

**Table 20.**  
**Oilseed Prices**  
**(U.S. Dollars Per Metric Ton)**

| Year<br>Beg.<br>Oct. 1      | Soybeans   |            |              |           |            | Peanut     |            | Sunflowerseed |            | Rapeseed    | Copra       | Linseed     |
|-----------------------------|------------|------------|--------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|---------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|                             | U.S.<br>1/ | U.S.<br>2/ | Brazil<br>3/ | Arg<br>4/ | Rott<br>5/ | U.S.<br>6/ | Rott<br>7/ | U.S.<br>8/    | Rott<br>9/ | Hamb<br>10/ | Rott<br>11/ | Rott<br>12/ |
| OCT-SEP AVG.<br>94/95-03/04 | 216        | 221        | 225          | 223       | 254        | 534        | 902        | 235           | 270        | 261         | 376         | 272         |
| 1994/95                     | 205        | 208        | 217          | 214       | 248        | 609        | 856        | 236           | 309        | 289         | 432         | 261         |
| 1995/96                     | 263        | 273        | 284          | 277       | 304        | 635        | 986        | 254           | 312        | 298         | 487         | 288         |
| 1996/97                     | 274        | 278        | 285          | 288       | 307        | 603        | 926        | 258           | 266        | 284         | 452         | 298         |
| 1997/98                     | 230        | 233        | 240          | 231       | 259        | 578        | 1055       | 256           | 309        | 296         | 398         | 302         |
| 1998/99                     | 176        | 177        | 184          | 179       | 225        | 563        | 847        | 223           | 257        | 227         | 468         | 235         |
| 1999/00                     | 173        | 175        | 183          | 180       | 208        | 544        | 820        | 168           | 214        | 190         | 357         | 193         |
| 2000/01                     | 167        | 169        | 180          | 175       | 200        | 582        | 888        | 167           | 219        | 202         | 208         | 217         |
| 2001/02                     | 170        | 174        | 183          | 179       | 203        | 389        | 700        | 238           | 287        | 220         | 245         | 256         |
| 2002/03                     | 209        | 232        | 217          | 221       | 267        | 415        | 963        | 265           | 286        | 285         | 287         | 309         |
| 2003/04                     | 291        | 294        | 277          | 285       | 323        | 425        | 976        | 282           | 321        | 317         | 424         | 361         |
| 2004/05                     |            |            |              |           |            |            |            |               |            |             |             |             |
| OCT.                        | 204        | 184        | 219          | 217       | 249        | 448        | 960        | 273           | 288        | 257         | 447         | 432         |
| NOV.                        | 197        | 190        | 217          | 218       | 260        | 445        | 960        | 287           | 322        | 275         | 449         | 525         |
| DEC.                        | 200        | 196        | 219          | 223       | 265        | 403        | 954        | 298           | 340        | 282         | 449         | 495         |
| JAN.                        | 205        | 194        | 218          | 216       | 262        | 417        | 940        | 302           | 327        | 262         | 430         | 520         |
| FEB.                        | 199        | 196        | 211          | 204       | 290        | 410        | 940        | 333           | 318        | 249         | 440         | 516         |
| MAR.                        | 219        | 225        | 238          | 229       | 290        | 408        | 922        | 344           | 329        | 266         | 474         | 569         |
| APR.                        | 222        | 223        | 233          | 224       | 283        | 397        | 930        | 335           | 328        | 256         | 460         | 615         |
| MAY                         | 228        | 230        | 237          | 228       | 283        | 392        | 930        | 342           | 319        | 260         | 446         | 642         |
| JUN.                        | 242        | 251        | 252          | 244       | 306        | 388        | 880        | 344           | 293        | 254         | 433         | 622         |
| JUL.                        | 244        | 252        | 253          | 251       | 298        | 353        | 863        | 333           | 295        | 248         | 425         | 346         |
| AUG.                        | 226        | 228        | 245          | 242       | 274        | 373        | 850        | 313           | 299        | 261         | 371         | 332         |
| SEP.                        | 212        | 202        | 237          | 235       | 263        | 384        | 850        | 291           | 298        | 273         | 346         | 336         |
| AVERAGE                     | 217        | 214        | 232          | 228       | 277        | 402        | 915        | 316           | 313        | 262         | 431         | 496         |
| 2005/06                     |            |            |              |           |            |            |            |               |            |             |             |             |
| OCT.                        | 208        | 200        | 234          | 231       | 257        | 386        | 850        | 282           | 284        | 272         | 384         | 327         |
| NOV.                        | 206        | 204        | 234          | 227       | 256        | 388        | 850        | 271           | 276        | 266         | 384         | 321         |
| DEC.                        | 212        | 211        | 233          | 238       | 264        | 390        | 850        | 256           | 274        | 260         | 372         | 314         |
| JAN.                        | 216        | 206        | 224          | 234       | 257        | 388        | 850        | 247           | 269        | 263         | 373         | 295         |
| FEB.                        | 208        | 206        | 231          | 235       | 257        | 437        | 850        | 251           | 266        | 267         | 393         | 285         |
| *MAR.                       | 204        | 203        | 226          | 216       | 257        | 386        | 835        | 245           | 284        | 277         | 385         | 282         |
| APR.                        |            |            |              |           |            |            |            |               |            |             |             |             |
| MAY                         |            |            |              |           |            |            |            |               |            |             |             |             |
| JUN.                        |            |            |              |           |            |            |            |               |            |             |             |             |
| JUL.                        |            |            |              |           |            |            |            |               |            |             |             |             |
| AUG.                        |            |            |              |           |            |            |            |               |            |             |             |             |
| SEP.                        |            |            |              |           |            |            |            |               |            |             |             |             |
| AVERAGE                     | 209        | 205        | 230          | 230       | 258        | 396        | 848        | 259           | 276        | 268         | 382         | 304         |

