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Shipments in 40,000 LB Units from 3/26/2026 to 4/1/2026

Commodity/Var/Prop/Origin/District	Trans Mode/ Imp- Exp	Mar	Mar	Mar	Mar	Mar	Mar	Apr	Total	To Date	Final
		26	27	28	29	30	31	01	This Season	Last Season	Last Season
<b>WATERMELONS</b>											
<b>COSTA RICA</b>											
IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	B I	-	-	-	-	-	37	-	270	217	469
<b>DOMINICAN REPUBLIC</b>											
IMPORTS THROUGH SAN JUAN PUERTO RICO	B I	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	48	63	80
<b>GUATEMALA</b>											
IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	B I	-	-	-	-	2	20	1	644	430	470
IMPORTS THROUGH PORT CANAVERAL FLORIDA	B I	3	-	-	-	-	4	4	344	372	475
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	B I	-	13	-	-	7	1	-	320	488	568
<b>MEXICO</b>											
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA	T I	30	9	-	-	18	35	27	2,241	1,627	7,084
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA CALIFORNIA	T I	3	5	-	-	1	4	3	190	174	306
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH PROGRESO TEXAS	T I	68	12	-	-	8	62	85	4,005	3,653	4,868
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH RIO GRANDE CITY TEXAS	T I	7	-	-	-	-	-	4	131	16	137
<b>WATERMELONS - RED FLESH SEEDLESS</b>											
<b>MINIATURE</b>											
<b>MEXICO</b>											
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA	T I	2	5	-	-	15	11	20	1,481	2,796	3,966
<b>WATERMELONS - RED FLESH SEEDLESS</b>											
<b>MINIATURE - ORGANIC</b>											
<b>MEXICO</b>											
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA	T I	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	124	125	235
<b>WATERMELONS - SEEDLESS</b>											
<b>COSTA RICA</b>											
IMPORTS THROUGH FREEPORT TEXAS	B I	-	-	-	-	-	20	-	123	55	188
IMPORTS THROUGH LOS ANGELES-LONG BEACH CALIFORNIA	B I	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	23	43	71
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	B I	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	73	41	70
<b>GUATEMALA</b>											
IMPORTS THROUGH FREEPORT TEXAS	B I	-	-	-	-	11	-	-	294	169	194
IMPORTS THROUGH LOS ANGELES-LONG BEACH CALIFORNIA	B I	20	10	-	-	-	-	-	390	239	290
IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	B I	-	4	-	-	-	7	13	401	182	271
IMPORTS THROUGH PORT CANAVERAL FLORIDA	B I	4	-	-	-	37	4	1	1,576	1,606	1,851
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	B I	2	92	-	-	39	10	-	1,179	1,295	1,754
IMPORTS THROUGH WILMINGTON DELAWARE	B I	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	210	185	230
IMPORTS THROUGH WILMINGTON NORTH CAROLINA	B I	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	43	53
<b>HONDURAS</b>											
IMPORTS THROUGH PORT CANAVERAL FLORIDA	B I	-	-	-	-	55	-	24	690	429	554
<b>MEXICO</b>											
IMPORTS THROUGH PANAMA CITY FLORIDA	B I	36	-	-	-	-	-	11	214	219	241
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA	T I	61	40	-	-	45	63	58	4,634	4,904	14,547
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA CALIFORNIA	T I	3	7	-	-	3	-	1	298	209	476
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH PHARR TEXAS	T I	1	4	-	-	1	3	1	666	640	1,148
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH PROGRESO TEXAS	T I	-	-	-	-	25	14	75	1,454	2,093	2,866
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH RIO GRANDE CITY TEXAS	T I	-	-	-	-	14	6	22	625	838	1,271

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<b>WATERMELONS - SEEDLESS - ORGANIC</b>											
<b>MEXICO</b>											
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA	T I	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	94	133	375
<b>GRAND TOTALS</b>		<b>248</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>283</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>22,752</b>	<b>23,284</b>	<b>45,108</b>

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**CANTALOUPE****COSTA RICA**

IMPORTS THROUGH FREEPORT TEXAS	B I	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	320	235	368
IMPORTS THROUGH LOS ANGELES-LONG BEACH CALIFORNIA	B I	4	7	-	-	-	-	-	254	218	418
IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	B I	-	-	-	-	-	25	-	563	415	590

