

Crop Prices Received by Farmers

The USDA, NASS conducts the monthly Prices Received Survey to estimate the prices farmers and ranchers receive for crop and livestock commodities. USDA and other government agencies, Congress, economic researchers, farm organizations, agribusinesses and others use price data to monitor financial developments in the agriculture sector. The primary sources of the crops prices listed in the following tables are elevators and dealers, who buy directly from farmers.

The Marketing Year Average Price is the weighted average price received for a commodity over the course of the crop's marketing year. Preliminary MYAs are forecast, but are not included here. Crop Price tables are organized by each commodity's marketing year.

Soybeans: Prices Received by Farmers by Month, Minnesota, 2007-2011

Month	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
	<u>Dollars per Bushel</u>			
September	7.88	11.00	9.54	9.48
October	8.07	10.30	9.38	9.69
November	8.96	9.49	9.32	10.50
December	9.60	9.50	9.63	11.30
January	9.77	9.95	9.59	11.20
February	11.30	9.33	9.16	12.10
March	11.30	8.97	9.08	12.50
April	11.90	9.69	9.23	12.50
May	11.90	10.50	9.15	12.70
June	12.40	11.30	9.10	12.80
July	12.80	10.70	9.41	
August	12.70	10.50	9.87	
Marketing Year Average Price	10.20	10.10	9.39	

Sunflowers: Prices Received by Farmers by Month, Minnesota, 2007-2011

Month	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
	<u>Dollars per Cwt.</u>			
September	18.00	1/	1/	1/
October	18.40	30.30	17.90	21.90
November	19.20	27.20	19.10	20.60
December	19.00	28.00	21.20	20.10
January	18.90	28.50	17.90	20.90
February	20.10	29.90	19.30	26.60
March	23.80	29.00	16.40	28.20
April	22.80	28.10	16.40	27.20
May	27.00	25.60	19.30	23.00
June	29.60	29.20	17.40	23.90
July	28.10	24.80	15.60	
August	28.10	22.90	16.60	
Marketing Year Average Price	21.80	27.60	18.10	

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Corn: Prices Received by Farmers by Month, Minnesota, 2007-2011

Month	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
	<u>Dollars per Bushel</u>			
October	3.16	4.40	3.60	3.95
November	3.20	4.31	3.57	4.17
December	3.44	4.13	3.51	4.42
January	3.81	4.33	3.55	4.72
February	4.24	3.69	3.57	5.31
March	4.56	3.80	3.41	5.25
April	4.95	3.68	3.23	5.79
May	4.84	3.77	3.33	5.40
June	5.07	4.02	3.39	5.79
July	4.64	3.61	3.37	
August	4.82	3.24	3.42	
September	4.91	3.17	3.79	
Marketing Year Average Price	4.13	3.92	3.47	

Dry Edible Beans: Prices Received by Farmers by Month, Minnesota, 2007-2011

Month	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
	<u>Dollars per Cwt.</u>			
September	24.00	37.60	29.00	27.40
October	27.60	45.20	31.50	28.50
November	28.90	42.20	30.50	28.40
December	26.90	57.10	31.20	25.00
January	34.20	47.80	35.60	28.00
February	32.20	1/	35.90	29.10
March	39.70	1/	32.10	34.70
April	39.80	1/	30.70	1/
May	39.50	1/	32.10	1/
June	34.70	29.10	29.60	34.70
July	1/	1/	25.50	
August	1/	1/	31.50	
Marketing Year Average Price	29.10	41.80	31.00	

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Potatoes: Prices Received by Farmers by Month, Minnesota, 2007-2011

Month	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
	<u>Dollars per Cwt.</u>			
July	14.00	5.05	13.60	6.95
August	7.95	12.30	10.00	9.10
September	5.95	10.10	8.35	7.60
October	6.35	8.20	7.10	6.70
November	6.35	9.35	7.45	6.35
December	6.50	9.35	7.25	7.00
January	6.10	7.30	7.80	6.80
February	6.35	7.05	7.00	6.65
March	6.10	6.80	8.70	7.00
April	5.90	7.35	7.45	8.00
May	5.70	7.05	6.95	6.90
June	5.20	6.10	5.75	5.95
Marketing Year Average Price	6.10	8.25	7.60	

