

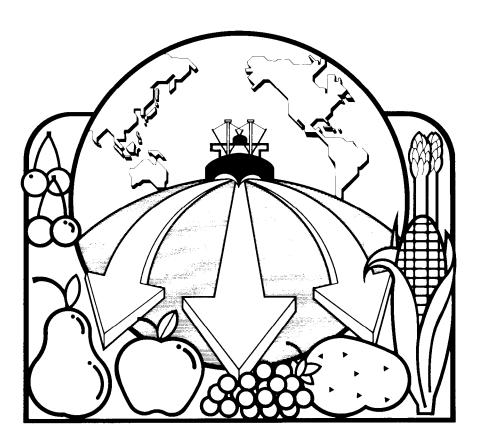
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# Directory of U.S. Agricultural Cooperative Exporters



# Abstract

#### **Directory of U.S. Agricultural Cooperative Exporters**

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This directory includes an index by product type and an alphabetical listing of 102 cooperatives. Listing includes cooperative's name, address, contact person, telephone and FAX numbers, and a description of commodities exported. All listings in this directory are voluntary. Cooperatives must be able to carry out export transactions themselves or with an exclusive agent to be included in this directory.

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# Preface

This directory provides information for importers seeking to contact U.S. farmer cooperative exporters. The first section is an index by product type and the second section is an alphabetical listing of cooperatives providing contact information.

The listing by cooperative includes the address, contact person, telephone and FAX numbers, and a description of commodities exported. In some cases, cooperatives have jointly established trading organizations which are referred to under the heading "Commodities Exported." Some listings may include brands.

All listings in this directory are voluntary, and there are no membership or organization affiliation requirements. This directory lists 102 cooperatives or their marketing agencies that are capable of responding to inquiries and carrying out export transactions themselves or with third-party representation.

Importers interested in U.S. cooperatives not currently exporting may contact The Rural Development Administration, Cooperative Services, for assistance in identifying those organizations. This directory will be periodically updated and revised.

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Ag Processing Inc. (AGP) 12700 W. Dodge Road Omaha, NE 68154

Contact: Glen Heitritter Manager of Export Sales

Telephone:(402)498-2210FAX:(402)496-6686

*Commodities Exported:* Degummed soybean oil, fully refined soybean salad oil, and soybean meal.

Agripac, Inc. P.O. Box 5346 Salem, OR 97304

Contact: Douglas Frengle Export Sales Manager

Telephone:(503)363-9255FAX:(503)371-5666

*Commodities Exported:* Beans - green and Italian, sweet corn - whole kernel and cream style, carrots, mixed vegetables, beets, squash, and cherries (canned and frozen).

Agway Inc.P.O. Box 4933Syracuse, NY 13221Contact:Ronald P. Hazenstab<br/>Manager of Specialty OperationsTelephone:(315) 449-7859

FM: (315) 449-7292

*Commodities Exported:* Dry edible beans, pet foods, and seed - potato, vine, clover, alfalfa, and sunflower.

#### AMCOT

Box 2827 Lubbock, TX 79408

Contact:	C. L. Hodges Chairman
Telephone:	(806) 763-8011
<b>FAX</b> :	(806) 762-7335

TELEX: 510 988 1206

*Commodities Exported:* All major U.S. cotton varieties. (Marketing agent for **CALCOT**, Ltd., STAPLCOTN, Plains Cotton Cooperative Association, and Southwestern Irrigated Cotton Growers Association (SWIG))

#### Anderson's **Peanuts**

A Division of Alabama Farmers Cooperative, Inc. PO. Drawer 420 Opp, AL 36467

John Reed	
ales Manager	

Telephone:(205) 493-459 1FAX:(205) 493-7767

Commodities Exported: Shelled peanuts - Runner variety.

#### Associated Milk Producers, Inc.

#### P.O. Box 790287

San Antonio, TX 78279-0287

Contact: Noble Anderson General Manager Telephone: (5 12) 340-9 100

*FM*: (512) 340-9112

*Commodities Exported:* Dry milk products, fluid milk, condensed milk, cream, butter, cheese and whey products.

B & W Co-op, Inc. P.O. Box 518 Breckenridge, MI 48615

Contact: Patrick Frasco Manager of Bean Marketing

Telephone:(517) 842-3104FAX:(517) 842-3108

Commodities Exported: Dry edible beans • navy, cranberry, pinto, light red kidney, black, and adzuki. Brands: B & W.

