



South Dakota Direct Hay Report

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Direct Hay Weighted Average Report for week ending 11/10/2023

Volume			
	This Week	Last Reported (10/30/2023)	Last Year
Tons:			
Hay	350	350	475
Straw	50	50	1725
Total	400	400	2200
Bales:			
Straw	7500	7500	50
Total	7500	7500	50

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: Alfalfa hay steady. Moderate demand for alfalfa, good demand for high quality grass to start calves on feed with. As the weather has been mild this week, and with warmer temps in the forecast for next week there is not a big push to get hay bought. Dairy operators' margins remain under pressure causing them to try and buy hay cheaper. Moderate demand for corn stalks currently. Corn stalk baling was in progress again as the sun came out and conditions were dry enough.

N/A						
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	25	300.00	300.00	F.O.B.		
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	25	275.00	275.00	F.O.B.		
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	200	250.00	250.00	F.O.B.		
Alfalfa/Grass Mix - 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 Round	50	200.00	200.00	F.O.B.		
Grass - 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	50	200.00	200.00	Delivered		

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Straw (Conventional)						
Corn Stalk - (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	50	90.00	90.00	Delivered		
Corn Stalk - (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>
Round	7000	40.00	40.00	Delivered		
Wheat - (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	6.00	6.00	F.O.B.		

Click here for more information on Hay Quality Designation Guidelines

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

Click here for Hay glossary of terms

<https://www.ams.usda.gov/market-news/livestock-poultry-and-grain-hay-terms>

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