



# SPECIALTY CROPS NATIONAL TRUCK RATE REPORT

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## FRUIT AND VEGETABLE TRUCK RATE REPORT FOR TUESDAY DECEMBER 16, 2025

Rates quoted represent open (spot) market sales that shippers or receivers pay, depending on basis of sale, per load, including brokers' fees for shipments in truck load volume to a single destination. Extra charges for delivery to terminal markets, multi-pickup and multi-drop shipments are not included unless otherwise stated. Rates are based on the most usual loads in 48-53 foot refrigerated trailers from the origin shipping area to the destination receiving city. The ten cities of destination are Atlanta, Georgia; Baltimore, Maryland; Boston, Massachusetts; Chicago, Illinois; Dallas, Texas; Los Angeles, California; Miami, Florida; New York, New York; Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; and Seattle, Washington.

DISTRICT/REGION	TRUCK AVAILABILITY					
	Report Type	Surplus	Slight Surplus	Adequate	Slight Shortage	Shortage
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA						
IMPERIAL, COACHELLA VALLEYS CA, CENTRAL AND WESTERN AZ, MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH CALEXICO AND SAN LUIS						
KERN DISTRICT CALIFORNIA						
OXNARD DISTRICT CALIFORNIA						
SANTA MARIA CALIFORNIA						
SOUTH AND CENTRAL DISTRICT CALIFORNIA						
SAN LUIS VALLEY COLORADO						
CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA						
NEW YORK						
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTH TEXAS						
YAKIMA VALLEY AND WENATCHEE DISTRICT WASHINGTON						

## PRICES FOR TUESDAY DECEMBER 16, 2025

In areas where rates are based on package rates, per-load rates were derived by multiplying the package rate by the number of packages in the most usual load in a 48-53 foot trailer.

PERCENTAGE OF CHANGE FROM TUESDAY DECEMBER 9, 2025 SHOWN IN ( )

### MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA

--BEANS, ROUND GREEN TYPE, CUCUMBERS, EGGPLANT, HONEYDEWS, PEPPERS, BELL TYPE, SQUASH, ACORN, SQUASH, BUTTERNUT, SQUASH, GREY, SQUASH, KABOCHA, SQUASH, SPAGHETTI, SQUASH, YELLOW STRAIGHTNECK, SQUASH, ZUCCHINI AND WATERMELONS

		<u>RANGE</u>	<u>MOSTLY</u>	
Atlanta	Slight Shortage	5500-5700		( )
Baltimore	Slight Shortage	7200-7400		( )
Boston	Slight Shortage	8500-8700		( )
Chicago	Slight Shortage	5000-5200		( )
Dallas	Adequate	3200-3500		( )
Los Angeles	Adequate	1400-1700	1500-1600	( )
New York	Slight Shortage	7700-8000		( )
Philadelphia	Slight Shortage	7400-7600		( )

### IMPERIAL, COACHELLA VALLEYS CA, CENTRAL AND WESTERN AZ, MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH CALEXICO AND SAN LUIS

--ANISE, BROCCOLI, CABBAGE, CAULIFLOWER, CILANTRO, GREENS, KALE, LEEKS, LETTUCE, GREEN LEAF, LETTUCE, ICEBERG, LETTUCE, RED LEAF, LETTUCE, ROMAINE, PARSLEY, RADISHES AND SPINACH

		<u>RANGE</u>	<u>MOSTLY</u>	
Philadelphia	Adequate	7600-8400		(+1)

--ANISE, BROCCOLI, CABBAGE, CAULIFLOWER, GREENS, KALE, LETTUCE, GREEN LEAF, LETTUCE, ICEBERG, LETTUCE, RED LEAF, LETTUCE, ROMAINE AND RADISHES

		<u>RANGE</u>	<u>MOSTLY</u>	
Baltimore	Adequate	7600-8400		(0)

### KERN DISTRICT CALIFORNIA

--CARROTS AND GRAPES

		<u>RANGE</u>	<u>MOSTLY</u>	
Baltimore	Adequate	7300-8100	7800-7900	(0)
Philadelphia	Adequate	7500-8200		(-2)

### OXNARD DISTRICT CALIFORNIA

--CELERY, CILANTRO AND STRAWBERRIES

		<u>RANGE</u>	<u>MOSTLY</u>	
Baltimore	Adequate	7500-8300		(+1)
Philadelphia	Adequate	7600-8400		(+1)



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## SANTA MARIA CALIFORNIA

### --BROCCOLI, CAULIFLOWER, CELERY AND CILANTRO

		<u>RANGE</u>	<u>MOSTLY</u>	
Baltimore	Adequate	7500-8700		(-1)

