

Agricultural Prices

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June Farm Prices Received Index Down 2 Points

The preliminary All Farm Products Index of Prices Received by Farmers in June, at 139 percent, based on 1990-1992=100, decreased 2 points (1.4 percent) from May. The Crop Index is down 5 points (3.3 percent) and the Livestock Index decreased 1 point (0.8 percent). Producers received lower prices for cattle, onions, hogs, and wheat and higher prices for lettuce, milk, turkeys, and cucumbers. In addition to prices, the overall index is also affected by the seasonal change based on a 3-year average mix of commodities producers sell. Increased monthly marketings of wheat, grapes, hay, and cantaloups offset decreased marketings of oranges, strawberries, cattle, and sweet corn.

The preliminary All Farm Products Index is up 6 points (4.5 percent) from June 2009. The Food Commodities Index, at 139, decreased 3 points (2.1 percent) from last month but increased 9 points (6.9 percent) from June 2009.

Prices Paid Index Down 1 Point

The June Index of Prices Paid for Commodities and Services, Interest, Taxes, and Farm Wage Rates (PPITW) is 182 percent of the 1990-1992 average. The index is down 1 point (0.5 percent) from May but is 2 points above (1.1 percent) June 2009. Lower prices in June for diesel, feeder cattle, supplements, and feeder pigs more than offset higher prices for complete feeds, other services, mixed fertilizer, and other machinery.

Index Summary Table

Index 1990-92=100	2009		2010	
	May	Jun	May	Jun
Prices Received	130	133	141	139
Prices Paid	180	180	183	182
Ratio ¹	72	74	77	76

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

Prices Received by Farmers

The June All Farm Products Index is 139 percent of its 1990-1992 base, down 1.4 percent from the May index but 4.5 percent above the June 2009 index.

ALL CROPS: The June index is 147, down 3.3 percent from May and 6.4 percent below June 2009. Index decreases for food grains, feed grains & hay, commercial vegetables, potatoes & dry beans, and oilseeds more than offset the index increases for fruits & nuts and cotton.

Food Grains: The June index, at 133, is 15 percent below the previous month and 31 percent below a year ago. The June all wheat price, at \$3.80 per bushel, is down 53 cents from May and \$1.92 below June 2009.

Feed Grains & Hay: The June index is 148, down 2.6 percent from last month and 14 percent below a year ago. The corn price, at \$3.38 per bushel, is down 10 cents from last month and 63 cents below June 2009. The all hay price, at \$114 per ton, is down \$2.00 from May and down \$9.00 from last June. Sorghum grain, at \$5.50 per cwt, is 19 cents below May and 79 cents below June last year.

Cotton: The June index, at 109, is unchanged from May but 47 percent above last year. The June price, at 66.2 cents per pound, is up 0.2 cent from the previous month and 21.2 cents above last June.

Oilseeds: The June index, at 167, is down 0.6 percent from May and 18 percent lower than June 2009. The soybean price, at \$9.39 per bushel, decreased 2 cents from May and is \$2.01 below June 2009.

Fruits & Nuts: The June index, at 148, is up 7.2 percent from May and 15 percent higher than a year ago. Price increases for oranges, lemons, and pears more than offset price decreases for peaches, strawberries, and apples.

Commercial Vegetables: The June index, at 182, is down 2.7 percent from last month but 17 percent above June 2009. Price declines for onions, cantaloups, tomatoes, and cauliflower more than offset price increases during June for lettuce and cucumbers.

Potatoes & Dry Beans: The June index, at 145, is down 1.4 percent from last month and 10 percent below June 2009. The all potato price, at \$8.28 per cwt, is down 29 cents from May and \$1.20 from last June. The all dry bean price, at \$30.70 per cwt, is up \$2.90 from the previous month and 90 cents above June 2009.

LIVESTOCK & PRODUCTS: The June index, at 130, is 0.8 percent below last month but up 17 percent from June 2009. Compared with a year ago, prices are higher for milk, cattle, hogs, turkeys, calves, and eggs. The price for broilers remained unchanged from a year ago.

Meat Animals: The June index, at 124, is down 4.6 percent from last month but 17 percent higher than last year. The June hog price, at \$57.70 per cwt, is down \$4.40 from May but \$14.40 higher than a year ago. The June beef cattle price of \$91.10 per cwt is down \$3.70 from last month but \$11.00 higher than June 2009.

Dairy Products: The June index, at 121, is up 4.3 percent from a month ago and 39 percent higher than June last year. The June all milk price of \$15.80 per cwt is up 70 cents from last month and \$4.50 from June 2009. The fluid grade milk price increased 70 cents and the manufacturing grade milk price remained unchanged from the previous month.

Poultry & Eggs: The June index, at 149, is up 1.4 percent from May and June 2009. The June market egg price, at 42.2 cents per dozen, decreased 1.9 cents from May but is 3.3 cents above June 2009. The June broiler price, at 51.0 cents per pound, is unchanged from May and a year ago. The June turkey price, at 61.7 cents per pound, is up 5.6 cents from the previous month and 9.2 cents from a year earlier.

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**Index Numbers of Prices Received, United States,
June 2010 with Comparisons ¹**

Index	1910-14=100				1990-92=100		
	Average 1990-92	2009	2010		2009	2010	
		Jun	May	Jun	Jun	May	Jun
All Farm Products	639	843	*895	879	133	141	139
All Crops	500	780	*751	728	157	*152	147
Food Grains	325	616	*495	422	194	*156	133
Feed Grains & Hay	363	612	*542	528	172	*152	148
Cotton	517	381	*559	560	74	*109	109
Tobacco ²	1263	1569	1563	1563	104	103	103
Oilseeds	554	1113	*919	916	203	*168	167
Fruits & Nuts	716	898	*965	1034	129	*138	148
Commercial Vegetables	698	1106	*1333	1303	155	*187	182
Potatoes & Dry Beans	540	821	*745	735	162	*147	145
Other Crops	493	607	607	607	123	123	123
Livestock & Products	768	854	*1004	996	111	*131	130
Meat Animals	1021	1078	*1324	1264	106	*130	124
Dairy Products	799	695	*929	972	87	*116	121
Poultry & Eggs	282	412	*414	418	147	147	149
Food Commodities					130	142	139

* Revised.

¹ Revised historical price indexes for months not shown are available at www.nass.usda.gov.

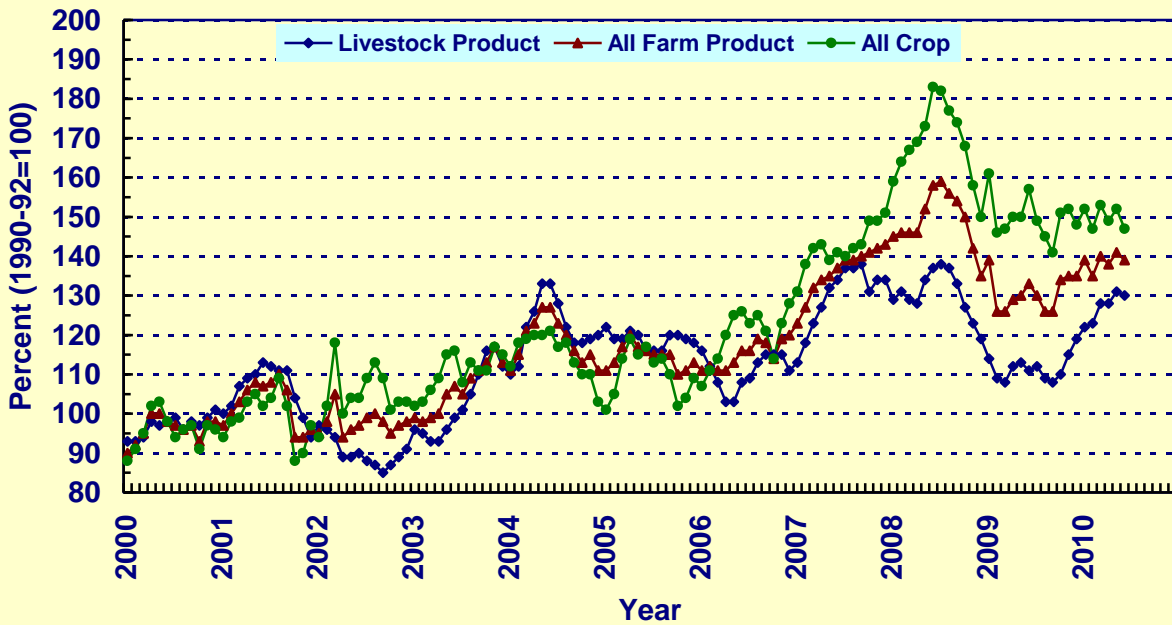
² Monthly prices discontinued July 2005.

**Selected Index Numbers for Prices Received and Paid,
1990-92=100, by Month, United States, 2009 and 2010 ¹**

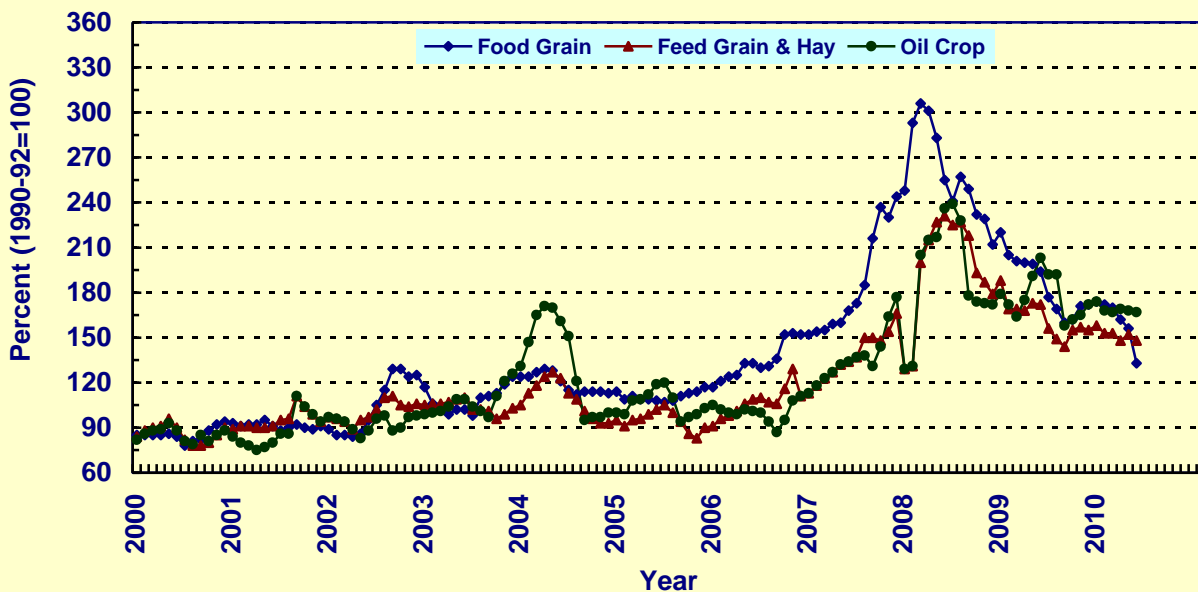
Month	Index of Prices Received						Index of Prices Paid			
	All Farm Products		All Crops		Livestock and Products		All Items		Production Items	
	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010
Jan	139	139	161	152	114	122	180	183	184	186
Feb	126	135	146	147	109	123	179	182	183	185
Mar	126	140	147	153	108	128	180	182	184	184
Apr	129	138	150	149	112	128	180	183	185	186
May	130	141	150	152	113	131	180	183	184	186
Jun	133	139	157	147	111	130	180	182	184	185
Jul	130		149		112		178		182	
Aug	126		145		109		177		180	
Sep	126		141		108		176		179	
Oct	134		151		110		177		179	
Nov	135		152		115		178		181	
Dec	135		148		119		178		181	

