Key Commodity Report Weekly

May 28, 2012

						Com	modity A
5/21/2012		This Week	Last Week	YTD Avg	Last Year	vs. Last Week	vs. Last Year
CME Group							
Corn	↓	598.10	612.15	636.50	746.70	-2.30%	-19.90%
<u>Soybean</u>	•	1383.1	1413.0	1332.2	1377.5	-2.12%	0.40%
Soy Meal	1	409.48	418.32	364.79	358.44	-2.11%	14.24%
Soybean Oil	•	0.4997	0.5085	0.5331	0.5799	-1.73%	-13.83%
Rough Rice	•	14.51	15.18	15.11	15.14	-4.42%	-4.20%
Wheat	1	679.60	639.70	638.38	802.71	6.24%	-15.34%
Cheddar Barrel	1	1.456	1.503	1.492	1.763	-3.09%	-17.41%
Cheddar Block	1	1.515	1.500	1.514	1.766	0.97%	-14.24%
Milk Class III	1	15.23	15.22	15.99	16.50	0.09%	-7.70%
Butter AA	1	1.386	1.352	1.456	2.136	2.55%	-35.10%
Source: CME Group							
USDA Weekly Prices							
<u>Live Cattle</u>	1	1.233	1.205	1.239	1.082	2.33%	13.96%
Course Ground Beef	Ť	2.360	2.350	2.120	2.073	0.43%	13.87%
Live Hog	Ť	0.5680	0.5450	0.5691	0.6240	4.22%	-8.97%
Pork Bellies	Ť	0.93	0.88	1.07	1.25	5.98%	-25.36%
Chicken Whole (GA Dock)	1	0.9450	0.9425	0.9218	0.8675	0.27%	8.93%
Crude Corn Oil	1	56.60	58.60	58.13	68.40	-3.41%	-17.25%
Crude Peanut Oil	0	124.00	124.00	113.48	84.00	0.00%	47.62%
Source: USDA NYMEX Futures & Retail							
Crude Oil	1	91.13	93.12	101.65	99.89	-2.14%	-8.77%
Heating Oil No.2 Spot	Ţ	285.95	290.25	307.00	293.20	-1.48%	-2.47%
On Highway Diesel	j	395.60	400.40	399.37	399.70	-1.20%	-1.03%
On Highway Gasoline	į.	371.40	375.40	366.51	384.90	-1.07%	-3.51%
Natural Gas	1	2.654	2.577	2,420	4.383	2.99%	-39.45%
Source: New York Mercantile Exchange							
Federal Reserve							
*Euro	1	1.2543	1.276	1.2939	1.4100	-1.70%	-11.04%
*British Pound	Ť	1.5671	1.5939	1.5520	1.6272	-1.68%	-3.69%
Canadian Dollar	1	1.0237	1.0092	1.0016	0.9782	1.44%	4.65%
Chinese Yuan	1	6.321	6.316	6.305	6.497	0.08%	-2.71%
Swiss Frank	1	0.958	0.941	0.923	0.873	1.79%	9.78%
Source: Federal Reserve Bank of New Yo NYBOT Futures	rk						
Sugar 16	T	29.76	30.65	36.41	35.05	-2.90%	-15.09%
Coffee	ı.	1.6780	1.7915	1.5125	2.6358	-2.90% -6.34%	-15.09%
Source: Intercontinental Exchange	•	1.0760	1./913	1.3123	2.0336	-0.3470	-30.34%

Market Commentary

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Corn futures closed between \$5.78-1/2 and \$6.33 per bushel, ending the week at \$5.78-1/2.

Soybean futures closed between \$13.62-1/2 and \$14.12-1/2 per bushel, ending the week at \$13.82.

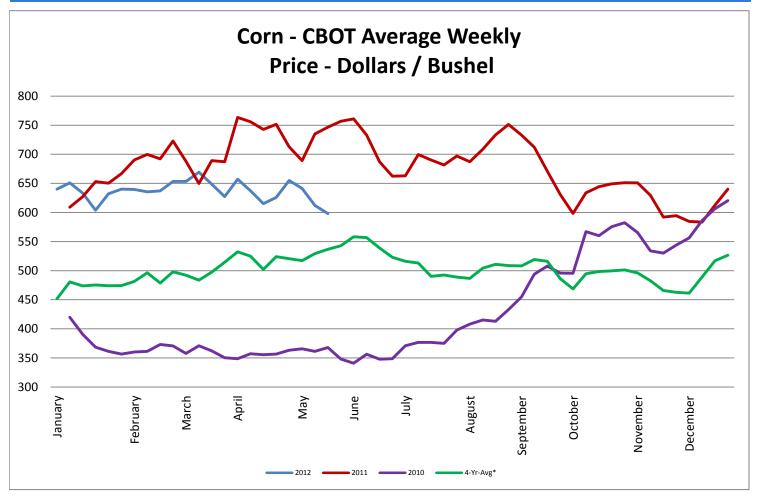
Soybean meal futures closed between \$405.00 and \$416.50 per short ton, ending the week at \$409.30.

