



Iowa Farm to School Local Purchase Report

Livestock, Poultry and Grain Market News

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All product published on this report is procured from growers and producers considered local to the state of Iowa and within 30 miles of the border. The data is cumulative for an August through July traditional school year.

	2023-2024	Prior Year 22-23
YTD Local Totals	\$502,266	\$471,123
YTD Local Fruit	\$39,978	\$47,550
YTD Local Vegetables	\$57,310	\$40,730
YTD Local Meat	\$167,381	\$106,450
YTD Local Dairy	\$157,484	\$161,985
YTD Local Miscellaneous	\$80,113	\$114,408

Fruit							
Product	Unit	Volume	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Prior Year Wtd Avg		
Apples	Bushel	562	36.00 - 60.00	47.55	44.14		
	Pound	816	1.00 - 2.50	2.02	2.62		
	Each	0			0.30		
	<i>Frozen, sliced</i>	Pound	0				
	<i>Cider</i>	Gallon	0				
Aronia Berries	Pound	0					
Melon							
<i>Cantaloupe</i>	Each	401	2.81 - 2.81	2.81	2.81		
<i>Cantaloupe</i>	Pound	1,960	0.68 - 1.37	1.00	0.33		
<i>Watermelon</i>	Each	1,074	5.00 - 10.00	7.59	6.05		
<i>Watermelon</i>	Pound	110	0.88 - 0.88	0.88	0.67		
Pears	Each	0					
	Bushel	6	45.00 - 45.00	45.00	36.86		

Vegetables						
Product	Unit	Volume	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Prior Year Wtd. Avg	
Asparagus	Pound	0				
Black Beans	Pound	0				
Green Beans	Pound	225	2.00 - 3.00	2.56	2.00	
Green Beans, Frzn	Pound	2,480	1.70 - 1.89	1.70	2.02	
Beets	Pound	276	1.28 - 2.91	2.07	1.29	
Beets, Frozen	Pound	0			1.99	
Broccoli	Pound	198	2.70 - 2.91	2.78	2.50	
Broccoli, frozen	Pound	0				
Carrots, fresh	Dozen	0				
	Pound	2,255	0.80 - 2.54	1.35	0.90	
	<i>Diced, frozen</i>	Pound	840	1.33 - 1.35	1.34	1.22
Cucumber	Bushel	9	38.00 - 38.00	38.00		
	Pound	2,145	0.80 - 2.65	1.69	1.34	

Eggplant	Pound	14	2.00	-	3.00	2.71	
Leafy Greens							
<i>Cabbage</i>	Pound	953	0.60	-	3.25	0.99	1.04
<i>Cabbage</i>	Head	105	3.00	-	3.25	3.14	
<i>Chard</i>	Pound	0					
<i>Kale</i>	Pound	0					
<i>Lettuce, blend</i>	Pound	1,086	4.50	-	7.81	5.96	4.80
Onions	Pound	3,293	0.56	-	1.59	0.79	0.55
	Each	10	1.25		1.25	1.25	
Potatoes							
<i>Red</i>	Pound	3,550	0.50	-	0.56	0.50	0.52
<i>Russet</i>	Pound	1,000	0.50	-	0.50	0.50	0.48
<i>Yellow</i>	Pound	0					0.50
<i>Yukon</i>	Pound	350	0.56	-	0.56	0.56	
<i>Sweet</i>	Pound	520	0.60	-	1.13	0.78	1.76
<i>for processing</i>	Pound	0					0.60
Peppers							
<i>All Peppers</i>	Bushel	9	30.00	-	55.00	49.44	
<i>All Peppers</i>	Pound	1,094	1.50	-	6.00	3.02	1.21
<i>All Peppers</i>	Each	0					
Radishes	Pound	274	1.00	-	2.20	1.76	2.20
Squash							
<i>Butternut</i>	Pound	615	0.67	-	1.89	1.34	0.86
<i>Butternut</i>	Bushel	0					
<i>Pumpkins</i>	Each	0					
<i>Zucchini</i>	Pound	1,020	1.00	-	1.06	1.04	0.96
<i>Zucchini</i>	Bushel	2	38.00	-	38.00	38.00	
<i>Yellow</i>	Pound	0					0.90
Sweet Corn	Dozen	20	6.00	-	6.00	6.00	
<i>Husked</i>	Dozen	0					6.25
<i>Kernels, frozen</i>	Pound	8,523	1.22	-	1.81	1.77	1.43
Tomatoes							
<i>For slicing</i>	Pound	891	2.00	-	3.60	2.80	1.19
<i>Cherry</i>	Pints	114	2.90	-	6.00	3.52	2.96
<i>Cherry</i>	Pound	680	3.20	-	5.00	3.95	3.61
<i>Grape</i>	Pound	648	4.45	-	4.45	4.45	
<i>Grape</i>	Pints	0					
<i>Red</i>	Pound	75	1.60	-	2.00	1.87	2.32
<i>Red</i>	Each	0					

