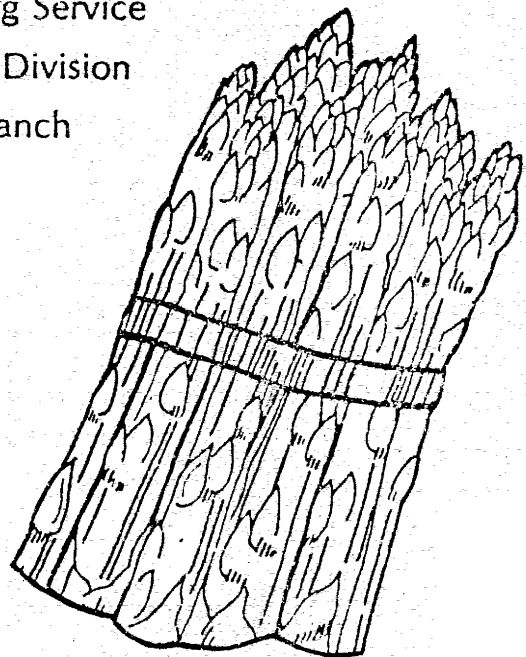
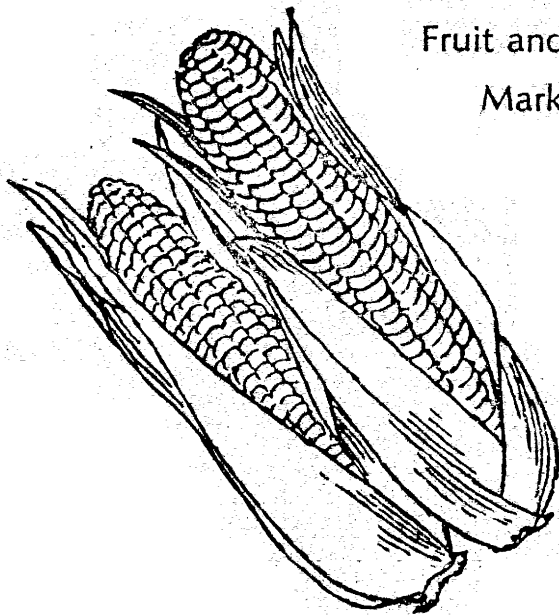


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MARKETING WASHINGTON ASPARAGUS - 1981 CROP

GENERAL COMMENTS

PRODUCTION: The Crop Reporting Service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture estimated the 1981 production of asparagus in the major producing states at 1,639,000 hundredweight, up 3% from last year. Harvested acreage was estimated at 74,200 acres; just 200 more acres than one year ago. Yield per acre at 22 hundredweight was slightly above 1980's 21 hundredweight. Washington produced 593,000 cwt from 23,700 harvested acres, averaging 25 cwt per acre. In 1980, production was set at 511,000 cwt harvested from 22,200 acres averaging 23 cwt per acre.

SHIPMENTS: Truck shipments of asparagus for fresh market totaled 555 - 10,000 lb. units or 185,000 - 30-lb crates. In 1980 truck shipments totaled 402 - 10,000 pound units or 134,000 - 30-lb crates. Movement peaked the weeks of May 16th and 23rd at 78 and 79 - 10,000 lb units respectively. Weekly shipments can be found on page 11 of this summary.

WEATHER, GROWING & HARVESTING CONDITIONS: Mild weather in March enabled field work to move ahead of normal. Asparagus fields were nearly two weeks ahead of last year. Cold and windy weather the first week in April caused major injury to early asparagus spears, and delayed harvest in the Yakima Valley several weeks.

Harvest was underway in the Walla Walla area by mid-April but curtailed somewhat by cool and moist weather conditions. Warmer weather finally arrived in May, however temperatures were slightly below normal with intermittent showers and cloudy skies through most of the month. Harvest was curtailed at times because of the wet fields, but quality was generally excellent throughout the season, which ended the last week of June.

