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Unless otherwise stated, shipments, crossings or imports are for the weeks ending April 14, April 21, and April 28, 2012, in that order in thousand hundredweight (cwt) or 100,000 pound units. Expected movement is for the period April 29-May 12, 2012. Prices are for Monday, April 30, 2012 compared to Monday, April 23, 2012. 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

SOUTH GEORGIA---Shipments 6-37-46---Movement expected to remain about the same current week, decrease next week as many growers anticipate harvesting gaps between the Highbush and Rabbit Eye varieties. Trading fairly active. Prices higher. Flats 12 1-pint cups with lids large 32.00-34.00, 12 6-ounce cups with lids large 20.00-22.00, 4.4 ounce cups with lids medium-large 15.00-16.00. ORGANIC flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids medium-large 32.00-36.00. Quality good.

CENTRAL AND NORTHERN FLORIDA---Shipments 34-40-22--Movement expected to continue seasonal decline. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Flats 12 1-pint cups with lids large 32.00-34.00, 12 6-ounce cups with lids large 20.00- 22.00, 4.4 ounce cups with lids medium 15.00-17.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Quality variable.

SOUTH AND CENTRAL DISTRICT CALIFORNIA---Shipments-3-5-7--Movement expected to increase. Trading early active, late moderate. Prices Organic unchanged, others lower. Flats 12 4.4-ounce cups with lids medium-large mostly 18.00-20.90. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids medium-large mostly 20.00-22.90; ORGANIC: Flats 12 4.4-ounce cups with lids medium-large 32.00-36.90. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids medium-large mostly 36.00-38.90. Includes palletizing and cooling. Quality generally good.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH ARIZONA, CALIFORNIA AND TEXAS DISTRICT--- Crossings 4-5-4---Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading moderate. Prices lower. Unofficial prices flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids medium-large mostly 20.00-22.90. Includes palletizing and cooling. Quality generally good. Prices from industry sources. No F.O.B. report currently issued. EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA---Very light shipments during the current trade week (April 29-May 05) with reportable volume expected to begin next week (May 06-12). Currently, no F.O.B. is being reported. FIRST REPORT.

MISCELLANEOUS BERRIES MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH ARIZONA, CALIFORNIA AND TEXAS DISTRICT--- Crossings 33-32-35---Movement

expected to increase. Trading active at lower prices. Prices lower. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids Blackberries 12.00-14.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in quality. Prices include some 1/2 dry pint containers.

CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---Imports 1*-1*-3---Imports via air from Guatemala. Movement expected to decrease. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Cartons 12 6-ounce cups with lids Blackberries mostly 13.00. Quality good. *revised.

RASPBERRIES

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH ARIZONA, CALIFORNIA AND TEXAS DISTRICT--- Crossings 9-14-19---Movement

expected to increase. Trading fairly active at lower prices. Prices lower. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids Red mostly 22.00. Includes palletization and cooling. Wide range in quality.

OXNARD, CALIFORNIA DISTRICT---Shipments 10-11-14---Movement expected to increase. Trading fairly active at lower prices. Prices lower. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids Red mostly 22.00. Includes palletization and cooling. Wide range in quality.

STRAWBERRIES

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 404-566-590 OXNARD, CALIFORNIA DISTRICT---Shipments 288-370-336--- Movement expected to decrease. Trading organic active, others fairly active at lower prices. Prices organic unchanged, others lower. Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids medium-large mostly 7.00-8.00. Flats 4 2-pound containers with lids medium-large mostly 7.00-8.00. ORGANIC: Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids medium-large 16.00-18.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in quality. SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA DISTRICT---Shipments 81-149-187---Movement expected to increase. Trading organic active at lower prices, others active. Prices organic lower, others generally unchanged. Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids medium-large mostly 8.00-9.00. ORGANIC: Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids medium-large 16.00-18.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in quality.

SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA DISTRICT---

Shipments 7-24-57--- Movement expected to increase. Trading organic active, others active at lower prices. Flats 12 1-pint baskets medium-large mostly 12.00. Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids medium-large mostly 8.00-9.00. ORGANIC: Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids medium-large mostly 18.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in quality.

ORANGE COUNTY, SAN DIEGO AND COACHELLA, CALIFORNIA DISTRICT--- Shipments 28-23-10---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Most shippers have finished for the season. Remaining supplies in too few hands to establish market. Very light shipments expected to continue until May 11, 2012. LAST

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA.

CALIFORNIA DISTRICT---Crossings 121-90-55---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Most shippers have finished for the season. Remaining supplies in too few hands to establish market. Light crossings expected to continue until May 8, 2012. **LAST REPORT**.

EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA---Shipments 5-6-4---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. Flats 8 1- pound containers with lids medium 12.00-13.00. Includes palletizing and cooling.

CITRUS FRUIT

CLEMENTINES

CHILE---Imports 0-0-0---Imports via boat. Light volume current entransit, expected to arrive in Northeast ports in 10-14 days. **FIRST REPORT**.

GRAPEFRUIT

SOUTH AND CENTRAL DISTRICT CALIFORNIA---Shipments

Moderate---Movement expected to increase slightly. Trading Shippers First Grade 32-36s active, 40-48s fairly active, others fairly slow. Prices Shippers First Grade 36-48s slightly higher, others generally unchanged. Unofficial prices 7/10 bushel cartons Star Ruby Shippers First Grade 23-27s 15.73- 15.75, 32s mostly 14.50-15.25, 36s 12.73-14.75, 40s 11.25-13.25, 48s 9.73-11.25, 56s 8.75-9.25; Shippers Choice 23-27s mostly 8.50-9.75, 32s mostly 9.75-11.25, 36s 9.50-10.48, 40s 9.23-9.98, 48s 8.23-9.75, 56s 7.73-8.75. Prices from trade sources. No F.O.B. report currently issued.

FLORIDA---Shipments 26-13-4 (includes export 1-1-0)---Prices not reported.

LEMONS

SOUTH AND CENTRAL DISTRICT CALIFORNIA---Shipments Moderate---Movement expected about the same. Trading 115-200s active, others fairly active. Prices Shippers First Grade and Choice 165s slightly higher, others generally unchanged. 7/10 bushel cartons Shippers First Grade 75s mostly 25.73-28.75, 95s mostly 26.73-29.75, 115s mostly 25.73-29.75, 140s mostly 22.73-24.75, 165s mostly 20.73-22.75, 200s 18.73-21.75, 235s mostly 14.73-16.75; Shippers Choice 75s mostly 17.73-19.75, 95s mostly 18.73-20.75, 115s 18.73-20.75, 140s mostly 19.73-21.75, 165s mostly 18.73-20.75, 200s 16.73-18.75, 235s mostly 11.75-14.75. ORGANIC 7/10 bushel cartons Shippers First Grade 75s 28.30-32.75, 95-115s mostly

LIMES

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 129-

30.30-34.75, 140s mostly 26.30-28.75.

194-196---Movement expected about the same. Trading slow. Supplies heavy. Prices lower. Seedless type 40 pound cartons 110s mostly 11.00-12.00, 150s 10.00-12.00, 175s 8.00-10.00, 200s mostly 7.00-8.00, 230s mostly 6.00, 250s mostly 5.00-6.00. Quality and condition variable.

ORANGES

SOUTH AND CENTRAL DISTRICT CALIFORNIA---Shipments

Moderate---Movement expected about the same. Trading Shippers First Grade and Choice 88-138s very active for light supplies, 72s active, 48-56s moderate. Prices Shippers First Grade 48-56s generally unchanged, others higher. 7/10 bushel cartons Navels Shippers First Grade 48-56s mostly 15.73-16.75, 72s 14.73-16.75, 88s mostly 15.73-16.75, 113s mostly 13.73-14.75, 138s 11.75- 13.25; Shippers Choice 48s 10.73-11.25, 56s 10.73-11.75, 72s 11.73- 12.75, 88-113s 11.73-13.75, 138s 11.23-12.75. ORGANIC (last report) Navels Shippers First Grade supplies light and in too few hands to establish a market.

FLORIDA---Shipments 77-67-83 (includes export 5-2-3)---Prices not reported.

MELONS

CANTALOUPES

FLORIDA---Shipments 19-41-105---Movement expected to increase as more shippers begin the season. Trading very active. Prices slightly higher. Includes palletizing and precooling. 24 inch bins Athena 120s mostly 210.00-220.00, 140s mostly 180.00-190.00, 160s 160.00-170.00, 180s 125.00. Quality generally good.

CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---Imports 165*-182*-76---Imports via boat from Guatemala, Honduras, and Costa Rica.

Movement expected decrease. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading active. Prices 12s unchanged; others lower. 1/2 cartons 9s mostly 13.95-14.95, 12s mostly 16.95, 15-18s 16.95. Oversized 1/2 cartons 9s (6s size) mostly 13.95-14.95. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Trading active. 1/2 cartons 9-12s supply in too few hands to establish a market. Quality good. *revised.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 0-11-62---Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading moderate. Prices lower. Unofficial prices 1/2 cartons 9-12s mostly 15.95, 15s mostly 10.95-12.95, 18s mostly 8.95. Quality variable. Prices from trade sources. No F.O.B. report currently issued.

IMPERIAL AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA---Harvest expected to begin in Imperial Valley the week of May 6, followed by Western Arizona the week of May 13. Central Arizona harvest expected to begin the week of May 20 with Palo Verde Valley shippers expecting to start the week of June 3. Quality expected to be generally good. However, planted acreage is expected to be down approximately 20 percent. FIRST REPORT.

HONEYDEWS

CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---Imports 49*-73*-38---Imports via boat from Guatemala, Honduras, Costa Rica. Movement expected to decrease. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading moderate. Prices higher. 2/3 cartons 5s mostly 9.95-10.95, 6s mostly 10.95, 8s mostly 11.95-12.95. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Trading moderate. Prices lower. 2/3 cartons 4s 7.00-8.00, 5s 10.00, 6s 11.00-12.00. Quality good. *revised.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 21-18-33---Movement expected to increase seasonally. Supplies 5s fairly heavy. Trading moderate. Prices 5s slightly lower, others lower. 2/3 cartons 5s 9.00-9.50, 6s mostly 10.35-10.50, 8s mostly 10.00-10.35. Quality variable.

IMPERIAL AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA---Harvest is expected to begin in Imperial Valley the week of May 13, followed by Central and Western Arizona the week of May 20. Palo Verde Valley shippers expect to start the week of June 3. Quality expected to be generally good. FIRST REPORT.

MISCELLANEOUS MELONS IMPERIAL AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA

AND CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA---Harvest is expected to begin in Imperial Valley the week of May 13, followed by Western Arizona the week of May 20. Central Arizona and Palo Verde Valley shippers expect to start the week of June 3. Quality expected to be generally good. FIRST REPORT.

WATERMELONS

FLORIDA---Shipments 98-257-534 (Red Flesh Seedless 78-204-447; Red Flesh Seeded 20-53-87)---Movement expected to decrease. Trading moderate. Prices lower. 24 inch bins per hundred weight Red Flesh Seeded 35s 15.00; Red Flesh Seedless Type 36s mostly 18.00, 45s 21.00-22.00, 60s 21.00-22.00. Quality generally good.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 284-306-367 (Seedless 269-276-349, Seeded 15-30-18)---Movement expected to increase seasonally as harvest increases in the Hermosillo region. Trading early active, late moderate. Prices 75-80s generally unchanged, others lower. Red Flesh Seedless type 24 inch bins approximately 35 count and 45 count .20-.22, 60 count mostly .18-.20, 75-80s mostly .16. Cartons Red Flesh Seedless Miniature 6s 11.95-12.95, 8-9s 12.95-14.95, 11s mostly 10.95-12.95. Quality and condition variable. Most present shipments from prior bookings and previous commitments at lower prices.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 181-156-204---Movement expected to decrease. Trading fairly slow.

Supplies fairly light. Prices much lower. Red Flesh Seedless type per pound 24 inch bins approximately 35, 45, and 60 counts mostly .22, cartons 4-6s mostly .24. Quality variable.

CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---Imports 35*-36*-14 (Seedless 32*-39*-4; Seeded 0-0-0)---Imports via boat from Guatemala, Honduras, and Nicaragua. Movement expected to decrease. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. cartons flat Red Flesh Seedless Miniature 5s 9.00, 6s 10.00, 8s 11.00. Quality good. *revised.

LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY, TEXAS---Shipments Very Light---Movement began late the week of April 22 and is expected to increase seasonally. The first F.O.B. report is expected to be issued the week of May 13. Reduced yields are expected this season due to two severe hail storms. Harvest of some acreage will be delayed by approximately two weeks as replanting was necessary.

IMPERIAL AND COACHELLA VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA---Shipments AZ Seedless 0-0-4, Seeded 0-0-0---Harvest began in Western Arizona the week of April 22 and is expected to increase slightly until the week of May 13, when harvest is expected to be fully underway. Shippers in Imperial and Coachella Valley expect to begin late in the week of May 7. Central Arizona shippers expect to begin the week of May 27. Quality generally good. The first F.O.B. report is expected to be issued the week of May 13. FIRST REPORT.

NON-CITRUS FRUIT

APPLES

YAKIMA VALLEY AND WENATCHEE DISTRICT

WASHINGTON---2011 CROP Shipments 979-994-1,058 (Includes Exports 315-322-344)---Movement expected about the same. Trading active. Prices Granny Smith 88 & 113s Slightly lower, others generally unchanged. Washington Extra Fancy carton tray pack Red Delicious 72-80s 18.00-20.00, 88s mostly 18.00, 100s 17.00-18.00, 113s 16.00-18.00, 125s 15.00-17.00; Golden Delicious 72s 20.00-22.00, 80-88s mostly 20.00, 100-113s 16.00-18.00, 125s 14.00-16.00; Fuji 64s 24-26.00, 72-80s 24.00, 88s 22.00-24.00, 100s 16.00-18.00, 113s 14.00-16.00, 125s 14.00-15.00; Granny Smith 72s 26.00, 80s 24.00-26.00, 88s 22.00-24.00, 100s 18.00-20.00, 113-125s 17.00-18.00; Gala 72s 26.00-28.00, 80s 24.00- 26.00, 88s 24.00, 100-113s 18.00-20.00, 125s 17.00-18.00; Braeburn 72- 88s 18.00-20.00, 100s 16.00-18.00, 113s 14.00-15.00, 125s 14.00. Washington Extra Fancy carton tray pack fine appearance Red Delicious 72s mostly 22.00, 80-88s 20.00-22.00, 100s 18.00-20.00, 113s mostly 18.00, 125s 16.00-18.00; Golden Delicious 72-80s 22.00-24.00, 88s 22.00, 100s 18.00-20.00; 113s 18.00, 125s 16.00-18.00; Fuji 64-80s 28.00-30.00; 88s 26.00-28.00, 100s 22.00, 113s 16.00-18.00, 125s 16.00-17.00; Granny Smith 72-80s 28.00-30.00; 88s 26.00-28.00, 100s 20.00-22.00, 113s 18.00- 20.00; Gala 72-80s 28.00, 88s 24.00-26.00, 100-113s 20.00-22.00, 125s 18.00; Braeburn 72-88s 20.00-22.00, 100s 18.00-20.00, 113s 16.00-18.00, 125s 14.00-15. Temperatures expected about the same with highs in the 60Fs and lows in the 40Fs. Some shower activity expected throughout the week. Exports to (listed by volume in descending order): Mexico, India, Canada, Indonesia, United Arab Emirates, China, Hong Kong, Thailand, Malaysia, Jordan, Israel, Vietnam, Guatemala, Kuwait, Philippines, Dominican Republic, Panama, Russia, Costa Rica, Egypt, Singapore, El Salvador, United Kingdom, Honduras, Sri Lanka, Colombia, Korea, Iceland, Trinidad-Tobago, Saudi Arabia, Nicaragua, the Bahamas, and Brazil.

CHILE---Imports 40-70*-90---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same as past two weeks. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 18 kilogram cartons tray pack Granny Smith 70- 80s mostly 24.00-26.00, 90s mostly 22.00-24.00, 100s 20.00-22.00; Royal Gala 70s 26.00-28.00, 80-90s 24.00-26.00, 100s 20.00-22.00. Quality good. *revised.

