

The course of producers' prices of agricultural commodities in Canada since the pre-war period of 1909-1913 is shown in Table 48 by the method of index numbers, the accompanying diagram showing the trends of the producers' prices obtained for the chief crops down to 1925. The table and the diagram show the remarkable recovery of agricultural prices in 1924 and 1925 from their low level in 1922 and 1923.

48.—Monthly Average Cash Prices at Winnipeg of Representative Grades of Canadian Wheat, Oats, Barley, Flax and Rye, basis in store at Fort William and Port Arthur, 1923-1926, and Yearly Average Prices for Crop Years ended 1922-1926.

Months.	Wheat, No. 1 N.	Oats, No. 2 C.W.	Barley, No. 3 C.W.	Flax, No. 1 N.W.C.	Rye, No. 2 C.W.
	cts.	cts.	cts.	cts.	cts.
1923.					
January.....	108.1	46.9	54.5	215.5	80.4
February.....	111.0	48.4	55.4	234.4	81.5
March.....	112.9	49.4	55.2	243.5	79.5
April.....	120.5	52.4	58.0	285.7	84.4
May.....	117.4	49.5	55.9	248.5	77.4
June.....	114.9	48.1	53.2	235.7	66.7
July.....	108.3	44.9	50.1	223.4	63.4
August.....	113.9	45.3	53.0	209.6	63.1
September.....	106.2	44.5	42.6	209.2	65.7
October.....	97.7	42.4	51.5	211.4	63.4
November.....	97.4	39.4	53.6	207.5	64.7
December.....	93.2	36.7	56.0	199.6	64.6
1924.					
January.....	96.6	39.2	62.2	214.0	66.7
February.....	99.7	40.4	63.8	229.1	67.4
March.....	98.0	37.8	61.8	213.2	65.1
April.....	98.4	37.3	62.5	209.7	64.0
May.....	104.4	39.1	64.4	215.9	65.9
June.....	114.1	40.7	64.9	214.4	72.1
July.....	135.4	48.0	81.4	227.6	82.1
August.....	143.5	55.1	87.0	233.9	87.7
September.....	142.3	58.6	89.5	220.5	100.5
October.....	159.5	62.9	92.7	233.1	125.6
November.....	164.1	58.5	85.7	235.1	125.2
December.....	172.7	62.6	87.9	249.0	133.4
1925.					
January.....	196.3	67.5	94.0	265.9	155.1
February.....	196.5	63.3	92.5	263.6	158.8
March.....	178.4	52.0	73.5	250.1	132.6
April.....	169.0	56.3	88.0	243.5	121.0
May.....	182.4	60.6	90.3	244.1	117.8
June.....	171.1	64.9	88.0	237.0	107.4
July.....	162.1	59.1	88.3	222.4	96.1
August.....	167.5	56.1	82.4	239.6	98.5
September.....	137.5	49.0	65.5	236.9	80.6
October.....	127.0	48.2	63.5	233.4	74.4
November.....	142.3	51.3	63.5	229.0	81.1
December.....	157.0	48.1	63.0	226.1	98.8
1926.					
January.....	156.5	47.4	61.3	213.9	101.3
February.....	154.7	45.4	59.0	204.8	94.2
March.....	148.4	47.4	58.5	191.8	85.6
April.....	157.0	53.1	63.6	196.1	89.3
May.....	153.8	49.6	61.4	193.1	84.2
June.....	153.1	50.0	61.9	194.6	88.5
July.....	159.6	49.5	62.8	207.6	101.5
Average for crop year ended					
Aug., 1922.....	129.7	47.5	61.7	210.3	92.4
Average for crop year ended					
Aug., 1923.....	110.5	47.4	54.3	227.1	75.1
Average for crop year ended					
Aug., 1924.....	107.4	41.5	63.2	215.1	69.1
Average for crop year ended					
July, 1925.....	168.5	59.6	88.5	241.1	121.0
Average for crop year ended					
July, 1926.....	151.2	49.6	63.9	213.8	89.8