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Unless otherwise stated, shipments, crossings or imports are for the weeks ending October 1, 8 and 15, 2011, in that order in thousand hundredweight (cwt) or 100,000 pound units. Expected movement is for the period October 16 - 29, 2011. Prices are for Monday, October 17, 2011 compared to Tuesday, October 11, 2011, unless otherwise stated. Prices for pears from California, apples from New York, California and Washington and blueberries from Oregon and Washington are compared to Monday, October 10, 2011. Unless otherwise stated, sales are F.O.B. Shipping Point Basis (including Delivered Sales, F.O.B. Shipping Point Basis) or port of entry and extra services are included. Prices represent open (spot) market sales by first handlers on product of generally good quality and condition unless otherwise stated and may include promotional allowances or other incentives. No consideration is given to after-sale adjustments unless otherwise stated. Brokerage fees paid by shipper are included in the price reported.

BERRIES

BLUEBERRIES

OREGON/WASHINGTON---Shipments 10-8-5---Movement expected to decrease. Trading very active. Prices higher. Flats 12 4.4ounce cups with lids Controlled Atmosphere Storage Elliot and Aurora medium-large mostly 25.50- 26.50. Includes palletizing. Supplies in few hands. Quality variable.

ARGENTINA---Imports 0-0-2---Imports via air. Movement hampered as volcanic ash in Buenos Aires area is delaying flights. PORT OF ENTRY: MIAMI INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT. Trading moderate. Prices lower. Flats 12 4.4-ounce cups with lids mediumlarge 32.00-34.00. Quality good.

URUGUAY---Imports 0-0-0---Imports via air. Movement hampered as volcanic ash in Buenos Aires, Argentina area is delaying flights. PORT OF ENTRY: MIAMI INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT. Trading active. Prices lower. Flats 12 4.4-ounce cups with lids medium-large 32.00-34.00. Quality good.

CRANBERRIES

ALL PRODUCTION AREAS---Shipments 16-8-9---Movement expected to increase. Wholesale prices at the New England Produce Center Monday, October 17, 2011: cartons 24 12-ounce film bags MA Early Black medium mostly 34.00-36.00.

MISCELLANEOUS BERRIES

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH ARIZONA, CALIFORNIA AND TEXAS DISTRICT--- Crossings 2-3-3---Movement expected to increase. Trading active. Prices generally unchanged. Flats 12 6ounce cups with lids Blackberries mostly 18.00-20.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in quality. Prices include some 1/2 dry pint containers.

SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA DISTRICT---

Shipments 1-1-2--Movement expected to decrease. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. Light shipments expected to continue through October 31, 2011. LAST REPORT.

CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---Imports 3-2*-1---Imports via air from Guatemala. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Cartons 12 6-ounce cups with lids Blackberries supplies insufficient to establish a market. *revised. LAST REPORT.

RASPBERRIES

SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA DISTRICT---

Shipments 18-20-11---Movement expected to decrease. Trading active. Prices generally unchanged. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids Red mostly 16.00. Includes palletization and cooling. Wide range in

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH ARIZONA, CALIFORNIA AND TEXAS DISTRICT--- Crossings 1-0-0--- Movement expected to increase. Movement has begun in the district, however, supplies remain in too few hands to establish a market. Additional shippers

expected to cross by October 15, 2011. Expect first F.O.B. report to begin October 19, 2011.

STRAWBERRIES

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 264-119-184---SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA DISTRICT---

Shipments 198-60-76-- Movement expected to increase. Trading very active. Prices generally unchanged. Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids small-medium mostly 12.00. Flats 4 2-pound containers with lids small-medium mostly 12.00. Organic Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids small-medium 18.00-20.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in quality.

SANTA MARÍA. CALIFORNIA DISTRICT---Shipments 58-40-63---Movement expected to increase. Trading very active. Prices generally unchanged. Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids large mostly 12.00; small-medium 10.00-12.00. Flats 4 2-pound containers with lids large 12.00-14.00; small-medium mostly 12.00. Large berries are fall crop. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in

OXNARD, CALIFORNIA DISTRICT---Shipments 8-19-45---Movement expected to increase. Trading very active. Prices generally unchanged Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids small-medium mostly 12.00. Flats 4 2-pound containers with lids small-medium mostly 12.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in quality.

CITRUS FRUIT

CLEMENTINES

CHILE---Imports 6-2-2---Imports via boat. Movement expected to decrease. PORT OF ENTRY: LOS ANGELES AREA. Trading fairly active. Prices generally unchanged. Repacked en-route flat cartons 15 2-pound mesh bags 15-28 size 36.00, 32-36 size mostly 34.00; 10 3pound mesh bags 15-28 size 36.00, 32-36 size mostly 34.00. Quality good. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading fairly active. Prices unchanged. Repacked en-route flat cartons 15 2-pound mesh bags 15-28 size 36.00, 32-36 size mostly 34.00; 10 3-pound mesh bags 15-28 size 36.00, 32-36 size mostly 34.00. Quality good. **SOUTH AFRICA**---Imports 1-2-1---Imports via boat. Movement expected to decrease. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading fairly active. Prices generally unchanged. Repacked en-route flat cartons 15 2-pound mesh bags 15-28 size 36.00, 32-36 size mostly 34.00; 10 3-pound mesh bags 15-28 size 36.00, 32-36 size mostly 34.00. Quality good.

PERU---**-**-Imports via boat. Movement expected to end. PORTS OF ENTRY: SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA and PORTS OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA AND NEW YORK CITY AREA. Supplies insufficient and in too few hands to establish a market. LAST REPORT. **unavailable.

GRAPEFRUIT

FLORIDA---Shipments 78-102-114 (Includes Export 44-59-59)---Prices not reported.

LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY, TEXAS---Harvest of Rio Star variety expected to increase seasonally as some shippers plan to start packing the week of October 16. Most shippers expect to be fully underway by November 1. Quality expected to be variable. Drought conditions throughout the growing season are expected to result in smaller sizing and yields.

LEMONS

CENTRAL & SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND ARIZONA---

Shipments Moderate---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices lower. 7/10 bushel cartons Shippers First Grade 75s mostly 28.63-29.75, 95s 28.63-30.75, 115s mostly 27.63-29.75, 140s mostly 19.63-21.75, 165s mostly 18.63-19.75, 200s mostly 16.63-18.75, 235s 14.63-15.75; Shippers Choice 75-95s mostly 18.63- 20.75, 115s mostly 17.63-19.75, 140s mostly 15.63-18.75, 165s mostly 14.63- 15.75, 200s mostly 12.63-14.75, 235s 12.63-13.75.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 35-44-32---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly slow. Supplies 75-95s light. Prices 75-115s slightly lower, others generally unchanged. 7/10 bushel cartons Marked Choice 75-95s mostly 13.00-14.00, 115s mostly 13.00-15.00, 140s 12.00-14.00, 165-200s mostly 10.00-12.00.

LIMES

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 136-132-156---Movement expected about the same. Trading slow. Prices 110-175 lower, others generally unchanged. Seedless type 40 pound cartons 110s mostly 10.00, 150s mostly 8.00, 175s 7.00-8.00, 200s mostly 6.00-7.00, 230s mostly 6.00, 250s mostly 5.00-6.00. Quality variable.

ORANGES

SOUTH AND CENTRAL DISTRICT CALIFORNIA---Shipments Light---Movement of Valencia expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Valencia Shippers First Grade 48-56s mostly 12.63-14.75, 72-88s 12.63-13.75, 113s mostly 12.63-13.25, 138s mostly 12.13-12.75; Shippers Choice 48-72s mostly 10.63-11.75, 88s mostly 11.13-12.75, 113s mostly 11.63-12.75, 138s 11.13-12.25; **ORGANIC** 7/10 bushel cartons Valencia Shippers First Grade 56-72s mostly 16.55-18.65, 88s mostly 15.55-18.65.

CENTRAL & SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND ARIZONA---

Very light packing and shipping of new crop Navel oranges are expected to begin the week of October 30th with reportable volumes and a first F.O.B. report possible the week of November 6. **FIRST REPORT**.

SOUTH AFRICA---Imports 9-84-104---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same as past two weeks. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading fairly active. Prices unchanged. 15 kilogram containers Navel 40-56s mostly 26.00, 64s 24.00-26.00, 72s 22.00-24.00, 88s mostly 20.00. Quality good.

