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## 2012 Crop

### APPLES UTILIZED FOR PROCESSING IN 2,000 LB (1 TON) UNITS

Week Ending		4-Aug	11-Aug	18-Aug	25-Aug	Total To Date		Final
						2012	2011	
<b>Appalachian</b> (VA - WV - MD - PA)	Juice	391	1,523	584	626	<b>3,289</b>	1,442	62,576
	Canners	2,048	1,718	1,491	1,876	<b>7,964</b>	7,017	209,853
	<b>Total</b>	<b>2,439</b>	<b>3,241</b>	<b>2,075</b>	<b>2,502</b>	<b>11,253</b>	8,459	272,429
<b>California</b>	Juice	0	0	0	313	313	679	79,606
	Peelers	0	0	0	183	183	569	<b>14,522</b>
	<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>496</b>	<b>496</b>	1,248	<b>94,128</b>
<b>Washington</b>	Juice	0	*0	*0	*0	*0	404	<b>258,738</b>
	Peelers	0	*0	*0	*0	*0	42	<b>144,084</b>
	<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	446	<b>402,822</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2,439</b>	<b>3,241</b>	<b>2,075</b>	<b>2,998</b>	<b>11,749</b>	10,153	769,379

Revised figures in BOLD

\* Supplies in too few hands to report

## 2011 Crop

### APPLES UTILIZED FOR PROCESSING IN 2,000 LB (1 TON) UNITS

Week Ending		4-Aug	11-Aug	18-Aug	25-Aug	Total To Date		Final
						2011	2010	
<b>Appalachian</b> (VA - WV - MD - PA)	Juice	0	0	0	0	62,576	56,456	56,700
	Canners	0	0	0	0	209,853	214,855	216,089
	<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>272,429</b>	<b>271,311</b>	<b>272,789</b>
<b>California</b>	Juice	*0	*0	*0	0	79,606	86,450	86,450
	Peelers	*0	*0	*0	0	12,418	11,990	13,914
	<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>92,024</b>	<b>98,440</b>	<b>100,364</b>
<b>Washington</b>	Juice	1,695	1,338	1,146	2,313	258,738	279,400	283,732
	Peelers	1,538	1,857	991	2,535	144,084	199,591	201,667
	<b>Total</b>	<b>3,233</b>	<b>3,195</b>	<b>2,137</b>	<b>4,848</b>	<b>402,822</b>	<b>478,991</b>	<b>485,399</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3,233</b>	<b>3,195</b>	<b>2,137</b>	<b>4,848</b>	<b>767,275</b>	848,742	858,552

### APPLE JUICE CONCENTRATE IMPORTS - PORTS OF ENTRY EAST COAST:

Prices for apple juice concentrate for the period August 23 - 29, 2012. Acidity 1.0-2.2 percent weight/weight as malic acid, color 40-70 percent, brix minimum of 70.0, various containers (drums, bins, or bulk liquid packaging). Sales Ex Doc, excludes freight charges, all duties paid, containers included unless otherwise stated. Prices offered to importers per gallon basis in U.S. Dollars. China \$9.75-10.50 mostly \$9.75-10.00.

**APPALACHIAN DISTRICT (VA, WV, MD, PA) 2012 SEASON** Demand very good for light offerings. Trading very active. Prices about steady. Canners U.S. One paid to growers, delivered to processors per hundredweight and includes contract sales 2 1/2 inch minimum (includes some undersized fruit) Gingergold and Gala 22.00-26.00 occas higher, Straight loads of juice stock per hundredweight (cwt) U.S. Cider grade all varieties 20.00-23.00 mostly 22.00-23.00 occas higher. Quality and condition variable. Growers beginning to lightly harvest Idared, Ozark Gold, Golden Delicious, Honeycrisp, Jonathans and Yorks.

