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Unless otherwise stated, shipments, crossings or imports are for the weeks ending December 06, December 13, and December 20, 2014 in that order in thousand hundredweight (cwt) or 100,000 pound units. Expected movement is for the period December 21, 2014-January 03, 2015. Prices are for Monday, December 22, 2014 compared to Monday. December 15, 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**---3-9\*-50---Imports via boat. Movement expected to increase. PORT OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA AREA: Trading moderate. Prices lower. Flats 12 1-pint containers with lids large 26.00-30.00, 12 6-ounce cups with lids medium-large 16.00-20.00. Ouality variable. \*revised

**CHILE**---36-51\*-31---Imports via air and boat. Movement expected to increase. PORT OF ENTRY MIAMI AREA: Trading moderate. Prices lower. Flats 12 1-pint containers with lids large mostly 28.00-30.00, 12 6-ounce cups with lids medium-large 18.00-20.00. Quality variable. \*revised

**CHILE**---6-7-8---Imports via air and boat. Movement expected to increase. PORT OF ENTRY LOS ANGELES AREA: Trading moderate. Prices lower. Flats 12 1-pint containers with lids large 30.00-34.00, 12 6-ounce cups with lids medium-large 18.00-24.00. Quality good.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH ARIZONA, CALIFORNIA & TEXAS DISTRICT---** Crossings 3-2-2---Movement expected to increase. Trading early active, late moderate. Prices lower. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids mostly 18.00-20.00. Includes palletization and cooling. Wide range in quality.

#### **CRANBERRIES**

**ALL PRODUCTION AREAS**---Shipments 13-8-\*\*---Movement expected to decrease as 2014 season comes to a close. Wholesale prices at the New England Produce Center Monday, December 22, 2014: cartons 24 12-ounce film bags large MA Late Howe mostly 32.00. \*\*not available. **LAST REPORT**.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS BERRIES**

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---**Imports 4\*-2\*-2---Imports via air from Guatemala. Movement expected to decrease. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading slow. Prices slightly lower. Cartons 12 6-ounce cups with lids Blackberries mostly 7.50-8.00. Quality good. \*revised.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH ARIZONA, CALIFORNIA & TEXAS DISTRICT**: Crossings 35-37-29---Movement expected to increase. Trading slow. Prices lower. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids Blackberries 7.00-8.00; organic 14.00-16.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in quality.

#### RASPBERRIES, RED

**OXNARD, CALIFORNIA DISTRICT**---Shipments 19-20-18---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading early very active, late fairly active. Prices higher. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids Red 20.00-22.00. Includes palletization and cooling. Wide range in quality.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH ARIZONA, CALIFORNIA & TEXAS DISTRICT**: Crossings 28-25-21---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading early very active, late fairly active.

Prices higher. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids 20.00-22.00. Includes palletization and cooling. Wide range in quality.

#### **STRAWBERRIES**

**CENTRAL FLORIDA**---Shipments 29-40-66---Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices much lower. Prices include palletizing and precooling. Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids medium-large mostly 18.90. Quality generally good.

**OXNARD, CALIFORNIA DISTRICT**---Shipments 22-23-22---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading early active, late fairly active at lower prices. Prices lower. Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids medium-large 22.00-24.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in quality.

**ORANGE COUNTY, SAN DIEGO AND COACHELLA CALIFORNIA DISTRICT**--- Shipments 2-3-3---Movement expected to increase. Shipments are being reported from the district, however supplies remain in too few hands to establish market. Expect first F.O.B. report to begin on December 29, 2014. Currently, no F.O.B. being reported.

SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA DISTRICT---Shipments 15-12-2---Movement expected to decrease. Most shippers have finished for the season. Remaining supplies in too few hands to establish market. Light supplies expected to continue until January 10, 2015. LAST REPORT.

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

Crossings 45-53-66--- Movement expected to increase. Trading early active, late fairly light. Prices lower. Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids medium-large mostly 18.00-20.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in quality.

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

Crossings 3-6-8--- Movement expected to increase. Crossings are being reported from the district, however supplies remain in too few hands to establish market. Expect first F.O.B. report to begin on December 29, 2014. Currently, no F.O.B. being reported.

#### **CITRUS FRUIT**

#### **CLEMENTINES**

**SPAIN**---Imports 5-62-142---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 active. Prices unchanged. 5 pound containers 20-24s 4.25-4.50, 28-32s mostly 4.00-4.20; flat cartons 10 3-pound mesh bags 20-36 size 26.50- 28.50. Quality good.

**MOROCCO**---Imports 38-21-79---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 active. Prices unchanged. 5 pound containers 20-24s 4.25-4.50, 28-32s mostly 4.00-4.20; flat cartons 10 3-pound mesh bags 20-36 size 26.50- 28.50. Quality good.

#### **GRAPEFRUIT**

**FLORIDA**---Shipments 201-144-199 (includes export 86-52-124) --- Prices not reported.

**LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY, TEXAS**---Shipments 102-97\*-53\*\*---Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices generally unchanged. 7/10 bushel cartons Marked Rio Star Fancy 23- 27s 15.95-18.35, 32s 14.95-16.50, 36s 13.95-14.50, 40s 10.35-11.95, 48s 9.35-9.95, 56s 7.35-7.95; Texas Choice 23-27s mostly 11.95, 32s 10.95- 12.25, 36s 10.10-10.95, 40s 9.10-9.95, 48s 7.90-8.25, 56s 6.10-6.95. Quality generally good. \*revised, \*\*data incomplete.

#### **LEMONS**

#### CENTRAL & SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND ARIZONA---

Shipments Fairly Heavy--- Movement expected about the same. Trading First Grade 95s, Choice 75-95s and 140s, Standard 75-115s fairly active at slightly lower prices, others fairly active. Prices First Grade 95s, Choice 75-95s and 140s, Standard 75-115s slightly lower; First Grade 200s, Choice 200-235s and Standard 165s slightly higher, others generally unchanged. 7/10 bushel carton Shippers First Grade 75s mostly 38.80-40.90, 95s mostly 40.80-41.90, 115s mostly 38.80-40.90, 140s mostly 36.80-38.90, 165s mostly 28.80-30.90, 200s mostly 20.80-22.90, 235s 18.80-20.90; Shippers Choice 75-95s mostly 24.80-27.90, 115s mostly 25.80-27.90, 140s mostly 26.80-27.90, 165s mostly 26.80-28.90, 200s 20.80-22.90, 235s 17.80-19.90; Unclassified (Standard) 75s 18.80-21.90, 95s 19.80-22.90, 115s 18.80-21.90, 140s mostly 22.80-24.90, 165s mostly 22.80-23.90, 200s 14.80-16.90.

#### LIMES

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 123-151-160---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices lower. 40 pound cartons 110s mostly 12.00, 150s mostly 14.00, 175-200s mostly 14.00- 15.00, 230s mostly 14.00, 250s 12.00-13.00. Quality variable.

#### **ORANGES**

#### CENTRAL & SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND ARIZONA---

Shipments Moderate--- Movement expected to increase slightly. Trading active. Prices Choice 72- 113s slightly higher, others generally unchanged. 7/10 bushel cartons Navel Shippers First Grade 48-56s mostly 21.80-23.90, 72s 18.80-20.90, 88s 14.80-15.90, 113s mostly 12.40-12.90, 138s 9.80-11.90; Shippers Choice 48-56s 15.80-17.90, 72s mostly 15.80-16.90, 88s mostly 13.80- 14.40, 113s mostly 11.80-11.90, 138s 8.80-10.40.

**FLORIDA**---Shipments 164-173-114 (includes export 3-3-4) --- Prices not reported.

LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY, TEXAS---Shipments 59-51\*-34\*\*---Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. 7/10 bushel cartons Navel U.S. Combination 48s mostly 13.95, 56-88s mostly 13.95-14.50, 113-138s mostly 13.95; Texas Choice 48-138s mostly 12.95. Early Varieties (mostly Marr) U.S. Combination 56-138s mostly 11.95-12.95; Texas Choice 64-88s mostly 10.95- 11.95, 113-138s mostly 10.95. Quality generally good. \*revised, \*\*data incomplete.

