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**CLOUDY 43-47**  
NA—FV055  
**MISC HERBS** ---ANISE: 2/3 ctns CA 18s 12.00 24s 12.00 ---ARRUGULA: 4/5 bucrts bchd FL 24s 13.00-14.00 mostly 14.00 ctns bchd TX 24s 13.00-14.00 ---BASIL: ctns bchd FL 15s 13.00-15.00 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 13.00 ---CELERIAC (CELERY ROOT): OFFERINGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE ---CHERVIL: 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 17.00 ---CHIVES: 1 kg ctns bchd IS 18.00 ---CILANTRO: 4/5 bucrts lse FL 13.00 4/5 bucrts bchd FL 30s 12.00-14.00 few 11.00 ctns bchd TX 30s 11.00-12.00 ---DILL: crts bchd FL 24s 9.00-10.00 NJ 24s 12.00 ctns bchd TX 24s 9.00-10.00

---DRY ESCHALLOT: TOO FEW SALES TO QUOTE ---HORSERADISH: OFFERINGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE ---MARJORAM: 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 13.00 ---MINT: 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 10.00 ctns bchd NJ 12s 10.00 ---OREGANO: 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 13.00 ---ROSEMARY: 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 13.00 ---SAGE: 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 13.00 ---TARRAGON: 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 17.00 ---THYME: 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 13.00 ---WATERCRESS: ctns bchd FL 12s 7.00 24s 10.50-11.00

Cloudy 43-47  
NA—FV010  
**CITRUS FRUITS** ---GRAPEFRUIT: MARKET STEADY 4/5 bucrts FL Indian River Red 27s 8.50 few 11.00 40s 8.50 few 10.00 48s 9.00 56s 8.00 Interior Red 32s 8.00 ---LEMONS: MARKET STEADY ctns CA Shprs Choice 95s 20.00 115s 17.00-18.50 mostly 18.00 140s 17.00-18.00 mostly 17.00 165s 15.00-17.00 mostly 16.00 200s 13.00-14.00 Uncl (Standard) 165s 12.00 -

---LIMES: MARKET STEADY 10 lb ctns FL 48s 6.50-7.00 54s 6.50-7.00 MX 42s 6.00 48s 6.50 54s 5.00-6.50 40 lb ctns MX 150s 14.00-16.00 some 12.50-13.00 fr cond 10.00 175s 14.00-16.00 ---MISC CITRUS: MARKET STEADY 2.3 kg crts SP Clementine 20s 3.75-4.00 few 4.25 24s 3.00-4.00 few 4.25 28s 3.00-4.00 few 4.25 occ 2.75 32s 2.75-3.50 40s 2.00-3.00 mostly 2.50 fr cond 1.00-1.50 10 kg crts SP Clementine 60s 14.00-15.00 ---ORANGES: MARKET STEADY ctns CA Shprs 1st Grade Navel 56s 16.00-18.00 72s 14.00-15.00 88s 13.00 113s 10.00-11.50 138s 10.00 Shprs Choice Navel 56s 10.00 72s 9.00 88s 8.00 113s 7.00 4/5 bucrts FL Navel 36s 10.00 40s 10.00 48s 12.00 56s 12.00 64s 12.00 Hamlins 64s 11.00 80s 10.00-10.50 100s 8.50-9.00 125s 7.50-8.00 ---TANGELOS: OFFERINGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE ---TANGERINES: MARKET STEADY 1/2 bu ctns CA Fairchild w/ stems/leaves CA Fairchild lge fr cond 9.00 med fr cond 8.00 4/5 bucrts FL Sunburst 80s 19.00-20.00 100s 14.00-17.00 120s 13.00-15.00 150s 13.00 180s 10.00 ---TEMPLES: OFFERINGS NONE

**BERRIES** ---BLUEBERRIES: MARKET HIGHER flts 12 1/2-pt cups with lids CL med 20.00 ---CRANBERRIES: MARKET STEADY ctns 24 12-oz flmbgs MA Late Howe 24.00-28.00 ---MISC BERRIES: MARKET ABOUT STEADY flts 12 5.5-oz cups flmwrpd GU Blackberries fr cond 12.00 ---RASPBERRIES: MARKET HIGHER flts 12 1/2-pt cups flmwrpd CL Red 18.00 ---STRAWBERRIES: MARKET FL LOWER, CA STEADY. flts 12 1-pt bkts CA med-lge 20.00 FL med 14.00-15.00 ord cond 5.00

