

Agricultural Marketing Service Specialty Crops Market News

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Weather at 7:00 A.M. Mostly Cloudy 74 Yesterday's High 92

WHOLESALE MARKET PRICES: Prices quoted cover sales by primary receivers of overall supplies on wholesale lots and are on stock of generally good merchantable quality and condition unless otherwise stated

#### **HERBS**

- ---ANISE: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. cartons CALIFORNIA 24s 18.00
- ---ARUGULA: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. cartons 2 1-1/2 lb film bags FLORIDA BABY TYPE 18.00
- ---BASIL: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 1 lb film bags CALIFORNIA air loose 10.00 SOUTH CAROLINA truck greenhouse loose 10.00
- ---CHIVES: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 1 lb film bags bunched CALIFORNIA air 12s 12.00
- ---CILANTRO: MARKET STEADY. crates bunched MEXICO 60s 26.00 few higher cartons loose NONE repacked local 30s 22.00
- ---DILL: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 1 lb film bags bunched MEXICO air 12s 12.00
- ---DRY ESCHALLOT: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 5 lb sacks FRANCE large 13.00-15.00
- ---MINT: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 1 lb film bags MEXICO air 12s 10.00
- ---OREGANO: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 1 lb film bags bunched MEXICO air 12s 13.00
- ---ROSEMARY: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 1 lb film bags bunched CALIFORNIA air 12s 11.00
- ---SAGE: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 1 lb film bags bunched CALIFORNIA air 12s 10.00
- ---TARRAGON: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 1 lb film bags CALIFORNIA air 12s 12.00
- ---THYME: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 1 lb film bags CALIFORNIA air 12s 12.00

#### VEGETABLES

- ---ALFALFA SPROUTS: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. cartons 12 4-oz packages SOUTH CAROLINA 12.00
- ---ASPARAGUS: MARKET STEADY. 11 lb cartons/crates bunched PERU Green standard 52.00
- ---BEAN SPROUTS: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 5 lb film bags SOUTH CAROLINA 7.00
- ---BEANS, HALF RUNNERS: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. bushel crates NORTH CAROLINA 40.00
- ---BEANS, LIMA: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. mesh sacks approximately 27 lbs TENNESSEE Green 32.00
- ---BEANS, ROUND GREEN TYPE: MARKET SLIGHTLY HIGHER. bushel cartons/crates precooled MICHIGAN Machine Picked 36.00-38.00 NORTH CAROLINA Machine Picked 34.00-38.00
- ---BEETS: MARKET STEADY. 25 lb sacks loose CALIFORNIA GOLD TYPE large 42.00 25 lb film bags MEXICO RED TYPE large 19.00 MICHIGAN RED TYPE medium 27.00 SOUTH CAROLINA RED TYPE medium 18.00
- ---BOK CHOY: MARKET STEADY, OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT, 30 lb cartons CALIFORNIA 35.00
- ---BROCCOLI: MARKET STEADY. 20 lb cartons loose MEXICO CROWN CUT Short Trim 28.00 cartons CALIFORNIA BABY HYBRID TYPE bunched 18s 31.00 cartons 4 3-lb film bags CALIFORNIA FLORETTES 30.00
- ---BRUSSELS SPROUTS: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 25 lb cartons MEXICO large 38.00 few higher
- ---CABBAGE: MARKET STEADY. 50 lb sacks NEW YORK ROUND GREEN TYPE large 16.00 50 lb cartons GEORGIA ROUND GREEN TYPE medium 22.00-24.00 NEW YORK ROUND GREEN TYPE medium 20.00 NORTH CAROLINA RED TYPE medium 25.00 ROUND GREEN TYPE medium 21.00-24.00
- ---CACTUS LEAF (NOPALES): MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 35 lb crates MEXICO 25.00
- ---CARROTS: MARKET STEADY. cartons 30 1-lb film bags CALIFORNIA BABY PEELED 34.00-37.00 sacks 24 2-lb film bags CALIFORNIA TOPPED medium-large 33.00 sacks 48 1-lb film bags CALIFORNIA TOPPED medium-large 33.00 25 lb sacks loose CALIFORNIA TOPPED Mixed Colors medium-large 32.00 MEXICO TOPPED jumbo 19.50 50 lb sacks loose MEXICO TOPPED jumbo 29.00-32.00

