

## Weekly Price Report June 28, 2024

### U.S. Wheat FOB & Export Basis Estimates

| Export  | Class & Percent Protein  |    | AUG (U24) |       |        | AUG (U24)  |       | SEP (U24) |       | OCT (Z24) |       | NOV (Z24) |       | DEC (Z24) |       | JAN (H25) |        | FEB (H25) |        |        |
|---------|--------------------------|----|-----------|-------|--------|------------|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|--------|-----------|--------|--------|
| Region  | 12% (Dry) Moisture Basis |    | (nearbys) | week  | change | 1 year ago | FOB   | Basis     | FOB    | Basis     | FOB    | Basis  |
|         |                          |    | FOB \$/bu | \$/bu | \$/MT  | \$/MT      | \$/MT | ¢/bu      | \$/MT  | ¢/bu      | \$/MT  | ¢/bu   |
| Great   | HRS 13.5 (15.3) Min      | М  | 6.53      | 0.02  | 1      | 324        | 240   | 40        | 242   | 45        | 249   | 45        | 253   | 55        | 253   | 55        | Closed | Closed    | Closed | Closed |
| Lakes   | HRS 14.0 (15.9) Min      | М  | 6.78      | 0.02  | 1      | 326        | 249   | 65        | 251   | 70        | 258   | 70        | 262   | 80        | 262   | 80        | Closed | Closed    | Closed | Closed |
| Lunco   | HRS 14.5 (16.5) Min      | М  | 6.83      | 0.01  | 1      | 328        | 251   | 70        | 253   | 75        | 260   | 75        | 264   | 85        | 264   | 85        | Closed | Closed    | Closed | Closed |
|         | HRS 13.0 (14.8) Min      | М  | 7.13      | -0.09 | -3     | 350        | 262   | 100       | 262   | 100       | 297   | 175       | 297   | 175       | 297   | 175       | 299    | 165       | 299    | 165    |
|         | HRS 13.5 (15.3) Min      | М  | 7.43      | -0.09 | -3     | 350        | 273   | 130       | 273   | 130       | 297   | 175       | 297   | 175       | 297   | 175       | 299    | 165       | 299    | 165    |
|         | HRS 14.0 (15.9) Min      | М  | 7.63      | -0.09 | -3     | 352        | 280   | 150       | 280   | 150       | 299   | 180       | 299   | 180       | 299   | 180       | 301    | 170       | 301    | 170    |
|         | HRS 14.5 (16.5)          | М  | 7.93      | -0.09 | -3     | 355        | 291   | 180       | 291   | 180       | 302   | 190       | 302   | 190       | 302   | 190       | 305    | 180       | 305    | 180    |
| Gulf of | HRW Ord                  | K  | 6.96      | 0.35  | 13     | 326        | 256   | 110       | 256   | 110       | 279   | 155       | 279   | 155       | 279   | 155       | 280    | 145       | 280    | 145    |
| Mexico  | HRW 11.0 (12.5) Min      | K  | 7.11      | 0.50  | 18     | 329        | 261   | 125       | 261   | 125       | 284   | 170       | 284   | 170       | 284   | 170       | 285    | 160       | 285    | 160    |
|         | HRW 11.5 (13.1) Min      | K  | 7.21      | 0.60  | 22     | 329        | 265   | 135       | 265   | 135       | 288   | 180       | 288   | 180       | 288   | 180       | 289    | 170       | 289    | 170    |
|         | HRW 12.0 (13.6) Min      | K  | 7.11      | 0.30  | 11     | 329        | 261   | 125       | 261   | 125       | 284   | 170       | 284   | 170       | 284   | 170       | 285    | 160       | 285    | 160    |
|         | HRW 12.5 (14.2) Min      | K  | 7.11      | 0.30  | 11     | 331        | 261   | 125       | 261   | 125       | 284   | 170       | 284   | 170       | 284   | 170       | 285    | 160       | 285    | 160    |
