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Prices received by farmers, selected commodities, Oregon and United States

Commodity	Unit	Oregon			United States		
		Entire month		Preliminary	Entire month		Preliminary
		Jul 2007	Jun 2008	Jul 2008	Jul 2007	Jun 2008	Jul 2008
		<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>
		Field crops					
Wheat, all	Bu	5.80	8.60	8.02	5.17	7.62	7.29
Wheat, winter	Bu	5.76	8.52	8.00	5.13	7.51	7.09
Wheat, spring	Bu	6.07	9.06	8.10	5.43	10.10	8.48
Barley	Bu	3.72	5.04	5.50	3.46	4.75	4.61
Oats	Bu	*	*	*	2.32	3.49	3.57
Hay, all (baled) ²	Ton	155.00	204.00	2.14	131.00	161.00	164.00
Hay, alfalfa (baled) ²	Ton	151.00	204.00	213.00	137.00	172.00	177.00
Hay, other (baled) ²	Ton	166.00	205.00	215.00	113.00	130.00	130.00
Potatoes	Cwt	6.65	13.00	11.30	8.48	10.78	11.42
		Vegetables and fruits¹					
Onions, fresh ³	Cwt	-	-	-	15.40	17.60	16.40
Sweet corn, fresh ³	Cwt	-	-	-	22.20	19.20	28.40
Pears, fresh	Ton	-	-	-	584.00	654.00	710.00
Apples, fresh	Lb	-	-	-	0.306	0.409	0.446
Strawberries, fresh	Cwt	-	-	-	53.00	61.90	62.70
		Livestock and livestock products					
Cows ⁴	Cwt	51.00	52.00	53.80	51.50	54.30	56.40
Steers and heifers	Cwt	91.00	93.80	96.50	93.00	96.40	100.00
Beef cattle ⁵	Cwt	79.00	81.30	83.70	89.00	92.00	95.70
Calves	Cwt	98.00	103.00	101.00	126.00	118.00	115.00
Lambs ⁶	Cwt	97.00	97.00	-	98.70	102.00	-
Sheep ⁶	Cwt	25.00	29.00	-	29.20	24.80	-
Milk, all ⁷	Cwt	19.40	18.00	19.10	21.60	19.30	19.40
Fat test percent	Pct	3.61	3.55	3.54	3.56	3.57	3.56
Eggs, all ¹²	Doz	-	-	-	0.945	1.060	0.841
Eggs, market ¹²	Doz	-	-	-	0.814	0.927	0.668

* Price not published to avoid disclosure of individual firms or insufficient sales reported to establish a price. ¹ Oregon not published monthly. ² Most recent price is a mid-month price. ³ F.O.B. shipping point. ⁴ Beef cows and cull dairy cows sold for slaughter. ⁵ "Cows" and "steers and heifers" combined. ⁶ Entire month. ⁷ Before deductions for hauling. Includes quality, quantity, and other premiums. Excludes hauling subsidies.

Oregon 2008 wheat varieties: Stephens remains steady at #1 spot

Stephens is once again the leading variety for Oregon, a spot it has held since 1979, accounting for one quarter of the planted acreage this year at 25.6 percent. This amount is down slightly from last year's 26.2 percent. Tubbs remains in second place at 14.0 percent, down from 14.7 percent a year ago. ORCF 101 (OSU Clearfield) came in third at 13.1 percent, up from 12.1 percent last year. Fourth was Alpowa at 8.1 percent, up from 6.7 percent last year. Madsen once again rounded out the top five at 3.9 percent, down from 4.7 percent a year ago. District level estimates were made for 52 varieties and mixtures plus a grouping off all other varieties for each class of wheat. Overall, in a reversal from last year, white wheat levels increased while red wheat levels remained flat.

