



# 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
1/14/2022	86.26	86.22	104.50	59.50	162.03	48.22	148.35
Change:	-0.35	3.98	-1.60	-2.63	4.41	-5.84	4.32

Total Load Count (Cuts, Trimmings, Processed): 6,119.00

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

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

Loin	1,012.14 loads	40,485,634 pounds
Butt	750.13 loads	30,005,229 pounds
Picnic	354.62 loads	14,184,990 pounds
Rib	263.60 loads	10,544,072 pounds
Ham	1,626.15 loads	65,046,147 pounds
Belly	552.01 loads	22,080,225 pounds
Trimmings	1,163.73 loads	46,549,327 pounds
Variety	226.70 loads	9,067,995 pounds
Added Ingredients	76.70 loads	3,067,998 pounds
Export Break, 4/5 Rib	45.54 loads	1,821,443 pounds
Carcass	4.57 loads	182,900 pounds

### Weekly Sow and Boar Only

Sow Total	10.11 loads
Boar Total	0.00 loads
Mixed Bar/Glt/Sow/Boar Total	87.24 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 \(PDF\)](#).