

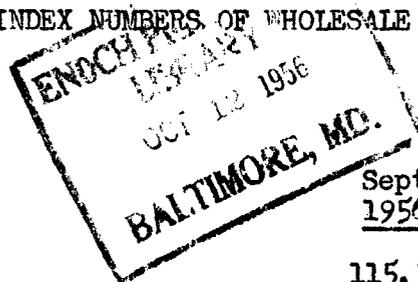
BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

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INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES

Department of Labor  
(1947-49 = 100)



	Sept. 1956	Aug. 1956	July 1956	Sept. 1955
All commodities	115.3	r114.7	114.0	111.7
Farm products	90.2	89.1	90.0	89.3
Grains	90.7	88.8	88.4	81.4
Livestock and poultry	75.7	r 76.0	72.9	75.5
Plant and animal fibers	98.4	98.2	104.3	100.8
Processed foods	104.0	102.6	102.2	101.5
Meats, poultry and fish	89.3	85.1	83.7	87.5
Dairy products and ice cream	109.6	r108.9	107.9	104.3
Other commodities	122.9	r122.5	121.4	118.5
Textile products and apparel	94.8	94.8	94.9	95.4
Hides, skins, & leather	100.2	100.0	100.1	94.0
Fuels, power & lighting materials	111.0	r110.9	110.7	108.0
Chemicals & allied products	107.1	107.3	107.3	106.0
Rubber and products	145.5	r146.9	143.3	151.7
Lumber and wood products	124.1	r125.2	126.6	125.7
Pulp, paper & allied products	127.8	127.9	127.7	120.5
Metals and metal products	151.3	r150.2	144.9	141.9
Machinery and motive products	139.1	137.7	136.9	130.0
Furniture and other household durables	119.7	119.1	118.3	116.4
Nonmetallic minerals - structural	131.1	130.8	130.6	126.4
Tobacco manufactures & bottled beverages	122.8	r122.5	121.7	121.7
Miscellaneous	89.8	91.1	91.3	90.3

Department of Agriculture  
(1910-14 = 100)

Prices received by farmers				
Total	236	237	244	235
Crops	234	236	258	229
Livestock and products	238	238	232	240
Prices paid by farmers, including interest, taxes, and wage rates	287	288	287	279

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