



# Montana Direct Hay Report

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Direct Hay Weighted Average Report for week ending 8/14/2020

Volume			
	This Week	Last Reported (8/3/2020)	Last Year
<b>Tons:</b>			
Hay	3361	488	0
Total	3361	488	0
<b>Bales:</b>			
Hay	100	0	0
Total	100	0	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 the last report: Hay sold fully steady to firm. Hay movement and demand continues to be moderate to good. Hay movement was more active this week compared to last week. Hay continues to sell into Wyoming as drought conditions continue to worsen. Much of the hay is being delivered into Wyoming for 160.00-170.00 per ton. With warm temperatures seen all week drought conditions worsened significantly in Wyoming. Over 93 percent of Wyoming is in moderate to extreme drought up from 85% last week. Drought conditions remained unchanged this week across the state of Montana. Grasshoppers and weevils continue to destroy forage across much of the eastern and central portions of the state.

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	100	7.50	7.50	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	100	150.00	150.00	F.O.B.		
Large Square 4x4	400	140.00	140.00	F.O.B.		
Medium Square 3x3	30	140.00	140.00	F.O.B.		
<b>Alfalfa - 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>
Large Square 3x4	81	120.00-125.00	121.54	F.O.B.		
Large Square 4x4	700	120.00	120.00	F.O.B.		Old Crop
<b>Alfalfa/Grass Mix - 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	250	150.00	150.00	F.O.B.		

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	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Square 4x4	1800	130.00-140.00	132.78	F.O.B.		

### Straw (Conventional)

#### 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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Click here for more information on Hay Quality Designation Guidelines

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

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