

# HONOLULU WHOLESALE MARKET REPORT

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UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED, PRICES BELOW COVER SALES TO 10:00 A.M. BY FIRST RECEIVERS ON AVAILABLE SUPPLIES OF GENERALLY GOOD MERCHANTABLE QUALITY AND CONDITION ON THIS MORNING'S MARKET BY SERVICE WHOLESALERS. HAWAII GROWN PRODUCE WITH GRADE STANDARDS ARE HAWAII NO. 1. (HAWAII STOCK UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED.)

WEATHER: 10:00 A.M. PARTLY CLOUDY. FORECASTED TEMPERATURE: HIGH 81° LOW 69°. WINDS: EAST WINDS 10-15 MPH.

THE HONOLULU WHOLESALE MARKET REPORT, FRUIT AND VEGETABLE WHOLESALE PRICES WILL BE PUBLISHED ON WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE. THE REPORT WILL PRIMARILY CONSIST OF A PRICE RANGE.

### CITRUS FRUITS

**GRAPEFRUIT:** 7/10 BUSHEL CARTONS CA SHPRS 1<sup>ST</sup> GRADE RIO RED 27s 26.00-31.75 40s 22.00-27.00 TX TEXAS FANCY MARKED RIO STAR: 40s 23.75-26.25  
**LEMONS:** 7/10 BUSHEL CARTONS CA SHPRS 1<sup>ST</sup> GRADE 140s 23.00-30.25 SHPRS CHOICE 140s 18.25-24.60  
**LIMES:** 40 LB CARTONS MX SEEDLESS TYPE 200s VIA AIR 56.25-70.85  
**ORANGES:** 7/10 BUSHEL CARTONS CA SHPRS 1<sup>ST</sup> GRADE NAVEL 72s 16.10-20.45 88s 14.30-18.00

### MELONS

**CANTALOUPS:** 1/2 CARTONS CR/GU/HD/MX 9s-12s 18.75-24.60  
**HONEYDEWS:** 2/3 CARTONS CR/GU/HD/MX 5s 15.00-20.15  
**WATERMELONS** CARTONS MX RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 5s-6s .57-.75 LB

### NON-CITRUS FRUITS

**APPLES:** CARTONS TRAY PACK WA WAExFcy RED DELICIOUS 72s 19.85-24.95 80s 19.75-23.75 FUJI 72s 25.85-30.80 WAFcy RED DELICIOUS 100s 18.90-24.50  
**AVOCADOS:** KONA & HILO DIST SHARWIL 1.05-1.25 LB UNKNOWN VAR .94-1.12 LB CARTONS 2 LAYER TRAY PACK CL HASS 36s 34.25-42.30  
**BANANAS:** 35 LB CARTONS HILO & OAHU DIST BRAZILIAN (APPLE) .64-1.06 LB 40 LB CARTONS HILO & OAHU DIST (CAVENDISH) WILLIAMS HYBRID 20.25-23.25 SOUTH/CENTRAL AMERICA (CAVENDISH) WILLIAMS HYBRID 20.25-23.25  
**PAPAYA:** 25 LB CARTONS HILO & OAHU DIST YELLOW FLESH .28-.48 LB HILO, KAUI, & OAHU DIST RED FLESH .40-.52 LB  
**PINEAPPLES:** CARTONS 2 LAYER 8s-10s MAUI & OAHU DIST 16.00-19.50 CARTONS 1 LAYER MAUI DIST LOW ACID TYPE 11.50-13.00

