



Colorado Direct Hay Report

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Direct Hay Weighted Average Report for week ending 12/17/2021

Volume			
	This Week	Last Reported (12/6/2021)	Last Year
Tons:			
Hay	504	35	848
Total	504	35	848
Bales:			
Hay	898	989	2879
Total	898	989	2879

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 all hay markets. All markets sold steady this period. According to the U.S. Drought Monitor's High Plains Summary for December 14, 2021, despite some improvements on the map, it is noteworthy that average temperatures across the High Plains region have been well above normal since September. This includes numerous high-temperature records that were recently broken across the region during the first week of December when high temperatures soared into the 70's. The next available report will be Thursday, January 6, 2022.

Mountains and Northwest CO						
Hay (Conventional)						
Prairie/Meadow 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>
Medium Square 3x3	10	270.00	270.00	F.O.B.-Stables	1st Cutting	New Crop
Northeast						
Hay (Conventional)						
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	290	10.50	10.50	F.O.B.-Stables	3rd Cutting	New Crop
Alfalfa - Good (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>
Medium Square 3x3	8	90.00	90.00	F.O.B.-Stables	1st Cutting	New Crop
San Luis Valley						



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Hay (Conventional)

Alfalfa - Supreme (Trade/Per Ton)

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Large Square 4x4	244	250.00	250.00	F.O.B.-Feedlot/dairy	3rd Cutting	New Crop

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 4x4	250	200.00	200.00	F.O.B.-Farm/Ranch	2nd Cutting	New Crop

Southeast

Hay (Conventional)

Prairie/Meadow 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	600	10.00	10.00	F.O.B.-Retail	1st Cutting	New Crop

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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