



# Maine Organic Farmers and Gardeners Association

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## June 2012 Organic Price Report

22 MOFGA Certified Organic Farms Reporting

PYO Price Data	Number of Farms	Low	High	Average
Strawberries (lb)	2	2.30	2.75	2.53

Product	Unit(Retail/Wholesale)	Retail Price Data			
		# of Farms	Low	High	Average

Wholesale Price Data			
# of Farms	Low	High	Average

### Fruits

Blueberries, <i>anticipated 2012 harvest</i>	qt				
	lb				
Cranberries, frozen	lb				
Rhubarb	lb	3	2.50	4.00	3.33
Strawberries	qt	3	5.00	7.95	6.48

	1			5.35
	1			3.40
	1			4.50
	2	0.90	3.00	1.95

### Vegetables

Arugula	lb	5	9.00	16.00	12.70
Asparagus	lb				
Beets, Fresh (w/greens)	bun	1			3.00
Bok Choy	lb				
Bok Choy	ea	2	2.00	2.00	2.00
Bok Choy, baby	lb	1			10.00
Broccoli	lb	3	4.00	6.00	4.67
Broccoli Raab	bun	1			3.75
Cabbage, Green	lb	1			2.00
Cabbage, Chinese/Napa	lb	1			2.50
Cabbage, Chinese/Napa	hd	1			2.00
Carrots, Fresh	bun	4	2.00	3.00	2.63
Carrots, Storage	lb	1			1.00
Cauliflower	lb	2	3.00	4.00	3.50
Celery	1 lb head	1			2.00
Chard	bun	5	2.00	3.00	2.50
Chard	lb				
Collards	bun	2	2.00	3.00	2.50
Cucumbers (pickling or slicing)	lb	2	3.00	3.00	3.00
Cucumbers, Slicing	ea	2	1.00	1.50	1.25
Endive/Frisee/Escarole	hd	1			3.00
Greens, Asian (Tatsoi/Mizuna)	bun	1			2.00
Greens, Beet	lb	1			3.00
Greens, Beet	bun	3	2.50	3.00	2.83
Greens, Cress	lb	1			10.00
Greens, Mustard	bun	1			2.00
Kale	bun	5	2.50	3.00	2.80
Kale, baby	lb	2	5.00	8.00	6.50
Kohlrabi	ea	1			1.00
Lettuce Mix	lb	7	6.00	12.00	8.71
Lettuce, head	Head/Case of 12	7	1.50	3.00	2.54

	2	8.00	12.00	10.00
	1			5.00
	1			2.00
	1			1.50
	1			2.00
	1			1.50
	3	2.00	2.25	2.08
	1			3.85
	1			2.50
	1			1.50
	2	2.00	2.25	2.13
	2	1.75	3.85	2.80
	2	7.50	8.00	7.75
	2	18.00	24.00	21.00

Product	Unit(Retail/ Wholesale)	Retail Price Data				Wholesale Price Data			
		# of Farms	Low	High	Average	# of Farms	Low	High	Average
Mesclun/Baby Salad Mix	lb	6	8.00	16.00	10.92	3	1.75	12.00	7.25
Onions, Bunching	bun	1			2.00				
Peas, Shell	lb	2	4.00	4.50	4.25				
Peas, Snow	lb	1			4.00				
Peas, Snap	lb	1			4.00				
Potatoes, Carola 2011 Harvest	5# bag	1			8.00				
Radishes	bun	5	2.00	2.00	2.00				
Scallions	bun	4	2.00	2.50	2.13				
Shallots	lb	1			6.00				
Spinach	lb	5	7.00	10.00	8.60	2	6.00	7.00	6.50
Spinach, baby	lb	1			16.00	2	1.75	8.50	*see note below
Tomatoes	lb	1			3.00	2	2.50	3.00	2.75
Tomatoes, Cherry	pint	1			3.00	1			2.50
Tomatoes, Cherry	lb					1			4.00
Turnip, Salad	bun	3	2.50	3.00	2.67				
Zucchini	lb	1			3.00	2	2.50	3.25	2.88

\*the wide variance in the wholesale baby spinach price reflects very different scales of operation and therefore types of wholesale accounts for the two farms reporting the prices. Always keep this in mind when using price report data!