MARKETING: The first F.O.B. was issued on April 22nd. 30-lb pyramid crates U.S. One opened at \$26.00-26.50. Supplies were very light during the last few days of April. Heavy supplies from competing areas forced the market down to \$22.00-22.50 by May 1st. Prices held at this level through May 8th. The market trended upward the next week leveling at \$25.00 by May 18th and increased another 50¢ May 26th to \$25.50. Prices remained unchanged through the balance of the season with the last report issued on June 19th. Daily F.O.B. prices are listed on page 12.

PACKAGING: The pyramid crate continues to be the most popular package which is generally packed loose at 30 pounds net weight per crate.

ASPARAGUS

Area Planted & Harvested - Yield per Acre - Production & Value
For Fresh Market & Processing 1979-1980-1981 crop

	<u>A R E A</u>						<u>YIELD PER ACRE</u>		
	<u>P L A N T E D</u>			<u>H A R V E S T E D</u>			1979	1980	1981
	1979	1980	1981	1979	1980	1981			
	<u>A C R E S</u>						<u>C W I</u>		
California	26,400	27,900	27,300	26,400	27,900	27,300	35	28	30
Illinois	3,100	2,900	2,700	3,100	2,900	2,700	11	13	10
Michigan	20,000	20,000	20,000	19,500	19,500	19,000	13	12	9
New Jersey	1,600	1,500	1,500	1,600	1,500	1,500	17	15	19
Washington	21,000	22,200	23,700	21,000	22,200	23,700	28	23	25
TOTAL	72,100	74,500	75,200	71,600	74,000	74,200	26	21	22

	<u>P R O D U C T I O N</u>			<u>V A L U E</u>					
	1979	1980	1981	<u>P E R C W T</u>			<u>T O T A L</u>		
				1979	1980	1981	1979	1980	1981
	<u>1,000 C W I</u>			<u>D O L L A R S</u>			<u>1,000 D O L L A R S</u>		
California	924	781	819	52.50	52.20	63.40	48,556	40,807	51,962
Illinois	34	38	27	46.90	49.60	57.30	1,594	1,883	1,547
Michigan	254	234	171	61.20	51.30	62.30	15,538	12,014	10,648
New Jersey	27	23	29	81.60	85.30	78.50	2,203	1,962	2,277
Washington	588	511	593	44.80	40.90	49.40	26,371	20,894	29,268
TOTAL	1,827	1,587	1,639	51.60	48.90	58.40	94,262	77,560	95,702

A S P A R A G U S

Rail & Truck Combined Unloads in 41 U.S. & 5 Canadian Cities
 APRIL-MAY-JUNE 1981 CROP
 10,000 lb units