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All Wheat: Prices Received by Farmers by Month, Minnesota, 2007-2011

Month	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
	Dollars per Bushel			
July	5.37	8.77	5.48	4.24
August	5.73	8.08	5.27	5.22
September	6.13	7.46	4.72	5.56
October	6.82	6.80	4.84	5.72
November	7.30	6.80	4.76	5.37
December	7.08	7.03	4.74	6.08
January	7.85	6.71	4.87	6.74
February	10.10	6.22	4.66	6.78
March	9.55	1/	4.56	6.81
April	9.57	6.11	4.44	7.74
May	1/	6.65	4.27	8.10
June	1/	6.52	4.08	8.58
Marketing Year Average Price	7.28	7.06	4.72	

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Barley: Prices Received by Farmers by Month, Minnesota, 2007-2011

Month	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
	Dollars per Bushel			
July	3.01	1/	3.54	3.86
August	3.28	1/	1/	1/
September	3.66	1/	1/	1/
October	4.53	1/	1/	3.42
November	3.87	4.83	1/	1/
December	3.69	1/	1/	3.83
January	3.76	1/	1/	1/
February	4.01	1/	4.48	1/
March	3.81	1/	1/	1/
April	4.76	1/	1/	4.07
May	4.12	1/	1/	1/
June	1/	1/	1/	5.69
Marketing Year Average Price	3.80	5.27	4.10	

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Oats: Prices Received by Farmers by Month, Minnesota, 2007-2011

Month	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
	Dollars per Bushel			
July	2.16	3.13	1.69	2.05
August	2.17	2.95	1.74	2.05
September	2.17	2.71	1.59	2.15
October	2.14	2.42	1.74	2.19
November	2.42	2.24	1.98	2.57
December	2.56	2.17	1.96	2.73
January	2.59	2.14	2.07	2.87
February	3.03	1.96	1.98	3.12
March	3.18	1.90	2.33	3.10
April	3.26	2.02	1.89	3.17
May	3.38	2.13	1.70	3.18
June	3.34	2.07	1.98	3.22
Marketing Year Average Price	2.49	2.58	1.83	

All Hay, Baled: Prices Received by Farmers by Month, Minnesota, 2007-2011

Month	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
	Dollars per Ton			
June	105.00	140.00	106.00	111.00
July	93.00	132.00	100.00	111.00
August	101.00	119.00	91.00	106.00
September	104.00	119.00	88.00	97.00
October	112.00	122.00	88.00	103.00
November	126.00	128.00	88.00	102.00
December	131.00	135.00	106.00	93.00
January	115.00	130.00	109.00	91.00
February	113.00	121.00	114.00	94.00
March	125.00	110.00	117.00	100.00
April	127.00	107.00	103.00	105.00
May	122.00	107.00	108.00	105.00
Marketing Year Average Price	111.00	125.00	102.00	

Alfalfa Hay, Baled: Prices Received by Farmers by Month, Minnesota, 2007-2011

Month	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
	Dollars per Ton			
June	107.00	142.00	115.00	120.00
July	97.00	135.00	115.00	115.00
August	107.00	125.00	105.00	115.00
September	113.00	130.00	105.00	110.00
October	123.00	135.00	105.00	110.00
November	133.00	135.00	110.00	110.00
December	136.00	140.00	120.00	100.00
January	119.00	135.00	125.00	100.00
February	116.00	125.00	125.00	105.00
March	130.00	115.00	125.00	110.00
April	130.00	110.00	115.00	115.00
May	126.00	110.00	115.00	115.00
Marketing Year Average Price	117.00	130.00	116.00	

All Other Hay, Baled: Prices Received by Farmers by Month, Minnesota, 2007-2011

Month	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
	Dollars per Ton			
June	94.00	125.00	80.00	75.00
July	84.00	120.00	80.00	80.00
August	88.00	100.00	70.00	70.00
September	82.00	80.00	60.00	60.00
October	90.00	85.00	65.00	65.00
November	105.00	95.00	70.00	70.00
December	104.00	95.00	80.00	75.00
January	92.00	95.00	80.00	75.00
February	95.00	85.00	85.00	75.00
March	100.00	75.00	80.00	80.00
April	98.00	75.00	80.00	80.00
May	97.00	75.00	75.00	80.00
Marketing Year Average Price	91.00	98.00	75.00	