Soybean oil futures closed between \$4891 and \$5092 per pound, ending the week at \$0.5012.

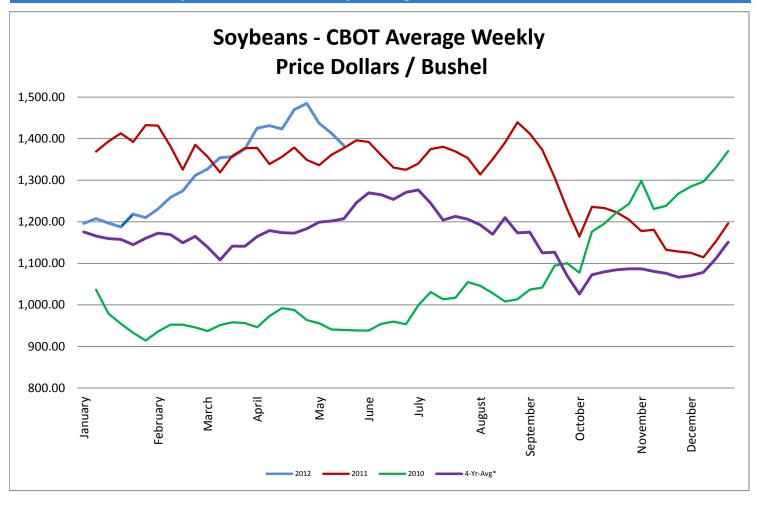
Wheat futures closed between \$6.63 and \$7.04 per bushel, ending the week at \$6.80.

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

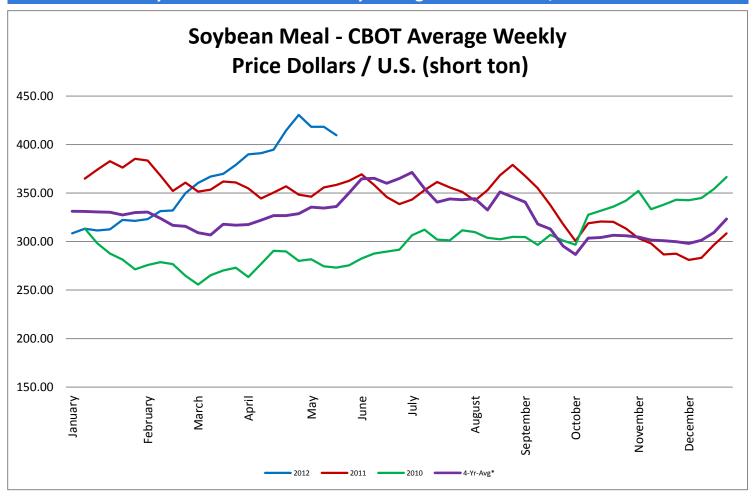




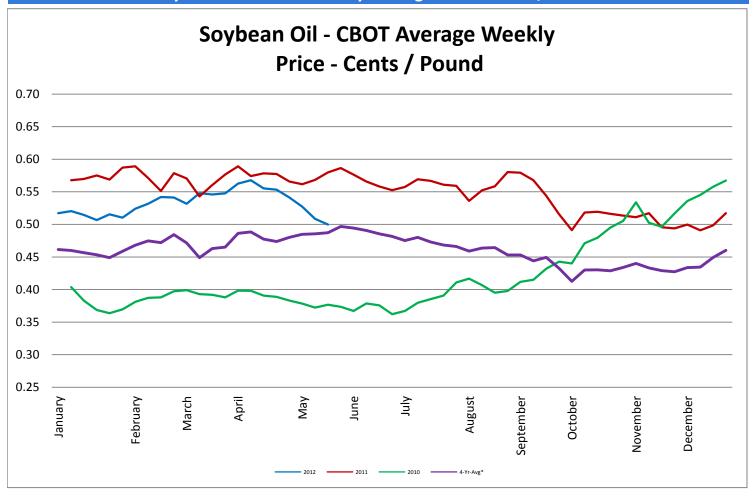
Soybeans - CBOT Weekly Average Price - Dollars / Bushel