**MICHIGAN: 2012 SEASON** The Michigan Processing Apple Growers Marketing Committee of the Michigan Agricultural Cooperative Marketing Association has negotiated the following minimum processing apple prices with several processors for the 2012 crop, per cwt:

2-1/2 inch and up	
Jonathan.....	28.00
Jonagold, Idared & Crispin.....	27.00
Spy.....	26.00

Hard Varieties	
(includes Rome & Goldens).....	26.00
Soft Varieties.....	23.00
Straight loads of Juice Apples.....	22.00
Under 2-1/2 inch in Peeler loads.....	20.00

**MICHIGAN: 2012 SEASON Continued...** Trading is active for limited supplies. The harvest is shifting from early summer varieties to the harvest of Gala, Honey Crisp and early strains of McIntosh and Jonathan. Some juice apples are being purchased by local cider mills at higher prices.

**FIRST REPORT.**

**NEW YORK 2012 SEASON** Movement is expected to increase seasonally. Demand is active for limited early season supplies. Prices for Juice Stock and Canners/Peelers are about steady. Purchase prices are variety, size and quality dependent. Prices for processing apples on Wednesday, August 29, 2012 F.O.B. packing house or receiving station per cwt. 2012 crop: Canners/Peelers – (Utilizing All Available Varieties): \$22.00-25.00, mostly 22.00-22.50, includes previous commitments. Juice Stock – (Utilizing All Available Varieties): \$20.00-25.00 mostly 22.00, includes previous commitments.

**WASHINGTON: 2012 CROP** Offerings to processors light. Trading very light. Volume picking up slightly current week and more over the next few weeks as field run becomes more available. Harvest of Gala and Bartlett are underway with some Golden Delicious getting underway also. Forecast is for highs around 80F, lows around 50F and mostly sunny.

**2011 CROP** Offerings to processors very light. Trading very light. Cherries are winding down as some are running peaches and nectarines. LAST REPORT FOR 2011. CROP.

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**NATIONAL SHIPPING POINT TRENDS**

Unless otherwise stated, shipments, crossings or imports are for the weeks ending August 11, August 18, and August 25 2012, in that order in thousand hundredweight (cwt) or 100,000 pound units. Expected movement is for the period August 26-September 8, 2012. Prices are for Monday, August 27, 2012 compared to Monday, August 20, 2012. Unless otherwise stated, sales are F.O.B. Shipping Point Basis (including Delivered Sales, F.O.B. Shipping Point Basis) or port of entry and extra services are included. 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. Brokerage fees paid by shipper are included in the price reported.

**---APPLES**

**YAKIMA VALLEY AND WENATCHEE DISTRICT WASHINGTON---**2011 CROP Shipments 486-513-418 (Includes Exports 136-170-116) ---Movement expected to decrease. Trading active. Prices slightly higher. Washington Extra Fancy carton tray pack Red Delicious 72s 28.00-30.00, 80s 26.00-28.00, 88s mostly 26.00-27.00, 100s 24.00-26.00, 113s 24.00-25.00, 125s 22.00- 24.00. Washington Extra Fancy carton tray pack fine appearance Red Delicious 72-80s 30.00-32.00, 88s mostly 30.00, 100s 26.00-28.00, 113s 26.00-27.00, 125s 24.00-26.00. Exports to (listed by volume in descending order): Mexico, Canada, Indonesia, Thailand, China, Sri Lanka, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Honduras, Guatemala, Hong Kong, Peru, Nicaragua, United Arab Emirates, Malaysia, United Kingdom, Panama, Philippines, Vietnam, India, Saudi Arabia, Guyana, Costa Rica, and the Bahamas.

**YAKIMA VALLEY AND WENATCHEE DISTRICT WASHINGTON---**2012 CROP Shipments 11-47-96 (Includes Exports 0-6-19) ---Movement expected to increase sharply as harvest of Gala and Golden Delicious pick up. FOB volume of Gala likely current week.

**SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY CALIFORNIA---**Shipments 81-94\*-95---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly active. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy 12 3-pound film bags 2 1/2 inch minimum Gala mostly 28.00-32.50; Granny Smith mostly 24.50. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy tray pack Gala 80s mostly 45.00-48.50, 88s mostly 46.00, 100s 40.00-43.50, 113s 38.00- 38.50, 125s mostly 26.00-31.00; Granny Smith 100s mostly 32.50, 113s 28.50. \*revised.