Blue Anchor, Inc. 200 North N Street P.O. Box 367 Dinuba, CA 93618

Contact: Jim Llano Export Sales Manager

Telephone:(209) 59 l-2583FAX:(209) 591-7181

*Commodities Exported:* Table grapes, kiwifruit, peaches, plums, nectarines, cherries, apples, and pears. *Brands:* Blue Anchor.

Blue Chelan, Inc. P.O. Box 789 Chelan, WA 98816

Contact: Mike Lust Sales Manager

Telephone:(509)682-4027FAX:(509)682-4620

Commodities Exported: Apples and pears.

Blue Diamond Growers PO. Box 1768 Sacramento, CA 95812

Contact: Rex Lake Director of International Sales

 Telephone:
 (9 16)
 442-077 1

 FAX:
 (916)
 446-8622

 TELEX:
 494-9933

*Commodities Exported:* Almonds, hazelnuts, pistachios, and macadamias.

#### Cal/West Seeds

PO. Box 1428 Woodland, CA 95776

Contact:	Paul Baumer President
Telephone:	(916) 666-333 1
FM:	(916) 666-5317
TELEX:	377407

*Commodities Exported:* Seed - alfalfa, ladino clovers, Sudan grass, and safflower.

Calavo Growers of California PO. Box 26081 Santa Ana, CA 92799-6081

Contact: Jeff Long Manager of International & Diversified Fresh Products

Telephone:(714) 259-1166FAX:(714) 259-4810

*Commodities Exported:* Fresh avocado, kiwifruit, papaya, and mangos. *Brands:* Calavo, Calavo *Gold* Papayas. Calavo Foods, Inc. Wholly owned subsidiary of Calavo Growers)

Contact: Richard Ferguson Director of International Sales and Marketing

Telephone:(714) 259-1166FAX:(714) 259-7631

*Commodities Exported:* Frozen avocado products - guacamole, dip, sauce, and pulp. *Brands:* Calavo.

Calberi Inc. 3605 West Pendleton Avenue Santa Ana, CA 92704

Contact: Mack Ramsay Executive Vice President

Telephone:(714)979-5221FAX:(714)641-7542

Commodities Exported: Fresh and frozen strawberries.

#### Calcot, Ltd.

P.O. Box 259 Bakersfield, CA 93302

Contact: Bruce Groefsema Senior Vice President, Sales

> John **Burch** Assistant Vice President, Export Sales

 Telephone:
 (805) 327-5961

 FM:
 (805) 86 1-9870

 TELEX:
 6839421

Commodities Exported: Cotton (also see listing for AMCOT).

California Bean Growers Association PO. Box 24610 Ventura, CA 93002

Contact:	Fred <b>Beltran</b> President	
	Mark <b>Pickett</b> General Manager	
Telephone: FAX:	(805) <i>652-0683</i> (805) <i>652-0430</i>	

*Commodities Exported:* Dry edible beans - large lima, baby lima, black-eye, pink, light red kidney, dark red kidney, small white, flat white, Great Northern, pinto, and navy. Canned and pack-aged beans.

California Planting Cotton Seed Distributors Box 1281 Bakersfield, CA 93302

Contact: Tom Cherry Manager

Telephone:(805) 324-9858FAX:(805) 324-5312

Commodities Exported: Acala cotton planting seed.

California Sweet Potato Growers Box 534 Livingston, CA 95334

Contact: Diane Post Sales Manager

Telephone:(209) 394-7935FAX:(209) 394-8433

*Commodities Exported:* Sweet potatoes. *Brands:* King, Mr. Jumbo, and Sunny II.

#### **California Wild Rice Growers Association, Inc.**

**Hc-01** Osprey Drive Fall River Mills, CA 96028

Contact:	Todd Brown
	General Manager

Telephone:	(916) <b>336-5222</b>
-	(800) <b>626-4366</b>
FAX:	(916) <b>336-5265</b>

Commodities Exported: Wild rice.

#### Center Potato Growers Cooperative P.O. Box 340 Center, CO 81125

Contact:	Tom Perrin General Manager	
Telephone:	(719) 754-3492	

Telephone:(719)754-3492FAX:(719)754-3673

Commodities Exported: Potatoes.

