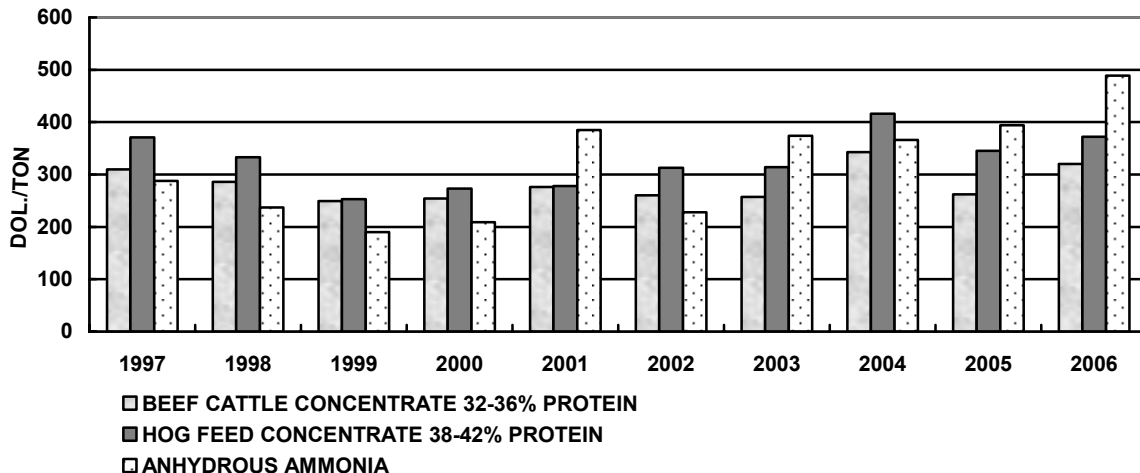


**PRICES PAID FOR COMMODITIES USED IN PRODUCTION,
NORTHERN PLAINS, 2004-2006 1/**

COMMODITY AND UNIT	AVERAGE PRICE		
	2004	2005	2006
	----- DOLLARS -----		
COMMERCIAL FEEDS			
ALFALFA MEAL, PER CWT.	13.00	12.60	14.80
BEEF CATTLE CONCENTRATE, 32-36% PROTEIN, PER TON	343.00	262.00	320.00
BRAN, PER CWT.	13.60	14.00	15.50
CORN MEAL, PER CWT.	7.58	7.04	7.25
COTTONSEED MEAL, 41% PROTEIN, PER CWT.	15.80	14.20	16.20
DAIRY FEED, 32-38% PROTEIN CONCENTRATE, PER TON	421.00	325.00	354.00
DAIRY FEED, 14% PROTEIN, PER TON	217.00	187.00	200.00
DAIRY FEED, 16% PROTEIN, PER TON	281.00	231.00	214.00
HOG FEED, 14-18% PROTEIN, PER TON	316.00	214.00	244.00
HOG FEED, 38-42% PROTEIN CONCENTRATE, PER TON	416.00	345.00	372.00
LAYING FEED, PER TON	310.00	267.00	268.00
LIQUID MOLASSES, PER CWT.	12.30	10.70	14.70
SOYBEAN MEAL, 44% PROTEIN, PER CWT.	18.40	13.10	13.80
STOCK SALT, PER 50 LBS.	3.19	3.12	3.20
TURKEY GROWER, PER TON	290.00	222.00	239.00
FUELS			
DIESEL FUEL, BULK DELIVERY, PER GALLON	1.24	1.91	2.24
GASOLINE, UNLEADED, SERVICE STATION, PER GALLON	1.75	2.25	2.57
GASOLINE, UNLEADED, BULK DELIVERY, PER GALLON	1.76	2.26	2.58
L.P. GAS, BULK DELIVERY, PER GALLON	0.99	1.26	1.45
FERTILIZERS			
AMMONIUM NITRATE, PER TON	236.00	258.00	314.00
ANHYDROUS AMMONIA, PER TON	366.00	394.00	489.00
MIXED FERTILIZER, 8-32-16, PER TON	233.00	256.00	284.00
MIXED FERTILIZER, 10-34-0, PER TON	244.00	254.00	305.00
MIXED FERTILIZER, 11-52-0, PER TON	270.00	297.00	327.00
MIXED FERTILIZER, 18-46-0, (DAP), PER TON	267.00	291.00	325.00
MURIATE OF POTASH, 60-62% K ₂ O, PER TON	176.00	238.00	259.00
NITROGEN SOLUTION, 28%, PER TON	168.00	209.00	226.00
SUPERPHOSPHATE, 44-46%, P ₂ O ₅ , PER TON	254.00	303.00	329.00
UREA, 44-46%, PER TON	264.00	319.00	345.00

1/ NORTHERN PLAINS STATES ARE KANSAS, NEBRASKA, NORTH DAKOTA, AND SOUTH DAKOTA. REFERENCE MONTH IS APRIL.