NEW YORK---Shipments 66-75-72---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy 12 3- pound film bags 2 1/2 inch minimum Red Delicious and McIntosh 17.00-18.00, Rome mostly 16.00, Empire mostly 17.00-18.00. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy tray pack McIntosh 80s-88s mostly 25.00-26.00, 100s mostly 24.00-25.00; Red Delicious 80s-88s mostly 23.00-24.00; Empire 80s-88s 24.00, 100s mostly 22.00-24.00. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy cell pack McIntosh 80s-88s mostly 25.00-26.00, 100s mostly 24.00-25.00; Empire 80s-88s mostly 24.00, 100s mostly 22.00-24.00. 2012 crop update: There have been some very cold temperatures in the past week in the apple growing areas of New York. It may take some time to realize the complete impact freezing temperatures will have upon the 2012 crop. **MICHIGAN**---Shipments 59-64-56---Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. Cartons tray pack U.S. Extra Fancy Gala 100s mostly 26.00-28.00, Red Delicious and Golden Delicious 88s 20.00-22.00, Mcintosh 100s mostly 25.00-26.00. Cartons 12 3-pound film bags U.S. Extra Fancy 2-1/2 inch minimum Gala mostly 20.00-22.00, Red Delicious 16.00-19.00, Golden Delicious and Idared mostly 16.00-17.00, Jonathan and Empire mostly 14.00-16.00, Mcintosh mostly 18.00-19.00, Fuji mostly 18.00-20.00, Law Rome mostly 15.00-16.00. *revised. **NEW ENGLAND**---Shipments 5-4-3---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading moderate. Boston wholesale market prices Monday, April 30, 2012, Carton cell pack U.S. Fancy Massachusetts McIntosh 80s-96s 21.00, 100s 19.00. Carton cell pack U.S. One Maine McIntosh 96s 18.00, 100s 18.00-19.00, 120s-140s

APPALACHIAN DISTRICT (MD-PA-VA-WV)---Shipments 16-15-14---Movement expected to decrease as most shippers have finished for the season. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. **LAST REPORT**.

AVOCADOS

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 135-232-216---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading Moderate. Prices 60s, and 70s generally unchanged, others lower. Cartons 2 layer Hass 32s mostly 31.25-32.25, 36s 31.25-32.25, 40s mostly 33.25, 48s mostly 33.25, 60s mostly 32.25, 70s 24.25-25.25, 84s mostly 20.25. Extra services included.

SOUTH DISTRICT CALIFORNIA---Shipments 86-92-**---Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices 40s generally unchanged, others lower. Cartons 2 layer Hass 32s mostly 33.25, 36s mostly 33.25-34.25, 40s 34.25-35.25, 48s mostly 34.25, 60s mostly 32.25, 70s mostly 24.25- 25.25, 84s mostly 20.25-21.25. Extra services included. ** UNAVAILABLE

CHERRIES

SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 0-0-0---Movement expected to increase seasonally. Light shipments of Burlats and pollinators will begin this week with light movement of Brooks to follow. Expected F.O.B. to begin on or around May 14th. Currently no F.O.B. being issued. **FIRST REPORT**

FRUIT OTHER

CHILE---Imports 2-3-3---Imports via boat. Movement expected to increase. PORT OF ENTRY: LOS ANGELES AREA. Trading moderate. Prices Shinseiki slightly lower, Hosui unchanged. Cartons 1 layer Apple Pears Hosui 10s 10.00, 12-14s 9.00, 16-182 8.00; Shinseiki 10s 9.00-10.00, 12-14s 8.00-9.00, 16-18s 7.00-8.00. Quality good. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading moderate. Prices Shinseiki slightly lower, Hosui unchanged. Cartons 1 layer Apple Pears Hosui 8s 12.00-13.00, 10s 11.00-12.00, 12s mostly 10.00, 14s mostly 9.00, 16s mostly 8.00, 18s 7.00-8.00; Shinseiki 8s 11.00-12.00, 10s 10.00-11.00, 12s 9.00-10.00, 14s 8.00-9.00, 16s 7.00-8.00, 18s 6.00-7.00. Quality good.

GRAPES, TABLE

CHILE---Imports 544-187-23---Imports via boat. Movement expected to decrease as shipping season concludes. PORT OF ENTRY: LOS ANGELES AREA. Trading moderate. Prices slightly lower. 18 pound containers bagged Crimson Seedless extra large 21.00-23.00, large 19.00-21.00, medium 17.00-19.00; Red Globe extra large mostly 18.00, large mostly 16.00, medium mostly 14.00. Quality good. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading moderate. Prices Crimson Seedless slightly lower, others unchanged. 18 pound containers bagged Crimson Seedless extra large 20.00-22.00, large 18.00-20.00, medium 16.00-18.00; Red Globe extra large 16.00-18.00, large 14.00-16.00, medium 12.00-14.00; Autumn Royal extra large 22.00-24.00, large 20.00-22.00, medium 18.00-20.00. Quality good.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA—Harvest of Perlette variety expected to begin the week of April 29. Quality expected to be generally good. The Asociacion Agricola Local de Productores de Uva de Mesa (Hermosillo Grape Growers Association) estimates Sonora's total 2012 grape exports to U.S. markets at 16.3 million 18-pound cartons, up from 2011's total of 14.7 million cartons. The estimate includes 2.4 million cartons of of Perlette, 8.3 million cartons of Flame Seedless, 3.8 million cartons of Sugraone, 825,000 cartons of Red Globe and 1 million cartons of other varieties.

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CHILE---Imports 29-26-29---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORT OF ENTRY: LOS ANGELES AREA. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 9 kilogram (19.8 pound) containers loose Hayward 25-27 size 15.00-16.00, 30-33 size 14.00-15.00, 36 size 13.00-14.00, 39 size 12.00- 13.00, 42 size mostly 12.00, 45 size 11.00-12.00. Quality good. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 9 kilogram (19.8 pound) containers loose Hayward 23 size 17.00 25-27 size 16.00-17.00, 30 size 15.00-16.00, 33 size 14.00-15.00, 36 size 13.00-14.00, 39 size 12.00- 13.00, 42-45 size 11.00-12.00. Quality good.

MANGOES

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 126-119-172---Movement expected to increase. Trading Ataulfo active, others moderate. Prices Ataulfo 12-14s higher, 16-24s slightly higher; others slightly lower. Flats 1 layer Tommy Atkins and Haden 6-8s mostly 4.75-5.00, 9s mostly 4.50-4.75, 10s mostly 4.25-4.50, 12s 4.00-4.50, 14s mostly 4.00-4.25; Ataulfo (very light supplies) 12s mostly 8.50-9.50, 14s mostly 7.50-8.50, 16s mostly 7.00-8.00, 18s mostly 6.00-7.00, 20s mostly 5.00-6.00, 22s mostly 4.50-5.00, 24s 4.00-4.50. Quality and condition variable.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---Crossings 21-37-63---Movement expected about the same. Supplies include light volumes of Haden variety. Trading moderate. Prices Ataulfo 14-20s higher, others lower. Cartons 1 layer Tommy Atkins 7-9s mostly 5.50-6.00, 10s mostly 5.00, 12s mostly 4.75-5.00; Ataulfo 14s mostly 8.00-8.50, 16s mostly 7.50-7.75, 18s mostly 7.00, 20s mostly 6.00, 22s mostly 5.50-5.75. Quality and condition variable.

CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---Imports 27*-58*-30---Imports via boat from Guatemala. Movement expected to decrease. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading moderate. Prices slightly higher. Flats one layer Tommy Atkins 6-10s 4.75-5.00, 12s 4.50, 14s 4.00-4.25. PORTS OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA. Trading moderate. Prices 6-12s lower; 14s generally unchanged. Flats one layer Tommy Atkins 6-9s 5.00, 10s mostly 4.50-4.75, 12s 4.50, 14s 4.00- 4.50. *revised

CARIBBEAN IMPORTS---Imports 8-14*-19---Imports via boat. Movement expected to increase. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Haiti. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Flats one layer Francis 8-12s 7.50-9.00. Quality good. *revised.

PAPAYAS

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 26-32-33---Movement expected about the same. Trading active. Prices slightly higher. 35-40 pound cartons Maradol type mostly 21.00-22.00. Quality variable.

CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---Imports 5-11*-10---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. Belize and Guatemala. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading active. Prices higher. Cartons 30-35 pounds Tainung Type 8-15s 23.00-24.00. Quality variable. *revised.

BRAZIL---Imports 6*-5*-2--Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading active. Prices slightly lower. 3.5 kilogram Solo Type (Golden) 6-12s 13.00-13.50. Quality variable. *revised.

PEACHES

CENTRAL GEORGIA—Growers from the Central areas expect harvest to start the first weekend of May. No F.O.B. issued at this time

SOUTH CAROLINA---No shipments reported in the district. Most shippers expect harvest to begin around May 10. Currently, no F.O.B. issued.

