



INFOCADO WEEKLY REPORT

22nd to 28th March 2008 (Wk 13)

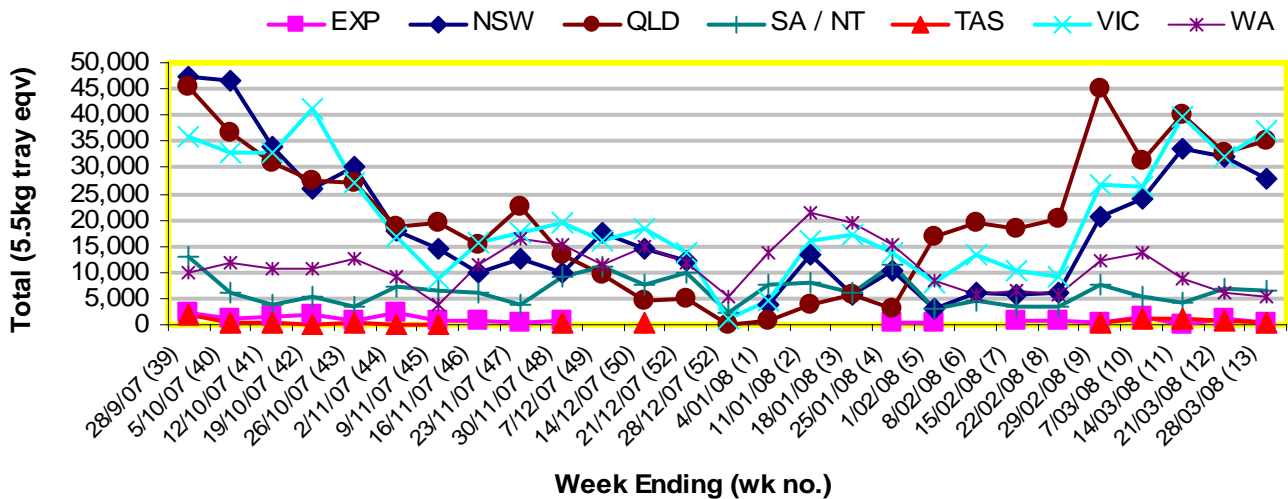
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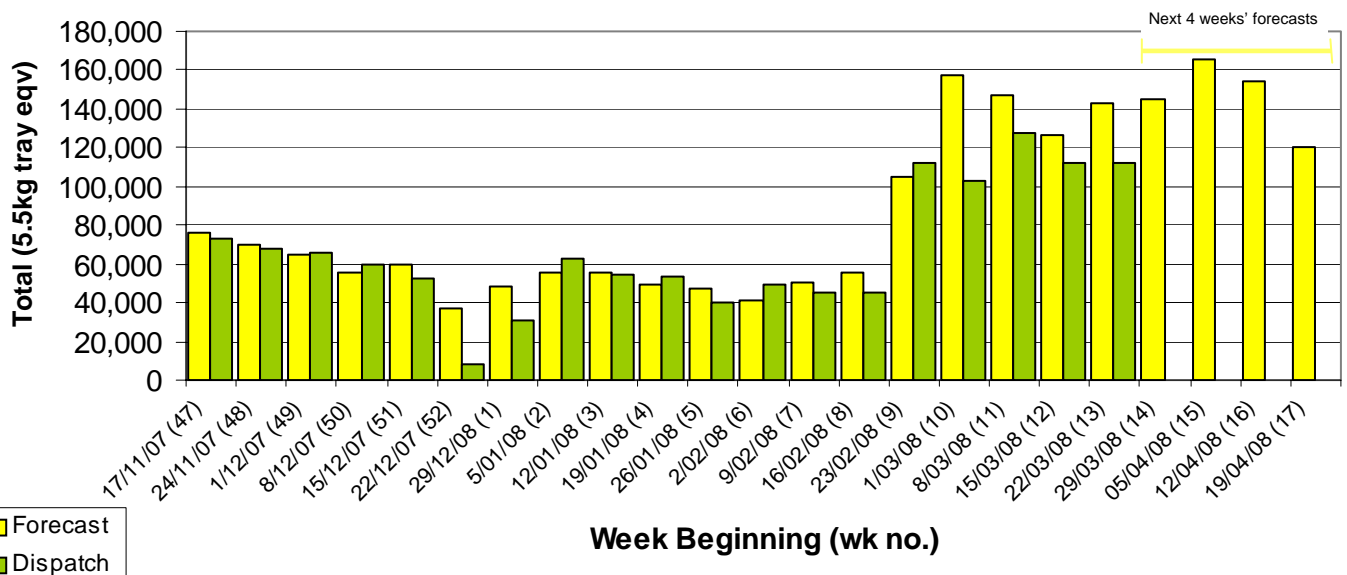
Industry Dispatches 22nd to 28th March 2008 (Wk 13)

