

Daily National Grain Market Summary

St. Joseph, MO

February 6, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

Nothing exciting in the wheat pits today. Trade bounced on both sides of steady with overnight exports offering light support while good winter wheat conditions limited the advances. Corn bids were lower, however, exports to Taiwan and South Korea may calm concerns over expectations of Friday's USDA report. Possible indications of increased corn planting this year pressured bids. Soybean bids are lower for the second consecutive day as South America inches closer to harvest with good weather spurring it on

Wheat mixed, 1 cent lower to 1 cent higher. Corn 1 to 2 cents lower.

Sorghum 3 to 8 cents lower. Soybeans 4 to 6 cents lower.

EXPORT SALES: PURCHASER COMMODITY TONNAGE DELIVERY DATE South Korea 11.5 pct Hard Red Winter Wheat 7,300 April South Korea 14.0 pct Dark Northern Spring Wht 6,000 April South Korea Soft White Wheat 9,600 April South Korea Corn 52,500 March-April Taiwan Corn 58,000 March-April

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

DATE CHANGE YEAR AGO TRUCK BIDS: 02/06/02 02/05/01 02/07/01 Wheat: Kansas City (HRW ORD) 2.81-2.84 unch 2.83-2.85 Minneapolis (DNS) 3.31 up ¼ 3.42 Portland (SWW) 3.63-3.65 up 1 3.12-3.14 St. Louis (SRW) 2.85 unch dn 1 2.44-2.54

Corn, US 2 Yellow: Kansas City 1.96-1.98 dn 2 2.02-2.04 Minneapolis 1.84 ¼

dn 2 1.80 ¼ So. Iowa 1.96-1.97 dn 1 1.96-2.02 Omaha 1.85-1.87 dn 1-2 1.86-1.88 Soybeans, US 1 Yellow: Kansas City 4.20-4.22 dn 6 4.59 Minneapolis 4.10 dn 4 ¼ 4.33 ½ So. Iowa 4.21 dn 4-6 4.56 Cent. II Processor 4.28-4.35 dn 4 ¼ 4.62 ½-4.65 ½

Minneapolis truck - to arrive 20 days FUTURES Kansas City (Mar) Wheat 2.83 ½ dn ¼ 3.13 ¼ Minneapolis (Mar) Wheat 2.98 dn ¼ 3.19 Chicago (Mar) Wheat 2.80 ¼ dn 2 ¼ 2.67 Chicago (Mar) Corn 2.04 ¼ dn 2 2.12 ¼ Chicago (Mar) Soybeans 4.28 dn 4 ¼ 4.63 ½ 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 33 ½-3.34 ½ up ¼-dn ¼ 3.48 ¼-3 51 ¼ US 2 Soft Red Winter Wheat Barge 3 10 ¼-312 ¼ up ¼-dn ¼ 2.89 US 2 Yellow Corn Barge 2.28 ¼-2.29 ¼ dn 1 ½ 2 35 ¼ US 2 Yellow Sorghum Rail 4.15-4.18 dn 3-4 4.42-4 50 Barge 4 22 dn 5-7 4.58 US 2 Yellow Soybeans Barge 4.63 dn 5 ¼ 5 00 ½

Finger Lakes Hay Auction

Dundee, New York

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Feb. 1 and 5, 2002

MIXED GRASS: 1ST CUTTING 45.00-60.00, 2ND 87.50-125.00.

CLOVER: 1ST CUTTING 50.00-65.00.

ALFALFA GRASS: 1ST CUTTING 45.00-80.00.

TIMOTHY: 1ST CUTTING 35.00-65.00.

ALFALFA TIMOTHY: 2ND CUTTING 95.00-130.00.

GRASS MIX: 2ND CUTTING 87.50-125.00.

ALFALFA: 3RD CUTTING 147.50.

STRAW: 100.00-132.50. HAY AUCTIONS EVERY TUES. AND FRI., 11 A.M. SHARP.

Kutztown Produce Hay Auction

Fleetwood, Pa.

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Saturday, February 2, 2002

Hay—Straw—Grain

55 LOTS. ALFALFA HAY: 65.00-135.00. GRASS HAY: 68.00-96.00. MIXED HAY: 66.00-140.00. TIMOTHY HAY: 78.00-132.00. CLOVER HAY 66 00 WHEAT STRAW: 84.00-130 00 OAT STRAW: 78.00-126 00 HAY BY THE BALE: 1.40. LARGE ROUND OR SQUARE BALES: 18.00. FIREWOOD: 60.00 LOAD. STUBBLE HAY: 40.00.

