Produce Retail Market Prices: 2025

Produce retail market pricing information was collected at 5 winter farmers markets and 29 farmers markets across Connecticut in late May through late August by UConn staff, using an app developed by UConn through a cooperative agreement with USDA RMA. Prices did not fluctuate for any product throughout the summer season.

Winter Farmers Markets

The winter markets were Ashford, Ellington, Litchfield, New Haven City Seed, and Wallingford. Examples of product prices are: beets ranged from \$2.61 to \$4/lb. with the Ellington market the lowest and Litchfield the highest. Carrots ranged from \$3 to \$6/lb for both organic and conventionally grown across the markets; garlic was \$12 to \$18/lb with organic garlic at \$25/lb in New Haven; radishes were \$2 to \$4/lb for organic at the New Haven market while conventional radishes were \$2.69 to \$4/lb with the Ellington market the lowest and Litchfield the highest. The Ellington market had out-of-season blueberries and raspberries for \$6.50/pint.

Summer Farmers Markets

The summer markets included Bozrah, Bristol, Brooklyn, Canton, Chester, Coventry, Cromwell, Danielson, Darien, Ellington, Guilford, Ledyard, Lisbon, Manchester, Middletown, Milford, New Haven City Seed Q House, New Haven City Seed Edgewood Park, Old Mystic, Plainfield, Putnam Thursday, Putnam Saturday, Stonington, West Hartford Blue Back, West Hartford, Westport, Wethersfield, Willimantic, and Windsor. For this analysis, the markets will be identified by regions:

Northeast: Brooklyn, Coventry, Danielson, Plainfield, Putnam, Willimantic

Southeast: Bozrah, Ledyard, Lisbon, Old Mystic, Stonington

Central: Bristol, Cromwell, Manchester, Middletown, Wethersfield, West Hartford, Windsor

North Central: Canton, Ellington

South Central: Chester, Guilford, New Haven

Southwest: Darien, Milford, Westport

Product	Unit	Conventional	High/Low	Organic	High/Low
Apples	Quart	\$4 - \$7	High SE & central,	\$4 - \$5	Low NE, High SE & N central
			Low N central		
Asparagus	Pound	\$6 - \$8	High central	\$5.28 - \$14	Low N central, High central
Basil	Bunch	\$5	S East only	\$2 - \$5	Low N east, High central
Basil	Pound			\$15 - \$28	Central only
Beans	Pound	\$4 - \$9	High central, low others	\$3 - \$8	Low S central, High central
Beans	Quart	\$3 - \$7	High and low central	\$4 - \$6	all
Beans	Pint	\$2	S east only		
Beets	Pound	\$4 - \$5; outlier \$2.61	Outlier N central	\$3 - \$4	
Beets	Quart	\$5	N east only	\$3.50 - \$6	S east only
Blackberry	Pint	\$10 - \$16, outlier \$6	Outlier central, High NE, low central		
Blueberry	Pint	\$5 - \$10, outlier \$13	Outlier SE, High SE, Low multiple	\$6 - \$10	High & Low central
Blueberry	Quart	\$8 - \$14	High NE, Low central	\$8.50	NE only
Broccoli	Pound	\$3 - \$5, Outliers \$8 & \$2.79	Outlier low N central, outlier high central	\$4 - \$6	Across all markets
Broccoli	Quart	\$5	Central only		
Carrots	Pound	\$3 - \$6.50	High N central, Low S central	\$3 - \$5, Outlier \$12	Outlier Central

