



PRODUCE

September 24, 2020

Higher in Price

District Name	Commodity Name	Market Tone
PERU IMPORTS - PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA	ASPARAGUS	EXTRA LARGE AND LARGE SLIGHTLY HIGHER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY.
PERU IMPORTS - PORTS OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA AREA AND NEW YORK CITY AREA	BLUEBERRIES	ORGANIC HIGHER, CONVENTIONAL ABOUT STEADY.
CENTRAL COAST CALIFORNIA	BOK CHOY	SLIGHTLY HIGHER.
SOUTH & CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA	BRUSSELS SPROUTS	SLIGHTLY HIGHER.
CENTRAL COAST CALIFORNIA	CABBAGE	GREEN HIGHER, RED SLIGHTLY HIGHER.
OXNARD DISTRICT CALIFORNIA	CABBAGE	GREEN SLIGHTLY HIGHER, RED SLIGHTLY LOWER.
SALINAS-WATSONVILLE CALIFORNIA	CAULIFLOWER	12S SLIGHTLY HIGHER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY.
CHILE IMPORTS - PORT OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA AREA	KIWIFRUIT	HIGHER.
CHILE IMPORTS - PORT OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA AREA	LEMONS	HIGHER.
SANTA MARIA CALIFORNIA	LETTUCE-OTHER	SLIGHTLY HIGHER.
SALINAS-WATSONVILLE CALIFORNIA	LETTUCE-OTHER	RED LEAF ABOUT STEADY, OTHERS SLIGHTLY HIGHER.
CHILE IMPORTS - PORT OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA AREA	ORANGES	HIGHER.
SOUTH AFRICA IMPORTS - PORT OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA AREA	ORANGES	HIGHER.
OXNARD DISTRICT CALIFORNIA	PARSLEY	PLAIN 60S SLIGHTLY LOWER, CURLY 30S SLIGHTLY HIGHER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY.
SALINAS-WATSONVILLE CALIFORNIA	STRAWBERRIES	ORGANIC SLIGHTLY HIGHER, CONVENTIONAL ABOUT STEADY.
SANTA MARIA CALIFORNIA	STRAWBERRIES	ORGANIC SLIGHTLY HIGHER, CONVENTIONAL ABOUT STEADY.
CHILE IMPORTS - PORT OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA AREA	TANGERINES	HIGHER.
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA	TOMATOES	SLIGHTLY HIGHER.
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA	TOMATOES, CHERRY	SLIGHTLY HIGHER.
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA	TOMATOES, PLUM TYPE	MEDIUM SLIGHTLY HIGHER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY.

MICHIGAN	TOMATOES, PLUM TYPE	SLIGHTLY HIGHER.
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Lower in Price

District Name	Commodity Name	Market Tone
CENTRAL DISTRICT CALIFORNIA	ARTICHOKES	18S SLIGHTLY LOWER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY.
SOUTH DISTRICT CALIFORNIA	AVOCADOS	40S LOWER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY.
SANTA MARIA CALIFORNIA	BROCCOLI	BUNCHED SLIGHTLY LOWER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY.
OXNARD DISTRICT CALIFORNIA	CABBAGE	GREEN SLIGHTLY HIGHER, RED SLIGHTLY LOWER.
SANTA MARIA CALIFORNIA	CELERY	2 DOZEN ABOUT STEADY, OTHERS SLIGHTLY LOWER.
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS	CILANTRO	SLIGHTLY LOWER.
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA	CUCUMBERS	LARGE ABOUT STEADY, 36S LOWER, OTHERS SLIGHTLY LOWER.
SANTA MARIA CALIFORNIA	LETTUCE-ROMAINE	SLIGHTLY LOWER.
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS	LIMES	175-200S SLIGHTLY LOWER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY.
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH ARIZONA, CALIFORNIA AND TEXAS	MISC BERRIES	SLIGHTLY LOWER.
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA	ONIONS GREEN	LEEKS SLIGHTLY LOWER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY.
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS	PAPAYA	SLIGHTLY LOWER.
OXNARD DISTRICT CALIFORNIA	PARSLEY	PLAIN 60S SLIGHTLY LOWER, CURLY 30S SLIGHTLY HIGHER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY.
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS	PEPPERS, BELL TYPE	RED SLIGHTLY LOWER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY.
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS	PEPPERS, OTHER	POBLANO SLIGHTLY LOWER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY.
UPPER VALLEY, TWIN FALLS-BURLEY DISTRICT IDAHO	POTATOES	CARTON 50S AND 90S LOWER. OTHERS STEADY.
CENTRAL COAST CALIFORNIA	SPINACH	SLIGHTLY LOWER.
WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA	SQUASH	ZUCCHINI SLIGHTLY LOWER, YELLOW STRAIGHTNECK ABOUT STEADY.
PERU IMPORTS - PORTS OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA AREA AND NEW YORK CITY AREA	TANGERINES	LOWER.
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA	TOMATOES, GRAPE TYPE	PINT SLIGHTLY LOWER, CARTONS ABOUT STEADY.
EASTERN TENNESSEE VIRGINIA EASTERN SHORE	TOMATOES, PLUM TYPE	LOWER.
TEXAS & OKLAHOMA	WATERMELONS	45 COUNT SLIGHTLY LOWER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY.

Source <https://www.marketnews.usda.gov/mnp/fv-shipping-point-highlights>

SWEET CORN

Sweet corn harvest in MN is progressing with 62% of the overall crop now completed and 52% of the tons processed. The cooler weather this past week was a welcome break from the prior season of long, warm temperatures. The last sweet corn fields in MN project to harvest in early October with a slightly below budget crop. Janesville and Mayville are just over 50% complete with a budget crop projected. Harvest in the Central Sands is 66% complete with yields at roughly 100% of plan. The remaining crop continues to

look good, with a budget crop projected overall.

BEANS

Bean harvest is now 74% complete, and harvest continues well in all areas. Recent cool temperatures slowed maturity in almost every area and some excessive rain in MN slowed harvest. Harvest in the Cumberland growing areas continue with yields slightly above plan. Gillett continues harvest in the Antigo and local areas and yields continue to be variable and declining due to excessive rains causing drowned out areas. Harvest in NY continues with yields climbing as harvest progresses though plantings that received more timely rain. Overall a budget green bean crop is projected.

RED BEETS

The beet crop is progressing well in both growing areas, with yields in NY now projecting an above budget crop, due to larger beets. Some WI plantings have root rot due to the earlier wet/warm weather, but are improving. The remaining acres continue to look good, though are not sizing up due to the more recent dry weather and cool temperatures. Currently projecting a budget crop.

CARROTS

The carrot crop in MN is progressing with no major concerns at this time. Carrots in WI look good at this time with no shortages expected. Harvest is projected to begin early October, while NY harvest is expected to begin later this week.

LIMAS

Lima Bean harvest is nearing completion in both areas. Field yields are tracking below budget and hail damage has caused some earlier crop losses, but we expect to meet our needs for the pack.

CABBAGE

Cabbage harvest in NY began on 9/8 with the first white set to be cut and tanked in Geneva.

PUMPKIN

Pumpkin harvest in Havana continues to track budget tons to date, with only 600 acres remaining. Princeville saw some heavy rain this past week, but the fields were very dry going into the rain and most of the moisture soaked in nicely. Organic pumpkin will be ready for harvest near the end of the month.

Source: Seneca