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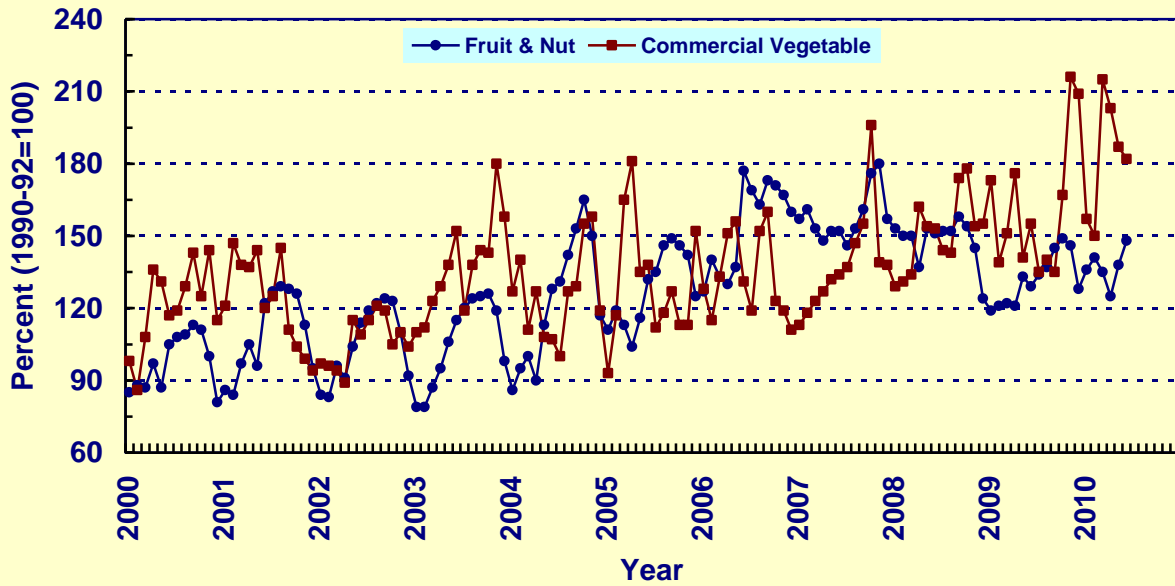
Prices Received, Major Indexes, US



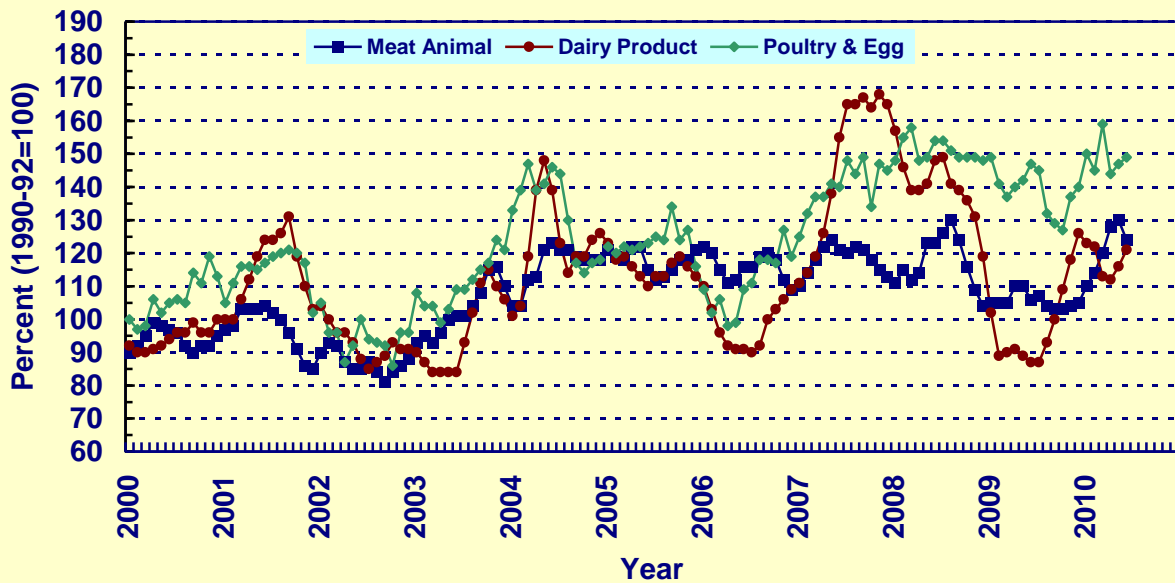
Prices Received, Food, Feed, & Oil Crop Indexes, US



Prices Received, Fruit and Vegetable Indexes, US



Prices Received, Livestock Product Indexes, US



**Prices Received, United States,
June 2010, with Comparisons**

Commodity	Unit	Average 1990-92	Entire Month		Preliminary
			Jun 2009	May 2010	Jun 2010
		<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>
Field Crops					
Barley, All	Bu	2.12	4.70	4.25	3.63
Feed	Bu	1.90	3.16	2.49	2.75
Malting	Bu	2.43	5.38	4.51	4.00
Beans, Dry Edible	Cwt	19.10	29.80	27.80	30.70
Canola	Cwt		17.20	17.00	17.00
Chickpeas, All	Cwt		32.80	27.00	(⁵)
Large	Cwt		33.60	28.00	(⁵)
Small	Cwt		18.00	22.00	(⁶)
Corn	Bu	2.30	4.01	3.48	3.38
Cotton, Upland	Lb	0.606	0.450	0.660	0.662
Cottonseed ¹	Ton	96.00			
Flaxseed	Bu	4.27	9.59	8.31	8.35
Hay, All, Baled ²	Ton	76.30	123.00	116.00	114.00
Alfalfa ²	Ton	77.20	128.00	121.00	119.00
Other ²	Ton	60.00	107.00	99.70	99.10
Lentils	Cwt		31.50	29.50	26.90
Oats	Bu	1.22	2.37	2.19	2.02
Peanuts, In-Shell	Lb	0.304	0.247	0.206	0.219
Peas, Dry Edible	Cwt		11.10	9.27	8.36
Austrian Winter	Cwt		(⁶)	(⁶)	(⁶)
Potatoes	Cwt	5.82	9.48	8.57	8.28
Rice, All	Cwt	7.07	14.70	13.50	13.40
Long ³	Cwt		12.80	12.50	12.40
Medium & Short ³	Cwt		25.30	16.80	16.90
Sorghum Grain	Cwt	3.75	6.29	5.69	5.50
Soybeans	Bu	5.61	11.40	9.41	9.39
Sunflower, All	Cwt	9.50	18.40	14.90	15.00
Wheat, All	Bu	2.96	5.72	4.33	3.80
Winter	Bu	2.93	5.47	4.21	3.66
Durum	Bu	2.86	6.83	4.28	4.21
Other Spring	Bu	3.11	6.66	4.61	4.67
Hard Red Winter	Bu		(⁵)	4.16	
Soft Red Winter	Bu		(⁵)	4.38	
Hard Red Spring	Bu		(⁵)	4.62	
White	Bu	3.24	(⁵)	4.35	
Fruit					
Citrus, Equiv on-tree					
Grapefruit	Box	5.77	8.23	4.67	5.40
Lemons	Box	10.10	11.34	9.73	10.97
Oranges	Box	5.79	7.04	7.65	8.10
Tangelos	Box	5.82	(⁶)	(⁶)	(⁶)
Tangerines and Mandarins	Box	15.11	(⁵)	(⁵)	(⁵)
Noncitrus, Fresh					
Apples ⁴	Lb	0.212	0.181	0.318	0.308
Grapes ⁴	Ton	506.00	1,400.00	(⁶)	1,010.00
Peaches ⁴	Ton	432.00	822.00	1,080.00	604.00
Pears ⁴	Ton	370.00	642.00	514.00	653.00
Strawberries	Cwt	56.00	62.80	78.90	73.40

¹ Marketing year August - February.

² Mid-month price.

³ Published estimates began in August 2008.

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

⁵ Price not published to avoid disclosure of individual firms.

⁶ Insufficient sales to establish a price.

**Prices Received, United States,
June 2010, with Comparisons**

Commodity	Unit	Average 1990-92	Entire Month		Preliminary
			Jun 2009	May 2010	Jun 2010
		<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>
Vegetables, Fresh ¹					
Asparagus	Cwt	79.80	77.50	125.00	104.00
Broccoli	Cwt	22.50	31.00	43.50	37.60
Cantaloups ²	Cwt		19.10	30.80	25.60
Carrots	Cwt	13.20	25.80	27.40	27.40
Cauliflower	Cwt	26.80	43.50	68.60	32.70
Celery	Cwt	11.60	11.70	20.00	18.70
Corn, Sweet	Cwt	15.70	25.40	20.50	16.60
Cucumbers ²	Cwt		23.40	17.00	22.50
Lettuce	Cwt	11.90	18.90	24.30	29.60
Onions	Cwt	12.80	18.00	43.90	30.30
Snap Beans ²	Cwt		53.50	31.00	27.90
Tomatoes	Cwt	32.30	67.20	48.30	24.70
Livestock					
Calves	Cwt	94.30	109.00	122.00	121.00
Cattle, All Beef	Cwt	72.90	80.10	94.80	91.10
Cows ³	Cwt	49.60	45.40	59.20	58.20
Steers & Heifers	Cwt	77.10	84.90	99.70	95.70
Milk Cows ⁴	Head	1130.00			
Hogs, All	Cwt	47.70	43.30	62.10	57.70
Barrows & Gilts	Cwt	48.40	43.70	62.40	57.90
Sows	Cwt	39.50	32.80	57.00	54.20
Lambs	Cwt	56.20	104.00	123.00	
Sheep	Cwt	23.40	28.90	46.10	
Dairy and Poultry					
Milk, All ^{5 6}	Cwt	13.06	11.30	15.10	15.80
Fluid Grade ⁶	Cwt	13.10	11.30	15.10	15.80
Mfg Grade ⁶	Cwt	11.80	10.40	13.70	13.70
Broilers, Live ⁷	Lb	0.317	0.510	0.510	0.510
Eggs, All ⁸	Doz	0.643	0.594	0.633	0.619
Market ^{8 9}	Doz	0.546	0.389	0.441	0.422
Turkeys, live ^{8 10}	Lb	0.380	0.525	0.561	0.617
Adjusted for Seasonal Variation ¹¹					
Eggs, All	Doz	0.545	0.763	0.791	0.799
Milk, All ⁵	Cwt	9.71	11.30	15.80	15.80

¹ Beginning January 2006, point of first sale. F.O.B. shipping point for prior years.

² Monthly estimates began January 1995.

³ Beef cows and cull dairy cows sold for slaughter.

⁴ Animals sold for dairy herd replacement only. Prices available for Jan, Apr, Jul, and Oct.

⁵ Before deductions for hauling. Includes quality, quantity, and other premiums. Excludes hauling subsidies.

⁶ June 2010 Fat test percent: all milk, 3.55; fluid milk, 3.54; mfg grade, 3.82.

⁷ Equivalent live weight price.

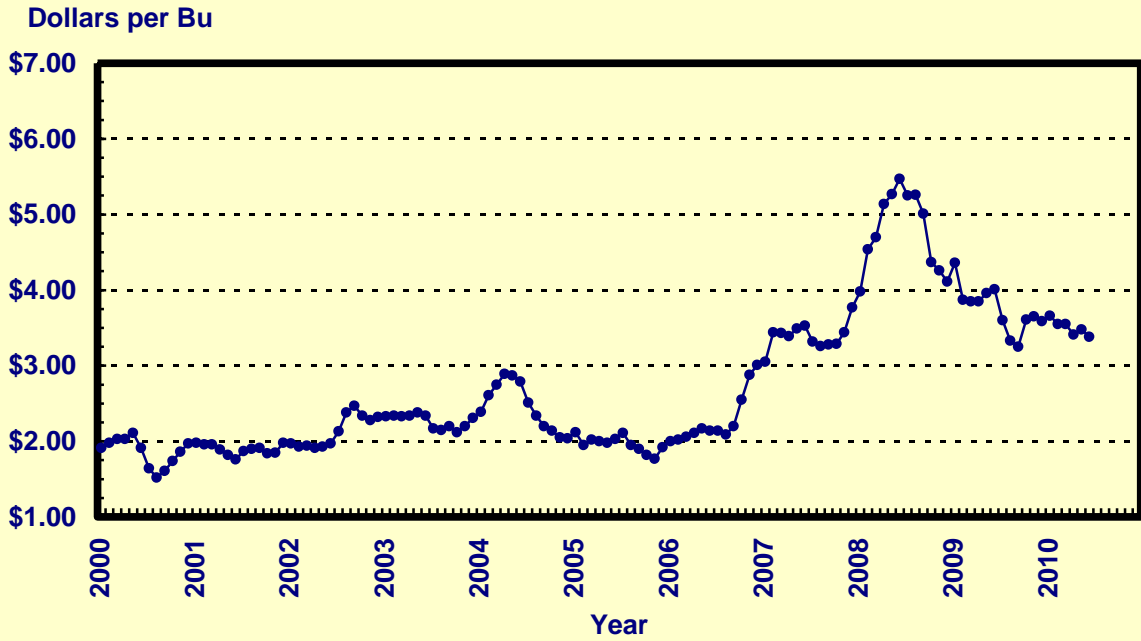
⁸ Mid-month price.

⁹ Also referred to as table eggs.

