

Mexico Shipping Point Trends

October 11, 2023

Unless otherwise stated, shipments, crossings or imports are for the weeks ending September 23, 30, and October 7, 2023, in that order in thousand hundredweight (cwt) or 100,000-pound units. The expected movement is for the period October 8-21, 2023. Prices are for Tuesday October 10, 2023, compared to Monday October 2, 2023. 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 products 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 the shipper are included in the price reported.

Source: USDA Market News Service

AVOCADOS

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS 2023 CROP Crossings 340*-410*-555 --- Movement expected to increase. Trading early fairly slow, late slow. Prices Conventional 84s and Organic 70s generally unchanged, others lower. Cartons 2 layers Hass 40s mostly 43.25-45.25, 48s mostly 33.25-34.25, 60s mostly 28.25-30.25, 70s mostly 21.25-23.25, 84s mostly 18.25. ORGANIC 48s mostly 50.25-52.25, 60s mostly 37.25-38.25, 70s mostly 30.25-32.25. Extra services included. (* revised)

ASPARAGUS

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH ARIZONA, CALIFORNIA AND TEXAS 2023 CROP Crossings 35-53*-56 --- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading Early fairly active, late moderate. Prices Higher. 11 pound carton/crates bunched green large mostly 30.75, standard mostly 28.75. Extra services included. Wide range in quality. (* revised)

BROCCOLI

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS Crossings 57-58*-92 --- Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late slow. Prices Slightly Lower. 20 pound cartons loose Crown Cut Short Trim mostly 12.00-14.00. Quality variable. (* revised)

CABBAGE

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS Crossings 16-19*-19 --- Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late fairly active. Prices cartons higher, sacks generally unchanged. 50 pound medium Round Green cartons mostly 17.00-18.00, sacks mostly 9.00-10.00. Quality generally good. (* revised)

CANTALoupES

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA Crossings 0-#-# --- Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading Moderate. Prices 1/2 cartons 9-12s 12.95-14.95, 15s 10.95-11.95. Quality generally good. FIRST REPORT (# less than 50,000 lbs)

CARROTS

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS Crossings 30-22*-23 --- Movement expected about the same. Supplies very light. Trading early active, late very active. Prices Higher. 50 pound sacks loose jumbo mostly 26.00-27.00. Quality variable. (* revised)

CILANTRO

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS Crossings 37-39*-42 --- Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices Generally Unchanged. 1 1/9 bushel crates bunched 60s mostly 14.00-15.00. Quality variable. (* revised)

CUCUMBERS

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS Crossings 147-131*-120 --- Movement expected about the same. Trading early fairly active, late active. Prices Higher. 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium mostly 22.95-24.95, fair quality mostly 16.95-18.95, ordinary quality mostly 12.95-13.95; large mostly 21.95-23.95. Quality variable. Most present shipments from prior bookings and/or previous commitments. (* revised)

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA Crossings 133-61-98 --- Movement expected about the same Trading Moderate. Prices Generally Unchanged. 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium 16.95-18.95, fair quality 14.95-16.95, ordinary quality 7.95-8.95; large 16.95-18.95; cartons 36s 8.95-9.95. Quality variable.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA Crossings 27-30-40 --- Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading Moderate. Prices 1 1/9 bushel cartons medium mostly 20.95-22.95, fair quality 16.95-18.95, ordinary quality 8.95-9.95, large mostly 20.95-22.95; cartons 24s 8.95-9.95, 36s 12.95-13.95. Quality generally good. FIRST REPORT

LEMONS

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS Crossings 45-45*-49 --- Movement expected about the same. Supplies 75-115s light. Trading 140s fairly active at lower prices, others fairly active at slightly lower prices. Prices 140s lower, others slightly lower. 7/10 bushel cartons Marked Choice 75-95s mostly 25.00-26.00, 115s mostly 24.00-25.00, 140s mostly 23.00-25.00, 165s mostly 21.00-23.00, 200s mostly 20.00-22.00, 235s mostly 17.00-18.00. (* revised)

