



# Colorado Direct Hay Report

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Direct Hay Weighted Average Report for week ending 10/23/2020

Volume			
	This Week	Last Reported (10/12/2020)	Last Year
<b>Tons:</b>			
Hay	2684	3072	0
Total	2684	3072	0
<b>Bales:</b>			
Hay	5248	3022	0
Total	5248	3022	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: Trade activity and demand moderate to good for feedlot and dairy hay. Trade activity moderate on good demand for Stable and Farm/Ranch quality hay. Northeast Colorado trade activity and demand good with the bulk of trades going to dairy. Southeast Colorado trade activity moderate on good demand, mostly on Stable quality hay. Trade activity light on moderate demand in the San Luis Valley. Trade activity moderate on good demand in Southwest Colorado for dairy and stable quality hay. Trade activity light on moderate to good demand in the Mountains and Northwest Colorado areas as wildfires continue to burn. According to the U.S. Drought Monitor's Drought Classification Map for October 20, 2020, D3-D4 was increased from 59.23 to 77.72. According to the NASS Colorado Crop Progress report for week ending October 18, 2020, 4th cutting alfalfa is 75 percent harvested. The next available report will be Thursday, October 29, 2020.

## Mountains and Northwest CO

### Hay (Conventional)

#### Orchard/Timothy Grass - Premium (Trade/Per Bale)

	Qty	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Freight/Use	Description	Crop Age
Small Square	1400	7.50	7.50	F.O.B.-Retail	1st Cutting	New Crop

## Northeast

### Hay (Conventional)

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

	Qty	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Freight/Use	Description	Crop Age
Large Square 3x4	350	200.00	200.00	Delivered-Feedlot/dairy	4th Cutting	New Crop
Large Square 3x4	1750	220.00	220.00	Delivered-Feedlot/dairy	Very High Testing	New Crop

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

	Qty	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Freight/Use	Description	Crop Age
Medium Square 3x3	10	115.00	115.00	F.O.B.-Stables	3rd Cutting	New Crop



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Large Square 3x4	50	184.00	184.00	F.O.B.-Feedlot/dairy	4th Cutting	New Crop
Large Square 3x4	100	175.00	175.00	Delivered-Feedlot/dairy	Multiple Cuttings	New Crop

## Alfalfa/Grass Mix - 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	300	9.75	9.75	F.O.B.-Stables	4th Cutting	New Crop

## Timothy 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	200	9.95	9.95	F.O.B.-Stables	4th Cutting	New Crop

## San Luis Valley

### Hay (Conventional)

## Prairie/Meadow 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	50	180.00	180.00	F.O.B.-Farm/Ranch	1st Cutting	New Crop

## Southeast

### 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 Round	60	220.00	220.00	Delivered-Stables		New Crop

## Alfalfa - Premium/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	886	11.50	11.50	Delivered-Stables		New Crop

## Alfalfa - 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	250	9.00	9.00	F.O.B.-Stables	4th Cutting	New Crop
Small Square	804	8.50	8.50	F.O.B.-Retail	2nd Cutting	New Crop

## Millet - 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 Round	24	200.00	200.00	Delivered-Farm/Ranch		New Crop



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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>
Small Square	654	10.00	10.00	F.O.B.-Stables	1st Cutting	New Crop

### Southwest

### 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	300	220.00	220.00	F.O.B.-Feedlot/dairy	3rd Cutting	New Crop

### Alfalfa/Grass Mix - 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	200	8.00	8.00	F.O.B.-Stables	4th Cutting	New Crop

### Orchard 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 3 Tie	544	15.00	15.00	F.O.B.-Stables	3rd Cutting	New Crop

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