U.S. Peach Production Data

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<td>Bearing Acreage</td>
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<td>Pounds Per Acre</td>
<td>14,945</td>
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<td>Total Million Lbs Production</td>
<td>2,379</td>
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<td>Cash Receipts Per Acre</td>
<td>$2,732</td>
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<td>Cash Receipts ($1,000)</td>
<td>$434,889</td>
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<td>483,043</td>
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Source: USDA/ERS, NASS  *UK Estimates for 2003 based on ERS preliminary data

Kentucky Peach Prices  (per pound)

Source: USDA; *NASS Noncitrus Fruits and Nuts 2003 Preliminary Summary

Peach prices received by KY producers have increased steadily since 1996 due to strong markets and increased direct market peach sales.
**Fresh Peaches: Monthly Prices Received By Growers**

![Price Chart]

Source: USDA/ERS Fruit and Tree Nuts Situation and Outlook Yearbook, October 2003

**TRADE**

**U.S. Fresh Peach Trade**

![Trade Chart]

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**Information Sources**

USDA/ERS Fruit and Tree Nuts Situation and Outlook Yearbook
http://www.ers.usda.gov/Briefing/FruitAndTreeNuts/

U.S. Census of Agriculture
http://www.nass.usda.gov/census/

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