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PREFACE

This publication is a summary of the Florida, Georgia, South Carolina, North Carolina, and Appalachian District peach seasons. It includes peach production figures, shipments, F. O. B. sales, selected terminal market sales, and distribution records for the 1991 Peach Crop. Some of the information is preliminary and subject to revision. This information is provided for its historical interest, and for use in planning and marketing future crops.

The Federal-State Market News Service collected daily shipping point price information for the 1991 peach season in North Florida and South Georgia May 6-May 17, Florida May 6-May 13, Central Georgia May 13-July 24, South Carolina May 20-August 5, and the Appalachian District August 1-September 11.

The Appalachian District is composed of the following areas:

- Virginia -- Roanoke and nearby points, northward including the Shenandoah Valley and growing areas immediately east of the Blue Ridge.
- West Virginia -- The four eastern counties of Jefferson, Berkeley, Morgan, and Hancock.
- Maryland -- The three eastern counties of Allegany, Washington, and Frederick.
- Pennsylvania -- Primarily the southeastern counties of Franklin, Adams, York, Berks and Lehigh.

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WEEKLY PEACH SHIPMENTS INCLUDING EXPORT (RAIL, TRUCK AND PIGGYBACK)

WEEKS ENDING APRIL 20 - SEPTEMBER 21, 1972

38,000 pound units (1,000 38-pound cartons)

WEEK ENDING	CALIF	GEORGIA	MICH	NEW JERSEY	SOUTH CAROLINA	WASH	APPALACHIAN	OTHER	TOTAL
APR 20	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	4	8
27	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	10
MAY 4	16	42	-	-	1	-	-	2	61
11	37	133	-	-	57	-	-	4	231
18	117	275	-	-	96	-	-	2	490
25	355	235	-	-	196	-	-	1	787
JUN 1	550	129	-	-	221	-	-	4	904
8	651	143	-	-	226	-	-	2	1,022
15	420	193	-	-	266	-	-	3	882
22	434	254	-	-	375	-	-	1	954
29	470	159	-	-	461	-	-	2	1,072
JUL 6	398	115	-	-	445	-	-	4	962
13	553	156	3	66	324	1	6	5	1,114
20	647	79	9	102	341	4	27	6	1,215
27	663	23	60	145	216	19	125	10	1,261
AUG 3	668	4	81	154	151	37	125	12	1,232
10	682	-	72	221	117	32	99	13	1,236
17	598	-	76	255	92	54	101	10	1,184
24	615	-	64	252	53	48	106	6	1,142
31	544	-	70	247	21	48	131	-	1,061
SEPT 7	284	-	31	230	-	32	96	-	673
14	303	-	13	183	-	47	33	-	579
21	305	-	3	107	-	27	3	-	445
TOTAL	9,308	1,841	482	1,962	3,659	349	852	94	18,547

COMBINED RAIL & TRUCK ARRIVALS IN U. S. CITIES
APRIL THROUGH SEPTEMBER
(38,000 POUND NET WEIGHT)

CITY	CA	FL	GA	MD	NJ	NC	PA	SC	VA	WV	OTHER	TOTAL
Atlanta GA	20	-	118	-	9	-	-	100	-	-	5	252
Baltimore MD1/	176	-	33	15	15	-	7	83	4	3	5	341
Boston MA5/	204	-	78	-	106	4	17	160	-	5	7	581
Buffalo NY	35	-	15	-	11	-	4	10	-	8	8	91
Chicago IL	221	-	101	-	36	-	1	81	1	-	29	470
Cincinnati OH	100	-	12	-	6	-	2	64	-	1	7	192
Columbia SC	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	160	-	-	-	162
Dallas TX	71	-	16	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	27	116
Detroit MI	116	-	13	-	41	-	-	59	-	-	19	248
Los Angeles CA	821	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	829
Miami FL	27	-	10	-	9	1	-	65	-	-	-	112
New Orleans LA	46	-	9	-	-	-	-	11	-	-	3	69
New York NY/2	182	2	51	-	119	-	7	56	-	-	18	435
Philadelphia PA	67	2	14	-	61	-	6	112	-	-	-	262
Pittsburgh PA	99	-	20	1	33	1	15	67	-	13	2	251
St. Louis MO	115	-	10	-	-	-	2	8	-	-	21	156
San Francisco CA/3	467	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	472
Seattle WA/4	132	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	76	208
TOTAL												5,247

1/ INCLUDES WASHINGTON, DC

2/ INCLUDES NEWARK, NJ

3/ INCLUDES OAKLAND, CA

4/ INCLUDES TACOMA, WA

5/ NEW ENGLAND: INCLUDES MAIN, MASSACHUSETTS, CONNECTICUT, NEW HAMPSHIRE, & VERMONT.

REVIEW OF THE 1991 NORTH FLORIDA-SOUTH GEORGIA PEACH SEASON

Production: According to the United States Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Statistics Board, peach production in the state of Georgia for the 1991 crop is forecast at 150 million pounds. Production estimates by shipping districts are not tabulated. Industry officials, shippers, and producers estimate the South Georgia crop accounts for approximately twenty percent of the total state production. The main area of production is located in Brooks County. The 1991 estimate of 150 million pounds was 20 million pounds higher than the 1990 production level of 130 million pounds. In 1989, production was finalized at 125 million pounds.

Production figures for the state of Florida are not compiled as estimates could disclose individual operations. The major area of commercial production is located in Madison County.

Growing Conditions: The 1991 growing season was progressing normally until April 20 when a devastating hail storm entered into the production area. Prior to the hail storm, more than ample rainfall was received during the growing season and most varieties received proper chilling hours. The hail storm affected a major portion of the growing area in South Georgia. Production prospects were lowered substantially. The initial harvest of the crop was underway a few days later.

Harvest: The initial harvest in the shipping district began during the week of April 21. As has been the case for several past seasons the Florida King was the first variety harvested. Other early season varieties included Cherry Gold and Florida Gold. The harvest of these early season varieties reached its peak stage during the week of May 5-11 when 85 trailerload equivalents were shipped. The week of May 12-18 marked a sharp decline of the early season varieties and the beginning of mid season varieties. Mid season varieties included Dixie Queen, Empress, June Gold, and May Crest. Between May 12 and May 25, mid season varieties accounted for a total of 65 trailerload equivalents. The majority of the harvest was over with the completion of mid season varieties in late May. Commercial shipments of various late season varieties began in late May and continued into mid June, accounting for a total of 16 trailerload equivalents. Commercial late season varieties included Rio Grande, Sentinel, and Suwannee.