|         | SRW                      | W  | 6.24      | 0.12  | 4      | 252        | 229   | 50        | 229   | 50        | 245   | 70        | 249   | 80        | 249   | 80        | 252    | 70        | 252    | 70     |
|         | HRS 13.0 (14.8) Min      | М  | 6.68      | 0.01  | 1      | 328        | 245   | 55        | 245   | 55        | 282   | 135       | 284   | 140       | 284   | 140       | 286    | 130       | 286    | 130    |
|         | HRS 13.5 (15.3) Min      | М  | 6.98      | 0.02  | 1      | 330        | 256   | 85        | 256   | 85        | 282   | 135       | 284   | 140       | 284   | 140       | 286    | 130       | 286    | 130    |
|         | HRS 14.0 (15.9) Min      | М  | 7.18      | 0.01  | 1      | 330        | 264   | 105       | 264   | 105       | 284   | 140       | 286   | 145       | 286   | 145       | 288    | 135       | 288    | 135    |
|         | HRS 14.5 (16.5)          | М  | 7.58      | 0.01  | 1      | 335        | 279   | 145       | 279   | 145       | 288   | 150       | 289   | 155       | 289   | 155       | 292    | 145       | 292    | 145    |
|         | HRW Ord                  | K  | 6.66      | 0.10  | 4      | 318        | 245   | 80        | 245   | 80        | 268   | 125       | 268   | 125       | 268   | 125       | 269    | 115       | 269    | 115    |
|         | HRW 11.5 (13.1) Min      | K  | 6.86      | 0.10  | 4      | 320        | 252   | 100       | 252   | 100       | 275   | 145       | 275   | 145       | 275   | 145       | 276    | 135       | 276    | 135    |
| Pacific | HRW 12.0 (13.6) Min      | K  | 6.91      | 0.10  | 4      | 320        | 254   | 105       | 254   | 105       | 277   | 150       | 277   | 150       | 277   | 150       | 278    | 140       | 278    | 140    |
| N.West  | HRW 13.0 (14.8) Min      | K  | 7.01      | 0.10  | 4      | 329        | 258   | 115       | 258   | 115       | 280   | 160       | 280   | 160       | 280   | 160       | 282    | 150       | 282    | 150    |
|         | SW Unspecified           | \$ | 6.60      | -0.10 | -4     | 268        | 243   | 660       | 246   | 670       | 254   | 690       | 259   | 705       | 259   | 705       | 263    | 715       | 263    | 715    |
|         | SW 9.5 (10.8) Min        | \$ | 6.70      | -0.10 | -4     | 276        | 246   | 670       | 250   | 680       | 257   | 700       | 263   | 715       | 263   | 715       | 266    | 725       | 266    | 725    |
|         | SW 9.5 (10.8) Max        | \$ | 6.85      | -0.10 | -4     | 268        | 252   | 685       | 255   | 695       | 263   | 715       | 268   | 730       | 268   | 730       | 272    | 740       | 272    | 740    |
|         | SW 10.5 (11.9) Max       | \$ | 6.70      | -0.10 | -4     | 268        | 246   | 670       | 250   | 680       | 257   | 700       | 263   | 715       | 263   | 715       | 266    | 725       | 266    | 725    |
|         | WW 10% Club              | \$ | 6.80      | -0.10 | -4     | 272        | 250   | 680       | 254   | 690       | 261   | 710       | 266   | 725       | 266   | 725       | 270    | 735       | 270    | 735    |
|         | WW 20% Club              | \$ | 6.90      | -0.10 | -4     | 276        | 254   | 690       | 257   | 700       | 265   | 720       | 270   | 735       | 270   | 735       | 274    | 745       | 274    | 745    |