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Wheat varieties, by class and totals by type, Oregon 2007-2008

Variety by class	Percent of all wheat		Planted acres ¹		2008 planted acres by district ¹			
	2007 ²	2008 ²	2007	2008	NC	NE	SE	Other ³
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>
White wheat varieties								
Soft white winter								
Eltan	0.2	0.1	2,000	1,200	-	1,200	-	-
Foote	-	0.1	-	1,400	-	300	100	1,000
Gene	2.3	2.2	20,300	21,300	16,700	3,600	1,000	-
Gene/Stephens	0.5	0.1	4,500	1,300	-	-	-	1,300
Madsen	4.7	3.9	41,000	37,600	4,200	11,400	2,100	19,900
Madsen/Stephens	1.3	0.8	11,200	7,900	4,900	3,000	-	-
Madsen/Stephens/Tubbs	0.1	2.0	800	18,900	18,900	-	-	-
Madsen/Stephens/Weatherford	0.2	0.2	1,500	1,700	1,700	-	-	-
Madsen/Tubbs	0.2	0.7	1,600	7,000	1,400	5,300	-	300
Malcolm	0.6	0.3	5,100	3,000	-	-	-	3,000
ORCF 101 (OSU Clearfield)	12.1	13.1	106,000	125,800	120,300	4,600	400	500
ORCF 102 (OSU Clearfield)	1.4	2.0	12,200	19,400	6,000	13,400	-	-
Rod	0.4	0.2	3,300	1,800	-	1,800	-	-
Rod/Stephens	-	0.1	-	1,000	-	900	100	-
Rod/Tubbs	-	2.0	-	19,200	-	19,200	-	-
Stephens	26.2	25.6	229,200	245,900	122,500	89,400	32,500	1,500
Stephens/Tubbs	2.5	2.8	21,600	27,100	19,300	7,400	400	-
Tubbs	14.7	14.0	128,200	134,300	77,700	32,800	2,100	21,700
Tubbs 06	1.7	1.7	14,800	16,300	6,200	4,200	300	5,600
Weatherford	0.6	0.3	5,500	3,100	2,000	1,100	-	-
Yamhill	0.5	0.3	4,700	3,200	200	200	1,000	1,800
Other varieties ⁴	8.9	4.8	78,500	45,600	17,700	24,700	800	2,400
Total	79.1	77.5	692,000	744,000	419,700	224,500	40,800	59,000
Soft white spring								
Alpowa	6.7	8.1	58,600	77,300	45,200	13,800	9,400	8,900
Alturas	0.1	0.2	800	1,800	-	1,700	100	-
Louise	0.7	1.4	6,200	13,000	10,800	500	-	1,700
Merrill	-	0.1	-	1,000	-	200	-	800
Nick	0.1	0.5	1,300	4,800	-	4,800	-	-
Penawawa	0.3	0.5	2,400	4,500	1,000	2,400	800	300
Twin	0.1	0.1	1,000	1,100	-	-	700	400
Other varieties ⁵	1.0	1.0	8,400	9,200	1,500	5,000	1,700	1,000
Total	9.0	11.7	78,700	112,700	58,500	28,400	12,700	13,100
White club								
Coda	0.9	0.7	8,200	6,300	6,300	-	-	-
Hiller	-	0.2	-	1,800	1,800	-	-	-
Other varieties ⁶	0.5	0.2	4,100	1,800	200	1,600	-	-
Total	1.4	1.1	12,300	9,900	8,300	1,600	-	-
All white wheat	89.5	90.3	783,000	866,600	486,500	254,500	53,500	72,100

¹ 2008 planted acres are preliminary estimates.

² Percentages may not add to class totals due to rounding.

³ Other districts contain counties with minimal data or counties combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

⁴ Other soft white winter varieties include: Basin, Brundage 96, Clearfirst, Gene/Madsen, Gene/Madsen/Stephens, Goetze, Hill 81, Hill 81 /Madsen, Lambert, Macvicar, Madsen/Macvicar, Madsen/Rod/Stephens, Madsen/Tubbs/Weatherford, and other soft white winter varieties reported as unknown.

⁵ Other soft white spring varieties include: Adams, Alpowa/Penawawa, Cataldo, Dirkwin, Jubilee, Owens, Wawawai, and other soft white spring varieties reported as unknown.

⁶ Other white club varieties include: Cara, Chuckar, and other white club varieties reported as unknown.

