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Unless otherwise stated, shipments, crossings or imports are for the weeks ending February 28, March 07, and March 14, 2015 in that order in thousand hundredweight (cwt) or 100,000 pound units. Expected movement is for the period March 15-March 28, 2015. Prices are for Monday, March 16, 2015 compared to Monday, March 09, 2015. 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**---38-23\*-25---Imports via boat, very few air. Movement expected to decrease and more growers finish for the season. **PORT OF ENTRY MIAMI AREA**: Trading slow for fairly light supplies. Prices lower. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids medium-large mostly 10.00-12.00. Quality variable. \*revised

**CHILE**---26-29-19---Imports via boat. Movement expected to decrease as more growers finish for the season. **PORT OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA AREA**: Trading slow for fairly light supplies. Prices lower. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids medium-large mostly 10.00- 12.00. Quality variable.

**CHILE**---22-15-8---Imports via boat, very few air. Movement expected to decrease as more growers finish for the season. **PORT** OF **ENTRY LOS ANGELES AREA**: Trading slow for light supplies. Prices lower. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids medium-large 10.00-14.00. Quality variable

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH ARIZONA, CALIFORNIA & TEXAS DISTRICT--- Crossings 7-6-7---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading early fairly slow, late moderate. Prices unchanged. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids 16.00-18.00. Includes palletization and cooling. Wide range in quality. CENTRAL AND NORTH FLORIDA---0-0-0----Movement expected to increase as harvesting increases. Growers and shippers are excited to be underway but are just scratching the surface. Current supplies are very light and in too few hands to establish a market. Expect first FOB shipping point report within the period.

## **MISCELLANEOUS BERRIES**

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH ARIZONA, CALIFORNIA & TEXAS DISTRICT: Crossings 25-37-31---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading early fairly slow, late moderate. Prices higher. Flats 12 6- ounce cups with lids Blackberries 9.00-10.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in quality.

## **RASPBERRIES**

## **MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH ARIZONA, CALIFORNIA &**

**TEXAS DISTRICT**: Crossings 24-29-26---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices lower. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids 16.00- 18.00. Includes palletization and cooling. Wide range in quality.

**OXNARD, CALIFORNIA DISTRICT**---Shipments 16-14-13---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Flats 12 6-ounce cups with lids Red 18.00-20.00. Includes palletization and cooling. Wide range in quality.

## **STRAWBERRIES**

**OXNARD, CALIFORNIA DISTRICT**---Shipments 100-148-257---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading early fairly active, late slow. Prices lower. Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids medium-large 7.00; organic 10.00-12.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in quality.

**CENTRAL FLORIDA**---Shipments 244-189-171---TOO FEW NEW SALES TO ESTABLISH A MARKET.

**SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA DISTRICT**---Shipments 38-50-98---Movement expected to increase. Trading early fairly active, late slow. Prices lower. Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids mediumlarge 7.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in quality.

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

Crossings 30-47-53--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading early moderate, late slow. Prices lower. Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids medium- large 7.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in quality.

ORANGE COUNTY, SAN DIEGO AND COACHELLA CALIFORNIA DISTRICT--- Shipments 27-27-35---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading early fairly active, late slow. Prices lower. Flats 8 1-pound containers with lids mediumlarge 7.00; organic 10.00-12.00. Includes palletizing and cooling. Wide range in quality.

## SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA DISTRICT---

Shipments 2-7-18--- Movement expected to increase seasonally. Shipments are being reported out of the district, however supplies in too few hands to establish market. Additional shippers should begin to harvest and ship berries on or around March 25, 2015. Expect F.O.B. to begin on March 30, 2015. Currently, no F.O.B. being issued. **FIRST REPORT**.

## CITRUS FRUIT

## **CLEMENTINES**

**MOROCCO**---Imports 3-10-0---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. **PORTS OF ENTRY**: **PHILADELPHIA AREA AND NEW YORK CITY AREA**. Trading fairly active for light supplies. Prices higher. 5 pound containers 20s mostly 3.75, 24s mostly 3.75, 28-32s mostly 3.75 flat cartons 15 2-pound mesh bags 20-36 size mostly 23.00-25.00. 10 3-pound mesh bags 20-36 size mostly 24.50. Quality good.

## **GRAPEFRUIT**

**FLORIDA**---Shipments 232-169\*-123 (includes export 128-93-65) ---Prices not reported. \*revised.

**LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY, TEXAS**---Shipments 87-84-73---Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late fairly active. Prices Fancy 40-48s lower, others generally unchanged. 7/10 bushel cartons Marked Rio Star Fancy 27s mostly 14.35-17.95, 32s mostly 14.35-15.95, 36s mostly 12.35- 13.95, 40s 9.50-10.35, 48s 7.50-8.95, 56s mostly 6.95-7.95; Texas Choice 27s 10.10-11.95, 32s 9.95-10.95, 36s 9.10-9.95, 40s 7.95-8.95, 48s mostly 6.95-8.10, 56s mostly 6.10-7.11.

## **LEMONS**

## CENTRAL & SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND ARIZONA---

Shipments Fairly Heavy--- Movement expected about the same. Trading Shippers First Grade and Choice 75-140s and Standard 75-95s fairly active at slightly lower prices, others fairly active. Prices Shippers First Grade and Choice 75-140s and Standard 75-95s slightly lower, Choice 200s slightly higher, others generally unchanged. 7/10 bushel carton Shippers First Grade 75s 24.80- 26.90, 95s 25.80-28.90, 115s 30.80-32.90, 140s mostly 36.80-38.90, 165s mostly 28.80-30.90, 200s mostly 25.80-27.90, 235s mostly 24.80-25.90; Shippers Choice 75-95s 19.80-20.90, 115s 22.80-24.90, 140s mostly 25.80- 26.90, 165s mostly 26.80-28.90, 200s mostly 22.80-24.90, 235s mostly 20.80-22.90; Unclassified (Standard) 75s 18.80-19.90, 95-115s 18.80-20.90, 140s mostly 21.80-23.90, 165s mostly 21.80-22.90, 200s 18.80-20.90. Quality generally good.

#### **LIMES**

## MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 127-

136-99---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Supplies light. Prices higher. 40 pound cartons 110s mostly 19.00-21.00, 150s mostly 24.00-27.00, 175s mostly 30.00-32.00, 200s mostly 32.00-35.00, 230s mostly 30.00-32.00, 250s mostly 24.00. Quality variable.

### **ORANGES**

## CENTRAL & SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND ARIZONA---

Shipments Moderate--- Movement expected about the same. Trading First Grade 72s and Choice 48-72s active at slightly lower prices, others active. Prices First Grade 72s and Choice 48-72s slightly lower, others generally unchanged. 7/10 bushel cartons Navel Shippers First Grade 48-56s mostly 16.80-18.90, 72s mostly 15.80-16.90, 88s mostly 12.80-13.90, 113s mostly 10.80-11.90, 138s mostly 9.80-9.90; Shippers Choice 48-56s 11.80-13.90, 72-88s mostly 11.80-12.90, 113s mostly 9.80-10.90, 138s 7.80-9.90. Quality generally good.

**FLORIDA**---Shipments 69-68\*-89 (includes export 2-2-2) ---Prices not reported. \*revised.

**LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY, TEXAS**---Shipments 30-32-27---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly active. Prices generally unchanged. 7/10 bushel cartons Valencia U.S. Combination 56-64s 13.95-14.98, 72-88s 14.35-15.98.

## **TANGELOS**

**CENTRAL & SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND ARIZONA--- MINNEOLA TANGELOS---** Shipments Moderate---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices Shippers First Grade 56-80s, Choice 56-100s slightly lower, First Grade and Choice 125-150s slightly higher, others generally unchanged. Unofficial prices 7/10 and 4/5 bushel cartons Shippers First Grade 56-80s mostly 17.50-18.50; 100s mostly 15.50-16.50; 125s mostly 13.00-15.00; 150s mostly 13.00-14.50. Shippers Choice 56-80s mostly 13.00-14.00; 100- 125s mostly 12.50-13.50; 150s mostly 12.00-13.50. Prices from industry sources. No F.O.B. report currently issued

**FLORIDA**---Shipments 0-0-0 (includes export 0-0-0) ---Prices not reported. **LAST REPORT**.

## **TANGERINES**

**FLORIDA**---Shipments 33-29-38 (includes export 1-0-0) ---Prices not reported.

## MELONS

## **CANTALOUPES**

CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---Imports 239-191\*-145---

Imports via boat from Guatemala. Movement expected to remain about the same. **PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA**. Supply

fairly light. Trading fairly active. Prices 9s and over sized 9s slightly higher, 12-15 fairly active at lower prices. 1/2 Cartons 9s mostly 14.95, 12s mostly 13.95-14.95, 15s mostly 12.95-13.95. 1/2 Cartons oversized 9s (6 size) mostly 14.95. **PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**. Supply very light. Trading active. 1/2 Cartons 9s supplies in too few hands to quote, 1/2 Cartons oversized 9s (6 size) supplies in too few hands to quote. Quality good. \*revised.

