# Agricultural Market Situation and Outlook

**WELCOME!** 

August 6th, 2020



## Unemployment and Ag Credit Conditions

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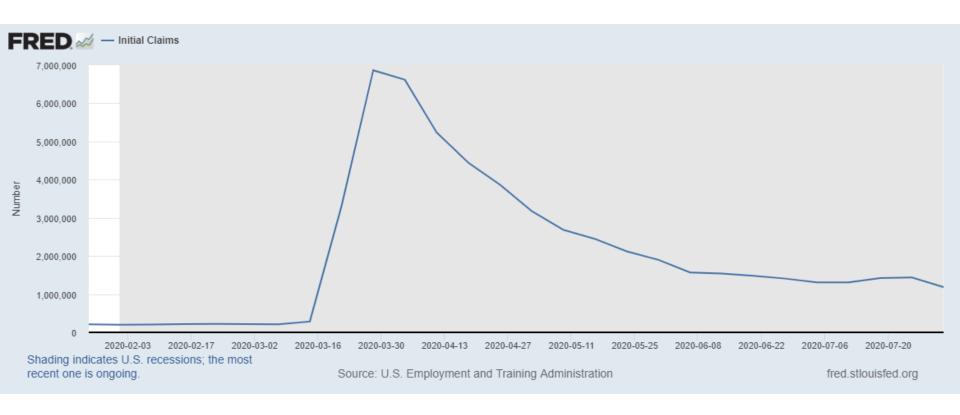
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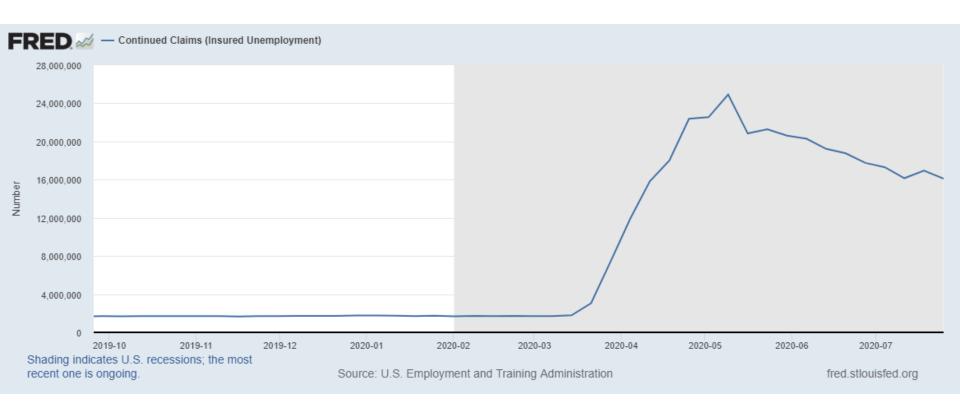


