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AGRICULTURAL PRICES RECEIVED

Prices Received - Mountain Region States and United States: July 2024 with Comparisons

| State | July 2023 | June 2024 | July 2024 |
|---------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Barley, All | (dollars per bushel) | (dollars per bushel) | (dollars per bushel) |
| Colorado | 7.41 | 7.80 | 6.98 |
| Montana | 6.89 | 4.55 | 5.70 |
| Wyoming | (S) | (S) | (S) |
| United States | 7.08 | 7.04 | 6.19 |
| Corn | | | |
| Colorado | 7.76 | 5.07 | 5.18 |
| United States | 6.22 | 4.48 | 4.24 |
| Wheat, All | | | |
| Arizona | (D) | (D) | (D) |
| Colorado | 8.02 | 5.73 | 5.18 |
| Montana | 8.44 | 6.50 | 6.10 |
| United States | 7.61 | 5.86 | 5.52 |
| Hay, Alfalfa | (dollars per ton) | (dollars per ton) | (dollars per ton) |
| Arizona | 275.00 | 190.00 | 175.00 |
| Colorado | 260.00 | 215.00 | 200.00 |
| Montana | 220.00 | 145.00 | 135.00 |
| New Mexico | 310.00 | 250.00 | 260.00 |
| Utah | 240.00 | 175.00 | 175.00 |
| Wyoming | 220.00 | 145.00 | 135.00 |
| United States | 246.00 | 195.00 | 183.00 |
| Hay, Other | | | |
| Arizona | 185.00 | 135.00 | 155.00 |
| Colorado | 260.00 | 175.00 | 160.00 |
| Montana | 205.00 | 140.00 | 130.00 |
| New Mexico | 245.00 | 185.00 | 190.00 |
| Utah | 200.00 | 110.00 | 110.00 |
| Wyoming | 200.00 | 130.00 | 120.00 |
| United States | 174.00 | 149.00 | 145.00 |
| Milk, All | (dollars per hundredweight) | (dollars per hundredweight) | (dollars per hundredweight) |
| Arizona | 18.40 | 22.80 | 23.00 |
| Colorado | 17.50 | 22.90 | 22.90 |
| New Mexico | 15.70 | 21.30 | 21.20 |
| Utah | 17.20 | 22.30 | 22.30 |
| United States | 17.30 | 22.80 | 22.80 |

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

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

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July Prices Received Index Down 2.7 Percent

The July Prices Received Index 2011 Base (Agricultural Production), at 123.5, decreased 2.7 percent from June and 1.2 percent from July 2023. At 100.1, the Crop Production Index was down 6.7 percent from last month and 16 percent from the previous year. The Livestock Production Index, at 152.7, increased 3.4 percent from June and 16 percent from July last year. Producers received lower prices during July for lettuce, corn, broccoli, and soybeans but higher prices for market eggs, cattle, oranges, and strawberries. In addition to prices, the volume change of commodities marketed also influences the indexes. In July, there was decreased marketing of milk, cattle, oranges, and broilers but increased monthly movement for wheat, grapes, cotton, and hay.

July Prices Paid Index Down 0.3 Percent

The July Prices Paid Index for Commodities and Services, Interest, Taxes, and Farm Wage Rates (PPITW), at 139.2, is down 0.3 percent from June 2024 and 0.6 percent from July 2023. Lower prices in July for feeder pigs, nitrogen, feeder cattle, and hay & forages more than offset higher prices for milk cows, complete feeds, diesel, and LP gas.

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

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