

Table 1—Key Statistical Indicators of the Food & Fiber Sector

	Annual			2007		2008				2009	
	2007	2008	2009	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	
Prices received by farmers (1990-92=100)	136	--	--	141	145	151	--	--	--	--	
Livestock & products	130	--	--	133	130	133	--	--	--	--	
Crops	142	--	--	149	161	173	--	--	--	--	
Prices paid by farmers (1990-92=100)											
Production items	160	--	--	165	176	192	--	--	--	--	
Commodities and services, interest, taxes, and wage rates (PPITW)	161	--	--	165	174	185	--	--	--	--	
Cash receipts (\$ bil.)	284.8	335.8	--	63.9	70.3	88.5	78.4	75.5	82.7	99.2	
Livestock	137.9	146.1	--	34.3	35.1	35.0	36.0	35.7	37.1	37.3	
Crops	147.0	189.7	--	29.6	35.1	53.5	42.4	39.8	45.6	61.9	
Market basket (1982-84=100)											
Retail cost	211	--	--	215	219	222	--	--	--	--	
Farm value	142	--	--	150	148	150	--	--	--	--	
Spread	248	--	--	251	257	262	--	--	--	--	
Farm value/retail cost (%)	24	--	--	24	24	24	--	--	--	--	
Retail prices (1982-84=100)											
All food	203	214	223	206	209	212	217	220	222	226	
At home	201	214	223	205	208	212	217	220	224	228	
Away from home	207	216	224	210	212	214	217	220	222	224	
Agricultural exports (\$ bil.) ¹	82.2	115.5	98.5	28.2	30.1	28.8	28.5	16.4	16.4	16.4	
Agricultural imports (\$ bil.) ¹	70.1	79.3	81.0	18.7	20.2	20.7	19.7	13.5	13.5	13.5	
Commercial production											
Red meat (mil. lb.)	48,683	50,433	--	12,130	12,976	12,489	12,484	12,743	12,717	--	
Poultry (mil. lb.)	42,582	43,590	--	10,747	10,986	10,730	11,060	10,910	10,890	--	
Eggs (mil. doz.)	7,547	7,610	--	1,883	1,921	1,880	1,890	1,905	1,935	--	
Milk (bil. lb.)	185.6	190.0	--	46.1	46.0	47.6	48.8	46.9	46.7	--	
Consumption, per capita											
Red meat and poultry (lb.)	221.6	220.3	--	54.9	57.6	55.1	56.5	56.3	56.4	--	
Corn beginning stocks (mil. bu.) ²	1,303.8	--	--	6,858.9	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Corn use (mil. bu.) ²	12,640.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Prices ³											
Choice steers--Neb. Direct (\$/cwt)	91.82	88-92	--	91.36	91.85	89.59	89-93	88-94	85-93	--	
Barrows and gilts--IA, So. MN (\$/cwt)	47.09	40-42	--	50.33	39.43	39.64	42-44	41-45	36-40	--	
Broilers--12-city (cents/lb.)	76.40	78-82	--	79.20	71.10	78.10	77-81	78-84	78-84	--	
Eggs--NY gr. A large (cents/doz.)	114.40	125-132	--	119.10	141.00	158.80	127-133	106-114	110-120	--	
Milk--all at plant (\$/cwt)	19.13	17.65-	--	21.67	21.60	19.30	17.25-	16.60-	17.45-	--	
		18.15	--	--	--	--	17.65	17.30	18.45	--	
Wheat--KC HRW ordinary (\$/bu.)	6.86	--	--	7.21	9.10	11.51	--	--	--	--	
Corn--Chicago (\$/bu.)	3.68	--	--	3.33	3.80	5.02	--	--	--	--	
Soybeans--Chicago (\$/bu.)	8.25	--	--	8.32	10.22	12.80	--	--	--	--	
Cotton--avg. spot 41-34 (cents/lb)	52.98	--	--	56.01	59.34	66.18	--	--	--	--	
	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	
Farm real estate values ⁴											
Nominal (\$ per acre)	926	974	1,020	1,080	1,150	1,210	--	--	--	--	
Real (1996 \$)	926	955	988	1,032	1,074	1,106	--	--	--	--	
U.S. civilian employment (mil.) ^{5,6}	136.3	137.7	139.4	142.6	143.7	144.9	--	--	--	--	
Food and fiber (mil.)	23.9	24.0	24.1	24.2	24.0	23.9	--	--	--	--	
Farm sector (mil.)	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.1	--	--	--	--	
U.S. gross domestic product (\$ billion)	--	--	--	--	--	--	10,961	11,713	12,456	13,247	
Share of GDP in ag. & related industry (%) ⁷	--	--	--	--	--	--	4.8	4.8	4.5	4.3	
Share of GDP in agriculture (%) ⁷	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.8	1.0	0.8	0.7	

-- = Not available. Annual and quarterly data for the most recent year contain forecasts. 1. Annual data based on Oct.-Sep. fiscal years ending with year indicated. 2. Sep.-Nov. first quarter; Dec.-Feb. second quarter; Mar.-May third quarter; Jun.-Aug. fourth quarter; Sep.-Aug. annual. Use includes exports and domestic disappearance. 3. Simple averages, Jan.-Dec. 4. As of January 1. 5. Civilian labor force taken from "Monthly Labor Review," Table 22. Annual Data: Employment status of the population, U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. 6. Revised April 2004 due to a government-wide change in data collection/classification, and an update by the U.S. Department of Commerce to the benchmark series. 7. The methodology for computing these measures has changed. These statistics are not comparable to previously published statistics. Sources and computation methodology are available at: <http://www.ers.usda.gov/amberwaves/aggdp.htm>

Table 2—U.S. Gross Domestic Product & Related Data

	Annual			2007				2008		
	2005	2006	2007	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III
<i>Billions of current dollars (quarterly data seasonally adjusted at annual rates)</i>										
Gross Domestic Product	12,421.9	13,178.4	13,807.5	13,510.9	13,737.5	13,950.6	14,031.2	14,150.8	14,294.5	14,420.5
Gross National Product	12,514.9	13,256.6	13,910.0	13,583.3	13,797.2	14,062.8	14,196.6	14,289.0	14,408.3	14,538.0
Personal consumption expenditures	8,694.1	9,207.2	9,710.2	9,524.9	9,657.5	9,765.6	9,892.7	10,002.3	10,138.0	10,169.5
Durable goods	1,020.8	1,052.1	1,082.8	1,076.6	1,085.3	1,086.2	1,083.0	1,071.0	1,059.3	1,015.1
Nondurable goods	2,514.1	2,685.2	2,833.0	2,761.5	2,817.7	2,846.6	2,906.2	2,950.7	3,026.2	3,046.5
Food	1,181.2	1,257.4	1,329.1	1,297.7	1,321.2	1,337.9	1,359.8	1,380.5	1,416.3	1,416.9
Clothing and shoes	341.5	360.2	374.0	374.6	372.9	375.4	373.2	375.5	382.4	374.1
Services	5,159.2	5,469.9	5,794.4	5,686.8	5,754.4	5,832.8	5,903.5	5,980.6	6,052.5	6,107.9
Gross private domestic investment	2,086.1	2,220.4	2,130.4	2,117.8	2,147.2	2,164.0	2,092.3	2,056.1	2,000.9	2,013.6
Fixed investment	2,042.8	2,171.1	2,134.0	2,133.4	2,148.1	2,141.0	2,113.4	2,081.7	2,077.0	2,062.1
Change in private inventories	43.3	49.3	-3.6	-15.6	-0.9	23.0	-21.1	-25.6	-76.0	-48.6
Net exports of goods and services	-713.6	-757.3	-707.8	-728.8	-723.1	-682.6	-696.7	-705.7	-718.2	-706.5
Government consumption expenditures and gross investment	2,355.3	2,508.1	2,674.8	2,597.0	2,655.9	2,703.5	2,742.9	2,798.1	2,873.7	2,943.9
<i>Billions of 2000 dollars (quarterly data seasonally adjusted at annual rates) 1</i>										
Gross Domestic Product	10,989.5	11,294.8	11,523.9	11,357.8	11,491.4	11,625.7	11,620.7	11,646.0	11,727.4	11,712.3
Gross National Product	11,072.1	11,362.3	11,609.8	11,419.1	11,541.7	11,719.9	11,758.3	11,760.9	11,822.2	11,809.6
Personal consumption expenditures	7,791.7	8,029.0	8,252.8	8,197.2	8,237.3	8,278.5	8,298.2	8,316.1	8,341.3	8,262.1
Durable goods	1,134.4	1,185.1	1,242.4	1,227.3	1,242.3	1,249.4	1,250.6	1,237.0	1,228.3	1,178.8
Nondurable goods	2,252.7	2,335.3	2,392.6	2,380.1	2,391.5	2,398.6	2,400.2	2,397.9	2,420.7	2,377.8
Food	1,047.7	1,090.1	1,110.5	1,102.5	1,110.1	1,110.9	1,118.7	1,122.4	1,133.6	1,111.2
Clothing and shoes	372.3	394.4	412.9	409.4	412.2	416.6	413.2	416.3	427.2	411.9
Services	4,420.9	4,529.9	4,646.2	4,616.1	4,632.7	4,659.8	4,676.1	4,704.3	4,712.1	4,712.2
Gross private domestic investment	1,873.5	1,912.5	1,809.7	1,795.9	1,822.9	1,838.7	1,781.3	1,754.7	1,702.0	1,703.9
Fixed investment	1,829.8	1,865.5	1,808.5	1,807.8	1,821.3	1,817.0	1,788.2	1,762.4	1,754.9	1,730.0
Change in private inventories	38.9	42.3	-2.5	-15.0	-2.8	16.0	-8.1	-10.2	-50.6	-29.1
Net exports of goods and services	-616.6	-615.7	-546.5	-618.6	-571.2	-511.8	-484.5	-462.0	-381.3	-352.3
Government consumption expenditures and gross investment	1,939.0	1,971.2	2,012.1	1,987.1	2,006.4	2,025.3	2,029.4	2,039.1	2,058.9	2,085.9
GDP implicit price deflator (% change)	3.3	3.2	2.7	4.2	2.0	1.5	2.5	2.6	1.3	4.1
Disposable personal income (\$ bil.)	9,062.0	9,640.7	10,170.5	10,013.5	10,088.0	10,228.8	10,351.5	10,425.5	10,834.8	10,732.4
Disposable pers. income (2000 \$ bil.)	8,121.4	8,407.0	8,644.0	8,617.7	8,604.5	8,671.1	8,683.1	8,667.9	8,914.6	8,715.1
Per capita disposable pers. income (\$)	30,576	32,222	33,667	33,267	33,441	33,820	34,138	34,309	35,579	35,152
Per capita disp. pers. income (2000 \$)	27,403	28,098	28,614	28,630	28,523	28,669	28,636	28,525	29,274	28,545
U.S. resident population plus Armed Forces overseas (mil.) 2	296.3	299.2	302.0	300.9	301.5	302.3	303.1	303.8	304.4	305.2
Civilian population (mil.) 2	294.7	297.6	300.5	299.3	300.0	300.7	301.5	302.2	302.8	303.6
<i>Monthly data seasonally adjusted</i>										
	2005	2006	2007	Sep	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep
Total industrial production (1997=100)	108.4	111.1	112.9	114.0	112.3	112.4	112.3	112.3	111.3	108.5
Leading economic indicators (1996=100)	--	--	--	--	102.0	101.9	101.9	101.2	100.3	100.4
Civilian employment (mil. persons)	141.7	144.4	146.0	146.3	146.3	146.0	145.9	145.8	145.5	145.3
Civilian unemployment rate (%)	5.1	4.6	4.6	4.7	5.0	5.5	5.5	5.7	6.1	6.1
Personal income (\$ bil. annual rate)	10,269.8	10,993.9	11,663.2	11,789.2	12,033.6	12,258.4	12,274.6	12,181.9	12,226.7	12,251.2
Money stock-M2 (daily avg.) (\$ bil.) 3	6,659.7	7,012.3	7,404.3	7,313.9	7,631.3	7,640.7	7,638.7	7,679.5	7,669.9	7,769.0
Three-month Treasury bill rate (%)	3.16	4.73	4.41	4.01	1.32	1.71	1.90	1.72	1.79	1.46
AAA corporate bond yield (Moody's) (%)	5.24	5.59	5.56	5.74	5.55	5.57	5.68	5.67	5.64	5.65
Total housing starts (1,000) 4	2,068.3	1,800.9	1,355.0	1,185	1,004	982	1,089	949	872	817
Business inventory/sales ratio 6	1.27	1.27	1.27	1.27	1.25	1.24	1.23	1.24	1.27	--
Retail & food services sales (\$ bil.) 6	4,088.0	4,330.5	4,509.2	378.4	380.8	383.8	384.1	381.6	379.0	374.1
Food and beverage stores (\$ bil.)	516.9	541.7	572.2	47.1	49.0	48.9	49.4	49.5	49.8	49.7
Clothing & accessory stores (\$ bil.)	201.9	214.7	224.6	19.0	19.0	19.1	19.1	19.2	19.0	18.3
Food services & drinking places (\$ bil.)	394.6	426.2	449.3	37.3	38.1	38.3	38.4	38.5	38.5	38.8

-- = Not available. 1. In December 2003, 2000 dollars replaced 1996 dollars. 2. Population estimates based on 2000 census. 3. Annual data as of December of year listed. 4. Private, including farm. 5. Manufacturing and trade. 6. Annual total of unadjusted data.

Most of the GDP data come from news releases published by the Dept. of Commerce's Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA). GDP news releases can be found online at <http://www.bea.gov/bea/rels.htm>. For information on GDP data from BEA, contact Virginia Mannering at (202) 606-5304.

Table 3—World Economic Growth

	Calendar year									
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
	<i>Real GDP, annual percent change</i>									
World	1.7	2.5	3.7	3.4	3.8	3.6	2.7	2.4	3.4	3.6
less U.S.	1.8	2.5	3.8	3.6	4.2	4.2	3.1	2.7	3.5	3.7
Developed economies	1.2	1.8	2.8	2.4	2.8	2.3	1.4	1.2	2.5	2.6
less U.S.	1.0	1.4	2.2	2.1	2.7	2.5	1.2	1.0	2.0	2.2
United States	1.6	2.5	3.6	2.9	2.8	2.0	1.8	1.5	3.3	3.2
Canada	3.1	2.0	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.7	0.7	1.6	3.2	3.0
Japan	0.1	1.8	2.3	2.6	2.2	2.0	1.0	1.0	2.0	2.1
Australia	3.2	4.0	2.3	2.8	2.4	4.2	2.5	2.9	3.7	3.7
European Union	1.1	1.1	2.1	1.8	3.0	2.6	1.3	0.8	1.8	2.2
Transition economies	3.8	5.8	6.7	5.3	6.5	7.1	6.4	5.4	5.5	5.4
Eastern Europe	2.6	4.1	5.5	4.4	5.9	5.9	5.1	3.9	4.7	5.0
Poland	1.4	3.8	5.3	3.5	5.8	6.5	5.5	3.8	4.8	5.3
Former Soviet Union	5.1	7.7	7.9	6.2	7.0	8.2	7.7	6.9	6.1	5.6
Russia	4.7	7.3	7.2	6.4	6.7	8.1	7.8	7.0	6.2	5.7
Developing economies	3.7	5.0	7.3	6.7	7.0	7.4	6.4	5.6	6.0	6.1
Asia	6.4	6.9	8.0	7.7	8.2	8.8	7.5	6.5	6.9	7.2
East Asia	7.5	7.1	8.3	8.0	8.6	9.4	8.1	6.9	7.2	7.6
China	9.1	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.7	11.9	10.2	8.8	8.4	8.8
Taiwan	4.6	3.5	6.2	4.1	4.9	5.7	4.0	3.4	4.4	4.4
Korea	7.0	3.1	4.7	4.2	5.0	4.9	4.5	3.4	4.9	5.3
Southeast Asia	4.8	5.5	6.7	5.7	6.1	6.4	5.2	4.4	5.5	5.4
Indonesia	4.5	4.8	5.0	5.7	5.5	6.3	5.9	4.6	5.6	5.5
Malaysia	4.1	5.7	7.2	5.2	5.9	6.3	5.5	4.8	5.8	5.1
Philippines	4.4	4.9	6.2	5.0	5.4	7.2	4.4	4.3	5.5	5.6
Thailand	5.3	7.1	6.3	4.5	5.0	4.7	4.9	4.0	5.4	5.4
South Asia	3.7	7.7	8.0	8.7	8.7	8.7	7.5	6.5	7.3	7.5
India	3.7	8.4	8.3	9.2	9.2	9.3	7.8	6.9	7.7	7.9
Pakistan	3.2	4.9	7.4	7.3	6.2	6.4	6.0	4.3	5.3	5.5
Latin America	-0.6	2.1	6.3	4.7	5.6	5.7	4.5	3.9	4.0	3.7
Mexico	0.8	1.4	4.2	2.8	4.8	3.2	2.1	3.1	4.0	3.6
Caribbean/Central	3.4	2.3	4.1	7.5	9.1	8.8	5.6	4.4	4.5	4.0
South America	-1.4	2.4	7.4	5.3	5.8	6.7	5.4	4.2	4.0	3.8
Argentina	-10.9	8.8	9.0	9.2	8.5	8.6	6.8	4.1	3.8	3.7
Brazil	2.7	1.1	5.7	2.9	3.7	5.4	4.8	4.1	3.9	3.8
Colombia	1.9	3.9	4.9	4.7	6.8	8.2	4.2	4.0	3.5	3.5
Venezuela	-8.9	-7.8	18.3	10.3	10.3	8.4	5.5	4.6	4.4	3.8
Middle East	2.7	2.5	7.2	7.4	5.2	4.8	5.2	5.2	5.8	5.5
Israel	-1.2	1.7	4.4	5.2	5.1	5.3	4.1	2.9	3.4	3.5
Saudi Arabia	0.1	7.7	5.3	6.6	4.3	4.7	5.9	6.8	6.4	5.8
Turkey	7.9	5.8	8.9	7.4	6.1	4.6	3.8	3.2	6.4	6.6
Africa	3.4	4.8	4.9	4.8	5.7	5.5	5.6	5.1	5.1	4.8
North Africa	3.4	4.7	4.6	4.2	5.7	5.2	6.2	5.1	5.0	4.8
Egypt	3.2	3.1	4.2	4.5	6.8	7.1	7.2	5.5	5.2	5.0
Sub-Saharan	3.3	4.8	5.2	5.4	5.7	5.8	5.1	5.0	5.1	4.8
South Africa	3.7	3.0	5.0	5.1	5.0	5.1	3.6	3.7	4.5	4.3

The last 3 years are either estimates or forecasts. Sources: Oxford Economic Forecasting; International Financial Statistics, IMF.
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Table 4—Indexes of Prices Received and Paid by Farmers, U.S. Average

	Annual			2007		2008				
	2005	2006	2007	Oct	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct
	1990-92=100									
Prices received										
All farm products	115	115	136	141	151	158	159	156	154	145
All crops	111	120	142	149	171	183	182	177	174	157
Food grains	111	134	186	237	283	256	242	258	250	205
Feed grains and hay	95	109	152	148	227	231	225	226	219	177
Cotton	70	78	82	92	100	100	98	97	101	100
Oil-bearing crops	106	100	137	144	217	238	239	228	177	153
Fruit and nuts, all	131	154	157	172	154	151	152	158	168	164
Commercial vegetables	130	136	158	196	146	154	145	141	171	181
Potatoes and dry beans	109	125	126	104	161	184	209	195	159	142
Livestock and products	120	111	130	131	134	137	138	137	133	128
Meat animals	120	116	118	118	123	123	126	130	124	118
Dairy products	116	99	147	164	141	148	149	141	139	135
Poultry and eggs	124	111	140	134	149	154	154	151	149	149
Prices paid										
Commodities and services, interest, taxes, and wage rates (PPITW)	142	150	161	163	186	189	192	192	191	188
Production items	140	148	160	163	193	197	202	203	201	196
Feed	117	124	148	151	198	198	209	205	201	192
Livestock and poultry	138	134	131	133	127	124	123	128	125	118
Seeds	168	182	204	211	275	275	275	275	275	275
Fertilizer	164	176	216	228	364	406	441	467	468	469
Agricultural chemicals	123	128	129	130	139	141	142	147	146	146
Fuels	216	239	264	283	400	423	426	390	368	324
Farm supplies and repairs	140	145	149	150	152	153	154	155	156	157
Autos and trucks	114	112	111	110	109	109	108	107	106	105
Farm machinery	173	182	191	194	208	208	208	209	210	212
Building material	142	152	155	155	164	166	169	171	172	174
Farm services	133	139	146	147	152	154	157	157	156	155
Rent	129	141	151	151	163	163	163	163	163	163
Interest payable per acre on farm real estate debt	114	139	154	154	164	164	164	164	164	164
Taxes payable per acre on farm real estate	154	174	188	188	203	203	203	203	203	203
Wage rates (seasonally adjusted)	165	171	177	179	183	183	179	179	179	179
Prod. items, interest, taxes & wage rates (PITW)	142	151	163	165	191	195	198	199	197	193
Ratio, prices received to prices paid (%)*	81	77	84	86	81	84	83	81	81	77
Prices received (1910-14=100)	732	731	863	896	956	1,004	1,011	992	980	919
Prices paid, etc. (1910-14=100)	1,893	2,001	2,143	2,175	2,476	2,520	2,561	2,564	2,539	2,500
Parity ratio (1910-14=100) (%)*	39	36	40	41	39	40	39	39	39	37

Values for the two most recent months are revised or preliminary. *Ratio of index of prices received for all farm products to index of prices paid for commodities and services, interest, taxes, and wage rates. Ratio uses the most recent prices paid index.

