



National Weekly Boxed Beef Cutout And Boxed Beef Cuts - Negotiated Sales

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Based on negotiated prices and volume of boxed beef cuts delivered within 0-21 days and on average industry cutting yields. Values reflect U.S. dollars per 100 pounds.

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Weekly Composite Primal Values		
Primal Rib	466.72	439.16
Primal Chuck	262.95	263.39
Primal Round	281.69	280.49
Primal Loin	406.65	376.50
Primal Brisket	239.98	240.69
Primal Short Plate	218.96	218.96
Primal Flank	147.77	146.68

Weekly Cutout Value Summary

Date	Choice	Select	Trim	Grinds	Total	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
02/28	71	11	11	9	101	311.83	302.05
02/27	112	20	12	19	163	311.18	302.13
02/26	111	20	6	22	158	312.90	303.24
02/25	95	22	16	12	144	314.32	304.13
02/24	46	16	9	13	85	313.73	303.97
Weekly Average						312.79	303.10
Change From Prior Week						-0.96	-0.78
Choice/Select Spread:						9.69	

Total Load Count (Cuts, Trimmings, Grinds): 651

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FOB Plant basis negotiated sales for delivery within 0-21 day period, including sales since last report.

Current Volume - (one load equals 40,000 pounds)

Choice Cuts	435.31 loads	17,412,537 pounds
Select Cuts	87.55 loads	3,502,075 pounds
Trimmings	54.03 loads	2,161,387 pounds
Ground Beef	73.91 loads	2,956,575 pounds

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Choice Cuts, Fat Limitations 1-6				(IM) = Individual Muscle		
IMPS / FL		Sub-Primal	# of Trades	Total Pounds	Price Range	Weighted Average
109E	1	Rib, ribeye, lip-on, bn-in	113	937,243	815.24 - 950.00	837.97
112A	3	Rib, ribeye, bnls, light	33	196,405	961.50 - 1,150.29	1,054.19
112A	3	Rib, ribeye, bnls, heavy	169	799,018	909.41 - 1,129.00	965.53
113C	1	Chuck, semi-bnls, neck/off	11	54,217	332.00 - 385.50	354.33
114	1	Chuck, shoulder clod	24	138,799	315.89 - 372.00	332.62
114A	3	Chuck, shoulder clod, trmd	154	1,844,808	323.75 - 412.00	335.90
114D	3	Chuck, clod, top blade	39	66,291	443.00 - 650.86	488.68
114E	3	Chuck, clod, arm roast	45	198,268	429.71 - 595.00	515.08
114F	5	Chuck, clod tender	53	44,408	510.00 - 625.00	560.92
116A	3	Chuck, roll, lxl, neck/off	183	1,215,253	362.70 - 480.49	379.70
116B	1	Chuck, chuck tender	124	333,508	382.00 - 452.00	404.70
916A	3	Chuck, roll, retail ready	45	457,172	389.27 - 451.45	406.45
116G	4	Chuck, flap	49	132,541	641.08 - 835.00	707.53
120	1	Brisket, deckle-off, bnls	215	1,915,085	329.36 - 383.50	339.27
120A	3	Brisket, point/off, bnls	33	58,979	595.00 - 657.00	613.27
123A	3	Short Plate, short rib	82	225,289	603.00 - 750.25	669.50
130	4	Chuck, short rib	88	193,654	461.00 - 650.32	532.28
160	1	Round, bone-in			-	
161	1	Round, boneless			-	
167A	4	Round, knuckle, peeled	135	402,091	390.00 - 461.70	420.03
168	1	Round, top inside round	25	294,358	330.00 - 372.00	344.37
168	3	Round, top inside round	141	1,056,381	339.00 - 409.00	352.15
169	5	Round, top inside, denuded	68	291,798	379.00 - 469.00	400.93
169A	5	Round, top inside, cap off	10	65,084	462.00 - 549.00	487.78
	3	Round, top inside, side off	3	50,795	344.57 - 416.00	375.58
170	1	Round, bottom gooseneck	21	147,009	302.00 - 382.00	318.43
171B	3	Round, outside round	127	637,088	333.00 - 390.55	354.01
171C	3	Round, eye of round	203	575,563	350.00 - 427.00	367.98
174	3	Loin, short loin, 0x1	90	381,992	700.00 - 864.50	736.34
175	3	Loin, strip loin, 1x1	18	117,831	720.00 - 865.70	752.82
	1	Loin, strip loin bnls. 1x1			-	
180	3	Loin, strip, bnls, 0x1	232	1,082,958	915.00 - 1,001.44	947.69