Kirkwood Hay

Kirkwood, Pa.

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Tuesday, February 5, 2002

90 LOTS. MIXED HAY: 1ST CUTTING 62.00-130.00, 2ND 137.00-152.00. TIMOTHY: 80.00-182.00. ALFALFA: 1ST CUTTING 40.00-142.00, 2ND CUTTING 122.00-185.00, 3RD 122.00-190.00, 4TH 130.00-197.00. CLOVER: 140.00-145.00. GRASS: 62.00-182.00. WHEAT STRAW: 100.00-145.00 BARLEY STRAW: 95.00-140.00. RYE STRAW: 150.00. FIREWOOD: 55.00-82.00 PICK-UP LOAD. SALE DAY TUES. 10 A.M.

Morrison's Cove Livestock Hay

Martinsburg, Pa.

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Monday, February 4, 2002

Hay—Straw—Grain

ALFALFA: 140.00-155.00.

ALFALFA AND GRASS 132.50-150.00. GRASS: 100.00-125.00. TIMOTHY: 60.00-80.00. MIXED HAY: 40.00-92.50. ROUND BALES 27 50-72 50. STRAW: 62 50-85.00. REEDS CANARY GRASS 145 00. FODDER: 50 00-65 00. HAY AUCTION MONDAYS, 12.30 P.M. CALL KEN DOWNS, 814-793-3723

Belleville Livestock Auction

Belleville, Pa.

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CATTLE 360. (PDA) (Supply included 283 cows and heifers in the Dairy sale). Compared with last week's sale cows steady to 100 spots 2.00 higher on Lean cows

STEERS: one Select 2 63.75, one Standard 2 55.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: few Choice 2-3 1465-1505 lbs 55 50-56.25, few Select 1-2 54.00-55.50, one Standard 2 52.00.

HEIFERS: Standard 1-2 45.00-49 75.

COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 39.75-44.50, Boners 80-85% lean 38.00-42.00, Lean 85-90% lean 36.25-41.50. Shells 33.75 and down.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1555-1965 lbs 52 00-55.00, one 60.00, few Yield Grade 2 1075-1340 lbs 45.50-47.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: BULLS: one lot Medium 2 275 lbs 52.00, one lot Large 3 240 lbs 51.00.

CALVES 73...VEALERS: Standard and Good 80-105 lbs 65.00-76.00, Utility 60-70 lbs 30.00-35.00. FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls mostly 20 00 higher..No 1 Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs 140.00-168.00, few late sales to 130.00, 80-90 lbs 127 00-142.00, No 2 80-130 lbs 100.00-142.00.

weaker sales to 85 00; few No 2 Holstein heifers 85-95 lbs 85 00-160 00

Beef type bulls and heifers 90-105 lbs 127.00-170.00

HOGS 13 BARROWS AND GILTS 49-54% lean 225-295 lbs 44.00-45 00, 45-50% lean 31 50-38.50, 40-45% lean 300-325 lbs 40 00-41 00

SOWS: one 1-3 410 lbs 31.00

FEEDER PIGS 72 1-3 25-40 lbs 22 00-33 00, 40-60 lbs 39 00-45 00 — per head

SHEEP 2 SLAUGHTER LAMBS few Good and Choice 110-135 lbs 55 00-63 00

GOATS 8 (All sold by the head) One Large Nanny 85 00, Medium Nannies 50 00-70 00, few Large Kids 40 00-47 00, one Small 17 00

DAIRY COWS 825 00-1875 00 — per head

Livestock Cooperative Auction Market Of North Jersey

Hackettstown, N.J.

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Tuesday, February 5, 2002

CALVES 24-6 05

COWS 28-47.

EASY COWS .10-.42%.

FEEDERS 300-600 LBS. .43-1 15

HEIFERS .35%-.64%

BULLS 45-59

STEERS .46%-.69%

HOGS, NONE

ROASTING PIGS EACH, NONE

BOARS, NONE

SOWS, NONE.

SHEEP .10-.63

LAMBS EA 58.00-71 00

LAMBS PER LB 54-1 23

GOATS EA 20.00-97 50

KIDS EA. 5.00-75 00.

HIDES EA 1 50-21 00 EA

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