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- ---CAULIFLOWER: MARKET STEADY. cartons film wrapped CALIFORNIA White 12s 28.00
- ---CELERY: MARKET STEADY. cartons CANADA QUEBEC film bags 30s 27.00 MICHIGAN 3 dozen 25.00 film bags 30s 35.00 film bags 36s 27.00
- ---CHAYOTE: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 35 lb containers MEXICO 35.00 DARK GREEN 35.00
- ---CHINESE CABBAGE: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 30 lb cartons CALIFORNIA NAPA 38.00
- ---CORN, SWEET: MARKET STEADY. wirebound crates MICHIGAN Bi-color 4 dozen 28.00 White 4 dozen 28.00 Yellow 4 dozen 26.00 SOUTH CAROLINA White 4 dozen 30.00 cartons NEW YORK Bi-color 4 dozen 24.00 White 4 dozen 24.00
- ---CUCUMBERS: MARKET STEADY. 1 1/9 bushel crates GEORGIA PICKLE Kirby 150-200s 22.00 200-300s 30.00-36.00 few higher SOUTH CAROLINA small-medium fair quality 24.00 PICKLE Kirby 150-200s 30.00 200-300s 35.00 1 1/9 bushel cartons CANADA QUEBEC waxed medium fair quality 22.00 HONDURAS waxed medium 30.00 MEXICO waxed large 35.00 MICHIGAN PICKLE Kirby 200-300s 36.00-41.00 cartons film wrapped CANADA ONTARIO greenhouse CD ONE LONG SEEDLESS 12s medium 25.00
- ---EGGPLANT: MARKET STEADY. 1 1/9 bushel containers GEORGIA ITALIAN medium 26.00 1 1/9 bushel cartons wrapped GEORGIA medium 18.00-19.00 few higher NORTH CAROLINA medium 19.00-22.00 few higher
- ---GARLIC: MARKET STEADY. 30 lb cartons CHINA White 50-55 mm/5.0-5.5 cm 80.00 netted 5s 85.00
- ---GINGER ROOT: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 30 lb cartons BRAZIL 65.00 CHINA 58.00
- ---GREENS, COLLARD: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. cartons bunched SOUTH CAROLINA 6s 16.00-18.00
- ---GREENS, KALE: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. cartons bunched SOUTH CAROLINA 24s 15.00-17.00
- ---GREENS, TURNIP TOPS: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. cartons loose SOUTH CAROLINA 16.00
- ---JICAMA: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 38-40 lb containers MEXICO 29.00-37.00
- ---LEEKS: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. cartons bunched CALIFORNIA 12s 34.00
- ---LETTUCE, GREEN LEAF: MARKET STEADY. cartons CALIFORNIA 24s 29.00 MICHIGAN 24s 28.00 10 lb cartons film lined CALIFORNIA CROWN CUT LEAVES 26.00
- ---LETTUCE, ICEBERG: MARKET STEADY. cartons CALIFORNIA film lined 24s 23.00 24s film wrapped 24.00 few higher
- ---LETTUCE, MESCULIN MIX: MARKET STEADY. cartons 3 1-lb film bags CALIFORNIA 10.50
- ---LETTUCE, RED LEAF: MARKET STEADY. cartons CALIFORNIA 24s 27.00 MICHIGAN 24s 28.00
- ---LETTUCE, ROMAINE: MARKET STEADY. 10 lb cartons film lined CALIFORNIA CROWN CUT LEAVES 25.00 cartons 12 3-count packages CALIFORNIA HEARTS 28.00 cartons CALIFORNIA 24s 32.00 CANADA QUEBEC 24s 32.00 MICHIGAN 24s 28.00
- ---MAGUEY (AGAVE) LEAVES: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. bundles 12s MEXICO 22.00
- ---MUSHROOMS: MARKET STEADY. 3 lb cartons PENNSYLVANIA OYSTER medium 21.00 SHIITAKE medium 24.25 WHITE small 10.50 SOUTH CAROLINA OYSTER medium 21.00 5 lb cartons PENNSYLVANIA CREMINI medium 14.50 PORTOBELLA large 16.00 WHITE medium 12.50 10 lb cartons PENNSYLVANIA WHITE medium 22.00 small 26.00 Sliced medium 21.00-24.00 cartons 12 8-oz trays film wrapped PENNSYLVANIA CREMINI medium 19.00-19.50 WHITE medium 17.25-18.00
- ---OKRA: MARKET STEADY. 1/2 bushel crates FLORIDA medium 20.00-26.00 1/2 bushel cartons/crates SOUTH CAROLINA small-medium 28.00-30.00
- ---ONIONS, GREEN: MARKET STEADY. crates bunched SOUTH CAROLINA 24s 15.00-16.00 cartons 4 2-lb film bags loose iceless MEXICO 38.00
- ---PARSLEY: MARKET STEADY. cartons bunched CALIFORNIA CURLY 60s 35.00 PLAIN 60s 35.00
- ---PEAS, PINKEYE: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. mesh sacks approximately 27 lbs SOUTH CAROLINA 32.00-35.00
- ---PEAS, SNOW: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 10 lb cartons GUATEMALA DECALYXED 18.00
- ---PEAS, SUGAR SNAP: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 10 lb cartons GUATEMALA DECALYXED 21.00

