

AVERAGE PRICES OF SELECTED COMMODITIES

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| Period | Market price (f.o.b.) of Raw Jute of | | Retail Market Price of Dhaka City | | Export of Tea (Average Quality) (Tk. per kg.) | Hides and Skins (wholesale) | | Period |
|-------------|--|--|--|------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------|
| | White Middle (Kutchha bales) (Tk. per 100 kg.) | Bangla white A (Pucca bales) (Tk. per 180 kg.) | Aman Rice (Medium) (Tk. per kg.) | Gold (Guinea) (Tk. per 10 gms.) | | Cow Hides Raw (Tk. per kg.) | Goat Skins (Tk. per piece) | |
| 1993 | 1048 | 2731 | 12 | 5352 | 49 | 937 | 118 | 1993 |
| 1994 | 1269 | 3217 | 14 | 5744 | 45 | 1132 | 127 | 1994 |
| 1995 | 1350 | 3364 | 16 | 5838 | 47 | 1176 | 125 | 1995 |
| 1996 | 1806 | 4218 | 15 | 5896 | 52 | 1222 | 117 | 1996 |
| 1997 | 1304 | 3579 | 13 | 5552 | 67 | 1296 | 138 | 1997 |
| 1998 | 1185 | 3275 | 16 | 5116 | 85 | 1028 | 136 | 1998 |
| 1999 | 1465 | 3500 | 17 | 5227 | 67 | 861 | 108 | 1999 |
| 2000 | 1,558 | 3708 | 15 | 5613 | 69 | 941 | 102 | 2000 |
| 2001 | 1840 | 4192 | 14 | 5650 | 69 | 1192 | 111 | 2001 |
| 2002 | 1624 | 3760 | 15 | 6432 | 69 | 1137 | 139 | 2002 |
| 2003 | 1367 | 3400 | 16 | 8442 | 73 | 1174 | 175 | 2003 |
| 2004 | | | | | | | | |
| January | ... | ... | 15 | 9430 | 72 | 1180 | 170 | January |
| February | ... | ... | 15 | 9467 | 64 | 1250 | 175 | February |
| March | ... | ... | 15 | 9400 | 67 | 1150 | 171 | March |
| April | ... | ... | 14 | 9400 | 65 | 1175 | 175 | April |
| May | ... | ... | 14 | 9400 | 75 | 1200 | 173 | May |
| June | ... | ... | 15 | 9100 | 75 | 1192 | 165 | June |
| July | 1782 | 4200 | 16 | 9100 | 73 | 1120 | 153 | July |
| August | 1759 | 4357 | 16 | 9271 | 74 | 1075 | 149 | August |
| September | 1744 | 4328 | 16 | 9300 | 75 | 1130 | 145 | September |
| October | 1846 | 4519 | 18 | 9644 | 72 | 1194 | 155 | October |
| November | 1916 | 4650 | 17 | 9900 | 72 | 1200 | 150 | November |
| December | 1997 | 4600 | 18 | 10100 | 75 | 1222 | 150 | December |
| 2005 | | | | | | | | |
| January | 2041 | 4683 | 19 | 10175 | 78 | 1216 | 136 | January |
| February | 2265 | 5100 | 19 | 10400 | 80 | 1450 | 179 | February |
| March | 2308 | 5180 | 19 | 10340 | 71 | 1370 | 185 | March |
| April | 2452 | 5450 | 19 | 10100 | 92 | 1475 | 193 | April |
| May | 2452 | 5450 | 18 | 10367 | 92 | 1506 | 210 | May |
| June | 2452 | 5450 | 18 | 10400 | 86 | 1415 | 210 | June |
| July | 2452 | 5450 | 19 | 10509 | 73 | 1381 | 190 | July |
| August | 2164 | 4914 | 19 | 10912 | ... | 1418 | 186 | August |

Source: 1. Bangladesh Jute Mills Association
2. Bangladesh Jute Mills Corporation.
... = Not Available

3. The Directorate of Agricultural Marketing.
4. Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics.
5. Bangladesh Tea Board.