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# Farm Market Report



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## Hay Market Reports

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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	CP	TDN
Supreme	185+	under 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	under 130	36+	under 50.5	under 16

### Washington-Oregon (Columbia Basin) Weekly Hay Report

This Week	Last Week	Last Year
4750	7250	5725
Compared to Oct. 18: All grades of export and domestic alfalfa steady. Timothy for export remains slow. Trade slow to moderate this week as a fire at an exporters press in Ellensburg slowed trade this week. Demand remains good from exporters and dairies. Feed store/retail steady. All prices are dollars per ton and FOB the farm or ranch unless otherwise stated.		

Alfalfa	Comments	Tons	Price
Mid Square			
Prem/Supr/Del/Tarp		775	216.45
155		207.52	
Good/Exp		2025	192.59
Tarp		275	200.00
Fair/Good/Tarp		875	200.00
Orchard Grass			
Mid Square			
Prem/Exp		75	172.00
Ret/Stub		70	180.00
Orchard Grass			
Small Square			
Prem/Ret/Stub		100	230.00
Good/Exp		300	110.00
Oat			
Small Square			
Good/Exp		300	110.00

### Oregon Weekly Hay Report

This Week	Last Week	Last Year
1316	5637	687
Compared to Oct. 18: Prices trended generally steady compared to last report's prices. Retail/Stable type hay remains the most demanded hay. Some hay acreage has been changed over to grow hemp this year. All sales in this report are 2019 crop year hay.		

CROOK, DESCHUTES, JEFFERSON, WASCO COUNTIES:

Alfalfa	Comments	Tons	Price
Mid Square		24	185.00
Prem			
Small Square		25	250.00
Prem/Ret/Stub		20	240.00
Prem/Ret/Stub/Contr		55	261.36
Ret/Stub			

### Mixed Grass Five-Way

Small Square	2	230.00
Prem/Ret/Stub	10	300.00

### Oat/Triticale/Grass Mix

Small Square	25	185.00
Good/Prem/Ret/Stub		

### EASTERN OREGON: Alfalfa

Small Square	35	185.00
Good/Prem		

### KLAMATH BASIN: Alfalfa

Large Square	250	280.00
Supr/Org		

### Mid Square

Prem	400	200.00
Good	150	200.00
Good	50	135.00

### Small Square

Supr/Org	4	245.00
Prem	30	225.00
Del/Ret/Stub	13	255.00
Good	30	200.00
Grassy	30	200.00

### Meadow Grass

Prem/Ret/Stub/Del	11	255.00
Large Square		
Good/Prem	56	120.00

### Alfalfa/Triticale Mix

Small Square	26	150.00
Good/Prem		

### Idaho Weekly Hay Report

This Week	Last Week	Last Year
1400	3200	750
Compared to Oct. 18: Alfalfa steady as dairies showed more interest this week. Trade active with good demand especially for wheat straw and retail hay. Retail/Feed store steady. Prices are dollars per ton and FOB the farm or ranch unless otherwise stated.		

### Alfalfa

Comments	Tons	Price
Mid Square	2200	195.23
Prem/Supr/Tarp	200	200.00
Prem/Org	6500	157.31
Fair/Good/Tarp		

### Wheat Straw

In Windrow	3000	170.00
Prem/Ret/Stub		
Mid Square		
Fair	3250	45.00
In Windrow		
Fair	4250	100.00

### California Hay Report

This Week	Last Week	Last Year
2200	3200	750
Compared to Oct. 18: Trade activity moderate to moderate demand. According to the NASS Crop Progress report for Oct. 21 barley, oats, triticale and wheat fields were being prepared for winter plantings in Fresno County. Sorghum harvest continued and fields were being treated for sugarcane aphids.		

### Nov: 5.8275-5.9275 up 3.25

Dec: 5.8675-5.9275 up 3.25  
 Jan: 5.9075-6.0075 up 3.00  
 Feb: NA  
 12 pct protein: 5.8275-5.9275 up 3.25  
 13 pct protein: 5.9275-6.0275 up 3.25  
 US 1 Dark Northern Spring Wheat (with a minimum of 0.5 part per million vitoxin, and a maximum of one percent total damage)

13 pct protein: 6.3675-6.5275 dn 3.25  
 14 pct protein:  
 Oct: 6.5675-6.7675 dn 3.25  
 Nov: 6.6075-7.0175 dn 3.25  
 Dec: 6.6475-7.0675 dn 3.25  
 Jan: 6.8125-7.1125 dn 2.50  
 Feb: NA  
 15 pct protein: 6.5675-6.8875 dn 3.25  
 16 pct protein: 6.5675-7.0075 dn 3.25  
 US 2 Yellow Corn  
 Shuttle trains-Delivered full coast Pacific Northwest-BN