#### Weekly Initial Jobless Claims, St. Louis Federal Reserve



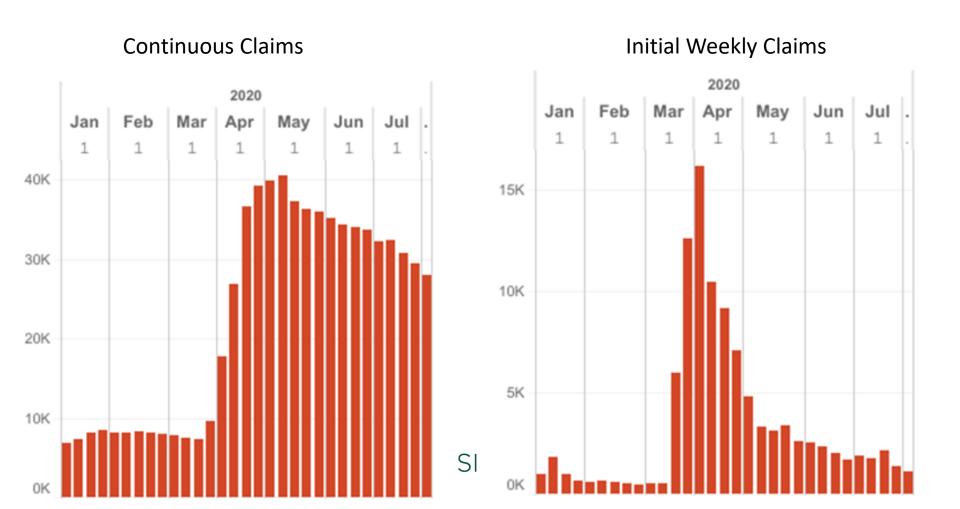


## U.S. Continuous Jobless Claims about the same as 2 weeks ago





## ND Continuous and Weekly Unemployment Claims Week Ending July 18<sup>th</sup>



# North Dakota Unemployment by Age

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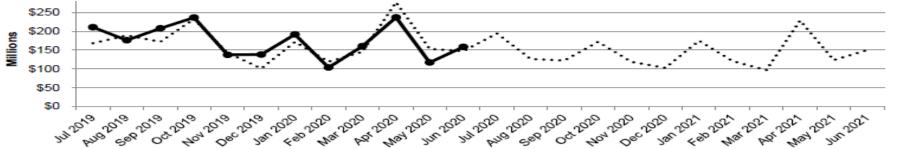
Ages 25 to 34 years	Ages 45 to 54 years	Under 22 years
Ages 35 to 44 years	Ages 22 to 24 years	Ages 60 to 64 years
	Ages 55 to 59 years	Ages 65 years and over

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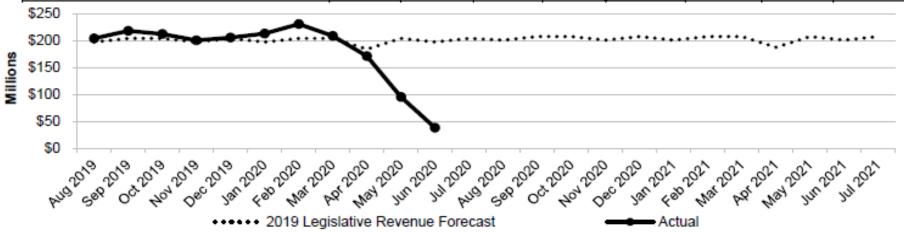
#### General Fund Revenue Collections

	Amounts Shown in Millions									
		June	2020			Bienniun	n to Date			
			Vari	ance			Varia	ance		
	Actual	Forecast	Amount	Percent	Actual	Forecast	Amount	Percent		
Tax and fee revenues										
Sales and use taxes	\$74.97	\$68.62	\$6.35	9%	\$970.56	\$928.03	\$42.53	5%		
Motor vehicle excise tax	9.95	10.81	(0.86)	(8%)	119.51	123.01	(3.50)	(3%)		
Individual income tax	18.03	18.12	(0.09)	0%	352.10	396.53	(44.43)	(11%)		
Corporate income tax	10.60	12.69	(2.09)	(16%)	91.56	65.43	26.13	40%		
Oil and gas taxes	20.95	20.95	0.00	0%	350.61	350.61	0.00	0%		
Coal conversion tax	3.63	3.60	0.03	1%	21.10	20.71	0.39	2%		
Cigarette and tobacco tax	2.14	2.16	(0.02)	(1%)	25.20	24.33	0.87	4%		
Wholesale liquor tax	0.76	0.84	(80.0)	(10%)	9.12	9.27	(0.15)	(2%)		
Gaming tax	1.94	0.09	1.85	2,056%	12.30	3.76	8.54	227%		
Insurance premium tax	1.91	1.72	0.19	11%	52.58	42.26	10.32	24%		
Departmental collections	11.16	4.15	7.01	169%	37.87	34.17	3.70	11%		
Interest income	2.12	1.10	1.02	93%	11.27	3.52	7.75	220%		
Mineral leasing fees	0.49	2.45	(1.96)	(80%)	23.72	20.00	3.72	19%		
Total tax and fee revenues	\$158.65	<b>\$147.30</b>	\$11.35	8%	\$2,077.50	\$2,021.63	\$55.87	3%		
Transfers and other sources										
Bank of North Dakota profits	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	N/A	\$70.00	\$70.00	\$0.00	0%		
Mill and Elevator Association profits	5.42	6.70	(1.28)	(19%)	5.42	6.70	(1.28)	(19%)		
Lottery	4.10	6.12	(2.02)	(33%)	4.10	6.12	(2.02)	(33%)		
Gas tax administration	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	1.00	1.00	0.00	0%		
Legacy fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A		
Tax relief fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	8.60	8.60	0.00	0%		
Strategic investment and improvements fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	382.20	382.20	0.00	0%		
Research North Dakota fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A		
Remaining transfers and other sources	0.17	0.00	0.17	N/A	1.06	0.00	1.06	N/A		
Total transfers and other sources	\$9.69	\$12.82	(\$3.13)	(24%)	\$472.38	\$474.62	(\$2.24)	0%		
Total general fund revenues	\$168.34	\$160.12	\$8.22	5%	\$2,549.88	\$2,496.25	\$53.63	2%		



