

# BERRIES MARKET ANALYSIS WEEK 20 2020





Brief project description

Weekly market price analysis taken from public databases

**Commodities**: blueberry, raspberry and strawberry fruit (fresh produce)

Countries: USA and Spain

Data: this analysis includes:

(i) Market prices

(ii) Imported volumes of fruit (USA)

#### **Technologies:**

ETL process developed in Python Notebooks (see annexes)

Graphs built in Power BI





USA shipping point prices contextualization









Data Source: United States Department of Agriculture (USDA)

Data kind: shipping point market prices and imports volumes (non-organic fruit)

Origin of the fruit: Mexico

Location for sales: customs of Otay Mesa, Pharr, St. Luis, Laredo, Nogales, Progreso and Calexico

Historical depth available: +20 years

**Formats:** flats 12 6-oz cups with lids for blueberry and raspberry

flats 8 1-lb containers with lids for strawberry

**Periodicity:** daily

Units of measure: volumes in Kg

prices in USD/Kg including palletizing and cooling





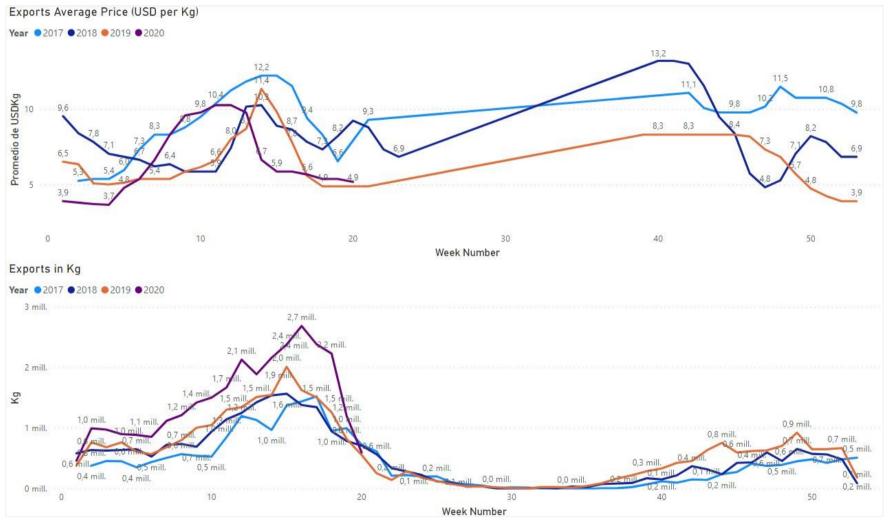


USA shipping point prices and volumes blueberry evolution













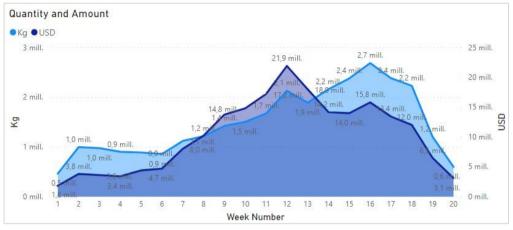


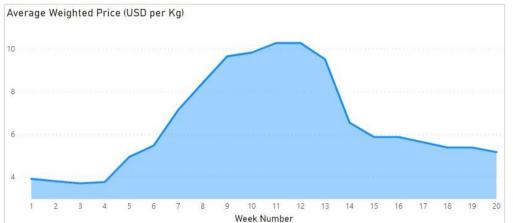












Total Year Kg

29,70 mill.

Total Year USD

204,72 mill.

Year	2017	2018	2019	2020
Average	9,40	8,22	6,70	6,60
Standard Dev	2,00	2,15	1,79	2,28
Minimum	4,90	4,78	3,92	3,67
1st percentil	8,33	6,86	5,14	5,39
2nd percentil	9,80	7,84	6,37	5,88
3rd percentil	10,78	9,31	8,33	9,06
Maximum	12,74	13,23	11,76	10,29
Price wk 20	9,31	9,25	4,90	5,19





