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Hay Market Reports

Compiled by USDA Market News Service • St. Joseph, Mo.-Portland

Hay prices are dollars per ton or dollars per bale when sold to retail outlets. Basis is current delivery FOB barn or stack, or delivered customer as indicated. Grade guidelines used in this report have the following relationship to Relative Feed Value (RFV), Acid Detergent Fiber (ADF), TDN (Total Digestible Nutrients), or Crude Protein (CP) test numbers:

GRADE	RFV	ADF	TDN	CP
SUPREME	185+	<27	55.9+	22+
PREMIUM	170-185	27-29	54.5-55.9	20-22
GOOD	150-170	29-32	52.5-54.5	18-20
FAIR	130-150	32-35	50.5-52.5	16-18
UTILITY	<130	36+	<50.5	<16

WASHINGTON-OREGON HAY (Columbia Basin) (USDA Market News) Oct. 20

This week FOB	Last week	Last year
3100 Tons	8500 Tons	4100 Tons

Compared to Oct. 13: Alfalfa steady in a light test. Most export hay reported has the grower paying for the tarping. Trade slow this week. Demand remains good for higher testing Alfalfa. Retail/Feedstore not tested this week.

Alfalfa	Mid Square	Tons	Price
	Premium Export	1500	166.67
	Good	750	130.00
	Rain Damage	500	115.00
	Fair Export	350	122.14

OREGON AREA HAY (USDA Market News) Oct. 20

Compared to Oct. 13: Prices trended generally steady in a limited test. Sporadic rain showers and thunderstorms in hay growing areas has hindered haying process. Retail/Stable type hay remains the largest demanded hay. Demand for organic hay increased this week.

This week FOB	Last week	Last year
4513 Tons	3249 Tons	8465 Tons

CROOK, DESCHUTES, JEFFERSON, WASCO COUNTIES

Alfalfa	Small Square	Tons	Price
	Prem Retail/Stable	64	222.81
	Small Square		
	Prem Retail/Stable	38	242.89
	Small Square		
	Prem Retail/Stable	74	235.41
	Good/Premium	102	223.28
	Small Square		
	Prem Retail/Stable	50	210.00
	Small Square		
	Good Retail/Stable	53	175.00

Grain Market Reports

Compiled by USDA Market News Service • Portland

Grains are stated in dollars per bushel or hundredweight (cwt) except feed grains traded in dollars per ton. National grain report bids are for rail delivery unless truck indicated.

PORTLAND GRAIN (USDA Market News) Portland Oct. 19

Pacific Northwest Market Summary: Cash wheat bids for October delivery ended the reporting week on Thursday, Oct. 19, were higher compared to week ago noon bids for October delivery.

December wheat futures ended the reporting week on Thursday, Oct. 19, higher as follows compared to week ago closes: Chicago wheat futures were 2.25 cents higher at 4.3275, Kansas City wheat futures were three cents higher at 4.2925 and Minneapolis wheat futures trended 4.50 cents higher at 6.1575. Chicago December corn futures trended steady at 3.49 and November soybean futures closed 5.50 cents lower at 9.8650.

Bids for US 1 Soft White Wheat delivered to Portland in unit trains or barges during October for ordinary protein trended four to 22.25 cents per bushel higher compared to week ago prices for the same delivery period from 5.2775-5.35. Some exporters were not issuing bids for nearby delivery.

White club wheat premiums were zero to five cents per bushel over soft white wheat bids this week and last week.

One year ago bids for US 1 Soft White Wheat any protein for October delivery by unit trains and barges to Portland were 4.52-4.8025 and bids for White Club Wheat were 4.82-5.0525.

Forward month bids for soft white wheat ordinary protein were as follows: November 5.3275-5.38, December 5.3275-5.41, January 5.40-5.45 and February 5.40-5.4325.

One year ago, forward month bids for soft white wheat for any protein were as follows: November 4.6025-4.8025, December 4.7025-4.85, January 4.95-5.0075 and February 4.9575-5.0075.

