



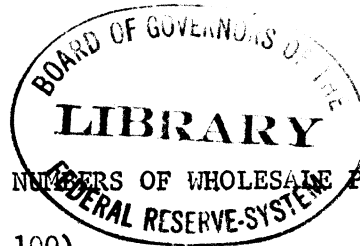
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INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES

Department of Labor (1957-59 = 100)

	1968				1967
	Sept. ^e	Aug.	July	June	Aug.
All Commodities	109.1	108.7	109.1	108.7	106.1
Farm products & processed foods & feeds	108.6	107.7	109.4	108.0	105.2
Farm products	102.7	101.4	103.9	102.5	99.2
Processed foods & feeds	115.4	114.9	115.9	114.6	112.1
Industrial commodities	109.2	108.9	r108.8	108.8	106.3
Textile products and apparel		106.0	105.8	105.2	101.7
Hides, skins, & leather products		119.5	119.5	118.7	114.4
Fuels and related products and power		102.6	103.3	103.7	104.7
Chemicals and allied products		98.1	98.2	98.5	98.0
Rubber and products		100.6	100.7	99.9	97.3
Lumber and wood products		120.5	119.2	117.2	106.1
Pulp, paper & allied products		104.9	104.9	104.7	104.0
Metal and metal products		111.3	111.4	111.7	109.2
Machinery and equipment		115.4	115.2	115.0	111.3
Furniture and household durables		104.2	104.1	103.9	101.0
Nonmetallic mineral products		108.7	108.4	103.3	104.5
Transportation equipment		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Miscellaneous		111.6	111.5	111.8	110.0

Federal Reserve Groupings (1957-59 = 100)

Industrial commodities	108.1	108.0	107.9	105.4
Materials	106.6	106.5	106.4	103.9
Sensitive	106.6	106.3	105.9	100.2
Ex. fibers	109.1	108.7	108.4	102.5
Other	106.3	106.3	106.3	105.0
Products	110.0	r110.0	109.9	107.4
Consumer nonfoods	107.5	r107.5	107.5	105.5
Producers' equipment	115.4	r115.2	115.1	111.4
Foods and foodstuffs	109.9	111.3	110.3	107.6
Livestock and products	113.3	115.4	112.8	109.1
Crops and products	105.9	107.6	107.4	105.5

Department of Agriculture (1910-14 = 100)

Prices received by farmers	261	260	259	255
Prices paid by farmers including interest, taxes, and wage rates	354	355	354	342

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