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- ---PEPPERS, BELL TYPE: MARKET STEADY. 1 1/9 bushel cartons GEORGIA Green extra large 18.00 few higher Red extra large fair appearance 30.00 few higher MEXICO Red extra large 39.00 Yellow extra large 38.00 NORTH CAROLINA Brown extra large 35.00 Green jumbo 26.00 extra large 21.00-26.00 mostly 21.00 irregular size fair quality 20.00-24.00 mostly 20.00 5 kg/11 lb cartons MEXICO greenhouse Orange extra large 26.00-30.00 Red extra large 26.00-30.00 Yellow extra large 26.00-30.00
- ---PEPPERS, CUBANELLE: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 1 1/9 bushel cartons NORTH CAROLINA Green medium-large 30.00
- ---PEPPERS, HABANERO: MARKET STEADY. 8 lb cartons MEXICO Orange medium 32.00-35.00 few higher
- ---PEPPERS, HUNGARIAN WAX: MARKET STEADY. 1 1/9 bushel cartons NORTH CAROLINA large 30.00 1/2 bushel cartons repacked local large 18.00
- ---PEPPERS, JALAPENO: MARKET STEADY. 1 1/9 bushel cartons GEORGIA large 23.00 NEW YORK extra large 26.00 NORTH CAROLINA large 24.00-26.00 1/2 bushel cartons NONE repacked local large 18.00-21.00
- ---PEPPERS, POBLANO: MARKET STEADY. 1 1/9 bushel cartons/crates MEXICO extra large 29.00-35.00
- ---PEPPERS, SERRANO: MARKET STEADY. 1 1/9 bushel cartons/crates MEXICO large 29.00 1/2 bushel cartons NONE repacked local large 18.00
- ---PUMPKINS: MARKET STEADY. each INDIANA BIG MACK TYPE jumbo 40.00 PENNSYLVANIA BIG MACK TYPE extra jumbo 75.00 1/2 bushel cartons INDIANA MINIATURE FLAT TYPE Orange 20.00 Striped 20.00 White 20.00 PENNSYLVANIA MINIATURE FLAT TYPE Orange, White 20.00 1 1/9 bushel crates PENNSYLVANIA MINIATURE FLAT TYPE Orange, White 40.00 24 inch bins INDIANA CINDERELLA medium-large 250.00 FAIRYTALE medium-large 250.00 MIXED HEIRLOOM VARIETIES medium-large 250.00 PIE TYPE large 225.00 KENTUCKY CINDERELLA medium-large 250.00 PIE TYPE small 250.00 PENNSYLVANIA BIG MACK TYPE extra jumbo 250.00 BLUE TYPE medium 250.00 CINDERELLA medium 250.00 FAIRYTALE large 250.00 medium 250.00 HOWDEN WHITE TYPE large 275.00 medium 275.00 KNUCKLE HEAD small 275.00 MINIATURE FLAT TYPE Orange, White 600.00 MIXED HEIRLOOM VARIETIES medium 275.00 WHITE Flat Type large 275.00 VIRGINIA CINDERELLA medium 240.00 FAIRYTALE medium 240.00 MIXED HEIRLOOM VARIETIES medium 240.00 PIE TYPE medium 240.00 36 inch bins INDIANA HOWDEN TYPE medium-large 180.00 KENTUCKY CINDERELLA medium-large 300.00 HOWDEN TYPE medium 175.00 PENNSYLVANIA HOWDEN TYPE extra jumbo 250.00 jumbo 250.00 large 190.00 medium-large 190.00 VIRGINIA HOWDEN TYPE extra large 185.00 large 185.00 medium-large 185.00
- ---RADICCHIO: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 1 layer containers CALIFORNIA ROUND RED 9s 26.00 12s 26.00
- ---RADISHES: MARKET STEADY. 40 lb film bags topped CANADA QUEBEC Red 40.00 MICHIGAN Red 40.00-42.00 crates bunched SOUTH CAROLINA Red 24s 20.00 cartons topped 14 1-lb film bags CANADA QUEBEC Red 19.00 MICHIGAN Red 21.00 cartons topped 30 6-oz film bags MICHIGAN Red 21.00
- ---RUTABAGAS: MARKET STEADY. 50 lb cartons CANADA ONTARIO waxed CD ONE WAXED large 32.00
- ---SPINACH: MARKET STEADY. cartons 12 10-oz film bags CALIFORNIA FLAT 20.00-24.00 cartons 4 2-1/2 lb film bags CALIFORNIA FLAT 24.00
- ---SQUASH, ACORN: MARKET STEADY. 1 1/9 bushel cartons MICHIGAN medium 30.00-32.00 PENNSYLVANIA medium 32.00 24 inch bins PENNSYLVANIA medium 300.00
- ---SQUASH, BUTTERNUT: MARKET STEADY. 1 1/9 bushel cartons MICHIGAN medium 32.00 large 32.00 PENNSYLVANIA medium-large 32.00 SOUTH CAROLINA small-medium 25.00 24 inch bins PENNSYLVANIA medium-large 300.00
- ---SQUASH, DELICATA: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 3/4 bushel cartons MICHIGAN medium 28.00
- ---SQUASH, GREY: MARKET STEADY. 35 lb minimum containers MEXICO medium 39.00
- ---SQUASH, SPAGHETTI: MARKET STEADY. 1 1/9 bushel cartons MICHIGAN medium 30.00-32.00 PENNSYLVANIA medium 32.00 24 inch bins PENNSYLVANIA medium 300.00
- ---SQUASH, YELLOW CROOKNECK: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 3/4 bushel cartons SOUTH CAROLINA small 25.00 medium 22.00
- ---SQUASH, YELLOW STRAIGHTNECK: MARKET STEADY. 1/2 bushel cartons GEORGIA small 24.00 few lower MICHIGAN small 22.00 medium 20.00 NORTH CAROLINA small 20.00-22.00 medium 20.00 SOUTH CAROLINA small 24.00-25.00 medium 22.00
- ---SQUASH, ZUCCHINI: MARKET STEADY. 1/2 bushel cartons GEORGIA small 14.00-16.00 MICHIGAN small 18.00 medium 16.00 NEW YORK small 20.00 NORTH CAROLINA small 16.00-18.00 medium 16.00 SOUTH CAROLINA small 18.00-20.00 medium 15.00

