



Agricultural Prices

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March Prices Received Index Up 1.3 Percent

The March Prices Received Index 2011 Base (Agricultural Production), at 128.4, increased 1.3 percent from February and 1.0 percent from March 2022. At 118.9, the Crop Production Index was down 1.5 percent from last month and 1.4 percent from the previous year. The Livestock Production Index, at 138.3, increased 3.8 percent from February and 3.3 percent from March last year. Producers received higher prices during March for broilers, cattle, market eggs, and hogs but lower prices for corn, milk, oranges, and soybeans. In addition to prices, the volume change of commodities marketed also influences the indexes. In March, there was increased monthly movement for strawberries, cattle, milk, and broilers and decreased marketing of soybeans, apples, cotton, and hay.

March Prices Paid Index Unchanged

The March Prices Paid Index for Commodities and Services, Interest, Taxes, and Farm Wage Rates (PPITW), at 139.8, is unchanged from February 2023 but up 3.6 percent from March 2022. Lower prices in March for nitrogen, other services, complete feeds, and diesel offset higher prices for feeder cattle, repairs, feeder pigs, and other machinery.

Prices Received, Prices Paid, and Ratio of Prices Received to Prices Paid Indexes 2011 Base – United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

Index Group	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Prices received by farmers	127.1	126.7	128.4
Prices paid by farmers	135.0	139.8	139.8
Ratio of prices received to prices paid	94	91	91

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March Prices Received by Farmers

Crop production: The March index, at 118.9, is 1.5 percent lower than February and 1.4 percent lower than March 2022. The grain & oilseed, fruit & tree nut, and vegetable & melon index decreases more than offset the other crop index increases.

Grain and oilseed: The March index, at 114.6, is down 1.8 percent from February and 1.3 percent from March 2022.

Feed grain: The March index, at 111.2, decreased 1.9 percent from last month but increased 1.6 percent from a year ago. The corn price, at \$6.67 per bushel, is down 13 cents from last month but up 11 cents from March 2022.

Food grain: At 119.0, the index for March decreased 1.2 percent from the previous month and 6.9 percent from a year ago. The March price for all wheat, at \$8.34 per bushel, is 19 cents lower than February and \$1.59 lower than March 2022. The March price for rice, at \$18.40 per cwt, is 10 cents lower than February but \$2.70 higher than March 2022.

Oilseed: At 118.6, the index for March decreased 1.6 percent from February and 3.5 percent from March 2022. The soybean price, at \$14.90 per bushel, is 20 cents lower than February and 50 cents lower than March a year earlier.

Fruit and tree nut: The March index, at 135.9, is down 3.6 percent from February but up 10 percent from a year earlier. Price decreases during March for oranges, apples, strawberries, and grapefruit more than offset price increases for lemons.

Vegetable and melon: At 147.6, the index for March decreased 4.8 percent from the previous month and 15 percent from March 2022. Price declines during March for lettuce, cauliflower, onions, and sweet corn more than offset price increases for broccoli and potatoes.

Other crop: The March index, at 112.8, is up 1.6 percent from the previous month but down 0.4 percent from March 2022. The all hay price, at \$231.00 per ton, is unchanged from February but \$33.00 higher than March 2022. At 80.3 cents per pound, the price for upland cotton is 0.5 cents higher than February but 23.7 cents lower than March 2022.

Livestock production: The index for March, at 138.3, increased 3.8 percent from the previous month and 3.3 percent from March a year earlier. Meat animal and poultry & egg index increases more than offset the lower dairy index.

Meat animal: At 129.3, the March index increased 4.0 percent from the previous month and 8.1 percent from a year earlier. The March beef cattle price of \$164.00 per cwt is \$6.00 higher than the previous month and \$25.00 higher than March 2022. At \$61.70 per cwt, the March hog price is \$2.10 higher than February but \$13.40 lower than a year earlier.

Dairy: The index for March, at 105.0, is down 2.3 percent from the previous month and 18 percent from March a year ago. The March all milk price of \$21.10 per cwt is 50 cents lower than February and \$4.50 lower than March 2022.

Poultry and egg: At 193.0, the March index increased 7.2 percent from February and 9.0 percent from March 2022. The March market egg price, at \$2.68 per dozen, is 22.0 cents higher than February and \$1.29 higher than March 2022. The March broiler price, at 77.0 cents per pound, is 6.2 cents higher than February but 11.5 cents lower than a year ago. At \$1.18 per pound, the March turkey price is 1.0 cent higher than the previous month and 26.0 cents higher than March 2022.

Food Commodities: The index, at 134.6, increased 1.8 percent from the previous month and 1.1 percent from March 2022.

Prices Received Indexes, 2011 Base – United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

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

Index Group	2011 Base		
	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Agricultural production	127.1	126.7	128.4
Crop production	120.6	120.7	118.9
Grain and oilseed	116.1	116.7	114.6
Feed grain	109.4	113.4	111.2
Food grain	127.8	120.4	119.0
Oilseed	122.9	120.5	118.6
Fruit and tree nut	123.2	141.0	135.9
Vegetable and melon	173.2	155.0	147.6
Other crop	113.2	111.0	112.8
Livestock production	133.9	133.3	138.3
Meat animal	119.6	124.3	129.3
Cattle	121.7	138.4	144.1
Hog	112.9	89.6	92.8
Dairy	127.4	107.5	105.0
Poultry and egg	176.9	180.0	193.0
Food commodity	133.1	132.2	134.6

Prices Received Indexes, 1910-1914 Base – United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

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

Index Group	1910 - 1914 Base		
	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Agricultural production	1311	1307	1325
Crop production	1052	1052	1037
Livestock production	1554	1548	1606

Prices Received Indexes, 2011 Base by Month for Selected Groups – United States: 2022 and 2023

[Revised historical price indexes for months not shown are available at www.nass.usda.gov. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month	2011 Base							
	Agricultural production		Crop production		Livestock production		Food commodities	
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
January	111.5	124.5	104.7	118.0	123.6	136.4	118.5	132.0
February	119.6	126.7	114.2	120.7	125.6	133.3	125.0	132.2
March	127.1	128.4	120.6	118.9	133.9	138.3	133.1	134.6
April	133.6		122.4		144.8		139.3	
May	134.5		123.2		145.6		140.2	
June	134.7		125.8		144.5		139.9	
July	134.0		124.5		146.2		139.1	
August	131.5		128.4		135.0		135.4	
September	131.2		126.8		136.6		135.4	
October	127.7		121.8		139.2		133.8	
November	133.5		127.0		143.6		145.3	
December	137.9		128.8		150.8		150.3	

Prices Paid Indexes, 2011 Base by Month for Selected Groups – United States: 2022 and 2023

[Revised historical price indexes for months not shown are available at www.nass.usda.gov. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month	2011 Base							
	All items (PPITW)		Production		Crop sector		Livestock sector	
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
January	131.0	139.9	129.1	139.1	133.4	140.6	128.5	139.1
February	133.1	139.8	131.7	138.9	134.8	139.8	131.2	139.8
March	135.0	139.8	134.1	138.8	136.7	139.3	133.3	140.3
April	137.6		137.9		140.0		135.1	
May	137.6		137.6		140.3		134.7	
June	138.1		137.9		140.8		135.3	
July	138.6		138.3		140.6		136.6	
August	139.3		139.2		140.8		137.7	
September	138.8		138.4		140.0		137.5	
October	138.6		138.0		140.0		137.1	
November	138.8		138.3		140.2		137.3	
December	138.6		138.1		139.6		137.5	

Prices Received for Field Crops and Fruits – United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

Commodity	2011 Base Price	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023	
Field crops					
Barley, all	dollars/bushel	4.79	5.69	7.65	7.48
Feed	dollars/bushel	4.59	6.12	6.64	6.13
Malting	dollars/bushel	4.83	5.59	7.77	7.63
Beans, dry edible	dollars/cwt	34.60	49.10	39.60	41.30
Canola	dollars/cwt	23.10	39.20	30.70	30.90
Chickpeas, all	dollars/cwt	35.70	38.60	34.20	33.20
Large	dollars/cwt	39.20	38.60	36.20	34.50
Small	dollars/cwt	23.40	(S)	28.10	28.80
Corn	dollars/bushel	6.02	6.56	6.80	6.67
Cotton, Upland	dollars/pound	0.880	1.040	0.798	0.803
Cottonseed	dollars/ton	131.00	(NA)	332.00	(NA)
Flaxseed	dollars/bushel	14.20	28.90	16.20	14.80
Hay, all, baled	dollars/ton	159.00	198.00	231.00	231.00
Alfalfa	dollars/ton	176.00	228.00	266.00	267.00
Other	dollars/ton	119.00	155.00	172.00	171.00
Lentils	dollars/cwt	27.50	38.50	40.00	36.10
Oats	dollars/bushel	3.42	5.89	4.02	4.22
Peanuts, in-shell	dollars/pound	0.252	0.250	0.272	0.269
Peas, dry edible	dollars/cwt	13.60	14.70	16.70	17.00
Rice, all	dollars/cwt	13.70	15.70	18.50	18.40
Long	dollars/cwt	12.30	14.00	17.30	17.20
Medium and short	dollars/cwt	18.40	25.50	26.40	28.20
Sorghum grain	dollars/cwt	10.70	12.60	12.10	11.70
Soybeans	dollars/bushel	12.50	15.40	15.10	14.90
Sunflowers, all	dollars/cwt	29.00	33.90	30.80	26.90
Wheat, all	dollars/bushel	7.44	9.93	8.53	8.34
Winter	dollars/bushel	6.93	9.50	8.33	8.25
Durum	dollars/bushel	9.22	15.30	9.34	9.13
Other spring	dollars/bushel	8.33	9.86	8.70	8.33
Hard red winter	dollars/bushel	7.07	9.51	8.74	8.68
Soft red winter	dollars/bushel	6.77	8.82	7.77	7.63
Hard red spring	dollars/bushel	8.38	9.88	8.78	8.37
White	dollars/bushel	6.58	9.71	7.79	7.48
Fruits					
Citrus, equivalent on-tree					
Grapefruit	dollars/box	7.47	11.55	18.05	17.14
Lemons	dollars/box	12.30	14.12	10.80	14.65
Oranges	dollars/box	8.16	14.47	13.86	11.46
Non-citrus, fresh ¹					
Apples	dollars/pound	0.325	0.761	0.915	0.882
Grapes	dollars/ton	598.00	(S)	(S)	(S)
Peaches	dollars/ton	507.00	(S)	(S)	(S)
Pears	dollars/ton	559.00	1,230.00	1,510.00	1,490.00
Strawberries	dollars/cwt	104.00	125.00	181.00	170.00

(NA) Not available.