**DOMINICAN REPUBLIC**

IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	B I	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	21	-	-
IMPORTS THROUGH PORT CANAVERAL FLORIDA	B I	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	73	-	-

**GUATEMALA**

IMPORTS THROUGH FREEPORT TEXAS	B I	-	-	-	-	52	-	-	644	731	1,150
IMPORTS THROUGH HOUSTON TEXAS	B I	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	102	207	261
IMPORTS THROUGH LOS ANGELES-LONG BEACH CALIFORNIA	B I	74	27	-	-	-	17	-	1,922	1,820	2,698
IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	B I	1	-	-	-	4	107	17	1,715	1,811	3,219
IMPORTS THROUGH PORT CANAVERAL FLORIDA	B I	9	-	-	-	218	10	13	2,095	2,395	3,634
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	B I	-	77	-	-	8	-	-	1,423	1,343	2,139
IMPORTS THROUGH WILMINGTON DELAWARE	B I	-	21	-	-	-	-	-	629	518	719

**HONDURAS**

IMPORTS THROUGH FREEPORT TEXAS	B I	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	140	183	240
IMPORTS THROUGH HOUSTON TEXAS	B I	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	98	-	-
IMPORTS THROUGH LOS ANGELES-LONG BEACH CALIFORNIA	B I	3	8	-	-	1	-	-	138	32	48
IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	B I	2	-	-	-	-	-	15	511	181	384
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	B I	-	-	-	-	3	2	10	502	288	382

**MEXICO**

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH PHARR TEXAS	T I	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	19	27	29
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**GRAND TOTALS**

<b>95</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>11,170</b>	<b>10,405</b>	<b>16,281</b>
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**HONEYDEWS****GUATEMALA**

IMPORTS THROUGH FREEPORT TEXAS	B I	-	-	-	-	13	-	-	231	263	365
IMPORTS THROUGH HOUSTON TEXAS	B I	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	39	44	57
IMPORTS THROUGH LOS ANGELES-LONG BEACH CALIFORNIA	B I	24	1	-	-	-	2	-	525	541	814
IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	B I	1	-	-	-	2	37	-	771	677	1,057
IMPORTS THROUGH PORT CANAVERAL FLORIDA	B I	1	-	-	-	38	3	6	659	860	1,212
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	B I	1	10	-	-	28	3	-	429	461	765
IMPORTS THROUGH WILMINGTON DELAWARE	B I	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	205	130	158

**HONDURAS**

IMPORTS THROUGH PHILADELPHIA-CAMDEN PENNSYLVANIA-NEW JERSEY	B I	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	105	148	190
IMPORTS THROUGH SOUTH FLORIDA/TAMPA	B I	-	-	-	-	-	2	6	143	210	269
IMPORTS THROUGH WILMINGTON DELAWARE	B I	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	32	105	146

**MEXICO**

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA	T I	6	8	-	-	11	9	4	1,952	1,868	3,682
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH PHARR TEXAS	T I	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	101	67	71

**PANAMA**

IMPORTS THROUGH PORT CANAVERAL FLORIDA	B I	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	5
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**GRAND TOTALS**

<b>34</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>5,198</b>	<b>5,374</b>	<b>8,791</b>
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**SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION**

Sales F.O.B Shipping Point and Delivered Sales Shipping Point Basis for April 2, 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:** SUPPLY LIGHT AND IN FEW HANDS. DEMAND FAIRLY GOOD AT SLIGHTLY LOWER PRICES.

