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AGRICULTURAL PRICES RECEIVED

Prices Received – Mountain Region States and United States: October 2021 with Comparisons

State	October 2020	September 2021	October 2021
Barley, All	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Colorado	5.03	4.72	4.92
Montana.....	4.49	5.38	5.24
Wyoming.....	(D)	(D)	(D)
United States.....	4.74	5.19	5.39
Corn			
Colorado	4.18	5.80	5.28
United States.....	3.61	5.47	5.02
Wheat, All			
Arizona	(D)	(D)	(D)
Colorado	4.75	6.60	6.90
Montana.....	4.31	7.73	8.38
United States.....	4.98	7.75	7.90
Hay, Alfalfa	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)
Arizona	175.00	205.00	215.00
Colorado	200.00	230.00	220.00
Montana.....	130.00	225.00	235.00
New Mexico	225.00	230.00	230.00
Utah	185.00	235.00	245.00
Wyoming.....	170.00	200.00	205.00
United States.....	169.00	209.00	213.00
Hay, Other			
Arizona	185.00	190.00	190.00
Colorado	215.00	240.00	235.00
Montana.....	120.00	215.00	215.00
New Mexico	170.00	210.00	210.00
Utah	125.00	185.00	200.00
Wyoming.....	165.00	190.00	200.00
United States.....	133.00	145.00	145.00
Milk, All	(dollars per hundredweight)	(dollars per hundredweight)	(dollars per hundredweight)
Arizona	15.70	17.90	18.70
Colorado	17.00	18.60	19.80
New Mexico	18.30	16.10	17.50
Utah	18.90	18.10	19.30
United States.....	20.00	18.40	19.70

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

UNITED STATES

October Prices Received Index Down 1.7 Percent

The October Prices Received Index 2011 Base (Agricultural Production), at 106.8, decreased 1.7 percent from September but increased 20 percent from October 2020. At 106.0, the Crop Production Index was down 2.1 percent from last month but up 21 percent from the previous year. The Livestock Production Index, at 108.1, decreased 0.8 percent from September, but increased 20 percent from October last year. Producers received lower prices during October for corn, hogs, market eggs, and broilers, and higher prices for lettuce, milk, sweet corn, and broccoli. In addition to prices, the volume change of commodities marketed also influences the indexes. In October, there was increased monthly movement for soybeans, corn, cotton, and calves and decreased marketing of cattle, milk, broilers, and wheat.

October Prices Paid Index Up 0.8 Percent

The October Prices Paid Index for Commodities and Services, Interest, Taxes, and Farm Wage Rates (PPITW), at 117.7, is up 0.8 percent from September 2021 and 7.9 percent from October 2020. Higher prices for feeder cattle, supplements, mixed fertilizer, and diesel more than offset lower prices in October for feed grains, complete feeds, concentrates, and milk cows.

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