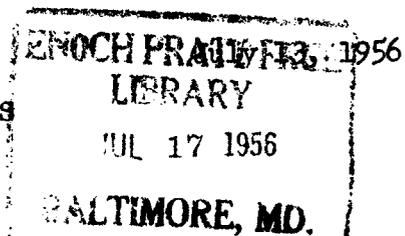


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INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES

Department of Labor
(1947-49 = 100)



	<u>June</u> 1956	<u>May</u> 1956	<u>Apr.</u> 1956	<u>June</u> 1955
All commodities	114.2	r114.4	113.6	110.3
Farm products	91.2	90.9	88.0	91.8
Grains	86.9	90.5	89.5	90.3
Livestock and poultry	74.8	74.4	70.3	83.1
Plant and animal fibers	106.1	105.9	105.8	103.4
Processed foods	102.3	102.4	100.4	103.9
Meats, poultry and fish	83.1	82.1	79.3	91.4
Dairy products and ice cream	108.0	r107.9	105.9	104.6
Other commodities	121.5	121.7	121.6	115.6
Textile products and apparel	94.9	94.9	95.1	95.2
Hides, skins, & leather products	100.2	r100.0	100.6	92.9
Fuels, power & lighting materials	110.8	r110.8	110.6	106.8
Chemicals & allied products	107.1	106.9	106.9	106.8
Rubber and products	142.8	143.5	145.0	140.3
Lumber and wood products	127.4	r128.0	128.5	123.7
Pulp, paper & allied products	127.4	127.3	127.4	118.3
Metals and metal products	145.8	146.8	147.7	132.6
Machinery and motive products	136.6	r136.5	135.7	127.1
Furniture and other household durables	118.1	r118.0	118.0	115.2
Nonmetallic minerals - structural	128.9	128.6	128.6	123.7
Tobacco manufactures & bottled beverages	121.6	r121.6	121.7	121.6
Miscellaneous	92.9	96.1	92.1	89.1
Department of Agriculture (1910-14 = 100)				
Prices received by farmers				
Total	247	242	235	241
Crops	263	252	245	243
Livestock and products	232	233	227	240
Prices paid by farmers, including interest, taxes, and wage rates				
	286	286	284	282

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