



Rock Valley Hay Auction (Thur) - Rock Valley, IA

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Hay Auction Weighted Average Report for 10/2/2025 - Final

Compared to last Thursday, all grades of hay steady to firm. The quality was better than last week but still only slightly above average. We had a more attentive buyer crowd today. Trade active with good demand.

Hay Auction

	This Week	Last Reported (9/25/2025)	Last Year (10/3/2024)
Tons:			
Hay	899	1256	901
Straw	87	134	108
Total	986	1390	1009

Hay (Conventional)

Alfalfa - Premium/Supreme (Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Medium Square 3x3	25.00	170.00	170.00		2nd Cut

Alfalfa - Good/Premium (Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Square 3x4	25.00	130.00	130.00		3rd Cut
Large Round	57.00	137.50-140.00	138.82		3rd Cut

Alfalfa - Fair/Good (Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round	82.00	110.00-112.50	110.73		2nd Cut
Large Round	74.00	117.50-120.00	119.59		3rd Cut

Alfalfa - Utility/Fair (Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round	38.00	105.00	105.00		2nd Cut



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Alfalfa - Utility (Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round	18.00	80.00	80.00		

Alfalfa/Grass Mix - Utility/Fair (Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round	30.00	92.50	92.50		3rd Cut

Grass - Good/Premium (Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round	124.00	122.50-130.00	126.43		
Large Round	94.00	120.00	120.00		1st Cut

Grass - Fair/Good (Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round	167.00	105.00-117.50	112.78		

Grass - Utility/Fair (Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Round	165.00	85.00-92.50	89.24		

Straw (Conventional)

Bluegrass - (Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Round	44.00	80.00-100.00	90.00		New Crop

Wheat - (Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Square	25.00	90.00	90.00		New Crop
Round	18.00	140.00	140.00		New Crop



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Please Note:

The above USDA LPGMN price report is reflective of the majority of classes and quality of hay offered for sale. There may be instances where some sales do not fit within reporting guidelines and therefore will not be included in the report. Prices are reported on an FOB basis, unless otherwise noted.