



Agricultural Prices

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Prices Received Index up 2 Points

The Preliminary All Farms Products Index of Prices Received in February was 99 based on 1990-92=100, up 2 points (2.1 percent) from the January Index. Higher prices for lettuce, broilers, oranges, and hogs were partially offset by lower prices for strawberries, soybeans, corn, and tomatoes. The seasonal change in the mix of commodities farmers sell often affects the overall index. Higher seasonal marketings of milk, cattle, broilers, and strawberries were partially offset by lower marketings of corn, soybeans, tobacco, and cotton.

Compared with February 2000, the All Farm Products Index was 6 points (6.5 percent) higher. Price increases from February 2000 for cattle, lettuce, milk, and broilers were partially offset by lower prices for soybeans, corn, grapefruit, and potatoes.

Prices Paid Index Up 2 Points

The February Index of Prices Paid for Commodities and Services, Interest, Taxes, and Farm Wage Rates (PPITW) was 126 percent of the 1990-92 average. The index was up 2 points (1.6 percent) from January and 7 points (5.9 percent) above February 2000. Higher prices in February for nitrogen fertilizers, complete feeds, insecticides, and LP gas, were more than offset by lower prices for feeder cattle, feed grains, and potash and phosphate materials.

Index Summary Table

Index 1990-92=100	2000		2001	
	Jan	Feb	Jan	Feb
Prices Received	91	93	97	99
Prices Paid	118	119	124	126
Ratio 1/	77	78	78	79

1/ Ratio of index of prices received by farmers to index of prices paid.

Prices Received by Farmers

The February All Farm Products Index was 99 percent of its 1990-92 base, up 2.1 percent from the January index and up 6.5 percent from the February 2000 index.

All Crops: The February index was 97, up 3.2 percent from January and 5.4 percent above February 2000. From January, index increases for commercial vegetables, potatoes and dry beans, tobacco, and fruits and nuts more than offset index decreases for oil-bearing crops, cotton, and food grains.

Food Grains: The February index, at 91, was down 2.2 percent from the previous month but 7.1 percent above February 2000. The February all wheat price, at \$2.83 per bushel, was down 2 cents from January but 29 cents above February 2000.

Feed Grains & Hay: The February index, at 89, was unchanged from last month but 1.1 percent above February 2000. The corn price, at \$1.92 per bushel, was down 6 cents from both last month and February 2000. The all hay price, at \$86.80 per ton, was \$1.90 above January and \$12.50 above last February. Grain sorghum, at \$3.39 per cwt, was up 2 cents from January and 33 cents above February last year.

Oil-Bearing Crops: The February index, at 78, was down 7.1 percent from January and 9.3 percent below February 2000. The soybean price, at \$4.37 per bushel, decreased 31 cents from January and was 42 cents below February 2000.

Cotton: The February index, at 83, was down 3.5 percent from January but 7.8 percent above February 2000. The February price, at 50.3 cents per pound, was down 2.0 cents from the previous month but up 3.5 cents from last February.

Fruit and Nuts: The February fruit and nut index, at 92, was up 1.1 percent from the previous month but 2.1 percent below February 2000. Since January, prices increased for oranges and grapefruit.

Commercial Vegetables: The February index, at 144, was up 20 percent from last month and 66 percent above February 2000. Price increases during February for lettuce, broccoli, cauliflower, carrots, asparagus, and onions more than offset price declines for tomatoes, snap beans, and celery.

Livestock and Products: The February index, at 102, was up 2.0 percent from last month and 8.5 percent from January 2000. Compared with a year ago, prices were higher for cattle, all milk, broilers, calves, and turkeys but lower for hogs, and eggs.

Meat Animals: The February index, at 98, was up 1.0 percent from last month and 7.7 percent from a year ago. The February hog price was \$38.60 per cwt, up \$1.40 from January but down \$1.30 from a year ago. The February beef cattle price of \$74.70 was down 10 cents from last month but up \$7.10 from February 2000. January cattle slaughter was up 10 percent from December. Marketing supplies are declining seasonally.

Dairy Products: The February index, at 100, was down 1.0 percent from January but up 11 percent from February 2000. The February all milk price at \$13.10 per cwt, was down 10 cents from January but up \$1.30 from last year. February prices decreased for fluid but increased for manufacturing grade milk. Cheese and butter prices were increasing during February.

Poultry and Eggs: The February index, at 112, was up 6.7 percent from January, and 7.7 percent above a year ago. The February broiler price, at 37.0 cents per pound, was up 3.0 cents from January. Broiler demand is strengthening seasonally while year-to-date placements have been down. Market egg prices increased 0.6 cents to 50.9 cents per dozen, reflecting some seasonal strength in demand. Turkey prices decreased 0.3 cents to 36.3 cents per pound. Demand is declining seasonally and frozen stocks are building.

Index Numbers of Prices Received, United States, February 2001,
with Comparisons

Index	1910-14=100				1990-92=100			
	2000		2001		2000		2001	
	Feb	Jan	Feb	Feb	Jan	Feb		
All Farm Products	639	591	*614	632	93	*97	99	
All Crops	500	453	*463	479	92	*94	97	
Food Grains	325	270	*297	290	85	*93	91	
Feed Grains & Hay	363	315	*319	318	88	89	89	
Cotton	517	396	*442	425	77	*86	83	
Tobacco	1263	1713	*1783	1796	113	*118	119	
Oil-Bearing Crops	554	471	*458	429	86	*84	78	
Fruit & Nuts	716	655	*633	641	94	*91	92	
Commercial Vegetables	698	582	*799	965	87	*120	144	
Potatoes & Dry Beans	540	500	*397	431	99	78	85	
Other Crops	493	532	532	532	108	108	108	
Livestock & Products	768	721	*767	780	94	100	102	
Meat Animals	1021	930	*989	995	91	97	98	
Dairy Products	799	725	*811	805	90	*101	100	
Poultry & Eggs	282	293	296	314	104	105	112	
Food Commodities					92	97	101	

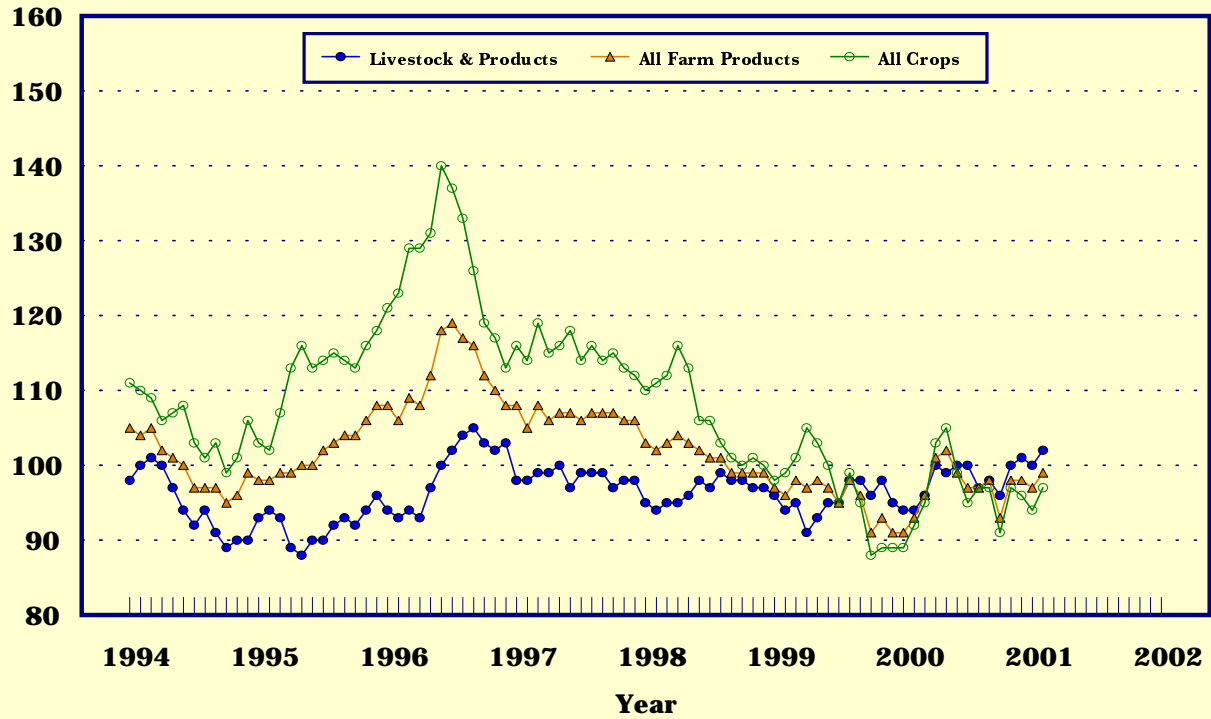
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Selected Index Numbers for Prices Received and Paid,
1990-92=100, by Months, United States, 2000 and 2001

Month	Index of Prices Received				Index of Prices Paid					
	All Farm Products		All Crops		Livestock and Products		All Items		Production Items	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
Jan	91	97	89	94	94	100	118	124	114	120
Feb	93	99	92	97	94	102	119	126	115	123
Mar	96		95		96		119		115	
Apr	101		103		100		119		116	
May	102		105		99		119		116	
Jun	99		99		100		120		116	
Jul	97		95		100		119		116	
Aug	97		97		97		119		115	
Sep	98		97		98		120		116	
Oct	93		91		96		121		117	
Nov	98		97		100		121		117	
Dec	98		96		101		122		118	

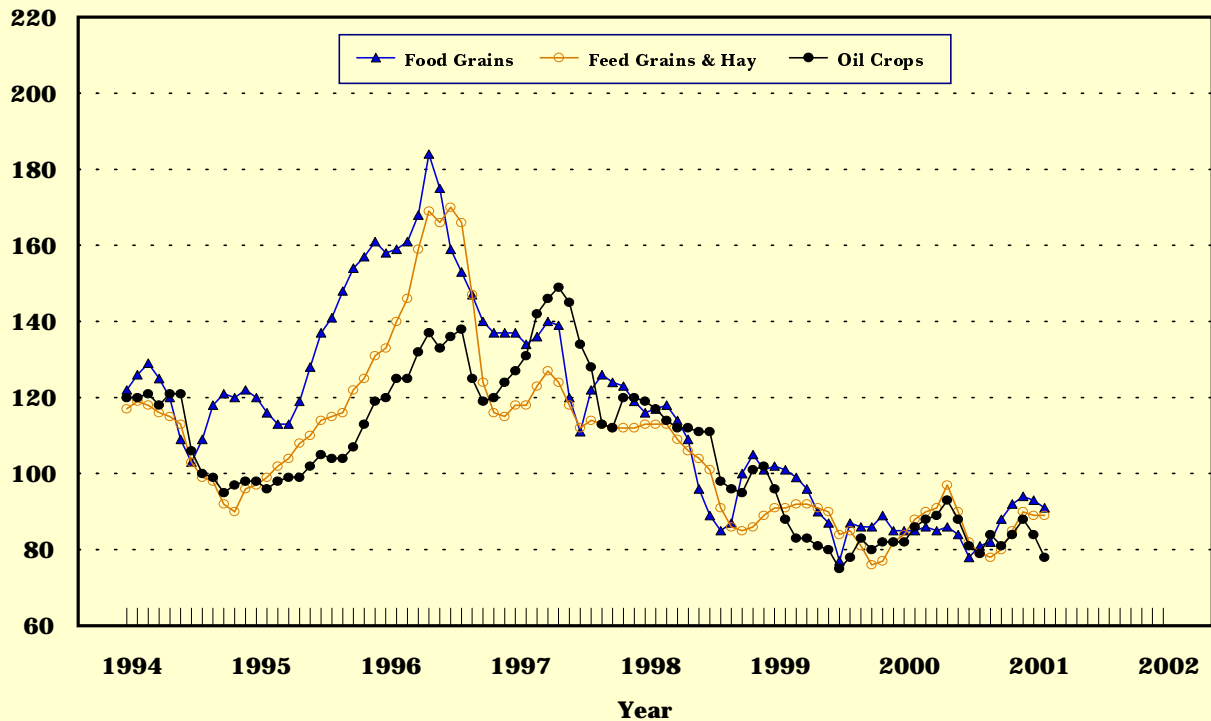
Prices Received, Major Indexes, US

Index Values(1990-92=100)



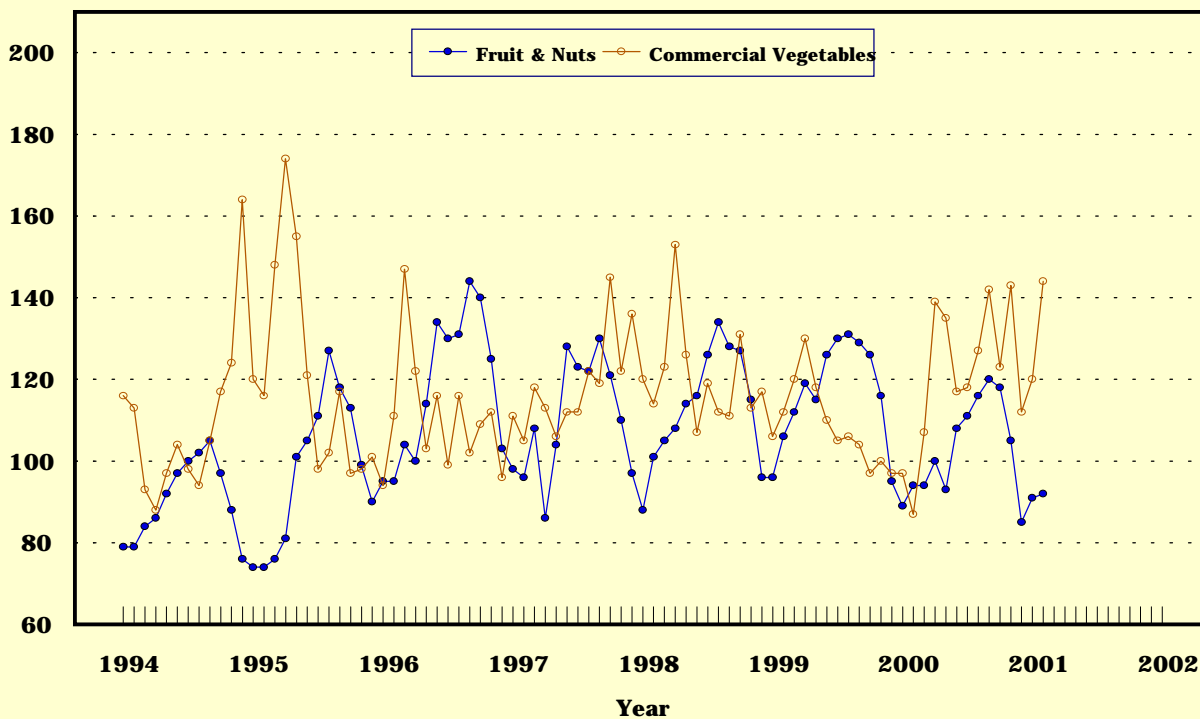
Prices Received, Food, Feed & Oil Indexes, US

Index Values(1990-92=100)



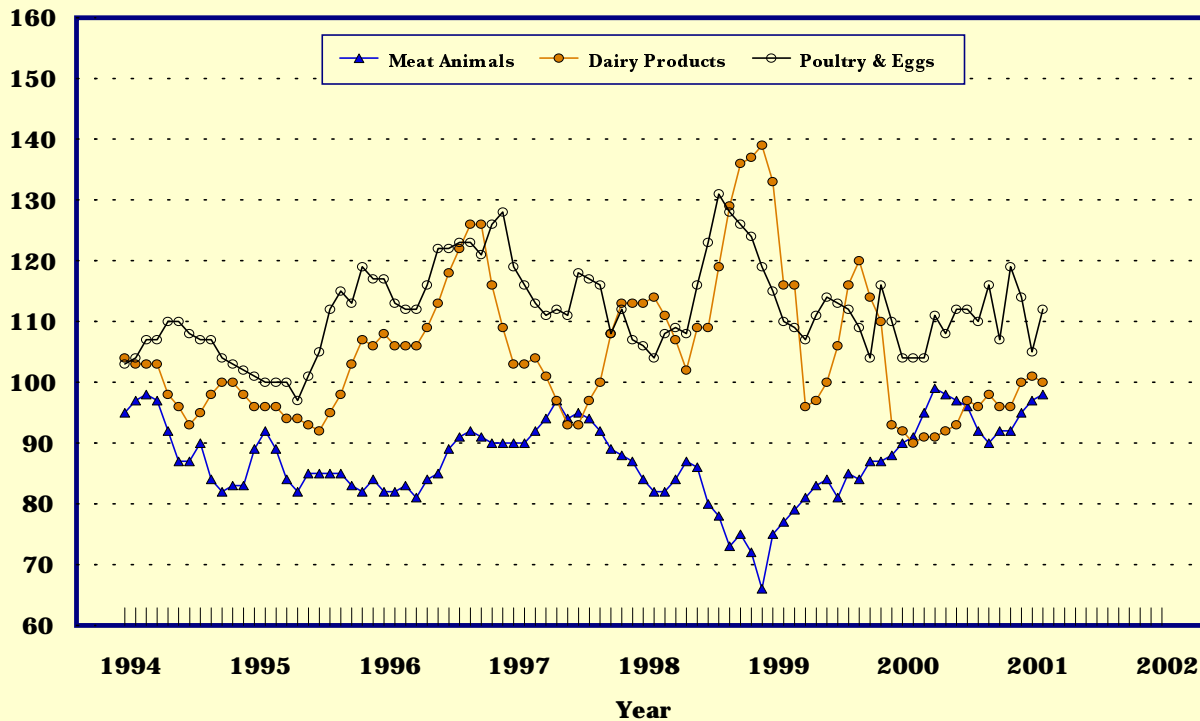
Prices Received, Fruit/Vegetable Indexes, US

Index Values(1990-92=100)



Prices Received, Livestock Product Indexes, US

Index Values(1990-92=100)



Prices Received, United States,
February 2001, with Comparisons

Commodity	Unit	Average 1990-92	Entire Month		Preliminary
			Feb	Jan	Feb
			2000	2001	2001
Dollars					
Field Crops					
Barley, All	Bu	2.12	2.13	1.96	1.98
Feed	Bu	1.90	1.68	1.80	1.71
Malting	Bu	2.43	2.43	2.14	2.26
Beans, Dry Edible	Cwt	19.10	15.60	15.00	14.80
Corn	Bu	2.30	1.98	1.98	1.92
Cotton, Upland	Lb	.606	.468	.523	.503
Cottonseed	Ton	96.00	115.00	109.00	114.00
Flaxseed	Bu	4.27	3.43	3.47	3.50
Hay, All, Baled 1/	Ton	76.30	74.30	84.90	86.80
Alfalfa 1/	Ton	77.20	77.00	91.30	94.20
Other 1/	Ton	60.00	68.40	69.50	71.20
Oats	Bu	1.22	1.27	1.20	1.21
Peanuts, In-Shell	Lb	.304		.296	
Potatoes	Cwt	5.82	5.92	4.56	5.05
Rice, Rough	Cwt	7.07	5.88	5.84	5.69
Sorghum Grain	Cwt	3.75	3.06	3.37	3.39
Soybeans	Bu	5.61	4.79	4.68	4.37
Sunflower 2/	Cwt	9.50	8.72	6.94	7.15
Tobacco	Lb	1.740	1.970	2.050	2.065
Wheat, All	Bu	2.96	2.54	2.85	2.83
Winter	Bu	2.93	2.37	2.77	2.73
Durum	Bu	2.86	2.88	2.94	3.25
Other Spring	Bu	3.11	2.82	2.96	2.97
Hard Red Winter	Bu		2.36	2.90	
Soft Red Winter	Bu		2.34	2.40	
Hard Red Spring	Bu		2.86	3.00	
White	Bu	3.24	2.43	2.62	
Fruit					
Citrus-Equiv on-tree					
Grapefruit	Box	5.77	4.31	1.87	2.07
Lemons	Box	10.10	10.40	3.31	1.37
Limes 3/	Box	10.15			
Oranges	Box	5.79	3.43	2.82	3.29
Tangelos	Box	5.82	.850	.490	-.280
Tangerines	Box	15.11	6.70	11.65	10.20
Temples	Box	6.23	2.34	5.65	2.03
Non-citrus					
Apples, Fresh 4/	Lb	.212	.203	.161	.152
Grapes, Fresh 4/	Ton	506.00			
Peaches, Fresh 4/	Lb	.216			
Pears, Fresh 4/	Ton	370.00	402.00	340.00	251.00
Strawberries, Fresh	Lb	.560	.929	1.74	1.06

1/ Mid-month price.

2/ KS, MN, ND and SD average.

3/ Current prices not published to avoid disclosure of individual firms.

4/ Equivalent packinghouse-door returns for CA, NY (apples only), OR (pears only) and WA (apples, peaches, and pears). Prices as sold for other states.