**MELONS** ---CANTALOUPS: MARKET LOWER 1/2 ctns/crts DR 12s fr cond 8.00-10.00 15s 12.00 GU 12s ord cond 3.00-4.00 15s 10.00-12.00 some 9.00 fr cond 6.00-7.00 18s 12.00 MX 15s 12.00 fr cond 10.00 ---HONEYDEWS: MARKET LOWER 2/3 ctns MX 5s 9.00-10.00 few 8.00 6s 9.00-10.00 mostly 10.00 some 8.00 8s fr cond 6.00 ---MISC MELONS: OFFERINGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE ---WATERMELONS: MARKET

ABOUT STEADY ctns per ctn MX Sangria 3s 17.00-18.00 4s 15.00 Red Seedless 4s 18.00

**NON-CITRUS FRUITS** ---APPLES: MARKET STEADY ctns trypk CA U.S. ExFcy Granny Smith 88s 22.00 100s 20.00 113s 18.00 Pink Lady 64s 18.00-20.00 82s 18.00-20.00 80s 18.00-20.00 78s 18.00-20.00 ctns celpk NY U.S. ExFcy McIntosh 80s 18.00 120s 18.00 ctns trypk NY U.S. One Red Delicious 88s 9.00 100s 9.00 113s 9.00 125s 9.00 138s 9.00 ctns celpk NY U.S. One McIntosh 100s 8.00-9.00 120s 8.00-9.00 VT U.S. One McIntosh 80s 9.00-10.00 mostly 9.00 96s 9.00-10.00 mostly 9.00 120s 8.00-9.00 mostly 8.00 140s 8.00-9.00 mostly 8.00 ctns trypk WA WAExFcy Red Delicious 88s 19.00 preferred labels 21.00-23.00 100s 17.50-18.00 preferred labels 21.00-21.50 113s 19.00 one label 21.00 125s 19.00 Golden Delicious 88s 22.00 100s 17.50-19.00 one label 22.00 ---APRICOTS: OFFERINGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE ---AVOCADOS: MARKET HIGHER ctns 2 lyr MX Hass 48s 32.00-34.00 mostly 33.00-34.00 ---BANANAS: MARKET STEADY 40 lb ctns IMPORT 10.00 fair qual 8.00-9.00 sml 7.00-8.00 40 lb ctns bagged IMPORT 10.50 40 lb ctns IMPORT petite 13.00 ---CHERRIES: NO SALES REPORTED ---FRUITS OTHER: NO SALES REPORTED ---GRAPES: MARKET ABOUT STEADY 19 lb lugs bgd CA Thompson Seedless med poor-ord cond 2.00-8.00 16 lb lugs wrpd CA Thompson Seedless med-lge 29.00 one label few 32.00 ord cond 8.00 19 lb lugs bgd CA Ruby Red Seedless med 13.00 16 lb lugs wrpd CA Red Seedless med-lge 25.00 19 lb lugs bgd CA Red Globe med-lge 14.00 21 lb lugs CA Red Globe lge 16.00 occ 17.00 19 lb lugs bgd CA Red Globe lge 17.00-20.00 Crimson Seedless sml med 13.00-14.00 med-lge 22.00 med 16.00 18 lb lugs bgd CL BOAT Perlette sml-med 25.00 med 32.00-34.00 Thompson Seedless sml-med 30.00 Flame Seedless sml-med 20.00 ---KIWI FRUIT: MARKET STEADY flts 1 lyr CA 33s 7.00 ---MANGOES: MARKET EC LOWER, BR ABOUT STEADY flts 1 lyr EC Haden 5s 5.00 6s 6.00 BR Tommy Atkins 8s 7.00 9s 7.00 EC Tommy Atkins 8s 6.00 9s 7.00 ---NECTARINES: NO SALES REPORTED ---PAPAYA: 35 lb ctns DR Green Cooking Type 20.00 MX Maradol 17.00 ---PEACHES: OFFERINGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE ---PEARS: MARKET STEADY 4/5 bucrts wrpd OR U.S. One Bartlett 100s 24.00 D'Anjou 90s 24.00 100s 22.00-24.00 110s 21.00 Bosc 90s 28.00 ---PERSIMMONS: MARKET STEADY lugs 1 lyr CA Hachiya 16s 11.00-12.00 17s 11.00-12.00 20s 9.00-10.00 mostly 9.00 22s 9.00-10.00