Nov: 4.8875-4.8975 unch-dn 1.00  
 Dec: 4.8875-4.9175 unch-up 2.00  
 Jan: 4.9550-4.9950 dn 0.50-up 2.50  
 Feb: 5.0050-5.0150 up 2.50-0.50  
 Mar: 5.0050-5.0350 up 1.50-2.50  
 US 1 Yellow Soybeans  
 Shuttle trains-Delivered full coast Pacific Northwest-BN

Oct: 10.1525 dn 8.00  
 Nov: 10.1025 dn 8.00-13.00  
 Dec: 10.1650 dn 6.50

Jan: 10.1950 dn 7.50  
 Feb: NA  
 Mar: NA  
 US 2 Heavy White Oats: 3.6300 unch (Not well tested).  
 Exporter Bids Portland Rail/Barge Sep 2019. Averages in dollars per bushel.  
 US 1 Soft White by Unit Trains and Barges: 5.8300  
 US 1 Hard Red Winter (Ordinary protein): 5.1500  
 US 1 Hard Red Winter (11.5% protein): 5.4500  
 US 1 Dark Northern Spring (14% protein): 5.9600

### California Weekly Grain Report

Oct 24  
 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:  
 Dollars Per Cwt. Bulk  
 CORN US No 2 Yellow  
 FOB: Turlock/Tulare, 9.39 dn .18  
 Rail: Los Angeles-Chino Valley, 9.73 dn .10-14.  
 Truck: Stockton-Modesto-Oakdale-Turlock, 9.69 dn .18  
 Truck: Kings-Tulare-Fresno Counties, 9.69 dn .18  
 SORGHUM US No 2 Yellow (Milo)  
 Rail: Los Angeles-Chino Valley, 9.66 dn .14

Rice fields were maturing and being harvested. In Tulare County, late planted black-eyed peas were being harvested. Corn fields for silage have been chopped and awaiting the fall winter wheat plantings. Fields were being fertilized and prepped for the next planting. Some fields were being laser labeled for better irrigation. Alfalfa continued to be cut, dried, and baled. Cotton harvest was complete in Sutter County. In the Sacramento Valley, corn harvest continued. Hay is reported FOB the stack or barn unless otherwise noted. Regions are defined at bottom of report.

### REGION 1: NORTH INTER-MOUNTAIN:

Alfalfa	Comment	Tons	Price
Supr		300	195.00
Contr		2000	195.00
Prem		750	180.00
Ret/Stub		500	220.00
Prem/Ret/Stub		1000	220.00

### REGION 2: SACRAMENTO VALLEY:

Alfalfa/Ret/Stub	50	220.00
Alfalfa		
Supr	175	255.71
Prem/Supr	275	248.45
Prem	75	230.00
Good	450	200.00
Fair/Good/Del	50	200.00
Oat/Good	25	110.00
Good	300	60.00
Del	450	80.00
Good	25	125.00

### REGION 3: NORTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY:

Alfalfa		
Supr	175	255.71
Prem/Supr	275	248.45
Prem	75	230.00
Good	450	200.00
Fair/Good/Del	50	200.00
Oat/Good	25	110.00
Good	300	60.00
Del	450	80.00
Good	25	125.00

### REGION 4: CENTRAL SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY: No New Sales Confirmed.

### REGION 5: SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Alfalfa		
Prem	135	245.00
Ret/Stub	150	270.00

### Forage Mix-Three Way

Good/Ret/Stub	50	240.00
Alfalfa		
Prem	375	198.00
Good	1000	170.00
Fair/Good	100	167.50
Exp	600	175.00

### REGION 6: SOUTHEAST CALIFORNIA:

Alfalfa		
Prem	375	198.00
Good	1000	170.00
Fair/Good	100	167.50
Exp	600	175.00

### Bermuda Grass

Prem/Ret/Stub	100	220.00
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The following are the counties included in each region:  
 Region 1: Siskiyou, Modoc, Shasta, Lassen, and Plumas.  
 Region 2: Tehama, Glenn, Butte, Colusa, Sutter, Yuba, Sierra, Nevada, Placer, Yolo, El Dorado, Solano, Sacramento, Amador, and Alpine.  
 Region 3: San Joaquin, Calaveras, Stanislaus, Tuolumne, Mono, Merced, Mariposa.  
 Region 4: Kern, Fresno, Kings, Tulare, and Inyo.  
 Region 5: Madra, Northeast Los Angeles, and Western San Bernardino.  
 Region 6: Eastern San Bernardino, Riverside, and Imperial.

