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SHIPMENTS - IN 40,000 LB UNITS, OR 1000 40-LB PACKAGES - FROM 20-NOV-2020 TO 26-NOV-2020

COMMODITY/ORIGIN/DISTRICT	*MODE									TOTAL TO DATE: FINAL		
		NOV 20	NOV 21	NOV 22	NOV 23	NOV 24	NOV 25	NOV 26	THIS YEAR	LAST YEAR	LAST YEAR	
WATERMELONS												
GUATEMALA												
IMPORTS THROUGH PORT HUENEME (CALIF)	B	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	43	
MEXICO												
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA	T	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	169	105	606	
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH PHARR, TX	T	-	2	2	1	-	-	-	210	28	949	
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH PROGRESO, TX	T	4	8	-	10	-	-	2	2036	1602	7595	
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH RIO GRANDE CITY	T	-	-	-	-	2	2	3	343	371	1080	
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH ROMA, TX	T	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	-	2	
GRAND TOTALS		5	11	2	11	2	5	6	2761	2106	10275	

WATERMELONS, SEEDLESS

COMMODITY/ORIGIN/DISTRICT	*MODE	NOV 20	NOV 21	NOV 22	NOV 23	NOV 24	NOV 25	NOV 26	THIS YEAR	LAST YEAR	LAST YEAR	
MEXICO												
MEXICO CROSSINGS THRU NOGALES	T	51	45	-	47	48	50	-	5228	3706	20884	
WATERMELONS, SEEDLESS MINATURE												
MEXICO												
MEXICO CROSSINGS THRU NOGALES	T	4	1	-	8	9	6	-	316	445	1908	
GRAND TOTALS		55	46	-	55	57	56	-	20179	18959	38001	

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CANTALOUPS												
ARIZONA												
CENTRAL ARIZONA	T	18	10	-	12	7	4	-	3239	3027	3027	
CENTRAL ARIZONA	P	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	121	78	78	
WESTERN ARIZONA	T	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1973	2876	2876	
WESTERN ARIZONA	P	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44	57	57	
GUATEMALA												
IMPORTS THROUGH PORT HUENEME (CALIF)	B	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	1759	
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	B	-	301	-	-	-	-	-	359	770	5403	
IMPORTS THROUGH WILMINGTON (DELAWARE)	B	-	18	-	-	-	-	-	18	3	262	
MEXICO												
MEXICO CROSSINGS THRU NOGALES	T	15	9	-	8	2	4	-	796	629	1181	
GRAND TOTALS		33	353	-	20	9	9	-	17223	21952	29197	

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HONEYDEWS												
ARIZONA												
CENTRAL ARIZONA	T	2	2	-	2	2	2	-	802	1228	1228	
CENTRAL ARIZONA	P	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	33	33	
WESTERN ARIZONA	T	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	192	186	186	
COSTA RICA												
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	B	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	33	
GUATEMALA												
IMPORTS THROUGH PORT HUENEME (CALIF)	B	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	20	-	404	
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	B	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	6	224	1499	
MEXICO												
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH PHARR, TX	T	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	68	
MEXICO CROSSINGS THRU NOGALES	T	23	21	-	17	16	14	-	1188	1009	2955	
GRAND TOTALS		25	50	-	19	18	16	-	6058	7419	11157	

* [T]-TRUCK, [A]-AIR, [B]-BOAT, [P]-PIGGYBACK, [R]-RAIL
** District breakdown not available for rail/piggyback

SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION

Sales F.O.B. Shipping Point and Delivered Sales Shipping Point Basis for **Friday, November 27, 2020**. 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. Reported prices generally include, but are not limited to, applicable brokerage fees and commissions, Customs fees and duties, U.S. packaging and U.S. freight costs prior to first sale, paid by the shipper/seller. Delivered Sales, Shipping Point Basis excludes all charges for freight after sale.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES, ARIZONA

Sales F.O.B. Shipping Point and/or Delivered Sales, Shipping Point Basis

CANTALOUPS: DEMAND MODERATE. MARKET SLIGHTLY HIGHER. Extra services included. 1/2 cartons 6s 4.00-6.35 mostly 5.00 occasional higher 9s 6.95-9.95 mostly 7.95-8.50 occasional higher 12s 6.00-8.95 mostly 7.00-7.50 occasional higher oversized 1/2 cartons 9s (6 size) 6.95-9.95 mostly 7.95-8.35 occasional higher

