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| | APPLES | Gala, Honeycrisp, Cortland, & Ginger Gold harvested & in storage. Finishing up the harvest of McIntosh, Red & Golden Delicious, Empire, MacCoun, & Jonagold. Harvesting Fuji, Rome & Stayman/Winesap. Cool nights would help to develop color in many varieties. Storage apples & cider available through Christmas. |
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| 14 | ARUGULA | Harvesting good quality product in fair to decreasing volume. Frost will hurt. |
| | BABY SPINACH & ARUGULA | Harvesting very good quality products in fair to decreasing volume. Frost will hurt. |
| | BASIL | Cool nights are finishing up. |
| *************************************** | BEETS | Harvesting a good volume of very good quality products. |
| | CABBAGE | Harvesting a good volume of good quality green, savoy, & red. Available through Thanksgiving. |
| ** | CILANTRO | Harvesting vey good quality product in fair to decreasing volume. Frost will hurt. |
| | COLLARDS | Harvesting a good volume of very good quality products. Available through Thanksgiving. |
| | CRANBERRIES | Smaller growers also harvesting after waiting to develop more maturity and sugar levels. Like apples, cool nights would help to develop color. |
| | CUCUMBERS | Very good quality pickles and cukes harvesting in light to decreasing volume. |
| # | DANDELIONS | Good quality and fair quantity of product is available. |
| | DILL | Harvesting good quality in fair to decreasing volume. |
| | EGGPLANT | Harvesting a fair to light & decreasing volume of very good quality field grown product. |
| 100 | ESCAROLE & ENDIVE | Harvesting very good quality in fair to good volume. Can tolerate a little frost. |
| | KALE | Very good quality product harvesting in good volume. Available through Thanksgiving. |
| | LEEKS | A fair volume of good quality product is available. |
| 10 | LETTUCE | Harvesting a light to fair volume of good quality products, a smaller crop than normal. The heartier Romaine will survive a little longer than leaf lettuces. Frost will hurt. |
| | MINT | Harvesting very good quality in light to decreasing volume as cool nights are slowing down. |
| Wite . | PARSLEY | Harvesting good quality curly and plain product in fair volume. |
| | PEPPERS | Harvesting a light to decreasing volume of very good quality product. |













| | PUMPKINS | Harvesting good quality in good, but slightly less than normal, volume. Regular rains have kept growth and sizing of fruit steady. There should be some large pumpkins this year. |
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| | RADISHES | Harvesting good quality product in fair to good volume. |
| | SPINACH | Harvesting a light to increasing volume of good quality product as the weather cools. Smaller Fall crop than normal. Can tolerate a little frost. |
| | SQUASH | Harvesting a light to decreasing volume of very good quality Summer squashes. Hard squashes like butternut and acorn, are in fair volume. |
| | SWEET CORN | A light to decreasing volume of mostly good quality product. Quality varies a bit now as seasonal insect pressures mount. |
| | SWEET POTATOES | Harvesting a good volume of very good quality product. |
| W | SWISS CHARD | Harvesting very good quality products in good to decreasing volume. |
| | TOMATOES | A light to decreasing volume of good quality product available. It's been a later and shorter season than normal. Frost will hurt. |
| * | TURNIPS | Harvesting good quality product in fair volume. |
| | WHITE POTATOES | Harvesting a good volume of mainly round white & red varieties. Also harvesting yellow fleshed varieties and Russets in fair to good volume. Source your N.J. potatoes in their distinctive "Jersey Fresh" bags. |