#### **TANGELOS**

**FLORIDA**---Shipments 33-30-18 (includes export 0-0-0) ---Prices not reported.

#### **TANGERINES**

**FLORIDA**---Shipments 74-66-61 (includes export 2-1-1) ---Prices not reported.

#### **MELONS**

#### **CANTALOUPES**

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---**Imports 122\*-196\*-56--- Imports via boat from Guatemala. Movement expected to increase. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading very active for limited supply. 1/2 Cartons 6S-12s open market supply in too few hands to quote and most available supply filling prior commitment. 1/2 Cartons oversized 6s (5 size) - 9s (6 size) open market supply in too few hands to quote. Quality good. \*revised.

#### **HONEYDEWS**

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

Crossings 31-18-25--- Movement expected about the same. Supplies insufficient and in too few hands to establish a market. The F.O.B. report is interrupted due to a harvest gap. The report is expected to resume the week of January 11. Quality and condition variable. **CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS--**Imports 52\*-64\*-11---Imports via boat from Guatemala. Movement expected to increase. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading very active for limited supply. 2/3 cartons 5s-8s open market supply in too few hands to quote and most available supply filling prior commitment. Quality variable. \*revised.

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

Crossings 101-96-42--- Movement expected about the same, then increase in early January when harvest transitions into the Jalisco growing area. Trading active. Prices much higher. Red Flesh Seedless type cartons per pound 4-6s mostly .44-.46. Quality and condition variable.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 8-17-17---Movement expected about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. The first F.O.B. report is expected to be issued the week of January 04.

#### NON-CITRUS FRUIT

#### APPLES

#### YAKIMA VALLEY AND WENATCHEE DISTRICT

**WASHINGTON**---2014 CROP Shipments 1.382-1.419-1.249 (Includes Exports 513-501-502) --- Movement expected to decrease with the short holiday week. Trading active. Prices generally unchanged. Washington Extra Fancy carton tray pack Red Delicious 72-113s 14.00-16.00, 125s 15.00-17.00; Golden Delicious 72-125s 16.00-18.00; Fuji 64s mostly 16.00, 72-88s 18.00-20.00, 100s mostly 18.00; Granny Smith 72- 100s 17.00-20.00, 113-125s 16.00-18.00; Gala 72-113s 16.00-18.00; Honeycrisp 64-100s mostly \$35.00-40.00; Washington Extra Fancy carton tray pack fine appearance Red Delicious 72-125s 18.00-20.00; Golden Delicious 72-125s mostly 18.00-20.00; Fuji 64s mostly 22.00-24.00, 72-88s mostly 24.00,100s mostly 22.00; Granny Smith 72-88s mostly 22.00-24.00, 100s 20.00-22.00, 113-125s 18.00-20.00; Gala 72-88s mostly 20.00, 100-113s 20.00; Honeycrisp 64-100s mostly \$40.00-45.00. Forecast is for highs 35-45F and lows 25-35Fs with a chance of rain or snow throughout the week. Exports to (listed by volume in descending order): Mexico, Taiwan, India, Vietnam, Canada, United Arab Emirates, China, Hong Kong, Saudi Arabia, Thailand, Colombia, Peru, Malaysia, Singapore, Guatemala, Dominican Republic, Israel, Chile, Sri Lanka, United Kingdom, Philippines, Cambodia, Costa Rica, Jordan, Nicaragua, El Salvador, Brazil, Kuwait, Qatar, Panama, Nigeria, Iran, Oman, Pakistan, Ecuador, French Polynesia, Indonesia, New Caledonia, Malta, Trinidad and Tobago, Honduras and Cape Verde.

**NEW YORK**---Shipments 94-92-85---Movement expected to decrease slightly due to mid-week holidays for the next two weeks. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy 12 3-pound film bags 2 1/2 inch minimum Red Delicious

mostly 16.00-18.00, Golden Delicious mostly 18.00, McIntosh mostly 18.00-19.00, Cortland mostly 17.00-18.00, Gala mostly 17.00-19.00, Macoun mostly 18.00, Empire mostly 18.00, Fuji mostly 17.00-18.00, Rome 16.00-17.00. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy tray pack Golden Delicious 80s-88s mostly 21.00-22.00; McIntosh 80s-88s mostly 23.00; Gala 80s-88s mostly 26.00; Empire 80s-88s 22.00-23.00; Cortland 64s-88s mostly 21.00-23.00; Macoun mostly 23.00-24.00. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy cell pack McIntosh 80s-88s mostly 23.00; Empire 80s-88s 22.00-23.00.

MICHIGAN---Shipments 95-88-60---Movement expected about the same current holiday week, increase slightly following week. Trading moderate. Prices Gala slightly higher, cartons 12 3-pound film bags McIntosh, Jonathan, Red and Golden Delicious slightly lower, others unchanged. Cartons 12 3-lb film bags U.S. Extra Fancy 2-1/2 inch minimum Gala mostly 20.00-22.00, Fuji mostly 18.00-20.00, Golden Delicious, McIntosh, Empire, Idared, Jonathan, Jonagold and Braeburn mostly 16.00-18.00, Honeycrisp mostly 40.00- 42.00, Law Rome mostly 15.00-16.00. Cartons tray pack U.S. Extra Fancy Gala 72-88s mostly 23.00-25.00, Red Delicious and Golden Delicious 80-88s mostly 16.00-18.00, Jonathan 88s mostly 22.00- 24.00, McIntosh 88s mostly 24.00-26.00, Honeycrisp 72-88s mostly 55.00-60.00, Empire and Fuji 88s mostly 22.00-24.00, Law Rome 80-88s 16.00-20.00. Supply of Honeycrisp light and in few hands.

APPALACHIAN DISTRICT (MD-PA-VA-WV) ---Shipments 44-37-35---Export 2-1-1---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy Red Delicious 64s-88s mostly \$20.00-21.00; Golden Delicious 64s-88s mostly \$20.00-22.00; McIntosh 72s-88s \$24.00-25.00; Fuji 72s-88s mostly \$25.00-26.00; Red Rome 64s-88s \$20.00; cartons 12 3-pound film bags U.S. Extra Fancy 2 1/2 inch minimum Red Delicious \$18.00-19.00; Golden Delicious \$18.00-19.00, Granny Smith \$20.00-21.00, Red Rome \$18.00-19.00, and McIntosh mostly \$19.00.

**NEW ENGLAND**---Shipments 6-6-5--Movement expected to decrease slightly due to mid-week holidays for the next two weeks. Unofficial prices for Monday, December 22, 2014, Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy 12 3-pound film bags 2 1/2 inch minimum McIntosh 20.00-22.00. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy tray pack McIntosh 80s-88s 28.00.

#### **APRICOTS**

**CHILE**---Imports 1-1-6---Imports via air and boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. Expect sufficient volume and number of importers to establish a market by end of Week 52.

#### **AVOCADOS**

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

Crossings 283-278-200--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Cartons 2 layer Hass 32s 29.25-30.25, 36s 29.25-30.25, 40s mostly 29.25, 48s mostly 28.25-29.25, 60s mostly 28.25-29.25, 70s mostly 21.25, 84s mostly 16.25. Extra services included.

**SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 11-11-7---Movement expected to decrease as season closes. Most shippers have finished for the season. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Cartons 1-layer flats. 8-9s mostly 8.00-9.00, 10-12s mostly 9.00. Predominate variety Monroe. Quality good.

**CHILE**---Imports 3-4-6---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. Shipment volume continues to be directed to other countries. PORT OF ENTRY: LOS ANGELES AREA. Supplies insufficient to establish a market.

#### **CHERRIES**

**CHILE**---Imports 11-13-40---Imports via air and boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORT OF ENTRY: LOS ANGELES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT. Trading moderate. Prices lower. 5 kilogram cartons bagged Bing extra jumbo 40.00-42.00, jumbo 34.00-36.00, extra large 32.00-34.00, large 26.00-28.00. Quality good. PORT OF ENTRY: MIAMI

INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT. Trading moderate. Prices lower. 5 kilogram cartons bagged Bing extra jumbo 34.00-36.00, jumbo 32.00-34.00, extra large 30.00-32.00, large 20.00-22.00. Quality good. PORT OR ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading moderate. Prices lower. 5 kilogram cartons bagged Bing jumbo 30.00-32.00, extra large 28.00-30.00, large 20.00-22.00. Quality good.

