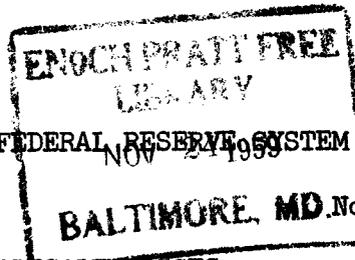


BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM



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November 13, 1959

INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES

Department of Labor
(1947-49 = 100)

	Oct. 1959	Sept. 1959	Aug. 1959	Oct. 1958
All commodities	119.2	r119.7	119.1	119.0
Farm products	86.5	88.9	87.1	86.5
Grain	75.7	76.2	77.7	76.8
Livestock and poultry	78.5	82.1	83.1	88.4
Plant and animal fibers	94.7	95.6	95.7	100.7
Processed foods	106.4	107.8	105.8	110.0
Meats, poultry and fish	95.1	r 99.7	94.8	103.5
Dairy products and ice cream	116.7	116.2	114.7	113.5
Other commodities	128.5	128.4	128.4	126.4
Textile products and apparel	95.9	95.9	95.7	93.2
Hides, skins, & leather products	116.5	r119.1	119.7	101.4
Fuels, power & lighting materials	111.4	111.9	112.2	113.0
Chemicals and allied products	110.0	109.9	109.7	110.2
Rubber and products	142.3	r142.0	r141.0	146.3
Lumber and wood products	126.2	127.2	128.5	120.8
Pulp, paper & allied products	132.5	132.4	132.3	131.9
Metals and metal products	154.5	r153.8	152.8	152.2
Machinery and motive products	153.6	153.9	153.8	149.9
Furniture and other household durables	123.5	r123.4	123.5	123.0
Nonmetallic minerals - structural	137.4	r137.5	137.4	136.7
Tobacco manufactures & bottled beverages	134.5	134.5	134.5	128.8
Miscellaneous	91.8	88.6	92.0	91.2

Department of Agriculture
(1910=14 = 100)

Prices received by farmers

Total	235	239	239	r249
Crops	219	220	221	r221
Livestock and poultry	248	256	254	r274

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

	296	297	297	r294
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