



# Agricultural Prices

## Kansas Agricultural Statistics



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**KANSAS:** The August **All Farm Products Index** of Prices Received by Kansas farmers, at 138 percent of the 1990-92 base, was down 4 points from July but up 16 points from August 2006. The **All Crops Index** in August, at 197 percent of the 1990-92 base, was up 15 points from July and up 53 points from 2006. The **Meat Animals Index**, at 122 percent of the 1990-92 base, was up 1 point from July and 4 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-August, at \$6.04 per bushel, were up 83 cents from July and up \$1.64 from last August.

**Corn** prices in mid-August, at \$3.40 per bushel, were down 23 cents from July but \$1.17 above last August.

Farmers received an average of \$5.40 per cwt. for **sorghum grain** in mid-August, down 66 cents from July but \$1.52 above last August.

**Soybean** prices, at \$7.61 per bushel in mid-August, were down 24 cents from July but \$2.27 above last August.

**All hay** prices averaged \$99.00 per ton in mid-August, unchanged from July but \$3.00 higher than last year. **Alfalfa hay** averaged \$107.00 per ton, up \$5.00 from July but unchanged from last August. **Other hay**, at \$80.00 per ton, was down \$8.00 from July but \$9.00 above last August.

**All beef cattle** were bringing an average of \$93.80 per cwt. in mid-August, up \$1.00 from July and \$3.30 above the price from last August. **Cow** prices, at \$54.50 per cwt., were up \$1.10 from July and \$7.50 above the price from last August. **Steers and heifers** averaged \$94.20 per cwt., up \$1.00 from July and \$3.30 above August 2006. **Calf** prices in mid-August were \$132.00 per cwt., up \$3.00 from July but down \$8.00 from August 2006.

The **all hog** price of \$47.00 per cwt. for mid-August was up 10 cents from July but down 70 cents from last August. **Sow** prices averaged \$35.60, down \$1.20 from July and 90 cents lower than August 2006. **Barrow and gilt** prices averaged \$48.70 per cwt. in mid-August, up 30 cents from July but 70 cents below last August.

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 August was 139 percent of the 1990-92 base, down 2 points from July but 20 points above August 2006.

The August **All Crops Index** was 139, down 2 points from July but 14 points above August 2006.

The August **Livestock and Products Index**, at 139, was down 1 point from last month but up 25 points from August 2006.

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

Product Group	Kansas			United States					
	1990-92=100%			1990-92=100%			1910-14=100%		
	Aug 2006	Jul 2007	Aug 15, 2007	Aug 2006	Jul 2007	Aug 15, 2007	Aug 2006	Jul 2007	Aug 15, 2007
<b>PRICES RECEIVED</b>									
All Farm Products .....	122	142	138	119	141	139	757	893	885
All Crops .....	144	182	197	125	141	139	615	697	688
Food Grains .....	156	185	215	131	172	191	417	547	607
Feed Grains & Hay .....				107	154	150	382	550	536
Feed Grains .....	100	162	149						
Hay .....	148	155	155						
Oil Seeds .....	97	143	138	94	136	134	512	744	733
Livestock & Products .....				114	140	139	877	1,073	1,067
Meat Animals .....	118	121	122	119	120	122	1,210	1,221	1,245
Dairy Products .....				92	166	166	737	1,334	1,334

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

Commodity	Kansas			United States			
	Aug 2006	Jul 2007	Aug 15, 2007	Aug 2006	Jul 2007	Aug 15, 2007	Aug Parity <sup>1</sup>
	<i>Dollars</i>						
All Wheat, bu .....	4.40	5.21	6.04	3.91	5.17	5.85	11.00
Corn, bu .....	2.23	3.63	3.40	2.09	3.32	3.17	8.10
Oats, bu .....	1.98	2.40	2.45	1.67	2.33	2.25	4.54
Barley, bu .....				2.70	3.45	3.57	7.64
Sorghum Grain, cwt .....	3.88	6.06	5.40	4.35	5.52	5.89	13.80
All Sunflowers, cwt <sup>2</sup> .....	11.10			12.40	18.40	18.40	35.00
All Hay, ton .....	96.00	99.00	99.00	106.00	131.00	132.00	
Alfalfa, ton .....	107.00	102.00	107.00	109.00	137.00	137.00	
Other, ton .....	71.00	88.00	80.00	96.20	113.00	118.00	
Soybeans, bu .....	5.34	7.85	7.61	5.23	7.56	7.49	17.90
All Beef Cattle, cwt .....	90.50	92.80	93.80	87.20	89.20	90.50	214.00
Cows, cwt .....	47.00	53.40	54.50	46.80	51.40	51.50	
All Steers & Heifers, cwt .....	90.90	93.20	94.20	91.50	93.10	94.40	
Calves, cwt .....	140.00	129.00	132.00	136.00	127.00	129.00	308.00
Hogs, cwt .....	47.70	46.90	47.00	51.60	52.20	53.20	123.00
Sows, cwt .....	36.50	36.80	35.60	34.90	36.80	36.00	
Barrows & Gilts, cwt .....	49.40	48.40	48.70	52.50	53.00	54.10	
Lambs, cwt <sup>3</sup> .....				95.40	98.60		251.00
Sheep, cwt <sup>3</sup> .....				27.90	28.70		103.00
Milk, cwt., avg. fat test <sup>4</sup> .....	12.30	22.00	22.00	12.00	21.70	21.70	40.50
Average fat test, percent <sup>4</sup> .....	3.54	3.51	3.54	3.56	3.56	3.57	
<b>Feed Ratios</b>							
Hog-Corn .....	21.4	12.9	13.8	24.7	15.7	16.8	
Milk-Feed .....				2.48	3.17	3.24	

<sup>1</sup> U.S. Parity Prices based on 1910-14 base. <sup>2</sup> Price not published to avoid disclosure. <sup>3</sup> Preliminary price not published. <sup>4</sup> Before deductions for hauling. Includes quality, quantity, and other premiums. Excludes hauling subsidies.

**District Grain & Oilseed Prices**

Agricultural Statistics District	Wheat per Bushel		Sorghum Grain per Cwt		Corn per Bushel		Soybeans per Bushel <sup>1</sup>	
	July 2007	August 15, 2007	July 2007	August 15, 2007	July 2007	August 15, 2007	July 2007	August 15, 2007
	<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 .....	5.10	5.89	6.13	5.26	3.62	3.42	7.94	7.32
West Central ....	5.12	5.98	6.13	5.34	3.82	3.47		
Southwest .....	5.16	5.91	6.26	5.17	3.73	3.48	7.67	7.24
North Central ....	5.21	6.06	6.04	5.48	3.50	3.35	7.68	7.29
Central .....	5.30	6.21	6.07	5.56	3.63	3.47	7.89	7.53
South Central ....	5.17	6.05	5.96	5.51	3.58	3.47	8.05	7.57
Northeast .....	5.25	6.16	5.77	5.12	3.44	3.22	7.90	7.65
East Central .....	5.31	6.11	6.09	5.63	3.55	3.32	7.87	7.98
Southeast .....	5.39	5.89	5.62	5.27	3.78	3.33	7.74	7.60
State .....	5.21	6.04	6.06	5.40	3.63	3.40	7.85	7.61

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