### VEGETABLES

**BEANS, GREEN:** MAUI, OAHU & HILO DIST POLE & BUSH TYPE 1.15-1.30 LB  
**BROCCOLI:** CARTONS CA CROWN CUT 11.85-16.25

**CABBAGE, CHINESE (WON BOK):** KAMUELA, MAUI & OAHU DIST .28-.43 LB

**CABBAGE:** 50 LB SACKS PER LB BASIS MAUI, KAMUELA, & OAHU DIST ROUND GREEN TYPE .35-.40 LB RED TYPE .85-.90 LB

**CABBAGE, MUSTARD (KAI CHOY):** KAMUELA, MAUI & OAHU DIST .48-.85 LB  
**PAK CHOY:** OAHU DIST .46-.80 LB

**CARROTS:** CA JBO 50 LB SACKS 17.30-21.95 48 1-LB FILM BAGS 15.30-21.00

**CAULIFLOWER:** CARTONS FILM WRAPPED CA 12s 15.15-23.95

**CELERY:** CARTONS CA 2 DZ 17.00-23.75

**CUCUMBERS:** MOLOKAI, MAUI, & KONA DIST .60-.85 LB **JAPANESE LONG TYPE:** OAHU DIST .60-.85 LB

**DAIKON:** OAHU DIST CHINESE TYPE (LO BOK) WITH TOPS .40-.50 LB HILO & KAMUELA DIST JAPANESE LONG TYPE .44-.75 LB HILO, KAMUELA, MAUI, & OAHU DIST KOREAN TYPE .40 LB

**EGGPLANT:** CARTONS OAHU DIST LONG TYPE 1.25-1.40 LB 30 LB CARTONS CA/MX LONG TYPE VIA AIR 1.25-1.35 LB CARTONS MAUI & OAHU DIST ROUND TYPE 1.25-1.40 LB CA/MX ROUND TYPE 18s-24s VIA AIR 24.00-32.50

**GINGER ROOT:** 30 LB CARTONS HILO DIST PER LB BASIS .73-1.10 LB

**LETTUCE-ICEBERG (HEAD):** CARTONS CA 24s 16.00-22.75

**LETTUCE-MANOA (SEMI HEAD):** OAHU DIST .95-1.15 LB

**LETTUCE-OTHER:** CARTONS CA GREEN LEAF 24s 14.50-17.50 RED LEAF 24s 14.50-22.00

**LETTUCE-ROMAINE:** CARTONS CA 24s 16.00-24.50

**ONIONS, DRY:** YELLOW WA/OR 50 LB SACKS JBO 12.25-15.50 MED 10.00-12.75

**ONIONS, GREEN:** OAHU DIST 1.06-1.35 LB  
**PEPPERS:** OAHU DIST BELL TYPE GREEN .94-1.16 LB

**POTATOES:** RUSSET WA/OR U.S. ONE 50 LB CARTONS 70s 12.55-17.95 80s 13.75-16.95 90s 12.90-16.00 LONG WHITE WA U.S. ONE 50 LB CARTONS SIZE A 23.35-29.50

**SQUASH, ITALIAN:** OAHU & MAUI DIST .70-.75 LB 4/7 BUSHEL CARTONS CA/MX: MED .65-.75 LB

**SWEET POTATOES:** MOLOKAI DIST HYBRID TYPE (RED SKIN ORANGE FLESH) .78-.93 LB HILO DIST OKINAWAN (PURPLE FLESH) TYPE .65-.85 LB

**TOMATOES:** FIELD GROWN 25 LB CARTONS LOOSE LOCAL REPACK OAHU DIST LIGHT REDS TO REDS XLGE 24.00-28.60 LGE 21.50-25.60

### MISCELLANEOUS VEGETABLES

**BEANS, LONG: GREEN TYPE:** 1.50-1.65 LB

**BITTERMELON:** 1.06-1.35 LB

**CHOY SUM:** .69-1.00 LB

**HYOTAN (LONG SQUASH):** .62-.76 LB

**LUAU (TARO) LEAF:** 20 LB SACKS 23.00-28.00

**ON CHOY:** 3/4 LB BUNCH .90-1.10

**PARSLEY, AMERICAN:** 1/4 LB BUNCH .65-.75

**PARSLEY, CHINESE (CILANTRO):** 1/2 LB BUNCH .75-1.10

**RADISH, RED:** TOPPED, .69-.85 LB

**WATERCRESS:** 3/4 LB BUNCH 1.27-1.65

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### RECORDER TELEPHONE NUMBERS

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