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2008 Year-End Organic Price Report
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Product	Unit	MAY (21 Farms Reporting)				JUNE (25 Farms)				JULY (23 Farms)				AUGUST (26 Farms)				SEPTEMBER (29 Farms)				OCTOBER (34 Farms)			
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FRUITS																									
Apples																									
McIntosh, Fancy	lb																	2	1.00	1.40	1.20				
McIntosh, Utility	lb																	1			0.60				
All Others,Fancy	lb																	2	1.00	1.40	1.20				
All Others,Utility	lb																	3	0.60	2.00	1.53				
Apple Cider	1/2 gal																	2	3.50	5.00	4.25	1			4.00
Blackberries	pint									2	4.00	6.00	5.00	2	4.00	4.50	4.25								
Blueberries	pint									4	3.00	5.50	4.00	4	3.00	4.00	3.63	4	3.00	4.00	3.75				
Blueberries	lb	2	3.00	4.00	3.50	1			3.00	1			3.00	2	3.00	5.00	4.00	1			4.00	1		4.20 *frozen*	
Cantaloupe	lb													2	1.00	1.25	1.13	1			1.25				
Pie Cherries	qt									1			5.00												
Cranberries	lb	1		3.50 *frozen*		1		3.50 *frozen*										1			3.00				
Grapes	lb																	4	3.75	4.00	3.94	1			3.00
Kiwi	pt																	1			3.50				
Melons	lb													3	1.00	1.25	1.08	3	1.00	1.50	1.25				
Peaches	lb																	1			3.00				
Pears	lb																	1			2.00				
Plums	lb																	1			2.50				
Raspberries	pint									1			6.00	2	4.00	5.00	4.50	1			5.00				
Rhubarb	lb	2	2.50	2.75	2.63	5	2.50	3.00	2.75																
Strawberries	qt					2	5.75	5.75	5.75																
Strawberries	lb									1			4.00	1			4.00								
Walnuts, in shell	pt																					1			1.50
Watermelon	lb													3	0.60	1.00	0.82	3	0.85	1.25	1.12				
VEGETABLES																									
Artichokes	lb													1			8.00								
Arugula	lb	7	8.00	16.00	11.43	7	8.00	16.00	12.29					2	10.00	16.00	13.00	5	8.00	16.00	11.00	3	10.00	16.00	12.33
Asparagus	lb	3	6.00	6.00	6.00	3	6.00	6.00	6.00																
Beans, Green	lb									9	2.00	4.00	2.86	12	2.50	3.50	2.90	6	2.50	4.50	3.17				
Beans, Yellow	lb									2	2.50	3.00	2.75	5	2.50	3.00	2.82	2	2.50	3.00	2.75				
Beans, Filet	lb									1			4.00	2	4.00	4.00	4.00								
Beans, Soy/Edamam	lb																	1			4.00				
Beans, Dry	lb													1			2.00	1			3.00				
Beets	lb					2	2.50	2.75	2.63	6	1.00	3.00	2.25	6	1.59	3.50	2.35	8	1.00	3.00	2.13	5	2.00	2.50	2.20
Bok Choy	lb	2	1.75	2.00	1.88	1			8.00	1			3.00	3	2.00	2.25	2.08								
Broccoli	lb					4	1.50	4.00	2.50	4	2.50	3.50	3.00	1			2.93	7	2.50	4.00	3.21	3	2.50	4.00	3.17
Brussels Sprouts	lb													1			2.00	2	4.00	5.00	4.50	1			3.50
Cabbage, Green	lb					1			2.00	3	1.00	2.00	1.50	4	1.00	2.00	1.60	5	1.00	1.50	1.18	3	1.00	2.00	1.42
Cabbage, Red	lb									2	1.50	2.00	1.75	4	0.69	2.00	1.42	6	1.00	2.50	1.57	2	1.00	1.25	1.13
Cabbage, Chinese	lb									3	1.00	2.50	1.83	2	2.00	2.00	2.00								
Carrots, Fresh	bun					3	1.75	2.75	2.17	4	1.75	2.50	2.06	7	1.50	2.50	2.04	4	1.75	2.50	2.06	3	1.75	2.50	2.08

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Carrots, Storage	lb									4	1.00	2.50	2.00	4	2.00	3.00	2.38	7	1.00	3.00	1.98	5	2.00	2.50	2.10