PEARS

YAKIMA VALLEY AND WENATCHEE DISTRICT

WASHINGTON---Shipments 125-138-100 (Includes Exports 41-49-34)---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly active. Prices Bosc slightly lower, others generally unchanged. 4/5 bushel cartons wrapped U.S. One D'Anjou 70-90s 18.00; 100s 17.00-18.00; 110s 15.00-16.00; 120s 14.00-16.00; 135s 13.00- 14.00. Bosc (standard russet) 70-90s 18.00-20.00, 100s 14.00-15.00, 110s 12.00-13.00, 120s 10.00-12.00. Temperatures expected about the same with highs in the 60Fs and lows in the 40Fs. Some shower activity expected throughout the week. Exports to (listed by volume in descending order): Mexico, Canada, Israel, Guatemala, Russia, Honduras, and the Bahamas.

CHILE---Imports 15-13-21---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same as past two weeks. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 18 kilogram containers wrapped Summer Bartlett 70-80 size 26.00-28.00, 90 size 24.00-26.00, 100 size 22.00-24.00, 110 size 18.00-20.00, 120 size mostly 18.00, 135 size 16.00-18.00; Bosc 60-80 size mostly 24.00, 90 size mostly 22.00, 100 size mostly 20.00, 110 size mostly 18.00, 120 size 18.00. Quality good.

ARGENTINA---Imports 4-107*-2---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same as last two weeks. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA AND NEW YORK CITY AREA. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 18 kilogram containers wrapped Packham Triumph 70-80 size mostly 24.00, 90 size mostly 22.00, 100 size mostly 20.00, 110 size mostly 18.00; Williams 70-80 size 28.00-30.00, 90 size mostly 24.00-26.00, 100 size mostly 22.00-24.00, 110 size mostly 20.00-22.00. Quality good. *revised.

PINEAPPLES

CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---Imports 182*-192*-174--- Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. Primarily Costa Rica. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading moderate. Prices slightly lower. Cartons one-layer Golden Ripe 5-6s mostly 9.00-10.00, 7s mostly 9.00-9.50, 8s mostly 8.50-9.50. PORTS OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA. Trading moderate. Prices slightly lower. Cartons one-layer Golden Ripe 5-7s mostly 9.50-10.50, 8s mostly 9.00-9.50. PORTS OF ENTRY FREEPORT-GALVESTON-HOUSTON, TEXAS. Trading moderate. Prices lower. Cartons one-layer Golden Ripe 5-7s mostly 9.00-10.00, 8s mostly 9.00-9.50. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Trading moderate. Prices slightly lower. Cartons one-layer Golden Ripe 5-7s mostly 10.00-11.00, 8s mostly 10.00-10.50. Quality good. *revised.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 35-38-41---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices 8s generally unchanged, others slightly lower. 1 layer cartons Golden Ripe 5-8s mostly 7.50-8.00. Quality generally good.

PLUMS AND PRUNES

CHILE---Imports 23-32-12---Imports via boat. Movement expected to decrease. PORT OF ENTRY: LOS ANGELES AREA. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. Cartons 2 layer tray pack Angeleno 40s mostly 14.00, 48s 12.00- 14.00, 50s 12.00-14.00, 60s 8.00-10.00. Quality good. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. Cartons 2 layer tray pack Angeleno 40s 12.00-14.00, 48s mostly 12.00, 50s mostly 12.00, 60s 10.00-12.00. Quality good.

POMEGRANATES

CHILE---Imports 2-2-3---Imports via boat. Movement expected to increase slightly. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading moderate. Prices for flats 1 layer tray pack Wonderful Marked Extra Fancy 8-12s 15.00-17.00; cartons / lugs loose Wonderful Marked Extra Fancy 16-18s 20.00-22.00. Quality good. **FIRST REPORT**.

VEGETABLES

ARTICHOKES

CENTRAL AND SOUTH CALIFORNIA---Shipments 29-29-26---Movement expected to decrease. Trading moderate. Prices 12s and 36s higher, others lower. Unofficial prices cartons (wide range in price) Thorned 12s 8.95-18.75, 18-24s 10.95-20.64, 30s 10.75-17.64, 36s 8.95-17.64. Quality variable. Prices from trade sources. No F.O.B. report currently issued.

ASPARAGUS

STOCKTON DELTA DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 25-32-30---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading early very active, late active. Prices higher. Pyramid cartons/crates 28 pound bunched long green large 44.75-46.75, standard 46.75-48.75. Il pound cartons bunched long green large 19.75-20.75, standard 19.75-21.75. Extra services included.

SALINAS VALLEY DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 7-10-9--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading very active. Prices higher. 28 pound bunched green large 44.75-46.75, standard 46.75-48.75. Il pound cartons bunched green large 20.75-22.75, standard 20.75-22.75. Extra services included.

WALLA WALLA DISTRICT & LOWER YAKIMA VALLEY WASHINGTON---Shipments 0-5-14---Movement expected to increase slightly. Trading very active. Some shipments from previous commitments. Pyramid cartons and crates 28 pound bunched Green Washington Extra Fancy large 44.00-46.75; standard mostly 48.75. 20 pound cartons bunched Green Washington Consumer Pack 30.00-32.00. Cuts picked up over the weekend once again, but cooler weather is forecast for the current week. Projected highs to be the 60Fs and lows in the 40Fs with some showers activity. Quality generally good.

MICHIGAN---Initial sporadic light harvest underway in Southwestern Michigan. Unseasonably warm temperatures in mid-March brought some early light supplies to local roadside stands or diverted for processing. Since that time, temperatures returned to normal Spring weather and suffered several light freezes and setbacks across the state. Expect reportable volume week of May 8th. According to NASS, the state's acreage is expected around 10,000 acres, which much of volume earmarked for the processing market. The Michigan Asparagus Growers Marketing Bargaining Committee has reached an agreement with all handlers for the 2012 processed crop as follows: the cash price will be 73 cents per pound with full payment due by Friday of the week following the week of delivery.

The grade is based on a maximum spear length of 7.5 inches. **FIRST REPORT**.

BEANS

CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA DISTRICTS---Shipments 73-61*-48---Movement expected to decrease. Trading fairly active. Prices much higher. Includes palletizing and precooling. Bushel cartons and crates Round Green type Machine Picked mostly 12.85-14.85. Quality generally good. *revised.

COACHELLA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 3-6-11---Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late active. Prices higher. 30 pound cartons Round Green type HANDPICKED mostly 24.45-24.95. Quality variable.

CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---Imports 6-7*-8---Imports via boat from Guatemala. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading moderate. Prices higher. 5 pound cartons Haricot Vert (French Type) 8.00-9.00. *revised.

SOUTH GEORGIA---Very light shipments reported in the district. Most shippers expect to start harvest around May 5 or soon after. Expected first F.O.B. to be issued around May 8. Current supplies insufficient to establish market. **FIRST REPORT**.

BEETS

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Crossings 4-4-5---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices lower. Cartons bunched Red type 12s mostly 9.85-11.64. Quality generally good.

BROCCOLI

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 147-166-188---SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 97 units shipped last week. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices Crown Cut lower, others slightly lower. Cartons bunched 14s mostly 5.50-6.47, 18s mostly 6.00-6.97, 20 pound loose Crown Cut mostly 6.00-7.00. Quality variable. Harvest curtailed by market conditions.

SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 50 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices Crown Cut lower, bunched slightly higher. Cartons bunched 14s 5.50-6.25, 18s 6.00-6.75, 20 pound loose Crown Cut mostly 5.00-6.05. Quality generally good.

CENTRAL SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---

Movement expected to decrease below the 41 units shipped last week. Trading early moderate, late slow. Prices lower. Cartons bunched supplies insufficient to establish a market, 20 pound loose Crown Cut mostly 4.00-4.50. Quality generally good. Lighter shipments expected to continue through May 5. LAST REPORT. MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 35-33-26---Movement expected to decrease seasonally and remain light until August when the new season begins. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. Quality variable. LAST REPORT.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA--- Crossings 22-19-20---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices slightly lower. 25 pound cartons mostly 22.95-26.85. Quality variable.

CABBAGE

SOUTH GEORGIA---Shipments 12-54-49---Movement expected to increase as more shippers begin harvesting. Trading moderate. Prices Round Green Type large lower, others unchanged. 50-pound cartons and 1 7/8 bushel cartons Round Green type medium mostly 6.50-7.00, large 5.00-6.00; 50-pound cartons Red Type medium 10.00; 40-pound cartons Savoy Type medium 10.00-12.00.