#### **Central Valley Bean Cooperative Box 162 Buxton**, ND 58218

Contact:	Gary Fuglesten General Manager
Telephone:	(701) <i>847-2622</i>
FAX:	(701) <i>847-2623</i>

Commodities Exported: Pinto beans.

Cherry Central Cooperative, Inc. P.O. Box 988 Traverse City, MI 49685

Contact: James D. Giannestras Vice President, Sales and Marketing

Telephone:(616)946-1860FAX:(616)941-4167

*Commodities Exported:* Frozen and canned red tart cherries and dark sweet cherries, frozen blueberries, and apples.

# Chief Tonasket Growers P.O. Box 545

Tonasket, WA 98855

Contact:	Raymond Cobert	
	General Manager	
Talanhana	(500) 486 2014	

Telephone:(509)486-2914FAX:(509)486-1815

Commodities Exported: Apples and pears.

Chief Wenatchee Association P.O. Box 1091 Wenatchee, WA 98807

Contact:	Brian <b>Birdsall</b> President
Telephone:	(509) <i>662-8251</i>
FAX:	(509) 662-9415

*Commodities Exported:* Fresh apples, pears, cherries, prunes, plums, nectarines, and apricots. *Brands:* Chief Wenatchee, Chief Supreme, Wenatchee Gold, and Chief Chelan.

Citrus World, Inc. Box 1111 Lake Wales, FL 33859

Contact:	Leslie Powell	or Sus	san Keen
	International	Sales	Managers

Telephone:(813)676-1411FAX:(813)676-0114

*Commodities Exported:* Citrus juices and related fruit juices (consumer and industrial pack). *Brands:* Florida's Natural Premium Juices, Blue Bird Brand,

Donald Duck Brand, Texsun Brand, and Vintage.

Comstock Michigan Fruit P.O. Box 20670 Rochester, NY 14602

Contact:	Paul DiGenova Director of Special Markets

Telephone:	(716)	383-1070
FAX:	(716)	383-8413

*Commodities Exported:* Canned and frozen vegetables, pie fillings, canned fruit, cheese sauces, maraschino cherries, bakery jams, jellies, puddings, popcorn, salsas, and salad dressings.

Cooperative Elevator Company 72 12 Michigan Avenue Pigeon, MI 48755

Contact:	John I? Kohr President
Telephone:	(517) <i>453-4500</i>
<b>FAX</b> :	(517) <i>453-3942</i>

*Commodities Exported:* Dry edible beans - Navy, black, and pinto; corn and white wheat (bagged or bulk).

Countrymark Cooperative, Inc. 950 North Meridian Street Indianapolis, IN 46204-3909

Contact: Stephen W. Cavanaugh Vice President, Grain Marketing

 Telephone:
 (317) 685-3300

 FAX:
 (317) 685-3348

*Commodities Exported:* Con, soybeans, soybean meal, Soft Red Winter wheat, and Soft White Winter wheat.

Darigold, Inc. P.O. Box 79007 Seattle, WA 98119-3983

Contact: Roger Miller Sales Manager, Manufactured Products

Telephone:(206) 286-6732FAX:(206) 281-3456

*Commodities Exported: Whey* powder and nonfat dry milk powder. *Brands:* Darigold.

Delta Pride Catfish, Inc. P.O. Box 850 Indianola Industrial Park Indianola, MS 38751

Contact: Sissy Sullivan Vice President, Marketing

> Jerry Holaday Export Sales

Telephone:(601) 887-5401FAX:(601) 887-5950

Commodities Exported: Farm-raised catfish.

#### **Diamond Fruit Growers, Inc.**

**P.O.** Box 180 Hood River, OR 97031

Contact: Brian Lay Export Sales Manager

Telephone:(503) 354-1394FAX:(503) 354-2123

*Commodities Exported:* Fresh pears, apples, and cherries. *Brands:* Diamond.

#### **Diamond Walnut Growers, Inc.**

P.O. Box 1727 Stockton, CA 95201

Contact:	William Chalkley
	Vice President, International Sales

Telephone:	(209)	467-6000
FAX:	(209)	467-6714

Commodities Exported: Walnuts.

# **Dundee Citrus Growers Association**

Box 1739 Dundee, FL 33838

Con tact:	<b>Elise</b> Whann Sales Manager
Telephone:	( <i>813</i> ) 439-1574
FAX:	(813) 439-1917

Commodities Exported: Grapefruit and oranges.