## Grain Market Reports

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### Portland Daily Grain Report

October wheat futures trended mixed from 3.25 cents lower to 3.25 cents per bushel higher compared to Thursday's noon closes. Bids for US 1 Soft White Wheat delivered to Portland in unit trains and barges for October delivery ordinary protein trended steady to one cent per bushel lower compared to Thursday's noon bids for the same delivery period. Some exporters were not issuing bids for nearby delivery.

Bids for guaranteed maximum 10.5 percent protein trended steady compared to Thursday's noon bids for the same delivery period. Some exporters are not issuing bids for nearby delivery.

Bids for 11.5 percent US 1 Hard Red Winter Wheat for October delivery trended 3.25 cents per bushel higher compared to Thursday's noon bids for the same delivery period. Some exporters were not issuing bids for nearby delivery.

Bids for 14 percent protein US 1 Dark Northern Spring Wheat for October delivery trended 3.25 cents per bushel lower compared to Thursday's noon bids for the same delivery period. Some exporters were not issuing bids for nearby delivery.

Bids for 11 percent US 1 Yellow Soybeans delivered full coast in 110 car shuttle trains for October

delivery trended eight cents per bushel lower compared to Thursday's noon bids for the same delivery period. Some exporters were not issuing bids for nearby delivery.

According to the Portland Merchant's Exchange, there were 15 grain vessels in Columbia River ports today, with four docked. All bids in dollars per bushel

US 1 Soft White Wheat — delivered by Unit Trains and Barges  
 Ordinary protein:  
 Oct: 6.0000-6.0500 dn 1.00-unch  
 Nov: 6.0500-6.0800 up 1.00-unch  
 Dec: 6.1000-6.1100 up 3.00-unch  
 Jan: NA  
 Feb: NA  
 Guaranteed maximum 10.5 pct protein:  
 Oct: 6.0000-6.0500 unch  
 Nov: 6.0500-6.1000 up 1.00-unch  
 Dec: 6.1000-6.1500 up 3.00-unch  
 Jan: 6.1300-6.1800 up 3.00-unch  
 Feb: NA  
 US 1 White Club Wheat — delivered by Unit Trains and Barges  
 Ordinary protein:  
 Oct: 6.0000-6.5500 dn 1.00-unch  
 Guaranteed maximum 10.5 pct protein:  
 Oct: 6.0000-6.9500 dn 1.00-unch  
 US 1 Hard Red Winter Wheat — (Exporter bids-falling numbers of 300 or better)  
 Ordinary protein: 5.4775-5.5775 up 3.25  
 11 pct protein: 5.6775-5.7775 up 3.25  
 11.5 pct protein:  
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## Dairy Report

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### Fluid Milk and Cream — Western U.S.

California daily average milk yield has been stable to higher. Compared to September, milk production has improved this month. There has also been improvements in milk component levels. Milk intakes from grocery stores and schools are unchanged to a bit up. Class II requests have somewhat dropped. As temperatures continue to cool off in Arizona, milk production is active. However, a few manufacturing facilities have room to help clear out-of-state milk. As the result, there is a flow of milk from the Upper West region to Arizona.

Trucking issues and difficulty with finding haulers are slowing down milk transporta-

tion. Class I milk demand is the same as the previous week.

New Mexico milk production is at seasonal levels. Manufacturers have enough supplies to satisfy their processing needs.

Educational institutions are pulling steady volumes of milk. Overall, the market tone is stable.

Milk production in the Pacific Northwest is steady. School milk bottling is stable and dairy manufacturers have plenty of milk for most processing needs. Favorable weather continues to support cow comfort and milk output.

Milk production in the mountain states of Idaho, Utah and Colorado is steady. While nights have started getting chilly, pleasant

daytime temperatures have kept the milk flowing. Furthermore, some farms continue to add cows into the regional milking herd. There is more than enough milk for processing needs.

Any disruptions to milk handling or processing quickly result in extra milk loads getting discounted and pushed into surrounding states. Condensed skim sales are close to stable this week. Some manufacturers report that spot demands are very limited. Customers are content with their contractual loads and are not looking to increase their intakes.

In the West, cream sales have been weak to almost non-existent. Customers are not

ready to pull the trigger on holiday needs yet. There have been unsolicited offers as suppliers try to clear some of their stocks. Some