**MARKET SLIGHTLY LOWER.** Wide range in quality and condition. 2/3 cartons 5s 20.95-24.95 mostly 20.95-22.95 few 18.95, one label 28.95 6s 20.95-24.95 mostly 20.95-22.95 few 18.95, one label 28.95 8s 16.95-20.95 mostly 18.95

**WATERMELONS:** DEMAND MODERATE. MARKET SLIGHTLY LOWER. Extra services included. Wide range in quality and condition. Red Flesh Seedless Miniature cartons 6s 16.95-18.95 mostly 17.95 8s 16.95-18.95 mostly 17.95 9s 14.95-16.95 Red Flesh Seedless Type cartons 4s 28.00-32.00 mostly 30.00 5s 28.00-32.00 mostly 30.00 24 inch bins approx 36 count 280.00-308.00 mostly 290.00-300.00 one label 266 approx 45 count 280.00-329.00 mostly 290.00-300.00 approx 60 count 280.00-320.00 mostly 290.00-300.00

**MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS**

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

**WATERMELONS:** SUPPLY LIGHT. DEMAND EXCEEDS SUPPLY. MARKET STEADY. Wide range in quality and condition. Red Flesh Seedless Type 24 inch bins approx 36 count 345.00-382.00 mostly 364.00-378.00 occasional higher approx 45 count 345.00-382.00 mostly 364.00-378.00 occasional higher approx 60 count 345.00-382.00 mostly 364.00-378.00 occasional higher

**WHOLESALE TERMINAL MARKET PRICES AS OF April 2, 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 9s 23.00-28.00

**HONEYDEWS:** MARKET. OFFERINGS LIGHT. 2/3 cartons/crates GUATEMALA 6s 27.00-34.00

**WATERMELONS:** MARKET. OFFERINGS LIGHT. bins repacked enroute 36s 585.00-600.00

**ATLANTA**

**CANTALOUPE:** MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS FLAT CARTONS LIGHT. flat cartons HONDURAS 9s 21.00-24.00 mostly 22.00-23.00 few as high as 25.50 12s 18.00-22.00 mostly 19.00-20.00 1/2 cartons GUATEMALA 9s 21.00-24.00 mostly 22.00-23.00 few as high as 25.50 12s 18.00-20.00 mostly 19.00-20.00 oversized 1/2 cartons HONDURAS 9s (6 size) 22.00-23.00

**HONEYDEWS:** MARKET 5-6S HIGHER; OTHER STEADY.. OFFERINGS HONDURAS VERY LIGHT. 2/3 cartons GUATEMALA 5s 29.00-30.00 occasional lower 6s 27.00-30.00 mostly 28.00-29.00 Occasional lower HONDURAS 5s 29.00-30.00 occasional lower 6s 27.00-30.00 mostly 28.00-29.00 Occasional lower 8s 22.00

**WATERMELONS:** MARKET STEADY. OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. cartons MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 5s 49.00-52.00 mostly 50.00- 51.00 occasional higher/lower 24 inch bins GUATEMALA RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 45s 538.00-548.00 occasional higher/lower 60s 538.00-548.00 MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 45s 538.00-548.00 occasional higher/lower 60s 538.00-548.00 flat cartons MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS MINIATURE 8s 23.00-24.00 occasional higher/lower

**BOSTON**

**CANTALOUPE:** MARKET STEADY. 1/2 cartons GUATEMALA 9s 22.00-24.00 12s 22.00-24.00

**HONEYDEWS:** MARKET STEADY. 2/3 cartons GUATEMALA 5s 30.00 6s 38.00 MEXICO 5s 36.00-39.00 mostly 36.00-38.00 6s 36.00- 39.00 mostly 36.00-38.00

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

**WATERMELONS:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. cartons GUATEMALA RED FLESH SEEDLESS MINIATURE 6s per carton 32.00-34.00 MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 5s per carton 58.00 24 inch bins MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 36s per melon 14.00-15.00 occasional higher & lower 45s per melon 12.00 occasional higher & lower 60s per melon 10.00 occasional higher & lower

**CHICAGO**

**CANTALOUPE:** MARKET 9S AND JUMBO 9S HIGHER; 12S STEADY. 1/2 cartons GUATEMALA 9s 22.00 12s 20.00-23.00 mostly 21.00- 22.00 oversized 1/2 cartons GUATEMALA 9s (6 size) 22.00-25.00 mostly 23.00-24.00 Occasional Higher and Lower

**HONEYDEWS:** MARKET MEXICO JUMBO 5S LOWER; OTHERS ABOUT STEADY. 2/3 cartons GUATEMALA 6s 26.00 MEXICO 6s 35.00 oversized 2/3 cartons GUATEMALA 5s (4 size) 30.00 MEXICO 5s (4 size) 38.00

