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Farm product prices

June 2006

Prices received by farmers in June for grains, oilseeds, specialty crops, potatoes, cattle, hogs, poultry, eggs and dairy products are now available.

The Alberta canola price in June was \$266.06 per tonne, up 1% from one month earlier but down 9% from June 2005 when the price was \$292.31.

The June hog price in Quebec was \$65.58 per hundredweight, up 4% from one month earlier but down 14% from the June 2005 price of \$76.08.

Farm commodity prices are now available on CANSIM. Over 35 commodities are available by province, some series going back 20 years.

Available on CANSIM: table 002-0043.

Definitions, data sources and methods: survey number 3436.

For more information, or to inquire about the concepts, methods or data quality of this release, contact Marco Morin (613-951-2074; fax: 613-951-3868; marco.morin@statcan.ca), Agriculture Division. ■

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