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ORANGES AND GRAPEFRUIT: WEIGHTED AUCTION PRICE AT NEW YORK, NORMAL SEASONAL TREND. AND 1939-40


* FLORIDA ORANGES. 90 POUNDS NET PER BOX; GALIFORNIA ORANGES. 70 POUNDS: FLORIDA ORAPEFRUIT, sO POUNDS $\triangle A R I T H M E T I C$ MEAN OF THE EIGHT MIDDLE PRIGES FOR EACH WEEK OF THE IP-YEAR PERIOD, 1987-8s
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## Surmar'y

The liovember l estimates of apjle, pear, and citrus production did. not differ materially fron the astinates made as of October 1.

The seasonel cecline in western apple prices at New Yor: anc Chicago during the last 3 weeks of October was relativeiy greater this year than last largely because oif the heavier dorestic shipments of westem apples, and the larger cold-storage holdings of western apples on Novenber l. Total rail and boat shipments of western apples (which include those western apples exported in fresh form) were only slightly greater than a year earlier durins this period but, since exports of fresh apples were considerably less than a year aço, comestic shipnents vere considerably heavier. Iiearly 1.5 times as many western apples were unloadec. at New Yorls during the last 3 weeks of October as in the same period last season.

Up to Novernber 6 a total of $2,248,000$ bushels of 1940 crop apples had been puxchased for relief distribution.

Imports of Conadian apples reachec a peak in the week ended Cctober 26 anc then dropped of sharply in the following week. This decline is expected to continue. Over 75 percent of the Canadian sinipments to the United States have consistec of Jonathans.

It appears likely that the total anount of pears available for fresh consurption betveen Movember 1 , 1,40 and June 1 , 1941 will be less than that available during the same period a year earlier.

Fron the beginnine of the 1940 pear season to October 26 , the Surplus Iarketing Administration purchasec approxiriately 41,000 boxes of California and Washington Bartlett pears and approximately 590,000 boxes of late variety pears.

The price decline experienced by grapefruit at the New Yorl: auction throughout the ricnth of October was seasonal in character. It was not due to heavier than us?al shipments, since totol shipments from Florida and Texas in the period Octover 6 to :Jovember 9 were only 98 percent of those made in the comparable period of 1939. Normally, the price of Florida grapefruit at Mew York declines from the beginning of the season to Februany.

- Novenber 22, 1940


## APPIES

## Donestic situation

The commercial apple crop in 1040 , which was est inated as of lloveriber 1 at $115 . j$ million bushels, is approxinately 19 percent smaller than that of a year earlier. It is no:" anticipated that the 10,40 comaercial ciop will be 4 percent larger than that of last year in the Western States, 36 percent Sina?ler than that of last year in the Central States, and 24 percent maller than that of last yecr in the Eastern States. Approximately 38 percent of the 1940 commercial procuction is in the Westem States, approximately 17 percent is in the Central States, and approwinately 45 percent is in the Easterm States.
klthough the totel comerciel crop this seaso: is estimated to be 19 percent smaller than that of last year, an incrsased western comercial crop resulted in total cold-storage holdings, exclusive of colci-storage stocks held by the Surplus larketins Adrinistration, on lovember l, l percent greater than a year earlier. Cold-storage stocks of westem apples in the Pacilic States wore 10 percent greater on November 1 this year than on the same date a year earlier, while comercial production in these States was only 4 percent greater than that of 1939.
?ail and boat shipments from western States (which include those apples that are exported in fresh form) to diate this season have totalad 7,063,000 we shels compared to 7,132,000 bushels during the comparable period last year. Since the exports of fresh apoles this year during the period July-Septe ber were only 24 percent of the fresh apple exports during the same period in 1939, it is apparent that domestic shipments of fresh apples from Western States have been greater this year than Iast. Domestic shipments from the Vestern States were greater during the period October 12 to INoveraber 9 than during the first part of the season, and shipmerts fo: this perioc. were ó percent greater than those for the sane period in 1939.

Since the proportion of the western crop in cold storage on Wovember 1 was greater than that of a ycar earlier, anc since so far this season rail and boat shipmerts of western apples have been about equal to those of a year ago, apparently a smaller proportion of the western apple crop has been
purchased locally this year. fine absolute amount of :.estem apoles purchased locally, ho: ever, frokably has been slighty wrate: this year than last.

Up to lloverker 6 a total. of $2,245,000$ bushels of 1940 crop apples had been purchased for relief distripution. On Noverber 1 the Surplus lar: Keting Adninistration held approximately $300,00 \mathrm{C}$ bushels of anples in cold storage in the Appalachian region.

