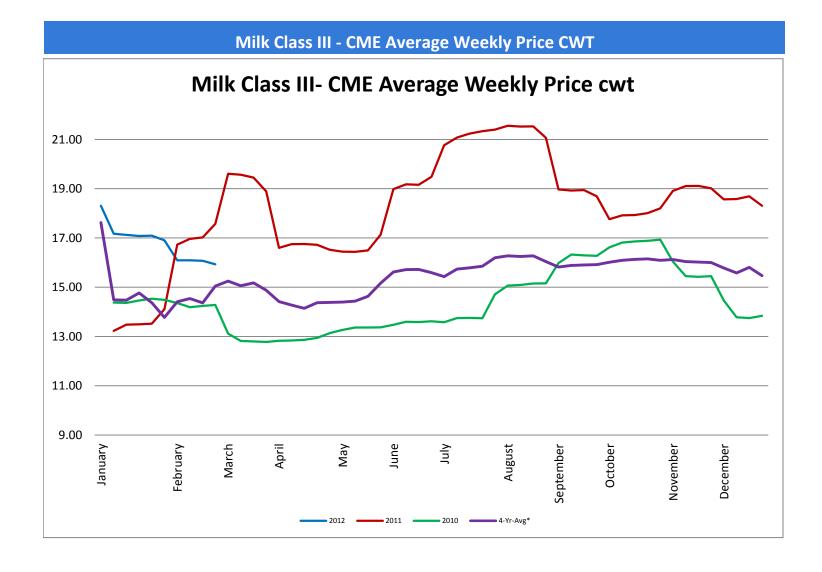


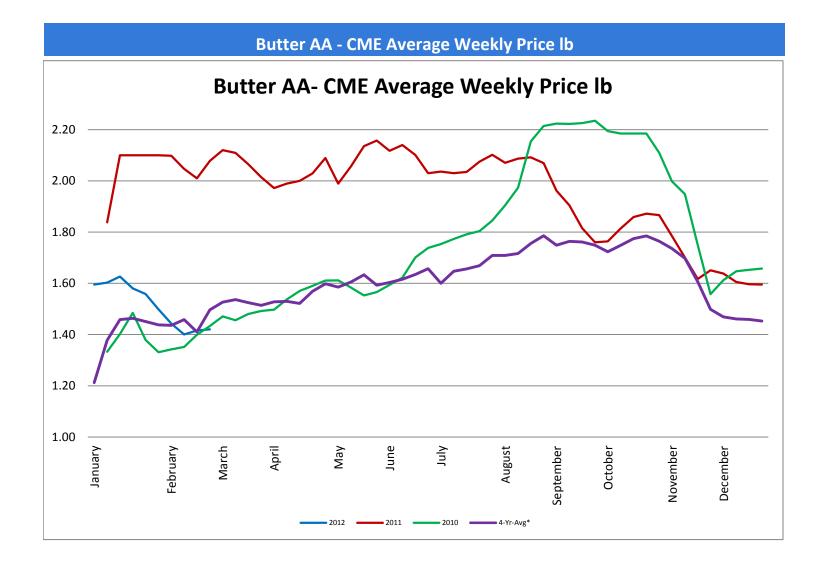




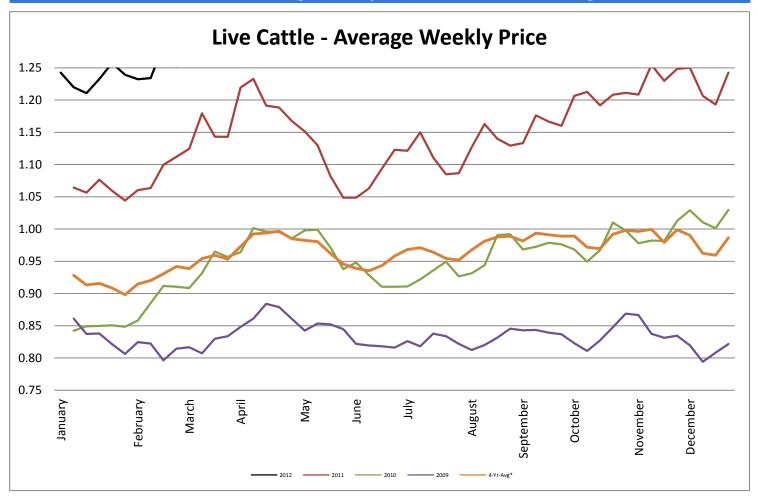
40 LB Block Cheddar - CME Average Weekly Price / Pound