### --BROCCOLI, CAULIFLOWER, CELERY AND STRAWBERRIES

		<u>RANGE</u>	<u>MOSTLY</u>	
Philadelphia	Adequate	7500-9200	8400-8800	(+3)

## SOUTH AND CENTRAL DISTRICT CALIFORNIA

### --ANISE, BLACKBERRIES, BOK CHOY, BROCCOLI, CABBAGE, CAULIFLOWER, CELERY, CILANTRO, ENDIVE, ESCAROLE, GREENS, KALE, LETTUCE, GREEN LEAF, LETTUCE, ICEBERG, LETTUCE, RED LEAF, LETTUCE, ROMAINE, PARSLEY, RASPBERRIES AND SPINACH

		<u>RANGE</u>	<u>MOSTLY</u>	
Philadelphia	Adequate	7600-8300		(-1)

### --ANISE, BLACKBERRIES, BROCCOLI, CABBAGE, CAULIFLOWER, CELERY, CILANTRO, GREENS, KALE, LEEKS, LETTUCE, GREEN LEAF, LETTUCE, ICEBERG, LETTUCE, RED LEAF, LETTUCE, ROMAINE, PARSLEY, RASPBERRIES AND SPINACH

		<u>RANGE</u>	<u>MOSTLY</u>	
Baltimore	Adequate	7300-8600		(-1)

### --GRAPEFRUIT, LEMONS AND ORANGES

		<u>RANGE</u>	<u>MOSTLY</u>	
Atlanta	Adequate	6000-6100		(0)
Baltimore	Adequate	7500-8100		(0)
Boston	Adequate	7900-9000	8200-8800	(0)
Chicago	Adequate	4800-5100		(0)
Dallas	Adequate	4000-4200		(0)
Miami	Adequate	8100-8700		(0)
New York	Adequate	7000-8700	7200-7800	(+6)
Philadelphia	Adequate	7400-8300	7400-7900	(0)
Seattle	Adequate	3300-3400		(0)

## SAN LUIS VALLEY COLORADO

### --POTATOES

		<u>RANGE</u>	<u>MOSTLY</u>	
Atlanta	Adequate	4000-4500		(0)
Baltimore	Adequate	5600-5850		(0)
Boston	Adequate	6200-6250		(0)
Dallas	Adequate	2200-2250		(0)

## CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA



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--BEANS, ROUND GREEN TYPE, BROCCOLI, CABBAGE, CELERY, CORN, SWEET, ENDIVE, ESCAROLE, LETTUCE, OTHER, LETTUCE, ROMAINE, OKRA, PEPPERS, BELL TYPE, PEPPERS, OTHER, RADISHES, SQUASH, YELLOW CROOKNECK/STRAIGHTNECK, SQUASH, ZUCCHINI, STRAWBERRIES, TOMATOES, TOMATOES, CHERRY, TOMATOES, GRAPE TYPE AND TOMATOES, PLUM TYPE

		<u>RANGE</u>	<u>MOSTLY</u>	
Atlanta	Adequate	900-1100		(0)
Baltimore	Adequate	2000-2200		(-5)
Boston	Adequate	3300-3500		(+13)
Chicago	Adequate	1800-2000		(+3)
New York	Adequate	2900-3100		(+5)
Philadelphia	Adequate	2350-2550		(+2)

## NEW YORK

--APPLES

		<u>RANGE</u>	<u>MOSTLY</u>	
Atlanta	Adequate	3500-3500		(0)
Boston	Adequate	2500-2800		(0)
Miami	Adequate	2800-4500	3800-4500	(0)
New York	Adequate	2200-2500		(0)
Philadelphia	Adequate	1800-2500		(0)

## MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTH TEXAS

--ASPARAGUS, BROCCOLI, CARROTS, CHAYOTE, CILANTRO, CUCUMBERS, GRAPEFRUIT, LIMES, ORANGES, PAPAYA, PEPPERS, ANAHEIM, PEPPERS, BELL TYPE, PEPPERS, HABANERO, PEPPERS, JALAPENO, PEPPERS, POBLANO, PEPPERS, SERRANO, PINEAPPLES, TOMATILLOS, TOMATOES, TOMATOES, GRAPE TYPE, TOMATOES, PLUM TYPE AND WATERMELONS

		<u>RANGE</u>	<u>MOSTLY</u>	
Atlanta	Shortage	4000-4600	4200-4600	(+16)
Baltimore	Shortage	5400-6000	5600-5800	(+21)
Boston	Shortage	6600-7400	6700-7000	(+18)
Chicago	Shortage	4000-4800	4400-4600	(+22)
Dallas	Shortage	1900-2200	2000-2100	(+8)
Los Angeles	Shortage	3200-3600	3300-3600	(0)
Miami	Shortage	4500-5200	4700-5000	(+10)
New York	Shortage	6400-7200	6800-7000	(+19)
Philadelphia	Shortage	6200-7000	6400-6800	(+20)