1/ U.S. FARM PRICE; USDA. 2/ U.S. NO.1YELLOW CASH CENTRAL ILLINOIS; WALL STREET JOURNAL.

3/ RIO GRANDE, BRAZIL FOB; SAFRAS AND MERCADO. OR FOB PARANAGUA REUTERS 4/ ARGENTINA FOB B.AIRES; SAFRAS AND MERCADO. OR FOB UP RIVER; REUTERS 5/ ROTTERDAM CIF; VARIOUS SOURCES; OIL WORLD.

6/ U.S. FARM PRICE IN SHELL USDA. 7/ ROTT CIF; US RUNNERS 40/50% SHELLLED BASIS, OIL WORLD.

8/ U.S. FARM PRICE; USDA. 9/ ROTTERDAM CIF; EC LOWER RHINE (BEGINNING SEP 93) U.S./CANADA PRIOR; OIL WORLD.

10/HAMBURG CIF; EUROPE "00" OIL; OIL WORLD. 11/ ROTTERDAM CIF; PHILLIPINES/INDONESIA; OIL WORLD

12/ ROTTERDAM CIF; CANADA NO.1; OIL WORLD.

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**Table 21.**  
**Protein Meal Prices**  
**(U.S. Dollars Per Metric Ton)**

| Year         | Soybean |        |     |      | Cottonseed | Sunflowerseed |      |      | Peanut | Fish | Rapeseed | Corn |
|--------------|---------|--------|-----|------|------------|---------------|------|------|--------|------|----------|------|
|              | U.S.    | Brazil | Arg | Rott |            | U.S.          | U.S. | Rott |        |      |          |      |
| Beg.         | 1/      | 2/     | 3/  | 4/   | 5/         | 6/            | 7/   | 8/   | 9/     | 10/  | 11/      |      |
| Oct.1        |         |        |     |      |            |               |      |      |        |      |          |      |
| Oct-Sep Avg. |         |        |     |      |            |               |      |      |        |      |          |      |
| OCT-SEP AVG. |         |        |     |      |            |               |      |      |        |      |          |      |
| 94/95-03/04  | 212     | 199    | 177 | 208  | 163        | 99            | 115  | 168  | 545    | 144  | 114      |      |
| 1994/95      | 179     | 172    | 151 | 184  | 123        | 69            | 103  | 142  | 448    | 134  | 128      |      |
| 1995/96      | 260     | 256    | 233 | 256  | 210        | 136           | 151  | 223  | 587    | 180  | 159      |      |
| 1996/97      | 289     | 289    | 257 | 278  | 212        | 122           | 138  | 256  | 579    | 175  | 127      |      |
| 1997/98      | 204     | 201    | 174 | 197  | 159        | 93            | 103  | 231  | 686    | 139  | 99       |      |
| 1998/99      | 153     | 150    | 130 | 150  | 121        | 72            | 76   | 110  | 442    | 105  | 96       |      |
| 1999/00      | 185     | 182    | 159 | 180  | 141        | 83            | 102  | 122  | 407    | 124  | 91       |      |
| 2000/01      | 191     | 187    | 168 | 188  | 158        | 100           | 118  | 134  | 459    | 141  | 95       |      |
| 2001/02      | 180     | 174    | 157 | 174  | 146        | 95            | 110  | 122  | 592    | 129  | 92       |      |
| 2002/03      | 200     | 163    | 152 | 197  | 161        | 101           | 106  | 140  | 598    | 139  | 108      |      |
| 2003/04      | 282     | 211    | 188 | 273  | 202        | 122           | 149  | 197  | 649    | 178  | 142      |      |
| 2004/05      |         |        |     |      |            |               |      |      |        |      |          |      |
| OCT.         | 171     | 158    | 144 | 210  | 140        | 83            | 111  | 111  | 629    | 116  | 116      |      |
| NOV          | 170     | 153    | 138 | 213  | 131        | 108           | 112  | 109  | 643    | 122  | 120      |      |
| DEC          | 178     | 158    | 143 | 213  | 129        | 108           | 125  | 103  | 654    | 134  | 128      |      |
| JAN.         | 184     | 152    | 151 | 222  | 124        | 104           | 122  | 103  | 628    | 126  | 135      |      |
| FEB.         | 185     | 154    | 143 | 235  | 123        | 84            | 121  | 109  | 641    | 140  | 129      |      |
| MAR.         | 207     | 177    | 158 | 250  | 122        | 75            | 123  | 123  | 653    | 163  | 137      |      |
| APR.         | 213     | 173    | 157 | 247  | 119        | 83            | 118  | 135  | 655    | 149  | 132      |      |
| MAY          | 219     | 178    | 160 | 235  | 122        | 88            | 115  | 151  | 663    | 122  | 122      |      |
| JUN.         | 242     | 189    | 171 | 238  | 153        | NA            | 115  | 160  | 672    | 118  | 99       |      |
| JUL.         | 238     | 195    | 173 | 243  | 166        | NA            | 121  | 155  | 695    | 117  | 112      |      |
| AUG.         | 219     | 192    | 172 | 235  | 158        | NA            | 127  | 146  | 715    | 130  | 112      |      |
| SEP.         | 193     | 183    | 169 | 225  | 154        | 116           | 134  | 120  | 727    | 131  | 118      |      |
| AVERAGE      | 202     | 172    | 157 | 231  | 137        | 94            | 120  | 127  | 665    | 131  | 122      |      |
| 2005/06      |         |        |     |      |            |               |      |      |        |      |          |      |
| OCT.         | 183     | 177    | 161 | 217  | 147        | 81            | 133  | 116  | 793    | 128  | 118      |      |
| NOV          | 188     | 177    | 159 | 215  | 146        | 71            | 124  | 113  | 841    | 124  | 113      |      |
| DEC          | 213     | 192    | 171 | 228  | 193        | 77            | 119  | 111  | 852    | 137  | 123      |      |
| JAN.         | 202     | 185    | 166 | 219  | 190        | NA            | 120  | NA   | 883    | 136  | 127      |      |
| FEB.         | 195     | 181    | 166 | 217  | 168        | NA            | 115  | 126  | 878    | 134  | 129      |      |
| *MAR.        | 193     | 174    | 151 | 212  | 164        | 108           | 112  | 125  | 938    | 132  | 129      |      |
| APR.         |         |        |     |      |            |               |      |      |        |      |          |      |
| MAY          |         |        |     |      |            |               |      |      |        |      |          |      |
| JUN.         |         |        |     |      |            |               |      |      |        |      |          |      |
| JUL.         |         |        |     |      |            |               |      |      |        |      |          |      |
| AUG.         |         |        |     |      |            |               |      |      |        |      |          |      |
| SEP.         |         |        |     |      |            |               |      |      |        |      |          |      |
| AVERAGE      | 196     | 181    | 162 | 218  | 168        | 84            | 121  | 118  | 864    | 132  | 123      |      |