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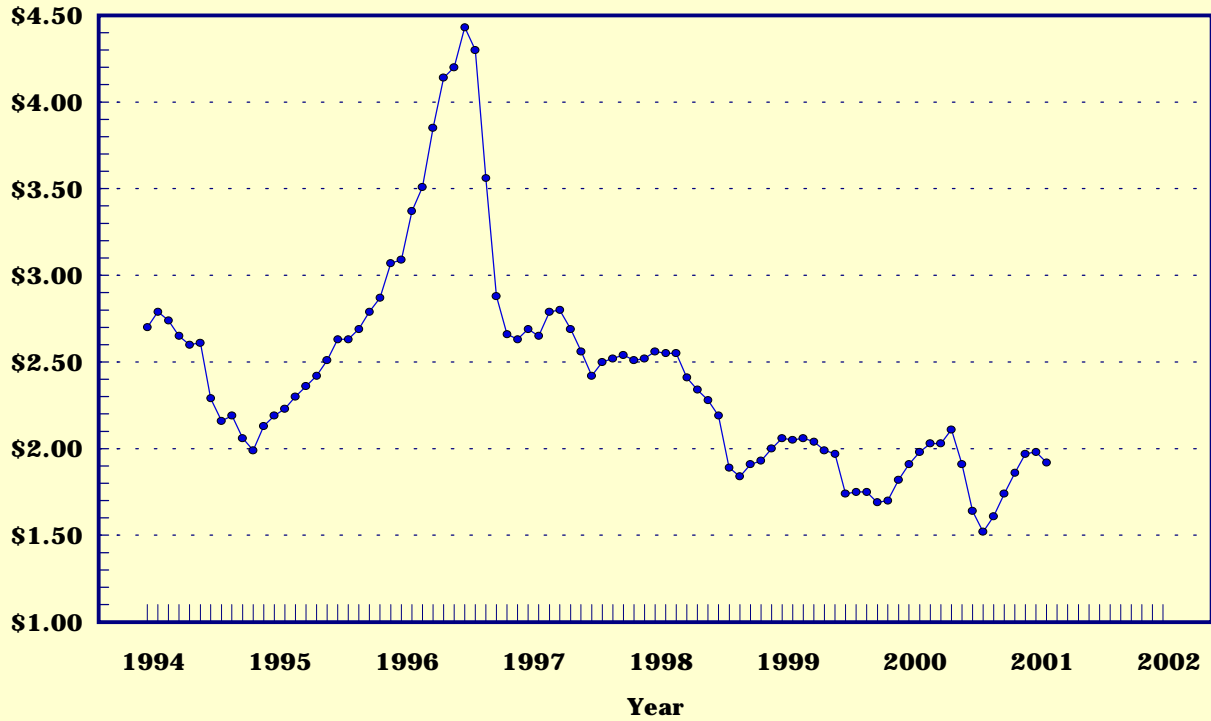
Prices Received, United States,
February 2001, with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Unit	Average 1990-92	Entire Month		Preliminary
			Feb 2000	Jan 2001	Feb 2001
Dollars					
Vegetables, Fresh 1/					
Asparagus	Cwt	79.80	99.70	219.00	276.00
Broccoli	Cwt	22.50	20.20	22.80	26.70
Cantaloupes 2/	Cwt	13.90			
Carrots	Cwt	13.20	11.60	15.90	16.50
Cauliflower	Cwt	26.80	30.20	26.00	33.60
Celery	Cwt	11.60	16.00	14.60	13.70
Corn, Sweet	Cwt	15.70	21.40	36.70	37.10
Cucumbers 2/	Cwt		40.00		
Lettuce	Cwt	11.90	9.28	13.70	23.50
Onions	Cwt	12.80	5.63	13.90	14.20
Snap Beans 2/	Cwt		49.60	96.70	90.60
Tomatoes	Cwt	32.30	23.50	43.80	30.10
Livestock					
Calves	Cwt	94.30	105.00	108.00	108.00
Cattle, All Beef	Cwt	72.90	67.60	74.80	74.70
Cows	Cwt	49.60	37.10	39.00	41.50
Steers & Heifers	Cwt	77.10	71.00	79.30	78.40
Milk Cows 3/	Head	1130.00		1320.00	
Hogs, All	Cwt	47.70	39.90	37.20	38.60
Barrows & Gilts	Cwt	48.40	40.10	37.60	39.20
Sows	Cwt	39.50	36.00	31.20	30.40
Lambs	Cwt	56.20	72.00	74.10	
Sheep	Cwt	23.40	39.50	43.30	
Dairy and Poultry					
Milk, All 4/	Cwt	13.06	11.80	13.20	5/13.10
Fluid Grade	Cwt	13.10	11.90	13.20	5/13.10
Mfg Grade	Cwt	11.80	10.20	10.90	5/11.10
Broilers, Live 6/	Lb	.317	.335	.340	.370
Eggs, All 7/	Doz	.643	.686	.672	.682
Market 7/	Doz	.546	.523	.503	.509
Turkeys, Live 6/7/	Lb	.380	.357	.366	.363
Adjusted for Seasonal Variation					
Eggs, All	Doz	.545	.641	.584	.626
Milk, All 4/	Cwt	9.71	11.80	13.07	13.10

- 1/ F.O.B. shipping point.
- 2/ Monthly estimates began January 1995.
- 3/ Animals sold for dairy herd replacement only. Prices available for Jan, Apr, Jul, and Oct.
- 4/ Before deductions for hauling. Includes quality, quantity, and other premiums. Excludes hauling subsidies.
- 5/ Fat test percent: all milk 3.75, fluid milk 3.75, mfg grade 3.90.
- 6/ Liveweight equivalent price.
- 7/ Mid-month price.