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184	1	Loin, top butt, bnls, heavy	3	3,314	460.00 - 463.00	460.67
184	3	Loin, top butt, boneless	117	561,306	442.99 - 515.00	465.49
184B	3	Loin, top butt, CC	24	56,637	625.00 - 694.50	658.70
185A	4	Loin, bottom sirloin, flap	67	182,528	660.00 - 849.25	724.75
185B	1	Loin, ball-tip, bnls, heavy	56	205,395	365.00 - 454.16	387.76
185C	1	Loin, sirloin, tri-tip	52	477,524	407.00 - 513.00	416.04
185D	4	Loin, sirloin, tri-tip, pld	59	130,792	629.00 - 750.00	650.95
189A	4	Loin, tndrloin, trmd, heavy	174	534,945	1,219.55 - 1,450.70	1,256.85
191A	4	Loin, butt tender, trimmed	38	26,399	1,230.00 - 1,410.70	1,259.64
193	4	Flank, flank steak	109	265,881	533.00 - 657.50	561.03

Select Cuts, Fat Limitations 1-6

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IMPS / FL		Sub-Primal	# of Trades	Total Pounds	Price Range	Weighted Average
109E	1	Rib, ribeye, lip-on, bn-in	20	58,208	761.00 - 869.00	783.33
112A	3	Rib, ribeye, bnls, light	11	50,764	880.00 - 976.50	888.71
112A	3	Rib, ribeye, bnls, heavy	75	158,514	848.00 - 962.25	886.03
113C	1	Chuck, semi-bnls, neck/off	6	12,751	349.69 - 385.32	357.41
114	1	Chuck, shoulder clod	12	49,473	338.00 - 361.00	351.16
114A	3	Chuck, shoulder clod, trmd	28	114,752	322.00 - 380.00	350.46
114D	3	Chuck, clod, top blade			-	
114E	3	Chuck, clod, arm roast	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
114F	5	Chuck, clod tender	16	36,707	510.00 - 559.25	528.74
116A	3	Chuck, roll, lxl, neck/off	69	432,946	360.00 - 445.60	372.12
116B	1	Chuck, chuck tender	19	39,555	390.25 - 428.00	401.04
916A	3	Chuck, roll, retail ready			-	
116G	4	Chuck, flap	31	122,579	621.08 - 783.00	728.62
120	1	Brisket, deckle-off, bnls	40	240,159	331.00 - 360.00	341.02
120A	3	Brisket, point/off, bnls			-	
123A	3	Short Plate, short rib	30	57,970	600.00 - 723.00	639.30
130	4	Chuck, short rib	21	32,560	475.00 - 551.00	512.44
160	1	Round, bone-in			-	
161	1	Round, boneless	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
167A	4	Round, knuckle, peeled	30	95,172	382.00 - 450.00	412.40
168	1	Round, top inside round	6	47,155	326.58 - 372.00	330.34
168	3	Round, top inside round	50	171,351	340.00 - 398.00	357.10



