

Wheat & Barley Movement

July 2013 - December 2013 and
Revised Marketing Year Summary for 2012-2013

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Wheat Movement

Montana wheat shipped to out-of-state destinations during July 2013 through December 2013 was 94.5 million bushels, up 9 percent from the previous year.

Eighty-six percent of wheat shipped during this period headed west, totaling 81.6 million bushels, up from the 77.9 million bushels of a year earlier. Movement to eastern destinations during this period totaled 3.9 million bushels, compared to 3.8 million bushels a year ago. Other and unknown destinations totaled 9.2 million bushels, up from 5.6 million bushels a year ago.

Wheat shipped by rail amounted to 93.3 million bushels, 99 percent of total shipments. Wheat trucked during this period was 1.4 million bushels, compared to 0.8 million bushels a year ago. The percentage of wheat shipped by truck was 1 percent of the total, compared to 1 percent the previous year.

Barley Movement

Montana barley shipped to out-of-state destinations during the July 2013 to December 2013 period was 10.1 million bushels, down from 10.9 million bushels from the same period last year.

Shipments of barley out of Montana headed for western destinations totaled 1.2 million bushels, down from the 1.8 million bushels for the same period last year. Shipments to eastern destinations decreased to 7.3 million bushels, compared to 8.5 million bushels last year. Shipments to other and unknown destinations went from 0.7 million bushels last year to 1.5 million bushels this year.

Barley shipped by rail amounted to 9.3 million bushels, down from the 10.1 million bushels a year ago. Barley hauled by rail was 92 percent of total movement, down 1 percentage point from the same period last year.

Wheat and Barley Shipments out of Montana from July 2013 through December 2013 ^{1/}

	Barley	Durum Wheat	Hard White Wheat	Soft White Wheat	Spring Wheat	Winter Wheat	Total Wheat
Thousand Bushels							
Shipments By Truck							
West	267	4	--	10	236	129	379
East	414	--	--	--	--	--	--
Other & Unknown	93	29	--	--	487	504	1,020
Total Shipments by Truck	774	33	--	10	723	633	1,399
Shipments By Rail							
West	962	762	22	7	43,143	37,258	81,192
East	6,881	3,368	23	--	334	201	3,926
Other & Unknown	1,441	4,340	106	--	3,500	233	8,179
Total Shipments by Rail	9,284	8,470	151	7	46,977	37,692	93,297
Total Shipments	10,058	8,503	151	17	47,700	38,325	94,696

Wheat and Barley Shipments out of Montana from July 2012 through December 2012 ^{1/, 2/}

	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

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

^{2/} Revised.

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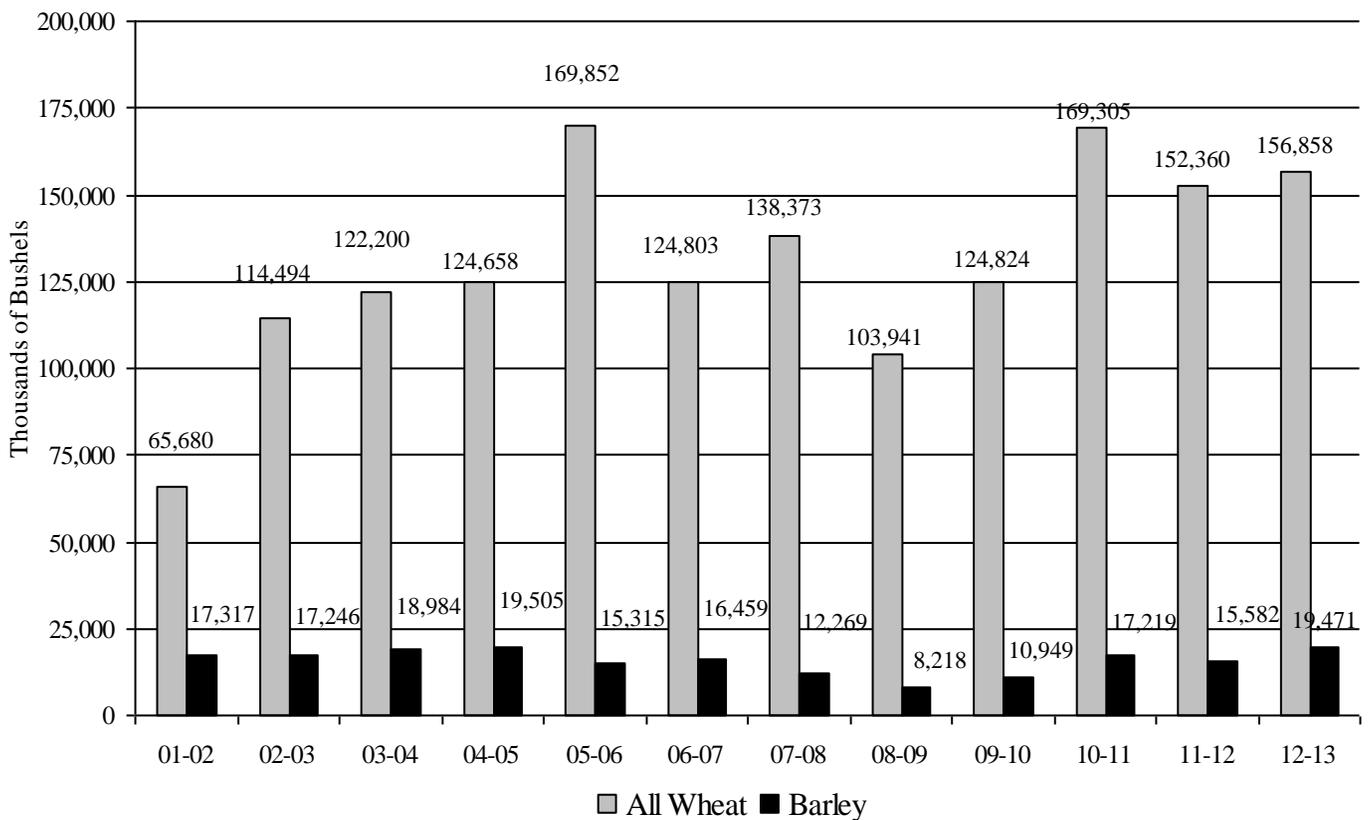
Wheat and Barley Shipments out of Montana for the Marketing Year of July 2012 - June 2013 ^{1/, 2/}

	Barley	Durum Wheat	Hard White Wheat	Soft White Wheat	Spring Wheat	Winter Wheat	Total Wheat
Shipments By Truck				Thousand Bushels			
West	708	6	--	--	138	124	268
East	379	53	--	18	7	11	89
Other & Unknown	199	102	--	--	133	929	1,164
Total Shipments by Truck	1,286	161	--	18	278	1,064	1,521
Shipments By Rail							
West	2,682	342	1	29	69,709	69,463	139,544
East	14,011	4,794	--	--	953	81	5,828
Other & Unknown	1,492	7,251	588	--	1,336	790	9,965
Total Shipments by Rail	18,185	12,387	589	29	71,998	70,334	155,337
Total Shipments	19,471	12,548	589	47	72,276	71,398	156,858

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

	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

All Wheat and Barley Shipments out of Montana, 2001-2012 Marketing Years ^{2/}



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