#### **GRAPES, TABLE**

**CHILE**---Imports 0-0-116---Imports via boat. Movement expected to decrease due to holiday schedules. PORT OR ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. 18 pound containers bagged Sugraone extra large 36.00-38.00, large 34.00-36.00, medium 32.00-34.00; Flame Seedless extra large 34.00-36.00, large 32.00-34.00, medium 30.00-32.00, small 28.00-30.00. Quality good.

**KERN DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA**---Shipments---310-300-254---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Most shippers have finished for the season. Light shipments expected to continue through December 31, 2014. **LAST REPORT** 

PERU---Imports 18-27-34---Imports via boat. Movement expected to decrease due to holiday schedules. PORTS OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA AND NEW YORK CITY AREA. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 18 pound containers bagged Thompson Seedless extra large 38.00-40.00, large 36.00-38.00, medium 34.00-36.00; Sugraone extra large 38.00-40.00, large 36.00-38.00, medium 34.00-36.00; Flame Seedless extra large 34.00-36.00, large 32.00-34.00, medium 30.00- 32.00; Crimson Seedless extra large 34.00-36.00, large 32.00-34.00, medium 30.00-32.00; Red Globe extra large 22.00-24.00, large 20.00-22.00, medium 18.00-20.00. Quality good.

#### **KIWIFRUIT**

#### CENTRAL AND NORTHERN DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---

Shipments 5-6-5--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading slow. Prices lower. 9 kg (19.8 lb) containers loose Hayward 27 size 18.00-20.00, 30 size 18.00-20.00, 33 size 17.00-20.00, 36 size 17.00-20.50, 39 size 16.85-18.50, 42 size 15.85-17.00, 45 size 14.85-16.00. Extra services included.

**ITALY**---Imports 34-27-28---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA AREA AND NEW YORK CITY AREA. Trading moderate. Prices generally lower. 9 kilogram (19.8 pound) containers loose Hayward 23-27 size 13.00-15.00, 30-33 size 12.00-14.00, 36-39 size 11.00-13.00, 42-45 size 10.00-12.00. Quality good.

#### **MANGOES**

**ECUADOR**--- Imports 20-23-23---Imports via boat. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading active. Prices higher. Flat one layer Tommy Atkins 7s-9s mostly 7.00, 10s mostly 6.00, 12s mostly 5.50-6.00, 14s mostly 5.00-5.50. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Flat one layer Tommy Atkins 7s-9s 7.50, 10s 6.00-6.50, 12s 5.50-6.00, 14s 5.00-5.50 Quality generally good.

**ECUADOR** ---Imports 20-19-0---Imports via boat. Movement expected to increase. PORTS OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading active. Prices higher. Flat one layer Tommy Atkins 7s-9s 8.00, 10s 7.00-7.50, 12s mostly 6.50, 14s mostly 6.00-6.50.

#### **NECTARINES**

**CHILE**---Imports 0-3-31---Imports via air and boat. Movement expected to decrease due to holiday schedules. PORT OR ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons and lugs 2 layer tray pack Various Yellow Flesh Varieties 40s 24.00-26.00, 56s 22.00-24.00, 56s 20.00-22.00; marked tree ripe Various Yellow Flesh Varieties 40s 26.00-28.00, 52s 24.00-26.00, 56s 22.00-24.00; 9 kilogram containers loose Various Yellow

Flesh Varieties 60 size 20.00-22.00, 66 size 18.00-20.00. Quality good.

#### **PAPAYAS**

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 21-19-20---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. 35-40 pound cartons Maradol type mostly 17.00-19.00. Quality and condition variable.

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---**Imports 9-9-9---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-14s 16.00-17.00. Quality generally good.

**BRAZIL**---Imports 8\*-9\*-7---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. Cartons 3.5 kilogram Solo Type (Golden) 7s-12s mostly 9.50-10.00. Quality good. \*revised.

#### **PEACHES**

**CHILE**---Imports 4-7-12---Imports via air and boat. Movement expected to decrease due to holiday schedules. PORT OR ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Mostly Early Majestic and Rich May. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons and lugs 2 layer tray pack Various Yellow Flesh Varieties 40s 24.00-26.00, 48s 22.00-24.00, 50s 20.00-22.00; 9 kilogram containers loose Various Yellow Flesh Varieties 60 sz 20.00-22.00, 66 size 18.00-20.00. Quality good.

#### **PEARS**

#### YAKIMA VALLEY AND WENATCHEE DISTRICT

WASHINGTON---2014 Crop Shipments 222-225-192 (Includes Exports 65-72-61) --- Movement expected to decrease with the short holiday week. Trading fairly active. Prices D?Anjou 70- 110s slightly lower, others generally unchanged. 4/5 bushel cartons wrapped U.S. One D'Anjou 70-90s mostly 24.00-25.00; 100s 22.00-24.00; 110s mostly 22.00; 120s 22.00, 135s 20.00-22.00, 150s 18.00-20.00. Bosc (mostly standard russet) 70-90s mostly 22.00-24.00, 100-110s 20.00-22.00, 120s 18.00-20.00; Fine Appearance (including Golden Russet) 70-90s mostly 28.00-30.00, 100s 24.00-26.00, 110S mostly 22.00-24.00, 120s 20.00-22.00. Quality generally good. Exports to (listed by volume in descending order): Mexico, Canada, Colombia, India, United Arab Emirates, Costa Rica, Hong Kong, Saudi Arabia, China, Taiwan, Bahrain, Guatemala, Panama, Israel, Malaysia, Honduras, Vietnam, Thailand, Trinidad and, Tobago, Cameroon and Singapore.

#### **PINEAPPLES**

CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---Imports 370\*-410\*-367---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 5s-8s mostly 8.75-9.25. PORTS OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Cartons one-layer Golden Ripe 5s-8s mostly 7.00- 8.00. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. Cartons one-layer Golden Ripe 5s-8s mostly 8.00-9.00. Quality good. \*revised.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 7-10-5---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Cartons 1 layer 5-7s mostly 7.00-7.50, 8s mostly 7.00. Quality generally good.

#### **PLUMS AND PRUNES**

**CHILE**---Imports 0-0-2---Imports via air and boat. Movement expected to decrease due to holiday schedules. Expect sufficient volume and number of importers to establish a market by end of Week 52.

#### POMEGRANATES

**SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA**---Shipments 5-7-6--- Movement expected to decrease. Most shippers have finished for the season. Light shipments expected to continue through January 8, 2015. **LAST REPORT**.

#### **VEGETABLES**

#### **ARTICHOKES**

SOUTH DISTRICT CALIFORNIA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS,

**ARIZONA**---Shipments 11-7-6, Crossings MX 1-1-1-- -Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate for fairly light supplies. Prices 24s slightly higher, others higher. Cartons Globe Thorned green 18-20s mostly 30.55-32.55, 24s 30.55-32.55, 30s 26.11-30.55, 36s mostly 22.61-25.55. Quality variable. Supplies in few hands.

#### **ASPARAGUS**

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH CALEXICO, CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS ARIZONA- -- Crossings 0-0-0--- Movement expected to increase seasonally. Light shipments have begun

however supplies in too few hands to establish market. Expected F.O.B. to begin on or around January 5, 2015. **FIRST REPORT. PERU**---Imports 28\*-79\*-55---Imports via air and boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading slow. Prices lower. 11 pounds cartons bunched Green Jumbo mostly 24.00-25.00, Extra Large mostly 24.00-25.00, Large mostly 25.00-26.00, Standard mostly 25.00-26.00, Small mostly 20.00-21.00. Quality generally good. \*revised.

#### **BEANS**

CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA---Shipments 54-66-72--Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow.
Prices much lower. Includes palletizing and precooling. Bushel cartons/crates. Round green type Machine Picked mostly 12.3512.85. Handpicked 16.35-20.35. Quality generally good.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 25-39-37--- Movement expected to increase. Trading early slow, late fairly slow. Prices lower. 30 pound cartons Round Green type Handpicked mostly 12.95- 15.00. Quality variable.

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS**---Imports 12-15\*-10---Imports via boat from Guatemala. Movement remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading active. Prices higher. 5 pounds cartons Haricot Vert (French Type) mostly 11.50-12.00. Quality variable. \*revised.

#### **BEETS**

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA--- Crossings 4-6-4---Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly slow, late moderate. Prices higher. Cartons bunched Red type 12s mostly 12.45-13.00. Quality generally good.

