

Celery



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Celery: Acres Planted, Selected States, 1991-92

State, Area, and Year	Area Planted						Area Growing Jul 1	
	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Feb- Jun	1991	1992
	Acres							
CA - All:								
Central Coast	200	1,000	1,400	940	1,200	4,740	4,900	4,100
South Coast	1,200	600	100	20	100	2,020	300	200
Total 1992	1,400	1,600	1,500	960	1,300	6,760		4,300
Total 1991	1,400	1,400	2,000	1,200	1,400	7,400	5,200	
FL - Transplanted:								
Central	330	310	125			765		
Everglades	840	700				1,540		
Total 1992	1,170	1,010	125			2,305		
Total 1991	1,210	1,130	180	10		2,530		
MI:								
Total 1992			400	795	860	2,055		2,045
Total 1991			435	910	1,150	2,495	2,480	
NY:								
Total 1992			10	100	50	160		160
Total 1991			60	180	90	330	280	
Four State Total								
1992	2,570	2,610	2,035	1,855	2,210	11,280		6,505
1991	2,610	2,530	2,675	2,300	2,640	12,755	7,960	

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Celery: Warm, humid weather, in New York, has increased disease pressure.

The crop, however, remains in good condition. Michigan's lower than normal temperatures this season have slowed crop development about one week. The freezing temperatures on June 21st and 22nd inflicted only light damage.

Harvest is complete in the Everglades and Central areas of Florida.

California's Central Coast celery harvest was seasonally increasing in Salinas-Watsonville, while Santa Maria volume remained moderate. The South District harvest continued steady.

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