Durum: a range of prices are available depending upon various quality attributes and logistics.

Northern Durum offers from the Great Lakes for July/August 2024 delivery are quoted at \$8.85/bu (\$325.00/MT) as of June 21, 2024. For Desert Durum offers, contact your supplier.

Hard White: a range of prices are available depending upon various quality attributes and logistics.

Hard Red Spring: HRS price indications in this report are for a 65% DHV content out of the PNW and G.L. and a 40% DHV content out of the Gulf; for specific NS/DNS DHV premium spreads, contact your supplier.

### **Futures Exchange Settlements**

|                        | SEP (U24) |        | NOV (X24) |          | DEC (Z24) |          | JAN (F25) |          | MAR (H25) |          | MAY (K25) |          | JUL (N25) |          | AUG (Q25) |          |         |          |
|------------------------|-----------|--------|-----------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|----------|---------|----------|
| Exchange & Commodit    | close     |        | wk chng   | close    | wk chng |          |
|                        |           | \$/MT  | \$/bu     | \$/bu    | \$/bu   | \$/bu    |
| Chicago BOT SRW        | W         | 210.72 | 5.7350    | (0.0225) |           |          | 5.9700    | (0.0275) |           |          | 6.1550    | (0.0275) | 6.2525    | (0.0350) | 6.2825    | (0.0350) |         |          |
| Kansas City BOT HRW    | K         | 215.41 | 5.8625    | (0.0075) |           |          | 6.0325    | 0.0000   |           |          | 6.1675    | 0.0025   | 6.2350    | 0.0000   | 6.2250    | (0.0025) |         |          |
| Minneapolis MGE NS/DNS | M         | 225.23 | 6.1300    | (0.0425) |           |          | 6.3250    | (0.0425) |           |          | 6.4925    | (0.0550) | 6.5950    | (0.0450) | 6.6775    | (0.0600) |         |          |
| Chicago BOT Corn       | С         | 149.73 | 4.0750    | (0.3300) |           |          | 4.2075    | (0.3250) |           |          | 4.3475    | (0.2925) | 4.4425    | (0.2750) | 4.5175    | (0.2575) |         |          |
| Chicago BOT Soybeans   | S         | 404.17 | 11.0000   | (0.1950) | 11.0400   | (0.1600) |           |          | 11.1800   | (0.1475) | 11.2325   | (0.1400) | 11.3025   | (0.1300) | 11.3800   | (0.1150) | 11.3275 | (0.1075) |

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M = Minneapolis Grain Exchange; K = Kansas City Board of Trade; C = Chicago Board of Trade;

\$ = cash price quote; N/A = quote not available; closed = Great Lakes are closed to vessels for winter; ¢/bu = cents per bushel;

Futures Contract Month: H = March; K = May; N = July; U = September; Z = December

NS/DNS=Northern Spring/Dark Northern Spring (subclasses of Hard Red Spring); HRW=Hard Red Winter; SRW=Soft Red Winter; SW=Soft White; WW=Western White (White Club & Soft White)

F.O.B. = "Free on board" - Seller is responsible for placing grain at the end of the loading spout. Buyer is responsible for providing the ocean vessel and for all other costs after the grain is delivered on board.

Basis: The difference between the cash price and futures month for specific quality, shipping period and geographical location.

Convert

Durum, SW and WW are quoted in dollars per bushel (\$/bu.) rather than basis for each contract month.

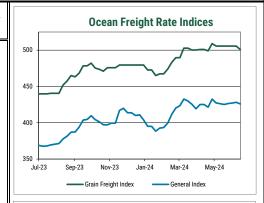
To compute cash price, add basis level and current futures to get price per bushel. Multiply by 36.743 to get price per metric ton. Example: Basis = 70 and Future Price = \$9.00, the price per bushel is \$9.00 + .70 = \$9.70/bu. Price per metric ton is \$9.70 \* 36.743 = \$356/MT.

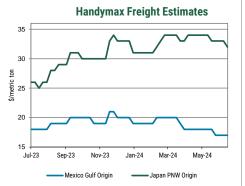
All prices are based upon U.S. number two grade or better as certified by the Federal Grain Inspection Service (FGIS).

