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Direct Hay Weighted Average Report for week ending 3/8/2024

Volume						
This Week	Last Reported ()	Last Year				

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.

Much needed rain is falling for several around the state as of the writing of this report. The latest drought monitor is showing 99.5% of the state in abnormally to moderately dry so some moisture would be very welcome as grass is growing and spring seems to be here. Several farmers got fertilizer spread over the last week or two so the rain should give them the full benefit of that. The supply of hay is light to moderate, demand is moderate, prices are unevenly steady. The Missouri Department of Agriculture has a hay directory at https://apps.mda.mo.gov/haydirectory or visit the University of Missouri Extension feed stuff finder at https://feedstufffinder.org

N/A									
Hay (Conventional)									
Alfalfa - Supreme (Ask,	/Per Ton)								
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Medium Square 3x3		250.00-350.00		F.O.B.					
Alfalfa - Supreme (Ask/Per Bale)									
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Small Square		10.00-15.00		F.O.B.					
Alfalfa - Premium (Ask/Per Ton)									
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Medium Square 3x3		200.00-275.00		F.O.B.					
Alfalfa - Good (Ask/Per Ton)									
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Large Round		150.00-200.00		F.O.B.					
Alfalfa - Good (Ask/Per Bale)									
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Small Square		5.00-10.00		F.O.B.					
Alfalfa - Fair (Ask/Per Ton)									
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Freight/Use	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Large Round		125.00-150.00		F.O.B.					
Mixed Grass - Good/Premium (Ask/Per Ton)									
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Large Round		150.00-225.00		F.O.B.					

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Mixed Grass - Fair/Good (Ask/Per Ton)									
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Large Round		100.00-175.00		F.O.B.					
Mixed Grass - Fair/Good (Ask/Per Bale)									
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Small Square		5.00-11.00		F.O.B.					
Mixed Grass - Fair (Ask/Per Bale)									
. 5	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Freight/Use	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Large Round		50.00-75.00		F.O.B.					
Straw (Conventional)									
Wheat - (Ask/Per Bale)									
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Freight/Use	Description	Crop Age			
Small Square		4.00-7.00		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