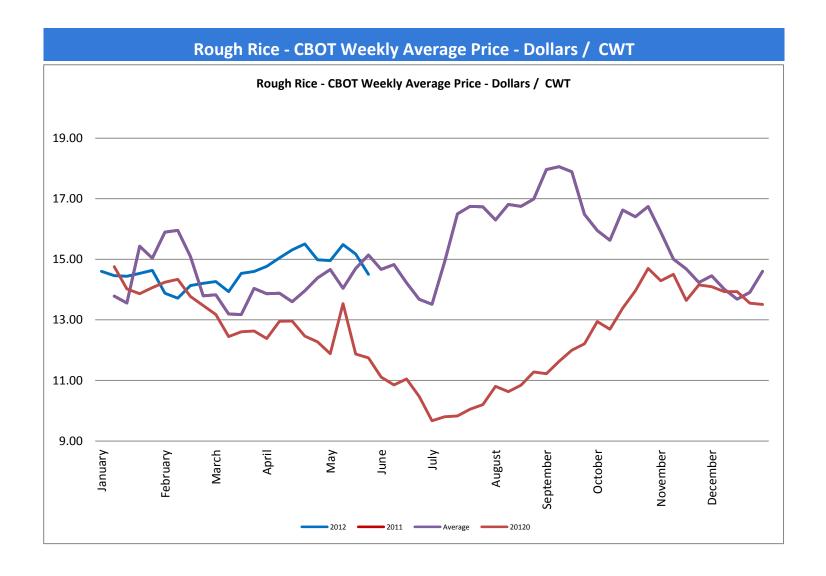


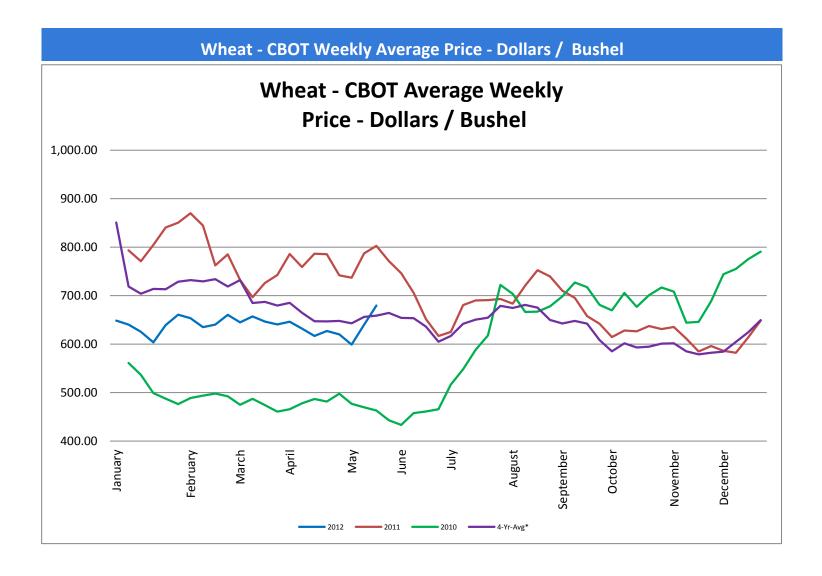


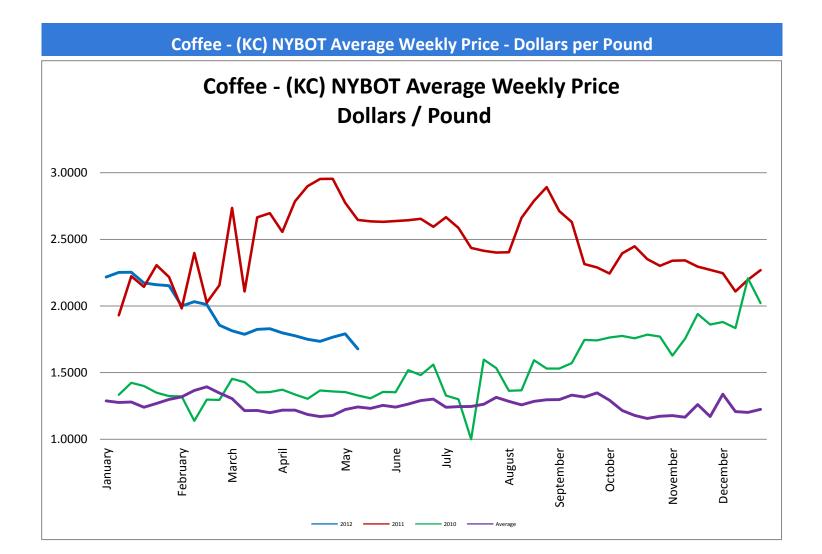




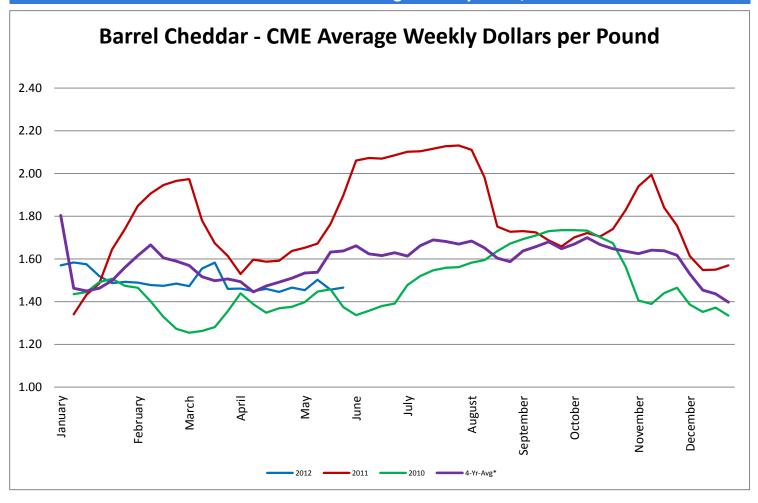




