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Direct Hay Weighted Average Report for week ending 8/22/2025

Compared to the last report: Hay prices are mostly steady across all regions with light to moderate demand. In the South, Coastal large round premium bales were moving at \$100-\$120 while little to no movement on utility hay. Adequate to excellent supplies were reported in all regions. According to the US Drought Monitor, the South saw widespread drought expansion over the week, despite scattered thunderstorms that brought brief, localized relief. Texas saw some improvements due to heavy rains and flooding in south-central counties earlier in the month that continued to ease drought there. Temperatures across the region stayed hot and humid, with heat index values topping 100°F in Texas and Oklahoma. Fire danger also crept higher in Oklahoma and Texas, where persistent heat and dry rangelands created favorable conditions for grassfires. Abnormal dryness (D0) formed in the Panhandle and north-central Texas. The next available hay report will be September 05, 2025.

Volume		
This Week	Last Reported	Last Year
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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.

			C	entral			
Hay (Conventional)							
Bermuda Grass - Good (Ask/Per Bale)							
	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age	
Large Round		55.00		F.O.B.		1st Cut	
Small Square		10.00		F.O.BDealer/Mill/Processor		New Crop	
			1	North			
Hay (Conventional)							
Bermuda Grass - Good	l (Ask/Per E	Bale)					
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age	
Large Round		80.00		F.O.B.		2nd Cut	
			Par	nhandle			
			Hay (Co	onventional)			
Alfalfa - Supreme (Ask,	/Per Ton)						
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age	
Large Square 3x4		255.00-265.00		Delivered			
Alfalfa - Premium (Ask/Per Ton)							
	Qty	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Freight/Use	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age	
Large Square 3x4		245.00-255.00		Delivered			

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Alfalfa - Premium (Ask/Per Bale)									
Small Square	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u> 14.99	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> F.O.BDealer/Mill/Processor	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Small Square 3 Tie		23.99		F.O.BDealer/Mill/Processor					
Small Square		12.00		Delivered-Retail		New Crop			
Alfalfa - Good (Ask/Per	Alfalfa - Good (Ask/Per Ton)								
Large Square 3x4	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u> 230.00-250.00	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> Delivered	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>			
Alfalfa - Fair/Good (Ask	/Per Ton)								
Ground	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u> 190.00-200.00	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> Delivered-Feedlot	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Bermuda Grass - Premi	um (Ask/	Per Ton)							
Large Round	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u> 230.00	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> Delivered	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Bermuda Grass - Premium (Ask/Per Bale)									
Small Square	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u> 13.50	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> F.O.BDealer/Mill/Processor	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u> New Crop			
Bermuda Grass - Good	Bermuda Grass - Good (Ask/Per Ton)								
Large Round	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u> 200.00-225.00	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> Delivered	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Bermuda Grass - Good	(Ask/Per I	Bale)							
Large Round	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u> 125.00-140.00	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> Delivered	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>			
Small Square		11.00		F.O.BDealer/Mill/Processor					
Wheat - Good/Premium (Ask/Per Ton)									
Large Round	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u> 185.00	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> Delivered	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Wheat - Good (Ask/Per Bale)									
Small Square	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u> 9.50	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> F.O.BDealer/Mill/Processor	<u>Description</u> Beardless	<u>Crop Age</u> New Crop			
Wheat - Fair/Good (Ask/Per Ton)									
Large Round	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u> 130.00-150.00	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> Delivered	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>			

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Wheat - Fair/Good (Offer/Per Ton)									
Large Round	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range 135.00	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> Delivered-Dealer/Mill/Processor	<u>Description</u> Beardless	<u>Crop Age</u>			
				South					
Hay (Conventional)									
Alfalfa - Premium (Ask,	Alfalfa - Premium (Ask/Per Bale)								
Small Square	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range 20.00	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> F.O.B.	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Small Square 3 Tie		25.00		F.O.B.					
Bermuda Grass - Premi	um (Ask/i	Per Bale)							
Large Round	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u> 90.00-120.00	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> F.O.B.	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Medium Round		130.00		F.O.BStables		New Crop			
Bermuda Grass - Good	Bermuda Grass - Good (Ask/Per Bale)								
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Freight/Use	Description	Crop Age			
Large Round		80.00-90.00		F.O.B.					
Large Round		95.00-115.00		F.O.BDealer/Mill/Processor					
Small Square		10.00-12.00		F.O.BDealer/Mill/Processor					
Small Square Bundled		11.00		F.O.BDealer/Mill/Processor					
Bermuda Grass - Fair (A	Ask/Per To	n)							
Large Round	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u> 65.00-80.00	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> F.O.B.	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>			
Bermuda Grass - Utility (Ask/Per Ton)									
Large Round	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u> 45.00-50.00	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> F.O.B.	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u> Old Crop			
Large Round		55.00-60.00		F.O.B.		New Crop			
West									



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Hay (Conventional)							
Alfalfa - Premium (Ask/Per Bale)							
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Freight/Use	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age	
Small Square		12.00		F.O.B.			

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