



# Agricultural Prices

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## February Prices Received Index Up 12 Percent

The February Prices Received Index 2011 Base (Agricultural Production), at 130.6, increased 12 percent from January but decreased 11 percent from February 2025. At 101.6, the Crop Production Index was up 14 percent from last month and 5.0 percent from the previous year. The Livestock Production Index, at 153.7, increased 2.7 percent from January, but decreased 21 percent from February last year. Producers received higher prices during February for lettuce, cattle, market eggs, and milk but lower prices for broilers, oranges, rice, and strawberries. In addition to prices, the volume change of commodities marketed also influences the indexes. In February, there was increased monthly movement for cattle, milk, broilers, and greenhouse & nursery and decreased marketing of soybeans, corn, tobacco, and cotton.

## February Prices Paid Index Up 0.6 Percent

The February Prices Paid Index for Commodities and Services, Interest, Taxes, and Farm Wage Rates (PPITW), at 159.4, is up 0.6 percent from January 2026 and 8.1 percent from February 2025. Higher prices in February for feeder cattle, feeder pigs, diesel and complete feeds more than offset lower prices for concentrates, other services, nitrogen, and LP gas.

## Prices Received, Prices Paid, and Ratio of Prices Received to Prices Paid Indexes 2011 Base – United States: February 2026 with Comparisons

Index Group	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Prices received by farmers .....	147.3	116.4	130.6
Prices paid by farmers .....	147.4	158.4	159.4
Ratio of prices received to prices paid .....	100	73	82

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## February Prices Received by Farmers

**Crop production:** The February index, at 101.6, is 14 percent higher than January and 5.0 percent higher than February 2025. The vegetable & melon, grain & oilseed and other crop index increases more than offset the fruit & tree nut index decrease.

**Grain and oilseed:** The February index, at 75.7, is up 0.9 percent from January but down 5.8 percent from February 2025. Oilseed and feed grain index increases more than offset the lower food grain index.

**Feed grain:** The February index, at 68.8, increased 0.4 percent from last month but decreased 11 percent from a year ago. The corn price, at \$4.11 per bushel, is up 1 cent from last month but down 47 cents from February 2025.

**Food grain:** At 77.4, the index for February decreased 1.8 percent from the previous month and 13 percent from a year ago. The February price for rice, at \$12.30 per cwt, is \$1.30 lower than January and \$2.90 lower than February 2025. The February price for all wheat, at \$5.12 per bushel, is 11 cents higher than January but 47 cents lower than February 2025.

**Oilseed:** At 84.8, the index for February increased 2.7 percent from January and 2.8 percent from February 2025. The soybean price, at \$10.60 per bushel, is 30 cents higher than January and 40 cents higher than February a year earlier.

**Fruit and tree nut:** The February index, at 136.1, is down 3.0 percent from January and 3.3 percent from a year earlier. Price decreases during February for oranges, strawberries, and pears more than offset price increases for apples and lemons.

**Vegetable and melon:** At 212.7, the index for February is up 30 percent from the previous month and 49 percent from February 2025. Price increases during February for lettuce, broccoli, cauliflower, and sweet corn more than offset price declines for onions, tomatoes, potatoes, and celery.

**Other crop:** The February index, at 87.4, is up 2.3 percent from the previous month but down 0.6 percent from February 2025. The all hay price, at \$152.00 per ton, is \$3.00 higher than January but \$2.00 lower than February 2025. At 59.7 cents per pound, the price for upland cotton is 0.3 cent higher than January but 3.2 cents lower than February 2025.

**Livestock production:** The index for February, at 153.7, increased 2.7 percent from the previous month but decreased 21 percent from February a year earlier. The meat animal, dairy and poultry & egg indexes all increased.

**Meat animal:** At 190.0, the February index increased 3.7 percent from the previous month and 18 percent from a year earlier. At \$65.90 per cwt, the February hog price is \$3.70 higher than January but 10 cents lower than a year earlier. The February beef cattle price of \$239.00 per cwt is \$9.00 higher than the previous month and \$36.00 higher than February 2025.

**Dairy:** The index for February, at 91.0, is up 4.5 percent from the previous month but down 23 percent from February a year ago. The February all milk price of \$18.30 per cwt is 80 cents higher than January but \$5.30 lower than February 2025.

**Poultry and egg:** At 139.7, the February index increased 1.9 percent from January but decreased 56 percent from February 2025. The February market egg price, at 98.0 cents per dozen, is 15.4 cents higher than January but \$6.40 lower than February 2025. The February broiler price, at 66.3 cents per pound, is 1.4 cents lower than January and 6.3 cents lower than a year ago. At \$1.15 per pound, the February turkey price is 3.3 cents lower than the previous month but 60.8 cents higher than February 2025.

**Food Commodities:** The index, at 144.8, increased 9.5 percent from the previous month but decreased 13 percent from February 2025.

## Prices Received Indexes, 2011 Base – United States: February 2026 with Comparisons

[Revised historical price indexes for months not shown are available at [www.nass.usda.gov](http://www.nass.usda.gov)]

Index Group	2011 Base		
	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Agricultural production .....	147.3	116.4	130.6
Crop production .....	96.8	89.5	101.6
Grain and oilseed .....	80.4	75.0	75.7
Feed grain .....	76.9	68.5	68.8
Food grain .....	88.7	78.8	77.4
Oilseed .....	82.5	82.6	84.8
Fruit and tree nut .....	140.8	140.3	136.1
Vegetable and melon .....	143.0	163.9	212.7
Other crop .....	87.9	85.4	87.4
Livestock production .....	193.7	149.6	153.7
Meat animal .....	160.5	183.2	190.0
Cattle .....	181.9	212.4	218.7
Hog .....	99.2	93.5	99.1
Dairy .....	117.4	87.1	91.0
Poultry and egg .....	315.0	137.1	139.7
Food commodity .....	167.0	132.2	144.8

## Prices Received Indexes, 1910-1914 Base – United States: February 2026 with Comparisons

[Revised historical price indexes for months not shown are available at [www.nass.usda.gov](http://www.nass.usda.gov)]

Index Group	1910 - 1914 Base		
	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Agricultural production .....	1520	1201	1347
Crop production .....	843	780	885
Livestock production .....	2251	1738	1786

## Prices Received Indexes, 2011 Base by Month for Selected Groups – United States: 2025 and 2026

[Revised historical price indexes for months not shown are available at [www.nass.usda.gov](http://www.nass.usda.gov). Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month	2011 Base							
	Agricultural production		Crop production		Livestock production		Food commodities	
	2025	2026	2025	2026	2025	2026	2025	2026
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
January .....	129.7	116.4	88.9	89.5	189.0	149.6	151.3	132.2
February .....	147.3	130.6	96.8	101.6	193.7	153.7	167.0	144.8
March .....	142.8		96.1		182.7		159.6	
April .....	137.7		100.7		168.1		150.7	
May .....	140.3		103.5		170.5		154.1	
June .....	138.6		103.7		170.2		153.2	
July .....	136.5		102.8		172.4		151.7	
August .....	137.7		105.4		168.0		153.4	
September .....	132.2		101.4		163.3		145.7	
October .....	120.5		96.2		158.4		134.0	
November .....	125.2		98.8		158.4		145.3	
December .....	121.2		96.1		149.8		137.2	

## Prices Paid Indexes, 2011 Base by Month for Selected Groups – United States: 2025 and 2026

[Revised historical price indexes for months not shown are available at [www.nass.usda.gov](http://www.nass.usda.gov). Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month	2011 Base							
	All items (PPITW)		Production		Crop sector		Livestock sector	
	2025	2026	2025	2026	2025	2026	2025	2026
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
January .....	146.9	158.4	143.8	158.3	142.5	147.5	151.5	169.8
February .....	147.4	159.4	144.3	159.6	142.8	147.8	152.2	171.6
March .....	147.8		144.8		143.0		152.8	
April .....	148.6		146.0		143.0		154.4	
May .....	149.4		147.1		143.4		155.7	
June .....	149.8		147.5		143.7		156.2	
July .....	150.7		148.6		144.0		157.6	
August .....	151.9		150.1		144.3		159.7	
September .....	152.8		151.3		144.6		161.3	
October .....	154.1		153.0		144.3		164.2	
November .....	152.5		150.9		144.4		160.8	
December .....	152.9		151.5		144.2		161.9	

