

# 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. MOSTLY SUNNY. FORECASTED TEMPERATURE: HIGH 77° LOW 63°. WINDS: MORTHEAST WINDS 15-20 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 26.50-35.30 40s 21.60-26.35 TX TEXAS FANCY MARKED RIO STAR: 40s 22.85-25.10  
**LEMONS:** 7/10 BUSHEL CARTONS CA SHPRS 1<sup>ST</sup> GRADE 140s 24.15-29.35 SHPRS CHOICE 140s 17.30-22.35  
**LIMES:** 40 LB CARTONS MX SEEDLESS TYPE 200s VIA AIR 54.65-67.90  
**ORANGES:** 7/10 BUSHEL CARTONS CA SHPRS 1<sup>ST</sup> GRADE NAVEL 72s 16.20-21.95 88s 13.00-15.90

### MELONS

**CANTALOUPS:** 1/2 CARTONS CR/GU/HD/MX 9s-12s 17.75-26.95  
**HONEYDEWS:** 2/3 CARTONS CR/GU/HD/MX 5s-6s 15.75-20.10  
**WATERMELONS:** CARTONS MX RED FLESH SEEDLESS TYPE 5s-6s .60-.75 LB

### NON-CITRUS FRUITS

**APPLES:** CARTONS TRAY PACK WA WAExFcy RED DELICIOUS 72s 19.95-24.95 80s 19.80-23.95 FUJI 72s 22.80-28.95 WAFcy RED DELICIOUS 100s 17.00-24.50  
**AVOCADOS:** KONA & HILO DIST SHARWIL .90-1.10 LB UNKNOWN VAR .92-1.14 LB CARTONS 2 LAYER TRAY PACK CA HASS 48s 35.85-40.10 CL HASS 36s 34.25-41.25  
**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, KAUAI, & OAHU DIST RED FLESH .50-.64 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  
**STRAWBERRIES:** 8 1-LB CONTAINERS WITH LIDS CA 23.75-26.25

### VEGETABLES

**ASPARAGUS:** 11 LB CARTONS BUNCHED CA GREEN LGE 21.15-26.95 STD 22.65-29.35 28 LB CARTONS BUNCHED CA GREEN LGE 55.60-64.25

**BEANS, GREEN:** MAUI, OAHU & HILO DIST POLE & BUSH TYPE 1.15-1.30 LB 1 1/9 BUSHEL CARTONS/CRATES MX ROUND GREEN TYPE VIA AIR 1.22-1.42 LB  
**BROCCOLI:** CARTONS CA CROWN CUT 19.35-27.70  
**CABBAGE, CHINESE (WON BOK):** KAMUELA, MAUI & OAHU DIST .24-.43 LB  
**CABBAGE:** 50 LB SACKS PER LB BASIS MAUI, KAMUELA, & OAHU DIST ROUND GREEN TYPE .28-.38 LB RED TYPE .93-.97 LB 550-600 LB BINS PER LB BASIS OAHU DIST ROUND GREEN TYPE .27-.33 LB  
**CABBAGE, MUSTARD (KAI CHOY):** KAMUELA, MAUI & OAHU DIST .51-.75 LB

**PAK CHOY:** OAHU DIST .59-.79 LB  
**CARROTS:** CA JBO 50 LB SACKS 17.30-21.00 48 1-LB FILM BAGS 16.25-19.95  
**CAULIFLOWER:** CARTONS FILM WRAPPED CA 12s 14.15-23.95  
**CELERY:** CARTONS CA 2 DZ 18.50-23.95  
**CUCUMBERS:** MOLOKAI, MAUI, & KONA DIST .60-.75 LB **JAPANESE LONG TYPE:** OAHU DIST .81-1.30 LB  
**DAIKON:** OAHU DIST CHINESE TYPE (LO BOK) WITH TOPS .45-.65 LB HILO & KAMUELA DIST JAPANESE LONG TYPE .41-.70 LB HILO, KAMUELA, MAUI, & OAHU DIST KOREAN TYPE .39-.41 LB

**EGGPLANT:** CARTONS OAHU DIST LONG TYPE 1.25-1.40 LB 30 LB CARTONS CA/MX LONG TYPE VIA AIR 1.15-1.40 LB CARTONS MAUI & OAHU DIST ROUND TYPE 1.25-1.40 LB CA/MX ROUND TYPE 18s-24s VIA AIR 22.00-32.50

**GINGER ROOT:** 30 LB CARTONS HILO DIST PER LB BASIS .67-1.10 LB  
**LETTUCE-ICEBERG (HEAD):** CARTONS CA 24s 15.50-19.95  
**LETTUCE-MANOA (SEMI HEAD):** OAHU DIST .95-1.15 LB  
**LETTUCE-OTHER:** CARTONS KAMUELA & OAHU DIST GREEN LEAF 24s 17.85-20.10 CA GREEN LEAF 24s 14.55-17.85 RED LEAF 24s 14.60-21.95

**LETTUCE-ROMAINE:** CARTONS CA 24s 16.40-24.95  
**ONIONS, DRY:** YELLOW HYBRID MAUI DIST 50 LB SACKS MED/LG 125.00-140.00 YELLOW WA/OR 50 LB SACKS JBO 12.00-16.50 MED 11.00-14.50  
**ONIONS, GREEN:** OAHU DIST 1.20-1.65 LB  
**PEPPERS:** OAHU DIST BELL TYPE GREEN .82-1.16 LB

**POTATOES:** RUSSET WA/OR U.S. ONE 50 LB CARTONS 70s 12.70-17.50 80s 13.25-17.50 90s 12.25-16.95 LONG WHITE WA U.S. ONE 50 LB CARTONS SIZE A 23.40-32.00  
**SQUASH, ITALIAN:** OAHU & MAUI DIST .70-.85 LB 4/7 BUSHEL CARTONS CA/MX: MED .70-.90 LB  
**SWEET POTATOES:** MOLOKAI DIST HYBRID TYPE (RED SKIN ORANGE FLESH) .78-.93 LB HILO DIST OKINAWAN (PURPLE FLESH) TYPE .65-1.07 LB  
**TOMATOES:** FIELD GROWN 25 LB CARTONS LOOSE LOCAL REPACK OAHU DIST LIGHT REDS TO REDS XLGE 22.50-27.40 LGE 21.00-26.00

### MISCELLANEOUS VEGETABLES

**BEANS, LONG: GREEN TYPE:** 1.20-2.10 LB  
**BITTERMELON:** 1.15-1.40 LB  
**CHOY SUM:** .75-.95 LB  
**HYOTAN (LONG SQUASH):** .55-.75 LB  
**LUAU (TARO) LEAF:** 20 LB SACKS 22.00-24.95  
**ON CHOY:** 3/4 LB BUNCH .90-1.10  
**PARSLEY, AMERICAN:** 1/4 LB BUNCH .70-.75  
**PARSLEY, CHINESE (CILANTRO):** 1/2 LB BUNCH .80-1.10  
**RADISH, RED:** TOPPED, .70-1.15 LB  
**WATERCRESS:** 3/4 LB BUNCH 1.50-1.65

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### RECORDER TELEPHONE NUMBERS

For Honolulu, L.A., and Neighbor Island Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Prices: On Oahu (973-9581), elsewhere (1-877-973-9581-toll free).

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