FLORIDA--- Shipments 39-59-64 (Includes Export 1-1-1)---Prices not reported

CHILE---Imports 61-57-96---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORT OF ENTRY: LOS ANGELES AREA. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 15 kilogram containers Navel 36-56s mostly 26.00, 64s 24.00-26.00, 72s 22.00-24.00, 88s mostly 20.00, 113s 16.00-18.00. Quality good. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading fairly active. Prices unchanged. 15 kilogram containers Navel 40-56s mostly 26.00, 64s 24.00-26.00, 72s 22.00- 24.00, 88s mostly 20.00. Quality good.

LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY, TEXAS---Harvest of Early Varieties and Navels expected to increase seasonally as some shippers plan to start packing the week of October 16. Most shippers expect to be fully underway by November 1. Quality expected to be variable. Drought conditions throughout the growing season are expected to result in smaller sizing and yields.

TANGERINES

FLORIDA--- Shipments 38-53-53 (Includes Export 1-0-0)---Prices not reported.

MELONS

CANTALOUPES

SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 430-266-74---Movement expected to decrease seasonally as most shippers are finished for the season. Trading early moderate, late active. Supplies very light. Prices higher due to light supplies. 1/2 cartons 9s mostly 6.50-7.00, 12s mostly 7.00-7.50. Quality generally good. Lighter shipments expected to continue through October 22. **LAST REPORT**.

IMPERIAL VALLEY, CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA---Shipments AZ 95-73-126---Movement in Arizona expected to increase. Trading moderate, late active. Prices higher. 1/2 cartons 9s 7.50-8.00, 12s mostly 7.50-8.00, 15s 7.50-8.50. Oversized 1/2 cartons 9s (6 size) 7.00-8.00. Quality generally good. Harvest in Imperial Valley expected to begin the week of October 23. MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA--- Crossings expected to arrive the week of October 16 and remain light until the week of October 30. Supplies expected to be in few hands. Quality expected to be generally good. FIRST REPORT.

HONEYDEWS

SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 167-105-36---Movement expected to decrease seasonally as most shippers are finished for the season. Trading active for very light supplies. Supplies insufficient to establish a market. Quality variable. Lighter shipments expected to continue through October 22. **LAST REPORT**.

PALO VERDE VALLEY, CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA---Shipments AZ 9-29-38, CA 0-1-3---

Movement in Central Arizona and California expected to increase slightly. Trading early very active, late active. Prices represent Central Arizona. Prices slightly higher. 2/3 cartons 5s 7.00-8.00, 6s mostly 7.50-8.00. Oversized 2/3 cartons 5s (4 size) mostly 7.00-7.50. Quality generally good. Harvest in Western Arizona expected to begin the week of October 16.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 2-18-50---Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading active. Prices higher. 2/3 cartons 4s mostly 5.00-5.35, 5-6s mostly 6.35-6.50. Oversized 2/3 cartons 5s (4 size) mostly 6.50. Quality variable.

WATERMELONS

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 12-36-55 (Seedless 12-36-54, Seeded 0-0-1)---Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading active. Prices 5s and 55 count generally unchanged, others higher. Red Flesh Seedless type cartons per pound 4s mostly .22, 5s .20-.22, 6s .20; 24 inch bins approximately 45 count .20, approximately 55 counts .18-.20, approximately 60 count .16-.18. Quality variable.

FLORIDA---Shipments 3-12-22 (Seedless 3-12-19; Seeded 0-0-3)---Light harvest expected to continue for the next 10-14 days due to last week's heavy rain and cool morning temperatures in various parts of Florida. Expect sufficient volume for first F.O.B. report to be issued within 21 days.

NON-CITRUS FRUIT

APPLES

YAKIMA VALLEY AND WENATCHEE DISTRICT

WASHINGTON---2011 CROP Shipments 729-825-818 (includes exports 140-164-190)---Movement expected to increase. Trading active. Prices Red Delicious and Gala 100-125s and Golden Delicious 100s slightly lower, others generally unchanged. Washington Extra Fancy carton tray pack Red Delicious 72s mostly 26.00, fine appearance 28.00; 80s mostly 26.00, fine appearance 26.00-28.00; 100s mostly 22.00; fine appearance 22.00; 113s mostly 20.00, fine appearance 22.00; 125s 20.00, fine appearance 20.00-22.00. Golden

Delicious 72-80s mostly 22.00- 24.00, fine appearance 26.00-28.00; 88s 20.00-22.00, fine appearance 26.00-28.00; 100s 18.00-20.00, fine appearance 20.00-22.00; 113-125s 16.00-18.00, fine appearance 20.00-22.00. Gala 72-88s 26.00, fine appearance 26.00-28.00; 100s 20.00, fine appearance mostly 22.00; 113s 18.00, fine appearance 20.00-22.00; 125s 18.00, fine appearance 20.00-21.00. Harvest continues in full swing. First F.O.B. for Granny Smith and Fuji expected current week. Mostly clear weather forecast for this week with highs in the mid-60Fs. Quality excellent. Exports to (listed by volume in descending order): Canada, Taiwan, Hong Kong, India, Dominican Republic, Indonesia, United Arab Emirates, Colombia, Thailand, Vietnam, Malaysia, El Salvador, Panama, Costa Rica, Philippines, Saudi Arabia, Peru, Venezuela, Guatemala, Russia, Nicaragua, Singapore, Honduras, Kuwait, Jordan, Egypt, Bahrain, United Kingdom, Finland, Mexico, Israel, Qatar, Maldives, Trinidad-Tobago, Bahamas, China, and Sri Lanka. 2010 CROP Shipments 144-72-53 (includes exports 37-18-23).

MICHIGAN---Shipments 135-152-124---Movement expected to decrease slightly as harvest has peaked. Trading very active. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons tray pack U.S. Extra Fancy Honey Crisp 88s 54.00-58.00, Gala 100s 24.00-26.00, Red Delicious 20.00-24.00, Golden Delicious 100s 22.00-24.00, cell pack Mcintosh 96s mostly 24.00, cartons 12 3-pound film bags U.S. Extra Fancy 2-1/2 inch minimum Gala mostly 20.00-22.00, Red Delicious and Golden Delicious mostly 18.00, Mcintosh, Jonathan, Cortland and Empire 17.00-20.00, Fuji and Jonagold 18.00- 20.00, Jonamac 16.00-18.00, Honey Crisp 34.00-36.00. Harvest of Fuji, Braeburn, and Sport Rome active. Some growers and storage operators are beginning to experience shortage of bulk bins. Size and color excellent with above average pack outs.

NEW YORK---Shipments 111-105-101---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading Macoun cartons tray pack and Gala fairly active at slightly lower prices, others fairly active. Prices Macoun cartons tray pack and Gala slightly lower, others generally unchanged. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy 12 3-pound film bags 2 1/2 inch minimum Red Delicious, McIntosh and Empire mostly 20.00, Gala 22.00-24.00, Cortland mostly 20.00, Macoun mostly 22.00. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy tray pack Honey Crisp 80s-88s mostly 52.00-53.00, 100s mostly 52.00; McIntosh 80s-88s mostly 26.00-28.00, 100s mostly 25.00-26.00; Gala 80s-88s mostly 27.00-29.00, 100s 26.00-28.00; Red Delicious 80s-88s mostly 24.00-25.00, 100s mostly 24.00; Cortland 80s-88s mostly 25.00-27.00, 100s mostly 24.00-26.00; Empire 80s-88s 24.00-25.00, 100s mostly 24.00; Macoun 80s-88s mostly 32.00-33.00, 100s mostly 31.00-32.00. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy cell pack McIntosh 80s-88s mostly 26.00-28.00, 100s 25.00-26.00; Empire 80s-88s 24.00-25.00, 100s mostly 24.00; Cortland 80s-88s mostly 25.00-27.00, 100s mostly 24.00-26.00.

SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY CALIFORNIA---Shipments 76-36-40 (includes Organics of 0-1-0)---Movement expected to decrease with only a few shippers remain- ing with supplies. Remaining shipments expected to continue for several more weeks. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

APPALACHIAN DISTRICT (MD-PA-VA-WV)---Shipments 35-38-25---Movement expected to decrease. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons 12 3-lb film bags U.S. Extra Fancy 2 1/2 inch minimum Red Delicious mostly 21.00, Golden Delicious mostly 21.00, Gala mostly 24.00, Red Rome 20.00, McIntosh mostly 20.00, Jonathan 20.00, Empire 20.00, Cortland 20.00, cartons tray pack U.S. Extra Fancy Red Delicious 72s-88s mostly 22.00-24.00, 100s 22.00-24.00, Golden Delicious 72s-88s mostly 22.00- 24.00, mostly 22.00, McIntosh 80s-88s mostly 26.00, Empire 80-88s 24.00-26.00

WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA---Shipments 24-33-20---Movement expected to continue seasonal decline. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons traypack Red Delicious U.S. Extra Fancy 88s 22.00-24.35, 100s 22.00-24.35, 113s 20.00-24.00, 125s 20.00-24.00, Golden Delicious U.S. Extra Fancy 88s 24.3526.00, 100s 22.00-25.00, 113s 22.00-24.00, 125s 22.00-24.00, Rome U.S. Extra Fancy 88s 20.00-24.35, 100s 20.00-22.00, 113s 20.00, 125s 20.00, cartons 12 3-pound film bags Red Delicious U.S. Extra Fancy 2 1/2 inch minimum and up 18.00-20.35, Golden Delicious U.S. Extra Fancy 2 1/2 inch minimum and up 18.00-21.00, Rome U.S. Extra Fancy 2 1/2 inch minimum and up 16.00-18.00.