## Prices Received for Field Crops and Fruits – United States: February 2026 with Comparisons

[Price data source for fruits non-citrus commodities is United States Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service]

Commodity	2011 Base Price	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
<b>Field crops</b>				
Barley, all .....dollars/bushel	4.79	5.86	5.66	5.26
Feed .....dollars/bushel	4.59	3.71	3.71	3.80
Malting .....dollars/bushel	4.83	6.36	5.83	5.66
Beans, dry edible .....dollars/cwt	34.60	36.20	31.20	29.90
Canola .....dollars/cwt	23.10	20.90	20.90	21.00
Chickpeas, all .....dollars/cwt	35.70	28.10	18.30	19.40
Large .....dollars/cwt	39.20	29.10	24.90	21.40
Small .....dollars/cwt	23.40	26.20	13.90	15.60
Corn .....dollars/bushel	6.02	4.58	4.10	4.11
Cotton, Upland .....dollars/pound	0.880	0.629	0.594	0.597
Cottonseed .....dollars/ton	131.00	248.00	244.00	258.00
Flaxseed .....dollars/bushel	14.20	12.50	12.20	12.00
Hay, all, baled .....dollars/ton	159.00	154.00	149.00	152.00
Alfalfa .....dollars/ton	176.00	159.00	160.00	159.00
Other .....dollars/ton	119.00	147.00	131.00	139.00
Lentils .....dollars/cwt	27.50	36.00	21.20	18.20
Oats .....dollars/bushel	3.42	3.41	3.12	3.07
Peanuts, in-shell .....dollars/pound	0.252	0.253	0.233	0.206
Peas, dry edible .....dollars/cwt	13.60	13.30	11.60	11.50
Rice, all .....dollars/cwt	13.70	15.20	13.60	12.30
Long .....dollars/cwt	12.30	14.30	10.20	10.10
Medium and short .....dollars/cwt	18.40	17.80	19.50	19.00
Sorghum grain .....dollars/cwt	10.70	7.99	6.23	6.46
Soybeans .....dollars/bushel	12.50	10.20	10.30	10.60
Sunflowers, all .....dollars/cwt	29.00	25.20	23.10	25.00
Wheat, all .....dollars/bushel	7.44	5.59	5.01	5.12
Winter .....dollars/bushel	6.93	5.37	4.78	4.92
Durum .....dollars/bushel	9.22	6.88	5.96	5.97
Other spring .....dollars/bushel	8.33	5.91	5.27	5.41
Hard red winter .....dollars/bushel	7.07	5.32	4.62	4.75
Soft red winter .....dollars/bushel	6.77	5.84	5.24	5.37
Hard red spring .....dollars/bushel	8.38	5.93	5.29	5.41
White .....dollars/bushel	6.58	5.35	5.07	5.40
<b>Fruits</b>				
Citrus, equivalent on-tree				
Grapefruit .....dollars/box	7.47	20.68	(D)	(D)
Lemons .....dollars/box	12.30	11.41	11.98	13.71
Oranges .....dollars/box	8.16	16.15	14.13	12.63
Non-citrus, fresh <sup>1</sup>				
Apples .....dollars/pound	0.325	0.713	0.712	0.739
Grapes .....dollars/ton	598.00	(S)	(S)	(S)
Peaches .....dollars/ton	507.00	(S)	(S)	(S)
Pears .....dollars/ton	559.00	1,530.00	1,060.00	1,030.00
Strawberries .....dollars/cwt	104.00	201.00	296.00	263.00

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

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

<sup>1</sup> Beginning February 2020, price reflects FOB shipping point basis.

# Prices Received for Vegetables and Livestock – United States: February 2026 with Comparisons

[Price data source for vegetables, livestock, and poultry commodities is United States Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service]

Commodity	2011 Base Price	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
<b>Vegetables, fresh <sup>1</sup></b>				
Asparagus .....	dollars/cwt	37.50	(S)	(S)
Beans, snap .....	dollars/cwt	69.00	48.20	82.50
Broccoli .....	dollars/cwt	41.60	63.00	114.00
Cantaloupes .....	dollars/cwt	16.50	(S)	(S)
Carrots .....	dollars/cwt	30.80	70.50	(X)
Cauliflower .....	dollars/cwt	47.00	54.00	81.30
Celery .....	dollars/cwt	22.50	60.00	176.00
Corn, sweet .....	dollars/cwt	30.70	32.90	50.10
Cucumbers .....	dollars/cwt	18.70	(S)	29.40
Lettuce, head .....	dollars/cwt	24.30	26.40	38.40
Onions <sup>2</sup> .....	dollars/cwt	11.90	27.50	24.00
Potatoes .....	dollars/cwt	14.30	10.60	7.50
Tomatoes .....	dollars/cwt	51.20	33.60	87.20
<b>Livestock</b>				
Calves .....	dollars/cwt	142.00	364.00	505.00
Cattle, all beef .....	dollars/cwt	115.00	203.00	230.00
Cows <sup>3</sup> .....	dollars/cwt	71.60	135.00	158.00
Steers and heifers .....	dollars/cwt	117.00	206.00	233.00
Milk cows <sup>4</sup> .....	dollars/head	1,420.00	(NA)	2,860.00
Hogs, all .....	dollars/cwt	66.50	66.00	62.20
Barrows and gilts .....	dollars/cwt	66.80	65.60	62.30
Sows .....	dollars/cwt	57.90	74.30	60.80
<b>Dairy and poultry</b>				
Milk, all <sup>5</sup> .....	dollars/cwt	20.10	23.60	17.50
Fat test .....	percent	4.46	4.43	4.48
Broilers, live <sup>6</sup> .....	dollars/pound	0.459	0.726	0.677
Eggs, all .....	dollars/dozen	0.969	6.76	1.09
Market <sup>7</sup> .....	dollars/dozen	0.796	7.47	0.826
Turkeys, live <sup>8</sup> .....	dollars/pound	0.680	0.546	1.19
<b>Adjusted for seasonal variation</b>				
Eggs, all .....	dollars/dozen	0.979	5.58	0.919
Seasonal factor .....	percent	101	121	119
Milk, all .....	dollars/cwt	20.20	23.60	17.70
Seasonal factor .....	percent	100	100	99

(NA) Not available.

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

(X) Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup> Beginning February 2020, price reflects FOB shipping point basis

<sup>2</sup> Includes some processing.

<sup>3</sup> Beef cows and cull dairy cows sold for slaughter.

<sup>4</sup> Animals sold for dairy herd replacement only. Prices available for January, April, July, and October.

<sup>5</sup> Before deductions for hauling. Includes quality, quantity, and other premiums. Excludes hauling subsidies.

<sup>6</sup> Live weight equivalent price.

<sup>7</sup> Also referred to as table eggs.

<sup>8</sup> Live weight equivalent price is used when actual live weight price is not available. Beginning January 2011, price reflects FOB shipping point basis. Prior year price reflects delivered basis.

