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COFFEE

**ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEEN YEARS OF COFFEE PRICES IN NEW YORK
IN CENTS PER POUND**

YEARLY AVERAGE SPOT PRICE OF COFFEE¹ IN NEW YORK

YEAR	Price	YEAR	Price	YEAR	Price	YEAR	Price	YEAR	Price	YEAR	Price	YEAR	Price
1826..	15	1841..	10	1856..	10 ³ / ₄	1871..	13	1886..	14 ⁵ / ₈	1901..	6 ¹ / ₂	1916..	9 ³ / ₈
1827..	14 ¹ / ₄	1842..	8 ³ / ₈	1857..	11	1872..	16 ³ / ₄	1887..	14 ¹ / ₂	1902..	5 ¹ / ₂	1917..	6 ¹ / ₈
1828..	12 ⁷ / ₈	1843..	7 ¹ / ₄	1858..	10 ³ / ₈	1873..	20 ¹ / ₄	1888..	14 ⁷ / ₈	1903..	5 ⁵ / ₈	1918..	9
1829..	12 ³ / ₈	1844..	6 ¹ / ₂	1859..	11 ¹ / ₄	1874..	20 ⁷ / ₈	1889..	16 ³ / ₄	1904..	7 ³ / ₄	1919..	17 ⁷ / ₈
1830..	11 ¹ / ₈	1845..	6 ³ / ₄	1860..	12	1875..	18 ⁷ / ₈	1890..	18 ¹ / ₈	1905..	8 ¹ / ₄	1920..	11 ⁷ / ₈
1831..	11 ¹ / ₄	1846..	7 ¹ / ₈	1861..	13 ³ / ₄	1876..	18	1891..	15	1906..	8	1921..	7 ¹ / ₈
1832..	12 ¹ / ₂	1847..	7	1862..	22	1877..	18 ¹ / ₂	1892..	15 ⁵ / ₈	1907..	6 ¹ / ₂	1922..	10 ¹ / ₄
1833..	12 ³ / ₈	1848..	6 ¹ / ₈	1863..	30 ¹ / ₈	1878..	16 ¹ / ₄	1893..	17 ¹ / ₈	1908..	6 ¹ / ₄	1923..	14 ³ / ₄
1834..	11 ¹ / ₂	1849..	6 ⁷ / ₈	1864..	16 ¹ / ₄	1879..	14 ⁷ / ₈	1894..	15 ⁷ / ₈	1909..	7 ⁷ / ₈	1924..	21 ³ / ₄
1835..	11 ³ / ₄	1850..	10 ⁵ / ₈	1865 ² ..	16	1880..	15 ¹ / ₈	1895..	15 ⁵ / ₈	1910..	9 ⁵ / ₈	1925..	24 ⁵ / ₈
1836..	11 ¹ / ₂	1851..	9	1866..	13 ⁷ / ₈	1881..	6 ⁷ / ₈	1896..	12 ⁵ / ₈	1911..	13 ³ / ₈	1926..	22 ¹ / ₂
1837..	10 ¹ / ₂	1852..	8 ¹ / ₂	1867..	12 ¹ / ₄	1882..	7	1897..	7 ³ / ₄	1912..	14 ³ / ₈	1827..	18 ¹ / ₈
1838..	10 ¹ / ₂	1853..	8 ³ / ₄	1868..	10 ¹ / ₂	1883..	9 ³ / ₈	1898..	6 ¹ / ₄	1913..	10 ⁷ / ₈	1928..	23 ¹ / ₂
1839..	10 ³ / ₄	1854..	10 ¹ / ₈	1869..	10 ¹ / ₂	1884..	7 ¹ / ₂	1899..	6 ¹ / ₈	1914..	8 ¹ / ₈	1929..	22 ³ / ₈
1840..	10 ¹ / ₈	1855..	9 ⁷ / ₈	1870..	11 ¹ / ₄	1885..	7 ¹ / ₂	1900..	8 ¹ / ₄	1915..	7 ¹ / ₂	1930..	13

MONTHLY AVERAGE SPOT PRICE OF SANTOS 4's IN NEW YORK

MONTH	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941
January.....	9 ³ / ₄	9 ¹ / ₈	9 ⁷ / ₈	10 ¹ / ₄	11	9	11 ³ / ₈	8 ¹ / ₂	7 ¹ / ₂	7.32	7.69
February.....	9 ¹ / ₄	9	9 ¹ / ₂	11 ¹ / ₈	10 ¹ / ₈	9 ¹ / ₂	11 ³ / ₄	7 ³ / ₄	7 ¹ / ₂	7.38	8.22
March.....	8 ¹ / ₂	9	9 ¹ / ₄	11 ¹ / ₂	9 ¹ / ₄	9	11 ¹ / ₄	7 ¹ / ₂	7 ³ / ₈	7.38	9.09
April.....	8 ¹ / ₂	9 ¹ / ₂	8 ³ / ₄	11 ³ / ₈	8 ⁵ / ₈	8 ³ / ₄	11 ¹ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₄	7 ¹ / ₄	7.16	....
May.....	9	10 ¹ / ₈	9 ¹ / ₄	11 ¹ / ₄	8 ³ / ₈	8 ⁵ / ₈	11 ¹ / ₂	7 ¹ / ₂	7 ¹ / ₄	7.00	....
June.....	9 ¹ / ₂	10 ¹ / ₈	9	11 ¹ / ₄	8 ¹ / ₄	8 ³ / ₄	11 ³ / ₄	7 ¹ / ₂	7 ³ / ₈	7.04	....
July.....	9 ³ / ₈	10 ⁵ / ₈	9 ¹ / ₄	10 ⁵ / ₈	8 ¹ / ₈	9 ³ / ₈	11 ¹ / ₂	7 ¹ / ₂	7 ¹ / ₄	7.13	....
August.....	8 ¹ / ₄	12	9	11 ³ / ₈	8 ¹ / ₈	9 ³ / ₄	11 ³ / ₈	7 ³ / ₄	7 ¹ / ₂	6.75	....
September.....	8	15	9 ¹ / ₈	11 ³ / ₈	8 ⁵ / ₈	9 ⁵ / ₈	11 ¹ / ₈	7 ⁵ / ₈	7 ³ / ₄	6.82	....
October.....	7 ⁵ / ₈	12 ¹ / ₂	8 ⁷ / ₈	11 ¹ / ₄	8 ³ / ₄	9 ³ / ₄	11 ³ / ₈	7 ³ / ₄	7 ⁵ / ₈	7.00	....
November.....	8 ¹ / ₈	10 ³ / ₄	9	11	8 ¹ / ₂	10 ¹ / ₄	9 ³ / ₈	8	7 ³ / ₈	7.03	....
December.....	8 ³ / ₈	10 ¹ / ₂	9 ¹ / ₄	11	8 ¹ / ₂	11	8 ¹ / ₂	7 ⁵ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₄	7.25	....
YEARLY AVERAGE	8 ⁵ / ₈	10 ⁵ / ₈	9 ¹ / ₈	11 ¹ / ₈	8 ⁷ / ₈	9 ¹ / ₂	11	7 ³ / ₄	7 ¹ / ₂	7.10	....

¹ 1825-95, fair to prime Rio; 1898-1922, Rio No. 7's; 1923-30, Santos No. 4's.
² Prices 1865-80 are on gold basis.

Sources: N. Y. Coffee & Sugar Exchange, Green Coffee Association of New York, Pan American Coffee Bureau.