



## Wyoming Direct Hay Report

AMS Livestock, Poultry and Grain Market News  
WY Dept. of Ag Market News

**\*\* Correction released on Thu Feb 29, 2024 \*\***

**Thu Feb 29, 2024**

Email us with accessibility issues with this report.

Direct Hay Weighted Average Report for week ending 3/1/2024

Volume			
	This Week	Last Reported (2/19/2024)	Last Year
<b>Tons:</b>			
Hay	630	325	475
Total	630	325	475

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.

Special Note: **\*\* Next report will be March 14, 2024 \*\***

Compared to last week hay sales sold steady. Demand remains light. Some producers are thinking they will have to lower their asking prices to finish cleaning out their hay barns before first cutting of alfalfa hits the sheds in June. All types and qualities of hay left at most producer's piles.

Alfalfa guidelines (for domestic livestock use and not more than 10% grass)

Quality	ADF	NDF	*RFV	**TDN-100%	**TDN-90%	CP
Supreme	<27	<34	>185	>62	>55.9	>22
Premium	27-29	34-36	170-185	60.5-62	54.5-55.9	20-22
Good	29-32	36-40	150-170	58-60	52.5-54.5	18-20
Fair	32-35	40-44	130-150	56-58	50.5-52.5	16-18
Utility	>35	>44	<130	<56	<50.5	<16

\*RFV calculated using the Wis/Minn formula.

\*\*TDN calculated using the western formula.

Quantitative factors are approximate, and many factors can affect feeding value. Values based on 100% dry matter (TDN showing both 100% & 90%). Guidelines are to be used with visual appearance and intent of Sale (usage).

=====

Grass Hay guidelines

Quality	Crude Protein Percent
Premium	Over 13
Good	9-13
Fair	5-9
Low	Under 5

East						
Hay (Conventional)						

**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 3x4	20	180.00	180.00	F.O.B.		

Source: USDA AMS Livestock, Poultry & Grain Market News

WY Dept of Ag Market News - Thomas Walthers

Torrington, WY | (308) 390-5399

[www.ams.usda.gov/lpgmn](http://www.ams.usda.gov/lpgmn)

<https://mymarketnews.ams.usda.gov/> | <https://mymarketnews.ams.usda.gov/viewReport/3236>

Page 1 of 3



## Wyoming Direct Hay Report

AMS Livestock, Poultry and Grain Market News  
WY Dept. of Ag Market News

**\*\* Correction released on Thu Feb 29, 2024 \*\***

**Thu Feb 29, 2024**

Email us with accessibility issues with this report.

### Alfalfa - (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>
Pellets 15% Suncured		350.00		F.O.B.		

### Alfalfa/Oat Mix - Fair (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 3x4	50	125.00	125.00	F.O.B.		

### Forage Mix-Two Way - 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 3x4	20	150.00	150.00	F.O.B.		

### Oat - (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 3x4	275	90.00	90.00	Delivered		

## West

### 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>
Small Square 3 Tie	25	300.00	300.00	F.O.B.		

#### Alfalfa - Good/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>
Small Square	25	270.00	270.00	F.O.B.		

#### Alfalfa - Utility (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 3x4	75	90.00	90.00	F.O.B.		

#### Alfalfa - (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>
Cubes		400.00		F.O.B.		

#### Alfalfa/Grass Mix - Utility (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 3x4	100	110.00	110.00	F.O.B.		

#### Alfalfa/Orchard Mix - 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>
Small Square	35	285.00-300.00	289.29	F.O.B.		

Source: USDA AMS Livestock, Poultry & Grain Market News

WY Dept of Ag Market News - Thomas Walthers

Torrington, WY | (308) 390-5399

[www.ams.usda.gov/lpgmn](http://www.ams.usda.gov/lpgmn)

<https://mymarketnews.ams.usda.gov/> | <https://mymarketnews.ams.usda.gov/viewReport/3236>

Page 2 of 3



## Wyoming Direct Hay Report

AMS Livestock, Poultry and Grain Market News  
WY Dept. of Ag Market News

**\*\* Correction released on Thu Feb 29, 2024 \*\***

Thu Feb 29, 2024

Email us with accessibility issues with this report.

---

### Alfalfa/Orchard Mix - Fair (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	5	210.00	210.00	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>