



# Illinois Agricultural Prices

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The June Prices Received Index (Agricultural Production), at 98.1, decreased 0.1 percent from May 2017. At 87.2, the Crop Production Index increased 0.3 percent. The Livestock Production Index, at 107.3, increased 0.6 percent. Producers received lower prices for cattle, celery, and tomatoes but higher prices for oranges, hogs, milk, and lemons. Compared with a year earlier, the Prices Received Index is up 4.6 percent. The Crop Production Index decreased 1.4 percent but the Livestock Production Index increased 9.6 percent. In addition to prices, the indexes are influenced by the monthly mix of commodities producers market. Increased monthly movement of wheat, hay, peaches, and corn offset the decreased marketing of oranges, broilers, cattle, and milk. The Food Commodities Index, at 104.1, increased 0.3 percent from the previous month and 6.7 percent from June 2016.

## Prices Received Indexes – United States: June 2017 with Comparisons

Index	2011 Base		
	Jun 2016	May 2017	Jun 2017
Agricultural Production .....	93.8	98.2	98.1
Crop Production .....	88.4	86.9	87.2
Grains and oilseed .....	67.8	63.3	62.5
Feed grain .....	64.3	57.7	57.6
Food grain .....	60.5	62.1	61.5
Oilseed .....	81.1	74.3	72.9
Livestock Production .....	97.9	106.7	107.3
Meat animal .....	105.1	111.4	111.1
Dairy .....	73.6	83.1	86.1
Poultry and egg .....	109.0	116.0	116.3

## Prices Paid Indexes – United States: June 2017 with Comparisons

Index	2011 Base		
	Jun 2016	May 2017	Jun 2017
Prices paid .....	106.6	107.0	106.9
Production .....	105.3	105.0	104.8
Interest <sup>1</sup> .....	105.0	111.6	111.6
Taxes <sup>2</sup> .....	122.8	122.8	122.8
Wage rates .....	113.9	118.2	118.2
Family living-CPI <sup>3</sup> .....	107.2	108.8	108.9
Ratio (received/paid) .....	88	92	92

<sup>1</sup> Interest per acre on farm real estate debt and interest rate on farm non-real estate debt.

<sup>2</sup> Farm real estate taxes payable per acre.

<sup>3</sup> Bureau of Labor Statistics, Consumer Price Index for all urban consumers (CPI-U), converted by the USDA.

## Prices Received for Crops and Livestock – Illinois and United States: June 2017 with Comparisons

Commodity	Illinois		
	June 2016	May 2017	June 2017
	Corn .....	3.92	3.55
Hay, all .....	141.00	139.00	131.00
Alfalfa .....	160.00	155.00	150.00
Other .....	95.00	90.00	85.00
Oats .....	2.73	(D)	(S)
Soybeans .....	10.60	9.46	9.25
Wheat, all .....	4.34	4.17	4.49
Milk, all .....	14.80	17.20	17.90
Commodity	United States		
	June 2016	May 2017	June 2017
	Corn .....	3.82	3.45
Hay, all .....	134.00	146.00	143.00
Alfalfa .....	142.00	155.00	152.00
Other .....	116.00	127.00	124.00
Oats .....	1.98	2.63	2.74
Sorghum .....	6.32	5.17	5.64
Soybeans .....	10.20	9.29	9.10
Wheat, all .....	4.20	4.05	4.37
Milk, all .....	14.80	16.70	17.30
Calves .....	168.00	171.00	172.00
Cattle, all beef .....	125.00	136.00	132.00
Cows .....	80.90	73.30	76.50
Steers and heifers .....	127.00	138.00	133.00
Hogs, all .....	60.60	53.60	62.10

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

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

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