

not strictly comparable with the 1951 index and will be revised. In connection with grains, western farm prices used to construct the 1951 index and the 1952 index up to July were final prices, whereas those used since August 1952 are initial prices for oats and initial prices plus interim payments for wheat and barley.

**40.—Average Index Numbers of Farm Prices of Agricultural Products, by Province, 1942-52, and by Month, 1951 and 1952**

(1935-39=100)

NOTE.—A description of this index, its coverage and the methods used will be found in *DBS Quarterly Bulletin of Agricultural Statistics* for October-December, 1946.

Year and Month	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Total <sup>1</sup>
<b>1942 Averages</b> .....	156.2	144.1	160.4	153.4	147.0	122.2	110.5	121.7	140.4	133.1
<b>1943 Averages</b> .....	190.3	169.1	181.4	172.6	165.0	151.3	139.9	149.9	175.8	157.8
<b>1944 Averages</b> .....	172.7	173.3	171.9	171.7	169.1	173.1	171.4	176.9	179.5	172.4
<b>1945 Averages</b> .....	196.7	180.8	195.3	179.5	174.6	188.4	192.6	196.2	187.8	185.7
<b>1946 Averages</b> .....	194.2	191.1	207.7	196.9	187.9	209.4	217.3	219.9	199.2	204.1
<b>1947 Averages</b> .....	180.1	184.6	199.6	213.7	202.1	225.9	226.1	231.9	207.1	215.8
<b>1948 Averages</b> .....	236.6	214.1	250.4	265.6	258.6	259.6	247.1	262.9	240.2	255.8
<b>1949 Averages</b> .....	204.1	210.5	220.5	261.3	257.8	262.8	248.8	265.6	245.1	255.4 <sup>1</sup>
<b>1950 Averages</b> .....	189.6	206.5	216.4	260.9	265.1	274.4	251.5	276.1	244.3	260.8 <sup>1</sup>
<b>1951<sup>r</sup></b>										
January.....	185.4	216.8	221.3	280.5	285.4	283.3	251.9	296.3	255.8	274.6
February.....	210.5	224.7	224.7	203.0	301.8	292.2	258.8	301.9	268.7	285.2
March.....	203.8	228.1	230.6	303.1	313.7	302.3	265.5	309.8	272.9	294.2
April.....	207.9	231.5	226.9	301.7	310.3	299.5	265.2	306.4	273.1	292.1
May.....	208.5	235.0	229.6	303.5	311.0	298.6	265.1	307.8	271.6	292.9
June.....	217.5	235.1	227.3	310.1	301.0	308.4	272.6	316.4	272.7	300.7
July.....	226.0	244.6	238.9	320.8	334.4	311.0	273.6	319.7	292.3	308.4
August.....	244.7	246.1	243.0	312.5	325.0	317.6	281.6	319.1	289.4	307.0
September.....	243.6	250.3	253.6	310.0	323.2	310.0	280.6	317.0	310.7	306.1
October.....	286.5	255.4	267.5	308.0	317.9	302.0	276.1	307.7	316.0	301.6
November.....	313.4	275.0	320.5	309.5	317.4	297.4	269.0	298.9	319.4	300.3
December.....	328.0	275.9	320.9	314.0	320.1	296.8	264.1	295.1	318.3	300.0
<b>1951 Averages</b> .....	<b>236.4</b>	<b>243.2</b>	<b>250.4</b>	<b>305.6</b>	<b>315.2</b>	<b>301.6</b>	<b>268.7</b>	<b>308.0</b>	<b>288.4</b>	<b>296.9</b>
<b>1952<sup>p</sup></b>										
January.....	343.8	283.2	329.3	314.9	313.5	293.1	261.7	290.8	215.3	296.8
February.....	319.4	273.9	318.2	306.7	297.9	281.4	252.3	277.6	308.9	285.1
March.....	349.1	278.9	355.3	301.3	290.4	277.2	247.7	268.9	303.9	279.8
April.....	394.8	286.6	377.0	295.0	285.4	271.2	244.1	265.6	301.8	276.7
May.....	414.7	287.8	386.2	285.6	278.6	258.8	235.6	255.6	301.5	269.2
June.....	493.8	307.3	433.3	293.2	289.7	259.7	237.4	258.0	302.8	276.6
July.....	348.4	272.2	370.8	292.5	293.0	264.6	241.5	259.8	317.5	275.7
August.....	378.8	271.1	376.9	284.5	293.4	247.2	229.3	247.9	205.5	268.4
September.....	309.8	259.5	308.6	279.2	279.8	242.0	226.3	244.3	289.8	259.3
October.....	294.5	248.6	297.4	273.3	272.3	238.6	219.4	235.5	281.5	252.0
November.....	293.6	247.0	293.4	275.1	273.3	239.3	220.3	236.8	281.6	252.9
December.....	281.1	245.9	279.9	277.0	271.0	239.3	219.9	238.1	280.7	252.1
<b>1952 Averages</b> .....	<b>351.8</b>	<b>271.8</b>	<b>343.9</b>	<b>289.9</b>	<b>286.5</b>	<b>259.4</b>	<b>236.3</b>	<b>256.7</b>	<b>297.6</b>	<b>270.4</b>

<sup>1</sup> Exclusive of Newfoundland.

Monthly prices of grain and monthly prices of live stock are shown in *DBS Quarterly Bulletin of Agricultural Statistics*.