mostly 9.00 24s 8.00 25s 8.00 ---PINEAPPLES: MARKET STEADY ctns 2 lyr HD 10s 14.00-15.00 12s 13.00-15.00 mostly 14.00 14s 14.00-15.00 ctns 1 lyr HI AIR 6s 12.00-12.50 ---PLANTAINS: MARKET STEADY 40 lb ctns CB Yellow 15.00 EC Green 14.50 GU Yellow 13.00 ---PLUMS: OFFERINGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE ---POMEGRANATES: lugs 2-lyr CA Wonderful 36s 26.00 ---PRUNES: OFFERINGS NONE

**ONIONS AND POTATOES** ---ONIONS DRY: MARKET ABOUT STEADY US#1 OR GENERALLY GOOD QUAL AND COND UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED. Yellow Globe Type NY 50 lb sks med 6.00-7.00 mostly 6.50 sml-med 5.00 Spanish Hybrid ID/OR 50 lb sks col 8.50 jbo 6.50-7.50 mostly 7.00 UT 50 lb sks jbo 7.00-7.50 WA 50 lb sks jbo 6.50-7.00 White NV 50 lb sks col 13.00 jbo 12.00 Red NV 25 lb sks jbo 7.00 NY 25 lb sks jbo 6.00-7.00 med 5.00-6.00 WA 25 lb sks jbo 7.00 ---POTATOES: MARKET ABOUT STEADY US#1 SZ A WASHED OR BRUSHED UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED Russet Burbank ID 50 lb ctns 40s 13.00-13.50 mostly 13.00 50s 13.00-13.50 mostly 13.00 60s 13.00-13.50 mostly 13.00 70s 12.50-13.00 mostly 13.00 80s 11.50-12.50 mostly 11.50-12.00 90s 10.50-11.50 mostly 11.00 100s 9.50-10.00 mostly 10.00 bld 10 5-lb flmbgs non sz A 9.00 U.S. Two 50 lb sks 6 oz min 8.50 Round Red MN/ND 50 lb sks 8.50-9.00 NY 50 lb sks 7.00-8.00 sz B 11.00-11.50 WA 50 lb ctns 14.00-14.50 Round White CD Prince Edward Island CDOne 50 lb sks 5.75-6.00 lge 6.00-6.50 NY 50 lb sks 5.50-6.00 lge 7.00

**VEGETABLES** ---ARTICHOKES: TOO FEW SALES TO QUOTE ---ASPARAGUS: MARKET HIGHER 11 lb ctns/crts bchd PE Green exlge 20.00 lge 20.00-24.00 mostly 20.00 few 18.00 std 24.00 sml few 24.00 ---BEANS: MARKET LOWER bucrts/crts FL Round Green Type 16.00-18.00 mostly 18.00 MX Round Green Type fair qual 8.00-10.00 ---BEETS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY 25 lb sks lse TX med 4.00-4.50 ctns bchd TX 12s 9.00-9.50 ---BROCCOLI: MARKET ABOUT STEADY 20 lb ctns lse CA Crown Cut 20.00-22.00 NC Crown Cut 11.00-12.00 ctns CA bchd 14s 11.00-13.00 ---BRUSSELS SPROUTS: 25 lb ctns CA 14.00 ---CABBAGE: MARKET ABOUT STEADY 1 3/4 bucrts & 40 lb ctns GA Savoy Type med 10.00 TX Savoy Type med 10.00 1 3/4 bucrts & 50 lb ctns CD One Round Green Type med 7.00-7.50 Red Type med 9.00 FL Round Green Type med 7.50 GA Round Green Type med 6.00-7.00 LI Round Green Type med 6.00 NC Round Green Type med 6.00 NJ