## Prices Received for All Wheat, Corn, and Soybeans by Month – United States: 2026 with Comparisons

[Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month	All wheat			Corn			Soybeans		
	2024	2025	2026	2024	2025	2026	2024	2025	2026
	(dollars per bushel)								
January .....	6.77	5.52	5.01	4.74	4.29	4.10	12.80	10.00	10.30
February .....	6.34	5.59	5.12	4.36	4.58	4.11	11.90	10.20	10.60
March .....	6.01	5.71		4.36	4.57		11.80	10.20	
April .....	5.90	5.61		4.39	4.62		11.80	10.20	
May .....	6.19	5.58		4.51	4.64		11.90	10.40	
June .....	5.86	5.28		4.48	4.47		11.80	10.40	
July .....	5.52	4.94		4.23	4.29		11.30	10.20	
August .....	5.23	4.84		3.84	3.96		10.30	10.00	
September .....	5.36	4.77		3.97	4.00		10.20	9.85	
October .....	5.47	4.73		3.99	3.93		9.91	9.71	
November .....	5.45	4.88		4.07	3.98		9.84	10.50	
December .....	5.49	4.95		4.23	4.10		9.79	10.40	

## Prices Received for Beef Cattle and All Hogs by Month – United States: 2026 with Comparisons

[Price data source for livestock commodities is United States Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Month	Beef cattle <sup>1</sup>			All hogs <sup>2</sup>		
	2024	2025	2026	2024	2025	2026
	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)
January .....	172.00	199.00	230.00	53.00	61.10	62.20
February .....	178.00	203.00	239.00	58.20	66.00	65.90
March .....	185.00	202.00		62.80	67.00	
April .....	185.00	208.00		66.90	65.50	
May .....	186.00	219.00		67.90	68.40	
June .....	189.00	228.00		68.80	76.70	
July .....	193.00	229.00		68.40	79.80	
August .....	190.00	236.00		67.80	79.80	
September .....	183.00	238.00		64.30	77.20	
October .....	187.00	232.00		63.90	71.30	
November .....	188.00	226.00		65.40	65.10	
December .....	190.00	221.00		62.30	62.30	

<sup>1</sup> Cows and steers & heifers.

<sup>2</sup> Barrows & gilts and sows.

**Prices Received for All Wheat – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons**

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Arizona .....	(S)	(S)	(S)
Arkansas .....	(S)	(S)	(D)
California .....	(D)	(D)	(D)
Colorado .....	4.99	4.58	5.00
Idaho .....	5.89	4.93	5.62
Illinois .....	(D)	5.07	5.30
Indiana .....	5.92	5.52	5.44
Kansas .....	5.51	4.54	4.73
Michigan .....	5.72	5.13	5.28
Minnesota .....	5.96	5.05	5.38
Missouri .....	5.96	5.63	5.47
Montana .....	5.57	5.22	4.79
Nebraska .....	4.74	4.26	4.63
North Carolina .....	5.77	5.13	5.42
North Dakota .....	6.01	5.35	5.39
Ohio .....	5.36	5.25	5.14
Oklahoma .....	5.45	4.58	5.03
Oregon .....	(S)	(D)	(D)
Pennsylvania .....	6.16	5.15	5.78
South Dakota .....	5.44	4.94	4.98
Texas .....	5.18	4.34	4.88
Washington .....	5.17	5.07	5.16
United States .....	5.59	5.01	5.12

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.  
(S) Insufficient number of reports to establish an estimate.

**Prices Received for Winter Wheat – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons**

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Arkansas .....	(S)	(S)	(D)
California .....	(D)	(D)	(D)
Colorado .....	4.99	4.58	5.00
Idaho .....	5.89	4.78	5.58
Illinois .....	(D)	5.07	5.30
Indiana .....	5.92	5.52	5.44
Kansas .....	5.51	4.54	4.73
Michigan .....	5.72	5.13	5.28
Missouri .....	5.96	5.63	5.47
Montana .....	5.35	4.75	4.51
Nebraska .....	4.74	4.26	4.63
North Carolina .....	5.77	5.13	5.42
North Dakota .....	5.36	5.25	4.99
Ohio .....	5.36	5.25	5.14
Oklahoma .....	5.45	4.58	5.03
Oregon .....	(S)	(D)	(D)
Pennsylvania .....	6.16	5.15	5.78
South Dakota .....	5.19	4.45	4.68
Texas .....	5.18	4.34	4.88
Washington .....	5.14	5.07	5.14
United States .....	5.37	4.78	4.92

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

**Prices Received for Durum Wheat – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons**

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Arizona .....	(S)	(S)	(S)
California .....	(D)	(D)	(D)
Montana .....	(D)	(D)	(D)
North Dakota .....	7.10	6.06	5.89
United States .....	6.88	5.96	5.97

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

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

**Prices Received for Spring Wheat – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons**

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Idaho .....	5.89	5.27	(D)
Minnesota .....	5.96	5.05	5.38
Montana .....	6.08	5.75	5.69
North Dakota .....	5.89	5.24	5.36
South Dakota .....	6.04	5.35	5.31
Washington .....	5.36	5.07	5.29
United States .....	5.91	5.27	5.41

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

**Prices Received for Oats – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons**

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Illinois .....	(D)	(S)	(S)
Iowa .....	3.81	3.99	(D)
Michigan .....	(D)	3.31	3.94
Minnesota .....	3.16	2.73	2.87
Montana .....	(S)	(D)	(S)
Nebraska .....	3.14	(D)	(D)
New York .....	(D)	(S)	(S)
North Dakota .....	3.27	3.13	3.10
Pennsylvania .....	4.20	4.86	4.71
South Dakota .....	3.37	2.94	2.90
Texas .....	(S)	(S)	(S)
Wisconsin .....	3.44	3.93	4.18
United States .....	3.41	3.12	3.07

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

### Prices Received for All Barley – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Colorado .....	5.21	6.83	(S)
Idaho .....	6.31	5.92	5.67
Minnesota .....	(D)	(D)	(D)
Montana .....	4.67	5.48	4.07
North Dakota .....	5.35	4.73	4.43
Washington .....	(D)	4.76	(D)
Wyoming .....	(D)	(D)	(D)
United States .....	5.86	5.66	5.26

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

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

### Prices Received for Malting Barley – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Colorado .....	6.25	6.86	(S)
Idaho .....	6.39	5.94	5.76
Minnesota .....	(D)	(D)	(S)
Montana .....	6.17	5.69	(D)
North Dakota .....	6.34	5.08	4.94
Washington .....	(S)	(D)	(D)
Wyoming .....	6.58	(D)	(D)
United States .....	6.36	5.83	5.66

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

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

### Prices Received for Feed Barley – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Colorado .....	(D)	(D)	(S)
Idaho .....	(D)	3.40	4.03
Minnesota .....	(D)	(S)	(D)
Montana .....	(D)	(D)	3.30
North Dakota .....	(D)	(D)	(D)
Washington .....	3.31	3.90	(D)
Wyoming .....	(S)	(S)	(D)
United States .....	3.71	3.71	3.80

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

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

**Prices Received for Corn – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons**

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Colorado .....	4.90	4.39	4.23
Illinois .....	4.57	4.10	4.18
Indiana .....	4.66	4.38	4.38
Iowa .....	4.59	4.13	4.12
Kansas .....	4.70	3.99	3.96
Kentucky .....	4.87	4.55	4.68
Michigan .....	4.46	4.09	4.25
Minnesota .....	4.47	3.87	3.89
Missouri .....	4.56	4.23	4.29
Nebraska .....	4.60	4.08	4.01
North Carolina .....	5.70	5.05	5.05
North Dakota .....	4.21	3.76	3.66
Ohio .....	4.67	4.19	4.41
Pennsylvania .....	4.97	4.68	4.85
South Dakota .....	4.36	3.76	3.78
Tennessee .....	5.09	4.71	4.59
Texas .....	5.16	4.80	4.45
Wisconsin .....	4.51	3.95	3.96
United States .....	4.58	4.10	4.11

**Prices Received for Sorghum Grain – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons**

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)
Kansas .....	7.67	5.86	6.04
Nebraska .....	7.82	5.56	5.99
Oklahoma .....	7.94	6.46	6.58
Texas .....	9.92	7.68	7.92
United States .....	7.99	6.23	6.46

**Prices Received for Soybeans – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons**

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Arkansas .....	10.30	10.60	11.20
Illinois .....	10.30	10.40	10.90
Indiana .....	10.50	10.50	10.90
Iowa .....	10.00	10.20	10.50
Kansas .....	9.87	9.83	10.30
Kentucky .....	10.70	10.80	11.30
Louisiana .....	10.30	10.70	11.00
Michigan .....	10.50	10.80	11.30
Minnesota .....	9.87	9.83	10.20
Mississippi .....	10.20	10.70	11.10
Missouri .....	10.30	10.50	10.80
Nebraska .....	9.84	10.00	10.30
North Carolina .....	10.60	10.50	11.10
North Dakota .....	9.44	9.43	10.10
Ohio .....	10.80	10.70	11.00
South Dakota .....	9.88	9.77	10.30
Tennessee .....	10.60	10.70	11.10
Wisconsin .....	9.91	9.97	10.20
United States .....	10.20	10.30	10.60