1/ DECATUR, AVERAGE WHOLESALE 48% PROTEIN; USDA. 2/ RIO GRANDE, BRAZIL FOB; BULK RATE 45-46% PROTEIN; SAFRAS AND MERCADO; OR REUTERS. 3/ ARG. PELLETS, FOB B.AIRES; SAFRAS AND MERCADO; OR FOB ARGENTINA; REUTERS. 4/ HAMBURG FOB EXMILL; OIL WORLD. 5/ MEMPHIS FOB; 41% PROTEIN SOLVENT EXTRACTION; USDA. 6/ MINNEAPOLIS FOB; 32% PROTEIN; USDA. 7/ ROTTERDAM CIF; ARGENTINA-URUGUAY PELLET 37-38% OIL WORLD. 8/ SOUTHEAST MILLS FOB. 9/ BREMEN (Hamburg prior to Mar 2006) 64-65% PROTEIN; OIL WORLD. 10/ HAMBURG FOB; EX-MILL 34% PROTEIN; OIL WORLD. 11/ ROTTERDAM CIF; PELLETS 23-24% PROTEIN; OIL WORLD

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**Table 22.**  
**Vegetable Oil Prices**  
**(U.S. Dollars Per Metric Ton)**

| Year<br>Beg.<br>Oct.1       | Soybean    |              |           |            | Cottonseed |            | Sunflowerseed |            | Peanut     |             | Palm         | Rapeseed    | Coconut     | Corn        |
|-----------------------------|------------|--------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|---------------|------------|------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|                             | U.S.<br>1/ | Brazil<br>2/ | Arg<br>3/ | Rott<br>4/ | U.S.<br>5/ | Rott<br>6/ | U.S.<br>7/    | Rott<br>8/ | U.S.<br>9/ | Rott<br>10/ | Malay<br>11/ | Rott<br>12/ | Rott<br>13/ | U.S.<br>14/ |
| OCT-SEP AVG.<br>94/95-03/04 | 482        | 477          | 477       | 514        | 577        | 620        | 541           | 583        | 940        | 906         | 456          | 530         | 580         | 523         |
| 1994/95                     | 606        | 608          | 623       | 642        | 644        | 671        | 619           | 691        | 977        | 1005        | 651          | 637         | 656         | 584         |
| 1995/96                     | 545        | 537          | 533       | 575        | 585        | 613        | 560           | 617        | 888        | 928         | 523          | 566         | 746         | 556         |
| 1996/97                     | 496        | 514          | 515       | 536        | 564        | 588        | 499           | 545        | 963        | 959         | 526          | 539         | 693         | 530         |
| 1997/98                     | 569        | 608          | 614       | 633        | 636        | 693        | 595           | 730        | 1080       | 964         | 601          | 637         | 625         | 638         |
| 1998/99                     | 438        | 452          | 453       | 483        | 602        | 632        | 444           | 560        | 876        | 801         | 486          | 482         | 748         | 558         |
| 1999/00                     | 344        | 328          | 332       | 356        | 474        | 496        | 365           | 413        | 780        | 744         | 309          | 359         | 539         | 393         |
| 2000/01                     | 311        | 295          | 295       | 336        | 352        | 428        | 350           | 428        | 768        | 685         | 235          | 372         | 323         | 299         |
| 2001/02                     | 363        | 376          | 376       | 412        | 396        | 445        | 513           | 587        | 716        | 659         | 329          | 451         | 388         | 422         |
| 2002/03                     | 486        | 489          | 491       | 534        | 832        | 883        | 731           | 592        | 1034       | 1139        | 421          | 588         | 449         | 621         |
| 2003/04                     | 661        | 567          | 542       | 633        | 688        | 752        | 738           | 663        | 1317       | 1178        | 481          | 670         | 630         | 625         |
| 2004/05                     |            |              |           |            |            |            |               |            |            |             |              |             |             |             |
| OCT.                        | 512        | 480          | 475       | 558        | 501        | 535        | 767           | 701        | 1213       | 1127        | 413          | 669         | 642         | 509         |
| NOV                         | 506        | 476          | 481       | 567        | 526        | 531        | 765           | 727        | 1213       | 1133        | 411          | 685         | 659         | 534         |
| DEC                         | 480        | 482          | 492       | 553        | 525        | 534        | 782           | 724        | 1227       | 1131        | 394          | 707         | 654         | 588         |
| JAN.                        | 451        | 451          | 483       | 521        | 522        | 536        | 951           | 699        | 1235       | 1162        | 367          | 681         | 646         | 604         |
