

CROP AND LIVESTOCK PRICES

HOG-CORN RATIO: Ratio by months, Illinois, 2000-2009 1/

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Average
2000	18.0	19.2	19.0	23.4	21.4	25.0	27.8	26.4	24.0	21.1	17.4	18.9	21.8
2001	18.3	19.4	22.4	25.3	27.5	29.4	26.7	25.8	23.0	21.4	18.2	16.1	22.8
2002	19.3	19.9	18.1	16.2	16.8	18.0	17.6	12.6	10.2	13.2	12.3	13.1	15.6
2003	13.9	14.7	15.0	15.2	17.8	20.0	20.2	19.4	19.9	18.8	16.2	15.4	17.2
2004	16.8	17.4	17.7	16.7	20.0	20.1	23.3	23.5	24.6	23.2	27.3	24.5	21.3
2005	24.2	25.6	25.1	25.2	27.6	23.7	22.8	25.5	25.5	25.9	23.6	22.5	24.8
2006	20.2	21.1	20.8	19.0	21.8	23.3	22.1	23.9	22.0	17.9	15.0	14.2	20.1
2007	14.0	13.4	12.7	13.0	14.3	14.4	15.2	15.7	14.0	12.5	11.0	10.9	13.4
2008	9.9	9.4	8.9	8.8	10.4	9.2	9.9	11.8	10.5	11.6	10.7	11.1	10.2
2009	10.7	12.6	12.5	12.0	11.7	11.3	12.7	12.6	12.1	11.1	11.7	12.4	12.0

1/ Bushels of corn equal in value to 100 pounds of live hog.

MILK AND MILK COW PRICES: Average price received by farmers by months, Illinois, 2000-2009

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Average
<u>Milk, wholesale, dollars per cwt. 1/</u>													
2000	12.20	12.20	12.00	11.80	11.90	12.00	12.50	12.30	12.90	12.70	12.30	13.00	12.30
2001	12.80	12.90	13.90	14.40	15.70	16.70	16.50	16.80	17.70	16.60	13.20	13.90	15.00
2002	13.50	13.10	12.30	12.30	12.00	11.30	10.70	10.80	11.20	12.40	11.80	11.50	11.90
2003	11.60	11.20	10.50	10.70	10.70	10.60	11.60	12.90	14.20	14.90	14.50	13.60	12.10
2004	12.90	13.20	15.10	17.60	18.20	17.80	15.70	13.90	15.30	15.50	16.20	16.40	15.70
2005	15.00	14.90	15.40	15.50	15.10	14.90	14.90	15.20	15.30	15.70	15.30	15.00	15.20
2006	15.60	14.80	13.80	13.30	13.20	13.30	12.90	13.10	14.10	14.70	14.90	15.00	14.10
2007	15.30	15.80	16.10	17.30	18.70	20.90	22.40	22.30	22.50	22.00	23.00	22.80	19.70
2008	21.80	20.50	19.50	19.40	19.40	20.10	20.30	19.50	19.40	19.00	18.40	17.10	19.60
2009	14.80	12.50	12.60	12.70	11.90	11.80	11.80	12.20	13.10	14.60	15.60	16.50	13.30
<u>Milk cows, dollars per head 2/</u>													
2000	1,300			1,290			1,290			1,280			1,290
2001	1,250			1,300			1,480			1,550			1,400
2002	1,470			1,600			1,620			1,400			1,520
2003	1,450			1,310			1,350			1,360			1,370
2004	1,450			1,600			1,700			1,620			1,590
2005	1,610			1,760			1,850			1,870			1,770
2006	1,780			1,760			1,710			1,650			1,720
2007	1,630			1,700			1,870			1,980			1,800
2008	1,980			2,000			2,000			1,970			1,990
2009	1,700			1,500			1,450			1,350			1,500

1/ Includes surplus fluid grade milk diverted to manufacturing. 2/ Cows sold for dairy herd replacement.