NEW ENGLAND---Shipments 10-7-6---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly active. Boston wholesale market prices Monday, October 17, 2011, Carton tray pack U.S. Extra Fancy Massachusetts McIntosh 80s 28.00, 100s 25.00-26.00. Carton tray pack U.S. Extra Fancy Maine Cortland 72s-88s 25.00; Honeycrisp 64s-72s 55.00. Cartons cell pack U.S. Fancy Massachusetts McIntosh 80s mostly 19.00, 96s mostly 18.00, 100s mostly 17.00, 120s-140s 17.00. Carton 12 3-pound film bags U.S. Fancy Massachusetts Gala 2 1/2 inch mostly 17.00.

AVOCADOS

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 129-

116-116---Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices 48s lower, 32s and 36s higher, others generally unchanged. Cartons 2 layer Hass 32s mostly 32.25-33.25, 36s mostly 33.25-34.25, 40s mostly 34.25-36.25,48s mostly 25.25-26.25, 60s mostly 20.25-21.25, 70s mostly 19.25 and 84s mostly 18.25-19.25. Extra services included.

CHILE---Imports 70-27-65---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORT OF ENTRY: LOS ANGELES AREA. Trading moderate. Prices 50s slightly higher, others unchanged. Cartons 2 layer Hass 32-36s 36.25, 40s 36.25-37.25, 50s 26.25-28.25, 60s 20.25-22.25, mostly 17.25-18.25, 84s 16.25-18.25. Quality good. PORT OF ENTRY: MIAMI AREA. Trading fairly slow. Prices slightly higher. Cartons 2 layer Hass 50s mostly 24.25-25.25, 60s 20.25, 70s 18.25-19.25. Quality good. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons 2 layer Hass 32-36s 28.25-30.25, 40s 28.25-32.25, 50s 24.25-25.25, 60s 20.25-22.25, 70s mostly 17.25-18.25, 84s 16.25-18.25.

SOUTH FLORIDA---Shipments 24-24-19---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Cartons 1-layer flats. 8-12s mostly 8.00. Predominate variety Booth. Quality good.

FRUIT OTHER

SAN JOAQUIN VALLY DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 12-8-13--- movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons 1 layer Apple Pears Hosui 12s mostly 11.10-12.10, 14s mostly 9.10-10.10, 16s 9.10-10.10, 18s 8.10- 9.10; Cartons 2 layer 30 size 16.10-17.10, 40 size 12.10-14.10. Extra services included.

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KERN DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 656-585-630---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices Autumn Royal large higher, others generally unchanged. 19 pound containers bagged Thompson Seedless large mostly 14.10, medium-large mostly 11.10-12.10; Crimson Seedless large mostly 14.10-16.10, medium-large mostly 11.10- 12.10; Red Globe large mostly 14.10, medium 10.10-12.10; Autumn Royal large mostly 18.10-20.10, medium-large 16.10-18.10; Scarlet Royal large mostly 16.10, medium-large mostly 14.10-15.10. Extra services included. SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 120-127-155--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. 19 pound containers bagged Thompson Seedless large mostly 14.10, medium-large 10.10-12.10; Crimson Seedless large mostly 15.10, medium-large mostly 13.10; Red Globe large mostly 14.10, medium mostly 12.10; Autumn Royal large mostly 18.10, medium-large mostly 16.10; Scarlet Royal large mostly 16.10-17.10, medium-large mostly 14.10. Extra services included.

BRAZIL---Imports 0-0-0---Imports via boat. Light shipments have begun with product available for delivery current week. Expect sufficient volume and number of shippers for first F.O.B. week of October 23.

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ITALY---Imports 0-0-0---Imports via boat. Light movement has begun and is expected to increase. Expect sufficient volume of supplies and number of importers to establish an F.O.B. by end of current week. **FIRST REPORT**.

MANGOES

BRAZIL---Imports 29-7*-6--Imports via boat. Movement expected to decrease slightly. PORTS OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA AREA. Flats one layer Tommy Atkins. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. Increased volume is expected this week. Quality generally good. *revised.

PAPAYAS

CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---Imports 10-9-12---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. Belize and Guatemala. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading active. Prices higher. Cartons 35 pounds Maradol Type 7-15s 24.00-26.00. Quality good.

BRAZIL---Imports 1-1-0---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading moderate. Prices higher. 3.5 kilogram Solo Type (Golden) 8-12s mostly 10.00-11.00. Quality variable.

PEARS

YAKIMA VALLEY AND WENATCHEE DISTRICT

WASHINGTON---Shipments 174-212-227 (includes exports 77-101-110)---Movement expected to increase slightly. Trading active. Prices generally unchanged. 4/5 bushel cartons wrapped U.S. One Bartlett 70-90s 22.00-24.00; 100s 18.00-20.00; 110s mostly 17.00; 120s mostly 15.00-16.00; 135s 12.00-14.00. D'Anjou 70-90s mostly 24.00; 100s 20.00-22.00; 110s mostly 20.00; 120s mostly 18.00; 135s 15.00- 16.00. Harvest is moving ahead full swing. Exports to (listed by volume in descending order): Mexico, Canada, Brazil, Russia, Colombia, United Arab Emirates, Saudi Arabia, India, Hong Kong, New Zealand, Sweden, Costa Rica, Chile, Taiwan, Indonesia, Israel, Singapore, Malaysia, Panama, Peru, Venezuela, Jordan, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Honduras, Philippines, Thailand, Trinidad-Tobago, Nicaragua, Sri Lanka, and Ecuador. FIRST REPORT FOR 2011 D'ANJOU.

MENDOCINO LAKE COUNTY CALIFORNIA---Shipments 62-59-60---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading moderate. Prices Bartlett 40-pound cartons/boxes 80-90 size and Bosc Golden slightly lower, others generally unchanged. 40-pound cartons/boxes U.S. One Bartlett 70 size mostly 21.00, 80 size mostly 20.00, 90 size mostly 19.00, 100 size mostly 16.00. 36-pound cartons/boxes U.S. One Bartlett 80 size mostly 16.00, 90 size mostly 15.00, 100 size mostly 12.00, 110 size mostly 11.00, 120 size 10.00-11.00. 40-pound cartons/boxes U.S. One Bosc Golden 70s mostly 24.00, 80s mostly 24.00-26.00, 90s mostly 24.00, 100s mostly 20.00. 2/5 bushel cartons U.S. One Stark Crimson 40s mostly 18.00, 45s

SACRAMENTO AND SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY---Shipments 30*-26-20---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading moderate. Prices slightly lower. 40-pound cartons/boxes U.S. One Bosc Golden 70s mostly 22.00-24.00, 80s mostly 24.00-26.00, 90s 24.00, 100s mostly 20.00, 110s 18.00, 120s mostly 16.00. *revised.

PINEAPPLES

CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---Imports 189-128*-94--- Imports via boat. Movement expected to increase. Primarily Costa Rica, Panama, and Guatemala. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons one-layer Golden Ripe 5-8s mostly 9.00-10.00. PORTS OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Cartons one-layer Golden Ripe 5-7s mostly 9.00-10.00, 8s mostly 10.00. PORTS OF ENTRY FREEPORT-GALVESTON-HOUSTON, TEXAS. Trading moderate. Prices 5-6s higher; others unchanged. Cartons one-layer Golden Ripe 5-6s mostly 9.00-10.00, 7-8s mostly 10.00. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Trading moderate. Prices 7-8s higher; 5-6s unchanged. Cartons one-layer Golden Ripe 5-6s mostly 8.50-9.00, 7-8s mostly 9.00-10.00. Quality good. *revised.

PLUMS AND PRUNES

CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA.-- Shipments 106-114-68---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. 28 pound cartons loose Angeleno 30-35 size 12.10-15.10, 40-45 size 11.10-12.10, 50-55 size mostly 10.10. 28 pound cartons loose Interspecific Type Flavor Fall 30-35 size 13.10- 15.10, 40-45 size 11.10-12.10, 50-55 size mostly 10.10. Extra services included.