Packaging and Marketing: The first F.O.B. shipping point price report for the North Florida-South Georgia District was issued on May 6. Approximately 53 trailerloads were shipped prior to the first price report. Shipments prior to the first report were mostly consignment loads to northern and midwestern terminal markets. Opening prices on May 6 were \$15.00-16.00 for 2 1/4 inch and up size, \$12.00-13.00 for 2 to 2 1/4 inch size. By the end of the week, 2 1/4 inch and up size ranged from \$16.00-18.00 while 2 to 2 1/4 inch size returned mostly \$12.00. Prices the following Monday were lower, ranging from \$15.00-16.00 on 2 1/4 inch and up size and returning mostly \$10.00 on 2 to 2 1/4 inch size. There was insufficient volume of supplies to report prices for the remainder of the week. The final shipping point report was issued on May 17.

Peaches in Georgia are marketed under a Federal Marketing Agreement with mandatory inspection by the United States Department of Agriculture. This agreement does not apply to Florida grown peaches, consequently inspection is not required. Prices on a F.O.B. shipping point basis were generally for percentage grades of U.S. No. 1 quality, rather than the normal standard of U.S. Extra No. 1. Georgia peach shipments were certified by the Federal-State Inspection Service. Florida peaches were commonly marketed as no grade mark.

Transportation Trends: Trucks are the only commercial means to transport the North Florida-South Georgia peach crop. Shipments are tabulated by the Market News Service through the assistance of the Federal-State Inspection Service. Total shipments in 1991 were 209 trailerload equivalents. The peach trade considers a trailerload to contain 1,000-38 pound carton. It is, however, a common practice to pack around 1,050 containers into a trailerload. The 209 trailerload total consisted of 36 loads from Florida and 173 loads from Georgia. In 1990, shipments tabulated by the Market News Service totaled 308 trailerload total, Florida accounted for 41 loads and South Georgia 267 loads. The peak of the 1991 shipping deal ran from April 28 to May 11 when 128 trailerloads were shipped. This two week period accounted for sixty-one percent of the entire volume.

DAILY F.O.B. PRICES AT NORTH FLORIDA AND SOUTH GEORGIA SHIPPING POINTS - 1991

The F. O. B. prices in the following table are for various yellow flesh varieties, hydrocooled in 3/4 bushel cartons as specified. South Georgia peaches were mostly 80-85% U.S. No. 1 quality. North Florida peaches are generally marketed under No Grade Mark.

DATE	2 1/4 inch up	2 1/8 inch up	2-2 1/4 inches
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3/4 BUSHEL CARTONS

May 6	15.00-16.00	-	12.00-13.00
7	15.00-16.00	-	12.00
8	15.00-16.00	-	12.00
9	15.00-16.00	-	12.00
10	16.00-18.00	-	12.00
13	15.00-16.00	-	10.00
14	Supplies insufficient to quote		
15	Supplies insufficient to quote		
16	Supplies insufficient to quote		
17	Supplies insufficient to quote		

1991 FLORIDA TERMINAL MARKET PRICES

Prices in the following tables represent sales in less than truckload quantities on the most active trading day of the week. Quotations cover fruit in generally good quality. (Florida peaches are generally shipped in containers with no grade marks.) Various varieties of yellow flesh peaches are covered. Up sizes are reported unless otherwise stated.

Date	2 1/2 inch	2 1/4 inch	2 inch	1 7/8 inch	1 3/4 inch
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ATLANTA

3/4 Bushel Cartons

May	6	-	13.00- 14.00	-	-	-
	13	-	13.00- 14.00	-	-	-

CHICAGO

3/4 Bushel Cartons

May	6	-	25.00	-	-	-
	13	-	-	-	-	-

NEW YORK CITY

1/2 Bushel Cartons

May	6	-	-	11.00- 12.00	10.00- 11.00	-
	13	-	-	-	-	-

3/4 Bushel Cartons

May	6	-	20.00- 25.00	13.00- 18.00	12.00- 15.00	10.00- 12.00
	13	-	-	-	-	-

REVIEW OF THE CENTRAL GEORGIA 1991 PEACH SEASON

GROWING CONDITIONS:

The early growing season in 1991 was generally favorable. Peach production increased compared to the 1990 season. Heavy rains during harvest season caused heavy cullage.

HARVEST:

Harvest of the 1991 crop began in Central Georgia in early May and most shippers were active by mid-May. The heavier Georgia movement occurred from mid-May through most of June. Moderate shipments continued through mid-July and harvesting was generally completed in late July.

PACKAGING AND MARKETING:

F.O.B. market prices for peaches 3/4 bushel cartons of 2-1/4 inches and up size, U.S. Extra No. 1 grade were \$16.00. Prices held at \$14.00 and up, through June 12th. Prices declined to \$8.00-\$10.00 in late June and the market ranged from \$7.00-\$10.00 the remainder of the season, ending in late July.

The 3/4 bushel carton weighing 38 pounds was the principal type of shipping container. The most popular varieties included June Gold, Red Globe, Dixired, Coronet, Loring, Harvester, Dixieland and Sun Prince.

TRANSPORTATION TRENDS:

Trucks are the commercial means to transport the Central and North Georgia peach crop. Shipments for Central and North Georgia as reported by the Georgia Federal-State Inspection Service, in loads of 1,000 3/4 bushel cartons, totaled 1,669 in 1991 compared to 1,850 reported in 1990.

DAILY F.O.B. PRICES AT CENTRAL GEORGIA SHIPPING POINTS - 1991

The F.O.B. prices in the following table are for various yellow flesh varieties, hydrocooled in 3/4 bushel cartons. The grade is U.S. extra No. 1, up sizes, unless otherwise stated.

DATE	2 1/2 inches	2 1/4 inches	2 1/8 - 2 1/4 inches	2 - 2 1/4 inches
May 13	-	16.00	14.00-15.00	10.00
14	-	16.00	14.00-15.00	10.00
15	-	16.00	14.00	10.00
16	-	16.00	14.00	10.00
17	-	16.00	14.00	10.00
20	-	16.00	14.00	10.00
21	No report			
22	-	16.00	14.00	9.00-10.00
23	-	16.00	13.00-14.00	8.00- 9.00
24	-	16.00	13.00-14.00	8.00- 9.00
27	Holiday			
28	-	15.00-16.00	13.00-14.00	8.00
29	-	15.00-16.00	13.00-14.00	8.00
30	-	-	-	-
31	-	14.00-16.00	12.00-14.00	7.00- 8.00
June 3	-	14.00-16.00	12.00-14.00	7.00- 9.00
4	16.00-18.00	14.00-16.00	12.00-14.00	7.00- 9.00
5	16.00-18.00	14.00-16.00	12.00-14.00	7.00- 9.00
6	16.00-18.00	14.00-16.00	12.00-14.00	7.00- 9.00
7	16.00-18.00	14.00-16.00	12.00-14.00	7.00- 9.00
10	16.00-19.00	14.00-16.00	12.00-14.00	8.00- 9.00
11	17.00-19.00	14.00-16.00	10.00-14.00	7.00-10.00
12	17.00-18.00	14.00-15.00	10.00-13.00	7.00- 9.00
13	16.00-18.00	12.00-14.00	10.00-12.00	7.00- 8.00
14	16.00-18.00	12.00-14.00	10.00-12.00	6.00- 8.00
17	14.00-16.00	11.00-13.00	7.00-10.00	5.00- 6.00
18	12.00-14.00	9.00-12.00	7.00- 8.00	5.00- 6.00
19	12.00-14.00	9.00-12.00	7.00- 8.00	5.00- 6.00
20	11.00-14.00	9.00-11.00	6.00- 7.00	4.00- 6.00
21	10.00-14.00	9.00-10.00	6.00- 7.00	4.00- 5.00
24	10.00-14.00	8.00-10.00	6.00- 7.00	4.00- 5.00

DAILY F.O.B. PRICES AT CENTRAL GEORGIA SHIPPING POINTS - 1991

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The F.O.B. prices in the following table are for various yellow flesh varieties, hydrocooled in 3/4 bushel cartons. The grade is U.S. extra No. 1, up sizes, unless otherwise stated.

