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Information is for major shipping point areas.

Shipments in 40,000 LB Units from 11/13/2025 to 11/19/2025

Commodity/Var/Prop/Origin/District	Trans Mode/ Imp- Exp	Nov 13	Nov 14	Nov 15	Nov 16	Nov 17	Nov 18	Nov 19	Total This Season	To Date Last Season	Final Last Season
<b>WATERMELONS</b>											
<b>DOMINICAN REPUBLIC</b>											
IMPORTS THROUGH SAN JUAN PUERTO RICO	B I	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	19	33	80
<b>GUATEMALA</b>											
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	B I	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	568
<b>MEXICO</b>											
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA	T I	52	25	-	-	14	59	-	880	542	7,084
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA CALIFORNIA	T I	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	87	49	306
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH PHARR TEXAS	T I	1	2	-	-	1	-	-	39	46	476
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH PROGRESO TEXAS	T I	3	1	-	-	4	26	-	311	268	4,868
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH RIO GRANDE CITY TEXAS	T I	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	1	137
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH ROMA TEXAS	T I	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	10
<b>WATERMELONS - RED FLESH SEEDLESS MINIATURE</b>											
<b>MEXICO</b>											
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA	T I	25	30	-	-	20	35	-	696	1,773	3,966
<b>WATERMELONS - RED FLESH SEEDLESS MINIATURE - ORGANIC</b>											
<b>MEXICO</b>											
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA	T I	5	3	-	-	2	4	-	75	95	235
<b>WATERMELONS - SEEDLESS</b>											
<b>BRAZIL</b>											
IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	B I	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	2	53
<b>GUATEMALA</b>											
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	B I	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	-	1,754
<b>MEXICO</b>											
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA	T I	52	83	-	-	9	61	-	1,382	1,952	14,547
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA CALIFORNIA	T I	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	73	102	476
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH PROGRESO TEXAS	T I	-	-	-	-	6	2	-	190	584	2,866
<b>WATERMELONS - SEEDLESS - ORGANIC</b>											
<b>MEXICO</b>											
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA	T I	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	37	18	375
<b>GRAND TOTALS</b>		<b>156</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3,846</b>	<b>5,465</b>	<b>37,801</b>

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<b>CANTALOUPE</b>											
<b>ARIZONA</b>											
WESTERN ARIZONA	T	14	18	15	-	18	5	1	3,271	2,677	2,680
<b>CALIFORNIA-CENTRAL</b>											
SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY CALIFORNIA	T	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,886	12,356	12,356
<b>CALIFORNIA-IMPERIAL VAL</b>											
IMPERIAL VALLEY CALIFORNIA	T	8	8	-	-	-	-	-	2,945	2,790	2,790
<b>GUATEMALA</b>											
IMPORTS THROUGH FREEPORT TEXAS	BI	-	-	-	-	11	-	-	11	1	1,150
IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	BI	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	29	-	3,219
IMPORTS THROUGH PORT CANAVERAL FLORIDA	BI	-	18	-	-	-	-	-	18	50	3,634
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	BI	17	4	-	-	-	11	-	92	119	2,139
IMPORTS THROUGH WILMINGTON DELAWARE	BI	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	37	25	719
<b>MEXICO</b>											
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA	TI	24	33	-	-	16	29	-	231	259	965
<b>GRAND TOTALS</b>		<b>93</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>20,520</b>	<b>18,277</b>	<b>29,652</b>

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<b>HONEYDEWS</b>											
<b>ARIZONA</b>											
WESTERN ARIZONA	T	8	7	3	-	7	1	-	468	512	512
<b>CALIFORNIA-CENTRAL</b>											
SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY CALIFORNIA	T	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,091	5,450	5,484
<b>CALIFORNIA-IMPERIAL VAL</b>											
IMPERIAL VALLEY CALIFORNIA	T	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	1,009	652	652
<b>GUATEMALA</b>											
IMPORTS THROUGH PORT CANAVERAL FLORIDA	BI	-	22	-	-	-	-	-	22	11	1,212
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	BI	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	14	765
IMPORTS THROUGH WILMINGTON DELAWARE	BI	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	158
<b>MEXICO</b>											
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA	TI	39	37	-	-	30	64	-	677	736	3,682
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA CALIFORNIA	TI	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3
<b>GRAND TOTALS</b>		<b>55</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>7,284</b>	<b>7,381</b>	<b>12,504</b>