POMEGRANATES

SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 7-14-14--- Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices lower. Cartons 2 layer Early Wonderful 22-24s mostly 30.10, 26-28s 26.10-28.10, 30-32s 24.10-26.10, 34s mostly 20.10-22.10. Extra services included.

Unless otherwise stated, shipments, crossings or imports are for the weeks ending October 1, 8 and 15, 2011, in that order in thousand hundredweight (cwt) or 100,000 pound units. Expected movement is for the period October 16 - 29, 2011. Prices are for Monday, October 17, 2011 compared to Tuesday, October 11, 2011, unless otherwise stated. Prices for Florida okra are compared to Monday, October 10, 2011. Unless otherwise stated, sales are F.O.B. Shipping Point Basis (including Delivered Sales, F.O.B. Shipping Point Basis) or port of entry and extra services are included. Prices represent open (spot) market sales by first handlers on product of generally good quality and condition unless otherwise stated and may include promotional allowances or other incentives. No consideration is given to after-sale adjustments unless otherwise stated. Brokerage fees paid by shipper are included in the price reported.

VEGETABLES

ARTICHOKES

CENTRAL AND SOUTH CALIFORNIA---Shipments 14-15-14---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly active. Prices 18-24s higher, others generally unchanged. Unofficial prices cartons Thorned (wide range in price) 12s 14.25-18.97, 18s 18.25-26.97, 24s 16.75-22.97, 30s 11.14-18.97, 36s 7.64- 16.97. Quality variable. Prices from trade sources. No F.O.B. report currently issued.

ASPARAGUS

PERU---Imports 41*-33*-15---Imports via air and boat. Movement expected to be about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading slow. Prices white and green small size generally unchanged; others lower. 11 pound cartons bunched Green jumbo and extra large mostly 12.00-13.00, large mostly 15.00, standard 15.00-15.50, small mostly 13.00-14.00, White large and standard mostly 14.00-14.50. Quality good. *revised.

BEANS

SOUTH GEORGIA---Shipments 2-11-21---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading early active, late slow. Prices lower. Bushel carton/ crates precooled Round Green Type machine picked mostly 17.35-18.35.

EASTERN SHORE OF VIRGINIA---Shipments 1-6-6---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices lower. Bushel cartons/crates Round Green Type Machine Picked 18.00.

CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---Imports 5-5-4---Imports via boat from Guatemala. Movement expected to decrease slightly. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. 5 pound cartons Haricot Vert (French Type) supplies in too few hands to establish a market. Rain curtailing harvest and expected to continue for the next 2-3 weeks

COACHELLA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 0-0-1---Movement expected to increase slightly. Most shippers expect to be fully underway the week of October 23 with the first F.O.B. report expected to be issued by October 28. Planted acreage is expected to be significantly less than previous years. Quality generally good. CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA DISTRICTS---Shipments 0-0-1---Light harvest has begun. Expect sufficient volume and number of shippers for first F.O.B. by week of October 30. Quality good. FIRST REPORT.

BEETS

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Crossings Light---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices slightly lower. Cartons bunched Red type 12s mostly 9.47-10.75. Quality generally good.

BROCCOLI

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 105-108-112--- **SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the 63 units shipped last week. Trading early moderate, late fairly active. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons bunched 14s mostly 7.65-9.00, 18s mostly 8.15-9.50, 20 pound loose Crown Cut mostly 10.00-11.00. Quality variable.

SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 49 units shipped last week. Trading Crown Cut active, bunched moderate. Prices Crown Cut higher, bunched 14s slightly higher, bunched 18s generally unchanged. Cartons bunched 14s mostly 7.00-7.55, 18s mostly 7.50-8.05, 20 pound loose Crown Cut mostly 9.55-11.00. Quality generally good.

CENTRAL SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, CALIFORNIA—Harvest expected to begin the week of October 16 with additional shippers beginning the week of October 30. Supplies expected to be in few hands through the fall season therefore no F.O.B. report is expected to be issued. However, unofficial prices are expected to be reported the week of November 6. Quality expected to be generally good. **FIRST REPORT**.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 71-59-58---Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading moderate. Prices higher. 20 pound cartons loose Crown Cut mostly 7.00-9.00. Quality variable.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS

CENTRAL COAST CALIFORNIA---Shipments 12-13-14---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices slightly lower. 25 pound cartons mostly 23.00-26.75. Quality variable.

CABBAGE

WESTERN AND CENTRAL NEW YORK---Shipments 89-97-106---Movement expected to decrease slightly as a few growers begin storing. Trading medium moderate, large slow. Prices large

lower, medium unchanged. Round Green type 50 pound cartons medium mostly 8.00, large 5.50-7.00, 50 pound sacks large 2.50-3.00, bulk per pound large mostly .06. Quality good.

NORTHEAST COLORADO---Shipments 26-29-30---Movement expected to decrease sharply as shippers finish the season. Trading Green cartons active, Red moderate. Prices Green cartons higher, sacks much higher. Round Green type 50 pound cartons medium mostly 9.00-9.50, 50 pound sacks large mostly 6.00- 6.50. Red type supplies insufficient to establish a market. Quality variable. Lighter shipments expected to continue through early November. LAST REPORT.

SOUTHEASTERN WISCONSIN---Shipments 26-25-26---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices green lower, red unchanged. Round Green type 50 pound cartons medium mostly 8.00, Red type medium mostly 12.00. Quality

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 19-18-20--CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected to
decrease below the 14 units shipped last week. Trading Green fairly
active, Red moderate. Prices higher. 50 pound cartons 18-24s Round
Green type mostly 9.00-10.00, Red type mostly 8.69-9.50. Quality
generally good.

OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected to decrease below the 6 units shipped last week. Trading early fairly active, late active. Prices higher. 50 and 45 pound cartons 18-24s Round Green type mostly 10.25-10.75. Quality generally good. EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA---Shipments 0-1-1---Movement expected to remain light throughout October. Some growers in the northeastern growing region were forced to replant due to crop damage from Hurricane Irene therefore delaying harvest. Currently, no F.O.B. is being reported.

SAN ANTONIO-WINTER GARDEN, TEXAS---Harvest expected to begin the week of October 23 and remain light until the week of October 30 when harvest is expected to be fully underway. Early stands were affected by summer drought conditions, but are expected to improve as the season progresses. Quality expected to be variable. **FIRST REPORT**.

CARROTS

KERN DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 168-151-152---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. 48 1-pound film bags in sacks medium-large mostly 13.40-14.35, 50 pound sacks loose jumbo 10.40-12.35. Baby Peeled 30 1-pound film bags 18.00-18.75. **ORGANIC** film bags in sacks medium-large 48 1-pound, 24 2-pound and 10 5-pound mostly 24.35-26.70. Quality generally good.

MICHIGAN---Shipments 17-15-18---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices 48 1-pound film bags unchanged, others lower. Sacks 48 1-pound film bags medium 9.00-10.00, 24 2-pound film bags medium 8.00-9.00, 16 3-pound film bags medium 8.00-9.00, 10 5-pound film bags medium 8.00-9.00, 50 pound sacks loose jumbo 6.50-8.00. Precooling included. Quality good.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 23-14-10---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. 50 pound sacks loose jumbo mostly 6.00-7.00. Quality variable.

CAULIFLOWER

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 82-72-69--- **SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to increase slightly above the 52 units shipped last week. Trading early moderate, late active. Prices much higher. Cartons film wrapped White 12s mostly 10.47-11.50, 9s mostly 9.35-10.65, 16s mostly 8.35-9.64. Quality generally good.

SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 17 units shipped last week. Trading early fairly slow, late active. Prices higher. Cartons film wrapped White 12s 9.00-10.00, 9s mostly 8.35-9.00, 16s mostly 7.55-8.35. Quality generally good.

CELERY

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 211-240-256---SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected to increase slightly above the 191 units shipped last week. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons 2 and 2 1/2 dozen 6.35-7.56, 3 dozen mostly 7.45-8.56, 4 dozen mostly 8.50-9.56; Hearts film bags 18s mostly 12.45-13.56. Quality variable.

SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 65 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices 2 1/2 dozen generally unchanged, others slightly lower. Cartons 2 dozen mostly 6.00-6.65, 2 1/2 dozen 6.00- 6.65, 3 dozen mostly 6.65-7.00. Quality generally good.

OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Harvest expected to begin the week of October 23rd and remain light until the week of November 6th, when additional shippers expect to be fully underway. The first F.O.B. report is expected to be issued by November 10th. Quality is expected to be generally good. FIRST REPORT.