**CHILE---**Imports 93-175-43---Imports via boat. Movement expected to decrease. PORT OF ENTRY: PHILADELPHIA AREA. Trading moderate. Prices Pink Lady/Cripps Pink generally unchanged, others lower. 18 kilogram cartons tray pack Fuji 70-90s mostly 30.00-32.00, 100s 26.00-28.00; Royal Gala 70-80s 38.00-40.00, 90s 36.00-38.00, 100s 34.00-36.00; Braeburn 70-90s 28.00-30.00, Pink Lady/Cripps Pink 70-90s mostly 24.00-26.00. Quality good.

**NEW YORK---**Shipments 2-7-32---Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading fairly active. Prices generally unchanged. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy 12 3-pound film bags 2 1/2 inch minimum Ginger Gold mostly 27.00-28.00, Paula Red mostly 28.00, McIntosh 27.00-30.00, Gala 30.00. Cartons U.S. Extra Fancy tray pack Gala 80s-88s 42.00, 100s 40.00-42.00; Ginger Gold 80s-88s 35.00- 37.00, 100s mostly 35.00; Paula Red 80s-88s 35.00-37.00, 100s mostly 35.00- 36.00.

**APPALACHIAN DISTRICT (MD-PA-VA-WV)---**Shipments 6-10-19. Movement expected to increase. Trading active. Prices about unchanged. Cartons 12 3-lb film bags 2 1/2 inch minimum U.S. Extra Fancy Gingergold mostly 25.00-26.00, Galas 29.00-32.00, cartons traypack U.S. Extra Fancy Gingergold 72s-100s 29.00-30.00, Gala 72s-88s mostly 38.00-39.00, 100s mostly 37.00; Honeycrisp 80s-100s 69.00-70.00. Growers beginning to harvest Golden Delicious, Idared, York and a few Red Delicious current week.

**MICHIGAN---**Shipments 1-2-4---Movement expected to increase slightly. Very light harvest of Paula Red underway and moving northward, with some harvest of Gala underway. Trading moderate. Unofficial prices for Monday, August 27, 2012 cartons 12 3-lb film bags U.S. Extra Fancy 2 1/2 inch minimum Gala 30.00-32.00, Paula Red few 26.00-28.00. No F.O.B. Shipping Point prices currently being issued.

**NEW ENGLAND---**Shipments 0-1-2---Movement expected to increase seasonally. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

**WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA---**Movement expected to increase during the current trade week. Currently, no F.O.B is being reported.

**---PEARS**

**SACRAMENTO AND SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY---**Shipments 115-99\*-95---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading moderate. Prices lower. 40-pound cartons wrapped U.S. One Bartlett 70s-80s mostly 25.00-26.00, 90s 22.00- 24.00. 36 pound cartons tight fill U.S. One Bartlett 80 size mostly 19.00- 20.00, 90 size mostly 18.00. 40 pound cartons wrapped Bosc Golden 70s-80s mostly 36.00, 90s 34.00, 100s mostly 30.00. 2/5 bushel cartons wrapped U.S. One Stark Crimson 35s-45s 21.00. \*revised.

**MENDOCINO LAKE COUNTY CALIFORNIA---**Shipments 6-36-52---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices Bartlett 36-pound tight fill 120s slightly higher, Bartlett 36-pound tight fill 80-90s and Stark Crimson slightly lower, others generally unchanged. 36-pound cartons tight fill U.S. One Bartlett 80 size 19.00-20.00, 90 size 18.00, 100 size 16.00- 17.00, 110 size 15.00-16.00, 120 size mostly 15.00. 2/5 bushel cartons wrapped U.S. One Stark Crimson 35-40s 20.00-21.00, 45s 20.00, 50s mostly 18.00.

**YAKIMA VALLEY AND WENATCHEE DISTRICT WASHINGTON---**2012 CROP Shipments 0-6-30 (Includes Exports 0-2-8) ---Movement expected to increase as harvest picks up. FOB volume of Bartlett pears expected current week. Quality generally good.