(S) Insufficient number of reports to establish an estimate.

¹ Beginning February 2020, price reflects FOB shipping point basis.

Prices Received for Vegetables and Livestock – United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

[Price data source for potato, livestock, and poultry commodities is United States Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service]

Commodity	2011 Base Price	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
Vegetables, fresh ¹				
Asparagusdollars/cwt	37.50	(S)	(S)	(S)
Beans, snapdollars/cwt	69.00	50.10	80.60	42.40
Broccolidollars/cwt	41.60	58.00	69.20	86.60
Cantaloupesdollars/cwt	16.50	(S)	(S)	(S)
Carrotsdollars/cwt	30.80	50.20	52.20	51.60
Cauliflowerdollars/cwt	47.00	94.20	143.00	113.00
Celerydollars/cwt	22.50	64.90	67.00	65.20
Corn, sweetdollars/cwt	30.70	45.60	71.20	38.50
Cucumbersdollars/cwt	18.70	43.30	36.40	22.40
Lettucedollars/cwt	24.30	68.70	30.90	26.30
Onions ²dollars/cwt	11.90	51.50	27.60	24.40
Potatoesdollars/cwt	14.30	14.30	21.20	22.00
Tomatoesdollars/cwt	51.20	45.70	53.40	47.50
Livestock				
Calvesdollars/cwt	142.00	187.00	217.00	230.00
Cattle, all beefdollars/cwt	115.00	139.00	158.00	164.00
Cows ³dollars/cwt	71.60	84.70	89.50	95.70
Steers and heifersdollars/cwt	117.00	142.00	162.00	167.00
Milk cows ⁴dollars/head	1,420.00	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hogs, alldollars/cwt	66.50	75.10	59.60	61.70
Barrows and giltsdollars/cwt	66.80	74.60	59.70	61.60
Sowsdollars/cwt	57.90	84.60	57.50	64.40
Dairy and poultry				
Milk, all ⁵dollars/cwt	20.10	25.60	21.60	21.10
Fat testpercent	4.19	4.12	4.21	4.19
Broilers, live ⁶dollars/pound	0.459	0.885	0.708	0.770
Eggs, alldollars/dozen	0.969	1.59	2.61	2.80
Market ⁷dollars/dozen	0.796	1.39	2.46	2.68
Turkeys, live ⁸dollars/pound	0.680	0.920	1.17	1.18
Adjusted for seasonal variation				
Eggs, alldollars/dozen	0.979	1.45	2.63	2.56
Seasonal factorpercent	101	110	99	110
Milk, alldollars/cwt	20.20	25.90	22.10	21.30
Seasonal factorpercent	100	99	98	99

(NA) Not available.

(S) Insufficient number of reports to establish an estimate.

¹ Beginning February 2020, price reflects FOB shipping point basis

² Includes some processing.

³ Beef cows and cull dairy cows sold for slaughter.

⁴ Animals sold for dairy herd replacement only. Prices available for January, April, July, and October.

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

⁶ Live weight equivalent price.

⁷ Also referred to as table eggs.

⁸ Live weight equivalent price is used when actual live weight price is not available. Beginning January 2011, price reflects FOB shipping point basis. Prior year price reflects delivered basis.

Prices Received for All Wheat, Corn, and Soybeans by Month – United States: 2023 with Comparisons

[Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month	All wheat			Corn			Soybeans		
	2021	2022	2023	2021	2022	2023	2021	2022	2023
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
January	5.48	8.48	8.82	4.24	5.58	6.64	10.90	12.90	14.50
February	5.83	9.16	8.53	4.75	6.09	6.80	12.70	14.70	15.10
March	5.86	9.93	8.34	4.89	6.56	6.67	13.20	15.40	14.90
April	6.04	10.20		5.31	7.07		13.90	15.80	
May	6.46	10.90		5.91	7.26		14.80	16.10	
June	6.23	9.55		6.00	7.38		14.50	16.40	
July	6.26	8.69		6.12	7.25		14.10	15.50	
August	7.14	8.55		6.32	7.24		13.70	15.30	
September ...	7.75	8.85		5.47	7.09		12.20	14.10	
October	7.92	9.21		5.02	6.50		11.90	13.50	
November	8.52	9.16		5.26	6.49		12.10	14.00	
December	8.59	8.98		5.47	6.58		12.50	14.40	

Prices Received for Beef Cattle and All Hogs by Month – United States: 2023 with Comparisons

[Price data source for livestock commodities is United States Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month	Beef cattle ¹			All hogs ²		
	2021	2022	2023	2021	2022	2023
	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)
January	110.00	135.00	156.00	50.20	58.80	58.50
February	112.00	137.00	158.00	56.40	68.60	59.60
March	113.00	139.00	164.00	67.20	75.10	61.70
April	118.00	139.00		75.60	76.20	
May	118.00	141.00		79.30	75.90	
June	121.00	140.00		82.70	78.70	
July	122.00	142.00		80.00	83.00	
August	123.00	141.00		79.00	85.80	
September	124.00	143.00		70.80	73.80	
October	123.00	145.00		65.50	70.50	
November	129.00	151.00		58.60	66.70	
December	137.00	154.00		56.50	62.50	

¹ Cows and steers & heifers.

² Barrows & gilts and sows.

Prices Received for All Wheat – States and United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

State	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Arizona	(S)	(S)	(S)
Arkansas	(D)	(D)	(D)
California	(D)	(D)	(D)
Colorado	9.25	8.35	7.95
Idaho	8.48	8.12	8.21
Illinois	8.36	7.77	7.78
Indiana	8.92	7.73	7.55
Kansas	9.88	8.62	8.32
Michigan	8.40	7.34	7.53
Minnesota	9.83	9.10	9.78
Missouri	9.22	8.44	8.05
Montana	10.10	9.09	(D)
Nebraska	9.24	8.22	8.33
North Carolina	9.44	8.49	7.72
North Dakota	10.30	8.71	8.41
Ohio	9.51	7.43	6.93
Oklahoma	9.42	8.40	8.09
Oregon	10.60	8.28	8.04
South Dakota	9.80	8.72	8.64
Texas	10.50	(D)	9.63
Washington	9.98	7.72	7.29
United States	9.93	8.53	8.34

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

(S) Insufficient number of reports to establish an estimate.

Prices Received for Winter Wheat – States and United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

State	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Arkansas	(D)	(D)	(D)
California	(D)	(D)	(D)
Colorado	9.25	8.35	7.95
Idaho	8.47	8.00	8.21
Illinois	8.36	7.77	7.78
Indiana	8.92	7.73	7.55
Kansas	9.88	8.62	8.32
Michigan	8.40	7.34	7.53
Missouri	9.22	8.44	8.05
Montana	9.01	9.08	(D)
Nebraska	9.24	8.22	8.33
North Carolina	9.44	8.49	7.72
North Dakota	9.44	8.15	8.68
Ohio	9.51	7.43	6.93
Oklahoma	9.42	8.40	8.09
Oregon	10.60	8.28	8.07
South Dakota	9.64	8.63	8.61
Texas	10.50	(D)	9.63
Washington	9.96	7.70	7.27
United States	9.50	8.33	8.25

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Prices Received for Durum Wheat – States and United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

State	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Arizona	(S)	(S)	(S)
California	(S)	(D)	(D)
Idaho	(S)	(S)	(S)
Montana	(D)	(S)	(S)
North Dakota	15.00	9.35	9.11
United States	15.30	9.34	9.13

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(S) Insufficient number of reports to establish an estimate.

Prices Received for Spring Wheat – States and United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

State	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Idaho	8.52	8.44	8.21
Minnesota	9.83	9.10	9.78
Montana	10.00	9.16	(D)
North Dakota	9.85	8.60	8.05
South Dakota	9.96	8.81	8.68
Washington	10.10	7.86	7.44
United States	9.86	8.70	8.33

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Prices Received for Oats – States and United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

State	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Illinois	(D)	(D)	(D)
Iowa	6.32	(D)	4.85
Michigan	(D)	(D)	(D)
Minnesota	5.91	3.50	3.84
Montana	(S)	(S)	(S)
Nebraska	(D)	(D)	5.39
New York	(S)	(S)	(S)
North Dakota	5.08	3.85	3.96
Oregon	(S)	(S)	(S)
Pennsylvania	6.50	4.79	(D)
South Dakota	6.95	4.26	3.92
Texas	(S)	(S)	(S)
Wisconsin	5.39	4.58	4.54
United States	5.89	4.02	4.22

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(S) Insufficient number of reports to establish an estimate.

