

# PRODUCE MARKETS

## Philadelphia Vegetables

Terminal Market  
June 5, 2002

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**VEGETABLES -ARTICHOKEs:** ctns CA Globe Thorned 15s 25.00 18s 28.00 24s 30.00-32.00 30s 25.00 36s 20.00 48s 20.00 72s 20.00 lge lse 20.00 -**ASPARAGUS:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY pyr ctns/crts 28 lb bchd WA WAExFcy lge 30.00-32.00 std 36.00 few high as 38.00 sml 36.00 -**BEANS:** MARKET HIGHER buctns/crts GA Round Green Type Machine Picked 22.00-24.00 fair cond 18.00 NC Round Green Type Machine Picked ord cond 10.00-12.00 5 lb ctns GU Hericot Vert (French Type) 16.00 30 lb ctns CA Fava ord cond 4.00-5.00 -**BEETS:** ctns bchd NC 12s 8.00-9.00 25 lb filmbags lse NC med 7.00-8.00 -**BROCCOLI:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns CA bchd 14s 9.00-10.00 mostly 9.00 fair cond 7.50 20 lb ctns lse CA Crown Cut 9.00-10.50 few high as 12.00 -**BRUSSELS SPROUTS:** OFFERINGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE -**CABBAGE:** MARKET LOWER 1 1/4 buctns & 50 lb ctns GA Round Green Type med 8.00-9.00 mostly 9.00 Red Type med 10.00-11.00 NC Round Green Type med 8.00-9.00 Red Type med 10.00-11.00 NJ Round Green Type med 8.00-10.00 mostly 8.00 Red Type med 10.00-12.00 mostly 10.00-11.00 50 lb sks CD Danish Type lge 9.50 1 1/4 buctns & 40 lb ctns NC Savoy Type med-lge 10.00-12.00 -**CARROTS:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY sks 48 1-lb filmbags CA Topped med-lge 14.00-15.00 mostly 15.00 sks 24 2-lb filmbags CA Topped med-lge 15.00 sks 10 5-lb film-

bags CA Topped med-lge 15.00 50 lb sks lse CA Topped jbo 14.00-15.00 mostly 15.00 CD Topped jbo 13.00-14.00 mostly 13.00 GA Topped jbo 13.00 ctns bchd CA Bunched 24s 12.00 few 15.00 ctns 24 1-lb filmbags CA Baby Peeled 17.00 17.00 ctns 20 1-lb filmbags CA Baby Peeled 13.00-15.00 ctns 12 2-lb filmbags CA Baby Peeled 17.00 -**CAULIFLOWER:** ctns flmwrpd CA 12s 14.00-18.00 9s 16.00-17.00 -**CELERY:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns CA 2 dz 12.00-13.00 one label 16.00 2 1/2 dz 14.00 one label 16.00 flmbs 30s 14.00 -**CHINESE CABBAGE:** 30 lb ctns CA Nappa 14.00 50 lb ctns CA Nappa 18.00 -**CORN-SWEET:** MARKET WHITE SLIGHTLY HIGHER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY wbcrt GA Yellow 4-4 1/2 dz 8.00-9.00 White 4-4 1/2 dz 8.00-10.00 mostly 9.00 Bi-Color 4-4 1/2 dz 8.00 -**CUCUMBERS:** MARKET LOWER WAXED 1 1/9 buctns/crts GA med 16.00-18.00 fr qual 11.00-14.00 mostly 12.00 sml 14.00 NC med 16.00-18.00 fr qual 12.00-14.00 mostly 12.00 sml 13.00 lge 9.00 SC med 16.00-18.00 fr qual 14.00 some low as 12.00 UNWAXED 1 1/9 buctns/crts NJ med 18.00-20.00 -**EGGPLANT:** MARKET LOWER 1 1/9 buctns/crts FL med 7.00-8.00 fair appear 6.00-7.00 GA med 7.00-8.00 few 10.00 occasional higher 5 kg ctns NL sml 16.00 35 lb ctns DR Chinese 24.00 HD Chinese 25.00-27.00 ctns/crts DR Thai 28.00 HD Thai few 36.00 ctns DR Indian 23.00 HD Indian 38.00-40.00 -**ENDIVE:** MARKET STEADY 1 1/9 buctns/crts NJ 7.00-8.00 10 lb ctns BL Witloof 13.00 -**ESCAROLE:** MARKET STEADY 1 1/9 buctns/crts NJ 7.00-8.00