**WATERMELONS:** MARKET 45S HIGHER; 4S AND 5S LOWER; OTHERS STEADY. cartons MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 4s 52.00- 55.00 mostly 53.00-54.00 5s 52.00-56.00 mostly 53.00-55.00 24 inch bins MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 36s 500.00 45s 500.00-550.00 60s 500.00

**LOS ANGELES**

**CANTALOUPE:** MARKET STEADY. 17 kg containers GUATEMALA 12s 26.00-28.00 1/2 cartons COSTA RICA 9s 24.00 9s (6 size) 27.00 GUATEMALA 9s 26.00-28.00 oversized 1/2 cartons GUATEMALA 9s (6 size) 28.00-30.00

**HONEYDEWS:** MARKET STEADY. 2/3 cartons MEXICO 5s 38.00 6s 38.00 oversized 2/3 cartons MEXICO 5s (4 size) 40.00

**WATERMELONS:** MARKET STEADY. cartons MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE Round Types 4s 45.00-56.00 mostly 50.00 5s 45.00- 50.00 mostly 50.00 YELLOW FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE Round Types 8s 35.00 (mini's) bins MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE Round Types 36s insufficient to quote 45s 400.00 80s 400.00 flat cartons MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS MINIATURE Round Types 6s 32.00-35.00 8s 32.00-35.00

**MIAMI**

**CANTALOUPE:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. OFFERINGS LIGHT. 1/2 cartons GUATEMALA 9s 18.00-22.00 occasional higher 12s 18.00- 22.00 occasional higher HONDURAS 9s 18.00-22.00 occasional higher 12s 18.00-22.00 occasional higher

**HONEYDEWS:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. OFFERINGS MODERATE. 2/3 cartons GUATEMALA 5s 20.00-24.00 occasional higher 6s 20.00- 24.00 occasional higher HONDURAS 5s 20.00-24.00 occasional higher 6s 20.00-24.00 occasional higher

**WATERMELONS:** MARKET HIGHER. OFFERINGS LIGHT. cartons 6s GUATEMALA RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE per carton 37.00-40.00 per melon 7.00-8.00

**NEW YORK**

**CANTALOUPE:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. flat cartons GUATEMALA 9s (6 size) 22.00-24.00 1/2 cartons GUATEMALA 12s 20.00-22.00 fine appearance 24.00-25.00 MEXICO 9s 18.00-20.00 12s 18.00-20.00

**HONEYDEWS:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. 2/3 cartons GUATEMALA 5s 34.00-36.00 Some 36.00 6s 32.00-35.00 Some 36.00 MEXICO 5s fine appearance 36.00-38.00 Some 40.00 6s fine appearance 36.00-38.00 Some 40.00 oversized 2/3 cartons MEXICO 5s (4 size) fine appearance 40.00-42.00

**WATERMELONS:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. cartons MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS MINIATURE 6s fine appearance 36.00-38.00 cartons 4s MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 65-69 lb fine appearance 64.00-66.00 cartons 5s MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 65-69 lb 60.00-62.00

**PHILADELPHIA**

**CANTALOUPE:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. 1/2 cartons GUATEMALA 9s 21.00-22.00 HONDURAS 12s 18.00-21.00 mostly 20.00 oversized 1/2 cartons COSTA RICA 9s (6 size) 24.00 20.00-22.00 GUATEMALA 9s (6 size) 20.00-24.00 mostly 20.00-22.00 HONDURAS 9s (6 size) 21.00-24.00 mostly 22.00-23.00

**HONEYDEWS:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY. 2/3 cartons GUATEMALA 5s 33.00 6s 24.00-28.00 mostly 25.00-27.00 one label 32.00 8s 20.00 -21.00 HONDURAS 5s 30.00 6s 28.00-30.00 8s 22.00 one label 30.00 oversized 2/3 cartons GUATEMALA 6s (5 size) 35.00-36.00

**MELON, HAMI :** OFFERINGS LIGHT. 2/3 cartons COSTA RICA 6s 31.00

**WATERMELONS:** OFFERINGS VERY LIGHT. cartons MEXICO RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE Round Types 4s 65.00-68.00 5s 65.00-68.00 6s 58.00