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## INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES

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Department of Labor (1947-49 = 100)

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	<u> 1956</u>	1956	1956	<u> 1955</u>	
All commodities	116.2	115.9	115.6	111.3	
Farm products	88.6	87.9	88.4	82.9	
Grains	88.8	87.9	84.0	82.7	
Livestock and poultry	71.7	68.6	73.0	59.3	
Plant and animal fibers	101.3	100.8	100.0	100.8	
Processed foods	103.1	103.6	103.6	98.2	
Meats, poultry and fish	81.4	82.7	85.7	75.3	
Dairy products and ice cream	112.5	113.6	110.9	107,2	
Other commoditites	124.6	124.2	123.6	119.8	
Textile products and apparel	95.6	95.4	95•3	95.6	
Hides, skins, & leather	99.4	99.8	99•7	96.7	
Fuels, power & lighting materials	113.1	r111.2	111.7	109.3	
Chemicals & allied products	108.3	108.2	107.7	106.6	
Rubber and products	147.9	146.9	145.8	151.0	
Lumner and wood products	120.9	121.5	122.0	125.1	
Pulp, paper & allied products	127.9	127.8	128.1	123.6	
Metals and metal products	152.4	r152,1	152.2	143.9	
Machinery and motive products	143.5	r143.4	141.1	133.0	
Furniture and other household durables	121.4	r121.1	121.0	117.3	
Nonmetallic minerals - structural	131.3	rl31.2	131.5	125.4	
Tobacco manufactures & bottled beverages	123.6	123.5	123.1	121.7	
Miscellaneous	91.6	91.2	89•2	88.8	
Department of Agriculture (1910-14 = 100)					
Prices received by farmers					
Total	237	234	234	222	
Crops	2110	239	232	226	
Livestock and products	234	230	236	219	
Prices paid by farmers, including			_		
interest, taxes, and wage rates	289	289	287	278	

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