<u>DESTINATION</u>	<u>CALIFORNIA</u>	<u>NEW JERSEY</u>	<u>WASHINGTON</u>	<u>MEXICO</u>	<u>OTHER</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Albany	53	3	2	-	-	58
Atlanta	26	-	2	-	-	28
Baltimore-Washn DC	120	6	7	-	2	135
Birmingham	4	-	-	-	-	4
Boston	215	15	56	3	8	297
Buffalo	45	1	-	-	2	48
Chicago	159	-	7	5	26	197
Cincinnati	26	-	12	-	1	39
Cleveland	37	2	1	-	11	51
Columbia	1	-	-	-	-	1
Dallas	17	-	-	1	2	20
Denver	46	-	1	-	10	57
Detroit	53	1	-	-	23	77
Fort Worth	3	-	-	-	-	3
Houston	42	-	-	-	-	42
Indianapolis	8	-	-	-	1	9
Kansas City	108	-	-	-	9	117
Los Angeles	220	-	-	2	-	222
Louisville	19	-	-	-	-	19
Memphis	7	-	-	-	-	7
Miami	56	-	-	-	-	56
Milwaukee	6	-	5	-	6	17
Minneapolis	46	-	14	-	-	60
Nashville	13	-	1	-	5	19
New Orleans	10	-	1	-	-	11
New York-Newark	477	11	50	-	-	538
Oklahoma City	1	-	-	-	-	1
Philadelphia	179	16	28	-	1	224
Pittsburgh	17	1	4	1	1	24
Portland	55	-	15	-	1	71
Providence	7	-	-	-	1	8
St. Louis	49	-	6	-	6	61
Salt Lake City	29	-	-	-	9	38
San Antonio	17	-	-	-	-	17
San Francisco-Oakland	414	-	-	-	-	414
Seattle-Tacoma	64	-	72	-	-	136
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TOTAL U.S. CITIES	2649	56	284	12	125	3126
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<u>5 CANADIAN CITIES</u>						
Montreal, Quebec	10	9	-	-	16	35
Ottawa, Ontario	3	-	3	-	7	13
Toronto, Ontario	53	7	17	-	14	91
Vancouver, B.C.	37	-	17	-	-	54
Winnipeg, Manitoba	6	-	-	-	10	16
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TOTAL CANADIAN CITIES	109	16	37	-	47	209
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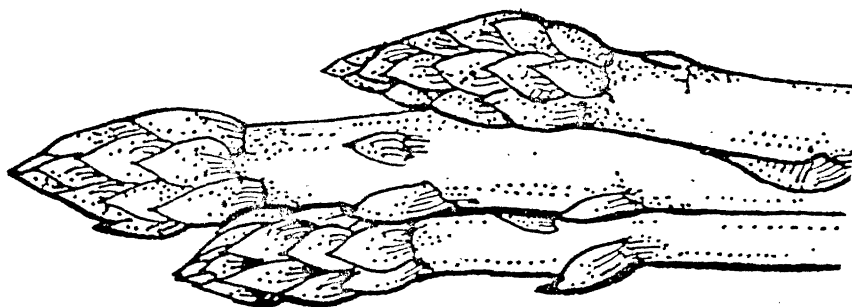
A S P A R A G U S

WEEKLY SHIPMENTS FROM APRIL 4th thru JULY 4th - - 1981 CROP

10,000 lb units

	<u>4/4</u>	<u>4/11</u>	<u>4/18</u>	<u>4/25</u>	<u>5/2</u>	<u>5/9</u>	<u>5/16</u>	<u>5/23</u>	<u>5/30</u>	<u>6/6</u>	<u>6/13</u>	<u>6/20</u>	<u>6/27</u>	<u>7/4</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
WASHINGTON															
Truck	-	-	9	43	68	69	78	79	71	61	49	22	6	-	555
CALIFORNIA - NORTHERN															
Truck	13	16	14	17	17	19	17	8	6	1	1	-	-	-	129
CALIFORNIA - CENTRAL															
Rail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	5
Piggyback	33	21	3	6	24	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	90
Truck	496	575	508	377	309	306	205	169	127	82	44	32	11	4	3245
Air	10	8	7	11	10	11	7	5	5	4	1	1	-	-	80
CALIFORNIA - SOUTHERN															
Piggyback	-	12	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	39
Truck	32	22	25	19	20	23	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	157
CALIFORNIA - IMPERIAL VALLEY															
Truck	42	27	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	81
MICHIGAN															
Truck	-	-	-	-	2	21	24	49	61	39	-	-	-	-	196
MEXICO															
Import	20	6	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27

