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Unless otherwise stated, shipments, crossings or imports are for the weeks ending March 08, 15, and 22, 2014 in that order in thousand hundredweight (cwt) or 100,000 pound units. Expected movement is for the period March 23- April 05, 2014. Prices are for Monday, March 24, 2014 compared to Monday, March 17, 2014. 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**

**CHILE**---Shipments 26-36-23---Imports mostly by boat, few air. Movement expected to decrease as the season comes to a close. Port of entry Miami, Los Angeles and Philadelphia areas. Trading moderate for light supplies. Prices higher. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids medium- large 22.00-24.00. Quality variable. Remaining supplies are in very few hands. Expect light volume to continue for about 10 more days. **LAST REPORT**.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH ARIZONA, CALIFORNIA AND TEXAS DISTRICT--- Crossings 6-6-6--Movement expected to increase slightly. Trading active. Prices higher. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids mostly 22.00- 24.00. Includes palletization and cooling. Wide range in quality.

**SOUTH AND CENTRAL CALIFORNIA DISTRICT**---Shipments 2-3-4---Movement expected to increase seasonally. Supplies insufficient and in too few hands to establish market. More Central California production is expected in early April. Expect first F.O.B. report to begin April 7, 2014. **FIRST REPORT**.

**CENTRAL AND NORTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 0-0-\*\*---Movement expected to increase as harvesting increases. Current supplies are very light and in too few hands to establish a market. Cool weather early this week is expected to slow maturity. Expect first FOB shipping point report within 7-10 days. \*\*Less than 50,000 pounds.

#### MISCELLANEOUS BERRIES

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH ARIZONA, CALIFORNIA AND TEXAS DISTRICT**--- Crossings 31-26-11---Movement expected to increase. Trading active. Prices higher. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids blackberries mostly 16.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in quality.

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---**Imports 2-3\*-9---Imports via air from Guatemala. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading active. Prices higher. Cartons 12 6-ounce cups with lids Blackberries 14.50-16.50 few higher. Quality good. \*revised.

#### **RASPBERRIES**

**OXNARD, CALIFORNIA DISTRICT**---Shipments 12-12-14---Movement expected to increase slightly. Trading active. Prices unchanged. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids Red mostly 24.00. Includes palletization and cooling. Wide range in quality.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH ARIZONA, CALIFORNIA AND TEXAS DISTRICT--- Crossings 18-16-9---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading active. Prices unchanged. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids Red mostly 24.00. Includes palletization and cooling. Wide range in quality.

#### **STRAWBERRIES**

**OXNARD, CALIFORNIA DISTRICT**---Shipments 110-188-242---Movement expected to increase. Trading early active, late moderate. Prices flats 12 1-pint baskets unchanged, others lower. Flats 12 1-pint baskets medium-large mostly 12.00. Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids medium-large mostly 9.00. 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 21-68-96---Movement expected to increase. Trading early active, late moderate. Prices lower. Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids mediumlarge mostly 9.00. ORGANIC: Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids medium-large 16.00- 18.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in quality.

#### MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA DISTRICT---

Crossings 43-74-96--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices lower. Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids medium-large 8.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in quality.

**CENTRAL FLORIDA**---Shipments 199-166-91---Movement expected to decrease. Trading slow. Price unchanged. Includes palletizing and precooling. Flats 8 1- pound containers with lids medium-large 7.90. Quality generally good.

ORANGE COUNTY, SAN DIEGO AND COACHELLA DISTRICTS---Shipments 25-34-30--Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading early active, late moderate. Prices lower. Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids medium-large mostly 9.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in quality.

#### SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA DISTRICT---

Shipments 0-2-12--- Movement expected to increase seasonally. Shipments are being reported from the district, however supplies remain in too few hands to establish market. Additional shippers will begin to harvest and ship berries by this period. Expect first F.O.B. to begin by March 26, 2014. **FIRST REPORT**.

#### CITRUS FRUIT

#### **CLEMENTINES**

**MOROCCO**---Imports 6-38-6---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same as past two weeks. PORTS OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA AND NEW YORK CITY AREA. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. Flat cartons 10-3 pound bags 20-28 size 30.00-32.00, 32 size 30.00-31.00. 2.3 kilogram / 5 pound containers 20-24s 5.00-5.50, 28-32s 4.50-5.25, 36-40s 4.50-5.00. Quality good.

#### **GRAPEFRUIT**

**FLORIDA**---Shipments 192-181-138 (includes export 112-95-67) --- Prices not reported.

**LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY, TEXAS**---Shipments 77-79\*-36\*\*---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices

34.80-40.90, 140s mostly 34.80-38.90.

Fancy 56s generally unchanged, others lower. 7/10 bushel cartons Marked Rio Star Fancy 23- 32s mostly 13.90-14.25, 36s 11.90-14.35, 40s 9.90-11.25, 48s 8.40-9.35, 56s 7.90-9.25; Texas Choice 27-36s mostly 7.90-9.10, 40s 6.90-9.25, 48s 6.90-8.25. \*revised \*\*data incomplete

#### **LEMONS**

**SOUTH AND CENTRAL DISTRICT CALIFORNIA**---Shipments Moderate---Movement expected about the same. Trading active. Prices generally unchanged. 7/10 bushel carton Shippers First Grade 75-115s mostly 31.80-33.90, 140s 29.80-31.90, 165s mostly 28.80-29.90, 200s 23.80-24.90, 235s mostly 18.80-19.90; Shippers Choice 75s mostly 22.80-23.90, 95-115s 22.80-24.90, 140s 25.80-26.90, 165s mostly 27.80-28.90, 200s mostly 21.80-22.90, 235s mostly 16.80-17.90; Unclassified (Standard) 75-95s mostly 19.80-21.90, 115s 19.80-21.90, 140-165s mostly 21.80-23.90, 200s mostly 16.80-19.90. ORGANIC 7/10 bushel cartons Shippers First Grade 95-115s

#### **LIMES**

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 101-77-13\*\*---Movement expected about the same. Trading 110-230s very active for very light supplies, 250-275s moderate. Available supplies of 110-230s insufficient to establish a market, 250-270s in too few hands to establish a market. Quality and condition variable. \*\*data incomplete

#### **ORANGES**

**FLORIDA**---Shipments 83-103-91 (includes export 4-4-3) ---Prices not reported.

SOUTH AND CENTRAL DISTRICT CALIFORNIA---Shipments Moderate---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly active. Prices Shippers First Grade 56-138s slightly higher, others generally unchanged. 7/10 bushel cartons Navel Shippers First Grade 40s 16.80-18.90, 48s 17.80-19.90, 56- 138s mostly 18.80-19.90; Shippers Choice 40-48s mostly 14.80-15.90, 56s mostly 15.80-15.90, 72s 15.80-16.90, 88s mostly 16.80-17.90, 113s mostly 17.80-18.40, 138s mostly 17.80-18.90. ORGANIC 7/10 bushel cartons Navel Shippers First Grade 48-72s 24.30-28.90, 88s mostly 24.30-26.90.

### TANGELOS SOUTH AND CENTRAL DISTRICT CALIFORNIA---

MINNEOLA TANGELOS---Shipments Fairly Light---Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading fairly active. Prices generally unchanged. Unofficial prices 7/10 and 4/5 bushel cartons Shippers First Grade 56-64s mostly 19.80-22.90, 80s 20.80-22.90, 100s mostly 17.80-20.90, 125s 14.80-15.90, 150s mostly 13.80-14.90; Shippers Choice 56-80s 16.80-17.90, 100s 14.80-16.90, 125s 14.80-14.90, 150s 11.80-14.90. Quality generally good. Some sheds finishing for the season. Prices from industry sources. No F.O.B. report currently issued.

#### **TANGERINES**

**FLORIDA**---Shipments 49-43-30 (includes export 2-0-0) ---Prices not reported.

#### MELONS

#### **CANTALOUPES**

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS--**Imports 145-75\*-84---Imports via boat from Guatemala and Honduras. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Supplies light. Trading moderate. Prices higher. 1/2 Cartons 9s 13.95-14.95, 12s 10.95-12.00. Oversized 1/2 cartons 9s (6 size) 12.00-13.00. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Trading moderate. Prices higher. 1/2 Cartons 9s mostly 16.00, 12s mostly 16.00 Oversized 1/2 cartons 9s (6 size) open market supply in too few hands to quote. Quality variable. \*revised.

**FLORIDA**---Light harvest expected to begin by week of April 20th with sufficient volume and number of shippers for first F.O.B. report expected by week of May 4th. **FIRST REPORT**.

