

FeedVal 2012 predicted dairy feed prices and rankings for August 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	125.0	377.3	33	1
Corn Gluten Feed	89	ton	108.0	246.4	44	2
Hominy	89	ton	99.0	189.7	52	3
Canola Meal, expeller	89	ton	244.8	403.0	61	4
Wheat Middlings	89	ton	120.0	191.9	63	5
Sunflower Meal	89	ton	150.0	238.5	63	6
Poor Quality Hay	87	ton	92.5	142.6	65	7
Linseed Meal	89	ton	260.0	370.0	70	8
Corn Gluten Meal	89	ton	585.0	836.8	70	9
Shelled Corn	86	ton	139.3	193.0	72	10
Corn Silage	35	ton	39.0	52.3	75	11
Cottonseed Meal	89	ton	338.0	452.7	75	12
Wheat	89	ton	172.7	202.2	85	13
Soybean Meal 48%	89	ton	483.0	508.7	95	14
Soy Hulls	89	ton	185.0	195.5	95	15
Good Quality Hay	87	ton	182.3	181.4	101	16
Soybean Meal 44%	89	ton	471.0	448.9	105	17
Soybeans, raw	87	ton	413.3	385.5	107	18
Barley	89	cwt	9.6	9.0	107	19
Urea	99	ton	472.0	416.5	113	20
Blood Meal	94	ton	1750.0	1440.3	122	21
Oats	89	ton	241.3	191.5	126	22
Molasses	89	ton	210.0	144.9	145	23
Beet Pulp	89	ton	270.0	175.8	154	24
Whole Cottonseed	89	ton	393.0	231.7	170	25
Tallow	99	cwt	31.0	15.5	200	26

Soybean Meal, expeller	92	ton		661.8	
Soybeans, heated	92	ton		559.5	
Earlage/Snaplage	60	ton		117.7	
High-Moisture Corn	70	ton		151.2	
Straw	85	ton		102.5	
Canola Meal, solvent	89	ton		344.4	
Hi-Pro Distillers	89	ton		496.5	
Wet Distillers	45	ton		170.2	
Brewers Dried Grains	89	ton		361.0	
Wet Brewers	25	ton		89.3	
Malt Sprouts	89	ton		261.0	
Wheat Bran	89	ton		172.1	
Corn Stover	80	ton		71.0	
Whey	20	ton		32.0	

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.