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Information is for major shipping point areas.

Shipments in 40,000 LB Units from 2/2/2026 to 2/8/2026

Commodity/Var/Prop/Origin/District	Trans Mode/ Imp-Exp	Feb	Feb	Feb	Feb	Feb	Feb	Feb	Total This Season	To Date Last Season	Final Last Season
		02	03	04	05	06	07	08			
WATERMELONS											
COSTA RICA											
IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	BI	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	43	25	469
GUATEMALA											
IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	BI	-	2	27	-	-	-	-	478	319	470
IMPORTS THROUGH PORT CANAVERAL FLORIDA	BI	8	9	1	-	14	-	-	163	201	475
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	BI	7	-	-	7	-	-	-	197	246	568
MEXICO											
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA	TI	6	9	13	16	19	-	-	1,701	861	7,084
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA CALIFORNIA	TI	1	3	1	2	3	-	-	121	130	306
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH PHARR TEXAS	TI	-	-	11	15	-	-	-	157	199	476
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH PROGRESO TEXAS	TI	6	94	64	62	12	-	-	2,308	1,936	4,868
WATERMELONS - RED FLESH SEEDLESS											
MINIATURE											
GUATEMALA											
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH PHARR TEXAS	TI	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	32	12	35
MEXICO											
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA	TI	5	4	15	7	1	-	-	1,165	2,616	3,966
WATERMELONS - SEEDLESS											
COSTA RICA											
IMPORTS THROUGH FREEPORT TEXAS	BI	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	-	188
IMPORTS THROUGH LOS ANGELES-LONG BEACH CALIFORNIA	BI	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	4	3	71
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	BI	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	7	23	70
IMPORTS THROUGH TAMPA AIRPORT FLORIDA	BI	-	-	-	8	6	-	-	16	2	46
GUATEMALA											
IMPORTS THROUGH FREEPORT TEXAS	BI	10	1	-	-	12	-	-	226	142	194
IMPORTS THROUGH HOUSTON TEXAS	BI	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	12	32	55
IMPORTS THROUGH LOS ANGELES-LONG BEACH CALIFORNIA	BI	1	-	-	6	21	-	-	215	139	290
IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	BI	11	19	-	7	-	-	-	196	81	271
IMPORTS THROUGH PORT CANAVERAL FLORIDA	BI	10	3	-	64	63	-	-	811	832	1,851
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	BI	44	9	-	28	-	-	-	585	686	1,754
IMPORTS THROUGH WILMINGTON DELAWARE	BI	1	-	-	-	17	-	-	126	71	230
IMPORTS THROUGH WILMINGTON NORTH CAROLINA	BI	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	9	53
HONDURAS											
IMPORTS THROUGH PORT CANAVERAL FLORIDA	BI	-	-	-	-	52	-	-	254	111	554
MEXICO											
IMPORTS THROUGH PANAMA CITY FLORIDA	BI	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2	15	241
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA	TI	21	25	20	27	22	-	-	3,489	3,605	14,547
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA CALIFORNIA	TI	-	3	2	-	3	-	-	219	150	476
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH PHARR TEXAS	TI	5	1	6	2	2	-	-	540	490	1,148
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH PROGRESO TEXAS	TI	14	2	30	4	-	-	-	901	1,518	2,866
WATERMELONS - SEEDLESS - ORGANIC											
MEXICO											
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA	TI	1	2	3	-	1	-	-	73	106	375
GRAND TOTALS		163	193	215	261	252	-	-	14,199	14,727	44,312