## **HONEYDEWS**

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---**Imports 55\*-96\*-46---Imports via boat from Guatemala. Movement expected to increase slightly. **PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA**. Trading moderate. Prices oversized lower, others generally unchanged. 2/3 cartons 5-8s mostly 9.95-10.95, oversized 2/3 Cartons 5s (4 size) 9.95-10.95. Quality good. **PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**. Supplies very light. Trading active. Prices 5-6s supplies in too few hands to quote. 2/3 cartons 5s supplies in too few hands to quote. 2/3 cartons 5s supplies in too few hands to quote. \*\*Tevised\*.

## **WATERMELONS**

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 105-137-101---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Supplies light. Prices higher. Cartons per pound Red Flesh Seedless type 4-5s mostly .28-.30, 6s .28- .30. Quality variable.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA--Crossings Seedless 68-70- 55---Movement expected to increase.

Trading active. Prices higher. Red Flesh Seedless type cartons per pound 4s and 5s .28-.30. Quality and condition variable.

FLORIDA---Light harvest expected to start within 21 days. Expect sufficient volume and number of shippers for first F.O.B. report April 10th. FIRST REPORT.

## **NON-CITRUS FRUIT**

#### APPLES

YAKIMA VALLEY AND WENATCHEE DISTRICT **WASHINGTON**---2014 CROP Shipments 1,408-1,376-1,413 (Includes Exports 447-458-50) --- Movement expected about the same. Trading active. Prices Red and Golden Delicious 72-113s slightly lower, Fuji slightly higher, others generally unchanged. Washington Extra Fancy carton tray pack Red Delicious 72-113s 11.00- 13.00, 125s 13.00-15.00; Golden Delicious 72-113s 13.00-14.00, 125s 13.00-15.00; Fuji 64s mostly 18.00-20.00, 72-88s mostly 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; Washington Extra Fancy carton tray pack fine appearance Red Delicious 72-113s mostly 14.00-16.00; 125s 15.00-17.00; Golden Delicious 72-113s mostly 14.00-16.00, 125s mostly 15.00-17.00; Fuji 64s mostly 22.00-24.00, 72-88s mostly 24.00,100s 18.00-20.00; Granny Smith 72-88s mostly 20.00-22.00, 100s 20.00-22.00, 113-125s 18.00-20.00; Gala 72-88s mostly 20.00, 100-113s 18.00-20.00. Weather forecast calls for highs in the 60Fs, lows 35-40F. Little or no precipitation is expected. Exports to (listed by volume in descending order): Mexico, India, Canada, United Arab Emirates, Taiwan, Hong Kong, China, Thailand, Saudi Arabia, Vietnam, Dominican Republic, Kuwait, El Salvador, United Kingdom, Jordan, Costa Rica, Guatemala, Malaysia, Philippines, Indonesia, Peru, Colombia, Honduras, Panama, Israel, Morocco, Egypt, Cambodia, Bahrain, Ecuador, Mayotte, Uganda, Nicaragua, Cape Verde, Qatar, and Cameroon. **NEW YORK**---Shipments 87-89-86---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices Fuji cartons 12 3-pound

film bags slightly lower, others generally unchanged. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy 12 3-pound film bags 2 1/2 inch minimum Red Delicious mostly 17.00, Golden Delicious and Empire mostly 17.00-18.00, McIntosh mostly 17.00-18.00, Gala mostly 21.00-22.00, Rome mostly 16.50-17.00, Fuji mostly 18.00-20.00. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy tray pack Golden Delicious 80s-88s 22.00; McIntosh 80s-88s 21.00-23.00; Gala 80s-88s mostly 26.00; Empire 80s-88s mostly 21.00-23.00; Cortland 72s-88s 19.00-22.00. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy cell pack McIntosh 80s-88s 21.00-23.00; Empire 80s-88s mostly 21.00-23.00.

**MICHIGAN**---Shipments 73-73-69---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. Cartons 12 3-lb film bags U.S. Extra Fancy 2-1/2 inch minimum Gala mostly 22.00-24.00, Fuji mostly 20.00-22.00, Red Delicious and Law Rome mostly 14.00-16.00, Jonathan and Empire mostly 15.00-17.00, Golden Delicious, McIntosh and Jonagold mostly 16.00-18.00, Idared 15.00-18.00. Cartons tray pack U.S. Extra Fancy Gala 88s mostly 24.00-26.00, Red Delicious 80s-88s mostly 12.00-14.00, Golden Delicious and Jonagold 80-88s mostly 16.00-18.00, Jonathan 88s 20.00-24.00, McIntosh 88s mostly 24.00-26.00, Empire and Fuji 88s mostly 22.00-24.00. Supplies of Fuji and Golden Delicious light, Gala fairly light. APPALACHIAN DISTRICT (MD-PA-VA-WV) --- Shipments 29-24-30---Export 2-0-3---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices Red Delicious and Golden Delicious lower, others about unchanged. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy Red Delicious 72s-88s \$18.00-20.00, 100s- 125s \$18.00-19.00; Golden Delicious 72s-88s mostly \$20.00-21.00; 100s mostly \$19.00-20.00; Fuji 72s-88s \$25.00-26.00; cartons 12 3-pound film bags U.S. Extra Fancy 2 1/2 inch minimum Red Delicious \$16.75-18.00; Golden Delicious mostly \$18.00-19.00; Fuji \$20.00-21.00, Red Rome \$18.00-19.00, Empire \$20.00, and Jonagold \$20.00. Export to El Salvador, India, Israel, and South Africa.

**NEW ENGLAND**---Shipments 7-5-5---Movement expected to remain about the same. Unofficial prices for Monday, March 09, 2015, 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 mostly 26.00.

**CHILE**---Imports 0-6-11---Imports via boat. Movement expected to increase. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILDELPHIA AREA Trading fairly active. carton tray pack. Royal Gala 70s 23.00-25.00, 80s 23.00-25.00, 90s 22.00-24.00, 100s 22.00-24.00. Quality good. **FIRST REPORT. PORT OF ENTRY: LOS ANGELES AREA**. Trading fairly active. Carton tray Royal Gala marked exfcy 70s 28.00-30.00, 80s 28.00-30.00, 90s 28.00-30.00. Quality Good. FIRST REPORT.

#### **AVOCADOS**

## MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS DISTRICT---

Crossings 331-309-255--- Movement expected to decrease. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons 2 layer Hass 32s mostly 36.25, 36s mostly 38.25, 40s mostly 38.25, 48s mostly 38.25, 60s mostly 28.25, 70s mostly 24.25-26.25, 84s mostly 15.25. Extra services included.

**SOUTH DISTRICT CALIFORNIA**---Shipments 50-61-\*\*---Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices60s, 70s and 84s lower, others generally unchanged. Cartons 2 layer Hass 32s mostly 38.25-39.25, 36s mostly 38.25-39.25, 40s mostly 38.25-39.25, 48s mostly 38.25-39.25, 60s 29.25-32.25, 70s mostly 25.25-26.25, 84s 15.25-17.25. Extra services included. \*\*Unavailable **CHILE**---Imports 4-4-2---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. Shipment volume continues to be directed to

## **FRUIT OTHER**

**CHILE**---Imports 0-0-0---Imports via boat. First arrivals in volume expected late March.

other countries. PORT OF ENTRY: LOS ANGELES AREA.

Supplies insufficient to establish a market.