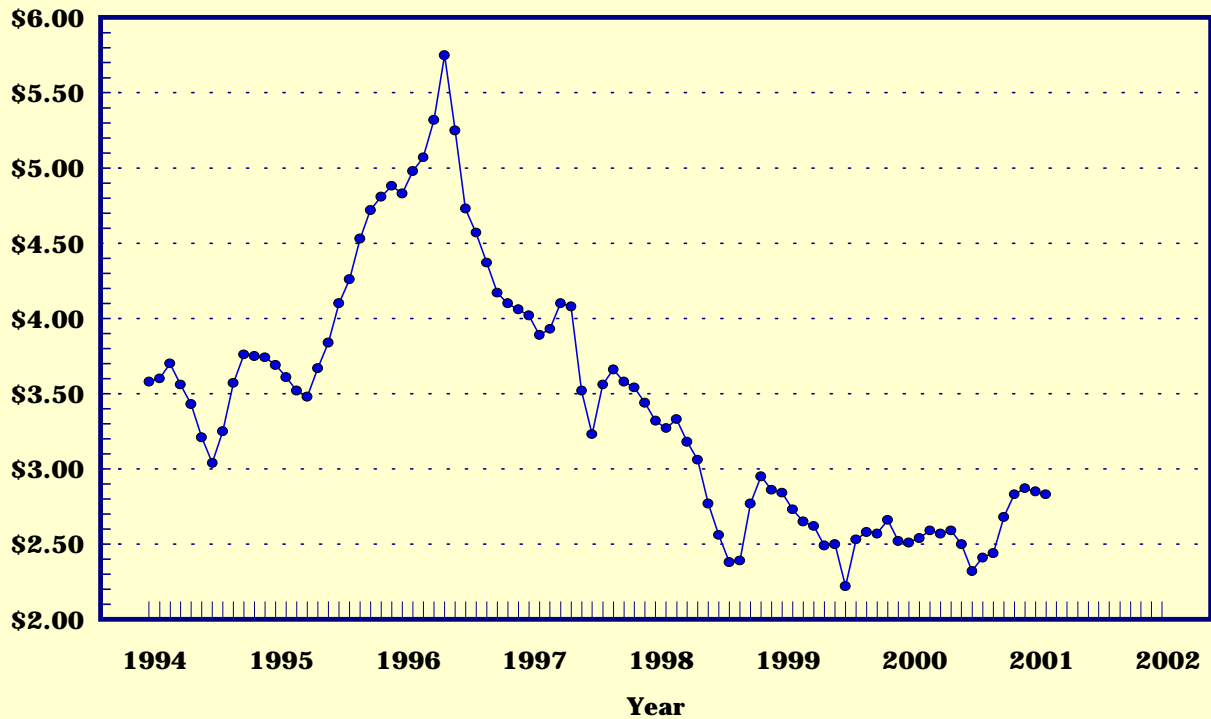
Prices Received, Corn, US

Dollars per Bu



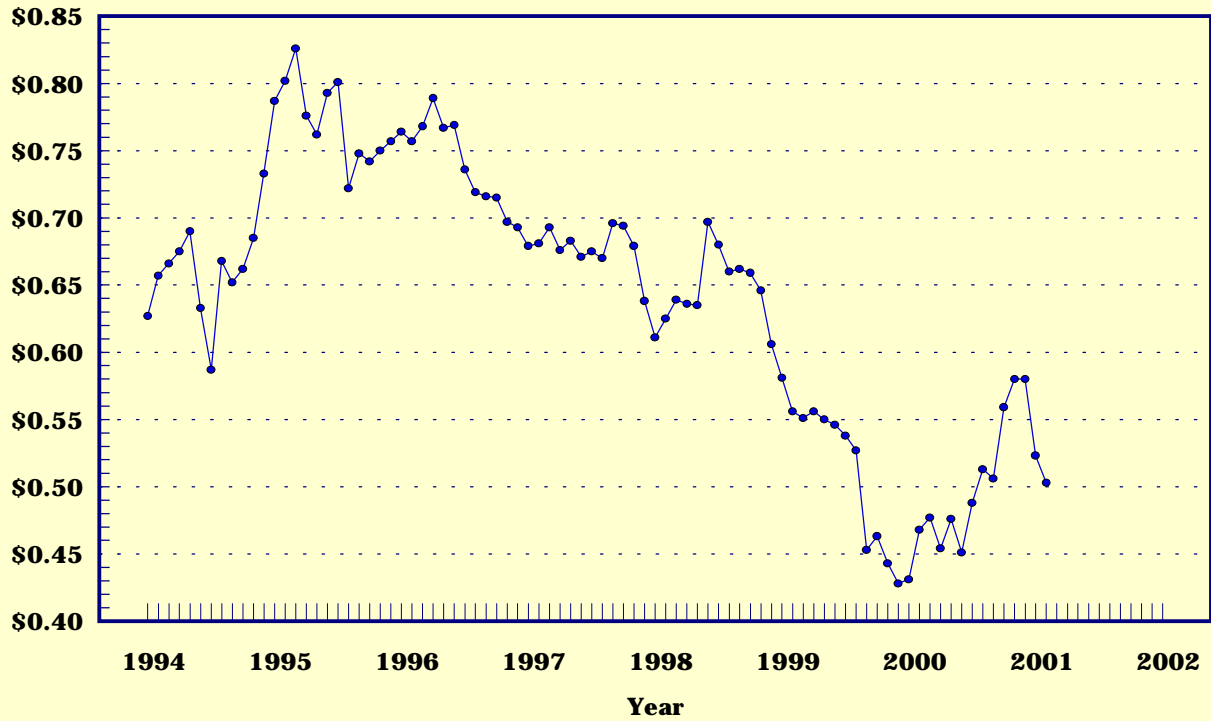
Prices Received, Wheat, US

Dollars per Bu



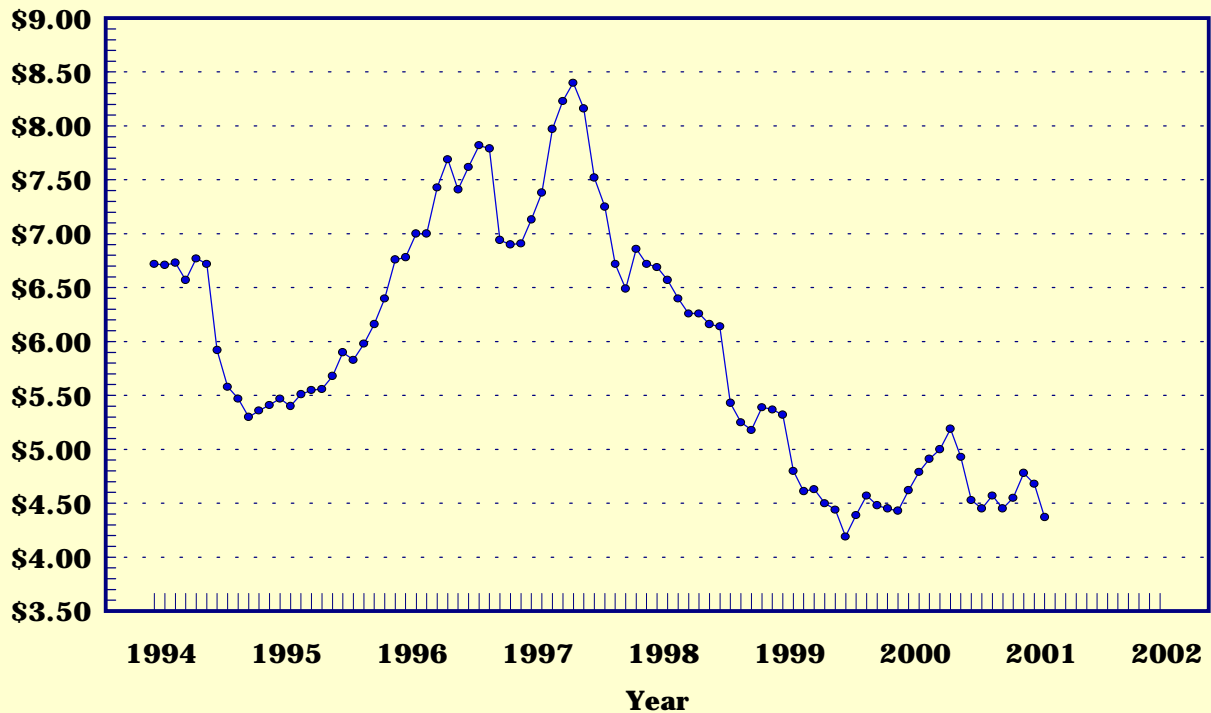
Prices Received, Cotton, US

Dollars per Lb



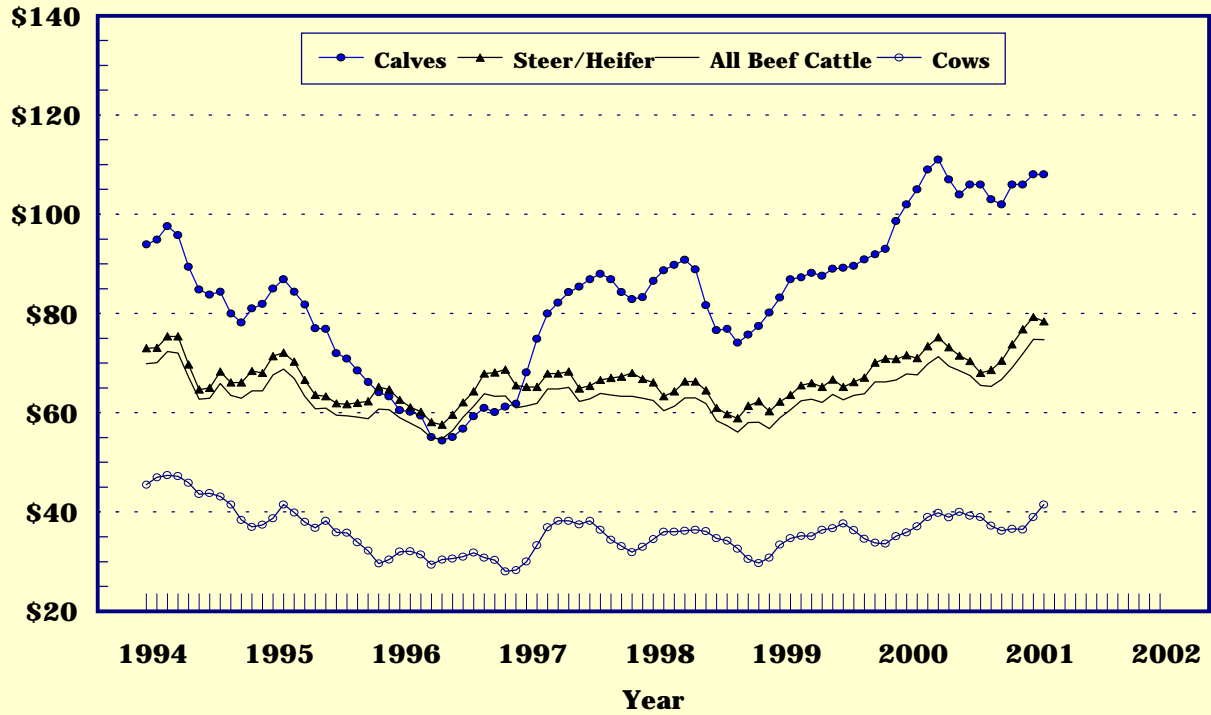
Prices Received, Soybeans, US

Dollars per Bu



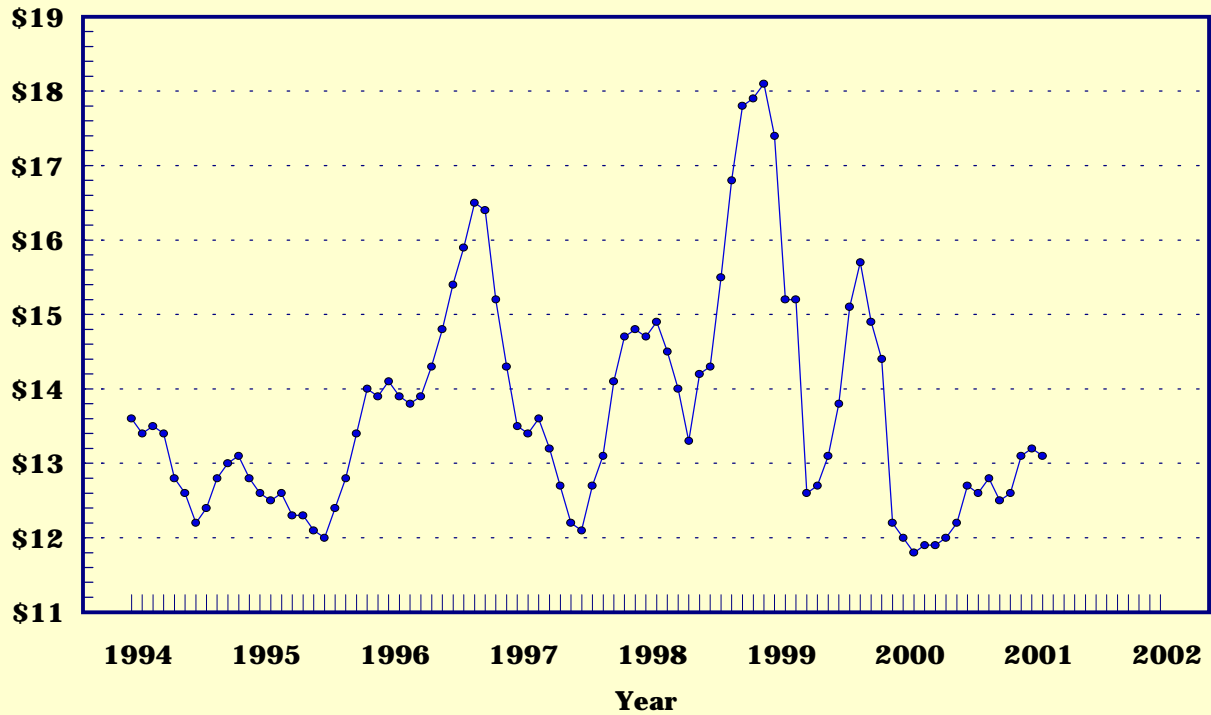
Prices Received, Cattle, US

Dollars per Cwt



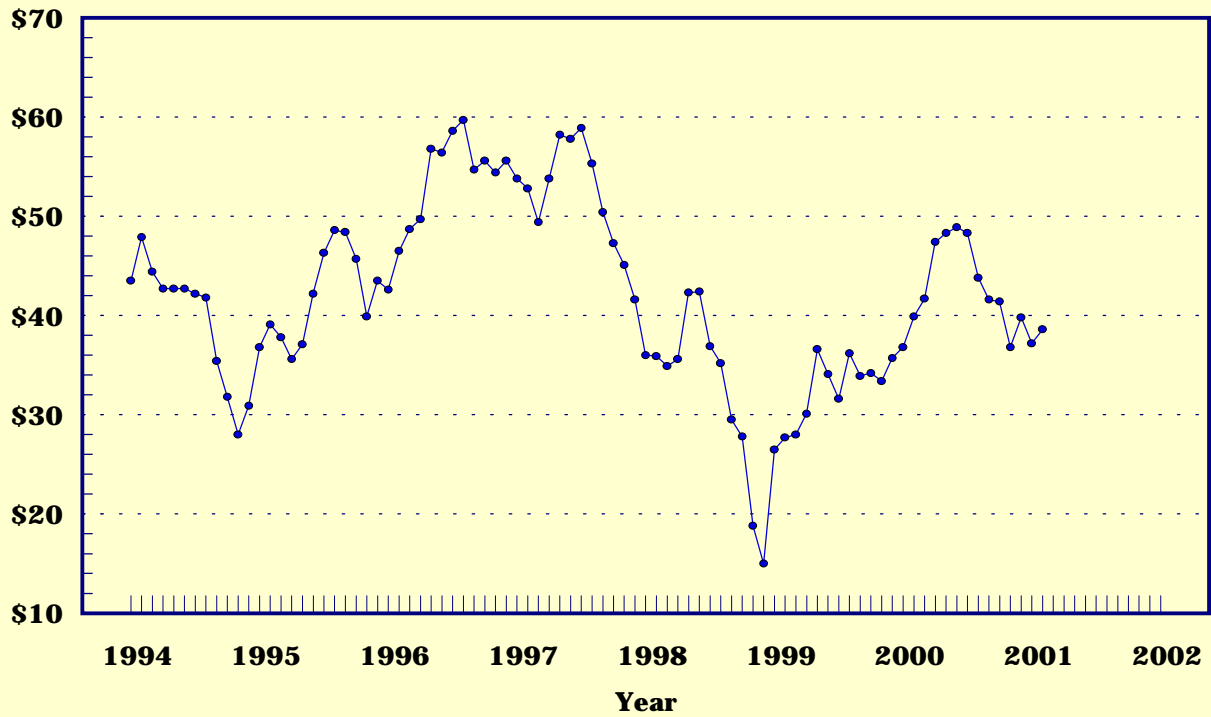
Prices Received, Milk, US

Dollars per Cwt



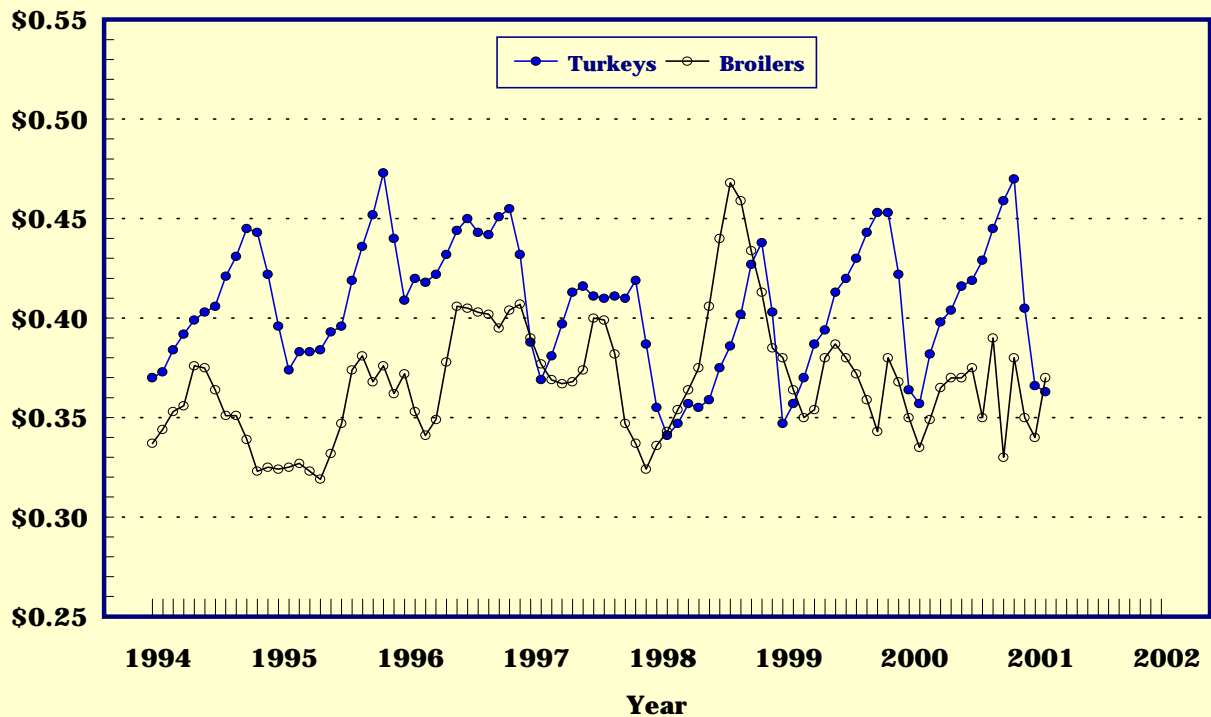
Prices Received, Hogs, US

Dollars per Cwt



Prices Received, Turkeys & Broilers, US

Dollars per Lb



Wheat: Prices Received, by States, January and February 2001

State	All Wheat		Winter Wheat		Durum Wheat		Oth Spring Wheat	
	Jan 1/	Feb 2/	Jan 1/	Feb 2/	Jan 1/	Feb 2/	Jan 1/	Feb 2/
	Dollars per Bushel							
AR	2.52	2.60	2.52	2.60				
CA	3/	3/	2.93	3/	3/	4/		
CO	2.94	2.81	2.95	2.81			2.73	2.92
ID	2.79	2.85	2.61	2.70			2.95	3.05
IL	2.39	2.35	2.39	2.35				
IN	2.44	2.29	2.44	2.29				
KS	2.92	2.81	2.92	2.81				
MI	2.62	2.40	2.62	2.40				
MN	3.04	2.95	3/	3/	4/	4/	3.04	2.95
MO	2.44	2.35	2.44	2.35				
MT	3.09	3.12	3.02	2.90	3.81	3.75	3.05	3.20
NE	2.97	2.85	2.97	2.85				
ND	2.89	2.90	2.74	2.60	2.81	3.10	2.91	2.85
OH	2.35	2.25	2.35	2.25				
OK	2.88	2.80	2.88	2.80				
OR	2.65	2.86	2.64	2.85			2.69	2.95
SD	2.79	2.77	2.64	2.64	4/	4/	2.98	2.94
TX	2.69	2.67	2.69	2.67				
WA	2.73	2.73	2.69	2.72			2.91	2.79
US	2.85	2.83	2.77	2.73	2.94	3.25	2.96	2.97

1/ Entire month.

2/ Mid-month.

3/ Price not published to avoid disclosure of individual firms.

4/ Insufficient sales to establish a price.

Prices Received for Selected Agricultural Commodities, by Months, United States, 2000 and 2001

Month	All Wheat		Corn		Soybeans		Beef Cattle 1/		All Hogs	
	2000	2001 2/	2000	2001 2/	2000	2001 2/	2000	2001 2/	2000	2001 2/
	Dollars per Bushel						Dollars per Cwt			
Jan	2.51	2.85	1.91	1.98	4.62	4.68	67.80	74.80	36.80	37.20
Feb	2.54	2.83	1.98	1.92	4.79	4.37	67.60	74.70	39.90	38.60
Mar	2.59		2.03		4.91		69.80		41.70	
Apr	2.57		2.03		5.00		71.30		47.40	
May	2.59		2.11		5.19		69.40		48.30	
Jun	2.50		1.91		4.93		68.50		48.90	
Jul	2.32		1.64		4.53		67.50		48.30	
Aug	2.41		1.52		4.45		65.50		43.80	
Sep	2.44		1.61		4.57		65.30		41.60	
Oct	2.68		1.74		4.45		66.70		41.40	
Nov	2.83		1.86		4.55		69.10		36.80	
Dec	2.87		1.97		4.78		71.90		39.80	

1/ Cows, steers and heifers.

2/ Current month prices are mid-month; prices for previous months are for the entire month.

Grains: Prices Received, by States, January and February 2001

State	Barley 1/		Corn		Oats		Soybeans		Sorghum Grain	
	Jan 2/	Feb 3/	Jan 2/	Feb 3/	Jan 2/	Feb 3/	Jan 2/	Feb 3/	Jan 2/	Feb 3/
	Dollars per Bushel						Dollars per Cwt			
AL										
AR							4.91	4.58	3.50	3.60
CA	4/	4/								
CO	1.71	1.92	2.16	2.10						
GA			2.54	2.46			4.44	4.26		
ID	2.48	2.46								
IL			1.97	1.95	1.50	1.50	4.74	4.50	3.48	3.70
IN			2.03	1.94			4.74	4.38		
IA			1.86	1.81	1.39	1.25	4.53	4.18		
KS			2.06	2.01			4.53	4.23	3.28	3.30
KY			2.17	2.05			4.88	4.50		
LA							4.83	4.38		
MI			2.04	1.95	1.47	1.50	4.67	4.60		
MN	1.80	1.73	1.83	1.80	1.13	1.10	4.56	4.35		
MS							4.88	4.45		
MO			1.92	1.95			4.69	4.45	3.44	3.45
MT	2.19	2.20			1.07	1.00				
NE			1.97	1.95	1.52	1.40	4.54	4.30	3.43	3.35
NC			2.38	2.25			4.57	4.25		
ND	1.73	1.67			.94	.95				
OH			2.08	1.95	1.51	1.40	4.86	4.45		
OK									3.46	3.40
OR	2.08	2.00			1.37	1.30				
PA			2.18	2.15	1.43	1.36				
SD	2.03	2.02	1.67	1.68	1.26	1.23	4.37	4.14		
TN			2.21	2.25			4.89	4.65		
TX			2.39	2.25					3.58	3.50
UT	2.10	2.08								
WA	2.11	2.12								
WI			1.89	1.85	1.11	1.10	4.50	4.30		
WY	3.07	2.88								
US	1.96	1.98	1.98	1.92	1.20	1.21	4.68	4.37	3.37	3.39

- 1/ The Three-State (MN, ND and SD) Feed Barley price for February 2001 is \$1.44.
- 2/ Entire month.
- 3/ Mid-month.
- 4/ Price not published to avoid disclosure of individual firms.

Malting and Feed Barley: Prices Received Selected States, January and February 2001

State	Malting Barley		Feed Barley	
	Jan	Feb	Jan	Feb
	Dollars per Bushel			
ID	1/	1/	1.96	1.95
MN	1.85	1.80	1.31	1.10
MT	2.63	2.65	1.76	1.70
ND	1.92	1.85	1.52	1.45
SD	2.09	2.08	1.61	1.67
WY	1/	1/	1.90	1.85

- 1/ Price not published to avoid disclosure of individual firms.

Field Crops: Prices Received, by States, January and February 2001

State	Dry Edible Beans		Sunflower		Flaxseed		Tobacco		Peanuts 4/5/	
	Jan 1/	Feb 2/	Jan 1/	Feb 2/	Jan 1/	Feb 2/	Jan 1/	Feb 3/	Jan 1/	Feb 4/5/
	Dollars per Cwt		Dollars per Bu		Dollars per Pound					
AL										.126
CA	26.90	26.90								
CO	15.10	15.10								
FL										5/
GA										5/
ID	16.90	16.90								
IN							1.905	1.905		
KS			5/	5/						
KY							2.030	2.010		
MD										
MI	12.50	12.50								
MN	15.10	14.80	7.54	7.45						
MO							1.845	1.795		
NE	15.20	14.40								
NC							1.945			.287
ND	11.30	11.00	7.28	7.38	3.54	3.50				
OH							1.905	1.890		
OK										
SC										
SD			5.88	6.27	5/	5/				
TN							2.145	2.185		
TX										
VA							1.905	1.345		.360
WV										
US	15.00	14.80	6.94	7.15	3.47	3.50	2.050	2.065		.296

- 1/ Entire month.
- 2/ Mid-month.
- 3/ Based on sales through first half of month.
- 4/ Marketing year Aug - Jan.
- 5/ Price not published to avoid disclosure of individual firms.

Tobacco: Prices Received, by Area and Type, February 2001, with Comparisons

Class by Type	Type	Feb 2000	Jan 2001	Feb 2001 1/
Dollars per Pound				
Fire-cured				
VA Belt	21	2/	1.660	1.265
Eastern District	22	2.220	2.295	2.205
Western District	23	2.100	2.130	2.020
Total Fire-cured	21-23	2.125	2.235	2.145
Light Air-Cured				
Burley	31	1.885	1.940	1.920
Total Light Air-Cured	31-32	1.885	1.940	1.920
Dark Air-cured				
One Sucker Belt	35	1.715	1.860	1.560
Green River Belt	36	1.745	1.950	1.565
Sun-cured Belt	37	2/	1.720	1.430
Total Dark Air-cured	35-37	1.735	1.900	1.560
US	11-37	1.905	2.050	2.065

- 1/ Based on sales during the first half of the month.
- 2/ Sales closed in January.

Field Crops and Apples: Prices Received, by States,
January and February 2001

State	Cotton, Upland		February				Apples Fresh Use 1/4/
	Jan 1/	Feb 2/	Cotton- seed 5/	Hay, Baled 3/ All	Alfalfa	Other	
	Dollars per Pound		Dollars per Ton			Dol/Lb	
AL	6/	6/					
AZ	6/	6/	116.00	92.00	93.00	84.00	
AR	.552	.520					
CA	.599	.570	143.00	106.00	110.00	85.00	.124
CO				103.00	104.00	93.00	
GA	.552	.523	92.00				
ID				94.00	95.00	68.00	
IL				84.00	89.00	64.00	
IA				86.00	88.00	60.00	
KS				85.00	94.00	63.00	
KY				86.00	125.00	74.00	
LA	.524	.523					
MI				64.00	65.00	55.00	.140
MN				62.00	68.00	43.00	
MS	.520	.520					
MO				72.00	106.00	64.00	
MT				91.00	92.00	84.00	
NE				80.00	84.00	69.00	
NV				95.00	94.00	102.00	
NM				122.00	124.00	104.00	
NY				103.00	110.00	95.00	.163
NC	.557	.520	89.00				
ND				47.00	50.00	36.00	
OH				79.00	105.00	50.00	.255
OK				85.00	101.00	61.00	
OR				94.00	97.00	87.00	
PA				105.00	119.00	92.00	.230
SD				73.00	75.00	52.00	
TN	.520	.520					
TX	.457	.437	109.00	73.00	154.00	67.00	
UT				86.00	86.00	52.00	
VA							.190
WA				105.00	94.00	147.00	.147
WI				51.00	60.00	30.00	
WY				100.00	101.00	95.00	
US	.523	.503	114.00	86.80	94.20	71.20	.152

1/ Entire month. 2/ Based on sales during the first half of the month.
3/ Mid-month. 4/ Equivalent packinghouse-door returns for CA,MI,NY and WA.
Price at point of first sale for other states. 5/ Marketing year
August-February. 6/ Price not published to avoid disclosure of
individual firms.

Upland Cotton and Rice: Prices Received and Marketings,
United States, February 2001, with Comparisons

Item	Unit	Dec 2000 1/	Jan 2001 1/	Feb 2001 2/
Cotton, Upland				
Average Price	Dollars/Pound	.580	.523	.503
Marketings 3/	1,000 Bales	1524	1513	NA
Rice				
Average Price	Dollars/Cwt	5.60	5.84	5.69
Marketings 4/	1,000 Cwt	12427	15068	NA

1/ Entire month. 2/ Based on purchases for the first half of the month.
3/ Expanded data from sample of about 60 percent of buyers. 4/ Purchases
by private firms and rice (rough equivalent) shipped by cooperatives.

Citrus Fruit: Prices and Equivalent Returns, by Utilization,
by State and United States, February 2001

Commodity And State	F.O.B. Packed Fresh	Equivalent Returns					
		Packinghouse-door		On-tree			
		All	Fresh	Process	All	Fresh	Process
Dollars per Box 1/							
Grapefruit							
AZ	12.40	4.81	6.96	0.28	2.87	5.02	-1.66
CA	16.20	10.70	10.76	0.28	8.76	8.82	-1.66
FL	13.60	4.26	5.48	3.43	2.01	3.48	1.01
White Seedless	14.60	4.36	5.90	3.60	2.16	3.90	1.30
Colored Seedless	13.10	4.20	5.30	3.30	1.92	3.30	0.80
TX	13.10	2.36	3.50	0.60	1.23	2.35	-0.50
US	13.60	4.23	5.49	3.27	2.07	3.59	0.92
Lemons							
AZ	20.10	4.90	11.66	1.12	1.26	8.02	-2.52
CA	19.50	5.03	11.06	1.12	1.39	7.42	-2.52
US	19.60	5.01	11.15	1.12	1.37	7.51	-2.52
Oranges							
AZ							
Navel and Misc	16.80	5.83	10.78	0.04	3.85	8.80	-1.94
CA							
Navel and Misc	16.90	9.34	10.88	0.04	7.36	8.90	-1.94
FL							
Early and Mids	13.40	4.43	6.00	4.40	2.62	4.00	2.60
TX							
Early and Mids	10.20	1.40	0.50	2.12	0.13	-0.80	0.87
US	16.30	5.12	10.03	4.27	3.29	8.07	2.47
Tangelos							
FL	12.00	2.29	4.40	2.00	-0.28	2.00	-0.60
Tangerines							
AZ	25.70	12.60	19.80	0.84	10.52	17.72	-1.24
CA	26.50	14.83	20.60	0.84	12.75	18.52	-1.24
FL	27.00	12.59	18.30	2.30	9.04	14.90	-1.50
US	26.70	13.18	19.12	1.78	10.20	16.25	-1.41
Temples							
FL	14.00	4.04	6.80	2.00	2.03	4.90	-0.10

1/ Net lbs. per box: Grapefruit-AZ & CA-67, FL-85, TX-80; Lemons-76;
Oranges-AZ & CA-75, FL-90, TX-85; Tangelos-90; Tangerines-AZ & CA-75,
FL-95, Temples-90.

Potatoes: Prices Received, by States,
January and February 2001

State	Jan	Feb	State	Jan	Feb
	: Dollars per Cwt			: Dollars per Cwt	
AL			NC		
AZ			ND - All 1/	5.30	5.50
CA - All	13.30	14.90	- Fresh 2/	6.00	NA
- Winter	21.20	20.50	- Processing	4.85	NA
- Spring			OH	7.40	7.05
- Summer			OR	4.70	4.90
- Fall	5.45	5.40	PA	7.75	9.00
CO - All 1/	2.60	2.80	TX		
- Fresh 2/	1.96	NA	VA		
FL		26.00	WA - All	4.60	4.70
ID - All 1/	3.30	3.35	- Processing	4.70	NA
- Fresh 2/	2.00	NA	WI - All 1/	3.95	4.60
- Processing	4.60	NA	- Fresh 2/	2.45	NA
ME	5.50	5.70	- Processing	5.00	NA
MI	6.85	7.10			
MN	5.20	5.30	US - All 1/	4.56	5.05
NY	8.70	8.55	- Fresh 2/	3.71	NA
			- Processing	5.11	NA

- 1/ Average price of potatoes sold for all uses, including table stock, processing, seed and livestock feed.
2/ Fresh market prices only, includes table stock prices.

Cattle: Prices Received, by States, January and February 2001

State	Cows 1/		Steers & Heifers:		Beef Cattle 4/		Calves	
	Jan 2/	Feb 3/	Jan 2/	Feb 3/	Jan 2/	Feb 3/	Jan 2/	Feb 3/
	Dollars per Cwt							
AZ	37.00	39.20	77.40	77.30	77.00	76.90	107.00	111.00
AR	37.70	40.50	79.00	76.10	66.60	65.40	99.70	93.20
CA	37.50	39.00	78.00	78.00	54.10	55.00	98.00	95.00
CO	39.90	43.40	82.40	79.50	79.00	77.00	109.00	110.00
FL	41.40	44.00	83.20	84.00	49.30	51.60	106.00	111.00
GA	38.70	41.60	79.80	80.20	53.10	55.10	102.00	101.00
ID	37.80	38.40	80.00	79.30	68.60	70.30	102.00	103.00
IL	37.50	40.40	77.00	77.00	76.20	76.30	109.00	111.00
IA	38.50	40.30	77.40	77.50	76.20	76.80	98.80	99.00
KS	39.40	41.40	80.90	79.30	79.20	78.20	111.00	105.00
KY	38.00	40.00	83.00	80.00	72.20	70.40	98.00	97.00
LA	37.90	43.00	83.20	82.00	51.50	53.90	101.00	101.00
MI	37.50	42.50	66.50	69.00	57.80	61.10	102.00	115.00
MN	39.70	41.00	73.60	75.00	68.10	69.60	93.40	92.00
MO	37.90	40.30	88.60	85.70	70.20	70.30	104.00	102.00
MT	38.60	42.40	91.00	87.70	86.30	80.90	107.00	106.00
NE	39.80	42.80	76.00	75.60	74.90	74.60	109.00	106.00
NM	42.30	44.50	89.40	89.00	69.10	71.20	105.00	103.00
ND	39.90	41.00	89.10	90.00	82.20	85.10	99.50	100.00
OH	39.10	41.00	74.10	75.00	70.60	71.60	105.00	97.00
OK	39.70	42.60	89.00	86.90	81.20	79.80	104.00	105.00
OR	38.70	40.10	84.00	82.50	70.40	69.80	95.80	96.40
PA	40.10	42.20	75.00	74.60	65.90	66.20	110.00	112.00
SD	39.60	41.30	88.80	84.50	80.40	79.70	107.00	102.00
TN	38.00	40.00	84.00	83.00	65.60	65.80	99.00	98.00
TX	37.50	40.00	81.40	80.00	78.30	77.20	111.00	107.00
VA	35.40	37.20	82.30	79.10	62.10	63.60	95.80	94.90
WI	39.70	44.00	72.20	74.20	53.40	56.70	119.00	126.00
WY	40.30	42.00	89.30	87.50	84.40	83.00	108.00	110.00
US	39.00	41.50	79.30	78.40	74.80	74.70	108.00	108.00

- 1/ Beef cows and cull dairy cows sold for slaughter.
- 2/ Entire month.
- 3/ Mid-month.
- 4/ "Cows" and "steers and heifers" combined.

Hogs: Prices Received, by States, January and February 2001

State	Sows		Barrows and Gilts		All Hogs	
	Jan 1/ 1/	Feb 2/ 2/	Jan 1/ 1/	Feb 2/ 2/	Jan 1/ 1/	Feb 2/ 2/
	Dollars per Cwt					
AR	31.20	30.60	34.10	34.00	33.80	33.70
IL	30.70	30.80	36.60	38.00	36.10	37.40
IN	31.30	31.40	35.50	36.70	35.10	36.20
IA	34.40	34.50	39.20	42.20	39.20	41.90
KS	33.50	30.70	36.00	36.80	35.70	36.00
MI	29.00	29.00	37.50	38.00	36.80	37.30
MN	32.50	33.50	37.50	40.00	37.40	39.70
MO	28.90	27.70	34.70	35.50	34.20	34.90
NE	30.50	31.00	39.30	40.80	39.10	40.60
NC	30.30	29.70	37.30	38.20	37.20	38.10
OH	31.80	31.00	38.20	39.00	36.40	38.40
OK	30.60	29.80	34.70	34.90	34.10	34.10
PA	28.70	28.50	36.20	36.10	35.00	35.00
SD	29.70	28.50	39.90	41.20	38.60	39.90
TX	28.70	27.10	35.70	34.60	34.70	33.50
WI	28.30	27.60	33.60	34.70	32.90	33.80
US	31.20	30.40	37.60	39.20	37.20	38.60

1/ Entire month.
2/ Mid-month.

