

Table 79: Alberta Major Crops - Unit Value, 1957-2008

|            | All Wheat | Oats | Barley | Flaxseed | Canola | All Rye |
|------------|-----------|------|--------|----------|--------|---------|
|            | \$/Bushel |      |        |          |        |         |
| 1957.....  | 1.23      | 0.50 | 0.74   | 2.55     | 1.50   | 0.81    |
| 1958.....  | 1.31      | 0.55 | 0.75   | 2.63     | 1.25   | 0.82    |
| 1959.....  | 1.25      | 0.63 | 0.73   | 3.08     | 2.00   | 0.84    |
| 1960.....  | 1.53      | 0.60 | 0.79   | 2.74     | 1.63   | 0.81    |
| 1961.....  | 1.72      | 0.64 | 1.06   | 3.32     | 1.80   | 1.04    |
| 1962.....  | 1.62      | 0.60 | 0.94   | 3.14     | 2.04   | 1.04    |
| 1963.....  | 1.73      | 0.53 | 0.93   | 2.98     | 2.52   | 1.17    |
| 1964.....  | 1.55      | 0.60 | 0.98   | 2.94     | 2.74   | 1.02    |
| 1965.....  | 1.64      | 0.68 | 1.02   | 2.75     | 2.41   | 1.06    |
| 1966.....  | 1.73      | 0.67 | 1.03   | 2.75     | 2.47   | 1.09    |
| 1967.....  | 1.61      | 0.64 | 0.84   | 3.08     | 1.92   | 1.08    |
| 1968.....  | 1.31      | 0.53 | 0.81   | 2.93     | 1.83   | 1.04    |
| 1969.....  | 1.17      | 0.53 | 0.62   | 2.56     | 2.29   | 0.88    |
| 1970.....  | 1.35      | 0.55 | 0.69   | 2.24     | 2.33   | 0.92    |
| 1971.....  | 1.30      | 0.50 | 0.67   | 2.24     | 2.16   | 0.82    |
| 1972.....  | 1.84      | 0.84 | 1.26   | 4.00     | 3.16   | 1.54    |
| 1973.....  | 4.24      | 1.61 | 2.50   | 9.17     | 5.72   | 2.61    |
| 1974.....  | 3.96      | 1.52 | 2.20   | 9.24     | 7.06   | 2.23    |
| 1975.....  | 3.51      | 1.42 | 2.31   | 6.51     | 5.09   | 2.64    |
| 1976.....  | 2.80      | 1.13 | 1.88   | 6.78     | 6.07   | 2.17    |
| 1977.....  | 2.75      | 0.95 | 1.60   | 5.48     | 6.39   | 2.30    |
| 1978.....  | 3.66      | 1.02 | 1.72   | 7.29     | 6.36   | 2.55    |
| 1979.....  | 4.86      | 1.42 | 2.31   | 7.56     | 6.14   | 3.76    |
| 1980.....  | 5.36      | 1.79 | 3.03   | 8.33     | 6.38   | 4.52    |
| 1981.....  | 5.03      | 1.59 | 2.50   | 7.77     | 6.33   | 3.63    |
| 1982.....  | 4.54      | 1.17 | 1.96   | 6.20     | 6.30   | 2.18    |
| 1983.....  | 4.71      | 1.56 | 2.53   | 8.18     | 8.60   | 2.79    |
| 1984.....  | 4.44      | 1.60 | 2.71   | 7.92     | 7.98   | 2.49    |
| 1985.....  | 3.55      | 1.46 | 2.14   | 6.93     | 6.39   | 2.28    |
| 1986.....  | 2.55      | 1.06 | 1.55   | 4.34     | 4.47   | 1.63    |
| 1987.....  | 3.04      | 1.39 | 1.45   | 5.39     | 5.83   | 2.13    |
| 1988.....  | 4.60      | 2.05 | 2.54   | 9.30     | 6.80   | 2.77    |
| 1989.....  | 3.78      | 1.30 | 2.28   | 8.61     | 6.06   | 2.08    |
| 1990.....  | 2.93      | 1.04 | 1.80   | 5.08     | 5.85   | 1.70    |
| 1991.....  | 2.85      | 1.31 | 1.68   | 3.94     | 5.40   | 1.80    |
| 1992.....  | 2.99      | 1.51 | 1.80   | 5.46     | 6.24   | 2.13    |
| 1993.....  | 3.34      | 1.36 | 1.67   | 5.84     | 7.10   | 2.21    |
| 1994.....  | 4.69      | 1.36 | 2.13   | 6.81     | 7.94   | 2.31    |
| 1995.....  | 5.70      | 2.61 | 3.37   | 7.44     | 8.44   | 2.75    |
| 1996.....  | 4.13      | 1.56 | 2.58   | 8.04     | 9.07   | 3.39    |
| 1997.....  | 3.90      | 1.89 | 2.60   | 8.08     | 8.57   | 2.50    |
| 1998.....  | 3.75      | 1.81 | 2.31   | 8.09     | 7.85   | 2.20    |
| 1999.....  | 3.31      | 1.57 | 2.19   | 6.28     | 5.75   | 2.05    |
| 2000.....  | 3.50      | 1.55 | 2.20   | 5.13     | 5.44   | 1.88    |
| 2001.....  | 4.17      | 2.34 | 2.87   | 6.92     | 6.49   | 2.57    |
| 2002.....  | 4.95      | 3.02 | 3.40   | 8.51     | 7.94   | 3.80    |
| 2003.....  | 4.22      | 2.65 | 2.87   | 8.91     | 7.82   | 3.36    |
| 2004.....  | 4.11      | 1.80 | 2.63   | 9.50     | 7.87   | 3.35    |
| 2005r..... | 3.43      | 1.76 | 2.13   | 8.89     | 5.94   | 2.43    |
| 2006r..... | 3.27      | 1.79 | 2.26   | 5.74     | 6.19   | 2.30    |
| 2007r..... | 5.03      | 2.42 | 3.61   | 8.35     | 8.50   | 3.73    |
| 2008p..... | 7.81      | 2.73 | 4.57   | 14.74    | 11.25  | 6.02    |

Note: Average unit (farm) values are estimated using grade distributions, quantities delivered (marketed) and final prices reported for the year. The prices produced are weighted according to these variables.

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