Prices Received for All Barley – States and United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

State	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
California	(S)	(S)	(S)
Colorado	4.96	7.25	7.35
Idaho	5.62	7.84	7.90
Minnesota	(D)	(D)	(D)
Montana	7.18	7.53	8.67
North Dakota	5.75	7.47	7.00
Washington	6.38	8.07	7.72
Wyoming	5.04	7.37	7.36
United States	5.69	7.65	7.48

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(S) Insufficient number of reports to establish an estimate.

Prices Received for Malting Barley – States and United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

State	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
California	(S)	(S)	(S)
Colorado	4.93	7.25	7.35
Idaho	5.61	7.88	7.94
Minnesota	(D)	(D)	(D)
Montana	(D)	(D)	8.77
North Dakota	5.70	7.73	7.20
Washington	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wyoming	5.04	(D)	(D)
United States	5.59	7.77	7.63

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(S) Insufficient number of reports to establish an estimate.

Prices Received for Feed Barley – States and United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

State	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
California	(S)	(S)	(S)
Colorado	(D)	(S)	(S)
Idaho	6.55	5.89	(D)
Minnesota	(D)	(S)	(S)
Montana	7.16	(D)	(D)
North Dakota	5.80	6.76	6.07
Washington	5.69	5.72	5.90
Wyoming	(S)	(S)	(S)
United States	6.12	6.64	6.13

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(S) Insufficient number of reports to establish an estimate.

Prices Received for Corn – States and United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

State	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Colorado	6.79	7.72	7.75
Illinois	6.65	6.65	6.54
Indiana	6.59	6.69	6.57
Iowa	6.59	6.83	6.70
Kansas	6.91	7.35	7.09
Kentucky	6.49	7.05	6.93
Michigan	6.40	6.55	6.16
Minnesota	6.33	6.62	6.47
Missouri	6.73	6.91	6.81
Nebraska	6.40	7.05	6.90
North Carolina	7.62	7.62	7.52
North Dakota	6.33	6.45	6.42
Ohio	6.53	6.49	6.28
Pennsylvania	6.81	7.23	7.45
South Dakota	6.68	6.75	6.67
Tennessee	6.98	7.20	7.15
Texas	7.29	7.86	8.23
Wisconsin	6.34	6.34	6.25
United States	6.56	6.80	6.67

Prices Received for Sorghum Grain – States and United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

State	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)
Kansas	12.60	12.50	12.10
Nebraska	12.70	12.60	12.40
Oklahoma	12.50	(D)	11.80
Texas	12.80	10.90	8.60
United States	12.60	12.10	11.70

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Prices Received for Soybeans – States and United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

State	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Arkansas	15.60	14.80	15.10
Illinois	15.40	15.10	15.00
Indiana	15.50	15.10	15.10
Iowa	15.00	15.00	14.90
Kansas	15.70	15.10	14.90
Kentucky	14.80	15.00	15.10
Louisiana	14.70	14.30	14.80
Michigan	16.00	15.10	15.40
Minnesota	15.60	15.10	14.50
Mississippi	13.20	(D)	15.00
Missouri	15.70	15.30	15.20
Nebraska	15.50	15.10	14.90
North Carolina	15.50	15.10	15.20
North Dakota	15.10	14.40	13.90
Ohio	15.80	15.40	15.30
South Dakota	15.60	14.90	14.80
Tennessee	15.60	15.20	14.90
Wisconsin	15.20	14.80	14.40
United States	15.40	15.10	14.90

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Prices Received for Dry Beans – States and United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

State	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)
California	(D)	(D)	(D)
Colorado	45.00	40.10	37.70
Idaho	(D)	(D)	(S)
Michigan	48.80	(D)	44.50
Minnesota	49.50	40.90	39.20
Nebraska	(D)	(D)	(D)
North Dakota	49.20	37.40	37.20
United States	49.10	39.60	41.30

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(S) Insufficient number of reports to establish an estimate.

Prices Received for Canola – States and United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

State	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)
Minnesota	(D)	(S)	(D)
Montana	34.60	(D)	(S)
North Dakota	39.50	30.70	30.40
Oklahoma	(S)	(S)	(S)
United States	39.20	30.70	30.90

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(S) Insufficient number of reports to establish an estimate.

Prices Received for Flaxseed – States and United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

State	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
North Dakota	28.90	16.20	14.80
United States	28.90	16.20	14.80

Prices Received for Peanuts (in shell) – States and United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

State	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)
Alabama	0.260	0.309	0.291
Arkansas	(S)	(S)	(S)
Florida	0.249	0.283	0.299
Georgia	0.242	0.258	0.257
Mississippi	0.230	0.226	0.321
New Mexico	0.301	(S)	(S)
North Carolina	0.261	0.289	0.271
Oklahoma	0.292	0.346	0.354
South Carolina	0.256	0.260	0.261
Texas	0.297	0.352	0.365
Virginia	0.264	0.271	0.276
United States	0.250	0.272	0.269

(S) Insufficient number of reports to establish an estimate.

Prices Received for Sunflower – States and United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

State	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)
Kansas	(D)	(D)	(D)
Minnesota	29.50	(D)	(D)
North Dakota	34.30	32.80	26.60
South Dakota	34.20	25.20	27.20
United States	33.90	30.80	26.90

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

Prices Received for Upland Cotton and Cottonseed – States and United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

[Cottonseed marketing year August - February]

State	Cotton, Upland			Cottonseed		
	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)
Alabama	0.949	0.889	0.927	(NA)	290.00	(NA)
Arizona	(D)	(D)	(S)	(NA)	323.00	(NA)
Arkansas	(D)	(D)	0.871	(NA)	(S)	(NA)
California	(D)	(D)	(S)	(NA)	(S)	(NA)
Georgia	0.962	0.914	0.856	(NA)	297.00	(NA)
Louisiana	(D)	(D)	(D)	(NA)	(S)	(NA)
Mississippi	(D)	(D)	0.899	(NA)	(S)	(NA)
North Carolina	(D)	0.913	0.936	(NA)	290.00	(NA)
Tennessee	1.090	0.810	0.776	(NA)	(S)	(NA)
Texas	1.080	0.765	0.721	(NA)	400.00	(NA)
United States	1.040	0.798	0.803	(NA)	332.00	(NA)

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(NA) Not available.

(S) Insufficient number of reports to establish an estimate.

Prices Received and Marketings for Upland Cotton and Rice – United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

Item	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
Cotton, Upland			
Average price dollars/pound	1.040	0.798	0.803
Marketings ¹ 1,000 bales	761	945	910
Rice, all			
Average price dollars/cwt	15.70	18.50	18.40
Marketings ² 1,000 cwt	14,143	10,731	14,012
Rice, long			
Average price dollars/cwt	14.00	17.30	17.20
Marketings ² 1,000 cwt	12,040	9,342	12,519
Rice, medium and short			
California			
Average price dollars/cwt	32.30	32.10	34.20
Other States ³			
Average price dollars/cwt	13.90	18.20	19.30
United States			
Average price dollars/cwt	25.50	26.40	28.20
Marketings ² 1,000 cwt	2,103	1,389	1,493

¹ Marketings based on a survey of cotton buyers in the major producing States - Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, Tennessee, and Texas.

² Purchases by private firms and rice (rough equivalent) shipped by cooperatives.

³ Other States include Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, and Texas.

Prices Received for Hay by Type – States and United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

State	All hay			Alfalfa hay			Other hay		
	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)
Arizona	282.00	354.00	349.00	285.00	355.00	350.00	215.00	245.00	240.00
California	286.00	333.00	313.00	310.00	345.00	320.00	250.00	290.00	290.00
Colorado	211.00	268.00	274.00	205.00	270.00	275.00	225.00	255.00	265.00
Idaho	238.00	261.00	253.00	240.00	265.00	255.00	190.00	230.00	230.00
Illinois	174.00	162.00	168.00	180.00	175.00	180.00	140.00	120.00	120.00
Iowa	159.00	173.00	183.00	165.00	179.00	189.00	135.00	152.00	162.00
Kansas	156.00	240.00	214.00	186.00	280.00	274.00	109.00	155.00	146.00
Kentucky	161.00	178.00	187.00	220.00	220.00	230.00	150.00	166.00	170.00
Michigan	174.00	173.00	172.00	190.00	195.00	190.00	130.00	130.00	135.00
Minnesota	176.00	164.00	172.00	180.00	175.00	179.00	154.00	141.00	148.00
Missouri	116.00	140.00	136.00	165.00	165.00	165.00	110.00	135.00	130.00
Montana	248.00	233.00	243.00	260.00	235.00	245.00	215.00	225.00	235.00
Nebraska	147.00	196.00	200.00	165.00	220.00	230.00	105.00	135.00	140.00
Nevada	233.00	309.00	274.00	235.00	310.00	280.00	215.00	240.00	230.00
New Mexico	228.00	290.00	298.00	235.00	300.00	310.00	210.00	235.00	235.00
New York	152.00	169.00	176.00	217.00	235.00	248.00	136.00	152.00	159.00
North Dakota	157.00	123.00	120.00	188.00	129.00	129.00	113.00	91.00	96.00
Ohio	151.00	178.00	177.00	180.00	195.00	200.00	140.00	165.00	155.00
Oklahoma	124.00	144.00	147.00	194.00	257.00	267.00	100.00	122.00	111.00
Oregon	259.00	291.00	307.00	260.00	320.00	325.00	255.00	255.00	255.00
Pennsylvania	155.00	169.00	174.00	225.00	235.00	248.00	140.00	154.00	161.00
South Dakota	166.00	163.00	169.00	181.00	175.00	185.00	125.00	135.00	135.00
Texas	158.00	198.00	199.00	215.00	271.00	271.00	148.00	184.00	184.00
Utah	258.00	299.00	289.00	260.00	300.00	290.00	200.00	245.00	235.00
Washington	262.00	311.00	320.00	255.00	325.00	335.00	285.00	280.00	285.00
Wisconsin	152.00	156.00	151.00	161.00	169.00	162.00	120.00	109.00	115.00
Wyoming	220.00	234.00	241.00	225.00	240.00	245.00	195.00	215.00	220.00
United States	198.00	231.00	231.00	228.00	266.00	267.00	155.00	172.00	171.00

Prices Received for Premium and Supreme Alfalfa Hay – States and 5-State Total: March 2023

State	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)
California	335.00	380.00	340.00
Idaho	285.00	300.00	300.00
Michigan	210.00	220.00	220.00
Minnesota	215.00	218.00	223.00
New York	272.00	298.00	321.00
Pennsylvania	279.00	308.00	331.00
Texas	254.00	344.00	344.00
Wisconsin	213.00	202.00	196.00
5-State Total ^{1 2}	299.00	324.00	314.00

¹ 5-State total represents a weighted (hay purchases) average price for the five largest milk producing States (based on the pounds of milk produced during the previous month).