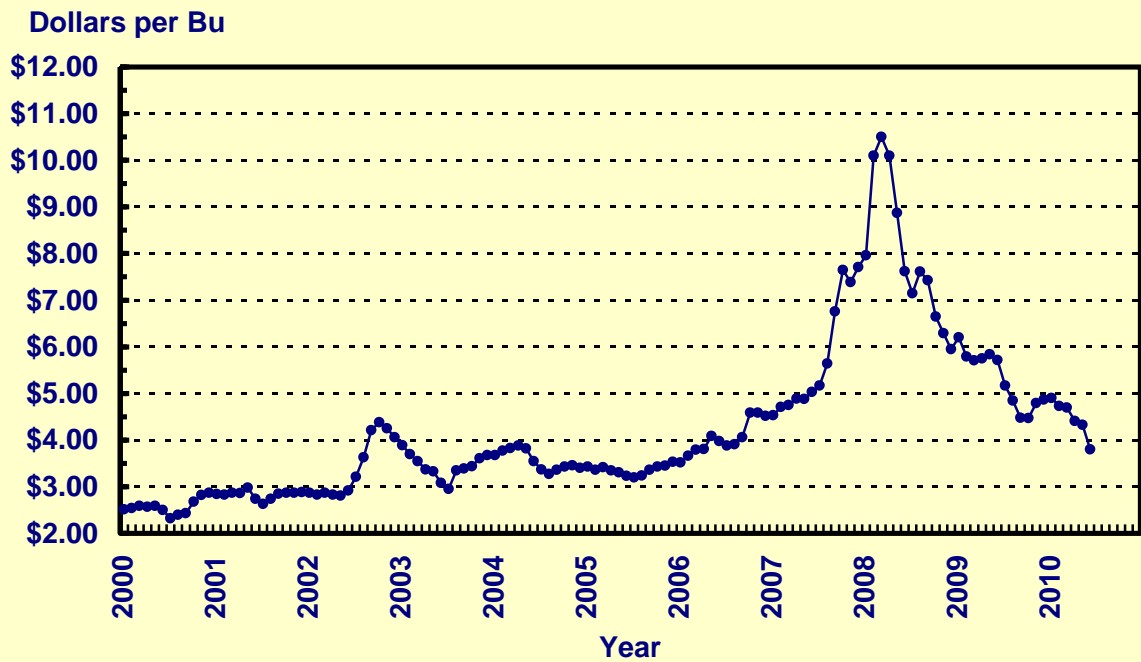
¹⁰ Live weight equivalent price is used when actual live weight price is not available.

¹¹ Seasonal adjustment factors are: All Eggs June 2009, 78; May 2010, 80; and June 2010, 77. All Milk June 2009, 100; May 2010, 95; and June 2010, 100.