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CANTALOUPE											
COSTA RICA											
IMPORTS THROUGH FREEPORT TEXAS	B I	35	-	-	-	-	-	-	114	39	368
IMPORTS THROUGH LOS ANGELES-LONG BEACH CALIFORNIA	B I	-	-	-	27	-	-	-	90	49	418
IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	B I	-	-	43	-	-	-	-	240	120	590
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	B I	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	31	21	98
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC											
IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	B I	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	-
IMPORTS THROUGH PORT CANAVERAL FLORIDA	B I	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	47	-	-
GUATEMALA											
IMPORTS THROUGH FREEPORT TEXAS	B I	29	8	-	-	1	-	-	405	454	1,150
IMPORTS THROUGH HOUSTON TEXAS	B I	-	2	-	-	7	-	-	79	108	261
IMPORTS THROUGH LOS ANGELES-LONG BEACH CALIFORNIA	B I	3	2	-	18	91	-	-	1,155	973	2,698
IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	B I	-	15	35	22	1	-	-	1,089	1,058	3,219
IMPORTS THROUGH PORT CANAVERAL FLORIDA	B I	1	2	2	4	44	-	-	1,353	1,532	3,634
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	B I	31	-	-	48	3	-	-	789	736	2,139
IMPORTS THROUGH WILMINGTON DELAWARE	B I	1	-	-	-	23	-	-	469	326	719
HONDURAS											
IMPORTS THROUGH HOUSTON TEXAS	B I	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	53	-	-
IMPORTS THROUGH LOS ANGELES-LONG BEACH CALIFORNIA	B I	1	-	1	-	10	-	-	53	10	48
IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	B I	-	2	19	-	2	-	-	214	21	384
IMPORTS THROUGH PORT CANAVERAL FLORIDA	B I	-	-	-	-	120	-	-	518	429	1,291
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	B I	-	6	25	1	-	-	-	259	164	382
IMPORTS THROUGH WILMINGTON DELAWARE	B I	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	79	96	352
MEXICO											
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH PHARR TEXAS	T I	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	9	15	29
GRAND TOTALS		111	38	125	126	310	-	-	7,064	6,164	17,805

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HONEYDEWS**GUATEMALA**

IMPORTS THROUGH FREEPORT TEXAS	B I	10	-	-	-	14	-	-	150	154	365
IMPORTS THROUGH HOUSTON TEXAS	B I	-	4	-	-	3	-	-	30	27	57
IMPORTS THROUGH LOS ANGELES-LONG BEACH CALIFORNIA	B I	-	-	1	11	25	-	-	329	277	814
IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	B I	-	2	32	-	-	-	-	518	442	1,057
IMPORTS THROUGH PORT CANAVERAL FLORIDA	B I	-	9	-	-	4	-	-	411	567	1,212
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	B I	10	-	-	12	-	-	-	181	236	765
IMPORTS THROUGH WILMINGTON DELAWARE	B I	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	169	70	158

HONDURAS

IMPORTS THROUGH LOS ANGELES-LONG BEACH CALIFORNIA	B I	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	8	2	21
IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	B I	-	-	11	-	-	-	-	43	-	190
IMPORTS THROUGH PORT CANAVERAL FLORIDA	B I	-	-	-	-	75	-	-	319	200	691
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	B I	1	10	9	-	-	-	-	59	54	269
IMPORTS THROUGH WILMINGTON DELAWARE	B I	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	15	36	146

MEXICO

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA	T I	12	16	9	13	7	-	-	1,601	1,613	3,682
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH PHARR TEXAS	T I	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	62	43	71

PANAMA

IMPORTS THROUGH PORT CANAVERAL FLORIDA	B I	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	5
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GRAND TOTALS

37	41	66	36	135	-	-	3,899	3,723	9,506
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SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION

Sales F.O.B Shipping Point and Delivered Sales Shipping Point Basis for February 9, 2026. 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

HONEYDEWS: DEMAND MODERATE. MARKET ABOUT STEADY. Wide range in quality and condition. 2/3 cartons 5s 12.00-14.95 mostly 12.00-13.95 occasional higher 6s 11.00-13.00 mostly 11.00-12.00 few as high 14.00 8s 6.00-8.00 occasional higher

WATERMELONS: SUPPLY APPROXIMATELY 36-45 COUNTS AND CARTONS 4-5S LIGHT. DEMAND MINIATURE MODERATE, OTHERS FAIRLY GOOD. MARKET ABOUT STEADY. Extra services included. Wide range in quality and condition. Many present shipments from prior bookings and/or previous commitments. Red Flesh Seedless Miniature cartons 6s 12.00-14.00 mostly 12.00 8s 12.00-14.00 mostly 12.00 9s 9.00-11.00 mostly 10.00 occasional higher Red Flesh Seedless Type cartons 4s 32.95-34.95 occasional higher 5s 32.95-34.95 occasional higher 24 inch bins approx 36 count 320.00-350.00 mostly 322.00-336.00 occasional higher approx 45 count 320.00-350.00 mostly 329.00-343.00 one label 364.00

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS

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

WATERMELONS: DEMAND GOOD. MARKET STEADY. Wide range in quality and condition. Red Flesh Seedless Type 24 inch bins approx 36 count 287.00-322.00 mostly 308.00-322.00 occasional higher approx 45 count 287.00-322.00 mostly 308.00-322.00 occasional higher approx 60 count 287.00-322.00 mostly 308.00-322.00 occasional higher

WHOLESALE TERMINAL MARKET PRICES AS OF February 9, 2026.