DATE	2 1/2 inches	2 1/4 inches	2 1/8 - 2 1/4 inches	2 - 2 1/4 inches
June 25	10.00-14.00	8.00-10.00	6.00- 7.00	4.00- 5.00
26	10.00-12.00	8.00-10.00	6.00- 7.00	4.00- 5.00
27	10.00-12.00	8.00-10.00	6.00- 7.00	4.00- 5.00
28	10.00-12.00	8.00-10.00	6.00- 7.00	4.00- 5.00
July 1	10.00-12.00	8.00-10.00	6.00- 7.00	5.00
2	10.00-12.00	8.00-10.00	6.00- 7.00	5.00
3	10.00-12.00	8.00-10.00	6.00- 7.00	5.00
4	Holiday			
5	10.00-12.00	8.00-10.00	6.00- 7.00	5.00
8	10.00-12.00	8.00-10.00	6.00- 7.00	5.00
9	10.00-12.00	7.00- 9.00	6.00	5.00
10	10.00-12.00	7.00- 9.00	6.00	5.00
11	10.00-12.00	7.00- 8.00	6.00	5.00
12	10.00-12.00	7.00- 8.00	6.00	5.00
15	10.00-12.00	7.00- 8.00	6.00	5.00
16	10.00-12.00	7.00- 8.00	6.00	5.00
17	10.00-12.00	7.00- 8.00	6.00	5.00
18	10.00-12.00	7.00- 8.00	6.00	5.00
19	10.00-12.00	7.00- 8.00	6.00	5.00
22	10.00-12.00	7.00	-	5.00
23	Supplies insufficient to quote			
24	Supplies insufficient to quote		Last report	

1991 GEORGIA TERMINAL MARKET PRICES

Prices in the following tables represent sales in less than truckload quantities on the most active trading day of the week. Quotations cover fruit in generally good quality. Various varieties of yellow flesh peaches are covered. Up sizes are reported unless otherwise stated.

Date	2 1/2 inch	2 1/4 inch	2 1/8 inch	2 inch	1 7/8 inch
1/2 Bushel Cartons					
DETROIT					
May 6	-	24.00	-	-	-
13	-	28.00	26.00	18.00	16.00
NEW YORK CITY					
May 6	-	-	-	11.00-12.00	10.00-11.00
13	-	-	-	-	-
PHILADELPHIA					
May 6	-	-	-	14.00	-
3/4 Bushel Cartons					
ATLANTA					
May 6	-	13.00-14.00	-	-	-
13	-	13.00-14.00	-	-	-
20	-	10.00-12.00	-	-	-
28	-	10.00-12.00	-	-	-
June 3	-	10.00-12.00	-	-	-
10	-	9.75-10.00	-	-	-
17	-	9.75-10.00	-	-	-
24	-	9.75-10.00	-	-	-
July 1	13.00	9.75-10.00	-	-	-
8	-	9.75-10.00	-	-	-
15	-	10.00-12.50	-	-	-
22	-	8.00	-	-	-
BALTIMORE					
May 6	-	27.00	-	24.00-25.00	22.00-23.00
13	-	18.00	-	-	-
20	20.00	18.00-22.00	-	10.00-12.00	-
28	-	-	-	-	-
June 3	-	-	-	12.00	-
10	-	-	-	-	-
17	-	-	-	-	-
24	-	-	-	-	-
July 1	-	-	-	-	-
8	-	-	-	-	-
15	-	-	-	-	-
22	-	11.00-12.00	-	-	-
BOSTON					
May 6	-	24.00-26.00	-	-	-
13	-	22.00-25.00	18.00-23.00	14.00-16.00	14.00-16.00
20	-	20.00-24.00	16.00-20.00	10.00-12.00	-
28	-	22.00-26.00	18.00-22.00	14.00	-
June 3	-	-	-	-	-
10	-	18.00-20.00	-	-	-
17	18.00-20.00	14.00-15.00	10.00	7.00-10.00	-
24	14.00-16.00	11.00-14.00	7.00- 8.00	6.00	-
July 1	16.00-18.00	-	-	-	-
8	12.00-14.00	10.00-11.00	6.00	5.00	-
15	-	-	-	-	-
22	-	-	-	-	-

1991 GEORGIA TERMINAL MARKET PRICES

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Date 2 1/2 inch 2 1/4 inch 2 1/8 inch 2 inch 1 7/8 inch

3/4 Bushel Cartons

CHICAGO

May	6	-	-	20.00	-	-
	13	30.00	24.00-26.00	-	20.00	16.00
	20	-	24.00-25.00	18.00-19.00	14.00	12.00
	28	-	24.00-25.00	18.00-19.00	14.00-15.00	9.00-10.00
June	3	-	-	-	-	-
	10	25.00-26.00	21.00-22.00	-	14.00-15.00	-
	17	-	17.00-18.00	13.00-15.00	10.50-11.00	-
	24	15.00-16.00	13.00-14.00	9.00-10.00	9.00	7.00- 8.00
July	1	12.00-14.00	10.00-12.00	-	-	-
	8	16.00	12.00	-	-	-
	15	12.00-13.00	11.00-12.00	8.50	-	-
	22	-	-	-	-	-

CINCINNATI

May	13	-	24.50-25.00	-	19.50-20.00	-
	20	-	21.00-22.00	-	14.50-15.00	-
	28	-	19.50-23.00	-	13.50-14.00	-
June	3	-	19.50-20.00	-	13.50-14.00	-
	10	-	20.50-21.00	-	14.50-15.00	-
	17	-	-	-	-	-
	24	-	-	-	-	-
July	1	-	-	-	-	-
	8	-	13.00-13.50	-	-	-
	15	-	12.00-12.50	-	9.00- 9.50	-
	22	-	-	-	-	-

