





# SUPPLY OUTLOOK

## RECOMMENDED



**BROCCOLI:** Gatton-grown, fresh, and local. A standout choice for quality and value.

BLOOD ORANGES: Juicy and abundant. Spring cocktail, anyone?

**BLUEBERRIES & STRAWBERRIES:** Both are exceptionally fresh and high quality with great prices.

**CORIANDER:** Our top herb pick this week. Fresh and aromatic.

**CORN:** Priced well and available in great quality.

**DUTCH CARROTS:** Available in abundance—**orange**, **purple**, and **yellow**—with prices easing.

**OYSTER MUSHROOMS:** Local supply is plentiful and well-priced.

APPLE PINK LADYS: Crisp, juicy, and with eased prices, offering great value.

**AUSTRALIAN ASPARAGUS:** We've completely transitioned from Mexican to local Australian asparagus. Prices have eased and will continue to do so.

BABY BEETS: Supply has improved, and prices have eased slightly, offering better value.

BABY TURNIPS: Vibrant white colour and high quality, a top choice.

BLACKBERRIES: Prices have eased, providing better value for this delicious fruit.

BOK CHOY: Fresh and high quality like all our Asian veg.

CELERIAC: Local, high quality and in abundance.

**DE PADRON PEPPERS:** Available, great quality and prices have eased back.

EGGPLANT: High quality and in good supply.

GARLIC SHOOTS: Spring has brought fresh garlic shoots. Pre-order.

**MOREL MUSHROOMS:** The Morel Mushroom season has started. Available by pre-order, arriving later in the week.

**MUSHROOMS**: Buttons, field mushrooms, and oysters are well-priced. Shiitake mushrooms are also plentiful and of high quality.

**RAMARRO FARMS:** The <u>Ramarro Radicchio</u> season has ended, but regular radicchio is still available. If you missed it this season, don't worry, it will be back in January!

SHALLOTS: Prices have decreased significantly from last week, with excellent supply.

THAI BASIL & BASIL: Fresh and in good supply.

WATERCRESS: Abundant and looking excellent.

**ZUCCHINI:** Prices have dropped significantly with more supply available, thanks to favourable growing conditions.

### **GENERAL**

BEANS: Prices are decreasing but are still slightly higher than usual - handpicked and machine picked.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS: Being a winter veg, the season is now started to slow down, leading to higher prices due to less product available. Quality remains good.

**GRAPES:** Green grapes are currently preferable over red. But, all grapes are US product, so we encourage you to opt for something Aussie-grown.

LONG RED CHILLIES: Prices have eased slightly.

**MANGOES:** Premium quality from the NT, excellent tropical flavours and soft juicy flesh. Let us know if you would like to try some!

**POTATOES: Cocktail Potatoes:** Local crops have started, sizes are ideal, and prices have eased. **Washed Potatoes:** Now local. **Dutch Cream** and **Nicola** are best for mash. **Purple Congo/Purple Bliss:** Gap in supply; awaiting new season.

**WATERMELON:** Prices have eased, making watermelon great value.

### **NOT RECOMMENDED**

BABY CAPSICUMS: Limited supply due to poor weather conditions.

**BANANAS**: Prices have eased slightly but remain high. Winter affects supply and quality each year, so it shouldn't last too much longer now its getting warmer.

**BROADLEAF ROCKET:** A gap in supply is expected for the next two weeks. Wild Rocket is in abundance if you were looking for an alternative.

FIGS: Extremely short supply. Expect cutbacks.

LIMES: Very limited and expensive. Alternatives include East Coast Pure Lime Juice or lemons.

LEBANESE CUCUMBERS: Expensive, avoid them if you can. Continentals are much more affordable.

RASPBERRIES: High prices due to slowed supply. Consider blackberries or blueberries as alternatives.

SHISHITOS: Not available due to poor weather conditions.

**TOMATOES:** Brown Rugose Fruit Virus affecting SA crops. This will effect all tomatoes coming from SA. Large Heirloom Mixed Colour Tomatoes unavailable until December. But, Large Red Heirlooms (local). Pezzeto & sampari tomatoes: Unavailable for the next two weeks. Yellow tomatoes (not available). Cherry Truss (on the vine) are going to be short.



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