#### Oil and Gas Tax Revenue Allocations

	Amo	unts Show	n in Millio	าร				
		June 2	2020			Biennium	to Date	
	Variance					Varia	ance	
	Actual	Forecast	Amount	Percent	Actual	Forecast	Amount	Percent
Three Affiliated Tribes	\$3.93	\$21.39	(\$17.46)	(82%)	\$217.02	\$238.12	(\$21.10)	(9%)
Legacy fund	10.24	52.86	(42.62)	(81%)		588.51	(53.41)	(9%)
North Dakota outdoor heritage fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A		7.50	0.00	0%
Abandoned well reclamation fund	0.14	0.64	(0.50)	(78%)		6.52	(0.53)	(8%)
Political subdivisions	6.94	24.37	(17.43)	(72%)		303.43	(13.41)	(4%)
Common schools trust fund	1.41	8.69	(7.28)	(84%)		96.72	(13.02)	(13%)
Foundation aid stabilization fund	1.41	8.69	(7.28)	(84%)	83.70	96.72	(13.02)	(13%)
Resources trust fund	2.90	17.81	(14.91)	(84%)	171.58	198.27	(26.69)	(13%)
Oil and gas research fund	0.22	1.26	(1.04)	(83%)		13.28	(1.16)	(9%)
State energy research center fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	5.00	5.00	0.00	0%
General fund	10.86	61.88	(51.02)	(82%)	340.53	370.76	(30.23)	(8%)
Tax relief fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	200.00	200.00	0.00	0%
Budget stabilization fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A		75.00	(26.57)	(35%)
Lignite research fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A		0.00	0.00	N/A
State disaster relief fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A
Municipal infrastructure fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A
Strategic investment and improvements fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A
County and township infrastructure fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A		0.00	0.00	N/A
Airport infrastructure fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A
Total oil and gas tax revenue allocations	\$38.05	<b>\$197.59</b>	(\$159.54)	(81%)	\$2,000.69	\$2,199.83	(\$199.14)	(9%)



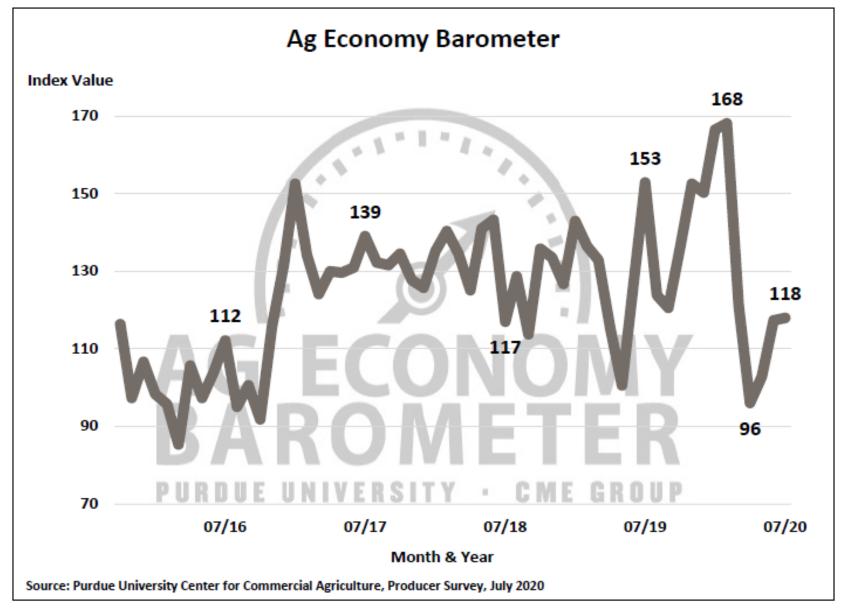
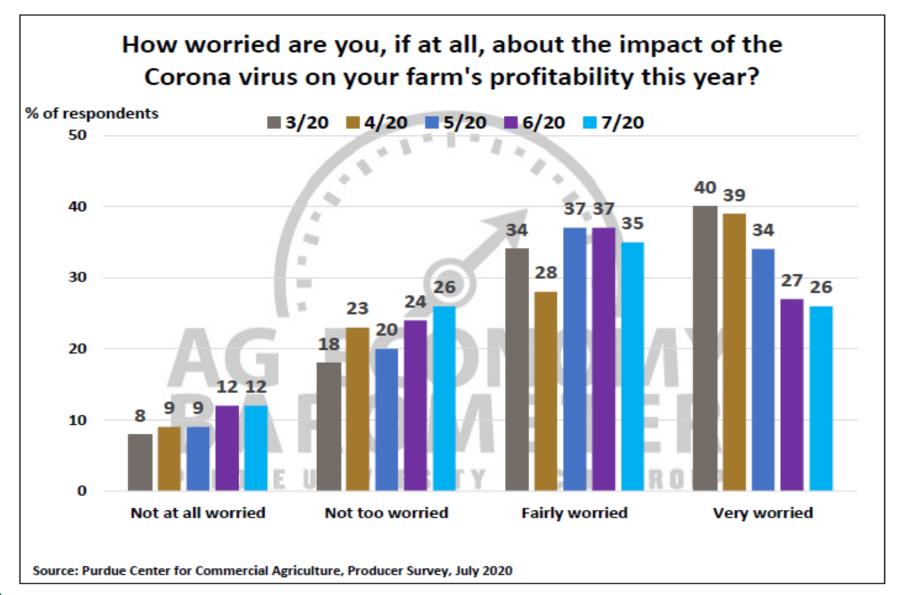
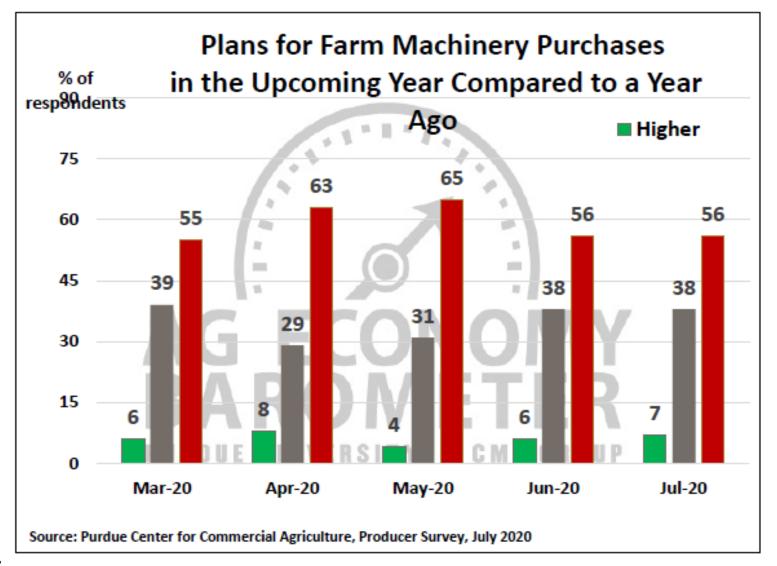




