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Beef

IMPS#	Description	Wts	lbs./loads	Avg	Change Prv/wk
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3					
113C	Chuck, Semi-bnls, neck/off		143,128	246.67	1.52
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 Lbs			--
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 Lbs	1,016,189	273.49	9.59
120	Brisket	6-14 Lbs	125,875	237.47	8.68
123A	Short Rib	1-4 Lbs	27,783	488.55	18.28
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 Lbs	8,742	245.03	2.33
161	Round, Bnls	42-80 Lbs	15,567	257.32	4.55
168	Inside Round	14-26 Lbs	89,816	260.22	15.37
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 Lbs	16,157	257.04	21.30
	Blended Coarse ground 81%		673,512	231.74	14.51
	Blended Coarse ground 85%				--

Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items

Boneless Chuck 85%		167,500	214.46	--
Top Inside Round (168)	10-up Lbs	81,891	252.71	9.06

**Boneless Processing Beef/
Beef Trimmings, Fresh**

90% Chemical Lean		3,712,045	248.41	5.28
50% Chemical Lean		1,233,364	121.40	10.49

Pork - FOB Plant

		Kilo Lbs		
1/4" Trimmed Loin VAC		1,339	139.24	9.17
1/4" Trim Butt VAC		5,273	126.81	4.64
Trmd Spareribs - LGT		1,450	164.42	3.32
Trmd Selected Ham	17-20 Lbs	53	87.46	2.27
Trmd Selected Ham	20-23 Lbs	1,093	90.38	5.87
Skin-on Belly	14-16 Lbs	50	141.00	7.61
Skin-on Belly	16-18 Lbs			--
Picnic Meat Combo Cushion Out		755	101.14	6.04
72% Trim Combo		1,231	98.22	3.54

Dairy Market News
Madison, WI – (608)278-4150

Butter

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities			
	This Week		Last Week
	1.7675 – 1.8875		1.7375 – 1.8575

American Cheese

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars per lb			
	This Week		Last Week
	2.2000 – 2.5600		2.2025 - 2.5625

Fluid Milk – March 2014

Base prices paid for raw milk by Class I milk processors, dollars per gallon			
Product	Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
Class I Base (3.5%)	2.0327	0.1393	0.5022
Whole Milk	1.9931	0.1333	0.4953
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	1.7980	0.1011	0.4614
Fat-free Milk	1.5590	0.0622	0.4196

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National Whole Broiler Fryer – Whole Body

New York 95.64	Chicago 91.68	Los Angeles 94.57
Negotiated prices in trucklot and less-than-trucklot quantities of ready-to-cook whole body broiler/fryers delivered to first receivers; prices in cents per pound; volume in thousands of pounds.		

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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)	127.22	42.62
Southern States (f.o.b.)	115.14	39.51

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

	Wtd Avg (cents/lb.)	Volume (000 lbs.)
8-16 lb. (Hens)	96.61	370
16-24 lb. (Toms)	96.08	330

¹ Based on offers

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

Delivered Warehouse (Weekly Average Prices)	Delivered Store Door Metropolitan Areas	
USDA Grade A & Grade A	USDA Grade A & Grade A	
Northeast	154.00	New York 150-154
Southeast	162.50	Midwest 154-162
Midwest	151.50	USDA Grade AA & Grade AA
South Central	164.50	Southern CA 175-187

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	Whites	Yolks
77.56	98.22	58.33

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

	Trucklot	Less-than-Trucklot
Whole	94.00-99.00	94.00-98.00
Whites	115.00-130.00	115.00-130.00

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

Whole	Yolk	Blends ^{1/}
3.15-3.40	1.48-1.70	2.70-2.75

^{1/} Whole plus sweetener.

Fruit & Vegetable Market News
Washington, DC – (202)720-2745

Fruits

Apples, Red Delicious, WAExFancy, cartons tray pack, 100s,	18.00
Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District, Washington	
Pears, D'Anjou, U.S. One, 4/5 bushel cartons wrapped, 100s,	23.00
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Grapes, 8.2 kilogram containers bagged, Thompson Seedless, large,	23.00
Chile, Port of Entry Philadelphia	
Strawberries, 8-1 pound containers with lids, medium-large,	
Oxnard District California	8.50
Central Florida, medium-large	6.40
Oranges, 7/10 bushel cartons, Navel, 88s, Shippers first grade,	18.35
Central and Southern California and Arizona	
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seedless Type, cartons per pound, 5s,	.38
Mexico Crossings Through Texas	

Vegetables

Broccoli, Bunched 14s, Cartons, Central and Western Arizona	6.60
Carrots, medium-large Sacks, 48 1-lb film bags, Kern District, California	14.20
Celery, 2 1/2 dozen, cartons, Oxnard District California	6.80
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24s, cartons film lined, Western Arizona	6.05
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1 1/9 bushel cartons, large,	17.35
Central & South Florida	
Tomatoes, 25 pound cartons loose, Mature Greens 85% U.S. One or Better,	11.95
6x6 size, Central & South Florida	
Onions, Yellow Spanish Hybrid, 50 pound sacks, Jumbo,	17.00
Idaho and Malheur County, Oregon	
Potatoes, Russet Burbank, U.S. One, 50 pound cartons, 70s,	8.75
Upper Valley Twin Falls-Burley District Idaho	
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.	