For the wee: encied Novenber 1 prices of ali leading varieties of restem apples at N ew York, winch decined seasonally during the last 3 wee!:s of Octcber, were for the first tine this season bsiov comparable prices of a year earlier. Prices of these varieties increased during the week ondod llovember 8 until the wore about equal to corparable prices in 1939. The seasonal decline in prices durine the last 3 weeks of October was relatively greater than that of a year sariier largely because of the hearier shiments of westera apples to New Yow and the larear cold-storage lolcinss of wester. apples on Hovembur 1 this $y \in a r$ compared to last. Unloacis of westem apoles at inew Yor': City from the beginnint of the 1840 season to November 9 were 43 percent greater than those for the sama period in 1939. The nomal seascnal trenc in prices is upward fron Novembor to the enc. of the season.

The weishted average auction price of all leading varieties of westem apples at Chicago declined seascnally fron the midile of Cctober through the weak ended Novenber 1 and then remainsc at the November I level for the mee: ended Fovember 8 . The failure of the calculated weighted average price to rise during the weel onded Novariber 83 was due to the tremencous increase in the sales of Grade Washincton Delicious apolcs in Ciilcago durins this period. If the 0 gare apns sales aro excludod from the calculations of the wighted averaro prices received for Washington Delicious apples on the Chicaço alion, the price serios for Tashinston Dclicious deciines from the well ended Octobcr IE to the we:l: onded Cctober 25, and then risos considerably to the wock ondud iovembur 3 instuad of declining through the woek ondod Ilovorber 8 as it dows when the C grade applos are incluced.

## Canadian situcition

Canedien aprle procuction in 1540 is estinated at 11.6 million bushels compared with 77.4 million tushels in 1939. The ITove Scotia crop is appoximately 60 purcont smailer than thet of a yoar earlier, thile the Eritish Colurbia ciop is alnosi equai to thet of 1937. Tho Caradian Departmont of Arriculture has stated thet the stronger comostic marl:ct in Ontario and Quebec should be sufficient to absorb the reducod $12 L 0$ inova Scotia crop at rices above those rucoived in 193\%.

Usually the United Kin com taies nracticaily all of the 40-45 percent of the British Colurbia crop that is romairy exported; but, since the United Kingdon is closed as an exnort outlet this year, British Solumbia was $f \equiv c e d$ with a large surplus at the berineing of the curvent season. This surplus was particularly acute in the case of jon thirs, since no inportant consumer demend developed for ther in Canada.

Total Canadian exports this season up to October 19 amounted to only 411,000 boxes, compared vith 735,000 boxes in the same period last year. Shipments to South American merkets, all of which have been Delicinus apples, totaled 105,000 boxes up to October 19, compared with 54,000 boxes a year earliér. 'Fports to the United States, which reached a peak in the week ended October 26 and then dropred oif sharply in the foliowing week, totaled approyimately 466,000 bushels for the period September 7. to. November 9, compared with aporoximately 12,000 bushels in the corresponding period last year. Over 75 percent of the shipments to the United States have consistod of Jonathans, which do not necessarily move into consumption promptily but can be stored for several months.

Since Canadian exports to the United States have been priced above the Canadian guaranteed price, statements that the Canadian Government has been subsidizirg apple exports to the United States on a cost-of-production basis are unfounded.

## PEARS

It is estimated that the production of pears other than Bartletts (fall and winter varieties) in the Pacific States was about 6.6 million bushels compared with 6.0 million bushels in 1939 and the 10-year (1929-38) averare of 4.2 million bushels. In 1939 approximately 10 percent of the fall and winter pears went unharvested.

Although the production of fall and winter pears in the Pacific States this season is estimated to be approximately 10 percent greater than that of a year earlier, a less-than-proportionate increase is indicated in the commercial pack out (pears packed for fresh consumption) of late pears, since a greater amount of late pears have been canned this year than last. The increase in the amount canned occurred largely in the Hardy and Bosc varieties.

Exnorts of all pears in fresh fruit equivalent totaled 262,000 bushels for the period July-September 1740, compared with $1,583,000$ bushels for the same period in 1939. Exnorts of pears in all forms to South American countries to date this season have increased to a considerable extent over those for the sane period in 1939.

From the beginning of the 1940 pear season to October 26 , the Surplus Marketing Administration purchased approximately 41,000 boxes of California and "ashington Bartletts, and approximately 590,000 boxes of fall and winter variety pears. The purchases of fall and winter pears were distributed among four varieties as follows: (1) Hardy 334,000 boxes; (2) D'Anjou 103,000 boxes; (3) Comice 112,000 boxes; and (4) Bosc 41,000 boxes. No winter Nelis had been purchased up to October 26. The total amount of late pears purchased this season through October 26 was 33 percent of the average amount of all late pears (Hardy, D'Anjou, Comice, Bosc, and Nelis) exported per year for $t$. period 1934-38; and it was 47 percent of the average amount exported during the 5-year ( $1934-38$ ) period of the four varieties purchased. By varieties, purchases of late pears through October 26́, 1940 are the following percentag. of the average amounts exnorted in the entire season during the 5 -year (1934. period: (1) Hardy 85 percent; (2) D'Anjou 15 percent; (3) Bosc 78 percent; a (4) Comice 83 percent.