Cauliflower	lb									2	2.50	3.00	2.75	4	2.50	3.50	3.00	6	2.00	3.50	2.83	2	2.50	3.00	2.75
Celeriac	lb													1			2.00	2	2.00	2.00	2.00				
Celery	bun									2	1.50	4.00	2.75	5	1.50	4.00	2.70	3	1.50	2.00	1.67	2	1.50	3.00	2.25
Chard	bun	2	2.00	3.00	2.50	7	2.00	2.75	2.29	9	2.00	4.00	2.42	14	1.25	4.00	2.33	6	2.00	2.75	2.25	7	2.00	4.00	2.50
Collards	bun	1			2.25					2	2.25	4.00	3.13	2	2.25	4.00	3.13	1			4.00	1			2.75
Sweet Corn	doz									3	5.00	9.00	6.67	5	3.99	7.20	5.84	4	3.50	6.00	5.38				
Cucumbers, Pickling	lb									4	1.00	2.20	1.55	7	1.00	2.00	1.66	7	1.00	3.00	1.91				
Cucumbers, Slicing	ea					1			1.50	7	0.33	1.00	0.62	9	0.25	0.75	0.54	4	0.50	0.95	0.74				
Endive	lb									1			3.00	1			1.00								
Eggplant	lb					1			4.00	3	2.75	4.00	3.42	7	2.75	4.00	3.32	8	2.75	4.00	3.28				
Fennel	ea									3	2.00	3.00	2.50	3	2.00	4.00	3.00	1			1.50				
Greens, Beet	lb	2	4.00	6.00	5.00	6	3.00	8.00	4.92	3	3.00	4.00	3.50					1			3.00	1			4.00
Greens, Braising	lb					2	6.00	7.00	6.50	2	5.00	8.00	6.50	1	6.00	6.00	6.00								
Greens, Dandelion	lb																	1			3.00				
Greens, Field Pea	lb																	1			16.00				
Greens, Mustard	lb					2	8.00	8.00	8.00	3	4.50	8.00	5.83	1			6.00								
Greens, Sorrel	lb					1			16.00																
Greens, Turnip	lb									1			1.75												
Kale	bun	2	1.75	2.25	2.00	8	1.75	3.00	2.25	7	1.00	4.00	2.21	1			2.35	1			2.30	7	1.75	4.00	2.46
Kohlrabi	lb									2	1.00	2.00	1.50					1			1.50				
Leeks	lb									2	3.00	8.00	5.50	3	2.00	3.00	2.50	8	2.00	3.00	2.71	4	2.00	3.00	2.44
Lettuce Mix	lb	3	6.00	9.00	7.67	5	4.00	9.00	7.60	4	2.25	8.00	5.56	3	6.00	10.00	8.00	3	6.00	9.00	7.67	2	8.00	8.00	8.00
Lettuce, Leaf	Head	1			2.50	7	1.50	2.50	2.14	6	1.20	2.25	1.83	8	1.50	3.00	2.25	6	1.50	2.50	2.04	4	2.25	2.50	2.31
Lettuce, Romaine	Head	4	1.50	2.50	2.19	2	2.25	2.50	2.38	5	1.30	2.00	1.76	2	2.00	2.25	2.13	3	1.50	2.50	2.08	2	2.25	2.25	2.25
Mesclun Mix	lb	7	7.25	16.00	9.89	8	6.00	18.00	11.09	5	6.00	12.00	8.20	3	9.00	12.00	10.33	4	8.00	10.00	9.00	2	10.00	11.00	10.50
Onions, Bunching	lb									3	1.75	2.00	1.92	6	1.50	2.75	2.04	1			2.00	2	2.00	2.50	2.25
Onions, Storage	lb									3	1.50	2.50	1.83	5	1.60	2.00	1.87	13	1.20	2.00	1.72	4	1.75	2.00	1.94
Peas, Shell	lb					4	2.50	4.00	3.38	4	3.00	5.00	3.69	1			3.00								
Peas, Snow	lb					4	3.00	4.00	3.63	3	3.00	5.00	4.00	1			5.00								
Peas, Snap	lb					6	3.00	5.25	4.04	4	3.00	5.25	4.31												
Parsnip	lb																	2	1.75	2.00	1.88	2	1.75	3.00	2.38
Peppers, Green	lb									5	2.00	3.00	2.65	5	2.25	4.00	3.19	1			3.20	3	2.25	5.00	3.42
Peppers, Red	lb									3	3.00	5.00	3.75	5	3.25	6.00	4.64	8	3.00	4.50	3.78	2	3.25	5.00	4.13
Peppers, Hot	ea									5	0.25	0.50	0.33	7	0.25	0.50	0.33	11	0.10	0.50	0.30	3	0.25	0.30	0.27
Potatoes, Fingerling	lb									2	3.00	3.00	3.00	5	3.00	4.00	3.40	7	2.00	4.00	2.86	2	3.00	3.00	3.00
Potatoes, New	lb									8	2.00	3.00	2.31	7	2.00	3.00	2.29	3	2.00	2.50	2.17	2	2.00	2.50	2.25
Potatoes, Red	lb									1			2.00	3	2.00	2.00	2.00	6	0.75	2.00	1.42	2	2.00	2.00	2.00
Potatoes, White	lb									1			2.00	1			2.00	3	0.75	2.00	1.42	2	2.00	2.00	2.00
