

# PORK MARKET METHODOLOGY NOTICE

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Urner Barry regularly solicits feedback from stakeholders to ensure that our coverage reflects current trading conditions and practices. To improve market transparency and to provide stakeholders meaningful information, Urner Barry is requesting feedback on the following proposed changes to its Pork reporting methodology:

The following is a list of quotes to be **ADDED** to the UB Pork Report. These items are regularly tracked by the industry and consistently trade with the volume necessary to produce a reliable quotation.

| <i>Item</i>  | <i>Reason</i>  |
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| UB Pork Ribs - Loin Back Ribs 2.00/up 1 PC VAC, Frozen | The frozen counterpart to CC 269. A popular form for heavy back ribs with plenty of weekly volume. Aligns with USDA CC 11636 |
| UB Pork Loin - 1/4 Trimmed Loin Combo                  | Common form of 1/4" loins with consistent volume. We currently only quote boxed loins. Aligns with USDA CC 11608.            |

The following is a list of quotes to be **REMOVED** from the UB Pork Report. These items have long histories of exceedingly light or non-existent spot market activity and thus producing an accurate and robust quotation is often difficult or impossible.

| <i>Item</i>   | <i>COMCODE (TL/LTL)</i> |
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| UB Pork Ribs - Loin Back Ribs 1.50/dn - (LTL)         | 265                     |
| UB Pork Ribs - Loin Back Ribs 1.75/dn - (LTL)         | 277                     |
| UB Pork Ribs - Loin Back Ribs 2.00/dn - (LTL)         | 267                     |
| UB Pork Loin - Whole Boneless Strap-on - (TL)         | 14294/14297             |
| UB Pork Loin - Butt Tender - (LTL)                    | 14296/14299             |
| Pork Sausage Materials (TL) - Trim (85%) Fresh        | 280/1556                |
| Pork Sausage Materials (TL) - Trim (85%) Frozen       | 281/1557                |
| Pork Sausage Materials (TL) - Fat w/Trace Lean Fresh  | 1572/1573               |
| Pork Sausage Materials (TL) - Fat w/Trace Lean Frozen | 1574/1575               |
| Retail Pork Cuts (LTL) - 72% Ground Pork              | 2222                    |
| Retail Pork Cuts (LTL) - 81% Ground Pork              | 2223                    |

Following the review period, the Urner Barry Pork Market Methodology document will be updated to include the definitions for the new items and will have those of the removed items omitted.

Stakeholders can comment on the proposed changes during a comment period which will take place from November 4, 2022, to November 30, 2022. Comments will be published on our market reporting methodology page at [www.urnerbarry.com/markets/methodologies](http://www.urnerbarry.com/markets/methodologies).

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