MICHIGAN---Shipments 23-20-12----Movement expected to decrease as most growers are finished for the season. Trading fairly.

decrease as most growers are finished for the season. Trading fairly slow. Prices unchanged. Cartons 2 dozen, 2 1/2 and 3 dozen 10.00, cartons film bags Hearts 1 1/2 dozen 16.00, 2 dozen 20.65. Quality good. Light shipments expected next 5-7 days. **LAST REPORT**.

CHINESE CABBAGE

CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 11-14-11---Movement expected about the same. Trading early slow, late fairly slow. Prices slightly lower. Nappa WGA crates mostly 9.55-10.95, 50 pound cartons 7.55-8.55, 30 pound cartons mostly 6.55-7.75. Quality generally good.

CORN-SWEET

SOUTH GEORGIA---Shipments 0-41-59---Movement expected to increase. Trading early active, late moderate. Prices White lower, others generally unchanged. Wire-bound crates 4-Dozen Yellow mostly 14.95, White 14.95-15.95, Bi-Color mostly 14.95. Palletizing and ice extra. Shippers expect harvest to start increasing around the weekend of October 22 in preparation for the upcoming holiday push in November.

CENTRAL DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 70-56-45---Movement expected about the same. Trading early very active, late moderate. Prices lower. Cartons 4 dozen minimum White mostly 9.00-9.50. Quality generally good.

IMPERIAL VALLEY, CALIFORNIA—Harvest expected to begin the week of October 30. Supplies expected to be in too few hands to establish a market therefore no F.O.B. report is expected to be issued. Quality expected to be generally good.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA--Crossings 0-0-4---Movement expected to increase seasonally but
remain light until the week of October 23 when reportable supplies
are expected. The first F.O.B. report expected to be issued the week
of October 30. Quality expected to be variable. FIRST REPORT.
CENTRAL FLORIDA DISTRICT---Shipments 0-0-0---Light
harvest expected to start within 10 days. Expect sufficient volume for
first F.O.B. in 21 days. FIRST REPORT.

CUCUMBERS

SOUTH GEORGIA---Shipments 59-49-69---Movement expected to increase. Trading early active, late fairly slow. Prices medium lower, others unchanged. Waxed 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium 18.35-20.35, fair quality mostly 12.35, cartons 24s 7.35-8.35.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA,

CALIFORNIA---Crossings 56-60-50--- Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly slow, late moderate. Prices medium and medium ordinary quality higher, others generally unchanged. 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium 16.95, medium fair quality 12.95-14.95, medium ordinary quality mostly 7.95-8.95, large 10.95-12.95; cartons 36s mostly 8.95-9.95. Quality variable.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 5-24-27---Movement expected to increase seasonally.

Trading Long Seedless slow, others active. Prices Long Seedless lower, others slightly higher. 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium mostly 16.95, medium fair quality mostly 14.95, small mostly 12.95, large 12.95-14.95. Cartons film wrapped Long Seedless GREENHOUSE 12s mostly 6.00, 16s mostly 6.00-6.50. Quality variable.

CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA DISTRICTS---Shipments 17-9-14---Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices include palletizing and precooling, 1 1/9 bushel cartons/crates Pickles 200-300s mostly 24.95-26.00, 150-200s 22.95-24.00, WAXED 1 1/9 bushel cartons/crates medium 20.95, fair quality 12.95; cartons 24s mostly 7.50. Quality generally good.

EGGPLANT

SOUTH GEORGIA---Shipments 16-22-33---Movement expected to increase. Trading early moderate, late slow. Prices lower. 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium mostly 10.35, fair quality mostly 8.35, large 8.35.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 0-1-2---Movement expected to increase seasonally and remain light until the week of October 23rd when reportable supplies are expected. The first F.O.B. report is expected to be issued the week of October 30. Quality variable.

CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA DISTRICTS---Shipments 0-1-1---Light harvest has begun. Expect sufficient volume and number of shippers for first F.O.B. by week of October 30. Quality good. **COACHELLA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA**---Shipments 0-0-1--- Movement expected to increase seasonally. The first F.O.B report is expected to be issued the week of October 23. Planted acreage is expected to be significantly less than previous years. Quality generally good.

ENDIVE-ESCAROLE

CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 2-2-2---

Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly active. Prices Escarole slightly higher, Endive generally unchanged. Cartons 24s Endive mostly 11.75-12.75, Escarole mostly 11.64-13.50. Quality generally good.

GREENS

LEXINGTON DISTRICT SOUTH CAROLINA---Shipments 16-22-12---Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices Tuesday, October 18, compared to Tuesday, October 11. Collards loose 6s lower; others higher. Cartons loose Kale 9.00-10.00, Turnip Tops mostly 11.00, and Mustard mostly 11.00. Various containers bunched Collard 6s mostly 10.00. Various containers loose Collard 6s 9.50. Quality good.

SOUTH GEORGIA---Shipments 0-8-9---Movement expected to increase. Trading early active, late moderate. Prices lower. Cartons bunched 24s Collard mostly 8.50, Kale mostly 8.50, Mustard Curly mostly 8.50, Mustard Flat mostly 8.50, Turnip Tops mostly 8.50. Quality good.

EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA---Shipments 3-4-4---Movement expected to remain about the same. Currently, no F.O.B. is being reported.

CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 2-2-2---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons bunched 24s Kale mostly 7.00-7.75. Quality generally good.

LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY, TEXAS---Harvest expected to begin the week of October 16 and remain light until the week of October 30 when additional shippers are expected to begin. Quality expected to be variable. **FIRST REPORT**.

LETTUCE, ICEBERG

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 521-495-540--- **SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to decrease seasonally below the 425 units shipped last week. Trading early slow, late fairly active. Prices 24s slightly higher, 30s generally unchanged. Cartons 24s film lined mostly 7.14-7.97,

filmwrapped mostly 8.14-8.97; 30s filmwrapped mostly 6.00-7.00. Quality variable.

SANTA MARIA-GUADALUPE-OCEANO-LOMPOC,

CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 82 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Cartons 24s film lined mostly 7.25-8.00, filmwrapped mostly 8.25-9.00. Quality generally good.

CENTRAL SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---

Movement expected to increase sharply above the 33 units shipped last week as more shippers begin. Trading fairly active for fairly light supplies. Prices Cartons 24s film lined mostly 7.50-8.64, filmwrapped mostly 8.50-9.64; 30s filmwrapped mostly 6.00-7.64. Quality generally good.

LETTUCE, ROMAINE

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 315-312-311--- **SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the 264 units shipped last week. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices 24s slightly lower, Hearts generally unchanged. Cartons 24s mostly 9.95-11.50; Hearts 12-3 count packages mostly 11.45-13.05, 48s mostly 12.45- 14.05. Quality variable.

SANTA MARIA-GUADALUPE-OCEANO-LOMPOC,

CALIFORNIA—Movement expected about the same as the 38 units shipped last week. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices lower. Cartons 24s 10.55-11.25. Quality generally good.

OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected to increase slightly obove the 9 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices lower. Cartons 24s 8.75-9.75. Quality generally good.

CENTRAL SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---Harvest expected to begin the week of October 16 with harvest expected to be fully underway the week of October 30th. Quality expected to be generally good. **FIRST REPORT**.

LETTUCE, OTHER

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 55-50-56--- SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 48 units shipped last week. Trading Green Leaf fairly active, others moderate. Prices Boston higher, Red Leaf slightly higher, Green Leaf generally unchanged. Cartons 24s Green Leaf mostly 6.65-8.35, Red Leaf mostly 6.65-7.47, Boston mostly 7.45-8.47. Ouality variable.

SANTA MARIA-GUADALUPE-OCEANO-LOMPOC,

CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 5 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices Red Leaf lower, Green Leaf generally unchanged. Cartons 24s Green Leaf 7.35-8.75, Red Leaf mostly 6.35-7.55. Quality generally good.

OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected to increase obove the 3 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices lower. Unofficial prices cartons 24s Green Leaf 5.75-7.75, Red Leaf 5.75-6.75. Quality variable. Prices from trade sources. No F.O.B. report currently issued. The first F.O.B. report is expected to be issued the week of October 16.

CENTRAL SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---Harvest expected to begin the week of October 16 with harvest expected to be fully underway the week of October 30th. Quality expected to be generally good. **FIRST REPORT**.

MISCELLANEOUS ASIAN VEGETABLES

CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 3-3-3---

Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices crates slightly lower, cartons generally unchanged. Bok Choy WGA crates mostly 9.45-10.75, 30 pound cartons mostly 6.45-7.75. Quality generally good.