WESTERN AND CENTRAL NEW YORK---Shipments 33-31-28---Movement expected to decrease as more growers finish for the

season. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Round Green type 50 pound sacks large 3.50-4.00, bulk per pound large mostly .07-.08. Quality variable.

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 26-25-25---**OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to decrease slightly below the 18 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices Green higher, Red generally unchanged. 50 and 45 pound cartons 18-24s Round Green type mostly 6.75, Red type 8.75-9.75. Quality generally good.

CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 7 units shipped last week. Trading early moderate, late fairly active. Prices higher. 50 pound cartons 18-24s Round Green type mostly 7.00- 7.05. Quality generally good.

LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY, TEXAS---Shipments 32-33-24---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Supplies insufficient and in too few hands to establish a market. Quality variable. Lighter shipments expected to continue through May 5. **LAST REPORT**.

SAN ANTONIO-WINTER GARDEN, **TEXAS**---Shipments 20-23-17---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading moderate for light supplies. Prices slightly higher. Round Green type 1 3/4 bushel crates and 50 pound cartons medium mostly 7.00; 50 pound sacks mostly 5.00-5.50. Quality generally good.

CARROTS

KERN DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 140-150-152---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices jumbo slightly higher, others generally unchanged. 48 1-pound film bags in sacks medium-large 12.00- 13.40, 50 pound sacks loose jumbo 14.50-18.40. 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. MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 31-35-41---Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly slow, late slow. Prices slightly lower. 50 pound sacks loose jumbo mostly 6.00-7.00. Quality variable.

CAULIFLOWER

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 66-106-111--- **SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to decrease slightly below the 82 units shipped last week. Trading early moderate, late fairly active. Supplies 9s fairly heavy, 16s very light. Prices 9s slightly higher, others higher. Cartons film wrapped White 12s mostly 7.35-8.50, 9s mostly 5.85-7.14, 16s mostly 6.35-7.50. Quality generally good.

SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 29 units shipped last week. Trading early fairly slow, late moderate. Prices higher. Cartons film wrapped White 12s mostly 6.50-8.55, 9s mostly 6.50-6.55, 16s mostly 6.25-6.50. Quality generally good.

CELERY

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 243-244-239---OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 236 units shipped last week. Trading early slow, late moderate. Prices higher. Cartons 2 dozen mostly 6.45-7.61, 2 1/2 dozen mostly 6.75-7.61, 3 dozen (supplies light) mostly 8.50-9.61; Hearts film bags 18s mostly 12.50-14.56. Quality generally good. SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA----Movement expected to about the same as the 3 units shipped last week. Supplies insufficient and in too few hands to establish a market due to a 2-3 week gap in harvest. Quality generally good. The next F.O.B. report expected to be reissued in mid-May.

CHINESE CABBAGE

CENTRAL COAST CALIFORNIA---Shipments 13-16-16---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices 30 pound cartons higher, others lower. Nappa WGA crates mostly 16.35-18.85, 50 pound cartons mostly 13.25-15.75, 30 pound cartons 11.85-14.00. Quality variable.

CORN-SWEET

CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA DISTRICTS---Shipments 293-383-322---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices slightly lower. Includes palletizing and precooling. Wirebound crates 4 1/2 dozen Yellow 9.20, White 9.20, Bi-Color 9.20. Quality generally good.

IMPERIAL AND COACHELLA VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 20-43-158--- Movement expected about the same in Imperial Valley and increase slightly in Coachella Valley. Trading fairly active at lower prices. Prices lower. Cartons 4 dozen minimum White mostly 12.95, Yellow and Bi-Color 12.95-14.95. Quality generally good. Many present shipments from prior bookings and/or previous commitments. Harvest in Palo Verde Valley expected to begin the week of May 27.

CUCUMBERS

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 191-140*-158--- Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices lower. 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium mostly 14.95, medium fair quality mostly 10.95-12.95, medium ordinary quality mostly 6.95, small mostly 6.95-9.95, large mostly 8.95-10.95. Carton 36s mostly 6.95-7.95. Quality and condition variable. *revised

CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA DISTRICTS---Shipments 136-110-120---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading pickles very active, WAXED medium fairly active, other WAXED fairly active at lower prices. Prices pickles and WAXED medium higher, others lower. Includes palletizing and precooling. Pickles 1 1/9 bushel cartons 150-200s mostly 18.00-18.90, 200-300s mostly 18.85-20.90; WAXED medium mostly 20.00-20.85, medium fair quality mostly 8.35-10.35. Cartons 24s mostly 5.35-6.35. Quality generally good.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA,

CALIFORNIA---Crossings 32-31-27--- Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading moderate. Prices small and large lower, others generally unchanged. Unofficial prices 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium 18.00-18.95, fair quality mostly 15.00-16.00; large mostly 14.00-14.95. Carton 36s mostly 9.00-9.95. Quality generally good. Prices from trade sources. No F.O.B. report currently issued. Harvest delayed by unseasonably cool weather. The first F.O.B. report expected to be issued the week of May 6.

SOUTH GEORGIA---Shipments 0-0-5---Very light shipments reported in the district. Movement expected to increase as more shippers begin to harvest. Trading fairly active. Prices Waxed 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium 20.35-22.85, fair quality 8.35-10.85; cartons 24s mostly 7.35-7.85

EGGPLANT

CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA DISTRICTS.--Shipments 9-17-20---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading medium active, fair quality slow. Prices lower. Includes palletizing and precooling. 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium mostly 10.35-12.35, fair quality mostly 6.00-6.35. Quality good.

COACHELLA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 0-0-1---Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading active. Prices cartons wrapped 18s and 24s 18.95-20.95. Quality generally good.

ENDIVE-ESCAROLE

CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 1-2-1---

Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices lower. Cartons 24s Endive mostly 11.85-12.85, Escarole mostly 12.50-13.85. Quality generally good.

GREENS

SOUTH GEORGIA---Shipments 23-21-19---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. Cartons bunched 24s Collard mostly 7.00, Kale mostly 7.00, Mustard Curly mostly 7.00, Mustard Flat mostly 7.00, Turnip Tops mostly 7.00.

LEXINGTON DISTRICT SOUTH CAROLINA---Shipments 19-17-19---Movement expected to remain the same. Trading moderate. Prices Tuesday, May 01, 2012 compared to Tuesday, April 24, 2012 unchanged. Cartons bunched Kale 24s 9.00-10.00.

EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA---Shipments 8-7-8---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. Various containers of bunched/loose Collard, Kale, Mustard, and Turnip Tops 6.50-7.00.

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 3-3-4---

CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 3 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons bunched 24s Kale 7.15-8.85. Quality generally good.

OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 1 unit shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Unofficial prices cartons bunched 24s Kale 6.75-7.75. Quality generally good. Prices from trade sources. No F.O.B. report currently issued.

LETTUCE, ICEBERG

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 444-481-580--- **SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the 510 units shipped last week. Trading fairly slow. Prices much lower. Cartons 24s film lined mostly 9.35-10.64, filmwrapped mostly 10.35-11.64; 30s filmwrapped mostly 7.50-9.35. Quality variable.

SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA—Movement expected about the same as the 68 units shipped last week. Trading early active, late fairly slow. Prices lower. Cartons 24s 6.00-8.35, film lined 7.65-9.35, filmwrapped 8.65- 10.75. Quality generally good.

LETTUCE, ROMAINE

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 266-328-337--- **SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the 303 units shipped last week. Trading early active, late moderate. Prices slightly lower. Cartons 24s 9.25-10.50; Hearts 12-3 count packages mostly 11.50-12.50, 48s mostly 12.50-13.50. Quality generally good.

SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 19 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices 24s lower, Hearts generally unchanged. Cartons 24s mostly 8.00-9.25; Hearts 12-3 count packages mostly 11.00-12.50. Quality generally good.

OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 12 units shipped last week. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices higher. Cartons 24s 8.75-9.75. Quality generally good.

LETTUCE, OTHER

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 43-62-59--- **SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the 47 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices Boston generally unchanged, others slightly lower. Cartons Green Leaf and Red Leaf mostly 9.45-11.00, Boston mostly 9.95-11.11. Quality generally good.

SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 7 units shipped last week. Trading early active, late moderate. Prices Green Leaf higher, Red Leaf lower. Cartons 24s Green Leaf mostly 10.50- 11.55, Red Leaf mostly 9.35-9.75. Quality generally good.