#### **BROCCOLI**

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 95-109-112---IMPERIAL, COACHELLA AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS,

**CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to decrease slightly below the 53 units shipped last week. Trading early fairly slow, late slow. Prices much lower. Cartons bunched 14s mostly 6.00-6.55, 18s mostly 6.50-7.00, 20 pound loose Crown Cut mostly 7.00-7.50. Quality generally good.

**SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to decrease below the 32 units shipped last week. Trading fairly slow. Prices slightly lower. Cartons bunched 14s mostly 7.00-8.00, 18s mostly 7.50-8.50, 20 pound loose Crown Cut mostly 7.00-9.00. Quality generally good.

CENTRAL SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---

Movement expected to decrease below the 27 units shipped last

week. Trading early slow, late very slow. Prices generally unchanged. Unofficial prices cartons bunched 14s 6.00-8.00, 18s 6.50-8.50, 20 pound loose Crown Cut 6.00-9.00. Quality generally good. Prices from trade sources. No F.O.B. report is expected to be issued due to supplies in few hands.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 59-80\*-83---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices lower. 20 pound cartons loose Crown Cut mostly 7.00-8.00. Quality and condition variable. \*revised.

**CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA---**Shipments 62-77-64---Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly slow, late slow. Prices lower. Cartons bunched 14s mostly 7.15-8.56, 18s mostly 7.65-9.06; 20 pound loose Crown Cut mostly 7.35-8.56. Quality generally good.

**SOUTH GEORGIA**—Movement expected to increase. Current supplies insufficient to establish market. No. F.O.B. issued at this time. Prices according to industry sources: (cartons bunched 14s 11.85-12.85; 20-pound cartons loose crown cut 11.85- 12.85)

#### **BRUSSELS SPROUTS**

**CENTRAL DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA**---Shipments 23-20-32---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices slightly lower. 25 pound cartons medium mostly 25.00- 28.95. Quality variable. Many growers shipping product to Western Arizona for consolidation.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA--- Crossings 7-10-12---Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading early fairly active, late fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. 25 pound cartons medium mostly 28.55-30.61. Quality generally good.

#### **CABBAGE**

**WESTERN AND CENTRAL NEW YORK**---Shipments 44-47-41---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 50 pound cartons Round Green type medium 9.00-11.00, 50 pound sacks large mostly 5.50, bulk large per pound .11-.12. Quality variable.

**SOUTH GEORGIA**---Shipments 46-62-38---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices Green Type higher, others unchanged. 50-pound cartons Round Green Type medium 9.00-10.00 large 6.50-8.00, Red Type medium 12.00-13.00; 40-pound cartons Savoy Type medium 12.00.

SAN ANTONIO-WINTERGARDEN DISTRICT, TEXAS---

Shipments 25-19-37--- Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices Green lower, Red generally unchanged. 1 3/4 bushel crates and 50 pound cartons medium Round Green type mostly 8.00-8.50, Red type (supplies light) mostly 10.00-11.00; 50 pound sacks Green extra large 5.00-5.50. Quality generally good.

**LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY, TEXAS**---Shipments 10-18-26---Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices Green lower, Red generally unchanged. 1 3/4 bushel crates and 50 pound cartons medium Round Green type mostly 8.00-8.50, Red type (supplies light) 10.00-11.40. Quality generally good.

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 11-12-11--OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 9 units shipped last week. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices lower. 50 and 45 pound cartons 18-24s Round Green type 9.75- 10.95, Red type 16.75-18.95. 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 AZ 39-45-50, CA 1-2-2, Crossings 1-1-2--- Movement expected about the same. Trading Green slow, Red fairly slow. Prices lower. 50 pound cartons 18-24s Round Green type mostly 7.00-8.00, Red type 16.00-20.45. Quality generally good.

**ALL FLORIDA DISTRICTS**---Shipments 10-4-8---Light harvest delayed a week due to cool weather the next 14 days. Expect more growers to start within 14 days and sufficient volume for first F.O.B. within 14 days.

**EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA**---Shipments 17-7\*-2---Movement expected to continue decreasing as most shippers are finished for the season. Currently, no F.O.B. is being reported. \*revised. **LAST REPORT**.

#### **CARROTS**

**KERN DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA**---Shipments 134-136-141---Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading moderate. Prices jumbo lower, others higher. 48 1-pound film bags in sacks mediumlarge mostly 15.00-15.40, 50 pound sacks loose jumbo mostly 18.00-19.00, 25 pound sacks loose jumbo mostly 9.00-9.50. 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 22.00-24.35, Baby Peeled 30 1-pound film bags 20.00-21.75. Quality generally good.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 14-12-13---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. 50 pound sacks loose jumbo mostly 9.00-11.00. Quality variable.

**GEORGIA**---No shipments reported. Production expected to start around or soon after January 5. Currently, no F.O.B. issued. **FIRST REPORT**.

#### **CAULIFLOWER**

**ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS**---Shipments 41-48-59--- **SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the 22 units shipped last week. Trading fairly slow. Prices much lower. Cartons film wrapped White 12s mostly 12.35-15.00, 16s mostly 11.00- 13.00. Quality generally good.

**IMPERIAL AND COACHELLA VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA**—Movement expected to decrease below the 37 units shipped last week. Trading fairly slow. Prices much lower. Cartons film wrapped White 9-12s mostly 12.00-14.55, 16s 10.00-12.55. Quality generally good.

**WESTERN ARIZONA---**Shipments 34-54-40---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices much lower. Cartons film wrapped 12s mostly 15.25-17.45, 9s mostly 13.45-15.55, 16s mostly 13.45-15.61. Quality generally good. Most present shipments from prior bookings and/or previous commitments.

#### **CELERY**

**ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS**---Shipments 323-344-331--- **OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to decrease below the 229 units shipped last week. Trading Hearts fairly slow, others slow. Prices Hearts lower, others much lower. Cartons 2-2 1/2 dozen mostly 12.00-14.56, 3 dozen mostly 12.35-15.00, 4 dozen mostly 13.25-16.00; Hearts film bags 18s mostly 20.50-22.65. Quality generally good.

**SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to decrease below the 57 units shipped last week. Trading early moderate, late slow. Prices much lower. Cartons 2 dozen mostly 11.00-13.00, 2 1/2 dozen 10.00-13.00, 3 dozen mostly 11.00-13.00. Quality generally good

#### COACHELLA VALLEY AND WESTERN ARIZONA---

Shipments CA 13-25-28, AZ 8-3-5---Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading early moderate, late slow. Prices much lower. Cartons 2-2 1/2 dozen mostly 15.45-16.95, 3 dozen mostly 14.55-17.45. Quality generally good.

IMPERIAL VALLEY CALIFORNIA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS ARIZONA---Crossings MX 2-16-14---Movement expected about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. Quality generally good. FIRST REPORT.

**SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 0-5-41---Light harvest under way. Expect sufficient volume for first F.O.B. Monday January 5, 2015.

#### **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 4-5-6, CA 2-2-4, Crossings MX 0-0-1--- Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices lower. Nappa WGA crates mostly 11.95-14.50, 30 pound cartons mostly 8.35-10.61. Quality generally good.

#### **CORN-SWEET**

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

Crossings 29-27-40--- Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons 4-4 1/2 dozen Yellow mostly 14.95-16.00, White (fairly light supplies) mostly 16.95-18.95. Quality and condition variable.

**ALL FLORIDA DISTRICTS**---Shipments 56-28-27---Movement expected to decline. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Includes palletizing and precooling. Wire bound crates 4-4 1/2 dozen Yellow mostly 18.95, White mostly 18.95, Bi- Color 18.95. Quality generally good.

#### **CUCUMBERS**

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

Crossings 242-346-319 (Field Grown 172-251-223, Greenhouse 70-95-96)---Movement expected to increase. Trading Pickles, Long Seedless and Persian moderate, others very slow. Prices Persian higher, Pickles slightly lower, Long Seedless generally unchanged, others lower. 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium mostly 8.95-9.95, fair quality mostly 5.95-6.95, ordinary quality mostly 3.95- 4.95; small 5.95-6.95, large mostly 7.95-8.95. Cartons 24s 3.95-4.95, 36s 4.95-5.95. 1 1/9 bushel crates Pickles 200-300s and 300-400s mostly 16.95-18.95, 150-200s mostly 14.95-16.95. GREENHOUSE cartons film wrapped Long Seedless 12s mostly 6.95-7.95; 22 pound cartons Persian small and small-medium mostly 14.00-14.95. Quality and condition variable.

