

Wheat & Barley Movement

July 2012 - December 2012 and
Revised Marketing Year Summary for 2011-2012

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Wheat Movement

Montana wheat shipped to out-of-state destinations during July 2012 through December 2012 was 87.3 million bushels, up 11% from the previous year.

Eighty-nine percent of wheat shipped during this period headed west, totaling 77.9 million bushels, up from the 66.6 million bushels of a year earlier. Movement to eastern destinations during this period totaled 3.8 million bushels, compared to 5.7 million bushels a year ago. Other and unknown destinations totaled 5.6 million bushels, down from 6.1 million bushels a year ago.

Wheat shipped by rail amounted to 86.5 million bushels, 99% of total shipments. Wheat trucked during this period was 0.8 million bushels, compared to 1.0 million bushels a year ago. The percentage of wheat shipped by truck was 1% of the total, compared to 1% the previous year.

Barley Movement

Montana barley shipped to out-of-state destinations during the July 2012 to December 2012 period was 10.9 million bushels, up from 8.1 million bushels from the same period last year.

Shipments of barley out of Montana headed for western destinations totaled 1.8 million bushels, down from the 2.0 million bushels for the same period last year. Shipments to eastern destinations increased to 8.5 million bushels, compared to 5.2 million bushels last year. Shipments to other and unknown destinations went from 0.9 million bushels last year to 0.7 million bushels this year.

Barley shipped by rail amounted to 10.1 million bushels, up from the 7.3 million bushels a year ago. Barley hauled by rail was 93% of total movement, up 3 percentage points from the same period last year.

Wheat and Barley Shipments out of Montana from July 2012 through December 2012 ^{1/}

	Barley	Durum Wheat	Hard White Wheat	Soft White Wheat	Spring Wheat	Winter Wheat	Total Wheat
Thousand Bushels							
Shipments By Truck							
West	343	6	--	--	27	10	43
East	360	44	--	6	7	10	67
Other & Unknown	63	64	--	--	86	551	701
Total Shipments by Truck	766	114		6	120	571	811
Shipments By Rail							
West	1,422	342	1	29	37,257	40,248	77,877
East	8,087	2,945	--	--	716	81	3,742
Other & Unknown	591	3,888	229	--	531	230	4,878
Total Shipments by Rail	10,100	7,175	230	29	38,504	40,559	86,497
Total Shipments	10,866	7,289	230	35	38,624	41,130	87,308

Wheat and Barley Shipments out of Montana from July 2011 through December 2011 ^{1/, 2/}

	Barley	Durum Wheat	Hard White Wheat	Soft White Wheat	Spring Wheat	Winter Wheat	Total Wheat
Thousand Bushels							
Shipments By Truck							
West	520	66	10	3	116	158	353
East	93	7	--	10	25	4	46
Other & Unknown	159	29	--	--	108	508	645
Total Shipments by Truck	772	102	10	13	249	670	1,044
Shipments By Rail							
West	1,454	190	3	--	29,857	36,238	66,288
East	5,074	4,863	--	--	780	31	5,674
Other & Unknown	760	3,060	50	--	644	1,699	5,453
Total Shipments by Rail	7,288	8,113	53	--	31,281	37,968	77,415
Total Shipments	8,060	8,215	63	13	31,530	38,638	78,459

^{1/} Data is reported by commercial elevators and licensed truckers and is expanded to represent 100% of elevator capacity.

^{2/} Revised.

Data compiled and summarized by the Montana Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, an agency of USDA, as a service provided for the Montana Wheat and Barley Committee.