OXNARD DISTRICT, **CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the 5 units shipped last week. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices Green Leaf lower, Red Leaf higher. Cartons 24s

Green Leaf 8.75- 10.75, Red Leaf mostly 8.75-9.75. Quality generally good.

MISCELLANEOUS ASIAN VEGETABLES

CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 5-6-6---

Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly slow, late moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Bok Choy WGA crates mostly 9.85-10.45, 30 pound cartons mostly 7.35-8.64. Quality generally good.

MISCELLANEOUS HERBS

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 6-9-8--- **CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the 5 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cilantro cartons bunched 60s mostly 8.35-9.50, 30s mostly 6.25-7.45. Quality generally good.

OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA—Movement expected about the same as the 3 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cilantro cartons bunched 60s mostly 6.75, 30s mostly 5.25. Quality generally good.

MISCELLANEOUS TROPICALS

CENTRAL AMERICAN IMPORTS---Imports 33*-23*-31---

Imports from Costa Rica and Nicaragua. Movement expected to remain about the same. Ports of Entry: South Florida. Trading moderate. Prices Ginger Root, Malanga (Lila), Dasheen (medium), and Yams (Name) higher; Chayote (40 lbs) and Malanga (Blanca) lower; Calabaza, Chayote (20 lbs), Taro Eddoes, Dasheen (large), and Yuca generally unchanged. Calabaza 50 pound sacks mostly 13.00-14.00. Chayote 20 pound cartons mostly 7.50-8.50; 40 pound cartons mostly 14.00. Ginger Root 30 pound cartons mostly 14.00-15.00. Malanga 40 pound cartons Blanca large mostly 31.00-32.00; Lila large mostly 23.00-24.00. Taro 40 pound cartons Eddoes mostly 26.00; Dasheen (large) mostly 50.00; (medium) mostly 31.00-32.00; Yams (Name) 45 pound cartons Yellow mostly 47.00-48.00; 50 pound cartons White mostly 20.00. Yuca (Cassava) 40 pound cartons mostly 16.00. Quality good. *revised.

CARIBBEAN IMPORTS---Imports 4*-2*-3---Imports from the Dominican Republic. Movement expected to remain about the same. Ports of Entry: South Florida. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Coconut 65-70 pound sacks 40s mostly 28.00. Quality good. *revised.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---TOMATILLOS---

Crossings 19-17-17--- Movement expected about the same. Trading early active, late moderate. Prices generally unchanged. 1 1/9 bushel cartons/crates mostly 12.00- 14.00. Quality variable.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---TOMATILLOS---Crossings 8-13-8- --Movement expected about the same. Trading early slow, late moderate. Prices lower. 40 pound containers per pound mostly .23. Quality and condition variable.

OKRA

SOUTH FLORIDA---Shipments 1-2-2---Movement expected to increase. Trading fairly active. Prices slightly lower. Includes palletizing and precooling. 1/2 bushel cartons small-med mostly 20.00-20.35. Quality generally good.

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

Crossings 75-72-49, Shipments 1-1-1---Movement expected to increase. Trading Iceless moderate, others slow. Prices Leeks generally unchanged, others slightly lower. Cartons bunched 48s medium mostly 5.50-6.35, small mostly 5.00-6.14; ICELESS 2 film bags, 24 bunches per bag and 4 film bags, 12 bunches per bag mostly 7.45-9.64; Leeks 12s mostly 7.45-8.64. Quality variable.

LEXINGTON DISTRICT SOUTH CAROLINA---Shipments 2-2-2---Movement expected to remain the same. Trading moderate.

Prices Tuesday, May 01, 2012 compared to Tuesday, April 24, 2012 unchanged. Cartons/crates bunched 48S 14.00-14.50. Quality good.

PARSLEY

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 3-4-5---CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 4 units shipped last week. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices lower. Cartons bunched 60s Curly mostly 8.35-9.00, Plain mostly 8.45-10.65. Quality generally good.

OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 1 unit shipped last week. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices Curly lower, Plain generally unchanged. Unofficial prices cartons bunched 60s Curly 7.75-9.75, Plain 11.75-12.75. Quality generally good. Prices from trade sources. No F.O.B. report currently issued.

PEAS. GREEN

CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---Imports 10*-10*-9---Imports via boat and air from Guatemala. Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices sugar snap higher; snow peas unchanged. 10 lb cartons Guatemala Snow Peas mostly 9.00; Sugar Snap Peas mostly 16.00-17.00. *revised.

PEPPERS, BELL TYPE MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 160-180-148 (Field Grown 147-167-135, Greenhouse 13-13-13)---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Supplies light. Trading fairly slow. Prices lower. 1 1/9 bushel cartons Green extra large mostly 10.95, large mostly 8.95, medium mostly 6.95; fair quality extra large and large 4.95-5.95, medium mostly 4.95. Red 15 pound carton extra large and large mostly 16.95; 1 1/9 bushel irregular size fair quality Field Grown and GREENHOUSE mostly 20.95. Quality and condition variable.

ALL FLORIDA DISTRICTS---Shipments 108-112-95---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices lower. Includes palletizing and precooling. 1 1/9 bushel cartons Green jumbo and extra large mostly 14.35-16.35, large mostly 12.35-14.35, medium mostly 12.35-12.85, irregular size fair quality mostly 12.35-12.85. 11 pound cartons Yellow and Orange Jumbo and Extra Large supplies insufficient to quote. Quality good.

COACHELLA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 11-26-49---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly active at much lower prices. Prices much lower. 1 1/9 bushel cartons Green jumbo mostly 14.60-14.95, extra large mostly 14.95, large mostly 12.95, medium mostly 10.95, irregular size fair quality mostly 8.95. Quality generally good. Harvest of Reds expected to begin the week of May

PEPPERS, OTHER

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 53-67-59---Movement expected to decrease. Trading Jalapeno fairly active, others moderate. Supplies Serrano light. Prices Serrano higher, Yellow Chile lower, others generally unchanged. 1 1/9 bushel cartons per pound large Anaheim .35-.40, Jalapeno and Yellow Chile .30-.35, Serrano mostly .60. Quality variable.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 49-53-46---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices Serrano slightly higher, Jalapeno generally unchanged, others slightly lower. 1 1/9 bushel cartons/crates Anaheim mostly 17.00-18.00, Jalapeno mostly 13.00- 14.00, Poblano mostly 9.00-10.00, Serrano (light supplies) mostly 20.00-21.00. Quality and size variable.

ALL FLORIDA DISTRICTS---Shipments 3-4-4---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices Long Hot higher, others lower. Includes palletizing and cooling.

RADISHES

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

ARIZONA---Crossings 17-8-7, Shipments CA 1-1-1---Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly slow, late moderate. Prices 48s higher, 24s slightly lower. Cartons Red bunched 24s mostly 6.85-7.35, 48s mostly 8.45-10.00. Quality generally good. **SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 5-6-6---Movement expected to decrease. Trading moderate for fairly light supplies. Prices slightly higher. Precooling included. Cartons topped 30-6 ounce film bags Red 5.95-6.45, Carton topped 14 1-pound film bags Red 6.85-7.45. 40 pound film bags Red 13.95-15.95. Quality generally good.

RHUBARB

OREGON/WASHINGTON COASTS---Shipments 2-2-2---

Movement expected about the same as the 5,800 Oregon cartons shipped and the 6,300 cartons shipped from Washington last week. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices much lower. 20 pound cartons field grown U.S.One Red 18.00-20.00. Prices include palletizing and cooling. Consolidation services extra.

SPINACH

CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 7-13-12---Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly slow, late moderate. Prices lower. Cartons bunched Flat 24s 7.75-9.47. Quality generally good.

SQUASH

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings Soft Squash 165-136- 138---Movement expected to decrease. Trading Zucchini moderate, Yellow Straightneck slow. Prices Yellow Straightneck lower, Zucchini generally unchanged. 4/7 bushel cartons Zucchini small and small-medium mostly 4.95-5.10, medium mostly 3.95-5.10; Yellow Straightneck small and smallmedium mostly 4.95-6.00, medium mostly 3.50-4.00. 1 1/9 bushel cartons large Zucchini mostly 4.95-5.00, Yellow Straightneck mostly 3.95-4.00. Quality and condition variable.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings Hard Squash 36-23- 29---Movement expected about the same. Trading slow. Prices Kabocha higher to very low available supplies, others lower. 1 1/9 bushel cartons Acorn medium mostly 10.95-12.00, large mostly 10.95-12.95; Butternut medium mostly 18.00- 18.95, large mostly 18.95-20.00; Kabocha (very light supplies) medium and large mostly 12.95; Spaghetti medium mostly 16.00-16.95, large mostly 16.95-18.95. Quality variable.