Cauliflower	Pound	\$3 - \$8	High S Central, Low NE	\$5 - \$5.50	SW, S Central
Cherry-sour	Pint	\$7	Central & NE		
Cherry-sweet	Pint	\$7, outlier \$5	Outlier: Central		
Cucumber	Pound	\$2 - \$4	Low NE & Central, \$3-\$4 rest of state	\$3 - \$4	all
Cucumber	Quart	\$4.50 - \$6	All	\$3 - \$5	all
Eggplant	Pound	\$3 - \$5, outlier \$2.50	Outlier NE	\$4 - \$5, outlier \$3	Outlier NE
Garlic	Pound	\$12 - \$18, outlier \$8	Outlier SW	\$15-\$16, outlier Low \$6, high \$20, \$25	Low outlier NE High outlier NE & S central
Garlic	Quart	\$10			
Kale	Pound	\$7.50 - \$8, outlier \$3	Outlier NE	\$4 - \$6.67 Outliers \$10, \$12.50, \$16	Outliers all SE
Lettuce:Head	Each	\$3 -\$5, outlier \$2	Outlier Central	\$3 - \$6, outlier \$2	Outlier SE
Lettuce: Leaf	Pound	\$4 - \$10	All	\$12 -\$18. Outlier \$10, \$20	Low outlier NE, High outlier Central
Melon	Pound	\$1 - \$1.50	All	\$1 - \$1.60	All
Nectarine	Pound	\$4.99	NE		
Nectarine	Pint	\$4.99	NE		
Nectarine	Quart	\$5 & \$8	Low Central, High NE		
Onions	Pound	\$2 - \$4		\$2 - \$4, Outlier \$1.45	Outlier, NE
Onions	Quart	\$4 - \$5		\$5	
Peach	Quart	\$7 - \$8, outlier \$10	Outlier Central	\$3, \$4, \$7	Low SE, Mid & High Central
Pear	Quart	\$5, \$7, \$8	Low & High Central, Mid NE		
Pear	Pound	\$2.99	N Central		
Peas	Pint	\$4 - \$7.50	High NE	\$5 - \$7.75	High SW
Peppers: Hot	Pint	\$3 - \$5		\$4 - \$6	
Peppers: Hot	Quart	\$3 & \$5	Low NE, High N Central	\$4 - \$5	
Peppers: Hot	Pound	\$3.50 - \$6		\$3.99	Central
Peppers: Sweet	Pint	\$3 & \$4		\$5	Central
Peppers: Sweet	Quart	\$4 - \$5, outlier \$2	Outlier Central	\$2 & \$4	Both Central
Peppers: Sweet	Pound	\$3 - \$5, outlier \$2.50	Outlier NE	\$4 - \$5.50	
Plums	Pint	\$5 - \$7		\$7	Central
Plums	Quart	\$5 - \$8.50		· ·	
Plums	Pound	\$4.99	NE all		
Radish	Pound	\$3 - \$5, outliers \$2.69 & \$12	Outlier Low N Central, high NE	\$2, \$4 & \$8	Lows S central, High Central
Radish	Bunch	\$3 - \$5		\$3.75 - \$6	
Raspberry	Pint	\$8 - \$16	Low Central, High NE	\$10	SE

Rhubarb	Pound	\$5.50 - \$8, outlier \$3.33	Outlier S central	\$5, outlier \$8	Outlier SE
Snow peas	Pint	\$5 - \$6		\$5 & \$6	
Snow peas	Pound	\$7.50 & \$12	Low NE, High Central		
Spinach	Pound	\$3.50	SE	\$10 & \$12	SE
Squash,summer	Pound	\$2 - \$4		\$2 - \$4	
Squash, winter	Pound	\$1.99 & \$3.79	Central	\$1.60	Central
Strawberry	Pint	\$5 - \$9, Outlier \$10	Outlier Central	\$6 - \$7, outlier \$10	Outlier Central
Strawberry	Quart	\$7 - \$10		\$7 - \$10	All Central
Sweet corn	Dozen	\$10			
Sweet corn	each	\$1 - \$1.10, outlier \$0.75	Outlier Central	\$1	
Tomato: cherry	Pint	\$5 - \$6, outliers \$4, \$12	Outlier low NE, high NE	\$5 - \$8, outlier \$2	Outlier SE
Tomato: Heirloom	Pound	\$4 - \$6		\$4 - \$6	
Tomato: Large	Pound	\$3.99 - \$6		\$4.50 - \$5, outlier \$2.50	Outlier SE