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## Whole/Side of Pork Information

Thinking about ordering a whole or half of pork from Bucky's Butchery? Here's some helpful information you should know before placing your order:

Our pigs will typically weigh about 200 lb (100 lb halves) hanging weight. We currently charge \$185\* flat rate for a half, and \$365\* flat rate for a whole hog. This price includes the meat, cut/wrap/freeze, and curing/smoking/processing. You can expect to take home about 70% of the hanging weight from a side depending on how you have things cut (bone-in vs. boneless). Typical cuts from our pigs are listed below (\*Note\* these are estimates as every animal yields differently). Any unwanted cuts can be included in ground/sausage meat.

## Whole Hog

28-32 lb Smoked ham (bone-in) 2-4 Pork hocks (fresh or smoked)

18-22 lb Smoked bacon

18-20 lb Pork Chops 2 Racks of spare ribs

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2 Rib Roasts

2 Sirloin Roasts

12 lbs Shoulder steaks (or 16 lbs Boston Butts)

32 lbs Sausage/ground pork

Average total take home weight =  $\sim 140 \text{ lbs}$ 

Total cost = \$365.00

Average take home cost/lb = \$2.60/lb

## Side of Pork

14-16 lb Smoked ham (bone-in)

1-2 Pork hocks (fresh or smoked)

9-10 lb Smoked bacon

9-10 lb Pork Chops

1 Rack of spare ribs

1 Rib Roast

1 Sirloin Roast

6 lbs Shoulder steaks (or 8 lbs Boston Butt)

16 lbs Sausage/ground pork

Average total take home weight =  $\sim 70$  lbs

Total cost = \$185.00

Average take home cost/lb = \$2.64/lb

<sup>\*</sup>Prices are subject to change