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Table 5—Prices Received by Farmers, U.S. Average

	Annual 1			2007		2008				
	2005	2006	2007	Oct	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct
Crops										
All wheat (\$/bu.)	3.42	4.26	6.48	7.65	8.87	7.62	7.16	7.64	7.43	5.79
Rice, rough (\$/cwt)	7.65	9.96	11.50	10.80	16.10	16.80	17.20	18.00	17.10	17.00
Corn (\$/bu.)	2.00	3.04	4.00	3.29	5.28	5.48	5.24	5.26	5.02	3.99
Sorghum grain (\$/cwt)	3.33	5.88	6.95	6.18	9.32	10.10	9.07	8.40	8.21	5.75
All hay, baled (\$/ton) ²	98.20	110.00	133.00	128.00	166.00	161.00	164.00	165.00	161.00	157.00
Soybeans (\$/bu.)	5.66	6.43	10.40	8.36	12.10	13.20	13.30	12.80	10.70	8.66
Cotton, upland (¢/lb.)	47.70	46.50	53.50	55.50	60.50	60.40	59.30	58.50	61.10	60.80
Potatoes (\$/cwt)	7.06	7.33	7.12	5.68	9.16	10.78	12.33	11.33	8.79	7.86
Lettuce (\$/cwt)	15.50	16.90	22.00	44.40	13.60	17.70	17.30	17.20	31.90	33.70
Tomatoes, fresh (\$/cwt)	41.80	44.00	34.50	41.60	48.20	58.00	38.60	30.00	26.00	24.60
Onions (\$/cwt)	12.40	15.70	10.40	4.47	23.30	17.60	15.10	12.00	13.30	14.40
Beans, dry edible (\$/cwt)	18.50	22.10	26.40	25.90	35.70	33.00	36.50	38.00	36.80	33.80
Apples for fresh use (¢/lb.) ³	24.40	31.70	37.70	37.90	33.90	40.90	44.60	53.40	53.60	44.20
Pears for fresh use (\$/ton) ³	358.00	397.00	416.00	526.00	525.00	654.00	710.00	588.00	575.00	600.00
Oranges, all uses (\$/box)	4.41	6.11	9.26	9.60	6.95	6.91	5.59	4.78	5.71	4.22
Grapefruit, all uses (\$/box)	12.65	8.74	4.77	10.06	5.12	6.77	5.83	4.58	5.21	10.41
Livestock										
Cattle, all beef (\$/cwt)	89.70	87.20	89.90	90.90	91.10	92.00	95.10	96.10	94.40	88.60
Calves (\$/cwt)	135.00	133.00	119.00	123.00	119.00	118.00	115.00	116.00	113.00	108.00
Hogs, all (\$/cwt)	50.20	46.00	46.60	42.40	55.30	53.30	54.20	60.60	52.70	50.70
Lambs (\$/cwt)	110.00	95.50	98.50	97.00	100.00	102.00	103.00	99.60	99.60	--
All milk (\$/cwt) ⁴	15.19	12.96	19.21	21.40	18.40	19.30	19.20	18.40	18.20	17.60
Milk, manuf. grade (\$/cwt)	14.42	12.19	18.16	19.60	18.70	19.80	18.90	17.60	17.50	17.40
Broilers, live (¢/lb.) ⁵	43.60	36.30	43.60	40.00	48.00	48.00	50.00	47.00	45.00	45.00
Eggs, all (¢/doz.) ²	54.00	58.20	88.50	93.50	86.90	106.00	84.10	96.50	99.80	102.00
Turkeys (¢/lb.) ^{2,5}	44.90	47.90	47.20	61.50	58.00	60.10	61.10	63.40	66.50	64.60

-- = Not available. Values for the two most recent months are revised or preliminary. 1. Season-average price by crop year for crops. Calendar year average of monthly prices for livestock. 2. Mid-month price. 3. Equivalent packinghouse-door returns for CA, MI, and NY (apples only), and WA (apples, peaches and pears). 4. Before deductions for hauling. Includes quality, quantity, and other premiums. Excludes hauling subsidies. 5. Equivalent liveweight returns to producers.

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Table 6—Consumer Price Indexes for All Urban Consumers, U.S. Average (not seasonally adjusted)

	Annual		2007		2008					
	2005	2006	2007	Oct	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct
	<i>1982-84=100</i>									
Consumer Price Index, all items	195.3	201.6	207.3	208.9	216.6	218.8	220.0	219.1	218.8	216.6
CPI, all items less food	196.0	202.7	208.1	209.5	217.4	219.8	220.8	219.6	219.0	216.3
All food	190.7	195.2	202.9	205.8	212.1	213.2	215.3	216.4	217.7	218.7
Food away from home	193.4	199.4	206.7	209.3	214.0	215.0	216.4	217.1	218.2	219.3
Food at home	189.8	193.1	201.2	204.3	211.9	213.2	215.8	217.3	218.6	219.7
Meats	187.5	188.8	195.0	196.6	197.3	199.7	202.3	205.8	208.1	209.7
Beef and veal	200.4	202.1	211.1	212.5	215.9	219.5	221.4	226.6	227.0	229.4
Pork	177.7	177.3	180.9	183.2	181.3	184.5	187.6	189.9	192.7	192.0
Poultry	185.3	182.0	191.4	195.6	199.1	199.8	201.8	203.5	205.1	204.4
Fish and seafood	200.1	209.5	219.1	222.1	230.1	232.4	233.6	236.8	238.3	239.9
Eggs	144.1	151.2	195.3	208.0	217.1	217.2	218.7	209.9	219.5	213.3
Dairy and related products	182.4	181.4	194.8	205.3	207.8	209.1	214.0	214.7	213.5	212.7
Fats and oils	167.7	168.0	172.9	176.1	193.4	196.2	201.2	203.1	206.3	208.3
Fresh fruits	297.4	315.2	329.5	330.8	353.4	346.0	343.5	350.3	357.5	350.4
Fresh vegetables	271.7	284.3	293.5	292.7	298.5	307.2	313.8	313.4	311.3	314.5
Potatoes	247.7	273.1	280.4	278.8	294.6	311.3	347.0	366.8	376.3	365.4
Cereals and bakery products	209.0	212.8	222.1	224.7	244.2	245.8	250.3	250.1	250.9	252.8
Sugar and sweets	165.2	171.5	176.8	177.2	185.1	185.6	187.1	187.8	189.9	190.5
Nonalcoholic beverages ¹	144.4	147.4	153.4	155.5	158.3	158.3	159.3	160.1	161.5	163.7
Apparel										
Footwear	122.6	123.5	122.4	124.7	125.5	123.6	122.4	122.0	124.9	126.4
Tobacco and smoking products	502.8	519.9	554.2	560.6	581.2	589.9	596.8	597.4	597.6	599.7
Alcoholic beverages	195.9	200.7	207.0	209.1	213.5	213.9	214.4	215.1	216.1	217.0

1. Nonalcoholic beverages and beverage materials.

This table is compiled with data provided by the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS). BLS operates a website at <http://www.bls.gov> and a Consumer Prices Information Hotline at (202) 691-7000.

Table 7—Producer Price Indexes, U.S. Average (not seasonally adjusted)

	Annual			2007	2008					
	2005	2006	2007	Sep	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep
	<i>1982=100</i>									
All commodities	157.4	164.7	172.6	173.5	190.9	196.6	200.5	205.6	199.9	197.2
Finished goods ¹	155.7	160.4	166.6	167.4	176.5	179.8	182.4	185.0	182.1	182.0
All foods ²	153.8	154.8	166.6	168.4	177.3	179.2	182.0	182.8	182.6	184.4
Consumer foods	155.7	156.7	167.0	168.4	175.5	177.6	180.0	180.9	181.4	182.0
Fresh fruits and melons	102.8	111.0	123.4	112.2	126.5	133.7	131.5	114.7	111.3	113.8
Fresh and dry vegetables	142.6	153.3	165.5	150.9	173.4	160.9	179.7	167.5	143.6	184.4
Canned fruits and juices	148.0	152.9	169.3	171.0	174.8	178.9	178.6	178.4	179.1	186.4
Frozen fruits, juices and ades	140.6	181.5	178.6	162.5	171.5	171.8	171.5	152.5	149.6	149.3
Fresh vegetables except potatoes	153.5	160.5	178.7	162.7	179.3	170.7	191.7	168.3	146.1	158.7
Canned vegetables and juices	137.1	139.7	143.5	144.0	151.2	150.2	151.3	153.6	164.9	164.9
Frozen vegetables	137.0	139.7	147.9	149.9	156.5	156.7	157.1	158.3	161.7	164.5
Irish potatoes for consumer use	115.8	160.0	129.0	121.5	159.2	154.5	242.3	230.7	284.1	290.5
Eggs for fresh use	79.6	90.0	132.6	154.2	148.8	124.8	144.0	123.1	134.2	150.6
Bakery products	201.1	207.7	216.6	218.3	234.4	235.4	237.0	240.5	240.5	241.3
Meats	139.0	135.3	138.9	138.6	137.3	143.2	145.0	152.5	159.0	156.5
Beef/veal products, fresh or frozen	147.4	142.3	146.1	145.4	146.7	152.6	156.1	167.6	170.3	166.3
Pork prods., fresh, froz. or processed	131.9	128.0	133.3	132.4	125.0	134.0	133.5	137.7	151.6	145.5
Processed poultry	128.6	118.1	133.2	136.4	136.3	139.6	141.4	142.7	140.5	141.2
Unprocessed and packaged fish	222.6	237.4	242.8	235.5	262.4	259.9	246.2	252.9	251.6	261.6
Dairy products	154.5	147.5	175.7	189.7	181.2	182.0	187.9	189.3	187.0	183.2
Processed fruits and vegetables	140.4	148.9	157.4	157.0	164.2	165.0	165.7	165.1	169.2	171.9
Shortening and cooking oil	176.7	183.7	211.7	215.4	301.2	317.7	320.2	335.1	317.6	298.3
Soft drinks	159.1	162.8	166.7	167.9	171.7	173.8	172.6	176.3	175.5	175.2
Finished consumer goods less foods	161.9	169.2	175.6	177.0	189.6	195.0	199.0	203.2	197.4	196.7
Alcoholic beverages	158.5	160.1	160.2	160.7	165.7	165.5	165.9	166.6	166.8	166.9
Apparel	125.6	125.9	127.0	127.0	127.8	127.7	127.6	128.0	128.5	128.2
Footwear	148.1	149.3	151.6	151.8	155.8	155.8	157.1	157.9	157.9	157.9
Tobacco prods., incl. fresh & redried	457.8	460.0	489.1	492.9	500.2	511.5	512.0	511.6	512.0	513.4
Intermediate materials ³	154.0	164.0	170.7	172.2	187.3	192.8	197.2	202.5	200.2	198.7
Materials for food manufacturing	146.0	146.2	161.4	166.6	180.3	182.7	185.4	187.7	187.4	185.2
Flour	133.6	145.8	178.4	201.0	269.1	254.2	252.5	231.7	235.1	218.8
Refined sugar and byproducts ⁴	124.9	149.9	132.6	129.2	127.4	129.0	132.3	134.0	140.2	145.0
Crude materials ⁵	182.2	184.8	207.1	204.6	274.6	293.1	301.2	317.9	280.0	257.8
Foodstuffs and feedstuffs	122.7	119.3	146.7	151.9	168.1	173.2	178.1	179.3	170.4	168.0
Fruits, melons, fresh/dry vegs. & nuts	130.1	140.2	153.9	142.3	159.9	157.2	165.1	150.9	138.1	158.9
Grains	83.4	101.4	148.2	146.3	239.8	233.4	251.1	235.4	210.2	202.4
Slaughter livestock	119.2	113.6	121.2	122.1	119.0	131.4	128.9	132.8	141.6	133.8
Slaughter poultry	168.6	150.8	188.0	202.6	195.0	201.9	206.3	218.6	201.2	199.5
Plant and animal fibers	79.7	80.4	83.9	87.5	104.3	101.7	101.5	101.4	99.9	108.6
Fluid milk	113.5	96.7	143.3	162.4	134.9	138.0	144.8	145.4	138.6	134.8
Oilseeds	113.4	106.8	150.9	158.5	244.9	244.2	260.4	278.1	218.8	219.4

-- = Not available. 1. Commodities ready for sale to ultimate consumer. 2. Includes all raw, intermediate, and processed foods (excludes soft drinks, alcoholic beverages, and manufactured animal feeds). 3. Commodities requiring further processing to become finished goods. 4. All types and sizes of refined sugar. 5. Products entering market for the first time that have not been manufactured at that point.

This table is compiled with data provided by the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS). BLS operates a website at <http://www.bls.gov> and a Producer Prices Information Hotline at (202) 691-7705.

Table 8—Farm-Retail Price Spreads

	Annual			2007	2008					
	2005	2006	2007	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June
Market basket ¹										
Retail cost (1982-84=100)	198.2	201.8	211.0	216.4	219.0	219.0	218.4	220.9	222.4	224.0
Farm value (1982-84=100)	122.2	119.5	141.9	152.4	151.1	147.9	146.2	144.7	149.8	153.9
Farm-retail spread (1982-84=100)	239.2	246.2	248.3	250.8	255.6	257.3	257.3	261.9	261.6	261.8
Farm value-retail cost (%)	21.6	20.7	23.6	24.7	24.2	23.6	23.4	22.9	23.6	24.1
Meat products										
Retail cost (1982-84=100)	187.5	188.9	195.0	195.6	196.0	195.6	195.9	196.5	197.3	199.7
Farm value (1982-84=100)	121.4	116.7	124.7	124.3	122.8	121.3	117.7	118.2	125.5	126.9
Farm-retail spread (1982-84=100)	255.4	263.0	267.1	268.8	271.1	271.8	276.2	276.9	270.9	274.4
Farm value-retail cost (%)	32.8	31.3	32.4	32.2	31.7	31.4	30.4	30.5	32.2	32.2
Dairy products										
Retail cost (1982-84=100)	182.4	181.2	194.8	205.3	206.9	208.2	206.2	207.7	207.8	209.1
Farm value (1982-84=100)	118.7	101.7	152.9	170.9	163.5	152.5	141.8	143.0	145.0	151.6
Farm-retail spread (1982-84=100)	241.1	254.5	233.3	237.0	246.9	259.6	265.5	267.3	265.7	262.1
Farm value-retail cost (%)	31.2	26.9	37.7	39.9	37.9	35.1	33.0	33.0	33.5	34.8
Poultry										
Retail cost (1982-84=100)	185.3	182.0	191.4	194.0	196.9	195.8	196.1	197.5	199.1	199.8
Farm value (1982-84=100)	139.4	128.5	154.8	144.7	151.8	158.5	150.3	151.3	158.2	159.2
Farm-retail spread (1982-84=100)	238.1	243.7	233.4	250.8	248.8	238.7	248.9	250.7	246.2	246.6
Farm value-retail cost (%)	40.3	37.8	43.3	39.9	41.3	43.3	41.0	41.0	42.5	42.6
Eggs										
Retail cost (1982-84=100)	144.1	150.6	195.3	234.0	237.9	238.8	240.1	233.2	217.1	217.2
Farm value (1982-84=100)	60.1	69.5	136.3	220.0	206.2	209.7	223.4	151.9	120.0	159.3
Farm-retail spread (1982-84=100)	295.2	296.2	301.3	259.2	294.8	291.1	270.0	379.2	391.6	321.2
Farm value-retail cost (%)	26.8	29.7	44.8	60.4	55.7	56.4	59.8	41.8	35.5	47.1
Cereal and bakery products										
Retail cost (1982-84=100)	209.0	213.0	222.1	226.5	228.7	233.4	236.3	240.0	244.2	245.8
Farm value (1982-84=100)	96.4	111.1	149.5	187.3	181.6	216.8	230.5	220.2	206.3	195.1
Farm-retail spread (1982-84=100)	224.6	227.2	232.2	232.0	235.3	235.7	237.1	242.8	249.5	252.9
Farm value-retail cost (%)	5.7	6.4	8.2	10.1	9.7	11.4	11.9	11.2	10.3	9.7
Fresh fruit										
Retail cost (1982-84=100)	330.7	350.6	367.6	385.1	392.1	377.0	367.1	378.1	390.5	381.4
Farm value (1982-84=100)	173.4	195.8	193.4	214.2	253.2	175.4	161.6	178.0	219.9	203.6
Farm-retail spread (1982-84=100)	403.3	422.1	448.1	464.0	456.2	470.1	462.0	470.5	469.3	463.5
Farm value-retail cost (%)	16.6	17.6	16.6	17.6	20.4	14.7	13.9	14.9	17.8	16.9
Fresh vegetables										
Retail cost (1982-84=100)	271.7	283.0	293.5	306.1	317.5	305.0	301.5	299.8	298.5	307.2
Farm value (1982-84=100)	145.5	156.7	169.0	165.5	147.9	131.9	158.1	167.3	183.9	200.7
Farm-retail spread (1982-84=100)	336.7	347.9	357.4	378.4	404.7	394.0	375.2	367.9	357.4	361.9
Farm value-retail cost (%)	18.2	18.8	19.6	18.4	15.8	14.7	17.8	19.0	20.9	22.2
Processed fruits and vegetables										
Retail cost (1982-84=100)	192.3	201.2	208.7	210.7	214.4	218.0	215.7	220.9	224.3	227.4
Farm value (1982-84=100)	137.7	140.1	145.8	154.9	151.4	155.4	157.1	158.5	158.6	159.6
Farm-retail spread (1982-84=100)	209.4	220.3	228.3	228.1	234.0	237.5	234.0	240.4	244.8	248.6
Farm value-retail cost (%)	17.0	16.6	16.6	17.5	16.8	16.9	17.3	17.1	16.8	16.7
Fats and oils										
Retail cost (1982-84=100)	167.7	167.8	172.9	176.1	181.8	184.9	182.8	190.6	193.4	196.2
Farm value (1982-84=100)	108.2	101.9	150.9	187.5	208.8	228.1	234.1	235.1	243.9	260.9
Farm-retail spread (1982-84=100)	189.6	192.1	181.1	171.9	171.9	169.0	163.9	174.2	174.8	172.4
Farm value-retail cost (%)	17.3	16.3	23.5	28.6	30.9	33.2	34.4	33.2	33.9	35.8

