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| COMMODITY               | RECEIPTS FROM POINT OF ORIGIN (100 lbs.) |      |       |         |       |                        |           |           |           |
|-------------------------|--|------|-------|---------|-------|------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|                         | HAWAII                                   | MAUI | KAUAI | MOLOKAI | OAHU  | STATEWIDE WEEKLY TOTAL |           | MAINLAND  |           |
|                         |  |      |       |         |       | This Year              | Last Year | This Year | Last Year |
| APPLE                   | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 1,732     | 2,902     |
| ARTICHOKE               | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 45        | 169       |
| ASPARAGUS               | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | 9     | 9                      | --        | 317       | 471       |
| AVOCADO                 | 112                                      | 2    | --    | --      | 1     | 115                    | 112       | 305       | 314       |
| BANANA: Apple           | 503                                      | 2    | --    | --      | 23    | 528                    | 472       | --        | 3         |
| BANANA: Cavendish       | 264                                      | 9    | --    | --      | 320   | 593                    | 889       | 2,811     | 4,616     |
| BEANS: Green            | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | 21    | 21                     | 14        | 89        | 143       |
| BEANS: Long             | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | 6     | 6                      | 11        | 11        | --        |
| BROCCOLI                | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | 6         | 715       | 1,243     |
| BURDOCK                 | 2  | --   | --    | --      | --    | 2                      | --        | 34        | 13        |
| CABBAGE: Chinese        | 547                                      | --   | --    | --      | --    | 547                    | 851       | 2         | 0         |
| CABBAGE: Green          | 148                                      | 560  | --    | --      | 1,320 | 2,028                  | 1,454     | 9         | 271       |
| CABBAGE: Kai Choy       | 24                                       | --   | --    | --      | 21    | 45                     | 35        | 1         | --        |
| CABBAGE: Pak Choy       | --                                       | 6    | --    | --      | 71    | 76                     | 43        | 29        | 9         |
| CABBAGE: Red            | 19                                       | 12   | --    | --      | --    | 32                     | 18        | 53        | 59        |
| CARROT                  | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 2,289     | 2,165     |
| CAULIFLOWER             | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 107       | 74        |
| CELERY                  | 9  | --   | --    | --      | --    | 9                      | 10        | 875       | 1,131     |
| CORN: Sweet             | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | 40    | 40                     | 1         | 36        | 78        |
| CUCUMBER                | --                                       | 4    | --    | 523     | --    | 527                    | 787       | 151       | 100       |
| CUCUMBER: English       | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 15        | 23        |
| CUCUMBER: Japanese      | 0  | --   | --    | --      | 127   | 127                    | 132       | 5         | 3         |
| DAIKON: Chinese         | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | 7     | 7                      | 11        | --        | --        |
| DAIKON: Japanese        | 50                                       | --   | --    | --      | 28    | 78                     | 164       | --        | --        |
| DAIKON: Korean          | 74                                       | 10   | --    | --      | 5     | 89                     | 4         | --        | --        |
| DASHEEN                 | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 4         | 6         |
| EGGPLANT: Long          | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | 30    | 30                     | 35        | 106       | 154       |
| EGGPLANT: Round         | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | 1         | 28        | 63        |
| ENDIVE/ESCAROLE         | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 27        | 41        |
| GINGER ROOT             | 284                                      | --   | 24    | --      | --    | 308                    | 225       | 2         | 1         |
| GRAPE                   | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 795       | 1,739     |
| GRAPEFRUIT              | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 213       | 418       |
| LEEK                    | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | 0         | 42        | 23        |
| LEMON                   | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | 2         | 413       | 653       |
| LETTUCE: Head           | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 611       | 993       |
| LETTUCE: Manoa          | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | 26    | 26                     | 38        | --        | --        |
| LETTUCE: Red/Green Leaf | 53                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | 53                     | 95        | 289       | 156       |
| LETTUCE: Specialty      | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | 0     | 0                      | 6         | 102       | 125       |
| MANGO                   | --                                       | 2    | --    | --      | --    | 2                      | 2         | 332       | 276       |
| MELON: Cantaloup        | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 1,310     | 2,117     |
| MELON: Honeydew         | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 568       | 710       |
| MELON: Watermelon       | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 18        | 125       |
| MUSHROOM: Button        | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 377       | 331       |
| MUSHROOM: Specialty     | 13                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | 13                     | 4         | 80        | 112       |
| NECTARINE               | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 163       | 88        |
| ONION: Dry              | --                                       | 27   | --    | --      | --    | 27                     | 5         | 4,161     | 2,540     |
| ONION: Green            | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | 60    | 60                     | 114       | 40        | 25        |
| ORANGE                  | 43                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | 43                     | 48        | 3,175     | 4,595     |
| PAPAYA                  | 2,150                                    | 2    | --    | 6       | 104   | 2,262                  | 3,029     | --        | --        |
| PARSLEY: American       | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | 20    | 20                     | 12        | 19        | 20        |
| PARSLEY: Chinese        | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | 12    | 12                     | 12        | 22        | 5         |
| PEACH                   | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 131       | 28        |
| PEAR                    | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 266       | 328       |
| PEPPER: Sweet           | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | 149   | 149                    | 319       | 471       | 473       |
| PLUM                    | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 116       | 198       |
| POTATO: Table           | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 4,472     | 4,650     |
| RADISH                  | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | 4     | 4                      | 2         | --        | 2         |
| ROMAINE                 | 16                                       | --   | --    | --      | 0     | 16                     | 39        | 761       | 1,008     |
| SPINACH: American       | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 525       | 389       |
| SQUASH: Hyotan          | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | 10    | 10                     | 7         | 16        | 27        |
| SQUASH: Italian         | --                                       | 26   | --    | --      | --    | 26                     | 69        | 219       | 252       |
| STRAWBERRY              | --                                       | 55   | --    | --      | --    | 55                     | 34        | 664       | 1,711     |
| SWEET POTATO            | 214                                      | --   | --    | 192     | --    | 406                    | 456       | 228       | 125       |
| TARO                    | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | --    | --                     | --        | 212       | 28        |
| TOMATO                  | 163                                      | 2    | --    | --      | 377   | 542                    | 1,262     | 1,084     | 1,381     |
| WATERCRESS              | --                                       | --   | --    | --      | 17    | 17                     | 40        | 1         | 9         |

NOTES: Oahu refers to wholesalers' truck receipts only, and is incomplete; Mainland aggregate is approximately 85% of all ship and air arrivals for current reporting week, as of publication.