Large purchases of pears for relief distribution coupled with a great than normal amount of late pears taken by canners resulted in cold storage holdings of all pears on November 1 , 18 percent less than a year earlier.

Since 2,687,000 bushels of pears were in cold stor"ge on November l, 1939, and since exports of pears from Novembor 1 , 1939 to June 1,1940 totaled approximately 523,000 bushels, it appears that about 2,164,000 bushcls of domestic pears were consumed in this country between November 1, 1939 and June l, 1940. On November l, 1940 cold storage holdings of pears totaled 488,000 bushels less then on Novomber 1, i939. Since there vill unajoubtedy be some exports of pears to Canada and South Americe between November $I$ and June 1 , the total amount of peers available for fresh consumption bet::een November 1, 1940, and June 1, 1941 is likely to be less than that غvailable during the same pericd 2. year earlisr.

The weighted average auction price per box of Hardy pears declined contra-seascnally from $\$ 1.85$ in September to ${ }_{\$ 1} .79$ in October. Tho prices of D'Anjou's and Bosc' increased seasonally from September to October. The prices of these three varieties increased curing the week ended November 8 over the week ended November l, and at this time were higher then prices for the comparable weck in 1939.

## CITRUS

The November 1 estimates of crange and grapefruit production were practically the same as those made : month errlier. Orange production, exclusive of Celifornia Valencias, Es cstimatcd as of November lat 56 million boxes, and grapefruit rroduction as of the same date is estimated at 42.4 million bozes. On an apple marketing yeer basis (July-June) the combined production of oranges nnd granefruit for 1940-41 is astimed at 4,941,000 tons, or 18 percent above thet of 1939 , ind 1.6 percent below thet of 1938.

Shipments of Floride oranges this your started 2 month later than those of last yenr, and shipments of Toxns oranges startod a wook later this yerr then last. During the first 5 Vicks of this soasch Florid? and Texas shiprnents of oranges wore 5 percent. lass then those for the first 5 weeks of the 1939 sesson.

Since a large proportion go to Can=えㄹ, exports of fresh oranges and fresh grapefruit heve not suffered the severe decline this season that other fruit exports have. Becsuse of the loss of their princinsl market, the United Kingdom, exports of cenned zraperruit from july-September vere negligible in comearison to those in the semo puriod of previous years.

Prices of Floride oringes at the New York auction averaged $\$ 2.37$ for the week ended November 8 compared with an avernge of $\$ 1.82$ for the corresponding week of 1939. Although the Novembur l estimnto of early and midseason orange production in Floridz is greater than the final astimate of Floridu early and mid-season orange production in 1939 , it is approximately $1,000,000$ boxes less then the estimate made as of Novumber 1, 1939. The freeze in the latter part of Januery 1937 resulted in a drastic reduction in the final estimatc of orange production in Flcride.

The price decline experienced by grapefruit at the New York euction throughout the month of October was swasonel in character. It was not due to heavier than usual shipments since total shipments from Florida and Tuxas in the pericd October 6 to November 9 were only 98 percent of those made in the comparable period in 1939. Normally the price of Florida grapefruit at New York declines from the beginning of the season to February.

