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Wednesday, September 8 at 6 PM

Homerville Wholesale Produce Auction

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- Location: ½ mile south of Homerville on SR 301.
- Auction time: Large lots sold at exactly 6 p.m. Mon, Wed, and Fri.
- Order buyer Ken Baumhardt, cell 440/225-0882, or fax your order to 330/625-2620. Cost 2.5% with \$5 min. Hauling can often be arranged.

Market report for Wed, Sep 6, 2006

<u>Fruit</u>	<u>count</u>	<u>low</u>	<u>high</u>	<u>ave</u>		<u>count</u>	<u>low</u>	<u>high</u>	<u>ave</u>	
Apples ½ bu	48	4	10	7.92		Hard squash bu	31	4	11.5	8.98
Cantalope	1762	.2	4	.97		Tomato 20#	195	1	18	10.09
Peaches pecks	276	3	10	6.91		(About 7745 lbs of tomatoes total)				
Watermelon	1256	.4	3	1.13		Zucchini ½ bu	65	7	15	11.07
<u>Vegetables</u>						<u>Fall decorative</u>				
Beans bu	12	15	20	18.83		Corn stalks	65	2	2.8	2.43
(totaled 45 bu of beans including ½ bu & pks)						Mums (includes small)	402	1.1	5.25	2.40
Beets ½ bu	23	5	8	5.83		Pumpkins (pies & larger)	830	.2	5	.79
Cabbage	148	.7	2.5	.86		Straw bales (miniature)	15	.8	1.1	.94
Sweet corn 5dz bag	105	5	12	8.26		<u>Summary:</u>				
Cucumbers 24ct	12	8	13	11.75		• There were dozens more categories not listed.				
Eggplant bu	15	8	10	9.07		• 9784 items on 677 clerk sheet lines.				
(totaled 35 bu of eggplant including ½ bu & pks)						• Last line typed at 8:07 PM.				
Onion pecks	35	2	8	5.51		• Buyer attendance: Typically crowded				
Peppers (green bell) bu	226	3	19	9.75		• Eagerness to bid: Very aggressive				
Peppers (all kinds) ½ bu	137	1	6.5	3.41		• Weather 5 PM: 72F and 50% cloud cover.				
Pickles ½ bu	33	11	20	19.15		• Soil temperature at 4 inches: 68.7 F				
Hard squash each	1463	.16	4.5	.54						

Notes and Comments

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To predict what will appear at the auction: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Be familiar with recent market reports. 2. Be familiar with what happened a year ago. 3. Watch the weather. Consider weather's effect on field conditions. 4. Watch soil temps. (Soil temperature is the determining factor in growth rate.) <p>All this information is available on our website.</p> • State Route 301 is closed between Homerville & Spencer. Use Firestone Rd two miles west. • Please visit the website and examine the price and quantity graphs of the various kinds of produce. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Approximate pounds of tomatoes in the recent auctions : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mon 8/14 9768 lbs Wed 8/16 11818 lbs Fri 8/18 9362 lbs Mon 8/21 9678 lbs Wed 8/23 11456 lbs Fri 8/25 10490 lbs Mon 8/28 9175 lbs Wed 8/31 5304 lbs Fri 9/1 6672 lbs Mon 9/4 6678 lbs Wed 9/6 7745 lbs |
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