#### **HONEYDEWS**

CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---Imports 48-56\*-36---Imports via boat from Guatemala, Honduras, Costa Rica. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading moderate. Prices higher. 2/3 cartons 5s 10.95-12.95, 6s 10.95-12.00, 8s mostly 10.95-11.00. Quality variable. \*revised. MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA--- Crossings 17-20-23--- Movement expected to increase. Trading fairly slow. Prices 8s generally unchanged, others lower. 2/3 cartons 5s mostly 12.35, 6s mostly 11.35, 8s mostly 10.00-10.35. Quality and condition variable.

#### WATERMELONS

#### MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 92-192-293 (Seedless 91-189-289, Seeded 1-3-4)--Movement expected to increase. Trading fairly slow. Prices lower.
Red Flesh Seedless type cartons per pound 4-5s mostly .20-.22, 6s .18-.20; 24 inch bins per pound approximately 35 and 45 counts mostly .18-.20, approximately 60 count mostly .18. Quality variable.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 95-138-94\*\*---Movement expected to increase. Trading early fairly slow, late moderate. Prices 6s and 60 count generally unchanged, others lower. Red Flesh Seedless type cartons per pound 4-5s mostly .26, 6s mostly .22-.24; 24 inch bins per pound approximately 36 and 45 counts mostly .24, approximately 60 count mostly .20. Quality variable. \*\*data incomplete

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---**Imports 65-71\*-43 (Seedless 3-4\*-3; Seeded 0- 0-0) ---Imports via boat from Guatemala and Honduras. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Cartons flat Red Flesh Seedless Miniature 9s mostly 10.95, 10s mostly 10.95. Red Flesh Seedless cartons 4s-5s mostly 21.00; 6s mostly 21.00. \*revised.

**FLORIDA**--- Light harvest expected to begin by April 11th. Expect sufficient volume for first F.O.B. by April 16th.

#### **NON-CITRUS FRUIT**

#### **APPLES**

YAKIMA VALLEY AND WENATCHEE DISTRICT

**WASHINGTON**---2013 CROP Shipments 1,173-1,151-1,146 (Includes Exports 390-361-366) --- Movement expected about the same. Trading active. Prices generally unchanged. Washington Extra Fancy carton tray pack Red Delicious 72-125s mostly 18.00; Golden Delicious 72s 22.00-24.00, 80-100s 20.00-22.00, 113-125s 18.00-20.00; Fuji 64-88s 30.00-32.00, 100s 26.00-28.00, 113s 22.00-24.00; Granny Smith 72-88s 24.00-26.00, 100s 22.00-24.00, 113s 20.00-22.00, 125s 18.00-20.00; Gala 72-80s 30.00, 88s 28.00-30.00, 100s 22.00-24.00, 113s mostly 22.00, 125s 20.00-22.00; Washington Extra Fancy carton tray pack fine appearance Red Delicious 72-80s mostly 20.00-22.00, 80s 20.00, 100s mostly 20.00, 113s 18.00-20.00; Golden Delicious 72-88s 24.00-26.00, 100s 22.00-24.00; Fuji 64-88s mostly 36.00, 100s 28.00-30.00, 113s 24.00-26.00; Granny Smith 72-88s 30.00-32.00, 100-113s 24.00-26.00, 125s mostly 22.00; Gala 72-88s mostly 32.00, 100-113s 24.00-26.00. Exports to (listed by volume in descending order): Mexico, Canada, India, United Arab Emirates, Indonesia, Vietnam, Hong Kong, Saudi Arabia, Thailand, Malaysia, Egypt, Taiwan, Israel, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Jordan, Costa Rica, United Kingdom, Honduras, Russian Federation, Kuwait, Libya, Sri Lanka, Philippines, Morocco, Panama, Guatemala, Ukraine, Nigeria, Cambodia, Brunei Darussalam, Qatar, Slovenia, Singapore, Bahrain, Nicaragua, and French Polynesia. MICHIGAN---Shipments 99-98\*-99---Movement expected about the same. Trading active. Prices cartons tray pack Fuji higher, Red

Delicious slightly higher, cartons 12 3-pound film bags Fuji, Gala, Idared and McIntosh slightly higher, others unchanged. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy 12 3-lb film bags 2-1/2 inch minimum Gala mostly 24.00, Fuji mostly 20.00-22.00, Red Delicious, Golden Delicious and McIntosh mostly 16.00-18.00, Empire mostly 16.00-17.00 Idared mostly 16.00-18.00, Jonagold mostly 17.00-18.00, Jonathan mostly 15.00-17.00, Law Rome mostly 14.00-16.00, tray pack 88s Gala mostly 28.00-32.00, Fuji 26.00-30.00, Jonathan and McIntosh mostly 26.00-28.00, Red Delicious mostly 18.00-21.00, Golden Delicious and Law Rome mostly 18.00-20.00, Empire 24.00-26.00, Jonagold mostly 22.00-24.00. Supplies of Gala and Fuji fairly light. \*revised. **NEW YORK**---Shipments 91-87-90---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly active. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy 12 3-pound film bags 2 1/2 inch minimum Empire and Red Delicious mostly 16.00-18.00, Cortland and Golden Delicious mostly 16.00- 18.00, McIntosh mostly 16.00-18.00, Rome mostly 15.00-16.00. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy tray pack McIntosh 80s-88s mostly 23.00-25.00, 100s mostly 22.00-25.00; Empire 80s-88s mostly 22.00-23.00, 100s mostly 20.00-22.00; Cortland 80s-88s mostly 23.00, 100s mostly 22.00-23.00; Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy cell pack McIntosh 80s-88s mostly 23.00-25.00, 100s mostly 22.00- 25.00; Empire 80s-88s mostly 22.00-23.00, 100s mostly 20.00-22.00.

APPALACHIAN DISTRICT (MD-PA-VA-WV) ---Shipments 36-36-39---Export 4-4-3---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices Slightly higher. Cartons traypack U.S. Extra Fancy Red Delicious 72s- 88s mostly 22.00-24.00, 100s mostly 20.00-21.00; Golden Delicious 72s- 88s mostly 22.00-24.00, 100s mostly 22.00-23.00; McIntosh 72s-88s 25.00; cartons 12 3-pound film bags U.S. Extra Fancy 2 1/2 inch minimum Red Delicious mostly 19.50-20.50, Golden Delicious mostly 19.50-20.50, Granny Smith 20.00-22.00, Red Rome 18.00, and McIntosh 18.00-19.00. Export to Honduras, India, and Israel.

**CHILE**---Imports 2-11-30---Imports via boat. Movement expected to increase. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading fairly active. Prices unchanged. 18 kilogram cartons tray pack Royal Gala 70-80s 30.00-32.00, 90s 28.00-30.00, 100s 26.00-28.00. Quality good.

**NEW ENGLAND**---Shipments 6-6-6---Movement expected to remain about the same. Unofficial prices for Monday, March 24, 2014 Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy 12 3-pound film bags 2 1/2 inch minimum McIntosh and Cortland 18.50-22.00. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy tray pack McIntosh and Cortland 80s-100s 27.50- 29.50.

#### **AVOCADOS**

#### **MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS DISTRICT---**

Crossings 254-210-79--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices 84s generally unchanged, 60s lower, others higher. Cartons 2 layer Hass 32s mostly 35.25, 36s mostly 35.25-36.25, 40s mostly 35.25-36.25, 48s mostly 36.25-37.25, 60s mostly 29.25, 70s mostly 24.25, 84s mostly 16.25-17.25. Extra services included.

**SOUTH DISTRICT CALIFORNIA**---Shipments -51-49-\*\*--Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices 60s lower others generally unchanged. Cartons 2 layer Hass 32s mostly 37.25, 36s mostly 37.25, 40s mostly 37.25, 48s 37.25-38.25, 60s mostly 30.25-32.25, 70s mostly 25.25-26.25, 84s mostly 17.25 Extra services included. \*\* Unavailable

**CHILE**---Imports 41-40-39--Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORT OF ENTRY: LOS ANGELES AREA. Trading moderate. Prices 50-84s lower, others unchanged. Carton 2 layer Hass 32-36s 30.25-32.25, 40s mostly 31.25-32.25, 50s mostly 30.25-33.25, 60s 26.25-28.25, 70s 23.25-24.25, 84s 15.25-16.25. Quality good.