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 64-46-32---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices much lower. Includes palletizing and precooling. WAXED 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium mostly 14.35- 16.35, medium fair quality mostly 10.35-10.85. Carton 24s mostly 7.35-8.35. Quality generally good.

#### **EGGPLANT**

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

Crossings 35-36-46--- Movement expected about the same. Trading very slow. Prices much lower. 1 bushel, 1 1/9 bushel and 1 1/6 bushel cartons wrapped 18s and 24s mostly 4.00-5.00. Quality variable. Some sales booked open with price to be established later. **CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 14-14-13--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices lower. Includes palletizing and precooling. 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium wrapped mostly 8.35- 10.35, fair quality mostly

#### **ENDIVE-ESCAROLE**

5.35-6.35. 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 3-2-2, CA 1-1-3,

Crossings Very light--- Movement expected about the same. Trading Escarole fairly active, Endive moderate. Prices Escarole higher, Endive lower. Cartons 24s Endive mostly 10.00-12.00, Escarole mostly 15.50-17.00. Quality generally good.

**SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 3-3-3--- (Endive 1-1-1); Escarole 2-2-2) --- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Precooling included. Endive 1 1/9 bushel cartons/crates 18s include some 14 and 16 count packs 12.95. Carton 24s 14.95. Escarole 1 1/9 bushel cartons/ crates include some 14 and 16 count packs 14.95. Cartons 24s 16.95. Quality generally good.

#### **GREENS**

**SOUTH GEORGIA**---Shipments 20-50-67---Movement expected to decrease. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices unchanged. Cartons bunched 24s Collard 7.00-7.50, Kale 7.00-7.50, Mustard Curly mostly 8.00, Mustard Flat mostly 8.00, Turnip Tops mostly 8.00.

**LEXINGTON DISTRICT SOUTH CAROLINA**---Shipments 13-18-38---Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices Tuesday, December 23, 2014 compared to Tuesday, December 16, 2014 Kale 24s higher; others unchanged; Cartons bunched Kale 24s 11.00-11.35. Cartons loose Turnip Tops 9.00-11.35 and Mustards 9.00-11.35. Various containers bunched Collard 6s 10.00-13.00. Various containers loose Collard 6s 11.35 Quality good.

**EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA**---Shipments 4-6\*-5---Movement expected to decrease slightly during the holiday week. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. Various containers bunched/loose Collard 7.00-8.00, Kale 7.00-8.00, Mustard 7.00-8.00, Turnip Tops 7.00-8.00. \*revised.

**ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS**---Shipments 3-3-3--- **OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the 1 unit shipped last week. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices lower. Cartons bunched 24s Kale mostly 9.75-10.95. 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 AZ 35-50-43, CA 1-1-1, Crossings MX 5-7-5--- Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices lower. Cartons bunched 24s Kale mostly 10.00-11.25. Quality generally good.

#### LETTUCE, ICEBERG

**WESTERN ARIZONA---**Shipments 520-630-531---Movement expected about the same. Trading very slow for very heavy supplies. Prices 24s lower, 30s slightly lower. Cartons 24s film lined mostly 6.00-6.61, filmwrapped mostly 7.00-7.61, 30s filmwrapped 7.00-8.55. Quality variable. Harvest curtailed by market conditions. Some sales booked open with price to be established later.

IMPERIAL AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA--- Shipments 41-71-78--- Movement expected to decrease. Trading slow. Prices lower. Cartons 24s mostly 5.00-5.50, film lined mostly 6.00-6.50, filmwrapped mostly 7.00-7.50. Quality generally good.

#### LETTUCE, ROMAINE

**WESTERN ARIZONA---**Shipments 432-476-403---Movement expected about the same. Trading 24s slow, Hearts fairly slow. Prices 24s slightly lower, Hearts lower. Cartons 24s (heavy supplies) mostly 5.65-7.35; Hearts 12 3-count packages mostly 9.35-10.56, film lined 48s mostly 10.35-11.56. Quality variable. Harvest curtailed by market conditions.

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 60-56-58--IMPERIAL, COACHELLA AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS,
CALIFORNIA---Movement expected to decrease below the 53 units
shipped last week. Trading early slow, late fairly slow. Prices slightly
lower. Carton 24s mostly 6.35-8.95; Hearts cartons 12 3-count
packages mostly 9.95-10.95, film lined 48s mostly 11.00-12.50.
Quality generally good.

**OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to decrease slightly below the 5 units shipped last week. Trading slow. Prices lower. Cartons 24s 5.75-6.95. Quality variable.

#### LETTUCE, OTHER

**WESTERN ARIZONA---**Shipments 106-85-65---Movement expected about the same. Trading slow. Prices lower. Cartons 24s Green Leaf mostly 6.15-7.61, Red Leaf mostly 6.50-7.61, Boston mostly 7.45-8.61. Quality variable. Harvest of Green Leaf curtailed by market conditions.

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 15-19-17--IMPERIAL AND COACHELLA VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA---

Movement expected about the same as the 14 units shipped last week. Trading early slow, late fairly slow. Prices Boston slightly lower, others lower. Cartons 24s Green Leaf and Red Leaf mostly 6.35-7.95, Boston mostly 8.50-9.50. Quality generally good.

**OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to decrease slightly below the 4 units shipped last week. Trading early moderate, late slow. Prices lower. Cartons 24s Green Leaf and Red Leaf 5.75-6.95. Quality variable.

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 9-8\*-10, Shipments AZ 2-3-3, CA 1-1-1--- Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late slow. Prices lower. Bok Choy WGA crates mostly 14.45-17.00, 30 pound cartons mostly 8.35-10.61. Quality generally good. \*revised

#### **MISCELLANEOUS HERBS**

**ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS**---Shipments 6-7-8--- **OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the 6 units shipped last week. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Cilantro cartons bunched 60s mostly 8.75-9.00, 30s mostly 5.75-6.75. Quality generally good.

IMPERIAL, COACHELLA AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA, CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Crossings MX 15-15\*-17,

Shipments AZ 10-16-26, CA 1-1-1-- -Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices 60s generally unchanged. Cilantro cartons bunched 60s mostly 8.85-10.25, 30s mostly 6.35-7.45. Quality generally good. \*revised

**LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY, TEXAS**---Shipments 4-5-6---Movement of Cilantro expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices slightly lower. Cartons bunched 60s mostly 11.85-13.85. Quality generally good.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS TROPICALS**

CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---Imports 44-44\*-7---Imports from Costa Rica and Nicaragua. Movement expected to remain about the same. Ports of Entry: South Florida. Trading moderate. Prices Chayote, Ginger Root, Malanga and Yams (White) higher; Calabaza, Dasheen, and Yams (Yellow) lower; Taro Eddoes and Yuca generally unchanged. Calabaza 50 pound sacks mostly 11.00-12.00. Chayote 20 pound cartons mostly 7.50-8.50, 40 pound cartons mostly 14.00. Ginger Root 30 pound cartons mostly 40.00. Malanga 40 pound cartons Blanca (large) mostly 27.00-28.00, Lila (large) mostly 23.00-24.00. Taro 40 pound cartons Eddoes mostly 22.00-23.00; Dasheen 50 pound sacks (medium) mostly 13.00. Yams (Name) 45 pound cartons Yellow mostly 44.00-45.00, 50 pound cartons White mostly 25.00-26.00. Yuca (Cassava) 40 pound cartons mostly 14.00-15.00. Quality good. \*revised.

**CARIBBEAN IMPORTS**.--Imports 2-3\*-5---Imports from the Dominican Republic. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading fairly slow. Prices lower. Coconut 65-70 pound sacks 40s mostly 20.00-21.00. Quality good. \*revised.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---TOMATILLOS---Crossings 21-15-20--- Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices lower. 1 1/9 bushel cartons/crates mostly 16.00-18.95. Quality and condition variable. **MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA**--- TOMATILLOS---Crossings 9- 15-12---Movement expected about the same. Trading early slow, late fairly slow. Prices lower. 40 pound containers per pound mostly .30. Quality variable.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---CHAYOTE---Crossings 3-3-4---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. 40 pound cartons mostly 11.00-13.00. Quality variable.