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Table 8—Farm-Retail Price Spreads (continued)

	Annual			2007			2008			
	2005	2006	2007	Oct	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct
Beef, all fresh retail value (cents/lb.)	364.3	361.3	377.4	377.3	390.2	393.5	399.1	409.0	411.4	411.2
Beef, Choice										
Retail value (cents/lb.) ²	409.1	397.0	415.8	413.0	424.1	429.6	434.0	452.6	450.9	451.1
Wholesale value (cents/lb.) ³	226.1	228.0	231.0	222.0	239.3	243.1	255.2	248.3	244.3	228.5
Net farm value (cents/lb.) ⁴	191.7	187.3	197.8	196.3	198.9	201.1	207.1	208.0	207.2	194.1
Farm-retail spread (cents/lb.)	217.4	209.7	218.0	216.7	225.2	228.5	226.9	244.6	243.7	257.0
Wholesale-retail (cents/lb.) ⁵	183.0	169.0	184.8	191.0	184.8	186.5	178.8	204.3	206.6	222.6
Farm-wholesale (cents/lb.) ⁶	34.4	40.7	33.2	25.7	40.4	42.0	48.1	40.3	37.1	34.4
Farm value-retail value (%)	46.9	47.2	47.6	47.5	46.9	46.8	47.7	46.0	46.0	43.0
Pork										
Retail value (cents/lb.) ²	282.7	280.8	287.1	292.9	290.3	293.3	296.2	301.7	302.6	302.8
Wholesale value (cents/lb.) ³	124.9	121.4	121.5	114.6	135.5	134.8	139.9	148.5	134.4	125.3
Net farm value (cents/lb.) ⁴	88.0	83.3	82.0	72.5	100.0	94.3	96.9	107.8	90.7	81.2
Farm-retail spread (cents/lb.)	194.7	197.5	205.1	220.4	190.3	199.0	199.3	193.9	211.9	221.6
Wholesale-retail (cents/lb.) ⁵	157.8	159.4	165.6	178.3	154.8	158.5	156.3	153.2	168.2	177.5
Farm-wholesale (cents/lb.) ⁶	36.9	38.1	39.5	42.1	35.5	40.5	43.0	40.7	43.7	44.1
Farm value-retail value (%)	31.1	29.7	28.6	24.8	34.4	32.2	32.7	35.7	30.0	26.8

1. Retail costs are based on CPI-U of retail prices for domestically produced farm foods, published monthly by the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS). Farm value is the payment for the quantity of farm equivalent to the retail unit, less allowance for by-product. Farm values are based on prices at first point of sale, and may include marketing charges such as grading and packing for some commodities. The farm-retail spread, the difference between the retail value and farm value, represents charges for assembling, processing, transporting, and distributing. 2. Weighted-average value of retail cuts from pork and Choice yield grade 3 beef. Prices from BLS. 3. Value of wholesale (boxed beef) and wholesale cuts (pork) equivalent to 1 pound of retail cuts adjusted for transportation costs and by-product values. 4. Market value to producer for live animal equivalent to 1 lb. of retail cuts, minus value of by-products. 5. Charges for retailing and other marketing services such as wholesaling and in-city transportation. 6. Charges for livestock marketing, processing, and transportation. *Information contacts: Howard Elitzak (202) 694-5375, William F. Hahn (202) 694-5175*

Table 9—Price Indexes of Food Marketing Costs

	Annual			2006			2007			2008
	2005	2006	2007	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I
	1987=100*									
Labor—hourly earnings and benefits	572.9	581.2	601.9	583.5	587.0	595.4	600.5	603.8	607.7	611.5
Processing	578.9	579.3	597.2	579.7	582.9	590.0	596.2	600.4	602.1	609.3
Wholesaling	664.1	687.2	732.3	698.0	699.6	719.4	730.6	734.4	744.8	744.5
Retailing	526.8	536.4	548.9	536.8	541.3	546.3	547.4	549.4	552.6	554.9
Packaging and containers	465.9	489.4	500.4	492.5	492.0	494.0	497.4	502.0	508.2	518.1
Paperboard boxes and containers	427.0	446.3	458.5	453.5	453.8	454.3	456.2	457.9	465.7	469.4
Metal cans	506.5	528.7	563.1	533.0	530.3	551.9	565.5	566.5	568.3	579.8
Paper bags and related products	555.1	599.6	604.1	603.0	597.8	582.2	582.3	594.1	604.1	615.4
Plastic films and bottles	422.6	440.7	431.9	436.2	438.2	429.0	426.2	432.6	440.0	453.4
Glass containers	528.4	547.6	580.6	547.0	550.6	570.1	577.0	586.3	588.9	613.6
Metal foil	254.1	272.0	279.9	277.2	279.0	281.9	279.8	280.3	277.7	276.7
Transportation services	465.5	482.8	500.7	494.4	487.6	483.7	492.5	506.6	520.2	542.9
Advertising	718.9	735.1	770.3	739.7	743.7	768.7	769.5	770.2	772.6	775.3
Fuel and power	1,004.9	1,086.7	1,149.4	1,111.2	1,039.8	1,049.3	1,129.8	1,144.7	1,273.8	1,294.2
Electric	570.6	620.8	641.6	642.4	611.2	620.0	640.0	665.1	641.3	643.9
Petroleum	1,268.2	1,464.0	1,591.3	1,555.6	1,372.9	1,349.7	1,563.4	1,615.6	1,836.5	2,059.0
Natural gas	1,732.3	1,705.6	1,683.5	1,626.8	1,631.7	1,698.0	1,718.7	1,644.8	1,672.5	1,756.9
Communications, water and sewage	329.8	338.7	351.2	339.9	342.7	346.2	349.6	353.7	355.3	358.2
Rent	264.0	272.4	275.9	272.7	274.8	275.9	275.9	275.5	276.3	276.2
Maintenance and repair	639.2	667.7	686.7	670.7	676.9	681.3	684.9	688.2	692.5	702.3
Business services	609.2	614.0	634.0	616.3	620.7	627.3	631.4	635.8	641.3	645.6
Supplies	388.7	418.2	435.5	425.1	421.6	422.6	432.0	436.8	450.6	461.9
Property taxes and insurance	724.0	732.5	757.3	736.9	744.4	750.4	754.5	759.0	765.3	770.5
Interest, short-term	58.7	83.1	76.7	86.1	85.1	85.4	83.1	76.5	61.7	36.2
Total marketing cost index	553.8	571.2	590.8	575.8	573.9	580.3	588.4	593.3	601.1	611.6

Last two quarters preliminary. * Indexes measure changes in employee earnings and benefits and in prices of supplies used in processing, wholesaling, and retailing U.S. farm foods purchased for at-home consumption. *Information contact: Howard Elitzak (202) 694-5375*

Table 10—U.S. Meat Supply & Use

	Beg. stocks	Production1	Imports	Total supply	Exports	Ending stocks	Consumption		Conversion factor3	Primary market price4
							Total	Per capita2		
							Million lbs.5			
							Lbs.		\$/cwt	
Beef										
2004	518	24,650	3,679	28,847	460	637	27,750	66	0.700	84.75
2005	637	24,787	3,599	29,023	697	571	27,754	66	0.700	87.28
2006	571	26,256	3,085	29,912	1,145	630	28,137	66	0.700	85.41
2007	630	26,523	3,052	30,205	1,431	630	28,144	65	0.700	91.82
2008	630	26,682	2,930	30,242	1,515	600	28,127	65	0.700	88-92
Pork										
2004	532	20,529	1,099	22,160	2,181	543	19,437	51	0.776	52.51
2005	543	20,705	1,024	22,272	2,666	494	19,112	50	0.776	50.05
2006	494	21,074	990	22,558	2,995	514	19,048	49	0.776	47.26
2007	514	21,962	968	23,444	3,138	542	19,763	51	0.776	47.09
2008	542	23,554	925	25,021	3,735	600	20,686	53	0.776	40-42
Veal6										
2004	5	176	0	181	0	4	177	0.6	0.83	121.59
2005	4	165	0	169	0	5	164	0.6	0.83	135.42
2006	5	156	0	161	0	6	155	0.5	0.83	133.42
2007	6	145	0	151	0	7	144	0.5	0.83	122.25
2008	7	150	0	157	0	4	153	0.5	0.83	116.36
Lamb and mutton										
2004	4	200	181	385	8	3	373	1	0.89	96.69
2005	3	191	180	375	9	10	355	1	0.89	97.76
2006	10	190	190	390	18	16	356	1	0.89	77.31
2007	16	188	202	406	10	13	384	1	0.89	84.93
2008	13	181	200	394	9	18	367	1	0.89	88.06
Total red meat										
2004	1,059	45,555	4,960	51,574	2,649	1,187	47,737	119	--	--
2005	1,187	45,848	4,803	51,838	3,373	1,080	47,385	117	--	--
2006	1,080	47,675	4,265	53,020	4,158	1,166	47,696	117	--	--
2007	1,166	48,817	4,223	54,206	4,579	1,192	48,435	118	--	--
2008	1,192	50,567	4,055	55,814	5,259	1,222	48,333	119	--	--
<i>¢/lb</i>										
Broilers										
2004	608	33,699	27	34,334	4,783	713	28,837	84	0.859	74
2005	713	34,986	34	35,733	5,203	924	29,607	86	0.859	71
2006	924	35,120	47	36,090	5,205	745	30,139	87	0.859	64
2007	745	35,739	61	36,545	5,772	739	30,034	85	0.859	76
2008	739	36,505	60	37,304	6,000	675	30,629	86	0.859	78-82
Mature chickens										
2004	3	504	2	509	213	3	293	1	1	--
2005	3	516	1	520	130	2	388	1	1	--
2006	2	504	3	509	159	5	345	1	1	--
2007	5	498	4	507	165	2	341	1	1	--
2008	2	525	3	529	150	2	377	1	1	--
Turkeys										
2004	354	5,383	5	5,741	442	288	5,010	17	1	70
2005	288	5,432	8	5,728	570	206	4,952	17	1	73
2006	206	5,607	12	5,825	547	218	5,060	17	1	77
2007	218	5,880	9	6,107	554	261	5,292	18	1	82
2008	261	6,084	12	6,357	605	275	5,477	18	1	83-87
Total poultry										
2004	966	39,585	33	40,584	5,439	1,005	34,140	102	--	--
2005	1,005	40,935	42	41,981	5,902	1,132	34,947	104	--	--
2006	1,132	41,231	61	42,425	5,911	969	35,544	105	--	--
2007	969	42,117	74	43,159	6,490	1,002	35,667	104	--	--
2008	1,002	43,114	75	44,190	6,755	952	36,483	106	--	--
Red meat and poultry										
2004	2,025	85,140	4,993	92,157	8,089	2,192	81,877	222	--	--
2005	2,192	86,783	4,845	93,819	9,274	2,212	82,333	221	--	--
2006	2,212	88,907	4,326	95,445	10,070	2,135	83,240	221	--	--
2007	2,135	90,934	4,297	97,365	11,069	2,194	84,102	222	--	--
2008	2,194	93,681	4,130	100,004	12,014	2,174	85,816	224	--	--

-- = Not available. Values for the last 2 years are forecasts. 1. Total including farm production for red meat and federally inspected plus nonfederally inspected for poultry. 2. Retail-weight basis. 3. Red meat, carcass to retail conversion; poultry, ready-to-cook production to retail weight. 4. Beef: Medium #1, Nebraska Direct 1,100-1,300 lb.; pork: barrows and gilts, Iowa, Southern Minnesota; veal: farm price of calves; lamb and mutton: choice slaughter lambs, San Angelo; broilers: wholesale 12-city average; turkeys: wholesale NY 8-16 lb. young hens. 5. Carcass weight for red meats and certified ready-to-cook for poultry. 6. Beginning in 1989, veal trade is no longer reported separately. *Information contact: Mary Teymourian (202) 694-5173*

Table 11—U.S. Egg Supply & Use

	Beg. stocks	Production	Imports	Total Supply	Exports	Hatching Use	Ending Stocks	Consumption		Primary
								Total	Per Capita	Market Price
	Million Dozen							Number	\$/doz.	
2000	7.6	7,062.0	8.4	7,078.0	171.1	940.2	11.4	5,955.3	253.1	0.689
2001	11.4	7,187.0	8.9	7,207.3	190.0	964.2	10.4	6,042.7	254.1	0.671
2002	10.4	7,270.0	15.0	7,295.4	174.0	961.3	10.3	6,149.8	256.0	0.671
2003	10.3	7,296.0	13.3	7,319.6	146.0	959.4	13.7	6,200.5	255.7	0.879
2004	13.7	7,440.0	12.7	7,466.4	167.6	988.1	14.5	6,296.2	257.3	0.822
2005	14.5	7,511.0	8.5	7,534.0	203.3	996.7	16.0	6,318.0	255.8	0.655
2006	16.0	7,610.0	8.6	7,634.6	202.1	992.2	12.5	6,427.8	257.8	0.718
2007	12.5	7,547.0	13.6	7,573.1	250.3	1,014.5	11.1	6,297.2	250.1	1.144
2008	11.1	7,535.0	15.2	7,561.3	204.8	1,010.0	14.0	6,332.5	249.2	1.18 - 1.28

Values for the last year are forecasts. Values for previous year are preliminary. * Cartoned grade A large eggs, New York. *Information contact:*

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Table 12—U.S. Milk Supply & Use

Production	Commercial				Total commercial supply	Commercial				CCC net removals			
	Farm use	Farm marketings	Beg. stocks	Imports		CCC net removals	Ending stocks	Exports	Disappearance	All milk price ¹	Skim solids basis	Total solids basis ²	
<i>Billion lbs. (milkfat basis)</i>										<i>\$/cwt</i>	<i>Billion lbs.</i>		
2000	167.4	1.3	166.1	6.1	4.4	176.7	0.8	6.9		169.0	12.40	8.6	5.5
2001	165.3	1.2	164.1	6.8	5.7	176.7	0.1	7.0		169.5	15.04	5.8	3.5
2002	170.1	1.1	168.9	7.0	5.1	181.1	0.3	9.9		170.9	12.18	9.7	6.0
2003	170.4	1.1	169.3	9.9	5.0	184.2	1.2	8.3		174.7	12.55	8.1	5.4
2004	170.9	1.1	169.8	8.3	5.3	183.4	-0.1	7.2		176.4	16.05	1.3	0.7
2005	176.9	1.1	175.8	7.2	5.0	187.9	0.0	8.0	3.3	176.7	15.13	-1.0	-0.6
2006	181.8	1.2	180.6	8.0	5.0	193.6	0.0	9.5	3.4	180.7	12.88	0.7	0.4
2007	185.6	1.2	184.4	9.5	4.6	198.6	0.0	10.4	5.7	182.5	19.13	0.0	0.0
2008	189.6	1.2	188.4	10.4	3.4	202.2	0.0	9.5	8.4	184.3	18.45	0.6	0.4
2009	191.1	1.2	189.9	9.5	3.6	203.0	0.0	8.9	6.7	187.4	16.95	0.0	0.0

Values for latest year are forecasts. Values for the preceding year are preliminary. 1. Delivered to plants and dealers; does not reflect deductions.

2. Arbitrarily weighted average of milkfat basis (40 percent) and skim solids basis (60 percent). *Information contact: Roger Hoskin (202) 694-5148*

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Table 13—Poultry & Eggs

	Annual			2007			2008			
	2005	2006	2007	Jul	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul
Broilers										
Federally inspected slaughter certified (mil. lbs.)	35,364.8	35,499.6	36,125.8	3,053.3	2,910.4	2,967.1	3,193.1	3,160.7	3,078.0	3,225.2
Wholesale price, 12-city (cents/lb.)	70.8	64.3	76.4	80.7	78.8	79.5	77.8	81.6	82.5	84.6
Price of grower feed (\$/ton) ¹	123.8	126.1	180.7	174.1	277.8	255.6	278.8	282.4	300.0	294.1
Broiler-feed price ratio ²	7.0	5.8	5.0	5.4	3.6	3.6	3.3	3.4	3.2	3.4
Stocks beginning of period (mil. lbs.)	701.8	910.4	732.3	619.2	752.2	742.8	746.6	727.5	724.6	739.2
Broiler-type chicks hatched (mil.)	9,481.8	9,426.5	9,591.2	819.0	777.2	832.9	797.5	823.7	806.2	806.6
Turkeys										
Federally inspected slaughter certified (mil. lbs.)	5,504.3	5,681.7	5,957.6	504.9	506.5	488.0	520.3	520.7	523.8	547.9
Wholesale price, Eastern U.S. 8-16 lb. young hens (cents/lb.)	73.4	76.9	82.1	86.9	76.4	82.2	86.0	89.2	91.5	92.9
Price of turkey grower feed (\$/ton) ¹	114.7	122.5	174.5	168.2	263.9	264.5	275.5	269.8	279.5	271.6
Turkey-feed price ratio ²	7.8	7.7	6.0	6.6	3.6	4.0	4.0	4.3	4.3	4.5
Stocks beginning of period (mil. lbs.)	288.4	206.2	218.4	448.4	327.6	416.7	428.1	491.3	522.4	562.7
Poults placed in U.S. (mil.)	276.3	296.7	308.3	27.3	25.0	26.4	25.9	27.1	25.6	26.6
Eggs										
Farm production (mil.)	90,116.0	91,326.0	90,544.0	7,599.0	7,113.0	7,673.0	7,381.0	7,571.0	7,370.0	7,599.0
Average number of layers (mil.)	344.1	347.9	344.0	340.0	343.1	341.9	341.2	340.3	388.6	336.2
Rate of lay (eggs per layer on farms)	261.9	262.5	263.2	22.3	20.7	22.4	21.6	22.3	21.8	22.6
Cartoned price, New York, grade A large (cents/doz.) ³	65.5	71.8	114.4	115.2	157.3	161.8	123.4	103.8	124.9	105.4
Price of laying feed (\$/ton) ¹	163.6	160.6	184.5	176.6	236.0	235.9	278.4	299.7	294.4	317.4
Egg-feed price ratio ²	7.0	7.5	10.2	10.7	11.1	11.7	7.4	5.8	7.2	5.3
Stocks, first of month Frozen (mil. doz.)	14.5	16.0	12.5	13.2	9.1	12.7	12.4	12.2	9.4	12.3
Replacement chicks hatched (mil.)	436.3	426.6	443.0	36.0	37.5	39.5	41.1	42.7	42.5	37.9

1. Calculated from price ratios that were revised February 1995. 2. Pounds of feed equal in value to 1 dozen eggs or 1 lb. of broiler or turkey liveweight (revised February 1995). 3. Price of cartoned eggs to volume buyers for delivery to retailers.