ALL FLORIDA DISTRICTS---Shipments 35-48-45---Movement expected to decrease. Trading moderate. Prices Zucchini higher, others lower. Includes palletizing and precooling. 1/2 bushel cartons Zucchini small mostly 7.35-8.35, medium mostly 5.35-6.35, Yellow Straightneck small mostly 7.35-8.35, medium mostly 5.35-6.35; 3/4 bushel cartons Yellow Crookneck small mostly 10.35-12.35, medium mostly 6.35-8.35. Quality generally good.

SOUTH GEORGIA---Shipments 0-11-24---Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices 1/2 and 5/9 bushel cartons Zucchini small mostly 6.35-7.85, medium mostly 5.35-5.85; Yellow Straightneck small 6.35-8.85, medium 4.35-6.85; 3/4 bushel cartons Yellow Crookneck small 10.35-12.85, medium 8.35-8.85.

COACHELLA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 1-1-1---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Unofficial prices 4/7 bushel cartons Zucchini small and smallmedium 8.95, medium 6.95, Yellow Straightneck small and smallmedium 8.95-10.95, medium 7.95, Yellow Crookneck small 10.95, small-medium 8.95-10.95, medium 7.95. Quality variable. Prices from trade sources. No F.O.B. report currently issued due to supplies in very few hands.

SWEET POTATOES

EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA---Shipments 86-84*-100---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 40 pound cartons Orange Type U.S. No. 1 14.00-16.00, U.S. No. 1 Petite 12.00, U.S. No. 2 7.00-9.00, No Grade Marks jumbo 6.00-7.00. *revised.

ATWATER, LIVINGSTON DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---

Shipments 17-14-20--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices Orange Types No Grade Marks medium lower, Japanese Types higher, others generally unchanged. 40 pound cartons Orange Types U.S. No. One mostly 18.00, No Grade Marks medium mostly 8.00, jumbo 11.00-12.00; Red Types U.S. No. One mostly 20.00-21.00, No Grade Marks medium 9.00, jumbo mostly 11.00; White Types U.S. No. One mostly 26.00-27.00, No Grade Marks medium mostly 10.00, jumbo mostly 9.00; Japanese Types U.S. No. One mostly 21.00-24.00, No Grade Marks medium mostly 19.00-24.00 and jumbo mostly 14.00-15.00.

MISSISSIPPI---Shipments 17-14-15---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 40-pound cartons Orange types U.S. No. 1 mostly 15.00-16.00, U.S. No. 2 8.00-9.00, No Grade Marks jumbo mostly 7.00-8.00. Varieties: Mostly Beauregard and a few Evangeline.

LOUISIANA---Shipments 18-10-11---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 40-pound cartons Orange types U.S. No. 1 mostly 16.00, U.S. No. 2 mostly 8.50-9.00, No Grade Marks jumbo mostly 8.00. Varieties: Mostly Beauregard.

TOMATOES

SOUTH FLORIDA---Shipments 327-351-433---Movement expected to decrease. Trading fairly slow. Prices slightly lower. Extra services included. 25 pound cartons loose Mature Greens 85% U.S. One or Better 5x6 5.95-6.95, 6x6 size 6.95-7.95, 6x7 size 6.95-7.95. Quality generally good.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 237-210-152 (Greenhouse 190-173-124, Vine Ripes 47-37-28)---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading slow. Prices generally unchanged. 25 pound loose Vine Ripes 4x4-5x6 size 5.81-6.00; Mature Greens extra large, large and medium mostly 5.81. Field Grown and GREENHOUSE cartons/flats 2 layer 4x4s mostly 5.16-6.00, 4x5s mostly 5.17-6.00, 5x5s mostly 4.99-5.00, 5x6s mostly 4.64-5.00. Quality variable.

VARIOUS US SHIPPING POINTS---Greenhouse 54-55-**---No prices reported. **unavailable

VARIOUS CANADA SHIPPING POINTS---Greenhouse 115*-145-**---No prices reported. **unavailable *revised

TOMATOES, CHERRY

SOUTH FLORIDA---Shipments 13-15-16---Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Extra services included. Flats 12 1-pint baskets with lids 8.95-9.95. Quality generally good.

TOMATOES, GRAPE TYPE MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 27-19-20---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Field Grown and GREENHOUSE 12 1-pint containers with lids medium-large 4.95-6.95. Quality and condition variable.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA,

CALIFORNIA---Crossings Light--- Movement expected to increase seasonally. Quality generally good. The first F.O.B. report is expected to be issued the week of May 20.

SOUTH FLORIDA---Shipments 40-45-45 (Organic 1-2-2)---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices slightly higher. Includes palletizing and cooling. Flats 12 1pint containers with lids 8.95-10.95; 20 pound cartons loose 15.9517.95. Organic Flats 12 1-pint containers with lids mostly 17.95. Quality generally good.

TOMATOES, PLUM TYPE MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 242-227-147 (Field Grown 214-203-128, Greenhouse 28-24-19)---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading slow. Prices generally unchanged. Field Grown and GREENHOUSE 25 pound cartons loose Roma extra large and large mostly 5.81-6.00, medium mostly 5.81; GREENHOUSE ORGANIC extra large and large mostly 10.85. Quality and condition variable.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 74-76-62 (Field Grown 44- 48-36, Greenhouse 30-28-26)---Movement expected to increase. Trading early slow, late moderate. Supplies fairly light. Prices large slightly higher, others generally unchanged. 25 pound cartons loose GREENHOUSE and Field Grown extra large mostly 6.95, large mostly 6.50-6.95, medium 5.81-6.00. Quality variable

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA.

CALIFORNIA---Crossings 9-15-29 (Greenhouse 6-10-27, Field Grown 3-5-2)---Movement expected to increase seasonally. Quality generally good. The first F.O.B. report is expected to be issued the week of May 6.

SOUTH FLORIDA---Shipments 60-59-42---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Extra services included. 25 pound cartons loose Roma extra large 7.95-8.95, large 7.95, medium 6.95, small 5.95. Quality generally good.

ONIONS, DRY

UNITED STATES---Shipments (including imports) 858-873-851---The top shipping areas for the week, in order, were Lower Rio Grande Valley Texas, Columbia Basin Washington, Georgia, Idaho and Malheur County Oregon, and San Antonio- Winter Garden Texas. In the Market News Service weekly survey of over 21,000 individual stores, 12,325 retail stores had onions on ad (3-pound bag and per pound of Yellow, Sweet Yellow, White and Red onions) which is up 5 percent from last week.

LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY, TEXAS---Shipments 227-208-184---Movement expected to decrease as some shippers have finished for the season and others are expected to have a gap between early and intermediate day onions. Trading moderate. Prices Yellow jumbo carton higher, Yellow colossal, medium and Red medium lower, others generally unchanged. Yellow Grano 50-pound sacks colossal 10.00, jumbo mostly 8.00, medium mostly 6.00-7.00; Yellow Grano-Marked Sweet 40-pound cartons jumbo mostly 12.00; White 50-pound sacks jumbo mostly 20.00, medium mostly 16.00-18.00; Red Globe Type 25-pound sacks medium 10.00-12.00.

COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON AND UMATILLA BASIN

OREGON---Shipments 180-172-183(includes export of 29-28-36)---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading slow. Prices Red jumbo generally unchanged, others lower. Yellow Hybrid 50-pound sacks jumbo 3.00-5.00, medium mostly 3.00- 3.50; Red Globe Type 25-pound sacks jumbo 14.00-15.00, medium 8.00-10.00.

VIDALIA DISTRICT, GEORGIA---Shipments 117-170-167---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices lower. Yellow Granex- Marked Sweet 40-pound carton U.S. One jumbo mostly 14.00-15.00, medium mostly 12.00-13.00.

IDAHO AND MALHEUR COUNTY OREGON---Shipments 159-128-128---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Remaining supplies in too few hands to establish a market. Shipments are expected to continue through the month of May.