Table l.- Apples: Commercial procuction, average 1巳34-38, annual 1938-4 I/

| State | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Averace } \\ & 1934-38 \end{aligned}$ | 1938 | 1939 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Proliminary } \\ 1040 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 |
|  | bushels | bushels | busheis | bushels |
| No. | 567 | 562 | 1.068 | 752 |
| IT. H. | 674 | 555 | 1,214 | 925 |
| Vt. | 4.04 | 38 | 780 | 413 |
| Miass. | 2,216 | 2,131 | 2,829 | 2,174 |
| $\underline{\text { P }}$ I. | 282 | 259 | 275 | 267 |
| Conn. | 1.281 | 1,415 | 1,365 | 1,21: |
| N. Y. | 15,723 | 15,048 | 24,65 | 12,936 |
| N. J. ... | 3,650 | 3,531 | 4,252 | 3,354 |
| Pa. | 8,981 | 8,378 | 10,998 | 9,100 |
| Ohio | 4,688 | 2,684 | 8,756 | 5,074 |
| Ind. | 1,464 | 1,135 | 2,075 | 1,225 |
| Ill. | 2,787 | 1, 4147 | 4,107 | 1,876 |
| Mich. | 7,134 | 5,251 | 10,501 | 5,967 |
| Wis. | 595 | 4.32 | 684 | 595 |
| Minn. | 230 | 229 |  | 314 |
| Iowa ... | 311 | 358 | 374 | 559 |
| 而. . . . | 1,409 | 549 | 2,104 | 1,616 |
| Neinr. | 241 | 340 | 318 | 326 |
| Kans. | 714 | 516 | 1,075 | 1,296 |
| Del. | 1,596 | 1,554 | 1,686 | 1,909 |
| Nd. | 1,922 | 1,830 | 2,362 | 2,077 |
| Va . | 10,270 | 8,648 | 10,800 | 10,325 |
| W. Va. | 4,622 | 4,290 | 5,670 | 4,868 |
| M. C. | 935 | 634. | 1,120 | 962 |
| Ga. | 444 | 272 | 4.37 | 485 |
| Ky. . . . | 287. | 155 | 426 | 358 |
| Tenn. | 225 | 183 | 228 | 166 |
| Ark. | 755 | 198 | 64.8 | 765 |
| Mont. | 333 | 384 | 336 | 236 |
| Idaho | 3,635 | 2,960 | 2,574 | 2,160 |
| Colo. . | 1,517 | 1,708 | 1,058 | 1,564 |
| N. Mex. | 679 | 432 | 603 | 700 |
| Utah | 356 | 385 | 395 | 330 |
| Wash. | 29,411 | 30,150 | 25,000 | 28,804 |
| Oreg. | 3,462 | 3,400 | 2,900 | 2,160 |
| Calif. | 7,897 | 7,364 | 8,024 | 6,608 |
| 36 States | 121,755 | 109,595 | 143,085 | 115,456 |

Compiled from reports of the fgricultural Iarketing Service.
I/ Estimates of the commercial crop refer to the production of apples in the conmercial apple counties of each State and are not comparable with former "conmercial" estimates which represented sales for fresh consumption only in the entire State.

Table 2.- Apples: Commercial production, by regions, average 1934-38, annual 1938-40 1/


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1/ Estimates of the commercial crop refer to the production of apples in the commercial avple counties of each State and are not comparable with former "commercial" estimates which represented sales for fresh consumption only in the entire state.

Table 3.- Apples, western: Weighted average auction price per box, all grades, at Now York and Chicago, by specified varieties and weeks, 1535 and i940


Compiled from Yew York Daily Fruit Reporter, deciduous section, and Chicago Fruit and Vegetable Reporter.
1/ Includes all leading varieties from Western States:

Table 4.- Pears: Production by States (excluding three Pacific Coast States), average 1929-38, annual 1938-40 1/


Compiled fra reports of the Agricaltural Marieting Service.
1/ For sone States in certain years, production includes some ountities unharvested on account of market conditions. In 1938 ( 1,000 bushels): New York, 140; Pennsylvania, 79; 1939-New York, 60; Pennsylvania, 7j; Ohio, 76; Indiana. 53.

Table 5.- Pears: Production in three Pacific Coast States, average 1929-jx, annual 1935-40 II

| Stぇぇ | Averace 1929-38 | 1938 | 1939 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { :Preliminary } \\ & : \quad 1940 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $1,000 \mathrm{bu} .$ | 1,000 bu. | 1,000 bu. | $\underline{1}, 000$ bra. |
| Tashirgton, all ..........: | 4,781 | 6,500 | 5, 7.79 | 6,585 |
| Bartlett ............... | 3,480 | 4,340 | 3,700 | 4,233 |
| Other ..................: | 1,301 | 2,160 | 2,079 | 2,352 |
| Oregon, all ............... | 3,159 | 4,249 | 4,229 | 2, 4.18 |
| Bartlett | 1,346 | 1,437 | 1,620 | 1,538 |
| Other ..................: | 1,814 | 2,812 | 2,609 | 2,780 |
| California, all ..........: | 9,530 | 11,751 | 10,542 | $9,5 \div 2$ |
| Bartlett | 8,417 | 9,751 | 9,209 | 8, $01 \div 2$ |
| Other | 1,112 | 2,000 | 1,333 | 1,500 |
| Total Pacific Sictes | 17,470 | 22,500 | 20,550 | 20,5145 |
| Bartlett ...............: | 13,243 | 15,528 | 14,529 | 13,913 |
| Other ..................: | 4,227 | 6,972 | 6,021 | 6, 032 |
| Total United Sintes .: | 26,333 | 32,473 | 31,047 | 32,18] |

Compiled fron reports of the Agricultural lianketing Service.
1/ For sone States in certain yens, production includes some, muntities unhervestea on account of marlect concitions. In 1938, estimates of such quantities mere as follows (1,000 bushels): Tashington - Bartlett, l, 208; Other, 320; Oregor - Bartlett, 230; Other, 309; California - Bortlett, 833; Other, 84; 1939, Washington-Birtlett, 185; Other, 350; Oregon- Bertlett, 81; Otner, 107; California - Bartlett, 83; Other, 125.