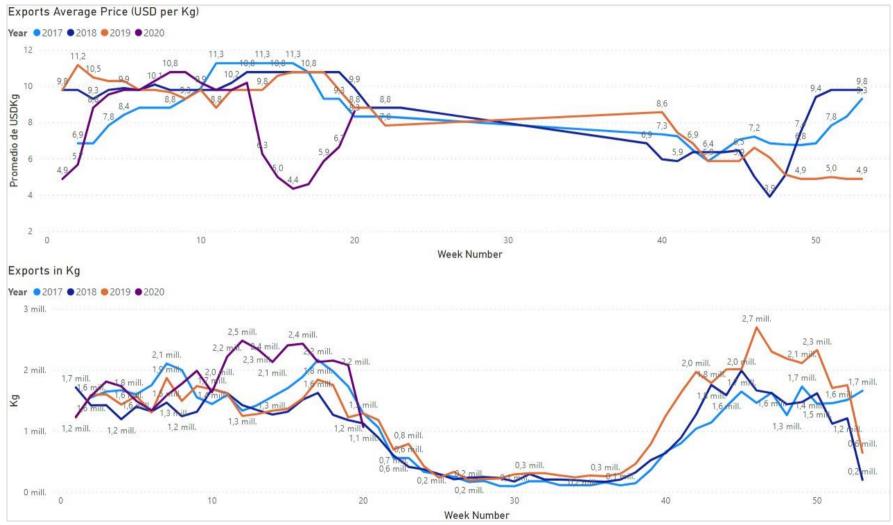


USA shipping point prices and volumes raspberry evolution















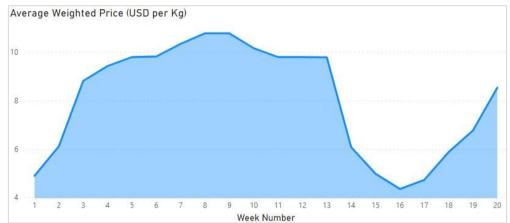












Total Year Kg

37,70 mill.

Total Year USD

300,54 mill.

Year	2017	2018	2019	2020
Average	8,58	8,83	8,43	8,15
Standard Dev	1,69	1,97	2,10	2,30
Minimum	5,88	3,92	4,90	4,16
1st percentil	6,86	6,86	5,88	5,88
2nd percentil	8,33	9,80	9,31	8,82
3rd percentil	9,31	10,29	9,80	9,80
Maximum	11,27	10,78	11,27	10,78
Price wk 20	8,33	9,90	8,82	8,62

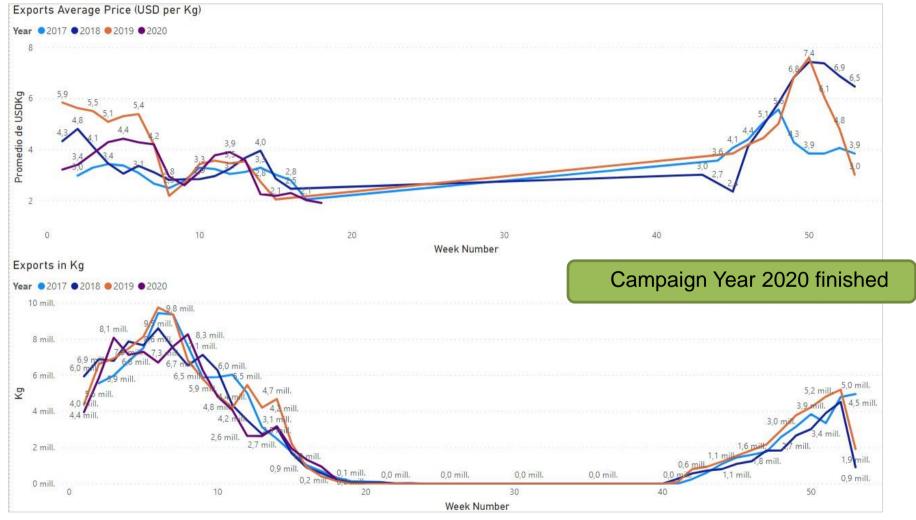






USA shipping point prices and volumes strawberry evolution











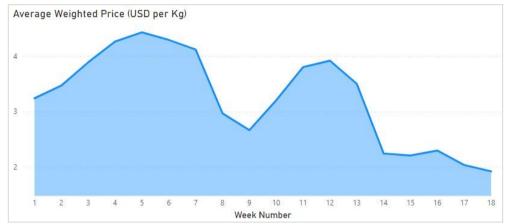
USA shipping point prices and volumes strawberry during 2020











Total Year Kg

83,13 mill.

Total Year USD

296,76 mill.

Year	2017	2018	2019	2020
Average	3,47	4,09	4,52	3,28
Standard Dev	0,78	1,58	1,45	0,85
Minimum	2,07	2,07	1,93	1,93
1st percentil	3,03	2,93	3,48	2,38
2nd percentil	3,31	3,44	4,41	3,31
3rd percentil	3,86	4,82	5,51	4,00
Maximum	5,65	7,72	7,72	4,55
Price wk 20	_	-		