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**SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION**

Sales F.O.B Shipping Point and Delivered Sales Shipping Point Basis for November 20, 2025. 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

**CANTALOUPE:** SUPPLY LIGHT AND IN FEW HANDS. DEMAND MODERATE. MARKET SLIGHTLY LOWER. Wide range in quality and condition. 1/2 cartons 9s 18.95-20.95 mostly 18.95 occasional lower 12s 16.95-20.95 mostly 16.95-18.95 15s 14.95-16.95 few 18.95

**HONEYDEWS:** DEMAND MODERATE. MARKET SLIGHTLY LOWER. Wide range in quality and condition. 2/3 cartons 5s 6.00-8.00 occasional higher 6s 6.00-8.00 occasional higher 8s 5.00-7.00 occasional higher

**WATERMELONS:** DEMAND MINIATURE MODERATE, OTHERS FAIRLY GOOD. MARKET MINIATURE 6S SLIGHTLY LOWER, 8-9S ABOUT STEADY, OTHERS SLIGHTLY HIGHER. Extra services included. Wide range in quality and condition. Red Flesh Seedless Miniature cartons 6s 12.95-15.00 mostly 13.00-14.00 occasional higher 8s 10.00-12.00 few 12.95 9s 6.00-8.00 mostly 6.00-7.00 occasional higher Red Flesh Seedless Type cartons 4s 19.00-22.00 mostly 20.00-22.00 occasional higher 5s 21.00-24.95 mostly 22.00-23.00 occasional higher 6s 18.00-22.00 mostly 18.00-20.00 24 inch bins approx 36 count 182.00-210.00 mostly 189.00-203.00 occasional lower approx 45 count 189.00-210.00 mostly 189.00-203.00 occasional lower approx 60 count 182.00-203.00 mostly 182.00-196.00 occasional higher and lower

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**

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

**WATERMELONS:** DEMAND MODERATE. MARKET STEADY. Wide range in quality and condition. Red Flesh Seedless Type 24 inch bins approx 36 count 224.00-266.00 mostly 238.00-266.00 occasional higher and lower approx 45 count 224.00-266.00 mostly 238.00-266.00 occasional higher and lower approx 60 count 224.00-266.00 mostly 238.00-266.00 occasional higher and lower

**WHOLESALE TERMINAL MARKET PRICES AS OF November 20, 2025.**

This is only a sample of wholesale terminal market reports. For a complete and current listing <https://www.ams.usda.gov/market-news/fruit-and-vegetable-terminal-markets-standard-reports>

**ASHEVILLE**

**CANTALOUPE:** MARKET. OFFERINGS LIGHT. 1 1/9 bushel crates GUATEMALA ATHENA TYPE 12s 27.00-35.00  
**HONEYDEWS:** MARKET. OFFERINGS LIGHT. 2/3 cartons/crates MEXICO 6s 23.00-32.00

**ATLANTA**

**CANTALOUPE:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. OFFERINGS LIGHT. 1/2 cartons ARIZONA-CALIFORNIA 9s 26.00-28.00 mostly 26.00-27.00 occasional lower fine appearance 33.00-34.00 occasional higher/lower 12s 25.00-28.00 mostly 26.00-27.00 occasional lower fine appearance 33.00-34.00 occasional higher/lower MEXICO 9s 25.00-28.00 mostly 26.00-27.00 occasional higher/lower 12s 24.00-27.00 mostly 25.00-26.00 occasional higher/lower oversized 1/2 cartons ARIZONA-CALIFORNIA 9s (6 size) insufficient to quote MEXICO 9s (6 size) 26.00-27.00 mostly 26.00 occasional higher/lower