TOTAL	646	687	599	473	451	449	347	310	270	195	95	55	23	4	4604



A S P A R A G U S - YAKIMA VALLEY-WALLA WALLA

Daily F. O. B. Prices 1980 & 1981 crop
30-lb pyramid crates - 3/8" minimum

		U. S. #1	<u>1981</u>	WA. #1	U. S. #1	<u>1980</u>	WA. #1	
April	22	26.00-26.50		22.50				
	23	26.00-26.50		22.50				
	24	26.00-26.50		22.50	23.50		19.00	
	25	+++		+++	23.50		19.00	
	27	25.50-26.00		22.50	+++		+++	
	28	Too few to quote		21.50	25.00		20.50	
	29	Too few to quote		21.50	25.00		20.50	
	30	Too few to quote		21.00-21.50	25.00		20.50	
	May	1	22.00-22.50		21.00-21.50	25.00		20.50
		2	+++		+++	25.00		20.50
4		22.00-22.50		21.00	+++		+++	
5		22.00-22.50		21.00	25.00		20.50	
6		22.00-22.50		21.00	25.00		20.50	
7		22.00-22.50		21.00	25.00		20.50	
8		22.00-22.50		21.00	25.00		20.50	
9		+++		+++	25.00		20.50	
11		22.50		21.00	+++		+++	
12		22.50		21.00	25.00		20.50	
13		23.50-24.00		22.00	25.00		20.50	
14		24.00		22.00	23.50-25.00		20.50	
15		24.00-25.00		22.00	23.50-25.00		20.50	
16		+++		+++	23.50		20.50	
18		25.00		22.50	+++		+++	
19		25.00		22.50	no report			
20		25.00		22.50	no report			
21		25.00		22.50	no report			
22		25.00		22.50	23.50		20.50	
23		+++		+++	23.50		20.50	
26	25.50		22.50	holiday		holiday		
27	25.50		22.50	23.50		20.50		
28	25.50		22.50	23.50		20.50		
29	25.50		22.50	23.50		20.50		
30	+++		+++	23.50		20.50		
June	1	25.50		22.50	+++		+++	
	2	25.50		22.50	23.50		20.50	
	3	25.50		22.50	23.50		20.50	
	4	25.50		22.50	23.50		20.50	
	5	25.50		22.50	no report			
	8	25.50		22.50	+++		+++	
	9	25.50		22.50	23.50		20.50	
	10	25.50		22.50	23.50		20.50	
	11	25.50		22.50	23.50		20.50	
	12	25.50		22.50	23.50		20.50	
	13	+++		+++	23.50		20.50	
	15	25.50		22.50	+++		+++	
	16	25.50		22.50	23.50		20.50	
	17	25.50		22.50	23.50		20.50	
	18	25.50		22.50			LAST REPORT	
	19	25.50		22.50	LAST REPORT			

+++ Weekend or holiday

W H O L E S A L E M A R K E T P R I C E S - 1981 C R O P

WASHINGTON ASPARAGUS

US1 3/8" minimum

		<u>D E N V E R</u>		<u>L O S A N G E L E S</u>	
		<u>30# CRATES</u>	<u>28# CRATES</u>	<u>30# CRATES</u>	
May	11	30.00	24.00	22.00-23.00	
	12	30.00	24.00	22.00-23.00	
	13	30.00	24.00	insufficient to quote	
	18	30.00	24.00	" " "	
	19	30.00	24.00	" " "	
	20	insufficient to quote		" " "	
	21	30.00	24.00	" " "	
	25	h o l i d a y		" " "	
	26	28.00		" " "	
	27	insufficient to quote		" " "	
	28	28.00		" " "	
	29	25.00		few 28.00	
	June	1	25.00		few 28.00
		2	25.00		few 28.00
3		25.00		few 28.00	
4		25.00		few 28.00	
5		insufficient to quote		few 28.00	
8		25.00		29.00	
9		25.00		29.00	
10		30.00		29.00	
11		30.00		30.00	
12		30.00		insufficient to quote	
15		insufficient to quote		29.00	
16		25.00		29.00-30.00	
17	insufficient to quote		29.00-30.00		
18	25.00		LAST REPORT		
19	25.00				
22		25.00			
23		25.00			
24		25.00			
25		25.00			

MARKETING WASHINGTON SWEET CORN - 1981 CROP
GENERAL COMMENTS

PRODUCTION: The Crop Reporting Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture estimated the production of sweet corn for fresh market at 210,000 hundredweight. This compares with 224,000 in 1980 and 243,000 in 1979. Yield per acre was set at 75 cwt this year, 80 cwt in 1980 and 90 cwt in 1979.