CHILE---Imports 306-524-551---Imports via boat. Movement expected about the same. PORT OF ENTRY: LOS ANGELES AREA. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. 18 pound containers bagged Thompson Seedless and Sugraone extra large mostly 20.00- 22.00, large 16.00-18.00, medium mostly 14.00. Black Seedless extra large 22.00- 24.00, large 20.00-22.00, medium 16.00-18.00. Crimson Seedless Extra Large 26.00 large 22.00-24.00, Medium larger 22.00-24.00. Quality good. PORT OR ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading moderate. Prices lower. 18 pound containers bagged Thompson Seedless and Sugraone extra large 18.00-20.00, large 14.00-16.00, medium 10.00-14.00, Black Seedless extra large 20.00-22.00, large 16.00, medium mostly 14.00; Red Globe extra large mostly 20.00, large mostly 16.00, medium mostly 14.00, Crimson Seedless extra large 20.00-22.00 large mostly 16.00-18.00, medium mostly 14.00. Quality good.

**PERU**---Imports 28-22-15---Imports via boat. Movement expected to decline. Too few sales to establish a market. **LAST REPORT**.

#### **KIWIFRUIT**

ITALY---Imports 27-22-35---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA AREA AND NEW YORK CITY AREA. Trading moderate. Prices lower. 9 kilogram (19.8 pound) containers loose Hayward 23-25 size mostly 16.00, 27-45 size mostly 16.00. Quality good. .

**CHILE**---Imports 0-0-0---Imports via boat. Expect sufficient volume and number of importers to establish a market by end of Week March 30.

#### **MANGOES**

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 62-64\*-48---Movement expected about the same. Trading Tommy Atkins fairly slow, Ataulfo slow. Prices Ataulfo 18-22s and Tommy Atkins lower, others generally unchanged. Flats 1 layer Tommy Atkins 7s mostly 6.00, 8-9s mostly 5.50-6.00, 10s mostly 5.00-6.00, 12s mostly 5.00-5.50; Ataulfo 12s 6.00-7.00, 14s mostly 6.00- 6.50, 16s 5.50-6.00, 18s mostly 4.75-5.00, 20s mostly 4.50, 22s mostly 4.25-4.50. Quality and condition variable. \*revised

**PERU** ---Imports 9-34-37---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORTS OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading fairly slow. Prices lower. Flat one layer Kent 7s-12s mostly 4.50.

## MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 27-28-30--- Movement expected to increase. Trading 20s moderate, others slow. Prices 12s lower, others generally unchanged. 1 layer cartons Ataulfo 12s mostly 6.00-6.50, 14s mostly 5.50-6.00, 16s mostly 5.00-5.50, 18-20s mostly 4.50-5.00. Quality variable. Many present shipments from prior bookings and/or previous commitments. Crossings also include light volumes of Haden and Tommy Atkins varieties.

**PERU**--- Imports 27-15\*-6---Imports via boat. **PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA**. Trading fairly slow. Prices lower. Movement expected to remain about the same. Flat one layer Kent 7s-12s mostly 4.00-4.50. **PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**. Trading moderate. Prices slightly lower. Flat one layer Kent 7s-12s mostly 6.00. Quality generally good. \*revised.

### **NECTARINES**

**CHILE**---Imports 27-49-39---Imports via air and boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORT OF ENTRY: LOS ANGELES AREA. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons and lugs 2 layer tray pack Various Yellow Flesh Varieties 30-40s 14.00, 42s mostly 14.00, 48-52s 12.00-14.00, 56s 10.00-12.00; 9 kilogram containers loose Various Yellow Flesh Varieties 60 size 10.00-12.00. Quality good.

**PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA**. Trading moderate. Prices Slightly higher. Cartons and lugs 2 layer tray pack Various Yellow Flesh Varieties 40-42s mostly 14.00, 48-56s 12.00-14.00, 60-

66s 10.00 12.00, 9 kilogram containers loose Various Yellow Flesh Varieties 60 size 12.00, Quality good.

## **PAPAYAS**

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 36-35-23---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices lower. 35-40 pound cartons Maradol type mostly 16.00-17.00. Quality and condition variable.

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---**Imports 13-16\*-13---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. Belize and Guatemala. **PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA**. Trading Moderate. Prices 8s slightly higher, others generally unchanged. Cartons 30-35 pounds Tainung Type 8-14s mostly 13.00- 14.00. Quality generally good. \*revised.

**BRAZIL**---Imports 1-2\*-1---Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. **PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA**. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons 3.5 kilogram Solo Type (Golden) 7s-12s mostly 10.50-11.00. Quality good. \*revised.

#### **PEACHES**

**CHILE**---Imports 28-16-8---Imports via air and boat. Movement expected to decrease.**PORT OF ENTRY**: **LOS ANGELES AREA**. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Cartons and lugs 2 layer tray pack Various Yellow Flesh Varieties 30-42s 18.00-20.00, 48-52s mostly 16.00, 56s 12.00; 9 kilogram containers loose Various Yellow Flesh Varieties 60 sz 12.00. Quality good.

**PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA.** Trading slow. Too few supplies to establish a market. **LAST REPORT**.

#### **PEARS**

ARGENTINA---Imports 0-99-133--Imports via boat. Movement expected to increase. PORT OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA. Trading moderate. prices generally unchanged. 18 kilogram containers wrapped, Summer Bartlett. 70 size Mostly 30.00-31.00, 80 size 31.00-33.00 90 size 28.00-30.00, 100 size 25.00-27.00, 110 size 23.00-25.00. Quality good. PORT OF ENTRY LOS ANGELES: Trading moderate. 18 kilogram containers wrapped Summer Bartlett 70-80 size 36.00-38.00 90 size 34.00-36.00. Quality good. FIRST REPORT.

## YAKIMA VALLEY AND WENATCHEE DISTRICT WASHINGTON--2014 Crop Shipments 135-147-124 (Includes

Exports 38-58-41) --- Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly active. Prices generally unchanged. 4/5 bushel cartons wrapped U.S. One D?Anjou 70-90s mostly 22.00-24.00, 100s 22.00- 24.00, 110-135s mostly 22.00, 150s 20.00-22.00; 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 26.00-28.00, 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, United Arab Emirates, Guatemala, Hong Kong, Saudi Arabia, Micronesia, El Salvador, Honduras, and Cambodia.

**CHILE**---Imports 66-22-13----Imports via boat. Movement expected to decrease. **PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA**. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 18 kilogram containers wrapped Summer Bartlett 80 size 30.00-32.00, 90-100 size 24.00-26.00, 110 size 22.00-24.00, 120 size 20.00-22.00, 135 size 18.00-20.00. Quality good.

## **PINEAPPLES**

CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS---Imports 425\*-410\*-271--- Imports via boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. Primarily Costa Rica and Ecuador. PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons one-layer Golden Ripe 5s-7s mostly 11.00, 8s 10.00-11.00. PORTS OF ENTRY PHILADELPHIA. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons one-layer Golden Ripe 5s-7s mostly 11.00, 8s

mostly 10.00. **PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**. Supply light. Trading moderate. Cartons one-layer Golden Ripe 5-8s supplies in too few hands to quote. Quality good. \*revised. **MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 22-27\*-23---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices 8s generally unchanged, others higher. Cartons 1 layer 5s mostly 8.50-9.00, 6-7s mostly 9.00- 10.00, 8s mostly 8.00-8.50. Quality generally good. \*revised

#### **PLUMS AND PRUNES**

CHILE---Imports 66-48-35---Imports via air and boat. Movement expected to remain about the same. PORT OF ENTRY: LOS ANGELES AREA. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons and lugs 2 layer tray pack Angeleno 40S 20.00, 50 18.00, Larry Anne 40s 14.00-16.00, 50s 12.00-14.00. Quality good. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Cartons and lugs 2 layer tray pack Autumn pride 40s 18.00 48s 16.00; Larry Anne 40s 14.00 50s 10.00-12.00, 60s 10.00. Quality good.

## **VEGETABLES**

#### **ARTICHOKES**

**CENTRAL DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA\*---**Shipments CA 4-1-9---Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading active for light supplies. Prices higher. Cartons Globe Thorned green 18s 23.61-24.55, 24s-30s mostly 23.61-24.55, 36s 20.55-21.61. Quality variable. \*revised

#### **ASPARAGUS**

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH CALEXICO, CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS ARIZONA- --Crossings 129-108-100---Movement expected to decrease. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Pyramid cartons/crates 28 pound bunched green large mostly 36.75, standard mostly 36.75, small mostly 22.75; cartons/crates 11 pound bunched green large mostly 15.75-16.75, standard mostly 15.75-16.75, small 8.75-10.75. Extra services included.