Figure 1. Purdue/CME Group Ag Economy Barometer, October 2015-July 2020.



**Figure 6.** How Worried Are You, If At All, About the Impact of Coronavirus on Your Farm's Profitability This Year? March 2020-July 2020.



Plans for Farm Machinery Purchase in the Upcoming Year Compared to a Year Ago, March-July

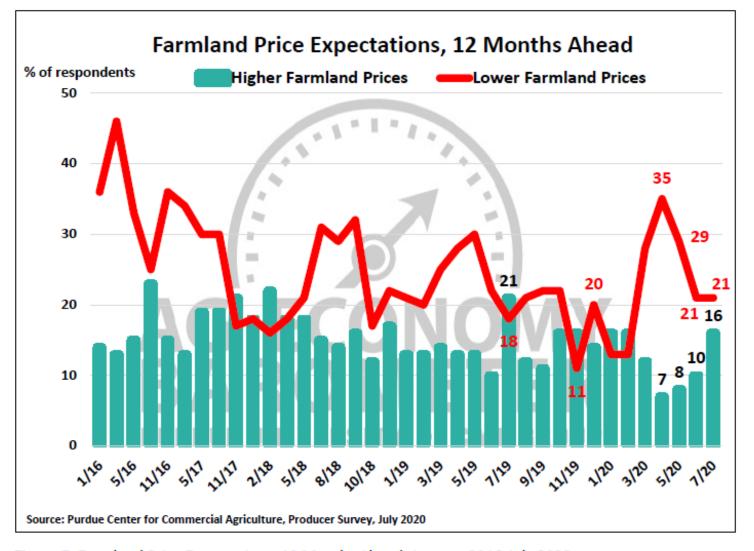


Figure 5. Farmland Price Expectations, 12 Months Ahead, January 2016-July 2020.



## Current Market Incentives for Storing Crops On-Farm

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#### Benefits of On-Farm Storage

- Harvest efficiency.
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- Speculation:
  - Anticipate higher prices in future and willingness to accept risk of lower prices.



#### Costs of On-Farm Storage

- Facility costs:
  - Bins, elevation/legs and drier system.
- Interest on value of grain inventory.
- Additional grain drying.
- Aeration.
- Shrinkage.
- Handling costs:
  - Extra hauling to on-farm storage.
  - Loading/Unloading.
  - Monitoring crop condition.
- Quality deterioration.