#### **ONIONS, GREEN**

#### CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS,

**ARIZONA**---Crossings MX 63-71\*-53, Shipments CA 1-1-2---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices large higher, small slightly lower, others lower. Cartons bunched 48s medium mostly 6.75-8.35, small mostly 6.45-7.35, large (supplies light) mostly 10.45-11.61; ICELESS 2 film bags, 24 bunches per bag and 4 film bags, 12 bunches per bag mostly 10.05-11.50; Leeks 12s mostly 13.35-15.25. Quality variable. \*revised.

**LEXINGTON DISTRICT SOUTH CAROLINA**---Shipments 1-2-3---Movement expected to remain the same. Trading moderate. Prices Tuesday, December 23, 2014 compared to Tuesday, December 16, 2014 unchanged. Cartons/crates bunched 48s 13.00-15.00. Quality good.

#### **PARSLEY**

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 3-3-3---OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about the same as the 2 units shipped last week. Trading early fairly active, late fairly slow. Prices lower. Cartons bunched 60s Curly mostly 10.95-12.95, Plain 12.75-14.00. Quality generally good. IMPERIAL, COACHELLA AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA, CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Crossings MX 6-8\*-10, Shipments AZ 6-5-5, CA 1-1-1--- Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices lower. Cartons bunched 60s Curly mostly 15.35-17.00, Plain mostly 15.00-16.55. Quality generally good. \*revised

#### PEAS, GREEN

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS**---Imports 18-20\*-16---Imports via boat and air from Guatemala. Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading slow. Prices lower. 10 lb cartons Snow Peas 4.00-5.00, Sugar Snap peas mostly 8.00-9.00. Quality generally good. \*revised.

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

Crossings 100-143-233 (Field Grown 78-117-198, Greenhouse 22-26-35)---Movement expected to increase. Trading Green slow, others fairly slow. Prices Green lower, Red much lower, Yellow slightly lower. 1 1/9 bushel cartons Green jumbo and extra large mostly 14.95, large mostly 10.95-12.95, medium mostly 8.95-10.95; fair quality extra large mostly 10.95-12.95, large mostly 10.95, medium mostly 8.95. Red 15 pound cartons extra large and large mostly 14.95; 1 1/9 bushel cartons Red irregular size fair quality mostly 16.95. GREENHOUSE 11 pound cartons Red extra large 14.95, large mostly 12.95; Yellow extra large and large mostly 14.95. Quality variable.

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 122-101\*-139---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices much lower. Includes palletizing and precooling. 1 1/9 bushel cartons green jumbo and extra large mostly 14.35-16.35, large, medium and irregular size fair quality mostly 12.35-14.35. Quality generally good. \*revised.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 42-37-44 (Greenhouse 26-22- 26, Field Grown 16-15-18) ---Movement expected about the same. Trading Red fairly active for light supplies, others moderate. Prices higher. GREENHOUSE 11 pound cartons jumbo and extra large Red mostly 18.95-19.95, Yellow mostly 16.95-18.95, Orange mostly 17.95-18.95. Quality variable.

**COACHELLA VALLEY CALIFORNIA**---Shipments 31-23-15---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Supplies very light. Prices much lower. Red 15 pound cartons extra large and large mostly 16.95; 1 1/9 bushel cartons irregular size fair quality mostly 18.95. Quality generally good.

#### PEPPERS, OTHER

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

Crossings 33-54-76--- Movement expected to increase. Trading fairly slow. Prices Jalapeno and Yellow Chile lower, Poblano much lower, others generally unchanged. 1 1/9 bushel carton per pound large Anaheim .50-.55, Jalapeno .25-.30, Serrano .28-.30, Poblano .70-.75, Yellow Chile .30-.35. Quality variable.

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

MIXED MINI SWEET--- Crossings 1-5-4---Movement expected to increase. Supplies insufficient to establish a market. Quality generally good. The first F.O.B. report is expected to be issued the week of January 11.

#### MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 50-51-

56---Movement expected about the same. Trading Jalapeno moderate, others fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. 1 1/9 bushel cartons/crates Anaheim (supplies light) mostly 20.00-20.85, Jalapeno and Serrano mostly 13.00-15.85. Quality and size variable.

CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA---Shipments 8-8-8---

Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices Poblano higher, Long Hot and Jalapeno lower, others generally unchanged. Includes palletizing and precooling. 1/2 bushel cartons Hungarian Wax mostly 7.35-8.35. 1 1/9 bushel cartons Cubanelles mostly 14.35-16.35, Jalapeno 14.35-14.85, Long Hot mostly 9.35-10.35, Poblano mostly 14.35-16.35. Quality generally good.

#### **RADISHES**

## OXNARD DISTRICT CALIFORNIA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Crossings MX 12-17\*-16, Shipments CA

1-1-1---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices lower. Cartons Red bunched 24s mostly 7.95-8.45, 48s mostly 10.00-11.00. Quality variable. \*revised

**SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 5-6-5---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Precooling included. Cartons topped Red 30-6-ounce film bags mostly 6.95, 14 1-pound film bags red 6.45-7.45, 25 pound film bags 11.20-11.70, 40 pound film bags 16.35-17.95. Quality generally good.

#### **SPINACH**

IMPERIAL, COACHELLA AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA, CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Shipments AZ 27-59-54, CA 7-9-9,

Crossings MX 5-6\*-7--- Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices lower. Cartons bunched Flat 24s mostly 9.35-11.55. Quality generally good. \*revised

#### **SQUASH**

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

Crossings 134-145-145--- Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly slow, late very slow. Prices much lower. 4/7 bushel cartons Zucchini small and small- medium mostly 8.95-9.95, medium 6.95-7.95; Yellow Straightneck small and small-medium

mostly 12.95-14.95, medium mostly 10.95; Grey small and small-medium 8.95, medium mostly 7.95-8.95. 1 1/9 bushel cartons large Zucchini mostly 6.95, Yellow Straightneck mostly 6.95-8.95. Quality and condition variable.

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

Crossings 50-55-44--- Movement expected about the same. Trading very slow. Prices Butternut lower, others generally unchanged. 1 1/9 bushel cartons Acorn medium mostly 10.95-12.95, large mostly 12.95-14.95; Butternut medium mostly 6.95-8.95, large mostly 8.00-8.95; Kabocha medium mostly 5.95-8.00, large mostly 7.95-9.95; Spaghetti medium 8.95-10.95, large mostly 10.95-12.95. Quality variable.

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 16-30-28---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading Zucchini slow, others fairly slow. Prices Yellow Crookneck slightly lower, others much lower. Includes palletizing and precooling. 1/2 bushel cartons Zucchini small mostly 6.35, medium mostly 4.35, Yellow Straightneck small mostly 10.35-12.35, medium mostly 8.35-10.35. 3/4 bushel cartons Yellow Crookneck small mostly 18.35-20.35, medium mostly 16.35-18.35. Quality generally good.

#### SWEET POTATOES

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

Shipments 17-31-24--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices Higher. 40 Pound Cartons Orange Types U.S. No. One mostly 23.00-24.00, No Grade Marks medium 12.00-14.00, Jumbo mostly 14.00; Red Types U.S. number One mostly 23.00-24.00, No Grade Marks medium 12.00-14.00, jumbo mostly 13.00-14.00; White Types U.S. number One mostly 27.00, No Grade Marks medium 12.00-13.00, jumbo 10.00-12.00; Japanese Types U.S. number One mostly 30.00-32.00, No Grade Marks Medium mostly 32.00, jumbo mostly 18.00-20.00. ORGANIC 40 Pound Cartons Orange Types U.S. No. One 33.00-35.00; Red Types U.S. No. One 33.00-35.00; White Types U.S. No. One 35.00-40.00. Extra services included.

EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA---Shipments 116-158\*-148---Movement expected decrease during the holiday week. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 40 pound cartons Orange Types U.S. No. 1 16.00-18.00, U.S. No. 1 Petite 13.00-15.00, U.S. No. 2 8.00-10.00, No Grade Marks jumbo 8.00-10.00. \*revised.

**MISSISSIPPI**---Shipments 12-40-37---Movement expected to decrease. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices unchanged. 40-pound cartons Orange types U.S. No. 1 mostly 18.00-19.00, U.S. No. 2 mostly 11.00-12.00, No Grade Marks jumbo mostly 11.00-12.00. Mostly Beauregard variety.