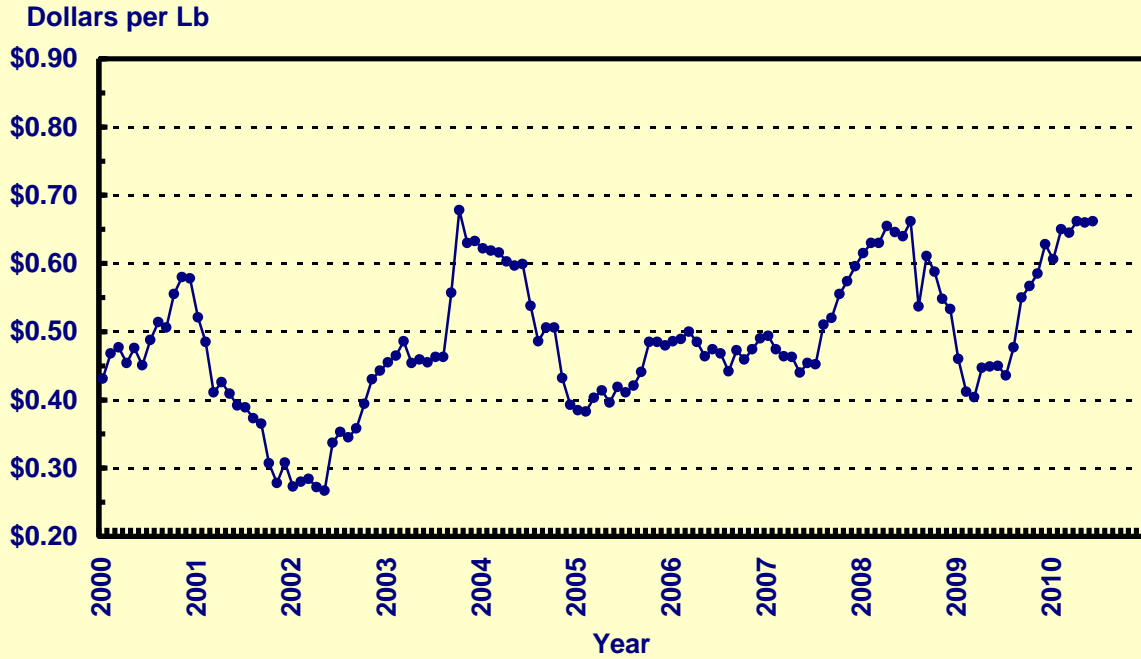
Prices Received, Corn, US



Prices Received, Wheat, US



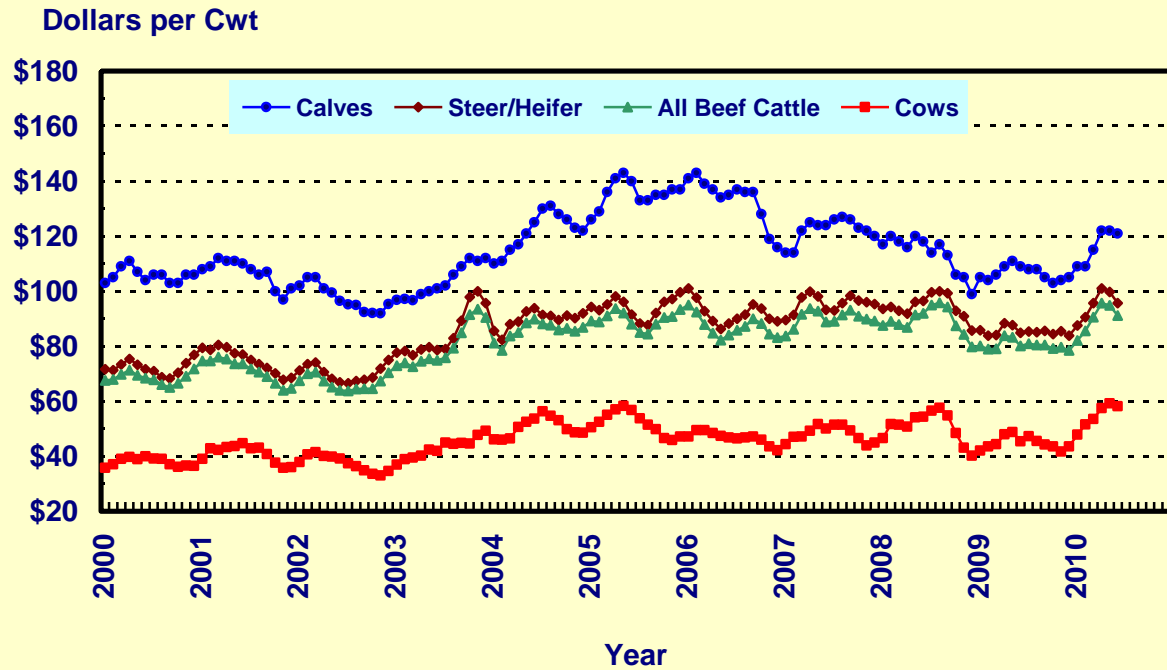
Prices Received, Cotton, US



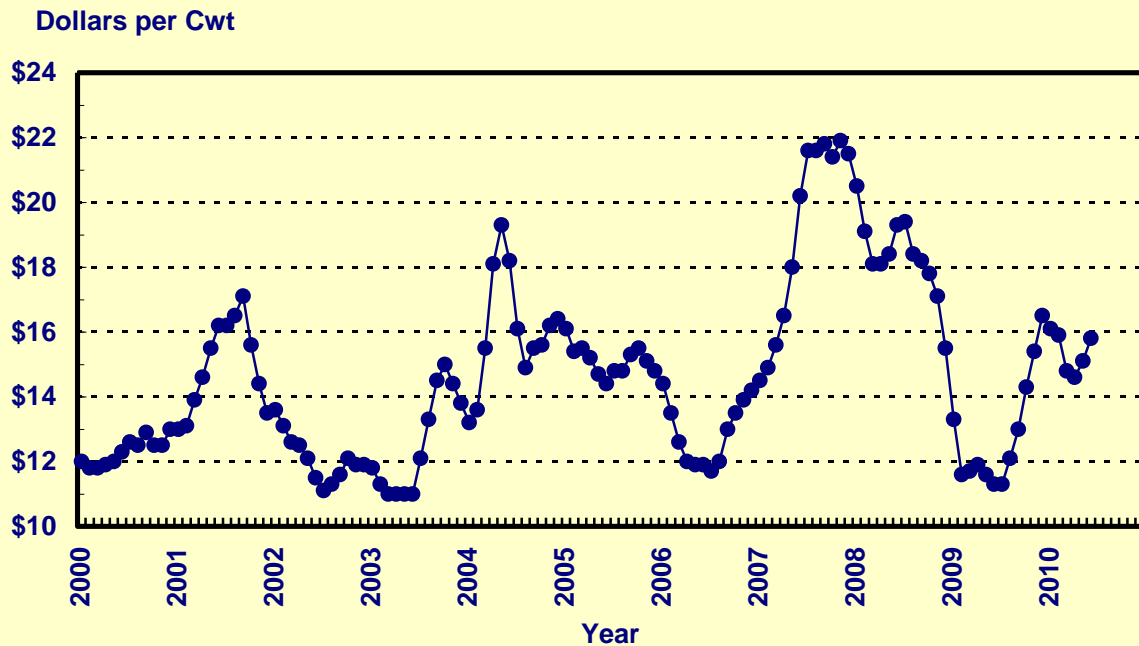
Prices Received, Soybeans, US



Prices Received, Cattle, US

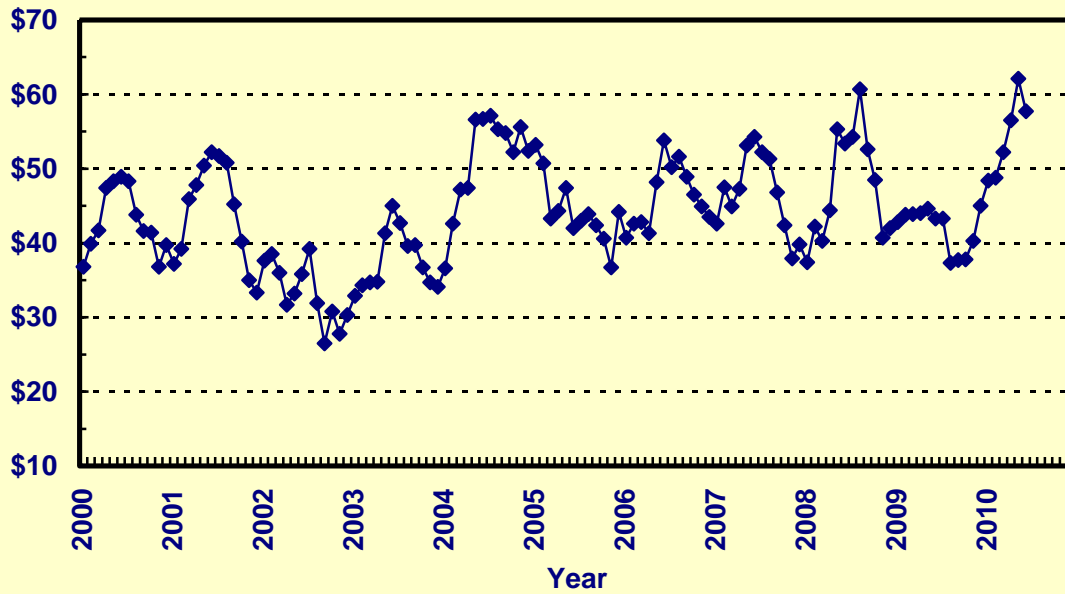


Prices Received, Milk, US



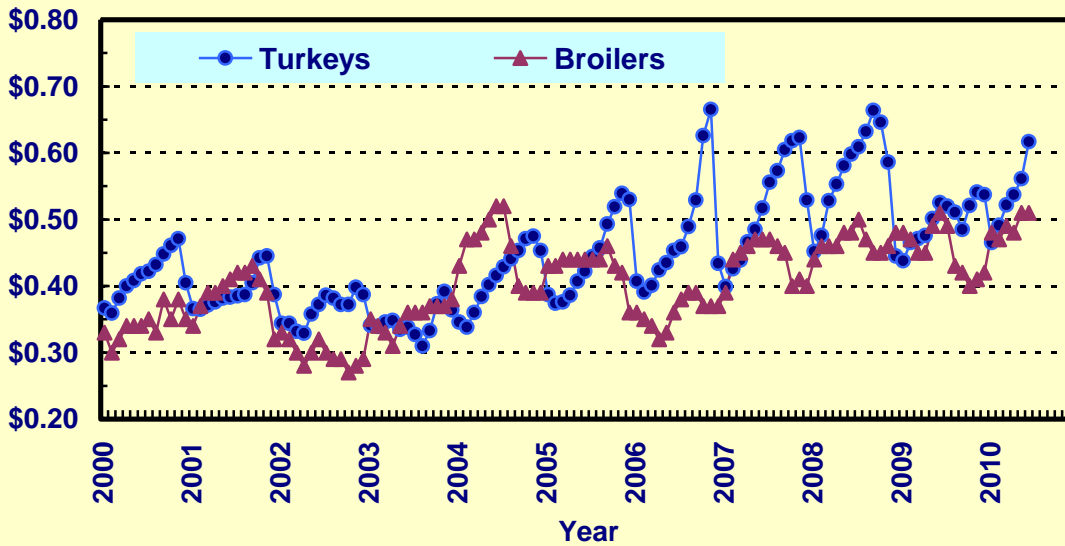
Prices Received, Hogs, US

Dollars per Cwt



Prices Received, Turkeys & Broilers, US

Dollars per Lb



Wheat: Prices Received, by State, May and June 2010

State	All Wheat		Winter Wheat		Durum Wheat		Oth Spring Wheat	
	May ¹	Jun ²	May ¹	Jun ²	May ¹	Jun ²	May ¹	Jun ²
	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>
AZ	(³)	(³)			(³)	(³)		
AR	4.42	4.40	4.42	4.40				
CA	4.37	(³)	4.37	(³)	(⁴)	(⁴)		
CO	3.98	3.32	3.98	3.32			(⁴)	(⁴)
ID	4.44	4.32	4.29	4.30	(³)	(³)	4.60	4.35
IL	4.09	4.20	4.09	4.20				
IN	5.03	4.23	5.03	4.23				
KS	4.24	3.65	4.24	3.65				
MI	4.39	4.20	4.39	4.20				
MN	4.27	4.40	(³)	4.50			4.27	4.40
MO	4.21	4.20	4.21	4.20				
MT	4.71	4.81	4.37	4.49	4.46	4.30	5.47	5.61
NE	3.97	3.65	3.97	3.65				
NC	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)				
ND	4.34	4.51	3.93	3.40	4.00	3.95	4.43	4.60
OH	4.36	4.31	4.36	4.31				
OK	4.21	3.58	4.21	3.58				
OR	4.68	4.28	4.62	4.20			5.08	4.80
SD	4.54	4.20	4.15	3.81			5.27	4.92
TX	3.93	3.23	3.93	3.23				
WA	4.49	4.30	4.27	4.16			5.26	4.99
US	4.33	3.80	4.21	3.66	4.28	4.21	4.61	4.67

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 Month,
United States, 2009 and 2010 ¹**

Month	All Wheat		Corn		Soybeans		Beef Cattle ²		All Hogs	
	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010
	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>
Jan	6.20	4.90	4.36	3.66	9.97	9.79	80.10	82.10	42.80	48.40
Feb	5.79	4.73	3.87	3.55	9.54	9.41	78.90	85.50	43.80	48.80
Mar	5.71	4.70	3.85	3.55	9.12	9.39	79.10	90.50	43.90	52.20
Apr	5.75	4.41	3.85	3.41	9.79	9.47	83.80	95.70	44.00	56.50
May	5.84	4.33	3.96	3.48	10.70	9.41	83.20	94.80	44.60	62.10
Jun	5.72	3.80	4.01	3.38	11.40	9.39	80.10	91.10	43.30	57.70
Jul	5.17		3.60		10.80		80.90		43.30	
Aug	4.85		3.33		10.80		80.40		37.30	
Sep	4.48		3.25		9.75		80.50		37.70	
Oct	4.47		3.61		9.44		79.20		37.80	
Nov	4.79		3.65		9.53		79.60		40.30	
Dec	4.87		3.59		9.80		78.50		45.00	

¹ Current month prices are mid-month; prices for previous months are for the entire month.

² Cows, steers and heifers.

Grains: Prices Received, by State, May and June 2010

State	All Barley		Corn		Oats		Soybeans		Sorghum Grain	
	May ¹	Jun ²	May ¹	Jun ²	May ¹	Jun ²	May ¹	Jun ²	May ¹	Jun ²
	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>
AL							9.22	9.30	(⁴)	(⁴)
AR										
CA	(³)	(³)								
CO	(³)	(³)	3.45	3.24						
ID	4.59	4.93								
IL			3.49	3.45	2.96	2.90	9.43	9.60	(³)	(³)
IN			3.65	3.47			9.75	9.67		
IA			3.52	3.45	2.24	2.20	9.35	9.40		
KS			3.40	3.15			9.35	9.25	5.55	5.15
KY			3.77	3.65			9.61	9.70		
LA							9.06	(⁴)	(³)	(⁴)
MI			3.43	3.40	2.84	(³)	9.53	9.50		
MN	(³)	(³)	3.33	3.30	1.70	1.80	9.15	9.20		
MS							8.75	8.83		
MO			3.57	3.50			9.48	9.60	5.40	5.35
MT	4.86	3.40			2.39	(³)				
NE			3.51	3.30	2.34	2.35	9.27	9.20	5.38	5.15
NY					(³)	(³)				
NC			4.04	4.03			9.66	9.53		
ND	3.21	2.85	2.98	3.00	1.80	(³)	9.06	9.00		
OH			3.52	3.47			9.50	9.65		
OK									5.26	5.14
OR	3.12	3.30			(³)	(³)				
PA			3.79	3.76	2.60	2.58				
SD			3.21	3.03	2.03	2.05	9.19	9.06		
TN			3.87	3.75			9.55	9.55		
TX			4.04	3.61	(⁴)	(⁴)			6.91	6.10
UT	2.97	(³)								
WA	2.75	2.64								
WI			3.44	3.30	2.07	1.91	9.85	9.35		
WY	(⁴)	(⁴)								
US	4.25	3.63	3.48	3.38	2.19	2.02	9.41	9.39	5.69	5.50

¹ Entire month.

² Mid-month.

³ Price not published to avoid disclosure of individual firms.

⁴ Insufficient sales to establish a price.

**Malting and Feed Barley: Prices Received Selected State,
May and June 2010**

State	Malting Barley		Feed Barley	
	May ¹	Jun ²	May ¹	Jun ²
	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>
ID	4.94	5.15	2.58	2.90
MN	(⁴)	(³)	(³)	(³)
MT	4.95	3.42	2.52	2.82
ND	3.38	3.10	2.01	2.05
WY	(⁴)	(⁴)	(⁴)	(⁴)

¹ Entire month.

² Mid-month.

³ Price not published to avoid disclosure of individual firms.

⁴ Insufficient sales to establish a price.

Field Crops: Prices Received, by State, May and June 2010

State	Dry Edible Beans		All Sunflower		Canola		Flaxseed		Peanuts ^{4 5}	
	May ¹	Jun ²	May ¹	Jun ²	May ¹	Jun ²	May ¹	Jun ²	May ¹	Jun ³
	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Pound</i>	<i>Dollars per Pound</i>
AL									0.202	0.202
CA	49.30	56.90								
CO	31.60	28.70	(⁶)	(⁶)						
FL									0.201	0.204
GA									0.200	0.203
ID	29.60	(⁷)								
KS			(⁶)	(⁶)						
MI	33.80	35.00								
MN	32.10	(⁶)	19.30	19.20	(⁶)	(⁷)				
MS									(⁷)	(⁷)
NE	28.70	28.30								
NM									0.206	(⁶)
NC									0.210	0.214
ND	23.70	22.90	16.40	16.50	16.90	17.00	8.31	8.35		
OK									(⁶)	(⁶)
SC									0.217	0.224
SD			13.10	12.40						
TX									0.228	0.252
VA									0.222	(⁷)
US	27.80	30.70	14.90	15.00	17.00	17.00	8.31	8.35	0.206	0.219

¹ Entire month.

² Mid-month.

³ Based on sales through first half of month.

⁴ In-Shell.

⁵ Monthly published estimates for MS, NM, OK, and SC began in August 2009.

⁶ Price not published to avoid disclosure of individual firms.

⁷ Insufficient sales to establish a price.

Field Crops and Apples: Prices Received, by State, May and June 2010

State	Cotton, Upland		June				Apples Fresh Use ^{2 4}
	May ¹	Jun ²	Cotton- seed ⁵	Hay, Baled ³			
				All	Alfalfa	Other	
	<i>Dollars per Pound</i>	<i>Dollars per Pound</i>	<i>Dollars per Ton</i>	<i>Dollars per Ton</i>	<i>Dollars per Ton</i>	<i>Dollars per Ton</i>	<i>Dol/Lb</i>
AL	0.662	0.662					
AZ	(⁶)	(⁶)		130.00	130.00	125.00	
AR	0.660	0.662					
CA	(⁶)	(⁷)		114.00	121.00	95.00	
CO				125.00	125.00	120.00	
GA	0.664	0.662					
ID				107.00	107.00	80.00	
IL				116.00	125.00	88.00	
IA				116.00	119.00	83.00	
KS				106.00	110.00	70.00	
KY				93.00	140.00	80.00	
LA	0.661	0.662					
MI				110.00	115.00	90.00	
MN				111.00	120.00	75.00	
MS	0.660	0.662					
MO				75.00	125.00	60.00	
MT				90.00	89.00	100.00	
NE				76.00	77.00	62.00	
NV				91.00	91.00	96.00	
NM				152.00	155.00	127.00	
NY				99.00	120.00	85.00	0.208
NC	0.664	0.662					
ND				59.00	63.00	45.00	
OH				105.00	144.00	80.00	0.460
OK				105.00	135.00	73.00	
OR				146.00	134.00	174.00	
PA				125.00	145.00	120.00	0.393
SD				81.00	83.00	72.00	
TN	0.653	0.663					
TX	0.641	0.642		130.00	183.00	110.00	
UT				105.00	105.00	95.00	
VA							
WA				137.00	125.00	170.00	0.319
WI				116.00	120.00	85.00	
WY				88.00	89.00	80.00	
US	0.660	0.662		114.00	119.00	99.10	0.308

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.

⁷ Insufficient sales to establish a price.

**Upland Cotton and Rice: Prices Received and Marketings,
United States, June 2010, with Comparisons**

Item	Unit	Jun 2009 ¹	May 2010 ¹	Jun 2010 ²
Cotton, Upland				
Average Price	Dollars per Pound	0.450	0.660	0.662
Marketings ³	1,000 Bales	358	351	NA
Rice, All				
Average Price	Dollars per Cwt	14.70	13.50	13.40
Marketings ⁴	1,000 Cwt	9,075	12,593	NA
Rice, Long				
Average Price	Dollars per Cwt	12.80	12.50	12.40
Marketings ⁴	1,000 Cwt	7,728	9,732	NA
Rice, Medium & Short				
Average Price	Dollars per Cwt	25.30	16.80	16.90
Marketings ⁴	1,000 Cwt	1,347	2,861	NA

¹ Entire month.

² Based on purchases for the first half of the month.

³ Marketings based on a survey of cotton buyers in the major producing States - AL, AZ, AR, CA, GA, LA, MS, NC, TN, and TX.

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, June 2010**

Commodity, State and Type	F.O.B. Packed Fresh	Equivalent Returns ¹					
		Packinghouse-door			On-tree		
		All	Fresh	Process	All	Fresh	Process
	<i>Dollars per Box</i>	<i>Dollars per Box</i>	<i>Dollars per Box</i>	<i>Dollars per Box</i>	<i>Dollars per Box</i>	<i>Dollars per Box</i>	<i>Dollars per Box</i>
Grapefruit CA	18.30	8.50	8.50	(²)	5.40	5.40	(²)
Lemons CA	40.80	16.72	30.11	(³)	10.97	24.36	(³)
Oranges CA	22.50	11.85	14.03	2.51	9.17	11.34	-0.17
Navel and Misc	28.60	15.68	20.21	(³)	13.03	17.56	(³)
Valencia	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)
FL Valencia	23.60	10.13	13.70	10.00	7.53	10.90	7.40
US	22.60	10.73	14.00	9.29	8.10	11.31	6.68
Tangerines and Mandarins CA	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)

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 and Mandarins- AZ & CA-75, FL-95.

² Processed sales insignificant and included in fresh sales.

³ Price not published to avoid disclosure of individual firms.

Potatoes: Prices Received, by State, May and June 2010 ¹

State	May	Jun ²	State	May	Jun ²
	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>		<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>
CA - All ³	15.60	13.60	NC		
- Winter			ND - All ³	9.85	9.95
- Spring	16.50	13.80	- Fresh ⁴	10.60	NA
- Summer			- Processing	10.70	NA
- Fall	9.80	11.90	OR	8.70	8.70
CO - All ³	5.25	5.30	TX		
- Fresh ⁴	5.45	NA	VA		
FL	14.50	14.40	WA - All ³	8.45	8.65
ID - All ³	5.95	6.00	- Processing	8.45	NA
- Fresh ⁴	3.80	NA	WI - All ³	10.30	(⁵)
- Processing	8.20	NA	- Fresh ⁴	5.95	NA
ME	10.70	10.50	- Processing	12.00	NA
MI	12.10	(⁵)			
MN	6.95	6.05	US - All ³	8.57	8.28
NY	13.70	15.80	- Fresh ⁴	8.36	NA
			- Processing	8.91	NA

¹ Missing data indicate no potatoes being marketed.