Sheep and Poultry: Prices Received, by States,
January and February 2001

State	January		February	
	Sheep 1/	Lambs 1/	Turkeys 2/3/	Eggs 2/4/
	---- Dollars per Cwt ----		Dollars per Pound	Dol/Doz
AL				.540
AR			.37	.370
CA	40.50	69.00	.45	.580
CO	38.40	69.10		
CT				.590
DE				
FL				.500
GA				.471
ID	41.00	78.00		
IN			.34	.520
IA	45.70	67.00		.407
KS	32.30	69.00		
ME				.670
MD				
MI				.450
MN	30.00	73.70	.34	.450
MS				.580
MO			.37	.410
MT	39.00	89.70		
NE	37.00	63.40		
NY				.607
NC			.36	.438
ND	34.40	73.60		
OH	37.70	83.50		.547
OR	30.00	80.70		
PA				.550
SC				.500
SD	42.20	91.40		
TX	50.20	75.70		.530
UT	36.00	80.00		
VA			.36	
WA				.625
WY	41.00	81.50		
US	43.30	74.10	.363	.509

1/ Entire month.

2/ Mid-month.

3/ IN, IA, MN and PA are actual liveweight prices. All other State prices are equivalent liveweight returns to producers derived from ready-to-cook (RTC) prices using the following formula: (RTC price minus processing cost) * (dressing percentage) = liveweight equivalent price.

4/ Market (table) eggs.

Milk and Milk Cows: Prices Received, by States, January and February 2001

State	January						February		
	Fluid Grade Milk 1/	Manufacturing Grade Milk	All Milk 2/		All Milk 2/3/		Milk Cows 4/		
	Price	Fat Test	Price	Fat Test	Price	Fat Test	Price	Fat Test	Price
	Dol/Cwt	Pct	Dol/Cwt	Pct	Dol/Cwt	Pct	Dol/Cwt	Pct	Dol/Head
AZ	12.90	3.71			12.90	3.71	12.50	3.64	
CA	12.20	3.75	10.80	4.10	12.19	3.75	12.00	3.72	
FL	18.30	3.66			18.30	3.66	16.10	3.62	
ID	10.80	3.69	10.80	3.98	10.80	3.69	10.80	3.66	
IL	11.80	3.80	11.80	3.71	11.80	3.80	11.50	3.77	
IN	14.90	3.84	10.40	4.04	14.70	3.85	14.50	3.82	
IA	13.00	3.79	10.50	3.90	12.90	3.80	12.20	3.85	
KY	14.90	3.79	9.60	4.03	14.80	3.79	14.20	3.74	
MI	13.90	3.78	12.30	3.78	13.90	3.78	13.90	3.76	
MN	13.00	3.78	10.70	3.83	12.90	3.78	13.20	3.76	
MO	13.00	3.80	10.20	4.00	12.90	3.81	12.10	3.79	
NM	13.20	3.72			13.20	3.72	12.80	3.68	
NY	14.10	3.78			14.10	3.78	14.20	3.77	
OH	13.60	3.81	12.20	3.92	13.50	3.82	13.30	3.79	
PA	14.50	3.80	10.40	3.85	14.50	3.80	14.80	3.80	
TX	14.20	3.81			14.20	3.81	13.80	3.75	
VT	13.80	3.78			13.80	3.78	14.00	3.76	
VA	15.90	3.76			15.90	3.76	15.20	3.70	
WA	13.50	3.72			13.50	3.72	12.90	3.68	
WI	12.70	3.82	10.70	3.91	12.60	3.83	12.80	3.81	
US	13.20	3.77	10.90	3.92	13.20	3.78	13.10	3.75	

- 1/ Including milk diverted to manufacturing.
- 2/ Before deductions for hauling. Includes quality, quantity, and other premiums. Excludes hauling subsidies.
- 3/ Preliminary.
- 4/ Animals sold for dairy herd replacement only. Prices published Jan, Apr, Jul and Oct.

Parity Price Equivalent for Manufacturing Milk 1/: United States, January and February 2001, with Comparisons

Item	Feb 2000	Jan 2001	Feb 2001
Parity Equivalent.....Dol per Cwt	28.39	29.03	29.85
Average Price F.O.B.....Dol per Cwt	10.20	10.90	2/11.10
Average Fat Test of Milk..Percent	3.84	3.92	2/3.90

- 1/ The parity price equivalent during 2001 is 91.0 percent of the parity price of all milk sold to plants, compared with 90.4 percent in 2000. For additional details, see January 2001 issue of "Agricultural Prices".
- 2/ Preliminary.

United States Parity Prices for Farm Products and Average Prices Received as
Percent of Parity Prices Based on Data for February 2001, with Comparisons 1/

Commodity and Unit	: Adjusted: : Base : Prices	Parity Prices Based on Data for			: Prices as Percent : of Parity			
		: Feb : 2000	: Jan : 2001	: Feb : 2001	: Feb : 2000	: Jan : 2001	: Feb : 2001	
		----- Dollars -----			----- Percents -----			
Basic Commodities	:							
All Wheat, Bu	:	.589	9.62	9.61	9.86	26	30	29
Rice, Cwt	:	1.64	28.40	26.70	27.50	21	22	21
Corn, Bu	:	.402	6.64	6.56	6.73	30	30	29
Cotton, Lb	:							
American Upland	:	.102	1.77	1.66	1.71	26	32	29
Extra Long Staple	:	.142	2.26	2.32	2.38			
Peanuts, Lb	:	.0414	.673	.675	.693		44	
Tobacco, By Type, Lb	:							
Flue-Cured 11-14	:	.256	4.00	4.18	4.29			
VA Fire-Cured, 21	:	.257	4.01	4.19	4.30		40	29
KY-TN Fire-Cured, 22-23	:	.323	5.02	5.27	5.41	46	43	40
Burley, 31	:	.273	4.27	4.45	4.57	44	44	42
Maryland, 32	:	.225	3.62	3.67	3.77			
Dark Air-Cured, 35-36	:	.273	4.30	4.45	4.57	42	43	34
Sun-Cured, 37	:	.232	3.65	3.78	3.88		46	37
PA Seedleaf, 41	:	.190	3.03	3.10	3.18			
Cigar Filler & Binder, 42-44, 54-55	:	.218	3.35	3.56	3.65			
Puerto Rican Filler, 46	:	.173	2.73	2.82	2.90			
Cigar Binder, 51-52	:	.652	9.67	10.60	10.90			
Designated Nonbasic	:							
All Milk, Sold to Plants, Per Cwt	:	1.96	31.40	32.00	32.80	2/38	2/41	2/40
Honey, Extracted, Lb	:	3/.0918	1.42	1.50	1.54			
Wool and Mohair	:							
Wool, Lb	:	.101	1.80	1.65	1.69			
Mohair, Lb	:	.269	3.79	4.39	4.50			
Other Nonbasic	:							
Barley, Bu	:	.393	5.93	6.41	6.58	36	31	30
Cottonseed, Ton	:	15.50	246.00	253.00	259.00	47	43	44
Dry Edible Beans, Cwt	:	2.92	49.10	47.60	48.90	32	32	30
Flaxseed, Bu	:	.690	11.70	11.30	11.60	29	31	30
Oats, Bu	:	.230	3.37	3.75	3.85	38	32	31
Potatoes, Cwt	:	.831	13.50	13.60	13.90	44	34	36
Rye, Bu	:	.335	5.18	5.46	5.61			
Sorghum Grain, Cwt	:	.689	10.40	11.20	11.50	29	30	29
Soybeans, Bu	:	.876	13.90	14.30	14.70	34	33	30
Sweetpotatoes, Cwt	:	2.09	32.70	34.10	35.00			
Apples, Fresh, Lb 4/	:	.0298	1.47	.486	.499	14	33	30
Citrus (equiv on-tree), box:	:							
Grapefruit	:	.493	8.17	8.04	8.25	53	23	25
Lemons	:	1.20	19.30	19.60	20.10	54	17	7
Limes (FL)	:	1.27	20.50	20.70	21.30			
Oranges	:	.695	11.50	11.30	11.60	30	25	28
Tangerines	:	1.68	28.40	27.40	28.10	24	43	36
Temples (FL)	:	.591	10.00	9.64	9.89	23	59	21
Beef Cattle, Cwt	:	9.65	154.00	157.00	162.00	44	48	46
Calves, Cwt	:	12.70	198.00	207.00	213.00	53	52	51
Hogs, Cwt	:	6.29	102.00	103.00	105.00	39	36	37
Lambs, Cwt	:	10.60	163.00	173.00	177.00	44	43	
Sheep, Cwt	:	4.42	67.30	72.10	74.00	59	60	
Eggs, Doz	:	.0949	1.50	1.55	1.59	2/43	2/38	2/39
Turkeys, Live, Lb	:	.0585	.916	.954	.979	39	38	37

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Parity Prices Based on Data for February 2001, United States 1/ (continued)

Other Nonbasic Commodities	Adj Base Prices	Parity Prices	Other Nonbasic Commodities	Adj Base Prices	Parity Prices
	Dollars			Dollars	
Field Crops and Misc Commodities			Noncitrus Fruit		
Hops, Lb	.251	4.20	Peaches, cont.		
Spearmint Oil, Lb	1.71	28.60	Processing 5/		
Tobacco, Lb			Excl Dried		
Type 61	2.66	44.50	Clingstone, CA, Ton	32.50	544.00
Noncitrus Fruit			Pears, Ton		
Apples, Ton 6/			Fresh 4/	52.00	870.00
Processing	19.60	328.00	Dried, CA 6/	155.00	2590.00
Apricots, Ton			Plums, CA, Ton		
Fresh 7/	110.00	1840.00	Fresh, Equiv on-Tree	54.50	912.00
Dried, CA	295.00	4940.00	Prunes, Dried, CA, Ton 6/	139.00	2330.00
Avocados, Ton 7/	210.00	3520.00	Prunes and Plums, Excl CA, Ton		
Cherries			Fresh 9/	52.90	886.00
Sweet, Ton	170.00	2850.00	Processing 6/		
Tart, Lb	.0270	.452	Excl Dried	24.40	408.00
Cranberry, Bbl 5/	7.07	118.00	Tree Nuts 10/		
Dates, CA, Ton 7/	150.00	2510.00	Almonds, Lb	.225	3.77
Grapes, Ton			Hazelnuts, Ton	120.00	2010.00
Raisin Variety	152.00	2540.00	Pistachio, Lb	.161	2.70
Other Dried	63.00	1050.00	Walnuts, Ton	180.00	3010.00
Kiwifruit, Ton	76.10	1270.00	Vegetables, Cwt 11/		
Nectarines			Fresh		
Fresh, Calif, Ton 7/	62.70	1050.00	Carrots 8/	1.93	32.30
Olives, CA			Cauliflower 8/	4.47	74.80
Canning, Ton 5/	96.50	1620.00	Celery 8/	1.96	32.80
Papayas (HI) Lb	.0522	.874	Honeydew Melons	2.70	45.20
Peaches			Lettuce	2.28	38.20
Fresh, Lb 4/	.0382	.639	Onions 8/	1.71	28.60
Dried, CA, Ton	113.00	1890.00	Tomatoes	4.44	74.30

- 1/ Parity prices are computed under the provisions of Title III, Subtitle a, Section 301 (a) of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 as amended by the Agricultural Acts of 1948, 1949, and 1956. See January "Agricultural Prices" for details on adjusted base price and parity price computations.
- 2/ Seasonally adjusted price as percentage of parity price.
- 3/ Wholesale extracted. Adjusted base price derived from state annual average prices weighted by production. For 1982 through 1985 the national averages are the support prices.
- 4/ Equivalent packinghouse-door returns for CA, NY (apples only), OR (except peaches), and WA. Price at point of first sale for other states.
- 5/ Equivalent returns for bulk fruit at first delivery point.
- 6/ Equivalent returns at processing plant door.
- 7/ Equivalent returns at packinghouse door.
- 8/ Includes some processing.
- 9/ Based on "as sold" prices for fresh fruit in all states.
- 10/ Prices in-shell basis except almonds which are shelled basis.
- 11/ F.O.B. shipping point prices.

Potatoes: Prices Received, Monthly and Marketing Year Average
by State and U.S., 2000 1/

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	Dollars per Cwt					
AL						11.40
AK						
AZ				10.30	10.30	7.25
CA - All	13.20	12.70	13.40	14.30	10.80	11.20
Winter	18.60	17.20	18.80	17.20		
Spring					11.90	11.70
Summer						
Fall	7.80	7.75	7.40	7.10	6.60	6.45
CO - All	4.20	4.40	4.65	4.50	3.80	3.35
Fresh	4.20	4.20	4.15	3.90	3.95	3.75
DE						
FL	18.50	22.20	16.00	11.60	8.40	7.95
ID - All	4.95	4.80	5.45	5.70	5.65	4.35
Fresh	5.00	4.60	4.60	4.30	4.10	3.70
Processing	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.20	5.40
IL						
IN						
IA 2/						
KS 3/						
ME	6.30	6.35	6.40	6.80	6.60	6.75
MD						
MA						
MI	6.90	7.20	7.35	7.80	8.35	8.50
MN	6.20	7.15	7.50	6.85	5.90	4.75
MO						
MT						
NE						
NV						
NJ						
NM						
NY	8.25	8.35	8.60	8.75		
NC						6.40
ND - All	5.75	5.80	6.40	6.55	6.25	4.75
Fresh	7.85	6.70	6.50	5.85	5.00	4.00
Processing	5.05	4.90	4.95	5.30	4.90	4.75
OH	6.40	6.20	6.20	8.00	8.00	
OR	5.10	4.95	5.80	5.80	5.80	4.45
PA	7.90	8.30	9.50	9.90	9.15	9.20
RI						
SD						
TX					8.60	8.10
UT						
VA						8.95
WA - All	5.55	5.40	5.50	5.40	5.15	5.10
Processing	5.05	5.00	5.10	5.30	5.15	4.90
WI - All	4.90	6.00	5.60	4.70	4.35	3.85
Fresh	5.10	4.75	4.35	4.10	4.25	4.15
Processing	4.50	6.15	5.25	4.25	3.85	3.00
WY 2/						
US - All	5.68	5.92	6.26	6.46	6.31	6.14
Fresh	6.32	6.71	6.77	7.05	7.17	7.32
Processing	5.24	5.31	5.26	5.44	5.42	5.33

See footnotes at end of table.

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Potatoes: Prices Received, Monthly and Marketing Year Average
by State and U.S., 2000 1/ (continued)

State	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	MYA
	Dollars per Cwt						
AL	11.20	12.30					11.50
AK							21.40
AZ	7.75						9.05
CA - All	14.60	17.80	17.10	7.30	7.75	10.80	12.50
Winter					14.90	21.60	17.00
Spring	13.20						12.20
Summer	20.10	17.80	17.10	14.70			18.60
Fall	6.20			5.70	5.65	5.50	5.35
CO - All	3.10	5.25	4.30	3.20	2.70	2.45	2.85
Fresh	3.30	5.35	4.45	3.25	2.65	2.30	2.75
DE							9.40
FL							10.50
ID - All	3.60	4.20	4.00	3.90	3.70	3.75	3.80
Fresh	2.60	3.70	2.90	2.30	2.50	2.40	2.55
Processing	4.60	4.90	4.50	4.30	4.50	4.90	4.35
IL							5.30
IN							5.60
IA 2/							
KS 3/							5.85
ME		5.80	5.50	5.60	5.50	5.75	6.25
MD							8.55
MA							5.55
MI	8.60	6.95	5.95	5.95	6.35	6.55	6.85
MN	5.80	6.55	5.75	4.60	4.90	4.30	5.35
MO							5.55
MT							8.35
NE							4.80
NV							3.30
NJ							6.00
NM							4.25
NY		10.00	8.90	8.70	8.30	8.90	8.90
NC	6.55						6.50
ND - All	4.80	5.25	5.30	5.05	5.25	4.90	5.30
Fresh		8.60	7.25	5.80	6.00	5.40	5.80
Processing	4.80	5.00	4.90	4.80	5.00	4.70	4.95
OH	10.10	8.80	7.95	7.45	6.05	7.45	7.45
OR	4.45	4.60	4.20	4.40	4.05	4.05	4.55
PA		6.85	7.25	7.40	7.25	8.40	7.60
RI							7.40
SD							4.65
TX	12.10	10.90					10.10
UT							4.80
VA	8.45	13.00					8.50
WA - All	3.80	4.60	3.95	4.00	4.10	4.35	4.15
Processing	4.85	4.30	3.90	4.00	4.15	4.45	4.15
WI - All		5.85	4.75	4.85	3.50	3.85	4.45
Fresh		7.30	5.15	5.20	2.65	3.00	3.80
Processing		4.70	4.45	4.55	4.70	4.60	4.60
WY 2/							
US - All	6.93	5.56	4.49	4.27	4.31	4.48	4.95
Fresh	9.49	8.00	4.89	4.24	3.72	3.96	5.39
Processing	4.85	4.52	4.36	4.29	4.69	4.83	4.61

1/ Preliminary. State Marketing Year Average Prices are computed by weighting state monthly prices by estimated sales for the month during the crop year. U.S. Marketing Year Average Price is computed by weighting state Marketing Year Average Prices by estimated sales for the crop year. Monthly prices refer to all potatoes sold in a given month regardless of the year harvested.

2/ Estimates discontinued in 2000.

3/ Estimates begun in 2000.

Cattle: Marketing Year Average Prices Received
by States and United States, 1999-2000

State	Cows 1/		Steers & Heifers		All Beef 2/	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	Dollars per Cwt					
AL	33.40	36.70	71.30	83.10	60.10	70.00
AK	59.90	60.00	80.00	84.00	69.00	75.60
AZ	34.10	36.20	65.20	69.10	64.90	68.60
AR	32.20	34.50	68.90	79.40	56.40	65.40
CA	34.80	35.90	64.30	69.80	49.00	50.00
CO	36.30	39.20	67.40	71.70	65.30	69.70
CT	40.00	42.00	55.00	58.00	55.00	57.00
DE	40.10	43.00	64.60	70.30	62.50	67.90
FL	34.50	38.40	68.20	83.00	42.30	48.20
GA	34.00	37.90	66.60	79.70	45.30	52.20
HI	27.60	27.40	46.60	49.90	36.00	38.20
ID	34.30	36.10	66.30	72.00	58.40	63.10
IL	34.10	38.40	63.90	68.30	63.40	67.70
IN	37.00	39.00	62.80	65.70	54.10	57.10
IA	36.90	37.50	65.10	70.00	62.80	69.10
KS	34.80	37.60	67.30	72.70	66.50	71.70
KY	34.80	37.80	69.50	82.70	59.30	71.90
LA	33.30	36.60	70.10	83.20	45.50	51.60
ME	45.00	50.00	65.00	70.00	60.00	65.00
MD	40.10	43.00	64.60	70.30	62.50	67.90
MA	35.00	40.00	50.00	57.00	50.00	56.00
MI	35.30	38.10	58.70	63.60	50.50	56.00
MN	36.20	39.70	63.20	66.80	58.50	62.20
MS	33.50	37.90	67.50	77.20	51.50	61.90
MO	34.80	38.00	75.30	87.50	65.60	76.00
MT	36.30	39.50	78.20	88.30	67.60	78.20
NE	34.60	38.40	66.30	70.00	65.40	69.20
NV	36.50	37.90	74.90	88.60	65.30	75.90
NH	40.00	41.00	65.00	68.00	60.00	62.00
NJ	34.00	37.00	53.00	57.00	39.00	42.00
NM	38.10	40.70	72.80	85.00	60.00	67.80
NY	32.80	36.20	54.30	58.70	37.10	38.00
NC	35.00	39.00	71.20	84.50	57.70	68.00
ND	37.00	40.00	74.00	84.20	65.30	76.50
OH	34.50	38.00	65.20	70.30	62.20	67.10
OK	35.00	38.00	75.20	84.80	69.70	79.90
OR	37.10	37.70	72.10	84.30	61.60	70.50
PA	36.20	38.60	62.10	67.40	55.40	59.90
RI	45.00	47.00	60.00	63.00	55.00	57.00
SC	34.90	41.60	65.30	77.50	58.00	68.80
SD	35.30	38.50	75.00	81.80	69.00	75.50
TN	32.90	37.20	71.80	83.80	56.60	65.20
TX	33.10	36.00	67.50	74.00	64.60	70.70
UT	36.80	38.60	68.30	73.80	66.10	71.30
VT	35.00	40.00	65.00	68.00	60.00	63.00
VA	31.30	35.90	68.20	81.60	56.40	66.20
WA	35.80	38.60	72.60	85.80	68.60	80.60
WV	29.70	34.80	66.60	77.10	46.30	59.10
WI	36.50	38.80	62.60	68.70	47.50	51.40
WY	38.30	39.70	77.70	87.50	71.70	81.50
Year	United States					
2000	37.90		72.30		68.60	
1999	35.10		66.90		63.40	

See footnotes at end of table.