LETTUCE, ICEBERG

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS Crossings 19-22*-19 --- Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late fairly slow. Prices Lower. Cartons 24s filmwrapped mostly 10.00-11.00. Quality generally good. (* revised)

LIMES

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS Crossings 244-236*-225 --- Movement expected about the same. Supplies 110-175s very light and in few hands. Trading 110-200s active, others slow. Prices Seedless 110-200s slightly higher, 230-250s slightly lower from market high on Thursday, October 5; Seeded much lower. 40 pound cartons Seedless 110-150s mostly 52.00-54.00, 175s mostly 50.00-52.00, 200s mostly 46.00-48.00, 230s mostly 38.00-40.00, 250s mostly 34.00; Fair Appearance 110-175s mostly 44.00-46.00, 200s mostly 42.00-44.00, 230s mostly 34.00-36.00, 250s mostly 32.00. Seeded Flats 10-1 pound mesh bags mostly 16.00-17.00; 35-36 pound cartons 400-600s mostly 38.00-40.00. (* revised)

ONIONS, GREEN

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND SAN LUIS ARIZONA Crossings 50-56*-67 --- Movement expected to increase. Supplies heavy. Trading early active, late fairly slow. Prices much lower. Cartons bunched 48s medium mostly 18.50-20.95. ICELESS 2 film bags Iceless 24 bunches per bag and 4 film bags 12 bunches per bag mostly 19.50-21.75; ORGANIC cartons bunched 48s medium mostly 25.95-30.75. Quality variable. Most shipments from Mexico transferred to Central California for consolidation and distribution. (* revised)

PEPPERS, BELL

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS Crossings 100-99*-99 --- Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late slow. Prices Generally Unchanged. GREENHOUSE 11 pound cartons Red jumbo and extra large mostly 7.00-8.00, large mostly 5.00-6.00; Orange jumbo and extra large mostly 9.00-10.00; Yellow jumbo and extra large mostly 5.00. Some Yellow sales shipped open with price to be established later. Quality variable. (* revised)

PEPPERS, OTHER

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS Crossings 52-61*-65 --- Movement expected about the same. Supplies light. Harvest curtailed by strong winds, heavy rain and muddy fields from Hurricane Lidia October 9-11. Trading Very Active. Prices Serrano and Poblano much higher, others higher. 1 1/9 bushel cartons and crates Anaheim and Serrano mostly 33.00-35.00, Jalapeno mostly 31.00-32.00, Poblano mostly 38.00-40.00. 8 pound cartons Habanero Orange mostly 42.00-43.00. Quality and size variable. (* revised)

SQUASH

---SQUASH, GREY

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA Crossings 0-1-4 --- Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading Moderate. Prices 4/7 bushel cartons small and small-medium 7.95-8.95, medium 4.95-5.95. Quality generally good. FIRST REPORT

---SQUASH, YELLOW STRAIGHTNECK

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA Crossings 0-1-5 --- Movement expected to increase seasonally. Trading Moderate. Prices 4/7 bushel cartons small and small-medium 5.95-6.95, medium 4.95-5.95. Quality generally good. FIRST REPORT

---SQUASH, ZUCCHINI

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA Crossings 4-3*-16 --- Crossings expected to increase seasonally. Trading Moderate. Prices 4/7 bushel cartons small and small-medium 4.95-6.95, medium 4.95-5.95. Quality generally good. (* revised)

TOMATILLOS

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS Crossings 38-40*-40 --- Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, late active. Prices much higher. 1 1/9 bushel cartons/crates mostly 25.00-26.00. Quality variable. (* revised)

TOMATOES

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS Crossings 117-145*-170 --- Movement expected about the same. Trading Moderate. Prices 5x5-5x6 sizes much lower, 5x5-5x6s lower, others generally unchanged. Vine Ripes cartons 2 layer 4x4-4x5s mostly 12.95-13.95, 5x5-5x6s mostly 10.95-12.95; 25 pound cartons loose 4x4-4x5 sizes mostly 13.95-14.95, 5x5-5x6 sizes 10.95-12.95. Quality generally good. (* revised)
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA Crossings 39-27-23 --- Movement expected about the same. Trading Moderate. Prices Lower. Cartons 2 layer Vine Ripes 4x4-5x6s mostly 10.95-12.95. Quality generally good.