| FEB.                        | 456        | 443          | 442       | 497        | 537        | 558        | 1087          | 695        | 1213       | 1149        | 362          | 644         | 646         | 608         |
| MAR.                        | 520        | 494          | 496       | 546        | 621        | 672        | 1039          | 714        | 1102       | 1146        | 400          | 662         | 710         | 619         |
| APR.                        | 509        | 485          | 489       | 547        | 657        | 704        | 1014          | 695        | 1102       | 1137        | 397          | 646         | 679         | 646         |
| MAY                         | 515        | 462          | 478       | 538        | 675        | 761        | 1025          | 700        | 1174       | 1102        | 395          | 637         | 647         | 676         |
| JUN.                        | 545        | 455          | 454       | 559        | 730        | 767        | 1025          | 706        | 1157       | 1065        | 391          | 639         | 639         | 677         |
| JUL.                        | 561        | 457          | 455       | 561        | 653        | 774        | 995           | 708        | 1155       | 1050        | 391          | 633         | 606         | 662         |
| AUG.                        | 520        | 451          | 456       | 549        | 671        | 700        | 1023          | 682        | 1152       | 1023        | 386          | 646         | 550         | 636         |
| SEP.                        | 511        | 451          | 455       | 545        | 689        | 713        | 1065          | 683        | 1104       | 1002        | 396          | 675         | 559         | 612         |
| AVERAGE                     | 507        | 466          | 471       | 545        | 609        | 649        | 962           | 703        | 1171       | 1102        | 392          | 660         | 636         | 614         |
| 2005/06                     |            |              |           |            |            |            |               |            |            |             |              |             |             |             |
| OCT.                        | 535        | 458          | 462       | 579        | 759        | 827        | 832           | 646        | 1003       | 982         | 407          | 736         | 587         | 606         |
| NOV                         | 496        | 439          | 439       | 560        | 752        | 824        | 861           | 598        | 1003       | 960         | 396          | 723         | 582         | 597         |
| DEC                         | 463        | 436          | 431       | 537        | 672        | 700        | 829           | 602        | 992        | 947         | 379          | 711         | 553         | 575         |
| JAN.                        | 477        | 428          | 424       | 532        | 653        | 699        | 799           | 591        | 937        | 930         | 388          | 733         | 569         | 556         |
| FEB.                        | 490        | 456          | 443       | 535        | 650        | 647        | 816           | 595        | 937        | 921         | 407          | 723         | 591         | 521         |
| *MAR.                       | 512        | 474          | 480       | 539        | 656        | 649        | 799           | 606        | 937        | 902         | 408          | 742         | 575         | 498         |
| APR.                        |            |              |           |            |            |            |               |            |            |             |              |             |             |             |
| MAY                         |            |              |           |            |            |            |               |            |            |             |              |             |             |             |
| JUN.                        |            |              |           |            |            |            |               |            |            |             |              |             |             |             |
| JUL.                        |            |              |           |            |            |            |               |            |            |             |              |             |             |             |
| AUG.                        |            |              |           |            |            |            |               |            |            |             |              |             |             |             |
| SEP.                        |            |              |           |            |            |            |               |            |            |             |              |             |             |             |
| AVERAGE                     | 496        | 449          | 447       | 547        | 690        | 724        | 823           | 606        | 968        | 940         | 398          | 728         | 576         | 559         |