Cattle: Marketing Year Average Prices Received,
by States and United States, 1999-2000

State	Calves		Milk Cows 3/	
	1999	2000	1999	2000
	Dollars per Cwt		Dollars per Head	
AL	84.70	102.00	1240	1300
AK	83.40	100.00	1300	1350
AZ	85.40	102.00	1380	1370
AR	84.20	96.00	1200	1270
CA	79.10	93.00	1380	1490
CO	89.40	105.00	1360	1410
CT	55.00	65.00	1230	1350
DE	85.00	95.00	1300	1350
FL	86.70	101.00	1330	1450
GA	81.70	98.20	1340	1370
HI	51.00	61.00	1070	1090
ID	81.30	91.60	1340	1370
IL	108.00	115.00	1280	1290
IN	77.10	95.00	1230	1280
IA	84.90	102.00	1290	1290
KS	91.80	107.00	1230	1280
KY	80.20	96.10	1200	1280
LA	82.20	98.50	1200	1310
ME	45.00	55.00	1110	1220
MD	85.00	95.00	1250	1300
MA	45.00	60.00	1280	1290
MI	68.90	102.00	1310	1350
MN	79.70	94.80	1240	1250
MS	77.00	94.20	1140	1260
MO	85.10	102.00	1120	1230
MT	89.90	103.00	1210	1220
NE	89.50	106.00	1290	1290
NV	88.00	112.00	1400	1460
NH	45.00	60.00	1250	1350
NJ	67.00	93.00	1350	1350
NM	86.60	101.00	1330	1430
NY	70.80	104.00	1190	1230
NC	78.50	96.20	1250	1370
ND	87.20	98.60	1180	1150
OH	76.50	94.70	1240	1300
OK	87.60	102.00	1190	1240
OR	79.80	93.00	1300	1290
PA	100.00	109.00	1300	1330
RI	50.00	60.00	1350	1300
SC	82.20	101.00	1350	1450
SD	92.00	108.00	1220	1200
TN	82.00	94.80	1180	1300
TX	89.50	107.00	1330	1400
UT	86.40	98.90	1220	1220
VT	45.00	60.00	1240	1300
VA	77.50	100.00	1230	1300
WA	83.10	96.80	1320	1310
WV	74.70	87.50	1240	1320
WI	115.00	127.00	1310	1280
WY	95.40	107.00	1200	1280
Year	United States			
2000	104.00		1340	
1999	87.70		1280	

1/ Beef Cows and Cull dairy cows sold for slaughter. 2/ "Cows" and "Steers and Heifers" combined. 3/ Calendar year average.

Hogs: Marketing Year Average Prices Received,
by States and United States, 1999-2000

State	Barrows & Gilts		Sows		All	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	Dollars per Cwt					
AL	31.00	40.20	23.70	36.30	29.70	39.50
AK	56.10	60.00	42.30	42.10	53.80	58.40
AZ	33.00	46.10	20.80	35.80	32.50	45.60
AR	30.00	39.70	23.00	34.80	28.60	39.10
CA	35.10	44.10	22.30	32.90	35.10	44.10
CO	32.30	45.50	24.90	36.40	31.80	44.90
CT	32.00	41.00	16.00	30.00	31.00	40.00
DE	29.80	37.40	22.50	34.10	29.40	37.30
FL	30.00	36.90	17.80	31.90	25.40	35.40
GA	31.10	41.00	22.30	35.60	30.20	40.50
HI	82.50	82.00	44.60	43.90	80.50	79.30
ID	33.00	45.50	24.00	36.50	32.50	45.00
IL	29.00	40.90	21.50	33.50	28.40	40.40
IN	29.80	40.80	22.80	34.20	29.10	40.10
IA	32.50	44.70	23.90	36.80	32.30	44.50
KS	28.10	41.50	22.20	34.70	27.40	40.60
KY	28.80	40.40	22.20	34.20	28.50	40.20
LA	27.50	37.30	18.00	28.60	25.10	35.10
ME	32.00	41.00	16.00	30.00	31.00	40.00
MD	29.80	37.40	22.50	34.10	29.40	37.30
MA	32.00	41.00	16.00	30.00	31.00	40.00
MI	31.20	41.50	20.20	30.80	29.80	40.70
MN	30.70	44.20	23.80	35.20	30.50	44.00
MS	29.90	40.10	20.10	30.60	29.80	40.00
MO	28.10	39.40	21.00	32.90	27.50	38.90
MT	31.70	41.00	22.70	29.00	30.80	39.80
NE	32.40	44.40	24.80	34.80	32.30	44.30
NV	35.00	40.00	21.50	31.80	34.20	39.20
NH	32.00	41.00	16.00	30.00	31.00	40.00
NJ	27.20	37.00	18.00	31.00	27.00	35.00
NM	30.30	38.00	21.50	28.90	30.30	37.60
NY	27.30	34.80	15.50	27.70	26.10	34.10
NC	30.40	42.50	23.40	33.30	30.30	42.40
ND	31.50	43.50	22.20	30.70	30.10	43.10
OH	30.90	42.40	22.40	35.20	30.30	41.30
OK	29.00	39.10	22.30	33.50	28.10	38.40
OR	35.30	47.50	18.30	23.20	35.00	47.00
PA	29.40	40.00	19.60	31.80	28.00	38.80
RI	32.00	41.00	16.00	30.00	31.00	40.00
SC	29.10	41.00	24.00	34.00	28.80	40.60
SD	32.50	44.80	22.30	33.30	31.30	43.40
TN	29.70	42.00	24.10	36.00	29.20	41.00
TX	28.90	37.90	19.40	28.80	27.50	36.60
UT	35.30	46.00	27.50	35.80	35.30	45.90
VT	32.00	41.00	16.00	30.00	31.00	40.00
VA	29.50	42.50	21.30	31.60	29.20	42.30
WA	34.00	43.80	17.00	35.60	33.00	43.00
WV	32.70	40.70	20.60	30.00	30.20	38.00
WI	28.00	38.70	18.60	30.70	26.80	37.60
WY	29.00	43.00	21.50	34.00	27.30	41.00
US	30.80	42.80	22.10	33.90	30.30	42.30

Sheep: Marketing Year Average Prices Received,
by States and United States, 1999-2000

State	Lambs		Sheep	
	1999	2000	1999	2000
Dollars per Cwt				
AZ	75.00	75.00	34.00	38.00
CA	74.80	78.20	28.70	31.50
CO	74.30	78.30	29.90	32.60
ID	70.30	76.30	30.00	32.40
IL	68.00	72.00	28.50	30.00
IN	71.30	73.80	30.60	35.40
IA	69.70	73.80	31.90	33.60
KS	75.60	78.70	25.30	29.30
MI	69.00	75.00	30.00	31.00
MN	73.20	75.40	25.00	26.70
MO	75.00	79.00	33.00	35.50
MT	76.80	84.50	29.10	31.40
NE	72.50	75.30	31.50	34.60
NV	70.00	72.40	23.00	27.90
N ENG 1/	110.00	110.00	40.00	40.00
NM	75.00	79.70	35.00	41.00
NY	83.10	91.70	36.40	36.60
ND	71.50	76.90	25.20	30.60
OH	73.70	77.50	32.20	32.50
OK	73.00	75.00	32.00	35.00
OR	66.90	78.70	27.70	27.20
PA	81.10	88.80	33.10	35.50
SD	79.70	88.20	30.40	33.30
TX	76.50	80.30	38.90	41.10
UT	73.80	82.00	24.70	28.20
VA	74.90	84.00	28.70	30.20
WA	66.50	78.00	28.10	29.70
WV	72.80	86.20	24.60	31.30
WI	70.40	73.00	30.00	30.80
WY	75.70	82.70	28.90	31.40
Oth St 2/	79.10	79.40	34.90	34.20
United States				
2000	79.40		34.20	
1999	74.50		31.10	

1/ Includes CT, ME, MA, NH, RI and VT.

2/ Other States include AL, AK, AR, DE, FL, GA, HI, KY, LA, MD, MS, NJ, NC, SC and TN.

Cows 1/: Monthly Prices Received by States 2000,
and United States, 1996-2000

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
Dollars per Cwt						
AZ	34.20	35.80	38.60	38.60	36.80	37.00
AR	32.50	33.70	35.60	36.40	35.40	36.70
CA	35.50	36.50	36.50	36.50	37.00	37.50
CO	37.80	39.00	41.00	40.70	41.50	41.10
FL	37.40	37.20	40.40	40.40	39.50	40.80
GA	36.20	37.20	39.30	40.00	39.50	39.80
ID	35.00	37.00	37.30	36.00	38.30	38.70
IL	33.20	35.00	36.40	39.50	40.20	39.20
IA	37.90	39.60	42.60	43.00	41.60	41.30
KS	34.60	36.80	38.70	39.50	38.60	41.40
KY	34.00	36.00	38.00	40.00	41.00	41.00
LA	34.90	36.50	38.80	38.90	37.50	38.60
MI	36.00	38.00	40.50	40.50	40.50	41.00
MN	36.60	38.20	40.40	42.10	41.40	42.00
MO	35.20	36.70	38.40	39.40	39.30	40.80
MT	35.50	36.80	41.60	42.20	41.50	42.20
NE	34.40	36.80	39.40	41.10	37.70	39.50
NM	38.90	40.00	41.60	42.10	41.90	42.90
ND	39.30	40.00	40.50	43.50	41.60	44.80
OH	36.00	36.30	38.10	39.70	40.60	41.20
OK	35.90	37.10	39.70	39.90	38.60	40.10
OR	37.60	38.50	39.00	39.10	39.30	40.10
PA	37.30	36.90	38.80	40.10	40.90	41.20
SD	35.10	37.20	40.90	40.00	39.90	41.50
TN	34.00	36.00	38.00	40.00	40.00	41.00
TX	34.20	34.80	38.40	38.80	36.30	39.30
VA	32.80	34.20	35.60	37.30	38.00	37.80
WI	37.00	38.20	39.40	40.50	40.20	41.20
WY	39.00	40.80	41.70	43.30	40.70	41.60
United States						
2000	35.90	37.10	39.00	39.80	38.90	40.00
1999	33.40	34.70	35.20	35.10	36.40	36.70
1998	34.50	36.00	36.00	36.20	36.40	36.10
1997	30.00	33.30	36.90	38.20	38.20	37.50
1996	32.00	32.10	31.40	29.40	30.40	30.60

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Cows 1/: Monthly Prices Received by States 2000,
and United States, 1996-2000, (continued)

State	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Dollars per Cwt						
AZ	39.30	39.40	35.50	32.70	36.40	33.40
AR	35.90	36.50	33.60	32.30	33.50	33.30
CA	37.50	37.50	35.00	33.50	35.00	34.00
CO	42.10	41.50	37.90	36.90	37.30	39.10
FL	39.40	39.70	37.40	35.40	37.20	36.50
GA	38.00	38.70	37.20	36.00	36.60	37.60
ID	37.60	37.50	35.80	33.70	33.90	34.90
IL	39.20	38.60	37.60	37.00	36.40	36.60
IA	41.00	40.70	39.60	37.90	36.60	37.90
KS	39.70	39.10	35.60	34.30	35.30	36.40
KY	40.00	39.00	38.00	37.00	37.00	36.00
LA	38.00	37.80	35.60	34.70	35.80	35.70
MI	40.00	37.50	37.50	36.50	37.00	35.00
MN	41.70	41.60	39.40	37.60	37.80	38.00
MO	41.10	40.20	38.10	36.80	36.60	35.20
MT	42.30	40.70	40.30	38.10	37.40	35.40
NE	39.30	40.00	39.00	39.00	39.00	37.90
NM	42.90	42.10	38.70	38.70	39.00	41.10
ND	42.50	40.40	38.40	38.10	36.90	35.70
OH	40.70	37.90	36.80	35.90	36.10	36.20
OK	39.80	39.30	36.90	36.10	36.80	36.10
OR	40.00	40.60	38.60	35.50	36.10	36.90
PA	40.30	39.10	37.80	37.10	37.00	37.50
SD	42.00	42.30	39.00	38.70	35.80	34.90
TN	39.00	39.00	36.00	35.00	35.00	35.00
TX	36.20	35.80	33.50	33.60	36.30	36.10
VA	39.70	37.70	35.50	34.20	34.10	33.20
WI	40.60	39.90	38.50	37.20	36.60	37.10
WY	42.20	39.70	38.60	38.50	38.20	38.60
United States						
2000	39.20	39.00	37.20	36.20	36.60	36.50
1999	37.70	36.30	34.60	33.80	33.60	35.10
1998	34.70	34.20	32.60	30.50	29.70	30.80
1997	38.20	36.40	34.40	33.10	31.90	33.00
1996	31.00	31.80	30.80	30.30	28.00	28.30

1/ Beef Cows and cull Dairy Cows sold for slaughter.

Steers & Heifers: Monthly Prices Received by States 2000,
and United States, 1996-2000

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
Dollars per Cwt						
AZ	68.60	68.90	71.30	72.40	70.80	69.90
AR	75.50	78.50	83.80	83.30	79.40	80.50
CA	67.00	67.50	69.00	72.00	71.00	70.00
CO	73.10	70.60	74.50	75.20	72.00	69.60
FL	83.30	82.00	85.60	85.90	81.90	82.40
GA	76.70	79.30	83.80	82.40	78.70	79.60
ID	73.20	72.30	75.00	75.00	73.40	70.50
IL	67.60	67.70	70.00	72.30	71.50	69.00
IA	68.80	69.30	69.50	72.50	72.30	72.00
KS	72.80	71.70	74.60	76.50	72.90	71.50
KY	80.00	81.00	84.00	85.00	85.00	85.00
LA	83.50	85.00	89.60	86.70	81.00	81.90
MI	62.00	63.00	65.80	66.00	66.00	65.00
MN	66.30	66.00	67.70	70.10	70.10	68.50
MO	85.60	86.30	88.00	88.70	87.20	88.40
MT	86.90	85.40	85.70	87.50	84.50	87.00
NE	69.10	68.90	71.80	74.00	73.10	71.00
NM	85.90	87.50	88.30	84.40	81.20	84.50
ND	84.10	82.70	82.90	82.50	80.30	79.60
OH	66.20	67.00	68.30	74.50	73.90	71.40
OK	86.50	83.50	83.30	82.10	80.70	85.00
OR	82.60	84.10	85.40	86.40	88.00	84.30
PA	66.30	66.20	67.30	69.00	70.30	69.20
SD	85.90	83.00	82.70	82.90	79.90	79.10
TN	84.00	84.00	85.00	87.00	87.00	87.00
TX	73.20	73.80	75.20	77.20	75.70	73.50
VA	76.00	78.00	79.50	83.00	84.60	84.80
WI	68.30	66.50	68.30	70.40	70.40	69.00
WY	88.60	85.00	84.30	86.10	84.00	87.90
United States						
2000	71.60	71.00	73.40	75.20	73.20	71.50
1999	62.20	63.60	65.50	66.00	65.20	66.70
1998	66.10	63.30	64.30	66.30	66.30	64.50
1997	65.20	65.20	67.90	67.90	68.30	64.90
1996	62.60	61.10	60.20	58.10	57.60	59.60

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Steers & Heifers: Monthly Prices Received by States 2000,
and United States, 1996-2000, (continued)

State	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Dollars per Cwt						
AZ	66.80	64.00	64.30	68.10	70.60	73.90
AR	81.60	80.20	76.80	76.80	79.60	79.80
CA	68.50	67.00	67.00	70.00	73.00	76.00
CO	67.00	65.80	68.70	71.90	76.80	77.50
FL	86.70	82.10	76.90	76.60	81.00	79.90
GA	82.20	80.10	75.60	74.80	77.80	79.20
ID	69.70	68.20	68.00	70.90	73.10	76.10
IL	66.30	64.80	63.90	66.00	68.60	73.40
IA	69.50	67.70	66.40	67.80	71.30	73.40
KS	71.70	68.60	68.70	71.30	75.50	78.10
KY	86.00	84.00	80.00	80.00	82.00	83.00
LA	84.00	80.00	77.20	78.70	82.80	81.20
MI	63.50	61.50	62.50	61.50	63.00	63.80
MN	66.30	64.70	63.50	64.30	65.80	68.70
MO	91.50	89.50	84.00	85.50	89.00	88.20
MT	83.80	82.80	84.50	93.90	94.30	90.60
NE	68.20	66.10	65.80	68.10	71.00	74.90
NM	84.70	83.30	82.60	83.90	86.50	89.80
ND	79.10	80.30	82.10	89.40	89.50	86.60
OH	70.40	68.40	70.80	71.10	71.70	69.40
OK	88.50	86.40	83.80	85.70	89.30	90.20
OR	83.60	84.00	83.70	83.70	84.00	82.20
PA	68.20	64.90	63.40	65.20	66.60	71.30
SD	76.10	79.80	80.30	86.00	89.10	87.40
TN	88.00	85.00	80.00	80.00	81.00	82.00
TX	73.50	71.20	70.00	72.00	75.80	78.70
VA	89.50	85.50	80.40	79.30	79.50	78.50
WI	68.50	67.40	65.20	68.90	69.70	71.60
WY	88.30	87.80	85.60	91.80	92.90	93.10
United States						
2000	70.40	68.00	68.60	70.50	73.80	76.80
1999	65.20	66.20	67.10	70.10	70.90	70.80
1998	61.00	59.70	58.90	61.40	62.30	60.30
1997	65.40	66.60	67.00	67.30	68.00	66.80
1996	62.10	64.30	67.90	68.10	68.70	65.50

Beef Cattle 1/: Monthly Prices Received by States 2000,
and United States, 1996-2000

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
Dollars per Cwt						
AZ	68.30	68.60	71.00	72.10	70.50	69.60
AR	64.70	62.40	68.40	67.80	64.00	66.00
CA	48.10	48.90	49.50	52.50	52.00	51.80
CO	70.30	68.40	72.50	73.10	69.90	68.20
FL	47.50	43.90	48.10	46.80	44.60	48.70
GA	48.80	51.50	57.10	54.80	52.80	53.30
ID	63.00	64.50	65.90	65.90	65.00	62.80
IL	66.90	67.00	69.30	71.60	70.90	68.40
IA	68.20	68.60	69.20	72.20	66.50	71.70
KS	71.30	70.70	73.50	75.00	71.50	71.20
KY	69.00	70.20	73.00	74.20	74.40	74.40
LA	49.50	50.10	53.00	52.80	51.00	52.00
MI	54.20	55.50	58.20	58.40	58.40	57.80
MN	60.80	61.70	62.20	65.30	65.80	64.00
MO	75.00	75.40	76.10	76.40	73.80	76.50
MT	76.60	77.10	81.30	77.10	69.50	65.50
NE	68.20	68.10	70.80	72.70	72.00	70.00
NM	65.70	68.50	71.50	70.00	67.80	69.90
ND	78.70	78.90	78.20	73.60	61.30	61.90
OH	63.20	63.90	65.30	71.00	70.60	68.40
OK	81.70	80.50	80.20	79.40	77.20	80.10
OR	69.10	70.40	71.50	72.20	73.40	71.00
PA	58.80	58.60	59.90	61.50	62.60	61.90
SD	77.30	78.00	78.50	77.40	72.70	70.40
TN	64.00	64.80	66.20	68.20	68.20	68.60
TX	70.50	70.70	72.30	73.70	72.20	71.00
VA	57.40	61.80	67.70	72.50	66.90	66.90
WI	50.10	50.10	51.50	53.10	52.90	52.90
WY	80.20	82.80	80.50	81.40	74.90	76.80
United States						
2000	67.80	67.60	69.80	71.30	69.40	68.50
1999	59.00	60.60	62.40	62.70	62.10	63.70
1998	62.50	60.40	61.30	63.00	63.00	61.80
1997	61.40	61.90	64.80	64.80	65.10	62.30
1996	59.00	57.90	56.80	54.90	54.70	56.40

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Beef Cattle 1/: Monthly Prices Received by States 2000,
and United States, 1996-2000, (continued)

State	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Dollars per Cwt						
AZ	66.50	63.80	64.00	67.00	69.60	72.70
AR	66.90	67.10	63.80	63.50	65.80	65.90
CA	51.10	50.80	48.10	48.10	49.40	50.80
CO	65.80	64.80	67.80	70.10	72.80	74.40
FL	51.70	52.00	49.30	48.20	49.00	48.70
GA	53.50	53.20	50.30	49.60	51.00	52.20
ID	62.30	62.70	60.90	60.50	60.10	64.60
IL	65.80	64.20	63.40	65.40	68.00	72.70
IA	69.20	67.40	65.90	67.50	71.00	73.00
KS	71.40	68.30	68.00	70.20	74.30	76.80
KY	75.00	73.20	69.90	69.40	71.20	71.70
LA	53.60	53.40	51.00	51.00	52.70	50.30
MI	56.50	54.30	55.00	54.00	55.20	55.20
MN	62.20	61.30	59.50	60.20	60.70	62.30
MO	80.40	78.70	73.90	75.80	78.50	72.30
MT	64.70	72.30	77.90	88.30	85.20	77.40
NE	68.00	65.50	65.00	67.20	70.00	73.80
NM	68.80	66.80	65.50	66.70	66.10	67.90
ND	56.80	67.90	73.80	80.60	79.00	74.90
OH	67.40	65.40	67.40	67.60	68.10	66.10
OK	83.30	80.20	76.70	77.70	80.60	82.00
OR	70.50	71.00	70.20	69.20	69.60	68.60
PA	60.90	58.20	56.70	57.90	58.90	62.50
SD	67.60	73.80	75.30	80.80	79.50	73.80
TN	68.40	66.60	62.40	62.00	62.60	63.20
TX	70.20	68.70	66.00	68.20	71.90	74.90
VA	70.60	68.80	66.50	69.80	67.70	59.00
WI	52.30	51.50	49.70	50.50	50.50	51.60
WY	85.10	84.90	81.40	82.20	75.90	78.40
United States						
2000	67.50	65.50	65.30	66.70	69.10	71.90
1999	62.60	63.50	63.80	66.20	66.20	66.60
1998	58.40	57.40	56.10	58.00	58.10	56.80
1997	62.80	63.90	63.60	63.30	63.30	62.90
1996	59.10	61.30	63.80	63.30	63.40	61.00

1/ "Cows" and "Steers and Heifers" combined.