## YAKIMA VALLEY AND WENATCHEE DISTRICT WASHINGTON

--APPLES AND PEARS

		<u>RANGE</u>	<u>MOSTLY</u>	
Atlanta	Adequate	6800-7100		(0)
Baltimore	Adequate	7000-8200	7400-7700	(0)
Boston	Adequate	7700-8300		(0)



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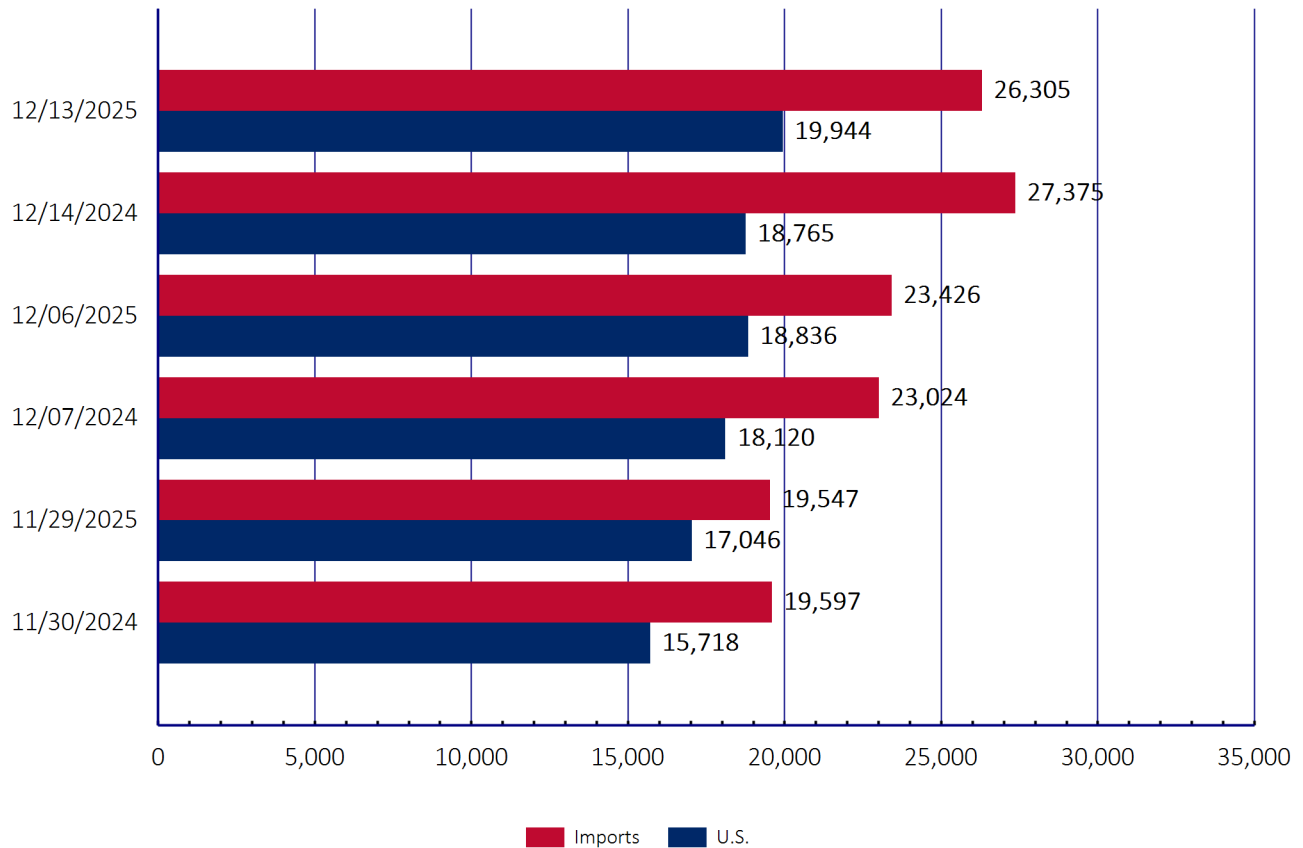
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Chicago	Adequate	4700-6000	4700-5200	(0)
Dallas	Adequate	5200-6000	5200-5700	(0)
Los Angeles	Adequate	2500-3200	2600-2900	(0)
Miami	Adequate	8800-9400		(0)
New York	Adequate	7100-8600	7700-8200	(0)
Philadelphia	Adequate	7100-7800	7200-7700	(0)
Seattle	Adequate	870-1350	1100-1200	(0)



TRUCK SHIPMENTS OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES  
SHIPMENTS ARE IN 40,000 POUND UNITS. INFORMATION IS SUBJECT TO REVISION



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