

Price and Income, 2011

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Some of the market year average prices in 2011 were lower than in 2010, but overall most prices went up. Market year average prices improved for corn, oats, barley, wheat, soybeans, all hay, other hay, tobacco, apples, milk cows, wholesale milk and wool. Potato prices

remained unchanged. Preliminary cash receipts for all commodities in 2011 were \$6.69 billion. Total crop cash receipts were estimated at \$2.31 billion. Livestock cash income was \$4.38 billion. Net farm income in 2011 was \$2.04 billion.

Pennsylvania: Prices Received By Farmers, Monthly, 2011

Commodity	Unit	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
		(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
Corn	Bu.	6.34	6.82	6.88	7.23	7.08	7.73	7.54	8.52	7.02	6.91	6.79	6.63
Oats	Bu.	4.31	3.99	3.98	4.60	4.72	3.76	3.66	3.98	4.08	4.39	5.83	4.30
All hay, baled	Ton	118.00	123.00	126.00	131.00	134.00	156.00	160.00	139.00	103.00	130.00	127.00	156.00
Alfalfa hay, baled	Ton	153.00	163.00	159.00	165.00	155.00	175.00	217.00	177.00	161.00	187.00	180.00	194.00
Other hay, baled	Ton	110.00	113.00	118.00	127.00	124.00	147.00	133.00	125.00	89.00	119.00	100.00	130.00
Apples, fresh market	Lb.	(NA)	0.214	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	0.325	0.318
Barrows and gilts ²	Cwt.	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Steers and heifers ²	Cwt.	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cows, slaughter ²	Cwt.	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Calves ²	Cwt.	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk, wholesale	Cwt.	18.90	20.70	22.00	21.50	22.10	22.90	23.50	24.10	23.70	22.20	22.20	21.40
Milk cows ¹	Cwt.	1,400	(NA)	(NA)	1,450	(NA)	(NA)	1,550	(NA)	(NA)	1,550	(NA)	(NA)

¹Estimated quarterly. ²Barrows and gilts, steers and heifers, cows, and calves prices have been discontinued. (NA) Not available

Pennsylvania: Market Year Average Prices Received By Farmers, 2004-2011

Commodity	Unit	Marketing Year	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
			(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
Corn	Bu.	Sep 1 - Aug 31	2.25	2.30	3.54	4.56	3.75	3.84	6.12	7.10
Oats	Bu.	Jul 1 - Jun 30	1.89	2.28	2.07	3.20	3.20	2.74	3.14	4.30
Barley	Bu.	Jun 1 - May 31	2.20	1.87	1.77	2.90	4.60	2.82	3.46	4.79
Winter wheat	Bu.	Jul 1 - Jun 30	3.40	3.50	3.52	6.60	6.05	4.10	5.00	6.53
Soybeans	Bu.	Sep 1 - Aug 31	5.43	5.60	6.25	10.70	10.20	9.40	12.10	12.50
Potatoes	Cwt.	Aug 1 - May 31	7.45	11.40	10.50	10.10	13.30	12.70	12.10	12.10
All hay, dry baled	Ton	May 1 - Apr 30	122.00	134.00	136.00	175.00	198.00	131.00	120.00	191.00
Alfalfa hay, dry baled	Ton	May 1 - Apr 30	143.00	153.00	161.00	191.00	162.00	153.00	147.00	134.00
Other hay, dry baled	Ton	May 1 - Apr 30	112.00	125.00	131.00	172.00	173.00	124.00	113.00	144.00
Tobacco, all	Lb.	Oct 1 - Sep 30	1.352	1.399	1.616	1.650	1.650	1.674	1.675	1.680
Apples, all	Lb.	Jul 1 - Jun 30	0.101	0.100	0.128	0.142	0.142	0.180	0.159	0.182
Hogs, all ¹	Cwt.	Dec 1 - Nov 30	46.70	47.30	41.90	40.90	40.90	41.50	51.50	(NA)
Steers and heifers ¹	Cwt.	Jan 1 - Dec 31	81.90	84.20	83.20	87.90	87.90	80.20	89.60	(NA)
Cows, slaughter ¹	Cwt.	Jan 1 - Dec 31	49.20	51.00	47.10	48.40	48.40	45.40	52.10	(NA)
Calves ¹	Cwt.	Jan 1 - Dec 31	111.00	132.00	133.00	116.00	116.00	102.00	99.90	(NA)
Sheep ¹	Cwt.	Jan 1 - Dec 31	43.50	51.40	45.20	43.00	43.00	45.90	64.20	(NA)
Lambs ¹	Cwt.	Jan 1 - Dec 31	115.00	116.00	109.00	116.00	116.00	118.00	129.00	(NA)
Milk cows	Hd.	Jan 1 - Dec 31	1,550.00	1,730.00	1,750.00	1,900.00	1,900.00	1510.00	1,400.00	1,490.00
Farm chickens ¹	Lb.	Dec 1 - Nov 30	0.009	0.010	0.011	0.011	0.011	0.014	0.014	(NA)
Turkeys ¹	Lb.	Jan 1 - Dec 31	0.48	0.49	0.54	0.52	0.52	0.64	0.60	(NA)
Milk, wholesale	Cwt.	Jan 1 - Dec 31	17.60	16.90	14.60	20.90	20.90	20.00	18.30	22.10
Wool	Lb.	Jan 1 - Dec 31	0.27	0.27	0.30	0.31	0.31	0.33	0.37	0.44

¹State level price discontinued. (NA) Not available