SHIPMENTS: Washington's truck shipments compiled by the Market News Service for the Yakima Valley during 1981 totaled 1,484 - 10,000 pound units or 353,333 cartons of 5 dozen ears per carton. Shipments in 1980 totaled 1,290 - 10,000 pound units or 307,143 cartons. Movement peaked the week ending July 25th at 386 - 10,000 pound units or 91,904 cartons. In 1980 movement peaked one week earlier at 394 - 10,000 pound units or 93,809 cartons. Conversion into pounds was derived on the basis of one carton of 5 dozen ears weighing 42 pounds. Weekly shipments are listed on page 21 of this summary.

WEATHER, GROWING & HARVESTING CONDITIONS: Planting of sweet corn began about mid-April in Benton County and was in full swing during May in Kittitas and Yakima counties. Weather conditions were generally good throughout the planting season which ended in mid-June. Temperatures from mid-June through July were moderate and above normal during the first half of August. Harvesting of early planted sweet corn in the lower Yakima Valley began July 10th and was nearly completed by mid-September.

MARKETING: The first F.O.B. for sweet corn was issued July 17, 1981. The market opened at \$6.50 hydrocooling included for various yellow varieties packed 5 dozen ears per cartons. July 20th the market was quoted at \$6.00. The hydrocooling charge of 50¢ was over and above the F.O.B. price during the balance of the season. The market dropped .50¢ on July 24th and another 50¢ on July 29th leveling at \$5.00. Prices were unchanged through August 7th. August 10th the market rose sharply to \$6.00 per carton as supplies declined even more drastically. The week ending August 8th, 72.6 thousand cartons were shipped compared to the following week ending August 15th with shipments of 20.5 thousand cartons. The last day of reporting, August 14th, the market rose another 50¢ ending the season at \$6.50 per carton.

PACKAGING: Yellow sweet corn was packed in cartons each containing five dozen ears. Hydrocooling was 50¢ per carton extra, up 20¢ from the previous year.

SWEET CORN FOR PROCESSING

Area Harvested - Yield per Acre - Production
1979 - 1980 - indicated 1981

S T A T E	H A R V E S T E D			A R E A	
	1979 TOTAL	1980		CONTRACT	INDICATED 1981 CONTRACT
		TOTAL	CONTRACT		
<u>A C R E S</u>					
Deleware	3,100	2,400	2,400	2,400	3,300
Idaho	23,800	17,800	17,800	17,800	19,500
Illinois	44,000	37,800	37,700	37,700	39,000
Iowa	5,000	3,100	3,100	3,100	3,100
Maryland	10,300	10,600	10,600	10,600	10,000
Minnesota	98,300	101,200	101,200	101,200	100,000
New York	20,500	17,000	16,800	16,800	18,300
Oregon	37,800	33,700	33,600	33,600	40,500
Pennsylvania	3,900	4,000	4,000	4,000	3,900
WASHINGTON	40,500	36,500	36,400	36,400	45,900
Wisconsin	121,400	106,100	106,100	106,100	115,000
Other States ^{1/}	9,040	7,000	7,000	7,000	3,300
U. S. TOTAL	417,640	377,200	376,700	376,700	401,800

S T A T E	Y I E L D P E R A C R E			P R O D U C T I O N			
	1979 TOTAL	1980 TOTAL	IND. 1981 TOTAL	1979 TOTAL	1980		IND. 1981 CONTRACT
					TOTAL	CONTRACT	
<u>I O N S</u>							
Deleware	5.17	4.90	4.70	16,030	11,770	11,770	15,510
Idaho	7.95	8.19	7.00	189,210	145,780	145,780	136,500
Illinois	5.72	4.26	5.40	251,680	161,030	160,640	210,600
Iowa	5.40	5.83	6.30	27,000	18,070	18,070	19,530
Maryland	4.61	3.41	4.30	47,480	36,150	36,150	43,000
Minnesota	5.72	5.42	5.60	562,280	548,500	548,500	560,000
New York	5.33	5.05	6.00	109,260	85,850	85,270	109,800
Oregon	8.53	8.68	8.40	322,430	292,520	292,020	340,200
Pennsylvania	2.91	3.54	3.50	11,350	14,160	14,160	13,650
WASHINGTON 1	7.77	7.89	8.00	314,690	287,990	287,300	367,200
Wisconsin	4.73	4.84	4.90	574,220	513,520	513,520	563,500
Other States ^{1/}	4.24	3.67	6.14	38,310	25,710	25,710	20,250
U. S. TOTAL	5.90	5.68	5.97	2,463,940	2,141,050	2,138,890	2,399,740

