



Market Updates
Week of 12/4/17

- Poultry---** Chicken market is steady this week. Wings are lower again this week. Breast, Thighs and Tenders are all steady this week.
- Turkey---** Market is stable. Ask your sales rep about our Plainville all natural line of turkey and chicken products.
- Beef---** Good Supply but Holiday Demand is driving the market upward. Choice graded products are up, while Select graded is lower. Briskets and Rounds are slightly lower this week. Strips are steady. Ribs are up dramatically in Choice grades. Grinds are also down this week. Trim is lower and Tenders are up as well. The Peak in the holiday demand may have peaked.
- Pork----** The Pork market is steady in a strong market with high demand even with higher production. Bacon has moved higher this week. Trim and Loins are steady. Butts are steady. Hams are lower. Rib complex seems to be steady.
- Produce---** **WE ARE PROUD TO BE CARRYING PRODUCE FROM LOCAL FARMS WHEN ADVAIABLE**
Please check all produce at delivery. Check with your sales rep with further questions or concerns. West coast is still being affected by extreme heat and Gap issues, while the east coast is dealing with some Gap issues. **Greens---** All Leaf Lettuces are rebounding nicely, look for some steady pricing and good quality. *****Apples--** New York State Apples are looking strong with all selections. ****Asparagus--** out of Central America is looking better with some relief in pricing. ****Avocado** Getting better with lower Pricing. ****Peppers** are up due to Gap issues. ****Cabbage--** looking steady. ****Berry market--** Blackberries, and Blueberries are looking fair with high pricing. Raspberries are getting better. Strawberries out of Calif. Are showing some heat stress. With some Quality issues and higher prices ****Broccoli--** is lower ****Cauliflower--**is lower. ****Cucumbers--** are up due to heat stress *****Green beans-** are local with good value. ****Tomatoes--** are up this week. The forecast looks poor moving forward lower supply and some gap issues, look for some major issues in the next few week. Better value on Cherry, Grape and Roma Tomatoes. ****Potatoes** Quality is good but some higher pricing due to transportation issues ****Citrus--** Navels oranges are back! Better quality and pricing. ****Lemons** are looking higher. ****Limes** are still looking strong. ****Squash--** is looking steady. ****Melons-** are rebounding to a more stable market with lower pricing. ****Watermelons--** are steady ****Eggplant--** higher pricing, with quality issues. ****Onions--** seeing some higher pricing due to transportation issues. ****Grapes--** are steady ****Carrots-** are steady coming out of Calif. ****Celery--** is higher... ****Cilantro--** looking

better with better pricing. **Garlic— steady **Sweet corn—is looking good coming out of the southeast.... Brussels Sprouts —looking better with better quality, lower pricing!!!

Dairy/ cheese--The Market is down this week.

Butter is steady this week.

Heavy Cream and Half and Half is also down.

Grains/Flour---- We are seeing a steady Market.

Soy Market — Looks to be strong this week. Soy Futures are driving the market higher.

Sugar--- We are seeing a strong market in the Sugar futures do to the issues in Mexico once again. Look for some higher pricing.

Eggs— Egg market is up this week the outlook seems to be strong in to the near future as a result of smaller flocks. We could see over \$2 per dozen by the end of the year.

Non Foods-- We are seeing price increasing on all Aluminum, Pet Plastics and Glove products this week.

Seafood--- steady.

New Items:

#035564 Sausage Patty 2oz, "Deli-wide" Mild, Jones, 10#/cs

#025032 Greek Pastries, 6/11oz, Retail Pk, Kontos

#025034 Flat Bread Cocktail size, 12/5.2oz

**** Upcoming Catering Events?** Talk to you Cortland Produce Sales Representative for your Appetizing needs. We are now stocking a large selection of Party Appetizers from **Les Chateaux, Kontos**, and others .

**** Cortland Produce** will be looking to supply you with all your **Quality Fresh Sea Food** needs in the VERY near future. Please consult with your Sales Representative on what you needs are and look for more information shortly!

** Ask your Sales Representative about these new Manufactures Products Stocked

**** Marzetti Dressings****

**** Jones Dairy Farms****

**** Joseph's Gourmet Pasta's****

**Ask your Sales Representative for a current list of New items.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR BUSINESS AND CONTUNED LOYAL SUPPORT!

Ask your sales representative about our **"NEW"** ABF All Natural
PLAINVILLE and FREE BIRD, Turkey and Chicken lines.

We are now carrying a large selection of Pork Products from **"THE PIGGERY"**
Ask your sales representative for more information.