Table 6.-Pears, mestem: Meiginted average nuction price per bor, liew York and Chicaco, by specified vrrieties and meeks, 1939 and 1940


Compiled from New York Daily Fruit Reporter, aeciduous section, má Chicago Fruit and Vegetable Reporter.

Table 7.-Grapes: Production by States, average 1929-38, annuel 1938-40 If

| State | : | Average $1929-38$ | $\vdots \quad 1938$ |  | 1939 | $: 1940$ prel. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | : | Tons | Tons |  | Tons | Tons |
| Maine | : | 31 | 30 |  | 30 | 30 |
| New Hampshire |  | 90 | 70 |  | 110 | 120 |
| Vermont |  | 39 | 40 |  | 50 | 50 |
| Massachusetts |  | 644 | $540^{\circ}$ |  | 700 | 780 |
| Rhode Island |  | 288 | 220 |  | 230 | 280. |
| Connecticut |  | 2,083 | 1,960 |  | 2,460 | 2,770 |
| New York |  | 74,910 | 55,600 |  | 75;600 | 75,800 |
| New Jersey |  | 3,150 | 2,800 |  | 3,100 | 3,900 |
| Pennsylvaria |  | 21,770 | 15,700 |  | 23;200 | 23,000 |
| Ohio |  | 27,430 | 9,800 |  | 42,800 | 37,500 |
| Indiana |  | 4,080 | 2,200 |  | 4,800 | 4,000 |
| Illinois |  | 6,490 | 6,300 |  | 8,800 | \%,100 |
| Michigan |  | 57,960 | 16,900 |  | 58,100 | 56,900 |
| Misconsin |  | 387 | 430 |  | 490 | 490 |
| Minnesota |  | 257 | 270 |  | 290 | 300 |
| Iowe |  | 5,530 | 5,000 |  | 5,800 | 6,300 |
| Missouri |  | 9,380 | 6,200 |  | 12,500 | 10,900 |
| Nebraska |  | 2,520 | 3,100 |  | 3,000 | 3,800 |
| Kansas |  | 3,650 | 3,100 |  | 4,100 | 4,600 |
| Delaware |  | 2,050 | 1,500 |  | 2,000 | 2,100 |
| Maryland |  | . 66 | 580 |  | 750 | 720 |
| Virginia |  | 2, 280 | 2,000 |  | 2,600 | 2,800 |
| West Virginia |  | 1,298 | 430 |  | 1,750 | 1,910 |
| North Carolina |  | 6,224 | 6,600 |  | 7,500 | て,500 |
| South Carolina |  | 1,485. | 1,670 |  | 2,020 | 1,990 |
| Georgia |  | 1,411 | 1,560 |  | 1,830 | 2,080 |
| Florida |  | 785 | 820 |  | 670 | 830 |
| Kentucky |  | 1,855. | 2,390 |  | 2,750 | 2,790 |
| Tennessee |  | 1,88E | 1,590 |  | 2,240 | 1,780 |
| Alabama |  | 1,275 | 1,400 |  | 1,710 | 1,380 |
| Mississippi |  | 285 | 250 |  | 290 | 220 |
| Arkansas |  | 9,840. | 4,800 |  | 8,200 | 9,600. |
| Louisiana |  |  | 50 |  | 50 | 60 |
| Oklahoma |  | 3,165 | 2,500 |  | 3,200 | 3,600 |
| Texas |  | 2,410 | 2,000 |  | 2,800 | 3,000 |
| Idaho |  | 539 | 580 |  | 580 | 580 |
| Colorado |  | 512 | 650 |  | 500 | 770 |
| New Mexico |  | 1,069 | 1,240 |  | 1,170 | 1,270 |
| Arizona |  | 1,047 | 730 |  | 710 | 740 |
| Utah |  | 952 | 860 |  | 840 | 850 |
| Nevada |  | 94 | 100 |  | 110 | 110 |
| Washington |  | 5,030 | 5,500 |  | 5,700 | 6,500 |
| Oregon | : | 2,280 | 2,400 |  | 1,700 | 2,300 |
| California |  | 1,950,700 | 2,531,000 |  | 2,228,000 | 2,281,000 |
| United State | : | 2,220,001 | 2,703,560 |  | 2,525,830 | 2,571,110 |

Compiled from reports of the Agriculturel Marketing Service.
1/ For some States in certain years, production includes some quantities unharvested on account of market conditions.