^{1/} 1979 - Indiana, Michigan, Texas, Utah and Virginia

1980-81 - Indiana and Utah

UNITED STATES COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS OF CORN, CUT - - END-OF-MONTH
BY MONTHS, 1976 - 1981

	<u>1976</u>	<u>1977</u>	<u>1978</u>	<u>1979</u>	<u>1980#</u>	<u>1981+</u>
JANUARY	223,338	216,204	195,033	203,523	178,756	161,062
FEBRUARY	194,057	155,631	166,908	176,769	148,467	119,994
MARCH	156,719	149,624	149,130	143,582	122,224	45,533
APRIL	139,999	133,898	126,665	121,599	50,002	62,492
MAY	118,840	108,456	106,078	103,480	79,069	47,702
JUNE	103,474	92,795	86,971	85,343	66,398	41,196
JULY	90,665	85,428	71,441	72,982	53,292	29,815
AUGUST	133,163	146,271	140,352	138,208	91,976	91,558
SEPTEMBER	231,739	256,291	254,016	266,899	179,559	219,240
OCTOBER	299,213	282,494	298,188	282,069	247,769	247,096
NOVEMBER	275,591	252,611	267,098	254,906	222,129	196,703
DECEMBER	257,817	221,737	241,534	218,959	191,035	161,866

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UNITED STATES COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS OF CORN, COB - - END-OF-MONTH
BY MONTHS, 1976 - 1981

	<u>1976</u>	<u>1977</u>	<u>1978</u>	<u>1979</u>	<u>1980#</u>	<u>1981+</u>
JANUARY	108,062	131,113	181,430	222,776	199,460	157,672
FEBRUARY	102,255	98,330	159,464	195,780	184,715	134,391
MARCH	87,452	93,251	133,997	168,256	164,348	86,800
APRIL	70,906	73,397	112,692	141,973	103,641	85,775
MAY	59,921	51,240	87,936	123,268	107,811	61,996
JUNE	42,912	36,868	70,110	101,540	85,084	38,489
JULY	35,058	40,322	53,000	81,844	67,041	25,018
AUGUST	56,885	90,258	107,697	117,553	91,956	76,042
SEPTEMBER	127,507	186,809	234,237	212,409	183,131	193,204
OCTOBER	166,489	227,654	269,296	248,373	200,732	243,912
NOVEMBER	159,535	212,686	256,906	236,337	184,350	212,703
DECEMBER	143,712	201,389	240,375	224,360	168,680	191,959

Compiled from "Regional Cold Storage Holdings - Yearly Annual Summaries" issued by the USDA, Crop Reporting Board, ESCS, Washington, DC

+ 1981 data derived from monthly cold storage bulletins issued by the USDA and is considered preliminary only.

1980 revised

* Information unavailable at time of release

SWEET CORN

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 JULY-AUGUST-SEPTEMBER 1981 CROP
 10,000 lb units

