

## FIELD CROPS DEPARTMENT 34

1. Read General Rules and Static Exhibit Rules carefully.
2. Baled hay may be any combination of grass and legume roughage. One sample per exhibitor in any single Lot is permitted. The sample must be two flakes from any one bale. Judging will be on the basis of color leafiness and other standards of common US graders. The moisture content must be low enough that, in the opinion of the judges, the hay would remain in good condition under average hay mow storage conditions. Grass silage samples must be in tightly sealed one quart glass jars.
3. As long as your articles for exhibit differ you may make more than one entry in Lot 10. In the case of 3 or more exhibits of the same kind, a new lot will be formed.

### CLASS A

#### HAY

- Lot 01.** Timothy, at least 90%  
**Lot 02.** Alfalfa, at least 90%  
**Lot 03.** Mixed hay, grasses and legumes in any combination

#### CORN AND GRAINS

- Lot 04.** Popcorn, 5 ears  
**Lot 05.** Flint corn, 5 ears  
**Lot 06.** Tallest stalk of corn (measured from ground level to top of tassel)  
**Lot 07.** Corn grown for decorative (Indian corn) or utilitarian (broom corn) purposes

#### ENSILAGE

- Lot 08.** Ensilage corn, 5 stalks  
**Lot 09.** Grass silage, 2 one quart glass jars

#### OTHER

- Lot 10.** Any other field crop not listed such as mangels, amaranth, etc. (See Rule 3 above)\*  
**Lot 11.** 2 large field pumpkins, uniform in size and shape, with stem  
**Lot 12.** Tallest sunflower plant, cut at soil line and in water - flower must be in full bloom and in good condition  
**Lot 13.** Field pumpkin (largest ripe pumpkin by weight - must indicate weight)  
**Lot 14.** Largest sunflower head. Must be in full bloom, with seeds 75% ripe, and be in good condition.  
**Lot 15.** Basket or similar container of gourds - 7-10 gourds any type.

#### DISPLAYS

- Lot 16.** Informational display with visual examples either on poster board and/or within a 30"x30" area. Examples: different types of hay used for different animals, haying process, various types of corn and each type's use, how sunflower oil is produced, storing silage, farm equipment, how broom corn is made into a broom, etc.). **This may be entered as an individual, team or club display.**
- Lot 17.** Harvest display utilizing no more than a 30"x30" area, with field crop items you grew. May use pumpkins, gourds, cornstalks, sunflowers, decorative corn, hay, etc., and can include other optional homemade or store-bought props (mini scarecrows, birds, Halloween items, etc.) pertaining to the theme. You *must* include a tablecover. **This may be entered as an individual, team or club display.**
- Lot 18.** Challenge Lot - Scarecrow, see the Challenge Lots section.

#### PREMIUMS

	First	Second	Third
Lot 01-15	4 PTS	3 PTS	2 PTS
Lot 16-18	15 PTS	11 PTS	7.5 PTS

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