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Normally these supplements are divided into Sections A and B, with Section A setting forth monthly revisions to previously published prices, and Section B setting forth price data not previously published. Since no revisions were made in earlier data during the period May to October 1960, this supplement is limited to the presentation of prices not previously published.

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Farm Prices of Agricultural Products, May to October 1960

Commodity	Province	Page	Commodity	Province	Page	
Apples .....	N.S.	6	Celery .....	Ont.	7	
	N.B.	6		B.C.	9	
	Que.	6	Cheese Milk .....	Que.	7	
	Ont.	7		Ont.	7	
	B.C.	9		Cherries .....	Ont.	7
Asparagus .....	Ont.	7	B.C.		9	
	B.C.	9	Corn, for husking .....	Ont.	7	
Barley .....	Ont.	7		for canning .....	Que.	7
	Man.	8		Ont.	7	
	Sask.	8		B.C.	9	
	Alta.	8	Cucumbers .....	B.C.	9	
Beans .....	Que.	7		Dairy Butter .....	P.E.I.	6
	B.C.	9	N.S.		6	
Beets .....	B.C.	9	N.B.		6	
	Butterfat .....	P.E.I.	6		Que.	7
N.S.		6	Ont.		7	
N.B.		6	Man.		8	
Que.		7	Sask.		8	
Ont.		7	Alta.		8	
Man.		8	B.C.		9	
Sask.		8	Eggs .....	P.E.I.	6	
Alta.		8		N.S.	6	
B.C.		9		N.B.	6	
Cabbage .....	Ont.	7		Que.	7	
	B.C.	9		Ont.	7	
Calves .....	P.E.I.	6		Man.	8	
	N.S.	6		Sask.	8	
	N.B.	6		Alta.	8	
	Que.	7		B.C.	9	
	Ont.	7	Flax .....	Man.	8	
	Man.	8		Sask.	8	
	Sask.	8		Alta.	8	
	Alta.	8	Flue-cured Tobacco .....	Ont.	7	
	B.C.	9		Fluid Milk .....	P.E.I.	6
Cantaloupe .....	B.C.	9	N.S.		6	
	Carrots .....	B.C.	9		N.B.	6
Cattle .....		P.E.I.	6		Que.	7
	N.S.	6	Ont.		7	
	N.B.	6	Man.		8	
	Que.	7	Sask.		8	
	Ont.	7	Alta.		8	
	Man.	8	B.C.		9	
	Sask.	8	Fur Farming .....	P.E.I.	6	
	Alta.	8		Grapes .....	Ont.	7
	B.C.	9				
Cauliflower .....	B.C.	9				

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Commodity	Province	Page	Commodity	Province	Page			
Green Peas .....	Que	7	Peaches .....	Ont.	7			
	Ont.	7		B.C.	9			
	B.C.	9		Pears .....	B.C.	9		
Hens & Chickens .....	P.E.I.	6	Peppers .....		B.C.	9		
	N.S.	6	Plums .....		B.C.	9		
	N.B.	6		Potatoes .....	P.E.I.	6		
	Que.	7			N.S.	6		
	Ont.	7			N.B.	6		
	Man.	8			Que.	6		
	Sask.	8			Ont.	7		
	Alta.	8			B.C.	9		
B.C.	9	Raspberries .....			Ont.	7		
Hogs .....	P.E.I.		6		B.C.	9		
	N.S.		6	Rhubarb .....	B.C.	9		
	N.B.		6		Sheep .....	P.E.I.	6	
	Que.		7			N.S.	6	
	Ont.		7			N.B.	6	
	Man.		8			Que.	7	
	Sask.		8			Ont.	7	
	Alta.	8	Man.			8		
B.C.	9	Sask.	8					
Lambs .....	P.E.I.	6	Alta.	8				
	N.S.	6	B.C.	9				
	N.B.	6	Spinach .....	B.C.	9			
	Que.	7		Squash, etc. ....	B.C.	9		
	Ont.	7			Strawberries .....	N.B.	6	
	Man.	8				Que.	6	
	Sask.	8				Ont.	7	
	Alta.	8				B.C.	9	
B.C.	9	Sugar Beets .....				Alta.	8	
Lettuce .....	B.C.					9	Tomatoes .....	Que.
	Maple Syrup .....		Que.			7		Ont.
			Mushrooms .....	B.C.		9		B.C.
Oats .....				Que.	6	Turnips .....		Ont.
	Ont.			7	B.C.			9
	Man.		8	Wheat .....	Ont.			7
	Sask.		8		Man.			8
	Alta.	8	Sask.		8			
	Peace River,	B.C.	9		Alta.		8	
	Southern,	B.C.	9		B.C.		9	
	Onions .....	Ont.	7		Peace River,		B.C.	9
B.C.		9	Southern,		B.C.	9		
Parsnips .....	B.C.	9						