DETROIT

May	6	-	-	28.00	20.00	15.00
	13	-	-	-	-	-
	20	-	26.00	18.50-20.00	15.00	-
	28	28.00	26.00	24.00	18.00	-
June	3	-	-	-	-	-
	10	-	-	-	-	-
	17	-	-	-	-	-
	24	18.00	14.00	-	-	-

NEW YORK CITY

May	6	-	20.00-25.00	23.00	13.00-18.00	12.00-15.00
	13	18.00-20.00	16.00-22.00	15.00-20.00	12.00-16.00	8.00-10.00
	20	-	15.00	-	10.00-12.00	7.00- 8.00
	28	-	24.00-26.00	-	10.00-12.00	-
June	3	-	22.00-25.00	-	13.00-14.00	13.00
	10	25.00	-	-	14.00	-
	17	14.00-16.00	10.00-12.00	8.00-10.00	7.00- 8.00	-
	24	10.00-12.00	-	-	-	-
July	1	18.00-20.00	12.00-14.00	8.00-10.00	6.00- 7.00	-
	8	14.00-15.00	10.00-12.00	-	-	-
	15	-	-	-	-	-
	22	-	-	-	-	-

1991 GEORGIA TERMINAL MARKET PRICES

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Date 2 1/2 inch 2 1/4 inch 2 1/8 inch 2 inch 1 7/8 inch

3/4 Bushel Cartons

PHILADELPHIA

May	6	-	22.00-24.00	20.00-22.00	18.00-20.00	-
	13	-	19.00-20.00	14.00-20.00	9.00-15.00	-
	20	-	20.00	16.00-17.00	-	-
	28	-	-	-	-	-
June	3	-	-	-	-	-
	10	-	-	-	-	-
	17	-	-	-	-	-
	24	-	-	-	-	-
July	1	16.00	14.00	12.00	-	-
	8	-	-	-	-	-
	15	-	-	-	-	-
	22	-	-	-	-	-

PITTSBURGH

May	13	-	20.00-22.00	18.00	15.00	-
	20	-	22.00	-	14.00	10.50
	28	-	-	-	14.00	9.00
June	3	-	-	-	-	-
	10	-	18.00	-	12.00	-
	17	16.00-18.00	12.00-15.00	11.00-12.00	8.00-10.00	5.00
	24	14.00	12.00-15.00	-	6.00	-
July	1	8.00-10.00	11.50-12.00	8.00	-	-
	8	-	-	-	-	-
	15	12.00-15.00	10.00-13.00	-	-	-
	22	-	-	-	-	-

ST. LOUIS

May	20	-	14.75	16.50	12.00-13.50	-
	28	-	-	-	-	8.75
June	3	-	-	-	-	8.75
	10	-	-	-	-	-
	17	-	-	-	-	-
	24	-	14.50	-	10.50	-
July	1	15.50	8.50	-	-	-
	8	-	-	-	-	-
	15	-	-	-	-	-
	22	-	-	-	-	-

REVIEW OF THE 1991 SOUTH CAROLINA PEACH SEASON

PRODUCTION

Peach production was fairly heavy in 1991. The U.S. Department of Agriculture Crop National Agricultural Statistics Service indicated total production for 1991 at 310 million pounds compared to the very light 110 million pounds for the 1990 crop.

GROWING CONDITIONS

The South Carolina winter and spring months weather was generally beneficial. However, rains during the harvest season resulted in reduced quality and heavy cullage, particularly in the southern growing areas of the State.

HARVEST:

Initial picking started in early May, about a week later than the preceding season. Shipments exceeded 100 loads per week, from June 9th through July 20th with peak shipments from mid June through the first week in July. Most harvesting was completed by mid-August. Light volume continued into early September.

PACKAGING AND MARKETING:

Market prices for peaches 2 1/4-2-2 1/2 inches size in 38 pound cartons ranged \$15.00-\$16.00 during late May. During the rest of the season prices declined gradually to \$8.00-\$9.00 by late June. Varieties continued the same as previous seasons. Junegold and Dixiered were popular early varieties and were followed by Red Haven, Coronets, Harvesters, Loring, Redglobes, Blakes, Jeffersons, and Crest Haven. The principal container was the 3/4 bushel carton containing 38 pounds.

TRANSPORTATION TRENDS:

Trucks moved practically all peaches shipped in 1991. Transportation was adequate throughout the season. The majority of South Carolina peaches were inspected by the Federal-State Inspection Service. Commercial shipments of 3,653 loads (1,000 38-pound cartons per truck) were moved in 1991, compared to 1,569 loads in 1990, an increase of over 130 percent.

DAILY F.O.B. PRICES AT SOUTH CAROLINA SHIPPING POINTS - 1991

The F.O.B. prices in the following table are for various yellow flash varieties, hydrocooled in 3/4 bushel cartons. The grade is U.S. extra #1, including up sizes, unless otherwise stated.

