



# National Organic Grain and Feedstuffs Report

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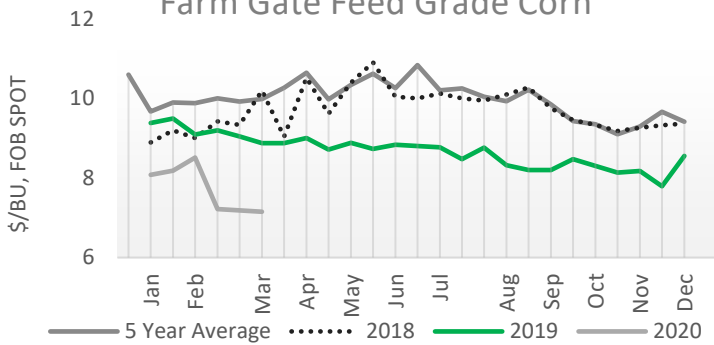
## Grain and Feedstuffs Market Trend

Compared to two weeks ago: Trade activity moderate on light to moderate demand for organic feed grade corn. The current spot market is 1.72 lower FOB compared to the same period last year. Forward contracting picked up this period with new crop contracts ranging 7.00 to 7.25 per bushel delivered. Trade activity light on moderate to good demand for feed grade organic soybeans. Cash bids are firm, ranging 18.50 to 20.00 per bushel delivered. Trade too limited on all other organic grain to report. The next available report will be Wednesday, April 8, 2020.

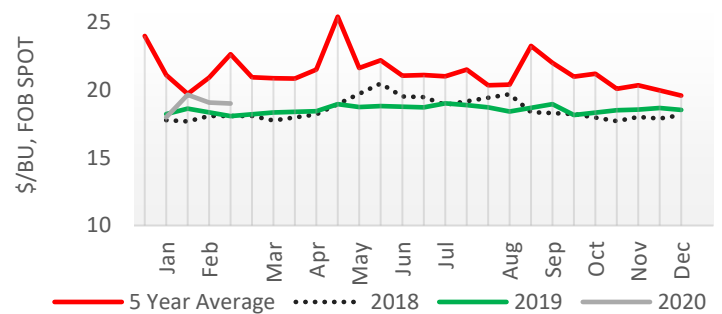
### Grower FOB Farm Gate Organic Grain

Spot Transactions						Forward Contracts		Cash Bids
Feed Grade	Unit	Price Range	Avg.	Change	Prior Year	Price Range	Delivery Period	Price Range
Yellow Corn	\$/bu	6.70 - 8.50	7.15	N/A	8.87	6.25 - 8.45	Mar-20 - Jul-21	N/A - N/A
Soybeans	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	18.33	18.00 - 18.30	Oct-20 - Mar-21	N/A - N/A
Wheat	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Oats	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Barley	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Rye	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Sorghum	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Triticale	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Millet	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
<b>Food Grade</b>								
Yellow Corn	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Soybeans	\$/bu	20.00 - 24.00	22.56	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Wheat	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	8.00 - 10.70	Apr-20 - Jun-20	N/A - N/A
Oats	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A

#### Farm Gate Feed Grade Corn



#### Farm Gate Feed Grade Soybeans



### Dealer FOB Elevator/Warehouse Organic Grain

Spot Transactions						Forward Contracts	
Feed Grade	Unit	Price Range	Avg.	Change	Prior Year	Price Range	Delivery Period
Yellow Corn	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Soybeans	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Soybean Meal	\$/ton	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Soybean Oil	\$/lb	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Wheat	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A



### Grower FOB Farm Gate Organic Hay

Spot Transactions					
Hay Type	Quality	Package	Unit	Price Range	Avg
Straw	Good	Small Squares	\$/ton	240.00 - 240.00	240.00
Alfalfa	Prem/Sup	Large Squares	\$/ton	255.00 - 255.00	255.00
Alfalfa	Premium	Large Squares	\$/ton	220.00 - 220.00	220.00
N/A	N/A	N/A	\$/ton	N/A - N/A	N/A

