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USDA Estimated Boxed Beef Cut-out Values - as of 1:30pm

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
Current Cutout Values:	349.33	345.62
Change from prior day:	(1.88)	1.82
Choice/Select spread:		3.71
Total Load Count (Cuts, Trimmings, Grinds):		113

Composite Primal Values

Primal Rib	491.15	482.39
Primal Chuck	312.64	316.33
Primal Round	308.58	309.10
Primal Loin	439.39	421.75
Primal Brisket	322.65	320.11
Primal Short Plate	238.22	238.22
Primal Flank	165.89	164.57

Load Count And Cutout Value Summary For Prior 5 Days

Date	Choice	Select	Trim	Grinds	Total	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
12/26	46	7	4	13	70	351.21	343.80
12/24	92	13	0	12	118	354.62	345.75
12/23	108	10	9	11	138	355.77	349.59
12/22	39	12	5	12	68	362.87	350.69
12/19	61	11	14	12	98	361.63	346.02
Current 5 Day Simple Average:						357.22	347.17



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FOB Plant basis negotiated sales for delivery within 0-21 day period. Prior days sales after 1:30pm are included.

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

Choice Cuts	76.64 loads	3,065,692 pounds
Select Cuts	21.09 loads	843,761 pounds
Trimming	5.77 loads	230,639 pounds
Ground Beef	9.53 loads	381,332 pounds

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	33	839,437	900.00 - 1,180.00	903.05
112A	3	Rib, ribeye, bnls, light			-	
112A	3	Rib, ribeye, bnls, heavy	31	127,967	1,075.00 - 1,336.00	1,101.96
113C	1	Chuck, semi-bnls, neck/off	5	5,818	409.68 - 416.00	411.18
114	1	Chuck, shoulder clod			-	
114A	3	Chuck, shoulder clod, trmd	19	219,618	365.00 - 400.00	373.85
114D	3	Chuck, clod, top blade	13	32,320	400.00 - 602.86	485.97
114E	3	Chuck, clod, arm roast			-	
114F	5	Chuck, clod tender	4	5,227	714.91 - 856.00	733.82
116A	3	Chuck, roll, lx, neck/off	27	131,679	537.50 - 605.00	563.08
116B	1	Chuck, chuck tender	18	37,977	370.00 - 440.00	401.68
916A	3	Chuck, roll, retail ready	7	7,911	511.00 - 621.00	578.15
116G	4	Chuck, flap	11	15,341	1,049.00 - 1,154.50	1,110.13
120	1	Brisket, deckle-off, bnls	34	100,058	440.36 - 501.00	459.68
120A	3	Brisket, point/off, bnls	7	4,833	760.00 - 775.97	770.04
123A	3	Short Plate, short rib	28	50,681	535.00 - 695.20	572.60
130	4	Chuck, short rib	19	17,074	475.00 - 544.00	495.90
160	1	Round, bone-in			-	
161	1	Round, boneless	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
167A	4	Round, knuckle, peeled	24	49,174	396.06 - 459.50	420.08
168	1	Round, top inside round	3	5,620	378.39 - 405.00	385.87
168	3	Round, top inside round	30	146,648	379.00 - 429.00	404.75
169	5	Round, top inside, denuded	8	32,740	403.00 - 423.15	418.51
169A	5	Round, top inside, cap off			-	

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	3	Round, top inside, side off	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
170	1	Round, bottom gooseneck	3	10,690	376.00 - 392.00	388.93
171B	3	Round, outside round	25	147,061	389.00 - 410.00	395.51
171C	3	Round, eye of round	41	55,451	399.91 - 441.00	416.00
174	3	Loin, short loin, 0x1	24	122,677	756.00 - 865.25	772.35
175	3	Loin, strip loin, 1x1			-	
	1	Loin, strip loin bnls. 1x1			-	
180	3	Loin, strip, bnls, 0x1	49	139,848	862.00 - 934.94	877.26
184	1	Loin, top butt, bnls, heavy			-	
184	3	Loin, top butt, boneless	20	105,742	510.00 - 569.95	518.19
184B	3	Loin, top butt, CC			-	
185A	4	Loin, bottom sirloin, flap	19	41,520	746.00 - 816.20	780.58
185B	1	Loin, ball-tip, bnls, heavy	14	13,827	389.50 - 414.25	395.26
185C	1	Loin, sirloin, tri-tip	10	36,313	469.36 - 505.00	482.09
185D	4	Loin, sirloin, tri-tip, pld			-	
189A	4	Loin, tndrloin, trmd, heavy	37	188,622	1,400.00 - 1,916.20	1,465.48
191A	4	Loin, butt tender, trimmed	6	8,612	1,631.06 - 1,678.89	1,646.30
193	4	Flank, flank steak	23	42,793	585.06 - 675.00	615.98