Calves: Monthly Prices Received by States 2000,
and United States, 1996-2000

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
Dollars per Cwt						
AZ	91.90	101.00	112.00	106.00	97.80	99.00
AR	95.00	98.50	103.00	102.00	94.00	95.00
CA	91.00	96.00	97.50	94.50	92.00	90.50
CO	106.00	106.00	114.00	111.00	107.00	98.00
FL	102.00	103.00	113.00	114.00	104.00	102.00
GA	94.30	97.00	104.00	104.00	98.70	97.90
ID	91.00	92.00	94.00	92.00	91.00	87.00
IL	114.00	117.00	120.00	120.00	116.00	112.00
IA	96.50	98.30	103.00	111.00	100.00	101.00
KS	105.00	107.00	109.00	111.00	104.00	108.00
KY	93.00	94.00	100.00	102.00	99.00	97.00
LA	96.70	100.00	107.00	105.00	98.70	97.10
MI	86.00	89.00	97.00	108.00	120.00	115.00
MN	90.50	89.10	95.10	104.00	103.00	98.20
MO	98.70	101.00	106.00	107.00	102.00	103.00
MT	103.00	105.00	105.00	103.00	102.00	100.00
NE	103.00	102.00	107.00	105.00	104.00	105.00
NM	100.00	103.00	106.00	110.00	103.00	95.00
ND	98.80	99.10	102.00	102.00	95.00	100.00
OH	91.90	87.90	93.20	97.00	98.20	101.00
OK	101.00	104.00	108.00	107.00	99.80	101.00
OR	89.80	91.20	96.80	96.80	96.30	96.30
PA	114.00	110.00	106.00	108.00	110.00	108.00
SD	109.00	107.00	107.00	108.00	106.00	109.00
TN	96.00	98.00	104.00	105.00	100.00	98.00
TX	102.00	106.00	111.00	114.00	107.00	106.00
VA	91.00	95.40	104.00	108.00	104.00	101.00
WI	127.00	125.00	126.00	133.00	139.00	127.00
WY	110.00	109.00	107.00	107.00	101.00	102.00
United States						
2000	102.00	105.00	109.00	111.00	107.00	104.00
1999	83.20	86.90	87.30	88.20	87.60	89.00
1998	86.60	88.70	89.80	90.80	88.90	81.70
1997	68.10	74.90	80.00	82.20	84.30	85.40
1996	60.50	60.20	59.40	55.10	54.40	55.10

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Calves: Monthly Prices Received by States 2000,
and United States, 1996-2000, (continued)

State	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Dollars per Cwt						
AZ	101.00	103.00	98.60	98.70	109.00	104.00
AR	98.30	94.10	89.00	92.10	96.60	96.30
CA	93.00	90.50	91.50	93.00	95.00	93.00
CO	106.00	106.00	101.00	100.00	103.00	106.00
FL	107.00	100.00	91.90	94.10	101.00	100.00
GA	101.00	98.60	92.80	93.00	99.10	102.00
ID	90.00	90.00	90.00	91.00	95.00	98.00
IL	117.00	118.00	116.00	114.00	109.00	108.00
IA	101.00	105.00	106.00	103.00	98.00	98.20
KS	116.00	107.00	102.00	104.00	109.00	107.00
KY	102.00	97.00	92.00	92.00	94.00	94.00
LA	102.00	96.10	91.40	92.80	99.80	99.50
MI	105.00	100.00	107.00	103.00	95.00	90.00
MN	93.50	96.40	95.80	91.90	91.10	90.30
MO	110.00	104.00	95.90	96.40	102.00	103.00
MT	101.00	110.00	106.00	104.00	102.00	101.00
NE	104.00	112.00	106.00	107.00	105.00	107.00
NM	104.00	97.50	92.60	93.40	103.00	104.00
ND	108.00	110.00	99.60	99.90	97.70	95.70
OH	92.80	98.40	93.40	91.60	97.10	93.60
OK	106.00	96.80	94.60	95.20	103.00	103.00
OR	93.10	91.90	91.70	92.40	90.90	90.20
PA	106.00	105.00	111.00	106.00	108.00	111.00
SD	106.00	115.00	106.00	107.00	106.00	107.00
TN	101.00	96.00	90.00	90.00	96.00	96.00
TX	108.00	107.00	100.00	100.00	110.00	111.00
VA	104.00	105.00	98.60	97.10	99.40	93.70
WA	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
WI	119.00	123.00	133.00	128.00	123.00	119.00
WY	107.00	109.00	108.00	106.00	107.00	106.00
United States						
2000	106.00	106.00	103.00	102.00	106.00	106.00
1999	89.20	89.60	90.90	91.90	93.00	98.60
1998	76.60	76.90	74.10	75.70	77.50	80.20
1997	86.90	88.00	86.90	84.30	82.90	83.30
1996	56.80	59.30	61.00	60.10	61.20	61.80

Milk Cows 1/: Monthly Prices Received by States 2000,
and United States, 1996-2000

State	Jan	Apr	Jul	Oct
Dollars per Head				
AZ	1380	1310	1350	1450
CA	1480	1500	1500	1480
FL	1430	1450	1450	1460
ID	1300	1350	1400	1420
IL	1300	1290	1290	1280
IN	1200	1300	1300	1300
IA	1270	1280	1280	1320
KY	1240	1250	1310	1310
MI	1290	1400	1350	1370
MN	1220	1250	1260	1260
MO	1190	1220	1240	1250
NM	1450	1400	1430	1450
NY	1200	1200	1250	1250
OH	1250	1300	1300	1340
PA	1320	1300	1330	1350
TX	1420	1400	1380	1400
VT	1280	1270	1320	1310
VA	1280	1300	1300	1330
WA	1280	1290	1300	1380
WI	1360	1340	1300	1270
United States				
2000	1330	1340	1350	1350
1999	1250	1240	1280	1380
1998	1070	1110	1120	1180
1997	1090	1110	1100	1090
1996	1060	1070	1090	1130

1/ Cows sold for dairy herd replacement.

Hogs 1/: Monthly Prices Received by States 2000,
and United States, 1996-2000

State	Dec 2/	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
Dollars per Cwt						
AR	32.50	33.70	37.30	38.50	44.50	44.90
IL	33.70	35.50	39.00	40.00	47.20	47.10
IN	34.30	36.10	38.30	39.90	45.70	46.40
IA	38.10	38.40	41.90	43.60	49.20	50.60
KS	33.50	35.30	38.50	40.10	45.80	45.90
MI	34.20	37.10	39.40	40.60	45.90	46.00
MN	36.20	36.40	40.50	42.20	48.40	50.40
MO	30.20	34.00	36.70	38.30	44.40	46.10
NE	36.40	38.20	41.70	43.60	48.80	51.00
NC	35.90	37.10	39.80	42.10	47.90	48.60
OH	36.10	36.50	40.00	41.90	47.30	45.60
OK	31.10	34.00	36.20	37.20	42.20	44.20
PA	33.60	35.50	37.70	38.30	43.00	44.20
SD	37.50	37.50	40.90	43.00	48.40	50.20
TX	31.10	31.90	34.10	36.40	40.50	41.30
WI	31.80	33.50	36.40	37.50	42.70	44.10
US						
2000	35.70	36.80	39.90	41.70	47.40	48.30
1999	15.00	26.50	27.70	28.00	30.10	36.60
1998	41.60	36.00	35.90	34.90	35.60	42.40
1997	55.60	53.80	52.80	49.40	53.80	58.20
1996	43.50	42.60	46.50	48.70	49.70	56.80
Dollars per Cwt						
	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
AR	45.20	43.80	40.20	38.00	36.20	32.80
IL	47.30	46.20	40.60	39.40	37.90	33.50
IN	46.20	45.60	41.00	38.80	38.60	34.50
IA	51.10	50.60	46.80	43.60	43.60	39.80
KS	46.80	45.90	42.30	40.70	39.40	34.70
MI	45.40	44.90	41.30	40.70	40.70	35.40
MN	51.50	51.20	46.70	43.50	44.50	38.90
MO	44.90	44.10	40.30	38.50	37.60	34.10
NE	51.30	51.10	47.10	43.20	42.50	37.80
NC	49.40	48.80	43.50	42.00	41.20	36.20
OH	45.90	46.20	42.90	40.00	40.10	35.60
OK	43.80	43.60	40.70	37.90	37.50	32.50
PA	43.30	43.70	42.20	37.60	36.60	31.80
SD	49.50	49.20	45.60	42.80	42.40	36.80
TX	41.20	41.30	38.70	36.60	37.60	31.10
WI	43.60	42.70	38.10	35.90	35.90	31.40
US						
2000	48.90	48.30	43.80	41.60	41.40	36.80
1999	34.10	31.60	36.20	33.90	34.20	33.40
1998	42.50	36.90	35.20	29.50	27.80	18.90
1997	57.80	58.90	55.30	50.40	47.30	45.10
1996	56.40	58.60	59.70	54.70	55.60	54.40

1/ "Sows" and "Barrows and Gilts" combined. 2/ Preceding year.

Barrows and Gilts: Monthly Prices Received by States 2000,
and United States, 1996-2000

State	Dec 1/	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
Dollars per Cwt						
AR	33.00	33.70	37.20	38.90	45.20	45.30
IL	34.30	35.70	39.30	40.50	47.90	47.70
IN	34.90	36.20	38.50	40.50	46.50	47.10
IA	38.20	38.50	41.90	43.70	49.30	50.70
KS	34.50	35.70	38.90	40.80	47.00	46.90
MI	35.00	37.50	40.00	41.50	47.00	47.00
MN	36.50	36.50	40.60	42.40	48.80	50.70
MO	30.60	34.00	36.80	38.70	45.00	46.60
NE	36.50	38.30	41.90	43.70	48.90	51.10
NC	36.00	37.10	39.80	42.20	48.00	48.70
OH	36.50	37.70	40.60	42.30	48.00	47.60
OK	32.10	34.10	36.30	37.70	42.90	45.00
PA	35.30	36.30	38.50	39.10	44.40	45.30
SD	38.90	38.90	42.00	44.00	49.60	51.40
TX	33.20	32.80	34.70	37.20	42.00	42.70
WI	33.00	34.00	37.00	38.60	43.90	45.10
US						
2000	36.10	37.00	40.10	42.00	47.90	48.80
1999	15.10	26.90	28.20	28.30	30.50	37.00
1998	42.00	36.50	36.30	35.30	36.00	43.20
1997	56.10	54.10	53.00	49.60	54.40	58.80
1996	44.30	43.20	47.30	49.50	50.60	57.70
Dollars per Cwt						
	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
AR	46.30	44.80	40.80	38.60	36.50	33.30
IL	48.40	47.20	41.20	39.90	38.40	34.00
IN	47.40	46.80	41.70	39.30	39.20	35.20
IA	51.30	50.90	46.90	44.20	43.70	39.90
KS	48.30	47.20	43.20	41.60	40.00	35.30
MI	46.50	46.00	42.00	41.50	41.50	36.00
MN	51.70	51.50	46.90	43.80	44.60	39.10
MO	46.20	45.40	41.00	39.00	37.90	34.50
NE	51.40	51.20	47.20	43.40	42.70	38.00
NC	49.50	48.90	43.60	42.10	41.30	36.30
OH	48.00	48.50	44.10	41.20	41.20	36.40
OK	45.20	45.00	41.60	38.60	38.20	33.30
PA	44.80	45.40	43.80	38.40	37.50	33.00
SD	51.50	51.40	47.20	44.10	43.60	38.00
TX	43.60	42.90	40.30	38.00	38.50	31.90
WI	45.20	44.40	39.20	36.80	36.70	32.10
US						
2000	49.60	49.10	44.30	42.10	41.80	37.20
1999	34.50	32.20	36.90	34.40	34.80	33.80
1998	43.30	37.60	35.90	30.10	28.30	19.10
1997	58.40	59.70	55.90	50.90	47.80	45.60
1996	57.10	59.40	60.30	55.10	56.00	54.60

1/ Preceding year.

Sows: Monthly Prices Received by States 2000,
and United States, 1996-2000

State	Dec 1/	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
Dollars per Cwt						
AR	27.50	33.50	37.70	35.10	38.50	41.00
IL	26.30	32.90	35.70	33.70	39.10	40.20
IN	29.10	34.90	36.50	34.90	38.70	40.10
IA	32.50	35.50	41.50	38.00	41.60	43.20
KS	26.50	32.40	36.00	34.30	38.70	39.40
MI	24.50	32.00	32.00	29.20	33.00	34.00
MN	27.60	33.30	38.00	35.80	39.60	40.90
MO	25.50	33.90	36.10	33.30	35.80	39.30
NE	31.50	31.50	34.00	35.80	42.70	42.60
NC	27.30	36.00	36.40	34.30	36.00	39.60
OH	31.00	33.20	36.80	35.20	37.20	40.90
OK	25.00	33.20	35.50	33.70	37.50	39.10
PA	23.60	30.50	32.90	34.10	35.00	37.90
SD	26.40	28.00	31.10	33.90	37.10	40.80
TX	22.30	27.00	29.80	30.30	31.30	34.10
WI	23.40	30.10	32.20	30.40	34.70	37.10
US						
2000	27.20	32.90	36.00	34.30	37.90	39.80
1999	11.70	18.20	18.80	21.00	22.60	28.00
1998	33.20	26.50	26.60	26.70	26.70	28.60
1997	48.40	46.60	47.20	45.20	44.80	48.40
1996	31.60	31.60	33.00	35.20	36.10	41.40
Dollars per Cwt						
	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
AR	35.00	34.80	34.90	33.10	33.50	27.80
IL	34.70	34.50	34.30	33.10	32.60	27.80
IN	35.60	35.10	34.90	34.10	33.20	28.60
IA	39.20	37.40	37.90	35.80	35.30	32.00
KS	36.80	36.00	36.00	34.90	34.80	29.60
MI	33.00	32.00	33.00	31.50	31.00	28.50
MN	36.70	35.60	35.30	34.80	33.70	29.00
MO	33.10	33.60	32.90	31.70	32.50	28.20
NE	36.80	36.50	37.50	35.00	33.40	29.00
NC	34.10	33.90	33.60	33.10	32.80	28.30
OH	35.70	34.10	34.60	35.20	32.90	29.30
OK	34.80	34.90	34.70	33.80	33.30	28.10
PA	34.70	33.70	32.50	32.80	31.70	25.00
SD	37.00	36.70	36.30	33.30	33.50	28.50
TX	31.70	30.30	29.40	28.90	29.50	26.20
WI	32.60	31.10	31.10	30.10	30.60	26.60
US						
2000	35.30	34.80	34.30	34.20	33.00	28.40
1999	28.00	20.50	23.00	22.80	25.20	24.10
1998	28.80	26.00	21.80	18.20	18.80	15.40
1997	46.20	45.90	44.40	40.30	38.20	35.10
1996	44.90	46.70	48.90	47.00	49.10	50.00

1/ Preceding year.

Lambs: Monthly Prices Received by States 2000,
and United States, 1996-2000

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
Dollars per Cwt						
CA	72.00	72.00	80.00	81.00	91.00	90.00
CO	66.60	68.80	77.60	78.90	98.10	95.70
ID	67.00	68.00	76.00	78.00	92.00	91.00
IA	67.50	68.00	74.40	78.00	91.80	87.00
KS	67.00	69.00	77.00	79.00	98.00	96.00
MN	70.70	72.10	75.80	78.70	97.80	88.30
MT	80.00	80.00	86.50	90.80	96.00	91.90
NE	60.60	72.60	85.00	95.00	106.00	90.00
ND	64.70	75.10	75.40	79.00	98.00	88.10
OH	75.60	76.10	82.10	88.10	93.40	82.50
OR	70.00	75.00	77.30	78.00	90.00	84.60
SD	85.00	88.10	91.90	97.90	102.00	91.70
TX	72.80	75.20	84.70	84.70	94.40	86.00
UT	84.00	86.00	90.00	90.00	100.00	85.00
WY	66.50	67.40	78.60	77.80	103.00	90.70
US						
2000	70.90	72.00	80.20	82.60	96.40	89.70
1999	68.20	67.20	67.40	67.40	82.80	81.30
1998	78.80	75.00	70.10	66.00	63.00	88.90
1997	94.50	99.80	99.70	96.40	90.80	86.50
1996	76.20	84.30	86.60	85.90	90.30	100.70
Dollars per Cwt						
	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
CA	87.00	83.00	79.00	75.00	70.00	68.00
CO	90.70	85.90	80.80	73.20	68.60	68.00
ID	85.00	83.00	75.00	74.00	66.00	69.00
IA	84.90	75.10	75.00	65.00	63.00	63.00
KS	91.00	86.00	80.00	73.00	68.00	68.00
MN	83.50	80.20	73.20	69.10	64.50	71.20
MT	88.00	85.10	84.10	83.00	78.10	88.40
NE	82.00	78.00	71.00	64.00	62.70	60.00
ND	87.80	85.10	72.50	71.40	69.40	73.60
OH	77.70	77.80	78.40	73.30	67.80	73.50
OR	82.50	80.50	79.70	79.00	78.00	78.00
SD	91.00	86.90	87.40	86.00	86.00	82.40
TX	87.00	84.10	81.40	77.80	73.80	73.30
UT	83.00	83.00	82.00	75.00	70.00	75.00
WY	88.00	87.90	88.40	86.40	73.60	81.50
US						
2000	87.00	83.60	80.80	76.80	71.50	71.80
1999	77.00	80.30	75.30	72.60	76.30	77.60
1998	81.30	80.10	71.80	67.60	62.60	64.70
1997	81.10	92.70	90.20	87.20	83.10	83.90
1996	98.30	89.10	88.50	87.00	84.60	88.20

Sheep: Monthly Prices Received by States 2000,
and United States, 1996-2000

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
Dollars per Cwt						
CA	30.00	31.50	37.50	36.00	31.50	28.00
CO	36.10	40.00	33.10	33.70	27.90	32.20
ID	33.00	35.00	40.00	39.00	29.00	29.00
IA	35.60	37.40	37.20	33.50	29.80	27.00
KS	30.00	34.00	33.00	29.00	26.90	27.00
MN	28.60	32.10	30.30	26.30	25.00	26.30
MT	33.30	39.60	40.90	39.40	31.90	28.70
NE	36.00	44.50	41.00	37.00	32.00	30.80
ND	34.30	36.00	30.70	27.40	25.40	28.70
OH	33.60	34.90	37.70	27.80	27.80	30.40
OR	27.00	28.00	32.00	31.00	30.00	24.00
SD	35.00	43.80	39.80	37.70	26.60	27.00
TX	42.40	49.10	45.40	44.50	37.30	39.30
UT	29.00	36.00	32.00	32.00	24.00	27.00
WY	35.60	42.00	39.10	33.20	28.40	30.30
US						
2000	36.80	39.50	38.80	35.00	30.50	30.00
1999	32.40	30.20	32.70	31.80	31.50	28.90
1998	40.70	39.60	41.00	34.40	30.30	30.20
1997	41.50	41.30	42.50	37.50	34.00	36.60
1996	34.20	33.80	34.00	27.30	25.30	26.60
Dollars per Cwt						
	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
CA	31.00	31.50	28.50	30.50	31.50	34.00
CO	37.50	30.40	31.11	30.40	33.90	38.10
ID	32.00	32.00	31.00	29.00	31.00	35.00
IA	31.00	32.00	32.60	34.80	43.50	44.40
KS	32.40	29.50	28.30	25.70	29.20	32.20
MN	30.80	27.50	26.00	24.10	26.70	29.00
MT	35.20	28.70	28.40	26.70	31.00	36.50
NE	33.70	34.10	34.60	30.60	33.00	37.00
ND	34.40	34.10	34.30	30.50	32.80	31.80
OH	32.40	32.80	35.00	33.10	35.20	33.30
OR	28.40	26.00	24.00	26.00	25.80	26.00
SD	36.40	29.90	29.30	30.50	39.30	39.10
TX	43.70	37.50	38.10	37.70	43.00	45.00
UT	31.00	24.00	25.00	25.00	30.00	33.00
WY	36.00	30.00	30.90	27.10	33.60	38.10
US						
2000	34.20	30.70	30.30	29.50	33.60	36.20
1999	32.00	29.80	29.20	26.40	30.20	33.40
1998	29.40	28.30	26.80	26.10	26.40	30.10
1997	39.40	38.40	33.90	35.80	38.90	37.70
1996	30.50	29.10	30.20	28.80	29.80	34.20

All Cattle and Calves: Value per Head and Total Value,
by State and United States, January 1, 2000-2001 1/

State	Value per Head		Total Value	
	2000	2001	2000	2001
	Dollars		1,000 Dollars	
AL	540	580	788,400	788,800
AK	780	800	7,800	8,400
AZ	690	740	579,600	629,000
AR	550	630	1,012,000	1,140,300
CA	880	930	4,488,000	4,789,500
CO	710	730	2,236,500	2,299,500
CT	920	960	61,640	60,480
DE	880	890	23,760	24,030
FL	600	630	1,098,000	1,134,000
GA	590	630	772,900	800,100
HI	540	550	88,560	82,500
ID	780	840	1,521,000	1,654,800
IL	690	710	1,041,900	1,043,700
IN	650	730	630,500	642,400
IA	690	720	2,553,000	2,628,000
KS	620	690	4,092,000	4,623,000
KY	580	650	1,293,400	1,469,000
LA	570	620	513,000	533,200
ME	830	870	80,510	84,390
MD	840	860	205,800	202,100
MA	920	950	52,440	47,500
MI	830	840	838,300	823,200
MN	760	750	1,938,000	1,912,500
MS	540	590	577,800	631,300
MO	620	680	2,697,000	2,890,000
MT	800	850	2,080,000	2,167,500
NE	670	710	4,455,500	4,686,000
NV	660	740	343,200	384,800
NH	920	950	43,240	39,900
NJ	930	960	44,640	46,080
NM	740	770	1,213,600	1,216,600
NY	920	970	1,343,200	1,338,600
NC	550	600	517,000	570,000
ND	790	840	1,485,200	1,663,200
OH	750	800	930,000	992,000
OK	630	640	3,276,000	3,232,000
OR	690	730	1,000,500	992,800
PA	880	920	1,452,000	1,508,800
RI	850	850	5,100	5,100
SC	580	630	269,700	280,350
SD	790	820	3,081,000	3,321,000
TN	570	600	1,225,500	1,302,000
TX	560	610	7,784,000	8,357,000
UT	660	720	600,600	655,200
VT	950	960	280,250	283,200
VA	590	670	944,000	1,105,500
WA	760	840	919,600	991,200
WV	560	620	235,200	248,000
WI	930	900	3,162,000	3,015,000
WY	770	780	1,216,600	1,209,000
US	683	725	67,099,440	70,552,530

1/ 2000 revised.

