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Whey Protein Concentrate - Central and Western U.S.

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Whey protein concentrate 34% prices moved lower at the top of the price range, but otherwise held steady. Spot sales are quiet. WPC 34% that meets infant formula requirements or other stringent end user requirements is highly committed. Buyers would like to get more of this type of WPC 34%, but tight supplies limit the amount of spot sales. At the other end of the market, demand for WPC 34% that is more interchangeable with other dairy proteins is lethargic. Industry contacts say end users have plenty of WPC 34% on hand and are not eager to take on more. However, the occasional low offer from manufacturers, or low bid from the buyer, will elicit a spot sale to take place. WPC 34% production is steady.

Prices for: Central and Western U.S., All First Sales, F.O.B., Extra Grade, Conventional, and Edible Whey Protein Concentrate

Price Range - 34% Protein; $/LB:	.7500 - 1.1500
Mostly Range - 34% Protein; $/LB:	.8500 - 1.0750

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