



South Dakota Direct Hay Report

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Direct Hay Weighted Average Report for week ending 5/17/2024

Volume				
	This Week	Last Reported (5/6/2024)	Last Year	
Tons:				
Hay	328	250	0	
Straw	50	0	0	
Total	378	250	0	
Bales:				
Straw	150	0	0	
Total	150	0	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.

Movement has increased this past week, demand is still slower than normal and most farmers are out of hay until they start harvesting, which should be in the next week. Demand is expected to pick up in when first crop is cut. it has been raining which has been slowing farmers down from being able to start cutting first crop of hay. According to the U.S. Drought Monitor Website South Dakota is mostly under normal soil conditions except for Western South Dakota is under abnormally dry to moderately dry soil conditions.

N/A						
Hay (Conventional)						

Alfalfa - Premium (Trade/Per Ton)

	Qty	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Freight/Use	Description	Crop Age
Large Round	50	250.00	250.00	F.O.B.		

Alfalfa - Good/Premium (Trade/Per Ton)

	Qty	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Freight/Use	Description	Crop Age
Large Round	75	230.00	230.00	F.O.B.		
Large Square 3x4	75	225.00	225.00	F.O.B.		

Alfalfa - (Ask/Per Ton)

	Qty	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Freight/Use	Description	Crop Age
Pellets 17% Suncured		300.00		F.O.B.		

Grass - Good (Trade/Per Ton)

	Qty	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Freight/Use	Description	Crop Age
Large Round	125	160.00	160.00	F.O.B.		



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Grass - Fair/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 Round	3	145.00	145.00	F.O.B.		

Straw (Conventional)

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	50	25.00-50.00	37.50	F.O.B.		

Wheat - (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>
Small Square	50	120.00	120.00	F.O.B.		

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	100	6.00	6.00	F.O.B.		

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