Farmers' Rice Cooperative P.O. Box 15223 Sacramento, CA 95851-0223

Contact: Paul Crutchfield Senior Vice President of Operations

Telephone:(916)9235100FAX:(916)920-3321

*Commodities Exported:* Rice - short, medium, long milled, milled white or brown (bulk or packaged).

Farmland Foods, Inc. (Division of Farmland Industries, Inc.) PO. Box 7527 Kansas City, MO 64116

Contact:	Rick <b>Carlson</b> Director of International Marketing
Telephone:	(816) 891-1276
FM:	(816) 891-1451
TELEX:	43-6072

*Commodities Exported:* Fresh frozen, processed, and canned pork. Canned hams, canned picnic shoulders, canned pork provisions, smoked hams and pork shoulders, sliced bacon, hot dogs, smoked bellies, all fresh/frozen pork products, whole pigskins, offal, and semi-dry processed pork.

Farmland Industries, Inc. P.O. Box 7305 Kansas City, MO 64116

Contact: Bill Alken Vice President, International\Transportation

Telephone:(816)4595111FAX:(816)459-5110TELEX:436-072

*Commodities Exported:* Fertilizers - ammonia, urea, DAP and MAP; feeds - swine, beef, and pet; livestock health and nutrition products; agricultural petroleum products; and agricultural chemicals.

Farmland Industries, Inc., Grain Division 5401 N. Oak Kansas City, MO 64118

Contact:	Bryce Wells
	Director, Grain Marketing

Telephone:(816)459-3808FAX:(816)459-3805

Commodities Exported: Hard Red wheat and grain sorghum.

Federated Genetics (Partnership of Atlantic Breeders Cooperative, Louisiana Animal Breeders Cooperative, and Eastern Artificial Insemination Cooperative, Inc.) 1581 Apollo Drive Lancaster, PA 17601

Contact: Loreley Nogués International Sales Specialist

> Michael E. Sleeper International Sales Manager

 Telephone:
 (717) 569-7888

 FAX:
 (717) 569-4672

 TELEX:
 7401039

*Commodities Exported:* Frozen bovine semen. (Also see listing for World-Wide Sires, Inc.)

#### FernTrust, Inc.

PO. Box 9 Seville, FL 32190

Contact:	William M. Dellecker Executive Vice President
Telephone:	(904) 749-9249
FAX:	(904) 749-9248

*Commodities Exported:* A full range of cut decorative greens from Florida, including Graded Leatherleaf Fern, Ming Fern, Asparagus, Plumosus, Sprengeri, Pittosporum (green and varigated), Aspidistra, Nagi, Feather Fern, and others. Western Greens, such as Bear Grass and Salal, and other seasonal and novelty greens are also available.

Frenchman Valley Farmers Cooperative P.O. Box 578 Imperial, NE 69033

Contact: Terry Beard Grain and Bean Division Manager

Telephone:(308) 882-4381FAX:(308) 882-4380

*Commodities Exported:* Corn, wheat, dry edible beans, popcorn, and sunflowers.

## **Fresno Cooperative Raisin Growers**

**4466** North Dower Street Fresno, CA 93722

Contact:	Richard Orique
	Business Manager

Telephone:(209) 275-3710FAX:(209) 275-3908

Commodities Exported: Raisins.

### **Gibson Wine Company**

**1720 Academy** Ave. Sanger, CA 93657

Contact:	Kim Spruance General Manager
Talanhana	(200) 875 2505

Telephone:(209) 875-2505FAX:(209) 875-4761

*Commodities Exported:* Grape wine, fruit and berry wines, varietals, and sparkling wines.

Gold Crown Macadamia Association P.O. Box 235 Fallbrook, CA 92028-0235

Contact: B. M. Scholes Secretary/Treasurer

*Telephone:* (619) 728-4532

Commodities Exported: Macadamia nuts.

#### Gold Kist Inc.

P.O. Box 2210 Atlanta, GA 30301

Contact:	Alex Stripling
	Export Manager

Telephone:	(404) 393-5070
FAX:	(404) 393-5228
TELEX:	154 119

*Commodities Exported:* Broilers, Cornish hens, pork, beef, eggs, peanuts, and livestock feed.

