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U.S. One or Better Mature Greens pink-light red 5x6s 10.00 6x6s 9.00 TN 85% U.S. One or Better Mature Greens light red-red 5x6s 10.00 6x6s 9.00 VA Vine Ripes light red-red xige 12.00 red med 6.00 85% U.S. One or Better Mature Greens light red-red 5x6s 10.00 6x6s 10.00 Local Repack 85% U.S. One or Better Mature Greens light red-red 5x6s 14.25 6x7s 13.25 ctns 2 yr CA Vine Ripes light red-red 3x4s 8.00 4x4s 8.00 5 kg ctns on the vine NL Vine Ripes Greenhouse light red-red lge 11.00-12.00 AIR Vine Ripes Greenhouse light red-red lge 15.00 —TOMATOES, CHERRY: MARKET ABOUT STEADY fits 12 1-pt ctns with lids AL Grape Type light red-red 10.00 fits 12 1-pt bkts MX red 8.00 NY light red fr appear 5.00-6.00 —TOMATOES, PLUM TYPE: MARKET ABOUT STEADY 25 lb ctns CA light red-red lge 11.00-12.00 mostly 12.00 MX red lge 9.00-10.00 VA light red-red lge 10.00-11.00 red lge fr qual 8.00-9.00 —TURNIPS: 25 lb filmbags MI Purple Top med-lge 8.00 OH Purple Top med 7.50-8.00 —VEGETABLES OTHER: 8 lb ctns CA Radicchio 9s 8.00-9.00 3 kg lugs GU Radicchio 12s 8.00 IT Radicchio 9s 7.00 MISC SEASONAL —ORNAMENTAL GOURDS: ½ bucrts/crts NJ Shellacked 10.00 OH Shellacked 12.00 Local Markets Classifieds Create an Ad ACRES Community Today's Reports

Philadelphia Onions, Potatoes
Philadelphia Terminal Market
September 18, 2002

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ONIONS AND POTATOES -ONIONS DRY: MARKET ABOUT STEADY US# 1 OR GENERALLY GOOD QUAL AND COND UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED. CONTROLLED ATMOSPHERE STORAGE Yellow Granex GA 40 lb ctns jbo 32.00 NEW CROP Yellow Globe Type CD mstr cntr 24 2-lb mshsks sml-med 9.50 NY 50 lb sbs med 8.00-9.00 mostly 9.00 10 lb sbs med fair cond 1.65 sml-med fair cond 1.50 mstr cntr 10 5-lb mshsks sml-med 9.00 Grano Type CA 50 lb sbs col 9.00-10.00 jbo 8.50-9.00 Spanish Hybrid CO 50 lb sbs jbo 8.00-9.00 mostly 8.50-9.00 ID/OR 50 lb sbs col 9.50 jbo 8.00-9.00 mostly 8.50 med 7.00-7.50 White CA 50 lb sbs jbo 18.00 ID/OR 50 lb sbs jbo 16.50 Red Globe Type CA 25 lb sbs jbo 7.50-9.00 med 7.00 NY 25 lb sbs jbo 8.00 few high as 10.00 med 5.00-6.50 10 lb sbs med 3.50 fair cond 2.50 WA 25 lb sbs jbo 7.00-8.00 occasional higher med 6.00-7.00 mostly 6.00 -POTATOES: MARKET ABOUT STEADY US# 1 SZ A WASHED OR BRUSHED UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED Russet Norkotah ID bid 10 5-lb filmbags non sz A 10.00 few 10.50-11.00 50 lb ctns 40s 18.00-19.00 mostly 19.00 50s 18.00-19.00 mostly 19.00 60s 18.00-20.00 mostly 19.00 70s 18.00-20.00 mostly 19.00-20.00 few 20.50 80s 16.00-17.00 mostly 17.00 few 15.00

