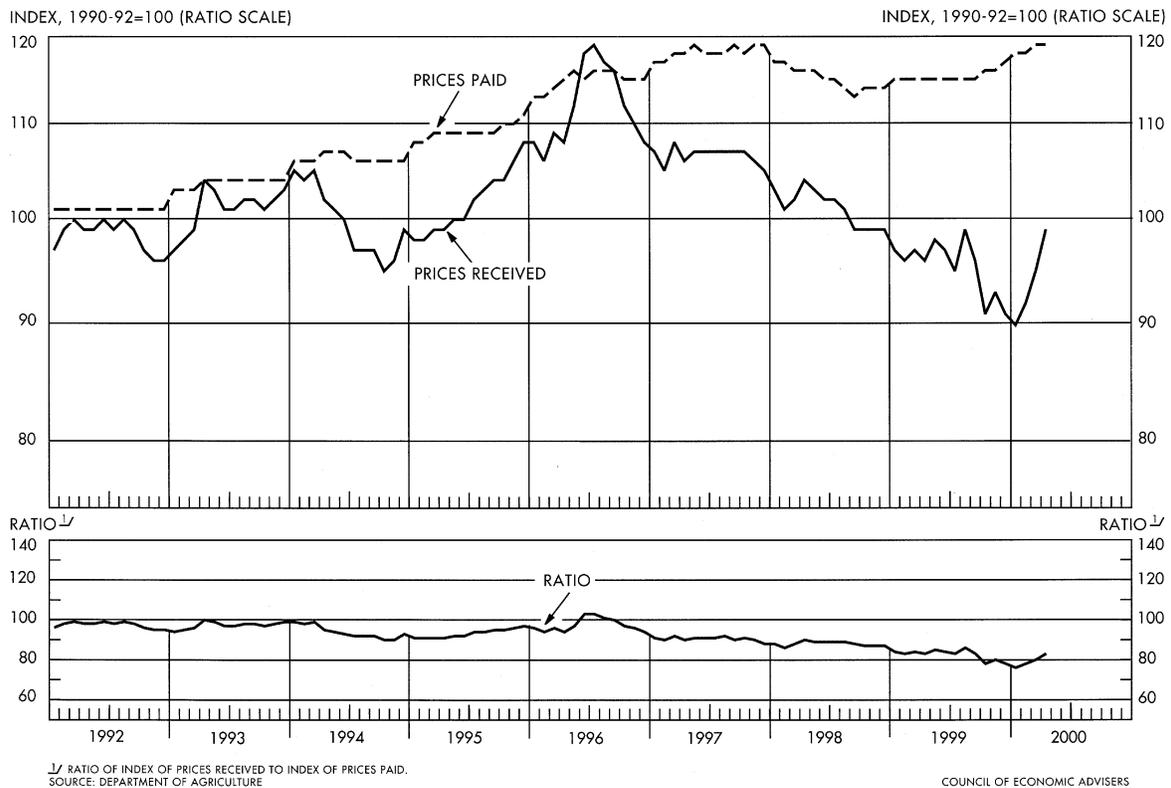


## PRICES RECEIVED AND PAID BY FARMERS

In April, prices received by farmers rose 4.2 percent while prices paid by farmers were unchanged. (Data are not seasonally adjusted.)



[1990-92=100; not seasonally adjusted]

Period	Prices received by farmers			Prices paid by farmers			Ratio <sup>2</sup>
	All farm products	Crops	Livestock and products	All commodities, services, interest, taxes, and wage rates <sup>1</sup>	Production items, interest, taxes, and wage rates	Production items	
1990 .....	104	103	105	99	99	99	105
1991 .....	100	101	99	100	100	100	99
1992 .....	98	101	97	101	101	101	97
1993 .....	101	102	100	104	103	104	97
1994 .....	100	105	95	106	106	106	94
1995 .....	102	112	92	109	108	108	93
1996 .....	112	127	99	115	115	115	98
1997 .....	107	r 115	98	118	118	119	91
1998 .....	101	106	97	115	114	113	88
1999 .....	r 96	96	95	115	r 113	112	r 83
1999: Apr .....	96	103	r 91	115	113	111	83
May .....	98	r 103	93	115	113	111	85
June .....	97	100	95	115	113	111	84
July .....	95	95	r 95	115	113	111	83
Aug .....	r 99	99	r 98	115	113	r 111	r 86
Sept .....	96	95	98	r 115	r 113	112	83
Oct .....	91	88	96	r 116	r 114	r 112	78
Nov .....	93	89	98	r 116	115	r 113	r 80
Dec .....	r 91	r 88	95	r 117	r 115	r 113	78
2000: Jan .....	90	87	94	118	r 116	r 114	76
Feb .....	92	90	94	r 118	r 117	r 115	r 78
Mar .....	r 95	r 94	r 96	r 119	r 117	r 115	80
Apr .....	99	99	99	119	118	115	83

<sup>1</sup> Includes items not shown separately.

<sup>2</sup> Percentage ratio of index of prices received by farmers to index of prices paid, interest, taxes, and wage rates.

NOTE.—The official indexes are published on a 1910-14 base as required by law. The indexes have been converted to a 1990-92=100 base to facilitate comparison with other indexes. Source: Department of Agriculture.