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Table 14—Dairy

	Annual			2007	2008					
	2005	2006	2007	Aug	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug
Class III (cheese milk) 3.5% fat (\$/cwt)	14.05	11.89	18.04	19.83	18.00	16.76	18.18	20.25	18.24	17.32
Chicago Mercantile Exchange prices										
Butter (cents/lb.)	154.8	123.6	136.8	144.6	134.5	139.1	147.5	150.0	153.9	162.8
Am. cheese, 40 pound blocks (cents/lb.)	149.3	125.6	175.8	195.5	182.3	188.3	209.8	203.5	196.7	174.0
Wholesale price										
Nonfat dry milk (cents/lb.) ¹	99.2	102.4	181.1	204.7	132.2	135.3	140.4	146.5	145.0	144.4
USDA net removals										
Total (mil. lb.) ²	-39.1	14.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Butter (mil. lb.)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Am. cheese (mil. lb.)	-2.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Nonfat dry milk (mil. lb.)	-81.5	62.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Milk										
Milk prod. 20 states (mil. lb.)	161,582	166,645	170,734	14,323	15,134	14,389	15,375	14,678	14,762	14,539
Milk per cow (lb.)	19,857	20,210	20,516	1,719	1,794	1,757	1,818	1,735	1,743	1,717
Number of milk cows (1,000)	8,138	8,246	8,322	8,330	8,436	8,448	8,459	8,460	8,470	8,467
U.S. milk production (mil. lb.) ³	176,989	181,839	186,232	15,525	16,435	16,097	16,674	15,913	15,945	15,699
Stocks, beginning ²										
Total (mil. lb.)	7,331	8,027	9,510	13,715	11,592	12,118	12,989	13,628	13,604	13,351
Commercial (mil. lb.)	7,154	8,007	9,500	13,708	11,592	12,118	12,989	13,628	13,604	13,351
Government (mil. lb.)	177	20	10	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
Imports, total (mil. lb.) ²	5,071	4,981	4,638	339	262	242	264	243	224	--
Commercial disappearance (mil. lb.) ²	180,170	184,250	188,253	16,311	16,071	15,372	16,198	16,085	16,322	--
Butter										
Production (mil. lb.)	1,347.2	1,443.6	1,529.5	110.9	151.9	150.1	142.6	119.8	116.6	--
Stocks, beginning (mil. lb.)	44.9	58.5	108.5	271.5	210.4	224.8	251.5	269.5	258.4	246.1
Commercial disappearance (mil. lb.)	1,370.1	1,435.4	1,515.5	123.2	138.3	123.8	126.2	131.4	129.6	--
American cheese										
Production (mil. lb.)	3,813.0	3,937.4	3,873.5	311.9	339.1	337.4	351.3	335.2	340.7	--
Stocks, beginning (mil. lb.)	476.0	536.7	534.0	563.3	513.1	526.0	543.1	268.4	581.8	577.6
Commercial disappearance (mil. lb.)	3,794.9	3,991.1	3,948.6	329.1	331.0	322.5	327.6	323.3	345.6	--
Other cheese										
Production (mil. lb.)	5,314.2	5,522.8	5,797.6	485.1	495.6	472.8	480.4	474.3	471.0	--
Stocks, beginning (mil. lb.)	224.7	221.3	283.2	322.1	287.9	298.3	312.8	312.9	320.6	325.2
Commercial disappearance (mil. lb.)	5,723.9	5,931.5	6,163.1	540.0	508.7	483.4	504.8	490.3	489.3	--
Nonfat dry milk										
Production (mil. lb.)	1,186.1	1,227.6	1,304.5	103.0	135.2	133.0	128.9	134.4	135.7	--
Stocks, beginning (mil. lb.)	98.2	114.1	79.1	125.2	150.2	151.8	135.5	125.4	127.5	140.5
Commercial disappearance (mil. lb.)	1262.2	1,201.9	1,226.2	86.2	133.7	149.3	140.1	131.3	122.7	--
Frozen dessert										
Production (mil. gal.) ⁴	1,308.0	1,288.7	1,332.5	126.4	115.0	118.5	125.1	139.7	127.1	--
		Annual				2008			2009	
	2005	2006	2007	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III
Milk production (mil. lb.)	176,929	181,796	185,602	47,541	48,684	47,725	46,649	47,735	49,164	47,124
Milk per cow (lb.)	19,566	19,951	20,267	5,140	5,250	5,035	5,035	5,155	5,315	5,100
No. of milk cows (1,000)	9,043	9,112	9,158	9,249	9,274	9,280	9,265	9,260	9,250	9,240

-- = Not available. Quarterly values for latest year are preliminary. 1. Prices paid f.o.b. Central States production area.

2. Milk equivalent, fat basis. 3. Monthly data ERS estimates. 4. Hard ice cream, total lowfat ice cream, and hard sherbet.

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Table 15—Wool

	Annual			2004			2005			
	2002	2003	2004	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV
U.S. wool price (¢/lb.) ¹	190	241	235	235	236	232	207	185	187	163
Imported wool price (¢/lb.) ²	263	302	249	249	235	240	252	237	--	--
U.S. mill consumption, scoured										
Carpet wool (1,000 lb.)	6,891	6,017	7,775	1,908	1,529	2,285	--	--	--	--

-- = Not available. 1. Wool price delivered at U.S. mills, clean basis, Graded Territory 64's (20.60-22.04 microns) staple 2-3/4" and up.

2. Wool price, Charleston, SC warehouse, clean basis, Australian 60/62's, type 64A (24 micron). Duty since 1982 has been 10 cents.

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Table 16—Meat Animals

	Annual			2007				2008		
	2005	2006	2007	Mar	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
Cattle on feed (United States, 1000+ head capacity)										
Number on feed (1,000 head) ¹	11,299	11,804	11,974	11,599	10,967	11,760	12,099	12,097	11,966	11,853
Placed on feed (1,000 head)	23,556	23,595	23,410	1,960	2,716	2,134	1,701	1,787	1,723	1,736
Marketings (1,000 head)	22,172	22,477	22,466	1,843	1,876	1,738	1,645	1,858	1,776	1,842
Other disappearance (1,000 head)	879	948	821	72	47	57	58	60	60	63
Market prices (\$/cwt)										
Slaughter cattle										
Choice steers, 1,100-1,300 lb.										
Texas	87.88	86.16	93.13	96.60	92.87	93.66	93.01	92.45	91.83	89.40
Neb. direct	87.28	85.41	91.82	96.39	91.69	93.37	90.50	88.63	90.85	89.28
Boning utility cows, Sioux Falls	54.36	47.56	52.12	52.00	53.20	46.25	48.75	50.00	55.94	55.69
Feeder steers										
Medium no. 1, Oklahoma City										
600-650 lb.	120.10	117.68	115.47	118.07	113.24	110.47	109.70	105.21	113.16	113.20
750-800 lb.	110.94	107.14	108.23	103.92	111.26	109.94	105.43	97.45	102.89	100.40
Slaughter hogs										
Barrows and gilts, 51-52 percent lean										
National Base converted to live equal.	50.01	47.28	47.10	45.47	41.96	36.95	39.40	36.77	42.74	39.40
Sows, Iowa, S.MN 1-2 300-400 lb.	42.70	36.24	35.38	36.53	30.89	28.32	24.16	21.60	25.89	25.33
Slaughter sheep and lambs										
Lambs, Choice, San Angelo										
	97.76	77.31	84.94	84.50	84.90	84.83	92.92	86.63	88.82	83.25
Ewes, Good, San Angelo										
	55.23	39.50	40.59	47.69	34.10	39.00	41.75	41.69	37.75	37.69
Feeder lambs										
Choice, San Angelo										
	130.62	105.10	103.84	101.75	100.05	100.13	106.50	105.63	119.88	114.56
Wholesale meat prices, Midwest										
Boxed beef cut-out value										
Choice, 600-900 lb.										
	145.78	146.88	149.78	159.23	144.09	145.39	148.25	146.41	149.63	144.42
Select, 600-900 lb.										
	136.36	132.62	140.02	149.80	132.86	132.67	134.27	138.06	146.11	142.64
Pork cutout										
	69.84	67.62	67.54	66.36	60.43	58.89	58.67	56.71	61.42	57.57
Pork loins, bone-in, 1/4" trim, 14-19 lb.										
	113.22	104.46	104.17	101.04	93.41	88.25	86.46	87.70	90.22	90.33
Pork bellies, 12-14 lb.										
	81.46	82.81	88.97	93.25	71.58	75.69	77.08	75.56	78.94	67.26
Hams, bone-in, trimmed, 20-23 lb.										
	64.07	64.04	57.96	56.50	56.43	52.55	50.61	48.66	57.31	49.10
All fresh beef retail price	364.30	361.30	377.40	372.00	377.30	383.50	379.30	382.50	387.70	390.60
Commercial slaughter (1,000 head) ²										
Cattle										
Steers										
	17,082	17,478	17,285	1,393	1,481	1,340	1,279	1,391	1,274	1,328
Heifers										
	9,932	9,820	10,207	820	970	873	799	867	818	839
Cows										
	4,862	5,336	5,675	488	541	527	483	545	465	473
Bull and stags										
	511	511	554	46	54	47	41	45	40	47
Calves										
	734	711	758	71	65	59	61	72	69	71
Sheep and lambs										
	2,698	2,699	2,694	280	248	237	229	213	212	231
Hogs										
	103,382	104,737	109,172	9,202	10,657	10,049	9,690	10,557	9,378	9,662
Barrows and gilts										
	99,962	100,113	104,352	8,790	10,203	9,634	9,301	10,128	8,992	9,242
Commercial production (mil. lb.)										
Beef										
	24,683	26,152	26,421	2,118	2,443	2,229	2,061	2,232	2,039	2,103
Veal										
	156	147	137	14	11	10	10	11	11	11
Lamb and mutton										
	187	185	183	20	16	16	15	15	15	16
Pork										
	20,685	21,054	21,943	1,861	2,145	2,045	1,973	2,158	1,903	1,963
		Annual		2006		2007				2008
	2005	2006	2007	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I
Hogs and pigs (U.S.) ³										
Inventory (1,000 head) ¹										
	60,975	61,449	62,490	61,687	62,914	62,490	61,860	63,951	67,019	66,963
Breeding (1,000 head) ¹										
	5,969	6,011	6,087	6,060	6,079	6,087	6,110	6,120	6,149	6,161
Market (1,000 head) ¹										
	55,005	55,438	56,402	55,627	56,835	56,402	55,749	57,830	60,869	60,801
Farrowings (1,000 head)										
	11,535	11,630	12,151	2,912	2,949	2,885	2,905	2,993	2,905	3,051
Pig crop (1,000 head)										
	103,965	105,618	111,859	26,519	26,857	26,396	27,896	28,875	28,690	28,094
Cattle on Feed, (1,000 head) ¹										
Steers and steer calves										
	7,175	7,570	7,574	7,092	7,197	7,574	7,433	6,742	6,832	7,646
Heifers and heifer calves										
	4,046	4,147	4,303	3,710	4,122	4,303	4,142	3,928	4,070	4,381
Cows and bulls										
	78	87	97	70	66	97	69	67	65	70

-- = Not available. 1. Beginning of period. 2. Classes estimated. 3. Quarters are Dec. of preceding year to Feb. (I), Mar.-May (II), June-Aug. (III), and Sept.-Nov. (IV). Information contact: Mary Teymourian (202) 694-5173.

Table 17—U.S. Crops & Products Supply and Utilization ^{1, 2}

	Area		Yield	Production	Total supply 4	Feed & residual	Other domestic use	Exports	Total use	Ending stocks	Farm price 5
	Planted	Harvested									
	<i>Mil. acres</i>	<i>Bu./acre</i>									
Wheat							<i>Mil. bu.</i>				<i>\$/bu.</i>
2003/04	59.7	50.0	43.2	2,158	2,775	182	987	1,066	2,235	540	3.40
2004/05	57.2	50.1	42.0	2,105	2,726	157	995	1,003	2,155	571	3.42
2005/06	57.3	46.8	38.7	1,812	2,505	121	1,019	908	2,049	456	4.26
2006/07*	60.4	51.0	40.5	2,067	2,635	30	1,035	1,264	2,330	306	6.48
2007/08*	63.0	55.7	44.9	2,500	2,905	260	1,042	1,000	2,302	603	6.55-7.15
Rice ⁶							<i>Mil. cwt (rough equiv)</i>				<i>\$/cwt</i>
2003/04	3.3	3.3	6,988	232.4	269.2	--	6/ 122.7	108.8	231.5	37.7	7.33
2004/05	3.4	3.4	6,636	223.2	278.1	--	6/ 120.2	114.9	235.1	43.0	7.65
2005/06	2.8	2.8	6,868	193.7	257.3	--	6/ 127.2	90.8	218.0	39.3	9.96
2006/07*	2.8	2.7	7,185	197.5	260.7	--	6/ 123.3	107.9	231.2	29.4	12.80
2007/08*	2.9	2.9	6,959	203.5	258.4	--	6/ 126.0	107.0	233.0	25.4	14.50-15.50
Corn							<i>Mil. bu.</i>				<i>\$/bu.</i>
2003/04	80.9	73.6	160.4	11,807	12,776	6,157	2,687	1,818	10,662	2,114	2.06
2004/05	81.8	75.1	148.0	11,114	13,237	6,154	2,982	2,134	11,270	1,967	2.00
2005/06	78.3	70.6	149.1	10,535	12,514	5,595	3,490	2,125	11,210	1,304	3.04
2006/07*	93.6	86.5	151.1	13,074	14,398	5,974	4,364	2,436	12,773	1,624	4.20
2007/08*	85.9	78.2	153.8	12,020	13,659	5,300	5,335	1,900	12,535	1,124	4.00-4.80
Sorghum							<i>Mil. bu.</i>				<i>\$/bu.</i>
2003/04	7.5	6.5	69.6	454	487	191	55	184	430	57	1.79
2004/05	6.5	5.7	68.5	393	450	140	50	194	384	66	1.86
2005/06	6.5	4.9	56.2	278	343	114	45	153	311	32	3.29
2006/07*	7.7	6.8	74.2	505	537	172	35	278	484	53	4.08
2007/08*	8.3	7.4	63.0	465	518	240	70	140	450	68	3.40-4.20
Barley							<i>Mil. bu.</i>				<i>\$/bu.</i>
2003/04	4.5	4.0	69.6	280	412	103	158	23	284	128	2.48
2004/05	3.9	3.3	64.8	212	346	48	162	28	238	108	2.53
2005/06	3.5	3.0	61.1	180	300	49	162	20	231	69	2.85
2006/07*	4.0	3.5	60.4	212	312	34	168	41	244	68	4.02
2007/08*	4.2	3.8	63.6	239	333	80	160	25	265	68	4.70-5.30
Oats							<i>Mil. bu.</i>				<i>\$/bu.</i>
2003/04	4.1	1.8	64.7	116	271	136	74	3	213	58	1.48
2004/05	4.2	1.8	63.0	115	264	136	74	2	211	53	1.63
2005/06	4.2	1.6	59.8	94	252	125	74	3	202	51	1.87
2006/07*	3.8	1.5	60.9	92	265	121	75	3	199	67	2.63
2007/08*	3.2	1.4	63.5	89	260	120	75	3	198	62	2.70-3.10
Soybeans ⁷							<i>Mil. bu.</i>				<i>\$/bu.</i>
2003/04	75.2	74.0	42.2	3,124	3,242	193	1,696	1,097	2,986	256	5.74
2004/05	72.0	71.3	43.0	3,063	3,322	194	1,739	940	2,873	449	5.66
2005/06	75.5	74.6	42.7	3,188	3,647	149	1,808	1,116	3,073	574	6.43
2006/07*	64.7	64.1	41.7	2,676	3,260	092	1,801	1,161	3,054	205	10.10
2007/08*	75.9	74.4	39.3	2,921	3,133	163	1,745	1,020	2,928	205	9.10-10.60
Soybean oil							<i>Mil. lbs.</i>				<i>¢/lb.</i>
2003/04	--	--	--	19,360	20,462	--	17,439	1,324	18,763	1,699	23.01
2004/05	--	--	--	20,387	22,122	--	17,959	1,153	19,112	3,010	23.41
2005/06	--	--	--	20,489	23,536	--	18,575	1,877	20,451	3,085	31.02
2006/07*	--	--	--	20,568	23,718	--	18,272	2,975	21,247	2,471	52.03
2007/08*	--	--	--	19,895	22,416	--	18,100	2,300	20,400	2,016	37.50-41.50
Soybean meal							<i>1,000 tons</i>				<i>\$/ton 8</i>
2003/04	--	--	--	40,715	41,073	--	33,561	7,340	40,901	172	182.9
2004/05	--	--	--	41,244	41,557	--	33,195	8,048	41,243	314	174.2
2005/06	--	--	--	43,054	43,524	--	34,374	8,804	43,178	346	205.4
2006/07*	--	--	--	42,242	42,728	--	33,234	9,200	42,434	294	335.9
2007/08*	--	--	--	41,491	41,950	--	33,050	8,600	41,650	300	255-315

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Table 17—U.S. Crops & Products Supply and Utilization (continued)

	Area		Yield	Production	Total supply 3	Feed & residual	Other domestic use	Exports	Total use	Ending stocks	Farm price 4
	Planted	Harvested									
	<i>Mil. acres</i>		<i>Lb./acre</i>				<i>Mil. bales</i>				<i>¢/lb.</i>
Cotton ⁸											
2003/04	13.7	13.1	855	23.3	26.7	--	6.7	14.4	21.1	5.5	41.6
2004/05	14.2	13.8	831	23.9	29.4	--	5.9	17.5	23.4	6.1	47.7
2005/06	15.3	12.7	814	21.6	27.7	--	4.9	13.0	17.9	9.5	46.5
2006/07*	10.8	10.5	879	19.2	28.7	--	4.6	13.7	18.3	10.0	59.3
2007/08*	9.4	7.8	837	13.5	23.6	--	4.4	13.0	17.4	6.2	45.0-55.0

-- = Not available/applicable. *November 10, 2008 Supply and Demand Estimates. 1. Marketing year beginning June 1 for wheat, barley and oats; August 1 for cotton and rice; September 1 for soybeans, corn, and sorghum; October 1 for soybean meal and soybean oil. 2. Conversion factors: hectare (ha.) = 2.471 acres, 1 metric ton = 2,204.622 pounds, 36.7437 bushels of wheat or soybeans, 39.3679 bushels of corn or sorghum, 45.9296 bushels of barley, 68.8944 bushels of oats, 22.046 cwt of rice, and 4.59 480-pound bales of cotton. 3. Includes imports. 4. Marketing-year weighted average price received by farmers. Does not include an allowance for loans outstanding and government purchases. 5. Residual included in domestic use. 6. Includes seed. 7. Simple average of 48 percent protein, Decatur. 8. Upland and extra-long staple. Stocks estimates based on Census Bureau data, resulting in an unaccounted difference between supply and use estimates.