#### Golden Gem Growers, Inc.

P.O. Box 609503 Orlando, FL 32860

Contact:	Steve Dennis Director of Industrial Sales
Telephone:	(407) 886-8000
FAX:	(407) 886-8994

*Commodities Exported:* Frozen concentrated orange juice, formulated drink concentrates, and frozen concentrated grapefruit juice.

Harvest States Cooperatives 1667 N. Snelling Avenue St. Paul, MN 55108

Contact: Mark Palmquist Sr. Vice President, Grain Marketing

Telephone:(612)646-9433FM:(612)641-6857TELEX:170394

Commodities *Exported:* Barley, corn, flax, millet, milo, oats, rye, soybeans, oilseeds/oilseed meal, and refined oils. Wheat - Soft White, Dark Northern Spring, Hard Red Winter, and Durum.

Hazelnut Growers of Oregon P.O. Box 626 Cornelius, OR 97113

Contact: Ronald D. Hansberry President

Telephone:(503) 648-4176FAX:(503) 648-9515

Commodities Exported: Inshell and shelled hazelnuts.

Illinois Foundation Seeds, Inc. P.O. Box 722 Champaign, IL 61824

Contact: Dale Cochran Manager

Telephone:(217)485-6260FAX:(217)485-3687

Commodities Exported: Sweet corn seed.

#### **Index Fresh of California** P.O. Box **250**

Bloomington, CA 92316

Contact:	Michael Brown
	President/COO

Carolina Astorga **MacIntyre** Import and Export Coordinator

Telephone:(909) 877-1577FAX:(909) 877-0495

*Commodities Exported:* Fresh Avocado. *Brands:* INDEX FRESH and **AVOCAL**.

#### **Knouse Foods, Inc.**

**800** Peach Glen/Idaville Road Peach Glen, PA 173750001

Contact:	Linda Lehman Export Sales Manager
Telephone:	(717) 677-8181
FAX:	(717) 677-7069

*Commodities Exported:* Apple products - applesauce, apple juice, pie filling, vinegar, and apple specialty products.

#### Kona Pacific Farmers Cooperative P.O. Box 626

Kealakekua, HI 96750

Contact:	Sotero Agoot, Jr. General Manager
Telephone:	(808) 328-2411

FAX: (808) 328-2414

Commodities Exported: Coffee.

# Lake Country Storage Cooperative, Inc.

10529 Ridge Road Wolcott, NY 14590

Contact:	Bob Fletcher
	General Manager

Telephone:	(315) 594-8049
FM:	(3 15) 594-8040

Commodities Exported: Apples.

#### Land O'Lakes, Inc.

P.O. Box 116 Minneapolis, MN 55440

Contact:	John Bottger
	V.P. Spreads\Specialty Products
	Dairy Foods Operations

Telephone:	(612) 48 l-2920
FAX:	(6 12) 48 <i>l</i> -2255

*Commodities Exported:* Processed dairy products.

### Land O'Lakes, Inc. P.O. Box 64089

**St.** Paul, MN 55164-0089

Contact:	Garrit Memelink

Telephone:	(612)	451-5412
FAX:	(612)	451-5407

*Commodities Exported:* Animal milk replacers and other feeds. Seed - soybean and corn.

*Brands:* MaxiCare calf milk replacer and LitterMilk pig milk replacer.

#### Loomis Fruit Growers Association Box 505

Loomis, CA 95650

Contact: Randolph Hansen General Manager

*Telephone:* (916) 652-725 1

Commodities Exported: Plums, pears, and persimmons.

#### **Majestic Valley Produce**

P.O. Box 658 Wenatchee, WA 98807

Contact: Gerry Jessup Sales Manager

Telephone:	(509) 663-8585
FAX:	(509) 662-7091

*Commodities Exported:* Fresh apples, pears, apricots, and cherries. (Cooperative marketing agent for Blue Star Growers Inc.,

Peshastin Fruit Growers Association, Skookum Inc., Oro Fruit Co., and Holt & Robinson)

# Manson Growers Cooperative

Box 322 Manson, WA 98831

Contact:	Buck Oden <b>Sales</b> Manager
Telephone:	(509) <i>687-3530</i>
FAX:	(509) <i>687-9657</i>

Commodities Exported: Apples.