Select 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			-	
112A	3	Rib, ribeye, bnls, light	4	99,428	1,012.00 - 1,050.00	1,027.22
112A	3	Rib, ribeye, bnls, heavy	8	12,741	1,047.00 - 1,314.00	1,135.30
113C	1	Chuck, semi-bnls, neck/off			-	
114	1	Chuck, shoulder clod			-	
114A	3	Chuck, shoulder clod, trmd	4	4,515	397.00 - 410.00	405.26
114D	3	Chuck, clod, top blade	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
114E	3	Chuck, clod, arm roast	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
114F	5	Chuck, clod tender	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
116A	3	Chuck, roll, lxl, neck/off	14	31,595	522.00 - 590.00	540.72
116B	1	Chuck, chuck tender			-	
916A	3	Chuck, roll, retail ready	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
116G	4	Chuck, flap	12	16,984	1,034.00 - 1,040.00	1,035.68
120	1	Brisket, deckle-off, bnls	5	9,287	456.00 - 479.00	462.54

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120A	3	Brisket, point/off, bnls	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
123A	3	Short Plate, short rib	7	23,352	487.00 - 584.00	495.12
130	4	Chuck, short rib	4	7,733	468.00 - 529.00	484.41
160	1	Round, bone-in	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
161	1	Round, boneless	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
167A	4	Round, knuckle, peeled	4	22,514	391.00 - 440.00	398.21
168	1	Round, top inside round	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
168	3	Round, top inside round			-	
169	5	Round, top inside, denuded			-	
169A	5	Round, top inside, cap off			-	
	3	Round, top inside, side off	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
170	1	Round, bottom gooseneck	3	2,430	373.50 - 392.00	386.29
171B	3	Round, outside round	3	4,048	384.81 - 405.00	402.42
171C	3	Round, eye of round	6	11,024	400.00 - 435.00	409.47
174	3	Loin, short loin, 0x1	6	18,803	724.25 - 789.00	730.70
175	3	Loin, strip loin, 1x1	4	88,552	597.78 - 646.00	645.85
	1	Loin, strip loin bnls. 1x1			-	
180	3	Loin, strip, bnls, 0x1	15	155,035	771.00 - 831.00	781.15
184	1	Loin, top butt, bnls, heavy	4	3,203	492.00 - 536.75	503.36
184	3	Loin, top butt, boneless	6	25,210	489.81 - 565.00	507.47
184B	3	Loin, top butt, CC	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
185A	4	Loin, bottom sirloin, flap	6	20,619	735.00 - 766.00	739.04
185B	1	Loin, ball-tip, bnls, heavy	7	18,719	397.75 - 429.00	414.82
185C	1	Loin, sirloin, tri-tip	7	40,355	385.00 - 485.00	450.03
185D	4	Loin, sirloin, tri-tip, pld			-	
189A	4	Loin, tndrloin, trmd, heavy	11	25,433	1,425.00 - 1,951.00	1,549.97
191A	4	Loin, butt tender, trimmed	4	1,216	1,675.97 - 1,704.25	1,685.79
193	4	Flank, flank steak	3	9,129	605.00 - 615.00	607.62

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

121D 4	Plate, Inside Skirt	31	160,147	591.00 - 674.25	644.63
121C 4	Plate, Outside Skirt	22	14,429	697.00 - 1,010.70	845.72
121E 6	Plate, Outside Skirt, pld			-	
4	Cap and Wedge Meat	19	231,893	384.00 - 460.00	388.53
4	Pectoral Meat	16	24,910	400.00 - 494.00	447.23

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

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Ground Beef 73%	11	39,085	309.82 - 347.20	328.56
Ground Beef 75%	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
Ground Beef 81%	18	201,450	340.00 - 389.25	364.27
Ground Beef 85%	11	39,087	386.00 - 413.50	397.40
Ground Beef 90%			-	
Ground Beef 93%	3	9,926	504.00 - 529.50	505.47
Ground Beef Chuck	3	1,171	358.43 - 386.00	364.82
Ground Beef Round			-	
Ground Beef Sirloin	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00

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

Blended Ground Beef 73%			-	
Blended Ground Beef 75%			-	
Blended Ground Beef 81%			-	
Blended Ground Beef 85%			-	
Blended Ground Beef 90%			-	
Blended Ground Beef 93%			-	
Blended Ground Beef Chuck	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
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	13	230,639	120.00 - 155.45	139.71
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"