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Table 18—Cash Prices, Selected U.S. Commodities

	Marketing year 1			2007		2008							
	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	August
Wheat, no. 1 HRW, Kansas City (\$/bu.) ²	3.99	4.45	5.38	8.62	9.80	9.97	12.28	12.29	10.29	9.33	9.19	8.68	8.64
Wheat, DNS, Minneapolis (\$/bu.) ³	4.66	4.98	5.41	9.39	11.06	12.59	19.00	15.60	12.93	12.06	11.46	11.46	9.87
Rice, S.W. La. (\$/cwt) ⁴	14.85	15.51	18.86	20.75	21.96	22.84	25.03	29.25	35.19	43.25	41.55	40.75	39.44
Corn, no. 2 yellow, 30-day, Chicago (\$/bu.)	1.86	2.10	3.46	3.76	4.23	4.78	4.99	5.28	5.77	5.76	6.73	6.17	5.33
Sorghum, no. 2 yellow, Kansas City (\$/cwt)	2.93	3.57	5.75	6.13	7.34	8.36	8.86	9.13	9.70	9.65	11.63	10.10	8.37
Barley, feed, Duluth (\$/bu.)	1.70	1.70	2.60	5.04	5.24	5.73	5.28	5.43	5.35	5.24	5.12	5.12	4.08
Barley, malting Minneapolis (\$/bu.)	2.61	2.70	3.77	6.37	6.61	6.97	7.08	7.22	7.25	7.29	7.41	7.41	7.03
U.S. cotton price, SLM, 1-1/16 in. (¢/lb.) ⁵	45.62	48.96	48.67	59.59	59.44	63.34	65.92	69.27	63.91	60.67	63.34	62.85	60.93
Far Eastern prices													
Cotlook A Index (¢/lb.) ⁶	53.53	58.94	60.61	71.28	70.71	74.08	76.01	81.65	77.95	75.71	79.06	78.62	78.34
U.S. M 1-3/32 in. (¢/lb.) ⁷	56.12	61.94	61.66	70.65	71.06	74.85	77.13	84.94	78.69	75.00	78.19	78.00	78.94
Soybeans, no. 1 yellow, 15-day ⁸ Chicago (\$/bu)	5.88	5.64	6.92	10.24	11.16	12.07	13.37	12.94	12.79	13.13	14.82	15.14	12.81
Soybean oil, crude, Decatur (¢/lb.)	23.01	23.41	31.02	42.68	45.16	49.77	56.68	57.27	56.68	58.27	62.43	60.54	50.78
Soybean meal, high protein, Decatur (\$/ton)	182.90	174.17	205.44	280.76	314.78	331.28	345.87	331.57	329.94	325.48	390.72	412.25	355.35

-- = Not available. 1. Beginning June 1 for wheat and barley; Aug. 1 for rice and cotton; Sept. 1 for corn, sorghum, and soybeans; Oct. 1 for soybean meal and oil. 2. Ordinary protein. 3. 14 percent protein. 4. Long grain, milled basis. 5. Average spot market. 6. Liverpool Cotlook "A" Index; average of 5 lowest priced growth. 7. Cotton, Memphis Eastern growth. 8. Soybean 30-day price discontinued. *Information contact: Mary Teymourian (202) 694-5173*

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Table 19—Farm Programs, Price Supports, Participation, and Payment Rates

	Marketing assistance loan rate	Target price ¹ \$/bu.	Income support payment rates ²	Acres enrolled ³ Mil. acres	Contract or Direct/Counter-cyclical payment yields ⁴ Bu./acre
Wheat					
1998/99	2.58		0.663	78.9	34.50
1999/2000	2.58		0.637	79.0	34.50
2000/2001	2.58		0.588	78.9	34.50
2001/2002	2.58		0.474	78.5	34.50
2002/2003	2.80	3.86	0.52/0.00	76.2	34.5/36.1
2003/2004	2.80	3.86	0.52/0.00	76.2	34.5/36.1
2004/2005	2.75	3.92	0.52/--	--	--
		\$/cwt			Cwt/acre
Rice					
1998/99	6.50		2.921	4.2	48.17
1999/2000	6.50		2.820	4.2	48.15
2000/2001	6.50		2.600	4.1	48.15
2001/2002	6.50		2.100	4.1	48.15
2002/2003	6.50	10.50	2.35/1.65	4.5	48.16/51.23
2003/2004	6.50	10.50	2.35/--	4.5	48.14/51.20
2004/2005	6.50	10.50	2.35/--	--	--
		\$/bu.			Bu./acre
Corn					
1998/99	1.89		0.377	82.0	102.60
1999/2000	1.89		0.363	81.9	102.60
2000/2001	1.89		0.334	81.9	102.70
2001/2002	1.89		0.269	81.7	102.60
2002/2003	1.98	2.60	0.28/0.00	87.9	102.3/114.3
2003/2004	1.98	2.60	0.28/--	87.8	102.3/114.3
2004/2005	1.95	2.63	0.28/--	--	--
		\$/bu.			Bu./acre
Sorghum					
1998/99	1.74		0.452	13.6	56.90
1999/2000	1.74		0.435	13.7	56.90
2000/2001	1.71		0.400	13.6	57.00
2001/2002	1.71		0.324	13.6	57.00
2002/2003	1.98	2.54	0.35/0.00	12.1	56.4/58.0
2003/2004	1.98	2.54	0.35/--	12.1	56.5/58.1
2004/2005	1.95	2.57	0.35/--	--	--
		\$/bu.			Bu./acre
Barley					
1998/99	1.56		0.284	11.2	46.70
1999/2000	1.59		0.271	11.2	46.60
2000/2001	1.62		0.251	11.2	46.60
2001/2002	1.65		0.206	11.1	46.60
2002/2003	1.88	2.21	0.24/0.00	8.8	47.7/48.7
2003/2004	1.88	2.21	0.24/0.00	8.8	47.7/48.7
2004/2005	1.85	2.24	0.24/--	--	--
		\$/bu.			Bu./acre
Oats					
1998/99	1.11		0.031	6.5	50.70
1999/2000	1.13		0.030	6.5	50.60
2000/2001	1.16		0.028	6.5	50.60
2001/2002	1.21		0.022	6.5	50.60
2002/2003	1.35	1.40	0.024/0.00	3.1	48.3/49.8
2003/2004	1.35	1.40	0.024/--	3.1	48.5/50.0
2004/2005	1.33	1.44	0.024/--	--	--
		\$/bu.			Bu./acre
Soybeans⁵					
1998/99	5.26		--	--	--
1999/2000	5.26		--	--	--
2000/2001	5.26		--	--	--
2001/2002	5.26		--	--	--
2002/2003	5.00	5.80	0.44/0.00	53.50	30.8/34.1
2003/2004	5.00	5.80	0.44/--	53.40	30.8/34.1
2004/2005	5.00	5.80	0.44/--	--	--
		¢/lb.			Lb./acre
Upland cotton					
1998/99	51.92		8.173	16.4	604.00
1999/2000	51.92		7.880	16.4	604.00
2000/2001	51.92		7.330	16.3	604.80
2001/2002	51.92		5.990	16.2	605.30
2002/2003	52.00	72.40	6.67/13.73	18.9	604.3/638.9
2003/2004	52.00	72.40	6.67/--	18.8	604.7/639.3
2004/2005	52.00	72.40	6.67/--	--	--

-- = Not available. 1. Authorized by the Food Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 (2002 Act). 2. First entry is the direct payment rate and the second entry is the counter-cyclical payment rate. 3. Contract acres for 1998/1999-2001/02 and base acres for 2002/03-2003/04. For 2002/2003 and 2003/2004, first entry is contract acres, second entry is enrolled direct and counter-cyclical acres. 4. For 2002/2003 and 2003/2004, first entry is the direct payment yield and the second entry is the counter-cyclical payment yield. 5. There are no flexibility contract payment for soybeans.

Table 20—Fruit

	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Citrus ¹										
Production (1,000 tons)	13,633	17,276	16,216	16,194	15,180	16,360	11,574	11,745	10,467	12,997
Per capita consumpt. (lb.) ²	20.4	23.5	23.9	23.3	23.9	22.7	21.6	21.5	18.0	21.2
Noncitrus ³										
Production (1,000 tons)	17,347	18,854	16,740	17,122	16,853	16,837	18,294	16,852	17,065	--
Per capita consumpt. (lb.) ²	80.8	77.8	73.6	76.0	77.7	80.0	78.6	80.1	76.5	--
	2007					2008				
Grower prices	Oct	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sep	Oct
Apples (¢/pound) ⁴	37.90	34.80	34.40	33.80	36.20	40.90	44.60	53.40	53.60	44.20
Pears (¢/pound) ⁴	26.30	27.60	26.85	26.35	26.25	32.70	35.50	29.40	28.75	30.00
Strawberries (¢/pound) ⁴	80.00	128.00	95.30	65.80	83.30	61.90	65.90	91.00	70.10	71.10
Oranges (\$/box) ⁵	9.60	5.83	6.20	6.40	7.01	6.75	5.79	4.78	5.71	4.22
Grapefruit (\$/box) ⁵	10.06	3.30	2.70	2.89	4.94	6.61	5.59	4.58	5.21	10.41
Stocks, ending										
Fresh apples (mil. lb.)	6,050	3,229	2,408	1,699	994	577	294	116	3,194	6,429
Fresh pears (mil. lb.)	470	183	130	76	40	12	48	110	406	451
Frozen fruits (mil. lb.)	1,352	1,069	921	866	840	864	1,027	1,126	1,131	1,370
Frozen conc. orange juice (mil. single-strength gallons)	238	385	421	494	589	618	582	538	490	443

-- = Not available. 1. Year shown is when harvest concluded. 2. Fresh per capita consumption. 3. Calendar year. 4. Fresh use.
5. U.S. equivalent on-tree returns. *Information contact: Susan Pollack (202) 694-5251*

Table 21—Vegetables

	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Production ¹										
Total vegetables (1,000 cwt)	828,248	816,750	769,354	804,463	779,842	832,857	786,283	800,709	848,896	--
Fresh (1,000 cwt) ^{2,4}	444,309	473,872	467,114	461,217	466,086	476,893	469,594	481,536	492,292	--
Processed (tons) ^{3,4}	19,196,942	17,143,880	15,112,000	17,162,310	15,687,784	17,798,220	15,834,470	15,958,660	17,830,170	--
Mushrooms (1,000 lbs) ⁵	854,394	846,209	831,107	836,398	841,162	838,083	833,677	813,849	792,846	--
Potatoes (1,000 cwt)	478,093	513,544	437,673	458,171	457,814	456,041	423,926	441,348	446,807	410,545
Sweet potatoes (1,000 cwt)	12,221	13,780	14,515	12,799	15,891	16,112	15,730	16,248	18,082	--
Dry edible beans (1,000 cwt)	33,146	26,543	19,610	30,312	22,492	17,788	26,772	24,247	25,371	25,423
Dry edible peas (1,000 cwt)	4,773	3,474	3,763	4,242	5,202	11,419	14,003	13,203	15,903	12,120
	2007					2008				
	Oct	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sep	Oct
Shipments (1,000 cwt)										
Fresh	22,887	23,133	24,743	32,609	34,324	32,070	32,008	25,199	19,546	23,533
Iceberg lettuce	2,894	2,592	2,706	3,262	2,594	2,612	3,152	2,601	2,333	3,137
Tomatoes, all	4,040	5,217	5,182	6,620	5,598	3,894	4,449	3,859	3,477	4,213
Dry-bulb onions	4,812	4,093	3,831	4,692	4,653	3,228	3,771	3,353	3,679	4,828
Others ⁶	11,141	11,231	13,024	18,035	21,479	22,336	20,636	15,386	10,057	11,355
Potatoes, all	12,724	11,184	13,799	21,271	13,227	11,728	10,222	9,179	10,133	12,613
Sweet potatoes	457	403	578	474	368	382	500	415	468	740

-- = Not available. 1. Calendar year except mushrooms. 2. Includes fresh production of asparagus, broccoli, carrots, cauliflower, celery, sweet corn, lettuce, honeydews, onions, & tomatoes through 1999. In 2000, greens, okra, chile peppers, pumpkins, radishes, and squash were added. In 2002, greens, okra, radishes, eggplant, lima beans, and brussels sprouts were removed from the estimates program due to budget reductions. 3. Includes processing production of snap beans, sweet corn, green peas, tomatoes, cucumbers (for pickles), asparagus, broccoli, carrots, lima beans, spinach, and cauliflower. 4. Data after 2001 not comparable to previous years because of program changes in 2002. 5. Fresh and processing agaricus mushrooms only. Excludes specialty varieties. Crop year July 1 - June 30. 6. Includes snap beans, broccoli, cabbage, cantaloup, carrots, cauliflower, celery, sweet corn, cucumbers, eggplant, bell peppers, squash, honeydews, and watermelons. *Information contact: Gary Lucier (202) 694-5253*

Table 22—Other Commodities

	Annual			2005			2006			
	2003	2004	2005	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV
Sugar										
Production ¹	8,379	8,649	7,477	659	458	3,935	2,281	544	640	--
Deliveries ¹	9,713	9,901	9,312	2,324	2,461	2,337	2,110	2,238	2,356	--
Stocks, ending ¹	3,432	4,088	13,829	4,438	2,926	1,332	3,357	4,150	3,072	1,698
Tobacco										
	Annual			2006						
	2003	2004	2005	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep
Average price to grower ²										
Flue-cured (\$/cwt.)	185.1	184.6	147.4	closed	closed	closed	closed	--	--	--
Burley (\$/cwt.)	197.7	199.4	156.4	closed	closed	closed	closed	closed	closed	closed
Domestic taxable removals										
Cigarettes (bil.)	376.7	373.1	363.0	31.6	28.0	33.2	34.3	27.6	33.6	29.8
Large cigars (mil.)	4,018.5	4,319.2	4,431.8	448.0	380.9	422.3	415.3	353.6	384.7	375.9

-- = Not available. 1. 1,000 short tons, raw value. Quarterly data shown at end of each quarter. 2. Crop year July-June for flue-cured, October-September for burley. Includes contract sales.

Information contacts: sugar and coffee, Mae Dean Johnson (202) 694-5245; tobacco, Tom Capehart (202) 694-5311

Table 23—World Supply & Utilization of Major Crops, Livestock, & Products

	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08	2008/09
	<i>Million units</i>									
Wheat										
Area (hectares)	215.7	217.9	215.2	215.2	210.2	217.6	218.8	213.0	218.2	224.2
Production (metric tons)	586.7	582.9	583.1	568.7	553.9	625.7	620.1	596.2	610.6	682.4
Exports (metric tons) ¹	113.4	101.5	105.7	105.7	108.6	111.2	116.8	111.2	115.3	124.0
Consumption (metric tons) ²	585.0	585.1	587.2	605.1	588.8	606.7	623.4	616.8	618.2	656.5
Ending stocks (metric tons) ³	209.5	207.3	203.2	166.8	131.9	151.0	147.6	127.0	119.4	145.3
Coarse grains										
Area (hectares)	299.0	296.1	301.0	293.0	307.0	300.3	301.9	306.0	318.6	313.6
Production (metric tons)	878.0	863.0	895.1	875.8	916.7	1,016.5	980.4	989.1	1,077.9	1,091.7
Exports (metric tons) ¹	104.9	104.1	102.0	102.1	103.2	100.9	107.1	117.5	123.6	110.4
Consumption (metric tons) ²	882.8	884.5	907.4	903.9	945.5	979.3	993.8	1,015.9	1,062.4	1,094.9
Ending stocks (metric tons) ³	232.5	210.9	198.6	170.5	141.6	178.8	165.4	138.6	154.1	150.9
Rice, milled										
Area (hectares)	155.3	151.7	150.8	146.2	148.6	151.0	153.1	153.9	154.3	155.6
Production (metric tons)	409.1	399.1	399.9	378.6	392.2	401.4	418.5	420.6	431.0	434.3
Exports (metric tons) ¹	22.8	24.1	26.9	28.7	27.4	28.5	30.4	31.3	30.4	29.9
Consumption (metric tons) ²	400.0	395.5	413.6	408.3	414.3	409.4	416.0	420.9	427.9	432.1
Ending stocks (metric tons) ³	143.1	146.7	133.0	103.3	81.1	73.2	75.7	75.4	78.4	80.6
Total grains										
Area (hectares)	669.9	665.7	666.9	654.5	665.8	668.9	673.8	672.9	691.2	693.4
Production (metric tons)	1,873.8	1,844.9	1,878.1	1,823.1	1,862.8	2,043.7	2,019.0	2,005.9	2,119.5	2,208.4
Exports (metric tons) ¹	241.1	229.7	234.6	236.4	239.2	240.6	254.2	260.0	269.3	264.3
Consumption (metric tons) ²	1,867.8	1,865.1	1,908.3	1,917.4	1,948.7	1,995.4	2,033.2	2,053.6	2,108.6	2,183.5
Ending stocks (metric tons) ³	585.2	565.0	534.8	440.5	354.7	402.9	388.7	341.0	351.9	376.8
Oilseeds										
Crush (metric tons)	246.1	254.0	264.5	269.9	279.3	302.9	318.7	329.0	338.6	348.6
Production (metric tons)	304.3	313.9	324.8	331.7	335.9	381.5	391.1	404.3	391.3	417.8
Exports (metric tons)	59.4	66.9	62.3	69.7	67.0	74.4	75.8	83.7	92.7	92.5
Ending stocks (metric tons)	38.6	40.2	42.5	49.0	45.2	57.5	64.7	72.7	61.6	64.6
Meals										
Production (metric tons)	167.8	174.8	182.7	186.1	190.6	207.0	216.4	224.3	230.7	236.6
Exports (metric tons)	46.6	48.4	52.8	53.7	58.7	61.0	65.9	68.4	70.8	72.1
Oils										
Production (metric tons)	86.0	89.8	92.7	95.9	102.5	111.4	118.5	121.3	128.0	133.7
Exports (metric tons)	28.7	30.9	33.0	35.8	38.8	42.5	47.2	48.5	52.1	53.7
Cotton										
Area (hectares)	32.4	32.0	33.7	30.8	32.3	35.7	34.7	34.7	33.2	31.3
Production (bales)	88.0	89.1	98.7	91.0	96.8	121.4	116.6	122.0	120.5	112.9
Exports (bales)	27.1	26.3	29.1	30.3	33.3	35.0	44.6	37.1	38.7	35.2
Consumption (bales)	90.5	90.8	93.6	97.6	97.1	107.5	114.7	121.8	121.3	116.8
Ending stocks (bales)	51.1	49.4	54.7	47.8	48.2	60.6	62.3	62.8	61.4	57.4
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Beef and Pork ⁴										
Production (metric tons)	139.2	138.8	139.4	143.3	145.0	147.6	151.2	154.3	153.7	156.0
Consumption (metric tons)	139.4	138.5	139.0	143.3	145.0	147.1	150.4	153.3	152.9	154.7
Exports (metric tons) ¹	9.1	9.0	9.1	10.2	10.7	11.4	12.3	12.7	12.9	13.9
Broilers and Turkeys ⁴										
Production (metric tons)	55.1	57.9	60.0	62.3	63.1	64.6	68.0	69.2	73.3	77.0
Consumption (metric tons)	54.9	57.4	59.2	61.7	62.6	63.8	67.2	68.9	72.9	76.5
Exports (metric tons) ¹	4.8	5.3	6.0	6.2	6.5	6.6	7.4	7.1	7.9	8.8
Dairy										
Milk production (metric tons) ⁵	383.0	389.4	394.4	405.3	409.6	415.7	421.4	427.8	436.2	438.6

-- = Not available. P = preliminary. F = forecast. 1. Excludes intra-EU trade but includes intra-FSU trade. 2. Where stocks data are not available, consumption includes stock changes. 3. Stocks data are based on differing marketing years and do not represent levels at a given date. Data not available for all countries. 4. Calendar year data, selected countries. 5. Data prior to 1989 no longer comparable.