Campaign Year 2020 finished





Work in progress









Spanish farm gate prices contextualization

Data Source: Junta de Andalucía

Data kind: farm gate prices paid to farmers

Origin of the fruit: Andalucía

Historical depth available: 4 years available

**Formats:** standard for strawberry

non specified for blueberry and raspberry

**Periodicity:** weekly

Units of measure: volumes in Kg

prices in EUR/Kg



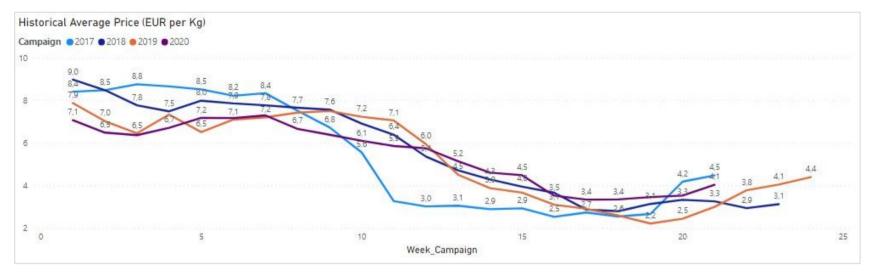












Campaign	2017	2018	2019	2020
Starting week	02/01/2017	01/01/2018	31/12/2018	30/12/2019
Average	5,42	5,59	5,31	5,39
Standard Dev	2,60	2,22	1,98	1,45
Minimum	2,54	2,81	2,23	3,35
1st percentil	2,94	3,31	3,68	3,92
2nd percentil	4,49	5,38	5,97	5,82
3rd percentil	8,36	7,73	7,12	6,55
Maximum	8,78	9,00	7,89	7,31
Campaign wk 20	4,49	3,27	3,01	4,05



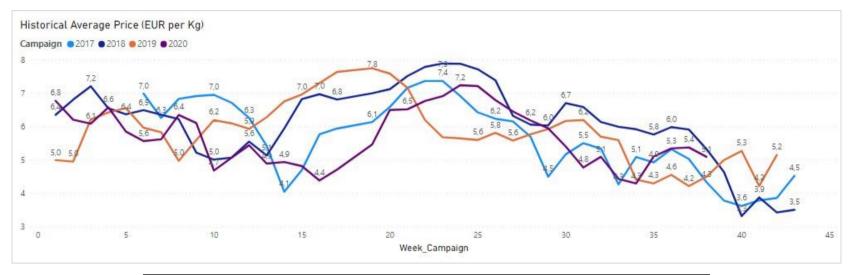












Campaign	2017	2018	2019	2020
Starting week	05/09/2016	04/09/2017	03/09/2018	02/09/2019
Average	5,63	6,12	5,83	5,71
Standard Dev	1,13	1,17	0,93	0,85
Minimum	3,63	3,32	4,22	4,30
1st percentil	4,71	5,61	5,16	5,07
2nd percentil	5,70	6,28	5,82	5,57
3rd percentil	6,59	6,83	6,22	6,46
Maximum	7,37	7,90	7,75	7,25
Campaign wk 38	4,34	5,33	4,50	5,10



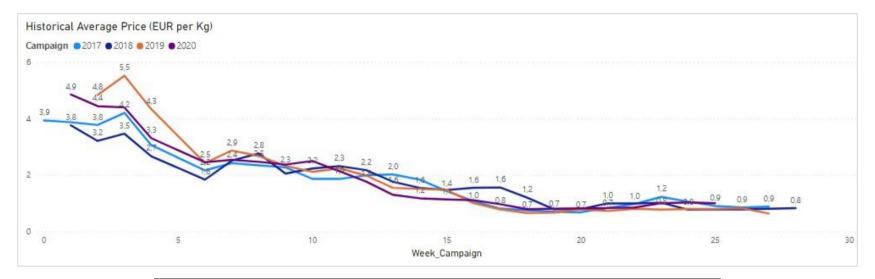












Campaign	2017	2018	2019	2020
Starting week	04/12/2017	04/12/2017	03/12/2018	02/12/2019
Average	1,85	1,74	1,81	1,93
Standard Dev	1,10	0,90	1,37	1,25
Minimum	0,69	0,78	0,65	0,80
1st percentil	0,90	0,92	0,80	1,00
2nd percentil	1,84	1,56	1,48	1,25
3rd percentil	2,32	2,28	2,33	2,48
Maximum	4,21	3,77	5,52	4,86
Campaign wk 25	0,91	0,80	0,81	1,01







Conclusions and next steps

#### **Conclusions:**

Important influence of seasonality on prices by product and region

Also external factors such as Covid-19 may affect the expected market prices

#### **Next Steps:**

Change US analysis from natural year to campaign year

Cross-check this data with Planasa Group prices

Create a Machine Learning model to predict prices







# **Annex**Jupyter Notebooks



ETL has been done in Python code using the following packages: pandas, datetime, pyplot, seaborn and matplotlib