few 17.50 90s 14.00-15.00 mostly 14.50-15.00 some low as 13.00 100s 12.00-14.00 mostly 13.00-14.00 120s few 14.00 U.S. Two 50 lb sbs 6 oz min 14.00 WA bid 10 5-lb filmbags non sz A 9.00-10.00 mostly 9.00 50 lb ctns 60s 16.00 few 16.50 70s 15.00-17.00 80s 14.00-15.00 90s 13.00-14.00 100s 11.00-12.00 WI bid 10 5-lb filmbags non sz A 9.00-10.00 mostly 9.00 50 lb ctns 70s 16.00-17.00 80s 14.00-15.00 90s 13.00-14.00 100s 11.00-12.00 Round Red CD bid 10 5-lb filmbags 12.50 50 lb sbs 9.00-11.00 sz B 12.00 MN 50 lb sbs 12.00-14.00 mostly 12.00-13.00 fair qual 10.00 sz B 10.00-12.00 few high as 14.00 WA 50 lb ctns 22.00 Round White CD Prince Edward Island 50 lb sbs 7.50-8.00 lge 11.00 DE bid 10 5-lb filmbags 11.00 50 lb sbs 7.50-9.00 mostly 7.50-8.00 lge 11.00 10 lb sbs lse 1.50 Yellow Type Yukon Gold WA 50 lb ctns 22.00

Philadelphia Herbs

Philadelphia Terminal
Prices as of Sept. 18, 2002

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MISC HERBS -ANISE: ctns CA 18s 15.00 24s 15.00 -ARRUGULA: 4/5 bucrts bchd NJ 24s 12.00-14.00 ctns bchd NJ 24s 12.00-14.00 fitctns CA Baby 4 lb 12.00 -BASIL: 1 kg ctns IS 12s 13.00 bucrts bchd NJ 15s 7.50-9.00 mostly 8.00-9.00 -CELERIAC (CELERY ROOT): OFFERINGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE

-CHIVES: filmbags lse DR AIR 1 kg 16.00-18.00 -CILANTRO: 4/5 bucrts bchd NJ 30s 13.00-16.00 mostly 13.00-15.00 OH 30s 12.00-14.00 4/5 bucrts lse NJ 13.00 ctns bchd NJ 30s 12.00-14.00 OH 30s 10.00 -DILL: ctns bchd OH 24s 10.00 crts bchd NJ 24s 10.00-12.00 mostly 11.00-12.00 NY 24s 8.00-10.00 OH 24s 10.00-12.00 -DRY ESCHALLOT: 10 lb sbs NL 10.00 -MARJORAM: 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 13.00 -MINT: ctns bchd NJ 8.00-10.00 mostly 8.00-9.00 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 13.00 -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 AL 12s 7.50 24s 11.50-12.00 mostly 12.00

Weaverland Produce Auction

New Holland, Pa.

Report Supplied by Auction
September 17, 2002

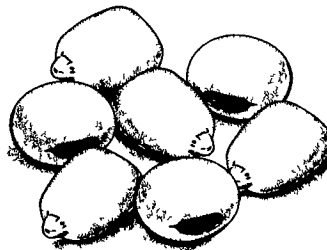
APPLES: EMPRESS 6.00, GOLD 6.00-8.00, RED DELICIOUS 7.00, GALA 5.00, ALL ½ BU. BEANS: GREEN 9.00-10.00, YELLOW 9.00-13.00, BOTH ½ BU.

BROCCOLI: .50-.95 HEAD. CABBAGE: GREEN .65-.95 HEAD. CANTALOPES: SM. TO LRGE. 1.0-.75. CAULIFLOWER: 1.45 HEAD. CUCUMBERS: 4.00-11.00 ½ BU. EGGPLANT: 3.00-4.00 ½ BU. HONEYDEW: 1.05 EA. HONEYLOPES: 1.35 EA. NECTARINES: 8.00 ½ BU. ONIONS: YELLOW 3.50, SPANISH 6.00, BOTH 25 LBS. PEACHES: 11.00-14.00 ½ BU. PEARS: 3.50-10.00 ½ BU. PEPPERS: GREEN 2.00-7.00; RED 11.00, BOTH BU.; HOT 5.00-8.00 FLAT. PICKLES: 3.50 ½ BU. POTATOES: RED 10.50, WHITE 9.50, BOTH 50 LBS.; SWEET 12.00 ½ BU. PUMPKINS: NECK 1.55-4.00 EACH. RED BEETS: 8.00 ½ BU. SQUASH: ACORN 8.00, SPAGHETTI 3.50, BOTH BU. SWEET CORN: 2.75-4.40 DOZ. TOMATOES: SM. TO LRGE. 19.00-25.00, YELLOW 9.00, BOTH 25 LBS.; GRAPE 6.00-16.00 FLAT; PLUM 7.00 25 LBS. WATERMELONS: SANGRIA 2.00-2.50, SEEDLESS 2.00-3.30. ZUCCHINI: GREEN 9.00-12.00 ½ BU. FLOWERS: MUMS 1.00-7.00; PERENNIALS 2.75. ORNAMENTALS: FACE PUMPKINS SM. TO LRGE. .50-7.75; GOURDS 9.00 ½ BU.; GOOSE GOURDS 2.00-2.50; JBL 6.00-9.00 ½ BU.; BABY PAMS .25-.50; INDIAN CORN 2.25-3.75, FINGERS .85-1.00; POPCORN .85 BUNCH. SALE DAYS NEXT WEEK ARE MON., TUES., THURS., FRI., 9 A.M. SAT 8 A.M. SPECIAL WHOLESALE NURSERY SALE SAT., OCTG. 5, 9 A.M.