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169	5	Round, top inside, denuded	19	23,242	392.00 - 457.00	412.77
169A	5	Round, top inside, cap off	3	1,500	475.00 - 500.00	485.68
	3	Round, top inside, side off	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
170	1	Round, bottom gooseneck	9	12,278	315.00 - 354.00	332.47
171B	3	Round, outside round	35	124,483	340.07 - 375.25	354.38
171C	3	Round, eye of round	56	188,988	348.09 - 393.00	362.52
174	3	Loin, short loin, 0x1	31	14,873	675.00 - 749.00	703.39
175	3	Loin, strip loin, 1x1	3	15,304	579.25 - 665.00	588.49
	1	Loin, strip loin bnls. 1x1			-	
180	3	Loin, strip, bnls, 0x1	58	223,954	700.55 - 807.00	729.80
184	1	Loin, top butt, bnls, heavy	7	20,800	394.69 - 437.00	429.88
184	3	Loin, top butt, boneless	41	298,716	410.00 - 475.00	439.14
184B	3	Loin, top butt, CC	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
185A	4	Loin, bottom sirloin, flap	25	55,638	620.00 - 785.00	716.06
185B	1	Loin, ball-tip, bnls, heavy	18	64,558	370.00 - 444.70	381.67
185C	1	Loin, sirloin, tri-tip	27	122,647	372.56 - 440.00	387.55
185D	4	Loin, sirloin, tri-tip, pld	5	2,444	581.00 - 640.00	611.38
189A	4	Loin, tndrloin, trmd, heavy	51	137,572	1,195.07 - 1,415.70	1,229.17
191A	4	Loin, butt tender, trimmed	16	8,353	1,115.93 - 1,274.00	1,198.10
193	4	Flank, flank steak	19	61,165	535.00 - 590.90	555.67

Choice, Select & Ungraded Cuts, Fat Limitations 1-6 (IM) = Individual Muscle

121D 4 Plate, Inside Skirt	103	245,151	550.00 - 672.00	612.82
121C 4 Plate, Outside Skirt	73	128,919	612.00 - 905.70	772.33
121E 6 Plate, Outside Skirt, pld	37	43,411	1,200.00 - 1,444.00	1,242.33
4 Cap and Wedge Meat	111	629,224	431.33 - 503.00	458.57
4 Pectoral Meat	105	368,345	435.00 - 512.00	467.48

GB - Steer/Heifer Source - 10 Pound Chub Basis- Coarse & Fine Grind

Ground Beef 73%	44	322,564	225.00 - 309.25	256.13
Ground Beef 75%	6	33,456	264.13 - 295.00	272.91
Ground Beef 81%	170	1,552,339	246.00 - 353.00	269.22
Ground Beef 85%	31	242,812	353.00 - 404.70	385.32
Ground Beef 90%			-	
Ground Beef 93%	15	63,718	436.00 - 476.00	462.96
Ground Beef Chuck	25	120,324	317.80 - 369.00	329.08
Ground Beef Round	11	6,404	395.00 - 430.00	414.10

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Ground Beef Sirloin	6	13,291	442.00 - 503.48	470.17
Blended GB - Steer/Heifer/Cow Source - 10 Pound Chub Basis- Coarse & Fine Grind				
Blended Ground Beef 73%	12	89,429	249.00 - 272.50	261.11
Blended Ground Beef 75%			-	
Blended Ground Beef 81%	11	142,246	265.00 - 364.00	272.86
Blended Ground Beef 85%	11	56,420	360.00 - 400.50	384.47
Blended Ground Beef 90%			-	
Blended Ground Beef 93%	12	97,800	444.59 - 468.50	459.96
Blended Ground Beef Chuck	6	202,300	304.00 - 335.01	307.70
Blended Ground Beef Round	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
Blended Ground Beef Sirloin	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
Beef Trimmings - Steer/Heifer Source - Fresh Combos & Frozen Boxed				
Fresh 50% lean trimmings	93	2,161,387	77.00 - 129.00	109.93
Frozen 50% lean trimmings	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00

Fat Limitations (FL) Description

Maximum Average Fat Thickness	Maximum Fat at any point
1. 3/4" (19mm)	1.0"
2. 1/4" (6mm)	1/2"
3. 1/8" (3mm)	1/4"
4. Practically free (75% surface lean exposed)	1/8"
5. Peeled/Denuded	1/8"
6. Peeled/Denuded, surface membrane removed	1/8"