#### **GRAPES, TABLE**

**CHILE**---Imports 306-551-417---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORT OF ENTRY: LOS

ANGELES AREA. Trading moderate. Prices Flame Seedless lower, others unchanged. 8.2 kg containers bagged Thompson Seedless extra large 24.00-26.00, large 22.00-24.00, medium 18.00-20.00; Sugraone extra large 24.00-26.00, large 22.00-24.00, medium 18.00-20.00; Flame Seedless extra large 20.00-22.00, large 18.00-20.00, medium 14.00-16.00, small 10.00-12.00; Crimson Seedless extra large 24.00-26.00, large 22.00-24.00, medium 20.00-22.00; Black Seedless extra large 22.00-24.00, large 20.00-22.00, medium 18.00-20.00; Red Globe extra large 16.00-18.00, large 14.00-16.00, medium 12.00-14.00. Quality good. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. 8.2 kilogram containers bagged. Thompson Seedless extra large 22.00-24.00, large 20.00-22.00, medium 16.00-18.00; Sugraone extra large 22.00-24.00, large 20.00-22.00, medium 16.00-18.00, small 12.00-14.00; Flame Seedless extra large 22.00-24.00, large 20.00-22.00, medium 16.00-18.00, small mostly 10.00; Crimson Seedless extra large 24.00-26.00, large 22.00-24.00, medium 20.00-22.00; Black 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.

PERU---Imports 2-2-1---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA AND NEW YORK CITY AREA. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 18 lb containers bagged Thompson Seedless extra large 22.00-24.00, large 20.00-22.00, medium 18.00-20.00; Sugraone extra large 22.00-24.00, large 20.00-22.00, medium 16.00-18.00, small 12.00-14.00; Flame Seedless extra large 24.00-26.00, large 20.00-22.00, medium 16.00-18.00, small 12.00-14.00; Red Globe extra large 14.00-16.00, large 12.00-14.00, medium 12.00. Quality good. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Trading moderate. Prices lower. 18 lb containers bagged Red Globe extra large 14.00-16.00, large 12.00-14.00, medium 12.00. Quality good.

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ITALY---Imports 29-29-16---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same as past two weeks. PORTS OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA AND NEW YORK CITY AREA. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. 9 kilogram (19.8lb) containers loose Hayward 23-27 size 20.00-23.00, 30 size mostly 18.00-20.00, 33 size 19.00-21.00, 36-39 size 18.00-20.00, 42-45 size 17.00-19.00. Quality good.

**CHILE**---Imports 0-0-1---Imports via boat. Movement expected to increase. Expect sufficient volume and number of importers to establish a market by first week of April. **FIRST REPORT**.

#### **MANGOES**

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 55-44-20\*\*---Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices Haden 12s and Ataulfo 20-24s slightly lower, Haden 14s and Ataulfo 14-18s lower, others generally unchanged. Flats 1 layer Haden 6- 9s mostly 7.00, 10s 6.50-7.00, 12s 6.00-6.50, 14s mostly 5.50; Tommy Atkins 6-9s mostly 7.00, 10s mostly 6.50-7.00, 12s mostly 6.00-6.50, 14s mostly 5.50; Ataulfo 12s mostly 7.50-8.50, 14s mostly 7.50, 16s 6.00-7.00, 18s mostly 6.00-6.50, 20s mostly 6.00, 22s mostly 5.50-6.00, 24s mostly 5.00-5.50. Quality variable. \*\*data incomplete

**PERU**---Imports 67-27-3---Imports via boat. Movement expected remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading moderate. Prices slightly lower. Flat one layer Kent 7s-12s 6.00-6.50. PORTS OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Flat one layer Kent 7s- 12s mostly 7.00. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Flat one layer Kent 7s-9s mostly 7.00-7.50, 10s-12s mostly 7.00. Quality good.

### MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 19-17-25--- Movement expected about the same. Supplies of Ataulfo variety in too few hands to establish a market. Quality

variable. Crossings include light volumes of Haden and Tommy Atkins varieties.

#### **NECTARINES**

**CHILE**---Imports 17-25-7---Imports via boat. Movement expected to decrease. PORT OF ENTRY: LOS ANGELES AREA. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. Cartons 2 layer tray pack various yellow flesh varieties 40-42s 20.00-22.00, 48-54s 18.00-20.00. Quality good. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. Cartons 2 layer tray pack various yellow flesh varieties 40-46s 20.00-22.00, 48-56s 16.00-18.00. Quality good. \*revised.

#### **PAPAYAS**

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 26-19-8\*\*---Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading active. Prices higher. Supplies fairly light. 35-40 pound cartons Maradol type mostly 20.00. Quality and condition variable. \*\*data incomplete **CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS**---Imports 16-11\*-4---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. Belize and Guatemala. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Cartons 30-35 pounds Tainung Type 8s-15s 20.00-22.00. Quality generally good. \*revised. **BRAZIL**---Imports 7\*-1-0---Imports via boat. Movement expected to

**BRAZIL**---Imports 7\*-1-0---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 3.5 kilogram Solo Type (Golden) 7s-12s mostly 12.00. Quality good. \*revised.

#### **PEACHES**

**CHILE**---Imports 13-21\*-13---Imports via boat. Movement expected to increase. PORT OF ENTRY: LOS ANGELES AREA. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. Cartons 2 layer tray pack various yellow flesh varieties 40-42s 22.00-24.00. Quality good. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. Carton 2 layer tray pack various yellow flesh varieties 30-42s 20.00-22.00, 48-56s 18.00-20.00. 9 kilogram containers loose various yellow flesh varieties 64 size 18.00-20.00. Quality good. \*revised.

#### **PEARS**

#### YAKIMA VALLEY AND WENATCHEE DISTRICT

**WASHINGTON**---Shipments 164-141- 170 (Includes Exports 55-37-68) ---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly active. Prices generally unchanged. 4/5 bushel cartons wrapped U.S. One D'Anjou 70-90s 24.00-26.00, 100s mostly 24.00, 110s 22.00-24.00, 120s mostly 22.00, 135s 20.00-22.00; Bosc (generally standard Russet) 70-90s mostly 22.00-24.00, 100-120s 18.00-20.00; Fine Appearance (generally Golden Russet) 70-90s mostly 26.00, 100-120s 20.00- 22.00. Quality generally good. Exports to (listed by volume in descending order): Mexico, Canada, United Arab Emirates, Israel, Costa Rica, Trinidad and Tobago, Ecuador, Taiwan, Hong, Kong, Russian Federation, Colombia, Honduras, and Germany.

**CHILE**—Imports 4-11-7—Imports via boat. Movement expected to increase. Most current supplies continue to be sold prior to arrival. **ARGENTINA**—Imports 126-123-6—Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same as past two weeks. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading active. Prices 70-80 size lower, others unchanged. 18 kilogram containers wrapped Williams 70-80 size 32.00-34.00, 90 size 30.00-32.00, 100 size 28.00-30.00, 110 size 26.00-28.00. Quality good.

#### **PINEAPPLES**

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---**Imports 324-305\*-180--- Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. Primarily Costa Rica, Ecuador and Honduras. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Cartons one-layer Golden Ripe 5-8s mostly 10.00-10.50. PORTS OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA. Trading moderate. Prices slightly higher. Cartons

one-layer Golden Ripe 5s-8s mostly 10.00-10.50. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Cartons one-layer Golden Ripe 5s mostly 10.00, 6s mostly 10.50, 7s mostly 10.00-10.50. Quality good. \*revised.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 21-15-6\*\*---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons 1 layer 5-7s mostly 8.00-8.50, 8s mostly 8.00. Quality generally good. \*\*data incomplete

#### **PLUMS AND PRUNES**

CHILE---Imports 16-38-19---Imports via boat. Movement expected to decrease. PORT OF ENTRY: LOS ANGELES AREA. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. Carton 2 layer tray pack Angeleno 30s 24.00-26.00, 40-44s 22.00-24.00, 48-50s 20.00-22.00; Larry Anne 30s 22.00-24.00, 40-44s 20.00-22.00, 48-50s 18.00-20.00. Quality good. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Carton 2 layer tray pack Angeleno 50s 24.00-26.00; Friar 40s mostly 26.00, 50s 24.00-26.00, 60s 20.00-22.00; Larry Anne 40s 22.00-24.00, 50s 20.00-22.00, 60s 18.00-20.00. 9 kilogram containers loose Angeleno 60 size 22.00-24.00, 70 size 20.00-22.00. Carton 2 layer tray pack Interspecific Type Blue Gusto 60s 20.00, 80s 16.00-18.00, 90s 16.00-18.00. Quality good.

#### **VEGETABLES**

#### **ARTICHOKES**

SOUTH AND CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Shipments CA 21-26-34, MX 2-4-1--- Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late

fairly slow. Prices 12-18s much lower, others lower. Cartons Globe Thorned green 12s mostly 10.55-10.85, 18s mostly 10.55-12.75, 24s mostly 12.75- 14.95, 30s mostly 11.61-13.95, 36s mostly 10.75- 12.95. Quality variable. Most present shipments from prior bookings and/or previous commitments.

#### **ASPARAGUS**

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH CALEXICO, CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS ARIZONA**---Crossings 101-162-62---Movement expected to decrease. Trading early very slow, late moderate. Prices higher. 11 pound cartons/crates bunched Green jumbo 11.75-12.75; large 11.75-12.75, standard 11.75- 12.75; 28 pound cartons/crates bunched green large mostly 26.75, standard 26.75-28.75. Extra services included.