-**GARLIC:** MARKET STEADY 30 lb ctns CQ White # 9 35.00-36.00 packages 3s 37.00-38.00 MX White super col 37.50 col 33.00 super jbo 30.00 exjbo 28.50 Purple super col 34.50 col 31.50 super jbo 28.50 exjbo 25.50 # 9 32.00-34.00 # 10 35.00-36.00 -**GREENS:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns bchd CA Swiss Chard 12s 14.00 Red green 12s 14.00 mixed colors 16.00 ctns/crts bchd NC Collard 6.00-7.00 Kale 6.00-7.00 Mustard 7.00 Turnip Tops 7.00 Rape 7.00-8.00 ctns lse CA Kale Flowering 24s 13.00 20 lb ctns CA Broccoli Rabe 24s 22.00 -**LETTUCE-ICEBERG:** MARKET SLIGHTLY HIGHER ctns CA 24s 10.00-11.00 few 11.50 few 9.00 Wrapped 24s 10.00-13.00 mostly 11.00-12.00 -**LETTUCE-OTHER:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns CA Boston 24s 9.00 Green Leaf 24s 9.00-11.00 mostly 10.00 Red Leaf 24s 9.00-11.00 mostly 10.00 3 lb ctns CA Mesculin Mix few 8.00 -**LETTUCE-ROMAINE:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns CA 24s 9.00-11.00 mostly 10.00-11.00 ctns 12 3-count pkgs CA Hearts 14.00 1.3 buctns CA 24s 13.50 -**MUSHROOMS:** MARKET STEADY 10 lb ctns PA lge 14.00 few 14.50 med 11.50 few 12.50 4 qt bkts PA med-lge 6.50 sml-med 6.00 5 lb ctns PA Oyster 16.00 Portobellas 9.00 sml 8.00 3 lb ctns PA Shiitake 13.00 fair qual 11.00 Oyster few 12.00 ctns 12 8-oz trays flmwrpd PA 10.25 ctns 8 1-lb trays flmwrpd PA exlge 14.00 ctns 10 10-oz trays flmwrpd PA 10.25 few 10.50 -**OKRA:** OFFERINGS LIGHT 1/2 buctns/crts FL sml-med 12.00 -**ONIONS GREEN:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns bchd CA 48s 10.00-11.00 MX 48s 8.00-9.00 few 7.00 ctns 2 2-doz film bags iceless 10.00-12.50 crts bchd NJ Leeks 12s 8.00-9.00 -**PARSLEY:** MARKET LOWER 1 1/9 buctns/crts bchd NJ Curly 60s 10.00 Plain 60s 10.00 -**PARSNIPS:** TOO FEW SALES TO QUOTE -**PEAS GREEN:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY 10 lb ctns GU Snow Peas 15.00-17.00 few 18.00 Sugar Snap Peas 15.00-17.00 -**PEAS OTHER:** OFFERINGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE -**PEPPERS:** MARKET