Bids for US 1 Soft White Wheat guaranteed maximum 10.5 percent protein during October trended four to 22.25 cents per bushel higher than week ago prices for the same delivery period from 5.2775-5.35. Some exporters were not issuing bids for nearby delivery.

White club wheat premiums for guaranteed maximum 10.5 percent protein soft white wheat this week were zero to five cents per bushel over soft white wheat bids this week and last week.

One year ago bids for US 1 Soft White Wheat guaranteed maximum 10.5 percent protein for October delivery by unit trains and barges to Portland were 4.8025-4.8525 and bids for White Club Wheat were also 4.8025-5.1025.

Forward month bids for soft white wheat guaranteed 10.5 percent proteins were as follows: November 5.3275-5.38, December 5.3275-5.41, January 5.40-5.45 and February 5.40-5.4325.

One year ago, forward month bids for soft white wheat for any protein were as follows: November 4.6025-4.8525, December

Eastern Oregon	Small Square	Tons	Price
Alfalfa/Orchard Mix	Prem Retail/Stable	27	182.41
	Utility		
Mixed Grass	Small Square	300	45.00
	Utility		
Harney County			
Alfalfa	Large Square		
	Supreme Export	500	170.00
Klamath Basin			
Alfalfa	Large Square		
	Fair Organic	20	220.00
	Small Square	300	230.00
	Good/Prem Rain Dam	50	180.00
	Retail/Stable	26	170.00
Orchard Grass	Small Square		
	Prem Retail/Stable	100	250.00
Lake County			
Alfalfa	Large Square		
	Supreme	555	216.89
	Premium/Supreme	500	190.00
	Premium Export	600	180.00
	Good	100	150.00
	Small Square		
	Supreme Organic	81	265.00
	Prem/Supr Org	28	250.00
	Premium	60	185.00
Alfalfa/Orchard Mix	Small Square		
	Premium	20	185.00
	Good/Premium	370	172.70
Oat	Small Square		
	Premium	25	125.00
Triticale	Large Square		
	Good/Premium	290	110.00

CALIFORNIA HAY (USDA Market News) Oct. 20

This week FOB	Last week	Last year
12,500 Tons	9700 Tons	2200 Tons

Compared to Oct. 13: Alfalfa firm to 5.00 higher. Trade moderate to active. Demand remains good especially for next spring 2018 delivery. Retail/Feedstore steady.

Alfalfa	Mid Square	Tons	Price
	Prem/Supr Contr	1800	170.00
	Tarped	3000	142.50
	Prem Retail/Stable	200	155.00
	Tarped	1000	150.00
	Good Export	2000	127.50
	Fair/Good	4500	102.50

THIS WEEK FOB 10,306 Tons
LAST WEEK 9232 Tons
LAST YEAR 5560 Tons

Compared to Oct. 13: All classes traded steady with moderate demand. Alfalfa fields continued to be irrigated, cut and baled. Sorghum fields were being harvested. Corn silage continued to be harvested. Cotton was being harvested for lint and seed. Black-eyed beans continued to be harvested.

REGION 1: NORTHERN INTERMOUNTAIN
Includes the counties of Siskiyou, Modoc, Shasta, Lassen and Plumas.

Alfalfa Supreme 25 260.00
Alfalfa/Orchard Mix Prem 25 260.00
Alfalfa/Grass Mix Premium 106 205.00

REGION 3: NORTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY
Includes the counties of San Joaquin, Calaveras, Stanislaus, Tuolumne, Mono, Merced and Mariposa.

Alfalfa Supreme Del 150 299.00
Del Contracted 1830 286.15
Del Very High Test 330 298.03
Prem Del Contr 340 265.00
Good Del Contr 400 245.00

REGION 4: CENTRAL SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY
Includes the counties of Madera, Fresno, Kings, Tulare and Inyo.

Rice Straw Good Del 1000 120.00

REGION 5: SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA
Includes the counties of Kern, Northeast Los Angeles and Western San Bernardino

Alfalfa Supreme 25 230.00

REGION 6: SOUTHEAST CALIFORNIA
Includes the counties of Eastern San Bernardino, Riverside and Imperial.

