

SEPTEMBER 13, 2017

WEEKLY PRICE RECOMMENDATIONS

Produce	Container	Suggested price	
Strawberries	12 x 1 ch	\$22	\$24
Strawberries	10 X 1 l	\$24	\$26
Raspberries	12 x 120 gr	\$28	\$30

HARVEST FORECASTS

Produce	Harvest dates	North Shore of Montréal *	Montréal	Eastern Townships	Mauricie	Québec	Other Regions**
FALL STRAWBERRIES	Beginning of harvest	July 4	July 10	July 15	July 8	July 7	July 25
	September 13 to 19 ¹	4	4	3	3	3-4	3
FALL RASPBERRIES	Beginning of harvest	July 16	July 23	August 4-5	July 28	August 15-20	August 15-20
	September 13 to 19 ²	90%	85%	60%	85%	60%	60%





¹ A scale from 1 to 5 is used to predict the extent of harvested volumes, 1 being the smallest volume and 5 the greatest.

² Percentages indicate the cumulative volume harvested of total volume expected.

* Includes Outaouais, Laurentians and Lanaudière region

** Includes Lower St-Lawrence, Saguenay-Lac-Saint-Jean, Gaspésie and Abitibi-Témiscamingue

HIGHLIGHTS

-  The weather is nice this week and **Fall strawberries** benefit from it!
-  **Fall strawberry** yields are still good and the great weather this week will have a positive impact for at least two weeks.
-  Plants have started new bunches and **strawberry** size is interesting.
-  Some varieties of **Fall raspberries** have stopped producing, but those remaining will be available until October. The fruits are delicious!

Les Fraîches du Québec in the news:

<http://ici.radio-canada.ca/tele/la-semaine-verte/site> (on raspberries) (in French).

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