TOMATOES, CHERRY

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA Crossings 3-2-3 --- Movement expected about the same. Trading early very active, late moderate. Prices Generally Unchanged. Flats 12 1-pint baskets medium-large mostly 20.95. Quality generally good.

TOMATOES, GRAPE

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS Crossings 107-96*-112 --- Movement expected about the same. Trading loose very active, pint moderate. Prices much higher. Flats 12 1-pint containers with lids medium-large 13.95-14.95; 20 pound cartons loose mostly 29.95-30.95. Quality generally good. (* revised)
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA Crossings 6-4-4 --- Movement expected about the same. Trading Moderate. Prices pint much higher, loose higher. 12 1-pint containers with lids mostly 14.95; 20 pound cartons loose mostly 24.95-26.95. Quality generally good.

TOMATOES, PLUM

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS Crossings 155-166*-181 --- Movement expected about the same. Trading early moderate, fairly slow. Prices Slightly Lower. Roma 25 pound cartons loose extra large mostly 11.95-12.95, large mostly 10.95-11.95, medium mostly 8.95-9.95. Quality generally good. (* revised)
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH OTAY MESA Crossings 106-77-112 --- Movement expected about the same. Trading early active, late moderate. Prices Lower. 25 pound cartons loose extra large, large and medium mostly 12.95-14.95. Quality generally good.

WATERMELONS

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH TEXAS Crossings 88-103*-100 --- Movement expected to increase slightly. Trading early fairly active, late moderate. Prices Generally Unchanged. Red Flesh Seedless 24 inch bins approximately 35 count mostly 185.00-200.00, approximately 45 count mostly 200.00-210.00. Quality generally good. (* revised)
MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH NOGALES ARIZONA Crossings seedless 6-3-6 --- Movement expected to increase seasonally. Supplies insufficient to establish a market. Quality generally good. The first F.O.B. report is expected to be issued the week of October 15.

Nogales Crossing Review

Tuesday, October 10, 2023

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----- MOSTLY -----
 LOW HIGH AVERAGE LOW HIGH AVERAGE PRICE COMMENT

CANTALOUPS - MEXICO THRU NOGALES, AZ

Demand: MODERATE. Comment: Extra services included.

	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	PRICE COMMENT
9S * 1/2 ctns				12.95	14.95	13.95	
12S * 1/2 ctns				12.95	14.95	13.95	
15S * 1/2 ctns				10.95	11.95	11.45	FIRST REPORT

CUCUMBERS - MEXICO THRU NOGALES, AZ

Demand: MODERATE. Comment: Extra services included.

	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	PRICE COMMENT
24S * ctns				8.95	9.95	9.45	
36S * ctns				12.95	13.95	13.45	FIRST REPORT
LGE * 1 1/9 bu ctns	20.95	22.95	21.95	20.95	24.95	22.95	
MED * 1 1/9 bu ctns	20.95	22.95	21.95	20.95	24.95	22.95	
MED * FR QUAL * 1 1/9 bu ctns				16.95	18.95	17.95	
MED * ORD QUAL * 1 1/9 bu ctns				8.95	9.95	9.45	