Alfalfa Premium 525 175.95
Retail/Stable 350 201.43
Good 650 156.15
Fair 1350 121.48

Bermuda Grass Prem Retail/Stable 75 190.00

Truck	Petaluma-Santa Rosa Stockton-Modesto-Oakdale-Turlock Kings-Tulare-Fresno Counties Kern County Colusa County Glenn County	9.75 Del
	CORN US No 2 Yellow FOB	NA
	Stockton-Modesto-Oakdale-Turlock Kings-Tulare-Fresno Turlock/Tulare	8.07
	Rail: Single Car Units via BNSF LA-Chino Valley	8.27
Truck	Petaluma-Santa Rosa Stockton-Modesto-Oakdale-Turlock Kings-Tulare-Fresno Counties Glenn County Hanford County Kern County	8.37
	SORGHUM US No 2 Yellow (Milo) Rail	8.73
Truck	LA-Chino Valley via BNSF Modesto-Oakdale-Turlock Turlock County Glenn County Kings-Tulare-Fresno Counties	8.50 Del
	OATS US No 1 White (40 lbs. per bushel) Truck	8.25 Del
	Modesto-Oakdale-Turlock TRITICALE	NA
Truck	Petaluma Modesto-Oakdale-Turlock Stockton-Modesto-Oakdale-Turlock	NA
	WHEAT US No 2 or better-Hard Red Winter (Domestic Values for Flour Milling) FOB	NA
	Kern Fresno Merced	NA
Truck (California Origin)	LA 12% Protein LA 13% Protein LA 14% Protein	NA
Rail-Truck (Out of State Origin)	LA Guaranteed 12% Protein LA Guaranteed 13% Protein	NA

4.7025-4.8525, January and February 4.9575-5.0575.

Bids for 11.5 percent protein US 1 Hard Red Winter Wheat for October delivery were three to 63.00 cents per bushel higher compared to week ago noon bids for the same delivery period.

Some exporters were not issuing bids for nearby delivery.

This week, bids were as follows: October 5.8925-5.9425, November and December 5.6925-5.9425, January 5.6725-5.9725 and February 5.9225-5.9725.

Bids for non-guaranteed 14.0 percent protein US 1 Dark Northern Spring Wheat for Portland delivery during October were 9.50 to 24.50 cents per bushel higher than week ago noon bids for the same delivery period.

Some exporters were not issuing bids for nearby delivery. This week, bids for non-guaranteed 14 percent protein were as follows: October 7.4575-7.5075, November and December 7.2575-7.5075, January 7.2950-7.6450 and February 7.5450-7.6450.

Coarse feeding grains: Bids for US 2 Yellow Corn delivered full coast Pacific Northwest - BN shuttle trains for October delivery were not available as most exporters were not issuing bids for nearby delivery. Forward month corn bids were as follows: November not available, December 4.20-4.27, January 4.2275-4.3075, February 4.2975-4.3475 and March 4.3275-4.3475.

Bids for US 1 Yellow Soybeans delivered full coast Pacific Northwest - BN shuttle trains for October delivery were not available as most exporters were not issuing bids for nearby delivery.

Forward month soybean bids were as follows: November 10.4950-10.5650, December 10.56-10.63 and January 10.54-10.63.

Bids for US 2 Heavy White Oats for October delivery trended steady at 3.12 per bushel.

Pacific Northwest Export News: There were 20 grain vessels in Columbia River ports on Thursday, Oct. 19, with five docked compared to 13 last week with four docked. There were no new confirmed export sales this week from the Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC) of the USDA.

CALIFORNIA GRAINS (USDA Market News) Oct. 19

Paid by feed manufacturers and other users, delivered plant or receiving station. All prices are offers for prompt shipment unless otherwise stated. Due to limited availability, prices were not available with the exception of the following categories.

