

Pa. Grain Report

December 3, 2001

Report Supplied By PDA

COMPARED WITH LAST MONDAY'S MARKET FOR EASTERN AND CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA: Corn .03 to .05 higher. Wheat steady to .05 lower. Barley .03 higher. Oats and Soybeans mostly steady. Ear Corn 2.00 higher. PRICES PAID DELIVERED TO DEALERS DOCK, All prices per bushel, except Ear Corn per ton.

SOUTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA
CORN No. 2-Y, 2.20-2.48, average 2.34; contract for harvest 2.34. WHEAT No. 2, 2.77-3.05, average 2.92; contract for harvest 2.77-2.99. BARLEY No. 3, 1.65-1.80, average 1.71. OATS No. 2, 1.50-1.75, average 1.61. SOYBEANS 4.00-4.30, average 4.16; contract for harvest 4.18. EAR CORN 57.00-70.00, average 64.20.

SOUTH CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA
CORN No. 2-Y, 2.2-2.39, average 2.28; WHEAT No. 2, 2.30-3.00, average 2.47; BARLEY No. 3, 1.50-1.70, average 1.53; OATS No. 2, 1.10-1.50, average 1.34; SOYBEANS No. 1, 3.95-4.10, average 4.03; EAR CORN 60.00-70.00; avg. 61.66.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA
CORN No. 2, 1.94-2.35, avg. 2.18; WHEAT No. 2, 2.50-2.63, avg. 2.50; BARLEY No. 3, 1.55; OATS No. 2, 1.25-

1.50, avg. 1.37; SOYBEANS No. 1, 3.99; EAR CORN 61.00.

CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA
EAR CORN No. 2, 2.15-2.40, avg. 2.27; WHEAT No. 2, 2.20-2.50, avg. 2.35; BARLEY No. 3, 1.30-1.55, avg. 1.46; OATS No. 2, 1.30-1.50, avg. 1.42; SOYBEANS, No. 1, 3.80-4.14, avg. 4.04; EAR CORN 60.00-65.00, avg. 61.66.

LEHIGH VALLEY
CORN No. 2-Y, 2.20-2.50, avg. 2.30; WHEAT No. 2, 2.90-3.14, avg. 3.01; BARLEY, No. 3, 1.60-1.65; OATS No. 2, 1.70-1.75, avg. 1.73; SOYBEANS No. 1, 4.00-4.05, avg. 4.01; GRAIN SORGHUM 2.36-2.60, avg. 2.48. EAR CORN 75.00.

EASTERN AND CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA
CORN No. 2-Y, 2.15-2.50, avg. 2.29; month ago 2.21, year ago 1.97. WHEAT No. 2, 2.30-3.14, avg. 2.69; month ago 2.69, year ago 2.24. BARLEY, No. 3, 1.30-1.80, avg. 1.58; month ago 1.52, year ago 1.36. OATS No. 2, 1.30-1.75, avg. 1.52; month ago 1.56, year ago 1.33. SOYBEANS No. 1, 3.80-4.30, avg. 4.06; month ago 3.93, year ago 4.47. EAR CORN 57.00-75.00, avg. 65.63; month ago 63.52, year ago 55.70.

NORTH CENTRAL OHIO
(Prices FOB Truck): CORN 1.96-2.00; WHEAT 2.60-2.78; OATS 1.25; SOYBEAN MEAL: bulk 44% 159-165.00; bulk 48% 169-174.00.

Daily National Grain Market Summary

St. Joseph, MO

December 5, 2001

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Wheat bids moved slightly higher on export optimism. Lack of overnight export sales pushed corn and soybean lower. Wheat steady to 1 cent higher. Corn 1 to 4 cents lower. Sorghum steady to 3 cents lower. Soybeans 1 to 2 cents lower. Recent trade talks that export interest may pickup this week for wheat was the major support factor. Indications are that Spain, Egypt or China could be seeking US wheat over the next day or so. Continued dry conditions in parts of the winter wheat growing areas also offered strength to bids. No export sales were announced today for corn or soybeans. Some good orders are on this week's books but more sales are needed before bids can strengthen.

EXPORT SALES: PURCHASER COMMODITY TONNAGE DELIVERY DATE Nothing New to Report.

THESE MAY NOT BE THE ONLY EXPORT SALES THAT HAVE TRAN SPIRED, BUT THEY ARE THE ONLY SALES THAT COULD BE CONFIRMED BY USDA GRAIN MARKET NEWS.

DATE CHANGE YEAR AGO TRUCK BIDS: 12/05/01 12/04/01 12/06/00 Wheat: Kansas City (HRW ORD) 2.88-2.91 up 1 3.16 Minneapolis (DNS) 3.45 up 1 3.58 Portland (SWW) 3.74-3.75 unch 3.00-3.01 St. Louis (SRW) 2.92-2.93 up 1 2.53-2.54

Corn, US 2 Yellow: Kansas City 2.05-2.07 dn 4-3 1.99-2.01 Minneapolis 1.90 1/4 up 1 1.81 3/4 So. Iowa 2.06-2.07 1/2 dn 2-3 1/2 1.92-2.06 1/2 Omaha 1.94-1.95 dn 2 1.91-1.92

Soybeans, US 1 Yellow: Kansas City 4.43 dn 2 4.99-5.00 Minneapolis 4.17 1/2 dn 1 1/4 4.70 So. Iowa 4.44-4.47 dn 1 4.99-5.01 Cent. Il Processor 4.41 1/2-4.48 1/2 dn 2 1/4 5.03-5.11

Minneapolis truck - to arrive 20 days
FUTURES: Kansas City (Mar) Wheat 2.90 3/4 up 3/4 3.24 Minneapolis (Mar) Wheat 3.10 up 1 1/4 3.28 Chicago (Mar) Wheat 2.85 1/4 up 1 1/2 2.76 3/4 Chicago (Mar) Corn 2.19 1/4 dn 2 2.18 3/4 Chicago (Nov) Soybeans 4.42 1/2 dn 2 1/4 5.07

EXPORT BIDS: Barge bids out of Port of New Orleans or Rail out of North Texas Gulf. Bids per bushel except sorghum per cwt.

US 1 HRW Wheat, Ord Protein: Rail 3.36 3/4-3.40 1/4 dn 2 1/4 3.45-3.55 US 2 Soft Red Winter Wheat: Barge 3.17 1/4-3.18 1/4 up 1 1/2 2.89 1/4 US 2 Yellow Corn

Barge 2.36 1/4-2.37 1/4 dn 3 1/2-4 2.33 1/4-2.34 1/4 US 2 Yellow Sorghum Rail 4.38-4.45 dn 1-3 4.41 Barge 4.52-4.59 dn 4 4.41-4.48 US 2 Yellow Soybeans Barge 4.78 1/2-4.79 1/2 dn 2 1/4 5.41

Westminster Hay

Westminster, Maryland

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December 4, 2001

Hay—Straw—Grain
195 LOTS.
ALFALFA: 1.60-4.80 BALE, 25.00-32.50 LARGE ROUND.
TIMOTHY: .75-3.50 BALE, 17.00-20.00 LARGE ROUND.
MIXED HAY: 1.00-3.20 BALE.
CLOVER MIX: 1.60-1.70 BALE.
GRASS: .50-2.00 BALE, 15.00-17.00 LARGE ROUND.
STRAW: 1.40-2.50 BALE.
RYE GRASS: 2.20-2.30 BALE.
EAR CORN: 3.75 BAG.
GROUND CORN FEED: 3.25-8.00 BAG.
FIREWOOD: 45.00-85.00 CORD.
TREATED POSTS: 2.20-3.80 EACH.

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