

PRICES OF COMMODITY PRODUCTS

The gross farm value of the commodities reported in the parish tables was computed based upon estimated annual per-unit prices. The state average prices listed below were used for most parishes for most commodities. However, a parish price was used if the parish price was significantly different from the state price.

PLANT ENTERPRISES COMMODITIES

Commodity	Unit	2008 Price
COTTON		
Lint - Irrigated	lbs.	\$0.61
Lint - Non-irrigated	lbs.	\$0.61
Seed - Irrigated	lbs.	\$0.12
Seed - Non-irrigated	lbs.	\$0.12
FORESTRY		
Christmas Trees	Tree	\$50.00
Pine Straw	Bales (40 lbs.)	\$2.00
Forestry Seedlings	seedlings (1,000)	\$35.00
FRUITS		
Blackberries	pints	\$1.75
Blueberries	lbs.	\$1.55
Citrus		
Navels	bu.	\$25.00
Satsumas	bu.	\$25.00
Other Citrus	bu.	\$20.00
Figs	lbs.	\$2.00
Mayhaws		
Native	lbs.	\$1.00
Orchard	lbs.	\$1.25
Muscadines		
Fresh	gals	\$8.00
Commercial	tons	\$320.00
Peaches	bu.	\$40.00
Pears	bu.	\$12.00
Strawberries	flats	\$17.50
FEED GRAINS		
Corn	bu.	\$4.78
Grain Sorghum	cwt.	\$8.16
Oats	bu.	\$3.28
GREENHOUSE VEGETABLES		
Tomatoes	lbs.	\$1.50
Other	lbs.	
HAY FOR SALE		
Alfalfa	tons	\$162.83
Grass	tons	\$121.08
HOME GARDENS		\$400.00

PLANT ENTERPRISES COMMODITIES

Commodity	Unit	2008 Price
NURSERY CROPS		
Fruit and Nut Trees	acre	\$8,000.00
Floraculture & Bedding Plants	acre	\$25,000.00
Woody Ornamentals	acre	\$10,000.00
Foliage Plants	acre	\$10,000.00
OTHER OILSEED		
Sunflowers (for oil)	cwt.	\$25.56
PEANUTS	lbs.	\$0.21
PECANS		
Improved	lbs.	\$1.17
Native	lbs.	\$0.72
RICE	cwt.	\$15.90
SOD PRODUCTION	acre	\$4,860.00
SOYBEANS	bu.	\$10.20
SUGARCANE		
Raw Sugar	lbs.	\$0.12
Molasses	gal.	\$0.34
SWEET POTATOES		
Canning	bu. (50 lbs.)	\$6.50
Fresh	bu. (40 lbs.)	\$16.38
VEGETABLES		
Beets	doz. bunches	\$7.00
Broccoli (Fresh)	cartons (20 lbs.)	\$20.00
Cabbage		
Fresh	sacks (50 lbs.)	\$10.00
Processing	tons	\$160.00
Cantaloupe	cartons (40 lbs.)	\$17.50
Carrots	doz. bunches	\$7.00
Cauliflower	cartons (20 lbs.)	\$20.00
Collards		
Fresh	doz. bunches	\$6.00
Processing	tons	\$100.00
Cucumber		
Fresh	bu. (50 lbs.)	\$10.00
Eggplant	bu. (33 lbs.)	\$20.00
Garlic	lbs.	\$5.00
Irish Potatoes		
Fresh	cwt.	\$35.00
Lima Beans		
Fresh	bu. (32 lbs.)	\$35.00
Mirliton	lbs.	\$3.00
Mustard (Fresh)	doz. bunches	\$7.00
Okra (Fresh)	bu.	\$30.00
Onions	bag (50 lbs.)	\$30.00

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VEGETABLES		
Green Onions	lbs.	\$2.00
Peppers		
Banana	bu. (25 lb.)	\$15.00
Bell	bu. (28 lb.)	\$20.00
Cayenne (Processing)	cwt.	\$25.00
Chili - Anaheim (Fresh)	bu. (25 lb.)	\$15.00
Jalapeno		
Tabasco Green (Processing)	cwt.	\$60.00
Tabasco Red (Processing)	cwt.	\$70.00
Yellow Hots (Fresh)	bu. (25 lbs.)	\$25.00
Pumpkin (Fresh)	cwt.	\$25.00
Pumpkin - Cushaw	cwt.	\$25.00
Radish	doz. bunches	\$6.00
Shallots	doz. bunches	\$6.00
Snap Beans (Fresh)	bu. (30 lbs.)	\$30.00
Southern Peas (Fresh)	bu. (24 lbs.)	\$25.00
Spinach (Fresh)	bu. (25 lbs.)	\$25.00
Squash (Fresh)		
Yellow Squash	bu. (45 lbs.)	\$22.50
Zucchini Squash	bu. (45 lbs.)	\$22.50
Winter Squash	bu. (45 lbs.)	\$15.00
Squash (Processing)		
Yellow Squash	cwt.	\$5.00
Sweet Corn (Fresh)	doz. ears	\$5.00
Tomatoes (Field)	lugs (20 lbs.)	\$16.50
Tomatoes (Green Mature)	boxes (25 lbs.)	\$12.50
Turnips (Fresh)	doz. bunches	\$6.00
Watermelon	cwt.	\$12.00
WHEAT	bu.	\$7.56