HONEYDEWS: SUPPLY FAIRLY HEAVY. DEMAND FAIRLY LIGHT. MARKET ABOUT STEADY. Extra services included. 2/3 cartons 4s 3.50-5.45 mostly 3.50-4.00 occasional higher and lower 5s 3.50-5.45 mostly 4.00 occasional higher 6s 3.35-4.95 mostly 3.50 occasional higher and lower 8s 3.00-4.95 mostly 3.00 occasional higher and lower oversized 2/3 cartons 5s (4 size) 3.50-5.95 mostly 3.50-4.00 occasional higher

WATERMELONS: SUPPLY FAIRLY LIGHT. DEMAND FAIRLY GOOD. MARKET MINIATURE 8S AND BIN 60 COUNT SLIGHTLY HIGHER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY. Extra services included. Wide range in quality and condition. cartons Red Flesh Seedless Type 4s 16.95-18.95 mostly 17.95 5s 16.95-18.95 mostly 17.95 6s 14.95-17.95 mostly 15.95-16.95 Red Flesh Seedless Miniature 6s 12.95-14.95 occasional higher 8s 10.95-13.95 mostly 12.95 9s 10.95-12.95 occasional higher 11s 6.95-9.95 mostly 7.95 occasional lower 24 inch bins Red Flesh Seedless Type approx 35 count 154.00-168.00 mostly 161.00-168.00 few 175.00 approx 45 count 161.00-175.00 mostly 168.00 few 154.00 approx 60 count 126.00-147.00 mostly 133.00-140.00 occasional higher and lower

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS

Sales F.O.B. Shipping Point and/or Delivered Sales, Shipping Point Basis

WATERMELONS: SUPPLY LIGHT. DEMAND MODERATE. Extra service included. 24 inch bins per lb Red Flesh

Seedless Type approx 36 count Supplies insufficient and in too few hands to establish a market. approx 45 count Supplies insufficient and in too few hands to establish a market. approx 60 count Supplies insufficient and in too few hands to establish a market. The next FOB report will be issued the Week of November 30.

WHOLESALE TERMINAL MARKET PRICES AS OF Friday, November 27, 2020

This is only a sample of wholesale terminal market reports. For a complete and current listing <http://www.ams.usda.gov/fv/mncs/fvdaily.htm>

ATLANTA

CANTALOUPS: MARKET STEADY. 1/2 cartons AZ 9s 15.00-18.50 12s 15.50-17.00 MX 9s 15.00-15.25 12s 14.00-14.50 oversized 1/2 cartons AZ 9s (6 size) 17.00-19.00 **HONEYDEWS:** OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 2/3 cartons AZ 5s 12.00-14.00 mostly 13.00-14.00 6s 13.50-14.00 mostly 13.50 8s 11.50-12.50 MX 6s 11.50 8s 10.50-11.50 oversized 2/3 cartons AZ 5s (4 size) 12.00

WATERMELONS: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. cartons MX Red Flesh Seedless Type 5s 26.50-29.00 mostly 26.50-28.00 Red Flesh Seedless Miniature 8s 24.50 24 inch bins FL Red Flesh Seeded Type 35s 180.50 Red Flesh Seedless Type 45s 314.00 MX Red Flesh Seedless Type 60s 198.00 few 302.00

BOSTON

CANTALOUPS: MARKET STEADY. 1/2 cartons AZ/CA 9s 18.00-20.00 few 12s offerings insufficient to quote 15s offerings insufficient to quote GU 9s 18.00-20.00 mostly 18.00 fr qual 10.00-12.00 12s 18.00-20.00 mostly 18.00 occas lower 15s 10.00-12.00 few MX 9s 18.00 oversized 1/2 cartons GU 9s fr qual 8.00 MX 9s (6 size) 18.00-21.00 mostly 20.00

HONEYDEWS: MARKET STEADY. 2/3 cartons GU 5s 16.00 few 6s 16.00 few 8s 16.00 few MX 5s 10.00-12.00 mostly 11.00-12.00 6s 10.00-13.00 mostly 11.00-12.00 occas high as 16.00 fr qual 8.00-10.00 7s fr qual 8.00-10.00 8s 12.00-14.00 mostly 12.00 few

WATERMELONS: MARKET STEADY. flat cartons MX Red Flesh Seedless Type 4s 36.00-38.00 5s 34.00-35.00 Red Flesh Seedless Miniature 6s 18.00-20.00 mostly 20.00 occas low as 15.00 18.00-20.00 24 inch bins per melon MX Red Flesh Seedless Type 36s 8.00-10.00 mostly 8.50-9.50 45s 6.00-7.00 60s 5.00