SÂN ANTONIO-WINTER GARDEN-LAREDO DISTRICT---34-

66-67---Movement expected to increase as more shippers are expected to start shipping current week (April 29). Unofficial prices for Monday April 30 Yellow Grano 50-pound Super Colossal 11.00,

colossal 9.00-10.00, jumbo 8.00, medium 5.00-6.00; Red Globe Type 25-pound sacks jumbo 16.00-18.00, medium 10.00-12.00.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTH TEXAS---Crossings 93-81-54---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Remaining supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

IMPERIAL VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 0-3-40---Movement expected to increase as remaining growers expect to begin harvest current week (April 29) or beginning of next week (May 6). Trading slow. Prices Yellow Grano 50- pound sacks colossal mostly 7.00-8.00, jumbo 5.00-6.00, medium 4.00-5.00.

NEVADA---Shipments 34-28-23---Movement expected to decrease seasonally.

ONIONS FOR PROCESSING

WESTERN UNITED STATES---Shipments 169-182-150---Movement expected to remain about the same. No prices reported. EASTERN UNITED STATES---Shipments 14-27-18---Movement expected to remain about the same. No prices reported.

POTATOES

UNITED STATES---Shipments (not including imports) 1802-1766*-1721---The top shipping states, in order, were Idaho, Colorado, Florida, Columbia Basin Washington/ Umatilla Basin Oregon, and Wisconsin. The Market News Service survey of over 21,000 retail stores had potatoes on ad last week in 10,830 a 5 percent decrease from the 11,433 stores the prior week. Diesel prices for the week of April 30, 2012 were 4.07, a .02 decrease from the previous week (U.S. EIA). *revised.

UPPER VALLEY, TWIN FALLS-BURLEY DISTRICT, IDAHO--Shipments 632-633-641 (includes export of 3-4-6)---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading slow. Prices cartons lower, baled generally unchanged. Russet Burbank U.S. One 2-inch or 4-ounce minimum baled 5-10-pound film bags non size A 6.00-6.50, 50-pound cartons 40-100s 11.50-12.25; Russet Norkotah U.S. One 2-inch or 4-ounce minimum baled 5 10-pound film bags non size A 6.00-6.50, 50-pound cartons 40-100s 10.50-11.25. Shipments by variety for the week ending April 28, 2012 were generally Russets with 67 percent Burbanks and 27 percent Norkotahs.

SAN LUIS VALLEY, COLORADO---Shipments 298-283-263 (including export 8-12-1)---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading slow. Prices lower. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 5 10-pound film bags size A 8.00-8.50, 50-pound cartons 40s mostly 9.50, 50s 10.00-11.00, 60-100s mostly 11.00; U.S. Commercial bulk per cwt 10.50-11.50.

FLORIDA DISTRICT---Shipments 206-212-201 (including export 17-7-4)--- Movement expected to slightly decrease as growers finish harvest in the southern growing areas of the State. Trading Round Red tote bags fairly active as slightly lower prices, others fairly active. Prices Round Red tote bags slightly lower, others generally unchanged. Round Red U.S. One 50-pound sacks size A mostly 9.00-10.75, size B mostly 12.75-13.50, tote bags approximately 2000 pounds per cwt size A mostly 14.50. Round White U.S. One 50-pound sacks size A mostly 16.75, size B mostly 12.75-14.75, Yellow Type U.S. One 50-pound sacks size A 18.00-18.75, size B mostly 12.50-12.75.

COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON AND UMATILLA BASIN OREGON---Shipments 176-174-149 (includes export of 49-43-39)--Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading slow. Prices generally unchanged. Russet Norkotah U.S. One 2-inch or 4-ounce minimum baled 5 10-pound film bags non size A mostly 6.00-6.50, 50-pound cartons 40s 9.00-11.00, 50s 10.00-11.00, 60-70s mostly 11.00, 80s 10.00-11.00, 90-100s 10.00.

CENTRAL WISCONSIN---Shipments 99-102-101---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 5 10-pound

film bags non size A mostly 9.50, 50-pound cartons 40-70s mostly 12.50-13.00, 80s mostly 11.50-12.00, 90s mostly 10.50-11.00, 100s 10.00-10.50. 2012 crop update: A majority of the new 2012 crop has been planted in the southern growing areas of the State.

IMPERIAL VALLEY DISTRICT---Shipments 67-75*-85 (including export 10-10-8) ---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. *revised.

NEBRASKA DISTRICT---Shipments 36-42-46---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

MICHIGAN---Shipments 31-34-40---Movement expected to decrease as more growers nearly finished for the season. Trading fairly slow. Prices unchanged. Russet Norkotah U.S. One Size A 10 pound film bags loose 2.00- 2.25. Supplies light and in few hands. 2012 Crop update: Planting underway in Southern Michigan with a few growers in northern Michigan expected to begin current week.

MINNESOTA-NORTH DAKOTA (RED RIVER VALLEY)--

Shipments 87-63*-40---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading slow. Prices generally unchanged. Round Red U.S. One size A baled 5 10-pound film bags size A mostly 7.50-8.50, 50-pound sacks size A mostly 6.50-7.50, size B mostly 10.00, tote bags approximately 2000 pounds per cwt size A mostly 10.00-13.00. *revised.

KLAMATH BASIN (NORTHERN CALIFORNIA-SOUTHERN OREGON)---Shipments 49-45-35 (including export 4-3-1)--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading slow. Prices baled lower, others generally unchanged. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 5 10-pound film bags size A mostly 6.00-6.50, 50-pound cartons 40-70s mostly 12.00, 80s mostly 11.00, 90-100s mostly

AROOSTOOK COUNTY, MAINE---Shipments 41-29-33--Movement expected to continue seasonal decline as many shippers have finished for the season. Remaining supplies light and in too few hands to establish a market. Expect light shipments next 4-5 weeks.

LAST REPORT. 2012 Crop update: Initial fieldwork begun by a few growers with light planting expected to begin later in the period.

NEW BRUNSWICK, CANADA (Crossings Through Maine Points)---Shipments **_***---Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading fairly slow. Prices higher. Russet Norkotah 2 inch or

10-pound film bags 10.25-10.50. Supplies fairly light and in few hands. **unavailable.

NORTHWEST WASHINGTON---Shipments 17-26-22 (including export 1-3-2)--- Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading fairly slow. Prices size A lower, size B generally unchanged. Prices Round Red U.S. One 50-pound cartons size A mostly 11.00, size B

4 ounce minimum baled 10 5-pound film bags 10.50-10.75, baled 5

KERN DISTRICT---Shipments 0-0-0---Movement expected to increase as first shipments of the season are expected first week of May. Light volume that first week increasing by weeks end May 12.

mostly 12.00-14.00.

POTATOES FOR PROCESSING

IDAHO---Open-market trading by processors with growers was slow. Open- market prices paid to growers for Russet Burbank potatoes, storage-run, bulk, per cwt, less dirt, rot and green tare, F.O.B. growers storage unless otherwise stated: French-Fry Quality 12.00. **WISCONSIN**---Shipments to Chippers 185-178-189---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

FLORIDA---Shipments to Chippers 53-102-142---Movement expected to increase. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

MICHIGAN---Shipments to Chippers 160-137*-111---Movement expected to decrease as growers nearly finished for the season. Most movement on pre- season contract. Too few open market sales to

establish a market. *revised. 2012 Crop update: Planting underway across the state.

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

Shipments to Chippers 95-94-56---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

MAINE---Shipments to Chippers 35-36-42---Movement expected to decrease as season begins to wind down. Most movement on preseason contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

WESTERN AND CENTRAL NEW YORK---Shipments to Chippers 20-16-13--- Movement expected to decrease sharply as growers finished for the season. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market. LAST REPORT. 2012 Crop update: Planting underway.

POTATOES FOR SEED

IDAHO---Shipments 721-873*-1051---Movement expected to remain about the same. Idaho seed shipments to date are 6,080,000 cwt which is up 12 percent from the same time last year which was 5,433,000 cwt. *revised.

MONTANA---Shipments 327-335-320--Movement expected to remain about the same. Montana seed shipments to date are 2,364,000 cwt which is up 14 percent from the same time last year which was 2,069,000 cwt.

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

Shipments 165-158-273--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Red River Valley seed shipments to date are 1,443,000 cwt which is up 29 percent from the same time last year which was 1,115,000 cwt.

WISCONSIN---Shipments 268-270-148---Movement expected remain about the same. Wisconsin seed shipments to date are 1,709,000 cwt which is up 4 percent from the same time last year which was 1,650,000 cwt.

COLORADO---Shipments 77-46-44---Movement expected remain about the same. Colorado seed shipments to date are 800,000 cwt which is down 19 percent from the same time last year which was 993,000 cwt.