



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
9/8/2023	97.74	95.40	117.51	75.36	115.44	94.15	128.30
Change:	0.76	1.12	2.61	0.34	3.70	6.30	-10.36

Total Load Count (Cuts, Trimmings, Processed): 4,943.00

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

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

Loin	905.04 loads	36,201,572 pounds
Butt	587.59 loads	23,503,466 pounds
Picnic	241.43 loads	9,657,295 pounds
Rib	253.72 loads	10,148,724 pounds
Ham	1,080.07 loads	43,202,720 pounds
Belly	379.89 loads	15,195,436 pounds
Trimmings	977.62 loads	39,104,843 pounds
Variety	362.88 loads	14,515,103 pounds
Added Ingredients	89.55 loads	3,582,181 pounds
Export Break, 4/5 Rib	38.06 loads	1,522,546 pounds
Carcass	0.01 loads	360 pounds

Weekly Sow and Boar Only

Sow Total	4.83 loads
Boar Total	0.00 loads
Mixed Bar/Glt/Sow/Boar Total	65.01 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 \(PDF\)](#).