**PRICES PAID BY FARMERS,
NORTHERN PLAINS, 1997-2006**



**PRICES PAID FOR COMMODITIES USED IN PRODUCTION,
UNITED STATES, 2004-2006**

COMMODITY AND UNIT 1/	APRIL PRICE		
	2004	2005	2006
	----- DOLLARS -----		
HERBICIDES			
2, 4-D, 4 #/GAL., EC	15.20	15.90	16.20
ALACHLOR (LASSO), 4 #/GAL., EC	24.50	25.70	25.40
ATRAZINE (AATREX), 4 #/GAL., L	12.20	12.40	12.10
BENTAZON (BASAGRAN), 4 #/GAL., EC	84.20	85.20	86.60
BUTYLATE (SUTAN), 6.7 #/GAL., EC	26.80	28.70	32.00
CHLORIMURON-ETHYL (CLASSIC), PER OZ., 25% DF	13.30	13.40	13.90
CHLORSULFURON (GLEAN), PER OZ., 75% DF	18.00	18.60	18.40
CYANAZINE (BLADDEX), 4 #/GAL., EC	32.90	31.30	39.80
DICAMBA (BANVEL), 4 #/GAL., EC	91.00	92.60	90.10
EPTC (EPTAM, ERADICANE), 6.7-7 #/GAL., EC	37.90	37.90	33.40
GLYPHOSATE (ROUNDUP), 4 #/GAL., EC	39.70	33.80	29.30
MCPA, 4 #/GAL., EC	17.60	18.00	18.90
METOLACHLOR (DUAL), 8 #/GAL., EC	106.00	108.00	107.00
PENDIMETHALIN (PROWL), 3.3 #/GAL., EC	23.10	23.50	24.30
TERBACIL (SINBAR), 80%, PER LB., WP	32.50	34.30	34.00
TRIFLURALIN (TREFLAN), 4 #/GAL., EC	23.10	21.60	20.60
INSECTICIDES			
ACEPHATE (ORTHENE), 75%, PER LB., SP	12.70	12.60	12.50
AZINPHOS-METHYL (GUTHION), 50%, PER LB., WP	10.70	10.80	11.40
CARBARYL (SEVIN), 80%, PER LB., S, SP, OR, WP	5.85	5.85	5.51
CHLORPYRIFOS (LORSBAN), 4 #/GAL., EC	41.30	38.70	37.30
DIAZINON, 4 #/GAL., EC	36.70	38.80	41.50
DISULFOTON (DI-SYSTON), 8 #/GAL., EC	94.70	104.00	112.00
ENDOSULFAN (THIODAN, PHASER), 3 #/GAL., EC	33.00	32.10	31.10
FONOFOS (DYFONATE II), 20%, PER LB., G	2.03	2/	3/
MALATHION, 5 #/GAL., EC	29.60	30.00	30.70
METHOMYL (LANNATE L), 1.81 #/GAL.	52.60	52.70	51.00
OXYTHIOQUINOX (MORESTAN), 25%, PER LB., WP	20.10	2/	3/
PHORATE (THIMET), 20%, PER LB., G	2.48	2.59	2.81
PHOSMET (IMIDAN, PROLATE), 50%, PER LB., WP	7.45	8.32	8.44
TERBUFOS (COUNTER), 15%, PER LB., G	2.67	2.37	2.06
FARM MACHINERY			
BALER, SQUARE, PICK UP, AUTO. TIE, P.T.O., CONV. BALES UNDER 200#	17,400.00	18,200.00	18,200.00
CHISEL PLOW, DEEP TILLAGE, DRAWN OR MOUNTED, 16-20 FT.	15,300.00	15,600.00	17,700.00
COMBINE, SELF-PROPELLED, WITH GRAIN HEAD, LARGE CAPACITY	180,000.00	192,000.00	201,000.00
CORN HEAD FOR COMBINE, 6 ROW	27,400.00	28,900.00	30,600.00
CULTIVATOR, ROW CROP, 6 ROW	6,920.00	7,490.00	7,820.00
DISK HARROW, TANDEM, HYDRAULIC LIFT, WITH TIRES, 15-17 FT.	14,300.00	15,700.00	17,400.00
FIELD CULTIVATOR, MOUNTED OR DRAWN, 20-25 FOOT, FLEXIBLE	17,500.00	19,600.00	21,000.00
FORAGE HARVESTER, P.T.O., SHEAR BAR, PICK UP ATTACHMENT	32,700.00	33,400.00	35,500.00
GRAIN DRILL, MOST COMMON SPACING, PRESS, 23-25 OPENERS	22,600.00	25,200.00	25,200.00
MANURE SPREADER, CONVEYOR TYPE, P.T.O., 2 WHL, W/ TIRES, 141-190 BU.	7,210.00	7,790.00	8,030.00
MOWER, MOUNTED OR DRAWN, 7-8 FT. SICKLE (CUTTER) BAR	5,040.00	5,320.00	5,380.00
PLANTER, ROW CROP, WITH FERTILIZER ATTACHMENT, 8 ROW	32,000.00	31,400.00	34,100.00
TRACTOR, 2 WHEEL DRIVE, 110-129 P.T.O. HP	65,700.00	68,500.00	70,900.00
TRACTOR, 4 WHEEL DRIVE, 200-280 P.T.O. HP	141,000.00	142,000.00	150,000.00
WAGON, GRAVITY BOX AND RUNNING GEAR, WITH TIRES, 200-400 BU.	4,570.00	5,350.00	5,660.00
WINDROWER, SELF-PROPELLED, 14-16 FOOT	67,300.00	72,100.00	75,100.00

1/ FORMULATION ABBREVIATIONS: EC-EMULSIFIABLE CONCENTRATE, DF-DRY FLOWABLE, DG-DRY GRANULAR, G-GRANULAR, L-LIQUID, S-SOLUTION, SP-SOLUBLE POWDER, AND WP-WETTABLE POWDER. 2/ INSUFFICIENT DATA. 3/ DISCONTINUED IN 2006.