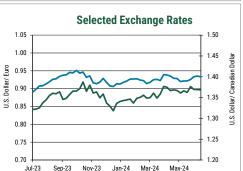


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| Ocean Freight | Rate Estimates for Nearby Delivery   | U.S       | . dollars/metric t | on      |                 |         |               |           |
|---------------|--------------------------------------|-----------|--------------------|---------|-----------------|---------|---------------|-----------|
| Export        | Import                               | Handy     | Handymax           | Panamax | Freight Index** | General | Grain Freight | Number of |
| Region        | Region                               | 25-30 TMT | 40-46 TMT          | 54+ TMT | Week Ending     | Index   | Index         | Fixtures  |
| U.S. Gulf     | Mexico (Veracruz)                    | 21        | 17                 |         | 6/28/2024       | 426.0   | 500.7         | 439       |
| U.S. Gulf     | W. South America (Peru/Ecu)          |           | 53                 |         | 6/21/2024       | 428.2   | 505.6         | 393       |
| U.S. Gulf     | S. South America (Chile)             |           | 55                 |         | 6/14/2024       | 427.2   | 505.6         | 474       |
| U.S. Gulf     | N. South America (W. Coast Colombia) |           | 55                 |         | 6/7/2024        | 426.5   | 505.6         | 330       |
| U.S. Gulf     | E. South America (Brazil)            |           |                    | 24      | 5/31/2024       | 425.1   | 505.6         | 420       |
| U.S. Gulf     | West Africa (Nigeria)                |           | 35                 | 30      | 5/24/2024       | 426.3   | 505.6         | 477       |
| U.S. Gulf     | East Mediterranean (Italy)           | 43        |                    |         | 5/17/2024       | 427.3   | 505.6         | 477       |
| U.S. Gulf     | West Mediterranean (Morocco)         |           |                    | 34      | 5/10/2024       | 432.5   | 509.0         | 471       |
| U.S. Gulf     | Persian Gulf (Iraq)                  |           |                    | 112     | 5/3/2024        | 421.4   | 499.1         | 422       |
| U.S. Gulf     | Middle East (Egypt)                  |           |                    | 33      | 4/26/2024       | 425.1   | 501.0         | 458       |
| U.S. Gulf     | Japan                                |           | 61                 | 60      | 4/19/2024       | 425.1   | 501.0         | 468       |
| Mid Atlantic  | N. South America (Venezuela)         |           |                    |         | 4/12/2024       | 419.3   | 500.1         | 458       |
| Mid Atlantic  | West Africa (Nigeria)                | 45        |                    |         | 4/5/2024        | 425.4   | 500.1         | 435       |
| Mid Atlantic  | Middle East (Egypt)                  |           |                    |         | 3/29/2024       | 429.9   | 502.7         | 374       |
| St. Lawrence  | N. South America (Venezuela)         | 17        |                    |         | 3/22/2024       | 432.7   | 502.7         | 452       |
| St. Lawrence  | Europe/Rotterdam                     | 19        |                    |         | 3/15/2024       | 423.5   | 489.6         | 525       |
| Great Lakes   | East Mediterranean (Italy)           | 48        |                    |         | 3/8/2024        | 420.4   | 489.6         | 532       |
| Great Lakes   | West Mediterranean (Spain)           | 48        |                    |         | 3/1/2024        | 411.9   | 483.3         | 463       |
| Great Lakes   | Europe/Rotterdam                     | 48        |                    |         | 2/23/2024       | 399.7   | 474.1         | 456       |
| Great Lakes   | West Mediterranean (Morocco)         | 54        |                    |         | 2/16/2024       | 393.5   | 467.4         | 424       |
| PNW           | W. South America (Peru/Ecu)          |           | 31                 |         | 2/9/2024        | 392.7   | 467.4         | 434       |
| PNW           | S. South America (Chile)             |           | 37                 |         | 2/2/2024        | 388.4   | 465.1         | 470       |
| PNW           | N. South America (Colombia)          |           | 32                 |         | 1/26/2024       | 394.9   | 472.7         | 515       |
| PNW           | Persian Gulf (Iraq)                  |           |                    | 95      | 1/19/2024       | 395.2   | 472.7         | 525       |
| PNW           | Middle East (Egypt)                  |           |                    | 46      | 1/12/2024       | 404.0   | 479.5         | 536       |
| PNW           | East Africa (Djibouti/Mombasa)       |           |                    |         | 1/5/2024        | 411.0   | 479.5         | 442       |
| PNW           | South Asia (Mal/Indon/Phil/Sing)     |           |                    | 34      | 12/29/2023      | 410.0   | 479.5         | 419       |
| PNW           | Taiwan                               |           |                    | 39      | 12/22/2023      | 413.8   | 479.5         | 390       |
| PNW           | South Korea                          |           |                    | 31      | 12/15/2023      | 413.8   | 479.5         | 390       |
| PNW           | Japan                                |           | 32                 | 32      | 12/8/2023       | 420.0   | 479.5         | 418       |