SLIGHTLY LOWER 1 1/9 buctns CA Bell Type Red lge fair qual 20.00 1 1/9 buctns/crts FL Bell Type Green exlge few 14.00 Mxd Red And Green lge 9.00 GA Bell Type Green exlge 12.00 lge 9.00-10.00 Red exlge 20.00 15 lb ctns CA Bell Type Red exlge 18.00-19.00 Yellow exlge 18.00 25 lb ctns CA Bell Type Green jbo 13.00 5 kg ctns NL Bell Type Orange 80-100mm 15.00-17.00 Red 80-100mm 15.00-16.00 mostly 15.00 Yellow 80-100mm 16.00-18.00 -**PEPPERS OTHER:** 1/2 buctns FL Jalapeno 10.00 NC Finger Hot 15.00-16.00 1 1/9 buctns/crts FL Cubanelles lge few 14.00 8 lb ctns MX Habanero orange 20.00-22.00 25 lb sks MX Ajies 26.00 30 lb ctns HD Thai Chili Hots 35.00 40 lb ctns MX Jalapeno 28.00 Poblano 26.00 -**RADISHES:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns tpd 30 6-oz filmbags OH Red 9.50-10.00 mostly 10.00 ctns tpd 14 1-lb filmbags OH Red 10.00-11.00 ctns bchd NJ Red 24s 9.00-10.00 OH Red 24s 10.00 -**RHUBARB:** OFFERINGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE -**RUTABAGA:** 50 lb ctns CD med few 7.00 -**SPINACH:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns bchd CA Flat 24s 10.00 1 2/5 buctns bchd CA Flat 24s 13.00 ctns 4 2-1/2-lb filmbags CA Flat 13.50-14.50 cel crt NJ Savoy 9.00 bchd 10.00 4 lb ctns CA Flat Baby Type 10.00-12.00 -**SQUASH:** MARKET SLIGHTLY LOWER 1/2 buctns/crts GA Zucchini sml-med 10.00 fair appear 7.00 med 8.00 fair appear 5.00-6.00 Yellow Straightneck sml-med 7.00-9.00 mostly 8.00 NJ Zucchini sml-med 8.00-10.00 mostly 9.00-10.00 Yellow Straightneck sml-med 9.00 -**SWEET POTATOES:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY CURED 40 lb ctns LA U.S. One Beauregard med 15.00 fair qual 12.00 NC U.S. One Jewels med 11.00-12.00 Beauregard med 11.00-12.00 -**TOMATOES:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY 25 lb ctns FL Vine Ripes light red-red 5x6s 13.00-14.00 85% U.S. One or Better Mature Greens light red-red 5x6s 9.00-11.00 mostly 10.00 fair cond 8.00 6x6s 9.00-11.00 mostly 9.50-10.00 some 12.00 Local Repack 85% U.S. One or Better Mature Greens light

red-red 5x6s 14.00 6x6s 14.00 6x7s 14.00 5 kg ctns on the vine NL Vine Ripes Greenhouse light red-red med 11.00-12.00 -**TOMATOES, CHERRY:** MARKET HIGHER fits 12 1-pt bkts FL light red 10.00-12.00 fits 12 1-pt cntrs with lids FL Grape Type red 13.00-16.00 mostly 15.00-16.00 -**TOMATOES, PLUM TYPE:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY 25 lb ctns FL red 12.00-14.00 mostly 13.00-14.00 -**TURNIPS:** 25 lb filmbags NC Purple Top med 7.00-8.00 -**VEGETABLES OTHER:** 8 lb ctns CA Radicchio 9s 10.00