<u>DESTINATION</u>	<u>CA</u>	<u>FL</u>	<u>GA</u>	<u>IL</u>	<u>NJ</u>	<u>NY</u>	<u>OH</u>	<u>OR</u>	<u>WA</u>	<u>OTHER</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Albany	-	4	13	18	-	173	-	-	-	12	220
Atlanta	-	88	247	-	61	189	18	-	-	154	757
Baltimore	-	44	-	-	49	187	1	-	-	321	602
Birmingham	-	26	8	3	31	20	1	-	-	54	143
Boston	-	48	102	-	64	257	-	-	-	815	1286
Buffalo	-	23	-	-	2	190	-	-	-	15	230
Chicago	-	88	6	225	-	17	31	-	-	149	516
Cincinnati	-	48	38	48	17	83	186	-	-	108	528
Cleveland	-	109	15	5	8	36	400	-	-	65	638
Columbia	-	58	1	-	-	65	-	-	-	89	213
Dallas	4	41	7	-	-	-	8	-	-	318	378
Denver	13	4	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	546	568
Detroit	-	133	20	22	1	3	61	-	-	354	594
Fort Worth	-	13	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	82
Houston	12	57	8	2	144	-	-	-	-	180	403
Indianapolis	-	51	3	38	-	23	2	-	-	97	214
Kansas City	3	9	4	20	-	1	-	-	-	239	276
Los Angeles	1334	-	-	-	-	-	-	63	27	97	1521
Louisville	-	36	38	21	12	14	58	-	-	55	234
Memphis	-	8	8	-	2	21	3	-	-	45	87
Miami	-	139	6	-	28	20	53	-	-	-	246
Milwaukee	-	-	6	2	-	-	3	-	-	4	15
Minneapolis-St. Paul	1	12	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	42	56
Nashville	2	16	2	12	-	3	21	-	-	41	97
New Orleans	1	26	9	26	-	27	-	-	-	82	171
New York-Newark	-	186	8	-	513	1024	-	-	-	102	1833
Oklahoma City	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	45	51
Philadelphia	-	38	6	4	462	136	-	-	-	171	817
Pittsburgh	-	53	2	-	25	48	213	-	-	226	567
Portland	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	144	112	12	293
Providence	-	3	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	32	37
St. Louis	-	28	22	204	-	31	160	-	-	99	544
Salt Lake City	45	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55	100
San Antonio	3	29	-	-	-	14	-	-	-	198	244
San Francisco-Oakland	891	-	-	-	-	-	-	46	21	-	958
Seattle-Tacoma	92	15	-	-	-	-	-	4	551	29	691
TOTAL U.S. CITIES	2430	1433	600	650	1421	2582	1219	262	712	4901	16210
5 CANADIAN CITIES - July & August only...											
Montreal, Quebec	-	102	14	-	41	-	-	-	-	486	643
Ottawa, Ontario	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	246	246
Toronto, Ontario	-	29	4	-	20	-	-	-	-	235	288
Vancouver, B.C.	44	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	253	50	359
Winnipeg, Manitoba	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	90	94
TOTAL CANADIAN CITIES	44	143	22	-	61	-	-	-	253	1107	1630

SWEET CORN

WEEKLY SHIPMENTS FROM JULY 4th thru OCTOBER 3rd - - 1981 CROP

10,000 lb units

	<u>7/4</u>	<u>7/11</u>	<u>7/18</u>	<u>7/25</u>	<u>8/1</u>	<u>8/8</u>	<u>8/15</u>	<u>8/22</u>	<u>8/29</u>	<u>9/5</u>	<u>9/12</u>	<u>9/19</u>	<u>9/26</u>	<u>10/3</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
WASHINGTON															
Truck	-	-	152	386	337	305	86	51	62	69	36	-	-	-	1484
CALIFORNIA - NORTHERN															
Truck	28	62	98	59	90	48	99	57	30	49	20	17	5	10	672
CALIFORNIA - CENTRAL															
Truck	98	50	16	19	9	15	28	30	17	23	5	-	-	-	310
CALIFORNIA - SOUTHERN															
Truck	219	115	273	304	219	153	97	92	84	68	63	99	114	73	1973
FLORIDA															
Truck	1043	365	80	12	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	8	52	112	1678
GEORGIA															
Truck	324	369	39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	88	133	160	1113
NEW JERSEY															
Truck	13	295	406	348	221	99	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1386
NEW YORK															
Truck	-	-	20	258	451	598	440	560	597	571	394	224	80	32	4225
NORTH CAROLINA															
Truck	190	268	112	52	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	622