STOCKTON DELTA DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 0-7-5--- Movement expected to increase. Light shipments have been reported in the district however supplies insufficient to quote. Expected F.O.B. to begin on or around March 19, 2015.

SALINAS VALLEY DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 0-0-2--- Movement expected to increase. Light shipments have been reported in the district however supplies insufficient to quote. Expected F.O.B. to begin on or around March 19, 2015.

#### **BEANS**

CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA---Shipments 64-56-67--Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading active. Prices
Machine Picked much higher. Includes palletizing and precooling.
Bushel cartons/crates. Round green type Machine Picked mostly
20.35-22.35. Handpicked mostly 22.35. Quality generally good.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA--Crossings 28-20-16--- Movement expected to decrease seasonally.
Trading early fairly active, late active. Prices much higher. 30 pound
cartons Round Green type Handpicked mostly 22.95-24.95. Quality
variable.

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS**---Imports 10-10-10---Imports via boat from Guatemala. Movement remain about the same. **PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA**. Trading moderate. Prices slightly higher. 5 pounds cartons Haricot Vert (French Type) mostly 7.00 Quality variable.

#### **BEETS**

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA--- Crossings 4-5-6---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Cartons bunched Red type 12s mostly 11.55-12.61. Quality generally good.

### **BROCCOLI**

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 90-125\*-97---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices slightly higher. 20 pound cartons loose Crown Cut mostly 11.00-12.00. Quality and condition variable. \*revised.

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 94-85-67--- SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected to increase seasonally above the 37 units shipped last week. Trading bunched fairly active, Crown Cut active. Supplies light. Prices bunched generally unchanged, Crown Cut higher. Cartons bunched 14s mostly 12.45-13.65, 18s mostly 12.95-14.15, 20 pound loose Crown Cut mostly 16.95-18.50. Quality generally good.

**SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to increase above the 21 units shipped last week. Trading early active, late moderate. Supplies light. Prices higher. Cartons bunched 14s mostly 12.00-14.85, 18s mostly 12.50-15.35, 20 pound loose Crown Cut mostly 16.75-18.85. Quality generally good.

IMPERIAL, COACHELLA AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected to decrease below the 8 units shipped last week as most shippers are finished for the season. Supplies insufficient to establish a market. Quality variable. Lighter shipments expected to continue through March 21. LAST REPORT. CENTRAL SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---Harvest

began the week of March 1 with supplies in very few hands. Quality generally good. Additional shippers are expected to begin the week of March 15. However, no F.O.B. report is expected to be issued due to supplies in too few hands to establish a market. Unofficial prices expected to be issued on the National Trend Review on March 25.

**CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA---**Shipments 47-33-20---Movement expected to decrease seasonally as many shippers are finished for the season. Trading bunched fairly active, Crown Cut active. Supplies light. Prices bunched generally unchanged, Crown Cut higher. Cartons bunched 14s mostly 11.50-13.65, 20 pound loose Crown Cut mostly 18.00-19.61. Quality variable.

## **BRUSSELS SPROUTS**

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA--- Crossings MX 37-32-34---

Crossings expected about the same. Trading early fairly slow, late moderate. Prices lower. 25 pound cartons medium mostly 20.00-22.95. Quality variable.

### **CABBAGE**

ALL FLORIDA DISTRICTS---Shipments 120-162-213---

Movement expected to decrease. Trading moderate. Prices Round Green slightly lower, others lower. Includes palletizing and cooling. 1 3/4 bushel crate and 50 pound cartons Round Green type mostly 8.00, Red type medium mostly 12.00. 1 3/4 bushel cartons Savoy type medium 12.00. Quality good.

IMPERIAL, COACHELLA AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA, CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Shipments AZ 58-53-44, CA 3-6-10, Crossings 4-1-3--- Movement expected to decrease. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices lower. 50 pound cartons 18-24s Round Green type mostly 7.50-10.00, Red type mostly 15.00-16.00. Quality generally good.

## SAN ANTONIO-WINTERGARDEN DISTRICT, TEXAS---

Shipments 22-35-40--- Movement expected to increase. Trading early fairly active, late fairly slow. Prices Red slightly higher, Green cartons and sacks generally unchanged. 1 3/4 bushel crates and 50 pound cartons medium Round Green type 7.25-8.00, Red type 12.00,

50 pound sacks Round Green type 5.00- 6.00. Quality generally good

**ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS**---Shipments 19-26-38---**OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to decrease slightly below the 19 units shipped last week. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices lower. 50 and 45 pound cartons 18-24s Round Green type mostly 10.75-10.95, Red type 13.75-16.95. Quality generally good.

**CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to increase seasonally above the 9 units shipped last week but remain light as more shippers begin harvest. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. Quality generally good.

**LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY, TEXAS**---Shipments 76-89-31---Movement expected to increase. Trading early very active, late fairly slow. Prices Green cartons and sacks slightly lower, Red cartons slightly higher. 1 3/4 bushel crates and 50 pound cartons medium Round Green type mostly 8.50-9.00, Red type 12.00-13.50. 50 pound sacks Green type large 6.00. Quality generally good.

**WESTERN AND CENTRAL NEW YORK**---Shipments 29-33-27---Movement expected to decrease as more growers finish for the season. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 50 pound sacks large 5.50-6.00, bulk large per pound .11-.13. Quality good.

## **CARROTS**

**KERN DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA**---Shipments 125-137-137---Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices jumbo generally unchanged, others lower. 48 1-pound film bags in sacks medium- large 13.00-15.40, 50 pound sacks loose jumbo mostly 18.00-18.40, 25 pound sacks loose jumbo mostly 9.00-9.20. 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 38-42-29---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. 50 pound sacks loose jumbo mostly 8.00. Quality variable.

**GEORGIA**---Shipments 2-4-13---Movement expected to increase as more shippers harvest and weather conditions improve. Trading moderate. Prices lower. Sacks 48 1-pound film bags 13.50-15.00, 24 two-pound film bags 13.50-15.00, 10 five- pound film bags 13.50-15.00, 50-pound sacks loose jumbo 9.00-10.00.

### **CAULIFLOWER**

**ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS**---Shipments 60-41-50--- **SALINAS-WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to increase seasonally above the 26 units shipped last week. Trading very active for light supplies. Prices higher. Cartons film wrapped White 12s mostly 28.25-29.61, 9s mostly 28.25-29.55, 16s mostly 26.65-28.25. Quality generally good.

WESTERN ARIZONA---Shipments 41-44-29---Movement expected to decrease sharply as most shippers are finished for the season. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. Lighter shipments expected to continue through March 28. LAST REPORT. SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA----Movement expected to increase slightly above the 13 units shipped last week. Trading early active, late moderate. Supplies light. Prices higher. Cartons film wrapped White 12s mostly 25.00-28.85, 16s 25.00-27.50. Quality generally good.

## IMPERIAL AND COACHELLA VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA---

Movement expected to decrease below the 11 units shipped last week as most shippers are finished for the season. Trading early very active, late active. Supplies very light. Prices higher. Cartons film wrapped White 12s mostly 26.50-28.50. Quality generally good.

## **CELERY**

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 168-183-180---OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected to increase slightly above the 144 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices Hearts higher, 4 dozen lower, others generally unchanged. Cartons 2 dozen mostly 7.85-9.11, 2 1/2 dozen mostly 7.75-9.50, 3 dozen mostly 8.25-10.11, 4 dozen (supplies light) 8.75-10.85; Hearts film bags 18s mostly 17.50-18.56. Quality generally good.

## COACHELLA VALLEY AND WESTERN ARIZONA---

Shipments AZ 79-79-48, CA 24-27- 25---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading early active, late moderate. Prices 3 dozen slightly higher, Hearts higher, others generally unchanged. Cartons 2 and 2 1/2 dozen mostly 7.05-8.50, 3 dozen (light supplies) mostly 8.25-9.50; Hearts film bags 18s mostly 16.45-18.00. Quality generally good.