## Onions, Potatoes

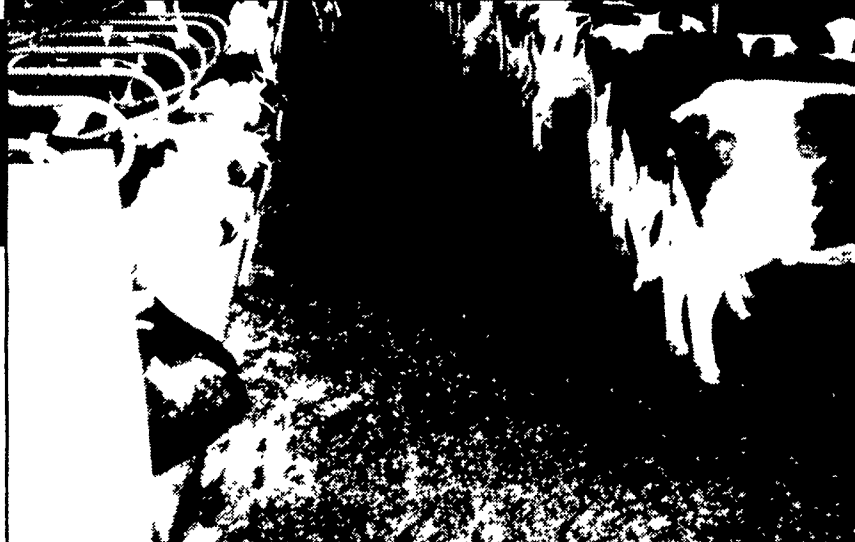
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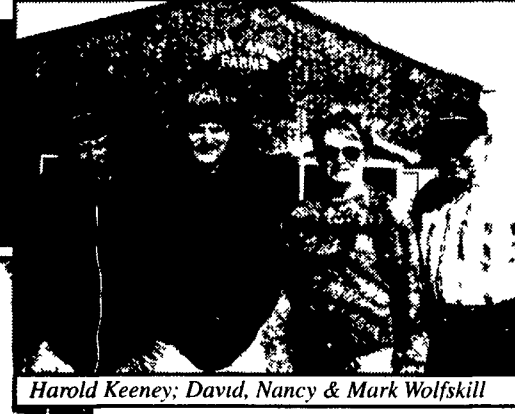
**ONIONS AND POTATOES -ONIONS DRY:** MARKET CA YELLOW JBO LOWER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY. US# 1 OR GENERALLY GOOD QUAL AND COND UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED. Yellow Globe Type NY 50 lb sks med few 6.00-7.00 NEW CROP Yellow Granex GA 40 lb ctns jbo 18.00-21.00 mostly 19.00 few 22.00 Grano Type CA 50 lb sks jbo 10.00-11.00 mostly 10.00 some 11.50-12.00 fr cond 9.00 TX 50 lb sks Super Col 14.00 col 12.00 Red Flat Type CA 25 lb sks med 15.00 Globe Type CA 25 lb sks jbo 13.50-15.00 med 13.50-15.00 -**POTATOES:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY US# 1 SZ A WASHED OR BRUSHED UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED Russet Burbank ID bld 10 5-lb sks non sz A 14.00-15.00 50 lb ctns 40s 15.00 60s 16.00 70s 17.00-19.00 mostly 18.00 80s 16.00-18.00 mostly 17.00-17.50 90s 16.00-17.00 100s 15.00-16.00 mostly 15.00-15.50 Norkotah WI 50 lb ctns 60s 17.00 90s 16.00 NEW CROP Round Red AZ 50 lb ctns 24.00-26.00 sz B 18.00 1" min 40.00 FL 50 lb sks 22.00-23.00 fr qual 14.00-15.00 Round White FL 50 lb sks 15.00 some hgr fr qual 11.00-12.00 Long White CA 50 lb ctns 20.00-24.00 sz B 17.00



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"We would use slats again if doing it all over!"



Harold Keeney; David, Nancy & Mark Wolfskill

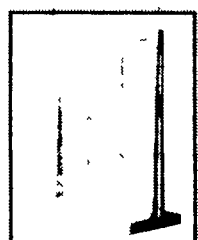
Our original plan was to install scrapers. But after 10 minutes in a slatted barn in Somerset County, we changed our minds. Some people stay away from slats because of the initial cost, but that extra cost is made up for in the first couple years. The one thing I like the most about slats is that there is no expense. I don't have any scrapers or drive units to

maintain. I don't have to run scrapers every day or haul manure like we did in our previous tie stall barn. The cows' foot health has been a lot better, and the cows stay much cleaner. Our milk production is up and the somatic cell count has gone down. I give at least some of the credit to the slats because with less moisture on the floor, there is less bacteria.

-David Wolfskill

"The answer to the most common question is 'No, there is no build-up.'"

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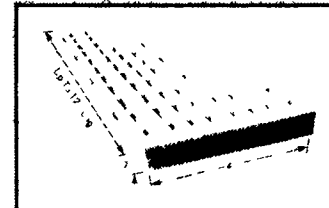
**T-wall Bunker Silo**  
8 & 12 ft. high available



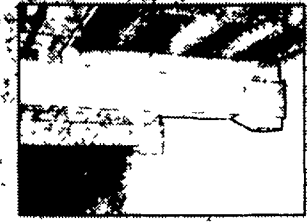
**Slant-back J-style Feed Bunker**



**High Capacity H-style Feed Bunker**



**Cattle "Waffle Slat"**



**Keystone Knuckle Beam System**  
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