MISCELLANEOUS HERBS

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 11-10-11--- **CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the 9 units shipped last week. Trading 60s fairly active, 30s fairly active at slightly lower prices. Prices 60s slightly higher, 30s slightly lower. Cilantro cartons bunched 60s mostly 11.45-13.75, 30s mostly 7.45-8.75. Quality generally good.

OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 2 units shipped last week. Trading early moderate, late fairly active. Supply fairly light. Prices generally unchanged. Cilantro cartons bunched 60s 14.95-16.75, 30s mostly 8.95. Quality generally good.

MISCELLANEOUS TROPICALS

CENTRAL AMERICAN IMPORTS---Imports 28-21*-14---Imports from Costa Rica and Nicaragua. Movement expected to remain about the same. Ports of Entry: South Florida. Trading moderate. Prices Calabaza, Chayote (20 lbs), Malanga, and Dasheen (large) higher; Taro Eddoes, Dasheen (medium), and Yams (white) lower; Chayote (40 lbs), Ginger Root, Yams (yellow), and Yuca generally unchanged. Calabaza 50 pound sacks mostly 12.00-13.00. Chayote 20 pound cartons mostly 6.50-7.50; 40 pound cartons mostly 10.00. Ginger Root 30 pound cartons mostly 20.00-21.00. Malanga 40 pound cartons Blanca large mostly 20.00-22.00; Lila mostly 23.00-24.00. Taro 40 pound cartons Eddoes mostly 26.00-27.00; Dasheen (large) mostly 49.00-50.00; (medium) mostly 20.00; Yams (Yame) 45 pound cartons Yellow mostly 56.00- 57.00; 50 pound cartons White mostly 18.00-19.00. Yuca (Cassava) 40 pound cartons mostly 16.00. Quality good. *revised.

CARIBBEAN IMPORTS---Imports 3-2-1---Imports from the Dominican Republic. Movement expected to remain about the same. Ports of Entry: South Florida. Trading fairly slow. Prices lower. Coconut 65-70 pound sacks 40s mostly 24.00-25.00. Quality good.

OKRA

SOUTH FLORIDA---Shipments 2-2-3---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly active. Prices unchanged. Includes palletizing and precooling. 1/2 and 5/9 bushel cartons and crates small-medium mostly 16.00. Quality generally good.

ONIONS, GREEN MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH VARIOUS PORTS OF ENTRY AND SOUTH AND CENTRAL CALIFORNIA---

Crossings 21-23-27, CA 4-4-4---Movement expected about the same. Trading Leeks moderate, small fairly active at slightly lower prices, others fairly active. Prices small slightly lower, others generally unchanged. Cartons bunched 48s medium 17.45-19.00, small mostly 16.00-17.45; ICELESS 2 film bags, 24 bunches per bag and 4 film bags, 12 bunches per bag mostly 17.47-19.45; Leeks 12s mostly 12.00-13.75. Quality variable.

LEXINGTON DISTRICT SOUTH CAROLINA---Shipments 5-6-4---Movement expected to reamain the same. Trading moderate. Prices Tuesday, October 18, compared to Tuesday, October 11, lower. Cartons/crates bunched 48S mostly 13.00. Quality good.

PARSLEY

CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 4-3-4---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons bunched 60s Curly and Plain mostly 8.45-9.64. Quality generally good.

PEAS, GREEN

CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---Imports 7*-8*-7---Imports via boat and air from Peru. Movement expected to be about the same. Trading moderate. Prices higher. 10 lb cartons Peru Snow Peas mostly 20.00-22.00; Sugar Snap Peas mostly 22.00. *revised.

CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Shipments Very Light---Movement expected about the same. Supplies in too few hands and insufficient to establish a market. Quality variable.

PEPPERS, BELL TYPE

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 201-132-161---SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 89 units shipped last week. Trading Green active, Red very slow. Prices Green higher, Red lower. 1 1/9 bushel cartons Green jumbo and extra large mostly 14.95-16.95, large 13.95-15.25, medium 12.95-14.00; irregular size fair quality Green 10.95-13.00, Red mostly 6.00-7.00. Red 15 pound cartons extra large and large mostly 6.00-7.00. Quality Green generally good, Red variable. SOUTH DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 71 units shipped last week. Trading early slow, late moderate. Prices Red irregular size slightly higher, others generally unchanged. 1 1/9 bushel cartons extra large and large Red mostly 12.95; irregular size fair quality Red 8.95, Yellow mostly 10.95. 15 pound cartons extra large and large Red mostly 7.95-8.95, Yellow mostly 10.95. Quality generally good.

COACHELLA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---Movement of Green expected to increase slightly above the 1 unit shipped last week as only a limited number of shippers have started their season. Most shippers expect harvest of Green to be fully underway the week of October 23. Harvest of Red is expected to begin late in the week of October 16, with most shippers expecting harvest to be fully underway the week of October 30. Planted acreage is expected to be significantly less than previous years. Quality generally good. **SOUTH GEORGIA**---Shipments 0-29-31---Movement expected to increase. Trading active. Prices higher. 1 1/9 bushel cartons Green jumbo 14.35, extra large 14.35, extra large fair quality 12.35, large 12.35.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings expected to arrive the week of October 23rd and remain light until the week of November 6th when reportable supplies are expected. Quality expected to be variable.

PEPPERS, OTHER

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 31-45-36---Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly slow, late slow. Prices Serrano slightly lower, others generally unchanged. 1 1/9 bushel cartons/ crates Jalapeno and Serrano mostly 13.00-14.00, Poblano 7.50-9.00. Quality and size variable.

PUMPKINS

VIRGINIA---Shipments Light---Movement expected to decrease. Trading active for light supplies. Prices higher. Unofficial prices 36 inch bins, Howden type, 30-45 count, mostly 100.00-115.00. No F.O.B. report being issued.

RADISHES

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA AND OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---

Crossings 3-2-5, Shipments CA Light---Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late fairly active. Prices higher. Cartons Red bunched 24s mostly 8.25-9.25, 48s mostly 10.75-11.75. Quality variable.

SPINACH

CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 11-10-11---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly active. Prices slightly higher. Cartons bunched Flat 24s mostly 12.25-13.55. Quality generally good.

SQUASH

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 20-68-90---Movement of Zucchini, Yellow Straightneck and Grey expected to increase seasonally. Trading slow. Prices Zucchini much lower, others lower. 4/7 bushel cartons Zucchini small and small-medium mostly 5.95-6.00, medium mostly 4.95;

Yellow Straightneck small and small-medium mostly 10.95, medium mostly 8.95; Grey small, small-medium and medium mostly 5.95. 1 1/9 bushel cartons large Zucchini mostly 5.95, Yellow Straightneck mostly 8.95. Quality variable.

SOUTH GEORGIA---Shipments 23-30-30---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading early active, late fairly slow. Prices Yellow Crookneck medium and Yellow Straightneck lower, others unchanged. 1/2 and 5/9 bushel cartons Zucchini small 6.35-8.35, medium 4.35-6.35; Yellow Straightneck small 12.35-14.35, medium 10.35-12.35; 3/4 bushel cartons Yellow Crookneck small 22.35-24.35, medium mostly 16.35-18.35.

LEXINGTON DISTRICT SOUTH CAROLINA---Shipments 2-4-2---Movement expected to decrease. Trading moderate. Prices Tuesday, October 18, compared to Tuesday, October 11. Yellow Crookneck higher; Zucchini lower. 1/2 bushel carton Zucchini small mostly 11.00, medium mostly 8.00. 3/4 bushel carton Yellow Crookneck small mostly 22.00, medium mostly 22.00. Quality good. ALL FLORIDA DISTRICTS---Shipments 0-1-0---Light harvest has begun. Expect sufficient volume and number of shippers for first F.O.B. by the week of October 23. Quality good.

SWEET POTATOES

EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA---2011 Shipments 72-81-78---Movement expected to increase slightly. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 40 pound cartons Orange Type U.S. No. 1 15.00-17.00, U.S. No. 1 Petite 12.00-13.00, U.S. No. 2 8.00-10.00, No Grade Marks jumbo 8.00-10.00.

EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA---2010 Shipments 19-12-4---Movement expected to continue decline. Currently, no F.O.B. is being reported.

MISSISSIPPI---Shipments 23-25-30---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices lower. 40-pound cartons Orange types U.S. No. 1 16.50-17.00, U.S. No. 2 9.00- 10.00, No Grade Marks jumbo 9.00-10.00. Quality good. Varieties: Mostly Beauregard and a few Evangeline.