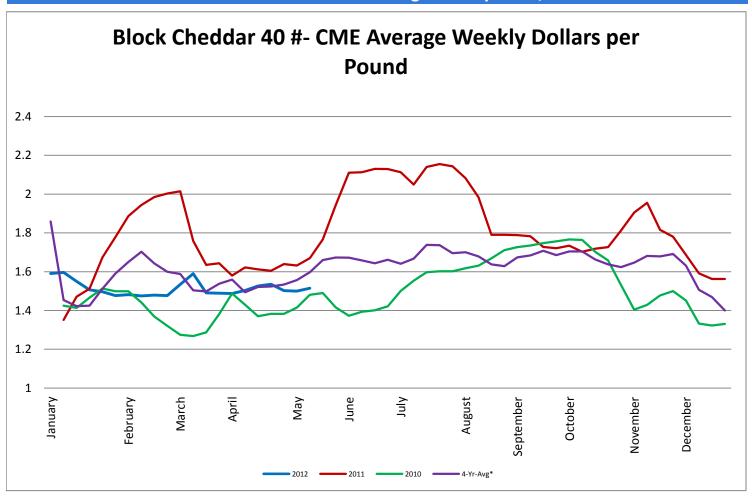


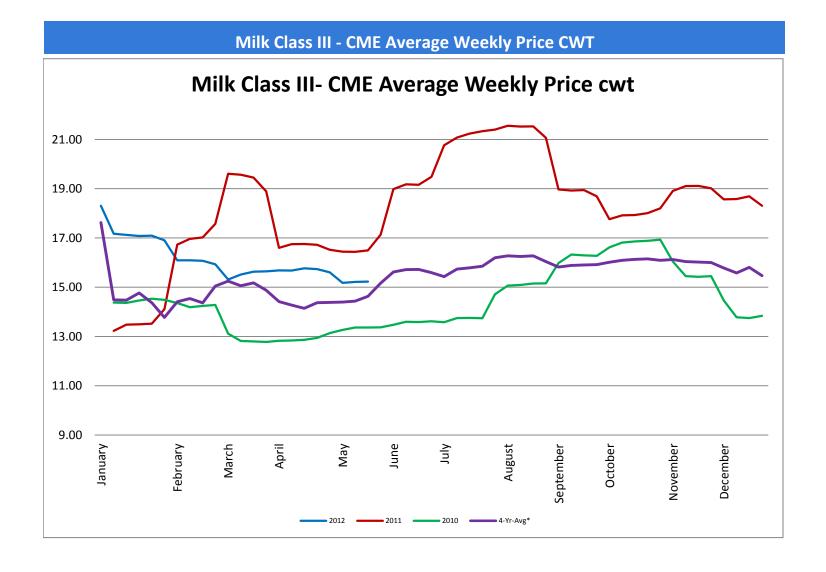


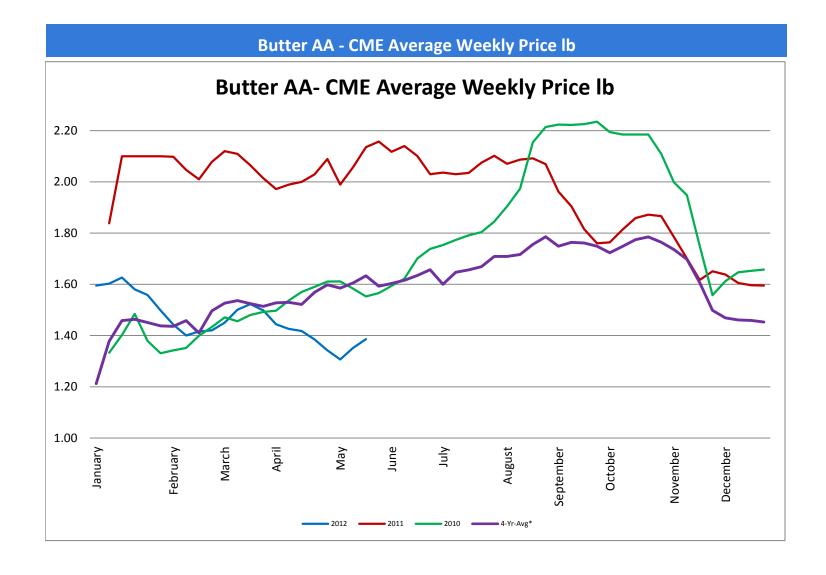
Barrel Cheddar - CME Average Weekly Price / Pound