**STOCKTON DELTA DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA**---Shipments 1-10-10---Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices higher. 11 pound cartons/crates bunched Long Green large 12.75-14.75, standard 12.75-14.75; 28 pound cartons/crates bunched Long Green large mostly 32.75, standard mostly 34.75. Extra services included.

**SALINAS VALLEY DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA**---Shipments 0-1-3---Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices higher. 28 pound cartons/crates bunched Green large 32.75-34.75; standard 32.75-36.75. Extra services included.

#### **BEANS**

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA DISTRICTS**---Shipments 58-64-92---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading

moderate. Prices much lower. Includes palletizing and precooling. Bushel cartons/crates Round Green Handpicked mostly 12.35-14.35, Machine Picked mostly 8.85-10.85. Quality generally good.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 20-19-18--- Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices slightly lower. 30 pound cartons Round Green type HANDPICKED mostly 22.95. Quality and condition variable.

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS**---Imports 10-10\*-9---Imports via boat from Guatemala. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. 5 pounds cartons Haricot Vert (French Type) mostly 6.00. Quality variable. \*revised.

#### BEETS

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA**--- Crossings MX 5-7-4---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices slightly lower. Cartons bunched Red type 12s 13.35-14.45. Quality generally good.

#### **BROCCOLI**

**ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS**---Shipments 79-92-113--- **SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to increase seasonally above the 51 units shipped last week. Trading early active, late moderate. Prices lower. Cartons bunched 14s mostly 8.65-10.50, 18s mostly 9.15-11.00, 20 pound loose Crown Cut mostly 10.35-11.50. Quality generally good.

**SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the 45 units shipped last week. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices lower. Cartons bunched 14s mostly 9.00-10.00, 18s mostly 9.50-10.50, 20 pound loose Crown Cut mostly 9.00-10.00. Quality generally good.

#### CENTRAL SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---

Movement expected about the same as the 8 units shipped last week. Trading early active, late moderate. Prices Crown Cut lower, bunched generally unchanged. Unofficial prices cartons bunched 14s 7.50, 20 pound loose Crown Cut 9.00. Quality generally good. No F.O.B. report expected to be issued due to supplies in few hands. Prices from industry sources.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 74-49\*-23\*\*---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices slightly higher. 20 pound cartons loose Crown Cut mostly 12.00-13.00. Quality variable. \*revised \*\*data incomplete

#### **BRUSSELS SPROUTS**

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA--- Crossings MX 29-33-15\*---

Crossings expected to decrease slightly. Trading very active. Prices much higher due to very light supplies. 25 pound cartons medium mostly 28.95-30.98. Quality generally good. \*data incomplete

#### **CABBAGE**

NORTH, CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA---Shipments 232-242-116---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices Red type slightly lower, others generally unchanged. Round Green Type 50 pound carton medium 9.00-10.00, 50 pound sack 8.00-9.00 Savoy Type 45 pound carton medium 9.00-10.00, Red Type 50 pound carton medium 11.00-12.00. Quality generally good.

**LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY, TEXAS**---Shipments 125-103-63---Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading slow. Prices lower. 1 3/4 bushel crates and 50 pound cartons medium Round Green type mostly 7.00-8.00, Red type mostly 8.00. 50 pound sacks Round Green type extra large mostly 5.50-6.00. 1 3/4 bushel crates and 40 pound cartons Savoy type medium mostly 8.00-10.00. Quality generally good.

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 31-26-25--OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about
the same as the 18 units shipped last week. Trading early moderate,
late slow. Prices lower. 50 and 45 pound cartons 18-24s Round Green
type mostly 6.75, Red type 6.75-7.25. Quality generally good.
CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected to
increase above the 2 units shipped last week as more shippers begin.
Trading slow. Prices 50 pound cartons 18-24s Round Green type
6.15-7.50. Quality generally good. FIRST REPORT.

IMPERIAL, COACHELLA AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA, CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Shipments AZ 40-46-46, CA 15-8-5, Crossings MX 2-2-1--- Movement expected to decrease seasonally.

Crossings MX 2-2-1--- Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading early fairly slow, late slow. Prices lower. 50 pound cartons 18-24s Round Green type mostly 7.85-9.45, Red type 8.00-10.45. Quality generally good.

**WESTERN AND CENTRAL NEW YORK**---Shipments 23-25-20---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate for light supplies. Prices unchanged. Round Green type large 50 pound sacks 10.50-12.00, bulk per pound .22-.24. Offerings for the open market are in very few hands. Quality good.

SAN ANTONIO-WINTERGARDEN DISTRICT, TEXAS---

Shipments 28-29-20--- Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading fairly slow. Prices lower. 1 3/4 bushel crates and 50 pound cartons medium Round Green type mostly 8.00, Red type mostly 8.00-9.00. 50 pound sacks Round Green type extra large mostly 6.50-7.00. Quality generally good.

#### **CARROTS**

KERN DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 146-141-139---Movement expected about the same. Trading slow. Prices lower. 48 1-pound film bags in sacks medium-large mostly 12.00-13.50, 50 pound sacks loose jumbo mostly 12.00, 25 pound sacks loose jumbo mostly 6.00. 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 31-25-10\*\*---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices slightly lower. 50 pound sacks loose jumbo mostly 9.00-10.00. Quality variable. \*\*data incomplete

**GEORGIA**---Shipments 7-11-7---Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate, Prices jumbo slightly higher, others generally unchanged. Sacks 48-1lb film bags med-lge mostly 13.50, 24 2-lb film bags med-lge mostly 13.50, 50 pound sacks loose Jumbo mostly 11.00-12.00.

#### **CAULIFLOWER**

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 65-75-83--- SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected to increase seasonally above the 47 units shipped last week. Trading fairly slow. Prices much lower. Cartons film wrapped White 12s mostly 8.35-9.50, 9s and 16s mostly 7.00-7.65. Quality generally good.

**SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the 27 units shipped last week. Trading early moderate, late slow. Prices lower. Cartons film wrapped White 12s mostly 6.50-8.25, 9s mostly 6.50-7.00, 16s mostly 6.00-7.25. Quality variable. **WESTERN ARIZONA---**Shipments 49-37-24---Movement expected to decrease sharply as most shippers are finished for the season. Supplies insufficient and in too few hands to establish a market. Quality variable. Light and sporadic shipments expected to continue through March 29. **LAST REPORT**.

#### **CELERY**

**ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS**---Shipments 195-210-273--- **OXNARD DISTRICT**, **CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to increase slightly above the 243 units shipped last week. Trading 2-2 1/2 dozen fairly slow, others moderate. Prices 2-2 1/2 dozen lower, 3 dozen higher, Hearts slightly higher. Cartons 2 dozen mostly 6.35-6.85, 2 1/2 dozen mostly 6.35-7.25, 3 dozen mostly 7.45-8.50; Hearts film bags 18s mostly 12.11-13.50. Quality variable.

**SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA**—Movement expected to increase above the 4 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices slightly lower. Unofficial prices 2-3 dozen 6.00-8.00. Quality generally good. Prices from trade sources. No F.O.B. report currently issued.

#### **COACHELLA VALLEY CALIFORNIA AND WESTERN**

**ARIZONA---**Shipments AZ 72-69- 39, CA 24-18-20---Movement expected to decrease as most shippers are finished for the season. Trading slow. Prices Hearts generally unchanged, others slightly lower. Cartons 2-2 1/2 dozen mostly 6.00- 6.35, 3 dozen (supplies fairly light) mostly 7.00-7.35; Hearts film bags 18s mostly 12.35-12.45. Quality generally good.

IMPERIAL VALLEY CALIFORNIA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS ARIZONA---Crossings MX 33-37-17, Shipments CA 11-9-6---Movement expected to decrease as most shippers are finished for the season. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices lower. Cartons 2 dozen mostly 6.00-7.00, 2 1/2 dozen mostly 6.50-7.00, 3 dozen mostly 6.65-7.00. Quality generally good. Lighter shipments expected to continue through April 5. LAST REPORT. SOUTH FLORIDA---Shipments 49-53-53---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. 2 dozen 8.95-9.95, 2 1/2 dozen 8.95-9.95 and 3 dozen 8.95-9.95, Hearts carton film bags 18s 15.50-16.50. Quality generally good.

#### **CHINESE CABBAGE**

IMPERIAL, COACHELLA AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA, CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Shipments AZ 7-5-3, CA 2-2-2,

Crossings MX 7-8-5--- Movement expected to decrease. Trading early fairly active, late active. Prices higher. Nappa 30 pound cartons 15.45-18.48. Quality generally good.

**CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA**—Movement expected to increase above the 3 units shipped last week as more shippers begin. Supplies insufficient and in too few hands to establish a market. Quality generally good.

#### **CORN-SWEET**

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA DISTRICTS---**Shipments

109-146-137---Movement expected to increase. Trading active. Prices higher. Includes palletizing and precooling. Wirebound crates 4-4 1/2 dozen Yellow 12.40-14.40, White In too few hands to establish a market. Bi-color 14.40-16.40. Quality generally good.

IMPERIAL AND COACHELLA VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA---

Harvest in Imperial Valley expected to begin the week of March 30, followed by Coachella Valley the week of April 20. Harvest is expected to be about 7-10 days early due to ideal growing conditions. Most shippers expect to be underway the week of April 13. Quality expected to be generally good. **FIRST REPORT**.

#### **CUCUMBERS**

#### MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 209-235-211--- (Field Grown 174-203-178, Greenhouse 35-32-33)---Movement expected about the same. Trading slow. Prices 24s generally unchanged, others lower. 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium mostly 14.95, fair quality mostly 10.95-12.95, ordinary quality mostly 8.95; small 8.95-10.95; large 10.95- 12.95. Cartons 24s mostly 5.95-7.00, 36s 6.95-8.95. Quality and condition variable.

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 19-37-76---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fair quality fairly slow, others fairly active. Prices generally unchanged. Includes palletizing and precooling. WAXED 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium mostly 16.35-18.35, medium fair quality mostly 9.35-10.35. Carton 24s mostly 7.00-8.00 Quality generally good.

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS**---Imports 50-49\*-34---Imports via boat from Honduras. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium 15.00-16.00, fair quality mostly 8.00-9.00, irregular size 6.00, cartons 24s 6.00-7.00. Quality good. \*revised. **LAST REPORT**.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 102-84-32\*\* (Greenhouse 62-50-19\*\*, Field Grown 40-34-13\*\*) --- Movement expected about the same. Supplies insufficient and in too few hands to establish a market. Quality variable. \*\*data incomplete **LAST REPORT** 

#### **EGGPLANT**

#### MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 46-47-43--- Movement expected about the same. Supplies fair quality heavy. Trading moderate. Prices higher. 1 bushel, 1 1/9 bushel, 1 1/6 bushel cartons wrapped 18s 12.95, 24s mostly 10.95; fair quality 18s 6.95-7.00, 24s mostly 5.00-6.00. Quality and condition variable.

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 9-10-9---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices medium slightly lower, fair quality lower. Includes palletizing and precooling. 1 1/9 bushel cartons wrapped medium mostly 14.35. 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium fair quality mostly 6.35-8.35. Quality generally good.

**COACHELLA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA**—Harvest expected to begin the week of March 30, about 7-10 days early due to ideal growing conditions. Most shippers expect to be underway the week of April 13. Quality expected to be generally good. **FIRST REPORT**.

#### **ENDIVE-ESCAROLE**

SOUTH FLORIDA---Shipments 10-9-10--- (Endive 4-4-5, Escarole 6-5-5) Movements expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Precooling included. Endive 1 1/9 bushel cartons/ crates 18s (include some 14s and 16s) 10.95.carton 24s 12.95. Escarole 1 1/9 bushel cartons/ crates 18s (include some 14s and 16s) 10.95; 24s 12.95. Quality generally good. IMPERIAL, COACHELLA AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA, CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Shipments CA 1-2-1, AZ 2-2-2, Crossings MX Very Light--- Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading moderate. Prices slightly higher. Cartons 24s Endive 9.45-10.75, Escarole mostly 10.45-11.45. Quality generally

**CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA**---Harvest expected to begin the week of March 23. Quality expected to be generally good. **FIRST REPORT**.

#### **GREENS**

**SOUTH GEORGIA**---Shipments 26-34-30---Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons bunched 24s Collard mostly 8.00, Kale mostly 12.00, Mustard Curly mostly 8.00-8.50, Turnip Tops mostly 8.50.

**LEXINGTON DISTRICT SOUTH CAROLINA**---Shipments 09-11-11---Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices Tuesday, March 25, 2014 compared to Tuesday, March 18, 2014 Collards loose unchanged; Kale lower; others higher. Cartons bunched Kale 24s 12.00-13.00. Cartons loose Turnip Tops 10.00-12.00 and Mustards 10.00-12.00. Various containers bunched Collard 6s 10.00-15.00. Various containers loose Collard 6s 12.00 Quality

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 4-4-5--- OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 2 units shipped last week. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices lower. Cartons bunched 24s Kale 8.75. Quality generally good.

**CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the less than 1 unit shipped last week. Trading moderate. Unofficial Prices cartons bunched 24s Kale 9.00-10.25. Quality generally good. Prices from trade sources. No F.O.B. report currently issued.

11.85. Quality generally good. \*revised

IMPERIAL, COACHELLA AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA, CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Crossings MX 12-9\*-3, Shipments AZ 17-19-26, CA 2-2-2--- Movement expected to decrease. Trading moderate. Prices lower. Cartons bunched 24s Kale mostly 9.45-

**EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA**---Shipments 0-0-0---Movement expected to remain about the same as most shippers continue to experience a production gap due to crop damage from an unseasonably cold winter. Currently, no F.O.B. is being reported.

#### LETTUCE, ICEBERG

**WESTERN ARIZONA---**Shipments 511-562-515---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading early fairly active, late fairly slow. Prices lower. Cartons 24s film lined mostly 5.50-6.55, filmwrapped mostly 6.50-7.55. Quality variable.

### ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 84-52-174---CENTRAL SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---

Movement expected to increase seasonally above the 119 units shipped last week. Trading fairly slow. Prices cartons 24s film lined mostly 6.35-6.61, filmwrapped mostly 7.35-7.61. Quality generally good.

**SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to increase seasonally above the 18 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices cartons 24s film lined mostly 6.50-7.00, filmwrapped mostly 7.50-7.85. Quality generally good. **FIRST REPORT**.

**SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA**---Harvest expected to begin late in the week of March 23, with most shippers expecting to begin the week of April 6. Quality expected to be generally good.

#### LETTUCE, ROMAINE

**WESTERN ARIZONA---**Shipments 397-399-315---Movement expected about the same. Trading active. Prices Hearts higher, 24s generally unchanged. Cartons 24s mostly 8.35-9.56; Hearts 12-3 count packages mostly 7.95- 10.35, film lined 48s mostly 8.95-11.25. Ouality variable.

### ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 72-64-156---CENTRAL SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---

Movement expected to increase seasonally above the 74 units shipped last week. Trading fairly active at slightly lower prices. Prices slightly lower. Cartons 24s mostly 7.61-9.61; Hearts 12 3-count packages mostly 9.00-9.61. Quality generally good. Supplies in few hands.

#### IMPERIAL AND COACHELLA VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA---

Movement expected to decrease sharply below the 35 units shipped last week as most shippers are finished for the season. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. Quality variable. Lighter shipments expected to continue through March 29. **LAST REPORT**.

**SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to increase seasonally above the 29 units shipped last week. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. Most current shipments are Hearts delivered on previous commitments and/or prior bookings. Quality generally good. The first F.O.B. report is expected to be issued the week of March 30.

**OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the 10 units shipped last week. Trading early moderate, late fairly active. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons 24s mostly 7.75. Quality generally good.

**SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the 3 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices Hearts 12-3 count packages mostly 8.25-11.00. Quality generally good.

#### LETTUCE, OTHER

**WESTERN ARIZONA---**Shipments 84-86-87---Movement expected about the same. Trading Red Leaf very slow, Green Leaf moderate. Prices Red Leaf slightly lower, Green Leaf generally

unchanged. Cartons 24s Green Leaf mostly 5.35-6.56, Red Leaf mostly 5.35-5.56. Quality variable.

### ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 15-19-25--CENTRAL SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---

Movement expected to increase seasonally above the 12 units shipped last week. Trading Red Leaf slow, others fairly slow. Prices slightly lower. Cartons 24s Green Leaf and Red Leaf mostly 5.50-6.61, Boston mostly 6.61-9.50. Quality generally good. Supplies in few hands.

**OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the 4 units shipped last week. Trading early fairly slow, late moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons 24s Green Leaf and Red Leaf 6.75. Quality generally good.

SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected to increase seasonally above the 2 units shipped last week. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. Quality generally good. The first F.O.B. report expected to be issued the week of March 30 SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected to increase above the 1 unit shipped last week, but remain light as more shippers begin. Supplies insufficient and in too few hands to establish a market. Quality generally good.

