

FeedVal 2012 predicted dairy feed prices and rankings for October 2014¹

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Ingredient	DM %	Unit	Feed Prices (\$/Unit)		Actual Price as % of Predicted	Best-buy Ranking
			Market	Predicted		
Distillers Dried Grains	89	ton	100.0	332.1	30	1
Corn Gluten Feed	89	ton	93.0	225.6	41	2
Hominy	89	ton	74.0	180.6	41	3
Corn Silage	35	ton	33.1	51.6	64	4
Shelled Corn	86	ton	118.2	182.8	65	5
Linseed Meal	89	ton	235.0	320.6	73	6
Wheat Middlings	89	ton	135.0	180.8	75	7
Soy Hulls	89	ton	138.0	178.9	77	8
Sunflower Meal	89	ton	165.0	215.4	77	9
Corn Gluten Meal	89	ton	560.0	703.1	80	10
Wheat	89	ton	163.3	192.7	85	11
Soybean Meal 48%	89	ton	383.0	444.5	86	12
Canola Meal, expeller	89	ton	300.6	350.9	86	13
Poor Quality Hay	87	ton	118.8	136.3	87	14
Cottonseed Meal	89	ton	343.0	390.6	88	15
Soybean Meal 44%	89	ton	371.0	396.1	94	16
Soybeans, raw	87	ton	370.0	352.9	105	17
Barley	89	cwt	9.3	8.7	107	18
Urea	99	ton	472.0	423.8	111	19
Whole Cottonseed	89	ton	248.0	219.3	113	20
Blood Meal	94	ton	1400.0	1179.9	119	21
Good Quality Hay	87	ton	216.4	169.6	128	22
Oats	89	ton	241.3	180.5	134	23
Molasses	89	ton	197.5	142.1	139	24
Beet Pulp	89	ton	240.0	162.5	148	25
Tallow	99	cwt	31.0	16.0	193	26

Soybean Meal, expeller	92	ton		564.6	
Soybeans, heated	92	ton		490.5	
Earlage/Snaplage	60	ton		112.3	
High-Moisture Corn	70	ton		145.3	
Straw	85	ton		101.7	
Canola Meal, solvent	89	ton		303.7	
Hi-Pro Distillers	89	ton		428.3	
Wet Distillers	45	ton		152.5	
Brewers Dried Grains	89	ton		315.3	
Wet Brewers	25	ton		79.2	
Malt Sprouts	89	ton		234.8	
Wheat Bran	89	ton		164.2	
Corn Stover	80	ton		74.6	
Whey	20	ton		32.2	

¹Analysis performed using UW-Madison FeedVal 2012: http://dairymgt.info/tools/feedval_12_v2/index.php including 26 feed ingredients displayed in top part of the table, 4 nutrients: RUP, RDP, NEL, and peNDF; and using general wholesale FOB Midwest input prices. These results might change substantially depending on: local input prices, nutrients, and feed ingredients used for price formation. For more in-depth analyses please use the FeedVal 2012 decision support tool and local input prices.