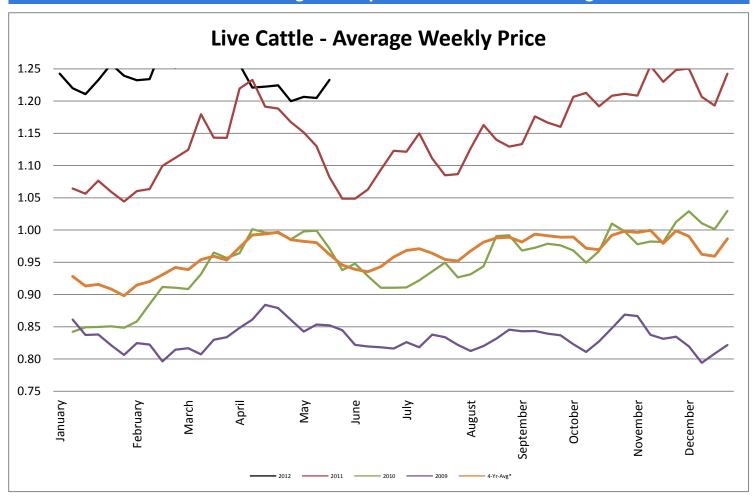
40 LB Block Cheddar - CME Average Weekly Price / Pound



