

Commodities (Metals)

This chart illustrates selected metal prices over time, indexed to equal 100 in calendar year (CY) 2000. Indexing all prices to the same value in the same year allows for a relative comparison of rising and falling prices. The growth of Montana wage disbursements is included for comparison purposes. (Historical copper and gold prices are from the U.S. Geological Survey; historical palladium and platinum prices are from kitco.com.)

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