

Pa. Grain Report

August 11, 2003

Report Supplied By PDA

Compared with last Monday's market for Eastern and Central Pennsylvania: Corn mostly steady to firm. Wheat steady to .10 higher. Barley unevenly steady. Oats steady to .10 lower. Soybeans very uneven with an unsettled market. Ear Corn mostly steady. All prices paid delivered to dealers dock. All prices per bushel, except Ear Corn per ton.

SOUTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA

Corn No. 2-y: 2.62-2.84, avg. 2.76; contract for harvest 2.26-2.84. Wheat No. 2: No. 2: 3.38-3.90, avg. 3.60; contract for harvest 3.35. Barley No. 3: 1.75-2.05, avg. 1.81. Oats No. 2: 1.70-2.00, avg. 1.87. Soybeans: 5.00-5.24, avg. 5.09; contract for harvest 4.77-5.01. Gr. Sorghum: 2.46; contract for harvest 2.40. Ear Corn: 78.00-100.00, avg. 89.50.

SOUTH CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA

Corn No. 2-y: 2.57-2.76, avg. 2.68. Wheat No. 2: 3.10-3.40, avg. 3.29. Barley No. 3: 1.75-2.00, avg. 1.87. Oats No. 2: 1.80-2.00, avg. 1.93. Soybeans No. 1: 4.90-5.20, avg. 5.02. Ear Corn: 80.00-100.00, avg. 92.60.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA

Corn No. 2: 2.36-2.80, avg. 2.50. Wheat No. 2: 3.00-3.18, avg. 3.05. Barley No. 3: 1.90. Oats No. 2: 1.75-1.90, avg. 1.81. Soybeans No. 1: 5.39-5.60, avg. 5.50. Ear Corn: 80.00.

CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA

Corn No. 2-y: 2.64-2.80 few down to 2.58, avg. 2.76. Wheat No. 2: 3.00-3.25, avg. 3.09. Barley No. 3: 1.80-2.00, avg. 1.86. Oats No. 2: 1.90-2.00, avg. 1.91. Soybeans: 5.00-5.30, avg. 5.14. Gr. Sorghum: none. Ear Corn: 80.00-100.00, avg. 88.33.

LEHIGH VALLEY AREA

Corn No. 2-y: 2.75-2.83, avg. 2.79. Wheat: No. 2: 3.40-3.93, avg. 3.59. Barley No. 3: 1.75-2.00, avg. 1.90. Oats No. 2: 1.90-2.00, avg. 1.88. Soybeans No. 1: 5.30-5.40, avg. 5.33. Gr. Sorghum: 3.18-3.50, avg. 3.34. Ear Corn: 76.00-90.00, avg. 82.33.

EASTERN AND CENTRAL

PENNSYLVANIA SUMMARY

Corn No. 2-y: 2.62-2.84, avg. 2.75, month ago 2.89, year ago 2.82. Wheat No. 2: 3.30-3.90, avg. 3.45, month ago 3.12, year ago 3.25. Barley No. 3: 1.70-2.00, avg. 1.86; month ago 1.84, year ago 1.49. Oats No. 2: 1.80-2.00, avg. 1.90; month ago 2.02; year ago 1.80. Soybeans No. 1: 5.00-5.30, avg. 5.15, month ago 5.87, year ago 5.44. Ear Corn: 78.00-100.00, avg. 88.19; month ago 89.54; year ago 75.54.

NORTH CENTRAL OHIO

Prices FOB Truck: Corn 2.19-2.20. Wheat 3.34-3.45. Soybeans 5.39-5.45. Soybean Meal: Bulk 44% 170.50-176.00; 48% 180.50-186.00.

Daily National Grain Market Summary

St. Joseph, MO
August 13, 2003

Report Supplied By USDA

Wheat and corn was slightly higher, while soybeans and sorghum traded mix.

