



Mulch hay is variable

Table 1. Composition of 102 lots of northern NY hay, 2011.

Component	Average	Minimum	Maximum
Ash, %	7.3	3.8	21.2
BTU, per lb.	8013	6674	8394
Cl, %	0.24	0.08	0.84
K, %	1.1	0.3	2.2
S, %	0.14	0.06	0.30
Fe, ppm	403	54	5151
Al, ppm	471	90	6216
Ti, ppm	12.8	0.4	209
CP, %	10.0	4.6	15.0
NDF, %	66.8	54.0	84.2
Lignin, %	9.4	5.7	14.1