² Preliminary price reflecting prices received for the entire month.

³ Average price of potatoes sold for all uses, including table stocks, processing, seed, and livestock feed.

⁴ Fresh market prices only, includes table stock prices.

⁵ Price not published to avoid disclosure of individual firms.

Cattle: Prices Received, by State, May and June 2010

State	Cows ¹		Steers & Heifers		Beef Cattle ⁴		Calves	
	May ²	Jun ³	May ²	Jun ³	May ²	Jun ³	May ²	Jun ³
	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>
AZ	64.00	64.00	99.00	95.00	77.70	76.10	115.00	106.00
AR	55.50	55.00	107.00	106.00	83.80	85.60	116.00	115.00
CA	59.40	57.70	99.50	94.90	79.50	76.30	117.00	111.00
CO	63.50	62.00	104.00	100.00	103.00	99.20	127.00	128.00
FL	53.60	54.40	101.00	98.80	81.40	77.80	117.00	116.00
GA	58.90	58.50	99.40	97.20	73.80	72.20	114.00	111.00
ID	63.60	62.70	101.00	94.00	92.00	86.50	119.00	118.00
IL	60.60	59.30	97.90	97.40	97.20	96.60	120.00	123.00
IA	61.00	60.50	99.50	97.00	98.70	96.30	128.00	129.00
KS	60.00	57.00	99.00	96.00	98.20	95.20	131.00	128.00
KY	59.00	58.00	105.00	103.00	94.00	92.20	118.00	115.00
LA	54.50	54.00	98.60	96.00	68.20	67.00	110.00	106.00
MI	58.00	58.00	92.00	91.00	81.80	81.10	98.00	97.00
MN	62.80	61.70	98.30	94.70	91.70	88.50	130.00	130.00
MO	57.90	56.50	109.00	107.00	96.20	92.90	126.00	121.00
MT	61.70	60.50	106.00	103.00	83.90	88.10	128.00	126.00
NE	63.50	63.00	100.00	96.50	98.90	95.50	134.00	128.00
NM	66.00	64.00	106.00	100.00	92.40	84.50	124.00	112.00
ND	63.00	58.00	103.00	96.00	87.80	80.80	126.00	121.00
OH	51.20	50.00	96.30	93.00	91.80	88.70	112.00	107.00
OK	62.30	60.40	103.00	99.80	100.00	96.60	125.00	119.00
OR	64.00	61.00	100.00	96.00	97.50	92.20	119.00	115.00
PA	55.50	54.80	92.70	91.10	83.00	81.70	101.00	101.00
SD	63.90	62.40	104.00	101.00	102.00	99.80	131.00	133.00
TN	56.00	55.00	103.00	100.00	84.20	82.00	116.00	113.00
TX	54.00	53.40	101.00	94.00	96.30	89.50	124.00	119.00
VA	51.00	54.00	103.00	101.00	83.20	83.10	118.00	117.00
WI	58.80	57.60	92.00	88.50	72.70	70.60	144.00	140.00
WY	61.80	61.30	109.00	106.00	94.40	92.10	134.00	129.00
US	59.20	58.20	99.70	95.70	94.80	91.10	122.00	121.00

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 State, May and June 2010

State	Sows		Barrows and Gilts		All Hogs	
	May ¹	Jun ²	May ¹	Jun ²	May ¹	Jun ²
	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>
IL	53.50	51.50	62.30	57.30	61.60	56.80
IN	61.50	59.00	61.90	57.90	61.90	58.00
IA	56.50	54.40	62.50	57.50	62.40	57.40
KS	57.50	54.50	58.00	54.50	57.90	54.50
MN	57.10	54.60	64.80	59.90	64.80	59.90
MO	54.90	52.80	57.40	53.50	57.30	53.50
NE	59.20	56.70	64.10	59.60	64.00	59.50
NC	61.40	58.90	63.50	59.30	63.50	59.30
OH	57.60	54.90	63.20	60.00	63.00	59.80
OK	53.80	51.80	56.00	53.00	55.60	52.80
PA	58.80	56.10	58.30	53.90	58.40	54.20
SD	52.50	49.70	64.00	59.10	62.70	57.80
US	57.00	54.20	62.40	57.90	62.10	57.70

¹ Entire month.

² Mid-month.

Sheep and Lambs: Prices Received, by State, May 2010

State	May	
	Sheep ¹	Lambs ¹
	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>
CA	42.00	101.00
CO	52.00	128.00
ID	35.00	108.00
IA	46.00	128.00
MN	44.60	129.00
MO	47.40	131.00
MT	46.30	139.00
NE	51.10	122.00
ND	35.00	137.00
OH	44.70	133.00
OR	58.00	111.00
PA	59.00	128.00
SD	36.40	144.00
TX	50.00	120.00
VA	45.00	135.00
WV	43.00	139.00
WY	49.10	119.00
US	46.10	123.00

¹ Entire month.

Milk and Milk Cows: Prices Received, by State, May and June 2010

State	May ¹						June		
	Fluid Grade Milk ^{2,3}		Manufacturing Grade Milk ³		All Milk ³		All Milk ^{3,4}		Milk Cows ⁵
	Price	Fat Test	Price	Fat Test	Price	Fat Test	Price	Fat Test	
	<i>Dol/Cwt</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Dol/Cwt</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Dol/Cwt</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Dol/Cwt</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Dol/Head</i>
AZ	14.90	3.40			14.90	3.40	15.60	3.40	
CA	13.80	3.56	13.70	4.05	13.80	3.57	14.50	3.56	
CO	15.20	3.43			15.20	3.43	16.00	3.40	
FL	19.00	3.48			19.00	3.48	20.50	3.49	
ID	14.40	3.57			14.40	3.57	14.90	3.52	
IL	15.30	3.68	13.60	3.67	15.30	3.68	16.00	3.66	
IN	15.80	3.55			15.80	3.55	16.80	3.53	
IA	15.30	3.56	13.70	3.71	15.30	3.56	16.20	3.53	
KS	15.90	3.55			15.90	3.55	16.80	3.51	
MI	15.60	3.53			15.60	3.53	16.50	3.51	
MN	14.90	3.63	13.10	3.66	14.90	3.63	15.20	3.58	
MO	15.30	3.55	12.40	3.60	15.20	3.55	16.10	3.55	
NM	14.50	3.42			14.50	3.42	15.30	3.40	
NY	16.00	3.62			16.00	3.62	16.90	3.61	
OH	16.60	3.63	13.40	3.75	16.50	3.63	17.30	3.58	
OR	16.10	3.68			16.10	3.68	16.70	3.62	
PA	16.90	3.60			16.90	3.60	17.90	3.60	
TX	15.70	3.61			15.70	3.61	16.50	3.57	
UT	15.10	3.59			15.10	3.59	15.70	3.55	
VT	16.30	3.73			16.30	3.73	17.10	3.69	
VA	17.60	3.52			17.60	3.52	18.60	3.47	
WA	15.00	3.68			15.00	3.68	15.60	3.62	
WI	14.90	3.59	13.90	3.70	14.90	3.59	15.10	3.53	
US	15.10	3.57	13.70	3.87	15.10	3.58	15.80	3.55	

¹ Entire month.

² Including milk diverted to manufacturing.

³ Before deductions for hauling. Includes quality, quantity, and other premiums. Excludes hauling subsidies.

⁴ Preliminary.

⁵ Animals sold for dairy herd replacement only. Prices published January, April, July and October.

**Parity Price for Manufacturing Grade Milk¹: United States,
May and June 2010, with Comparisons**

Item	Unit	Jun 2009	May 2010	Jun 2010
Parity Equivalent	Dollars per Cwt	42.40	42.00	41.60
Average Price F.O.B	Dollars per Cwt	10.40	13.70	13.70
Average Fat Test of Milk	Percent	3.85	3.87	3.82

¹ The parity price equivalent during 2010 is 93.2 percent of the parity price of all milk sold to plants, compared with 92.4 percent in 2009. For additional details, see January 2010 issue of *Agricultural Prices*.

**Parity Prices for Farm Products and Average Prices Received as
Percent of Parity Prices, United States, with Comparisons ¹**

Commodity and Unit	Adjusted Base Price	Parity Price			Price as Percent of Parity		
		Jun 2009	May 2010	Jun 2010	Jun 2009	May 2010	Jun 2010
	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
Basic Commodities							
All Wheat, Bu	0.597	13.80	14.60	14.40	41	30	26
Rice, Cwt	1.38	36.70	33.70	33.40	40	40	40
Corn, Bu	0.372	8.50	9.08	9.00	47	38	38
Cotton, Lb							
American Upland	0.084	1.86	2.05	2.03	24	32	33
Extra Long Staple	0.132	3.19	3.22	3.19	31	35	35
Peanuts, Lb	0.029	0.786	0.708	0.702	31	29	31
Small Chickpeas, Cwt ⁵							
Large Chickpeas, Cwt ⁵							
Lentils, Cwt ⁵							
Designated Nonbasic							
All Milk, Sold to							
Plants, Per Cwt ²	1.83	45.50	44.70	44.30	25	35	36
Honey, Extracted, Lb ³	0.127	2.88	3.10	3.07	49	47	47
Wool and Mohair							
Wool, Lb	0.085	1.95	2.07	2.06	50	38	38
Mohair, Lb	0.343	8.67	8.37	8.30	38	32	32
Other Nonbasic							
Barley, Bu	0.416	9.29	10.20	10.10	51	42	36
Canola, Cwt	1.630	37.40	39.80	39.40	46	43	43
Cottonseed, Ton	15.10	341.00	368.00	365.00	62	41	41
Dry Edible Beans, Cwt	2.88	66.50	70.30	69.70	45	40	44
Flaxseed, Bu	0.972	22.50	23.70	23.50	43	35	36
Mustard Seed, Cwt	2.59	57.40	63.20	62.70			
Oats, Bu	0.244	5.62	5.95	5.90	42	37	34
Potatoes, Cwt	0.833	19.50	20.30	20.20	49	42	41
Rapeseed, Cwt	2.04	44.30	49.80	49.40			
Rye, Bu	0.474	10.80	11.60	11.50			
Safflower, Cwt	1.95	46.40	47.60	47.20			
Sorghum Grain, Cwt	0.656	15.20	16.00	15.90	41	36	35
Soybeans, Bu	0.916	20.70	22.40	22.20	55	42	42
All Sunflower, Cwt	1.85	42.40	45.10	44.80	43	33	33
Sweetpotatoes, Cwt	2.27	54.80	55.40	54.90			
Apples, Fresh, Lb ⁴	0.033	0.786	0.805	0.799	23	40	39
Citrus (equiv on-tree), Box							
Grapefruit	0.648	15.30	15.80	15.70	54	30	34
Lemons	1.38	33.80	33.70	33.40	34	29	33
Oranges	0.660	15.70	16.10	16.00	45	48	51
Tangerines	1.39	33.60	33.90	33.60	151	49	139
Beef Cattle, Cwt	10.20	243.00	249.00	247.00	33	38	37
Calves, Cwt	14.40	348.00	351.00	348.00	31	35	35
Hogs, Cwt	5.54	133.00	135.00	134.00	33	46	43
Lambs, Cwt	11.50	274.00	281.00	278.00	38	44	
Sheep, Cwt	4.35	106.00	106.00	105.00	27	43	
Eggs, Doz ²	0.091	2.17	2.22	2.20	35	36	36
Turkeys, Live, Lb	0.056	1.330	1.370	1.360	39	41	45

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 averages 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 Not available.