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Rt. 230, Mt. Joy, PA**

Lunch and refreshments served following plot tour. Bring a friend or two!

Directions: Rt. 283 to Manheim-Mt. Joy Exit. Take Rt. 772 towards Mt. Joy. In Mt. Joy at the traffic light for Rt. 230, turn right. Go 1½ miles. Plot is on the right. Look for the NK® signs.



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"Bio-Zyme w/ Miracle II" Meetings

This is again announcing some upcoming meetings in the Dauphin and Lancaster County areas. Please see last week's publication for dates, times and locations.

What are Bio-Zyme products?
They are soil inoculants with the added power of enzyme and humus (organic matter) to increase root growth and mass, seed germination and emergence by reducing soil crusting. Also contains seaweed growth hormones from seaweeds, Miracle II Soap and Neutralizer and more.

How do the Soil Inoculants work?
The living soil micro-organisms and other organic substances in it ACCELERATE and ENCOURAGE the natural activities of micro-organisms or bacteria already present in the soil. Bio-Zyme Soil Inoculants are soil treatments to help reduce soil compaction and erosion.

The definitions of INOCULATE in Webster's Dictionary: (1) To put bacteria, serums, etc. into. Farmers inoculate the soil with bacteria that will take nitrogen from the air and change it so it can be used by plants. (2) To infect with germs that will cause a mild form of a disease to prevent it from getting the regular disease.

Why were the Miracle II products added?
Stan & A.C. had been researching and experimenting for years with various products, especially enzymes, to improve soil conditions. They finally came up with an organic product which they named Bio-Zyme Soil Inoculants. Then about 1 1/2 years ago they found out about the Miracle II products and used them along with the Bio-Zymes with tremendous results. They then decided to re-formulate the product by adding the Miracle II Soap and Neutralizer because through their experiences they found out that each product enhanced the other one.

The Soap and Neutralizer possess moisture retention agents that help to improve soil condition, increase water penetration and reduce moisture stress. This allows for increased crop production through better water utilization and plant nutrition. Also very helpful in hydrophobic types of soils to aid in holding water and aids in balancing the PH factor of your soil.

Are these the only fertilizers you will need?
Not in all soil conditions. When using the Soil Inoculants you can use less of your favorite fertilizer - approx 25% less if in liquid form and 50% less if in granular form.

What is Bio-Zyme Soil Inoculant w/ 20-20-20 Fertilizer?
All the advantages of the soil inoculants but formulated with NPK to increase crop yields through improved fertilizer utilization. Only for those who feel they need the extra NPK. Environmentally friendly with an organic base.

Just remember
Bio-Zyme Soil Inoculants and other organic substances help bring back microbial life in the soil. Microbial life in the soil is EXTREMELY IMPORTANT! They are a large part of the soil and work to clean up the soil as well as making NPK and other nutrients available to plant life.

On the other hand, Anhydrous Ammonia and other chemicals (which Stan & A.C. were big users of at one time) are destructive and are killing the microbial life in the soil. Which will we choose? Let's determine to help bring back the LIFE in the soil rather than destroy it!

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