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Variety by class	Percent of all wheat		Planted acres ¹		2008 planted acres by district ¹			
	2007 ²	2008 ²	2007	2008	NC	NE	SE	Other ³
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>
Red wheat varieties								
Hard red winter								
Boundary	1.3	0.5	11,800	4,700	-	4,700	-	-
Buchanan	0.2	0.9	1,900	8,300	-	8,300	-	-
Declo	0.9	0.2	8,300	1,500	500	1,000	-	-
Finley	0.9	0.3	7,800	2,800	2,800	-	-	-
Paladin	-	0.2	-	1,500	1,300	200	-	-
Other varieties ⁴	1.7	0.6	14,900	6,100	-	5,900	200	-
Total	5.1	2.6	44,700	24,900	4,600	20,100	200	-
Hard red spring								
Express	0.6	0.7	5,100	6,800	6,100	700	-	-
Hank	0.1	0.9	1,100	8,600	-	8,200	400	-
Hollis	-	0.4	-	3,600	3,600	-	-	-
Jefferson	2.7	2.8	23,900	26,800	19,600	7,200	-	-
Pronto	-	0.1	-	1,000	300	700	-	-
Solana	0.2	0.3	1,700	2,900	-	2,900	-	-
Tara 2002	-	0.1	-	1,000	-	1,000	-	-
Westbred 926	-	0.2	-	2,200	-	2,000	200	-
Yecora Rojo	0.4	0.6	3,900	5,500	-	-	5,000	500
Other varieties ⁵	1.2	0.9	10,600	8,500	400	7,500	600	-
Total	5.3	7.0	46,300	66,900	30,000	30,200	6,200	500
All red wheat	10.4	9.6	91,000	91,800	34,600	50,300	6,400	500
All other wheat ⁶	0.1	0.1	1,000	1,600	800	500	300	-
All wheat by type								
Winter wheat	85.7	81.2	750,000	780,000	433,400	246,600	41,000	59,000
Spring wheat	14.3	18.8	125,000	180,000	88,500	58,700	19,200	13,600
All wheat	100.0	100.0	875,000	960,000	521,900	305,300	60,200	72,600

¹ 2008 planted acres are preliminary estimates.

² Percentages may not add to class totals due to rounding.

³ Other districts contain counties with minimal data or counties combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

⁴ Other hard red winter varieties include: Residence, and other hard red winter varieties reported as unknown.

⁵ Other hard red spring varieties include: Westbred 936, and other hard red spring varieties reported as unknown.

⁶ All other wheat includes varieties not categorized in other totals to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

List of counties within each district				
<u>Northwest</u>	<u>North Central</u>	<u>Northeast</u>	<u>Southwest</u>	<u>Southeast</u>
Benton	Gilliam	Baker	Coos	Crook
Clackamas	Hood River	Umatilla	Curry	Deschutes
Clatsop	Morrow	Union	Douglas	Grant
Columbia	Sherman	Wallowa	Jackson	Harney
Lane	Wasco		Josephine	Jefferson
Linn				Klamath
Marion				Lake
Multnomah				Malheur
Polk				Wheeler
Tillamook				
Yamhill				

Index summary table

Indexes/Ratios	1910-14=100		1990-92=100	
	Jul 2007	Jul 2008	Jul 2007	Jul 2008
United States				
Prices received	883	1,024	139	161
Prices paid	2,156	2,555	162	191
Ratio ¹	-	-	86	84
Parity Ratio ²	41	40	-	-
Oregon				
Commodity group				
All farm products	908	1,006	149	167
All crops	893	1,030	159	183
Livestock ³	939	954	128	130

¹ Ratio of index of prices received by farmers to index of prices paid by farmers.

² Ratio of index of prices received to PPITW (1910-14=100)

³ Includes livestock and livestock products.

Feed price ratios: United States, July 2008

Feed price ratio ^{1 2}	2007	2008	
	Jul	Jun *	Jul
Broiler Feed	5.4	3.2	3.2
Market egg feed	10.7	7.2	5.0
Hog-corn	15.7	9.7	9.4
Milk-feed	3.16	1.88	1.82
Steer and heifer-corn	28.0	17.6	17.8
Turkey-feed	6.6	4.3	4.2

¹ Effective January 1995, prices of commercial prepared feeds are based on current US prices received for corn, soybeans, alfalfa hay, and all wheat.

² Feed price ratio definitions are available in the national release.

* Revised.