Table 24—Prices of Principal U.S. Agricultural Trade Products

	Annual			2007				2008		
	2005	2006	2007	Mar	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
Export commodities										
Wheat, f.o.b. vessel, Gulf ports (\$/bu.)	4.23	5.30	7.12	5.61	9.39	8.96	10.18	10.19	11.85	12.26
Corn, f.o.b. vessel, Gulf ports (\$/bu.)	2.50	3.10	4.18	4.33	4.19	4.36	4.62	5.25	5.61	5.93
Grain sorghum, f.o.b. vessel, Gulf ports (\$/bu.)	2.48	3.17	4.24	4.42	4.29	4.45	4.88	5.48	5.64	5.77
Soybeans, f.o.b. vessel, Gulf ports (\$/bu.)	6.55	6.42	8.86	7.70	10.07	11.00	11.84	12.80	14.20	13.53
Soybean oil, Decatur (¢/lb.)	22.99	24.36	34.84	29.74	38.10	42.68	45.16	49.78	56.68	57.27
Soybean meal, Decatur (\$/ton)	187.78	175.77	231.04	205.26	260.56	280.76	314.78	331.28	345.87	331.57
Cotton, 7-market avg. spot (¢/lb.)	47.36	48.52	52.99	49.21	58.99	59.59	59.44	63.34	65.92	69.27
Rice, f.o.b., mill, Houston (\$/cwt)	16.53	19.45	21.58	21.34	21.95	22.63	22.78	23.72	25.85	28.60
Inedible tallow, Chicago (¢/lb.)	16.40	15.44	28.83	--	32.00	32.00	--	--	--	--
Import commodities										
Coffee, N.Y. spot (\$/lb.)	1.01	1.04	1.12	1.05	1.22	1.20	1.26	1.28	1.42	1.38
Cocoa beans, N.Y. (\$/lb.)	0.67	0.68	0.85	0.83	0.85	0.87	0.96	0.99	1.13	1.18

-- = Not available. *Information contact: Mary Teymourian (202) 694-5173*

Table 25—Trade Balance

	Fiscal year			2007 Sep.	Apr	May	2008			
	2007	2008	2009 F				June	July	Aug.	Sep.
Exports										
Agricultural	82,170	115,450	98,500	7,693	9,663	9,508	9,592	9,671	9,688	9,118
Nonagricultural	925,289			80,343	90,307	93,525	97,428	94,765	97,111	86,734
Total ¹	1,016,601			88,037	99,970	103,033	107,021	104,436	106,799	95,852
Imports										
Agricultural	70,063	79,317	81,000	5,451	7,245	7,009	6,466	6,692	6,504	6,525
Nonagricultural	1,826,319			156,498	170,922	178,401	176,721	193,646	182,146	173,031
Total ²	1,899,078			167,270	165,875	170,257	181,373	182,340	188,630	201,617
Trade balance										
Agricultural	12,107	36,133	17,500	2,243	2,418	2,499	3,126	2,979	3,184	2,593
Nonagricultural	-901,030			-76,154	-80,616	-84,875	-79,293	-98,880	-85,036	-86,297
Total	-882,477			-79,234	-65,906	-67,225	-74,353	-77,904	-81,831	-105,766

R = Revised. P = Preliminary. F = Forecast. Fiscal year (Oct. 1-Sep. 30).

1. Domestic exports including Department of Defense shipments (f.a.s. value).

2. Imports for consumption (customs value).

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Table 26—Indexes of Real Trade-Weighted Dollar Exchange Rates¹

	Annual		2007		2008					
	2006	2007	2008	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
	<i>2000 is base year</i>									
Total U.S. merchandise exports	98.4	94.2	87.6	92.8	90.3	89.4	90.1	90.1	89.0	87.8
U.S. agricultural export markets										
All agricultural exports	99.1	96.0	89.2	94.9	92.8	91.9	92.2	91.7	90.7	89.4
Bulk commodities	99.6	97.1	89.0	96.4	94.9	93.9	93.5	92.4	91.3	89.7
Corn	102.0	101.2	93.0	100.1	98.7	97.6	97.7	96.4	95.3	93.0
Cotton	97.6	93.5	86.6	93.1	91.1	90.6	90.0	89.3	88.1	87.8
Rice	99.6	96.6	89.7	95.6	93.9	92.8	92.7	92.2	91.3	90.1
Soybeans	99.6	97.9	89.9	97.7	96.3	95.2	94.8	93.8	92.6	90.9
Tobacco, raw	100.0	94.5	84.6	93.7	91.8	89.7	89.7	88.8	88.2	85.0
Wheat	98.4	94.7	85.4	93.8	92.4	91.4	90.3	89.0	87.9	86.7
High-value products	98.8	95.4	89.4	94.0	91.7	90.8	91.5	91.4	90.4	89.3
Processed intermediates	97.9	93.5	86.8	92.3	89.9	89.3	89.4	89.2	88.1	87.7
Soymeal	97.8	93.1	86.1	91.9	89.5	88.8	88.9	88.6	87.5	87.1
Soyoil	98.5	94.9	89.0	93.7	91.7	91.2	91.2	91.1	90.3	89.8
Produce and horticulture	98.5	95.5	90.2	93.5	91.0	90.2	91.5	91.5	90.5	89.6
Fruits	98.5	95.9	91.3	94.1	91.5	90.9	92.1	92.3	91.1	90.5
Vegetables	96.4	92.9	88.7	89.5	86.2	85.8	88.2	89.0	87.9	87.9
High-value processed	100.9	100.2	95.0	98.7	97.0	95.9	96.7	96.1	95.3	93.6
Fruit juices	98.5	94.8	88.8	92.3	89.8	88.8	90.3	90.3	89.4	88.2
Poultry	97.3	94.1	89.1	91.9	89.1	88.6	89.9	90.4	89.2	89.0
Red meats	101.7	101.9	96.7	100.6	99.2	98.0	98.6	97.7	97.0	95.1
U.S. competitor exports										
All agricultural exports	98.5	91.3	81.7	90.4	87.9	86.2	86.4	86.0	85.2	82.7
Bulk commodities	96.2	88.6	79.3	87.4	84.6	83.3	83.5	83.1	82.1	80.7
Corn	98.2	92.3	83.9	91.6	89.8	88.2	87.8	87.2	86.7	84.8
Cotton	96.9	90.3	79.6	89.4	86.7	85.5	85.3	84.6	83.3	82.3
Rice	98.4	93.3	82.6	92.3	90.1	88.9	88.3	87.3	86.3	84.5
Soybeans	91.5	83.0	72.4	81.5	78.4	77.3	77.2	76.7	75.3	74.5
Tobacco, raw	95.6	86.9	76.9	86.1	83.2	81.5	81.3	80.8	79.9	78.5
Wheat	98.4	91.1	83.0	89.5	86.5	85.4	86.3	86.3	85.3	83.6
High-value products	98.7	91.5	81.9	90.6	88.1	86.4	86.6	86.2	85.4	82.8
Processed intermediates	95.3	88.1	81.0	87.1	85.0	83.8	83.6	83.2	82.4	81.2
Soymeal	95.2	87.8	80.6	86.8	84.6	83.4	83.2	82.8	82.0	80.9
Soyoil	95.4	88.5	81.7	87.8	85.8	84.5	84.2	83.8	83.1	81.9
Produce and horticulture	98.9	92.0	82.0	91.2	88.7	87.0	86.9	86.4	85.7	83.3
Fruits	99.3	92.7	82.8	92.0	89.5	87.8	87.4	86.8	86.2	83.7
Vegetables	99.3	93.0	82.9	92.2	89.8	88.1	88.2	87.9	87.2	84.4
High-value processed	98.3	90.4	79.9	89.2	86.3	84.7	85.1	84.7	83.6	81.1
Fruit juices	100.0	93.0	82.8	92.1	89.7	87.5	87.6	87.4	86.9	83.6
Poultry	96.9	88.9	77.8	87.8	85.2	83.5	83.6	83.1	82.1	79.5
Red meats	98.7	90.4	80.2	89.1	85.8	84.5	85.1	84.7	83.3	81.3
U.S. agricultural import suppliers										
All agricultural imports	97.7	92.0	84.2	90.8	88.0	87.2	87.6	87.5	86.3	85.0
Produce and Horticulture	98.0	94.2	87.3	93.4	91.1	90.7	90.4	90.3	89.1	88.1
Fruits	97.6	93.8	85.6	93.2	91.2	90.8	89.7	89.0	87.6	86.3
Vegetables	98.2	94.6	88.5	93.6	91.1	90.5	91.0	91.3	90.2	89.4
Fish	96.0	91.2	84.1	90.0	87.9	87.5	87.5	86.9	85.6	84.6
Tropical Product Imports	95.4	89.7	81.8	88.9	86.5	86.1	86.1	85.7	84.3	83.2
Coffee	96.3	89.1	78.3	88.7	85.9	85.6	84.9	84.3	82.4	81.1
Cocoa	96.2	90.6	82.5	89.1	86.7	85.8	86.5	86.3	85.1	83.4
Sugar and Sweeteners	97.1	92.1	85.3	90.8	88.2	87.5	88.0	88.1	87.0	86.3
Rubber and Gums	88.9	84.3	79.3	84.9	83.1	84.2	83.7	82.7	80.7	80.0
Animals and Product Imports	98.7	92.0	84.8	90.4	86.7	86.1	87.3	87.4	85.9	85.1
Beverages excluding Fruit Juices	99.9	93.7	84.5	92.9	90.3	88.8	89.2	89.0	88.2	85.5
Wine	100.3	92.5	81.6	91.6	88.6	86.8	87.3	86.7	85.8	82.6
Malt Beverages	99.6	95.1	87.7	94.6	92.4	91.3	91.6	91.8	90.9	88.8
Grains&Feed	96.6	91.5	85.7	89.1	86.1	85.4	87.0	87.4	86.3	85.6
Oilseeds and Product Imports	96.4	90.2	83.2	88.5	85.6	84.5	85.1	85.0	84.2	83.2
Vegetable Oils	96.7	90.2	82.7	89.0	86.2	84.9	85.1	84.7	84.0	82.7
Dairy Products	100.8	92.8	84.7	92.1	88.8	87.4	87.9	87.7	86.5	84.4
Fruit Juices	95.6	90.2	81.6	89.5	87.2	86.3	85.4	84.6	83.4	82.5

The weights used for "total U.S. merchandise exports" index are based on U.S. total merchandise exports to the largest 79 trading partners. Weights are based on relative importance of major U.S. customers, competitors in world markets, and suppliers to the U.S. Indexes are subject to revisions for up to 1 year due to delayed reporting by some countries. High-value products are total agricultural exports less bulk exports. Source: Nominal exchange rates are obtained from the IMF International Financial Statistics. Exchange rates for the EU-12 are obtained from the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System. Full historical series are available back to January 1970 at <http://www.ers.usda.gov/data/exchangerates/>

1. A major revision to the weighting scheme and commodity definitions was completed in June 2008. This significantly altered the series from previous versions. Beginning in July 2008, the base of the series has been changed from 2000 to 2005. In addition, the composition of the commodities and commodity groups under U.S. suppliers was changed to more closely reflect the pattern of U.S. imports.

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Table 27—U.S. Agricultural Exports and Imports

	units of measure	Fiscal year			September		Fiscal year			September	
		2007	2008	2009 F	2007	2008	2007	2008	2009 F	2007	2008
		1,000 units					\$ million				
Exports											
Animals live		0	0		0	0	574	593		41	39
Red Meats and preps. ¹	(MT)	1,952	2,853	2,800	199	287	2,700	5,354	7,869	517	842
Dairy products		0	0		0	0	2,463	4,034	3,100	294	299
Poultry meats ²	(MT)	2,576	3,100	2,800	260	320	2,481	3,416	2,900	311	403
Fats, oils, and greases	(MT)	1,343	1,418		137	96	748	1,070		84	82
Hides and skins, furskins		0	0		0	0	2,161	2,131	2,000	153	176
Cattle hides, whole		17,951	17,255		1,322	1,284	1,177	1,078		86	75
Mink pelts	(NO)	5,117	6,195		0	0	203	230		6	6
Grains and feeds	(MT)	109,610	124,838		0	0	24,256	38,349	28,300	13	13
Wheat ³	(MT)	29,413	32,953	26,500	12,674	10,460	6,533	12,342	7,700	2,956	3,372
Wheat flour	(MT)	272	312		4,476	3,190	96	165		1,216	1,109
Rice	(MT)	3,316	4,046	3,900	217	244	1,279	2,023	2,000	83	182
Feed grains, incl. products ⁴	(MT)	59,051	68,358	51,600	6,728	5,063	9,783	15,766	10,900	1,141	1,388
Feeds and fodders	(MT)	11,664	15,350	14,600	1,036	1,749	3,491	4,811	4,600	304	427
Other grain products	(MT)	1,805	1,778		168	162	2,099	2,483		185	229
Fruits, nuts, and preps.	(MT)	4,003	4,708		324	366	7,255	8,549		617	728
Fruit juices incl. frozen	(HL)	995	1,068		100	84	1,022	1,157		93	89
Vegetables and preps. ⁵		0	0		0	0	4,162	4,956		336	406
Tobacco, unmanufactured	(MT)	180	184	200	11	6	1,143	1,280	1,000	66	43
Cotton, excl. linters	(MT)	3,104	2,963	2,800	265	240	4,294	4,774	4,000	365	383
Seeds	(MT)	418	490		26	35	933	1,195		72	86
Sugar, cane or beet ⁹	(MT)	275	244		17	15	144	126		9	8
Oilseeds and products	(MT)	42,290	43,963		2,638	1,797	13,671	22,865	18,300	1,034	1,130
Oilseeds	(MT)	31,592	32,263		1,815	1,059	9,339	15,623		657	607
Soybeans	(MT)	30,309	30,890	27,800	1,689	981	8,483	14,564	12,000	572	518
Protein meal	(MT)	147	167		12	14	495	593		46	57
Vegetable oils	(MT)	2,507	2,989		209	210	2,261	3,867		209	304
Essential oils	(MT)	100	105		8	8	1,142	1,278		99	97
Other		0	0	0	0	0	54,341	38,228		3,734	4,295
Total Agricultural Exports		0	0	0	0	0	82,170	115,450	98,500	7,838	9,118
Imports											
Animals, live		11,794	12,697	9,400	0	0	2,344	2,566	2,000	248	241
Meats and preps., excl. poultry	(MT)	1,449	1,179	1,200	0	0	4,595	4,064	4,100	374	385
Beef and veal	(MT)	1,026	820	800	69	61	3,385	2,965	3,000	233	246
Pork	(MT)	423	359	400	33	26	1,210	1,099	1,100	90	85
Dairy products		0	0		0	0	2,661	3,008	3,000	215	256
Poultry and products		0	0		0	0	459	461		32	44
Fats, oils, and greases	(MT)	102	96		9	8	105	119		10	11
Hides and skins, incl. furskins		0	0		0	0	168	153		6	6
Wool, unmanufactured	(MT)	8	7		0	1	32	33		1	3
Grains and feeds		0	0		0	0	5,993	7,885	8,000	582	726
Fruits, and preps., excl. juices ⁶	(MT)	10,227	10,116	10,200	651	660	8,817	9,528	10,000	427	498
Bananas and plantains	(MT)	4,255	4,255		342	336	1,207	1,322		98	113
Fruit juices	(HL)	4,791	4,941		365	281	1,616	1,935	2,000	117	121
Vegetables and preps. ⁵		7,337	7,612	7,700	0	0	7,314	7,962	8,200	488	569
Tobacco, unmanufactured	(MT)	243	228		26	34	804	842		86	134
Cotton, unmanufactured	(MT)	4	2		0	0	9	5		0	0
Seeds	(MT)	379	357		18	24	683	764		34	46
Nursery stock and cut flowers		0	0		0	0	1,531	1,514	1,500	119	115
Sugar, cane or beet	(MT)	1,979	2,431		204	231	817	948	1,000	82	98
Oilseeds and products	(MT)	5,827	7,075		496	526	4,026	6,581	5,700	353	534
Oilseeds	(MT)	1,199	1,530		96	119	449	883		42	76
Protein meal	(MT)	1,677	1,947		152	158	226	414		22	35
Vegetable oils	(MT)	2,645	3,252	3,300	248	249	2,781	4,594	4,000	289	423
Beverages excl. fruit juices ⁷	(HL)	4,404	4,224	4,200	0	0	8,229	8,417	8,400	770	843
Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices ⁹	(MT)	3,183	3,120		258	248	7,485	8,860		657	776
Coffee, incl. products ¹⁰	(MT)	1,369	1,350	1,400	122	119	3,654	4,348	4,800	321	376
Cocoa and chocolate	(MT)	1,140	1,075	1,100	84	79	2,593	3,046	3,200	226	281
Rubber	(MT)	1,005	1,065	1,000	91	95	2,087	2,711	2,700	198	299
Essential oils	(MT)	75	75		0	0	2,431	2,653	2,800	169	173
Total Agricultural Imports		0	0	0	0	0	70,063	79,317	81,000	5,473	6,525

F = Forecast. Fiscal year basis (Oct. 1 through Sep. 30). Projections are from *Outlook for U.S. Agricultural Trade*.

1. Projection includes beef, pork, and variety meats only.

2. Projection includes only federally inspected broiler meats

3. Value projection excludes wheat flour.

4. Projection excludes feed grain products.

5. Includes pulses.

6. Value projection includes juice.

7. Quantity and projections include wine and malt beverages only; nonalcoholic beverages are excluded

8. Value projection includes natural drugs.

9. Projections includes sugar and tropical products.

10. Volume includes beans only.

0 = Not available; includes mixed units and cannot be summed.

NO = Numbers. HL = Hectoliters. MT = Metric tons.

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Table 28—U.S. Agricultural Exports by Region

Region and country	Fiscal year			2007	2008			2008		
	2007	2008	2009F	Sep	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep
	<i>Million dollars</i>									
WESTERN HEMISPHERE	33,268	43,802	39,200	3,048	3,818	3,866	3,825	4,069	3,971	3,719
NORTH AMERICA	25,592	31,832	30,400	2,306	2,771	2,836	2,732	2,897	2,869	2,772
CANADA	13,261	16,245	16,400	1,189	1,369	1,485	1,415	1,481	1,391	1,387
MEXICO	12,331	15,587	14,000	1,117	1,402	1,351	1,317	1,416	1,478	1,385
CARIBBEAN	2,397	3,519	2,600	216	338	295	248	334	316	328
CENTRAL AMERICA	2,186	3,057	2,500	187	280	277	252	250	300	206
SOUTH AMERICA	3,094	5,394	3,700	340	429	457	593	587	485	414
BRAZIL	386	663	500	65	48	72	146	105	70	34
COLOMBIA	1,124	1,759	1,300	92	145	159	140	136	164	145
VENEZUELA	518	1,451	1,200	63	159	117	182	178	111	144
ASIA	29,345	43,374	37,200	2,370	3,646	3,756	3,634	3,538	3,353	3,291
EAST ASIA	23,952	35,045	31,000	1,874	2,921	3,071	2,996	2,921	2,535	2,478
CHINA (MAINLAND)	7,051	11,233	10,400	544	794	754	879	867	476	470
HONG KONG	1,082	1,597	1,500	90	148	143	155	126	131	144
JAPAN	9,699	13,103	11,500	715	1,116	1,378	1,134	1,174	1,077	1,254
SOUTH KOREA	3,190	5,559	4,500	285	557	518	569	482	528	385
CHINA (TAIWAN)	2,915	3,509	3,100	238	303	277	243	264	312	224
SOUTH ASIA	1,031	1,182	1,100	114	101	64	68	69	114	141
SOUTHEAST ASIA	4,361	7,148	5,100	382	624	622	570	548	704	672
INDONESIA	1,374	2,240	1,900	84	239	175	173	131	248	194
MALAYSIA	508	631	600	45	54	46	60	53	62	42
PHILIPPINES	963	1,730	1,400	92	108	171	136	155	166	160
THAILAND	798	1,144	1,100	65	103	91	69	85	103	144
EUROPE/EURASIA	9,813	13,513	10,600	990	1,089	940	901	930	964	963
EUROPEAN UNION-27 ¹	8,040	10,668	8,400	815	831	702	687	665	684	684
OTHER EUROPE ²	331	521	400	21	76	27	28	24	29	37
FORMER SOVIET UNION-12 ³	1,442	2,323	1,800	154	182	211	186	241	251	243
RUSSIAN FEDERATION	1,124	1,878	1,300	121	155	175	143	196	201	161
MIDDLE EAST	4,219	6,918	4,800	538	499	448	655	511	656	543
SAUDI ARABIA	536	979	800	77	57	58	52	71	122	89
TURKEY	1,363	1,739	1,500	139	142	190	173	114	78	92
AFRICA	4,338	6,363	5,400	748	530	403	461	525	619	436
N AFRICA	2,698	3,841	3,300	491	288	206	302	247	288	230
EGYPT	1,685	2,199	1,900	246	164	152	220	190	219	176
SUB-SAHARA	1,640	2,523	1,800	257	242	198	159	279	331	206
OCEANIA	899	1,143	1,000	87	81	95	109	97	115	108
TRANSSHIPMENTS ⁴	288	336	300	56	0	0	8	0	10	57
TOTAL AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS	82,170	115,450	98,500	7,838	9,663	9,508	9,592	9,671	9,688	9,118

Based on fiscal year (Oct. 1 through Sep. 30). F = Forecast.

