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**KANSAS:** The January **All Farm Products Index** of Prices Received by Kansas farmers, at 103 percent of the 1990-92 base, was down 2 points from December 2002 but up 11 points from January 2002. The **All Crops Index** in January, at 111 percent of the 1990-92 base, was down 5 points from December but up 19 points from 2002. The **Meat Animals Index**, at 97 percent of the 1990-92 base, was up 4 points from December and 6 points above last year. More detailed information regarding price indexes is shown in first table on back of this release.

**Wheat** prices in mid-January, at \$3.39 per bushel, were down 38 cents from December but 65 cents above last January.

**Corn** prices in mid-January, at \$2.37 per bushel, were down 8 cents from December but 36 cents above last January.

Farmers received an average of \$4.01 per cwt. for **grain sorghum** in mid-January, down 8 cents from December but 73 cents above last January.

**Soybean** prices, at \$5.24 per bushel in mid-January, were down 18 cents from December but \$1.16 above last January.

**All hay** prices averaged \$91.00 per ton in mid-January, down \$5.00 from December but \$2.00 higher than last year. **Alfalfa hay** averaged \$97.00 per ton, down \$3.00 from December and \$1.00 lower than last January. **Other hay**, at \$76.00 per ton, was unchanged from December but \$9.00 above last January.

**All beef cattle** were bringing an average of \$75.70 per cwt.

in mid-January, up \$2.40 from December and \$5.80 above the price last January. **Cow** prices, at \$36.00 per cwt., were up \$2.70 from December but \$2.90 below the price last January. **Steers and heifers** averaged \$77.40 per cwt., up \$2.90 from December and \$6.20 above January 2002. **Calf** prices in mid-January were \$98.80 per cwt., down 80 cents from December and down \$7.20 from January 2002.

The **all hog** price of \$29.20 per cwt. for mid-January was up 80 cents from December but down \$7.90 from last January. **Sow** prices averaged \$20.90, down 50 cents from December and \$4.50 lower than January 2002. **Barrow and gilt** prices averaged \$30.40 per cwt. in mid-January, up \$1.10 from December but \$8.50 below last January.

December **lamb** prices were \$84.10 per cwt. **Sheep** prices averaged \$36.00 per cwt. in December.

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 January was 99 percent of the 1990-92 base, up 1 points from December and 4 points above January 2002.

The January **All Crops Index** was 102, down 2 points from December but 8 points above January 2002.

The January **Livestock and Products Index**, at 95, was up 4 points from last month but down 2 points from January 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%		
	Dec 2002	Jan 2002	Jan 15, 2003	Dec 2002	Jan 2002	Jan 15, 2003	Dec 2002	Jan 2002	Jan 15, 2003
<b>PRICE RECEIVED</b>									
All Farm Products . . . . .	105	92	103	98	95	99	623	606	629
All Crops . . . . .	116	92	111	104	94	102	512	463	505
Food Grains . . . . .	134	98	121	124	89	109	393	283	347
Feed Grains & Hay . . . . .				106	90	103	379	322	368
Feed Grains . . . . .	110	89	106						
Hay . . . . .	150	139	142						
Oil Seeds . . . . .	99	74	95	98	76	96	537	415	528
Livestock & Products . . . . .				91	97	95	698	746	730
Meat Animals . . . . .	93	91	97	88	90	92	897	913	937
Dairy Products . . . . .				91	103	90	731	823	725

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

Commodity	Kansas			United States			Parity Prices 01/15/03 <sup>1</sup>
	December 2002	January 2002	Jan 15, 2003	December 2002	January 2002	Jan 15, 2003	
	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	
All Wheat, bu . . . . .	3.77	2.74	3.39	4.06	2.87	3.66	9.53
Corn, bu . . . . .	2.45	2.01	2.37	2.32	1.97	2.27	6.51
Oats, bu . . . . .				2.00	1.93	1.90	4.07
Barley, bu . . . . .				3.03	2.09	3.00	6.44
Sorghum Grain, cwt . . . . .	4.09	3.28	4.01	4.13	3.34	4.07	11.00
All Hay, ton . . . . .	96.00	89.00	91.00	92.60	91.70	92.90	
Alfalfa, ton . . . . .	100.00	98.00	97.00	100.00	101.00	97.60	
Other, ton . . . . .	76.00	67.00	76.00	74.70	72.70	79.60	
Soybeans, bu . . . . .	5.42	4.08	5.24	5.46	4.22	5.38	14.20
All Beef Cattle, cwt . . . . .	73.30	69.90	75.70	70.50	67.10	72.60	158.00
Cows, cwt . . . . .	33.30	38.90	36.00	34.60	38.00	35.50	
All Steers & Heifers, cwt. . . . .	74.50	71.20	77.40	75.10	71.20	77.60	
Calves, cwt . . . . .	99.60	106.00	98.80	94.70	102.00	95.50	213.00
Hogs, cwt . . . . .	28.40	37.10	29.20	30.30	37.70	31.80	101.00
Sows, cwt . . . . .	21.40	25.40	20.90	22.30	26.40	21.80	
Barrows & Gilts, cwt . . . . .	29.30	38.90	30.40	30.70	38.30	32.30	
Lambs, cwt <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	84.10	61.80		87.20	65.50		182.00
Sheep, cwt <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	36.00	33.60		37.90	36.20		77.80
Milk, cwt., avg. fat test <sup>3</sup> . . . . .				11.90	13.40	11.80	33.00
Average fat test, percent <sup>3</sup> . . . . .				3.81	3.77	3.79	
<b>Feed Ratios</b>							
Hog-Corn . . . . .	11.6	18.5	12.3	13.1	19.1	14.0	
Milk-Feed . . . . .				2.43	3.03	2.47	

<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>	
	December 2002	January 15, 2003	December 2002	January 15, 2003	December 2002	January 15, 2003	December 2002	January 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 . . . . .	3.67	3.32	3.91	3.92	2.42	2.32		
West Central . . . . .	3.70	3.34	4.06	3.96	2.45	2.43	5.34	5.17
Southwest . . . . .	3.78	3.34	4.02	3.94	2.54	2.45		
North Central . . . . .	3.84	3.38	4.14	4.01	2.34	2.27	5.37	5.12
Central . . . . .	3.76	3.47	4.16	4.13	2.54	2.45	5.39	5.25
South Central . . . . .	3.78	3.40	4.04	3.96	2.41	2.35	5.37	5.17
Northeast . . . . .	3.86	3.50	4.26	4.15	2.40	2.30	5.45	5.27
East Central . . . . .	3.72	3.39	4.10	3.98	2.30	2.20	5.45	5.26
Southeast . . . . .	3.83	3.48	4.06	3.96	2.35	2.30	5.38	5.26
State . . . . .	3.77	3.39	4.09	4.01	2.45	2.37	5.42	5.24

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