SQUASH - MEXICO THRU NOGALES, AZ

Demand: MODERATE. Comment: Extra services included

	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	PRICE COMMENT
GREY * MED * 4/7 bu ctns				4.95	5.95	5.45	occasional higher FIRST REPORT
GREY * SML-MED * 4/7 bu ctns				7.95	8.95	8.45	occasional higher
GREY * SML * 4/7 bu ctns				7.95	8.95	8.45	occasional higher
YELLOW STRAIGHTNECK * MED * 4/7 bu ctns				4.95	5.95	5.45	occasional higher and lower
YELLOW STRAIGHTNECK * SML-MED * 4/7 bu ctns				5.95	6.95	6.45	occasional higher and lower
YELLOW STRAIGHTNECK * SML * 4/7 bu ctns				5.95	6.95	6.45	occasional higher and lower
ZUCCHINI * MED * 4/7 bu ctns				4.95	5.95	5.45	occasional higher and lower
ZUCCHINI * SML-MED * 4/7 bu ctns				4.95	6.95	5.95	occasional higher and lower
ZUCCHINI * SML * 4/7 bu ctns				4.95	6.95	5.95	occasional higher and lower

Nogales Crossing Review

Wednesday, October 11, 2023

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----- MOSTLY -----
 LOW HIGH AVERAGE LOW HIGH AVERAGE PRICE COMMENT

CANTALOUPS - MEXICO THRU NOGALES, AZ

Demand: MODERATE. Market: ABOUT STEADY. Comment: Extra services included.

	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	PRICE COMMENT
9S * 1/2 ctns				12.95	14.95	13.95	
12S * 1/2 ctns				12.95	14.95	13.95	
15S * 1/2 ctns				10.95	11.95	11.45	

CUCUMBERS - MEXICO THRU NOGALES, AZ

Demand: GOOD. Market: ABOUT STEADY. Comment: Extra services included.

	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	PRICE COMMENT
24S * ctns				8.95	9.95	9.45	
36S * ctns				12.95	13.95	13.45	
LGE * 1 1/9 bu ctns	20.95	22.95	21.95	20.95	24.95	22.95	
MED * 1 1/9 bu ctns	20.95	22.95	21.95	20.95	24.95	22.95	
MED * FR QUAL * 1 1/9 bu ctns				16.95	18.95	17.95	
MED * ORD QUAL * 1 1/9 bu ctns				8.95	9.95	9.45	

SQUASH - MEXICO THRU NOGALES, AZ

Demand: MODERATE. Market: ABOUT STEADY. Comment: Extra services included

	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	PRICE COMMENT
GREY * MED * 4/7 bu ctns	4.95	5.95	5.45	occasional higher
GREY * SML-MED * 4/7 bu ctns	7.95	8.95	8.45	occasional higher
GREY * SML * 4/7 bu ctns	7.95	8.95	8.45	occasional higher
YELLOW STRAIGHTNECK * MED * 4/7 bu ctns	4.95	5.95	5.45	occasional higher and lower
YELLOW STRAIGHTNECK * SML-MED * 4/7 bu ctns	5.95	6.95	6.45	occasional higher and lower
YELLOW STRAIGHTNECK * SML * 4/7 bu ctns	5.95	6.95	6.45	occasional higher and lower
ZUCCHINI * MED * 4/7 bu ctns	4.95	5.95	5.45	occasional higher and lower
ZUCCHINI * SML-MED * 4/7 bu ctns	4.95	6.95	5.95	occasional higher and lower
ZUCCHINI * SML * 4/7 bu ctns	4.95	6.95	5.95	occasional higher and lower

Nogales Crossing Review

Thursday, October 12, 2023

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 LOW HIGH AVERAGE LOW HIGH AVERAGE PRICE COMMENT

CANTALOUPS - MEXICO THRU NOGALES, AZ

Demand: FAIRLY LIGHT. Market: ABOUT STEADY. Comment: Extra services included.

	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	PRICE COMMENT
9S * 1/2 ctns				12.95	14.95	13.95	
12S * 1/2 ctns				12.95	14.95	13.95	
15S * 1/2 ctns				10.95	11.95	11.45	

CUCUMBERS - MEXICO THRU NOGALES, AZ

Demand: FAIRLY GOOD. Market: ABOUT STEADY. Comment: Extra services included.