#### Mayflower Fruit Association Box 308

Exeter, CA 93221

Contact: William McMahon Broker for Cooperative

Telephone:(209) 592-6245FAX:(209) 592-6247

*Commodities Exported:* Treefruit and grapes. *Brands:* Mayflower.

#### **MBG Marketing**

P.O. Drawer B Grand Junction, MI 49056

Contact:	Rodney Cook
	Dir. of Operations

Telephone:(6 16) 434-679 1FAX:(616) 434-6997

*Commodities Exported:* Fresh, frozen, individually quick frozen blueberries; purees, concentrates, and other custom processed blueberry products. *Brands:* Great Lakes, Great Sunbelt, and Great American.

# Mid-America Dairymen, Inc.

P.O. Box 1837 Springfield, MO 65801-1837

Contact: Daniel Williams Vice President, Sales and Marketing

Telephone:(417) 865-7100FM:(417) 865-8194

*Commodities Exported:* Sport Shake (non-refrigerated milk-shake available in three flavors-chocolate, strawberry, and vanilla).

#### Midwest Agri-Commodities Co.

100 **Tamal** Plaza, Suite 180 Corte **Madera**, CA 94925

Contact:	Chuck Hufford President	
Telephone:	(415) 924-4633	
FM:	(800) 2275185 (415) 388-4209	

*Commodities Exported:* Dried beet pulp pellets, beet molasses, hay cubes, and compressed alfalfa bales.

#### **Mountain Orchard Cooperative**

**P.O.** Box 200 Aspers, PA 17304-0200

Contact:	George M. Peters Chief Executive <b>Officer</b>
Telephone:	(717) 677-7155
FAX:	(717) 677-9890

Commodities Exported: Fresh pack apples, pears, and peaches.

#### **Mushroom Cooperative Canning Company**

P.O. Box 389 Kennett Square, PA 19348

Contact:	D. <b>Newhard</b> Chief Executive Officer
Telephone:	(215) 444-1400

FAX: (215) 444-9457

*Commodities Exported:* Canned mushrooms - whole, sliced, or diced; frozen mushrooms - sliced and diced.

Naturipe **Berry** Growers P.O. Box 1648 Watsonville, CA 95077

Contact: Craig Moriyama Fresh Sales Manager

Telephone:(408) 722-3505FAX:(408) 722-0231

*Commodities Exported:* Fresh and frozen strawberries and fresh kiwifruit. *Brands:* Naturipe.

#### NOBA, Inc.

P.O. Box 607 Tiffin, OH 44883

Con tact:	Walter <b>Oelfke</b> Export Manager
Telephone: FAX:	( <b>904</b> ) 454-3853 (904) 454-2089
Contact:	Janet Eckelberry Export Coordinator
Telephone: FAX:	<ul><li>(419) 447-6262</li><li>(419) 447-6084</li></ul>
Contact:	Ed Silba Export Assistant
Telephone: FAX:	(407) 348-4475 (407) 348-4475

*Commodities Exported:* Frozen bovine semen. (Also see listing for World-Wide Sires, Inc.)

Norbest, Inc. P.O. Box 1000 Midvale, UT 84047-1000

Contact: Robert Cluff Export Manager

Telephone:(801)5665656FM:(801)2552309

*Commodities Exported:* Whole turkeys, turkey parts, and cooked turkey products.

NORPAC Foods, Inc. P.O. Box 458 Stayton, OR 97383

Contact:	Mike <b>Klock</b> Industrial Sales Manager
Telephone:	( <b>503</b> ) 635-9311
FM:	( <b>503</b> ) 635-7498

*Commodities Exported:* Frozen foods - corn, vegetable blends, potatoes, fruits, and soups. Canned vegetables. Frozen pasta salads.

Ocala Breeder Sales Company 1701 Southwest 60th Avenue Ocala, FL 34474

Contact:	Bob Gulick Director of Sales
Telephone:	( <b>904</b> ) <i>237-2154</i>

FM: (904) 237-3566

Commodities Exported: Thoroughbred horses.

# **Ocean Spray Cranberries, Inc.**

One Ocean Spray Drive Lakeville/Middleboro, MA 02349

Contact: Warren Bowen International Administration

Telephone:(508) 946-1000FAX:(508) 946-7726

*Commodities Exported:* Cranberries and cranberry products. Grapefruit and grapefruit products.

