

# Alberta Farm Input Prices

## April 2022

Farm Input Prices - Dollars (\$)	Apr 2021	Mar 2022	Apr 2022
Construction Grade Lumber, 2x6, spruce, M	1,555.84	1,918.02	1,947.51
Rough Grade Lumber, 2x8, spruce, M	1,491.78	1,467.90	1,458.30
Sheathing, plywood, spruce, unsanded, 9.6 mm, 4'x8' sheet	43.53	49.34	49.21
Fence Posts, standard grade, treated, 3-4" diameter, 7' length	9.10	8.67	8.78
Ready-Mix Concrete, 20 mpa strength, cubic metre	263.83	256.56	268.50
Nails, standard grade, 4" spiral, 50 lb box	112.04	128.46	126.71
Pipe, plastic, 1" diameter, 75 psi, 100' coil	73.26	82.18	79.11
Rods, steel reinforcing, 10 mm, 6 metre length	9.25	10.45	11.38
Barbed Wire, 12 gauge, double strand, 40 kg, 80 rod spool	81.85	105.56	108.46
Grain Bin, hopper bottom included, 4,000 bushel capacity, each *	19,722.59	20,736.05	20,683.62
Truck Tires, 1st line, blackwall, LT285-70R-17 Radial (environmental tax included), each	304.59	331.16	338.24
Storage Battery, 12 volt, 24 series, 525 cranking amps, each	129.17	138.76	138.58
V-Belt - Implement, 1/2" x 70", fibre, each	18.12	19.46	19.93
Antifreeze, ethylene glycol, anti-corrosion, 4 litre	20.69	18.31	17.59
Mechanical Repairs, for farm machinery, shop & labour, per hour	144.09	149.74	150.83
Baler Twine, plastic, for round baler, 28,000' bale	39.47	44.29	44.36
General Farm Labour, full-time, without board, per month	4,058.93	4,337.50	4,333.33
Tractor, FWD, 105-130 hp, 6 cylinder diesel, 12-24 speed transmission, new, each	172,143.46	170,167.74	164,886.35
Tractor, 4WD, 325-375 hp, 6-8 cylinder diesel, 12-18 speed transmission, new, each	420,570.20	469,815.90	488,183.27
Combine, self-prop, diesel, Class 7, 323-374 hp, new, each *	548,961.41	573,817.93	586,981.62
Air Drill, 40-42', 3 compartment tank, no variable rate, new, each *	348,021.73	385,070.91	391,437.19
Sprayer, pull-type, 800-900 gallon tank, 90-100' boom, new, each	94,254.77	106,373.33	95,553.33
Round Baler, pull-type, P.T.O. driven, 5'x6' hard core bale, new, each	68,573.61	71,911.00	73,623.04
Double Disc, heavy-duty tandem, 19-21', 22" blades, new, each	74,911.45	72,606.61	70,944.31
3/4 Ton Truck, V-8, 5.4L or 5.9L engine, 4X4, 4 speed automatic transmission, new, each	61,325.55	66,824.84	63,259.78
Calf-starter Ration, pellets, 13-20%, bagged, 25 kg *	19.85	20.71	21.05
Dairy Supplement, pellets, 32%, bagged, 25 kg *	24.53	25.42	25.77
Feedlot Supplement, pellets, 32%, (excl. Ionophore), bagged, 25 kg *	19.73	19.70	20.38
Hog Grower Ration, pellets, 15-17%, bagged, 25 kg *	19.10	20.27	20.27
Swine Supplement, pellets, 35-40%, bagged, 25 kg *	24.70	24.77	24.94
Broiler Grower Complete Feed, 18-20%, bagged, 25 kg *	20.39	22.22	22.39
Cattle Mineral, salt-free, 18% Phosphorus & 18% Calcium, 20 kg *	38.54	48.00	49.03
Feed Barley, No. 1, non-board, farm gate, bushel	5.72	7.79	8.38
Feed Wheat, No. 1, non-board, farm gate, bushel	6.33	9.80	9.92
Feed Oats, good quality, farm gate, bushel **	3.59	5.72	6.97
Hay, good quality, over 50% Alfalfa, farm gate, ton	147.35	268.36	278.00
Fertilizer, 46-0-0, Urea, bulk, tonne	588.80	1,316.93	1,348.86
Fertilizer, 11-51-0, bulk, tonne	879.80	1,320.67	1,342.50
Fertilizer, 82-0-0, Anhydrous Ammonia, full service with applicator, bulk, tonne	904.59	1,818.78	2,144.60
Refine SG granular, 486 gram *	309.66	332.45	337.45
Assert 300 SC, liquid, 10.8 litre	250.79	259.33	250.83
Roundup WeatherMAX, liquid, 10 litre	86.41	128.72	135.42
Penicillin, Procaine Penicillin G, injectable, short-acting, 300 mg/ml, 250 ml	33.53	43.94	44.33
Vitamin A, D and E, injectable, IU/cc: A:500,000 D:75,000 E:50, 250 ml	46.41	47.50	48.03
Seed, Wheat, Certified No. 1, bulk, 100 kg	58.28	64.19	65.59
Seed, Barley, Certified No. 1, bulk, 100 kg	46.40	55.18	55.30
Seed, Roundup Ready HT Canola, Certified No. 1, treated, bagged, 22.7 kg **	626.67	684.27	685.94
Seed, Liberty Link HT Canola, Certified No. 1, treated, bagged, 22.7 kg **	710.27	765.48	769.94
Purple Gasoline, regular unleaded, marked farm fuel, 100 litres	102.38	146.79	138.37
Diesel Fuel, marked farm fuel, (provincial allowance deducted), 100 litres	104.56	156.42	149.80
Propane, liquefied, bulk, 100 litres	71.89	91.55	98.30
Natural Gas, (excluding service or delivery charge, prov. rebate deducted where applicable), GJ	2.72	4.69	5.26
Electricity, farm use, (excluding service or delivery charge), 100 kwh	8.03	10.70	10.68
Oil, for diesel engines, 15W-40, (environmental tax included), 5 litre *	23.47	29.57	28.16

All agricultural inputs were reported to be in good supply for the month of April 2022 with the exception of hay and general farm labour in some areas of the province. The prices reported are simple averages for the province in Canadian Dollars (\$), and are based on a survey conducted in the first week of each month.

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