	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	PRICE COMMENT
24S * ctns				8.95	9.95	9.45	
36S * ctns				12.95	13.95	13.45	
LGE * 1 1/9 bu ctns	20.95	22.95	21.95	20.95	24.95	22.95	
MED * 1 1/9 bu ctns	20.95	22.95	21.95	20.95	24.95	22.95	
MED * FR QUAL * 1 1/9 bu ctns				14.95	16.95	15.95	
MED * ORD QUAL * 1 1/9 bu ctns				8.95	10.95	9.95	

SQUASH - MEXICO THRU NOGALES, AZ

Demand: LIGHT. Market: ABOUT STEADY. Comment: Extra services included

	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	PRICE COMMENT
GREY * MED * 4/7 bu ctns				4.95	5.95	5.45	occasional higher
GREY * SML-MED * 4/7 bu ctns				7.95	8.95	8.45	occasional higher
GREY * SML * 4/7 bu ctns				7.95	8.95	8.45	occasional higher
YELLOW STRAIGHTNECK * MED * 4/7 bu ctns				4.95	5.95	5.45	occasional higher and lower
YELLOW STRAIGHTNECK * SML-MED * 4/7 bu ctns				5.95	6.95	6.45	occasional higher and lower
YELLOW STRAIGHTNECK * SML * 4/7 bu ctns				5.95	6.95	6.45	occasional higher and lower
ZUCCHINI * MED * 4/7 bu ctns				4.95	5.95	5.45	occasional higher and lower
ZUCCHINI * SML-MED * 4/7 bu ctns				4.95	6.95	5.95	occasional higher and lower
ZUCCHINI * SML * 4/7 bu ctns				4.95	6.95	5.95	occasional higher and lower

Nogales Crossing Review

Friday, October 13, 2023

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 LOW HIGH AVERAGE LOW HIGH AVERAGE PRICE COMMENT

CANTALOUPS - MEXICO THRU NOGALES, AZ

Demand: LIGHT. Market: ABOUT STEADY. Comment: Extra services included.

	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	PRICE COMMENT
9S * 1/2 ctns				12.95	14.95	13.95	
12S * 1/2 ctns				12.95	14.95	13.95	
15S * 1/2 ctns				10.95	11.95	11.45	

CUCUMBERS - MEXICO THRU NOGALES, AZ

Demand: FAIRLY GOOD. Market: ABOUT STEADY. Comment: Extra services included.

	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	PRICE COMMENT
24S * ctns				8.95	9.95	9.45	
36S * ctns				12.95	13.95	13.45	
LGE * 1 1/9 bu ctns	20.95	22.95	21.95	20.95	24.95	22.95	
MED * 1 1/9 bu ctns	20.95	22.95	21.95	20.95	24.95	22.95	
MED * FR QUAL * 1 1/9 bu ctns				14.95	16.95	15.95	
MED * ORD QUAL * 1 1/9 bu ctns				8.95	10.95	9.95	

SQUASH - MEXICO THRU NOGALES, AZ

Demand: LIGHT. Market: ABOUT STEADY. Comment: Extra services included

	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	LOW	HIGH	AVERAGE	PRICE COMMENT
GREY * MED * 4/7 bu ctns				4.95	5.95	5.45	occasional higher
GREY * SML-MED * 4/7 bu ctns				7.95	8.95	8.45	occasional higher
GREY * SML * 4/7 bu ctns				7.95	8.95	8.45	occasional higher
YELLOW STRAIGHTNECK * MED * 4/7 bu ctns				4.95	5.95	5.45	occasional higher and lower
YELLOW STRAIGHTNECK * SML-MED * 4/7 bu ctns				5.95	6.95	6.45	occasional higher and lower
YELLOW STRAIGHTNECK * SML * 4/7 bu ctns				5.95	6.95	6.45	occasional higher and lower
ZUCCHINI * MED * 4/7 bu ctns				4.95	5.95	5.45	occasional higher and lower
ZUCCHINI * SML-MED * 4/7 bu ctns				4.95	6.95	5.95	occasional higher and lower
ZUCCHINI * SML * 4/7 bu ctns				4.95	6.95	5.95	occasional higher and lower