DATE	2 1/2 - 2-3/4 INCHES	2 1/4-2 1/2 INCHES	2 1/8-2 1/4 INCHES	2-2 1/4 INCHES
MAY 21	FIRST REPORT			
MAY 22	NO F.O.B. ISSUED			
MAY 23		16.00	14.00	9.00
MAY 24		16.00	13.00-14.00	8.00- 9.00
MAY 27	MEMORIAL DAY			
MAY 28		16.00	13.00-14.00	8.00- 9.00
MAY 29		15.00-16.00	13.00-14.00	8.00
MAY 30		15.00-16.00	13.00-14.00	8.00
MAY 31	UNCOMMITTED SUPPLIES INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE			
JUNE 3		14.00-16.00	12.00-14.00	7.00- 9.00
JUNE 4	16.00-18.00	14.00-16.00	12.00-14.00	7.00- 9.00
JUNE 5	16.00-18.00	14.00-16.00	12.00-14.00	7.00- 9.00
JUNE 6	16.00-18.00	14.00-16.00	12.00-14.00	7.00- 9.00
JUNE 7	16.00-18.00	14.00-16.00	12.00-14.00	7.00- 9.00
JUNE 10	16.00-18.00	14.00-16.00	12.00-14.00	7.00- 9.00
JUNE 11	17.00-18.00	12.00-15.00	10.00-14.00	7.00- 9.00
JUNE 12	17.00-18.00	12.00-15.00	10.00-12.00	7.00- 8.00
JUNE 13	16.00-18.00	12.00-14.00	10.00-12.00	7.00
JUNE 14	16.00-18.00	12.00-14.00	10.00-11.00	6.00- 7.00
JUNE 17	14.00-16.00	11.00-14.00	7.00- 9.00	5.00- 6.00
JUNE 18	12.00-14.00	9.00-12.00	7.00- 8.00	5.00- 6.00
JUNE 19	12.00-14.00	9.00-12.00	7.00- 8.00	5.00- 6.00
JUNE 20	11.00-14.00	9.00-11.00	6.00- 7.00	4.00- 5.00
JUNE 21	10.00-14.00	9.00-10.00	6.00- 7.00	4.00- 5.00
JUNE 24	10.00-13.00	8.00-10.00	6.00- 7.00	4.00- 5.00
JUNE 25	10.00-13.00	8.00-10.00	6.00- 7.00	4.00- 5.00
JUNE 26	10.00-13.00	8.00-10.00	6.00- 7.00	4.00- 5.00
JUNE 27	10.00-12.00	8.00- 9.00	6.00- 7.00	4.00- 5.00
JUNE 28	10.00-13.00	8.00- 9.00	6.00- 7.00	4.00- 5.00
JULY 1	10.00-13.00	8.00- 9.00	6.00- 7.00	4.00- 5.00
JULY 2	10.00-13.00	8.00-10.00	6.00- 7.00	5.00
JULY 3	10.00-13.00	8.00- 9.00	6.00- 7.00	5.00
JULY 4	HOLIDAY			
JULY 5	10.00-13.00	8.00- 9.00	6.00- 7.00	5.00
JULY 8	10.00-13.00	7.00- 9.00	6.00- 7.00	5.00
JULY 9	10.00-13.00	7.00- 8.00	6.00	5.00
JULY 10	10.00-13.00	7.00- 8.00	6.00	5.00
JULY 11	10.00-13.00	7.00- 8.00	6.00	5.00
JULY 12	10.00-13.00	7.00- 8.00	6.00	5.00
JULY 15	10.00-13.00	7.00- 8.00	6.00	5.00- 5.50
JULY 16	10.00-13.00	7.00- 8.00	6.00	5.00- 5.50
JULY 17	10.00-13.00	7.00- 8.00	6.00	5.00- 5.50
JULY 18	10.00-12.00	7.00- 8.00	6.00	5.00
JULY 19	10.00-12.00	7.00- 8.00	6.00	5.00
JULY 22	10.00-12.00	7.00	--	5.00
JULY 23	10.00-12.00	6.00- 8.00	--	5.00
JULY 24	10.00-12.00	6.00- 8.00	--	4.00- 5.00
JULY 25	10.00-12.00	6.00- 7.00	--	4.00- 5.00
JULY 26	10.00-12.00	6.00- 7.00	--	4.00- 5.00
JULY 29	8.00-12.00	6.00- 7.00	--	4.00- 5.00
JULY 30	8.00-12.00	6.00- 7.00	--	4.00- 5.00
JULY 31	8.00-12.00	5.00- 7.00	--	4.00- 5.00
AUG 1	7.00-12.00	5.00- 6.00	--	4.00- 4.50
AUG 2	8.00-12.00	5.00- 6.00	--	4.00- 4.50
AUG 5	8.00-11.00	5.00- 6.00	--	4.00- 4.50
AUG 6	8.00-11.00	5.00- 6.00	--	4.00- 4.50
AUG 7	8.00-11.00	5.00- 6.00	--	4.00- 4.50
AUG 8	8.00-10.00	5.00- 6.00	--	4.00- 4.50
AUG 9	7.00-10.00	5.00- 6.00	--	4.50
AUG 12	7.00- 9.00	5.00- 7.00	--	4.00- 5.00
AUG 13	7.00- 9.00	5.00- 7.00	--	4.00
AUG 14	7.00- 9.00	5.00- 7.00	--	4.00
AUG 15	7.00- 9.00	5.00- 7.00	--	4.00
AUG 16	7.00- 8.00	5.00- 6.00	--	4.00
AUG 19	7.00- 8.00	5.00- 6.00	--	4.00
AUG 20	7.00- 8.00	5.00- 6.00	--	4.00
AUG 21	7.00- 8.00	5.00- 6.00	--	4.00
AUG 22	7.00- 8.00	5.00- 6.00	--	--
AUG 23	7.00- 8.00	5.00- 6.00	--	--
AUG 24	LAST REPORT 7.00- 8.00	5.00- 6.00	--	--

1991 SOUTH CAROLINA TERMINAL MARKET PRICES

Prices in the following tables represent sales in less than truckload quantities and represent Monday prices. Quotations cover fruit in generally good quality. Various varieties of yellow flesh peaches are covered.

DATE	2 1/2 INCHES & UP	2 1/4 INCHES & UP	2 1/8 INCHES & UP	2 INCHES & UP
NEW YORK				
May 20	---	22.00-23.00	18.00-20.00	14.00-15.00
27	---	---	---	---
June 3	---	---	---	---
10	20.00-23.00	18.00-20.00	16.00-17.00	12.00
17	16.00-18.00	---	---	---
24	16.00-18.00	10.00-12.00	10.00	6.00- 8.00
July 1	18.00-20.00	12.00-15.00	8.00-10.00	6.00- 8.00
8	14.00-18.00	12.00-14.00	9.00-10.00	---
15	15.00-16.00	10.00-12.00	6.00- 7.00	---
22	13.00-15.00	---	---	---
29	15.00-18.00	---	---	---
Aug. 5	14.00	---	---	---
PHILADELPHIA				
May 20	---	19.00-20.00	17.00-18.00	---
27	---	24.00-26.00	22.00-23.00	---
June 3	---	26.00-28.00	24.00	18.00
10	---	22.00-24.00	13.00-15.00	---
17	18.00	12.00-15.00	10.00-12.00	7.00
24	14.00-15.00	8.00-12.00	---	---
July 1	15.00-16.00	12.00-13.00	---	---
8	15.00	12.00-13.00	---	8.00
15	---	---	---	---
22	14.00-16.00	11.00-13.00	9.00	8.00
29	14.00	12.00	---	---
Aug. 5	---	8.00	---	---
BOSTON				
May 20	---	---	---	10.00-12.00*
27	---	---	---	---
June 3	---	---	---	---
10	---	---	---	---
17	16.00-18.00	14.00-15.00	---	---
24	---	9.00-11.00	---	5.00- 6.00
July 1	---	---	---	---
8	---	19.00	---	---
15	16.00-17.00	11.00-12.00	9.00	---
22	14.00-15.00	10.00-11.00	---	---
29	17.00	12.00	---	9.00
Aug. 5	14.00	---	---	---
CHICAGO				
May 20	---	18.00*	---	---
27	---	---	---	---
June 3	---	---	---	---
10	---	---	---	---
17	---	---	15.00	10.00-11.00
24	---	---	9.00-10.00	8.00- 9.00
July 1	11.00-12.00	---	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00
8	16.00-17.00	12.00	9.00- 9.50	---
15	---	---	---	---
22	---	10.00-11.00	---	---
29	---	---	---	---
Aug. 5	---	---	---	---