Parity Prices for Farm Products, June 2010, United States ¹

Other Nonbasic Commodities	Adjusted Base Price	Parity Price	Other Nonbasic Commodities	Adjusted Base Price	Parity Price
	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>
Field Crops and Misc Commodities			Noncitrus Fruit, Continued		
Hops, Lb	0.300	7.26	Papayas (HI)	0.046	1.110
Spearmint Oil, Lb	1.42	34.40	Peaches		
Tobacco, Lb			Fresh, Ton ²	83.00	2,010.00
Flue-Cured, 11-14	0.216	5.23	Dried, CA, Ton	64.90	1,570.00
Fire-Cured, 21-23	0.298	7.21	Processing ³		
Burley, 31	0.227	5.49	Excl Dried		
Maryland, 32	0.186	4.50	Clingstone, CA, Ton	33.70	816.00
Dark Air-Cured, 35-37	0.268	6.49	Pears, Ton		
PA Seedleaf, 41	0.194	4.69	Fresh ²	54.90	1,330.00
Cigar Binder, 51	0.651	15.80	Dried, CA ⁴	173.00	4,190.00
Noncitrus Fruit			Plums, CA, Ton		
Apples, Ton ⁴			Fresh, Equiv on-Tree	60.90	1,470.00
Processing	16.70	404.00	Prunes, Dried, CA, Ton ⁴	146.00	3,530.00
Apricots, Ton			Prunes and Plums, Excl CA, Ton		
Fresh ⁵	108.00	2,610.00	Fresh ⁷	63.20	1,530.00
Dried, CA	253.00	6,120.00	Processing ⁴		
Avocados, Ton ⁵	211.00	5,110.00	Excl Dried	26.50	641.00
Cherries			Tree Nuts ⁸		
Sweet, Ton	205.00	4,960.00	Almonds, Lb	0.202	4.89
Tart, Lb	0.035	0.847	Hazelnuts, Ton	171.00	4,140.00
Cranberry, Bbl ³	4.75	115.00	Pistachio, Lb	0.190	4.60
Dates, CA, Ton ⁵	197.00	4,770.00	Walnuts, Ton	172.00	4,160.00
Grapes, Ton			Vegetables, Cwt ⁹		
Raisin Variety	110.00	2,660.00	Fresh		
Other Dried	66.60	1,610.00	Carrots ⁶	2.54	61.50
Kiwifruit, Ton	95.10	2,300.00	Cauliflower ⁶	4.31	104.00
Nectarines			Celery ⁶	2.09	50.60
Fresh, CA, Ton ⁵	55.40	1,340.00	Honeydew Melons	2.31	55.90
Olives, CA canning, Ton ³	94.70	2,290.00	Lettuce	2.35	56.90
			Onions ⁶	1.52	36.80
			Tomatoes	4.69	113.00

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 Equivalent packinghouse-door returns for CA, NY (apples only), OR (except peaches), and WA. Price at point of first sale for other states.

³ Equivalent returns for bulk fruit at first delivery point.

⁴ Equivalent returns at processing plant door.

⁵ Equivalent returns at packinghouse door.

⁶ Includes some processing.

⁷ Based on "as sold" prices for fresh fruit in all states.

⁸ Prices in-shell basis except almonds which are shelled basis.

⁹ F.O.B. shipping point prices.

Marketing Year for Specified Commodities

Barley: June 1 to May 31 for U.S.; June 1 to May 31 for Arizona, California, Delaware, Kentucky, Maryland, New Jersey, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, Virginia; August 1 to July 31 for Alaska, Maine; July 1 to June 30 for all other states.

Oats: June 1 to May 31 for U.S.; May 1 to April 30 for Alabama, Georgia and Texas; June 1 to May 31 for North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, and Virginia; August 1 to July 31 for Maine and New York; September 1 to August 31 for Alaska; July 1 to June 30 for all other States.

Sweet Potatoes: September 1 to August 31 for U.S. and all States.

Wheat: June 1 to May 31 for U.S.; May 1 to April 30 for Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, and Texas; June 1 to May 31 for Arizona, Arkansas, California, Delaware, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Maryland, Missouri, New Mexico, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, and Virginia; July 1 to June 30 for all other States.

**Sweet Potatoes: Marketing Year Average Prices Received,
by State and United States, 2007-2009**

State	2007	2008	2009 ¹
	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>	<i>Dollars per Cwt</i>
AL	31.90	12.10	20.50
AR ²			13.20
CA	19.00	30.40	26.80
FL ²			30.00
LA	19.00	18.30	18.10
MS	18.90	18.60	20.30
NJ	27.40	26.90	29.00
NC	16.40	18.50	19.50
SC ³	18.00	18.00	
TX	19.80	14.40	17.00
VA ³	12.50	9.75	
US	18.30	21.20	21.80

¹ Revised.

² Estimates began in 2009.

³ Estimates discontinued in 2009.

**Oats: Monthly Prices Received, Monthly Farm Marketing Percentages, and
Marketing Year Average Prices, United States, 2007-2008 through 2009-2010¹**

Month	Prices Received			Farm Marketing Percentages ²		
	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010
	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
Jun	2.54	3.56	2.37	6.4	5.1	8.2
Jul	2.32	3.44	2.03	23.0	22.0	10.5
Aug	2.24	3.16	1.86	24.6	30.9	37.4
Sep	2.47	3.29	1.82	7.2	10.4	11.6
Oct	2.45	3.26	2.03	4.0	4.4	5.6
Nov	2.63	3.00	2.02	3.3	3.0	3.2
Dec	2.69	3.12	2.22	4.8	3.3	2.3
Jan ³	2.88	2.77	2.19	5.5	6.1	3.2
Feb	3.19	2.69	2.30	5.0	4.4	4.2
Mar	3.43	2.77	2.29	6.3	3.5	6.5
Apr	3.47	2.37	2.25	5.9	3.3	4.5
May	3.63	2.64	2.19	4.0	3.6	2.8
MYA ¹	2.63	3.15	2.02	100.0	100.0	100.0

¹ Marketing year average (MYA) prices are weighted average prices for the U.S. marketing year of June - May.

² Monthly farm marketings, based on a sample survey, as percent of total used for calculating MYA prices.

³ Second year.

**All Barley: Monthly Prices Received, Monthly Farm Marketing Percentages, and
Marketing Year Average Prices, United States, 2007-2008 through 2009-2010 ¹**

Month	Prices Received			Farm Marketing Percentages ²		
	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010
	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
Jun	3.30	4.78	4.70	2.8	3.0	6.1
Jul	3.46	5.12	5.09	12.0	5.8	9.5
Aug	3.55	5.46	5.17	22.0	20.2	14.8
Sep	4.05	5.97	4.78	11.8	12.0	11.0
Oct	4.53	5.73	4.41	9.2	10.9	8.6
Nov	4.31	5.44	4.46	8.3	7.5	6.2
Dec	4.44	5.49	4.54	7.7	6.3	8.6
Jan ³	4.35	5.34	4.68	9.7	12.0	10.5
Feb	4.38	4.99	4.53	5.9	6.7	8.3
Mar	4.18	5.03	4.22	5.9	7.1	7.7
Apr	4.56	4.84	4.08	3.0	5.4	4.7
May	4.52	4.59	4.25	1.7	3.1	4.0
MYA ¹	4.02	5.37	4.66	100.0	100.0	100.0

¹ Marketing year average (MYA) prices are weighted average prices for the U.S. marketing year of June - May.

² Monthly farm marketings, based on a sample survey, as percent of total used for calculating MYA prices.

³ Second year.

**Malting Barley: Monthly Prices Received, Monthly Farm Marketing Percentages, and
Marketing Year Average Prices, United States, 2007-2008 through 2009-2010 ¹**

Month	Prices Received			Farm Marketing Percentages ²		
	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010
	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
Jun	3.25	4.51	5.38	3.4	2.6	4.9
Jul	3.49	5.23	5.48	15.1	5.6	9.4
Aug	3.52	5.67	5.47	20.6	20.1	15.9
Sep	3.74	6.40	5.32	9.9	11.4	10.7
Oct	4.16	6.20	4.94	6.6	10.6	8.0
Nov	4.10	5.63	4.88	9.3	8.3	5.9
Dec	4.28	5.91	4.84	7.8	6.5	8.8
Jan ³	4.09	5.62	4.87	9.6	13.0	11.3
Feb	4.29	5.54	4.70	6.6	6.6	8.7
Mar	4.14	5.50	4.43	6.3	7.2	8.0
Apr	4.51	5.33	4.55	2.9	5.3	4.3
May	4.38	5.17	4.51	1.9	2.8	4.1
MYA ¹	3.87	5.71	5.02	100.0	100.0	100.0

¹ Marketing year average (MYA) prices are weighted average prices for the U.S. marketing year of June - May.

² Monthly farm marketings, based on a sample survey, as percent of total used for calculating MYA prices.

³ Second year.

Feed Barley: Monthly Prices Received, Monthly Farm Marketing Percentages, and Marketing Year Average Prices, United States, 2007-2008 through 2009-2010 ¹

Month	Prices Received			Farm Marketing Percentages ²		
	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010
	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
Jun	3.50	5.49	3.16	1.6	4.7	12.7
Jul	3.27	4.72	2.94	5.2	6.8	9.9
Aug	3.60	4.54	2.49	25.4	21.0	9.8
Sep	4.47	4.46	2.14	15.8	15.1	12.5
Oct	4.89	3.82	2.29	14.9	12.1	11.5
Nov	5.05	3.43	2.50	5.9	3.7	7.3
Dec	4.79	3.00	2.63	7.6	5.2	7.9
Jan ³	4.89	2.90	2.63	9.9	7.2	5.9
Feb	4.67	2.63	3.11	4.3	7.2	5.9
Mar	4.29	2.73	2.66	5.0	6.8	6.2
Apr	4.67	2.65	2.40	3.2	5.5	6.9
May	4.99	2.99	2.49	1.2	4.7	3.5
MYA ¹	4.35	3.82	2.61	100.0	100.0	100.0

¹ Marketing year average (MYA) prices are weighted average prices for the U.S. marketing year of June - May.

² Monthly farm marketings, based on a sample survey, as percent of total used for calculating MYA prices.

³ Second year.

All Wheat: Monthly Prices Received, Monthly Farm Marketing Percentages, and Marketing Year Average Prices, United States, 2007-2008 through 2009-2010 ¹

Month	Prices Received			Farm Marketing Percentages ²		
	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010
	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
Jun	5.03	7.62	5.72	12.0	11.4	10.8
Jul	5.17	7.15	5.17	27.1	21.8	18.3
Aug	5.64	7.61	4.85	18.7	14.9	10.8
Sep	6.76	7.43	4.48	9.4	7.8	9.5
Oct	7.65	6.65	4.47	4.5	3.8	9.7
Nov	7.39	6.29	4.79	3.8	3.2	6.8
Dec	7.71	5.95	4.87	5.9	6.9	6.3
Jan ³	7.96	6.20	4.90	7.8	7.4	7.7
Feb	10.10	5.79	4.73	3.9	4.3	5.1
Mar	10.50	5.71	4.70	3.1	6.6	5.2
Apr	10.10	5.75	4.41	2.0	5.3	6.1
May	8.87	5.84	4.33	1.8	6.6	3.7
MYA ¹	6.48	6.78	4.87	100.0	100.0	100.0

¹ Marketing year average (MYA) prices are weighted average prices for the U.S. marketing year of June - May.

² Monthly farm marketings, based on a sample survey, as percent of total used for calculating MYA prices.

³ Second year.

**Monthly Prices Received and Marketing Year Average Prices,
United States, 2007-2008 through 2009-2010¹**

Month	Winter Wheat		
	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010
	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>
Jun	5.00	7.51	5.47
Jul	5.13	7.10	5.02
Aug	5.66	7.30	4.67
Sep	6.89	6.99	4.20
Oct	7.55	6.03	4.27
Nov	7.31	5.65	4.60
Dec	7.70	5.40	4.68
Jan ²	7.75	5.70	4.67
Feb	9.17	5.26	4.53
Mar	9.96	5.27	4.45
Apr	9.62	5.26	4.19
May	8.17	5.52	4.21
MYA ¹	6.13	6.57	4.71

¹ Marketing year average (MYA) prices are weighted average prices for the U.S. marketing year of June - May.

² Second year.

**Monthly Prices Received and Marketing Year Average Prices,
United States, 2007-2008 through 2009-2010¹**

Month	Durum Wheat			Other Spring Wheat		
	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010
	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>
Jun	5.49	8.48	7.26	5.17	10.10	6.66
Jul	6.69	11.70	7.57	5.43	9.52	5.96
Aug	7.00	12.60	5.83	5.53	8.18	5.54
Sep	8.98	11.90	4.95	6.26	7.76	4.85
Oct	11.70	11.50	4.86	6.99	7.20	5.00
Nov	11.70	8.93	4.59	7.00	7.10	5.19
Dec	11.50	8.40	4.91	7.39	6.89	5.18
Jan ²	13.10	8.26	4.94	8.01	7.02	5.30
Feb	14.10	7.53	4.61	11.20	6.61	5.04
Mar	15.40	7.40	4.57	10.90	6.50	5.04
Apr	14.30	7.18	4.17	10.50	6.49	4.89
May	13.50	7.05	4.28	10.70	6.76	4.61
MYA ¹	9.92	9.26	5.47	7.16	7.31	5.23

¹ Marketing year average (MYA) prices are weighted average prices for the U.S. marketing year of June - May.

² Second year.