Dest. State	5.5kg	5.5kg	5.5kg	5.5kg	5.5kg	5.5kg	5.5kg	5.5kg	5.5kg	5.5kg	Bulk	P/PK	5.5Kg Eqv Trays All
	<16	16	18	20	22	23	25	28	28+	Total	10Kg	Kg	Total
EXP								40	150	190	2		194
NSW	24	352	1,726	12,387	1,456	2,887	3,455	2,063	31	24,381	1,072	8,490	27,874
QLD		906	663	1,466	1,344	5,322	7,414	1,478		18,593	7,251	17,520	34,962
SA / NT		34	291	406	115	851	3,191	344	13	5,245	379	3,168	6,510
TAS							297			297			297
VIC	82	2,268	8,328	12,142	1,290	2,979	3,539	1,507	15	32,150	1,787	8,526	36,949
WA						2,810	1,750	288		4,848	88	1,980	5,368
Total	106	3,560	11,008	26,401	4,205	14,849	19,646	5,720	209	85,704	10,579	39,684	112,154

Throughput Australian avocados by destination State Throughput 1st January 2008 to date = 946,687 5.5kg tray eqv



Dispatch vs weekly forecast for Australian Avocados - all varieties and all packs (17th November 2007 to 25th April 2008)



Major Capital City Weather Report – week ahead

City	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Public Hols	School Holidays
Brisbane	27°	28°	29°	26°	Anzac Day April 25th	5th Apr—13th Apr
Melbourne	24°	21°	16°	19°	Anzac Day April 25th	21st Mar—6th Apr
Perth	23°	25°	27°	27°	Anzac Day April 25th	12th Apr—27th Apr
Sydney	24°	28°	21°	23°	Anzac Day April 25th	12th Apr—27th Apr

Forecast Data (Week 13-17)					
Variety	Trays - Total	Bulk	P/Pk	Other	All - Total
	5.5Kg Eqv	10Kg	Kg	Kg	5.5Kg Eqv
Week 13— begin 22/03/08					
Fuerte	5,378	43			5,456
Hass	10,600	100			10,782
Pinkerton	500	50			591
Shepard	113,833	4,500	24,000	1,500	126,652
Week Total	130,311	4,693	24,000	1,500	143,481
Week 14— begin 29/03/08					
Fuerte	6,441	218			6,837
Hass	24,505	2,520			29,087
Pinkerton	500	50			591
Shepard	91,963	3,400	28,000	1,200	103,454
Wurtz	5,500	15			5,527
Week Total	128,909	6,203	28,000	1,200	145,496
Week 15— begin 05/04/08					
Fuerte	6,161	128		100	6,412
Hass	40,980	4,720			49,562
Pinkerton	2,300	150			2,573
Sharwill	1,500				1,500
Shepard	86,157	4,750	27,000	1,200	99,920
Wurtz	6,000	40			6,073
Week Total	143,098	9,788	27,000	1,300	166,039
Week 16— begin 11/04/08					
Fuerte	6,641	108			6,837
Hass	66,033	4,403			74,038
Pinkerton	2,500	250			2,955
Sharwil	100				100
Shepard	52,318	3,800	27,000	1,000	64,318
Wurtz	6,000	40			6,073
Week Total	133,591	8,601	27,000	1,000	154,320
Week 17— begin 18/04/08					
Fuerte	5,141	58			5,246
Hass	77,212	4,403			85,217
Shepard	17,364	1,500	22,000	1,000	24,273
Wurtz	6,000	40			6,073
Week Total	105,716	6,001	22,000	1,000	120,809

Dispatch Data (Week 13—begin 22/03/08)				
Variety	Trays	Bulk	P/PK	5.5Kg Eqv
	5.5kg eqv	10Kg	Kg	Total Trays
Fuerte	2,427	734		3,762
Hass	4,929	379		5,618
Pinkerton	109			109
Shepard	76,916	9,271	39,684	100,987
Wurtz	1,323	195		1,678
Total	85,704	10,579	39,684	112,154

Week 13 contributors

- Avocado Ridge
- Avocados With Altitude
- Donovan Avocados
- Gunnado Farm
- Hilltop Mareeba
- J & K Hummer
- JC & SK Smythe
- Lavers Orchards
- Mount Hallen Avocados
- Natures Fruit Company
- One Harvest
- R & M Waterman
- Rocky Creek Orchards
- Simpsons Farms Pty Ltd
- Sunfresh
- Sunnyspot Packhouse PL
- Theart Farming Pty Ltd
- Tinaroo Falls Avocado Trust

New Zealand Avocado Exports—Forecast v Import Statistics (5.5kg eqv trays) August 2007-April 2008

Export Dest'n	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	Total to date
NZ Export Forecast		100,000	350,000	650,000	650,000	350,000	375,000	25,000		2,500,000
Australia	355		163,000	471,000	464,166	445,339	408,055	Avail mid Apr		1,951,915
USA		42,484	146,175	101,451	146,742	32,727				469,579
Japan	1,996	19,043	51,145	53,557	57,757	19,325	13,473			216,296
Total	2,351	61,526	360,320	626,008	668,665	497,391	421,528			2,637,790

Percentage dispatched by region (Based on seasonal forecast - 2008)

