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**KANSAS:** The July **All Farm Products Index** of Prices Received by Kansas farmers, at 97 percent of the 1990-92 base, was down 4 points from June 2003 and down 2 points from July 2002. The **All Crops Index** in July, at 98 percent of the 1990-92 base, was down 5 points from June and down 18 points from 2002. The **Meat Animals Index**, at 96 percent of the 1990-92 base, was down 5 points from June but 11 points above last year. More detailed information regarding price indexes is shown in the first table on the back of this release.

**Wheat** prices in mid-July, at \$2.73 per bushel, were down 11 cents from June and 54 cents below last July.

**Corn** prices in mid-July, at \$2.17 per bushel, were down 21 cents from June and 5 cents below last July.

Farmers received an average of \$3.18 per cwt. for **grain sorghum** in mid-July, down 40 cents from June and 39 cents below last July.

**Soybean** prices, at \$5.82 per bushel in mid-July, were down 44 cents from June but 43 cents above last July.

**All hay** prices averaged \$70.00 per ton in mid-July, down \$2.00 from June and \$19.00 lower than last year. **Alfalfa hay** averaged \$74.00 per ton, unchanged from June but \$24.00 lower than last July. **Other hay**, at \$59.00 per ton, was unchanged from June but \$10.00 below last July.

**All beef cattle** were bringing an average of \$73.70 per

cwt. in mid-July, down \$3.40 from June but \$8.70 above the price last July. **Cow** prices, at \$45.20 per cwt., were up \$1.50 from June and \$9.20 above the price last July. **Steers and heifers** averaged \$74.00 per cwt., down \$3.40 from June but \$8.70 above July 2002. **Calf** prices in mid-July were \$107.00 per cwt., up \$2.00 from June and up \$10.20 from July 2002.

The **all hog** price of \$39.90 per cwt. for mid-July was down \$3.00 from June but up \$4.70 from last July. **Sow** prices averaged \$32.70, up \$2.20 from June and \$13.60 higher than July 2002. **Barrow and gilt** prices averaged \$40.90 per cwt. in mid-July, down \$3.80 from June but \$3.50 above last July.

June **lamb** prices were \$93.00 per cwt. **Sheep** prices averaged \$26.00 per cwt. in June.

Individual commodity prices are shown in the second table on the back of this release.

**UNITED STATES:** The **All Farm Products Index** of Prices Received in July was 104 percent of the 1990-92 base, down 3 points from June but 5 points above July 2002.

The July **All Crops Index** was 108, down 9 points from June and 1 point below July 2002.

The July **Livestock and Products Index**, at 100, was up 1 point from last month and up 12 points from July 2002.

**Index Numbers - Prices Received by Farmers, Kansas and United States**

Product Group	Kansas			United States					
	1990-92=100%			1990-92=100%			1910-14=100%		
	Jun 2003	Jul 2002	Jul 15, 2003	Jun 2003	Jul 2002	Jul 15, 2003	Jun 2003	Jul 2002	Jul 15, 2003
<b>PRICE RECEIVED</b>									
All Farm Products .....	101	99	97	107	99	104	683	626	659
All Crops .....	103	116	98	117	109	108	578	537	533
Food Grains .....	101	116	97	101	105	97	321	333	308
Feed Grains & Hay .....				109	103	100	390	367	357
Feed Grains .....	102	98	93						
Hay .....	113	139	116						
Oil Seeds .....	114	98	106	109	96	104	597	528	570
Livestock & Products .....				99	88	100	760	678	765
Meat Animals .....	101	85	96	101	87	99	1,028	882	1,008
Dairy Products .....				85	85	90	682	682	725

**Prices Received by Farmers and Feed Ratios, Kansas and United States**

Commodity	Kansas			United States			
	Jun 2003	Jul 2002	Jul 15, 2003	Jun 2003	Jul 2002	Jul 15, 2003 Prices	
						Current	Parity <sup>1</sup>
	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>
All Wheat, bu .....	2.84	3.27	2.73	3.07	3.21	2.93	9.66
Corn, bu .....	2.38	2.22	2.17	2.34	2.13	2.09	6.60
Oats, bu .....				1.84	1.69	1.72	4.12
Barley, bu .....				3.01	2.14	2.60	6.53
Sorghum Grain, cwt .....	3.58	3.57	3.18	3.61	4.06	3.55	11.20
All Hay, ton .....	72.00	89.00	70.00	94.60	93.60	89.00	
Alfalfa, ton .....	74.00	98.00	74.00	98.90	102.00	92.70	
Other, ton .....	59.00	69.00	59.00	79.20	72.20	77.80	
Soybeans, bu .....	6.26	5.39	5.82	6.09	5.35	5.84	14.40
All Beef Cattle, cwt .....	77.10	65.00	73.70	74.90	63.70	74.30	161.00
Cows, cwt .....	43.70	36.00	45.20	42.00	37.40	44.30	
All Steers & Heifers, cwt. ....	77.40	65.30	74.00	78.70	66.50	77.60	
Calves, cwt .....	105.00	96.80	107.00	102.00	95.20	103.00	216.00
Hogs, cwt .....	42.90	35.20	39.90	45.00	39.20	42.00	102.00
Sows, cwt .....	30.50	19.10	32.70	30.40	19.90	33.60	
Barrows & Gilts, cwt .....	44.70	37.40	40.90	45.80	40.20	42.50	
Lambs, cwt <sup>2</sup> .....	93.00	74.90		96.70	75.60		185.00
Sheep, cwt <sup>2</sup> .....	26.00	20.50		30.30	25.60		78.90
Milk, cwt., avg. fat test <sup>3</sup> .....				11.10	11.10	11.80	
Average fat test, percent <sup>3</sup> .....				3.58	3.61	3.54	
<b>Feed Ratios</b>							
Hog-Corn .....	18.0	15.9	18.4	19.2	18.4	20.1	
Milk-Feed .....				2.23	2.34	2.58	

<sup>1</sup> U.S. Parity Prices based on 1910-14 base. <sup>2</sup> Preliminary price not published. <sup>3</sup> Milk price reflects gross producer pay price before deducts for hauling and capital retain.

**District Grain & Oilseed Prices**

Agricultural Statistics District	Wheat per Bushel		Sorghum Grain per Cwt		Corn per Bushel		Soybeans per Bushel <sup>1</sup>	
	June 2003	July 15, 2003	June 2003	July 15, 2003	June 2003	July 15, 2003	June 2003	July 15, 2003
	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>
Northwest .....	2.75	2.70	3.51	3.02	2.32	2.07		
West Central ..	2.82	2.71	3.58	3.05	2.43	2.20	6.20	5.38
Southwest .....	2.78	2.73	3.70	3.28	2.46	2.27		
North Central ..	2.87	2.71	3.51	3.12	2.24	2.02	6.11	5.55
Central .....	3.07	2.73	3.63	3.06	2.33	2.10	6.32	5.64
South Central ..	2.75	2.74	3.42	3.14	2.42	2.21	6.19	5.73
Northeast .....	2.90	2.87	3.71	3.54	2.30	2.07	6.24	5.90
East Central ...	2.89	2.76	3.64	3.28	2.32	2.00	6.37	5.99
Southeast .....	2.72	2.72	3.63	3.20	2.28	2.16	6.28	5.78
State .....	2.84	2.73	3.58	3.18	2.38	2.17	6.26	5.82

<sup>1</sup> Soybean prices for Northwest, Southwest, and West Central combined due to insufficient data.