

FeedVal 2012 predicted dairy feed prices and rankings for May 2014¹

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Ingredient	DM %	Unit	Feed Prices (\$/Unit)		Actual Price as % of Predicted	Best-buy Ranking
			Market	Predicted		
Corn Gluten Feed	89	ton	155.0	282.4	55	1
Hominy	89	ton	138.0	252.7	55	2
Distillers Dried Grains	89	ton	210.0	377.6	56	3
Poor Quality Hay	87	ton	106.9	166.2	64	4
Corn Silage	35	ton	48.9	72.6	67	5
Shelled Corn	86	ton	174.6	255.1	68	6
Wheat Middlings	89	ton	170.0	243.0	70	7
Wheat	89	ton	209.0	269.4	78	8
Soy Hulls	89	ton	210.0	227.0	92	9
Blood Meal	94	ton	1000.0	1059.3	94	10
Barley	89	cwt	11.7	12.3	95	11
Urea	99	ton	472.0	479.9	98	12
Canola Meal, expeller	89	ton	390.5	382.1	102	13
Soybean Meal 48%	89	ton	498.0	485.4	103	14
Sunflower Meal	89	ton	265.0	256.2	103	15
Soybeans, raw	87	ton	476.7	440.8	108	16
Good Quality Hay	87	ton	224.2	207.5	108	17
Linseed Meal	89	ton	375.0	346.2	108	18
Molasses	89	ton	230.0	213.5	108	19
Soybean Meal 44%	89	ton	486.0	444.2	109	20
Cottonseed Meal	89	ton	453.0	412.0	110	21
Tallow	99	cwt	30.5	27.0	113	22
Oats	89	ton	286.3	246.5	116	23
Corn Gluten Meal	89	ton	810.0	689.4	117	24
Beet Pulp	89	ton	270.0	213.0	127	25
Whole Cottonseed	89	ton	480.0	287.0	167	26

Soybean Meal, expeller	92	ton	585.9	
Soybeans, heated	92	ton	551.4	
Earlage/Snaplage	60	ton	158.8	
High-Moisture Corn	70	ton	209.4	
Straw	85	ton	124.2	
Canola Meal, solvent	89	ton	339.8	
Hi-Pro Distillers	89	ton	454.8	
Wet Distillers	45	ton	181.1	
Brewers Dried Grains	89	ton	349.3	
Wet Brewers	25	ton	91.3	
Malt Sprouts	89	ton	277.5	
Wheat Bran	89	ton	226.3	
Corn Stover	80	ton	98.4	
Whey	20	ton	50.2	

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.