1/ DECATUR; AVERAGE WHOLESALE TANK CRUDE; USDA. 2/ BRAZIL FOB; BULK RATE; SAFRAS AND MERCADO & REUTERS  
 3/ FOB, ARGENTINA; SAFRAS AND MERCADO & REUTERS 4/ DUTCH FOB; EX-MILL; OIL WORLD. 5/ VALLEY POINTS FOB.  
 TANK CARS CRUDE; USDA. 6/ ROTTERDAM CIF/FOB GULF SINCE 1994; US PBSY; OIL WORLD. 7/ MINNEAPOLIS FOB; USDA.  
 8/ EU FOB NWEURO PORTS; OIL WORLD. 9/ SOUTH EAST MILLS FOB; TANK CARS CRUDE; USDA. 10/ ROTTERDAM CIF; ANY ORIGIN; OIL WORLD.  
 11/ MALAYSIA FOB;RBD; PORLA & OILWORLD. 12/ ROTTERDAM, DUTCH, FOB EX-MILL; OIL WORLD. 13/ ROTTERDAM CIF; PHILIPPINES/INDONESIA;  
 OIL WORLD. 14/ ROTTERDAM; EX-TANK; OIL WORLD. 15/ DECATUR; CRUDE; AMS AND WALL STREET JOURNAL.

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