**LOUISIANA**---Shipments \*13-16-24---Movement expected to decrease. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices unchanged. 40-pound cartons Orange types U.S. No. 1 18.00-20.00, U.S. No. 2 mostly 12.00, No Grade Marks jbo mostly 12.00. Mostly Beauregard variety and a few Evangeline. \*revised

#### **TOMATOES**

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 326-372-328---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate.

Prices lower. Extra services included. 25 pound cartons loose Mature Greens 85% U.S. One or Better 5x6 size mostly 19.95, 6x6 size mostly 15.95, 6x7 size mostly 11.95. Quality generally good.

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

Crossings 41-64-125 (Adapted Environment 38-41-75, Open Field 3-22-49, Controlled Environment 0-1-1) ---Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices OPEN FIELD and ADAPTED ENVIRONMENT cartons/flats 2 layer Vine Ripes 4x4-4X5s mostly 14.95, 5x5s mostly 12.95, 5x6s mostly 10.95. Quality variable.

**VARIOUS US SHIPPING POINTS--**-Greenhouse 34-38-38 No prices reported.

#### MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA,

**CALIFORNIA**---Crossings 20-21-22 (Adapted Environment 17-18-19, Open Field 3-3-3)---Movement expected to decrease sharply.

Supplies insufficient and in too few hands to establish a market. Quality variable. Light and sporadic crossings expected to continue through the week of January 4. **LAST REPORT**.

#### TOMATOES, CHERRY

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 10-11-12---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Extra services included. Flats 12 1-pint baskets mostly 9.95. Quality generally good.

#### **TOMATOES, GRAPE TYPE**

CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA---Shipments 32-36-34

Organic (1-1-0) ---Movement expected to slightly decrease. Trading moderate. Prices lower. Includes palletizing and cooling. Flats 12 1? pint containers with lids mostly 9.95. 20 pound cartons loose 17.95. Organic, flats 12 1-pint containers with lids 19.95-21.95. Quality generally good.

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

Crossings 19-25-31--- (Open Field 13-19-25, Adapted Environment 6-6-6) ---Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading early fairly slow, late slow. Prices lower. OPEN FIELD and ADAPTED ENVIRONMENT flats 12 1-pint containers with lids medium-large mostly 5.95-7.95, 20 pound cartons loose medium- large 10.95-12.95. Quality variable.

#### TOMATOES, PLUM TYPE

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

Crossings 34-67-107 (Open Field 14-49-76, Adapted Environment 20-18-31) ---Movement expected to increase. Trading early slow, late moderate. Prices lower. OPEN FIELD and ADAPTED ENVIRONMENT 25 pound cartons loose Roma extra large 10.95-12.95, large mostly 10.95, medium 8.30-9.95. Quality and condition variable.

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA**—53-42-50----Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices much lower. Extra services included. 25 pound cartons loose Roma extra large mostly 13.95, large mostly 13.95, medium mostly 11.95. Quality generally good.

#### MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA,

**CALIFORNIA**---Crossings 94-91-43 (Adapted Environment 70-77-37, Open Field 24-14-6)---Movement expected to decrease sharply. Supplies insufficient and in too few hands to establish a market. Quality and condition variable. Light and sporadic crossings expected to continue through the week of January 4. **LAST REPORT**.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 51-44\*-34 (Adapted Environment 39-33\*-26, Open Field 10-9\*-6, Controlled Environment 2-2-2)- --Movement expected about the same. Trading slow. Prices lower. ADAPTED ENVIRONMENT 25 pound cartons loose Roma extra large mostly 12.85, large mostly 10.85-12.95, medium mostly 8.95-9.95. Quality and condition variable. \*revised.

#### **ONIONS, DRY**

**UNITED STATES**---Shipments (including imports) 840-895-965---The top shipping areas for the week, in order, were Idaho and Malheur County Oregon, Columbia Basin Washington, Peru, New York, and Colorado. In the Market News Service weekly survey of over 21,000 individual stores, 13,677 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 15 percent from last week. **IDAHO AND MALHUER COUNTY OREGON**---Shipments 303-

shipping schedules. Trading fairly slow. Prices Yellow Super Colossal, jumbo and jumbo Red lower, others generally unchanged. Yellow Spanish Hybrid U.S. One 50- pound sack Super Colossal mostly 7.00-7.50, colossal mostly 6.00, jumbo 4.50-5.00, medium mostly 4.00; White 50-pound sacks jumbo 12.00, medium 10.00; Red

Globe Type U.S. One 25-pound sacks jumbo 6.00-7.00, medium mostly 5.00.

#### **COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON AND UMATILLA BASIN**

**OREGON**---Shipments 250-313-276 (includes export of 55-55-64) --Movement expected to decrease due to holiday shortened shipping schedules. Trading fairly slow. Prices Yellow medium and Reds lower, others generally unchanged. Yellow Hybrid Type 50-pound sacks colossal mostly 6.00, jumbo 4.50-5.00, medium mostly 3.00-3.50; White 50-pound sacks jumbo mostly 10.00-11.00, medium mostly 8.50-9.00; Red Globe Type 25-pound sacks jumbo 4.50-5.00, medium 3.00-4.00.

#### PERU IMPORTS REPACKED AT VARIOUS EAST COAST

**SHIPPING POINTS**--- Shipments 58-59-77---Movement expected to decrease due to holiday shipping schedules. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Yellow Granex-Marked Sweet 40-pound cartons jumbo mostly 14.00-15.00.

**NEW YORK**---Shipments 55-58-61---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading slow. Prices unchanged. Yellow Globe type 50 pound sacks jumbo 7.00-8.00, medium 2 1/4 inch minimum 5.00-6.00, 2 inch minimum 4.00-5.00. Red Globe type 25 pound sacks jumbo 7.50-8.00, medium 6.50-7.50. Quality good.

NORTH AND EAST POINTS COLORADO---Shipments 41-38-60---Movement expected to decrease due to holiday shortened shipping schedules. Trading fairly slow. Unofficial prices for Monday December 22, 2014 Yellow Hybrid 50-pound sacks Super Colossal 10.00-12.00, colossal 8.00-10.00, jumbo 6.50-8.50, medium 4.50-7.50; Red Globe Type 25-pound sacks jumbo 7.50-8.50, medium 5.00-7.50.

**SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA DISTRICT**---Shipments 29-17-31---Movement expected to decrease due to holiday shortened shipping schedules. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

**MICHIGAN**---Shipments 20-23-23---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices repacker size lower, others unchanged. Yellow Globe type master container 16 3-pound mesh sacks medium 7.00-8.50, repacker size 5.50-6.50. Red Globe type 25 pound sacks jumbo 6.50-7.50, medium 5.00-5.50. Quality mostly good.

**CENTRAL WISCONSIN**---Shipments 14-14-12---Movement expected to decrease slightly due to mid-week holidays for the next two weeks. Trading fairly slow. Prices slightly lower. Yellow Globe Type U.S. One 50 pound sacks medium mostly 6.00-6.75, Master Container 16 3-pound mesh sacks medium mostly 8.00.

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**WESTERN UNITED STATES**---Shipments 113-111-130---Movement expected to decrease due to holiday shortened shipping schedules. No prices reported.

**EASTERN UNITED STATES**---Shipments 4-4-4---Movement expected to decrease due to holiday shortened shipping schedules. No prices reported.

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**UNITED STATES**---Shipments (not including imports) 1992-2066\*-2189--- The top shipping states, in order, were Idaho, Colorado, Wisconsin, Columbia Basin Washington/Umatilla Basin Oregon, and Red River Valley (MN/ND). The Market News Service survey of over 21,000 retail stores had potatoes on ad last week in 28,880 stores, of which 3,061 featured organic potato ads (11 percent of all potato ads), a 24 percent increase from the 23,352 stores from previous week. \*revised.

