



PRICES PAID FOR FEED
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Data from this survey are used to compute the index of Prices Paid by Farmers. This index measures price trends and changes that affect farm production input costs. Specifically, data from this survey are used for:

1. Evaluation of Farm policy and legislation.
2. Updating cost of production estimates used in determination of net farm income.
3. Computation of Parity Prices for selected agricultural commodities.

Individual reports are kept confidential. Response to this survey is voluntary and not required by law. However, your cooperation is very important in order to estimate these prices accurately. Please mail your report promptly in the enclosed postage paid envelope.

Please make corrections to name, address and Zip Code, if necessary.

Thank you for your cooperation.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Report prices currently in effect for bagged feed.
- Prices should be reported on a bulk basis if sales are made in bulk form.
- Report the price for the brand or quality with the largest volume of sales.
- Report prices only for items sold.
- Report an average price, not a range of prices.
- Exclude state sales tax.

1. Did this operation have Feed on hand for sale to farmers in the U.S. on March 15, 2010?

Yes - [Go to **Question 3.**] **No** - [Go to **Question 2.**]

2. Will this operation have Feed on hand for sale to farmers in the U.S. in the future?

Yes - Please return this form. **No** - Please return this form.

3. Report price per unit of Feed on hand for sale to farmers in the U.S. on March 15, 2010 in the following tables.

COMPLETE FEEDS	DOLLARS and CENTS PER UNIT	UNIT REPORTED CHECK ONE
POULTRY FEED:		
Chick Starter, Bagged	442 \$	1442 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
Chick Starter, Bulk.	2442 \$	3442 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
Broiler Grower, Bagged	443 \$	1443 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
Broiler Grower, Bulk.	2443 \$	3443 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
Turkey Grower, Bagged	444 \$	1444 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
Turkey Grower, Bulk.	2444 \$	3444 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
Laying Feed, Bagged	445 \$	1445 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
Laying Feed, Bulk.	2445 \$	3445 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
HOG FEED (Exclude Pig Starter)		
14-18% Protein, Bagged	452 \$	1452 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
14-18% Protein, Bulk.	2452 \$	3452 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
CONCENTRATE 38-42% Protein, Bagged	453 \$	1453 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
CONCENTRATE 38-42% Protein, Bulk.	2453 \$	3453 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
BEEF CATTLE		
CONCENTRATE 32-36% Protein, Bagged	446 \$	1446 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
CONCENTRATE 32-36% Protein, Bulk.	2446 \$	3446 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt

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COMPLETE FEEDS	DOLLARS and CENTS PER UNIT	UNIT REPORTED CHECK ONE
DAIRY FEED		
14% Protein, Bagged	447 \$.__ __	1447 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb. 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
14% Protein, Bulk.	2447 \$.__ __	3447 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
16% Protein, Bagged	448 \$.__ __	1448 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
16% Protein, Bulk.	2448 \$.__ __	3448 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
18% Protein, Bagged	449 \$.__ __	1449 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
18% Protein, Bulk.	2449 \$.__ __	3449 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
20% Protein, Bagged	450 \$.__ __	1450 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
20% Protein, Bulk.	2450 \$.__ __	3450 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
CONCENTRATE 32-38% Protein, Bagged	451 \$.__ __	1451 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
CONCENTRATE 32-38% Protein, Bulk.	2451 \$.__ __	3451 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
CONCENTRATES		
COTTONSEED MEAL 41% Protein.. . . .	410 \$.__ __	1410 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
SOYBEAN MEAL 44% Protein	437 \$.__ __	1437 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
More than 44% Protein.. . . .	436 \$.__ __	1436 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
SUPPLEMENT and FEED ADDITIVES		
WHEAT BRAN	404 \$.__ __	1404 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
CORN MEAL	409 \$.__ __	1409 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
ALFALFA MEAL	401 \$.__ __	1401 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
ALFALFA PELLETS	441 \$.__ __	1441 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
MOLASSES , Liquid	433 \$.__ __	1433 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Gal 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
STOCK SALT , plain white or iodized Bagged	434 \$.__ __	1434 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
Block	435 \$.__ __	1435 23 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb 3 <input type="checkbox"/> T 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Cwt
TRACE MINERAL , 94.5% to 97.5% salt 40 Lb Block	455 \$.__ __	1455 35 <input type="checkbox"/> 40 Lb Block 37 <input type="checkbox"/> T
50 Lb Block	456 \$.__ __	1456 36 <input type="checkbox"/> 50 Lb Block 38 <input type="checkbox"/> T

4. **SURVEY RESULTS:** The survey results will be available in Agricultural Prices, on the Internet at <http://www.nass.usda.gov> on April 30, 2010 after 3 pm ET.

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2-R		2-Sp		2-Tel				
3-Inac		3-Acct/Bkpr		3-Face-to-Face				
4-Office Hold		4-Partner		4-CATI				
5-R – Est		9-Oth		5-Web				
6-Inac – Est				6-e-mail				
7-Off Hold – Est				7-Fax				
8-Known Zero				8-CAPI				
				19-Other				
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