TOTAL	1915	1524	1196	1438	1330	1221	754	790	790	780	518	436	384	387	13463

SWEET CORN - YAKIMA VALLEY

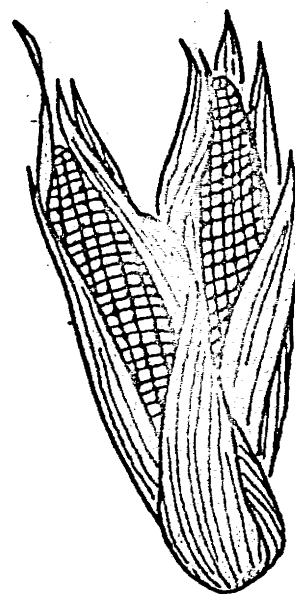
Daily F.O.B. Prices

1980 & 1981 crop

YELLOW

5 Dozen Ears per Carton

	<u>1981</u>	<u>1980</u>
July 14		6.00*
15		6.00*
16		5.50*
17	6.50#	5.50*
18	++	5.50*
19	++	++
20	6.00*	++
21	6.00*	5.50*
22	6.00*	5.00*
23	6.00*	5.00*
24	5.50*	5.00-5.50*
25	++	5.00*
26	++	++
27	5.50*	++
28	5.50*	5.00*
29	5.00*	5.00*
30	5.00*	5.00*
31	5.00*	5.00*
Aug. 1	++	5.00*
2	++	++
3	5.00*	++
4	5.00*	5.00*
5	5.00*	5.00*
6	5.00*	5.00*
7	5.00*	5.00*
8	++	5.00*
9	++	++
10	6.00*	++
11	6.00*	5.00* LAST REPORT
12	6.00*	
13	6.00*	
14	6.50* LAST REPORT	



Hydrocooling included

* Hydrocooling extra 1981 - .50¢ extra

++ Weekend or Holiday

1980 - .30¢ extra

WHOLESALE MARKET PRICES - 1981 CROP

SEATTLE

---YELLOW---

5 DOZEN EARS PER CARTON	
July 20	8.00-9.50
21	8.00-9.50
22	8.00-9.50
23	8.00-9.50
24	8.00-9.50
25	+++
26	+++
27	8.50-9.50
28	8.50-9.50
29	8.50-9.50
30	8.00-9.00
31	8.00-9.00
Aug. 1	+++
2	+++
3	7.00-8.50
4	7.00-8.50
5	7.00-8.50
6	7.00-8.50
7	7.00-8.50
8	+++
9	+++
10	8.50-9.50
11	8.50-9.50
12	8.50-9.50
13	8.50-9.50
14	8.50-9.50
15	+++
16	+++
17	reporter absent
18	8.50-9.50
19	8.50-9.50
20	9.00-9.50
21	9.00-9.50
22	+++
23	+++
24	8.25-9.50
25	8.25-9.50
26	8.25-9.50
27	8.25-9.50
28	8.25-9.50
29	+++
30	+++
31	6.85-8.00

Sept.	
1	6.85-8.00
2	6.85-8.00
3	6.85-8.00
4	6.85-8.00
5	+++
6	+++
7	holiday
8	7.50-8.00
9	7.50-8.00
10	7.50-8.00
11	7.50-8.00
12	+++
13	+++
14	7.50-8.00
15	7.50-8.00
16	7.50-8.00
17	7.50-8.00
18	7.50-8.50
19	+++
20	+++
21	7.50-8.50
22	7.50-8.50
23	7.50-8.50
24	7.50-8.50

B I N S APPROX. 50 DOZEN	
Aug. 12	73.00
13	73.00
14	73.00
15	+++
16	+++
17	reporter absent
18	73.00
19	73.00
20	---
21	78.00
22	+++
23	+++
24	78.00
25	---
26	78.00
27	---
28	78.00
29	+++
30	+++
31	68.00
Sept. 1	68.00
2	66.00
3	66.00
4	66.00
5	+++
6	+++
7	holiday
8	66.00
9	66.00
10	66.00
11	66.00
12	+++
13	+++
14	---
15	---
16	---
17	66.00