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

--Shipments 724-691-780 (includes export of 6-3-3) ---Movement expected to decrease due to holiday shipping schedules. Trading cartons 40-70s very active, others moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Russet Burbank U.S. One baled 5 10-pound film bags

non size A mostly 3.75-4.00; 50-pound cartons 40-70s mostly 14.00, 80s mostly 10.50-11.00, 90s mostly 8.00-8.50, 100s mostly 7.00-7.50. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 5 10-pound film bags non size A mostly 3.75-4.00; 50-pound cartons 40-70s 13.50-14.00, 80s mostly 9.50, 90s mostly 8.00-8.50, 100s mostly 7.00-7.50. Shipment breakdown by variety for the week ending December 20, 2014 was generally Russets with 48 percent Burbanks and 47 percent Norkotahs

SAN LUIS VALLEY, COLORADO---Shipments 337-346-319 (including exports 34-\*\*-\*\*) ---Movement expected to decrease due to holiday shipping schedules. Trading moderate. Prices baled slightly lower, cartons 50- 60s slightly higher, others generally unchanged. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 10-5-pound film bags size A mostly 5.50, 50-pound cartons 40s 9.00- 11.00, 50-60s 10.00-11.00, 70s 8.00-10.00, 80s mostly 8.00-8.50, 90-100s mostly 8.00, U.S. Commercial bulk per cwt mostly 6.00. Round Red U.S. One 10 5-pound film bags size A 10.00-12.00. Yellow Type U.S. One 10 5-pound film bags size A mostly 11.00. \*\*unavailable.

**CENTRAL WISCONSIN**---Shipments 191-203-275---Movement expected to decrease slightly due to mid-week holidays for the next two weeks. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 5 10-pound film bags size A mostly 6.25-6.75, 50-pound cartons 40s- 70s mostly 9.00-10.00, 80s mostly 8.50-9.50, 90s mostly 8.00-9.00, 100s mostly 8.00-8.50. Round Red U.S. One baled 10 5-pound film bags size A mostly 9.50-10.00, 50-pound cartons size A mostly 9.00-9.50, size B 15.50-16.00, 50-pound sacks size A mostly 8.00-8.50, size B mostly 14.50- 15.00. Yellow Type U.S. One 50-pound cartons size A mostly 11.50-13.00.

**COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON AND UMATILLA BASIN OREGON**---Shipments 145-173-177 (includes export of 25-32-38) ---Movement expected to decrease due to holiday shipping schedules. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 5 10-pound film bags non size A mostly 4.00, 50-pound cartons 40s mostly 9.00-10.00, 50-70s 9.00-10.00, 80s mostly 8.00-9.00, 90-100s mostly 8.00.

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

Shipments 124-138-131 Movement expected to decrease due to holiday shortened shipping schedules. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Round Red U.S. One size A baled 10 5-pound film bags mostly 8.50-9.00, tote bags approximately 2000 pounds per cwt mostly 12.00-12.50, 50-pound sacks mostly 7.00-7.50.

AROOSTOOK COUNTY, MAINE---Shipments 69-72\*-82--Movement expected to decrease current week, increase following
week. Trading fairly slow. Prices unchanged. Round White U.S.One
baled 10 5-pound film bags 2 inch minimum mostly 8.00-9.00,
Russet Norkotah baled 10 5-pound film bags mostly 7.00-8.00.
According to the USDA Market News, shipments from start of
season through week ending December 20, 2014 of 659,416 cwt.
were down slightly by 2% from one year earlier. However, Russet
varieties were up sharply this season by 45% for the same time
period, while Round White shipments decreased by 29% for the same
time period. Round Red shipments were off by 10% from one year
earlier and Yellow varieties increased 9% over one year earlier.
\*revised.

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

Shipments 61-70-72--- Movement expected to decrease due to holiday shipping schedules. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

**MICHIGAN**---Shipments 51-53-68---Movement expected to decrease current week, increase following week. Trading fairly slow for Russets, slow for Round Whites. Prices unchanged. Round White U.S. One size A 10-pound open window sacks loose 1.50-1.80, Russet Norkotah 10-pound film bags loose 1.50-1.80. According to the December Potato Stocks report released by NASS, Michigan?s holdings of 9.4 million cwt. are 60% of 2014 production (15.7 million cwt.) with 85% of the holdings Round White varieties, 14% Russets varieties and 1% Yellows.

NORTHWESTERN WASHINGTON---Shipments 60-62-61 (including exports 9-11-11) ---Movement expected to decrease due to holiday shortened shipping schedules. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Round Red U.S. One 50-pound cartons size A mostly 14.00 fair appearance 7.00-13.00. Long White U.S. One 50-pound cartons size A 16.00-18.00 fair appearance 11.00-14.00. Yellow Type U.S. One 50-pound cartons size A mostly 16.00 fair appearance 10.00-14.00.

NEBRASKA DISTRICT---Shipments 62-69\*-48---Movement expected to decrease due to holiday shipping schedules. Trading moderate. Prices baled lower, cartons 50-60s slightly higher, others generally unchanged. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 10-5-pound film bags size A 5.50-6.00, 50- pound cartons 40s 10.00-11.00, 50-60s 11.00, 70s 10.00-11.00, 80s 8.00- 8.50, 90-100s 8.00. \*revised. KLAMATH BASIN (CALIFORNIA-OREGON) ---Shipments 30-49-47 (including exports 0-0-0) ---Movement expected to decrease due to holiday shortened shipping schedules. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Russet U.S. One baled 10 5-pound film bags size A mostly 6.00, 50-pound cartons 40-70s mostly 11.00, 80s mostly 10.00, 90s 8.00-11.00, 100s 8.00- 10.50.

KERN COUNTY CALIFORNIA---Shipments 36-26\*-24--Movement expected to decrease due to holiday shortened shipping schedules. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. \*revised.
LONG ISLAND NEW YORK---Shipments 26-19-23---Movement expected to decrease. Trading slow. Prices unchanged. Round White U.S. One size A 50 pound sacks mostly 6.50-7.00, large 6.50-7.00, baled 10 5-pound sacks 8.00-9.00. According to the December Potato Stocks report released by NASS, New York?s holdings of 2.0 million cwt. are 44% of production (4.5 million cwt.) with 85% Round White varieties, 12% Russet varieties and 1% each of Long Whites, Round Red and Yellow varieties.

BIG LAKE and CENTRAL MINNESOTA---Shipments 13-15-17--

-Movement expected to decrease due to holiday shortened shipping schedules. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA DISTRICT---Shipments 4-2-4--Movement expected to decrease due to holiday shortened shipping schedules. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. \*revised.

NEW BRUNSWICK, CANADA (CROSSINGS THROUGH MAINE POINTS) ---Shipments fairly light----Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading fairly slow. Prices unchanged. Russet
Norkotah US One/CD One size A baled 10-5 pound film bags mostly
6.75-7.50, tote bags approx. 2000 pounds per cwt. 8.75-9.50.

According to data obtained from Potatoes New Brunswick, shipments to the U.S. from start of the 2014 season through November totaled
163,485 cwt., down 48% (341,614 cwt.) from the same time period

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one year earlier.

**MICHIGAN**---Shipments to Chippers 328-340\*-331---Movement expected to decrease due to holiday plant schedules. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market. According to the December Potato Stocks report released by NASS, Michigan's holdings of 9.4 million cwt. is 60% of 2014 production (15.7 million cwt.) with 85% of the holdings Round White varieties. \*revised.

**WISCONSIN**---Shipments to Chippers 163-172\*-174---Movement expected to remain about the same. Too few open market sales to establish a market. \*revised.

MINNESOTA-NORTH DAKOTA (RED RIVER VALLEY) --Shipments to Chippers 90-81-113---Movement expected to remain about the same. Too few open market sales to establish a market.
WESTERN AND CENTRAL NEW YORK---Shipments to
Chippers 54-64-61--- Movement expected to decrease due to holiday plant schedules. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market. According to the December

Potato Stocks report released by NASS, New York's holdings of 2.0 million cwt. are 44% of production (4.5 million cwt.) with 85% Round White varieties.

**AROOSTOOK COUNTY, MAINE**---Shipments to Chippers 52-64\*-58---Movement expected to decrease due to holiday plant schedules. Movement on pre- season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market. According to the December Potato Stocks report released by NASS, Maine?s holdings of 11.6 million cwt. are 75% of production (15.4 million cwt.) with 56% Russet varieties, Round Whites 28%, Yellow varieties 6% and Round Red and Long White varieties each 5%. \*revised.

**PENNSYLVANIA**---Shipments to Chippers 17-22-16---Movement expected to decrease slightly due to holiday plant schedules. Most movement on pre- season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market.