—— Canadian Dollar

Note: Rates for freight leaving the Great Lakes are quoted for 18,000 MT "Salties."

Sources: \*Trade representatives and recent shipments, \*\*Maritime Research, Inc., \*\*\*Nominal Major Currencies, Federal Reserve Board

#### Summary of Foreign Currency Exchange Rates (versus \$1 U.S.)

|          | Julilliary of Foreign Currency Exchange Rates (versus \$1 0.5.) |  |  |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|----------|---|--|--|---|---|---|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Index*** | Argentina   | Australia  | Brazil   | Canada  | Egypt   | EU  | Japan   | Russia   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| N/A      | 911.29  | 1.499  | 5.590  | 1.368   | 48.00   | 0.934   | 160.8   | 85.75  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 124.4    | 905.58  | 1.506  | 5.431  | 1.369   | 47.68   | 0.935   | 159.8   | 89.07  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 124.5    | 902.89  | 1.511  | 5.376  | 1.370   | 47.67   | 0.934   | 157.4   | 89.59  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 123.9    | 899.21  | 1.518  | 5.343  | 1.376   | 47.50   | 0.926   | 156.8   | 89.04  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 119.7    | 256.77  | 1.499  | 4.786  | 1.325   | 30.86   | 0.916   | 144.3   | 88.79  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 115.1    | 41.801  | 1.432  | 3.820  | 1.308   | 16.600  | 0.891   | 108.4   | 63.77  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| NA       | 254.91%   | 0.03%  | 16.80%   | 3.29%   | 55.57%  | 1.88%   | 11.46%  | -3.43%   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| NA       | 2080.07%  | 4.69%  | 46.36%   | 4.65%   | 189.19%   | 4.80%   | 48.30%  | 34.46%   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| -        | N/A<br>124.4<br>124.5<br>123.9<br>119.7<br>115.1<br>NA          | N/A 911.29<br>124.4 905.58<br>124.5 902.89<br>123.9 899.21<br>119.7 256.77<br>115.1 41.801<br>NA 254.91% | N/A     911.29     1.499       124.4     905.58     1.506       124.5     902.89     1.511       123.9     899.21     1.518       119.7     256.77     1.499       115.1     41.801     1.432       NA     254.91%     0.03% | N/A         911.29         1.499         5.590           124.4         905.58         1.506         5.431           124.5         902.89         1.511         5.376           123.9         899.21         1.518         5.343           119.7         256.77         1.499         4.786           115.1         41.801         1.432         3.820           NA         254.91%         0.03%         16.80% | N/A         911.29         1.499         5.590         1.368           124.4         905.58         1.506         5.431         1.369           124.5         902.89         1.511         5.376         1.370           123.9         899.21         1.518         5.343         1.376           119.7         256.77         1.499         4.786         1.325           115.1         41.801         1.432         3.820         1.308           NA         254.91%         0.03%         16.80%         3.29% | N/A         911.29         1.499         5.590         1.368         48.00           124.4         905.58         1.506         5.431         1.369         47.68           124.5         902.89         1.511         5.376         1.370         47.67           123.9         899.21         1.518         5.343         1.376         47.50           119.7         256.77         1.499         4.786         1.325         30.86           115.1         41.801         1.432         3.820         1.308         16.600           NA         254.91%         0.03%         16.80%         3.29%         55.57% | N/A         911.29         1.499         5.590         1.368         48.00         0.934           124.4         905.58         1.506         5.431         1.369         47.68         0.935           124.5         902.89         1.511         5.376         1.370         47.67         0.934           123.9         899.21         1.518         5.343         1.376         47.50         0.926           119.7         256.77         1.499         4.786         1.325         30.86         0.916           115.1         41.801         1.432         3.820         1.308         16.600         0.891           NA         254.91%         0.03%         16.80%         3.29%         55.57%         1.88% | N/A         911.29         1.499         5.590         1.368         48.00         0.934         160.8           124.4         905.58         1.506         5.431         1.369         47.68         0.935         159.8           124.5         902.89         1.511         5.376         1.370         47.67         0.934         157.4           123.9         899.21         1.518         5.343         1.376         47.50         0.926         156.8           119.7         256.77         1.499         4.786         1.325         30.86         0.916         144.3           115.1         41.801         1.432         3.820         1.308         16.600         0.891         108.4           NA         254.91%         0.03%         16.80%         3.29%         55.57%         1.88%         11.46% |  |  |  |  |  |  |

