

## Selected International Commodity Prices

### Data description

**Title** Selected International Commodity Prices

**Description** Nominal prices in USD for selected key international commodity prices relevant to Pacific Island Countries and Territories, extracted from World bank Commodity Prices (« pink sheets ») and from FAO GLOBEFISH European Fish Price Report.

### Data identification

**Identifier** SPC:DF\_COMMODITY\_PRICES(1.0)

**URL** [https://stats.pacificdata.org/vis?locale=en&facet=6nQpoAP&constraints\[0\]=6nQpoAP%2C0%7CEconomy%23ECO%23&start=0&dataflow\[datasourceId\]=SPC2&dataflow\[dataflowId\]=DF\\_COMMODITY\\_PRICES&dataflow\[agencyId\]=SPC&dataflow\[version\]=1.0](https://stats.pacificdata.org/vis?locale=en&facet=6nQpoAP&constraints[0]=6nQpoAP%2C0%7CEconomy%23ECO%23&start=0&dataflow[datasourceId]=SPC2&dataflow[dataflowId]=DF_COMMODITY_PRICES&dataflow[agencyId]=SPC&dataflow[version]=1.0)

### Data source

Data is collected from 2 sources : World Bank and FAO.

#### World bank data on commodity markets

<https://www.worldbank.org/en/research/commodity-markets>

Data from the following files is collected :

<http://pubdocs.worldbank.org/en/561011486076393416/CMO-Historical-Data-Monthly.xlsx>

<http://pubdocs.worldbank.org/en/226371486076391711/CMO-Historical-Data-Annual.xlsx>

Monthly and yearly prices are collected from World Bank for the following commodities (with World Bank commodity code) : Cocoa (COCOA), Coconut oil (COCONUT\_OIL), Copra (COPRA), Crude oil, Brent (CRUDE\_BRENT), Crude oil, average (CRUDE\_PETRO), Gold (GOLD), Logs, Cameroon (LOGS\_CMR), Logs, Malaysian (LOGS\_MYS), Liquefied natural gas, Japan (NGAS\_JP) Nickel (NICKEL), Palm oil (PALM\_OIL), Rice, Thai 5% (RICE\_05), Rice, Vietnamese 5% (RICE\_05\_VNM), Rice, Thai 25% (RICE\_25), Rice, Thai A.1 (RICE\_A1), Silver (SILVER), Sugar, EU (SUGAR\_EU) Sugar, US (SUGAR\_US), Sugar, world (SUGAR\_WLD), Wheat, US HRW (WHEAT\_US\_HRW), Wheat, US SRW (WHEAT\_US\_SRW), Woodpulp (WOODPULP).

#### FAO GLOBEFISH

<http://www.fao.org/in-action/globefish/fr/>

Monthly prices per kg in USD are collected from monthly European Price Reports for the following commodities :

- Tuna-Skipjack (whole, from Pacific Ocean)
- Tuna-Yellow fin (whole, from Pacific Ocean)
- Tuna- Skipjack (loins cooked, from Solomon Islands)
- Tuna-Yellow fin (loins cooked, from Solomon Islands)
- Tuna-Skipjack (loins frozen, from Eastern Pacific)
- Tuna-Yellow fin (loins frozen, from Eastern Pacific)

### Data processing

Monthly and yearly commodity prices collected from World Bank are directly included in the dataset.

Monthly data collected from FAO is included in the dataset and aggregated to produce yearly averages (if monthly prices are missing average is calculated using available data), for current year available monthly prices are averaged to calculate annual average.

A price variation rate is added to the table, variation is from one period to the previous period.

### Temporal coverage

**First period** 1960 for some commodities

**Last period** Current month-1

### Data scheduling

**Frequency** Monthly and yearly

**Timeliness** Data refreshed at the begin of the month and data is available up to previous month

## Data structure

From Pacific Data Hub .Stat structural metadata

<b>Dimension</b> <b>FREQ</b>	<b>Frequency</b>
Code A	Annual
Code M	Monthly
<b>Dimension</b> <b>TIME_PERIOD</b>	<b>Year</b>
<b>Dimension</b> <b>COMMODITY</b>	<b>Commodity</b>
Code COCOA	Cocoa (\$/kg)
Code COCONUT_OIL	Coconut oil (\$/mt)
Code COPRA	Copra (\$/mt)
Code CRUDE_BRENT	Crude oil, Brent (\$/bbl)
Code CRUDE_PETRO	Crude oil, average (\$/bbl)
Code GOLD	Gold (\$/troy oz)
Code LOGS_CMR	Logs, Cameroon (\$/cubic meter)
Code LOGS_MYS	Logs, Malaysian (\$/cubic meter)
Code NGAS_JP	Liquefied natural gas, Japan (\$/mmbtu)
Code NICKEL	Nickel (\$/mt)
Code PALM_OIL	Palm oil (\$/mt)
Code RICE_05	Rice, Thai 5% (\$/mt)
Code RICE_05_VNM	Rice, Vietnamese 5% (\$/mt)
Code RICE_25	Rice, Thai 25% (\$/mt)
Code RICE_A1	Rice, Thai A.1 (\$/mt)
Code SILVER	Silver (\$/troy oz)
Code SUGAR_EU	Sugar, EU (\$/kg)
Code SUGAR_US	Sugar, US (\$/kg)
Code SUGAR_WLD	Sugar, world (\$/kg)
Code TUNA_SJCSI	Tuna- Skipjack (loins cooked, from Solomon Islands) (\$/kg)
Code TUNA_SJFEP	Tuna-Yellow fin (loins frozen, from Eastern Pacific) (\$/kg)
Code TUNA_SJWPO	Tuna-Skipjack (whole, from Pacific Ocean) (\$/kg)
Code TUNA_YFCSI	Tuna-Yellow fin (loins cooked, from Solomon Islands) (\$/kg)
Code TUNA_YFFEP	Tuna-Skipjack (loins frozen, from Eastern Pacific) (\$/kg)
Code TUNA_YFWPO	Tuna-Yellow fin (whole, from Pacific Ocean) (\$/kg)
Code WHEAT_US_HRW	Wheat, US HRW (\$/mt)
Code WHEAT_US_SRW	Wheat, US SRW (\$/mt)
Code WOODPULP	Woodpulp (\$/mt)
<b>Dimension</b> <b>INDICATOR</b>	<b>Indicator</b>
Code COMPRICE	Commodity price
Code PRICEVAR	Price variation rate
<b>Measure</b> <b>OBS_VALUE</b>	<b>Observation value</b>
<b>Attribute</b> <b>UNIT_MEASURE</b>	<b>Unit of measure</b>
Code USDBBL	\$/bbl
Code USDCM	\$/cubic meter
Code USDKG	\$/kg
Code USDMMBTU	\$/mmbtu
Code USDMT	\$/mt
Code USDTROYOZ	\$/troy oz
Code PERCENT	Percent
<b>Attribute</b> <b>DATA_SOURCE</b>	<b>Data source</b>
<b>Attribute</b> <b>OBS_STATUS</b>	<b>Observation status</b>
<b>Attribute</b> <b>OBS_COMMENT</b>	<b>Observation comment</b>