#### **Oregon Cherry Growers**

P.O. Box 439 The Dalles, OR 97058

Contact:	<b>Robert Thompson</b>
	President/CEO

Telephone:	(503)	296-5487
FAX:	(503)	296-2509

*Commodities Exported:* Cherries - fresh, frozen, brine, and maraschino.

### **Pacific Coast Producers**

P.O. Box 1600 Lodi, CA 95241-1600

Contact:	Larry D. Clay President

Telephone:(209) 367-8800FAX:(209) 339-8815

*Commodities Exported:* Canned apricots, grapes, peaches, pears, tomatoes, and fruit cocktail.

#### **Pioneer Growers Cooperative**

P.O. Box 490 Belle Glade, FL 33430

Contact: Gene Duff Executive Vice President

Telephone:(407) 996-556 1FAX:(407) 996-5703

*Commodities Exported:* Sweet corn, radishes, Chinese cabbage, celery, and carrots.

#### **Plains Cooperative Oil Mill**

**P.O.** Box *841* Lubbock, TX 794080841

Contact:	Robert Lacy
	Marketing

Telephone:	(806) 747-3434
FAX:	(806) 744-322 1

*Commodities Exported:* Cottonseed oil, meal, hulls, and cut **lin**-ters. (Also see listing for Soy-Cot Sales, Inc.)

#### **Plains Cotton Cooperative Association**

P.O. Box 2827 Lubbock, TX 79408

Contact:	David Stanford
	Vice President, Marketing

Telephone:	(806) 763-8011
FAX:	(806) 762-7335

Commodities Exported: Cotton (also see listing for AMCOT).

Producers' Rice Mill Box 46 1 Stuttgart, AR 72160

Contact: Marvin Baden Vice President, Marketing and Sales

Telephone:(501) 673-4444FAX:(501) 673-8131TELEX:536-455

Commodities Exported: Rice and related products.

#### Ranchers Cotton Oil P.O. Box 2596 Fresno, CA 93745

Contact:	Glen N. <b>Janzen</b>
	President

Telephone:	(209) 443-5270
FAX:	(209) 443-5286

Commodities Exported: Cottonseed.

# **Regal Fruit Cooperative, Inc.**

Box *528* Tonasket, WA 98855

Contact:	Gerald L. Alumbaugh General Manager
Telephone:	(509) <i>486-2160</i>
FM:	(509) <i>486-4786</i>

Commodities Exported: Apples and pears.

**Rice** Growers Association of California PO. Box 958 Sacramento, CA 95812-0958

Contact:	Bill Ludwig Export Manager	
Telephone:	(916) 371-6941	
<b>FAX</b> :	(916) 372-7158	

Commodities Exported: Rice.

*Brands:* Hinode, Hinode California Brown, Hinode Southern Recipe, Hinode Fiesta Recipe, Hinode California White, Hinode Harvest Blend, Hinode California Recipe, Hinode White & Wild, Silver Pearl, RGA, Kokusai, Kokusai Rose, Good Fortune, and Golden Pearl.

Riceland Foods, Inc.

PO. Box 927 Stuttgart, AR 72160

Contact: Carl Brothers Senior Vice President, Marketing

Telephone:	(501)	673-5202
FAX:	(501)	673-5667

*Commodities Exported:* Rice, rice by-products, rice bran, rice flour, and related products. Soybean oils and shortenings, lecithin, and soybean by-products. Sorghum, Soft Red wheat, and corn.

Brands: Riceland and Chef Way

# Saginaw Bay Potato Cooperative Inc.

**385** West Cass Avenue Munger, MI 48747

Contact:	Irma Abbs
	Manager

Telephone:(517) 892-0122FAX:(517) 892-7333

Commodities Exported: Potatoes.

## **San Joaquin Valley Hay Growers Association** P.O. Box 1127

Tracy, CA 95378-1227

Contact:	Melvin M. Coelho
	Manager

Telephone:	(209) 835-1622
FAX:	(209) 835-0719

Commodities Exported: Alfalfa hay and alfalfa cubes.

#### Seald-Sweet Growers, Inc.

**PO.** Box 6152 Vero Beach, FL 32961

Contact:	James B. McCranie
	Executive Vice President, Marketing

Telephone:	(407)	569-2334
FAX:	(407)	562-9038

*Commodities Exported:* Fresh grapefruit and oranges. *Brands:* Florigold and Seald Sweet.