IMPERIAL VALLEY CALIFORNIA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS ARIZONA---Crossings MX 33-31-30, Shipments CA 4-4-2---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading moderate. Prices slightly lower. Cartons 2-2 1/2 dozen 7.00-9.00. Quality generally good.

**SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 62-54-67---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Includes palletizing and precooling. Cartons 2 1/2 dozen mostly 8.95-9.95. 3 dozen 7.95-9.95. Quality 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 10-10-6, CA 2-2-2,

Crossings MX 9-7-10--- Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Nappa 30 pound cartons 9.25-12.95. Quality generally good.

CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 5-5-7---

Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading early moderate, late active. Prices higher. Nappa WGA crates 12.95-16.95, 30 pound cartons 10.45-12.95. Quality generally good.

## **CORN-SWEET**

ALL FLORIDA DISTRICTS---Shipments 110-100-144---

Movement expected to decrease. Trading moderate. Prices lower. Includes palletizing and precooling. Wire bound crates 4-4 1/2 dozen Yellow 10.95, White 14.95 Bi- Color 10.95. Quality generally good. **MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA**---

Crossings 41-32-46--- Movement expected to decrease. Trading early slow, late fairly slow. Prices lower. Cartons 4-4 1/2 dozen White mostly 14.95, Yellow mostly 12.95-14.95. Quality and condition variable.

## **CUCUMBERS**

## MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 331-216-223 (Field Grown 268-174-189, Greenhouse 63-42-34)---Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices higher. 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium mostly 16.95, fair quality mostly 14.95, ordinary quality 8.95-10.95; small 9.95-10.95, large 12.95. Cartons 24s 5.95-6.95, 36s mostly 7.95- 9.95. Quality and condition variable

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS**---Imports 49-52\*-25---Imports via boat from Honduras. Movement expected to decrease as more shippers finish for the season.

**PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA**. Supplies in too few hands to quote. Quality good. \*revised.

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 0-3-9---Expect sufficient volume and number of shippers to resume report within 7-14 days.

## **EGGPLANT**

## MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 55-46-37--- Movement expected to decrease. Trading early slow, late very slow. Prices lower. 1 bushel, 1 1/9 bushel and 1 1/6 bushel cartons wrapped 18s and 24s mostly 6.95-8.95; fair quality 18s and 24s mostly 4.95-5.95. Quality and condition variable.

CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA---Shipments 9-9-9--Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading medium active at slightly lower prices, fair quality fairly slow. Prices medium

Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading medium active at slightly lower prices, fair quality fairly slow. Prices medium slightly lower, fair quality unchanged. Includes palletizing and precooling. 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium wrapped mostly 14.35-14.85, fair quality mostly 6.35-8.35. Quality generally good.

## **ENDIVE-ESCAROLE**

**SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 8-7-8--- (Endive 3-3-3); Escarole 5-4-5) --- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Precooling included. Endive 1 1/9 bushel cartons/crates 18s include some 14 and 16 count packs 8.95-9.95. Carton 24s 10.95-11.95. Escarole 1 1/9 bushel cartons/crates include some 14 and 16 count packs 10.95-11.95. Cartons 24s 12.95-13.95. 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 3-3-3, CA 1-1-0\*,

Crossings Very Light--- Movement expected about the same. Trading Endive fairly slow, Escarole moderate. Prices Endive slightly lower, Escarole slightly higher. Cartons 24s Endive mostly 10.45-11.00, Escarole mostly 14.45-14.61. Quality generally good. \*less than 50,000 pounds.

#### **GREENS**

IMPERIAL, COACHELLA AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA, CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Shipments AZ 58-54-57, CA 2-2-1,

Crossings MX 11-11-11--- Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons bunched 24s Kale mostly 8.45-9.65. Quality generally good.

**SOUTH GEORGIA**---Shipments 15-18-20---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons bunched Collard 24s mostly 8.00-9.00, Kale 24s mostly 8.50-9.00, Mustard Curly 24s mostly 8.50-9.00, Mustard Flat 24s mostly 8.50-9.00 and Turnip Tops 24s mostly 8.50-9.00.

**LEXINGTON DISTRICT SOUTH CAROLINA**---Shipments 14-15-15---Movement expected to remain the same. Trading moderate. Prices Tuesday, March 17, 2015 compared to Tuesday, March 10, 2015 unchanged. Cartons bunched Kale 24s 11.00-11.35. Cartons loose Turnip Tops 11.00-11.35 and Mustards 11.00-11.35. Various containers bunched Collard 6s 11.00-11.35. Various containers loose Collard 6s 11.35. Quality good.

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 4-5-5--OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected about
the same as the 2 units shipped last week. Trading fairly slow. Prices
lower. Cartons bunched 24s Kale 7.75-7.95. Quality generally good.
CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected to
increase seasonally above the 1 unit shipped last week but remain
light as more shippers begin harvest. Supplies insufficient to establish
a market. Quality generally good.

**EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA**---Shipments 0-0-0---Movement expected to remain light as most growers are experiencing a production gap. Prices various containers bunched/loose Collard, Kale, Mustard, Turnip Tops supplies insufficient and in too few hands to establish a market.

## LETTUCE, ICEBERG

**WESTERN ARIZONA---**Shipments 546-509-497---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading 24s fairly active, 30s moderate. Supplies fairly light. Prices 24s higher, 30s slightly lower. Cartons 24s film lined mostly 12.00-13.65, 24s filmwrapped mostly 13.00-14.65, 30s filmwrapped 7.85-10.50. Quality variable. Most present shipments from prior bookings and/or previous commitments.

## ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 141-123-142--IMPERIAL AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA---

Movement expected to decrease seasonally below the 109 units shipped last week. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Supplies very light. Prices higher. Cartons film lined 24s mostly 8.50-10.00, filmwrapped mostly 9.50-11.00. Quality variable.

## CENTRAL SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---

Movement expected to increase seasonally above the 27 units shipped last week. Trading 24s fairly active, 30s moderate. Supplies light. Prices cartons 24s film lined mostly 12.45-13.61, 24s filmwrapped mostly 13.45-14.61, 30s filmwrapped mostly 10.50-12.45. Quality variable.

**SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA**—Movement expected to increase seasonally above the 6 units shipped last week, but remain light until the week of April 5 when all shippers expect to be underway. Quality generally good.

## **LETTUCE, ROMAINE**

**WESTERN ARIZONA---**Shipments 440-477-393---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading moderate. Prices 24s slightly lower, Hearts generally unchanged. Cartons 24s mostly 15.25-16.65; Hearts 12 3-count packages mostly 15.45-17.56, film lined 48s mostly 17.45-18.56. Quality variable.

## ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 91-88-103--IMPERIAL AND COACHELLA VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA---

Movement expected to decrease seasonally below the 69 units shipped last week. Trading early fairly slow, late moderate. Prices slightly lower. Cartons 24s mostly 12.75-14.95; Hearts cartons 12 3-count packages 14.75-16.50. Quality generally good.

**CENTRALSAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to increase seasonally above the 18 units shipped last week. Unofficial prices cartons 24s mostly 15.50-17.50; Hearts 12 3-count packages 17.61-18.50. Quality variable. Prices from trade sources. No F.O.B. report currently issued. The first F.O.B. report is expected to be issued the week of March 22.

**SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to increase seasonally above the 10 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices lower. Cartons 24s mostly 12.00-12.85; Hearts 12 3-count packages mostly 14.00- 16.50. Quality generally good.

**OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the 6 units shipped last week. Trading fairly slow. Prices lower. Cartons 24s 10.75-12.95. Quality variable.

## LETTUCE, OTHER

**WESTERN ARIZONA---**Shipments 77-81-76---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading moderate. Prices Red Leaf slightly higher, others generally unchanged. Cartons 24s Green Leaf mostly 6.45-7.56, Red Leaf mostly 6.00-7.56, Boston mostly 10.95-11.95. Quality variable.

## ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 18-15-19--IMPERIAL AND COACHELLA VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA---

Movement expected to decrease seasonally below the 10 units shipped last week as some shippers are finished for the season. Trading early fairly slow, late moderate. Supplies fairly light. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons 24s Green Leaf mostly 7.25-8.95, Red Leaf mostly 7.25-8.55. Quality generally good.

**OXNARD DISTRICT**, **CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the 3 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons 24s Green Leaf 7.75-8.95, Red Leaf 6.95-7.75. Quality variable.

**SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to increase seasonally above the 3 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Cartons Green Leaf and Red Leaf mostly 8.00-8.85. 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 12-12-8, Shipments AZ 3-2-2, CA 2-1-1--- Movement expected about the same. Trading

AZ 3-2-2, CA 2-1-1--- Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late active. Prices higher. Bok Choy WGA crates 13.95-16.00, 30 pound cartons mostly 9.25-9.95. Quality generally good.

**CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA**—Shipments 1-1-3—Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading early moderate, late fairly active. Prices higher. Bok Choy WGA crates 9.95-13.95, 30 pound cartons 6.95-8.95. Quality generally good.

#### **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 15-14-15, Shipments

AZ 31-32-31, CA 2-3-2--- Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late active. Prices higher. Cilantro cartons bunched 60s mostly 12.45-14.25, 30s mostly 8.50-10.00. Quality generally good.

**ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS**---Shipments 8-9-9---**OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected about the same as the 5 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Cilantro cartons bunched 60s mostly 8.75-10.95, 30s 5.75-7.95. Quality generally good.

**CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA**---Movement expected to increase seasonally above the 3 units shipped last week. Trading moderate. Prices 30s slightly lower, 60s generally unchanged. Cilantro cartons bunched 60s mostly 10.25, 30s mostly 6.00-6.45. Quality generally good.

LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY, TEXAS---Shipments 4-5-3---Movement of Cilantro expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Cilantro cartons bunched 60s mostly 12.85. Quality generally good. Most present shipments from prior bookings and/or previous commitments.

## **MISCELLANEOUS TROPICALS**

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS**---Imports 59\*-52\*-43--- Imports from Costa Rica and Nicaragua. Movement expected to remain about the same. Ports of Entry: South Florida. Trading moderate. Prices Yucca higher others lower. Calabaza 50 pound sacks mostly 11.00-11.50. Chayote 40 pound cartons mostly 18.00-19.00. Ginger Root 30 pound cartons few 34.00-35.00. Malanga 40 pound cartons Blanca (large) mostly 18.00-19.00, Lila (large) mostly 21.00-22.00. Taro 40 pound cartons Eddoes mostly 20.00. Yams (Name) 45 pound cartons Yellow mostly 32.00, 50 pound cartons White mostly 21.00-22.50. Yuca (Cassava) 40 pound cartons 15.50-16.00. Quality good. \*revised.

**CARIBBEAN IMPORTS**---Imports 2-7-3---Imports from the Dominican Republic. Movement expected to remain about the same. **PORTS OF ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA**. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. Coconut 65-70 pound sacks 40s mostly 21.00. Quality good.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---TOMATILLOS---Crossings 20-27-19--- Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. 1 1/9 bushel cartons/crates mostly 16.00-18.00. Quality and condition variable.

## MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

TOMATILLOS---Crossings 8- 10-10---Movement expected to increase. Trading early slow, late moderate. Prices higher. 40 pound containers per pound .40-.45. Quality and condition variable. MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---CHAYOTE---

Crossings 8-10-5---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. 40 pound cartons mostly 12.00. Quality variable.

#### **OKRA**

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS**---Imports 12-12\*-10---Imports via boat from Honduras and Guatemala. Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading active. Prices much higher. PORTS OF **ENTRY SOUTH FLORIDA**. 1/2 bushel cartons medium mostly 16.00. \*revised.

**SOUTH FLORIDA**---Expect sufficient volume and number of shippers for first F.O.B. report by week of April 5. FIRST REPORT.

#### ONIONS, GREEN

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

ARIZONA---Crossings MX 69-61\*-66, Shipments CA 0-0-1---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices Iceless generally unchanged, Leeks slightly lower, others lower. Cartons bunched 48s medium mostly 12.45-14.11, small mostly 9.50-10.45; ICELESS 2 film bags, 24 bunches per bag and 4 film bags, 12 bunches per bag mostly 13.45-14.65; Leeks 12s mostly 15.00-16.35. Quality variable. \*revised

**LEXINGTON DISTRICT SOUTH CAROLINA**---Shipments 2-2-1---Movement expected to remain the same. Trading moderate. Prices Tuesday, March 17, 2015 compared to Tuesday, March 10, 2015 unchanged. Cartons/crates bunched 48s 13.00-14.35. Quality

## **PARSLEY**

IMPERIAL, COACHELLA AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA, CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA AND **MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA** AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Crossings MX 8-7-6, Shipments AZ 6-7-6, CA 1-1-2--- Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices higher. Cartons bunched 60s Curly mostly 8.35-9.61, Plain mostly 8.45-9.45. Quality generally good.

OXNARD DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---Shipments 2-2-2---Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly slow, late moderate. Prices Plain higher, Curly generally unchanged. Cartons bunched 60s Curly 6.75-8.95, Plain 6.75-9.75. Quality generally good.

## PEAS, GREEN

**CENTRAL AMERICA IMPORTS**---Imports 16-17-16---Imports via boat and air from Guatemala. Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices Snow Peas lower, Sugar Snap Peas generally unchanged. 10 lb cartons Snow Peas 7.00-8.00, Sugar Snap peas 9.00-10.00. Quality generally good.

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

Crossings 235-164-241 (Field Grown 205-143-201, Greenhouse 30-21-40)---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate. Prices 15 pound cartons and fair quality Red lower, 11 pound cartons Red generally unchanged, others higher. 1 1/9 bushel cartons Green jumbo 14.95, extra large 14.95-16.95, large mostly 14.95, medium mostly 12.95; fair quality extra large mostly 10.95- 12.95, large mostly 10.95, medium mostly 9.95-10.95. Red 15 pound cartons extra large mostly 8.95, large 7.95-8.95. Red 1 1/9 bushel cartons irregular size fair quality mostly 8.95-10.95. GREENHOUSE 11 pound cartons Red extra large 12.95-14.95, large 10.95-12.95; Yellow extra large 14.95-16.95, large 12.95-14.95; Orange extra

large (supplies very light) 18.95, large 16.95. Quality variable. Many present shipments of Green from prior bookings and/or previous commitments.

CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA---Shipments 152-177-194---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices extra large slightly lower, others generally unchanged. Includes palletizing and precooling. 1 1/9 bushel cartons green jumbo and extra large mostly 8.35-8.95, large mostly 7.35-7.95, medium and irregular size fair quality mostly 6.35-6.95. Quality generally

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 57-49\*-42(Greenhouse 35-29\*-25, Field Grown 22-20\*-17) --- Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly active. (Supplies light). Prices Red and Yellow higher, Orange generally unchanged. GREENHOUSE 11 pound cartons jumbo and extra large Red mostly 12.85-14.95, Yellow mostly 13.85-15.95, Orange 14.85- 16.95. Quality variable. \*revised.

COACHELLA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA---Harvest expected to begin the week of March 15, with most shippers expecting to be fully underway the week of March 29. Quality expected to be generally good.

## PEPPERS, OTHER

## MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 45-44-57--- Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices Anaheim and Poblano higher, Jalapeno slightly lower, Serrano generally unchanged. 1 1/9 bushel carton per pound large Anaheim and Serrano .40-.45, Jalapeno .35-.40, Poblano mostly .35. Quality variable.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS---Crossings 64-56\*-43---Movement expected about the same. Trading Jalapeno and Serrano moderate, others fairly slow. Prices Anaheim generally unchanged, others higher. 1/9 bushel cartons/crates Anaheim mostly 14.00-16.00, Jalapeno mostly 17.00-18.00, Poblano mostly 10.00-11.00, Serrano mostly 16.00-18.00. Quality and size variable. \*revised.

## MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

MIXED MINI SWEET--- Crossings 15-28-28---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons 12 1-pound film bags Mixed Mini Sweet types mostly 10.00-10.95. Quality generally good. Most present shipments from prior bookings and/or previous commitments.

CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA---Shipments 5-6-5---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices Jalapeno 1 1/9 bushel cartons slightly higher, Jalapeno 1/2 bushel cartons and Cubanelles generally unchanged, others lower. Includes palletizing and precooling. 1/2 bushel cartons Hungarian Wax mostly 12.35, Jalapeno mostly 10.35-12.35. 1 1/9 bushel cartons Cubanelles mostly 14.35, Jalapeno mostly 20.35, Long Hot mostly 14.35-16.35, Poblano mostly 10.35-12.35. Quality generally good.