MISCELLANEOUS ASIAN VEGETABLES IMPERIAL, COACHELLA AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA, CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Crossings MX 10-10-4\*, Shipments AZ 3-5-4, CA 2-2-1--- Movement expected to decrease. Trading moderate. Prices cartons higher, crates generally unchanged. Bok Choy WGA crates mostly 16.45-18.45, 30 pound cartons mostly 12.25-12.61. Quality generally good. \*data incomplete CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected to increase above the 3 units shipped last week as more shippers begin. Unofficial prices Bok Choy WGA crates 8.75-9.85. Quality generally good. Prices from trade sources. No F.O.B. report currently issued.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS HERBS**

IMPERIAL, COACHELLA AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA, CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Crossings MX 17-15-6\*, Shipments AZ 22-22-17, CA 2-2-1--- Movement expected to decrease. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Cilantro cartons bunched 60s mostly 9.25-11.45, 30s mostly 7.25-8.45. Quality generally good. \*data incomplete

**LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY, TEXAS**---Shipments 5-5-5---Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading early slow, late moderate. Prices higher. Cartons Cilantro bunched 60s 12.35-12.85. Quality generally good.

**OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA**---Shipments 2-2-2---Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly slow, late moderate. Prices 60s higher, 30s lower. Cilantro cartons bunched 60s 8.75-9.75, 30s 5.75- 6.25. Quality generally good.

**CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to increase above the 2 units shipped last week as more shippers begin. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Unofficial prices Cilantro cartons bunched 60s 8.75-8.95, 30s 5.45-6.75. Quality generally good. Prices from trade sources. No F.O.B. report currently issued.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS TROPICALS**

**CENTRAL AMERICAN IMPORTS**---Imports 76-50\*-37---Imports from Costa Rica and Nicaragua. Movement expected to remain about the same. Ports of Entry: South Florida. Trading fairly slow. Prices Calabaza, Chayote, Lila (lge), Dasheen (large), lower; Ginger Root, Blanca (large), Eddoes (small) higher, Yams, Yuca generally unchanged. Calabaza 50 pound sacks mostly 11.00-12.00. Chayote 20 pound cartons mostly 9.00-10.00, 40 pound cartons mostly 14.00. Ginger Root 30 pound cartons mostly 38.00. Malanga 40 pound

cartons Blanca (large) mostly 24.00, Lila (large) mostly 26.00. Taro 40 pound cartons Eddoes mostly 29.00; Dasheen 40 pound cartons (large) mostly 53.00-55.00, 50 pound sacks (medium) mostly 15.00. Yams (Name) 45 pound cartons Yellow mostly 27.00-28.00, 50 pound cartons White mostly 24.00. Yuca (Cassava) 40 pound cartons mostly 16.00. Quality good. \*revised.

**CARIBBEAN IMPORTS**---Imports 2-2\*-2---Imports from the Dominican Republic. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Coconut 65-70 pound sacks 40s mostly 20.00-21.00. Quality good. \*revised.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---TOMATILLOS---Crossings 18-18\*-8\*\*--- Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading fairly active. Prices slightly higher. 1 1/9 bushel cartons/crates 14.00-15.00. Quality and condition variable. \*revised\*\*data incomplete

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---TOMATILLOS---Crossings 9- 8-4---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. 40 pound cartons per pound mostly .30. Quality and condition variable.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---CHAYOTE---Crossings 4-3-2---Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly slow, late moderate. Prices generally unchanged. 40 pound cartons mostly 11.00-12.00. Quality variable.

#### **OKRA**

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS**---Imports 10-12\*-8---Imports via boat from Honduras and Guatemala. Movement expected to remain about same. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading. Prices lower. 1/2 bushel crates small-medium 14.00-16.00. Quality variable. \*revised.

#### **ONIONS, GREEN**

LEXINGTON DISTRICT SOUTH CAROLINA---Shipments 2-2-2---Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices Tuesday, March 25, 2014 compared to Tuesday, March 18, unchanged. Cartons/crates bunched 48s 14.00. Quality good. SOUTH AND CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Crossings MX 63-68-33\*, Shipments CA 1-1-1---Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly slow, late moderate. Prices small slightly lower, others generally unchanged. Cartons bunched medium mostly 5.50-6.50, small mostly 5.00-6.00; ICELESS 2 film bags, 24 bunches per bag and 4 film bags, 12 bunches per bag mostly 8.45-9.95; Leeks 12s mostly 8.75-10.25. Quality generally good. Shippers generally transitioning Leek shipments from Central California to desert shipping points. \*data incomplete

#### **PARSLEY**

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 2-2-2---OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 1-1-1---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons bunched 60s Curly 7.75-8.75. Quality generally good.

**CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to increase above the less than 1 unit shipped last week as more shippers begin. Trading fairly active. Prices cartons bunched 60s Plain 9.35-11.45. Quality generally good. **FIRST REPORT**.

IMPERIAL, COACHELLA AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA, CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Crossings MX 7-6-3, Shipments AZ 6-5-4, CA 1-1-1--- Movement expected to decrease. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Cartons bunched 60s Curly 9.48-10.61, Plain 9.50-11.11. Quality generally good.

#### PEAS, GREEN

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS**---Imports 17-22\*-20---Imports via boat from Guatemala. Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices snow peas lower, sugar snaps higher. 10 lb cartons Snow Peas mostly 6.00-7.00, Sugar Snap Peas mostly 9.50. Quality good. \*revised.

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

Crossings 265-225-212 (Field Grown 230-197-187, Greenhouse 35-28-25)---Movement expected to decrease. Trading Green very active, 11 pound cartons Red and Yellow slow, others moderate. Prices Green and 1 1/9 bushel cartons Red higher, Yellow lower, others generally unchanged. 1 1/9 bushel cartons Green jumbo and extra large (very light supplies) 30.95, large mostly 28.95, medium 26.95; fair quality Green extra large mostly 24.95-26.95, large mostly 24.95, medium mostly 20.95-22.95; Red extra large and large mostly 15.95, medium 12.95-14.95, irregular size fair quality mostly 12.95. 15 pound cartons Red extra large and large mostly 8.95-9.95. GREENHOUSE 11 pound cartons Red extra large 6.95-8.95, large mostly 5.95-6.95; Yellow extra large 8.95-10.95, large mostly 8.95. Quality and condition variable.

CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA DISTRICTS---Shipments 118-87-84---Movement expected to remain about the same early, increase late. Trading active. Prices Red, Yellow and Orange generally unchanged, Green jumbo and extra large slightly higher, other Green higher. Includes palletizing and precooling. 1 1/9 bushel cartons Green jumbo and extra large mostly 30.35, large mostly 26.35-28.35, medium mostly 22.35, irregular size fair quality mostly 22.35-24.35 11 pound cartons Red and Orange jumbo, extra large and large fine appearance 15.95, Yellow jumbo, extra large and large fine appearance mostly 18.95-19.95. Quality generally good.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 68-38-12\*\* (Greenhouse 41- 22-7\*\*, Field Grown 27-16-5\*\*) ---Movement expected about the same. Trading Orange fairly active at slightly lower prices, others fairly active. Prices Red slightly higher, Orange slightly lower, Yellow generally unchanged. GREENHOUSE 11 pound cartons jumbo and extra large Red mostly 8.25-8.35, Yellow mostly 12.00-14.00, Orange (light supplies) mostly 16.00-16.35. Quality generally good. \*\*data incomplete

COACHELLA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---Harvest of Green expected to begin the week of March 23, about 7-10 days early due to ideal growing conditions. Most shippers expect to be underway the week of April 6. Quality expected to be generally good. FIRST REPORT.

### PEPPERS, OTHER MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 48-62-55--- Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices Yellow Chile generally unchanged, others lower. 1 1/9 bushel cartons per pound large Anaheim and Jalapeno mostly .40, Poblano .50-.55, Yellow Chile .35-.40, Serrano .40-.45. Quality variable.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 45-52-24\*\*---Movement expected about the same. Trading Jalapeno moderate, others fairly active. Prices Poblano slightly higher, others generally unchanged. 1 1/9 bushel cartons/crates Jalapeno mostly 18.00-19.00, Poblano mostly 14.00-15.00, Serrano mostly 19.00-20.00. Quality and size variable. \*\*data incomplete

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA**--MIXED MINI SWEET--- Crossings 27-21-17---Movement expected to decrease. Trading moderate. Prices 12 1-pound film bags higher, others generally unchanged. Cartons 12 1-pound film bags mostly 9.95-10.95, 9 2-pound film bags mostly 12.95- 14.95. Quality generally good.

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA DISTRICTS**---Shipments 5-7-6---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices Jalapeno and Cubanelles lower. Includes palletizing

and precooling. 1/2 bushel cartons Hungarian Wax supplies in too few hands to establish a market, Jalapeno mostly 12.35. 1 1/9 bushel cartons Jalapeno and Cubanelles mostly 22.35. Quality generally good.