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- ---SWEET POTATOES: MARKET STEADY. 40 lb cartons NORTH CAROLINA NEW U.S. ONE ORANGE TYPES 21.00-24.00 NO GRADE MARKS ORANGE TYPES medium 13.00-18.00 mostly 13.00-16.00 jumbo 15.00-18.00 mostly 15.00-16.00 SOUTH CAROLINA NEW NO GRADE MARKS OKINAWAN TYPE medium-large 40.00
- ---TARO: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 40 lb sacks MEXICO DASHEEN (COCO, ISLENA) large 30.00
- ---TOMATILLOS: MARKET STEADY. 38 lb reusable plastic containers (rpc) MEXICO 26.00 few higher MILPERO 35.00
- ---TOMATOES: MARKET GEORGIA & NORTH CAROLINA VINE RIPES PINK-LIGHT RED LOWER; OTHERS ABOUT STEADY. 25 lb cartons loose ALABAMA U.S. COMBINATION VINE RIPES Red jumbo 15.00 few higher extra large 15.00 few higher 5x6 size 15.00 few higher 6x6 size 15.00 few higher CALIFORNIA U.S. COMBINATION MATURE GREENS Pink-light Red 5x6 size 23.00 6x6 size 25.00 GEORGIA U.S. COMBINATION VINE RIPES Pink-light Red jumbo 19.00-22.00 mostly 19.00 extra large 19.00-22.00 mostly 19.00 5x6 size 19.00-24.00 mostly 19.00 6x6 size 19.00-24.00 mostly 19.00 NORTH CAROLINA U.S. COMBINATION VINE RIPES Pink-light Red jumbo 16.00-22.00 mostly 16.00-20.00 extra large 16.00-22.00 mostly 16.00-20.00 few higher 6x6 size 16.00-22.00 mostly 16.00 few higher Yellow 5x6 size 30.00 IMMATURE GREENS 5x6 size 30.00-38.00 few lower cartons 2 layer NONE repacked local U.S. COMBINATION MATURE GREENS Light Red 4x4s 21.00 4x5s 21.00 5x5s 21.00 5x6s 21.00 25 lb cartons place pack NONE repacked local U.S. COMBINATION MATURE GREENS Light Red 5x6 size 23.00 6x6 size 25.00
- ---TOMATOES, CHERRY: MARKET STEADY. flats 12 1-pint baskets MEXICO greenhouse medium 20.00 20 lb cartons loose NORTH CAROLINA medium 30.00 large fair condition 15.00
- ---TOMATOES, GRAPE TYPE: MARKET STEADY. flats 12 1-pint containers with lids MEXICO Red 18.00 NORTH CAROLINA Red 18.00 20 lb cartons loose NORTH CAROLINA Red 30.00 fair condition 20.00
- ---TOMATOES, PLUM TYPE: MARKET STEADY. 25 lb cartons loose ALABAMA ROMA Light Red-red large 18.00 MEXICO ROMA Light Red-red extra large 22.00
- ---TURNIPS: MARKET STEADY. 25 lb film bags MICHIGAN PURPLE TOP large 18.00-20.00
- ---YUCA (CASSAVA): MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 37 lb cartons COSTA RICA waxed 26.00