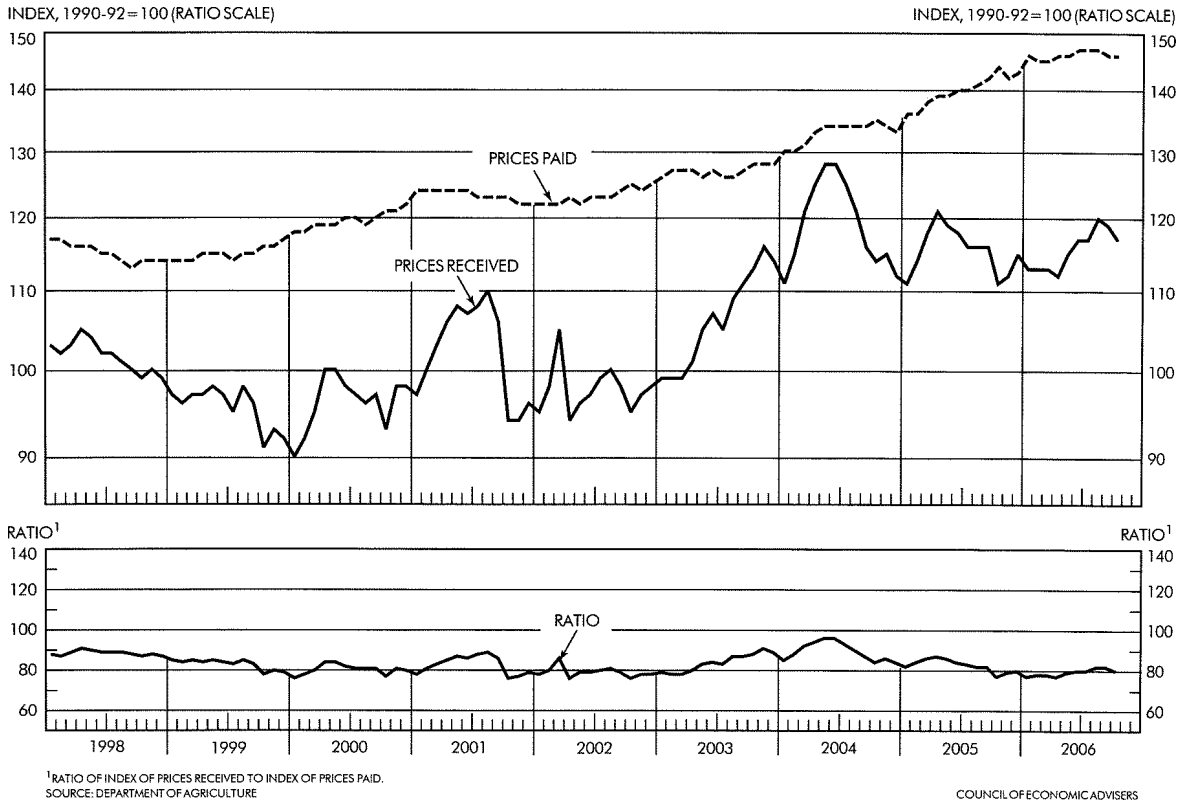
PRICES RECEIVED AND PAID BY FARMERS

In October, prices received by farmers fell 1.7 percent; 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[2]
	All farm products	Crops	Livestock and products	All commodities, services, interest, taxes, and wage rates[1]	Production items, interest, taxes, and wage rates	Production items	
1996	112	127	99	115	115	115	98
1997	107	115	98	118	118	119	90
1998	102	107	97	115	114	113	89
1999	96	97	95	115	113	111	83
2000	96	96	97	120	118	116	80
2001	102	99	106	123	122	120	83
2002 r	98	105	90	123	121	118	79
2003 r	107	111	103	127	125	123	84
2004 r	119	117	122	133	132	131	90
2005 r	116	112	120	140	139	139	83
2005: Oct r	111	103	122	144	143	143	77
Nov r	112	105	121	142	141	141	79
Dec r	115	111	120	143	142	142	80
2006: Jan r	113	108	118	146	145	144	77
Feb r	113	113	114	145	144	143	78
Mar r	113	117	110	145	144	143	78
Apr r	112	122	105	146	145	145	77
May r	115	127	104	146	146	145	79
June r	117	126	110	147	146	146	80
July r	117	123	110	147	146	146	80
Aug r	120	126	115	147	146	146	82
Sept r	119	122	117	146	145	145	82
Oct	117	116	117	146	145	144	80

[1] Includes items not shown separately.
[2] 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.
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