**Monthly Prices Received and Marketing Year Average Prices,
United States, 2007-2008 through 2009-2010¹**

Month	Hard Red Spring Wheat			Hard Red Winter Wheat		
	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010
	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>
Jun	5.17	10.10	6.72	5.10	7.91	5.96
Jul	5.44	9.68	6.00	5.20	7.59	5.36
Aug	5.53	8.20	5.59	5.65	7.61	4.84
Sep	6.22	7.80	4.87	6.85	7.31	4.32
Oct	6.92	7.27	5.04	7.37	6.20	4.28
Nov	6.97	7.17	5.24	7.21	5.72	4.68
Dec	7.38	6.97	5.21	7.68	5.48	4.68
Jan ²	8.00	7.10	5.33	7.56	5.86	4.73
Feb	11.20	6.73	5.06	9.02	5.39	4.54
Mar	10.90	6.57	5.06	9.93	5.37	4.48
Apr	10.50	6.57	4.92	9.58	5.47	4.16
May	10.80	6.90	4.62	8.03	5.76	4.16
MYA ¹	7.16	7.39	5.26	6.15	6.90	4.84

¹ Marketing year average (MYA) prices are weighted average prices for the U.S. marketing year of June - May.

² Second year.

**Monthly Prices Received and Marketing Year Average Prices,
United States, 2007-2008 through 2009-2010¹**

Month	Soft Red Winter Wheat			White Wheat		
	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010
	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>	<i>Dollars per Bushel</i>
Jun	4.77	6.07	4.72	5.51	7.88	5.21
Jul	4.91	6.15	4.37	5.13	6.89	4.99
Aug	5.61	6.19	4.04	5.69	7.31	4.68
Sep	6.51	5.27	3.63	7.08	6.96	4.14
Oct	6.89	4.60	3.86	8.18	6.10	4.30
Nov	6.39	4.17	4.21	7.77	5.97	4.39
Dec	7.03	4.63	4.52	7.83	5.39	4.74
Jan ²	6.93	4.92	4.49	8.38	5.83	4.59
Feb	8.65	4.61	4.37	10.10	5.26	4.56
Mar	9.70	4.97	4.14	10.20	5.12	4.52
Apr	7.88	4.31	4.26	10.30	5.10	4.34
May	6.35	4.75	4.38	10.00	5.13	4.35
MYA ¹	5.20	5.78	4.35	7.23	6.01	4.52

¹ Marketing year average (MYA) prices are weighted average prices for the U.S. marketing year of June - May.

² Second year.

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 about 2000 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 Field 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 preliminary price represents a 3-5 day period around the 15th of the 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 June Index of Prices Paid for Commodities and Services, Interest, Taxes, and Farm Wage Rates (PPITW) at 182 (1990-1992=100), is down 0.5 percent from May 2010 but is up 1.1 percent from June 2009.

PRODUCTION INDEX: The June index, at 185, decreased 0.5 percent from last month but increased 0.5 percent from last year. Lower prices in June for diesel, feeder cattle, supplements, and feeder pigs more than offset higher prices for complete feeds, other services, mixed fertilizer, and other machinery.

Feed: The June index, at 171, decreased 0.6 percent from May and 13 percent from last June. Since May, lower prices for supplements, feed grains, and hay & forages more than offset higher prices for complete feeds and concentrates.

Livestock & Poultry: The June index, at 133, decreased 2.9 percent from last month but increased 19 percent from last year. Since May, prices are lower for feeder cattle and feeder pigs. The June feeder cattle price, at \$108.40 per cwt, is down \$2.70 from the May price. June feeder pigs averaged \$165.00 per cwt, down \$20.00 from May.

Fertilizer: The June index, at 245, is unchanged from May but is 9.6 percent below June a year ago. Since May, higher prices for mixed fertilizer and potash & phosphate offset lower prices for nitrogen.

Chemicals: The June index, at 144, is unchanged from May but decreased 2.7 percent from last June. Compared with last month, prices are higher for herbicides and insecticides.

Fuels: The June index, at 274, is down 4.2 percent from a month earlier but is 15 percent above June 2009. Compared with last month, prices are lower for diesel, gasoline, and LP gas.

Machinery: The June index, at 227, is unchanged from May but is 3.2 percent above last June. Compared with last month, prices are higher for other machinery.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX: The May 2010 Consumer Price Index, as issued by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, for all urban consumers (CPI-U) increased 0.1 percent before seasonal adjustment to a level of 218.178 (1982-1984=100). The April index is 218.009. For the 12-month period ending in May, the overall index increased 2.0 percent.

**Indexes of Prices Paid by Farmers and Related Parity Ratios
United States, June 2010 with Comparisons ¹**

Indexes and Ratios	1910-14 = 100			1990-92 = 100		
	2009	2010		2009	2010	
	Jun	May	Jun	Jun	May	Jun
Prices Paid by Farmers for Commodities & Services, Interest, Taxes, & Wage Rates (PPITW)	2396	2431	2420	180	183	182
Production	1783	1804	1791	184	186	185
Feed	964	841	833	197	172	171
Livestock & Poultry	1436	1748	1694	112	137	133
Seeds	3008	2815	2815	304	284	284
Fertilizer	993	899	899	271	245	245
Chemicals	915	889	890	148	144	144
Fuels	1834	2207	2118	238	286	274
Supplies & Repairs	1106	1128	1131	156	159	159
Autos & Trucks	2924	2985	2973	110	112	112
Machinery	5509	5690	5697	220	227	227
Building Materials	2208	2267	2282	163	167	168
Services & Rent	1981	2063	2066			
Services				160	164	164
Rent				178	191	191
Interest ²	3478	3211	3211	139	128	128
Taxes ³	6370	7190	7190	238	268	268
Wage Rates	7004	6998	6998	187	187	187
Production, Interest, Taxes, & Wage Rates (PITW)	2472	2505	2491	184	186	185
Family Living-CPI ⁴	2049	2072	2074	160	162	162
Ratio (Received\Paid) Parity Ratio ⁵	35	37	36	74	77	76
Parity Ratio Adjusted ⁶	37	38	38			
PPITW Adjusted for Productivity ⁷	1440	1431	1430			
Crop Sector (PPITW)				189	193	193
Livestock Sector (PPITW)				171	172	171
Farm Sector (Production)				185	178	176
Non-Farm Sector (Production)				183	190	189

¹ Revised historical price indexes for months not shown are available at www.nass.usda.gov.

² Interest per acre on farm real estate debt and interest rate on farm non-real estate debt.

³ Farm real estate taxes payable per acre.

⁴ Bureau of Labor Statistics, Consumer Price Index for all urban consumers (CPI-U), for the previous month converted by the USDA.

⁵ Ratio of index of prices received to PPITW (1910-14=100).

⁶ Based on estimated cash receipts, from marketings and government payments, the preliminary adjustment factor is 1.044 for 2010 and the revised factor is 1.041 for 2009.

⁷ PPITW is adjusted based on productivity trend for the prior 15 years.

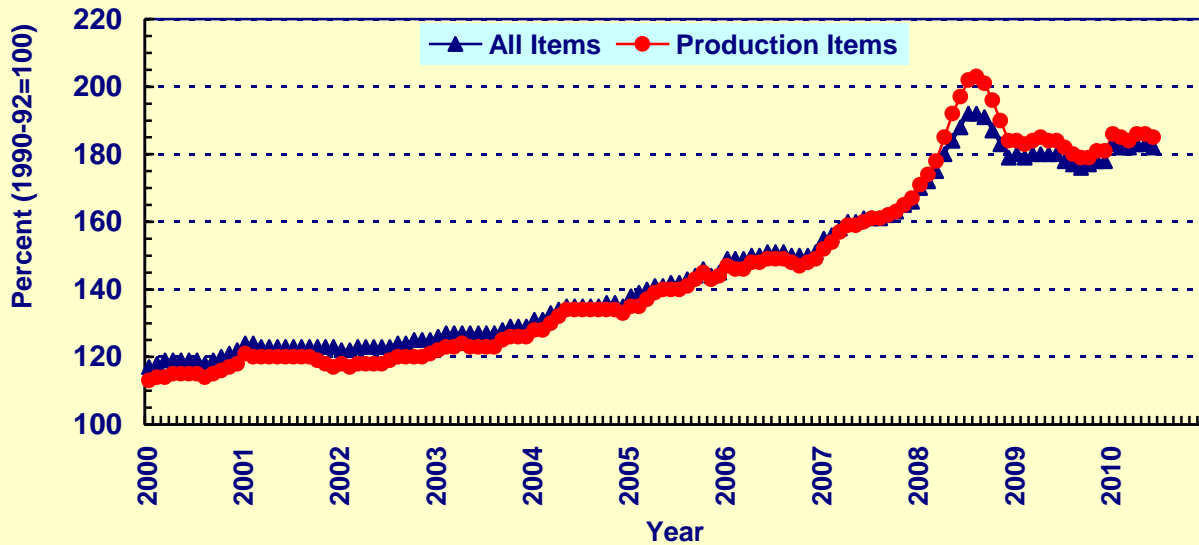
**Prices Paid Indexes and Annual Weights for Input Components and
Sub-Components United States, June 2010 with Comparisons ¹**

Index	Relative Weights 5-Year Moving Average ²		Input Indexes		
	2009	2010	2009	2010	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	Jun <i>(1990-92=100)</i>	May <i>(1990-92=100)</i>	Jun <i>(1990-92=100)</i>
Production Items	68.9	70.2	184	186	185
Feed	11.4	11.9	197	172	171
Feed Grains	1.6	1.7	171	150	145
Complete Feeds	5.6	5.8	206	180	181
Hay/Forage	1.4	1.5	161	151	149
Concentrates	1.8	1.9	215	177	177
Supplements	1.0	1.0	214	190	174
Livestock & Poultry	8.2	8.6	112	137	133
Feeder Cattle	6.4	6.7	113	131	128
Feeder Pigs	0.7	0.7	66	201	180
Milk Cow Replacements	0.7	0.7	123	118	118
Poultry	0.5	0.5	148	148	148
Seeds	3.8	3.9	304	284	284
Field Crops	3.5	3.6	319	299	299
Grasses/Legumes	0.4	0.4	161	139	139
Fertilizer	4.7	5.2	271	245	245
Mixed Fertilizer	2.1	2.3	272	231	232
Nitrogen	2.0	2.2	263	240	238
Potash & Phosphate	0.7	0.7	291	308	309
Chemicals	3.3	3.2	148	144	144
Herbicides	2.1	2.0	140	133	133
Insecticides	0.8	0.7	159	162	162
Fungicides/Other	0.5	0.5	165	165	165
Fuels	3.6	3.9	238	286	274
Diesel	2.3	2.5	237	305	293
Gasoline	0.8	0.9	226	248	238
LP Gas	0.4	0.5	260	251	240
Supplies & Repairs	4.6	4.6	156	159	159
Supplies	1.5	1.5	152	154	155
Repairs	3.1	3.0	158	162	162
Autos & Trucks	1.6	1.5	110	112	112
Autos	0.2	0.2	109	110	110
Trucks	1.4	1.3	110	113	112
Machinery	4.4	4.5	220	227	227
Tractors	1.0	1.0	186	189	189
Self-Propelled	1.8	1.8	229	234	234
Other Machinery	1.7	1.7	229	241	242
Building Materials	4.6	4.5	163	167	168
Services	12.2	12.1	160	164	164
Custom Rates	1.3	1.2	145	145	145
Other Services	11.0	10.8	162	166	167
Rent	6.4	6.3	178	191	191
Cash	3.4	3.4	224	243	243
Share	3.0	2.9	124	130	130
Interest	3.7	3.6	139	128	128
Taxes	3.0	3.0	238	268	268
Wage Rates	7.6	7.5	187	187	187
Family Living-CPI	16.9	15.7	160	162	162

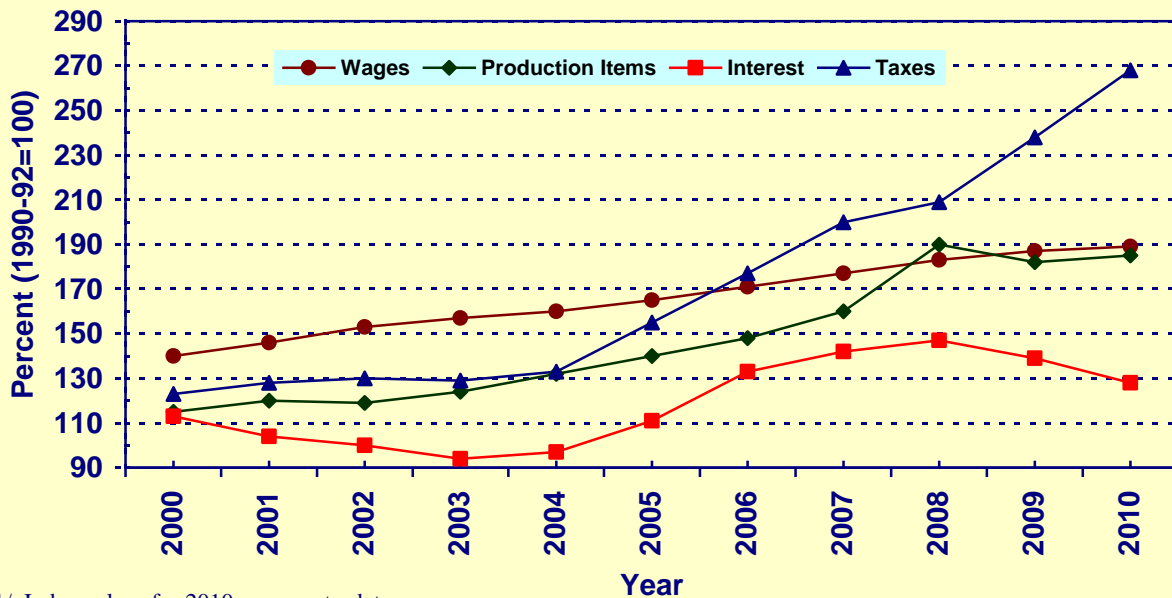
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² Weights may not add due to rounding.

