

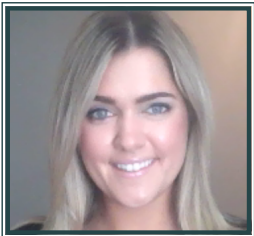


PORK LMR WEBINAR SERIES-FALL 2021

Part III: USDA Livestock Mandatory Reports - Wholesale Pork Reports

Tuesday, October 26, 2021, 11:00 am – 12:30 pm Central Time

USDA Market News will provide insight into LMR wholesale pork reports and the methodology of the USDA Pork Carcass Cutout. CME Group will explain how LMR data is utilized in the Pork Cutout futures contract. Industry representatives will discuss how wholesale pork reports are used to mitigate risk, as well as for economic analysis and forecasts.



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