BARLEY US No 2 (46 lbs. per bushel)

FOB:	Solano County Colusa County Tehama County	NA
	Central Valley Stockton-Modesto-Oakdale-Turlock Tulare County	NA

Rail: Any Origin - via BNSF and U.P.

In the mountain states of Idaho, Colorado and Utah, milk supplies have tightened somewhat, but industry contacts say there is still an abundance of milk for processing. Most of the loads are staying within the region and not moving to surrounding states.

Manufacturers are ramping up for the stronger seasonal holiday demand. This has helped bring milk production into better balance with processing needs.

The western condensed skim market is stable and loads are moving as planned. Cream continues to move well in the West. Many handlers are working on finalizing their 2018 cream contracts. Cream demand for Class II, III and VI is steady to strong.

Supplies are starting to tighten in some areas, but remain plentiful in others. Some reports suggest that the ice cream season is over.

However, a few processors state that their sales are still active. Cream multiples for all classes are 1.06-1.28. According to the DMN National Retail Report-Dairy for the week of Oct. 13-19, the national weighted average advertised price for one gallon of milk is \$2.96, down \$0.01 from last week, but \$0.41 higher from a year ago.

The weighted average regional price in the Southwest is \$3.69, with a price range of \$1.89-\$5.99. The weighted average regional price in the Northwest is \$1.99, with no reported price range.

Dairy Report

Compiled by USDA Market News Service • Madison, Wis.

FLUID MILK AND CREAM REVIEW - WEST (USDA Market News) Oct. 19

In California, farm milk production is higher, partly due to favorable climatic conditions. Many plants are running close to full schedules.

Milk supplies are enough to fulfill contractual needs. Nonetheless, spot sales are limited. Class 1 intakes by schools and the retail sector are steady. In Arizona, increased milk output is prevalent this week.

Class 1 requests are increasing in some parts of the state. Processing plants are working at or near full capacity.

In Arizona, irrigation water availability has been declining. Topsoil and subsoil moistures are re-

spectively 76 percent and 75 percent adequate.

New Mexico milk production is flat to lower compared to the previous week. Recent rains have contributed to dropping farm milk production in some areas.

Class I and II sales are steady while demand for Class III is steady to slightly increasing. Milk supplies are sufficient to meet all processing obligations.

Milk production in the Pacific Northwest is steady and holding to seasonal patterns. Cool, wet weather has kept intakes rather flat and at levels that are expected for this time of year. Production is in good balance with processing needs and manufacturers say milk is readily flowing into cheese vats.

Livestock Auctions

Oregon (Lebanon Auction Yard) EUGENE (Eugene Livestock Auction) Oct. 21

Head Count: 391
Market conditions compared to last week: Cows and bulls steady. Feeder cattle slightly stronger.

Cows: Top Cows High Dressers 68.00-78.50; Top 10 71.85; Low Dressers 57.00-67.50

Bulls: Top Bulls High Dressers: 78.00-84.50
Feeder Bulls: 300-500 lbs. 100.00-138.00; 500-700 lbs. 90.00-129.00; 700-900 lbs. 94.00-101.00
Choice Steers Medium to Large Frame No. 1&2s:

Feeder Steers: 300-400 lbs. 125.00-145.00; 400-500 lbs. 125.00-151.00; 500-600 lbs. 120.00-146.00; 600-700 lbs. 110.00-131.00; 700 To 800 lbs. 105.00-123.50; 800-900 lbs. 100.00-120.00
Choice Heifers Medium To Large Frame No. 1&2s:

Feeder Heifers: 300-400 lbs. 110.00-138.00; 400-500 lbs. 120.00-140.00; 500-600 lbs. 115.00-138.00; 600-700 lbs. 110.00-131.00; 700-800 lbs. 110.00-126.00; 800 and up NT

Bred Cows: 720-950 HD Pairs: 840-1075 PR
Head Calves (Up To 250 lbs.) Beef: 140.00-300.00 HD; Dairy: 20.00-80.00