#### **RADISHES**

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA DISTRICTS**---Shipments 10-11-11---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Precooling included. Cartons topped 30-6 ounce film bags Red 6.45-7.45, Carton topped 14 1-pound film bags Red mostly 6.95-7.95, 40 pound film bags topped Red 16.35-17.85, 25 pound film bags topped Red mostly 11.20-11.70; Cartons/ Crates bunched 2 dozen red 8.50-9.25. Quality generally good.

OXNARD DISTRICT CALIFORNIA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS ARIZONA---Crossings MX 14-15-8\*, Shipments CA 1-1-1--- Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late fairly active. Prices higher. Cartons Red bunched 24s mostly 7.15-8.48, 48s mostly 9.00-10.45. Quality variable. \*data incomplete

#### **RHUBARB**

WASHINGTON COAST DISTRICT---Shipments 0\*-0\*-0\*---Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading moderate. Price generally unchanged. 15 pound cartons Greenhouse Washington Extra Fancy mostly 38.00-40.00. Price includes palletizing and cooling, consolidation charges extra. Most sheds are winding down on greenhouse rhubarb. A few field grown have been harvested in Oregon although supplies are insufficient to establish a market. A little more expected this week if the weather holds. A few field grown are also expected from Washington later this week with more next week. With good weather the volume of field grown from both areas should pick up in 2 weeks. Quality generally good. (\*totals shipments less than 50,000 pounds).

#### **SPINACH**

CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected to increase above the 3 units shipped last week as more shippers begin. Trading early fairly active, late active. Prices higher. Cartons bunched Flat 24s mostly 13.45-15.75. Quality generally good. IMPERIAL, COACHELLA AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA, CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Shipments AZ 69-81-73, CA 5-5-2, Crossings MX 7-7-1--- Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices higher. Cartons bunched Flat 24s 12.35-14.85. Quality generally good.

#### **SQUASH**

#### MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 109-121-137--- Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices Yellow slightly lower, others generally unchanged. 4/7 bushel cartons Zucchini small, small-medium and medium mostly 12.95; Yellow Straightneck small and small-medium 14.95-16.95, medium mostly 14.95-16.95; Grey small and small-medium mostly 9.95. 1 1/9 bushel cartons large Zucchini mostly 12.95. Quality and condition variable.

#### MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 44-21-35--- Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. 1 1/9 bushel cartons Acorn medium 10.95-12.95, large 12.95-14.95; Butternut medium mostly 8.95, large mostly 10.95; Spaghetti medium mostly 8.95-10.95, large mostly 10.95-12.95. Quality variable.

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA DISTRICTS**---Shipments 18-23-25---Movement expected to increase. Trading active. Prices unchanged. Includes palletizing and precooling. 1/2 bushel cartons Zucchini small mostly 12.35-14.35, medium mostly 10.35-12.35, Yellow Straightneck small mostly 16.35, medium mostly 14.35. 3/4

bushel cartons Yellow Crookneck small mostly 16.35, medium mostly 12.35. Quality generally good.

#### **SWEET POTATOES**

**EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA**---Shipments 104-116\*-100---Movement expected remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 40 pound cartons Orange Types U.S. No. 1 16.00-18.00, U.S. No. 1 Petite 12.00- 14.00, U.S. No. 2 8.00-10.00, No Grade Marks jumbo 9.00-11.00. \*revised.

#### ATWATER, LIVINGSTON DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---

Shipments 23-18-26--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices higher. 40 pound cartons Orange Types U.S. No. One mostly 23.00, No Grade Marks Medium mostly 10.00-11.00, Jumbo 12.00-13.00; Red Types U.S. No. One mostly 24.00, No Grade Marks Medium mostly 10.00-11.00, Jumbo mostly 12.00-13.00; White Types U.S. No. One mostly 26.00, No Grade Marks Medium mostly 10.00-11.00, Jumbo Mostly 10.00; Japanese Types U.S. No. One mostly 36.00-37.00, No Grade Marks Medium mostly 38.00-40.00, Jumbo mostly 25.00. Organic 40 pound cartons Orange Types U.S. No. One mostly 30.00, Red Types U.S. No. One mostly 30.00, White Types U.S. No. One mostly 34.00, Extra services included.

**MISSISSIPPI**---Shipments 24-29-24---Movement expected to increase slightly. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. 40-pound cartons Orange types U.S. No. 1 17.00-18.50, U.S. No 2 9.50-11.00, No Grade Marks jumbo 9.50-11.75. Mostly Beauregard variety.

**LOUISIANA**---Shipments 15-21-13---Movement expected to increase slightly. Trading moderate. Prices U.S. #1 slightly higher, others generally unchanged. 40-pound cartons Orange types U.S. No. 1 mostly 18.0, U.S. No. 2 mostly 10.00-10.50, No Grade Marks jumbo mostly 10.50. Mostly Beauregard variety.

#### **TOMATOES**

#### MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 278-257-209 (Adapted Environment 236-215-171, Open Field 39-35-33, Controlled Environment 3-7-5) ---Movement expected to decrease. Trading early moderate, late active. Prices much higher. OPEN FIELD AND ADAPTED ENVIRONMENT 25 pound loose Vine Ripe 5x5 and 5x6 sizes mostly 14.95; cartons/flats 2 layer 4x4-4x5s mostly 14.95, 5x5-5x6s mostly 12.95. ADAPTED ENVIRONMENT 5 kilogram/11 pound flats on the vine mostly 7.95. Ouality variable.

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA DISTRICTS**---Shipments 279-226-170---Movement expected to increase. Trading active. Prices higher. Extra services included. 25 pound cartons loose Mature Greens 85% U.S. One or Better 5x6 size 17.95, 6x6 size 16.95, 6x7 size 14.95-15.95. Quality generally good.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 205-124\*-54\*\* (Adapted Environment 142-85\*-36\*\*, Open Field 35-21\*-9\*\*, Controlled Environment 28-18\*-9\*\*) ---Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly active, late very active. Prices much higher for light supplies. ADAPTED ENVIROMMENT flats 2 layer Vine Ripes 4x4-5x6s mostly 14.95. Quality variable. \*\*data incomplete

**VARIOUS US SHIPPING POINTS**---Greenhouse 31-30-36 No prices reported.

#### TOMATOES, CHERRY

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA DISTRICTS**---Shipments 15-14-14---Movement expected to increase. Trading active. Prices higher. Extra services included. Flats 12 1-pint baskets 11.95-13.95. Quality generally good.

#### TOMATOES, GRAPE TYPE

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA DISTRICTS**---Shipments 48-49-39--- (Organic 3-2-2) Movement expected to increase. Trading active. Prices Organic type slightly higher, others higher. Includes

palletizing and cooling. Flats 12 1-pint containers with lids 12.95-14.95; 20 pound cartons loose 23.95-25.95. Organic Flats 12 1-pints containers with lids mostly 17.95. Quality generally good.

#### MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 31-31-32 (Open Field 30-27-25, Adapted Environment 1-4-7) ---Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly active, late active. Prices much higher. OPEN FIELD and ADAPTED ENVIRONMENT Flats 12 1-pint containers with lids medium-large mostly 12.95, 20 pound cartons loose medium-large mostly 20.95. Quality variable.

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

Crossings 200-203-172 (Open Field 102-103-89, Adapted Environment 98-100-83)---Movement expected about the same. Trading early slow, late active. Prices higher. OPEN FIELD **AND** ADAPTED ENVIRONMENT 25 pound cartons loose Roma extra large and large 9.95-10.95, medium 8.95-9.95. Quality variable. **CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA DISTRICTS**---Shipments

48-41-32---Movement expected to increase. Trading active. Prices slightly higher. Extra services included. 25 pound cartons loose Roma extra large mostly 13.95, large mostly 12.95, medium mostly 11.95. Quality generally good.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 80-71-32\*\* (Adapted Environment 64-55-26\*\*, Open Field 16-14-6\*\*, Controlled Environment 0-2-0\*\*) ----Movement expected to increase slightly. Trading early fairly active, late active. Prices higher. ADAPTED ENVIRONMENT 25 pound cartons loose extra large and large mostly 10.00-11.00, medium 9.00-10.00. Quality and condition variable. \*\*data incomplete

#### ONIONS, DRY

UNITED STATES---Shipments (including imports) 802-807-722--- The top shipping areas for the week, in order, were Idaho and Malheur County Oregon, Columbia Basin Washington, Mexico, New York and Southern California. In the Market News Service weekly survey of over 21,000 individual stores, 7,629 retail stores had onions on ad (3-pound bag and per pound of Yellow, Sweet Yellow, White and Red onion) which is a decrease of 23 percent from last week. IDAHO AND MALHEUR COUNTY OREGON---Shipments 284-286-254---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading moderate. Prices Red medium higher, Yellow jumbo and medium lower, others generally unchanged. U.S. One Yellow Spanish Hybrid 50-pound sacks Super Colossal mostly 25.00, colossal mostly 24.00, jumbo mostly 22.00-23.00, medium 18.00-19.00; U.S. One White 50-pound sacks jumbo 24.00-26.00, medium 24.00-26.00; U.S. One Red Globe Type 25-pound sacks jumbo mostly 14.00, medium 12.00-

#### COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON AND UMATILLA BASIN

**OREGON**---Shipments 275-260-216 (includes export of 27-31-22) ---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading moderate. Prices Reds higher, Whites and Yellow medium lower, others generally unchanged. Yellow Hybrid 50-pound sacks colossal 21.00-23.00, jumbo 20.00-22.00, medium 18.00-19.00; White 50-pound sacks jumbo mostly 20.00-22.00, medium mostly 20.00-22.00; Red Globe Type 25-pound sacks jumbo 13.00, medium 11.00-13.00.