### **Excel Spreadsheet Decision Tool**

- Search "NDSU Farm Management"
  - Select "Tools"
    - Select "Grain Storage Costs"

 https://www.ag.ndsu.edu/farmmanage ment/tools



## **Key Storage Cost Assumptions**

	Corn	Soybean	Spring Wheat	
Interest Rate	6.0% APR	6.0% APR	6.0% APR	
Extra Drying & Shrink	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	
Extra Handling & Transportation	\$0.045/bu.	\$0.045/bu.	\$0.045/bu.	
Quality Deterioration	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	
Electricity - aeration	\$0.007/bu.	\$0.006/bu.	\$0.008/bu.	
Extra Labor – bin	1 hr./mo. at	1 hr./mo. at	1 hr./mo. at	
monitoring	\$15.00/hr.	\$15.00/hr.	\$15.00/hr.	
Commercial Storage	\$0.05/bu./mo. after first month	\$0.06/bu./mo.	\$0.05/bu./mo. after first month	



## Total Cost by Month Stored

	Corn		9	Soybear	1	Spring Wheat				
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Month	On-Farm	Commercial	Month	On-Farm	Commercial	Month	On-Farm	Commercial		
October	\$0.079	\$0.014	October	\$0.131	\$0.101	September	\$0.099	\$0.022		
November	\$0.093	\$0.077	November	\$0.172	\$0.201	October	\$0.122	\$0.094		
December	\$0.108	\$0.141	December	\$0.213	\$0.302	November	\$0.145	\$0.166		
January	\$0.122	\$0.147	January	\$0.254	\$0.232	December	\$0.167	\$0.146		
February	\$0.136	\$0.211	February	\$0.295	\$0.332	January	\$0.190	\$0.218		
March	\$0.150	\$0.275	March	\$0.336	\$0.433	February	\$0.213	\$0.290		
April	\$0.165	\$0.338	April	\$0.377	\$0.533	March	\$0.236	\$0.362		
May	\$0.179	\$0.402	May	\$0.419	\$0.634	April	\$0.258	\$0.434		
June	\$0.193	\$0.466	June	\$0.460	\$0.734	May	\$0.281	\$0.506		
July	\$0.207	\$0.529	July	\$0.501	\$0.835	June	\$0.304	\$0.578		
August	\$0.222	\$0.593	August	\$0.542	\$0.935	July	\$0.327	\$0.650		
September	\$0.236	\$0.656	September	\$0.583	\$1.036	August	\$0.349	\$0.722		



### Market Carry – Futures & Basis

Corn						Soybean					Spring Wheat				
Month	Futures Contract	Futures Price	Expected Basis	Expected Cash Price	Month	Futures Contract	Futures Price	Expected Basis		Month	Futures Contract	Futures Price	Expected Basis	Expected Cash Price	
Oct	Dec	\$3.23	-\$0.50	\$2.73	Oct	Nov	\$8.80	-\$0.70	\$8.10	Sep	Dec	\$5.16	-\$0.75	\$4.41	
Nov	Dec	\$3.23	-\$0.50	\$2.73	Nov	Jan	\$8.87	-\$0.70	\$8.17	Oct	Dec	\$5.16	-\$0.70	\$4.46	
Dec	Mar	\$3.35	-\$0.45	\$2.90	Dec	Jan	\$8.87	-\$0.75	\$8.12	Nov	Dec	\$5.16	-\$0.70	\$4.46	
Jan	Mar	\$3.35	-\$0.45	\$2.90	Jan	Mar	\$8.90	-\$0.75	\$8.15	Dec	Mar	\$5.29	-\$0.65	\$4.64	
Feb	Mar	\$3.35	-\$0.45	\$2.90	Feb	Mar	\$8.90	-\$0.85	\$8.05	Jan	Mar	\$5.29	-\$0.65	\$4.64	
Mar	May	\$3.43	-\$0.45	\$2.98	Mar	May	\$8.95	-\$0.85	\$8.10	Feb	Mar	\$5.29	-\$0.60	\$4.69	
Apr	May	\$3.43	-\$0.40	\$3.03	Apr	May	\$8.95	-\$0.90	\$8.05	Mar	May	\$5.40	-\$0.55	\$4.85	
May	Jul	\$3.51	-\$0.40	\$3.11	May	Jul	\$9.03	-\$0.90	\$8.13	Apr	May	\$5.40	-\$0.50	\$4.90	
Jun	Jul	\$3.51	-\$0.45	\$3.06	Jun	Jul	\$9.03	-\$0.95	\$8.08	May	Jul	\$5.49	-\$0.45	\$5.04	
Jul	Sep	\$3.55	-\$0.50	\$3.05	Jul	Aug	\$9.03	-\$1.00	\$8.03	Jun	Jul	\$5.49	-\$0.50	\$4.99	
Aug	Sep	\$3.55	-\$0.65	\$2.90	Aug	Sep	\$8.97	-\$1.00	\$7.97	Jul	Sep	\$5.58	-\$0.55	\$5.03	
Sep	Dec	\$3.63	-\$0.70	\$2.93	Sep	Nov	\$9.00	-\$1.00	\$8.00	Aug	Sep	\$5.58	-\$0.65	\$4.93	