Hogs: Value per Head and Total Value,
by State and United States, December 1, 1999-2000 1/

State	Value per Head		Total Value	
	1999	2000	1999	2000
	Dollars		1,000 Dollars	
AL	71	75	12,425	12,375
AK	140	150	196	120
AZ	77	81	10,780	729
AR	68	69	48,280	47,265
CA	97	100	18,430	15,000
CO	77	80	70,070	67,200
CT	97	100	340	400
DE	69	73	1,863	2,117
FL	74	78	2,960	3,120
GA	65	71	31,200	26,980
HI	140	140	3,920	3,640
ID	73	77	1,606	1,848
IL	69	73	279,450	306,600
IN	73	80	237,250	272,000
IA	77	83	1,185,800	1,278,200
KS	60	70	87,600	109,900
KY	52	62	23,920	26,660
LA	77	81	2,233	2,349
ME	77	81	539	527
MD	71	75	3,905	4,350
MA	77	81	1,540	1,620
MI	79	84	77,420	79,800
MN	83	91	456,500	527,800
MS	76	80	21,280	25,200
MO	64	67	201,600	194,300
MT	74	78	11,470	12,090
NE	73	77	219,000	238,700
NV	97	100	728	750
NH	85	90	298	360
NJ	85	90	1,275	1,260
NM	77	81	462	243
NY	71	75	2,840	6,000
NC	63	62	598,500	582,800
ND	74	78	14,060	14,430
OH	74	78	109,520	117,780
OK	63	69	142,380	161,460
OR	77	81	2,310	2,592
PA	68	70	71,400	72,800
RI	74	78	185	234
SC	63	63	15,435	18,270
SD	79	81	99,540	110,160
TN	61	64	15,250	14,720
TX	64	68	55,680	62,560
UT	77	81	40,040	44,550
VT	97	100	291	300
VA	64	62	23,680	26,350
WA	85	90	2,550	2,430
WV	74	78	888	780
WI	64	69	36,480	42,780
WY	85	90	8,925	9,720
US	72	76	4,254,293	4,554,219

1/ 1999 revised.

Sheep and Lambs, Angora Goats: Value per Head and Total Value,
by State and United States, January 1, 2000-2001

State	Sheep and Lambs				Angora Goats			
	Value per Head		Total Value		Value per Head		Total Value	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
	Dollars		1,000 Dollars		Dollars		1,000 Dollars	
AZ	96	98	14,880	12,672	43	60	1,548	2,040
CA	96	92	76,800	80,640				
CO	89	101	39,160	37,380				
ID	100	107	27,500	27,500				
IL	150	160	11,100	11,250				
IN	150	160	8,850	9,900				
IA	110	120	29,150	29,700				
KS	100	115	10,500	11,000				
MI	120	130	8,160	8,520				
MN	94	100	15,510	15,980				
MO	94	110	7,520	6,862				
MT	91	94	33,670	32,760				
NE	110	120	11,220	12,540				
NV	110	115	9,900	10,450				
N ENG 1/	170	180	8,500	8,500				
NM	89	85	25,810	22,695	43	60	1,290	1,500
NY	120	120	6,960	7,200				
ND	93	93	12,555	12,834				
OH	130	140	17,420	18,460				
OK	100	115	5,500	5,500				
OR	83	93	17,430	20,335				
PA	120	125	9,720	9,720				
SD	88	100	36,960	36,960				
TX 2/	79	80	94,800	86,900	39	53	14,430	15,900
UT	99	98	39,600	38,610				
VA	110	105	6,710	6,710				
WA	95	105	4,750	5,130				
WV	95	96	3,515	3,325				
WI	100	120	8,300	8,000				
WY	90	92	51,300	47,700				
Oth 3/	100	110	15,000	14,800				
US 4/	95	96	668,750	660,533	39.60	54.20	17,268	19,440

1/ N ENG includes CT, ME, MA, NH, RI, and VT.

2/ All goat values for Texas are: 2000, per head-\$57, total-\$74,100; 2001, per head-\$75, total-\$105,000.

3/ Other States include AL, AK, AR, DE, FL, GA, HI, KY, LA, MD, MS, NJ, NC, SC and TN.

4/ 3 States for Angora Goats.

Wool and Mohair: Marketing Year Average Prices Received,
by States and United States, 1999-2000 1/

State	Wool		Mohair	
	1999	2000	1999	2000
Dollars per Pound				
AZ	0.40	0.36	1.80	1.80
CA	0.35	0.29		
CO	0.40	0.31		
ID	0.36	0.23		
IL	0.12	0.08		
IN	0.14	0.14		
IA	0.16	0.10		
KS	0.19	0.17		
MI	0.14	0.14		
MN	0.15	0.11		
MO	0.14	0.10		
MT	0.50	0.37		
NE	0.24	0.18		
NV	0.33	0.28		
N ENG 2/	0.33	0.36		
NM	0.56	0.65	1.85	1.90
NY	0.28	0.13		
ND	0.30	0.25		
OH	0.20	0.15		
OK	0.25	0.20		
OR	0.30	0.28		
PA	0.32	0.28		
SD	0.36	0.28		
TX	0.49	0.49	3.68	4.30
UT	0.32	0.22		
VA	0.30	0.24		
WA	0.40	0.40		
WV	0.24	0.23		
WI	0.19	0.13		
WY	0.49	0.47		
Oth 3/	0.40	0.35		
US	0.38	0.33	3.46	4.04

1/ Average local market for wool and mohair sold.

2/ Includes CT, ME, MA, NH, RI and VT.

3/ Other States include AL, AK, AR, DE, FL, GA, HI, KY, LA, MD, MS, NJ, NC, SC and TN.

Other Hay, Baled: Prices Received, Selected Regions,
Marketing Year Average, 1998-2000 1/

Region	:	3-Year Avg
	:	Dollars Per Ton
	:	
Appalachia 2/	:	66.30
Corn Belt 3/	:	63.30
Florida	:	92.90
Lake States 4/	:	46.30
Northeast 5/	:	99.20
Southeast/Delta 6/	:	58.60

1/ Prices provided to the Forest Service, USDA to compute Eastern National Forest grazing fees.

2/ KY, NC, TN, VA, and WV.

3/ IL, IN, MO, and OH.

4/ MI, MN, and WI.

5/ ME, NH, NY, PA, and VT.

6/ AL, AR, GA, LA, MS, and SC.

Apples for Fresh Use: Monthly Average Prices, by State and United States,
July 1999 through August 2000 1/ 2/

State	1999														
:	Jul	:	Aug	:	Sep	:	Oct	:	Nov	:	Dec				
	Dollars per Pound														
CA			0.290		0.295		0.302		0.354		0.333				
MI			0.160		0.160		0.165		0.150		0.145				
NY					0.172		0.169		0.167		0.156				
OH			0.375		0.325		0.290		0.265		0.275				
PA			0.250		0.220		0.200		0.230		0.240				
VA					0.250		0.220		0.210		0.190				
WA	0.124		0.152		0.221		0.241		0.233		0.246				
US	0.124		0.184		0.232		0.235		0.233		0.237				
	2000														
:	Jan	:	Feb	:	Mar	:	Apr	:	May	:	Jun	:	Jul	:	Aug
	Dollars per Pound														
CA	0.288		0.320		0.255										0.296
MI	0.130		0.140		0.140		0.140		0.135		0.130				0.160
NY	0.163		0.164		0.165		0.168		0.165		0.161				
OH	0.270		0.280		0.295		0.255		0.285		0.260				0.305
PA	0.200				0.180										0.190
VA	0.190		0.190		0.220										
WA	0.256		0.218		0.214		0.206		0.188		0.162		0.162		0.168
US	0.235		0.211		0.205		0.197		0.182		0.163		0.162		0.195

1/ Equivalent packinghouse-door returns for CA, MI, NY and WA; Price at point of first sale for other states.

2/ Prices for July and August 2000 are preliminary for all states and the U.S. except WA. These two months represent the start of the 2000 crop marketing season in most states, but in WA they are the final months of the 1999 crop marketing season.

Peaches for Fresh Use: Marketing Year Average Prices and Equivalent Returns
by State and United States, 1998-2000 1/

State	As Sold			Equivalent Packinghouse-door Returns 2/			Equivalent On-tree Returns		
	1998	1999	2000	1998	1999	2000	1998	1999	2000
	Dollars per Pound								
AL	0.456	0.297	0.405	0.456	0.297	0.405			
CA									
Freestone	0.350	0.362	0.374	0.198	0.198	0.190	0.171	0.171	0.163
CT	0.700	0.650	0.650	0.700	0.650	0.650			
GA							0.244	0.271	0.262
IL	0.433	0.389	0.412	0.433	0.389	0.412			
IN	0.318	0.369	0.414	0.318	0.369	0.414			
KY	0.375	0.430	0.516	0.375	0.430	0.516			
LA	0.710	0.880	0.771	0.710	0.880	0.771			
MA	0.800	0.800	0.700	0.800	0.800	0.700			
MO	0.396	0.417	0.350	0.396	0.417	0.350			
OH	0.416	0.447	0.468	0.416	0.447	0.468			
OK	0.412	0.493	0.509	0.412	0.493	0.509			
SC	0.280	0.216	0.211	0.280	0.216	0.211			
TN	0.450	0.470	0.545	0.450	0.470	0.545			
TX	0.520	0.620	0.580	0.520	0.620	0.580			
UT	0.270			0.270					
VA	0.300	0.290	0.300	0.300	0.290	0.300			
US	0.372	0.366	0.368	0.306	0.290	0.284			

1/ Some missing data are not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

2/ "Packinghouse-door" equivalents for CA; all other states are "As Sold".

Pears: Equivalent On-tree Returns,
by State and Region, 1998-2000

State and Variety	Fresh			Processed			All		
	1998	1999	2000	1998	1999	2000	1998	1999	2000
	Dollars per Ton								
Bartlett									
CA	279	113	142	201	202	187	216	178	173
OR	463	454	309	161	93	76	299	239	191
WA	482	377	354	131	127	153	225	188	212
Pacific Coast	392	252	236	175	164	165	230	188	188
Other 1/ Pacific Coast	296	398	293						

1/ Pears other than Bartlett; missing data unavailable or not published to avoid disclosure.

Dried Figs: Equivalent Returns for Bulk Fruit at First Delivery Point,
by Utilization, California, 1998-2000

	1998	1999	2000
	Dollars per Ton		
Dried Figs			
Standard Grades (Dried Basis)	722	751	774
Substandard Grades (Dried Basis)	60	60	60
All Dried Figs (Dried Basis)	594	689	679
All Dried Figs (Fresh Basis)	198	229	226

Concord Grapes for Processing: Marketing Year Average Prices,
New York and Pennsylvania, 1998-2000

State	1998	1999	2000
	Dollars per Ton		
NY	276	261	263
PA	265	269	257

Grapes: Equivalent First Delivery Point Returns,
by Utilization and Variety Group, California, 1998-2000 1/

Variety and Utilization	1998	1999	2000
	Dollars per Ton		
Raisin Varieties Dried by Variety or Type			
Natural Thompson Seedless	1240	1210	
Natural Muscats	700	702	
Natural Sultanas	818	919	
Natural Zante Currants	994	596	
Dehydrated, All Types	1360	1400	

1/ Missing data are not available.

Apricots, Nectarines and Plums: Equivalent Returns,
California, 1998-2000 1/

	Equivalent First Delivery Point Returns			Equivalent On-tree Returns		
	1998	1999	2000	1998	1999	2000
	Dollars per Ton					
	Plums					
All Sales	529	419	442	416	306	329
	Nectarines					
All Sales	471	411	398			
	Apricots					
Fresh	579	638	533	463	493	463
Processing	260	292	280	192	225	210
All Sales	327	391	356	241	291	286

1/ Missing data not available or not published to avoid disclosure.

Reliability of Prices Received Estimates

Definition: Prices received represent sales from producers to first buyers. They include all grades and qualities. The average commodity price from the survey multiplied by the total quantity marketed theoretically should give the total cash receipts for the commodity.

Survey Procedures: Primary sales data used to determine grain prices were obtained from probability samples of 2600 mills and elevators. These procedures ensure that virtually all grain moving into commercial channels has a chance of being included in the survey. Generally, States surveyed account for 90 percent or more of total U.S. production. Livestock prices are obtained from packers, stockyards, auctions, dealers, and market check data from AMS-USDA, private marketing organizations, and state commodity groups and agencies. Inter-farm sales of grain and livestock are not included since they represent very small percentages of the total marketings. Grain marketed for seed is also excluded. Fruit and vegetable prices are obtained from sample surveys and market check data from AMS-USDA, private marketing organizations, state agencies, and universities.

Summary and Estimation Procedures: Survey quantities sold are expanded by strata to state levels and used to weight average strata prices to a state average. State prices are then weighted to a U.S. price based on expanded marketings. Recommendations are prepared by the State Statistical Offices and reviewed by the Agricultural Statistics Board in Washington, D.C. State recommendations are reviewed for reasonableness with survey data, other States, and recent historic estimates.

Revisions: For most items, the current month's price represents a 3-5 day period around the mid-month. Previous month's prices represent actual dollars received for quantities sold during the entire month. Revisions are published in monthly issues of "**Agricultural Prices**".

Reliability: U.S. price estimates based on probability surveys generally have a sampling error of less than one percent for the major commodities such as corn, wheat, soybeans, cotton, and rice. Current methods of summarization for non-probability commodities are not designed directly to calculate sampling errors. However, analytical measures approximate the U.S. relative sampling errors at around five percent. Any nonsampling errors are attributed to such things as the inability to obtain correct information, differences in interpreting questions or definitions, mistakes in coding or processing the data, etc. Efforts are made at each step in the survey process to minimize these nonsampling errors.

Prices Paid by Farmers

The February Index of Prices Paid for Commodities and Services, Interest, Taxes, and Farm Wage Rates (PPITW) was 126 (1990-92=100), 1.6 percent higher than January 2001 and 5.9 percent above February 2000.

Production Index: The February farm production, goods, and services index, at 123, was up 2.5 percent from last month and 7.0 percent above last year. Higher prices in February for nitrogen fertilizers, complete feeds, insecticides, and LP gas, more than offset lower prices for feeder cattle, feed grains, and potash and phosphate materials.

Feed: The Feed Index, at 113, was 3.7 percent more than January and 12 percent above last February. Since January, higher prices for complete feeds, feed supplements, hay and forages, and feed concentrates more than offset lower prices for feed grains.

Livestock and Poultry: The index for livestock and poultry purchases, at 108, was 2.7 percent lower than last month and 0.9 percent below last year. Since January, lower prices for feeder cattle more than offset higher prices for feeder pigs. The February feeder cattle price at, \$88.90 per cwt, was down \$3.30 per cwt from the January price.

Fertilizer: The Fertilizer Index, at 153, was up 14 percent from January and 44 percent more than February a year ago. Since January, higher prices for nitrogen fertilizers and mixed fertilizers more than offset lower prices for potash and phosphate materials.

Agricultural Chemicals: The chemical index, at 135, was up 6.3 percent from last month and 13 percent above last February. Prices were higher in February for insecticides and herbicides.

Fuels: The Fuels Index, at 147, was up 2.8 percent from a month earlier and 18 percent above February 2000. Compared to last month, prices were higher for LP gas and gasoline but lower for diesel fuel.

Farm Machinery: The February Farm Machinery Index was 137, unchanged from January but 0.7 percent below last February. Since January, slightly lower prices for other machinery offset slightly higher prices for self-propelled machinery.

Consumer Price Index: The January 2001 Consumer Price Index for all urban consumers (CPI-U) rose 0.6 percent before seasonal adjustment to a level of 175.1 (1982-84=100). This compares to the December index of 174.0. For the 12-month period ending in January, the overall index has increased 3.7 percent.

Index Numbers of Prices Paid by Farmers and Related Parity Ratios
United States, February 2001 With Comparisons

Indexes and Ratios	: 1910-14 = 100			: 1990-92 = 100		
	: 2000			: 2001		
	: Feb	: Jan	: Feb	: Feb	: Jan	: Feb

Prices Paid by Farmers for	:					
Commodities & Services,	:					
Interest, Taxes, & Wage	:					
Rates (PPITW)	1578	*1651	1672	119	*124	126
Production	1113	*1167	1191	115	*120	123
Feed	492	534	553	101	109	113
Livestock and Poultry	1392	1417	1386	109	111	108
Seeds	1196	1223	1223	121	124	124
Fertilizer	388	*493	561	106	*134	153
Agricultural Chemicals	740	*785	836	120	*127	135
Fuels	967	*1107	1133	125	143	147
Supplies & Repairs	871	*891	891	123	*126	126
Autos & Trucks	3165	*3179	3186	119	120	120
Farm Machinery	3452	*3436	3437	138	137	137
Building Material	1648	*1635	1632	121	*120	120
Farm Services & Rent	1377	*1393	1393			
Farm Services				117	*119	119
Rent				113	*114	114
Interest 1/	2764	2901	2901	110	116	116
Taxes 2/	3281	3281	3281	123	123	123
Wage Rates	5234	*5589	5589	140	*149	149
Production, Interest, Taxes,	:					
& Wage Rates (PITW)	1570	*1648	1674	117	*123	125
Family Living-CPI 3/	1613	*1663	1663	126	*130	130

Ratio (Received\Paid)				78	*78	79
Parity Ratio 4/	37	*37	38			
Parity Ratio Adjusted 5/	42	*40	40			
PPITW Adjusted for	:					
Productivity 6/	1080	*1136	1140			

Crop Sector (PPITW)				121	*127	129
Livestock Sector (PPITW)				116	*121	122

Farm Sector (Production)				106	112	113
Non-Farm Sector (Production)				119	*124	127

* Revised.

- 1/ Interest per acre on farm real estate debt and interest rate on farm non-real estate debt.
- 2/ Farm real estate taxes payable per acre.
- 3/ Bureau of Labor Statistics, Consumer Price Index for all urban consumers (CPI-U), for the previous month converted by the USDA.
- 4/ Ratio of index of prices received to PPITW (1910-14=100).
- 5/ Based on estimated cash receipts, from marketings and government payments, the preliminary adjustment factor is 1.071 for 2001 and the revised factor is 1.113 for 2000.
- 6/ PPITW is adjusted based on productivity trend for the prior 15 years.

