California Freestone Peach Freezer and Dehydrator Report State Summary – 2021 Crop Year



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Information contained in this report was supplied by dry yards and freezers of Freestone peaches to fulfill reporting requirements of Sections 55601.7 and 55601.8 of the California Food and Agricultural Code. Weighted average price represents the average roadside price paid to growers and packing houses for fresh Freestone peaches used for freezing or drying. Freezers grading Freestone peaches reported approximately 3.7 percent as off-grade. Dry yards do not grade Freestone peaches, so there is not an off-grade percentage.

2021 FREESTONE PEACHES FOR FREEZING

Variety Type	Total fresh tons received for freezing 1/	Total fresh tons purchased for freezing 2/ Wtd. average price paid to growers F.O.B. roadside 3		Wtd. average price paid to packing houses F.O.B. packinghouse 3/	
	To	ns	Dollars Per Ton		
Mid-Gem	20,900	19,100	\$444.00	\$404.00	
Late-Gem	35,300	32,600	\$452.00	\$403.00	
Fay Elberta	1,000	800	\$449.00	4	
Other Varieties	12,800	12,800	\$584.00	\$455.00	
All Varieties	70,000	65,300	\$464.00	\$444.00	

- ¹ Total tons for freezing received from growers, packinghouses, and the processors' own orchards.
- Total tons for freezing purchased from growers and packinghouses. Tons from processors' own orchards are excluded from this column.
- Fresh tons purchased from California growers totaled 57,000 for freezing. Tons purchased from packinghouses totaled 8,300. The weighted average price paid to growers and packinghouses was \$461.00 per ton. If the tons (4,800) grown in the freezers' own orchards are included using the grower price (\$463.00), then average value received for freezing is \$461.00 per ton.
- ⁴ No tons for this variety were reported purchased from packinghouses.

2021 FREESTONE PEACHES FOR DRYING

Variety Type	Total tons received for drying ¹	Total tons purchased for drying ²	Total dried tons after drying (natural cond.)	Dry-Away ratio ³	Wtd. average price paid to growers	Wtd. average price paid to packing houses
		То	Dollars Per Ton			
Fay Elberta	100	100	14	7.1	4	\$50.00
Lovell	0	0	0	0.0	4	5
Gem Types	500	500	80	7.0	4	\$50.00
Other Varieties	8,200	8,200	1,150	7.1	4	\$47.00
All Varieties	8,800	8,800	1,244	7.1	4	\$47.00

- ¹ Total tons for drying received from growers, packinghouses, and the processors' own orchards.
- ² Total tons for drying purchased from growers and packinghouses. Tons from the processors' own orchards are excluded from this column.
- ³ Dry-Away Ratios may not calculate due to rounding.
- ⁴ No tons for this variety were reported purchased from growers.
- ⁵ No tons for this variety were reported purchased from packinghouses.