Table 8.-Grapes: Production in California, by varieties, average 1929-38, annual 1938-40

| State and variety | $\begin{aligned} & \text { : Average } \\ & : 1929-38 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | 1938 : | 1939 | 1940 prsl. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | : Tons | Tons | Tons | Tons |
| California, all | $: 1,950,700$ |  |  |  |
| Wine varieties | : 1,481,800 | 2,641,000 | -569,000 | 2,605,000 |
| Raisin varieties | : 1,126,500 | 1,443,000 | 1,269,000 | 1,249,000 |
| Dried 1/ | 212,560 | 290,000 | 245,000 | , --- |
| Not dried | 276,200 | 283,000 | 289,000 | ---- |
| Table varieties | : 342,400 | 447,000 | 390,000 | 424,000 |

Compiled from reports of the Agricultural Marketing Service.
1/ Dried basis: 1 ton of dried raisins equivalent to 4 tons of fresh grapes.

Table 9.-Grsyes, California: Weighted average auction price per lug, at New York and Chicago, by specified varieties and weeks, 1939 and 1940

| Market and week ended | 1939 |  |  |  | 1940 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New York | DOI. | Dol. | Dol. | DOI. | Dol. | Dol. | DO1. | DO1. |
| Oct. 11 | 1.40 | 1.17 | 1.75 | 1.18 | 1.65 | :1.11 | 1.23 | 1.20 |
| 18 | 1.73 | 1.29 | 1.48 | 1.22 | 1.62 | 1.10 | 1.23 | 1.17 |
| 25 | 1.62 | 1.08 | 1.28 | . 94 | 1.59 | 1.19 | 1.34 | 1.22 |
| Nov. 1 | 1.72 | 1.15 | 1.31 | 1.12 | 1.46 | 1.33 | 1.34 | 1.16 |
| 8 | 1.94 | 1.32 | 1.34 | 1.34 | 1.43 | :1.16. | 1.32 | 1.19 |
| Chicago |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Oct. 11 | 1.47 | 1.07. | I. 50 | 1.18 | 1.58 | 1.19 | 1.22 | 1.15 |
| 18 | 1.63 | 1.13 | 1.24 | 1.03 | 1.49 | 1.16 | 1.51 | 1.17 |
| 25 | 1.61 | 1.14 | 1.15 | 1.02 | 1.45 | 1.09 | 1.06 | 1.19 |
| Nov. 1 | 1.50 | 1.06 | 1.13 | 1.08 | 1.50 | : 1.20 | 1.17 | 1.12 |
| 8 | 2.37 | 1.31 | 1.24 | 1.35 | 1.36 | 1.19 | 1.19 | 1.08 |

Compiled from New York Daily Fruit Reporter, deciduous section and Chicago Fruit and Vegetable Reporter.

Table 10. - Grapes, California, juice: Weighted average auction price per lug, Jersey City, N. J., by specified varieties and weeks, 1939 and 1940


Table ll.- Cranoerries: Acreage, yield per acre, and production; average. 1929-38, annual 1939 and. 1940


Compiled from reports of the Agricultural Marketing Service.

Table l2.- Oranges: Total weekly shipments from producing areas, by varieties, September to November 1939 and' 1940 I/

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1940 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Calif.: |  |  | : | Calif.: |  |  | Tot |  |
|  |  | Ariz.: |  |  | : $\quad$ | Ariz.: |  |  | Cora- | Relief |
|  |  | Valen-: | Fla. | Tex. | :Total | Walen- | Fla. | Tex. | mer- | pur- |
|  |  | cias : | 2/ |  | : 3/ | cias | 2/ |  | cial | chases |
|  |  | - 2/ |  |  | : | $2 /$ |  |  |  | $4 /$ |
|  |  | Cars | Cars | Cars | Cars | Cers | Cars | Cars | Cars | Cars |
| Sept |  | 1,297 | --- | --- | 1,297 | 1,592 | - | --- | 1,592 | 108 |
|  | 14: | 1,428 | --- | --- | 1,428 | 1,463 | --- | --- | 1,463 | 116 |
|  | 21: | 1,303 | --- | --- | 1,308 | 1,541 | --- | --- | 1,541 | 110 |
|  | 28: | 1,319 | 31 | --- | 1,350 | 1,311 | --- | --- | 1,311 | 89 |
| Oct. | 5: | 1,516 | 186 | 16 | 1,718 | 1,528 | --- | --- | 1,528 | 89 |
|  | 12: | 1,337 | 876 | 11.4 | 2,327 | 1,460 | 11 | 127 | 1,598 | 94 |
|  | 19: | 911 | 1,102 | 169 | 2,186 | 1,625 | 92 | 156 | 1,873 | 86 |
|  | 26: | 740 | 1,008 | 170 | 1,976 | 1,340 | 497 | 273 | 2,110 | 48 |
| Nov. | 2: | 510 | 1,184 | 157 | 1,950 | 1,143 | 712 | 241 | 2,097 | 16 |
|  | 9: | 329 | 1,750 | 191 | 1,904 | 610 | 1,1ヵ | 229 | 2,033 | --- |
|  | 16: | 219 | 1,639 | 227 | 2,992 | 150 | 1;549 | 185 | 1,983 | --- |

Compiled from reports of the Surplus Narketing Administration. l/ Rail, boat and truck. No truck shipments reported for Louisiana, Alabama and liississippi; total truck shipments from Texas; interstate truck shipments from California-Arizona; interstate end intrastate truck shipments (excluding trucked to canners and to boats) fiom Florida. 2/ Excluding relief shiprients. 3/ Includes shipments from all producing areas, and also tangerines. 4/ Purcheses made by Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation.