**Prices Received for Dry Edible Beans – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons**

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)
Colorado .....	(D)	30.10	33.10
Idaho .....	(D)	(S)	(D)
Michigan .....	40.50	33.80	34.40
Minnesota .....	42.20	38.00	34.70
Nebraska .....	(D)	(D)	(D)
North Dakota .....	29.30	23.90	23.00
Washington .....	(D)	(D)	(S)
United States .....	36.20	31.20	29.90

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

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

**Prices Received for Dry Edible Peas – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons**

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)
Idaho .....	(D)	(D)	(D)
Montana .....	(D)	(D)	11.30
Nebraska .....	(D)	(D)	(D)
North Dakota .....	12.80	11.40	11.70
Washington .....	(D)	(D)	(D)
United States .....	13.30	11.60	11.50

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

**Prices Received for Lentils – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons**

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)
Montana .....	(D)	(D)	(D)
North Dakota .....	34.40	22.60	14.50
Washington .....	(D)	(D)	(D)
United States .....	36.00	21.20	18.20

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

**Prices Received for All Chickpeas – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons**

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)
Idaho .....	(D)	23.60	20.30
Montana .....	(S)	(S)	(S)
North Dakota .....	26.50	(D)	(D)
Washington .....	(D)	(D)	18.70
United States .....	28.10	18.30	19.40

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

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

**Prices Received for Canola – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons**

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)
Minnesota .....	(S)	(S)	(S)
Montana .....	(D)	(D)	(D)
North Dakota .....	21.00	21.00	21.00
Washington .....	18.50	20.40	21.00
United States .....	20.90	20.90	21.00

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

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

**Prices Received for Flaxseed – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons**

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
North Dakota .....	12.50	12.20	12.00
United States .....	12.50	12.20	12.00

**Prices Received for Peanuts (in shell) – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons**

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)
Alabama .....	0.251	0.223	0.228
Arkansas .....	(S)	(S)	(S)
Florida .....	0.282	0.287	0.297
Georgia .....	0.244	0.227	0.195
Mississippi .....	0.270	0.231	0.244
Missouri .....	(S)	0.220	(S)
North Carolina .....	0.295	0.256	0.133
Oklahoma .....	0.307	0.239	(S)
South Carolina .....	0.261	0.244	0.191
Texas .....	0.333	0.277	0.269
Virginia .....	0.273	0.279	0.119
United States .....	0.253	0.233	0.206

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

**Prices Received for Sunflower – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons**

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)
Kansas .....	(S)	(D)	(S)
Minnesota .....	(D)	(D)	23.90
North Dakota .....	25.50	23.40	25.20
South Dakota .....	24.70	21.90	25.20
United States .....	25.20	23.10	25.00

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

## Prices Received for Upland Cotton and Cottonseed – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons

[Cottonseed marketing year August - February]

State	Cotton, Upland			Cottonseed		
	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per pound)	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)
Alabama .....	0.622	0.584	(D)	180.00	265.00	247.00
Arizona .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	327.00	306.00	328.00
Arkansas .....	(D)	0.514	0.584	(S)	(S)	(S)
California .....	(D)	(D)	(S)	(S)	368.00	(S)
Georgia .....	0.620	0.635	0.647	170.00	189.00	180.00
Louisiana .....	0.642	0.604	0.615	(S)	(S)	(S)
Mississippi .....	0.642	(D)	(D)	(S)	(S)	(S)
North Carolina .....	0.639	0.610	0.604	(S)	253.00	(S)
Tennessee .....	0.633	0.549	0.573	(S)	(S)	(S)
Texas .....	0.614	0.595	0.581	231.00	238.00	232.00
United States .....	0.629	0.594	0.597	248.00	244.00	258.00

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

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

## Prices Received and Marketings for Upland Cotton and Rice – United States: February 2026 with Comparisons

Item	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
Cotton, Upland			
Average price ..... dollars/pound	0.629	0.594	0.597
Marketings <sup>1</sup> ..... 1,000 bales	1,180	1,291	1,064
Rice, all			
Average price ..... dollars/cwt	15.20	13.60	12.30
Marketings <sup>2</sup> ..... 1,000 cwt	11,690	13,076	11,122
Rice, long			
Average price ..... dollars/cwt	14.30	10.20	10.10
Marketings <sup>2</sup> ..... 1,000 cwt	8,522	8,299	8,359
Rice, medium and short			
California			
Average price ..... dollars/cwt	18.50	20.20	20.00
Other States <sup>3</sup>			
Average price ..... dollars/cwt	15.10	14.90	16.20
United States			
Average price ..... dollars/cwt	17.80	19.50	19.00
Marketings <sup>2</sup> ..... 1,000 cwt	3,168	4,777	2,763

<sup>1</sup> Marketings based on a survey of cotton buyers in the major producing States - Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, Tennessee, and Texas.

<sup>2</sup> Purchases by private firms and rice (rough equivalent) shipped by cooperatives.

<sup>3</sup> Other States include Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, and Texas.

**Prices Received for Hay by Type – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons**

State	All hay			Alfalfa hay			Other hay		
	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per ton)								
Arizona .....	202.00	219.00	210.00	205.00	220.00	210.00	155.00	150.00	160.00
California .....	229.00	222.00	223.00	245.00	225.00	230.00	200.00	210.00	200.00
Colorado .....	156.00	159.00	154.00	160.00	160.00	155.00	145.00	155.00	150.00
Idaho .....	150.00	154.00	158.00	150.00	155.00	160.00	145.00	150.00	145.00
Illinois .....	161.00	148.00	147.00	170.00	165.00	160.00	115.00	105.00	105.00
Iowa .....	103.00	102.00	96.00	105.00	105.00	98.00	95.00	97.00	91.00
Kansas .....	119.00	117.00	116.00	125.00	123.00	123.00	105.00	103.00	102.00
Kentucky .....	186.00	209.00	200.00	215.00	240.00	240.00	180.00	195.00	185.00
Michigan .....	166.00	158.00	158.00	170.00	170.00	170.00	140.00	135.00	135.00
Minnesota .....	103.00	102.00	103.00	115.00	119.00	115.00	80.00	72.00	80.00
Missouri .....	131.00	125.00	120.00	180.00	165.00	170.00	120.00	115.00	110.00
Montana .....	129.00	154.00	150.00	130.00	160.00	155.00	125.00	125.00	125.00
Nebraska .....	100.00	96.00	97.00	106.00	100.00	101.00	85.00	85.00	86.00
Nevada .....	154.00	161.00	156.00	155.00	160.00	155.00	135.00	180.00	185.00
New Mexico .....	199.00	242.00	233.00	215.00	250.00	240.00	140.00	200.00	195.00
New York .....	193.00	203.00	208.00	245.00	265.00	260.00	186.00	185.00	192.00
North Dakota .....	87.00	88.00	90.00	90.00	92.00	94.00	70.00	67.00	68.00
Ohio .....	184.00	172.00	173.00	205.00	195.00	190.00	165.00	155.00	160.00
Oklahoma .....	106.00	88.00	90.00	172.00	157.00	156.00	93.00	79.00	78.00
Oregon .....	203.00	181.00	186.00	200.00	170.00	175.00	205.00	200.00	200.00
Pennsylvania .....	194.00	222.00	224.00	258.00	280.00	275.00	185.00	208.00	213.00
South Dakota .....	93.00	95.00	94.00	98.00	98.00	96.00	83.00	89.00	89.00
Texas .....	142.00	115.00	127.00	231.00	229.00	229.00	133.00	102.00	108.00
Utah .....	152.00	180.00	180.00	155.00	180.00	180.00	95.00	140.00	130.00
Washington .....	180.00	171.00	172.00	170.00	155.00	160.00	200.00	200.00	200.00
Wisconsin .....	124.00	132.00	132.00	136.00	143.00	147.00	79.00	83.00	76.00
Wyoming .....	158.00	160.00	155.00	165.00	170.00	160.00	130.00	130.00	140.00
United States .....	154.00	149.00	152.00	159.00	160.00	159.00	147.00	131.00	139.00

**Prices Received for Premium and Supreme Alfalfa Hay – States and 5-State Total: February 2026**

State	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)
California .....	295.00	260.00	260.00
Idaho .....	175.00	170.00	175.00
Michigan .....	205.00	200.00	200.00
Minnesota .....	192.00	202.00	186.00
New York .....	340.00	345.00	340.00
Pennsylvania .....	348.00	380.00	375.00
Texas .....	272.00	260.00	260.00
Wisconsin .....	213.00	205.00	210.00
5-State Total <sup>1 2</sup> .....	243.00	226.00	229.00

<sup>1</sup> 5-State total represents a weighted (hay purchases) average price for the five largest milk producing States (based on the pounds of milk produced during the previous month).

