

BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

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INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES

Department of Labor
(1947-49 = 100)

	Jan. <u>1956</u>	Dec. <u>1955</u>	Nov. <u>1955</u>	Jan. <u>1955</u>
All commodities	111.8	111.3	111.2	110.1
Farm products	84.1	r 82.9	84.1	92.5
Grains	81.5	82.7	79.8	93.5
Livestock and poultry	63.0	59.3	62.2	79.4
Plant and animal fibers	101.9	100.8	100.9	104.4
Processed foods	98.3	98.2	98.8	103.8
Meats, poultry and fish	75.7	75.3	77.8	87.6
Dairy products and ice cream	106.1	107.2	105.9	107.0
Other commodities	120.2	r119.8	119.4	115.2
Textile products and apparel	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.2
Hides, skins, & leather products	96.7	96.7	96.4	91.9
Fuels, power & lighting materials	110.2	r109.3	108.6	108.5
Chemicals & allied products	106.3	r106.6	106.6	107.1
Rubber and products	148.2	151.0	150.6	136.8
Lumber and wood products	126.2	125.1	125.0	120.3
Pulp, paper & allied products	124.8	123.6	123.2	116.3
Metals and metal products	144.9	143.9	142.9	130.1
Machinery and motive products	133.2	r133.0	132.5	125.8
Furniture and other household durables	118.1	r117.3	117.2	115.5
Non-metallic minerals - structural	127.1	125.4	125.2	122.0
Tobacco manufactures & bottled beverages	121.7	121.7	121.7	121.4
Miscellaneous	89.6	r 88.8	88.0	97.0

Department of Agriculture
(1910-14 = 100)

Prices received by farmers

Total	226	223	225	243
Crops	231	227	224	247
Livestock and products	221	219	225	240

Prices paid by farmers, including
interest, taxes, and wage rates

	281	r278	279	283
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