



National Daily Boxed Beef Cutout And Boxed Beef Cuts - Negotiated Sales - Afternoon

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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:	369.22	364.31
Change from prior day:	2.52	3.57
Choice/Select spread:	4.91	
Total Load Count (Cuts, Trimmings, Grinds):	75	

Composite Primal Values

Primal Rib	502.51	493.58
Primal Chuck	320.28	315.59
Primal Round	336.21	340.20
Primal Loin	480.29	465.01
Primal Brisket	299.37	298.66
Primal Short Plate	267.52	267.52
Primal Flank	182.00	178.89

Load Count And Cutout Value Summary For Prior 5 Days

Date	Choice	Select	Trim	Grinds	Total	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
02/20	76	4	21	5	106	366.70	360.74
02/19	69	14	6	9	97	365.17	359.79
02/18	79	9	12	10	111	363.80	360.63
02/17	95	10	7	7	119	364.76	360.22
02/16	34	8	3	5	50	367.77	361.23
Current 5 Day Simple Average:						365.64	360.52



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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	44.02 loads	1,760,848 pounds
Select Cuts	7.54 loads	301,610 pounds
Trimming	9.84 loads	393,690 pounds
Ground Beef	13.94 loads	557,640 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	26	53,827	912.00 - 1,024.75	958.39
112A	3	Rib, ribeye, bnls, light	3	4,610	1,154.92 - 1,235.70	1,199.56
112A	3	Rib, ribeye, bnls, heavy	17	39,839	1,075.00 - 1,154.25	1,106.08
113C	1	Chuck, semi-bnls, neck/off	3	9,188	438.00 - 461.03	458.24
114	1	Chuck, shoulder clod	5	19,640	395.00 - 405.00	397.50
114A	3	Chuck, shoulder clod, trmd	23	66,140	402.54 - 450.00	411.48
114D	3	Chuck, clod, top blade	13	16,181	540.00 - 600.86	571.63
114E	3	Chuck, clod, arm roast	7	14,491	518.00 - 570.00	529.79
114F	5	Chuck, clod tender	3	2,263	692.00 - 825.00	770.88
116A	3	Chuck, roll, lxl, neck/off	40	472,864	469.00 - 536.00	490.84
116B	1	Chuck, chuck tender	11	31,474	430.00 - 448.22	433.47
916A	3	Chuck, roll, retail ready	5	15,494	518.00 - 539.00	522.10
116G	4	Chuck, flap	10	10,861	820.69 - 860.70	847.08
120	1	Brisket, deckle-off, bnls	31	62,012	404.00 - 450.00	420.80
120A	3	Brisket, point/off, bnls	4	5,343	633.00 - 693.00	657.01
123A	3	Short Plate, short rib	18	50,291	571.00 - 710.00	590.38
130	4	Chuck, short rib	12	17,362	568.00 - 649.85	591.70
160	1	Round, bone-in			-	
161	1	Round, boneless	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
167A	4	Round, knuckle, peeled	23	69,419	449.00 - 495.00	461.69
168	1	Round, top inside round			-	
168	3	Round, top inside round	23	93,376	432.00 - 471.00	452.39
169	5	Round, top inside, denuded			-	
169A	5	Round, top inside, cap off	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00



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	3	Round, top inside, side off			-	
170	1	Round, bottom gooseneck	5	3,273	394.00 - 445.00	432.96
171B	3	Round, outside round	15	85,159	445.00 - 468.00	455.60
171C	3	Round, eye of round	27	64,260	423.50 - 500.00	438.60
174	3	Loin, short loin, 0x1	21	71,252	862.00 - 891.25	879.02
175	3	Loin, strip loin, 1x1	4	4,079	811.00 - 850.00	840.62
	1	Loin, strip loin bnls. 1x1	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
180	3	Loin, strip, bnls, 0x1	29	49,996	955.00 - 1,050.00	1,020.08
184	1	Loin, top butt, bnls, heavy	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
184	3	Loin, top butt, boneless	12	12,474	590.00 - 650.00	622.39
184B	3	Loin, top butt, CC	8	6,195	787.00 - 850.50	834.09
185A	4	Loin, bottom sirloin, flap	10	45,073	898.84 - 990.54	906.47
185B	1	Loin, ball-tip, bnls, heavy	9	45,339	473.00 - 524.25	496.34
185C	1	Loin, sirloin, tri-tip	7	3,405	556.00 - 580.00	571.28
185D	4	Loin, sirloin, tri-tip, pld	8	5,144	771.00 - 819.00	801.49
189A	4	Loin, tndrloin, trmd, heavy	16	95,392	1,405.00 - 1,560.70	1,445.60
191A	4	Loin, butt tender, trimmed	5	1,440	1,444.00 - 1,558.25	1,511.01
193	4	Flank, flank steak	20	36,478	682.00 - 730.00	706.54