<sup>2</sup> For February 2025, includes California, Idaho, New York, Texas, and Wisconsin. For January 2026, includes California, Idaho, New York, Texas, and Wisconsin. For February 2026, includes California, Idaho, New York, Texas, and Wisconsin.

**Prices Received for Citrus Fruits by Utilization – States and United States: February 2025**

Commodity, State, and type	FOB packed fresh	Equivalent returns					
		Packinghouse door			On-tree		
		All	Fresh	Process	All	Fresh	Process
	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)
Grapefruit .....	51.30	23.24	38.50	(D)	20.68	36.02	(D)
Lemons .....	39.60	18.40	27.49	(D)	11.41	20.00	(D)
Oranges .....	36.80	19.66	24.48	14.25	16.15	21.29	10.37

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**Prices Received for Citrus Fruits by Utilization – States and United States: January 2026**

Commodity, State, and type	FOB packed fresh	Equivalent returns					
		Packinghouse door			On-tree		
		All	Fresh	Process	All	Fresh	Process
	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)
Grapefruit .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Lemons .....	36.90	19.27	24.55	(D)	11.98	16.91	(D)
Oranges .....	38.20	17.99	26.00	14.03	14.13	23.10	9.70

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**Prices Received for Citrus Fruits by Utilization – States and United States: February 2026**

Commodity, State, and type	FOB packed fresh	Equivalent returns					
		Packinghouse door			On-tree		
		All	Fresh	Process	All	Fresh	Process
	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)	(dollars per box)
Grapefruit .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Lemons .....	40.20	20.95	27.65	(D)	13.71	20.01	(D)
Oranges .....	34.10	16.72	21.45	14.77	12.63	18.10	10.38

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## Prices Received for All Milk – States and United States: February 2026 with Comparisons

[Before deduction for hauling. Includes quality, quantity, and other premiums. Excludes hauling subsidies]

State	February 2025		January 2026		February 2026	
	Price	Fat test	Price	Fat test	Price	Fat test
	(dollars per cwt)	(percent)	(dollars per cwt)	(percent)	(dollars per cwt)	(percent)
Arizona .....	23.10	4.18	16.20	4.15	17.40	4.19
California .....	21.90	4.33	17.50	4.35	17.80	4.36
Colorado .....	24.10	4.18	17.10	4.20	17.50	4.16
Florida .....	26.90	3.99	22.10	3.99	21.50	4.00
Georgia .....	27.10	4.07	23.20	4.08	22.50	4.10
Idaho .....	23.30	4.47	16.70	4.52	18.90	4.50
Illinois .....	23.20	4.41	17.90	4.46	18.30	4.46
Indiana .....	25.10	4.35	19.30	4.32	19.50	4.30
Iowa .....	23.50	4.59	17.00	4.62	17.90	4.59
Kansas .....	22.80	4.61	16.00	4.67	16.80	4.59
Michigan .....	24.40	4.40	17.80	4.48	18.30	4.46
Minnesota .....	23.90	4.67	17.30	4.74	18.10	4.69
New Mexico .....	21.60	4.22	16.10	4.44	16.90	4.36
New York .....	24.70	4.45	17.90	4.56	19.00	4.56
Ohio .....	25.20	4.38	19.60	4.43	20.10	4.43
Oregon .....	24.20	4.60	19.20	4.59	19.80	4.52
Pennsylvania .....	24.30	4.36	17.50	4.44	18.60	4.49
South Dakota .....	24.20	4.76	17.10	4.83	17.90	4.78
Texas .....	23.90	4.63	17.70	4.69	18.30	4.62
Utah .....	23.30	4.27	16.80	4.41	17.30	4.35
Vermont .....	25.00	4.50	18.20	4.58	19.30	4.60
Virginia .....	27.10	4.25	22.50	4.34	21.90	4.35
Washington .....	24.40	4.50	17.20	4.62	18.60	4.54
Wisconsin .....	23.70	4.43	17.00	4.47	17.70	4.44
United States .....	23.60	4.43	17.50	4.48	18.30	4.46

## Prices Received for Milk Cows – States and United States: January 2026 with Comparisons

[Animals sold for dairy herd replacement only. Quarterly United States milk cow prices are based on revised milk cow inventory]

State	January 2025	October 2025	January 2026
	(dollars per head)	(dollars per head)	(dollars per head)
Arizona .....	2,800	3,200	3,200
California .....	2,600	3,000	2,800
Colorado .....	2,600	3,100	3,000
Florida .....	2,580	3,150	3,100
Georgia .....	2,480	3,000	2,990
Idaho .....	2,550	3,100	2,900
Illinois .....	2,510	2,970	2,930
Indiana .....	2,670	3,150	3,040
Iowa .....	2,690	3,200	3,150
Kansas .....	2,350	2,950	2,900
Michigan .....	2,760	3,220	3,220
Minnesota .....	2,590	3,080	3,050
New Mexico .....	2,500	2,700	2,800
New York .....	2,800	3,150	3,080
Ohio .....	2,560	3,100	3,040
Oregon .....	2,600	3,000	2,900
Pennsylvania .....	2,720	3,150	2,980
South Dakota .....	2,500	3,000	2,840
Texas .....	2,600	3,000	2,850
Utah .....	2,400	2,800	2,700
Vermont .....	2,930	3,290	3,100
Virginia .....	2,700	2,930	2,950
Washington .....	2,650	3,000	2,750
Wisconsin .....	2,860	3,360	3,170
United States .....	2,660	3,110	2,860

## Parity Price Overview

Parity prices, based on data from January 2026, and adjusted base price data from which parity prices are computed are presented in the tables on the following pages. Parity prices are computed under the provisions of Title III, Subtitle A, Section 301(a) of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 as amended by the Agricultural Acts of 1948, 1949, 1954, and 1956.

The parity prices shown in this report are based on the provisions of the amended Act. Briefly, the actual method of computation is as follows:

- a. The average of prices received by farmers for individual commodities for the 10 preceding years is calculated (for 2026, the 10-average includes the years 2016-2025). An allowance for unredeemed loans and other supplemental payments resulting from price support programs, such as the deficiency payments for grains and cotton, is included for those commodities for which applicable.
- b. This 10-year average is divided by the average of the Index of Prices Received by Farmers for the same 10 preceding calendar years, adjusted to include an allowance for unredeemed loans and other supplemental price support operations, to give an "adjusted base price".
- c. Parity prices are computed by multiplying the "adjusted base prices" by the current Parity Index (the Index of Prices Paid by Farmers, including Interest, Taxes, and Wage Rates, 1910-1914=100).

Parity prices are calculated in terms of prices received by farmers in the local markets in which they ordinarily sell. This means that the parity prices apply to the average of all classes and grades of the commodity as sold by all farmers in the United States, except as otherwise specified. Fruits and vegetables for fresh use and for processing are usually considered separate commodities and separate parity prices are calculated. The Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937 provided for parity prices for certain commodities covered by a marketing agreement or order program. Under present legislation, United States parity prices, with appropriate adjustments where needed, may be used for the purpose of this Act.