Wheat and corn carried momentum from yesterdays positive USDA report. Traders will continue to monitor weather conditions in the western corn-belt. Soybeans were mix but some bids found support from yesterdays friendly production numbers, along with concerns of dry weather in the western belt. Wheat was 2-5 cents higher. Corn steady to 2 cents higher. Sorghum was mix, from 1 cent lower to 12 cents higher. Soybeans were mix, from 3 cents lower to 2 cents higher.

EXPORT SALES: PURCHASER COMMODITY TONNAGE DELIVERY DATE

Taiwan Corn 54,000 Oct 18-Nov 1 or Oct 3-17 Unknown Soybeans 165,000 Unknown

Total: Corn 54,000 tonnes. Soybeans 165,000 tonnes.

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.

TRUCK BIDS: 08/13/03 08/12/03 08/14/02 Wheat: Kansas City (HRW

ORD) 3.60-3.64 up 3 4.10-4.13 Minneapolis (DNS) 3.96 ¼ up 2 ¾ 4.29 ¼ Portland (SWW) 3.86-3.90 up 5-4 4.10-4.11 St. Louis (SRW) 3.57-3.63 up 3 3.38

Corn, US No 2 Yellow: Kansas City 2.20-2.22 unch 2.65-2.67 Minneapolis 2.14 up 2 ¼ 2.59 So. Iowa 2.22-2.254 unch-up 1 2.65-2.66 Omaha 2.08-2.09 unch 2.62

Soybeans, US No 1 Yellow: Kansas City 5.82 dn 3 5.94-5.95 Minneapolis 5.46 ¼ dn ¼ 5.86 ¼ So. Iowa 5.59-5.62 dn 1-unch 6.00-6.04 Cent. II Processor 5.68 ¼-5.78 ¼ dn 2 ¼ 6.01 ¼-6.21 ¼

Minneapolis truck - to arrive 20 days

FUTURES: Kansas City (Sep) Wheat 3.64 up 3 ¼ 3.97 ½ Minneapolis (Sep) Wheat 3.78 ¼ up 2 ¼ 4.11 ¼ Chicago (Sep) Wheat 3.65 up 3 ¼ 3.57 Chicago (Sept Corn 2.20 up ¼ 2.73 (Dec) Corn 2.29 ½ dn ¼ Chicago (Nov) Soybeans 5.43 ¼ dn 2 ¼ 5.71 ¼

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

US 1 HRW Wheat, Ord Protein: Rail 4.04-4.09 up 3 ¼ 4.45 ½-4.47 ½ US 2 Soft Red Winter Wheat: Barge 3.87 up 3 ¼-2 ¼ 3.61-3.63 US 2 Yellow Corn Barge 2.54-2.54 ½ up 1 ¼ 2.89 US 2 Yellow Sorghum Rail 4.54-4.63 dn 1 5.35-5.53 Barge 4.90 up 12-dn 1 5.39 US 2 Yellow Soybeans Barge 5.93 ¼-5.96 ¼ up 1 ¼-2 ¼ 6.30 ¼-6.31 ¼

Kutztown Produce Hay Auction

Fleetwood, Pa.

Report Supplied by Auction
Saturday, August 9, 2003

Hay—Straw—Grain

31 LOTS.

ALFALFA HAY: 97.00-215.00.

GRASS HAY: 65.00-180.00.

MIXED HAY: 56.00-210.00.

TIMOTHY HAY: 170.00-195.00.

WHEAT STRAW: 90.00-100.00.

RYE STRAW: 80.00-90.00.

HAY LRGE. ROUND OR SQ. BALES: 26.00.

EAR CORN: 100.00.

HAY, STRAW, FIREWOOD AUCTION EVERY SAT., 9 A.M.

Robert Fulton Fire Co. Hay Market

Wakefield, Pa.

Report Supplied By Auction
Thursday, August 14, 2003

10 LOADS.

ALFALFA: 2ND CUTTING 90.00-126.00.

MIXED HAY: 92.00.

TIMOTHY: 105.00-175.00, 157.00 AVG.

EAR CORN: 100.00.

GRASS HAY: 92.00.