² For March 2022, includes California, Idaho, New York, Texas, and Wisconsin. For February 2023, includes California, Idaho, New York, Texas, and Wisconsin. For March 2023, includes California, Idaho, New York, Texas, and Wisconsin.

Prices Received for Citrus Fruits by Utilization – States and United States: March 2022

Commodity, State, and type	FOB packed fresh	Equivalent returns					
		Packinghouse door			On-tree		
		All	Fresh	Process	All	Fresh	Process
	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)
Grapefruit	40.20	14.60	28.31	6.73	11.55	25.62	3.48
Lemons	43.20	20.49	32.52	(D)	14.12	25.60	(D)
Oranges	39.10	17.54	27.95	10.39	14.47	24.97	7.25

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Prices Received for Citrus Fruits by Utilization – States and United States: February 2023

Commodity, State, and type	FOB packed fresh	Equivalent returns					
		Packinghouse door			On-tree		
		All	Fresh	Process	All	Fresh	Process
	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)
Grapefruit	44.80	20.42	33.52	7.17	18.05	31.31	4.64
Lemons	40.50	17.07	29.89	(D)	10.80	22.97	(D)
Oranges	32.30	16.84	21.61	(D)	13.86	18.69	(D)

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Prices Received for Citrus Fruits by Utilization – States and United States: March 2023

Commodity, State, and type	FOB packed fresh	Equivalent returns					
		Packinghouse door			On-tree		
		All	Fresh	Process	All	Fresh	Process
	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)
Grapefruit	43.10	19.35	32.73	4.55	17.14	30.56	2.31
Lemons	39.60	21.17	28.96	(D)	14.65	22.04	(D)
Oranges	31.20	14.56	20.59	9.01	11.46	17.65	5.77

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Prices Received for All Milk – States and United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

[Before deduction for hauling. Includes quality, quantity, and other premiums. Excludes hauling subsidies]

State	March 2022		February 2023		March 2023	
	Price (dollars per cwt)	Fat test (percent)	Price (dollars per cwt)	Fat test (percent)	Price (dollars per cwt)	Fat test (percent)
Arizona	25.30	3.74	21.00	3.85	20.00	3.78
California	24.90	4.10	22.20	4.18	21.20	4.17
Colorado	25.80	3.95	22.00	4.04	21.40	3.98
Florida	28.40	3.66	26.00	3.78	24.40	3.78
Georgia	27.90	3.74	25.60	3.87	24.00	3.83
Idaho	26.10	4.19	21.60	4.33	21.70	4.30
Illinois	25.80	4.14	21.80	4.22	20.90	4.18
Indiana	25.50	4.08	22.70	4.13	21.70	4.10
Iowa	25.70	4.22	19.60	4.39	20.20	4.36
Kansas	24.30	4.24	20.10	4.32	19.50	4.26
Michigan	24.90	4.03	21.20	4.12	20.60	4.11
Minnesota	26.00	4.34	20.80	4.53	21.20	4.52
New Mexico	23.50	3.94	19.20	4.04	18.50	3.96
New York	25.90	4.09	22.50	4.17	21.80	4.18
Ohio	25.10	4.04	22.60	4.12	21.90	4.07
Oregon	27.10	4.29	24.60	4.40	24.40	4.37
Pennsylvania	26.40	4.06	22.70	4.14	21.70	4.14
South Dakota	27.20	4.60	21.90	4.68	22.00	4.69
Texas	26.20	4.37	21.30	4.35	20.80	4.26
Utah	25.60	4.02	21.60	4.12	21.00	4.09
Vermont	26.60	4.12	23.00	4.21	22.20	4.23
Virginia	27.20	3.96	25.30	4.04	24.00	4.01
Washington	26.90	4.19	22.10	4.29	21.60	4.26
Wisconsin	25.30	4.12	20.40	4.19	20.50	4.17
United States	25.60	4.12	21.60	4.21	21.10	4.19

Prices Received for Milk Cows – States and United States: April 2023 with Comparisons

[Animals sold for dairy herd replacement only. Quarterly United States milk cow prices are based on revised milk cow inventory]

State	April 2022	January 2023	April 2023
	(dollars per head)	(dollars per head)	(dollars per head)
Arizona	1,700	1,850	1,800
California	1,440	1,820	1,655
Colorado	1,600	1,700	1,700
Florida	1,580	1,750	1,980
Georgia	1,450	1,550	1,640
Idaho	1,500	1,600	1,700
Illinois	1,510	1,640	1,670
Indiana	1,640	1,860	1,900
Iowa	1,630	1,670	1,700
Kansas	1,550	1,700	1,650
Michigan	1,680	1,800	1,860
Minnesota	1,560	1,560	1,630
New Mexico	1,500	1,750	1,800
New York	1,600	1,720	1,760
Ohio	1,500	1,550	1,650
Oregon	1,550	1,500	1,550
Pennsylvania	1,700	1,800	1,770
South Dakota	1,450	1,700	1,700
Texas	1,550	1,550	1,650
Utah	1,350	1,450	1,500
Vermont	1,700	1,760	1,800
Virginia	1,450	1,700	1,720
Washington	1,500	1,500	1,600
Wisconsin	1,710	1,810	1,840
United States	1,570	1,720	1,720

Commodity Parity Prices and Price as Percent of Parity Price – United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

[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 February *Agricultural Prices* for details on adjusted base price and parity price computations. Parity data not available for blank cells. Primary source of data for livestock and milk prices is United States Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service]

Commodity and unit	Adjusted base price	Parity price			Price as percent of parity		
		March 2022	February 2023	March 2023	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Basic commodities							
All wheat	0.544	18.90	20.40	20.60	53	42	40
Rice	1.29	45.50	48.50	48.80	35	38	38
Corn	0.407	14.50	15.30	15.40	45	44	43
Cotton							
Upland	0.066	2.34	2.48	2.49	44	32	32
American Pima	0.133	4.48	5.00	5.03	27	49	49
Peanuts	0.021	0.781	0.789	0.794	32	34	34
Small chickpeas ¹	2.26	79.60	84.90	85.40	45	33	34
Large chickpeas ¹	2.76	101.00	104.00	104.00	38	35	33
Lentils ¹	2.33	78.50	87.50	88.10	49	46	41
Designated non-basic							
All milk, to plants ²	1.80	62.20	67.60	68.00	42	33	31
Honey, extracted ³	0.198	7.03	7.44	7.48	38	40	40
Wool and mohair							
Wool	0.147	5.26	5.52	5.56	32	28	28
Mohair	0.485	16.60	18.20	18.30	34	35	35
Other non-basic							
Apples, fresh ⁴	0.045	1.490	1.690	1.700	51	54	52
Barley	0.489	17.30	18.40	18.50	33	42	40
Canola	1.82	63.60	68.40	68.80	62	45	45
Cottonseed	18.80	686.00	706.00	711.00	37	47	47
Dry edible beans	3.09	110.00	116.00	117.00	45	34	35
Flaxseed	1.19	39.40	44.70	45.00	73	36	33
Oats	0.301	10.20	11.30	11.40	58	36	37
Potatoes, fresh	1.07	38.70	40.20	40.40	37	53	54
Sorghum grain	0.718	25.40	27.00	27.10	50	45	43
Soybeans	1.01	36.20	37.90	38.20	43	40	39
Sunflower, all	2.06	71.80	77.40	77.90	47	40	35
Citrus (equivalent on-tree)							
Grapefruit	1.02	33.20	38.30	38.60	35	47	44
Lemons	2.09	72.10	78.50	79.00	20	14	19
Oranges	1.080	38.00	40.60	40.80	38	34	28
Livestock and poultry							
Beef cattle	11.80	416.00	443.00	446.00	33	36	37
Broilers	0.052	1.78	1.95	1.97	50	36	39
Calves	17.30	614.00	650.00	654.00	30	33	35
Eggs ²	0.111	3.52	4.17	4.20	41	63	61
Hogs	5.50	194.00	207.00	208.00	39	29	30
Turkeys, live	0.069	2.340	2.590	2.610	39	45	45

¹ Parity prices began January 2015.

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 California, New York, Oregon, and Washington. Price at point of first sale for other states.