Farm Prices of Agricultural Products, May to October 1960

	May	June	July	August	September	October	
	dollars						
<u>Prince Edward Island:</u>							
Potatoes .....	cwt.	3.86	3.89	3.25	1.59	1.56	1.59
Cattle .....	"	17.52	18.05	17.89	17.83	17.48	17.55
Calves .....	"	19.05	21.88	19.66	19.16	19.45	19.57
Hogs .....	"	21.81	23.04	25.31	25.19	25.92	26.74
Sheep .....	"	7.73	7.34	7.57	7.43	5.90	5.25
Lambs .....	"	17.09	17.67	19.50	17.87	17.21	16.26
Hens & Chickens .....	lb.	.216	.208	.250	.222	.259	.250
Eggs .....	doz.	.269	.235	.269	.357	.387	.404
Butterfat .....	lb.	.685	.674	.661	.658	.649	.659
Fluid Milk .....	cwt.	3.92	3.83	3.87	3.78	3.90	3.96
Dairy Butter .....	lb.	.615	.634	.617	.624	.644	.634
Fur Farming .....	pelt	..	..	..	..	..	..
<u>Nova Scotia:</u>							
Potatoes .....	cwt.	4.67	4.93	4.49	2.42	2.34	2.30
Apples .....	bu.	.64	.64	.64	.64	.75	.75
Cattle .....	cwt.	19.06	19.53	19.85	19.42	19.08	18.91
Calves .....	"	19.84	21.72	21.24	17.38	19.45	21.48
Hogs .....	"	22.58	24.70	26.31	26.28	27.45	27.31
Sheep .....	"	6.67	7.50	7.00	5.00	5.60	4.80
Lambs .....	"	19.00	19.20	22.83	18.92	17.00	15.98
Hens & Chickens .....	lb.	.273	.288	.294	.277	.292	.291
Eggs .....	doz.	.390	.341	.391	.439	.474	.493
Butterfat .....	lb.	.650	.644	.634	.632	.660	.670
Fluid Milk .....	cwt.	4.76	4.69	4.65	4.74	4.79	4.82
Dairy Butter .....	lb.	.611	.588	.605	.611	.620	.601
<u>New Brunswick:</u>							
Potatoes .....	cwt.	3.63	3.64	3.21	1.42	1.27	1.54
Apples .....	bu.	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.50	1.50
Strawberries .....	qt.	.28	.22	.22	.22	.22	.22
Cattle .....	cwt.	17.12	17.26	17.85	16.51	16.96	16.61
Calves .....	"	18.19	20.60	19.09	18.04	18.81	18.76
Hogs .....	"	22.00	24.10	25.80	25.69	26.55	27.24
Sheep .....	"	7.83	7.94	7.61	6.40	5.88	6.33
Lambs .....	"	18.00	18.86	19.95	17.29	16.02	15.66
Hens & Chickens .....	lb.	.327	.238	.279	.249	.252	.278
Eggs .....	doz.	.420	.373	.409	.449	.507	.525
Butterfat .....	lb.	.659	.646	.626	.616	.650	.660
Fluid Milk .....	cwt.	4.61	4.59	4.55	4.61	4.63	4.65
Dairy Butter .....	lb.	.635	.621	.630	.606	.628	.636
<u>Quebec:</u>							
Potatoes .....	cwt.	3.86	4.15	3.39	2.02	1.95	2.14
Oats .....	bu.	.900	.887	.882	.860	.823	.841
Apples .....	bu.	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.22	1.22
Strawberries .....	qt.	.17	.14	.14	.14	.14	.14