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	7	21,773	887.00 - 1,000.00	946.10
112A	3	Rib, ribeye, bnls, light			-	
112A	3	Rib, ribeye, bnls, heavy	22	14,466	1,002.00 - 1,106.00	1,035.75
113C	1	Chuck, semi-bnls, neck/off			-	
114	1	Chuck, shoulder clod	3	12,751	397.00 - 397.58	397.54
114A	3	Chuck, shoulder clod, trmd	6	23,851	402.54 - 450.00	410.95
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	10	17,776	430.00 - 485.58	472.70
116B	1	Chuck, chuck tender			-	
916A	3	Chuck, roll, retail ready	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
116G	4	Chuck, flap	10	28,178	815.00 - 835.00	821.74
120	1	Brisket, deckle-off, bnls	6	22,534	413.35 - 433.00	416.26



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120A	3	Brisket, point/off, bnls	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
123A	3	Short Plate, short rib	4	9,721	540.00 - 622.50	589.47
130	4	Chuck, short rib			-	
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	21,750	459.85 - 490.00	461.11
168	1	Round, top inside round			-	
168	3	Round, top inside round	4	3,884	455.00 - 457.00	455.94
169	5	Round, top inside, denuded	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
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	2,920	428.50 - 428.51	428.50
171B	3	Round, outside round	6	7,769	455.00 - 465.00	460.41
171C	3	Round, eye of round	4	1,808	440.00 - 475.00	456.54
174	3	Loin, short loin, 0x1	7	10,686	790.00 - 827.00	824.06
175	3	Loin, strip loin, 1x1	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
	1	Loin, strip loin bnls. 1x1	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
180	3	Loin, strip, bnls, 0x1	8	21,581	851.19 - 939.25	874.54
184	1	Loin, top butt, bnls, heavy			-	
184	3	Loin, top butt, boneless	3	2,189	587.00 - 625.00	618.67
184B	3	Loin, top butt, CC			-	
185A	4	Loin, bottom sirloin, flap	5	9,345	910.00 - 950.00	928.70
185B	1	Loin, ball-tip, bnls, heavy	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
185C	1	Loin, sirloin, tri-tip			-	
185D	4	Loin, sirloin, tri-tip, pld	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
189A	4	Loin, tndrloin, trmd, heavy	9	4,601	1,415.00 - 1,535.70	1,482.94
191A	4	Loin, butt tender, trimmed	3	2,350	1,418.00 - 1,529.25	1,461.41
193	4	Flank, flank steak			-	

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

121D 4	Plate, Inside Skirt	25	42,864	635.00 - 843.22	722.41
121C 4	Plate, Outside Skirt	16	11,688	979.00 - 1,110.70	1,054.58
121E 6	Plate, Outside Skirt, pld	5	2,526	1,200.01 - 1,525.00	1,477.40
4	Cap and Wedge Meat	24	97,260	426.00 - 480.00	453.78
4	Pectoral Meat	19	33,090	460.00 - 510.00	494.01

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

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Ground Beef 73%	13	122,056	339.00 - 373.15	345.84
Ground Beef 75%	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
Ground Beef 81%	27	241,043	354.00 - 389.00	375.07
Ground Beef 85%	14	92,949	404.50 - 438.83	418.15
Ground Beef 90%	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
Ground Beef 93%	6	42,087	495.00 - 549.50	528.69
Ground Beef Chuck	4	21,791	387.00 - 422.25	397.42
Ground Beef Round	3	9,708	435.00 - 442.46	435.87
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%	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
Blended Ground Beef 75%	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
Blended Ground Beef 81%			-	
Blended Ground Beef 85%			-	
Blended Ground Beef 90%			-	
Blended Ground Beef 93%	0	0	0.00 - 0.00	0.00
Blended Ground Beef Chuck			-	
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	16	393,690	142.00 - 154.00	147.40
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"