Table 13.- Grapefruit: Total weekly shipments from producing areas, September to November 1939 and 1940 I/

| Week ended | 1939 |  |  |  | 1940 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fla. | Tex. | CaliI.: Total Ariz. : |  | Fla. | Tex. | Calif. | Total |
|  | Cars | Cars | Curs | Cars | Cars | Cars | Cars | Cars |
| Sept. 7: | 12 | --- | 63 | 75 | --- | --- | 46 | 46 |
| 14: | 14 | --- | 64 | 78 | --- | --- | 81 | 81 |
| 21: | 30 | --- | 22 | 52 | --- | --- | 70 | 70 |
| $28:$ | 150 | --- | 30 | 180 | --- | --- | 55 | 55 |
| Oct. 5: | 491 | 56 | 32 | 579 | 36 | 63 | 23 | 122 |
| 12: | 573 | 401 | 35 | 1,009 | 360 | 535 | 28 | 923 |
| $19:$ | 564 | 599 | 44 | 1,207 | 585 | 710 | 69 | 1,364 |
| 26: | 498 | 688 | 32 | 1,218 | 444 | 737 | 55 | 1,236 |
| Nov. 2: | 390 | 606 | 32 | 1,028 | 343 | 584 | 43 | 970 |
| 9: | 404 | 720 | 31 | 1,155 | 457 | 604 | 41 | 1,102 |
| $16:$ | 446 | 696 | 43 | 1,185 | 536 | 730 | 35 | 1,301 |

Compiled from reports of the Surplus Marketing Administration. 1/ Rail, boat and truck. Total truck shipments from Texas; interstate truck shipments from Califormie-Arizona; interstate and intrastate truck shipments (excluding trucked to cenners and to boets) from Florida.

Table 14.-Citrus fruits: Production by States and varieties, average 1929-38, annual 1938-40 I/


Compiled frcy reports of the Agricultural liarketing Service.
1/ Relates tu crop from bloom of year shown. In California the picking season adortad extends from Novemher 1 to October 31. In other States the season begins about September 1. For some States, in certain Jears, production includes some quantities donated to charity and / or eliminated on account of market conditions. 2/ Short-time average. 3/ Failure reported. 4/ First revort of production of California Valencia oranges and lemons and Florida lizes (from bloon of 1940) will be issued in Decauber. 5/ Net content of bores varies. In California and Arizone the arorox-aate average for oranges is 70 pounds net and grapefruit 50 pounds; in Fiorida and other States oranges 90 pounds and grapefruit 80 pounds; California lemons, about $7 G$ pounds net.

Table 15.- Citrus fruits: Weighted average auction price per box, New York and Chicago, by specified periods, 1939 and 1940


Compiled as follows: New York, weekly reports of California Fruit Growers' Exchange; Chicago, Chicago Fruit and Vegetable Reporter.

Table 16.- Miscellaneous fruits and nuts, condition October 1 with comparisons; production, average 1929-38 annual 1939 and 1940


Compiled from reports of the Agricultural Narketing Service.
1/ For some States in certain years, production includes some quantities unharvested on account of market conditions.
2/ Short-time average.

Table 17.- Pecars: PMoiuction by States, average 1929-38, annua. $1938-40$


Ompiled iron renorts of Agricultural lian eting Service.

- Buddec, grafted, or top-worired verieties.

Table 18.- בruits: \#rports of fresh, dinied and canned from the United States, by zonths, year veginning julu, 1939 and 1940


Compiled from reports of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Comerce.
1/ Incluces evamorated fruit and driek frits for salads, pears, raisins, apples, auicots, peaches, prunes, wole raste (except pomace) and otiner. 2/ Inclucues graniruit, logamerries, otier canned berries, apnles, and apple sauce, anricots, cherries, prunes, peaches, pears, pineapples, fruit for salaüs aind other canned fruits.

Table 19.- Fruits: Unveighted averaré wholesole price at New Ycrls and Chicago, for stock of generally good quality and condition (U. S. No. I when quoted) specified wee':s, ISLO with comparisons


Table l9.- Fruits: Unveighter average winolesale price at New York and Chicaç, for stocl: of generally good quality and condition (U. S. Nc. I when quoted) specified weel.:s, 1940 witil comparisons - Continued


Table 20.- Fruit: Carlot (rail and boat) shipments from originating points in the United States for the week ended November 16, 1940 with comparisons


Table 2l.- Apples: Cola storage holdings by Stoces. Novenber l, 1939 and 1940


Compiled fron renorts of the Agricultural llarketing Service.