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. flat cartons GUATEMALA 12s 19.00-28.00
HONEYDEWS: MARKET. OFFERINGS LIGHT. 2/3 cartons/crates ARIZONA 6s 20.00-29.00

ATLANTA

CANTALOUPE: MARKET ABOUT STEADY. OFFERINGS HONDURAS LIGHT. flat cartons HONDURAS 9s 18.00-21.00 mostly 19.00-20.00 occasional lower 12s 17.50-20.00 mostly 18.00-19.75 occasional lower 1/2 cartons GUATEMALA 9s 18.00-21.00 mostly 19.00-20.00 occasional higher 12s 18.00-21.00 mostly 19.00-20.00 occasional higher HONDURAS 9s 18.00-21.00 mostly 19.00-20.00 occasional lower 12s 17.50-20.00 mostly 18.00-19.75 occasional lower oversized 1/2 cartons GUATEMALA 9s (6 size) 22.00 occasional lower
HONEYDEWS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY. OFFERINGS HONDURAS VERY LIGHT. 2/3 cartons GUATEMALA 5s 21.00-23.00 mostly 21.00- 22.00 few 25.50 occasional higher/lower 6s 21.00-23.00 mostly 21.00-22.00 few high as 25.50 occasional higher/lower HONDURAS 5s 17.00-20.00 mostly 18.00-19.00 occasional higher/lower 6s 17.00-20.00 mostly 18.00-19.00 occasional higher/lower 8s 16.00-19.00 mostly 17.00-18.00 occasional higher/lower
WATERMELONS: MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS GUATEMALA VERY LIGHT. cartons GUATEMALA RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 5s 40.00- 43.00 mostly 41.00-42.00 occasional lower MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 5s 40.00-43.00 mostly 41.00-42.00 occasional lower 24 inch bins GUATEMALA RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 60s 488.50-498.50 occasional lower MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 45s 488.50- 498.50 occasional lower 60s 488.50-498.50 occasional lower

BOSTON

CANTALOUPE: MARKET STEADY. 1/2 cartons GUATEMALA 9s 20.00 12s 20.00 HONDURAS 9s 20.00-22.00 fair condition 12.00-16.00 mostly 12.00-14.00 9s (6 size) fair condition 12.00-16.00 mostly 12.00-14.00 12s 20.00-22.00
HONEYDEWS: MARKET STEADY. 2/3 cartons GUATEMALA 5s 20.00 6s 20.00 HONDURAS 5s 18.00-20.00 6s 20.00-22.00
MELON, GAYA: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 2/3 cartons BRAZIL 6s 31.00
MELON, JUAN CANARY: OFFERINGS LIGHT. 2/3 cartons BRAZIL 6s 31.00
MELON, SANTA CLAUS (PIEL DE SAPO): OFFERINGS LIGHT. 2/3 cartons BRAZIL 6s 45.00
WATERMELONS: MARKET HIGHER. cartons MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 5s 48.00-50.00 fine appearance 55.00-56.00 24 inch bins MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 36s per melon 12.00-15.00 mostly 12.00-14.00 45s per melon 10.00-12.00 60s per melon 8.00- 10.00

CHICAGO

CANTALOUPE: MARKET 12S, GUATEMALA JUMBO 9S, AND COSTA RICA 9S LOWER; OTHERS ABOUT STEADY. 1/2 cartons COSTA RICA 9s 19.00 GUATEMALA 12s 17.00-20.00 mostly 19.00 HONDURAS 9s 18.00 12s 14.00-17.00 mostly 15.00-16.00 oversized 1/2 cartons GUATEMALA 6s (5 size) fair appearance 17.00 9s (6 size) 19.00-21.00 HONDURAS 9s (6 size) 18.50-21.00 mostly 19.00-20.00 Occasional Lower
HONEYDEWS: MARKET MEXICO 5S AND 6S, GUATEMALA 6S, AND HONDURAS LOWER; OTHERS ABOUT STEADY. 2/3 cartons GUATEMALA 5s 20.00-23.00 mostly 21.00-22.00 fair appearance 18.00 6s 20.00-21.00 HONDURAS 6s 14.00 MEXICO 5s 20.00 6s 18.00- 21.00 mostly 20.00 oversized 2/3 cartons GUATEMALA 5s (4 size) fair appearance 18.00 HONDURAS 5s (4 size) 14.00 MEXICO 5s (4 size) 18.00 fine appearance 25.00
WATERMELONS: MARKET RED FLESH SEEDLESS MINIATURES LOWER; OTHERS ABOUT STEADY. cartons MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 4s 46.00-46.50 fine appearance 53.00 5s 45.00-46.50 fine appearance 52.00 24 inch bins MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 45s 420.00-460.00 mostly 450.00 60s 420.00-450.00 mostly 440.00 flat cartons MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS MINIATURE 6s 16.00 fine appearance 22.00