Feeder Lambs: 50-90 lbs. 120.00-144.00; 90-130 lbs. 120.00-144.00

LEBANON

Total receipts: 740
Butcher Cows: Conventional: Top Cow, \$79.00; Top 10 Cows, \$74.22; Top 50 Cows, \$71.31; Top 100 Cows, \$68.87; Organic: Top Cow, \$71.00; Top 10, \$63.29; Avg. All Organic: \$52.36

Bulls: Conventional: Top Bull, \$86.00; Avg. All Bulls, \$78.67

Feeder Steers: 400-500 lbs \$125.00-\$161.00; 500-600 lbs \$90.00-\$160.00; 600-700 lbs \$82.50-\$147.00

Feeder Heifers: 400-500 lbs \$70.00-\$172.50; 500-600 lbs: \$100.00-\$153.50

WOODBURN (Woodburn Livestock Exchange) Oct. 17

Total Receipts: 574, 555 Cattle
Top 10 Slaughter Cows: A/P 74.16 cwt
Top 50 Slaughter Cows: A/P 71.00 cwt
Top 100 Slaughter Cows: A/P 68.89 cwt
Back To The Country Cows: 70.00 cwt
Certified Cows: 80.00-140.00 cwt
All Slaughter Bulls: 68.00-87.50 cwt
Top 10 Slaughter Cows A/P: 74.16 cwt
Top 50 Slaughter Cows A/P: 71.00 cwt
Top 100 Slaughter Cows A/P: 68.89 cwt
Back To The Country Cows: 70.00 cwt
Certified Cows: 80.00-140.00 cwt
All Slaughter Bulls: 68.00-87.50 cwt
Top Beef Heifers: 200-300 lbs NT; 300-400 lbs 130.00-141.00 cwt; 400-500 lbs 130.00-143.00

Washington (Toppenish Livestock Auction) Oct. 19

Receipts: 2000
Compared to Oct. 12: Stocker and feeder cattle weak to 3.00 lower. Trade active with moderate to good demand. Slaughter cows and bulls steady to weak. Trade active with moderate to good demand. Slaughter cows 70 percent, slaughter bulls 10 percent, and feeders 20 percent of the supply.

cwt; 500-600 lbs 120.00-130.00 cwt; 600-700 lbs 100.00-120.50 cwt; 700-800 lbs 100.00-117.50 cwt; 800-900 lbs 90.00-103.00 cwt

Cow/Calf Pair: NT
Bred Cows: 700.00-950.00 HD
Day Old Beef Cross Calves: 140.00-150.00 HD
Day Old Dairy Calves: 7.50-65.00 HD
Block Hogs: 57.00-62.00 cwt
Feeder Pigs: 32.50-87.50 HD
Sows: 2.00-15.00 cwt
Weaner Pigs: 32.50-65.00 HD
Lambs 40-70 lbs 125.00-152.50 cwt; 75-150 lbs 120.00-140.00 cwt

Thin Ewes: 70.00-123.00 cwt
Fleishy Ewes: 50.00-70.00 cwt
Goats: 10-39 lbs 10.00-42.50 HD; 40-69 lbs 16.00-100.00 HD; 70-79 lbs 67.50-150.00 HD; 80-89 lbs 80.00-160.00 HD; 90-99 lbs 95.00-175.00 HD; 100-199 lbs 95.00-225.00 HD; 200-300 lbs NT

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Lean: 1300-1900 lbs Avg Dressing 65.00-71.00; High Dressing 72.50-76.00; Low Dressing 60.00-65.00

Lean: 900-1400 lbs Avg Dressing 55.00-60.00; Low Dressing 49.00-55.00
Slaughter Bulls/g:

Yield Grade 1-2 1400-2300 lbs Avg Dressing 87.00-93.50; High Dressing 94.50-97.00; Low Dressing 79.00-87.00

Potato Market Reports

Compiled by North American Potato Market News and USDA Agricultural Market Service

Prices are weekly averages of daily prices. All prices are in dollars per hundredweight (cwt.). FWA is a weighted average of shipping point prices or common packs in