**HONEYDEWS:** MARKET ARIZONA-CALIFORNIA AND MEXICO 2/3 CARTONS 5S AND 6S SLIGHTLY LOWER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY. 2/3 cartons ARIZONA-CALIFORNIA 5s 18.00-20.00 mostly 19.00-19.50 occasional higher fair condition 13.00-14.00 poorer quality and condition lower 6s 17.00-20.00 mostly 18.00-19.00 occasional higher fair condition 13.00-14.00 poorer quality and condition lower MEXICO 5s 18.00-20.00 mostly 19.00-19.50 occasional higher 6s 17.00-20.00 mostly 18.00-19.00 occasional lower 8s 18.00-20.00 mostly 18.00-19.00 occasional lower oversized 2/3 cartons MEXICO 5s (4 size) 17.00 occasional higher/lower

**WATERMELONS:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. cartons FLORIDA RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 5s insufficient to quote MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 4s 34.00-37.00 mostly 35.00-36.00 occasional lower fine appearance 42.00-44.00 mostly 43.00 -44.00 occasional higher/lower 5s 34.00-37.00 mostly 35.00-36.00 occasional lower fine appearance 42.00-44.00 mostly 43.00-44.00 occasional higher 6s fine appearance insufficient to quote 24 inch bins FLORIDA RED FLESH SEEDED TYPE 30-35s 187.00-197.00 occasional higher RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 45s 290.00-300.00 one lot 319.00-329.00 60s 384.00-394.00 occasional lower MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 45s 325.00-329.00 occasional lower 60s 390.00-394.00 occasional lower

**BOSTON**

**CANTALOUPE:** MARKET STEADY. 1/2 cartons ARIZONA 9s 26.00-27.00 12s 26.00-27.00 MEXICO 9s 26.00-28.00 mostly 26.00-27.00 9s (6 size) 29.00 12s 26.00-29.00 mostly 26.00-28.00

**HONEYDEWS:** MARKET STEADY. 2/3 cartons ARIZONA 5s 18.00 6s 18.00 GUATEMALA 5s 18.00 6s 18.00 MEXICO 6s 14.00-16.00

**MELON, GAYA:** OFFERINGS LIGHT. 2/3 cartons BRAZIL 6s 31.00

**MELON, HAMI :** OFFERINGS LIGHT. 2/3 cartons CALIFORNIA 5s 22.00-24.00 6s 22.00-24.00 8s 22.00-24.00

**MELON, ORANGE FLESH:** OFFERINGS LIGHT. 2/3 cartons CALIFORNIA 5s 22.00-24.00 6s 22.00-24.00

**WATERMELONS:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. cartons MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 5s 42.00 one lot 45.00 24 inch bins FLORIDA RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 36s 10.00 45s 8.00 60s 6.00 MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 36s 10.00-11.00 45s 8.00-9.00 60s 5.00-6.00

**CHICAGO**

**CANTALOUPE:** MARKET GUATEMALA 9S (6 SZ) LOWER; OTHERS ABOUT STEADY. flat cartons ARIZONA 9s (6 size) fair condition 11.00 1/2 cartons ARIZONA 12s 22.00 GUATEMALA 9s 24.00 12s 24.00 MEXICO 9s 22.00 oversized 1/2 cartons GUATEMALA 9s (6 size) 25.00- 27.00 MEXICO 9s (6 size) 24.00-26.00 fair appearance 22.00

**HONEYDEWS:** MARKET MEXICO AND ARIZONA SLIGHTLY HIGHER; GUATEMALA 5S LOWER; OTHERS ABOUT STEADY. 2/3 cartons ARIZONA 5s 15.50 6s 14.50 GUATEMALA 5s 15.50 6s 17.00 MEXICO 5s 12.00-15.50 mostly 13.00-14.00 6s 12.00-14.50 mostly 13.00- 14.00 oversized 2/3 cartons GUATEMALA 5s (4 size) 17.00 MEXICO 5s (4 size) 15.00

**WATERMELONS:** MARKET CARTONS AND 24 INCH BINS HIGHER; OTHERS STEADY. cartons MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 4s 38.00 5s 38.00-42.00 fair appearance 28.00 6s 36.00 fair appearance 25.50 24 inch bins MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 36s 350.00 45s 320.00-350.00 60s 360.00 flat cartons MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS MINIATURE 8s 21.50 9s fair condition 10.00 YELLOW FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 9s fair condition 10.00  
**ORGANIC WATERMELONS:** MARKET CARTONS AND 24 INCH BINS HIGHER; OTHERS STEADY. flat cartons MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS MINIATURE 8s fair condition 8.00

