

Good News

- **Corn** – Excellent quality on product coming out of Coachella on Yellow corn. Great buy right now on conventional sku. Item# 678.
- **Melons** – Local product is now available and cutting very well. Galia, Casaba, Canary, Summer Kiss, Sugar Kiss, Santa Claus, Gold Honeydew, Pink Honeydew, and County Line heirloom mixes are in stock.
- **Tomatoes and Berries** – Moving into prime season on both of these summer items. Great buys and excellent quality.

Bad News

- **Shishito Peppers** – Extreme market right now as summer crop is slow to get started and there is heavy demand from the retail market.
- **Avocados** – The poor market conditions will continue through June. CA crop is currently very small and MX is dealing with loss due to poor weather.
- **Baby Artichokes** – Supply has improved but prices are at higher levels. Market expected to ease over the next few weeks.
- **Local Baby Rainbow Carrots** – Continue to be very limited from County Line. Conventional product available from Babe Farms, #5617.

Seasonal Melons Now Available

Item# 1454 Galia (5 ct)

Item# 4223 Galia FM (County Line)

Item# 1426 Canary (5 ct)

Item# 4285 Summer Kiss (Green, 12 ct)

Item# 6312 Sugar Kiss (Orange, 12 ct)

Item# 1476 Santa Claus (5 ct)

Item# 1472 Honeydew Golden

Item# 1466 Honeydew Pink (5 ct)

Item# 18956 Charentais FM (County Line)

Item# 1441 Casaba (5 ct)

Item# 18954 Melons Mix FM (County Line, Pre-order)

Santa Claus Melon



Charentais Melon



Featured Product



- Juices specifically designed for bar applications
- Cost savings vs. national brands

ITEM# 18970 Orange Juice 12/32 oz

ITEM# 18972 Cranberry Cocktail 12/32 oz

ITEM# 18971 Grapefruit Juice 12/32 oz

ITEM# 18973 Tomato Juice 12/32 oz

ITEM# 19282 Clam-Tomato Juice Cocktail 12/32 oz

ITEM# 20520 Cranberry Juice Cocktail 12/16 oz

ITEM# 20521 Apple Juice 12/16 oz



Market Overview

Avocadoes

Poor market conditions will continue through June. Relief expected when MX/CA can recover.

Artichokes

Prorating is still in effect for baby chokes. Prices are holding at higher levels on regular counts.

Sunchokes

Supply is currently very steady.

Asparagus

Conventional – Market is up slightly but supply is steady on Medium, Large, and Jumbo. Ex-Large is limited.

Farmers Market – Plenty of Large and Jumbo product on hand from Life is a Choke.

White (Peru) – Product available. Item# 117.

Brussel Sprouts

Fancy and Jumbo are at good levels this week. Good buy right now.

Cauliflower, Celery, Broccolini, Romanesco

Broccoli/Cauliflower – Prices have eased a bit but are still high. Broccoli is a better buy right now.

Celery – Great buy right now. Lots of quality product available and prices are down.

Romanesco/Colored Cauliflower – Good availability with prices are moderate levels.

Stone Fruit

Yellow Peaches – FM and conventional product available. Excellent quality to start off the season.

White Peaches – FM and conventional product available.

Apricot – Plenty of product on hand and will be plentiful through the season.

Aprium – Available after Wednesday from Frog Hollow.

Peacotum – Murray Family Farms product is in stock and cutting very well. Juicy and sweet. Item# 18985.

Citrus

Lemons – Prices have eased to more normal levels.

Limes – Prices have eased up considerably.

Blood Oranges – Late season conventional product still available. Quality is fair but will be falling off.

Cara Cara Oranges – Done for the season.

Kumquats – Finishing up for the season.

Grapefruit – Supply out of CA. Sizing may be off now that TX is done.

Local Oro Blanco – Local is finished. Some conventional product available.

Local Valencia's – JJ Lone Daughter product is in house and is fantastic for juicing. Item# 5710, 40# case.