ATWATER, LIVINGSTON DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---

Shipments 23-18-20--- Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices generally lower. 40 pound cartons Orange Types U.S. No. One mostly 18.00-19.00, No Grade Marks medium 8.00-9.00, jumbo mostly 11.00-12.00; Red Types U.S. No. One mostly 18.00-19.00, No Grade Marks medium 8.00-9.00, jumbo mostly 11.00- 12.00; White Types U.S. No. One 24.00-26.00, No Grade Marks medium 8.00- 9.00, jumbo 8.00-10.00; Japanese Types U.S. No. One mostly 21.00-22.00, No Grade Marks medium mostly 20.00-21.00 and jumbo mostly 15.00. **ORGANIC**: Orange Types U.S. No. One 25.00-27.00; Red Types U.S. No. One 25.00-27.00.

LOUISIANA---Shipments 11-12-15---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices lower. 40-pound cartons Orange types U.S. No. 1 mostly 17.00-17.50, U.S. No.2 9.00-10.00, No Grade Marks jumbo 9.00-10.00. Quality good. Varieties: Mostly Beauregard.

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CENTRAL CALIFORNIA---Shipments 289-288-104---Movement expected about the same. Trading early slow, late fairly slow. Prices lower. 25 pound cartons loose Mature Greens extra large 8.95-9.95, large 7.95-8.95, medium 6.95-7.95. Quality variable. Prices represent few new sales.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA COAST AND MEXICO

CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA--- Crossings 25-28-33 (Greenhouse 18-16-29, Vine Ripes 9-12-4), Shipments CA Field Grown 37-46-48---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices 4x4-4x5s lower, others generally unchanged. Cartons/flats 2 layer Vine Ripes GREENHOUSE 4x4-4x5s mostly 10.95, 5x5-5x6s 7.95-8.95. Quality generally good.

VARIOUS CANADA SHIPPING POINTS---Greenhouse 110-121-**---No prices reported. **unavailable.

VARIOUS U.S. SHIPPING POINTS---Greenhouse 88-74-**---No prices reported. **unavailable.

WEST FLORIDA---Shipments 0-17-11---Light harvest expected to continue for the next 7 days due to heavy rain last week and cool temperatures in the mornings. Expect first F.O.B. report to be issued by October 26th.

CENTRAL FLORIDA---Shipments 0-0-0---Light harvest expected to start in 14-21 days due to last week's heavy rains. Expect first F.O.B, report to be issued the third week of November.

EASTERN SHORE OF VIRGINIA---Shipments Very Light---Movement expected to decrease. Remaining supplies insufficient to establish market. **LAST REPORT**.

TOMATOES, CHERRY

WEST FLORIDA---Shipments 1-1-1---Light harvest expected to continue for the next 21 days due to last week's heavy rain and cool temperatures.

CENTRAL FLORIDA---Shipments 0-0-1---Light harvest has begun. Expect light harvest to continue for the next 20 days due to last week's heavy rain.

EASTERN SHORE OF VIRGINIA---Shipments Very Light---Movement expected to decrease. Remaining supplies insufficient to establish a market. **LAST REPORT**.

TOMATOES, GRAPE TYPE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA COAST AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA--- Crossings 6-7-5,

Shipments 6-7-12---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices lower. Flats 12 1-pint baskets with lids medium-large mostly 12.95-14.95, 20 pound cartons loose medium-large mostly 24.95. Quality generally good.

WEST FLORIDA---Shipments 3-7-11---Light harvest will continue for the next 14-21 days due to last week's heavy rain and cool morning temperatures. Expect first F.O.B. report by the middle of November.

CENTRAL FLORIDA---Shipments 0-0-1---Light harvest has begun. Expect light harvest to continue for the next 14-21 days due to last week's heavy rain. Expect sufficient volume for first F.O.B. report to be issued by the middle of November.

EASTERN SHORE OF VIRGINIA---Shipments Very Light---Movement expected to decrease. Remaining supplies insufficient to establish a market. **LAST REPORT**.

TOMATOES, PLUM TYPE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA COAST AND MEXICO

CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA--- Crossings 84-86-84 (Greenhouse 80-82-80, Field Grown 4-4-4), Shipments CA Field Grown 15-13-15---Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices medium generally unchanged, others lower. 25 pound cartons loose GREENHOUSE extra large 8.95, large mostly 8.95, medium 6.95-7.95. Quality generally good. **CENTRAL CALIFORNIA**---Shipments 36-50-20---Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading early slow, late fairly slow. Offerings insufficient to establish a market. Most sales booked open with a price to be established Tuesday, October 18. Quality variable. **MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---**Crossings 56-65-51 (Greenhouse 48-58-46, Field Grown 8-7-5)---Movement expected about the same. Trading early slow, late moderate. Prices lower. 25 pound cartons loose GREENHOUSE extra large mostly 8.95-9.95, large mostly 7.95-8.95, medium mostly 6.50-7.00. Quality variable. **WEST FLORIDA**---Light harvest expected to start within 14 days. Expect light harvest to continue for the next 21 days due to last week's heavy rain and cool morning temperatures.

CENTRAL FLORIDA---Light harvest expected to start within 21 days due to last week's heavy rain. Expect first F.O.B. report by the middle of November.

Unless otherwise stated, shipments, crossings or imports are for the weeks ending October 1, 8 and 15, 2011, in that order in thousand hundredweight (cwt) or 100,000 pound units. Expected movement is for the period October 16 - 29, 2011. Prices are for Monday, October 17, 2011 compared to Tuesday, October 11, 2011, unless otherwise stated. Prices for onions from Washington, Idaho-Oregon, Colorado and Peru; potatoes for Wisconsin, Columbia Basin of Washington-Oregon, Klamath Basin, Minnesota-North Dakota, Northwestern Washington, Colorado and Idaho are compared to Monday, October 10, 2011. Unless otherwise stated, sales are F.O.B. Shipping Point Basis (including Delivered Sales, F.O.B. Shipping Point Basis) or port of entry and extra services are included. Prices represent open (spot) market sales by first handlers on product of generally good quality and condition unless otherwise stated and may include promotional allowances or other incentives. No consideration is given to after-sale adjustments unless otherwise stated. Brokerage fees paid by shipper are included in the price reported.

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UNITED STATES---Shipments (including imports) 1004*-1033*-1022--- The top shipping areas for the week, in order, were Idaho and Malheur County Oregon, Columbia Basin Washington, Colorado, Peru, and Nevada. In the Market News Service weekly survey of over 21,000 individual stores, 12,416 retail stores had onions on ad (3pound bag and per pound of Yellow, Sweet Yellow, White and Red onions) which is a 21 percent increase from last week. *revised. IDAHO AND MALHEUR COUNTY OREGON---Shipments 319-334-335---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading slow. Prices generally unchanged. U.S. One Yellow Spanish Hybrid 50-pound sacks super colossal mostly 8.00, colossal mostly 6.00, jumbo mostly 5.00, medium mostly 5.00; U.S. One White 50-pound sacks large mostly 10.00, medium mostly 9.00; U.S. One Red 25pound sacks large mostly 6.00, medium mostly 5.00. Another rain storm occurred on October 16, bringing harvest to a standstill. Due to the multiple rain storms that have hit the growing area the last three weeks a large portion of the onions are still in the field.

COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON AND UMATILLA BASIN OREGON---Shipments 357-358-334 (includes export of 103-140-118)---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading slow. Prices generally unchanged. Yellow Hybrid 50-pound sacks colossal 5.50-6.25, jumbo mostly 5.00, medium mostly 5.00; White 50-pound

sacks jumbo 9.00-12.00, medium 7.00-10.00; Red Globe Type 25-pound sacks jumbo 4.00-5.00, medium mostly 4.00.

NORTH AND EAST POINTS COLORADO---Shipments 71-68-68---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading slow. Prices Yellow jumbo and Red medium lower, others generally unchanged. Yellow Hybrid 50-pound sacks jumbo 7.50, medium 7.00-7.50; White 50-pound sacks jumbo 12.00-13.00, medium 10.00-12.00; Red Globe type 25-pound sacks jumbo 7.00-7.50, medium mostly 6.00.

WESTERN SLOPE COLORADO---Shipments 13-3-6---Movement expected to decrease as growers gap between short-day and long-day onions.

PERU IMPORTS REPACKED AT VARIOUS EAST COAST SHIPPING POINTS---Shipments 62*-57*-65---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Yellow Granex-Marked Sweet 40-pound cartons jumbo mostly 15.00-16.00. *revised.

NEVADA---Shipments 33-52-56---Movement expected to increase seasonally.

SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 41-42*-44---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. *revised.