Commodity Parity Prices – United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

[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 February *Agricultural Prices* for details on adjusted base price and parity price computations]

Commodity and unit	Adjusted base price	Parity price		
		March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
Field crops and miscellaneous				
Hopspound	0.481	16.20	18.10	18.20
Mustard seedcwt	2.94	108.00	110.00	111.00
Rapeseedcwt	2.37	88.80	89.00	89.60
Ryebushel	0.598	22.10	22.50	22.60
Safflowercwt	2.17	78.10	81.50	82.00
Spearmint oilpound	1.65	60.70	62.00	62.40
Sweet potatoescwt	2.06	72.80	77.40	77.90
Tobacco				
Flue-cured, 11-14pound	0.185	6.61	6.95	6.99
Fire-cured, 21-23pound	0.251	9.06	9.43	9.49
Burley, 31pound	0.184	6.61	6.91	6.96
Maryland, 32pound	0.177	6.22	6.65	6.69
Dark air-cured, 35-37pound	0.224	8.06	8.41	8.47
Pennsylvania seedleaf, 41pound	0.235	7.96	8.83	8.88
Non-citrus fruit				
Apples, processing ^{1 2} ton	20.70	732.00	777.00	782.00
Apricots, fresh ³ ton	124.00	4,440.00	4,660.00	4,690.00
Avocados ^{2 3} ton	188.00	6,570.00	7,060.00	7,110.00
Cherries				
Sweet ton	207.00	7,600.00	7,770.00	7,820.00
Tart ²pound	0.032	1.070	1.200	1.210
Cranberry ^{2 4}barrel	3.20	118.00	120.00	121.00
Dates (California) ³ ton	238.00	7,810.00	8,940.00	9,000.00
Grapes (California)				
Wine, processing ton	81.00	2,820.00	3,040.00	3,060.00
Kiwifruit ² ton	141.00	4,550.00	5,300.00	5,330.00
Nectarines, fresh (California) ³ ton	87.90	2,990.00	3,300.00	3,320.00
Olives, canning (California) ⁴ ton	109.00	3,980.00	4,090.00	4,120.00

See footnote(s) at end of table.

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Commodity Parity Prices – United States: March 2023 with Comparisons (continued)

[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 February *Agricultural Prices* for details on adjusted base price and parity price computations]

Commodity and unit	Adjusted base price	Parity price		
		March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
Non-citrus fruit - continued				
Papayas (Hawaii) pound	0.045	1.49	1.69	1.70
Peaches, fresh ^{4 5}ton	113.00	3,940.00	4,240.00	4,270.00
Pears, fresh ⁵ton	61.50	2,190.00	2,310.00	2,320.00
Plums (California) equivalent on-tree				
Fresh ⁶ton	90.80	3,040.00	3,410.00	3,430.00
Strawberries				
Fresh ⁷ pound	10.40	362.00	391.00	393.00
Processing pound	4.12	140.00	155.00	156.00
Sugar crops				
Sugar beets ^{2 8}ton	3.97	162.00	149.00	150.00
Sugarcane ^{2 8}ton	3.18	121.00	119.00	120.00
Tree nuts ⁹				
Almonds pound	0.247	9.02	9.28	9.34
Hazelnutston	223.00	8,170.00	8,380.00	8,430.00
Pistachios pound	0.253	8.99	9.50	9.56
Walnutston	206.00	7,990.00	7,740.00	7,790.00
Vegetables, fresh ⁷				
Carrots ¹⁰ cwt	2.64	96.30	99.20	99.80
Cauliflower ¹⁰ cwt	4.21	155.00	158.00	159.00
Celery ¹⁰ cwt	2.13	75.70	80.00	80.50
Honeydew melons cwt	2.10	74.20	78.90	79.40
Lettuce cwt	2.64	94.50	99.20	99.80
Onions ¹⁰ cwt	1.45	50.10	54.50	54.80
Tomatoes cwt	4.07	145.00	153.00	154.00

¹ Equivalent returns at processing plant door.

² Adjusted base price is carried forward from the previous year since current marketing year average price is not yet available.

³ Equivalent returns at packinghouse door.

⁴ Equivalent returns for bulk fruit at first delivery point.

⁵ Equivalent packinghouse-door returns for California, New York (apples only), Oregon (except Peaches), and Washington. Price at point of first sale for other states.

⁶ Based on "as sold" prices for fresh fruit in all states.

⁷ FOB shipping point price.

⁸ Relates to prices including average conditional payments per ton made under the sugar acts of 1937 and 1948. Crop deficiency and abandonment payments not included.

⁹ Prices In-Shell basis except almonds which are shelled basis.

¹⁰ Includes some processing.

Marketing Year for Specified Commodities

Broilers: December 1, previous year through November 30 for the United States.

Eggs: December 1, previous year to November 30 for the United States.

Milk: January 1 to December 31 for the United States.

Turkeys: January 1 to December 31 for the United States.

Prices Received for Broilers by Month – United States: 2017-2022

[Live weight equivalent price]

Year	December ¹	January	February	March	April	May
	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)
2017	0.480	0.490	0.480	0.550	0.570	0.660
2018	0.500	0.530	0.520	0.600	0.650	0.720
2019	0.510	0.560	0.490	0.510	0.550	0.570
2020	0.449	0.494	0.419	0.430	0.226	0.345
2021	0.430	0.417	0.423	0.431	0.548	0.593
2022	0.735	0.780	0.739	0.885	1.037	1.069
Year	June	July	August	September	October	November
	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)
2017	0.660	0.620	0.540	0.510	0.480	0.490
2018	0.730	0.670	0.490	0.460	0.460	0.490
2019	0.540	0.487	0.421	0.391	0.410	0.403
2020	0.366	0.345	0.309	0.292	0.315	0.391
2021	0.600	0.593	0.587	0.595	0.578	0.592
2022	1.045	0.963	0.780	0.733	0.711	0.729

¹ December preceding year.

Prices Received for Turkeys by Month – United States: 2017-2022

[Live weight equivalent price]

Year	January	February	March	April	May	June
	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)
2017	0.689	0.672	0.690	0.666	0.686	0.658
2018	0.508	0.506	0.499	0.500	0.498	0.508
2019	0.509	0.528	0.532	0.556	0.533	0.561
2020	0.625	0.644	0.664	0.677	0.701	0.714
2021	0.707	0.721	0.739	0.768	0.801	0.831
2022	0.859	0.890	0.920	0.945	0.986	1.050
Year	July	August	September	October	November	December
	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)
2017	0.678	0.647	0.623	0.627	0.577	0.529
2018	0.519	0.517	0.531	0.511	0.530	0.498
2019	0.576	0.592	0.622	0.639	0.671	0.624
2020	0.737	0.735	0.776	0.784	0.734	0.721
2021	0.833	0.878	0.961	0.940	0.839	0.839
2022	1.090	1.110	1.200	1.270	1.270	1.220

Prices Received for All Eggs by Month – United States: 2017-2022

[Includes hatching and market eggs]

Year	December ¹	January	February	March	April	May
	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)
2017	1.210	0.813	0.621	0.783	0.629	0.615
2018	1.330	1.150	1.260	2.010	1.190	0.848
2019	1.080	0.983	0.888	0.818	0.614	0.483
2020	0.931	0.754	0.892	1.720	1.030	0.772
2021	0.734	0.936	0.995	1.150	0.859	0.828
2022	1.360	1.470	1.430	1.590	2.300	2.010
Year	June	July	August	September	October	November
	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)
2017	0.631	0.819	0.744	1.090	0.895	1.380
2018	1.030	1.090	1.090	0.929	0.909	1.130
2019	0.654	0.507	0.809	0.700	0.685	1.110
2020	0.717	0.759	0.772	0.830	0.995	0.969
2021	0.808	0.866	1.080	1.030	0.903	1.090
2022	2.030	2.640	1.940	2.650	2.810	3.340

¹ December preceding year.

Prices Received for Market Eggs by Month – United States: 2017-2022

Year	December ¹	January	February	March	April	May
	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)
2017	1.020	0.572	0.371	0.555	0.376	0.358
2018	1.180	0.955	1.090	1.940	0.998	0.612
2019	0.886	0.776	0.663	0.584	0.351	0.197
2020	0.715	0.487	0.640	1.580	0.797	0.486
2021	0.453	0.670	0.737	0.909	0.569	0.528
2022	1.160	1.260	1.210	1.390	2.210	1.880
Year	June	July	August	September	October	November
	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)	(dollars per dozen)
2017	0.375	0.589	0.504	0.900	0.680	1.230
2018	0.810	0.886	0.886	0.710	0.693	0.945
2019	0.389	0.219	0.568	0.446	0.430	0.919
2020	0.421	0.474	0.490	0.555	0.751	0.725
2021	0.505	0.580	0.826	0.773	0.626	0.846
2022	1.900	2.610	1.800	2.620	2.820	3.430

¹ December preceding year.