Potatoes, Yukon Gold	lb													3	2.00	3.00	2.33	6	1.50	3.00	1.92	2	2.00	2.00	2.00
Pumpkins, Pie	lb													1			1.50	5	0.50	1.50	0.95	3	1.00	1.50	1.17
Pumpkins, Decorative	lb																	2	0.60	0.65	0.63				
Radicchio	lb									1			3.00					1			3.00				
Radishes	bun	3	1.50	2.50	1.83	9	1.00	3.00	1.78									5	1.50	3.00	2.10	1			2.50
Rutabaga	lb																	1			2.00	1			1.00
Scallions	bun					6	1.25	2.00	1.75	6	1.25	2.25	1.79	4	1.00	2.00	1.56	2	1.00	1.75	1.38				
Shallots	lb													1			6.95	6	5.00	8.00	6.41	1			5.00
Spinach	lb	7	5.00	9.00	7.36	8	4.00	16.00	8.63	1			8.00					4	6.00	9.00	7.75	3	8.00	8.00	8.00
Squash, Winter																									
Acorn	lb													1			1.00	9	1.00	1.65	1.25	3	1.00	1.00	1.00
Blue Hubbard	lb													1			1.00	3	0.80	1.65	1.32	1			1.00
Buttercup	lb													1			1.00	8	1.00	1.65	1.25	4	1.00	1.50	1.13

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Butternut	lb													1			1.00	9	1.00	1.65	1.25	5	1.00	1.50	1.20
Delicata/S. Dumpl./Carnival	lb													3	0.60	2.00	1.37	12	1.00	2.00	1.53	5	1.00	2.00	1.40
Red Kuri	lb													2	1.00	1.50	1.25	7	1.00	1.65	1.36	1			1.00
Spaghetti	lb													2	0.70	1.00	0.85	4	1.00	1.65	1.38				
Sunshine	lb													2	1.00	1.50	1.25	5	1.00	1.65	1.33	1			1.00
Squash, Summer																									
Patty Pan	lb									2	1.50	2.00	1.75	3	1.50	3.00	2.17	3	1.00	2.00	1.62				
Summer	lb					1			3.00	5	1.50	3.00	1.92	9	0.70	3.00	2.15	6	1.00	3.00	2.14				
Zucchini	lb									6	1.50	3.00	1.98	8	1.29	3.00	1.99	4	1.50	3.00	2.21				
Sunchokes	lb													1			2.99								
Tomatillos	lb																	5	2.00	3.00	2.70				
Tomatoes	lb					1			4.25	5	3.00	4.00	3.30	12	2.00	4.00	2.92	15	2.00	4.00	2.90	5	3.00	4.00	3.20
Tomatoes, Cherry	pint									4	3.00	4.50	3.63	12	2.99	4.00	3.42	11	3.00	4.00	3.27	2	3.00	3.50	3.25
Turnip, Salad	bun	1			1.50	2	2.00	3.00	2.50	2	2.00	3.00	2.50	3	1.19	2.00	1.73	1			3.00	2	2.00	3.00	2.50
Turnip, Storage	lb																					1			1.50
HERBS	*bunch = 4oz*																								
Basil	bun	1			2.00	2	2.00	2.00	2.00	7	1.00	4.00	2.14	13	1.50	3.00	2.26	8	2.00	2.50	2.13	2	2.00	2.50	2.25
Chervil	bun													1			2.00								
Cilantro	bun					4	1.50	2.00	1.81	6	1.30	2.00	1.76	8	1.50	2.19	1.81	5	1.50	2.00	1.85	3	1.75	2.00	1.92
Chives	bun					1			2.00	2	1.00	1.30	1.15	2	2.00	2.19	2.10								
Dill	bun					3	1.50	2.00	1.75	5	1.30	2.00	1.71	7	1.50	2.19	1.78	3	1.50	2.00	1.75	2	1.75	2.00	1.88
Edible Flowers	bun									1			4.00	2	4.00	5.00	4.50					1			3.25
Garlic, Bulbs	lb									2	8.00	8.00	8.00	8	6.00	10.00	7.49	9	6.00	10.00	8.72	3	6.00	10.00	8.00
Garlic, Scapes	bun					3	1.50	2.00	1.75	3	1.00	2.00	1.58												
Horseradish	lb					1			4.00					1			4.00	1			4.00				
Lovage	bun					1			2.00					1			2.00								
Mint	bun	1			1.50	3	1.50	2.00	1.83	1			1.50	3	1.50	2.19	1.90	3	1.50	2.00	1.83	2	1.50	3.50	2.50
Oregano	bun	1			1.50	3	1.50	2.00	1.83	1			1.50	3	1.50	2.19	1.90	2	1.50	2.00	1.75				
Parsley	bun	1			1.75	2	1.75	2.00	1.88	8	1.00	2.00	1.56	1			1.89	8	1.50	3.00	2.03	3	1.75	2.00	1.92
Rosemary	bun													1			2.19								
Sage	bun	1			1.00	3	1.00	2.00	1.67	3	1.00	4.00	2.10	4	1.00	2.19	1.80	3	1.00	5.00	2.67				