## **Expected Net Price**

	Corn			Soybean		Spring Wheat			
	<b>Harvest Price</b>	\$2.73		<b>Harvest Price</b>	\$8.10		<b>Harvest Price</b>	\$4.41	
Month	On-Farm	Commercial	Month	On-Farm	Commercial	Month	On-Farm	Commercial	
October	\$2.65	\$2.72	October	\$7.97	\$8.00	September	\$4.31	\$4.39	
November	\$2.64	\$2.65	November	\$8.00	\$7.97	October	\$4.34	\$4.37	
December	\$2.79	\$2.76	December	\$7.91	\$7.82	November	\$4.32	\$4.29	
January	\$2.78	\$2.75	January	\$7.90	\$7.92	December	\$4.47	\$4.49	
February	\$2.76	\$2.69	February	\$7.75	\$7.72	January	\$4.45	\$4.42	
March	\$2.83	\$2.71	March	\$7.76	\$7.67	February	\$4.48	\$4.40	
April	\$2.87	\$2.69	April	\$7.67	\$7.52	March	\$4.61	\$4.49	
May	\$2.93	\$2.71	Мау	\$7.71	\$7.50	April	\$4.64	\$4.47	
June	\$2.87	\$2.59	June	\$7.62	\$7.35	May	\$4.76	\$4.53	
July	\$2.84	\$2.52	July	\$7.53	\$7.20	June	\$4.69	\$4.41	
August	\$2.68	\$2.31	August	\$7.43	\$7.03	July	\$4.70	\$4.38	
September	\$2.69	\$2.27	September	\$7.42	\$6.96	August	\$4.58	\$4.21	



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## USDA - WASDE and **Production Report Released** at 11:00 am CT Wednesday, August 12



#### LIVESTOCK PRICE SITUATION AND OUTLOOK

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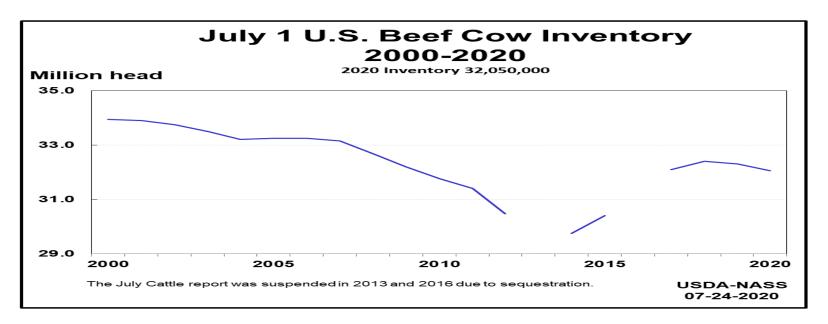


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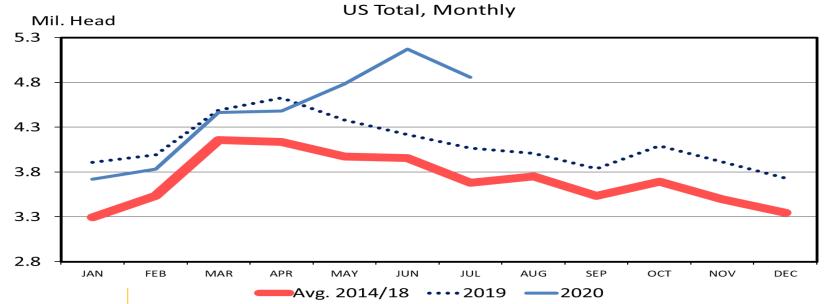
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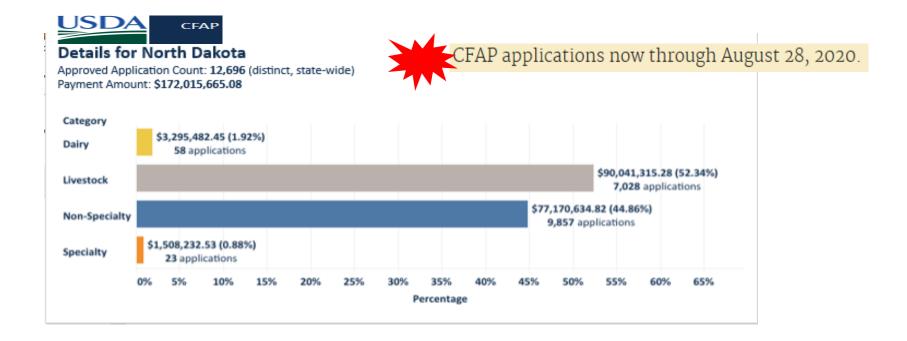