CHICAGO

CANTALOUPS: MARKET 1/2 CARTONS OVERSIZED HIGHER, 12S LOWER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY. 1/2 cartons MX 9s 14.00-16.00 12s 12.00-16.00 mostly 13.00-14.00 oversized 1/2 cartons MX 9s (6 size) 17.50-19.00

HONEYDEWS: MARKET 6S HIGHER, OTHER ABOUT STEADY. 2/3 cartons MX

6s 11.00-12.00 oversized 2/3 cartons MX 5s (4 size) 11.00-13.00

WATERMELONS: MARKET 4-5S HIGHER, 45S LOWER, OTHERS STEADY. cartons per carton MX Red Flesh Seedless Type 4s 28.00-32.00 mostly 29.00-30.00 5s 28.00-32.00 mostly 29.00-30.00 flat cartons per carton MX Red Flesh Seedless Miniature 8s 22.00 occas lower 24 inch bins MX Red Flesh Seedless Type 45s 330.00 **ORGANIC-CANTALOUPS:** 1/2 cartons MX 12s 15.00-16.00 occas lower

LOS ANGELES

CANTALOUPS: OFFERINGS ARIZONA DISTRICT VERY LIGHT. MARKET STEADY. wide range in quality and condition 1/2 cartons AZ Arizona District 9s 12.00-14.00 12s Offerings insufficient to quote MX 9s 7.00-9.00 mostly 8.00 occas higher 12s 7.00-9.00 mostly 7.00-8.00 occas higher oversized 1/2 cartons MX 9s (6 size) 8.00-9.00 mostly 8.00 occas higher

HONEYDEWS: OFFERINGS ARIZONA DISTRICT VERY LIGHT. MARKET STEADY. wide range in quality and condition 2/3 cartons AZ Arizona District 5s 8.00-9.00 mostly 9.00 occas higher/lower 6s 7.50-9.00 mostly 7.50-8.50 occas higher/lower MX 5s 6.00-8.00 mostly 6.00-7.00 occas higher/lower 6s 6.00-7.00 mostly 6.00 occas higher/lower oversized 2/3 cartons MX 5s (4 size) 6.00-8.00 mostly 6.00-7.00 occas higher/lower

WATERMELONS: OFFERINGS YELLOW FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE AND RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE BINS VERY LIGHT. MARKET STEADY. cartons AZ Arizona District Yellow Flesh Seedless Type 6s 37.00-38.00 occas higher/lower MX Baja District Red Flesh Seedless Type 5s 25.00-28.00 mostly 26.00-27.00 occas lower flat cartons MX Red Flesh Seedless Miniature 6s 12.00-14.00 mostly 12.00-13.00 occas higher 8s 14.00-16.00 mostly 14.00-15.00 occas higher 24 inch bins AZ Arizona District Red Flesh Seedless Type 45s 245.00-250.00 occas higher/lower MX Baja District Red Flesh Seedless Type 60s fr qual 80.00 poorer quality and condition lower 80s fr qual 50.00 poorer quality and condition lower **ORGANIC-WATERMELONS:** cartons MX Red Flesh Seedless Type 6s 19.00-20.00 occas higher/lower flat cartons MX Red Flesh Seedless Miniature 11s 15.00-16.00 occas higher/lower

MIAMI

CANTALOUPS: OFFERINGS FAIRLY LIGHT. MARKET ABOUT STEADY. 1/2 cartons AZ 9s 19.00-20.50 occas higher and lower 12s 19.00-21.50 occas higher and lower GU 9s 19.00-22.00 occas higher and lower 12s 19.00-22.00 occas higher and lower **HONEYDEWS:** OFFERINGS FAIRLY LIGHT. MARKET ABOUT STEADY. 2/3 cartons MX 5s 15.00-17.00 occas higher and lower 6s 15.00-17.00 occas higher and lower **WATERMELONS:** OFFERINGS FAIRLY LIGHT. MARKET ABOUT STEADY. 24 inch bins per melon FL Red Flesh Seedless

Type approx 28 count 6.00-7.00 occas higher
and lower approx 36 count 5.00-6.00 occas
higher and lower approx 45 count 4.00-5.00
occas higher and lower approx 60 count 3.00-
4.00 occas higher and lower

MIAMI

No Report Available. The next report will be
issued on Monday, November 30.

PHILADELPHIA

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