## Commodity Parity Prices and Price as Percent of Parity Price – United States: February 2026 with Comparisons

[Parity prices are computed under the provisions of Title III, Subtitle a, Section 301 (a) of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 as amended by the Agricultural Acts of 1948, 1949, and 1956. See February *Agricultural Prices* for details on adjusted base price and parity price computations. Parity data not available for blank cells. Primary source of data for livestock and milk prices is United States Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service]

Commodity and unit	Adjusted base price	Parity price			Price as percent of parity		
		February 2025	January 2026	February 2026	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
<b>Basic commodities</b>							
All wheat .....bushel	0.502	20.80	21.50	21.70	27	23	24
Rice .....cwt	1.26	51.50	54.10	54.40	30	25	23
Corn .....bushel	0.382	15.60	16.40	16.50	29	25	25
<b>Cotton</b>							
Upland ..... pound	0.062	2.55	2.66	2.68	25	22	22
American Pima ..... pound	0.129	5.46	5.54	5.57	27	25	25
Peanuts ..... pound	0.020	0.798	0.858	0.863	32	27	24
Small chickpeas <sup>1</sup> .....cwt	2.26	93.30	97.00	97.50	28	14	16
Large chickpeas <sup>1</sup> .....cwt	2.64	109.00	113.00	114.00	27	22	19
Lentils <sup>1</sup> .....cwt	2.49	102.00	107.00	107.00	35	20	17
<b>Designated non-basic</b>							
All milk, to plants <sup>2</sup> .....cwt	1.69	68.20	72.50	72.90	35	24	25
Honey, extracted <sup>3</sup> ..... pound	0.203	8.22	8.71	8.76	29	35	35
<b>Wool and mohair</b>							
Wool ..... pound	0.137	5.70	5.88	5.91	25	24	24
Mohair ..... pound	0.496	20.10	21.30	21.40	32	30	30
<b>Other non-basic</b>							
Apples, fresh <sup>4</sup> ..... pound	0.051	1.950	2.190	2.200	37	33	34
Barley .....bushel	0.477	19.60	20.50	20.60	30	28	26
Canola .....cwt	1.84	73.80	79.00	79.40	28	26	26
Cottonseed .....ton	18.50	738.00	794.00	798.00	34	31	32
Dry edible beans .....cwt	2.96	122.00	127.00	128.00	30	25	23
Flaxseed .....bushel	1.11	45.10	47.60	47.90	28	26	25
Oats .....bushel	0.289	11.60	12.40	12.50	29	25	25
Potatoes, fresh .....cwt	1.15	45.90	49.30	49.60	23	15	15
Sorghum grain .....cwt	0.675	28.00	29.00	29.10	29	21	22
Soybeans .....bushel	0.942	38.60	40.40	40.70	26	25	26
Sunflower, all .....cwt	1.94	79.40	83.20	83.70	32	28	30
<b>Citrus (equivalent on-tree)</b>							
Grapefruit .....box	1.23	45.90	52.80	53.10	45	55	40
Lemons .....box	1.99	82.60	85.40	85.90	14	14	16
Oranges .....box	1.150	45.90	49.30	49.60	35	29	25
<b>Livestock and poultry</b>							
Beef cattle .....cwt	12.30	483.00	528.00	531.00	42	44	45
Broilers ..... pound	0.052	2.07	2.23	2.24	35	30	30
Calves .....cwt	18.70	718.00	802.00	807.00	51	63	65
Eggs <sup>2</sup> .....dozen	0.134	4.95	5.75	5.78	113	16	17
Hogs .....cwt	5.10	205.00	219.00	220.00	32	28	30
Turkeys, live ..... pound	0.065	2.670	2.790	2.810	20	43	41

<sup>1</sup> Parity prices began January 2015.

<sup>2</sup> Seasonally adjusted price as percentage of parity price.

<sup>3</sup> Wholesale extracted. Adjusted base price derived from state annual averages prices weighted by production. For 1982 through 1985 the national averages are the support prices.

<sup>4</sup> Equivalent packinghouse-door returns for California, New York, Oregon, and Washington. Price at point of first sale for other states.

## Commodity Parity Prices – United States: February 2026 with Comparisons

[Parity prices are computed under the provisions of Title III, Subtitle a, Section 301 (a) of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 as amended by the Agricultural Acts of 1948, 1949, and 1956. See February *Agricultural Prices* for details on adjusted base price and parity price computations]

Commodity and unit	Adjusted base price	Parity price		
		February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
<b>Field crops and miscellaneous</b>				
Hops .....pound	0.486	19.70	20.90	21.00
Mustard seed .....cwt	3.16	124.00	136.00	136.00
Rapeseed .....cwt	2.18	89.00	93.50	94.10
Rye .....bushel	0.540	22.70	23.20	23.30
Safflower .....cwt	2.19	89.00	94.00	94.50
Spearmint oil .....pound	1.54	63.80	66.10	66.50
Sweet potatoes .....cwt	1.96	80.60	84.10	84.60
<b>Tobacco</b>				
Flue-cured, 11-14 .....pound	0.181	7.26	7.77	7.81
Fire-cured, 21-23 .....pound	0.251	10.00	10.80	10.80
Burley, 31 .....pound	0.186	7.38	7.98	8.03
Maryland, 32 .....pound	0.182	7.34	7.81	7.86
Dark air-cured, 35-37 .....pound	0.224	8.94	9.61	9.67
Pennsylvania seedleaf, 41 .....pound	0.270	10.60	11.60	11.70
<b>Non-citrus fruit</b>				
Apples, processing <sup>1 2</sup> ..... ton	19.70	790.00	845.00	850.00
Apricots, fresh <sup>3</sup> ..... ton	132.00	5,070.00	5,660.00	5,700.00
Avocados <sup>2 3</sup> ..... ton	217.00	8,460.00	9,310.00	9,370.00
<b>Cherries</b>				
Sweet ..... ton	205.00	8,220.00	8,800.00	8,850.00
Tart <sup>2</sup> .....pound	0.024	1.040	1.030	1.040
Cranberry <sup>2 4</sup> .....barrel	3.08	122.00	132.00	133.00
Dates (California) <sup>3</sup> ..... ton	291.00	10,770.00	12,490.00	12,560.00
<b>Grapes (California)</b>				
Wine, processing ..... ton	88.40	3,420.00	3,790.00	3,820.00
Kiwifruit <sup>2</sup> ..... ton	180.00	6,580.00	7,720.00	7,770.00
Nectarines, fresh (California) <sup>3</sup> ..... ton	106.00	3,920.00	4,550.00	4,570.00
Olives, canning (California) <sup>4</sup> ..... ton	106.00	4,270.00	4,550.00	4,570.00

See footnote(s) at end of table.

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## Commodity Parity Prices – United States: February 2026 with Comparisons (continued)

[Parity prices are computed under the provisions of Title III, Subtitle a, Section 301 (a) of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 as amended by the Agricultural Acts of 1948, 1949, and 1956. See February *Agricultural Prices* for details on adjusted base price and parity price computations]

Commodity and unit	Adjusted base price	Parity price		
		February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
<b>Non-citrus fruit - continued</b>				
Papayas (Hawaii) .....pound	0.055	2.15	2.36	2.37
Peaches, fresh <sup>4 5</sup> ..... ton	125.00	4,830.00	5,360.00	5,400.00
Pears, fresh <sup>5</sup> ..... ton	57.50	2,350.00	2,470.00	2,480.00
Plums (California) equivalent on-tree				
Fresh <sup>6</sup> ..... ton	110.00	4,150.00	4,720.00	4,750.00
Strawberries				
Fresh <sup>7</sup> .....cwt	11.10	435.00	476.00	479.00
Processing .....cwt	3.96	161.00	170.00	171.00
Sugar crops				
Sugar beets <sup>2 8</sup> ..... ton	4.28	164.00	184.00	185.00
Sugarcane <sup>2 8</sup> ..... ton	3.66	137.00	157.00	158.00
Tree nuts <sup>9</sup>				
Almonds .....pound	0.195	8.58	8.37	8.42
Hazelnuts ..... ton	180.00	7,980.00	7,720.00	7,770.00
Pistachios .....pound	0.206	9.02	8.84	8.89
Walnuts ..... ton	135.00	6,060.00	5,790.00	5,830.00
Vegetables, fresh <sup>7</sup>				
Carrots <sup>10</sup> .....cwt	3.87	136.00	166.00	167.00
Cauliflower <sup>10</sup> .....cwt	5.21	203.00	224.00	225.00
Celery <sup>10</sup> .....cwt	2.22	87.80	95.30	95.80
Honeydew melons .....cwt	2.44	97.30	105.00	105.00
Lettuce .....cwt	2.95	114.00	127.00	127.00
Onions <sup>10</sup> .....cwt	1.92	69.00	82.40	82.90
Tomatoes .....cwt	4.23	166.00	182.00	183.00

<sup>1</sup> Equivalent returns at processing plant door.

