

PORTLAND WHITE WHEAT

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PORTLAND HARD RED WINTER 11.5%

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MORNING MARKET REPORT

Thursday, December 15, 2022

Market Summary

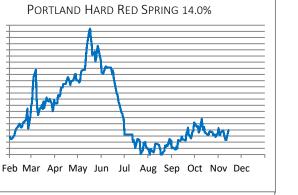
Wheat futures are trading higher this morning, up 4 to 10 cents in the MARCH futures. Futures had traded lower yesterday but had a strong close, which may signal we have found the bottom. This morning's futures were trading both sides of unchanged to start but have improved as the morning went on, however, trading volume has been very light. Weekly export report showed good sales totals for all three commodities. A good amount of corn went to Mexico, which is a good sign given their issues with purchasing GMO corn. They are still indicating a desire to move away from GMO varieties but are receiving push-back on that through the US-Canada-Mexico trading agreement. They have also been a top destination for US wheat so the GMO corn issue is one that could be a problem. China is likely a big part of the week's sales totals although they usually show up in the "unknown" category through a number of smaller private sales (probably trying to stay under the radar since larger sales need to be reported).

<u>Weekly export sales report came in this morning</u> and showed good volumes for all three commodities. Wheat sales for the week were 469,000 MT compared to pre-report estimates of 150,000-350,000 MT. Corn sales reported at 958,900 MT (600,000-900,000 estimate). Soybean sales reported at 2,943,400 MT (1,500,000-2,000,000 MT).

<u>Algeria is reported to have locked in a sizeable 540tmt purchase of milling wheat</u> in their latest tender. Reports are that it was purchased from Russia, Bulgaria, and some small EU sellert for around \$8.60 FOB. Iraz issued a tender for 50tmt of milling wheat. Japan made a purchase of 154,942 MT of wheat from Australia, Canada, and the US.

<u>Brazil is set to recieve a good amount of precipitation</u>, but not as much as they would like in the Southern regions. Argenting's western side will get a little moisture, which will be helpful, but the remainder of the country will get no such luck. They are still dealing with a historically dry growing season in Argentina.

<u>Cash Futures Prices:</u> Chicago MARCH is UP 10 at 760, KC MARCH is up 9 at 860 and MPLS MARCH is up 4 at 921. US Dollar is trading **1.07 higher** at 104.84.





CASH GRAIN BIDS: DELIVERED PORTLAND					
	SWW	*CLUB*	HRW 11.5%	DNS 14.0%	BARLEY
	Bushel	Bushel	Bushel	Bushel	Ton
DEC	8.50	9.00	9.80	10.01	260.00
JAN	8.50	9.00	9.80	10.01	260.00
FEB	8.54	9.04	9.80	10.01	260.00
MAR	8.58	8.58	9.80	10.01	260.00
APR	8.62	8.62	9.73	9.96	260.00
MAY	8.66	8.66	9.73	9.96	260.00

PROTEIN SCALES

HRW: +5 cents each 1/2% above 11.5% to 13.0%; - 10 cents each 1/2% below 11.5%

DNS: + 2 cents each 1/4% above 14.0% to 15.5%; - 04 cents each 1/4% below 14.0%

SWW: No Discount or Premium from 10.5% pro. New crop Sww: Market scale based on 10.5% pro.

** CLUB WHEAT MAX 10.5% PROTEIN ONLY **

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