Prices Received for All Milk Sold at Plants by Month – States and United States: 2021

State	January (dollars per cwt)	February (dollars per cwt)	March (dollars per cwt)	April (dollars per cwt)	May (dollars per cwt)	June (dollars per cwt)
Arizona	15.40	15.20	15.80	16.70	17.60	18.30
California	16.50	15.90	16.70	17.90	18.60	18.00
Colorado	17.00	16.90	17.50	18.10	18.50	18.80
Florida	19.70	20.00	20.50	20.60	21.50	22.70
Georgia	18.80	18.90	19.20	19.30	20.40	21.10
Idaho	17.70	17.00	17.60	18.90	19.30	17.90
Illinois	16.70	16.60	17.00	17.70	18.50	18.40
Indiana	17.20	17.10	17.40	18.30	19.10	19.00
Iowa	18.00	17.50	18.00	19.20	19.80	17.90
Kansas	15.60	14.40	15.70	16.60	17.70	16.40
Michigan	15.90	15.90	16.40	17.20	18.10	18.00
Minnesota	18.40	18.00	18.20	19.50	20.30	17.90
New Mexico	15.20	13.50	15.40	16.00	17.00	15.80
New York	17.10	17.40	17.90	18.30	19.00	18.30
Ohio	17.70	17.80	18.10	18.70	19.50	19.50
Oregon	19.70	19.50	20.00	21.00	21.70	20.80
Pennsylvania	17.30	17.40	17.90	18.40	19.30	19.10
South Dakota	19.20	18.70	19.20	20.70	21.60	19.10
Texas	17.00	15.50	17.10	17.70	18.60	17.50
Utah	17.60	17.00	17.40	18.30	19.20	18.40
Vermont	17.80	17.90	18.40	18.90	19.70	19.20
Virginia	18.70	18.90	19.10	19.40	20.40	20.90
Washington	16.80	16.40	17.10	18.20	19.00	18.70
Wisconsin	17.60	17.30	17.70	18.90	19.80	18.40
United States	17.10	16.70	17.30	18.30	19.10	18.20
State	July (dollars per cwt)	August (dollars per cwt)	September (dollars per cwt)	October (dollars per cwt)	November (dollars per cwt)	December (dollars per cwt)
Arizona	17.60	17.60	17.90	18.70	19.80	20.90
California	17.50	17.30	18.00	19.30	20.40	21.40
Colorado	18.10	17.90	18.60	19.80	21.00	21.80
Florida	22.30	21.50	21.70	22.00	23.40	24.50
Georgia	20.70	20.50	20.60	20.70	22.30	23.40
Idaho	17.30	17.50	18.60	20.40	20.80	21.90
Illinois	17.70	17.40	18.00	19.40	20.70	21.40
Indiana	17.90	17.40	18.00	19.20	20.10	21.70
Iowa	17.80	17.30	18.20	19.90	20.70	21.40
Kansas	16.30	16.20	16.90	18.20	19.70	20.40
Michigan	17.00	16.60	17.10	18.30	19.70	20.70
Minnesota	17.70	17.40	18.60	19.90	20.70	21.50
New Mexico	15.70	15.60	16.10	17.50	19.00	19.90
New York	18.10	18.20	18.90	19.90	21.30	22.00
Ohio	18.30	17.70	18.20	19.70	21.10	21.80
Oregon	20.10	19.90	20.80	22.00	22.90	23.70
Pennsylvania	18.50	18.40	19.00	19.90	21.50	22.30
South Dakota	18.80	18.40	19.40	21.40	22.10	22.80
Texas	17.50	17.50	18.30	19.10	20.80	22.10
Utah	17.60	17.50	18.10	19.30	20.50	21.60
Vermont	18.80	18.70	19.40	20.30	21.70	22.70
Virginia	20.40	20.10	20.20	20.70	22.40	23.40
Washington	17.90	17.80	18.70	19.90	21.50	22.30
Wisconsin	17.90	17.70	18.40	19.70	20.60	21.50
United States	17.80	17.60	18.30	19.60	20.70	21.70

Prices Received for All Milk Sold at Plants by Month – States and United States: 2022

State	January	February	March	April	May	June
	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)
Arizona	23.30	24.20	25.30	26.30	26.50	26.80
California	23.50	23.80	24.90	26.30	26.70	26.50
Colorado	24.00	24.70	25.80	27.10	27.20	26.80
Florida	26.10	27.50	28.40	29.70	30.20	31.00
Georgia	25.60	26.90	27.90	29.20	29.60	29.90
Idaho	24.30	25.00	26.10	27.70	27.80	26.90
Illinois	23.90	24.60	25.80	27.10	27.10	26.60
Indiana	23.90	24.60	25.50	26.90	26.80	26.50
Iowa	23.60	24.10	25.70	27.10	27.10	25.70
Kansas	23.10	23.60	24.30	25.80	26.10	25.40
Michigan	23.20	23.80	24.90	26.40	26.50	26.30
Minnesota	23.50	24.50	26.00	27.90	28.00	26.30
New Mexico	22.40	22.90	23.50	24.80	25.00	24.70
New York	24.70	25.40	25.90	27.10	27.10	27.30
Ohio	23.60	24.10	25.10	26.40	26.50	26.00
Oregon	26.00	26.30	27.10	28.70	29.00	28.00
Pennsylvania	24.80	25.70	26.40	27.50	27.30	27.70
South Dakota	25.20	25.70	27.20	29.00	29.20	27.60
Texas	24.70	25.20	26.20	27.30	27.10	26.60
Utah	24.00	24.70	25.60	27.30	27.40	26.80
Vermont	25.20	26.00	26.60	27.70	27.70	27.90
Virginia	25.20	26.30	27.20	28.30	28.50	28.90
Washington	25.20	25.80	26.90	28.20	28.40	28.20
Wisconsin	23.40	23.90	25.30	27.10	27.40	26.30
United States	23.90	24.50	25.60	27.00	27.20	26.70
State	July	August	September	October	November	December
	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)
Arizona	26.20	24.30	24.60	25.40	25.40	23.90
California	25.30	23.90	23.80	25.10	24.80	23.90
Colorado	25.60	24.40	24.50	25.90	25.90	25.00
Florida	30.90	30.50	29.40	28.70	29.40	28.10
Georgia	29.70	29.70	29.30	28.70	29.20	27.70
Idaho	25.40	23.80	24.80	26.70	26.20	25.10
Illinois	25.20	23.90	24.30	26.10	25.70	24.50
Indiana	25.60	24.80	25.20	26.20	26.20	25.30
Iowa	23.80	22.00	22.20	24.40	24.50	24.00
Kansas	24.30	23.40	23.00	24.70	24.40	23.10
Michigan	25.30	23.90	23.40	24.20	24.20	23.40
Minnesota	24.20	22.40	23.10	25.70	25.30	24.50
New Mexico	23.70	22.60	22.20	23.80	23.60	22.20
New York	26.70	25.90	26.00	26.70	26.00	24.90
Ohio	25.60	24.50	24.90	26.20	26.00	25.50
Oregon	27.70	25.70	26.20	28.00	28.70	28.20
Pennsylvania	26.80	26.20	26.10	26.90	26.60	25.50
South Dakota	25.50	23.30	23.70	26.40	26.40	25.90
Texas	25.70	24.30	24.10	25.90	25.80	24.60
Utah	25.70	24.70	24.80	25.90	25.90	24.40
Vermont	27.20	26.30	26.40	27.00	26.30	25.40
Virginia	28.80	28.80	28.60	28.50	29.00	27.70
Washington	27.20	25.70	25.80	27.40	27.20	26.10
Wisconsin	24.40	22.30	22.30	24.60	24.00	23.70
United States	25.50	24.10	24.10	25.60	25.40	24.50

Prices Received for All Milk Sold at Plants, Monthly Fat Test – States and United States: 2021

State	January	February	March	April	May	June
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arizona	3.78	3.77	3.73	3.67	3.67	3.75
California	4.02	3.98	3.96	3.90	3.84	3.81
Colorado	4.00	4.00	3.94	3.88	3.77	3.66
Florida	3.74	3.70	3.63	3.61	3.59	3.59
Georgia	3.82	3.83	3.74	3.71	3.64	3.57
Idaho	4.23	4.20	4.18	4.10	4.03	3.94
Illinois	4.10	4.12	4.03	3.99	3.92	3.84
Indiana	4.09	4.11	4.01	3.93	3.92	3.81
Iowa	4.23	4.27	4.17	4.13	4.10	4.01
Kansas	4.18	4.16	4.04	4.06	4.01	3.93
Michigan	3.99	4.02	3.94	3.88	3.84	3.76
Minnesota	4.30	4.34	4.26	4.21	4.15	4.03
New Mexico	3.97	3.95	3.89	3.81	3.73	3.67
New York	4.09	4.11	4.06	3.98	3.94	3.86
Ohio	4.01	4.05	3.96	3.88	3.86	3.80
Oregon	4.19	4.18	4.14	4.05	3.97	3.92
Pennsylvania	4.08	4.09	4.03	3.95	3.92	3.85
South Dakota	4.52	4.57	4.48	4.46	4.41	4.27
Texas	4.36	4.36	4.28	4.22	4.15	4.05
Utah	4.10	4.01	3.99	3.94	3.87	3.78
Vermont	4.12	4.13	4.09	4.01	3.99	3.90
Virginia	4.01	4.01	3.91	3.83	3.80	3.72
Washington	4.19	4.18	4.14	4.05	3.97	3.92
Wisconsin	4.10	4.13	4.05	4.00	3.97	3.88
United States	4.10	4.10	4.05	3.99	3.94	3.86
State	July	August	September	October	November	December
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arizona	3.74	3.75	3.76	3.84	3.91	3.88
California	3.78	3.86	3.89	4.00	4.08	4.20
Colorado	3.72	3.69	3.79	3.92	3.98	4.00
Florida	3.61	3.65	3.69	3.67	3.68	3.68
Georgia	3.56	3.59	3.66	3.65	3.68	3.71
Idaho	3.86	3.96	4.08	4.19	4.24	4.30
Illinois	3.82	3.85	3.93	4.06	4.18	4.19
Indiana	3.79	3.80	3.85	3.96	4.12	4.12
Iowa	3.99	4.01	4.09	4.18	4.32	4.29
Kansas	3.88	3.93	4.01	4.17	4.29	4.28
Michigan	3.76	3.78	3.83	3.91	4.04	4.07
Minnesota	4.02	4.04	4.13	4.21	4.36	4.38
New Mexico	3.67	3.70	3.72	3.87	3.98	4.11
New York	3.84	3.86	3.92	4.00	4.11	4.14
Ohio	3.80	3.82	3.85	3.94	4.09	4.10
Oregon	3.89	3.95	4.11	4.19	4.27	4.41
Pennsylvania	3.81	3.84	3.90	3.99	4.11	4.11
South Dakota	4.26	4.24	4.33	4.47	4.65	4.67
Texas	4.05	4.08	4.11	4.24	4.39	4.41
Utah	3.77	3.83	3.91	4.04	4.10	4.12
Vermont	3.90	3.91	3.97	4.05	4.14	4.17
Virginia	3.70	3.72	3.76	3.87	4.03	4.05
Washington	3.89	3.95	4.11	4.21	4.29	4.33
Wisconsin	3.87	3.88	3.95	4.03	4.16	4.17
United States	3.85	3.88	3.95	4.05	4.15	4.20