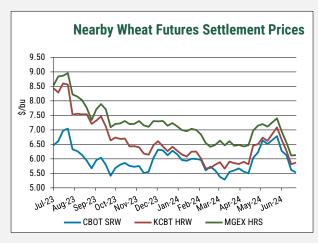
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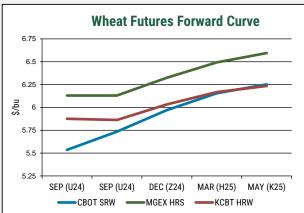
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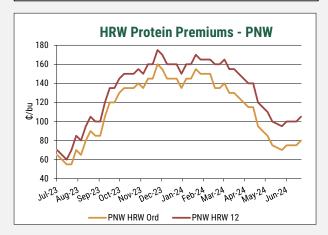
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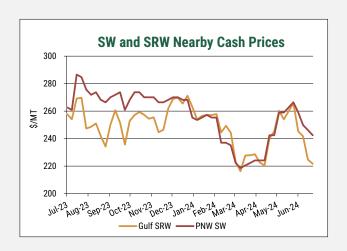
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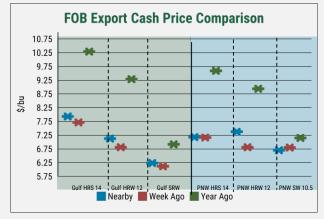
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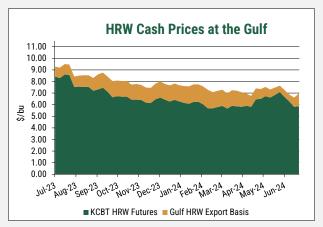