1. The former EU-25 plus Romania and Bulgaria who acceded in January 2007. Projections are for EU-25.

2. Major countries include Switzerland, Norway, Iceland, and the former Yugoslav States. Projections include Romania and Bulgaria.

3. The former 15 Republics of the Soviet Union minus the three Baltic Republics.

4. Transshipments through Canada have not been distributed by country but are included in the total.

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Table 29—Value Added to the U.S. Economy by the Agricultural Sector

Component accounts	2004	2005	2006	2007	08/28/08 2008F	1998-2007 average
	<i>\$ billion</i>					
Value of crop production	124.4	115.2	119.2	150.8	188.8	110.1
Food grains	8.9	8.6	9.1	12.8	20.4	8.3
Feed crops	27.4	24.7	29.4	42.5	63.8	25.7
Cotton	4.8	6.3	5.6	6.2	5.6	5.0
Oil crops	17.9	18.5	18.5	22.6	33.3	16.8
Fruits and tree nuts	15.5	17.4	17.2	17.8	19.2	14.2
Vegetables	16.2	17.0	18.5	20.0	21.3	16.7
All other crops	23.0	23.4	24.3	25.1	26.1	22.4
Home consumption	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2
Value of inventory adjustment ¹	10.7	-0.8	-3.5	3.8	-1.0	1.0
Value of livestock production	124.4	126.5	119.0	138.1	146.1	110.1
Meat animals	62.4	64.8	63.6	65.0	68.3	55.5
Dairy products	27.4	26.7	23.4	35.4	35.9	24.7
Poultry and eggs	29.5	28.7	26.5	32.6	36.9	25.5
Miscellaneous livestock	4.3	4.6	4.8	4.9	5.0	4.3
Home consumption	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.2
Value of inventory adjustment ¹	0.6	1.3	0.5	-0.1	-0.3	-0.1
Revenues from services and forestry	33.9	35.0	38.4	40.3	42.3	31.0
Machine hire and customwork	3.4	2.8	2.7	2.5	2.9	2.5
Forest products sold	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.6
Other farm income	11.3	10.9	12.3	11.8	12.2	10.5
Gross imputed rental value of farm dwellings	16.8	18.8	20.9	23.6	24.9	15.5
Value of agricultural sector production ²	282.7	276.7	276.6	329.2	377.3	251.2
<i>Minus</i> Purchased inputs	137.4	144.0	153.6	171.4	207.1	134.4
Farm origin	57.5	56.9	61.0	68.8	81.8	53.3
Feed purchased	29.7	28.0	31.4	38.1	47.9	27.9
Livestock and poultry purchased	18.1	18.5	18.5	18.8	18.6	16.2
Seed purchased	9.6	10.4	11.0	11.9	15.3	9.2
Manufactured inputs	31.6	35.4	37.5	43.7	59.5	31.9
Fertilizers and lime	11.4	12.8	13.3	16.7	26.4	11.5
Pesticides	8.6	8.8	9.0	10.0	10.7	8.8
Petroleum fuel and oils	8.2	10.3	11.3	13.0	18.1	8.2
Electricity	3.4	3.5	3.8	3.9	4.2	3.4
Other intermediate expenses	48.3	51.6	55.2	58.9	65.8	49.3
Repair and maintenance of capital items	11.9	11.9	12.5	13.6	15.3	11.5
Machine hire and customwork	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.7	4.1	3.9
Marketing, storage, and transportation	7.2	8.8	9.0	9.8	11.0	7.9
Contract labor	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.8	4.1	3.0
Miscellaneous expenses	22.4	24.4	27.2	28.0	31.3	23.0
<i>Plus</i> Net government transactions	5.4	15.8	6.2	1.5	2.4	9.4
+ Direct government payments	13.0	24.4	15.8	11.9	13.2	17.4
- Vehicle registration and licensing fees	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5
- Property taxes	7.0	8.0	9.0	9.8	10.2	7.5
Gross value added	150.7	148.6	129.2	159.3	172.6	126.2
<i>Minus</i> Capital consumption	23.1	24.9	26.1	26.9	28.4	22.3
Net value added ²	127.6	123.6	103.1	132.5	144.2	103.9
<i>Minus</i> Payments to stakeholders	41.8	44.3	44.6	45.7	48.5	42.8
Employee compensation (total hired labor)	20.2	20.5	21.2	21.8	23.1	19.2
Net rent received by nonoperator landlords	10.0	10.6	9.4	8.8	10.8	10.2
Real estate and non-real estate interest	11.6	13.2	14.0	15.1	14.6	13.3
Net farm income ²	85.8	79.3	58.5	86.8	95.7	61.1

F = forecast. P = preliminary. Numbers may not add due to rounding. 1. A positive value of inventory change represents current-year production not sold by December 31. A negative value is an offset to production from prior years included in current-year sales. 2. Final sector output is the gross value of commodities and services produced within a year. Net value added is the sector's contribution to the National economy. Net farm income is farm operators' share of income from the sector's production activities. The concepts presented are consistent with those employed by the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD). [Information contact: Roger Strickland, E-mail: rogers@ers.usda.gov]

Table 30—Income Statement for U.S. Farm Sector

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008F	1998-2007 average
	<i>\$ billion</i>					
Cash income statement						
1. Cash receipts	237.2	240.9	240.8	284.8	323.4	219.1
Crops ¹	113.6	116.0	122.6	147.0	179.9	109.0
Livestock	123.6	124.9	118.2	137.9	143.5	110.0
2. Direct Government payments ²	13.0	24.4	15.8	11.9	12.5	17.4
3. Farm-related income ³	17.1	16.2	17.5	16.6	17.6	15.5
4. Gross cash income (1+2+3)	267.3	281.5	274.1	313.4	353.5	251.9
5. Cash expenses ⁴	185.0	194.8	206.0	226.0	262.8	183.7
6. Net cash income ⁵ (4-5)	82.3	86.6	68.0	87.4	90.7	68.2
Farm income statement						
7. Gross cash income (1+2+3)	267.3	281.5	274.1	313.4	353.5	251.9
8. Noncash income ⁶	17.1	19.2	21.3	24.0	25.3	15.8
9. Value of inventory adjustment	11.2	0.5	-3.0	3.7	0.5	0.9
10. Gross farm income (7+8+9)	295.6	301.1	292.4	341.1	379.4	268.6
11. Total production expenses	209.8	221.8	233.9	254.4	292.5	207.5
12. Net farm income (10-11)	85.8	79.3	58.5	86.8	86.9	61.1

F = forecast. P = preliminary. Numbers may not add due to rounding. 1. Includes commodities placed under CCC loans and profits made on loans redeemed. 2. Government payments reflect payments made directly to all recipients in the farm sector, including landlords. The nonoperator landlords share is offset by its inclusion in rental expenses paid to these landlords and thus is not reflected in net farm income or net cash income. 3. Income from custom labor, machine hire, recreational activities, forest product sales, and other farm sources. 4. Excludes depreciation and perquisites to hired labor. 5. Excludes farm operator dwellings. 6. Value of farm products consumed on farms where produced plus the imputed rental value of farm dwellings. [Information contacts: Roger Strickland, E-mail: rogers@ers.usda.gov] Note: The current farm income forecast and historical statistics can always be found at <http://www.ers.usda.gov/Data/FarmIncome/finfidmu.htm>

Table 31—Average Income to Farm Operator Households ¹

	2004	2005	2006 2	2007	2008F
<i>Dollars per family farm</i>					
Net cash farm business income	20,624	20,566	16,762	18,616	23,443
Less depreciation ³	7,909	7,588	7,612	8,020	n.a.
Less wages paid to operator ⁴	362	426	78	42	n.a.
Less farmland rental income ⁵	806	955	1,022	1,138	n.a.
Less adjusted farm business income due to other household(s) ⁶	2,955	1,957	1,753	1,708	n.a.
Less corporate retained income and dividends paid to others	n.a.	n.a.	898	1,120	n.a.
<i>Dollars per farm operator household</i>					
<i>Equals</i> adjusted farm business income	8,206	9,640	5,398	6,588	n.a.
<i>Plus</i> wages paid to operator	747	804	448	365	n.a.
<i>Equals</i> farm self-employment income	8,953	10,444	5,847	6,954	n.a.
<i>Plus</i> other farm-related earnings ⁷	4,611	3,552	2,903	1,651	n.a.
<i>Equals</i> earnings of the operator household from farming activities	13,564	13,996	8,750	8,605	5,900
<i>Plus</i> earnings of the operator household from off-farm sources ⁸	67,279	67,091	72,502	77,618	80,897
<i>Equals</i> average income to farm operator households, comparable to U.S. average household income, as measured by the CPS	80,843	81,086	81,251	86,223	86,798
Median money income to farm operator households	53,595	53,918	56,022	52,455	n.a.
<i>Dollars per U.S. household</i>					
U.S. average household income ⁹	60,466	63,344	66,570	67,609	n.a.
U.S. median household income	44,334	46,326	48,201	50,233	n.a.
<i>Percent</i>					
Average farm operator household income as percent of U.S. average household income	133.7	128.0	122.1	127.5	n.a.
Median farm operator household income as percent of U.S. median household income	120.9	116.4	116.2	104.4	n.a.
Average operator household earnings from farming activities as percent of average operator household income	16.8	17.3	10.8	10.0	6.8

Note: Operator household income is estimated only for family farms. Starting in 2005, "family farm" is defined as any farm where the majority of the business is owned by the operator and individuals related to the operator by blood, marriage, or adoption. Under the previous definition, family farms were farms organized as sole proprietorships, legal partnerships, or family corporations. The previous definition also excluded any business operated by a hired manager. The current definition recognizes that hired managers may have an ownership interest in the business.

F = forecast. n.a. = not available.

1. This table derives farm operator household income estimates from the Agricultural Resource Management Study (ARMS) that are consistent with Current Population Survey (CPS) methodology. The CPS, conducted by the Census Bureau, is the source of official U.S. household income statistics. The CPS defines money income to include any income received as cash. The CPS definition departs from a strictly cash concept by including depreciation as an expense that farm operators and other self-employed people subtract from gross receipts when reporting net cash income. Both ERS and CPS exclude net capital gains/losses as household income.

2. Starting in 2006, the C-corporation operator household earnings from the farm operation is the corporate dividends plus wages paid to the household. For all other legal organization farms, the operator household earnings is the full household share of current adjusted farm business income.

3. The ARMS collects farm business depreciation as reported for tax purposes.

4. For this deduction, operator wages are set at zero because wages paid to the operators of corporations are already deducted in the farm business income statement. For all other organizations, wages paid to the operator are subtracted here because they are not shared among other households that have claims on farm business income. However, for all organization types, these wages are added to the operator household's adjusted farm business income to obtain a measure of farm self-employment income.

5. Gross rental income is subtracted here because net rental income from the farm operation is added below to income received by the household.

6. More than one household may have a claim on the income of a farm business. On average, 1.1 households share the income of a farm business.

7. Wages paid to other operator household members by the farm business and net income from a farm business other than the one being surveyed, and net income from farmland rental.

8. Wages, salaries, net income from nonfarm businesses, interest, dividends, transfer payments, etc.

9. From the CPS.

Sources: Agricultural Resource Management Study, USDA, for farm operator household data and Current Population Survey, Census Bureau, U.S. Department of Commerce, for U.S. average household income.

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Table 32—Balance Sheet of the U.S. Farming Sector

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008F
	<i>\$ million</i>				
Farm assets	1,617,582	1,835,464	2,047,439	2,209,924	2,349,686
Real estate	1,340,582	1,549,227	1,755,794	1,912,194	2,042,245
Livestock and poultry	79,420	81,097	80,747	80,649	80,607
Machinery and motor vehicles ¹	101,944	106,892	108,084	108,546	109,568
Crops stored ²	24,435	24,291	22,699	22,703	27,610
Purchased inputs	5,701	6,491	6,460	7,019	7,307
Financial assets	65,500	67,465	73,656	78,812	82,348
Total farm debt ³	182,965	193,230	196,392	211,520	215,147
Real estate	96,872	101,518	101,475	107,778	111,124
Non-real estate	86,093	91,712	94,917	103,742	104,023
Farm equity	1,434,617	1,642,234	1,851,047	1,998,404	2,134,539
	<i>Percent</i>				
Selected ratios					
Debt-to-equity	12.8	11.8	10.6	10.6	10.1
Debt-to-assets	11.3	10.5	9.6	9.6	9.2

F = forecast. P = preliminary. Numbers may not add due to rounding. The balance sheet is as of December 31. 1.

Includes only farm share of value for trucks and automobiles. 2. Non-CCC crops held on farms plus value above loan rates for crops held under CCC. 3. Includes CCC storage and drying facilities loans but excludes debt on operator dwellings and for nonfarm purposes. [Contacts: Ken Erickson, 202-694-5565, erickson@ers.usda.gov and Bob Williams, 202-694-5053, e-mail: Williams@ers.usda.gov] Note: The current farm income and balance sheet forecasts can always be found starting at <http://www.ers.usda.gov/Data/FarmIncome/finfidmu.htm>

Table 33—Cash Receipts from Farming

	Annual			2007		2008				
	2005	2006	2007	Aug	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
	<i>\$ million</i>									
Commodity cash receipts¹	240,891	240,828	284,844	23,710	24,222	22,005	23,724	27,537	27,704	27,431
Livestock and products	124,918	118,227	137,889	12,133	11,520	10,674	11,911	12,102	12,477	12,727
Meat animals	64,848	63,550	64,992	5,842	4,935	4,775	5,694	5,591	5,619	6,293
Dairy products	26,698	23,405	35,425	2,916	2,965	2,849	2,979	3,031	2,935	2,768
Poultry and eggs	28,727	26,459	32,607	2,969	3,322	2,771	2,944	3,060	2,988	3,239
Other	4,646	4,813	4,866	407	298	278	294	420	935	426
Crops	115,972	122,601	146,954	11,577	12,703	11,332	11,813	15,435	15,227	14,704
Food grains	8,601	9,086	12,786	1,462	1,186	1,018	984	2,927	2,812	1,995
Feed crops	24,701	29,447	42,456	2,897	4,688	3,002	3,403	5,084	5,122	4,974
Cotton (lint and seed)	6,320	5,566	6,172	364	520	409	490	351	340	463
Tobacco	1,097	1,156	1,277	275	23	6	0	6	7	281
Oil-bearing crops	18,450	18,501	22,650	1,456	2,073	1,575	1,600	2,000	1,798	1,814
Vegetables and melons	17,030	18,457	19,965	2,021	1,213	1,766	2,051	2,104	1,775	2,105
Fruits and tree nuts	17,440	17,195	17,802	1,644	955	886	1,273	1,625	1,704	1,659
Other	22,333	23,193	23,847	1,457	2,044	2,668	2,013	1,337	1,670	1,413
Government payments	24,396	15,789	11,903	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Total	265,287	256,617	296,747	23,710	24,222	22,005	23,724	27,537	27,704	27,431

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Table 34—Cash Receipts from Farm Marketings, by State

Region and State	Livestock and products				Crops 1				Total 1			
			Jul	Aug			Jul	Aug			Jul	Aug
	2006	2007	2007	2008	2006	2007	2007	2008	2006	2007	2007	2008
<i>\$ million</i>												
North Atlantic												
Maine	286	345	28	29	301	340	40	65	587	684	68	93
New Hampshire	64	80	7	7	97	105	7	12	161	184	13	19
Vermont	416	581	49	46	85	93	17	6	501	674	66	53
Massachusetts	88	100	8	8	347	350	18	29	435	450	26	37
Rhode Island	10	11	1	1	55	59	5	4	65	70	6	5
Connecticut	154	202	17	18	375	361	25	24	529	564	42	42
New York	1,951	2,723	234	225	1,534	1,724	121	234	3,485	4,447	355	459
New Jersey	163	177	47	8	765	769	123	92	928	946	171	100
Pennsylvania	2,963	3,831	336	334	1,776	1,929	134	152	4,740	5,760	470	486
North Central												
Ohio	1,984	2,526	227	228	3,630	4,372	443	327	5,614	6,898	670	555
Indiana	2,039	2,565	241	252	4,045	5,211	652	601	6,084	7,776	892	854
Illinois	1,806	2,073	173	237	7,131	9,605	1,010	892	8,937	11,679	1,183	1,129
Michigan	1,656	2,367	192	187	2,931	3,375	439	335	4,587	5,742	631	522
Wisconsin	4,649	6,204	531	509	2,272	2,654	208	325	6,921	8,858	739	834
Minnesota	4,635	5,629	517	540	5,502	6,910	754	737	10,137	12,538	1,271	1,277
Iowa	7,772	8,857	841	860	7,490	10,180	1,543	1,211	15,262	19,037	2,384	2,071
Missouri	3,039	3,451	269	340	2,523	3,469	269	380	5,562	6,920	539	720
North Dakota	898	957	21	43	3,210	4,534	432	619	4,108	5,490	453	662
South Dakota	2,662	2,705	181	193	2,081	3,029	645	374	4,743	5,734	826	567
Nebraska	7,670	8,358	776	847	4,523	6,198	727	450	12,193	14,556	1,502	1,297
Kansas	6,976	7,212	663	728	3,359	4,518	458	358	10,335	11,729	1,121	1,086
Southern												
Delaware	660	795	71	75	182	209	16	41	842	1,005	86	116
Maryland	948	1,144	90	98	720	828	106	66	1,668	1,972	197	164
Virginia	1,830	2,064	206	202	852	887	121	95	2,682	2,950	326	296
West Virginia	360	399	36	32	72	81	9	10	432	480	45	42
North Carolina	5,124	5,768	510	585	2,854	2,924	160	356	7,978	8,691	670	942
South Carolina	1,063	1,242	98	112	788	785	45	83	1,851	2,028	143	195
Georgia	3,588	4,362	393	410	2,108	2,452	160	292	5,696	6,814	553	701
Florida	1,284	1,463	136	142	5,901	6,183	124	130	7,184	7,646	261	272
Kentucky	2,673	2,958	629	160	1,358	1,475	86	84	4,031	4,432	715	243
Tennessee	1,168	1,399	106	120	1,298	1,342	70	132	2,466	2,741	177	252
Alabama	2,955	3,371	321	339	788	796	69	103	3,743	4,166	390	442
Mississippi	2,450	2,754	246	261	1,212	1,588	137	230	3,663	4,342	383	491
Arkansas	3,638	4,100	386	407	2,357	3,038	255	242	5,995	7,138	641	649
Louisiana	858	941	104	95	1,282	1,769	77	199	2,140	2,710	181	295
Oklahoma	4,094	3,977	372	418	894	1,180	169	130	4,988	5,158	541	547
Texas	10,356	11,386	995	1,060	5,959	7,688	847	722	16,315	19,075	1,842	1,782
Western												
Montana	1,279	1,157	56	76	1,056	1,237	162	166	2,335	2,394	218	242
Idaho	2,418	3,269	305	283	2,123	2,413	243	363	4,542	5,682	548	646
Wyoming	876	882	104	128	166	184	23	36	1,042	1,066	128	164
Colorado	4,109	4,271	360	380	1,687	2,019	415	201	5,796	6,290	775	581
New Mexico	1,862	2,358	203	223	605	700	99	67	2,467	3,058	302	290
Arizona	1,328	1,577	131	125	1,525	1,843	109	52	2,852	3,420	240	177
Utah	861	951	66	76	331	389	41	39	1,192	1,340	107	116
Nevada	279	337	27	28	185	216	46	34	464	553	73	62
Washington	1,619	2,127	191	194	4,491	5,323	652	741	6,110	7,450	843	935
Oregon	1,030	1,067	98	109	2,981	3,298	286	367	4,011	4,365	384	476
California	7,547	10,735	867	940	24,269	25,840	2,595	2,453	31,816	36,575	3,462	3,394
Alaska	8	7	1	1	25	26	2	3	32	33	3	4
Hawaii	80	76	9	9	499	457	33	39	579	533	42	48
U.S.	118,227	137,889	12,477	12,727	122,601	146,954	15,227	14,704	240,828	284,844	27,704	27,431