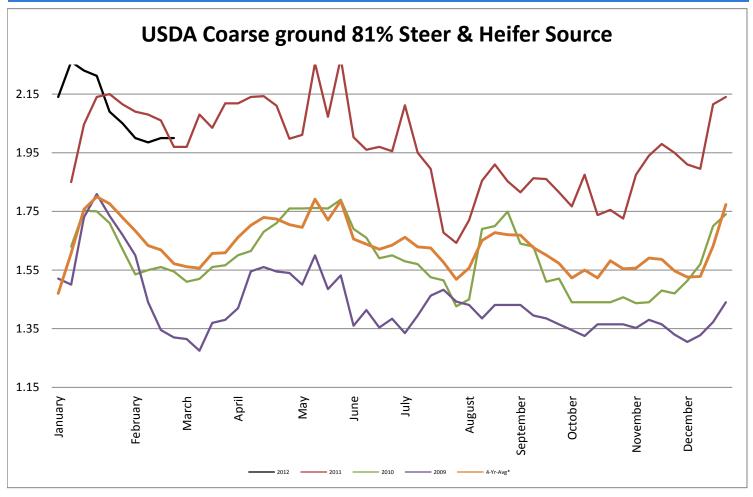


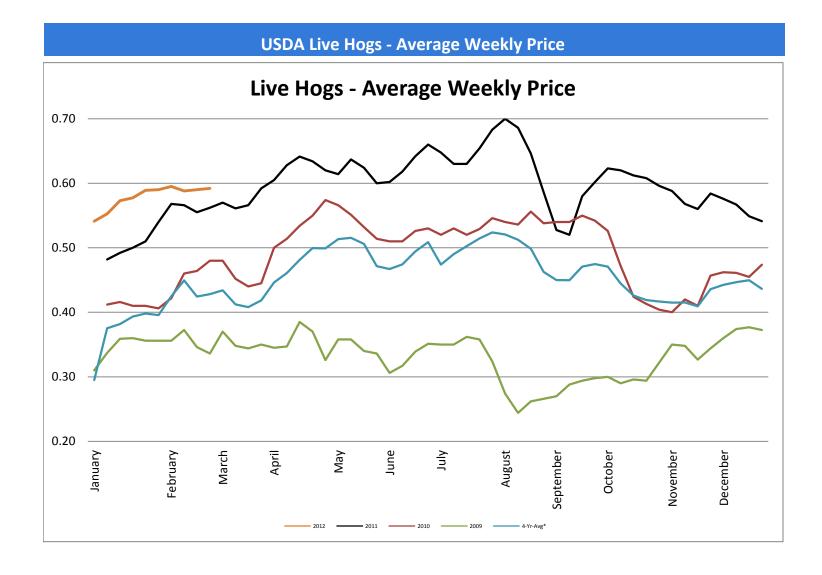


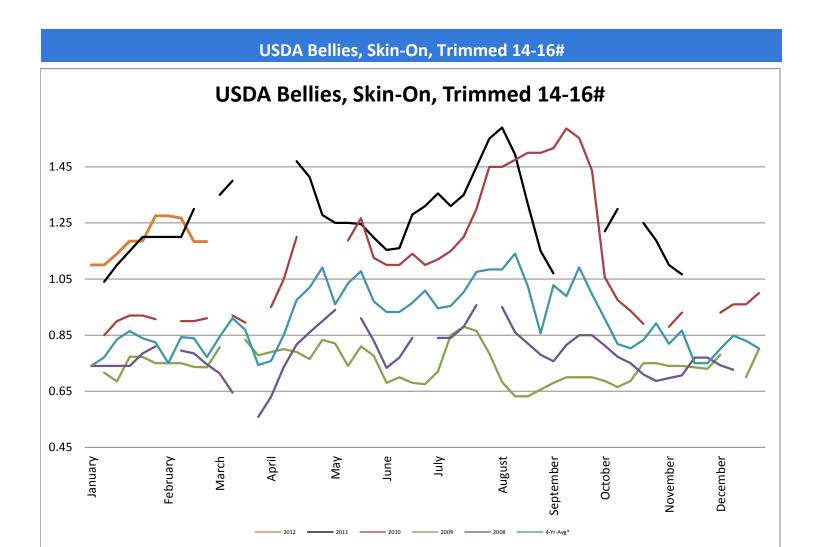




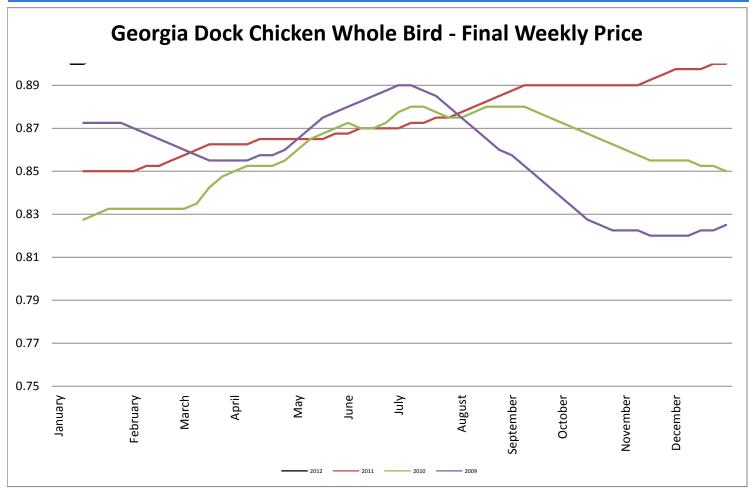




