



Oklahoma Direct Hay Report

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Direct Hay Weighted Average Report for week ending 5/10/2024

Volume			
	This Week	Last Reported (4/22/2024)	Last Year
Tons:			
Hay	1240	820	1440
Total	1240	820	1440
Bales:			
Hay	890	3270	200
Total	890	3270	200

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 the last report: The demand and trade remain low. We have had several storms across Oklahoma which have slowed down some hay trade as well as hay baling. Old-crop hay continues to move lower in price as we enter the new hay season. We still have barns full of old-crop hay that are trying to be sold and emptied for new-crop hay.

Trends:

- Alfalfa Large squares \$175-\$200 a ton - New Crop
- Alfalfa Rounds - No Trend
- Grinding hay - No Trend
- Bermuda 5x6 rounds - \$60-\$75 a bale - Year Old Hay
- Bermuda Large Squares - No Trend
- Wheat Hay 5x6 Round and Large Squares - \$75-\$100 a Ton - New Crop
- Grass Hay 4x5-4x6 - \$50-\$60 a bale - Year Old Hay
- Grass Hay 5x6 - \$60-\$70 a bale - Year Old Hay
- Rough Grass Hay any size \$30-\$40 a bale - Year Old Hay

The Oklahoma Mesonet Drought Monitor shows we are at 0 percent in exceptional drought, 0 percent in an extreme drought, 5.91 percent in severe drought, 20.41 percent in moderate, 48.38 percent in abnormally dry conditions, and 51.62 percent that has no drought conditions.

*** The next report release will be on May 24th ***

Central						
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 4x4	640	200.00	200.00	F.O.B.		New Crop
Alfalfa - Good (Ask/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		150.00		F.O.B.		



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Bermuda Grass - 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 Round	250	65.00	65.00	F.O.B.		

North Central

Hay (Conventional)

Bermuda Grass - Premium/Supreme (Ask/Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round		90.00		F.O.B.		

Bermuda Grass - Good/Premium (Ask/Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round		75.00		F.O.B.		

Bermuda Grass - 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>
Large Round	440	65.00	65.00	F.O.B.		

Northeast

Hay (Conventional)

Alfalfa - 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	160	135.00	135.00	F.O.B.		

Prairie/Meadow Grass - 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 Round	200	65.00	65.00	F.O.B.		

Northwest

Hay (Conventional)

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 4x4	320	175.00	175.00	F.O.B.		New Crop

Bermuda Grass - Fair/Good (Ask/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		120.00		F.O.B.		



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Wheat - Good (Trade/Per Ton)

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Large Round	120	75.00	75.00	F.O.B.		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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