**LOS ANGELES**

**CANTALOUPE:** MARKET STEADY. flat cartons MEXICO 9s 24.00-26.00 9s (6 size) 25.00-26.00 1/2 cartons MEXICO 12s 22.00-24.00 occasional higher and lower

**HONEYDEWS:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. 2/3 cartons MEXICO 5s 16.00-18.00 6s 16.00-18.00 8s insufficient to quote

**WATERMELONS:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. cartons MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS MINIATURE 6s 21.00-23.00 8s 16.00-18.00 RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 4s 32.00-35.00 5s 32.00-35.00 6s 30.00-32.00 bins MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 36s 263.00-265.00 45s 263.00-265.00 60s 263.00-265.00

**MIAMI**

**CANTALOUPE:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. OFFERINGS LIGHT. 1/2 cartons ARIZONA-CALIFORNIA 9s 33.00-35.00 occasional higher 12s 33.00-35.00 occasional higher

**HONEYDEWS:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. OFFERINGS LIGHT. 2/3 cartons ARIZONA-CALIFORNIA 5s 23.00-26.00 occasional lower 6s 23.00-26.00 occasional lower

**WATERMELONS:** MARKET LOWER. 24 inch bins FLORIDA RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 36s per melon 6.00 occasional higher 45s per melon 5.00 occasional higher 60s per melon 4.00-5.00 occasional higher

**NEW YORK**

**CANTALOUPE:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. flat cartons GUATEMALA 9s (6 size) fine appearance 32.00-34.00 1/2 cartons GUATEMALA 9s 22.00-24.00 fine appearance 26.00-28.00 12s 22.00-26.00 mostly 24.00 holdovers 16.00-18.00 MEXICO 9s 22.00-24.00 oversized 1/2

cartons GUATEMALA 9s (6 size) 24.00-26.00 fine appearance 28.00-30.00

**HONEYDEWS:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. 2/3 cartons GUATEMALA 5s 16.00 fine appearance 19.00-20.00 6s 16.00 MEXICO 5s 16.00-18.00 6s 16.00-18.00 oversized 2/3 cartons MEXICO 5s (4 size) 18.00-20.00

**WATERMELONS:** MARKET STEADY. cartons MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS MINIATURE 6s fine appearance 26.00 cartons 4s MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 65-69 lb 38.00-40.00 fine appearance 42.00-46.00 mostly 44.00

**PHILADELPHIA**

**CANTALOUPE:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. 1/2 cartons CALIFORNIA 12s 27.00-28.00 GUATEMALA 9s 24.00-26.00 12s 24.00-26.00 MEXICO 9s 28.00 12s 27.00-28.00 oversized 1/2 cartons

CALIFORNIA 9s (6 size) 29.00-30.00 GUATEMALA 9s (6 size) 26.00-28.00

**HONEYDEWS:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. 2/3 cartons GUATEMALA 5s 16.00-20.00 mostly 18.00-20.00 6s 22.00 MEXICO 5s 19.00-20.00 fair appearance fair condition 10.00 6s 19.00 fair appearance fair condition 10.00 8s 15.00 fair appearance fair condition 10.00 oversized 2/3 cartons GUATEMALA 5s (4 size) 18.00-20.00 MEXICO 5s (4 size) 19.00-20.00 fair appearance fair condition 10.00

**MELON, JUAN CANARY:** OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 10 kg cartons BRAZIL 6s 26.00

**MELON, SANTA CLAUS (PIEL DE SAPO):** OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 17 kg cartons BRAZIL 7s 37.00

**WATERMELONS:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. cartons FLORIDA RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE Round Types 4s 36.00-38.00 5s 36.00-38.00 MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE Round Types 4s 36.00 5s 36.00 24 inch bins FLORIDA RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE Round Types 60s 340.00 SANGRIA TYPE 35s 350.00 flat cartons MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE Round Types 6s 21.00-22.00