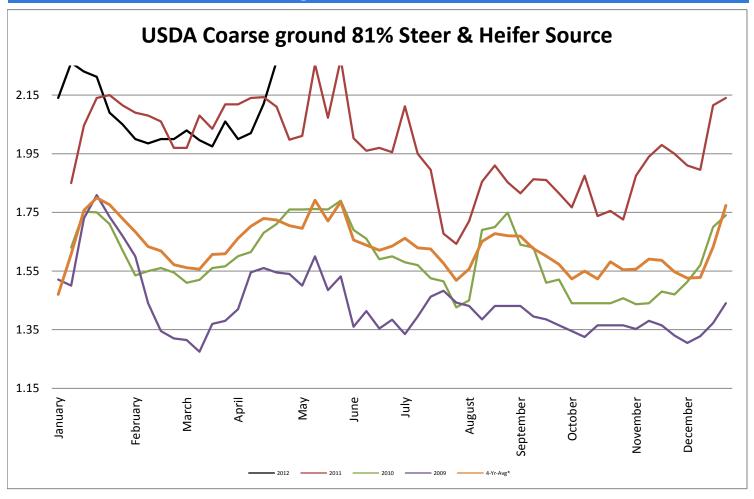


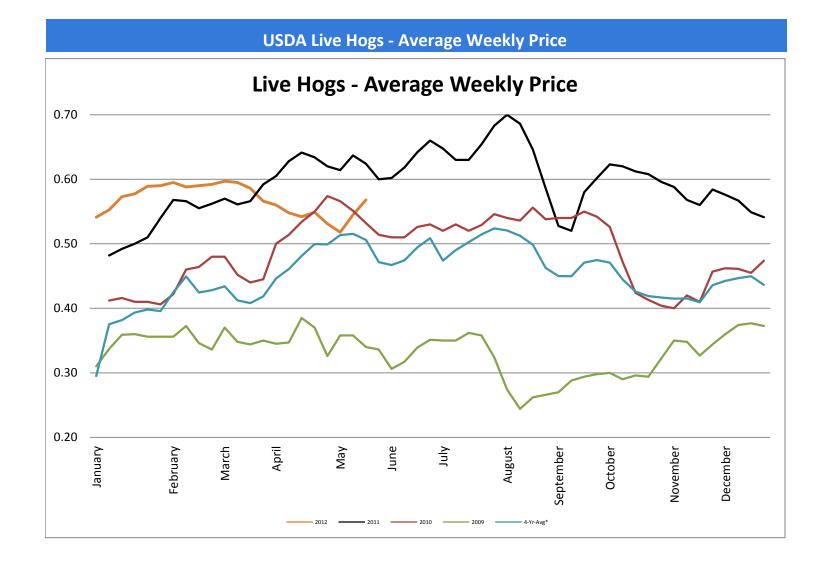


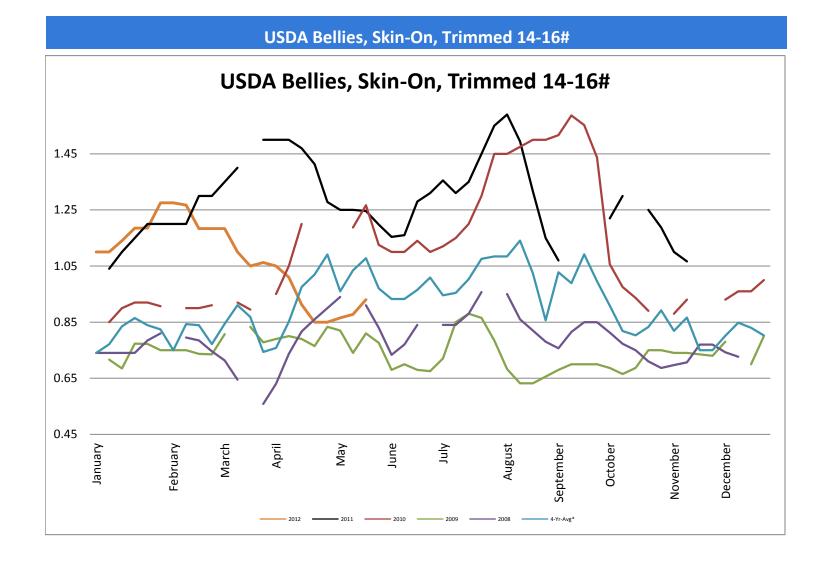
Live Cattle - Average Weekly Price USDA - 6 State Average

