

FeedVal v6.0 predicted dairy feed prices and rankings for October 2015¹

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Ingredient	DM %	Unit	Feed Prices (\$/Unit)		Actual Price as % of Predicted Value	Best-buy Ranking
			Market	Predicted		
Distillers Dried Grains	89	ton	120.0	268.3	45	1
Corn Gluten Feed	89	ton	105.0	201.9	52	2
Hominy	89	ton	101.0	177.1	57	3
Corn Silage	35	ton	39.2	60.9	64	4
Wheat Middlings	89	ton	120.0	173.1	69	5
Poor Quality Hay	87	ton	115.0	162.0	71	6
Shelled Corn	86	ton	140.0	177.3	79	7
Wheat	89	ton	168.3	189.4	89	8
Soybeans, raw	87	ton	287.3	315.8	91	9
Soybean Meal 48%	89	ton	330.0	351.1	94	10
Canola Meal, expeller	89	ton	262.7	274.4	96	11
Soy Hulls	89	ton	155.0	160.1	97	12
Linseed Meal	89	ton	240.0	247.5	97	13
Oats	89	ton	168.8	173.2	97	14
Soybean Meal 44%	89	ton	318.0	321.8	99	15
Urea	99	ton	472.0	461.6	102	16
Blood Meal	94	ton	775.0	753.4	103	17
Barley	89	cwt	9.3	8.6	107	18
Corn Gluten Meal	89	ton	530.0	491.8	108	19
Cottonseed Meal	89	ton	330.0	297.3	111	20
Sunflower Meal	89	ton	215.0	186.0	116	21
Tallow	99	cwt	24.0	18.4	130	22
Molasses	89	ton	195.0	148.1	132	23
Good Quality Hay	87	ton	239.0	178.9	134	24
Whole Cottonseed	89	ton	311.0	224.4	139	25
Beet Pulp	89	ton	210.0	149.0	141	26

Soybean Meal, expeller	92	ton	415.5
Soybeans, heated	92	ton	391.9
Earlage/Snaplage	60	ton	110.7
High-Moisture Corn	70	ton	145.6
Straw	85	ton	148.7
Canola Meal, solvent	89	ton	246.1
Hi-Pro Distillers	89	ton	325.8
Wet Distillers	45	ton	129.2
Brewers Dried Grains	89	ton	248.9
Wet Brewers	25	ton	65.4
Malt Sprouts	89	ton	200.8
Wheat Bran	89	ton	161.5
Corn Stover	80	ton	121.7
Whey	20	ton	35.2

¹Analysis performed using UW-Madison FeedVal v6.0: 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 v6.0 decision support tool and local input prices.