National Grain Market St. Joseph, MO Wed Apr 21, 1999 USDA-MO Dept Ag Market News DAILY NATIONAL GRAIN SUM-

MARY Wheat bids were slightly higher on spillover strength from yesterday and overnight export sales and reported donation

tenders. Corn bids were steady to slightly higher on wet weather and planting delays. Soybean bids slightly lower on dry weather forecasts and lack of foreign sales. Wheat 1 to 10 cents higher. Com steady to 2 cents higher. Sorghum steady. Soybeans 1 to 5 cents lower. USDA's Donation tender for 298,000 tonnes of hard red winter wheat, 213,400 tonnes of soft red winter wheat, and 113,200 tonnes hard red spring wheat for May/July, boosted wheat bids. Chile's overnight purchase of soft white and hard red winter wheats also added strength to cash bids. Limiting gains were reports of rain in China's winter wheat areas and the beginning of Texas harvest. Com bids were mostly steady with some strength noted due to continued wet conditions in the Combelt areas which are causing planting delays. Forecasts are calling for drier weather in the Midwest areas next week and limiting gains. Declines were made in soybean bids as the dry weather forecast for Midwest areas next week and slow farmer selling undermined bids. Export orders remain nil for soybeans.

U.S. EXPORT SALES: Purchaser Commodity Tonnage Del Date Chile Soft White Wheat 12,500 June Hard Red Winter Wheat 14,500 Totals: Wheat 27,000 tonnes.

Date Change Year Ago TRUCK BIDS: 04/21/99 04/20/99 04/22/98 Wheat: Kansas City (HRW ORD) 2.80 Up 6-5 3.17

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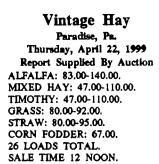
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3.99 Portland (SW) 3.25-3.26 Up 3-1 3.30-3.32 St. Louis (SRW) 2.46-2.48 Up 10-1 3.02-3.03

Corn, US 2 Yellow: Kansas City 2.13 Unch 2.48 Minneapolis 2.10 Unch 2.38 1/4 Southern Iowa 2.20-2.21 Up 2-dn 1 2.46-2.49 Omaha 2.02-2.04 Up 2-unch 2.34-2.38

Soybeans, US 1 Yellow: Kansas City 4.87 Dn 2 6.43 Minneapolis 4.73 3/4 Dn 1 3/4 6.27 3/4 Southern Iowa 4.84-4.86 Dn 2 6.34-6.37 Cent IL Processors 4.85 3/4-4.94

3/4 Dn 5 3/4- 6.40 3/4-6.54 3/4 1 3/4 FUTURES: Kansas City (May) Wheat 2.84 Dn 1 3.17 Kansas City (Jul) Wheat 2.94 1/4 Dn 1 1/2 Minneapolis (May) Wheat 3.32 3/4 Up 3/4 3.66 Minneapolis (Jul) Wheat 3.39 Unch Chicago (May)



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