



## Montana Direct Hay Report

AMS Livestock, Poultry and Grain Market News  
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Direct Hay Weighted Average Report for week ending 8/21/2020

Volume			
	This Week	Last Reported (8/10/2020)	Last Year
<b>Tons:</b>			
Hay	475	3361	0
Straw	100	0	0
Total	575	3361	0
<b>Bales:</b>			
Hay	350	100	0
Total	350	100	0

Please Note: The above volumes (tonnage, acres, and bales) listed on this USDA LPGMN report are for confirmed trades only, it does not include estimated volume (tonnage) for bids or offers to the trade.

Compared to last week: Hay sold fully steady. Hay movement was lighter this week, however demand remains mostly good. Drought conditions were mostly unchanged across much of Wyoming. One of the hardest hit areas in Wyoming is north central Wyoming. This has made it easy to ship hay into Wyoming as drought conditions are close to large hay production areas in Montana. Hay continues to sell for around 165.00-170.00 delivered into Northern Wyoming. Straw sold on mostly moderate to good demand. Local hay sales have been slow but steady. Many ranchers have put up the hay they need for the year but have little excess to sell.

N/A						
Hay (Conventional)						
<b>Alfalfa - Premium (Trade/Per Bale)</b>						
	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Small Square	350	7.25-7.50	7.29	F.O.B.		
<b>Alfalfa - Good (Trade/Per Ton)</b>						
	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Square 3x4	25	140.00	140.00	F.O.B.		
<b>Alfalfa - Fair/Good (Offer/Per Ton)</b>						
	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Square 3x4		120.00		F.O.B.		
<b>Alfalfa - Fair (Trade/Per Ton)</b>						
	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Square 3x4	400	110.00	110.00	F.O.B.		
<b>Alfalfa/Grass Mix - Good (Trade/Per Ton)</b>						
	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Square 3x4	50	150.00	150.00	F.O.B.		

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Straw (Conventional)						
Barley - (Trade/Per Ton)						
	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Square	100	40.00	40.00	F.O.B.		
Barley - (Offer/Per Ton)						
	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Square		45.00		F.O.B.		

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<https://www.ams.usda.gov/sites/default/files/media/HayQualityGuidelines.pdf>

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