SALE EVERY THURS., 10 A.M.

Lebanon Produce Hay Auction

Reistville, Pa.

Report Supplied By Auction
Tuesday, Aug. 12, 2003

Hay—Straw—Grain

TIMOTHY AND MIXED HAY: 2.10 BALE.

HAY AUCTION EVERY TUES., 10 A.M.

Weaverland Hay

New Holland, Pa.

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Thursday, August 14, 2003

Hay—Straw—Grain

TIMOTHY HAY: 95.00-240.00.

MIXED HAY: 45.00-265.00.

STRAW: 115.00-157.00.

EAR CORN: 130.00.

STUBBLE HAY: 90.00.

Shippensburg Hay Auction

Shippensburg, Pa.

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August 9 and 12, 2003

Hay—Straw—Grain

37 LOADS.

ALFALFA: 70.00-160.00.

MIXED HAY: 40.00-85.00.

TIMOTHY: 45.00-82.00.

BROMEGRASS: 58.00-130.00.

ORCHARDGRASS: 34.00-60.00.

STRAW: 62.00-118.00.

EAR CORN: 128.00.

OATS: 2.50 BU.

Westminster Hay

Westminster, Maryland

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Tuesday, August 12, 2003

Hay—Straw—Grain

90 LOTS.

ALFALFA: 3.00-3.80 BALE.

TIMOTHY: 2.50-5.30 BALF.

11.00-15.00 LARGE ROUND.

MIXED HAY: 90-3.40 BALE.

GRASS: 20.00 LARGE ROUND.

STRAW: 1.00-2.10 BALE.

MULCH: .15-40 BALE.

GROUND CORN FEED: 6.50 BAG.

Pa. Produce Summary

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August 8, 2003

Wholesale Prices Only

APPLES: GREEN 4.00-8.00 ½ BU.

APRICOTS: 16.00-22.00 ½ BU.

BEANS: GREEN 7.00-14.00, YEL-

LOW 7.00-16.00, LIMA 11.00-20.00, ALL

½ BU.

BLACKBERRIES: 16.00-22.00 8 QT.

FLAT.

BLUEBERRIES: 16.00-28.00 12 PINT

FLAT.

CABBAGE: GREEN 6.00-7.00 50

LBS., RED 7.00-8.00.

CANTALOPES: .75-1.50 EACH.

CUCUMBERS: 7.00-13.00 BU.

EGGPLANT: 9.00-12.00 BU.

HONEYLOPES: .50-1.25 EACH.

NECTARINES: 12.00-16.00 ½ BU.

PEACHES: 9.00-13.00 ½ BU.

PEPPERS: GREEN 6.00-10.00 BU.;

RED 10.00-14.00; HOT 3.00-7.00 ½ BU.

PICKLES: 3.00-9.00 ½ BU.

PLUMS: 16.00-24.00 ½ BU.

POTATOES: 6.00-9.00 50 LBS.

RASPBERRIES: RED 2.00-3.00 PT.

RED BEETS: 4.00-9.50 ½ BU.

SQUASH: PATTYPAN 4.00-8.00,

SPAGHETTI 4.00-5.00, YELLOW

3.00-7.00, ALL ½ BU.

SWEET CORN: .90-2.00 DOZ.

TOMATOES: 14.00-32.00 25 LBS.,

PLUM 16.00-20.00 ½ BU., GRAPE

10.00-12.00 12 PINT FLAT.

WATERMELONS: RED 2.25-4.25,

SEEDLESS 2.75-5.00, YELLOW

1.00-2.30.

ZUCCHINI: 3.00-9.00 ½ BU.

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Vintage Hay

Vintage, Pa.

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Thursday, August 14, 2003

Hay—Straw—Grain

ALFALFA: 145.00.

GRASS: 100.00-120.00.

A focus on the latest forage varieties will be part of the Sept. 13 issue of *Foraging Around*. Also scheduled: update on pastured poultry research at Penn State and the latest haymaking and grazing information from various field days.



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