Navels – Texas product on hand.

Pumelo – Conventional product on hand.

Tree Ripe Tangerines – Finished for the season.

Clementine/Satsuma/Mandarin – CA season has wrapped. What's available is hit or miss quality.

Figs

CA season is expected to begin around early June. What is available out of MX right now is expensive and not the greatest quality.

Leaf Items

Napa Cabbage – Prices are down and quality has been good.

Arugula – Product has been on the small side. Prices are down.

Spinach – Prices and supply are good.

Bloomsdale/Savoy – Product on hand with good quality.

Spring Mix/Mesclun – Availability is good with consistent weather.

Iceberg – Prices have eased but are still higher.

Green/Red Leaf – Prices have eased with improving weather. Green leaf is a better buy.

Butter – Price is up with outer leaves showing damage. Living Lettuce may be a better option.

Romaine/Hearts – Hearts are up in price. Whole heads are at a decent level.

Kale – Prices and quality have been good.

Peas & Beans

Sugar Snap & Snow – Demand is high and prices are firm. Quality has been very good.

Garbanzo Beans – Currently unavailable.

English Peas – Supply is good and prices are at reasonable levels.

Cranberry Beans – Fresh product is currently N/A.

Pea Tendrils – Conventional product available.

Fava Beans – Local and conventional product available. Quality is good.

Blue Lake – Prices are holding at lower levels and quality is good.

Melons

Hon/Cant – Quality and availability is very good right now.

Heirloom Melons – Weiser and County Line product will be coming available around July. Galia is limited.

Watermelon – Quality is continuing to improve.

Yellow Watermelon – Not available until summer.

Pineapple – Prices are holding at decent levels.

Cucumbers

Standard – Market has improved, prices are down.

English/Hot House – Prices are holding at lower levels.

Pickling – Quality has been off and we are sorting for best size and quality. Supply is very limited.

Garlic

Extreme market right now! Prices are going to hold at higher levels until June when CA begins harvesting again.

Ginger

Prices and supply have returned to normal levels.

Peppers

Bells – Red and yellow peppers are holding at higher levels. Quality is good on all colors. **Green is the best buy.**

Shishitos – Prices are very firm this week as fields transition for the summer.

Red Fresno – Good supply and prices are down.

Habanero – Prices have eased somewhat.

Red Thai – Very limited availability.

Padron – Currently N/A.

Herbs

Prices and supply are good across the board and the market should be good through spring and into summer.

Berries

Straws – Prices are down and quality has been good. Plenty of Harry's Berries and Blue Heron product on hand.

Black – Steady supply, prices are holding at moderate levels.

Blues – Prices are down and supply is good.

Ras – Prices have eased and supply is steady. Pudwill Farms product available.

Tomatoes

Slicing/Romas – Romas have eased, prices are down. Slicing tomatoes are up slightly.

Local Beefsteaks – Good supply on Valdivia Farms product.

Grape & Cherry – Prices continue to ease. Quality has been good.

Sungold – Sweet product available from Wong Farms. Item# 5139, 12/12 oz.

Large and Small Heirlooms – Quality continuing to improve. Prices are up a bit.

Local Baby Heirlooms – Great deal right now on item# 4072 FM Cherry Mixed Tomatoes.

Teardrop – Supply is still very short and prices are up.

Mushrooms

Morels – Fresh product available at a good price will supply lasts.

Gold Chanterelles – Available and prices are at lower levels.

Black Trumpets – Unavailable right now.

Hedgehogs – N/A this week.

Porcini – Fresh product available. Item# 1627.

Matsutake – Currently unavailable.

White Chanterelles – N/A this week. Special order only.

Lobsters – N/A at this time.

Squash

Mixed Summer Squash – Sourcing for best quality. Somewhat short as growers have reported issues.

Baby Summer Squash – Supply is decent.

Yellow Squash & Zucchini – Prices are down and supply is good. Great buy right now.

Blossoms – Product on hand with good quality.