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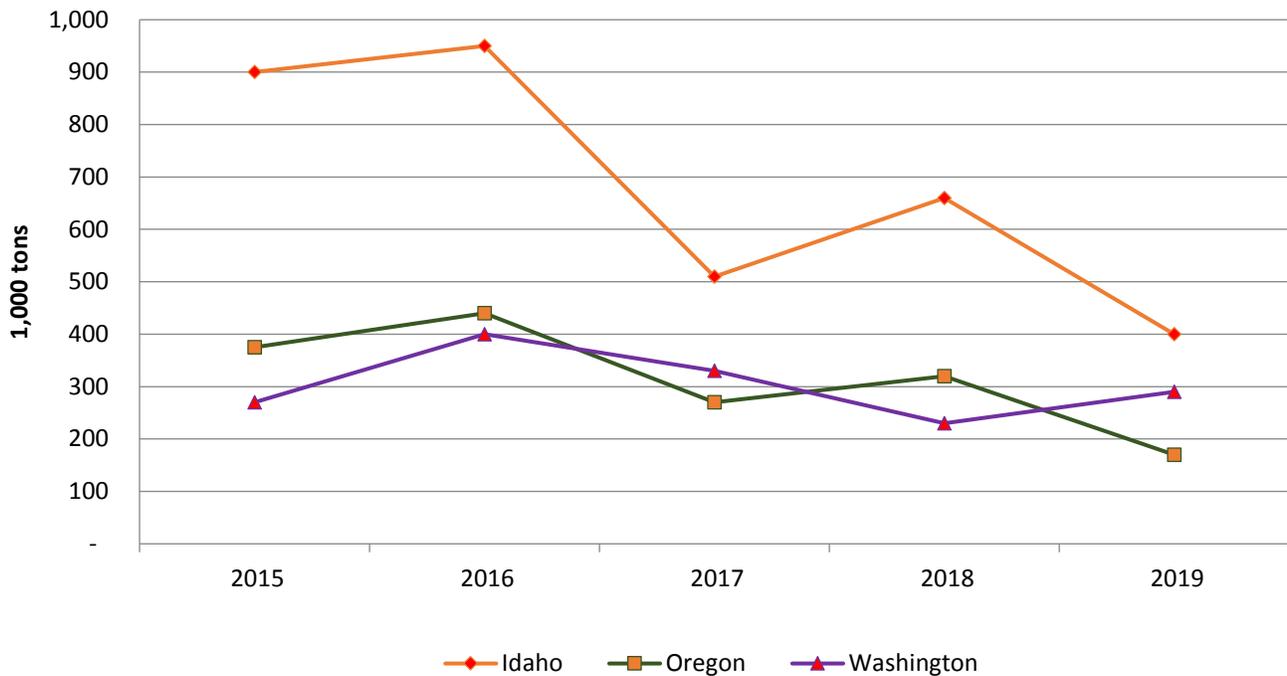
Hay Stocks in the Northwest Region down 29 percent from 2018

Hay stocks on farms on May 1, 2019 totaled 400,000 tons in Idaho, down 39 percent from a year ago. May 1 stocks represent 8 percent of 2018 production. Disappearance from December 1, 2018 was down 2.0 million tons. On-farm hay stocks in Oregon totaled 170,000 tons, down 47 percent from 2018. May 1 stocks are 6 percent of 2018 production. Disappearance from December 1, 2018 totaled down 1.5 million tons. Washington on-farm hay stocks totaled 290,000 tons up 26 percent from last year. May 1 stocks represent 10 percent of 2018 production. Disappearance from December 1, 2018 was down 810,000 tons. Hay stocks stored on United States farms totaled 14.9 million tons, down 3 percent from a year ago. May 1 stocks are 12 percent of 2018 production. Disappearance from December 1, 2018 totaled down 64.1 million tons.

Hay Stocks on Farms — Idaho, Oregon, Washington, and United States: December 1 and May 1, 2017-2019

State	December 1		May 1	
	2017	2018	2018	2019
	(1,000 tons)	(1,000 tons)	(1,000 tons)	(1,000 tons)
Idaho	2,200	2,400	660	400
Oregon	1,650	1,650	320	170
Washington	1,150	1,100	230	290
United States	84,422	79,055	15,348	14,906

Hay Stocks on Farms - Idaho, Oregon, and Washington: May 1, 2015 - 2019



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