Prices Paid Indexes and Annual Weights for Input Components and
Sub-Components United States, February 2001 With Comparisons

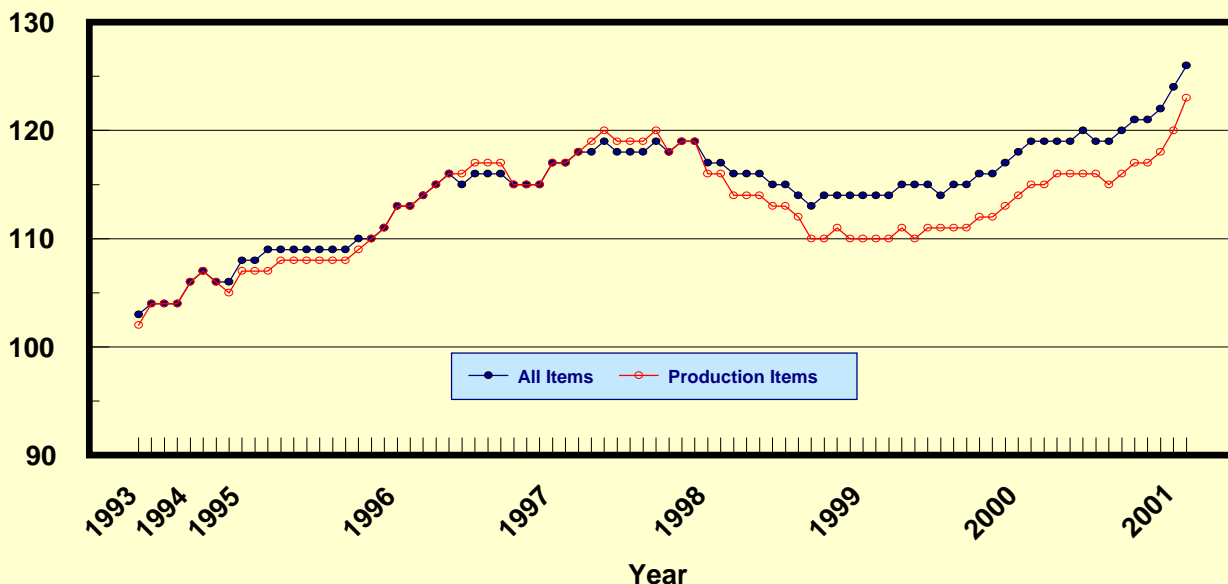
Index	Relative Weights		Input Indexes		
	5-Year Moving Average 1/		2000	2001	
	2000	2001	Feb	Jan	Feb
	----	Percent	----	(1990-92=100)	---
Production Items	67.3	67.1	115	*120	123
Feed	11.7	11.5	101	109	113
Feed Grains	1.7	1.6	84	85	83
Complete Feeds	5.7	5.6	103	*111	118
Hay/Forages	1.5	1.4	99	110	114
Concentrates	1.8	1.8	100	*115	116
Supplements	1.0	1.0	120	*126	134
Livestock & Poultry	6.8	6.7	109	111	108
Feeder Cattle	5.3	5.2	105	109	105
Feeder Pigs	0.5	0.5	137	*125	133
Milk Cow Replacements	0.5	0.5	118	*117	117
Poultry	0.4	0.4	109	109	109
Seeds	2.9	3.0	121	124	124
Field Crops	2.7	2.7	121	124	124
Grasses/Legumes	0.3	0.3	121	115	115
Fertilizer	4.9	4.8	106	*134	153
Mixed Fertilizer	2.2	2.1	108	*112	114
Nitrogen	2.1	2.0	101	*168	210
Potash & Phosphate	0.7	0.7	116	*107	105
Agricultural Chemicals	3.9	4.0	120	*127	135
Herbicides	2.5	2.5	112	111	111
Insecticides	0.9	0.9	142	*175	210
Fungicides/Other	0.6	0.6	119	119	119
Fuels	2.6	2.6	125	143	147
Diesel	1.5	1.5	127	*141	141
Gasoline	0.8	0.7	125	*134	135
LP Gas	0.4	0.4	117	*172	198
Farm Supplies & Repairs	5.6	5.6	123	*126	126
Supplies	1.9	1.9	117	119	119
Repairs	3.7	3.7	126	*129	129
Autos & Trucks	1.6	1.7	119	120	120
Autos	0.2	0.2	112	*112	112
Trucks	1.4	1.5	120	121	121
Farm Machinery	4.0	4.0	138	137	137
Tractors	0.9	0.9	135	137	137
Self-Propelled	1.6	1.6	136	133	133
Other Machinery	1.5	1.5	141	*141	141
Building Materials	2.8	2.8	121	*120	120
Farm Services	12.4	12.4	117	*119	119
Custom Rates	1.3	1.3	119	119	119
Other Services	11.2	11.1	117	*119	119
Rent	8.1	7.9	113	*114	114
Cash	4.0	4.0	137	*137	137
Share	4.1	3.9	91	91	91
Interest	4.9	4.9	110	116	116
Taxes	3.1	3.1	123	123	123
Wage Rates	7.0	7.2	140	*149	149
Family Living-CPI	17.7	17.8	126	*130	130

* Revised.

1/ Weights may not add due to rounding.

Prices Paid by Farmers, Major Indexes US, by Quarter and Month 1/

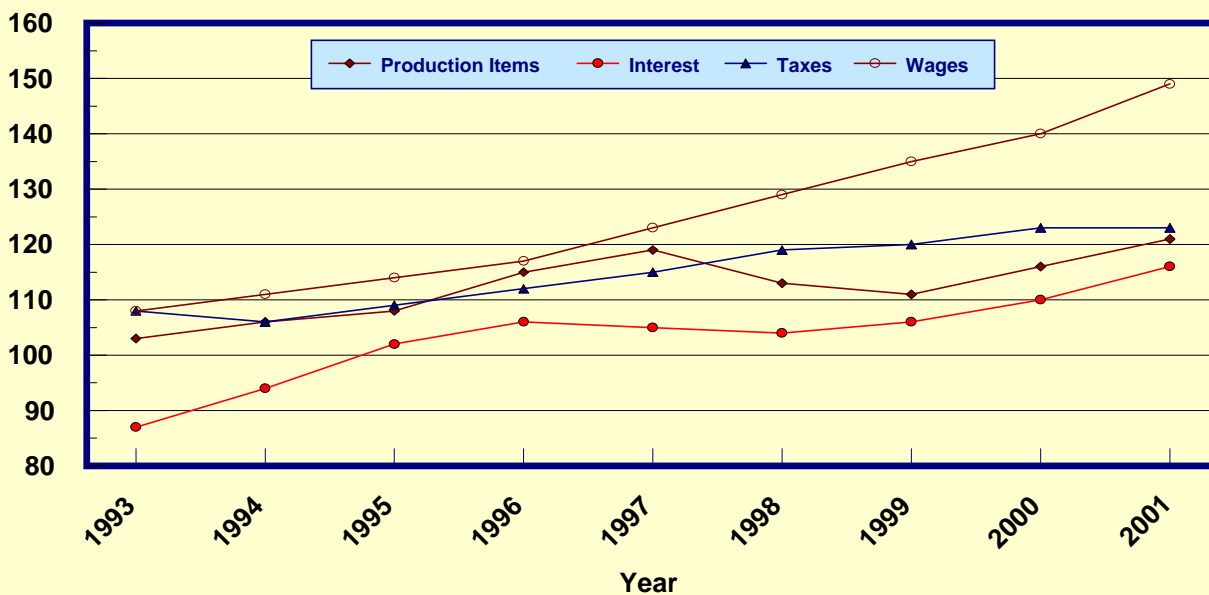
Percent (1990-92=100)



1/ Index values are monthly beginning in 1995.

Prices Paid by Farmers, Major Indexes US, Annual Averages 1/

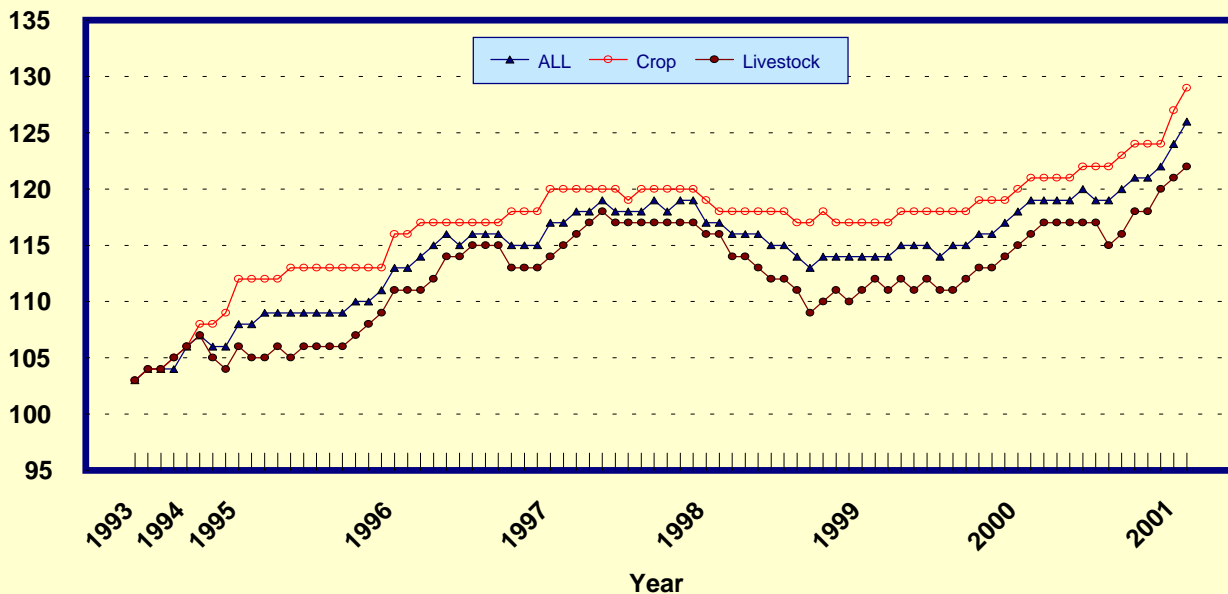
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Prices Paid by Farmers, Indexes, All Items US, By Farm Type 1/

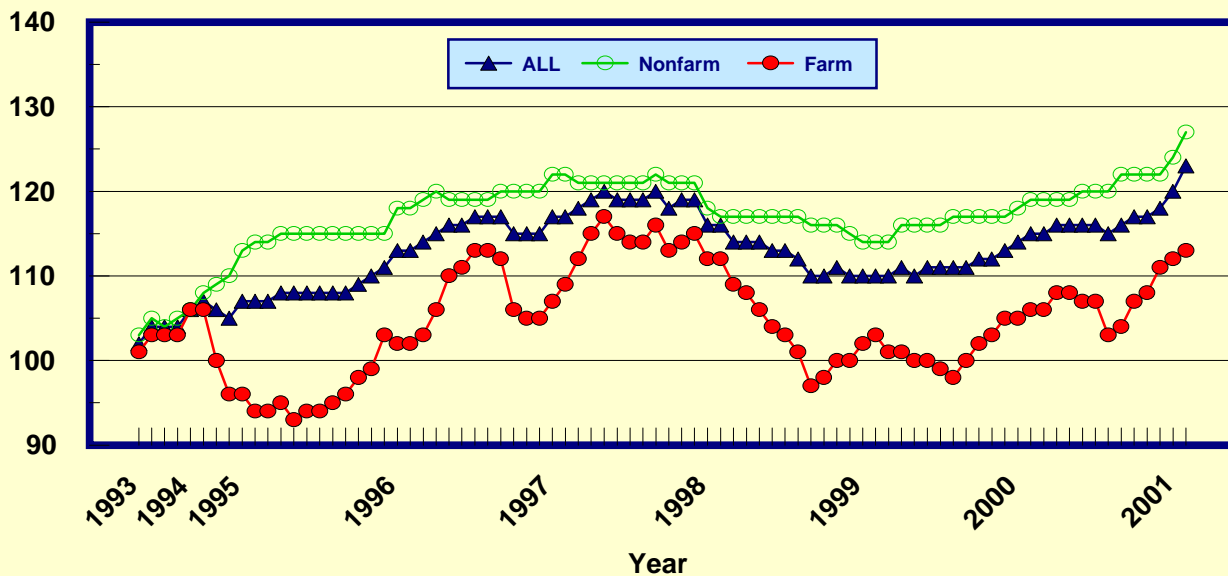
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Prices Paid by Farmers, Indexes, All Production Items US, By Sector Origin 1/

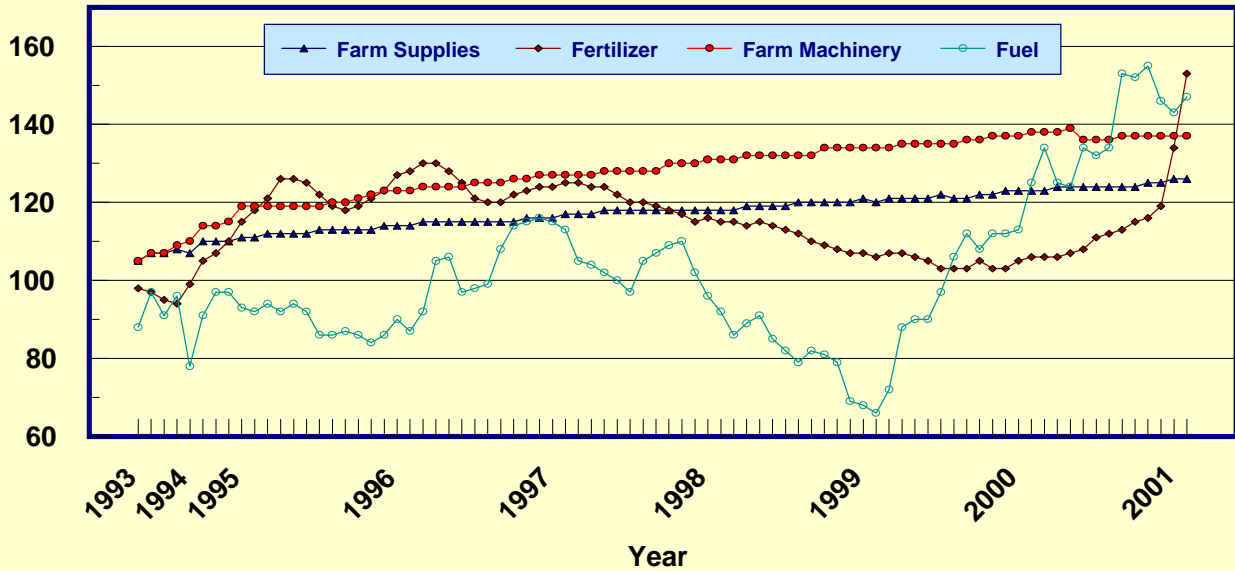
Percent (1990-92=100)



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Prices Paid by Farmers, Selected Production Indexes US, By Non-Farm Sector 1/

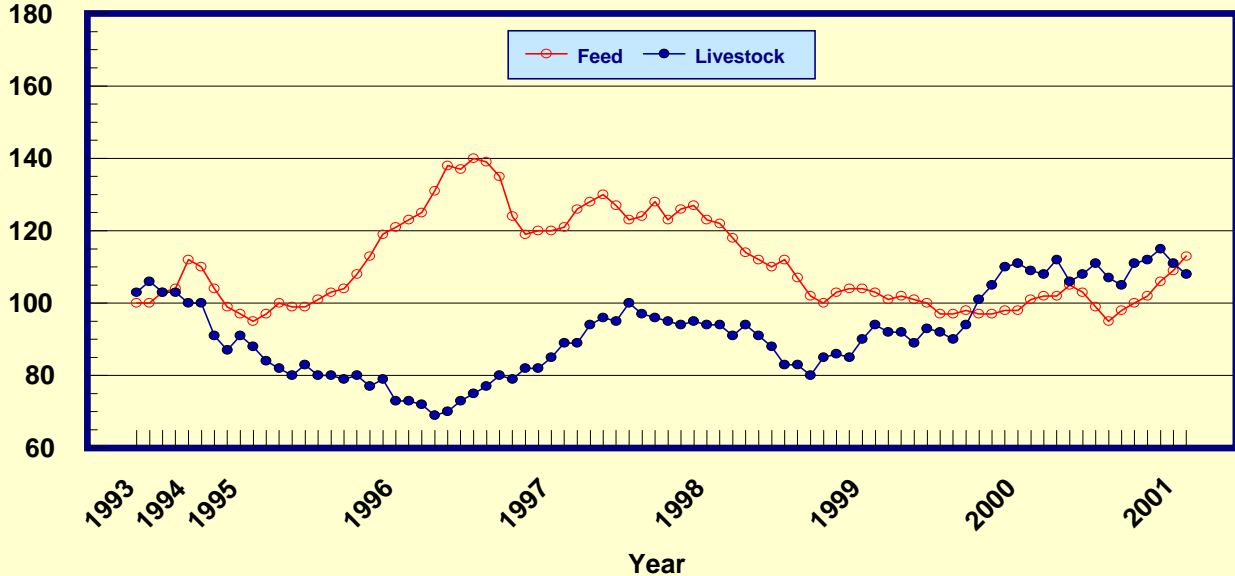
Percent (1990-92=100)



1/ Index values are monthly beginning in 1995.

Prices Paid by Farmers, Selected Production Indexes US, By Farm Sector 1/

Percent (1990-92=100)



1/ Index values are monthly beginning in 1995.

Feed Price Ratios: United States, February 2001 with Comparisons

Feed Price Ratio 1/	2000		2001	
	Feb	Jan	Jan	Feb
Broiler-Feed: Pounds of Broiler Grower Feed equal in value to 1 pound of broiler, live weight	6.2	*6.4		7.3
Market Egg Feed: Pounds of Laying Feed equal in Value to 1 dozen eggs	11.3	*10.9		11.6
Hog-Corn: Bushels of Corn equal in value to 100 pounds of hog, live weight	20.2	*18.8		20.1
Milk-Feed: Pounds of 16% Mixed Dairy Feed equal in value to 1 pound of Whole Milk	2.94	*3.07		3.07
Steer & Heifer-Corn: Bushels of Corn equal in value to 100 pounds of Steer & Heifers, live weight	35.9	*40.1		40.8
Turkey-Feed: Pounds of Turkey Grower equal in value to 1 pound of Turkey, live weight	7.2	*7.3		7.6

1/ Effective May 1997, prices of commercial prepared feeds are based on current U.S. prices received for corn, soybeans, alfalfa hay, and all wheat.

* Revised.

Prices Used to Calculate Feed Price Ratios:
United States, February 2001 with Comparisons

Commodity	Unit	2000		2001	
		Feb	Jan	Jan	Feb
Broilers, Live	Lb	0.335	0.340		0.370
Eggs, Market	Doz	0.523	0.503		0.509
Hogs, All	Cwt	39.90	*37.20		38.60
Milk, All	Cwt	11.80	*13.20		13.10
Steers and Heifers	Cwt	71.00	79.30		78.40
Turkeys, Live	Lb	0.357	0.366		0.363
Corn	Bu	1.98	*1.98		1.92
Hay, Alfalfa, Baled	Ton	77.00	91.30		94.20
Soybeans	Bu	4.79	*4.68		4.37
Wheat, All	Bu	2.54	*2.85		2.83

* Revised.

Feeder Livestock: Prices Paid, United States
February 2001 with Comparisons

Commodity	Unit	2000		2001	
		Feb	Jan	Jan	Feb
Dollars					
Feeders and Stockers					
Cattle and Calves	Cwt	89.00	92.20		88.90
Feeder Pigs	Cwt	126.00	*115.00		122.00

* Revised.

Prices Paid Indexes: Monthly and Annual Average
United States, 1997-01

Year:	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Avg

	Building Materials												
	1910-14 = 100												
1997	1585	1593	1598	1605	1609	1607	1609	1608	1605	1600	1602	1600	1602
1998	1599	1600	1604	1607	1606	1604	1609	1611	1610	1604	1602	1602	1605
1999	1606	1610	1616	1618	1623	1634	1645	1644	1635	1630	1633	1637	1628
2000	1644	1648	1654	1657	1651	1649	1645	1643	1643	1642	1639	1639	1646
2001	1635												1635
	1990-92 = 100												
1997	117	117	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118
1998	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	119	119	118	118	118	118
1999	118	119	119	119	119	120	121	121	120	120	120	121	120
2000	121	121	122	122	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121
2001	120												120
	Farm Services and Rent 2/												
	1910-14 = 100												
1997	1473	1473	1474	1472	1474	1484	1485	1483	1485	1475	1474	1471	1477
1998	1394	1391	1391	1391	1393	1402	1402	1400	1397	1392	1387	1386	1394
1999	1358	1359	1359	1359	1361	1368	1370	1369	1371	1367	1364	1365	1364
2000	1375	1377	1379	1379	1379	1389	1391	1391	1391	1387	1383	1383	1384
2001	1393												1393

1/ Simple average and is year-to-date for current year.

2/ For the 1990-92=100 period, the Farm Services and Rent Index is separated.

Prices Paid by Farmers

Definition: Prices paid by farmers represent the average costs of inputs purchased by farmers and ranchers to produce agricultural commodities. Conceptually, the average price when multiplied by quantity purchased should equal total producer expenditures for the item.

Survey Procedures: The prices paid data are obtained from establishments that sell goods and services to farmers and ranchers. Annually, about 8,500 firms are randomly selected from lists by type of item sold with an average response rate in the range of 75-80 percent. Firms are asked to report the price for the specified item "most commonly bought by farmers" or that was the "volume seller". Approximately 135 items are surveyed each April to represent all production input items purchased. The survey reference period for most items is the 5 business days centered around the 15th of the month. Separate prices paid surveys are conducted for, agricultural chemicals, fuels, feed, fertilizer, machinery, and seed.

Summary and Estimation Procedures: The annual April Prices Paid Survey is summarized as a nonprobability survey. Average prices reported are aggregated to the region and U.S. level using weights available from expenditure data and other administrative sources. Price recommendations are prepared by the State Statistical Offices and Headquarters for review by the Agricultural Statistics Board in Washington, D.C. Also, the change in price level for individual items surveyed are combined to the regional and U.S. levels, and are published as prices paid indexes referenced to a specific base period. Prices paid indexes for new autos and trucks, building materials, farm supplies, motor supplies, and marketing containers are updated based on price changes measured in selected Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) indexes.

Revisions: Any revisions are published in the monthly and in annual issues of "Agricultural Prices". The basis for revision must be supported by additional data that directly affect the level of the estimate. More revisions are likely in April when separate prices paid surveys are conducted, in lieu of BLS indexes, by the USDA to measure price change.

Reliability: Current methods of summarization in April are not designed directly to calculate sampling errors. However, analytical measures approximate the U.S. relative sampling errors for major items around 10 percent. Any nonsampling errors are attributed to such things as the inability to obtain correct information, differences in interpreting questions or definitions, mistakes in coding or processing the data, etc. Efforts are made at each step in the survey process to minimize these nonsampling errors.

Program Change: Effective January 1, 1995, the National Agricultural Statistics Service updated the weights and changed the construction of its prices paid and received by farmers indexes. A Federal Register Notice dated October 28, 1994 discussed these program modifications.

A 1990-92 reference and base period replaced the 1977 reference and 1971-73 base weight period. Five-year moving average weights replaced the current fixed 1971-73 base period weights. The 1910-14=100 price indexes, required by statute for computing parity prices, were linked forward based on the changes in the new 1990-92=100 indexes. The new indexes were constructed by multiplying the ratios of the current prices to the base period prices by the moving average weights (adjusted for seasonal marketing patterns for the prices received indexes).

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