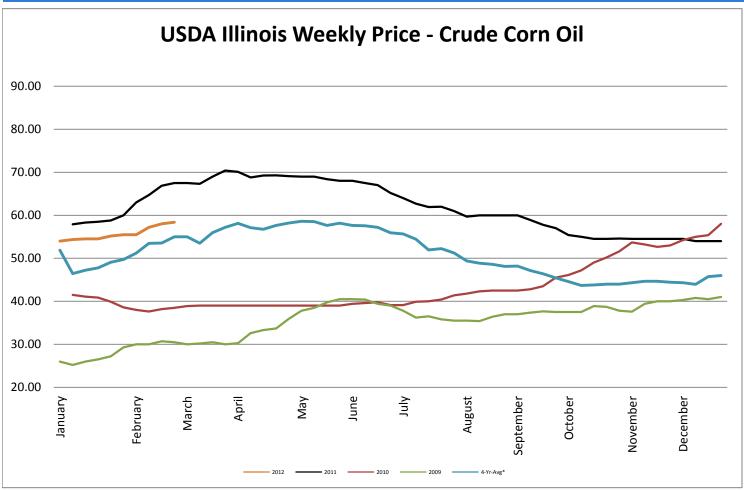


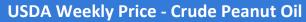


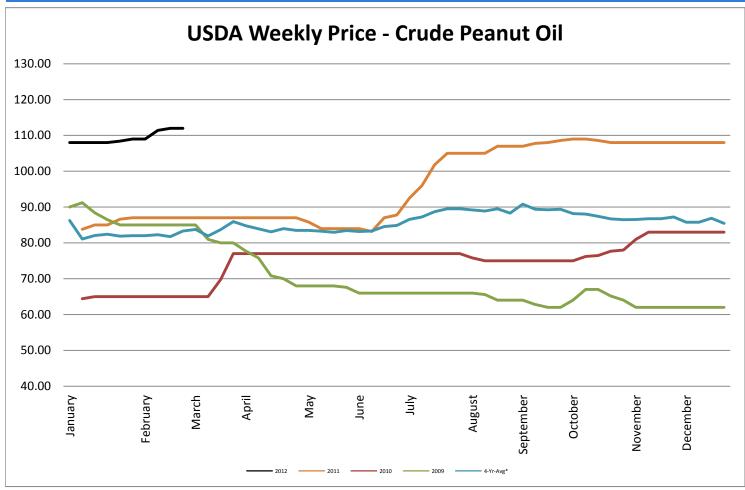




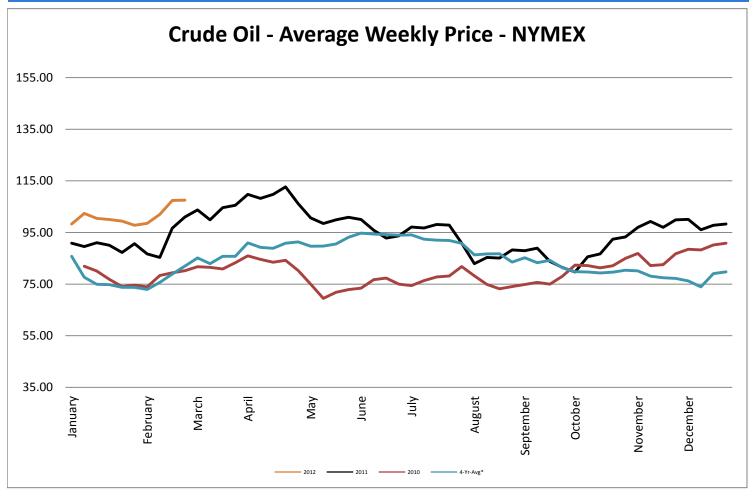


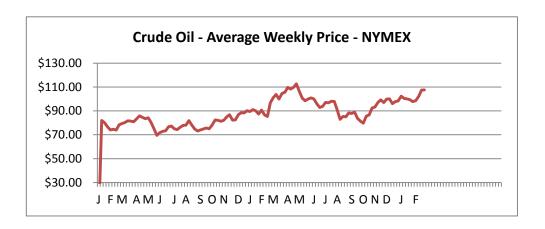




