



AGRICULTURAL PRICES

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Prices Received by Florida Farmers

Florida Citrus producers received \$9.35 per box in June for oranges. The June milk price was \$24.00 per hundredweight, \$1.20 above May but \$4.10 above June 2012. The June peanut price was 0.280 dollars per pound, down from 0.314 in June 2012.

United States Price Index

The preliminary All Farm Products Index of Prices Received by Farmers in June, at 200 percent, based on 1990-1992=100, increased 4 points (2.0 percent) from May. The Crop Index is up 8 points (3.6 percent) but the Livestock Index decreased 2 points (1.2 percent). Producers received higher prices for oranges, hogs, and corn and lower prices for eggs, cattle, wheat, and broilers. In addition to prices, the overall index is also affected by the seasonal change based on a 3-year average mix of commodities producers sell. Increased monthly movement of wheat, hay, and corn offset the decreased marketing of cattle, oranges, milk, and broilers. The preliminary All Farm Products Index is up 17 points (9.3 percent) from June 2012. The Food Commodities Index, at 186, increased 4 points (2.2 percent) from last month and is 14 points (8.1 percent) higher than June 2012.

Index Summary Table

Index	June 2012	May 2013	June 2013
Prices received.....	183	196	200
Prices paid	214	220	221
Ratio prices received to prices paid	86	89	90

Average Price Received by Farmers

[Current month prices are mid-month; prices for previous months and are for the entire month.]

Commodity	Florida			United States		
	June 2012	May 2013	June 2013	June 2012	May 2013	June 2013
MEAT ANIMALS						
Cows ¹ dollars per cwt				86.00	80.60	80.10
Steers & heifers ¹ dollars per cwt				124.00	128.00	126.00
Calves ¹ dollars per cwt				166.00	151.00	146.00
Hogs, all ¹ dollars per cwt				70.20	68.60	72.50
MILK, all ²..... dollars per cwt	19.90	22.80	24.00	16.30	19.70	19.70
POULTRY						
Broilers, live ¹ dollars per pound				0.500	0.680	0.670
Table eggs ¹ dollars per dozen				0.689	0.976	0.694
CITRUS, ON TREE						
Oranges..... dollars per box	(S)	8.41	9.35	12.49	9.30	11.98
Grapefruit..... dollars per box		(S)	(S)	15.43	8.26	8.26
White..... dollars per box		(S)	(S)			
Colored..... dollars per box		(S)	(S)			
Tangerines and Mandarins..... dollars per box		(S)	(S)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Tangelos..... dollars per box				(S)	(S)	(S)
FIELD CROPS						
Potatoes..... dollars per cwt	(D)	(D)	(D)	9.93	12.89	12.33
Hay, All baled..... dollars per ton				183.00	203.00	199.00
Peanuts..... dollars per pound	0.314	0.260	0.280	0.344	0.272	0.280
Corn ¹ dollars per bushel				6.37	6.97	7.02
Cotton, Upland ¹ dollars per pound				0.771	0.753	0.756
Soybeans ¹ dollars per bushel				13.90	14.90	15.10
Wheat, Winter ¹ dollars per bushel				6.55	7.49	7.02
VEGETABLES						
Beans, snap ¹ dollars per cwt				45.20	(NA)	(NA)
Corn, sweet ¹ dollars per cwt				22.80	(NA)	(NA)
Cucumbers ¹ dollars per cwt				23.50	(NA)	(NA)
Tomatoes ¹ dollars per cwt				45.10	(NA)	(NA)

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

(NA) Not available.

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

¹ Only marketing year average prices are estimated for Florida, except broilers, and eggs which are not estimated.

² Before deductions for hauling and government withholding, and includes quantity and other premiums, but excludes hauling subsidies.

Highlights-United States Prices Received by Farmers June 2013

All Crops: The Index, at 232, increased 3.6 percent from May and is 7.9 percent above June 2012. Index increases for fruits & nuts and oilseeds more than offset the index decreases for food grains, feed grains & hay, and potatoes & dry beans.

Food Grains: The Index, at 239, is 3.2 percent below the previous month but 6.7 percent above a year ago. The June price for all wheat, at \$7.13 per bushel, is down 55 cents from May but 43 cents higher than June 2012.

