Machinery & Equipment | CHECKLIST

Hay Harvest Equipment Checklist

An equipment checklist for hay harvest that covers mowers, rakes, balers, and haulers so each machine is ready before the first cutting.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

ITEM	OK	FIX	N/A
Mower conditioner knives and bearings	☐	☐	☐
Rake or tedder tines and drives	☐	☐	☐
Baler belts, chains, and pickup	☐	☐	☐
Twine, net wrap, or film on hand	☐	☐	☐
Bale hauler and loader condition	☐	☐	☐
Tires, hitches, and lights checked	☐	☐	☐
Fire extinguishers on machines	☐	☐	☐
Spare parts and tools stocked	☐	☐	☐
Test run each machine	☐	☐	☐

NOTES / REPAIRS NEEDED

TIP Test every machine ahead of the season and use the weather forecast to plan cutting and baling.