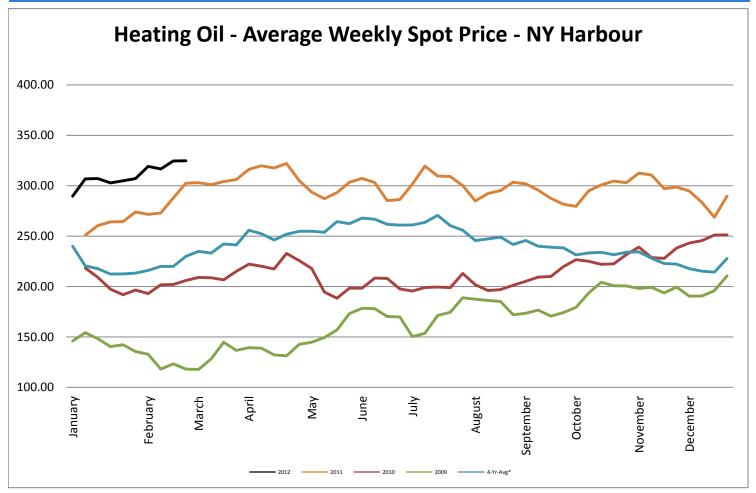




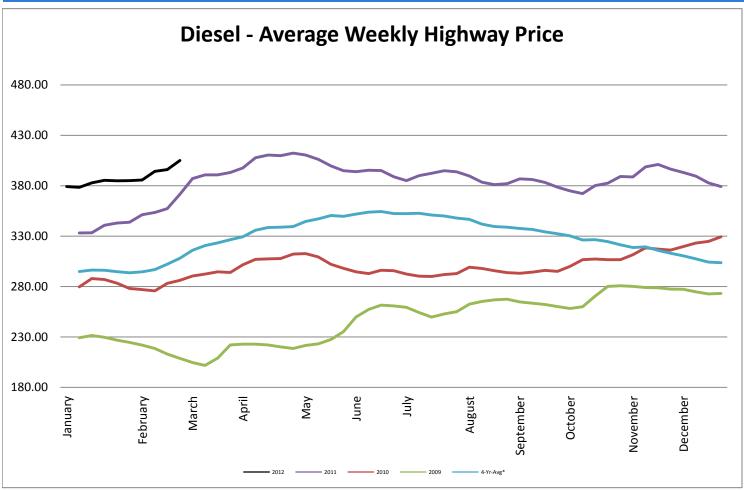




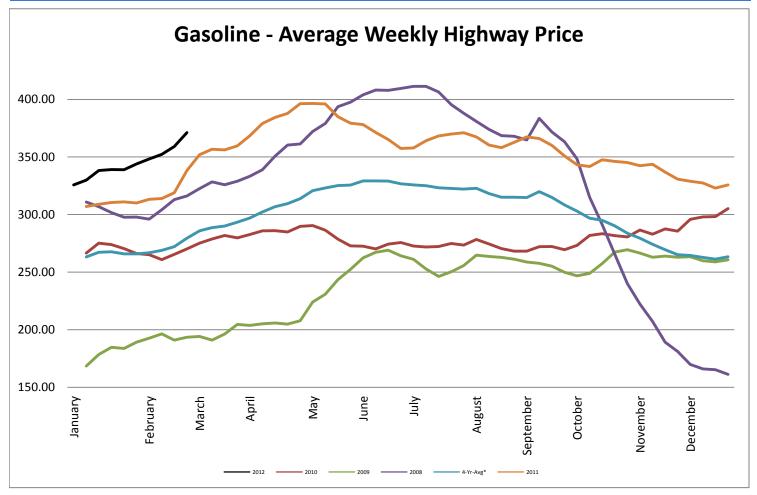












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