* GRADE US #1

1991 SOUTH CAROLINA TERMINAL MARKET PRICES

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DATE	2 1/2 INCHES & UP	2 1/4 INCHES & UP	2 1/8 INCHES & UP	2 INCHES & UP
DETROIT				
May 20	---	---	---	---
27	---	---	---	---
June 3	---	---	---	---
10	---	---	---	---
17	22.00	18.00-20.00	---	---
24	---	14.00-15.00*	10.00-12.00*	---
July 1	18.00*	14.00	---	9.00*
8	14.00	10.00-10.50	---	---
15	16.00	12.00	---	---
22	18.00	14.00	---	---
29	---	9.00	---	---
Aug. 5	14.00	10.00	---	---
CINCINNATI				
May 20	---	---	---	---
27	---	---	---	---
June 3	---	---	---	13.50-14.00
10	---	---	---	---
17	---	18.50-19.00	---	11.50-12.00
24	18.50	15.00-15.50	---	10.00
July 1	16.00-16.50	13.00-13.50	---	---
8	---	13.00-13.50	---	9.00- 9.50
15	---	---	---	---
22	16.00-16.50	12.00-12.50	---	9.00- 9.50
29	14.50-15.00	11.50-12.00	---	8.50- 9.00
Aug. 5	13.50-14.00	10.50-11.00	---	8.50- 9.00
PITTSBURGH				
May 20	---	---	---	---
27	---	---	---	---
June 3	---	---	---	---
10	---	---	14.00	12.00-14.00
17	16.00-18.50	12.00-15.00	11.00-12.00	8.00-10.00
24	14.00	12.00-15.00	---	---
July 1	---	---	---	---
8	14.00-14.50	10.00-12.50	---	6.00- 8.00
15	12.00-15.00	10.00-13.00	---	---
22	12.00-13.00	11.00-14.00	---	---
29	---	9.00- 9.50	---	---
Aug. 5	---	---	---	---
ATLANTA				
May 20	---	---	---	---
27	---	---	---	---
June 3	---	---	---	---
10	---	---	---	---
17	---	---	---	---
24	---	---	---	---
July 1	---	---	---	---
8	---	12.50	---	---
15	---	12.50	---	---
22	---	---	---	---
29	---	---	---	---
Aug. 5	---	---	---	---

* US#1 GRADE

1991 SOUTH CAROLINA TERMINAL MARKET PRICES

Prices in the following tables represent sales in less than truckload quantities and represent Monday prices. Quotations cover fruit in generally good quality. Various varieties of yellow flesh peaches are covered.

DATE	2 1/2 INCHES & UP	2 1/4 INCHES & UP	2 1/8 INCHES & UP	2 INCHES & UP
BALTIMORE				
May 20	---	---	---	---
27	---	---	---	---
June 3	---	24.00-26.00	---	16.00-20.00
10	---	24.00	20.00	15.00-16.00
17	18.00-22.00	16.00-18.00	---	12.00-16.00
24	14.00-17.00	12.50-13.00	---	7.00-10.00
July 1	12.00-15.00	11.00	---	---
8	13.00-15.00	10.00-12.00	---	8.00- 9.00
15	13.00-15.00	10.00-12.00	---	---
22	---	---	---	---
29	15.00	---	---	---
Aug. 5	---	---	---	---
ST. LOUIS				
May 20	---	---	---	---
27	---	---	---	---
June 3	---	---	---	---
10	21.00	19.00	---	12.00
17	21.00	19.00	---	---
24	21.00	19.00	---	---
July 1	---	10.00-12.00	8.50	6.00- 8.50
8	---	10.75	---	---
15	---	10.50-11.50	---	---
22	15.00	10.00-10.50	---	---
29	TOO FEW TO QUOTE	---	---	---
Aug. 5	---	---	---	---

REVIEW OF THE 1991 APPALACHIAN DISTRICT PEACH SEASON

PRODUCTION

According to the United States Department of Agriculture Crop Reporting Service, peach production in the Appalachian District for the 1991 crop was 159.0 million pounds. This is 86 percent more than the 1990 crop of 85.5 million pounds. Production by state is estimated at 15.0 million pounds for Maryland, 18.0 million pounds for West Virginia, 26.0 million pounds for Virginia and 100.0 million pounds for Pennsylvania. These production figures include fresh commercial shipments as well as peaches for processing and other uses.

GROWING CONDITIONS

The growing conditions for the 1991 peach crop were less than ideal. Although trees produced a full crop, fruit size was usually small due to one of the worse droughts in recent years. The fruit had a very short shelf life.

HARVEST AND VARIETIES

Harvest began in mid-July and finished in mid-September. This is nearly "normal" for the harvest season in the district.

Shipment of Red Haven and Loring varieties began the last week of July. Other varieties followed progressively according to the time of harvest and include Sunhigh, Glohaven, Blake, Cresthaven, Red Skin, Rio-Oso-Gem, Jersey Queen, Emery, and Jersey Glo.

PACKAGING AND MARKETING

The first FOB prices were reported on August 1, 1991. Peaches measuring 2 1/4 inch up opened at \$9.00. The price remained steady through September 5. For the duration of the season, the price was \$10.00. The last FOB was reported on September 11. Demand was mostly good for available supplies throughout the reporting period. The peak weeks for peach shipments were August 3-10 and 25-31, 1991, when 41 loads were moved. The last day that shipments were reported was September 16.

TRANSPORTATION TRENDS

Trucks are the only commercial means to transport the Appalachian District Peach Crop. Commercial shipments for the Appalachian District in loads of 1,000 three-quarter bushel cartons totaled 351 loads compared to 752 loads in 1990.

LOCATION

The Appalachian District is composed of the principal peach growing counties of eastern West Virginia, Western Maryland, Southeastern Pennsylvania, and Western Virginia.

DAILY FOB PRICES AT APPALCHIAN DISTRICT SHIPPING POINT- PEACHES 1991 SEASON

The FOB prices in the following table are for 3/4 bushel cartons various yellow flesh varieties U. S. One #1 grade, hydrocooling included.