Table 22:- Pears: Cold storage noldings by Stuties, Fovember l, 1939 and 1940


[^0]Table 23.- Fruits, fresh: Cold storage holdings, November l, 1940 by geographic divisions


Compiled from reports of the Agricultural Marketing Service.
Table 24.- Fruits, frozen:

| Comrodity. : | $\begin{aligned} & \text { New : } \\ & \text { Fingland: } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Middle : } \\ \text { At- } \quad \\ \text { lantic } \end{gathered}$ | East Morth Central: | West <br> North <br> Central: | South Atlantic | Teast : <br> South : <br> Central: | West : South : <br> Central: | Mountain | Pacific: | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| . | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 |
|  | pounds | pounds | pounds | pounds | pounds | pounds | pounds | pounds | pounds | pounds |
| In small containers: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Blackberries .......: | 2 | 21 | 179 | 9 | 680 | -- | 2 | -- | 507 | 1,400 |
| Blueberries | 124 | 740 | 443 | 45 | 117 | 3 | 5 | 17 | 5 | 1,499 |
| Cherries ............: | 28 | 1,222 | 576 | 95 | 153 |  | 3 | 1 | 57 | 2,165 |
| Logan and similar : | 4 | 15 | 92 | 2 | 16 | 1 | 4 | 7 | 363 | 504 |
| Raspberries | 116 | 278 | $1+25$ | 199 | 194 | 10 | 20 | 16 | 906 | 2,164 |
| Strawberries .......: | 878 | 1,856 | 2,182 | 504 | 1,107 | 207 | 229 | 153 | 3, 852 | 10,968 |
| Other fruits | 152 | 2,201 | 2,526 | 100 | 426 | 301 | 55 | 12 | 3,963 | 9,738 |
| Total | 1,304 | 6,333 | 6,423 | 954 | 2,725 | 522 | 318 | 206 | 9,653 | 28,438 |
| In bully or larce |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| containers |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Blackberries .......: | 106 | 802 | 376 | 207 | 297 | 94 | 44 | 2 | 5,749 | 7,677 |
| Blueberries | 525 | 2,341 | 1,210 | 328 | 81 | 3 | 3 | $\square$ |  | 4,498 |
| Cherries | 292 | 13,553 | 5,403 | 934 | 267 | 83 | 100 | 264 | 2,064 | 22,900 |
| Lo gan and sinilar : berries ........ | 78 | 187 | 406 | 45 | 4.8 | 4 | 2 | 90 | 4,152 | 5,012 |
| Raspberries | 1,752 | 5,108 | 2,714 | 244 | 222 | 129 | 20 | 12 | 2,074 | 12,275 |
| Strawberries | 1,757 | 9,164 | 6,433 | 1,587 | 3,151 | 211 | 828 | 369 | 13,384 | 36,884 |
| Other fruits | 129 | 15, 334 | 12,229 | 885 | 1,220 | 501 | 421 | 210 | 13, 293 | 44, 727 |
| Iotal .............. Total, all containers | 4,639 | 46,989 | 28,711 | 4,230 | 5,286 | 1,025 | 1.418 | 247 | 40,728 | 134, 033 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Blackberries .......: | 1.08 | $\delta 23$ | 555 | 216 | 977 | 94 | 46 | 2 | 6,256 | 9,077 |
|  | 649 | 3,081 | 1,653 | 373 | 198 | 6 | 8 | 17 | 12 | 5,997 |
| Cherries ...........: | 320 | 14,775 | 5,979 | 1,029 | 450 | 83 | 103 | 265 | 2,121 | 35,125 |
| Locgan and similor berries .........: | 82 | 202 | 498 | 47 | 64 | 5 | 6 | 97 | 4,515 | 5,516 |
| R冗spberries ........: | 1,868 | 5,386 | 3,139 | 443 | 416 | 139 | 40 | 28 | 2,900 | 14,439 |
| Strawberries ....... | 2,635 | 11,020 | 8,615 | 2,091 | 4,258 | 418 | 1,057 | 522 | 17,236 | 47,852 |
| Other fruits .......Total $\ldots$. . . . . | 281 | 18,035 | 14,755 | 985 | 1,648 | 802 | 476 | 222 | 17,261 | 54,465 |
|  | 5,943 | 53,322 | 35,194 | 5,184 | 8,011 | 1,547 | 1,736 | 1,153 | 50,381 | 162,471 |
| Compiled from reports | of the | Agricult | ural Mar | keting S | rvice. |  |  |  |  |  |


[^0]:    Compiled from reports of the Agricultural Harketing Service.