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Farm Prices of Agricultural Products, May to October 1960 - Continued

	May	June	July	August	September	October	
	dollars						
<u>Quebec - Concluded:</u>							
Tomatoes .....	ton	..	..	..	..	..	
Corn .....	"	..	..	..	..	..	
Green Peas .....	"	..	..	..	..	..	
Beans .....	"	..	..	..	..	..	
Maple Syrup .....	gal.	..	..	..	..	..	
Cattle .....	cwt.	17.35	17.23	17.70	17.52	16.49	16.56
Calves .....	"	22.24	23.93	22.61	21.39	21.88	22.67
Hogs .....	"	22.21	24.09	25.91	25.89	26.53	27.16
Sheep .....	"	8.52	8.24	8.76	6.99	5.49	6.06
Lambs .....	"	17.37	18.78	21.11	18.20	17.37	17.55
Hens & Chickens .....	lb.	.255	.227	.242	.231	.239	.264
Eggs .....	doz.	.401	.368	.401	.438	.477	.489
Butterfat .....	lb.	.691	.691	.690	.690	.709	.717
Fluid Milk .....	cwt.	4.20	4.17	4.16	4.19	4.21	4.22
Dairy Butter .....	lb.	.636	.626	.630	.630	.633	.632
Cheese Milk .....	cwt.	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.80	2.75	2.75
<u>Ontario:</u>							
Potatoes .....	cwt.	4.69	5.06	5.42	3.31	2.49	2.56
Wheat .....	bu.	1.74	1.74	1.63	1.41	1.42	1.42
Oats .....	"	.775	.787	.797	.757	.739	.728
Barley .....	"	1.01	1.01	1.00	.984	.966	.990
Corn .....	"	1.29	1.30	1.29	1.34	1.33	1.23
Apples .....	"	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.90	1.90
Strawberries .....	qt.	.241	.230	.230	.230	.230	.230
Grapes .....	lb.	.049	.049	.049	.050	.050	.050
Peaches .....	bu.	2.40	2.40	2.40	3.00	3.00	3.00
Raspberries .....	qt.	.395	.395	.500	.500	.500	.500
Cherries .....	bu.	4.57	4.57	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00
Tomatoes for canning .....	ton	35.55	35.55	36.00	36.00	36.00	36.00
Corn for canning .....	"	26.08	26.08	26.08	26.08	26.00	26.00
Green Peas for canning .....	"	101.75	102.00	102.00	102.00	102.00	102.00
Asparagus .....	cwt.	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	17.00
Celery .....	crate	1.47	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75
Onions .....	ton	43.01	43.01	38.50	38.50	38.50	38.50
Turnips .....	"	28.23	28.23	28.23	28.00	28.00	28.00
Cabbage .....	"	32.49	26.00	26.00	26.00	26.00	26.00
Flue-cured tobacco .....	lb.	.561	.561	.561	.561	.561	.561
Cattle .....	cwt.	20.78	21.01	21.37	21.30	20.99	20.35
Calves .....	"	26.67	26.88	26.54	26.20	26.54	26.38
Hogs .....	"	21.88	24.85	25.90	25.60	26.33	27.23
Sheep .....	"	7.41	7.26	7.55	7.50	6.82	6.80
Lambs .....	"	20.79	22.89	22.43	20.81	19.92	19.49
Hens & Chickens .....	lb.	.214	.212	.207	.205	.222	.205
Eggs .....	doz.	.312	.288	.331	.405	.426	.442
Butterfat .....	lb.	.645	.646	.640	.640	.682	.693
Fluid Milk .....	cwt.	4.46	4.42	4.40	4.42	4.45	4.48
Dairy Butter .....	lb.	.635	.636	.629	.630	.631	.631
Cheese Milk .....	cwt.	2.45	2.39	2.41	2.45	2.52	2.61

