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AGRICULTURAL PRICES RECEIVED

Prices Received – Mountain Region States and United States: July 2023 with Comparisons

State	July 2022	June 2023	July 2023
Barley, All	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Colorado	5.30	7.18	7.41
Montana	7.16	(D)	6.89
Wyoming	(S)	(S)	(S)
United States	6.60	7.39	7.08
Corn			
Colorado	8.11	7.24	7.76
United States	7.25	6.49	6.22
Wheat, All			
Arizona	(D)	(D)	(D)
Colorado	8.20	7.94	8.02
Montana	10.60	8.40	8.44
United States	8.69	7.67	7.61
Hay, Alfalfa	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)
Arizona	330.00	305.00	275.00
Colorado	225.00	280.00	260.00
Montana	250.00	250.00	220.00
New Mexico	295.00	315.00	310.00
Utah	300.00	270.00	240.00
Wyoming	225.00	250.00	220.00
United States	278.00	263.00	244.00
Hay, Other			
Arizona	235.00	200.00	185.00
Colorado	240.00	260.00	260.00
Montana	230.00	235.00	205.00
New Mexico	235.00	245.00	245.00
Utah	250.00	230.00	200.00
Wyoming	215.00	220.00	200.00
United States	169.00	172.00	168.00
Milk, All	(dollars per hundredweight)	(dollars per hundredweight)	(dollars per hundredweight)
Arizona	26.20	18.80	18.40
Colorado	25.60	18.40	17.50
New Mexico	23.70	16.20	15.50
Utah	25.70	17.70	17.20
United States	25.50	17.90	17.40

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

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

UNITED STATES

July Prices Received Index Down 2.1 Percent

The July Prices Received Index 2011 Base (Agricultural Production), at 124.7, decreased 2.1 percent from June and 7.0 percent from July 2022. At 118.7, the Crop Production Index was down 1.2 percent from last month and 4.9 percent from the previous year. The Livestock Production Index, at 132.4, decreased 2.0 percent from June, and 9.4 percent from July last year. Producers received lower prices during July for broilers, corn, milk, and hay, but higher prices for hogs, lettuce, soybeans, and strawberries. In addition to prices, the volume change of commodities marketed also influences the indexes. In July, there was decreased marketing of cattle, milk, broilers, and hogs, but increased monthly movement for wheat, grapes, hay, and cotton.

July Prices Paid Index Up 0.1 Percent

The July Prices Paid Index for Commodities and Services, Interest, Taxes, and Farm Wage Rates (PPITW), at 138.7, is up 0.1 percent from June 2023, but unchanged from July 2022. Higher prices in July for feeder cattle, concentrates, diesel, and LP gas more than offset lower prices for hay & forages, feed grains, nitrogen, and complete feeds.

For the full copy of *Agricultural Prices* report, please visit www.nass.usda.gov. For state specific questions, please contact the following State Statisticians at 1-800-392-3202.

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