FISHERIES & WILDLIFE ENTERPRISES COMMODITIES

AQUACULTURE		
Crawfish (Farm)	lbs.	\$1.08
Catfish (Farm)	lbs.	\$0.77
Minnows	lbs.	\$3.00
Fish bait	lbs	\$6.00
Alligators (Farm)	ft.	\$28.00
Oysters	sacks	\$20.00
Soft-shell Crabs	doz	\$23.21
Turtles	each	\$0.60
Other Species	lbs.	
FRESHWATER FISHERIES		
Crawfish (Wild)	lbs.	\$0.57
Freshwater Finfish	lbs.	\$0.42

FISHERIES & WILDLIFE ENTERPRISES COMMODITIES

Commodity	Unit	2008 Price
MARINE FISHERIES		
Shrimp	lbs.	\$1.26
Menhaden	lbs.	\$0.06
Crabs	lbs.	\$0.78
Commercial Finfish	lbs.	\$1.99
FUR ANIMALS	pelts	\$4.60
ALLIGATORS (WILD)	ft.	\$25.00
HUNTING LEASES		
Waterfowl	acre	\$23.00
All Other Game	acre	\$7.50
HONEY	lbs.	\$1.13

ANIMAL ENTERPRISES COMMODITIES

CATTLE & CALVES		
Steer Calves		
300-400 lbs.	cwt.	\$117.03
400-500 lbs.	cwt.	\$105.35
500-600 lbs.	cwt.	\$98.02
600-700 lbs.	cwt.	\$91.80
Heifer Calves		
300-400 lbs.	cwt.	\$100.59
400-500 lbs.	cwt.	\$94.60
500-600 lbs.	cwt.	\$90.58
600-700 lbs.	cwt.	\$85.70
Yearling Cattle		
600-700 lbs.	cwt.	\$88.75
700-800 lbs.	cwt.	\$84.23
Cow-Calf Pairs	pair	\$975.00
Cull Cows	cwt.	\$46.33
Cull Bulls	cwt.	\$63.70
DAIRY		
Dairy Cows		
Milk	cwt.	\$20.70
Bred Heifers	head	\$2,000.00
Adult Cows	head	\$1,800.00
Cull Cows	cwt.	\$48.50
Bull Calves	head	\$40.00
Breeding Age Bulls	head	\$1,200.00
Dairy Goats	lbs.	\$0.36
HORSES		
Brood Mares		
Race Horses	head	\$8,000.00
Show Horses	head	\$4,000.00
Recreation Horses	head	\$1,500.00

ANIMAL ENTERPRISES COMMODITIES

Commodity	Unit	2008 Price
HORSES		
Stud Fees		
Race Horses	head	\$2,500.00
Show Horses	head	\$1,500.00
Recreation Horses	head	\$500.00
Race Horses	head	\$12,000.00
Show Horses	head	\$5,000.00
Recreation Horses	head	\$1,500.00
POULTRY		
Broilers	lbs.	\$0.47
Edible Eggs	doz.	\$1.25
Cull Hens	lbs.	\$0.27
Breeder Flocks	doz.	\$2.20
Pullets	each	\$10.50
RABBITS		
Fryers	lbs.	\$1.00
Does	lbs.	\$0.25
RATITE AND OTHER EXOTIC FOWL		
Emu	each	\$50.00
QUAIL	each	\$3.50
SHEEP		
Wool	cwt.	\$0.40
Slaughter Lambs	head	\$93.21
Feeder Lambs	head	\$113.89
Show Lambs	head	\$300.00
Stocker Sheep	head	\$50.00
Cull Sheep	head	\$27.41
GOATS		
Show Goats	head	\$300.00
Slaughter Goats	head	\$89.00
Stocker Goats	head	\$62.88
Cull Goats	head	\$41.50
SWINE		
Show Pigs	head	\$250.00
Feeder Pigs	cwt.	\$38.57
Slaughter Hogs	cwt.	\$47.59
Culls	cwt.	\$30.70
EXOTIC ANIMALS		
Deer/Antelope	head	\$200.00
Llama	head	\$200.00