#### **CATTLE ON FEED OVER 120 DAYS**





**EXTENSION AGRIBUSINESS** 



100% TOTAL = \$215,019,581 LIVESTOCK \$112,551,644





#### 2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

Cattle and calves	Farms
Total	8,335
Farms by number of cattle and calves sold- 1 to 9 10 to 19 20 to 49 50 to 99 100 to 199 200 to 499 500 to 999 1,000 to 2,499 2,500 or more	909 765 1,602 1,717 1,737 1,238 269 87

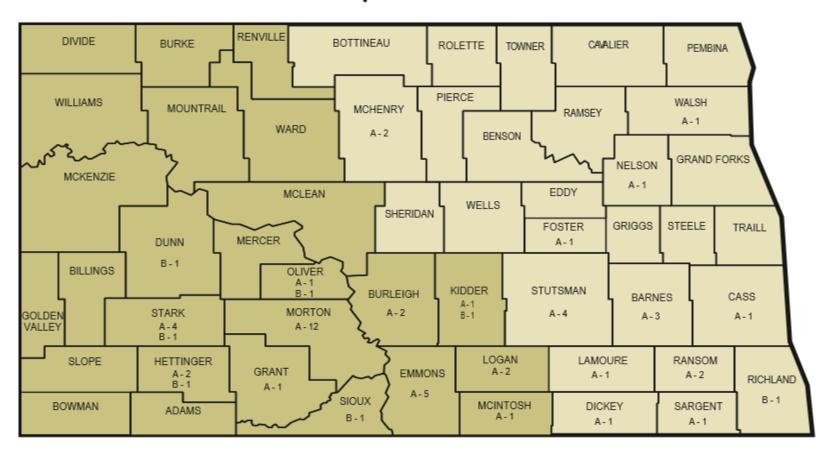
	Beef cow herd
Farms	
565 655 1,490 1,724 1,726 1,373 183 20 3	Farms with December 31, 2017 beef cow herd size of- 1 to 9 10 to 19 20 to 49 50 to 99 100 to 199 200 to 499 500 to 999 1,000 to 2,499 2,500 to 4,999 5,000 or more

Hogs and pigs	Fams
Farms with December 31, 2017 herd size of- 1 to 24 25 to 49 50 to 99 100 to 199 200 to 499 500 to 999 1,000 to 1,999 2,000 to 4,999 5,000 or more	101 26 4 4 1 1 2 3 3
All farms with December 31, 2017 inventory	156

Sheep and lambs	Farms
Farms with December 31, 2017 flock size of- 1 to 24 25 to 99 100 to 299 300 to 999 1,000 to 2,499 2,500 to 4,999 5,000 or more	204 209 121 30 7 1
All farms with December 31, 2017 inventory	573



#### North Dakota Department of Agriculture Dairy Farms



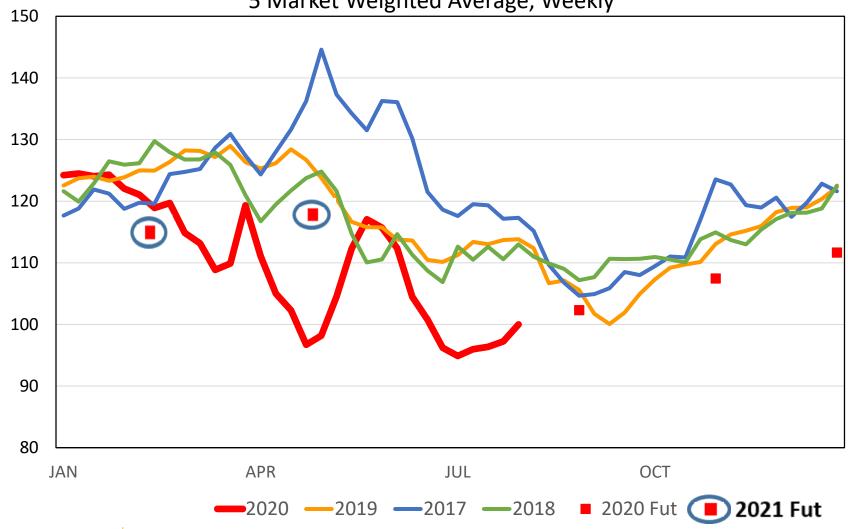
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As of 6/1/20