Prices Received for All Milk Sold at Plants, Monthly Fat Test – States and United States: 2022

State	January	February	March	April	May	June
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arizona	3.92	3.85	3.74	3.75	3.72	3.73
California	4.19	4.14	4.10	4.05	3.95	3.94
Colorado	4.03	4.01	3.95	3.87	3.79	3.72
Florida	3.71	3.73	3.66	3.65	3.63	3.60
Georgia	3.78	3.81	3.74	3.75	3.69	3.66
Idaho	4.31	4.27	4.19	4.15	4.12	4.02
Illinois	4.22	4.20	4.14	4.08	3.99	3.91
Indiana	4.15	4.13	4.08	4.04	3.94	3.84
Iowa	4.33	4.28	4.22	4.20	4.11	4.01
Kansas	4.28	4.29	4.24	4.17	4.09	4.00
Michigan	4.11	4.08	4.03	4.00	3.90	3.82
Minnesota	4.40	4.40	4.34	4.33	4.24	4.13
New Mexico	4.03	4.02	3.94	3.85	3.78	3.74
New York	4.16	4.13	4.09	4.05	3.97	3.91
Ohio	4.11	4.11	4.04	4.00	3.92	3.84
Oregon	4.43	4.37	4.29	4.28	4.10	4.15
Pennsylvania	4.13	4.11	4.06	4.01	3.92	3.86
South Dakota	4.70	4.66	4.60	4.61	4.46	4.31
Texas	4.42	4.42	4.37	4.27	4.19	4.12
Utah	4.15	4.11	4.02	4.03	3.93	3.82
Vermont	4.19	4.16	4.12	4.07	4.01	3.97
Virginia	4.05	4.05	3.96	3.92	3.86	3.82
Washington	4.34	4.27	4.19	4.19	4.12	4.04
Wisconsin	4.19	4.17	4.12	4.08	4.00	3.92
United States	4.21	4.18	4.12	4.08	4.00	3.94
State	July	August	September	October	November	December
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arizona	3.73	3.73	3.76	3.86	3.98	3.94
California	3.91	3.93	4.00	4.07	4.23	4.27
Colorado	3.67	3.68	3.80	3.94	4.05	4.07
Florida	3.65	3.68	3.70	3.75	3.79	3.78
Georgia	3.65	3.70	3.81	3.93	3.96	3.97
Idaho	3.96	3.97	4.09	4.28	4.43	4.43
Illinois	3.87	3.90	3.99	4.12	4.25	4.27
Indiana	3.81	3.85	3.94	4.07	4.11	4.16
Iowa	3.98	4.03	4.12	4.24	4.30	4.38
Kansas	3.95	3.97	4.04	4.20	4.32	4.39
Michigan	3.81	3.83	3.90	4.04	4.06	4.11
Minnesota	4.09	4.15	4.24	4.39	4.45	4.51
New Mexico	3.73	3.73	3.82	3.96	4.10	4.10
New York	3.89	3.86	3.95	4.08	4.11	4.17
Ohio	3.82	3.86	3.96	4.08	4.08	4.17
Oregon	4.12	4.08	4.21	4.36	4.59	4.60
Pennsylvania	3.85	3.83	3.97	4.09	4.12	4.18
South Dakota	4.25	4.33	4.42	4.59	4.66	4.72
Texas	4.09	4.10	4.19	4.31	4.42	4.40
Utah	3.80	3.80	3.92	4.05	4.19	4.20
Vermont	3.96	3.93	3.99	4.10	4.11	4.18
Virginia	3.80	3.82	3.89	4.06	4.09	4.12
Washington	4.03	4.00	4.11	4.25	4.47	4.48
Wisconsin	3.90	3.92	3.99	4.13	4.18	4.22
United States	3.91	3.93	4.01	4.14	4.23	4.27

Adjustment for Seasonal Variation - All Eggs and All Milk

Base prices used in calculating parity prices are averages of prices received by farmers for ten years; therefore, any seasonal variation is largely averaged out. To facilitate comparisons with parity prices, monthly prices for All Eggs and All Milk are adjusted for seasonal variation. The seasonally adjusted price is calculated by dividing the monthly price by the adjustment factor.

Prices Received for All Eggs Adjusted for Seasonal Variation by Month – United States: 2019-2022

State	Prices received adjusted for seasonal variation, dollars per dozen											
	Dec ¹	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
2019	0.965	0.939	0.875	0.700	0.712	0.677	0.831	0.585	0.854	0.691	0.722	1.070
2020	0.816	0.690	0.840	1.410	1.110	1.010	0.844	0.882	0.759	0.875	1.160	0.829
2021	0.611	0.847	0.913	0.936	0.853	0.990	0.954	0.982	1.030	1.080	1.020	0.978
2022	1.170	1.480	1.460	1.450	2.180	2.360	2.440	2.990	1.930	2.800	3.160	3.120

¹ December preceding year.

Prices Received for All Eggs as a Percentage of Parity Price by Month – United States: 2019-2022

State	Seasonally adjusted price as a percentage of parity price, percent											
	Dec ¹	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
2019	32	31	29	23	23	22	27	19	28	23	24	35
2020	27	23	28	47	37	34	28	29	25	29	38	27
2021	20	28	30	31	28	32	31	32	33	35	32	31
2022	36	44	43	41	61	65	68	83	53	78	87	86

¹ December preceding year.

Prices Received for All Eggs Adjustment Factors by Month – United States: 2019-2022

State	Seasonal price adjustment factors, percent											
	Dec ¹	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
2019	121	108	105	124	89	70	86	87	104	98	92	120
2020	114	109	106	122	94	77	85	86	102	95	86	117
2021	120	110	109	123	101	84	85	89	104	95	89	111
2022	117	100	98	110	105	85	83	88	100	95	89	107

¹ December preceding year.

Prices Received for All Milk Adjusted for Seasonal Variation by Month – United States: 2019-2022

State	Prices received adjusted for seasonal variation, dollars per cwt											
	Dec ¹	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
2019	16.10	17.00	17.40	18.30	18.50	18.70	18.50	19.00	18.80	18.70	18.90	19.60
2020	20.10	19.70	19.40	18.50	15.00	14.20	19.00	21.30	18.60	17.00	18.60	19.20
2021	17.70	17.60	17.50	17.90	18.90	19.90	18.70	18.30	17.70	18.00	18.70	19.80
2022	21.50	24.30	25.50	25.90	27.80	28.00	27.40	26.40	24.70	24.40	24.80	24.60

¹ December preceding year.

Prices Received for All Milk as a Percentage of Parity Price by Month – United States: 2019-2022

State	Seasonally adjusted price as a percentage of parity price, percent											
	Dec ¹	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
2019	31	33	33	35	35	35	35	36	36	36	36	37
2020	38	37	36	35	28	27	36	40	35	32	35	35
2021	32	32	32	33	35	36	34	33	31	32	33	34
2022	37	41	43	42	44	44	43	42	39	38	39	38

¹ December preceding year.

Prices Received for All Milk Adjustment Factors by Month – United States: 2019-2022

State	Seasonal price adjustment factors, percent											
	Dec ¹	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
2019	103	98	96	96	96	96	98	98	100	103	106	107
2020	103	99	98	97	96	96	96	97	100	104	108	110
2021	104	99	98	97	97	96	97	97	100	102	105	105
2022	101	100	97	99	98	98	98	97	99	100	104	104

¹ December preceding 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 1,900 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 United States 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 sales. 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 United States price based on expanded sales. Recommendations are prepared by the Regional 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: In general, revisions are made during annual commodity market year estimation time, following five-year Census revisions, or when later information is received. Revisions are published in monthly issues of *Agricultural Prices*.

Reliability: United States 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 United States relative sampling errors at around five percent. Any non-sampling 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 non-sampling errors.

Program Changes: See Price Program Links at the end of this report for details on program changes to the Prices Program methodology.

March Prices Paid by Farmers

The March Prices Paid Index for Commodities and Services, Interest, Taxes, and Farm Wage Rates (PPITW), at 139.8, is unchanged from February 2023 but up 3.6 percent from March 2022.

Production: The March index, at 138.8, is down 0.1 percent from February but up 3.5 percent above last year. Lower prices in March for nitrogen, other services, complete feeds, and diesel more than offset higher prices for feeder cattle, repairs, feeder pigs, and other machinery.