### USDA FAS GATS Organic Import Volume

Commodity	Mo.	Unit	Volume	YTD Volume
Yellow Corn	Jan	bu	243,594.44	243,594.44
Soybeans	Jan	bu	713,954.46	713,954.46
Durum Wheat	Jan	bu	43,889.53	43,889.53

Source: USDA FAS GATS



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### Spot Transactions

Feed Grade	Unit	Price Range	Avg.	Change	Prior Year
Yellow Corn	\$/bu	6.75 - 8.75	7.28	-0.90	9.27
Soybeans	\$/bu	18.60 - 20.25	19.75	0.33	18.99
Wheat	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Oats	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Barley	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Rye	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Sorghum	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Triticale	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Millet	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

### Forward Contracts

Price Range	Delivery Period
7.00 - 7.50	May-20 - Dec-20
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A

### Cash Bids

Price Range
7.00 - 7.25
18.50 - 20.00
7.00 - 7.00
3.50 - 3.50
6.00 - 6.00
5.50 - 5.50
N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A

### Food Grade

Feed Grade	Unit	Price Range	Avg.	Change	Prior Year
Yellow Corn	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Soybeans	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Wheat	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Oats	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Price Range	Delivery Period
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
21.00 - 21.00	Oct-20 - Dec-20
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A

Price Range
N/A - N/A
20.00 - 23.00
N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A

## Dealer Delivered Elevator/Warehouse Organic Grain

### Spot Transactions

Feed Grade	Unit	Price Range	Avg.	Change	Prior Year
Yellow Corn	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Soybeans	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Soybean Meal	\$/ton	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Soybean Oil	\$/lb	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Wheat	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

### Forward Contracts

Price Range	Delivery Period
9.89 - 10.08	Mar-20 - Apr-21
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
9.31 - 9.46	Mar-20 - Dec-20

### Food Grade

Feed Grade	Unit	Price Range	Avg.	Change	Prior Year
Yellow Corn	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Soybeans	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Wheat	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Oats	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Price Range	Delivery Period
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
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## Grower Delivered Organic Hay

### Spot Transactions

Hay Type	Quality	Package	Unit	Price Range	Avg
N/A	N/A	N/A	\$/ton	N/A - N/A	N/A
N/A	N/A	N/A	\$/ton	N/A - N/A	N/A
N/A	N/A	N/A	\$/ton	N/A - N/A	N/A
N/A	N/A	N/A	\$/ton	N/A - N/A	N/A

## Current National Drought Summary (March 17, 2020)

The U.S. Drought Monitor week ending March 17 saw another round of winter storms, bringing above normal precipitation to parts of the northern High Plains, Southwest, southern plains, and Tennessee Valley. Many areas recorded totals that exceeded 200% of normal over the seven-day period, leading to improvements to areas of abnormal dryness and drought in areas where the excess moisture erased deficits and improved soil moisture and streamflow. Once again, precipitation over the Northwest and Gulf Coast states was below normal with most areas having received less than 50% of their normal amount over the last 30 days. The lack of precipitation, combined with warmer than normal temperatures, led to expansions in pockets of abnormal dryness and drought.



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## Grower FOB Farm Gate Organic Dry Edible Beans

### Spot Transactions

Food Grade	Unit	Price Range	Avg.	Change	Prior Year
Pintos	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Great Northerns	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Light Red Kidneys	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dark Red Kidneys	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Blacks	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Navy	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White Kidneys	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Garbanzo	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

### Forward Contracts

Price Range	Delivery Period
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
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N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A

### Cash Bids

Price Range
N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A

## Grower Delivered Elevator/Warehouse Organic Dry Edible Beans

### Spot Transactions

Food Grade	Unit	Price Range	Avg.	Change	Prior Year
Pintos	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Great Northerns	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Light Red Kidneys	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dark Red Kidneys	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Blacks	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Navy	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White Kidneys	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Garbanzo	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

### Forward Contracts

Price Range	Delivery Period
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
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N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A

### Cash Bids

Price Range
N/A - N/A
N/A - N/A
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