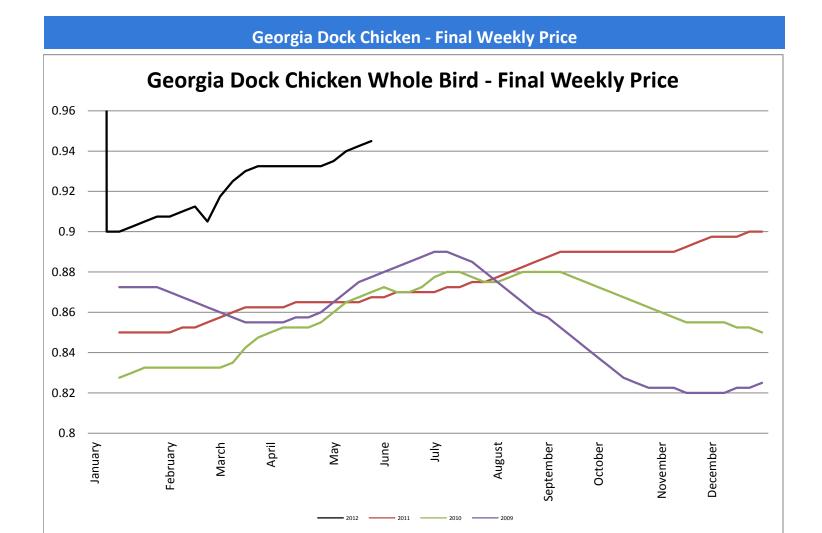




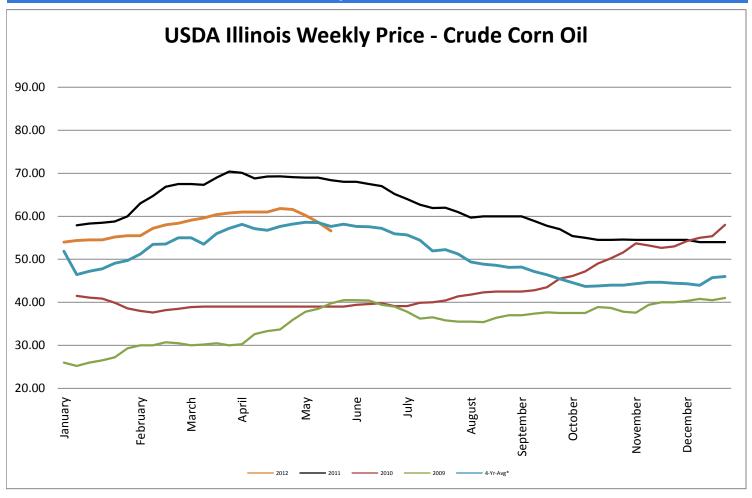


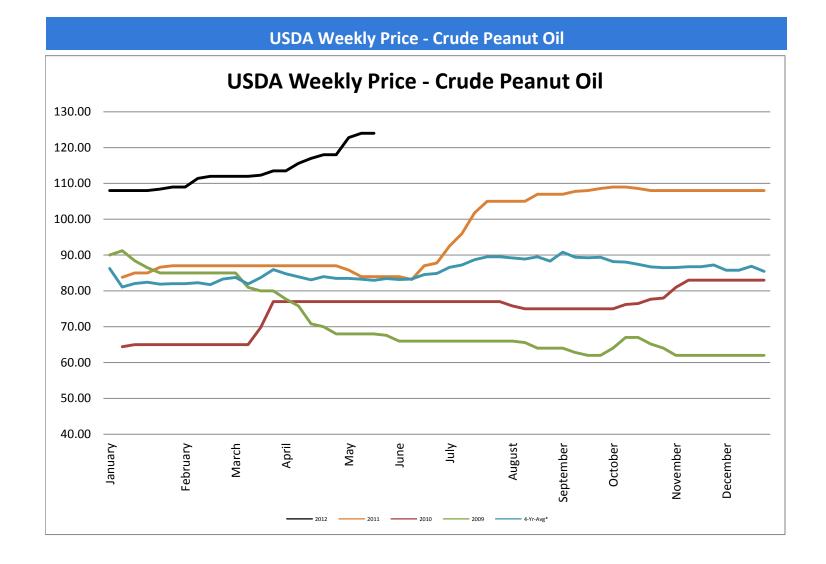




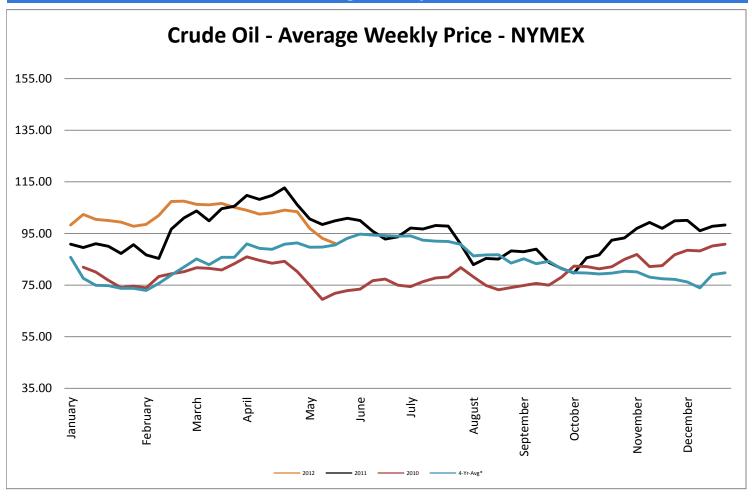


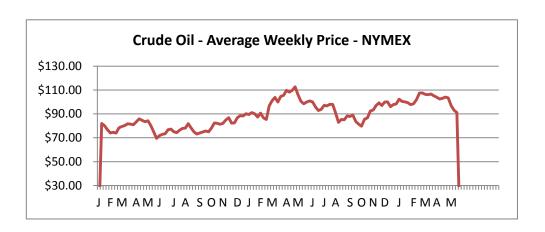




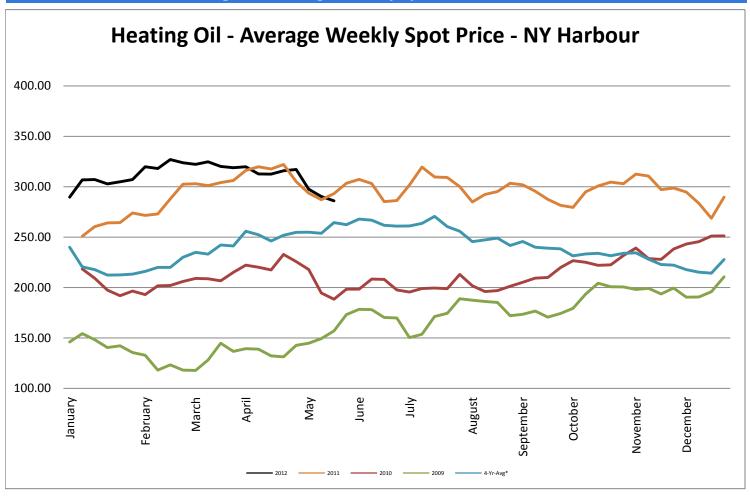




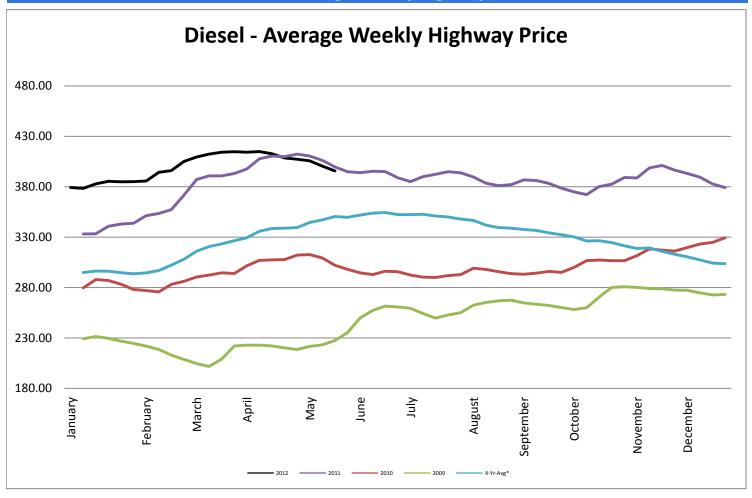




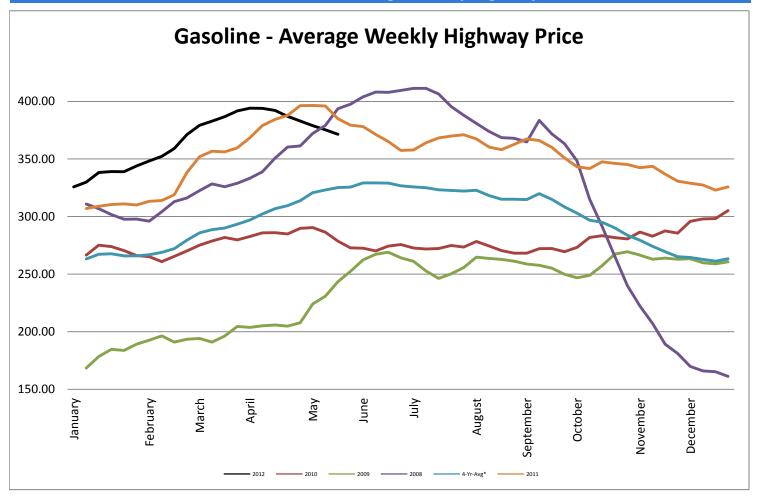