Round Green Type med 6.00-6.50 50 lb sks NY Round Green Type lge 4.50-5.00 1 3/4 bucrts & 50 lb ctns TX Round Green Type med 7.00-8.00 mostly 7.00 ---CARROTS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns bchd CA Bunched 24s 12.00 ctns 20 1-lb flmbgs CA Baby Peeled 13.00-14.00 ctns 12 2-lb flmbgs CA Baby Peeled few 17.00 ctns 4.5-lb flmbgs CA Baby Peeled few 14.00 sks 48 1-lb flmbgs CA Topped med-lge 12.00-13.00 few 9.00-10.00 sks 24 2-lb flmbgs CA Topped med-lge 13.00 sks 10 5-lb flmbgs CA Topped med-lge 12.00-13.00 sks 16 3-lb flmbgs CA Topped med-lge 13.00 50 lb sks lse CA Topped jbo 9.00-10.00 CD CDOne Topped jbo 6.50-7.00 ---CAULIFLOWER: MARKET HIGHER ctns flmwrpd CA 12s 20.00-24.00 mostly 22.00 16s 18.00 ---CELERY: MARKET HIGHER ctns CA 1 1/2 dz 17.00 2 dz 16.00-18.00 mostly 16.00-17.00 2 1/2 dz 15.00-18.00 mostly 15.00-16.00 3 dz 15.00 flmbgs 30s 18.00-20.00 ---CHINESE CABBAGE: celcrts FL 9.00 ---CORN-SWEET: OFFERINGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE ---CUCUMBERS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY WAXED 1 1/9 bucrts/crts FL med 14.00 fr qual 10.00 sml 12.00 MX med 14.00 fr qual 10.00-12.00 ord qual 8.00-9.00 sml 10.00-12.00 ---EGGPLANT: MARKET HIGHER 1/2 bucrts FL Italian 11.00-12.00 1 1/9 bucrts wrpd FL med 10.00 few 11.00 ---ENDIVE: MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns CA 24s 13.00-14.00 10 lb ctns BL Witloof 14.00 1 1/9 bucrts FL 14.00-15.00 few 13.00 ---ESCAROLE: OFFERINGS LIGHT ctns CA 24s 20.00 1 1/9 bucrts/crts FL 16.00 ---GARLIC: MARKET STEADY 30 lb ctns CA White super col 22.50 col 21.00 super jbo 19.50 exjbo 18.00 ---GREENS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns bchd MX Swiss Chard 12s 12.00 Red 12s 12.00 ctns bchd NC Kale 6.00-7.00 one lot 5.00 VA Collard 6.00 one lot 5.00 Kale 6.00 one lot 5.00 20 lb ctns MX Broccoli Rabe 24s fair cond 10.00 ctns/crts bchd GA Collard 7.00 Mustard 8.00 Turnip Tops 8.00 Rape 8.00 NC Collard 6.00-7.00 one lot 5.00 ctns bchd TX Kale 24s 8.00 Dandelion 12s 9.00 Kohlrabi 12s 10.00 Red 12s 10.00 Swiss Chard Red 12s 10.00 ---LETTUCE-ICEBERG: MARKET SLIGHTLY HIGHER ctns AZ 24s 12.00-14.00 mostly 13.00 fair cond 10.00-11.00 Wrapped 24s 13.00-15.00 mostly 14.00-15.00 few 16.00 CA 24s 12.00 FL 24s 10.00 ---LETTUCE-OTHER: MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns AZ Boston 24s 13.00-14.00 Green Leaf 24s 11.00-12.00 few 13.00 few 10.00-10.50 CA Green Leaf 24s few 13.00 Red Leaf 24s few 13.00 3 lb ctns CA Mesculin Mix 8.00-9.00 ---LETTUCE-ROMAINE: MARKET HIGHER ctns 12 3-count pkgs AZ Hearts

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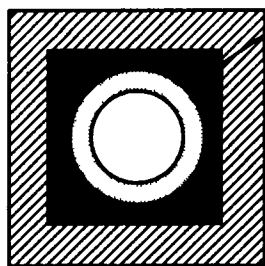
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