



# Kansas Direct Hay Report

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Direct Hay Weighted Average Report for week ending 11/4/2022

Volume			
	This Week	Last Reported (10/24/2022)	Last Year
<b>Tons:</b>			
Hay	18941	26599	19256
Straw	914	1074	644
<b>Total</b>	<b>19855</b>	<b>27673</b>	<b>19900</b>
<b>Bales:</b>			
Hay	831	856	235
Straw	0	0	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>831</b>	<b>856</b>	<b>237</b>

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 the last report, prices were mostly steady with the exception of the south-central region where grinding alfalfa moved a bit higher. Demand remains strong as evidenced by the number of phone calls producers are receiving, however, many producers are keeping their hay for their regular customers. Lots of corn, bean and milo stalks have been baled and are being used to blend with alfalfa. According to the U.S. Drought Monitor for November 1st, temperatures were 2-4 degrees above normal in Kansas and remained mostly dry with only north-central Kansas receiving a little rain. Continued dryness over Kansas, where portions of southwest Kansas had their driest October on record, allowed for the expansion of extreme and exceptional drought this past week. Currently, abnormally dry conditions (D0) remained near 7.5%, moderate drought (D1) remained near 13%, severe drought (D2) decreased to 20%, extreme drought (D3) decreased to near 22%, and exceptional drought (D4) increased to 37.5%.

### Alfalfa Quality Guidelines

Quality	ADF	NDF	*RFV/RFQ	**TDN-100%	**TDN-90%	CP
Supreme	<27	<34	>185	>62	>55.9	>22
Premium	27-29	34-36	170-185	60.5-62	54.5-55.9	20-22
Good	29-32	36-40	150-170	58-60	52.5-54.5	18-20
Fair	32-35	40-44	130-150	56-58	50.5-52.5	16-18
Utility	>35	>44	<130	<56	<50.5	<16

\*RFV calculated using the Wis/Minn formula. \*\*TDN calculated using the Western formula. Quantitative factors are approximate, and many factors can affect feeding value. Values based on 100% dry matter (TDN showing both 100% & 90%). Guidelines are to be used with visual appearance and intent of sale (usage)

### North Central

#### Hay (Conventional)

#### Alfalfa - Fair/Good (Trade/Per Ton)

	Qty	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Freight/Use	Description	Crop Age
Ground	115	240.00	240.00		Delivered-Feedlot/dairy	
Ground	146	300.00	300.00		Delivered	

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Large Round	146	230.00	230.00	Delivered		
Large Square 3x4	25	250.00	250.00	F.O.B.		
Large Square 3x4	146	250.00	250.00	Delivered		
<b>Alfalfa/Bluegrass Mix - Fair/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>
Ground	292	270.00-275.00	272.50	Delivered		
<b>Alfalfa/Sudan Mix - Fair/Good (Contract (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>
Ground	92	190.00	190.00	Delivered		
<b>Bluestem Grass - 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 Round	46	155.00	155.00	F.O.B.		
Large Square 3x4	146	200.00	200.00	F.O.B.		
<b>Bluestem Grass - Good (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>
Large Round	46	80.00	80.00	F.O.B.		
<b>Bluestem Grass - Good (Ask/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		8.00-8.50		F.O.B.		
<b>Bluestem Grass - 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 Round	46	150.00	150.00	F.O.B.	CRP	
<b>Brome Grass - Good (Ask/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		9.00-9.50		F.O.B.		
<b>Straw (Conventional)</b>						
<b>Corn Stalk - (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>
Round	17	80.00	80.00	F.O.B.		



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## Wheat - (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	292	110.00-120.00	115.00	F.O.B.		

## Northeast

### Hay (Conventional)

#### Alfalfa - Supreme (Trade/Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Small Square	50	13.00	13.00	F.O.B.		

#### Alfalfa - Premium (Trade/Per Point/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 3x4	25	227.50-231.00	229.25	F.O.B.-Feedlot/dairy		

#### Bluestem Grass - Good (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 Round	46	130.00-140.00	135.00	Delivered		
Small Square	23	7.50	7.50	F.O.B.		

#### Brome Grass - Premium (Trade/Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Small Square	23	9.50	9.50	Delivered		

#### Sudan - Good (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 Round	46	130.00	130.00	Delivered		
Large Square 3x4	46	170.00	170.00	Delivered		

## Northwest

### Hay (Conventional)

#### Alfalfa - Supreme (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 3x4	50	355.00	355.00	Delivered-Feedlot/dairy		

#### Alfalfa - Good (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 3x4		230.00-260.00		F.O.B.		



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## Alfalfa - Fair/Good (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 3x4	50	240.00	240.00	F.O.B.		

## Milo - Good (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 Round	15	140.00	140.00	F.O.B.		
Large Square 3x4	100	120.00-150.00	135.00	F.O.B.		

