



CROP REPORT

Season Wrap-Up

As tomato harvest enters its final days and pear operations move through the final phase of production, the 2026 pack season is nearing completion. Teams across agriculture, operations, logistics, packaging, and sales delivered strong performance throughout the year, resulting in improved throughput, operational efficiency, and customer service levels compared to prior seasons.

Apricots

The apricot season concluded successfully with strong fruit quality and smooth harvesting conditions. Growers have now transitioned to post-harvest orchard management activities as preparations begin for next year's crop.

Cherries

Cherry harvest finished with excellent overall results. Fruit quality remained strong throughout the season, and the crop provided a solid start to the summer fruit pack.

Peaches

Peach harvest concluded in August following a successful season across conventional, organic, and freestone programs. While some late-season varieties matured more slowly than expected, overall fruit quality remained favorable. Growers have since shifted their focus to fall orchard maintenance and cultural practices.

Pears

Pear harvest concluded earlier than normal in California. While growers faced challenges with fruit size, maturity variability, and lighter yields, quality remained strong overall, particularly in later-season varieties. Storage fruit continues to hold exceptionally well, supporting an extended processing season. Northwest pears have performed particularly well, with favorable quality and stronger-than-anticipated yields.

Grapes

The grape season finished ahead of last year and delivered above-average fruit quality throughout harvest. Production goals were achieved, and the crop performed well from both a quality and operational standpoint.



Tomatoes

Tomatoes have been the season's standout performer, delivering exceptional quality through harvest. Strong color, solids, and overall fruit condition combined with minimal mold pressure have supported excellent processing performance. Production facilities have consistently exceeded expectations and remain on track to complete the final packs over the next week.



With tomato harvest expected to conclude next week and pear operations entering the home stretch, the season is winding down on a strong note. The collective efforts of growers, employees, co-packing partners, and customers have helped deliver a successful year marked by strong product quality, operational excellence, and outstanding customer support.



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