Feed: At 139.7, the March index decreased 0.9 percent from February but increased 3.5 percent from last March. Since February, prices are lower for complete feeds, feed grains, supplements, and concentrates, but unchanged for hay & forages.

Livestock and poultry: The March index, at 142.3, increased 4.2 percent from February and 16 percent from last year. Since February, prices are higher for feeder cattle and feeder pigs. The March feeder cattle price, at \$199.00 per cwt, is up \$10.00 per cwt from the February price. The March feeder pigs price, at \$213.00 per cwt, is up \$2.00 per cwt from February.

Fertilizer: The index for March, at 129.3, is down 3.0 percent from February and 14 percent since March a year ago. Since February, prices are lower for nitrogen, mixed fertilizer, and potash & phosphate.

Chemicals: The March index, at 159.2, is down 0.1 percent from February but up 21 percent from last March.

Fuels: At 92.0, the March index is down 3.4 percent from February and 23 percent since March 2022. Compared with February, prices are lower for diesel and LP gas but higher for gasoline.

Machinery: The index for March, at 157.1, increased 0.1 percent from February and 6.7 percent from last March. Compared with last month, prices are higher for other machinery and tractors but unchanged for self-propelled machinery.

Consumer Price Index: The March 2023 Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), as issued by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, increased 5.0 percent over the last 12 months to an index level of 301.836 (1982-1984=100). For the month, the index increased 0.3 percent prior to seasonal adjustment.

Prices Paid Indexes and Related Parity Ratios – United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

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

Index Group and Ratios	1910-1914 Base			2011 Base		
	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Prices paid by farmers for commodities, services, interest, taxes, and wage rates (PPITW)	3652	3781	3781	135.0	139.8	139.8
Production	2790	2890	2888	134.1	138.9	138.8
Feed	1485	1552	1538	135.0	141.0	139.7
Livestock and poultry	2421	2696	2808	122.7	136.6	142.3
Seeds	4329	4329	4329	131.7	131.7	131.7
Fertilizer	1816	1607	1558	150.6	133.3	129.3
Chemicals	1178	1431	1429	131.3	159.4	159.2
Fuels	3360	2664	2573	120.2	95.2	92.0
Supplies and repairs	1603	1678	1682	135.8	142.2	142.6
Autos and trucks	3729	3951	3962	121.3	128.5	128.9
Machinery	8996	9581	9595	147.3	156.9	157.1
Building materials	3797	3829	3849	163.2	164.5	165.4
Services and rent	3009	3149	3135	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Services	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	132.4	140.2	139.2
Rent	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	124.0	127.0	129.0
Interest ¹	4693	5205	5205	128.6	142.7	142.7
Taxes ²	8197	8532	8532	138.1	143.8	143.8
Wage rates	11286	11343	11343	157.6	158.4	158.4
Family living-CPI ³	2732	2859	2869	127.8	133.8	134.2
Production, interest, taxes, and wage rates (PITW)	3841	3969	3967	136.2	140.8	140.7
Ratio (received/paid)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	94	91	91
Parity ratio ⁴	36	35	35	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Parity ratio adjusted ⁵	37	36	36	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
PPITW adjusted for productivity ⁶	2031	1995	1996	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Crop sector (PPITW)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	136.7	139.8	139.3
Livestock sector (PPITW)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	133.3	139.8	142.3
Farm sector (production)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	130.2	138.0	139.2
Non-farm sector (production)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	136.5	139.5	138.5

(NA) Not available.

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), converted by the USDA.

⁴ Ratio of index of prices received to PPITW (1910-1914=100).

⁵ Based on estimated cash receipts, from marketings and government payments, the preliminary adjustment factor is updated annually.

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: March 2023 with Comparisons

[Revised historical price indexes for months not shown are available at www.nass.usda.gov. Relative weights are a five year moving average]

Index Group	Relative weights		Indexes (2011=100)		
	2022	2023 ¹	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Production items	72.5	74.105	134.1	138.9	138.8
Feed	13.6	14.697	135.0	141.0	139.7
Feed grains	1.9	2.102	111.7	114.5	112.2
Complete feeds	6.7	7.202	139.4	142.3	140.8
Hay and forages	1.7	1.837	129.9	148.7	148.7
Concentrates	2.2	2.322	140.1	147.5	146.8
Supplements	1.1	1.235	146.6	155.1	153.3
Livestock and poultry	9.6	9.752	122.7	136.6	142.3
Feeder cattle	7.5	7.597	116.6	138.0	145.1
Feeder pigs	0.8	0.780	208.6	150.7	152.1
Milk cow replacements	0.8	0.790	97.2	121.1	121.1
Poultry	0.6	0.585	121.2	121.2	121.2
Seeds	5.1	4.901	131.7	131.7	131.7
Field crops	4.6	4.440	128.7	128.7	128.7
Grasses and legumes	0.5	0.461	159.7	159.7	159.7
Fertilizer	5.5	6.668	150.6	133.3	129.3
Mixed fertilizer	2.4	2.934	124.0	136.0	133.7
Nitrogen	2.3	2.801	175.9	133.4	126.5
Potash and phosphate	0.8	0.934	158.5	124.5	123.5
Chemicals	3.6	3.637	131.3	159.4	159.2
Herbicides	2.3	2.291	149.6	181.7	181.5
Insecticides	0.8	0.837	101.4	123.1	122.9
Fungicides and other	0.5	0.509	98.1	119.1	118.9
Fuels	2.7	3.042	120.2	95.2	92.0
Diesel	1.7	1.893	115.3	99.6	95.1
Gasoline	0.6	0.637	111.0	89.9	90.8
LP gas	0.5	0.511	149.7	85.6	82.1
Supplies and repairs	4.5	4.392	135.8	142.2	142.6
Supplies	1.5	1.471	139.7	144.1	143.9
Repairs	3.0	2.920	133.9	141.2	141.9
Autos and trucks	1.2	1.140	121.3	128.5	128.9
Autos	0.2	0.148	115.2	122.3	122.7
Trucks	1.0	0.992	122.2	129.4	129.8
Machinery	4.3	4.827	147.3	156.9	157.1
Tractors	0.9	1.062	128.0	134.2	134.4
Self-propelled	1.7	1.931	137.8	159.6	159.6
Other machinery	1.6	1.834	168.4	167.1	167.6
Building materials	3.6	3.648	163.2	164.5	165.4
Services	11.7	10.954	132.4	140.2	139.2
Custom rates	1.2	1.128	126.0	126.0	126.0
Other services	10.5	9.826	133.2	141.8	140.7
Rent	7.0	6.448	124.0	127.0	127.0
Cash	3.8	3.463	126.1	129.0	129.0
Share	3.2	2.986	121.5	124.7	124.7
Interest	2.2	2.095	128.6	142.7	142.7
Taxes	3.2	3.159	138.1	143.8	143.8
Wage rates	7.8	7.114	157.6	158.4	158.4
Family living-CPI	14.3	13.526	127.8	133.8	134.2

¹ Starting 2023, relative weights published to three decimals.

Feed Price Ratios – United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

Feed price ratio ¹	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
Broiler-feed: pounds of broiler grower feed equal in value to 1 pound of broiler, live weight ²	5.0	4.0	4.4
Market egg feed: pounds of laying feed equal in value to 1 dozen eggs ³	9.2	16.0	17.7
Hog-corn: bushels of corn equal in value to 100 pounds of hog, live weight	11.4	8.8	9.3
Milk-feed: pounds of 16% mixed dairy feed equal in value to 1 pound of whole milk ⁴	2.02	1.58	1.56
Steer & heifer-corn: bushels of corn equal in value to 100 pounds of steer & heifers, live weight	21.6	23.8	25.0
Turkey-feed: pounds of turkey grower equal in value to 1 pound of turkey, live weight ⁵	5.5	7.2	7.4

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

² The price of commercial prepared broiler feed is based on current United States 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 United States 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 United States 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 United States prices received for corn, soybeans, and wheat. The modeled feed uses 51 percent corn, 28 percent soybeans, and 21 percent wheat.

Prices Received Used to Calculate Feed Price Ratios – United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

[Price data source for livestock and poultry commodities is United States Department of Agriculture's Agriculture Marketing Service]

Item	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
Broilers, livepound	0.885	0.708	0.770
Eggs, marketdozen	1.40	2.46	2.68
Hogs, allcwt	75.10	59.60	61.70
Milk, allcwt	25.60	21.60	21.10
Steers and heiferscwt	142.00	162.00	167.00
Turkeys, livepound	0.920	1.170	1.180
Cornbushel	6.56	6.80	6.67
Hay, alfalfaton	228.00	266.00	267.00
Soybeansbushel	15.40	15.10	14.90
Wheat, allbushel	9.93	8.53	8.34

Prices Paid for Feeder Livestock – United States: March 2023 with Comparisons

[Price data source is United States Department of Agriculture's Agriculture Marketing Service]

Item	March 2022	February 2023	March 2023
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
Feeder cattle & calvescwt	160.00	189.00	199.00
Feeder pigscwt	292.00	211.00	213.00

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 all items is the full preceding calendar year. 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 non-probability survey. Average prices reported are aggregated to the region and United States level using weights available from expenditure data and other administrative sources. Price recommendations are prepared by the Regional 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 United States 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 for March when separate prices paid surveys are conducted, in lieu of BLS indexes, by the USDA to measure price change.

Reliability: Current methods of summarization for the March data are not designed directly to calculate sampling errors. However, analytical measures approximate the United States relative sampling errors for major items around 10 percent. Any non-sampling 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 non-sampling errors.

Program Changes: See Price Program Links at the end of this report for details on program changes to the Prices Program methodology.

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