Prices Paid by Farmers, Major Indexes US, by Month

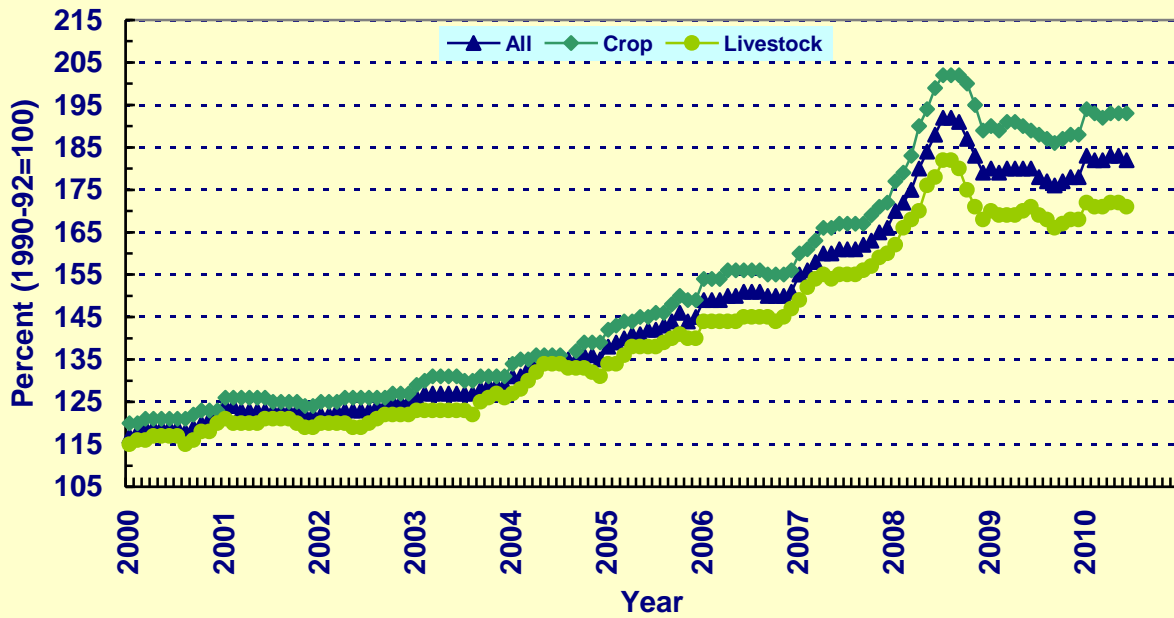


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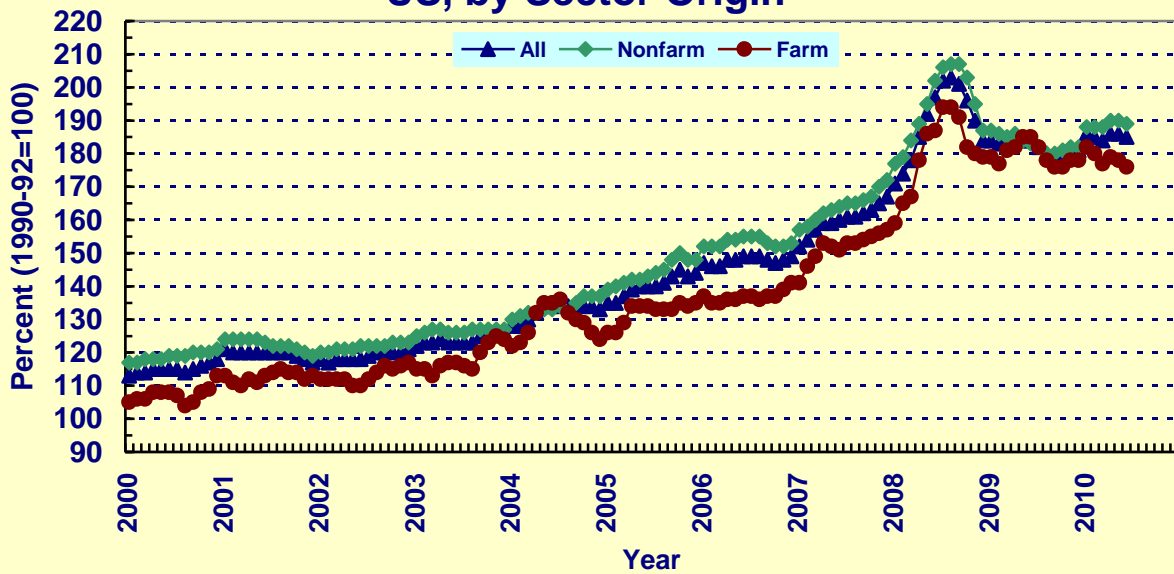


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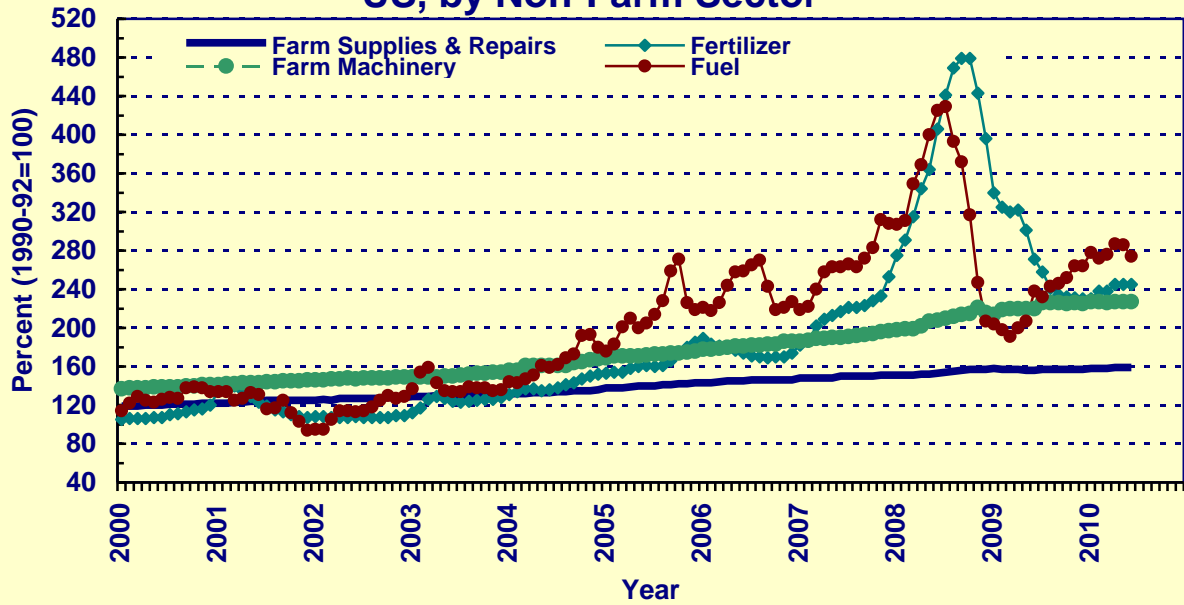
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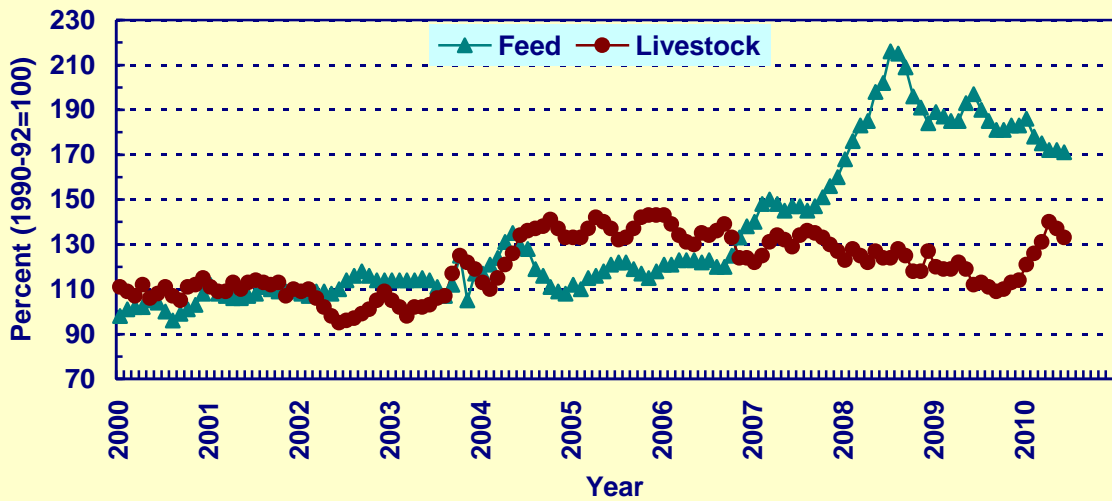
Prices Paid by Farmers, Indexes, All Production Items US, by Sector Origin



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



Prices Paid by Farmers, Selected Production Indexes US, by Farm Sector



Feed Price Ratios: United States, June 2010 with Comparisons

Feed Price Ratio ¹	2009	2010	
	Jun	May	Jun
Broiler-Feed: Pounds of Broiler Grower Feed equal in value to 1 pound of broiler, live weight ²	4.2	*5.0	5.1
Market Egg Feed: Pounds of Laying Feed equal in value to 1 dozen eggs ³	3.8	*5.1	5.0
Hog-Corn: Bushels of Corn equal in value to 100 pounds of hog, live weight	10.8	*17.8	17.1
Milk-Feed: Pounds of 16% Mixed Dairy Feed equal in value to 1 pound of Whole Milk ⁴	1.45	*2.19	2.33
Steer & Heifer-Corn: Bushels of Corn equal in value to 100 pounds of Steer & Heifers, live weight	21.2	*28.6	28.3
Turkey-Feed: Pounds of Turkey Grower equal in value to 1 pound of Turkey, live weight ⁵	4.8	*6.2	7.0

* Revised.

¹ Effective January 1995, prices of commercial prepared feeds are based on current U.S. prices received for corn, soybeans, alfalfa hay, and all wheat.

² The price of commercial prepared broiler feed is based on current U.S. prices received for corn and soybeans. The modeled feed uses 58 percent corn and 42 percent soybeans.

³ The price of commercial prepared layer feed is based on current U.S. prices received for corn and soybeans. The modeled feed uses 75 percent corn and 25 percent soybeans.

⁴ The price of commercial prepared dairy feed is based on current U.S. prices received for corn, soybeans, and alfalfa. The modeled feed uses 51 percent corn, 8 percent soybeans, and 41 percent alfalfa.

⁵ The price of commercial prepared turkey feed is based on current U.S. prices received for corn, soybeans, and wheat. The modeled feed used 51 percent corn, 28 percent soybeans, and 21 percent wheat.

**Prices Used to Calculate Feed Price Ratios:
United States, June 2010 with Comparisons**

Commodity	Unit	Entire Month		Preliminary
		Jun 2009	May 2010	Jun 2010
		<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>
Broilers, Live	Lb	0.510	0.510	0.510
Eggs, Market	Doz	0.389	0.441	0.422
Hogs, All	Cwt	43.30	62.10	57.70
Milk, All	Cwt	11.30	15.10	15.80
Steers and Heifers	Cwt	84.90	99.70	95.70
Turkeys, Live	Lb	0.525	0.561	0.617
Corn	Bu	4.01	3.48	3.38
Hay, Alfalfa, Baled	Ton	128.00	121.00	119.00
Soybeans	Bu	11.40	9.41	9.39
Wheat, All	Bu	5.72	4.33	3.80

**Feeder Livestock: Prices Paid, United States
June 2010 with Comparisons**

Commodity	Unit	2009	2010	
		Jun	May	Jun
		<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>
Feeders and Stockers				
Cattle and Calves	Cwt	95.80	*111.10	108.40
Feeder Pigs	Cwt	61.00	*185.00	165.00

* Revised.

Reliability of Prices Paid Estimates

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 March 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 March 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 Field 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.

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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 1990-1992 reference and base period replaced the 1977 reference and 1971-1973 base weight period. Five-year moving average weights replaced the current fixed 1971-1973 base period weights. The 1910-1914=100 price indexes, required by statute for computing parity prices, were linked forward based on the changes in the new 1990-1992=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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