Dairy

Product	Unit	Volume	Price Range		Wtd Avg	Prior Year Wtd. Avg	
Cottage Cheese	Pound	4,008	2.39	-	2.71	2.50	2.39
Cheese:							
<i>Cheddar, blocked</i>	Pound	502	6.27	-	7.20	7.01	7.16
<i>Cheddar, sliced</i>	Pound	240	7.50	-	7.50	7.50	6.86
<i>Curds</i>	Pound	1,604	3.65	-	5.20	4.77	4.34
<i>Curds,flavored</i>	Pound	110	4.79	-	6.77	5.12	4.17
<i>Curds,battered</i>	Pound	1,844	6.00	-	6.15	6.01	4.99
<i>Cream</i>	Pound	4,515	2.75	-	4.50	2.99	2.80
Cream	Gallon	50	20.00	-	22.50	20.50	20.00

Milk	Gallon	1,499	3.25	-	5.31	4.19	4.05
Milk	1/2 Gallon	98	2.32	-	2.85	2.67	2.67
Milk	5 Gallon	1,404	14.84	-	19.75	18.24	18.27
Milk	Pint	5,477	1.00	-	1.12	1.11	1.05
Salted Butter	Pound	1,255	4.28	-	7.00	5.09	4.17
Ice Cream	Gallon	228	14.25	-	15.33	15.17	14.31
Ice Cream Bar	Each	0					2.15
Vanilla, soft serve	Gallon	0					6.80
Choc, soft serve	Gallon	0					8.39
Yogurt:							
<i>Bulk</i>	Pound	9,350	1.35	-	1.88	1.52	1.54
<i>Greek, bulk</i>	Pound	2,820	1.50	-	2.00	1.60	1.59
<i>6 ounces</i>	Cup	252	0.94	-	1.14	1.12	0.96
<i>5 ounces</i>	Cup	7,152	0.45	-	1.56	1.41	1.54
<i>4 ounces</i>	Cup	8,496	0.56	-	0.83	0.66	0.52
<i>Greek, 6 ounce</i>	Cup	708	1.14	-	1.14	1.14	1.14
<i>Frozen - 5 ounce</i>	Cup	12,384	1.50	-	1.56	1.53	1.51
<i>Frozen</i>	Gallon	377	12.50	-	15.83	13.65	13.86

Meat

<u>Product</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Volume</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Prior Year Wtd. Avg</u>
Beef					
<i>Whole</i>	Pound	0			
<i>Ground</i>	Pound	13,800	5.21 - 7.00	6.97	6.25
<i>Patties</i>	Pound	8,827	5.00 - 10.00	8.04	6.96
Chicken					
<i>Whole</i>	Pound	0			2.68
Pork					
<i>Whole</i>	Pound	0			
<i>Butt</i>	Pound	0			2.79
<i>Ground</i>	Pound	25	5.50 - 5.50	5.50	
<i>Burgers</i>	Pound	0			
<i>Loin</i>	Pound	0			
<i>Picnic Shldr</i>	Pound	0			2.26
<i>Buffet Ham</i>	Pound	0			4.26
<i>Ham, Bnls</i>	Pound	0			
<i>Bacon</i>	Pound	5	10.50 - 10.50	10.50	
<i>Sausage bulk</i>	Pound	0			3.09
Turkey					
<i>Whole</i>	Pound	0			
<i>Breast</i>	Pound	0			
<i>Thighs</i>	Pound	0			2.86

Miscellaneous

<u>Product</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Volume</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Prior Year Wtd. Avg</u>
Basil	Pound	0			
Cilantro	Pound	0			9.00
Parsley	Pound	0			
Tofu, Firm	Pound	1,081	3.37 - 4.90	3.38	2.59
Honey	Pound	1,877	3.20 - 7.20	4.14	4.04
	32 oz bottle	0			7.45
Maple Syrup	Gallon	6	70.00 - 75.00	73.33	71.69

Eggs

<i>Shell-Large</i>	Dozen	1,382	2.93	-	5.75	3.78	2.86
<i>Organic-Large</i>	Dozen	0					
<i>Shell-Medium</i>	Dozen	1,380	2.13	-	2.13	2.13	2.10
<i>Liquid</i>	Pound	15,080	2.40	-	2.40	2.40	2.05

*YTD may be updated retroactively as more sales are reported.

**Uncategorized items will still be included in YTD.

For more information regarding Iowa Farm to School visit: <http://www.iowaagriculture.gov/AgDiversification/FarmToSchoolProgram.asp>

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