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Farm Prices of Agricultural Products, May to October 1960 - Continued

	May	June	July	August	September	October	
	dollars						
<u>Manitoba:</u>							
Wheat .....	bu.	1.15	1.16	1.17	1.16	1.17	1.18
Oats .....	"	.486	.483	.487	.481	.476	.473
Barley .....	"	.759	.758	.755	.755	.752	.756
Flax .....	"	2.78	2.85	2.74	2.82	2.79	2.73
Cattle .....	cwt.	18.83	19.36	19.63	18.99	19.03	18.53
Calves .....	"	24.74	25.52	25.05	24.74	24.29	23.51
Hogs .....	"	19.51	20.90	22.64	22.75	23.89	24.41
Sheep .....	"	3.98	4.36	4.16	4.08	4.28	4.01
Lambs .....	"	17.70	17.85	19.16	17.29	16.77	16.25
Hens & Chickens .....	lb.	.196	.191	.198	.205	.213	.219
Eggs .....	doz.	.221	.213	.224	.260	.278	.292
Butterfat .....	lb.	.628	.626	.630	.628	.617	.627
Fluid Milk .....	cwt.	3.90	3.87	3.88	3.91	3.95	3.97
Dairy Butter .....	lb.	.626	.615	.603	.611	.620	.623
<u>Saskatchewan:</u>							
Wheat .....	bu.	1.09	1.10	1.11	1.12	1.15	1.16
Oats .....	"	.445	.447	.448	.448	.447	.448
Barley .....	"	.713	.707	.709	.712	.715	.716
Flax .....	"	2.92	2.90	2.74	2.86	2.78	2.69
Cattle .....	cwt.	18.67	18.95	19.00	18.77	18.79	18.11
Calves .....	"	22.29	22.55	22.51	21.55	21.66	20.47
Hogs .....	"	18.61	20.49	21.96	21.99	23.57	23.88
Sheep .....	"	4.47	4.58	4.31	3.49	4.58	4.68
Lambs .....	"	16.73	17.02	17.73	15.52	15.47	15.29
Hens & Chickens .....	lb.	.202	.195	.201	.193	.226	.230
Eggs .....	doz.	.196	.189	.194	.214	.246	.259
Butterfat .....	lb.	.621	.613	.615	.616	.642	.648
Fluid Milk .....	cwt.	3.83	3.77	3.80	3.90	3.96	4.41
Dairy Butter .....	lb.	.589	.601	.596	.601	.590	.597
<u>Alberta:</u>							
Wheat .....	bu.	1.02	1.03	1.04	1.05	1.10	1.10
Oats .....	"	.452	.455	.454	.453	.451	.449
Barley .....	"	.710	.706	.701	.703	.702	.704
Flax .....	"	2.89	2.86	2.70	2.82	2.76	2.66
Sugar Beets .....	ton	9.00	9.00	9.00	9.00	9.00	9.00
Cattle .....	cwt.	19.34	19.48	19.52	19.71	19.61	18.78
Calves .....	"	21.91	22.77	22.22	21.82	21.14	19.37
Hogs .....	"	18.83	20.78	21.79	22.79	23.85	23.05
Sheep .....	"	3.54	4.49	5.72	5.70	5.75	5.51
Lambs .....	"	18.15	20.32	18.61	16.75	16.58	15.78
Hens & Chickens .....	lb.	.195	.202	.195	.191	.221	.229
Eggs .....	doz.	.226	.222	.256	.285	.314	.311
Butterfat .....	lb.	.622	.621	.619	.624	.657	.661
Fluid Milk .....	cwt.	4.32	4.28	4.30	4.32	4.38	4.39
Dairy Butter .....	lb.	.598	.606	.606	.602	.602	.599