<sup>2</sup> Adjusted base price is carried forward from the previous year since current marketing year average price is not yet available.

<sup>3</sup> Equivalent returns at packinghouse door.

<sup>4</sup> Equivalent returns for bulk fruit at first delivery point.

<sup>5</sup> Equivalent packinghouse-door returns for California, New York (apples only), Oregon (except Peaches), and Washington. Price at point of first sale for other states.

<sup>6</sup> Based on "as sold" prices for fresh fruit in all states.

<sup>7</sup> FOB shipping point price.

<sup>8</sup> Relates to prices including average conditional payments per ton made under the sugar acts of 1937 and 1948. Crop deficiency and abandonment payments not included.

<sup>9</sup> Prices In-Shell basis except almonds which are shelled basis.

<sup>10</sup> Includes some processing.

## Reliability of Prices Received Estimates

**Definition:** Prices received represent sales from producers to first buyers. They include all grades and qualities. The average commodity price from the survey multiplied by the total quantity marketed theoretically should give the total cash receipts for the commodity.

**Survey procedures:** Primary sales data used to determine grain prices were obtained from probability samples of about 1,900 mills and elevators. These procedures ensure that virtually all grain moving into commercial channels has a chance of being included in the survey. Generally, States surveyed account for 90 percent or more of total United States production. Livestock prices are obtained from packers, stockyards, auctions, dealers, and market check data from AMS-USDA, private marketing organizations, and state commodity groups and agencies. Inter-farm sales of grain and livestock are not included since they represent very small percentages of the total sales. Grain marketed for seed is also excluded. Fruit and vegetable prices are obtained from sample surveys and market check data from AMS-USDA, private marketing organizations, state agencies, and universities.

**Summary and estimation procedures:** Survey quantities sold are expanded by strata to state levels and used to weight average strata prices to a state average. State prices are then weighted to a United States price based on expanded sales. Recommendations are prepared by the Regional Field Offices and reviewed by the Agricultural Statistics Board in Washington, D.C. State recommendations are reviewed for reasonableness with survey data, other States, and recent historic estimates.

**Revisions:** In general, revisions are made during annual commodity market year estimation time, following five-year Census revisions, or when later information is received. Revisions are published in monthly issues of *Agricultural Prices*.

**Reliability:** United States price estimates based on probability surveys generally have a sampling error of less than one percent for the major commodities such as corn, wheat, soybeans, cotton, and rice. Current methods of summarization for non-probability commodities are not designed directly to calculate sampling errors. However, analytical measures approximate the United States relative sampling errors at around five percent. Any non-sampling errors are attributed to such things as the inability to obtain correct information, differences in interpreting questions or definitions, mistakes in coding or processing the data, etc. Efforts are made at each step in the survey process to minimize these non-sampling errors.

**Program Changes:** See Price Program Links at the end of this report for details on program changes to the Prices Program methodology.

## February Prices Paid by Farmers

The February Prices Paid Index for Commodities and Services, Interest, Taxes, and Farm Wage Rates (PPITW), at 159.4 is up 0.6 percent from January 2026 and 8.1 percent from February 2025.

**Production:** The February index, at 159.6, is up 0.8 percent from January and 11 percent from last year. Higher prices in February for feeder cattle, feeder pigs, diesel and complete feeds more than offset lower prices for concentrates, other services, nitrogen, and LP gas.

**Feed:** At 113.4, the February index increased 0.3 percent from January but decreased 2.9 percent from last February. Since January, higher prices for complete feeds, hay & forages, supplements and feed grains more than offset lower prices for concentrates.

**Livestock and poultry:** The February index, at 276.7, increased 2.5 percent from January and 33 percent from last year. Since January, prices are higher for feeder cattle and feeder pigs. The February feeder cattle price, at \$411.00 per cwt, is up \$8.00 per cwt from the January price. The February feeder pigs price, at \$310.00 per cwt, is up \$39.00 per cwt from January.

**Fertilizer:** The index for February, at 116.3, is up 0.1 percent from January and 12 percent from February a year ago. Since January, higher prices for potash & phosphate and mixed fertilizer more than offset lower prices for nitrogen.

**Chemicals:** The February index, at 107.8, is unchanged from January but down 8.2 percent from last February.

**Fuels:** At 83.5, the February index is up 4.0 percent from January but down 7.7 percent from February 2025. Compared with January, prices are higher for diesel and gasoline but lower for LP gas.

**Machinery:** The index for February, at 172.1, is unchanged from January but up 0.8 percent from last February. Compared with last month, prices are unchanged for other machinery, tractors, and self-propelled machinery.

**Consumer Price Index:** The February 2026 Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), as issued by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, increased 2.4 percent over the last 12 months to an index level of 326.785 (1982-1984=100). For the month, the index increased 0.5 percent prior to seasonal adjustment.

## Prices Paid Indexes and Related Parity Ratios – United States: February 2026 with Comparisons

[Revised historical price indexes for months not shown are available at [www.nass.usda.gov](http://www.nass.usda.gov)]

Index Group and Ratios	1910-1914 Base			2011 Base		
	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Prices paid by farmers for commodities, services, interest, taxes, and wage rates (PPITW) .....	3990	4288	4316	147.4	158.4	159.4
Production .....	3001	3293	3319	144.3	158.3	159.6
Feed .....	1285	1244	1248	116.8	113.1	113.4
Livestock and poultry .....	4118	5324	5458	208.8	269.9	276.7
Seeds .....	4399	4399	4399	133.8	133.8	133.8
Fertilizer .....	1253	1400	1403	103.9	116.2	116.3
Chemicals .....	1052	967	967	117.4	107.8	107.8
Fuels .....	2530	2244	2336	90.5	80.3	83.5
Supplies and repairs .....	1733	1784	1784	146.8	151.2	151.2
Autos and trucks .....	3956	3970	3973	128.7	129.1	129.2
Machinery .....	10427	10510	10510	170.7	172.1	172.1
Building materials .....	3922	4039	4059	168.5	173.5	174.4
Services and rent .....	3439	3598	3590	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Services .....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	150.7	158.0	157.5
Rent .....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	142.4	148.5	148.5
Interest <sup>1</sup> .....	5846	5800	5800	160.3	159.0	159.0
Taxes <sup>2</sup> .....	10066	10594	10594	169.6	178.5	178.5
Wage rates .....	12670	12491	12491	176.9	174.4	174.4
Family living-CPI <sup>3</sup> .....	3032	3091	3105	141.9	144.6	145.3
Production, interest, taxes, and wage rates (PITW) .....	4179	4523	4554	148.2	160.4	161.5
Ratio (received/paid) .....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	100	73	82
Parity ratio <sup>4</sup> .....	38	28	31	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Parity ratio adjusted <sup>5</sup> .....	40	30	34	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
PPITW adjusted for productivity <sup>6</sup> .....	2146	2254	2259	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Crop sector (PPITW) .....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	142.8	147.5	147.8
Livestock sector (PPITW) .....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	152.2	169.8	171.6
Farm sector (production) .....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	153.2	180.7	183.6
Non-farm sector (production) .....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	138.3	143.7	143.9

(NA) Not available.

<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.

<sup>4</sup> Ratio of index of prices received to PPITW (1910-1914=100).

<sup>5</sup> Based on estimated cash receipts, from marketings and government payments, the preliminary adjustment factor is updated annually.

<sup>6</sup> PPITW is adjusted based on productivity trend for the prior 15 years.

