

BooFSIC's Weekly Produce Report



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FSIC's weekly produce report provides highlights of what's going on in the produce markets so restaurants can make informed purchasing decisions.

▼ Prices are down this week ▲ Availability is down or prices are up this week ↔ Price and/or availability is stable or mixed.

Apples

↔ The market is mixed. WA supply of Granny Smith is up. Red Delicious and Honeycrisp supply is down. Fuji and Gala supply is steady. Moderate supply. Good demand.

Asparagus

▲ The market is up. Peru supply is up. Light supply and demand

Avocado

▼ Market is down. Mexico supply of 40s, 48s, 60s, and 70s is down. Strong supply. Light demand.

Bell Peppers

▲ **Green bell peppers:** Market is up. Mexico supply through AZ is up. Moderate supply. Light demand.

▼ **Red bell peppers:** Market is down. Mexico supply is down. Light supply. Good demand.

Berries

▼ **Strawberries:** The market is down. Strong supply. Light demand.

Broccoli

▼ The broccoli market is down. CA supply is down. Moderate supply and demand.

Carrots

↔ The market is steady. CA, supply is steady. Moderate supply and demand.

Cauliflower

▲ The cauliflower market is up. CA supply is up. Moderate supply and demand. Sizing and quality issues due to cooler weather.

Celery

▲ The celery market is up. CA supply is up. Moderate supply and demand. Quality issues include lighter weights.

Cucumbers

↔ Market is mixed. Mexico's supply through TX is down. Mexico supply through AZ is up. Moderate supply. Light demand. FL supply is down. Moderate supply. Good demand.

Grapes

↔ Market is mixed. Chile supply through PA of White Seedless is up. Red Seedless are steady. Moderate supply and demand.

Lemons

▲ Market is up. CA and AZ supply is up. Light supply. Good demand.

Lettuce

▼ **Iceberg:** The Iceberg market is down. Moderate supply and demand. Quality issues include lighter weights.

▲ **Leaf:** The green leaf market is up. Light supply. Good demand. Quality issues include disease pressure.

▲ **Romaine:** Romaine supply is up. Light supply. Good demand. Quality issues include disease pressure.

Limes

↔ Market is steady. Mexico's supply through TX of 150s, 200s, and 250s is steady. Light supply. Good demand.

Melons

▼ **Cantaloupe:** Market is down. Mexico supply through AZ 9 ct. and 12 ct. are down. Moderate supply. Light demand.

▼ **Honeydew:** Market is down. Mexico supply through AZ is down. Light supply. Moderate demand. Central America supply through FL is down. Moderate supply. Light demand.

Onions

↔ The jumbo yellow onion is mixed. Southern WA-Northern OR is down. Moderate supply and demand. CA supply is steady. Moderate supply. Good demand.

Oranges

▼ Market is down. CA and AZ supply is down. Moderate supply and demand.

Potatoes

↔ **Russets:** Market is steady. Southern WA-Northern OR 70 ct. and 90 ct. supply is steady. Moderate supply and demand. ID supply of 70 ct. and 90 ct. is steady. Moderate supply. Light demand.

↔ **Reds:** Market is steady. Moderate supply and demand.

▲ **Yellow:** Market is up. Moderate supply and demand.

Squash

▼ Market is down. Moderate supply. Light demand.

Tomatoes

▼ **Rounds:** The market is down. Mexico through TX supply is down. Moderate supply. Good demand. High pricing.

▼ **Cherry:** The market is down. Light supply and demand.

↔ **Grape:** The market is steady. Mexico's supply through TX is steady. Moderate supply and demand.

↔ **Romas:** The market is steady. Mexico supply through TX is steady. Moderate supply. Good demand.