## **RADISHES**

## **OXNARD DISTRICT CALIFORNIA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND**

SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Crossings MX 13-15-13, Shipments CA 1-1-1---Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices slightly higher. Cartons Red bunched 24s mostly 7.45-8.00, 48s 9.45-11.00. Quality variable.

**SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 9-9-11---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Precooling included. Cartons topped Red 30-6-ounce film bags 5.95-6.45, 14 1-pound film bags red 6.45-6.95, 25 pound film bags 9.95-10.20, 40 pound film bags 14.85-15.35. Quality generally good.

## **RHUBARB**

**WASHINGTON COAST DISTRICT**---Shipments 1-0\*-0\*---Movement expected about the same. Trading moderate for light

supplies. Prices generally slightly lower. Including palletizing and

cooling, consolidation charges extra. Greenhouse grown 15 lb cartons Washington Extra Fancy mostly 38.00-49.00. Field grown rhubarb expected by early April. (\*Less than 50,000 lbs.).

## **SPINACH**

IMPERIAL, COACHELLA AND PALO VERDE VALLEYS, CALIFORNIA, CENTRAL AND WESTERN ARIZONA AND MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS, ARIZONA---Shipments AZ 66-95-77, CA 6-2-5,

Crossings MX 10-8-6--- Movement expected about the same. Trading active. Prices higher. Cartons bunched Flat 24s 16.95-18.55. Quality generally good.

ALL CALIFORNIA DISTRICTS---Shipments 9-6-9--- CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA---Movement expected to increase seasonally above the 3 units shipped last week. Trading early active, late fairly active. Prices higher. Cartons bunched Flat 24s 15.75-17.35. Quality generally good.

#### **SQUASH**

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 194-237-298---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices lower. Extra services included. 25 pound cartons loose Mature Greens 85% U.S. One or Better 5x6 size 9.95-11.95, 6x6 size 9.95-11.95, 6x7 size 9.95-11.95. Quality generally good.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---Crossings 93-135-160--- Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices Zucchini lower, Yellow Straightneck higher. 4/7 bushel cartons Zucchini small and small- medium mostly 12.95-14.95, medium mostly 10.95-12.95; Yellow Straightneck small and small-medium mostly 18.95, medium 16.95-18.95. 1 1/9 bushel cartons large Zucchini 10.95-12.95. Quality and condition variable.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA----Crossings 31-25-41--- Movement expected to increase as spring harvest begins in Sonora. Trading Butternut active. Spaghetti fairly

harvest begins in Sonora. Trading Butternut active, Spaghetti fairly active, Kabocha moderate, Acorn slow. Prices Acorn lower, others higher. 1 1/9 bushel cartons Acorn medium mostly 10.95-12.95, large mostly 12.95; Butternut medium mostly 20.95, large mostly 20.95-22.95; Kabocha medium 13.95-14.95, large mostly 14.95; Spaghetti medium mostly 18.95-20.95, large 20.95-22.95. Quality variable.

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 20-22-20---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading active. Prices much higher. Includes palletizing and precooling. 1/2 bushel cartons Zucchini small mostly 20.35, medium mostly 18.35, Yellow Straightneck small mostly 20.35, medium mostly 18.35. 3/4 bushel cartons Yellow Crookneck small mostly 20.35, medium mostly 18.35. Quality generally good.

## **SWEET POTATOES**

**EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA**---Shipments 130\*-142\*-129---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 13.00- 15.00, U.S. No. 2 8.00-10.00, No Grade Marks jumbo 9.00-10.00. \*revised.

## ATWATER, LIVINGSTON DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA---

Shipments \*20-19-24--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 40 Pound Cartons Orange Types U.S. No. One mostly 23.00- 25.00, No Grade Marks medium 12.00-14.00, Jumbo mostly 14.00-16.00; Red Types U.S number One 23.00-26.00, No Grade Marks medium 12.00- 14.00, jumbo mostly 14.00-16.00; White Types U.S. number One 30.00-31.00, No Grade Marks medium 12.00-14.00, jumbo 10.00-12.00; Japanese Types U.S. number One mostly 29.00-32.00, No Grade Marks Medium mostly 32.00-34.00, jumbo 15.00-18.00. ORGANIC Orange Types U.S. number One mostly 35.00-36.00; Red Types U.S. number One 35.00-38.00. Extra services included. \*Revised MISSISSIPPI---Shipments 16-22-21---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 40-pound cartons Orange Types U.S. Number One mostly 18.00-19.00,

U.S. Number Two mostly 11.00-12.00, No Grade Marks jumbo mostly 10.00-12.00. Mostly Beauregard variety.

**LOUISIANA**---Shipments 14-16-13---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices unchanged. 40-pound cartons Orange Types U.S. Number One 18.00-20.00, U.S. Number Two mostly 12.00, No Grade Marks jumbo 10.00-12.00. Mostly Beauregard variety and a few Evangeline.

#### **TOMATOES**

## MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---

Crossings 245-228-217 (Adapted Environment 189-188-173, Open Field 55-40-44, Controlled Environment 1-0-0) ---Movement expected to decrease. Trading moderate. Supplies 4x4-4x5s fairly heavy. Prices slightly higher. OPEN FIELD and ADAPTED ENVIRONMENT cartons/flats 2 layer Vine Ripes 4x4-4x5s mostly 9.95-10.95, 5x5-5x6s mostly 10.95. Quality and condition variable. **VARIOUS US SHIPPING POINTS**---Greenhouse 28-25-25 No prices reported.

## TOMATOES, CHERRY

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 12-15-16---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices lower. Extra services included. Flats 12 1-pint baskets with lids 5.95-7.95. Quality generally good.

## **TOMATOES, GRAPE TYPE**

CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA---Shipments 32-40-45---

Organic (2-2-2) --- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices Organic generally unchanged, others slightly lower. Includes palletizing and cooling. Flats 12 1-pint containers with lids 6.95-7.95. 20 pound cartons loose 11.95-13.95. Organic, flats 12 1-pint containers with lids 17.95- 18.95. Quality generally good.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA---Crossings 58-40-41 (Open Field 51-32-34, Adapted

**Environment 7-8-7)** ---Movement expected about the same. Trading early slow, late very slow. Prices generally unchanged. OPEN FIELD and ADAPTED ENVIRONMENT flats 12 1-pint containers with lids medium-large mostly 5.66-5.95, 20 pound cartons loose medium-large 9.35-10.95. Quality variable.

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

Crossings 177-149-160 (Adapted Environment 97-93-88, Open Field 80-56-72)---Movement expected about the same. Trading medium active, others very active. Prices much higher. OPEN FIELD and ADAPTED ENVIRONMENT 25 pound cartons loose Roma extra large and large mostly 18.95, medium mostly 16.95. Quality and condition variable. Most present shipments from prior bookings and/or previous commitments.

**CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA**---Shipments 47-59-62---Movement expected to increase. Trading very active. Prices much higher. Extra services included. 25 pound cartons loose Roma extralarge 20.95-21.95, large 19.95-20.95, medium 18.95-19.95. Quality generally good.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**---Crossings 65-56-50(Adapted Environment 50-43-38, Open Field 13-11-10, Controlled Environment 2-2-2)- --Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading moderate. Prices higher. ADAPTED ENVIRONMENT 25 pound cartons loose Roma extra large mostly 17.95-19.95, large mostly 16.95-18.95, medium mostly 15.95-17.95. Quality and condition variable. Harvest slowed due to rain on Saturday March 14.

## ONIONS, DRY

**UNITED STATES**---Shipments (including imports) 936\*-917\*-1001---The top shipping areas for the week, in order, were Idaho and Malheur County Oregon, Columbia Basin Washington,, Mexico, New York, and Michigan. In the Market News Service weekly survey

of over 21,000 individual stores, 16,331 retail stores had onions on ad (3-pound bag and per pound of Yellow, Sweet Yellow, White and Red onion) which is a 43 percent increase from last week's total of 11,373. \*revised.

**IDAHO AND MALHUER COUNTY OREGON**---Shipments 282-291-346---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading very active. Prices higher. Yellow Spanish Hybrid U.S. One 50-pound sack Super Colossal 8.00-9.00, colossal mostly 7.50-8.00, jumbo 6.00-7.00, medium mostly 5.00; Red Globe Type U.S. One 25-pound sacks jumbo 6.00-7.00, medium 5.00.

**COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON AND UMATILLA BASIN OREGON**---Shipments 282-292-314 (includes export of 54-60-51) ---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading very active. Prices higher. Yellow Hybrid Type 50-pound sacks jumbo mostly 6.00, medium 4.00-4.50; White 50-pound sacks jumbo mostly 15.00, medium 14.00-16.00; Red Globe Type 25-pound sacks jumbo mostly 6.00, medium mostly 4.00.

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTH TEXAS**---Crossings 93-144-161---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading active. Prices higher. Yellow Grano Marked Sweet 40-pound cartons jumbo mostly 14.00-16.00; Red 25-pouns sacks jumbo mostly 7.00-9.00, medium mostly 7.00.

**NEW YORK**---Shipments 79-75-81---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly active. Prices yellow jumbo higher, others unchanged. Yellow Globe type 50 pound sacks jumbo mostly 6.00-7.00, medium 2 1/4 inch minimum 4.00-5.00, 2 inch minimum mostly 3.50-4.00. Red Globe type 25 pound sacks jumbo 6.00-7.50, medium 5.00-6.50. Quality mostly good.

**MICHIGAN**---Shipments 20-19-22--Movement expected to decrease as more growers finish for the season. Trading fairly active. Prices unchanged. Yellow Globe type master container 16 3-pound mesh sacks medium 5.50-7.50, repacker size 4.50-6.00. Quality variable.

PERU IMPORTS REPACKED AT VARIOUS EAST COAST SHIPPING POINTS---Shipments 39-21-15---Movement expected to decrease seasonally as shippers finish for the season. Yellow Granex-Marked Sweet 40-pound cartons jumbo remaining supplies insufficient to quote. Southern California District---Shipments 12-19-15---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

**NORTH AND EAST POINTS COLORADO**---Shipments 22-18-11---Movement expected to decrease seasonally.

**CENTRAL WISCONSIN**---Shipments 12-15-11---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Yellow Globe Type U.S. One 50 pound sacks medium mostly 4.50-5.50, Master Container 16 3- pound mesh sacks medium mostly 7.00.

## **ONIONS FOR PROCESSING**

**WESTERN UNITED STATES**---Shipments 137-145-136---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) 1948\*-1969\*-1948---The top shipping states, in order, were Idaho, Colorado, Florida, Columbia Basin Washington/Umatilla Basin Oregon and Michigan. The Market News Service survey of over 28,000 retail stores had 32,709 ads for potatoes last week, of which 6,517 were organic potato ads (20 percent of all potato ads), a 31 percent increase from the prior week?s ads of 24,938. \*revised.

UPPER VALLEY, TWIN FALLS-BURLEY DISTRICT, IDAHO---Shipments 685-706-659 (includes export of 44-8-2) --- Movement

--Shipments 685-706-659 (includes export of 4-8-2) ---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices baled and cartons 40-70s slightly lower, others generally unchanged. Russet

Burbank U.S. One baled 5 10-pound film bags non size A 2.50-3.50; 50-pound cartons 40-60s 13.50-14.00, 70s 12.50-13.00, 80s 8.00-8.50, 90s 6.00-6.50, 100s 5.00-5.50. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 5 10-pound film bags non size A 2.50-3.50; 50-pound cartons 40-60s 13.00-14.00, 70s 12.00-13.50, 80s 8.00-8.50, 90s 6.00-6.50, 100s 5.00-5.50. Shipment breakdown by variety for the week ending March 14, 2015 was generally Russets with 59 percent Burbank and 31 percent Norkotah.

SAN LUIS VALLEY, COLORADO---Shipments 324-274\*-315 (including exports 27\*-17\*-27) ---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading slow. Prices baled lower, others generally unchanged. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 10-5-pound film bags size A 4.00, 50-pound cartons 40-60s mostly 13.00, 70s mostly 11.00, 80s 8.50, 90-100s 8.00, U.S. Commercial bulk per cwt mostly 6.00. Round Red U.S. One 10 5-pound film bags size A mostly 10.00. Yellow Type U.S. One 10 5-pound film bags size A mostly 11.00. \*revised.

**FLORIDA**--- Shipments 129-149-175 (including exports 1-1\*-3) --- Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading fairly slow. Prices lower. Round Red U.S. One 50-pound cartons size A mostly 11.25, Yellow Type U.S. One 50-pound cartons size A mostly 20.25, Round White U.S. One 50-pound cartons size A mostly 20.00. \*revised

**COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON AND UMATILLA BASIN OREGON**---Shipments 155-145-146 (includes export of 33-37-35)--Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices cartons slightly higher, others generally unchanged. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 5 10-pound film bags non size A mostly 3.50, 50-pound cartons 40s 9.00-11.00, 50-70s mostly 11.00, 80s 8.00-10.00, 90s mostly 7.00-8.00, 100s mostly 7.00-8.00.

MINNESOTA-NORTH DAKOTA (RED RIVER VALLEY) --- Shipments 124-140-133--- Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Round Red U.S. One size A baled 10 5-pound film bags mostly 7.50-8.00, tote bags approximately 2000 pounds per cwt mostly 10.00- 11.00 50-pound sacks mostly 6.00-6.50.

**CENTRAL WISCONSIN**---Shipments 128-142-136---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 5.75-6.00, 50- pound cartons 40s-70s mostly 12.00, 80s mostly 10.00-10.50, 90s-100s mostly 9.00.

HEREFORD HIGH PLAINS EASTERN NEW MEXICO---Shipments 65\*-62\*-73--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. \*revised. MICHIGAN---Shipments 58-51-55---Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading fairly slow. Prices unchanged. U.S. One Round White size A 10- pound open window sacks loose 1.60-1.80,

Russet Norkotah 10-pound film bags loose 1.60-1.80. **NORTHWESTERN WASHINGTON**---Shipments 32-56-54 (including exports 5-3-1)-- -Movement expected to decline seasonally. Trading slow. Prices generally unchanged. Round Red U.S. One 50-pound cartons size A mostly 12.00-13.00, fair appearance 8.00-10.00, Yellow Type U.S. One 50-pound cartons size A mostly 16.00.

**AROOSTOOK COUNTY, MAINE**---Shipments 63-71\*-52---Movement expected to decrease slightly. Trading fairly slow. Prices unchanged. U.S. One Round White 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. \*revised.

**KERN COUNTY CALIFORNIA**---Shipments 31-34\*-30 (including exports 6-4-3) ---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

**KLAMATH BASIN (CALIFORNIA-OREGON)** ---Shipments 29-33\*-26 (including exports 0-1\*-0) ---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Russet U.S. One baled 10 5-pound film bags size A mostly 5.00, 50-pound cartons 40-70s mostly 11.50-12.00, 80s mostly 10.00-11.00, 90-100s mostly 8.00. \*revised.

**NEBRASKA DISTRICT**---Shipments 25-22\*-19---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. \*revised.

**IMPERIAL VALLEY, CALIFORNIA** DISTRICT---Shipments 0-1-7---Movement expected to increase seasonally. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

**BIG LAKE AND CENTRAL MINNESOTA**---Shipments 6-4-5---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

**NEW BRUNSWICK, CANADA (CROSSINGS THROUGH MAINE POINTS)**---Shipments light---Movement expected about the same. Trading slow. Prices unchanged. US One/CD One Russet Norkotah size A baled 10-5 pound film bags 6.50-7.00, tote bags approx. 2000 pounds per cwt. mostly 8.50-8.75.

## POTATOES FOR PROCESSING

**MICHIGAN**---Shipments to Chippers 227\*-237\*-239---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 167-204-192--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 133-119-86---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

**AROOSTOOK COUNTY, MAINE**---Shipments to Chippers 59\*-62\*-64---Movement expected about the same. Movement on preseason contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market. \*revised.

**WESTERN AND CENTRAL NEW YORK**---Shipments to Chippers 55-57-57--- Movement expected about the same. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

**FLORIDA**---Shipments to Chippers 5-26-30---Movement expected to increase as harvest of chip stock moves north across the State. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

**PENNSYLVANIA**---Shipments to Chippers 3-1-1---Movement expected about the same. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market.