## Prices Paid Indexes and Annual Weights for Input Components and Sub-components – United States: February 2026 with Comparisons

[Revised historical price indexes for months not shown are available at [www.nass.usda.gov](http://www.nass.usda.gov). Relative weights are a five year moving average]

Index Group	Relative weights		Indexes (2011=100)		
	2025	2026	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Production items .....	75.027	74.460	144.3	143.8	159.6
Feed .....	14.164	12.496	116.8	113.1	113.4
Feed grains .....	2.026	1.787	77.8	68.8	68.9
Complete feeds .....	6.941	6.123	130.9	128.0	128.9
Hay and forages .....	1.771	1.562	103.0	98.3	100.5
Concentrates .....	2.238	1.974	112.2	111.1	107.7
Supplements .....	1.190	1.050	129.6	127.2	128.4
Livestock and poultry .....	10.997	12.019	208.8	269.9	276.7
Feeder cattle .....	8.567	9.363	216.8	294.2	300.0
Feeder pigs .....	0.880	0.962	197.1	193.6	221.4
Milk cow replacements .....	0.891	0.974	187.3	201.4	201.4
Poultry .....	0.660	0.721	149.6	149.6	149.6
Seeds .....	4.983	4.862	133.8	133.8	133.8
Field crops .....	4.515	4.405	132.4	132.4	132.4
Grasses and legumes .....	0.468	0.457	147.4	147.4	147.4
Fertilizer .....	6.421	5.932	103.9	116.2	116.3
Mixed fertilizer .....	2.825	2.610	105.0	107.1	107.3
Nitrogen .....	2.697	2.492	103.3	128.0	127.6
Potash and phosphate .....	0.899	0.831	102.5	109.2	111.0
Chemicals .....	4.074	3.565	117.4	107.8	107.8
Herbicides .....	2.567	2.246	123.6	113.5	113.5
Insecticides .....	0.937	0.820	113.7	104.4	104.4
Fungicides and other .....	0.570	0.499	95.6	87.8	87.8
Fuels .....	3.099	2.847	90.5	80.3	83.5
Diesel .....	1.929	1.772	85.3	81.8	86.4
Gasoline .....	0.649	0.596	86.7	78.4	81.1
LP gas .....	0.521	0.479	114.4	77.0	76.0
Supplies and repairs .....	4.318	4.394	146.8	151.2	151.2
Supplies .....	1.447	1.472	144.3	151.1	151.2
Repairs .....	2.871	2.922	148.0	151.2	151.2
Autos and trucks .....	1.091	1.123	128.7	129.1	129.2
Autos .....	0.142	0.146	121.6	122.4	122.7
Trucks .....	0.949	0.977	129.7	130.1	130.2
Machinery .....	4.884	5.280	170.7	172.1	172.1
Tractors .....	1.075	1.162	140.3	140.9	140.9
Self-propelled .....	1.954	2.112	162.2	162.4	162.4
Other machinery .....	1.856	2.006	197.2	200.3	200.3
Building materials .....	3.531	3.626	168.5	173.5	174.4
Services .....	11.304	11.701	150.7	158.0	157.5
Custom rates .....	1.164	1.205	154.9	154.9	154.9
Other services .....	10.140	10.496	150.2	158.4	157.8
Rent .....	6.161	6.615	142.4	148.5	148.5
Cash .....	3.308	3.553	144.7	150.4	150.4
Share .....	2.852	3.063	139.8	146.2	146.2
Interest .....	2.370	2.301	160.3	159.0	159.0
Taxes .....	3.092	3.213	169.6	178.5	178.5
Wage rates .....	6.848	7.246	176.9	174.4	174.4
Family living-CPI .....	12.663	12.780	141.9	144.6	145.3

## Feed Price Ratios – United States: February 2026 with Comparisons

Feed price ratio <sup>1</sup>	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
Broiler-feed: pounds of broiler grower feed equal in value to 1 pound of broiler, live weight <sup>2</sup> .....	6.1	5.9	5.7
Market egg feed: pounds of laying feed equal in value to 1 dozen eggs <sup>3</sup> .....	71.9	8.4	9.9
Hog-corn: bushels of corn equal in value to 100 pounds of hog, live weight .....	14.4	15.2	16.0
Milk-feed: pounds of 16% mixed dairy feed equal in value to 1 pound of whole milk <sup>4</sup> .....	2.68	2.09	2.17
Steer & heifer-corn: bushels of corn equal in value to 100 pounds of steer & heifers, live weight .....	45.0	56.8	59.1
Turkey-feed: pounds of turkey grower equal in value to 1 pound of turkey, live weight <sup>5</sup> .....	5.0	11.5	11.0

<sup>1</sup> Effective January 1995, prices of commercial prepared feeds are based on current United States prices received for corn, soybeans, alfalfa hay, and all wheat.

<sup>2</sup> The price of commercial prepared broiler feed is based on current United States prices received for corn and soybeans. The modeled feed uses 58 percent corn and 42 percent soybeans.

<sup>3</sup> The price of commercial prepared layer feed is based on current United States prices received for corn and soybeans. The modeled feed uses 75 percent corn and 25 percent soybeans.

<sup>4</sup> The price of commercial prepared dairy feed is based on current United States prices received for corn, soybeans, and alfalfa. The modeled feed uses 51 percent corn, 8 percent soybeans, and 41 percent alfalfa.

<sup>5</sup> The price of commercial prepared turkey feed is based on current United States prices received for corn, soybeans, and wheat. The modeled feed uses 51 percent corn, 28 percent soybeans, and 21 percent wheat.

## Prices Received Used to Calculate Feed Price Ratios – United States: February 2026 with Comparisons

[Price data source for livestock and poultry commodities is United States Department of Agriculture's Agriculture Marketing Service]

Item	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
Broilers, live .....pound	0.726	0.677	0.663
Eggs, market .....dozen	7.47	0.826	0.980
Hogs, all .....cwt	66.00	62.20	65.90
Milk, all .....cwt	23.60	17.50	18.30
Steers and heifers .....cwt	206.00	233.00	243.00
Turkeys, live .....pound	0.546	1.187	1.154
Corn .....bushel	4.58	4.10	4.11
Hay, alfalfa .....ton	159.00	160.00	159.00
Soybeans .....bushel	10.20	10.30	10.60
Wheat, all .....bushel	5.59	5.01	5.12

## Prices Paid for Feeder Livestock – United States: February 2026 with Comparisons

[Price data source is United States Department of Agriculture's Agriculture Marketing Service]

Item	February 2025	January 2026	February 2026
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
Feeder cattle & calves .....cwt	297.00	298.00	411.00
Feeder pigs .....cwt	276.00	271.00	310.00

## Reliability of Prices Paid Estimates

**Definition:** Prices paid by farmers represent the average costs of inputs purchased by farmers and ranchers to produce agricultural commodities. Conceptually, the average price when multiplied by quantity purchased should equal total producer expenditures for the item.

**Survey procedures:** The prices paid data are obtained from establishments that sell goods and services to farmers and ranchers. Annually, about 8,500 firms are randomly selected from lists by type of item sold with an average response rate in the range of 75-80 percent. Firms are asked to report the price for the specified item "most commonly bought by farmers" or that was the "volume seller". Approximately 135 items are surveyed each March to represent all production input items purchased. The survey reference period for all items is the full preceding calendar year. Separate prices paid surveys are conducted for agricultural chemicals, fuels, feed, fertilizer, machinery, and seed.

**Summary and estimation procedures:** The annual March Prices Paid Survey is summarized as a non-probability survey. Average prices reported are aggregated to the region and United States level using weights available from expenditure data and other administrative sources. Price recommendations are prepared by the Regional Field Offices and Headquarters for review by the Agricultural Statistics Board in Washington, D.C. Also, the change in price level for individual items surveyed are combined to the regional and United States levels, and are published as prices paid indexes referenced to a specific base period. Prices paid indexes for new autos and trucks, building materials, farm supplies, motor supplies, and marketing containers are updated based on price changes measured in selected Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) indexes.

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**Reliability:** Current methods of summarization for the March data are not designed directly to calculate sampling errors. However, analytical measures approximate the United States relative sampling errors for major items around 10 percent. Any non-sampling errors are attributed to such things as the inability to obtain correct information, differences in interpreting questions or definitions, mistakes in coding or processing the data, etc. Efforts are made at each step in the survey process to minimize these non-sampling errors.

**Program Changes:** See Price Program Links at the end of this report for details on program changes to the Prices Program methodology.

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