#### **MEXICAN CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTH TEXAS---**

Crossings 94-141-175---Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading moderate. Prices Reds higher, others lower. Yellow Grano 50-pound sacks jumbo 24.00-26.00, medium mostly 14.00; Yellow Grano Marked Sweet 40-pound cartons jumbo mostly 25.00- 26.00; White 50-pound sacks jumbo 16.00-18.00, medium 16.00-18.00; Red Globe Type 25-pound sacks jumbo 16.00, medium 14.00.

**NEW YORK**---Shipments 65-52-45---Movement expected to decrease as more growers finish for the season. Trading fairly slow. Prices lower. Yellow Globe type 50 pound sacks 2 1/4 inch minimum 20.00-21.00, 2 inch minimum 19.00-21.00. Quality variable.

**CENTRAL WISCONSIN**---Shipments 18-15-5---Movement expected to decrease sharply with only a few shippers remaining with supplies. Remaining shipments will continue for 2 weeks. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. **LAST REPORT**. **PERU IMPORTS REPACKED AT VARIOUS EAST COAST SHIPPING POINTS**---Shipments 17-9-3---Movement expected to decrease as shipments for the season are complete. Remaining supplies in too few hands to establish a market. **LAST REPORT**.

LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY, TEXAS---0-0-1---Movement expected to increase as more growers start to harvest onions. Light shipments are expected until the week of (April 13). FIRST REPORT

#### ONIONS FOR PROCESSING

WESTERN UNITED STATES---Shipments 125-126-127---Movement expected to remain about the same. No prices reported. EASTERN UNITED STATES---Shipments 4-4-4---Movement expected to remain about the same. No prices reported.

#### **POTATOES**

**UNITED STATES**---Shipments (not including imports) 1910-1866-1773---The top shipping states, in order, were Idaho, Colorado, Florida, Wisconsin, and Columbia Basin Washington/Umatilla Basin Oregon. The Market News Service survey of over 21,000 retail stores had potatoes on ad last week in 15,203 stores, of which 404 featured organic potato ads (3 percent of total potato ads), a 33 percent decrease from the 22,705 last week's stores.

#### UPPER VALLEY, TWIN FALLS-BURLEY DISTRICT, IDAHO-

--Shipments 753-730-724--- (includes export of 2-3-3) ---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading Norkotahs fairly active, Burbank cartons moderate, baled fairly slow. Prices Norkotahs and Burbank cartons slightly higher, Burbank cartons slightly lower. Russet Burbank U.S. One baled 5 10-pound non size A mostly 4.50-5.00, 50-pound cartons 40s 7.00-8.00, 50s 8.00-9.00, 60-100s 9.50-10.00. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 5 10-pound film bags non size A 5.50, 50-pound cartons 40s mostly 7.50-8.00, 50s mostly 8.00, 60-100s 9.50- 10.00. Shipments for week ending March 22, 2014 were generally Russets with 63 percent Burbanks and 30 percent Norkotahs.

**SAN LUIS VALLEY, COLORADO**---Shipments 254-278\*-261 (including exports 20-19\*-19) ---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices carton 40-50s slightly higher, others generally unchanged. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 5 10-pound film bags size A 7.50, 50-pound cartons 40s 8.00-9.00, 50-70s mostly 11.00, 80-100s mostly 10.00. U.S. Commercial bulk per cwt 9.50-11.50. \*revised

**FLORIDA DISTRICT**---Shipments 120-169-171 (including exports 8-8-12) --- Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading Round White very active, Round Red size A fairly slow, others moderate. Prices Round Red and Yellow Type slightly lower, Round White generally unchanged. Round Red U.S. One 50-pound cartons size A mostly 12.25. Yellow Type U.S. One 50-pound cartons size A mostly 17.00-18.25. Round White U.S. One 50-pound cartons size A mostly 29.00.

**CENTRAL WISCONSIN**---Shipments 141-144-123---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Russet Norkotah baled 5 10-pound film bags size A mostly 8.00, 50 pound cartons 40s-70s mostly 11.00-12.00, 80s mostly 10.50, 90s mostly 10.00, 100s mostly 9.50-10.00.

**COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON AND UMATILLA BASIN OREGON**---Shipments 129-107-100--- (includes export of 38-34-32) ---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices baled slightly lower, cartons generally unchanged. Russet Norkotahs U.S. One baled 5 10-pound film bags non size A mostly 6.50, 50-pound cartons 40s 8.00-10.00, 50-100s 9.00-10.00.

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

Shipments 134-115-88--- Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading moderate. Prices Size A lower, others generally unchanged. Round Red U.S. One baled 10 5- pound film bags size A mostly 9.50, tote bags size A mostly 15.00 per cwt.

**NEBRASKA DISTRICT**---Shipments 51-48\*-59---Movement expected to decrease sharply as one large shipper has finished. Trading fairly slow. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. \*revised.

#### HEREFORD HIGH PLAINS EASTERN NEW MEXICO---

Shipments 61-57-58---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

**AROOSTOOK COUNTY, MAINE**---Shipments 63-49-45---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices unchanged. U.S. One Round White baled 10 5-pound film bags 2 inch minimum 9.00-9.50, Russet Norkotah baled 10 5-pound film bags 2 inch or 4 ounce minimum 8.75-9.00.

**KLAMATH BASIN (NORTHERN CALIFORNIA-SOUTHERN OREGON)** ---Shipments 43-37-42--- (including export 2-2-2) --- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow.

Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged, Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 5 10-pound film bags size A mostly 6.50-8.00, 50-pound cartons 40-100s mostly 10.00-11.00.

**MICHIGAN**---Shipments 43-51-38---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate for Round Whites, Russets fairly slow. Prices Round Whites slightly higher, Russets generally unchanged. U.S. One Round White size A 10 pound open window sacks loose 2.00-2.30, Russet Norkotah and Goldrush 10 pound film bags loose mostly 2.00-2.25.

IMPERIAL VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 0-0-16---Trading fairly slow. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. NORTHWESTERN WASHINGTON---Shipments 6-3-4 (including exports 3-2-2) Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices lower. Round Red U.S. One 50-pound cartons size A mostly 11.00-13.00; Yellow Type U.S. One 50-pound cartons size A mostly 14.00- 16.00. \*\*Change in Washington states marketing order for 2013 crop limits availability of shipment information to exports only.

**NORTHERN COLORADO**---Shipments 25-25-3---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

**NEW BRUNSWICK CANADA (CROSSINGS THROUGH MAINE POINTS)** ---Shipments fairly light---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly slow for tote bags, others slow. Prices tote bags slightly higher, others generally unchanged. U.S. No. 1 or Canada No. 1 baled 10 5-pound film bags 2 inch or 4 ounce minimum mostly 8.50-9.00, tote bags approx. 2000 pounds per cwt. 13.50-14.00.

## POTATOES FOR PROCESSING

**IDAHO**---Open-market trading by processors with growers was inactive.

**MICHIGAN**---Shipments to Chippers 254-251\*-241---Movement expected about the same. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market. \*revised.

**WISCONSIN**---Shipments to Chippers 211-174-171---Movement expected to remain about the same. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

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

Shipments to Chippers 99-80-111---Movement expected to remain about the same. Too few open market sales to establish a market. **AROOSTOOK COUNTY, MAINE**---Shipments to Chippers 56-65\*-55---Movement expected about the same. Most movement from pre-season contracts. Too few open market sales to establish a market. \*revised.

**WESTERN & CENTRAL NEW YORK**---Shipments to Chippers 56-53-49---Movement expected about the same. Most movement from pre-season contracts. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

**FLORIDA**---Shipments to Chippers 24-28-31---Movement expected to increase as harvest moves north across the State. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

**PENNSYLVANIA**---Shipments to Chippers 7-6-3---Movement expected to continue seasonal decline as most growers finished for the season. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market.