## South Central

### Hay (Conventional)

## Alfalfa - Supreme (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>
Pellets 17% Dehydrated	625	350.00	350.00	F.O.B.-Dealer/Mill/Processor		

## Alfalfa - Supreme (Ask/Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Medium Square 3x3		270.00		F.O.B.-Stables		

## Alfalfa - Premium/Supreme (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 3x4	125	300.00-380.00	332.00	F.O.B.-Feedlot/dairy		

## Alfalfa - Premium (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 3x4	600	250.00-350.00	265.00	F.O.B.-Feedlot/dairy		
Pellets 17% Suncured	500	325.00	325.00	F.O.B.-Dealer/Mill/Processor		

## Alfalfa - Good/Premium (Ask/Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Medium Square 3x3		220.00		F.O.B.-Stables		

## Alfalfa - Good (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 3x4	368.75	235.00-300.00	279.51	F.O.B.		
Pellets 15% Suncured	1106	280.00-335.00	321.76	F.O.B.-Dealer/Mill/Processor		



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### Alfalfa - Fair/Good (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>
Ground	1681.5	235.00-300.00	279.03		Delivered-Feedlot/dairy	
Large Round	25	270.00	270.00		F.O.B.-Dealer/Mill/Processor	
Large Round	250	330.00	330.00		F.O.B.-Feedlot/dairy	
Large Round	306.5	280.00	280.00		Delivered-Dealer/Mill/Processor	
Large Round	1318.75	200.00-300.00	264.88		F.O.B.	
Large Square 3x4	75	235.00-280.00	250.00		F.O.B.-Dealer/Mill/Processor	
Large Square 3x4	306.5	280.00	280.00		Delivered-Dealer/Mill/Processor	
Large Square 3x4	447	265.00-300.00	287.37		Delivered	

### Alfalfa/Bluegrass Mix - Good (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 3x4	75	235.00	235.00		F.O.B.	

### Alfalfa/Forage Mix - Fair/Good (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>
Ground	24	250.00	250.00		Delivered-Feedlot/dairy	
Ground	115	350.00	350.00		Delivered	

### Alfalfa/Forage Mix - Fair/Good (Contract (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>
Ground	230	295.00	295.00		Delivered	

### Bluestem Grass - Good (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 3x4	75	120.00	120.00		F.O.B.	

### Brome Grass - Good (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 3x4	75	160.00	160.00		F.O.B.	

### Brome Grass - Good (Ask/Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Medium Square 3x3		180.00			F.O.B.	

### Corn Stalk - Good (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 Round	170	135.00	135.00		Delivered	



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### Grass - Good (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 3x4	75	110.00	110.00	F.O.B.	CRP	

### Grass - Good (Trade/Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round	712.5	115.00-125.00	120.00	F.O.B.	CRP	

### Milo - Good (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 Round	20	115.00	115.00	F.O.B.		
Large Round	47	120.00-170.00	145.53	Delivered		

### Peanut - Good (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 3x4	23	200.00	200.00	Delivered		

### Soybean - Good (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 Round	1023	140.00-200.00	198.65	F.O.B.		
Large Square 3x4	23	200.00	200.00	F.O.B.		

## Straw (Conventional)

### Corn Stalk - (Ask/Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Round		65.00		F.O.B.		

### Wheat - (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>
Bulk	345	135.00	135.00	F.O.B.		

### Soybean - (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>
Round	40	115.00-125.00	120.00	F.O.B.		

## Southeast



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Hay (Conventional)						
<b>Alfalfa - Supreme (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	250.00	250.00	F.O.B.-Feedlot/dairy		
<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	200.00	200.00	F.O.B.-Feedlot/dairy		
Large Square 3x4	125	175.00-270.00	251.00	F.O.B.		
<b>Bluestem Grass - Premium (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>
Small Square	23	140.00	140.00	F.O.B.-Feedlot/dairy		
Small Square	25	160.00-165.00	162.50	F.O.B.		
<b>Bluestem Grass - Good/Premium (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 Round	92	150.00	150.00	F.O.B.		
<b>Bluestem Grass - 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 Round	46	120.00-130.00	125.00	Delivered		
Large Round	46	120.00-130.00	125.00	F.O.B.-Feedlot/dairy	Picked Up Out of the field	
Large Round	184	100.00-135.00	124.38	F.O.B.		
Large Square 3x4	23	125.00	125.00	F.O.B.-Feedlot/dairy		
Large Square 3x4	418	125.00-170.00	146.70	F.O.B.		
Medium Square 3x3	23	150.00	150.00	F.O.B.		
Medium Square 3x3	46	130.00-150.00	140.00	F.O.B.-Feedlot/dairy	Picked Up Out of the field	
Small Square	46	140.00	140.00	Delivered		
<b>Bluestem Grass - Utility (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 Round	23	70.00	70.00	F.O.B.	Certified Weed Free	
<b>Brome Grass - Premium (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	23	225.00	225.00	F.O.B.		



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## Brome Grass - Good (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 3x4	23	150.00	150.00	F.O.B.		
Medium Square 3x3	23	200.00	200.00	F.O.B.		

## Straw (Conventional)

### Wheat - (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>
Round	200	60.00	60.00	F.O.B.		

## Southwest

### Hay (Conventional)

#### Alfalfa - Premium (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>
Pellets 17% Suncured	320	320.00	320.00	F.O.B.-Dealer/Mill/Processor		

#### Alfalfa - Good (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 3x4	300	290.00	290.00	F.O.B.		
Pellets 15% Suncured	320	315.00	315.00	F.O.B.-Dealer/Mill/Processor		

#### Alfalfa - Fair/Good (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>
Ground	3601	260.00-345.00	315.79	Delivered-Feedlot/dairy		
Large Round	25	290.00	290.00	Delivered-Feedlot/dairy		
Large Round	149	290.00	290.00	F.O.B.		
Large Square 3x4	25	285.00	285.00	Delivered-Feedlot/dairy		
Large Square 3x4	390	300.00	300.00	F.O.B.		
Large Square 4x4	1000	250.00-275.00	262.50	F.O.B.		New Crop

#### Alfalfa/Bluegrass Mix - Fair/Good (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>
Ground	75	275.00	275.00	Delivered-Feedlot/dairy		





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Large Square 3x4	161	150.00	150.00	F.O.B.	CRP	

## Straw (Conventional)

### Wheat - (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>
Round	20	100.00	100.00	F.O.B.		

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