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In the south, old crop long and medium grain rice prices mostly steady with limited available inventory; parboiled prices steady; second heads steady; brewers steady. Rice by-products: rice bran steady to 15 lower with the full decline in Arkansas; rice millfeed steady to 5 lower; ground hulls steady to 20 lower on limited current sales. Rough rice new crop prices .35 per CWT lower on limited current trades, however majority of producers opting to wait and see. Unseasonably cool and wet pre-harvest conditions are affecting rice crops as we are hearing reports of disease and pests in rice fields throughout the south.

In California, old crop medium and short grain milled rice prices mostly steady on limited current sales; second heads and brewers steady. Rice by-products: rice bran and hulls prices steady to weak. Trade very light with most producers at a wait and see period.

On the CME Rough Rice settlements for Friday July 25th, September 2014 closed .145 lower at 12.94. November 2014 closed .135 lower at 13.175. US dollar index on Friday July 25th settled at 81.04.

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MILLED RICE AND BY-PRODUCT PRICES

	THIS WEEK Jul 28, 2014				YEAR AGO Jul 29, 2013	
	ARKANSAS	TEXAS	LOUISIANA	CALIFORNIA	SOUTHERN STATES	CALIFORNIA
MILLED RICE: Spot Prices, Dollars Per 100 lb Bagged, Domestic, F.O.B. Mills						
Short Grain 1/	--	--	--	46.00	--	33.50
Medium Grain 1/	32.00-34.25	--	32.00	45.00-47.00	28.50-32.00	32.50-33.00
Long Grain 1/	27.00-28.50	29.50-30.50	28.00	--	28.00-31.50	--
Parboiled	29.25-31.50	34.50	34.50	--	30.50-35.50	--
Second Head 2/	22.00-25.00	25.00-27.00	20.00	27.00-29.00	18.00-18.50	24.00
Brewers Rice (Bulk)	19.00-24.00	19.00-23.00	18.50	21.00-24.00	14.25-17.00	17.50
ROUGH RICE: Price Per Cwt, Bulk, FOB Farm For Grade 2, Milling 55/70						
Long Grain	NA	NA	13.29	NA	15.45	NA
FEED BY-PRODUCTS: Spot Prices, Dollars Per Ton, Bulk, F.O.B. Mills						
Bran	125.00-160.00	130.00-155.00	120.00-130.00	200.00-210.00	170.00-200.00	190.00-215.00
Rice Mill By-Product	65.00-70.00	NE	50.00-55.00	--	70.00-75.00	--
Rice Hulls (ground)	30.00-50.00	NE	10.00-15.00	30.00-35.00	20.00	1.00-4.00

1/ California: U.S. No. 1. Southern States: U.S. No. 2 but brokens not to exceed 4 percent.

2/ U.S. No. 4 or better, bulk.

*N = Nominal

*M = Mostly

*Ltd = Limited Quotes

*NE = Not Established

World Rice Prices: <http://www.fsa.usda.gov/FSA/epasReports?area=home&subject=ecpa&topic=fga-rp>

Rough Rice Futures: http://www.cmegroup.com/trading/agricultural/grain-and-oilseed/rough-rice_quotes_settlements_futures.html

Weekly Rice Price Update, Bangkok, Thailand: <http://gain.fas.usda.gov/Pages/Default.aspx>

Weekly Rice Highlights: <http://www.fas.usda.gov/export-sales/highlite.htm>

Outstanding U.S. Rice Export Sales: <http://www.fas.usda.gov/export-sales/rice.htm>