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Table 35—CCC Net Outlays by Commodity and Function

	Fiscal year									
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008E	2009E
	\$ million									
Commodity/Program										
Feed grains:										
Corn	10,136	6,297	2,959	1,415	2,504	6,243	8,804	3,195	2,122	2,058
Grain sorghum	979	478	208	106	213	376	578	150	222	191
Barley	397	217	97	45	119	189	159	58	86	81
Oats	61	36	7	4	5	3	2	2	4	3
Corn and oat products	6	8	25	2	0	2	-1	-1	5	0
Total feed grains	11,579	7,036	3,296	1,572	2,841	6,813	9,542	3,404	2,439	2,333
Wheat and products	5,321	2,922	1,190	1,118	1,173	1,232	1,080	729	1,099	1,167
Rice	1,774	1,423	1,085	1,279	1,130	473	605	337	454	423
Upland cotton	3,809	1,868	3,307	2,889	1,372	4,245	3,982	2,592	1,329	1,122
Tobacco	657	386	-137	179	18	-411	77	30	7	8
Dairy	684	1,140	622	2,494	549	40	412	159	11	28
Soybeans	2,840	3,281	3,447	907	595	1,140	591	337	512	591
Peanuts	35	136	129	1,562	259	408	404	336	88	73
Sugar	465	31	-130	-84	61	-86	10	25	-35	0
Honey	7	23	-3	1	3	8	-1	-3	0	0
Wool and mohair	-2	38	-1	20	12	7	8	7	7	7
Tobacco Trust Fund						899	891	934	960	960
Operating expense	60	5	55	81	6	10	14	2	26	30
Interest expenditure	736	428	218	49	88	71	366	513	17	42
Export programs ¹	216	-2,047	-96	367	65	-1,443	-629	160	131	344
1988-2007 Disaster/tree/ livestock assistance: ²	1,452	2,326	248	2,119	936	2,469	383	61	2,789	50
Conservation Reserve Program	1,511	1,658	1,785	1,789	1,801	1,828	1,896	1,963	2,021	2,013
Emergency Forestry Conservat. Resrv.							6	6	24	25
Other conservation programs	263	288	291	185	97	23	22	9	3	5
Other	858	1,163	374	898	-431	2,461	552	-561	753	808
Total	32,265	22,105	15,680	17,425	10,575	20,187	20,211	11,040	12,635	10,029
Function										
Price support loans (net)	3,369	3,189	4,456	4,306	1,246	5,801	5,959	4,129	246	-141
Cash direct payments:										
Production flexibility contract	5,057	4,105	3,968	-294	-11	1	-1	-1	0	0
Direct payment	0	0	0	4,151	5,289	5,235	4,962	3,957	5,224	5,060
Counter-cyclical payment	0	0	0	1,743	809	2,772	4,356	3,159	392	521
ACRE payments	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Market loss assistance	11,046	5,455	-1	167	-3	2	0	1	13	2
Deficiency	1	-1	-2	-1	-2	0	0	0	0	0
Dairy milk income loss	0	0	0	1,795	221	9	352	157	10	0
Loan deficiency	6,419	5,293	5,345	693	461	3,856	4,630	174	7	7
Oilseed	460	921	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cotton User marketing	446	237	182	455	363	582	372	11	60	1
Other	461	820	7	1,323	20	9	12	15	15	82
Tobacco Buy-Out Payments	0	0	0	0	0	939	967	955	960	960
Conservation Reserve Program	1,476	1,625	1,785	1,785	1,786	1,788	1,830	1,865	1,944	1,918
Other conservation programs	215	229	249	159	96	22	22	9	3	2
Emergency Forestry Conservat. Resrv.							0	6	21	24
Noninsured Assistance (NAP)	38	64	181	237	124	110	66	127	105	325
Total direct payments	25,619	18,748	11,714	12,214	9,153	15,325	17,568	10,435	8,754	8,902
1988-2007 crop disaster ²	1,251	1,848	230	1,867	804	2,395	178	59	2,417	50
Emergency livestock/tree/ livestock indemnity: ²	201	478	17	251	132	73	205	3	372	0
Purchases (net)	120	-1,310	-1,006	-2,248	-258	-4,269	-3,948	-3,675	-2	195
Processing, storage, and transportation	81	122	119	167	143	125	103	85	9	2
Export donations ocean transportation	370	362	302	388	-121	46	39	1	48	50
Operating expense	60	5	55	81	6	10	14	2	26	30
Interest expenditure	736	428	218	49	88	71	366	513	17	42
Export programs ¹	216	-2,047	-96	367	65	-1,443	-629	160	131	344
Other	242	282	-329	-17	-683	2,053	356	-672	617	555
Total	32,265	22,105	15,680	17,425	10,575	20,187	20,211	11,040	12,635	10,029

1/ Includes Export Guarantee Program, Direct Export Credit Program, CCC Transfers to the General Sales Manager, Market Access (Promotion) Program, starting in FY 1991 and starting in FY 1992 the Export Guarantee Program - CreditReform, Export Enhancement Program, Dairy Export Incentive Program, & Technical Assistance to Emerging Markets, starting in FY 2000 Foreign Market Development Cooperative Program and Quality Samples Program, starting in FY 2003 Technical Assistance for Specialty Crops and starting in FY 2009 the Pilot Program for Local and Regional Food Aid. E = Estimated in FY 2009 Mid-Session Review based on May 2008 supply and demand estimates. The CCC outlays shown for 2002-2008 include the impact of the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002, which was enacted on May 13, 2002. The CCC outlays shown for Fiscal 2008 and 2009 also include the impact of the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 enacted June 18, 2008. FY 2008 and FY 2009 disaster and livestock assistance programs include the impact of \$2.8 billion of outlays authorized by P.L. 110-28, which was enacted May 25, 2007. Excluded from this table are \$565 million of outlays shown in the new Agricultural Disaster Relief Trust Fund in FY 2009. Minus (-) indicates a net receipt (excess of repayments or other receipts over

Table 36—Food Sales

	Annual			2008			Year-to-date cumulative		
	2005	2006	2007	Aug	Sept	Oct	Aug	Sept	Oct
	<i>\$ billion</i>								
Sales ¹									
At home ²	514.6	546.8	577.0	51.3	48.2	49.5	397.4	445.6	495.1
Away from home ³	451.9	486.5	510.7	46.4	42.7	43.8	350.6	393.4	437.2
	<i>Percent change from year earlier</i>								
Sales ¹									
At home ²	5.7	6.1	5.7	5.8	4.1	3.4	5.7	5.5	5.3
Away from home ³	5.7	7.7	5.0	4.1	1.9	1.5	4.1	3.9	3.7

-- = Not available. 1. Food only (excludes alcoholic beverages). Not seasonally adjusted. 2. Excludes donations and home production.

3. Excludes donations, child nutrition subsidies, and meals furnished to employees, patients, and inmates. *Information contact: Annette Clauson (202) 694-5389*

Note: This table differs from Personal Consumption Expenditures (PCE), table 2, for several reasons: (1) this series includes only food, excluding alcoholic beverages and pet food which are included in PCE; (2) this series is not seasonally adjusted, whereas PCE is seasonally adjusted at annual rates; (3) this series reports sales only, but PCE includes food produced and consumed on farms and food furnished to employees; (4) this series includes all sales of meals and snacks, while PCE includes only purchases using personal funds, excluding business travel and entertainment. For a more complete discussion of the differences, see "Developing an Integrated Information System for the Food Sector," ERS Ag. Econ. Rpt. No. 575, Aug. 1987, available at <http://www.ers.usda.gov/publications/aer575/>

Table 37—Rail Rates: Grain & Fruit-Vegetable Shipments

	Annual			2007		2008				
	2005	2006	2007	Oct	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct
Rail freight rate index ¹ (Dec. 1984=100)										
Railroads, line-haul operating	139.6	151.6	157.2	161.4	174.4	178.0	181.3	182.0	182.8	180.0
Grain shipments										
Rail carloadings (1,000 cars) ²	23.3	22.6	22.7	27.6	22.4	22.0	23.9	24.6	22.0	23.9
Fresh fruit and vegetable shipments ³										
Piggy back (mil. cwt)	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.8	1.0	0.9	1.2	1.0	1.0	0.8
Rail (mil. cwt)	1.6	1.3	1.2	1.0	1.4	1.5	1.2	0.6	0.8	1.6
Truck (mil. cwt)	45.8	45.3	45.7	42.8	57.3	53.4	49.7	50.8	42.7	41.6

-- = Not available. 1. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. 2. Weekly average; from Association of American Railroads.

3. Annual data are monthly average. Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA.

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Table 38—Indexes of Farm Production, Input Use, & Productivity

	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
	1996 = 100									
Farm output	91	101	96	100	104	105	107	108	107	106
All livestock products	95	99	101	100	101	104	107	108	109	110
Meat animals	100	103	104	100	101	104	105	106	105	105
Dairy products	98	100	101	100	101	102	106	109	108	110
Poultry and eggs	87	91	95	100	102	104	109	111	112	117
All crops	88	103	92	100	105	103	105	106	103	101
Cereals	79	106	83	100	100	104	100	102	96	88
Forage crops ¹	98	101	102	100	104	103	108	104	107	104
Industrial crops ²	85	106	93	100	109	104	105	104	96	102
Potatoes	87	96	90	100	95	95	96	102	89	93
Vegetable and horticulture	93	100	96	100	100	99	105	106	107	104
Fruit and tree nuts	102	106	99	100	118	105	113	120	116	119
Other crops ³	85	92	94	100	107	114	106	123	120	117
Misc. output ⁴	98	98	109	100	111	125	134	125	131	128
Farm input	100	102	104	100	103	105	107	104	103	102
All capital	103	102	101	100	100	99	99	98	98	98
Durable equipment	109	106	103	100	98	98	99	99	99	100
Non-residential structures	107	105	103	100	98	96	94	92	91	90
Inventories	101	97	105	100	107	107	106	105	106	107
Land	99	99	100	100	100	100	100	99	98	98
Labor	98	99	103	100	101	98	101	98	96	96
Hired labor	102	101	110	100	105	107	112	107	106	105
Self-employed labor	96	98	100	100	99	94	96	94	93	92
Materials	100	103	106	100	107	112	116	111	110	107
Farm origin	105	106	111	100	108	116	123	120	117	113
Energy	93	96	101	100	103	104	106	100	97	97
Chemicals	94	100	92	100	108	104	103	101	97	98
Purchased services	97	100	105	100	107	111	114	110	113	107
Total factor productivity	91	100	93	100	100	100	100	104	104	104
Farm output per unit of labor	93	102	94	100	103	107	107	111	111	111

1. Includes corn and grain sorghum silage and hay crops. 2. Includes oilcrops, cotton, tobacco, sugar crops, dry beans, dry peas, hops, and mint.
3. Includes seed crops, other field crops, and farm forest products. 4. Includes certain non-agricultural activities that are closely linked to agricultural production for which information on production and input use cannot be separately observed. Examples include the provision of agricultural services such as custom machine services, recreational activities, and other activities involving the use of the land and the means of agricultural production.
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Table 39—Per Capita Consumption of Major Food Commodities ¹

	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
	<i>Lbs.</i>										
Red meats ^{2,3,4}	111.0	109.0	113.2	115.1	113.7	111.4	114.0	111.7	112.1	110.2	109.9
Beef	64.0	62.6	63.6	64.3	64.5	63.1	64.5	61.9	63.0	62.4	62.7
Veal	1.0	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4
Lamb & mutton	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8
Pork	45.2	44.7	48.2	49.3	47.8	46.9	48.2	48.4	47.9	46.5	46.0
Poultry ^{2,3,4}	63.1	63.6	64.3	67.4	67.9	67.8	70.7	71.2	72.7	73.6	74.8
Chicken	48.8	50.0	50.4	53.6	54.2	54.0	56.8	57.5	59.3	60.5	61.4
Turkey	14.3	13.6	13.9	13.8	13.7	13.8	14.0	13.7	13.4	13.2	13.3
Fish and shellfish ³	14.5	14.3	14.5	14.8	15.2	14.7	15.6	16.3	16.5	16.1	16.5
Eggs ⁴	30.1	30.2	30.8	32.2	32.3	32.5	32.8	32.8	33.0	32.8	32.4
Dairy products											
Cheese (excluding cottage) ^{2,5}	27.3	27.5	27.8	29.0	29.8	30.0	30.4	30.4	31.2	31.5	32.4
American	11.8	11.8	11.9	12.6	12.7	12.8	12.8	12.5	12.9	12.6	13.0
Italian	10.6	10.8	11.1	11.6	12.1	12.4	12.5	12.6	12.9	13.3	13.7
Other cheeses ⁶	4.9	4.9	4.7	4.8	5.0	4.8	5.2	5.4	5.4	5.6	5.7
Cottage cheese	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6
Beverage milks ²	205.4	201.9	198.5	197.6	193.8	189.9	188.9	186.2	183.4	181.1	181.6
Fluid whole milk ⁷	73.0	71.0	69.5	70.1	69.2	67.2	66.5	65.5	62.7	59.6	57.7
Fluid lower fat milk ⁸	99.5	97.4	95.6	95.2	94.7	93.9	94.4	93.7	93.9	94.2	95.7
Fluid skim milk	32.9	33.5	33.4	32.2	29.9	28.8	27.9	26.8	26.5	26.9	27.8
Fluid cream products ⁹	8.5	8.8	8.9	9.4	9.8	10.7	10.5	11.8	12.5	12.8	12.9
Yogurt (excluding frozen)	5.9	5.8	5.9	6.2	6.5	7.0	7.4	8.2	9.2	10.3	11.0
Ice cream	15.6	16.1	16.3	16.7	16.6	16.3	16.7	16.4	13.8	14.5	14.4
Lowfat ice cream ¹⁰	7.5	7.8	8.1	7.5	7.3	7.3	6.5	7.5	7.3	6.7	6.8
Frozen yogurt	2.5	2.0	2.1	1.9	2.0	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.4
All dairy products, milk equivalent, milkfat basis ¹¹	566.2	567.2	572.2	584.1	592.2	586.3	585.9	593.6	592.7	596.5	605.0
Fats and oils--total fat content	63.0	62.6	63.0	65.6	81.8	82.9	87.7	87.0	86.4	85.5	84.3
Butter and margarine (product weight)	13.2	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.7	11.4	10.9	9.7	9.7	8.5	9.3
Shortening	21.9	20.5	20.5	21.1	31.6	32.6	33.3	32.8	32.6	29.1	24.8
Lard and edible tallow (direct use)	3.5	2.9	3.8	4.2	4.8	4.2	4.7	5.1	4.7	5.3	5.5
Salad and cooking oils	25.7	28.0	27.3	28.8	33.7	35.5	39.6	40.1	39.9	42.6	44.4
Fruits and vegetables ²	705.8	705.2	702.9	704.2	709.0	701.5	681.2	701.6	700.5	685.9	676.0
Fruit	287.6	288.7	290.5	288.7	285.6	288.4	268.5	279.9	279.0	270.6	269.6
Fresh fruits	126.3	129.9	129.0	130.2	128.5	125.8	126.7	128.2	128.0	126.3	129.1
Canned fruit	18.4	20.0	17.0	19.2	17.5	17.6	16.7	17.2	16.9	16.5	15.4
Dried fruit	11.1	10.6	12.1	10.1	10.4	9.8	10.4	9.8	9.2	10.0	10.0
Frozen fruit	4.7	4.3	4.5	5.0	4.2	7.1	4.1	5.5	4.9	5.2	5.0
Selected fruit juices	126.8	123.2	127.7	123.7	124.6	127.9	110.3	118.9	119.4	112.2	109.4
Vegetables	418.1	416.5	412.4	415.5	423.4	413.1	412.7	421.6	421.5	415.3	406.4
Fresh	186.3	190.9	186.3	192.9	199.3	196.2	195.4	200.0	201.3	198.0	196.0
Canning	106.4	105.5	105.3	102.9	103.2	96.4	100.6	100.9	102.8	104.9	94.8
Freezing	83.3	80.0	80.3	80.8	79.3	79.4	76.9	78.8	79.0	75.7	74.6
Dehydrated and chips	33.9	31.9	32.4	30.5	33.2	33.4	32.3	34.7	31.8	29.7	33.9
Legumes	8.1	8.3	8.1	8.4	8.5	7.7	7.5	7.3	6.7	7.0	7.2
Peanuts (shelled)	5.7	5.9	5.9	6.0	5.8	5.9	5.8	6.3	6.6	6.6	6.5
Tree nuts (shelled)	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.8	2.5	2.8	3.1	3.4	3.4	2.7	3.4
Flour and cereal products ¹³	196.7	197.4	194.4	196.0	199.3	195.0	192.1	193.5	191.7	191.5	192.5
Wheat flour	146.4	146.8	143.0	144.0	146.3	141.0	136.6	136.5	134.3	133.9	134.2
Rice (milled basis)	17.8	17.5	18.5	18.7	19.1	19.3	20.1	20.9	20.7	20.5	20.6
Caloric sweeteners ¹⁴	144.4	147.7	148.9	151.2	148.8	147.0	146.1	141.3	141.4	141.9	138.6
Coffee (green bean equiv.)	8.7	9.1	9.3	9.8	10.3	9.5	9.2	9.5	9.6	9.4	9.5
Cocoa (chocolate liquor equiv.)	4.2	4.0	4.3	4.5	4.7	4.5	3.9	4.2	4.8	5.2	5.2

-- = Not available. 1. In pounds, retail weight unless otherwise stated. Consumption normally represents total supply minus exports, nonfood use, and ending stocks. Calendar-year data, except fresh citrus fruits, peanuts, tree nuts, and rice, which are on crop-year basis. 2. Totals may not add due to rounding. 3. Boneless, trimmed weight. 4. Excludes shipments to the U.S. territories. 5. Whole and part-skim milk cheese. Natural equivalent of cheese and cheese products. 6. Includes Swiss, Brick, Muenster, cream, Neufchatel, Blue, Gorgonzola, Edam, and Gouda. 7. Plain and flavored. 8. Plain and flavored, and buttermilk. 9. Heavy cream, light cream, half and half, eggnog, sour cream, and dip. 10. Formerly known as ice milk. 11. Includes condensed and evaporated milk and dry milk products. 12. Farm weight. 13. Includes rye, corn, oats, and barley products. Excludes quantities used in alcoholic beverages, corn sweeteners, and fuel. 14. Dry weight equivalent.

Note: The data are proxies for consumption. For information about the food availability data, please see <http://www.ers.usda.gov/data/foodconsumption/>
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