#### **SLAUGHTER STEER PRICES**

5 Market Weighted Average, Weekly





**EXTENSION AGRIBUSINESS** 

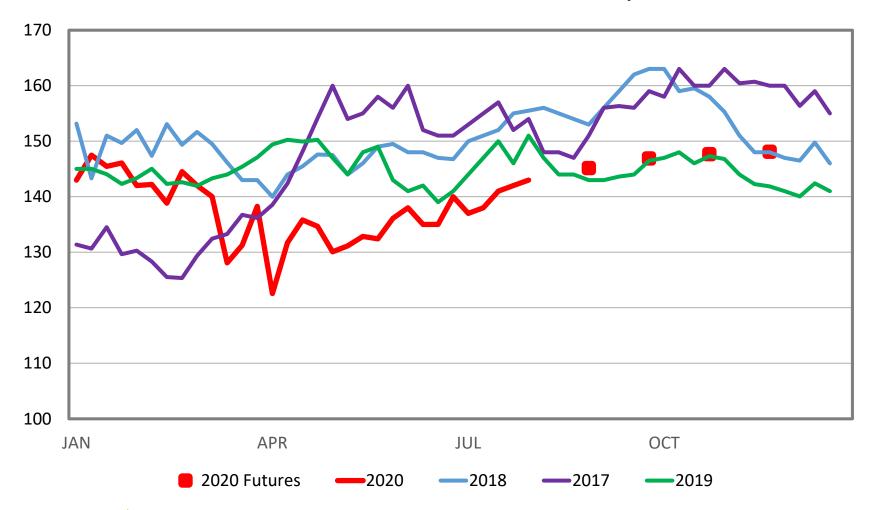
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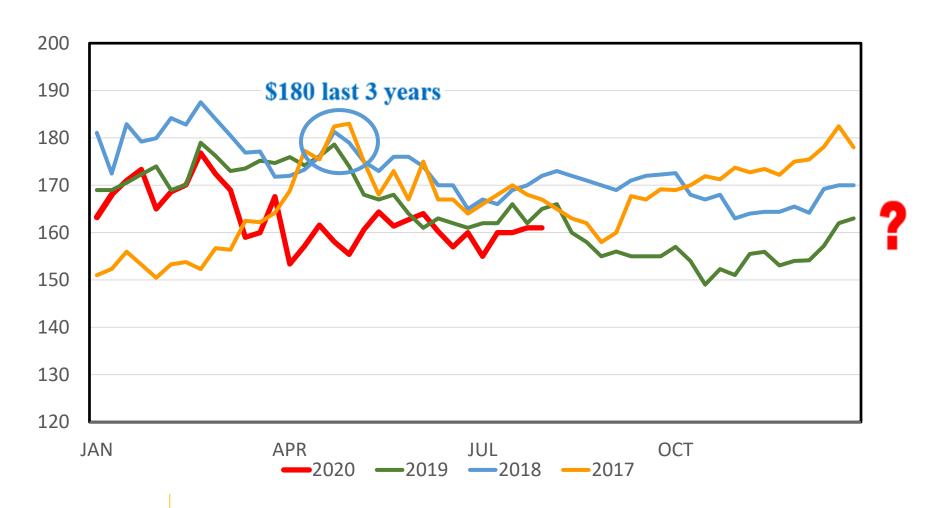
#### MED. & LRG. #1 FEEDER STEER PRICES

750-800 Pounds, N.D., Weekly





## MED. FRAME #1 STEER CALF PRICES 550-600 Pounds, N.D., Weekly





**EXTENSION AGRIBUSINESS** 

#### Risk Management?

USDA United States Department of Agriculture
Risk Management Agency

590 lb. STEERS

25% Subsidy

LRP Coverage Prices, Rates, and Actual Ending Values - Report for 08/05/2020

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State	County	Endorsement Length	Commodity	Туре	Practice	Crop Year	Exp. End Value	Coverage Price	Coverage Level	Rate	Cost Per CWT	End Date
38 North Dakota	998 All Counties	13	0801 Feeder Cattle	809 Steers Weight 1	211 Endorsement Ending in November Yr1	2021	162.286	\$160.330	0.987900	0.037658	6.038 <b>4.53</b>	11/04/2020
38 North Dakota	998 All Counties	13	0801 Feeder Cattle	809 Steers Weight 1	211 Endorsement Ending in November Yr1	2021	162.286	\$158.130	0.974400	0.031963	5.054 <b>3.79</b>	11/04/2020
38 North Dakota	998 All Counties	13	0801 Feeder Cattle	809 Steers Weight 1	211 Endorsement Ending in November Yr1	2021	162.286	\$155.930	0.960800	0.027257	4.250 <b>3.19</b>	11/04/2020

**Coverage Level %** 

**Subsidy Rate %** 

	7/01/2019	<u>7/01/2020</u>
95-100	20	25
90-94.9	25	30
80-89	30	35
70-79	35	

Premium due at maturity, not in advance

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August 6<sup>th</sup>

August 20<sup>th</sup>

September 3rd



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