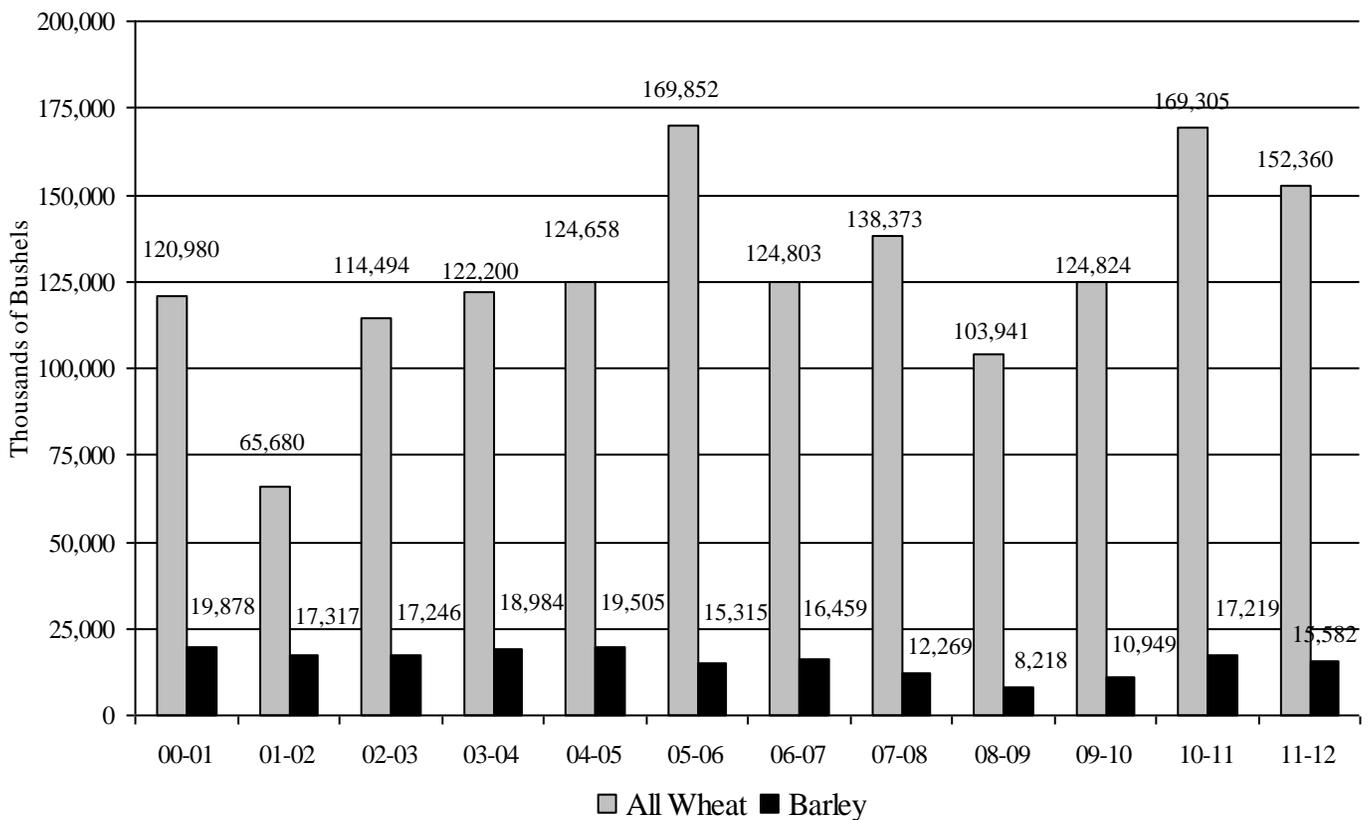
Wheat and Barley Shipments out of Montana for the Marketing Year of July 2011 - June 2012 ^{1/, 2/}

	Barley	Durum Wheat	Hard White Wheat	Soft White Wheat	Spring Wheat	Winter Wheat	Total Wheat
Shipments By Truck							
Thousand Bushels							
West	823	94	14	3	134	168	413
East	233	17	--	22	107	21	167
Other & Unknown	387	106	2	1	158	1,057	1,324
Total Shipments by Truck	1,443	217	16	26	399	1,246	1,904
Shipments By Rail							
West	2,327	464	7	--	61,408	72,514	134,393
East	9,475	7,374	20	--	1,232	131	8,757
Other & Unknown	2,337	4,506	148	--	794	1,858	7,306
Total Shipments by Rail	14,139	12,344	175		63,434	74,503	150,456
Total Shipments	15,582	12,561	191	26	63,833	75,749	152,360

Wheat and Barley Shipments out of Montana for the Marketing Year of July 2010 - June 2011 ^{1/}

	Barley	Durum Wheat	Hard White Wheat	Soft White Wheat	Spring Wheat	Winter Wheat	Total Wheat
Shipments By Truck							
Thousand Bushels							
West	1,383	--	11	--	527	1,461	1,999
East	156	32	--	6	284	4	326
Other & Unknown	613	109	10	2	553	591	1,265
Total Shipments by Truck	2,152	141	21	8	1,364	2,056	3,590
Shipments By Rail							
West	3,687	149	--	--	71,214	72,295	143,658
East	9,218	7,350	--	--	525	298	8,173
Other & Unknown	2,162	5,986	209	--	2,520	5,169	13,884
Total Shipments by Rail	15,067	13,485	209		74,259	77,762	165,715
Total Shipments	17,219	13,626	230	8	75,623	79,818	169,305

All Wheat and Barley Shipments out of Montana, 2000-2011 Marketing Years ^{2/}



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