		2 1/2 INCH UP	2 1/4-2 1/2 INCH	2 1/4 INCH UP	2 1/8-2 1/4 INCH	2 INCH
August	1	11.00-15.00	9.00	6.50-8.50	6.00	4.00-4.50
	2	11.00-12.00	9.00	6.50-8.00	6.00	4.00
	5	11.00-12.00	9.00	7.00	6.00	4.00-5.00
	6	10.00-12.00	9.00	7.00-8.00	6.00	4.00-5.00
	7	10.00-12.00	9.00	7.00-8.00	6.00	4.00-5.00
	8	10.00-12.00	9.00	7.00-8.00	6.00	4.00-4.50
	9	10.00-12.00	9.00	7.00-8.00	6.00	4.00-4.50
	10	10.00-12.00	9.00	6.50-8.00	6.00	4.00-4.50
	12	10.00-12.00	9.00	6.50-8.00	6.00	4.00-4.50
	13	10.00-12.00	9.00	6.50-8.00	6.00	4.50
	14	10.00-12.00	9.00	6.50-8.00	6.00	4.00-5.00
	15	9.00-10.00	9.00	6.00-8.00	6.00	4.00-5.00
	16	9.00-10.00	9.00	6.00-7.00	6.00	4.00-5.00
	19	9.00-10.00	9.00	6.00-7.00	6.00	4.00-5.00
	20	8.00-10.00	9.00	5.50-7.00	6.00	4.00-5.00
	21	8.00-10.00	9.00	5.50-7.00	6.00	4.00-5.00
	22	8.00-10.00	9.00	5.50-7.00	6.00	4.00-5.00
	23	8.00-10.00	9.00	6.00-7.00	6.00	4.00-5.00
	26	NO REPORT.				
	27	8.00- 9.00	9.00	6.00-7.00	6.00	4.00-5.00
	28	8.00	9.00	6.00-7.00	6.00	4.00-5.00
	29	8.00	9.00	6.00-7.00	6.00	4.00-5.00
	30	8.00	9.00	6.00-7.00	6.00	4.00-5.00
SEPTEMBER	2	NO REPORT.				
	3	8.00	9.00	6.00-7.00	6.00	4.00-4.50
	4	7.00- 8.00	9.00	5.50-6.00	6.00	4.00-4.50
	5	7.00- 8.00	9.00	5.50-6.00	6.00	4.00-4.50
	6	7.00- 8.00	10.00	5.50-6.00	6.00	4.00-4.50
	9	7.00- 8.00	10.00	6.00	7.00	4.50-5.00
	10	8.00	10.00	6.00	7.00	4.00-5.00
	11	8.00	10.00	6.00	7.00	4.00-5.00

TERMINAL WHOLESALE MARKET PRICES -- APPALACHIAN DISTRICT

Prices in the following table represent sales in wholesale lot quantities and are the range in prices for the week. Quotations cover fruit in 3/4 bushel cartons. U. S. Extra #1 various varieties of yellow flesh.

PITTSBURGH

WEEK BEGINNING	2 1/2 INCH UP	2 1/4 INCH UP	2 INCH
August 5	11.00-12.00	9.00-10.00	4.00-7.00
12	11.00-12.00	8.00- 9.00	5.00-6.00
19	9.00-12.00	6.00-10.00	5.75-7.00
26		6.50- 8.00	-
September 2	9.00-10.00	6.50-8.00	-
9		6.00	-

BALTIMORE

August 5	5.00- 9.00	7.00- 8.00	4.00-6.00
12	5.00- 8.00		3.00-4.00
19	10.00-11.00		7.00
26	7.00-10.00	7.00- 9.00	7.00-8.00
September 2	8.50- 9.00	6.00- 7.00	-
9	10.00	-	-

PHILADELPHIA

August 26	11.00	6.50- 8.50	4.00-5.00
September 2	-	5.00- 6.00	-

Peaches: Total and Utilized Production, by Type,
by State and United States, 1989-91

State	Total Production			Utilized Production		
	1989	1990	1991	1989	1990	1991
	Million Pounds					
AL	15.0	12.0	16.0	14.0	12.0	16.0
AR	2.5	18.0	12.0	2.5	18.0	12.0
CA						
Freestone	549.0	600.0	610.0	549.0	600.0	610.0
CO 1/		17.0	2.0		16.0	1.7
CT	4.0	3.6	3.4	3.8	3.5	3.2
DE	0.4	0.2	3.0	0.4	0.2	3.0
GA	125.0	130.0	150.0	115.0	123.0	140.0
ID 2/	4.0	4.7		3.9	4.1	
IL	13.0	0.3	19.5	12.5	0.3	19.5
IN	4.0	0.8	4.6	4.0	0.8	4.6
KS	2.5	0.1	5.0	2.2	0.1	4.2
KY 3/	2.0		4.0	2.0		3.7
LA	1.4	4.0	5.0	1.0	3.7	4.5
MD	7.6	4.0	15.0	7.6	4.0	15.0
MA	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.1	1.9	1.7
MI	55.0	45.0	40.0	55.0	45.0	40.0
MS 4/	1.0			1.0		
MO	4.5	0.7	11.0	4.5	0.7	11.0
NJ	70.0	45.0	115.0	65.0	37.5	108.0
NY	12.5	14.0	15.0	12.3	13.7	13.5
NC	12.0	10.0	35.0	12.0	10.0	34.0
OH	8.0	5.5	5.8	8.0	5.5	5.8
OK	25.0	8.0	31.0	24.3	7.7	26.3
OR	14.0	14.5	13.0	12.5	14.5	13.0
PA	65.0	76.0	100.0	65.0	76.0	90.0
SC	270.0	110.0	310.0	235.0	95.0	240.0
TN	1.3	1.3	6.5	1.2	1.1	5.8
TX	14.0	24.0	32.0	12.5	20.5	25.8
UT	11.0	12.0	2.5	10.5	11.5	2.5
VA	15.0	2.5	26.0	14.0	2.3	24.0
WA	44.0	53.0	30.0	44.0	53.0	30.0
WV	9.0	3.0	18.0	9.0	3.0	13.0
Total Above	1,363.8	1,221.2	1,642.3	1,305.8	1,184.6	1,521.8
CA						
Clingstone	992.0	1,012.0	1,030.0	924.0	955.0	970.0
US	2,355.8	2,233.2	2,672.3	2,229.8	2,139.6	2,491.8

- 1/ No significant commercial production in 1989 due to frost damage.
2/ No significant commercial production in 1991 due to frost damage.
3/ No significant commercial production in 1990 due to frost damage.
4/ Estimates discontinued after the 1989 crop.

Peaches: Price and Value, by Type,
by State and United States, 1989-91

State	Price per Pound			Value of Utilized Production		
	1989	1990	1991	1989	1990	1991
	Dollars			1,000 Dollars		
AL	0.246	0.238	0.213	3,444	2,856	3,408
AR	0.241	0.246	0.250	602	4,435	2,996
CA						
Freestone	0.154	0.170	0.132	84,804	102,120	80,245
CO 1/		0.356	0.380		5,696	646
CT	0.500	0.470	0.510	1,900	1,645	1,632
DE	0.338	0.415	0.285	135	83	855
GA	0.202	0.299	0.241	23,260	36,732	33,712
ID 2/	0.384	0.217		1,498	890	
IL	0.270	0.343	0.330	3,375	103	6,435
IN	0.322	0.341	0.396	1,288	273	1,822
KS	0.270	0.230	0.370	594	23	1,554
KY 3/	0.376		0.350	752		1,295
LA	0.360	0.340	0.360	360	1,258	1,620
MD	0.280	0.327	0.242	2,127	1,309	3,624
MA	0.500	0.470	0.510	1,050	893	867
MI	0.191	0.210	0.174	10,490	9,447	6,978
MS 4/	0.400			400		
MO	0.270	0.300	0.230	1,215	210	2,530
NJ	0.346	0.409	0.253	22,512	15,324	27,324
NY	0.294	0.276	0.274	3,622	3,781	3,702
NC	0.175	0.270	0.176	2,100	2,700	5,986
OH	0.340	0.380	0.400	2,720	2,090	2,320
OK	0.275	0.363	0.305	6,683	2,795	8,022
OR	0.247	0.299	0.356	3,093	4,342	4,624
PA	0.258	0.289	0.201	16,799	21,993	18,119
SC	0.200	0.243	0.177	46,974	23,075	42,480
TN	0.369	0.370	0.300	443	407	1,740
TX	0.400	0.350	0.340	5,000	7,175	8,772
UT	0.215	0.240	0.340	2,258	2,760	850
VA	0.213	0.315	0.191	2,988	725	4,578
WA	0.255	0.255	0.212	11,212	13,498	6,351
WV	0.256	0.268	0.143	2,301	803	1,865
Total Above	0.204	0.227	0.189	265,999	269,441	286,952
CA						
Clingstone	0.107	0.107	0.109	98,868	102,185	105,730
US	0.164	0.174	0.158	364,867	371,626	392,682