### Herbs *bunch = 2 - 3 oz*

Product	Unit	# of Farms	Low	High	Average	# of Farms	Low	High	Average
Basil	bun	3	1.00	2.00	1.67	1			1.50
Basil	lb	2	10.00	18.00	14.00	3	8.00	13.60	10.87
Cilantro	bun	3	1.00	2.00	1.58				
Cilantro	lb	1			10.00				
Chives	bun	2	1.00	2.00	1.50				
Chives	lb	1			10.00				
Dill	bun	2	1.75	2.00	1.88				
Garlic, Bulbs	lb	1			10.00				
Garlic, Scapes	bun	2	2.00	2.00	2.00				
Garlic, Scapes	lb	2	6.00	6.00	6.00	3	2.50	5.00	3.83
Mint	bun	4	1.00	2.00	1.75				
Mint	lb	1			10.00				
Oregano	bun	4	1.75	2.00	1.94				
Parsley	bun	5	1.00	2.00	1.75	1			1.25
Parsley	lb	1			10.00	1			10.00
Sage	bun	2	1.00	1.00	1.00				
Sage	lb	1			10.00				
Tarragon	bun	1			2.00				
Thyme	bun	1			1.00				
Thyme	lb	1			10.00				

### Miscellaneous

Product	Unit	# of Farms	Low	High	Average	# of Farms	Low	High	Average
<b>Cut Flowers</b>									
Large Stem (Sunf., Amaranth)	per stem	1			2.00				
Small Bunch	abt 10 stems	1			5.00				
Hay	40# square bale	2	4.00	5.00	4.50				
Hay, in field	40# square bale	1			3.50				
Haylage	800# wrapped bale	1			55.00				
<b>Seedlings</b>									
Veg/Flower Annual	6-pack	3	3.00	6.00	4.33				
Annual	3"-4" pot	5	2.00	4.00	2.55	1			3.50
Perennial	3"-4" pot	3	3.00	5.00	4.17	1			2.00
Perennial	5"-8" pot	2	5.00	8.00	6.50	1			3.25
Seed Potatoes	lb	1			1.00				
<b>Grains</b>									
Wheat, Food (Ground)	lb	1			1.67	1			1.00

Product	Unit(Retail/ Wholesale)	Retail Price Data				Wholesale Price Data			
		# of Farms	Low	High	Average	# of Farms	Low	High	Average
<i>"Whole" and "Half" prices are based on hanging weight (head, hide and guts removed) and DO NOT include butcher fees (cutting &amp; wrapping)</i>									
<b>Meat &amp; Eggs</b>									
Eggs	doz	4	4.75	6.50	5.31	3	3.75	4.50	4.00
Eggs, duck	doz	1			3.00	1			3.00
<b>Beef</b>									
Ground	lb	1			5.00				
Stew	lb	1			6.00				
Organ Meats	lb	1			4.00				
<b>Beef Steaks</b>									
Sirloin	lb	1			14.00				
T-bone/Porterhouse	lb	1			14.00				
Ribeye	lb	1			12.00				
Tenderloin	lb	1			18.00				
<b>Lamb</b>									
Ground	lb	1			7.00				
Stew	lb	1			7.00				
Loin Chops	lb	1			13.00				
Leg (bone-in)	lb	1			7.00				
Leg (boneless)	lb	1			9.00				
Shoulder (boneless)	lb	1			8.00				
Rack/Ribs	lb	1			6.00				
Sausage	lb	1			8.00				
Shank	lb	1			9.00				
Heart/Tongue	lb	1			2.00				
Liver	lb	1			3.00				
<b>Pork</b>									
Half	lb	1			3.25				
Boneless Chops	lb	1			14.00				
Baby Back Ribs	lb	1			6.00				
Spare Ribs	lb	1			5.00				
Bacon	lb	1			14.00	1			9.00
Cased Sausage	lb	1			12.50	1			9.50
Tenderloin	lb	1			18.00				
Leaf Lard	lb					1			1.50
<b>Chicken</b>									
Whole	lb	2	4.25	4.95	4.60				
Breast, Bone-in	lb	1			8.95				
Breast, Boneless	lb	1			11.95				
Leg Quarter	lb	1			5.25				
Wing	lb	1			4.00				
Livers	lb	1			4.50				
<b>Turkey</b>									
Whole	lb	1			4.00				