UTAH---Shipments 13-20-27---Movement expected to increase seasonally.

MICHIGAN---Shipments 18-15-17---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading slow. Prices unchanged. Yellow Globe type master container 16 3-pound mesh sacks medium 10.00-11.00, repacker size mostly 8.00-9.00. Quality variable.

NEW YORK---Shipments 0-9-13---Movement is expected to remain about the same. Trading slow. Prices Yellow Globe type 50 pound sacks medium 2 1/4 inch minimum 9.50-10.50, 2 inch minimum 9.00-10.00. Wide range in size and quality.

CENTRAL WISCONSIN---Shipments 6-9-9---Movement expected to increase as season progresses. Unofficial prices for Monday, October 17, 2011 Yellow Hybrid 16 3-pound mesh sacks 10.50-12.00.

ONIONS FOR PROCESSING

WESTERN UNITED STATES---Shipments 79-90-95---Movement expected to remain about the same. No prices reported. **EASTERN UNITED STATES**---Shipments 12-13-15---Movement expected to remain about the same. No prices reported.

POTATOES

UNITED STATES---Shipments (not including imports) 1854*-1752*-1635--- The top shipping states, in order, were Idaho, Colorado, Columbia Basin Washington/ Umatilla Basin Oregon, Wisconsin, and Nebraska. The Market News Service survey of over 21,000 retail stores had potatoes on ad last week in 11,336 a 4 percent increase from the 10,866 stores the prior week. Diesel prices for the week of October 17, 2011 were 3.80, which was a .05 decrease from the previous week. *revised.

UPPER VALLEY, TWIN FALLS-BURLEY DISTRICT, IDAHO-

--Shipments 625-658-589 (includes export of 2-2-3)---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading baled and carton 80-100s very active, others moderate. Prices baled slightly higher, others generally unchanged. Russet Burbank U.S. One 2-inch or 4-ounce minimum baled 5-10-pound film bags non size A 6.50-7.00, 50-pound cartons 40-60s 10.00-10.50, 70s 9.00-10.50, 80s 9.00-10.00, 90s 8.00-9.00, 100s 7.00-8.00; Russet Norkotah U.S. One 2-inch or 4-ounce minimum baled 5 10-pound film bags non size A 6.50-7.00, 50-pound cartons 40-70s 8.00, 80s 7.00-8.00, 90s 7.00-8.00, 100s 7.00-8.00. Shipments by variety for the week ending October 15, 2011 were generally Russets with 62 percent Norkotahs and 35 percent Burbanks.

SAN LUIS VALLEY, COLORADO---Shipments 317-235*-278---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading baled moderate, others slow. Prices baled slightly higher, carton 40-70s slightly lower, others generally unchanged. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 5 10-pound film bags size A mostly 8.00, 50-pound cartons 40s mostly 6.50, 50-70s mostly 7.50, 80-100s mostly 8.00-8.50, and U.S. Commercial bulk per cwt. mostly 9.00. *revised.

COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON AND UMATILLA BASIN OREGON---Shipments 243-247-199 (includes export of 37-32-37)--Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading baled and carton 80-100s active, others moderate. Prices baled higher, carton 90-100s generally unchanged, others lower. Russet Norkotah U.S. One 2-inch or 4-ounce minimum baled 5 10-pound film bags non size A mostly 6.00, 50-pound cartons 40-80s mostly 8.00, 90-100s 7.00-8.00.

CENTRAL WISCONSIN---Shipments 155-136-135---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices Round Red size B, Russet baled and carton 80s-100s slightly higher, Russet carton 40s-70s slightly lower, others generally unchanged. Prices Round Red U.S. One 50-pound cartons size A 13.50- 15.00, size B 14.00-16.00, 3/4 inch minimum 25.00-30.00. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 5 10-pound film bags non size A mostly 7.50, 50-pound cartons 40- 70s mostly 10.00-11.00, 80s 9.00-11.00, 90s 8.50-10.00, 100s 8.00-9.00.

NEBRASKA DISTRICT---Shipments 81-55*-71---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading baled fairly active, carton

80-100s moderate, others slow. Prices baled and carton 80-100s slightly higher, carton 40-70s slightly lower. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 5 10-pound film bags size A mostly 8.00, 50-pound cartons 40-70s 6.50-8.50, 80s mostly 8.50, 90-100s 8.00-9.00. *revised.

MINNESOTA-NORTH DAKOTA (RED RIVER VALLEY)---

Shipments 55*-64-67---Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading size B active, others fairly slow. Prices size B slightly higher, others generally unchanged. Round Red U.S. One size A baled 5 10-pound film bags size A 12.00, 50-pound sacks size A 11.00, size B mostly 15.00-16.00, tote bags approximately 2000 pounds per cwt. size A 20.00. *revised.

HEREFORD HIGH PLAINS-EASTERN NEW MEXICO---

Shipments 66-76*-62---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. *revised. **NORTHWEST WASHINGTON**---Shipments 43-43-55---

Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices Long White size A lower, others generally unchanged. Prices Round Red U.S. One 50-pound cartons size A mostly 20.00-22.00, size B 24.00-26.00, 3/4-1 5/8 inch 32.00-36.00; Long White U.S. One 50-pound cartons size A 22.00-24.00, size B 14.00-16.00, 3/4-1 5/8 inch 32.00-36.00; Yellow Type U.S. One 50-pound cartons size A 22.00-24.00, size B 16.00-20.00, 3/4-1 5/8 inch 32.00-34.00.

KLAMATH BASIN (NORTHERN CALIFORNIA-SOUTHERN OREGON)---Shipments 26-39-42--- Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading moderate. Prices baled higher, cartons 80s slightly lower, others slightly unchanged. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 5 10-pound film bags size A 6.50-7.00, 50-pound cartons 40-70s mostly 10.00-12.00, 80s 8.00-10.00, 90s 7.00-9.00, 100s 7.00-8.00

BIG LAKE AND CENTRAL MINNESOTA---Shipments 65-46-34---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

LONG ISLAND---Shipments 15-19-21---Movement expected about the same. Trading slow. Prices unchanged. Round White U.S.One 50 pound sacks size A mostly 9.50-10.00, baled 10 5-pound sacks size A 12.00-13.00. Most harvesting and storage resumed Monday, October 17.

MICHIGAN---Shipments 20-41-18---Movement expected to increase as more growers finish harvest and begin packing. Current supplies in too few hands to establish a market. Harvest beginning to wind down. Expect first Shipping Point Prices around November 1.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA DISTRICT---Shipments 21-10-11---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

AROOSTOOK COUNTY, MAINE---Shipments 13-10-7---

Movement expected about the same as the current week and increase slightly the following the week. Harvest and storage active. Currently, only a few growers are packing, with additional packing sheds expected to begin by November 1. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

NEW BRUNSWICK, CANADA (CROSSINGS THROUGH MAINE POINTS)---Shipments **-**--Harvest of storage varieties active with some growers awaiting improved market conditions before packing. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. Expect first F.O.B. Shipping Point prices near the end of the month. **unavailable.

POTATOES FOR PROCESSING

MICHIGAN---Shipments to Chippers 220*-312*-254---Movement expected about the same. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market. Harvest continues with unofficial reports of 75-80% completion. *revised.

WISCONSIN---Shipments to Chippers 168-131-157---Movement expected to remain about the same. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

WESTERN AND CENTRAL NEW YORK---Shipments to Chippers 87-93-76--- Movement expected about the same. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market. Harvest at another standstill due to rain and wet fields. Some growers have completed field contracts and await for storage contracts to begin. Some early contracts were not able to be completely filled.

MAÎNE---Shipments to Chippers 26-20-62---Movement expected about the same. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market. Harvest continues.

MINNESOTA-NORTH DAKOTA (RED RIVER VALLEY)--Shipments to Chippers 45-54-33---Movement expected to remain about the same. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

PENNSYLVANIA---Shipments to Chippers 26-20-30---Movement expected to decrease slightly. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market. Most harvesting has been completed with sizable losses reported due to heavy rains earlier.

MASSACHUSETTS---Shipments to Chippers 25-20-12---Movement expected to decrease as season comes to a close. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

OHIO---Shipments to Chippers---Shipments 1-4-1---Movement expected about the same. Movement on pre-season contracts. Too few open market sales to establish a market. Harvest nearing completion.

IDAHO---Open-market trading by processors with growers was fairly active. Open-market prices paid to growers for Russet Burbank potatoes, field-run, bulk per cwt, less dirt, rot and green tare, F.O.B. growers storage unless otherwise stated: French-Fry Quality \$1.00-2.00 over the contract price. Dehydration plants are using Russet Burbanks and Norkotahs.