Heating Oil - Average Weekly Spot Price - NY Harbour



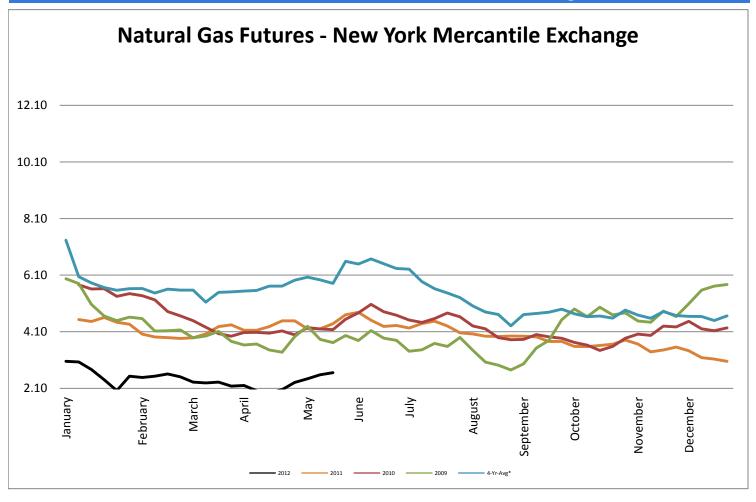




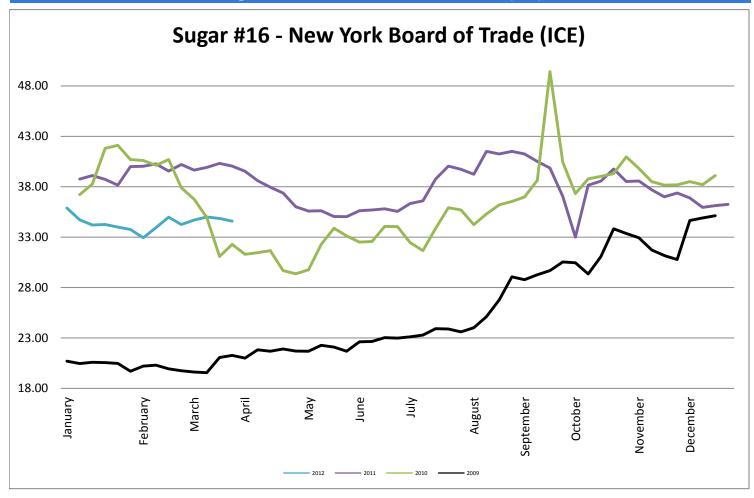
Gasoline Unleaded - Average Weekly Highway Price



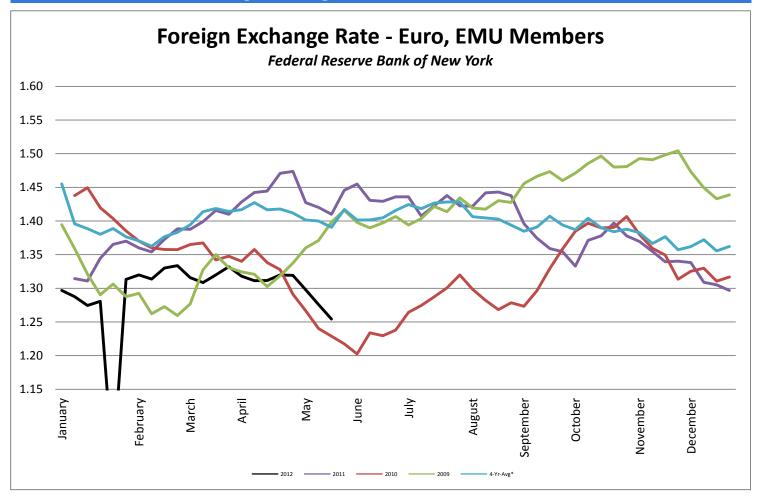
Natural Gas Futures - New York Mercantile Exchange







Foreign Exchange Rate - Euro, EMU Members



Foreign Exchange Rate - Canadian Dollar