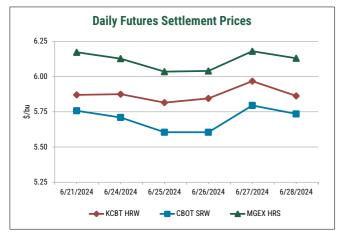


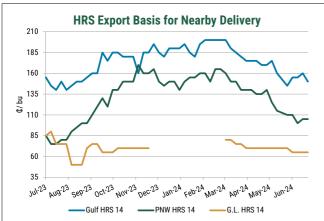


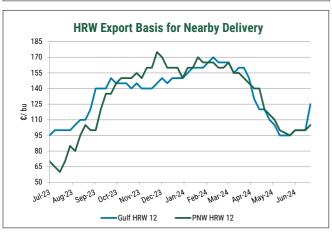




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- The next U.S. Wheat Associates Price Report will be published on Wednesday, July 3 due to the U.S. Fourth of July holiday.
- Wheat futures ended the week slightly lower as harvest progressed across the Northern Hemisphere. September 2024
  CBOT soft red winter wheat (SRW) futures were down 2 cents, closing at \$5.73/bu. KCBT hard red winter wheat (HRW)
  futures were down 1 cent at \$5.86/bu. MGEX hard red spring wheat (HRS) futures were down 4 cents at \$6.13/bu. In other
  commodities, CBOT corn futures were down 33 cents for the week at \$4.07/bu. CBOT soybean futures were down 20 cents
  at \$11.00/bu
- Basis levels ended the week mixed. HRS basis was down in the Gulf and flat in the PNW, maintaining its competitiveness
  compared to other origins. Meanwhile, HRW basis was up in both the Gulf and the PNW. With robust demand for HRW, a
  rise in basis is necessary to encourage farmer sales to commercial elevators. Spreads between HRS and HRW remain
  narrow, which may shift domestic demand in favor of HRS. SRW basis holds steady while SW prices decrease in response
  to futures market movements.
- For the week ending June 20, net sales of 667,200 metric tons (MT) were reported for delivery in 2024/25, above trade estimates of 200,000 to 600,000 MT. Total known outstanding sales and accumulated exports of all wheat classes for marketing year 2024/25 are 6.1 MMT, 32% ahead of last year's pace. USDA expects 2024/25 U.S. wheat exports of 21.8 MMT. and commitments to date are 28% of total projected exports.
- The weekly USDA <u>Crop Progress Report</u> rated 52% of the winter wheat crop in good to excellent condition, up 3 points from the previous week and up from 40% last year. As of June 23, 40% of winter wheat is in the bins, up 13 points from the week prior and 15 points ahead of the five-year average. The spring wheat conditions report put 71% of spring wheat in the good to excellent category, down 5 points from the previous week, but up from 50% the year prior. Spring wheat development is on schedule with 18% of the crop headed, even with the five-year average. Monitor weekly harvest progress here.
- The USDA <u>Acreage Report</u>, published on June 28, put the U.S wheat area at 86.1 million acres, down 5% from last year.
  The area includes 24.1 million acres of HRW, 6.1 million acres of SRW, 10.6 million acres of HRS, 2.2 million acres of durum, and 4.6 million acres of white wheat.
- The quarterly USDA <u>Grain Stocks Report</u> put old crop wheat stocks at 19.1 MMT, up 23% from last year. On farm stocks sit 12% higher at 3.8 MMT, while off-farm (usually commercially held) stocks sit 27% higher at 15.3 MMT. Higher old crop stocks will help boost exportable supplies in 2024/25.
- Rainfall could impede harvesting activity in certain areas of southeastern Colorado and southwestern Kansas this week; however, harvest conditions are generally promising in the rest of the Central Plains with warm and dry weather in the forecast. Crop areas in northern Nebraska and southeast South Dakota experienced flooding, but it has had a limited effect on wheat acres. In Montana, the weather is variable, with cooler temperatures and intermittent rain showers, in addition to isolated incidents of hail damage. Expected warmer weather this weekend should aid crop development.
- IKAR increased its forecast for Russian wheat production by 500,000 MT to 82.0 MMT as early yield data shows the crop fared better than expected after the drought and frost damage reported earlier this year. As a result, Russian wheat export prices have dropped from \$253/MT on June 1 to \$225/MT FOB for 12.5% protein (dry matter basis).
- Statistics Canada reports a decrease in spring and winter wheat planting by 3% and 6% but predicts a 5% rise in durum
  planting. Despite this, it's projected that Canadian production of wheat and durum will grow by 8% to 34.6 MMT, assuming
  weather conditions normalize after the 2023/24 drought.
- The Baltic Dry Index (BDI), which assesses the average cost of shipping raw bulk materials such as grains, coal, and iron
  ore, was up to 2,050. Markets continue to suffer from low cargo demand.
- The U.S. dollar index ended the week steady at 105.9. The U.S. personal consumption expenditures price index was unchanged last month, suggesting that inflation is holding steady.

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