



# Iowa Ag News – Monthly Prices



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The average price received by farmers for **corn** during January 2025 in Iowa was \$4.37 per bushel according to the latest USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service – *Agricultural Prices* report. This was 10 cents above the December price but 47 cents below January 2024.

The January 2025 average price received by farmers for **soybeans**, at \$9.86 per bushel, was 19 cents above the December price but \$2.74 below the January 2024 price.

**All hay** prices in Iowa averaged \$112.00 per ton in January. This was \$4.00 above the December price but \$53.00 below the January 2024 price. The January 2025 **alfalfa hay** price, at \$117.00, was \$1.00 below the previous month and \$55.00 below January 2024. The average price received for **other hay** during January was \$104.00 per ton. This was \$12.00 above the December price but \$40.00 below January last year.

The average price for **milk** was \$24.10 per cwt, \$1.60 above the December price and \$5.80 above January 2024.

## Prices Received by Farmers – Iowa and United States

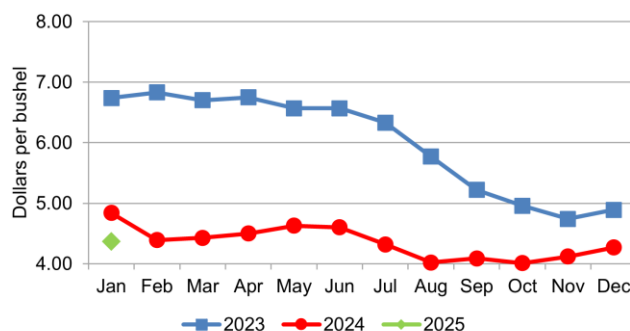
	Iowa			United States		
	January 2024	December 2024	January 2025	January 2024	December 2024	January 2025
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
Corn .....bu	4.84	4.27	4.37	4.74	4.23	4.29
Hay, all, baled .....ton	165.00	108.00	112.00	191.00	157.00	153.00
Alfalfa .....ton	172.00	118.00	117.00	202.00	164.00	161.00
Other .....ton	144.00	92.00	104.00	174.00	145.00	140.00
Oats .....bu	4.66	4.07	3.86	4.07	3.19	3.55
Soybeans .....bu	12.60	9.67	9.86	12.80	9.79	10.00
Milk, all .....cwt	18.30	22.50	24.10	20.10	23.30	24.10

## Livestock Prices Received by Farmers – United States

	January 2024	December 2024	January 2025
Calves .....cwt	300.00	356.00	367.00
Cattle, all beef .....cwt	172.00	190.00	199.00
Cows <sup>1</sup> .....cwt	103.00	121.00	126.00
Steers and heifers .....cwt	176.00	193.00	202.00
Hogs, all .....cwt	53.00	62.30	61.10
Barrows & Gilts .....cwt	53.90	62.90	61.40
Sows .....cwt	36.80	50.60	55.30
Eggs, market <sup>2</sup> .....doz	2.01	4.61	6.50

<sup>1</sup> Beef cows and cull dairy cows sold for slaughter.  
<sup>2</sup> Also referred to as table eggs.

Corn Price Received by Farmers - Iowa



The complete report can be found on the USDA NASS website at [www.nass.usda.gov/Publications](http://www.nass.usda.gov/Publications).