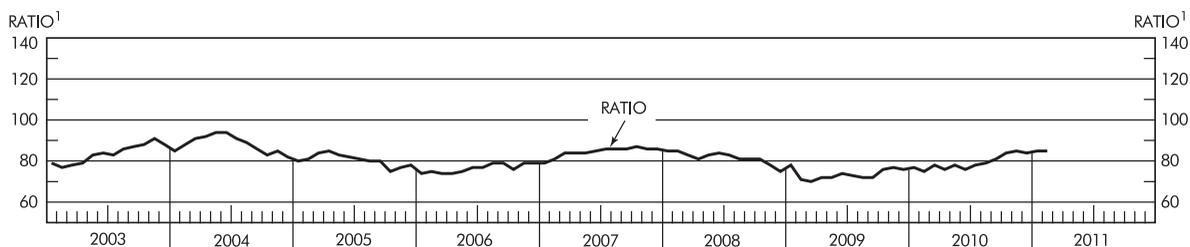
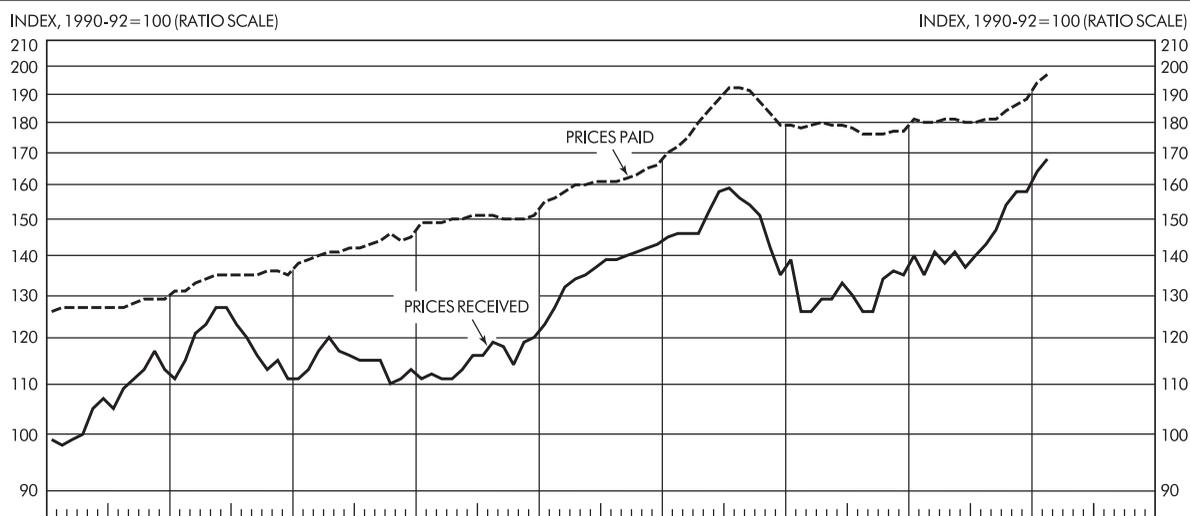


## Prices Received and Paid by Farmers

In February, prices paid by farmers rose 1.5 percent and prices received by farmers rose 2.4 percent. (Data are not seasonally adjusted.)



<sup>1</sup>RATIO OF INDEX OF PRICES RECEIVED TO INDEX OF PRICES PAID.  
SOURCE: DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

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[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	
2001	102	99	106	123	121	120	83
2002	98	105	90	124	121	119	79
2003	106	110	103	128	125	124	83
2004	118	115	122	134	133	132	88
2005	114	110	119	142	141	140	80
2006	115	120	111	150	150	148	77
2007	136	142	130	161	162	160	84
2008	149	169	130	183	188	190	81
2009	131	150	112	178	182	182	74
2010	144	156	131	182	186	187	79
2010: Feb <sup>f</sup>	135	148	123	180	184	184	75
Mar <sup>f</sup>	141	155	128	180	183	184	78
Apr <sup>f</sup>	138	150	128	181	184	185	76
May <sup>f</sup>	141	151	131	181	184	186	78
June <sup>f</sup>	137	144	129	180	183	184	76
July	140	147	132	180	184	185	78
Aug <sup>f</sup>	143	153	134	181	184	185	79
Sept <sup>f</sup>	147	156	135	181	185	187	81
Oct	154	166	134	184	188	189	84
Nov	158	175	136	186	191	193	85
Dec <sup>f</sup>	158	175	135	188	193	196	84
2011: Jan <sup>f</sup>	164	186	137	194	200	202	85
Feb <sup>p</sup>	168	198	141	197	203	205	85

<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.