



# National Weekly Pork Report FOB Plant - Comprehensive

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## USDA Estimated Pork Carcass Cutout

Based on prices and volume of pork cuts delivered and on average industry cutting yields. Values reflect U.S. dollars per 100 pounds.

Calculations for 215 lb Pork Carcass. 55-56% lean, 0.55"-0.70" BF Last Rib

## Weekly Estimated Primal Cutout - Comprehensive - Barrow/Gilt Only

	Carcass	Loin	Butt	Picnic	Rib	Ham	Belly
12/3/2021	85.58	82.64	100.97	60.75	138.81	62.10	136.11
Change:	-1.45	-4.11	-0.88	1.18	1.45	-6.40	7.27

Total Load Count (Cuts, Trimmings, Processed) 6,597.00

## Weekly Pork Cuts FOB Plant - Comprehensive - Barrow/Gilt Only

	Current Volume - (one load equals 40,000 pounds)	
Loin	1,195.64 loads	47,825,684 pounds
Butt	666.65 loads	26,666,177 pounds
Picnic	322.96 loads	12,918,378 pounds
Rib	289.83 loads	11,593,102 pounds
Ham	1,697.32 loads	67,892,755 pounds
Belly	606.60 loads	24,263,821 pounds
Trimmings	1,324.99 loads	52,999,717 pounds
Variety	310.39 loads	12,415,468 pounds
Added Ingredients	95.59 loads	3,823,584 pounds
Export Break, 4/5 Rib	46.74 loads	1,869,423 pounds
Carcass	0.46 loads	18,484 pounds

## Weekly Sow and Boar Only

Sow Total	15.21 loads
Boar Total	0.00 loads
Mixed Bar/Glt/Sow/Boar Total	43.04 loads



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This report covers weekly market activity from Monday to Friday and includes an estimated value of a standard pork carcass and primals based on the various individual cuts and prices of those cuts. The values and volumes reflect marketplace activity for all destinations including export, sales types, delivery periods, refrigeration types, and packaging styles with the exception of specialty pork products.

The pork carcass cutout value of an individual pork carcass is based on the amounts of the various cuts produced by that carcass and the prices of those cuts. Its value is expressed in cents per pound or dollars per hundred pounds. If there are pork carcass trades for the week, the value will be included in the comprehensive pork carcass cutout value on a 1:1 weighted average ratio. To learn more, visit [A User's Guide to USDA's Pork Carcass Cutout \(PDF\)](#).