

AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS

Agricultural exports from Kentucky during FY 2009 were valued at \$1.95 billion. This was down 5 percent from the revised FY 2008 value of \$2.06 billion. Feeds and fodders was the number one commodity with \$529.7 million, Soybeans and products was second with \$359.3 million. Live animals and meat (including horses, excluding poultry) were third with \$358.4 million. Unmanufactured tobacco decreased in value to \$256.4 million. Feed grains and products were down with \$159.0 million.

Value of U.S. agricultural exports totaled \$96.6 billion in FY 2009, down \$18.7 billion from

FY 2008. Soybeans and products were the highest valued commodity with \$17.7 billion, followed by feed grains and products with \$12.0 billion. Exports of live animals and meat (including horses, excluding poultry) were valued at \$8.91 billion. California continued to lead State agricultural exports with \$12.5 billion. Iowa was second with \$6.48 billion, ahead of Illinois with \$5.53 billion. Rounding out the top 10 States were Nebraska, Texas, Minnesota, Kansas, North Dakota, Indiana, and Washington. Kentucky ranked 18th in all exports. The FY 2010 forecast for U.S. agricultural exports at \$104.5 billion, was up \$7.9 billion from FY 2009.

VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS KENTUCKY & UNITED STATES, FY 2006-2009 ^{1/}

COMMODITY	KENTUCKY				UNITED STATES	
	2006	2007	2008	2009	2008	2009
	(Million Dollars)					
Feeds & Fodders	337.7	340.4	453.4	529.7	4,007.4	3,948.3
Soybeans & Products	155.5	124.6	309.3	359.3	19,278.4	17,708.8
Live Animals & Meat (Incl. Horses, excl. poultry)	277.6	321.4	382.7	358.4	9,452.6	8,906.5
Tobacco-Unmanufactured	303.2	390.9	330.4	256.4	1,279.7	1,199.5
Feed Grains & Products	117.5	144.5	208.0	159.0	18,130.9	11,978.7
Poultry & Products	69.4	93.4	123.1	129.1	4,928.9	4,849.9
Wheat & Products	90.9	86.9	199.3	113.0	14,826.9	8,598.2
Seeds	5.2	6.2	10.6	16.0	1,154.9	1,238.3
Fats, Oils & Greases	1.1	2.7	3.3	2.5	1,061.2	682.7
Hides & Skins	1.8	1.7	2.1	1.6	2,130.9	1,509.8
Fruits & Preps.	0.4	0.0	0.6	0.5	5,882.3	5,713.5
Dairy Products	5.5	7.4	11.2	0.0	4,097.5	4,335.3
Other	16.8	17.8	22.0	22.2	29,073.4	27,962.7
ALL COMMODITIES ^{2/}	1,382.6	1,538.0	2,055.9	1,947.8	115,305.2	96,632.0

^{1/}Revised. ^{2/}Totals may not add due to rounding.

U.S. AGRICULTURAL TRADE, FISCAL YEARS 2005 - 2010 ^{1/}

(Year beginning October 1 previous year)

Item	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009	FY 2010
	(Billion Dollars)					
Exports	62.5	68.6	82.2	115.3	96.6	104.5
Imports	57.7	64.0	70.1	79.3	73.4	76.5
Trade Balance	4.8	4.6	12.1	36.0	23.2	28.0

^{1/}FY 2008 and 2009 revised, FY 2010 forecast as of May 1.