1/ No significant commercial production in 1989 due to frost damage.

2/ No significant commercial production in 1991 due to frost damage.

3/ No significant commercial production in 1990 due to frost damage.

4/ Estimates discontinued after the 1989 crop.

**Peaches: Fresh and Processed Utilization, and Price, by Type,
by State and United States, 1989-91 ^{1/}**

Use and State	Fresh and Processed Utilization					
	Quantity			Price per Pound		
	1989	1990	1991	1989	1990	1991
	----- Million Pounds -----			----- Dollars -----		
Fresh						
AL	14.0	12.0	16.0	0.246	0.238	0.213
AR	2.0	11.0	8.0	0.273	0.281	0.302
CA						
Freestone	349.0	384.0	385.0	0.196	0.217	0.157
CO			1.7			0.380
CT	3.8	3.5	3.2	0.500	0.470	0.510
DE	0.4	0.2	3.0	0.338	0.415	0.285
IL	12.5	0.3	19.5	0.270	0.343	0.330
IN	4.0	0.8	4.6	0.322	0.341	0.396
KS	2.2	0.1	4.2	0.270	0.230	0.370
KY ^{2/}	2.0		3.7	0.376		0.350
LA	1.0	3.7	4.5	0.360	0.340	0.360
MA	2.1	1.9	1.7	0.500	0.470	0.510
MS ^{3/}	1.0			0.400		
MO	4.5	0.7	11.0	0.270	0.300	0.230
NJ			108.0			0.253
NC	12.0	10.0		0.175	0.270	
OH	8.0	5.5	5.8	0.340	0.380	0.400
OK	24.3	7.7	26.3	0.275	0.363	0.305
PA	61.8	73.0	82.9	0.267	0.297	0.210
SC	213.0		200.0	0.210		0.189
TN	1.2	1.1	5.8	0.369	0.370	0.300
TX	12.5	20.5	25.8	0.400	0.350	0.340
UT	10.5	11.5	2.5	0.215	0.240	0.340
VA	13.8	2.3	20.2	0.215	0.315	0.208
Oth Sts	304.0	383.9	274.7	0.258	0.294	0.236
US	1,059.6	933.7	1,218.1	0.232	0.264	0.212
Processed						
AR	0.5	7.0	4.0	224.00	384.00	290.00
CA						
Clingstone	924.0	955.0	970.0	214.00	214.00	218.00
Freestone ^{4/}	200.0	216.0	225.0	173.00	183.00	190.00
PA	3.2	3.0	7.1	185.00	207.00	200.00
SC	22.0		40.0	203.00		234.00
VA	0.2		3.8	208.00		197.00
Oth Sts	20.3	24.9	23.8	161.00	170.00	178.00
US	1,170.2	1,205.9	1,273.7	204.00	207.00	210.00

- ^{1/} Missing data included in other states to avoid disclosure of individual operations.
^{2/} No significant 1990 production due to frost damage.
^{3/} Estimates discontinued after the 1989 crop.
^{4/} Quantity and value including dried, prices excluding dried.

**Peaches: Fresh and Processed Value,
by State and United States, 1989-91 1/**

Use and State	Fresh and Processed Utilization		
	Value of Utilized Production		
	1989	1990	1991
	1,000 Dollars		
Fresh			
AL	3,444	2,856	3,408
AR	546	3,091	2,416
CA			
Freestone	68,404	83,328	60,445
CO			646
CT	1,900	1,645	1,632
DE	135	83	855
IL	3,375	103	6,435
IN	1,288	273	1,822
KS	594	23	1,554
KY 2/	752		1,295
LA	360	1,258	1,620
MA	1,050	893	867
MS 3/	400		
MO	1,215	210	2,530
NJ			27,324
NC	2,100	2,700	
OH	2,720	2,090	2,320
OK	6,683	2,795	8,022
PA	16,501	21,681	17,409
SC	44,730		37,800
TN	443	407	1,740
TX	5,000	7,175	8,772
UT	2,258	2,760	850
VA	2,967	725	4,202
Oth Sts	78,480	112,775	64,718
US	245,345	246,871	258,682
Processed			
AR	56	1,344	580
CA			
Clingstone	98,868	102,185	105,730
Freestone 4/	16,400	18,792	19,800
PA	298	312	710
SC	2,244		4,680
VA	21		376
Oth Sts	1,635	2,122	2,124
US	119,522	124,755	134,000

1/ Missing data included in other states to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

2/ No significant 1990 production due to frost damage.

3/ Estimates discontinued after the 1989 crop.

4/ Quantity and value including dried, prices excluding dried.

Peaches: Processed Utilization, Use, and Price,
by State and United States, 1989-91 1/

Use and State	Processed Utilization					
	Quantity			Price per Ton		
	1989	1990	1991	1989	1990	1991
	----- Million Pounds -----			----- Dollars -----		
Canned						
AR	0.5	7.0	4.0	224.00	384.00	290.00
CA						
Clingstone	848.0	901.0	900.0	220.00	217.00	224.00
Freestone	44.4	39.2	37.4	192.00	204.00	217.00
Oth Sts	25.5	13.7	45.7	214.00	232.00	221.00
US	918.4	960.9	987.1	218.00	218.00	224.00
Frozen						
CA						
Freestone	127.0	149.7	143.3	167.00	178.00	183.00
Oth Sts	16.9	18.5	18.3	211.00	218.00	177.00
US	143.9	168.2	161.6	172.00	182.00	182.00
Dried						
CA						
Freestone	28.6	27.1	44.3	110.00	108.00	115.00
US	28.6	27.1	44.3	110.00	108.00	115.00
Other 2/ Oth Sts	79.3	49.7	80.7	137.00	138.00	158.00
US	79.3	49.7	80.7	137.00	138.00	158.00

1/ Missing data included in other states to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

2/ Pickles, wine and brandy.