Savory	bun					1			2.00																
Tarragon	bun					1			2.00	2	1.30	4.00	2.65	2	2.00	2.00	2.00	1			2.00				
Thyme	bun					2	2.00	2.00	2.00	2	1.30	4.00	2.65	2	2.00	2.19	2.10	1			2.00				
MISCELLANEOUS																									
Cut Flowers																									
Sunflowers	per stem													2	0.50	1.00	0.75	2	0.50	1.00	0.75				
Zinnias	per stem													1			0.40	2	0.33	0.60	0.47				
Large Bunch	2-3 stems									1			7.00	1			8.00	2	7.00	7.00	7.00				
Small Bunch	abt 1 stems									2	4.00	7.00	5.50	2	3.00	4.00	3.50	3	4.00	8.00	5.67				
Decorative Corn	bunch of 3																	1			2.00				
Dried Flowers	bunch of 10																	5	3.95	6.50	5.39				
Gourds	each																	4	0.50	0.75	0.60				
Hay	40# bale																	1			4.75	2	4.00	4.75	4.38
Hay, Mulch	40# bale																	1			2.50	1			2.50
Hay, in field	40# bale																	1			4.25	1			4.25
Haylage	800# wrapped bale																					1			45.00
Seedlings																									
Annual	6-pack	2	3.50	3.50	3.50	3	3.00	4.00	3.33																
Annual	each	1			3.00	2	1.50	3.00	2.25																
Perennial	each					1			3.50	1			7.00												
Seed Garlic	lb																	1			10.00				

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NO GRAIN PRICES REPORTED																									
DAIRY																									
Cow																									
Butter	lb																					1			7.00
Cheese	lb																					1			12.00
Cream	pint																					2	2.75	2.90	2.83
Milk	gal	1			8.00	1			5.50	1			5.50	1			5.50	1			5.50	5	4.50	7.00	5.40
Milk	1/2 gal	1			5.55					1			2.75	1			2.75	1			2.75	4	2.00	3.50	2.78
Yogurt	qt																					2	4.00	5.00	4.50
Ice Cream	pt																					1			4.00
Goat																									
Soft Cheese	lb																					1			20.36
Hard Cheese	lb																					1			20.00
Yogurt	pt																					1			6.50
MEAT & EGGS		*"Whole" and "Half" prices are based on hanging weight (head, hide and guts removed) and DO NOT include buntcher fees (cutting & wrapping)*																							
Eggs	doz	1			5.00									2	4.00	4.50	4.25					9	3.50	5.00	4.06
Eggs, duck	doz																					1			3.00
Beef																									
Whole	lb									1			3.95	1			2.80					5	2.25	4.00	3.30
Half	lb									1			3.95	1			2.90					4	2.90	4.50	3.84
Ground	lb					1			5.00	1			5.50	2	4.10	5.00	4.55	1			5.00	9	4.00	7.00	5.32
Stew	lb					1			6.00	1			6.00	1			6.00	1			6.00	7	4.00	7.00	5.68
Roasts	lb																	1			6.00	7	4.00	9.00	6.36
Ribs	lb																	1			8.00	3	4.00	8.00	5.76
Organ Meats	lb													1			3.00	1			3.00	4	3.00	4.00	3.31
Beef Steaks																									
Sirloin	lb					1			11.00	1			11.00	2	7.99	11.00	9.50	1			11.00	7	7.50	16.00	11.50
T-bone/Porterhouse	lb																					5	10.00	17.00	13.90
Ribeye	lb									1			15.00	1			11.99	1			13.00	7	10.00	19.99	14.43
Tenderloin	lb					1			15.00					2	15.00	15.99	15.50	1			15.00	6	10.00	18.00	15.17
London Broil	lb																					4	4.00	7.90	6.23
Top Round	lb																					4	4.00	7.49	5.87
Chuck	lb																					5	4.00	6.49	5.55
Veal																									