Feed Grains and Hay: The Index, at 298, is down 0.3 percent from last month but 11 percent above a year ago. The corn price, at \$7.02 per bushel, is up 5 cents from last month and 65 cents above June 2012. The all hay price, at \$199 per ton, is down \$4.00 from May but up \$16.00 from last June. Sorghum grain, at \$11.40 per hundredweight, is down 10 cents from May but \$1.84 above June last year.

Cotton, Upland: The Index, at 125, is up 0.8 percent from May but 1.6 percent below last year. The June price, at 75.6 cents per pound, is up 0.3 cents from the previous month but 1.5 cents lower than last June.

Oilseeds: The Index, at 260, is up 1.6 percent from May and 4.4 percent higher than June 2012. The soybean price, at \$15.10 per bushel, increased 20 cents from May and is \$1.20 above June 2012.

Potatoes and Dry Beans: The Index, at 209, is down 4.6 percent from last month but 16 percent above June 2012. The all potato price, at \$12.33 per hundredweight, is down 56 cents from May but up \$2.40 from last June. The all dry bean price, at \$37.10 per hundredweight, is up \$1.00 from the previous month but \$7.10 below June 2012.

Fruits and Nuts: The Index, at 187, is up 11 percent from May but 2.1 percent lower than a year ago. The price for oranges, at \$11.98 per box, is up \$2.68 from last month but down 51 cents from a year ago.

Commercial Vegetables: The Index, at 166, is unchanged from last month but 2.5 percent above June 2012.

Livestock and Products: The Index, at 168, is 1.2 percent below last month but up 11 percent from June 2012. Compared to a year ago, lower prices for turkeys and calves more than offset higher prices for broilers, milk, hogs, cattle, and eggs.

Meat Animals: The Index, at 163, is unchanged from last month but 0.6 percent higher than last year. The June hog price, at \$72.50 per hundredweight, is up \$3.90 from May and \$2.30 higher than a year ago. The June beef cattle price of \$122 per hundredweight is down \$2.00 from last month but \$1.00 higher than June 2012.

Dairy Products: The Index, at 151, is unchanged from a month ago but 21 percent higher than June last year. The June all milk price of \$19.70 per hundredweight is unchanged from last month but up \$3.40 from June 2012.

Poultry & Eggs: The Index, at 194, is down 4.4 percent from May but 22 percent above a year ago. The June market egg price, at 69.4 cents per dozen, decreased 28.2 cents from May but is 0.5 cents above June 2012. The June broiler price, at 67.0 cents per pound, is down 1.0 cent from May but 17.0 cents above a year ago. The June turkey price, at 65.8 cents per pound, is up 0.9 cents from the previous month but down 8.1 cents from a year earlier.

Prices Received for Selected Agricultural Commodities by month - United States: 2012 and 2013

[Current month prices are mid-month; prices for previous months are for the entire month. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun.]

Month	All wheat		Corn		Soybeans		Beef cattle ¹		All hogs	
	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)					
January	7.05	8.12	6.07	6.96	11.90	14.30	125.00	126.00	63.50	63.80
February	7.10	7.97	6.28	7.04	12.20	14.60	127.00	123.00	65.50	64.50
March	7.20	7.79	6.35	7.13	13.00	14.60	128.00	124.00	65.20	59.20
April	7.11	7.71	6.34	6.97	13.80	14.40	124.00	124.00	62.80	61.80
May	6.67	7.68	6.34	6.97	14.00	14.90	122.00	124.00	62.80	68.60
June	6.70	7.13	6.37	7.02	13.90	15.10	121.00	122.00	70.20	72.50
July	7.93		7.14		15.40		114.00		72.10	
August	8.04		7.63		16.20		117.00		66.90	
September	8.27		6.89		14.30		121.00		55.70	
October	8.38		6.77		14.20		123.00		62.00	
November	8.46		7.02		14.30		123.00		61.10	
December	8.29		6.87		14.30		124.00		62.40	

¹ Includes cows, steers, and heifers.

Special Note

This is the final edition of the Agriculture Prices Release from USDA-NASS Florida Field Office. This data will be available on line in the USDA-NASS release located at www.nass.usda.gov under Publications.