LOS ANGELES

CANTALOUPE: MARKET STEADY. 17 kg containers GUATEMALA 12s 23.00-25.00 1/2 cartons GUATEMALA 9s 20.00-22.00 oversized 1/2 cartons GUATEMALA 9s (6 size) 25.00-28.00 mostly 26.00
HONEYDEWS: MARKET STEADY. 2/3 cartons MEXICO 5s 19.00-23.00 mostly 22.00 6s insufficient to quote oversized 2/3 cartons MEXICO 5s (4 size) 22.00-25.00 mostly 23.00
MELON, HAMI : OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 2/3 cartons MEXICO 6s 23.00
WATERMELONS: MARKET STEADY. cartons MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE Round Types 4s 38.00-42.00 mostly 38.00-40.00 5s 38.00-40.00 bins MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE Round Types 36s 240.00 flat cartons MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS MINIATURE Round Types 6s 30.00-32.00 8s 22.00-24.00

MIAMI

CANTALOUPE: MARKET ABOUT STEADY. OFFERINGS MODERATE. 1/2 cartons GUATEMALA 9s 19.00-24.00 12s 19.00-24.00
HONEYDEWS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY. OFFERINGS MODERATE. 2/3 cartons GUATEMALA 5s 19.50-25.00 6s 19.50-25.00 HONDURAS 5s 19.50-25.00 6s 19.50-25.00
WATERMELONS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY. PANAMA RED FLESH SEEDED TYPE 60s per melon 5.00 occasional higher cartons 4s MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE per carton 23.00-25.00 cartons 6s GUATEMALA RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE per carton 22.00-25.00 24 inch bins GUATEMALA RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 36s per melon 7.00-8.00 mostly 8.00 occasional higher 45s per melon 6.00-7.00 mostly 7.00 occasional higher 60s per melon 4.50-5.00 mostly 5.00 occasional higher HONDURAS RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 36s per melon 7.00 occasional higher

NEW YORK

CANTALOUPE: MARKET ABOUT STEADY. flat cartons COSTA RICA 9s (6 size) 16.00-18.00 1/2 cartons COSTA RICA 9s 16.00-18.00 12s 16.00-20.00 mostly 18.00 oversized 1/2 cartons COSTA RICA 9s (6 size) 16.00-20.00 mostly 18.00 HONDURAS 9s (6 size) 16.00-18.00
HONEYDEWS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY. 2/3 cartons HONDURAS 6s 18.00-20.00 MEXICO 5s 18.00-20.00 6s 18.00-20.00 oversized 2/3 cartons HONDURAS 5s (4 size) 20.00-24.00 mostly 22.00 MEXICO 5s (4 size) 18.00-20.00
MELON, KOREAN: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. flat cartons MEXICO 10s 25.00 10-lb carton
WATERMELONS: OFFERINGS LIGHT. cartons 4s MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 65-69 lb 58.00-60.00 fine appearance 62.00-64.00

PHILADELPHIA

CANTALOUPE: MARKET SLIGHTLY LOWER. flat cartons COSTA RICA 9s (6 size) 16.00-17.00 1/2 cartons GUATEMALA 9s 18.00 HONDURAS 9s 15.00-18.00 mostly 15.00-17.00 12s 14.00-18.00 mostly 14.00-16.00 oversized 1/2 cartons GUATEMALA 9s (6 size) 18.00-20.00 HONDURAS 9s (6 size) 16.00-19.00 mostly 16.00-18.00
HONEYDEWS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY. 2/3 cartons GUATEMALA 5s 18.00-19.00 occasional 20.00 6s 18.00-19.00 occasional 20.00 fair quality fair condition 10.00-12.00 HONDURAS 5s 16.00-18.00 mostly 17.00-18.00 6s 16.00-18.00 mostly 17.00-18.00 oversized 2/3 cartons GUATEMALA 5s (4 size) 18.00-20.00
MELON, JUAN CANARY: OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 10 kg cartons BRAZIL 6s 24.50
MELON, SANTA CLAUS (PIEL DE SAPO): OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. 17 kg cartons BRAZIL 6s 39.00 7s 37.00
WATERMELONS: cartons COSTA RICA RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE Round Types 4s 50.00 5s 50.00 MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE Round Types 4s 54.00 5s 52.00 24 inch bins MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE Round Types 36s 480.00