Whole	lb																					2	6.00	6.50	6.25
Half	lb																					2	6.00	6.50	6.25
Ground	lb																					2	5.00	12.00	8.50
Roast	lb																					1			13.00
Chops	lb																					2	9.00	18.00	13.50
Cutlets	lb																					2	12.00	22.00	17.00
Tenderloin	lb																					2	18.00	24.00	21.00
Ribs	lb																					1			18.00
Sausage	lb																					1			9.00
Lamb																									
Whole	lb													2	4.00	6.00	5.00					3	3.50	5.00	4.17
Half	lb													1			4.00					1			5.00
Ground	lb													2	5.00	6.00	5.50					3	6.00	7.00	6.37
Stew	lb													1			5.00					3	5.00	8.00	6.37
Chops	lb													2	12.00	12.00	12.00					3	12.00	14.00	13.27
Leg (bone-in)	lb													2	6.00	10.00	8.00					3	6.00	7.45	6.82
Shoulder (boneless)	lb													1			6.00					3	6.45	8.00	7.15

		MAY (21 Farms Reporting)				JUNE (25 Farms)				JULY (23 Farms)				AUGUST (26 Farms)				SEPTEMBER (29 Farms)				OCTOBER (34 Farms)			
Product	Unit	# of Farms	Low	High	Ave.	# of Farms	Low	High	Ave.	# of Farms	Low	High	Ave.	# of Farms	Low	High	Ave.	# of Farms	Low	High	Ave.	# of Farms	Low	High	Ave.
Rack/Ribs	lb													1			4.00					3	4.35	14.00	7.78
Sausage	lb													2	5.50	8.00	6.75								
Shank	lb													1			4.00					3	4.55	7.00	5.52
Organ Meats	lb													2	4.00	4.00	4.00					2	2.80	4.00	3.40
Mutton	lb													1			6.50								
Goat																									
Whole	lb																					1			6.00
Ground	lb													1			6.50					1			10.00
Stew	lb													1			6.50					1			6.50
Chops	lb																					1			14.00
Leg/Roast	lb																					1			8.00
Rack/Ribs	lb																					1			12.00
Pork																									
Whole	lb					1			4.50	1			4.50	1			3.50	1			3.50	5	2.70	4.50	3.49
Half	lb	1			4.50	1			4.50	1			4.50	1			3.50	1			3.50	5	2.70	4.50	3.59
Ground	lb													3	6.50	10.00	8.33					6	6.00	10.00	7.33
Chops	lb					1			9.00					3	8.00	14.50	10.83	1			9.00	7	8.00	14.50	10.64
Loin Roast	lb													2	10.00	11.50	10.75					6	8.00	11.50	9.67
Spare Ribs	lb													2	8.00	9.50	8.75					6	5.00	9.50	7.83
Country Ribs	lb					1			8.00					1			7.00					6	7.00	10.50	8.67
Bacon	lb													3	10.00	12.00	11.17					7	6.50	12.00	10.21
Sausage	lb													3	6.50	10.00	8.67					7	6.00	10.00	7.93
Fresh Ham	lb																					3	6.00	8.00	7.17
Smoked Ham	lb					1			8.00					3	7.00	11.50	9.50					7	7.00	11.50	8.82
Ham Steak	lb					1			8.00					3	7.00	11.50	9.83					6	6.50	11.50	9.04
Tenderloin	lb													2	14.00	14.50	14.25					6	12.00	18.00	14.58
Organ Meats	lb													2	3.00	3.50	3.25					4	3.00	3.50	3.13
Chicken																									
Whole	lb					1			4.00	1			4.00	3	3.80	4.00	3.93	1			4.00	8	3.75	4.00	3.94
Half	lb					1			4.25	1			4.25	1			4.25	1			4.25	1			4.25
Breast, Boneless	lb					1			9.00	1			9.00	1			9.00	1			9.00	1			9.00
Leg Quarter	lb					1			4.25	1			4.25	1			4.25	1			4.25	1			4.25
Drumstick	lb									1			4.25	1			4.25	1			4.25	1			4.00
Thigh	lb									1			4.25	1			4.25	1			4.25	1			4.25
Wing	lb					1			4.00	1			4.00	1			4.25	1			4.25	1			4.00
Turkey, Whole	lb																					6	3.20	4.25	3.78