Farm Prices of Agricultural Products, May to October 1960 - Concluded

		May	June	July	August	September	October
		dollars					
<u>British Columbia:</u>							
Potatoes .....	cwt.	3.50	3.78	3.79	3.67	3.55	3.53
Wheat, Peace River .....	bu.	.970	.968	.990	1.02	1.04	1.02
Wheat, Southern B.C. ....	"	1.58	1.59	1.64	1.53	1.49	1.52
Oats, Peace River .....	"	.420	.419	.415	.422	.416	.408
Oats, Southern, B.C. ....	"	.817	.820	.808	.780	.779	.775
Apples .....	"	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.75	2.75
Strawberries .....	qt.	.27	.29	.29	.29	.29	.29
Peaches .....	bu.	3.10	3.10	3.10	3.00	3.00	3.00
Raspberries .....	qt.	.20	.20	.19	.19	.19	.19
Cherries .....	bu.	12.11	12.11	11.74	11.74	11.74	11.74
Plums .....	"	3.09	3.09	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.34
Pears .....	"	3.24	3.24	3.24	3.36	3.36	3.36
Tomatoes, field .....	ton	46.17	46.17	42.50	42.50	42.50	42.50
Tomatoes, forced.....	"	396.00	396.00	396.00	396.00	396.00	396.00
Corn .....	lb.	.019	.019	.019	.019	.019	.019
Peas, green .....	"	.049	.049	.049	.049	.049	.049
Beans, green & wax .....	"	.057	.057	.063	.063	.063	.063
Asparagus .....	"	.161	.161	.161	.161	.161	.161
Celery .....	"	.037	.044	.044	.044	.044	.044
Onions .....	"	.032	.032	.032	.032	.032	.032
Turnips .....	"	.032	.032	.032	.038	.038	.038
Cabbage .....	"	.033	.038	.038	.038	.038	.038
Rhubarb, field .....	ton	70.00	70.00	70.00	70.00	70.00	70.00
Rhubarb, forced .....	"	312.00	312.00	312.00	312.00	312.00	312.00
Cucumber, field .....	"	130.62	130.62	130.62	170.00	170.00	170.00
Cucumber, forced .....	"	328.00	328.00	328.00	328.00	328.00	328.00
Beets .....	lb.	.042	.039	.039	.039	.039	.039
Cantaloupe .....	"	.050	.050	.050	.050	.050	.050
Carrots .....	"	.034	.034	.037	.037	.037	.037
Cauliflowers .....	"	.075	.075	.075	.075	.075	.075
Lettuce .....	"	.042	.042	.042	.042	.042	.042
Mushrooms .....	"	.537	.537	.537	.537	.537	.537
Parsnips .....	"	.064	.064	.064	.064	.064	.064
Peppers .....	"	.090	.090	.090	.090	.090	.090
Spinach .....	"	.034	.034	.034	.034	.034	.034
Squash, etc. ....	"	.029	.029	.029	.029	.029	.029
Cattle .....	cwt.	17.88	18.03	17.27	17.40	17.49	17.28
Calves .....	"	20.96	21.46	20.44	21.32	19.93	19.71
Hogs .....	"	19.98	21.73	23.09	23.13	25.32	25.67
Sheep .....	"	7.75	6.40	8.68	10.21	8.20	8.50
Lambs .....	"	17.97	18.88	18.58	16.84	17.23	16.71
Hens & Chickens .....	lb.	.202	.199	.212	.203	.190	.193
Eggs .....	doz.	.370	.362	.360	.376	.400	.414
Butterfat .....	lb.	.600	.614	.613	.627	.659	.658
Fluid Milk .....	cwt.	5.69	5.69	5.71	5.51	5.61	5.67
Dairy Butter .....	lb.	.590	.579	.584	.562	.577	.572





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