



Colorado Direct Hay Report

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Direct Hay Weighted Average Report for week ending 5/14/2021

Volume			
	This Week	Last Reported (5/3/2021)	Last Year
Tons:			
Hay	25	50	0
Total	25	50	0
Bales:			
Hay	1225	1170	0
Total	1225	1170	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 light on good demand for stable hay in Southeast and Northeast Colorado. Trade inactive on all other hay markets. New crop contract pricing is getting offered in southern Colorado for multiple cuttings as severe drought conditions force end users to guarantee new crop hay supplies for their operations. Prices offered are firm. Northeast Colorado seeing drought relief with recent rain/snowfall mixes. Farmers in southern Colorado are expressing concerns on the availability of irrigation water for the upcoming haying year. The next available report will be Thursday, May 20, 2021.

Northeast						
Hay (Conventional)						
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	500	10.00	10.00	F.O.B.-Stables	1st Cutting	Old 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	50	10.75	10.75	F.O.B.-Stables	3rd Cutting	Old Crop

Southeast						
Hay (Conventional)						
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	675	8.50	8.50	F.O.B.-Stables		Old Crop
Alfalfa - Good/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	25	220.00	220.00	F.O.B.-Stables		New Crop



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