## SF Services, Inc.

**P.O.** Box 500 Madison, MS 39130

Contact: Robert Dixon President

Telephone:(601) 856-2400FAX:(601) 856-3979

*Commodities Exported:* Livestock and poultry feeds, fish and pet foods.

#### **Sioux Honey Association**

P.O. Box 388 Sioux City, IA 51102

Contact:	Jim Powell
	Export Manager

Telephone:	(712) 258-0638
FAX:	(712) 258-1322

*Commodities Exported:* Honey. *Brands:* Sue Bee Honey.

#### Sire Power, Inc.

RR 2 Box 20 Tunkhannock, PA 18657

Contact:	Fred Bowman
	Export Sales Manager (Latin America)

Telephone:	(717) 836-3168
FAX:	(717) 836-1490

*Commodities Exported:* Frozen bovine semen. (Also see listing for World-Wide Sires, Inc.)

Snokist Growers P.O. Box 1587 Yakima, WA 98907

Contact:	Truman Yeager Vice President, Fresh Fruit Sales
Telephone:	( <b>509</b> ) 453-5631
FAX:	(509) 457-6417
TELEX:	5101013254
Contact:	Larry West Vice President, Processed Fruit Sales
Telephone:	(509) 453-4739
FAX:	(509) 453-1620

*Commodities Exported:* Fresh apples, pears, and cherries (in season), pouch pack applesauce.

Southern States Cooperative, **Inc.** P.O. Box *26234* Richmond, VA 23260

Contact: Tom Garnett Vice President, International Sales

Telephone:(804) 281-7772FAX:(804) 28 1-1383

*Commodities Exported:* Livestock, dairy and poultry feed, fertilizer, farm supplies, and seed.

# Southwestern Irrigated Cotton Growers Association (SWIG) P.O. Box 1709

El Paso, TX 79949

Contact:	Hans-Georg Kretschmer	
	Exec. Vice-President, Sales	

Telephone:	(915) 581-5441
FAX:	(915) 581-4138
TELEX:	74-9434

*Commodities Exported:* Cotton and cottonseed (also see listing for AMCOT).

#### Soy-Cot Sales, Inc.

**2590** E. Devon Avenue Des Plaines, IL 60018

Contact:	Ann M. Vicek
	President

Telephone:	(708) 297-4160
FAX:	(708) 297-4166

*Commodities Exported:* PBSY (once-relined) cottonseed oil. (Cooperative marketing agent for Plains Cooperative Oil Mill, Producers Cooperative Oil Mill, Valley Cooperative Oil Mill, and Yazoo Valley Oil Mill)

#### **Staple Cotton Cooperative Association (STAPLCOTN)** P.O. Box 547

Greenwood, MS 38935

Contact:	Meredith Allen
	Vice President, Marketing
	Michael Adams
	Export Manager

Telephone:(601)453-6231FAX:(601)453-5347

Commodities Exported: Cotton (also see listing for AMCOT).

# **Sun-Diamond Growers of California**

**5568** Gilbraltar Drive Pleasanton, CA 94588-8544

Contact:	Thomas Leahy Vice President, International Sales
Telephone:	(510) <i>463-8200</i>
<b>FAX</b> :	(510) <i>463-7492</i>

*Commodities Exported:* Raisins, prunes, dried figs, dried apricots, dried peaches, mixed fruit, pecans, hazelnuts, mixed nuts, and prune juice.

## Sunkist Growers, Inc. - Fresh Overseas Exports P.O. Box 7888 Van Nuys, CA 91409

Contact:	Richard J. Mead Director, Export Marketing
Talaphapa	(818) 086 1800

 Telephone:
 (818)
 986-4800

 FAX:
 (818)
 379-7143

 TELEX:
 651413

Commodities Exported: Fresh citrus.

#### Sunkist Growers, Inc. - Products Group

**P.O.** Box **3720** Ontario, CA 91761

Contact:	Sidney L. Garrett Export Sales Manager
Telephone: <b>FAX</b> :	(909) <i>933-2085</i> (909) 395-5068
Contact:	Ralph Carlson

Licensed Products Manager

Telephone:(909) 933-2022FAX:(909) 391-4200

*Commodities Exported:* Fruit juices and drinks, concentrates, candies, fruit flavorings, and oils.

# **Swiss Valley Farms Company**

P.O. Box 4493 Davenport, IA *52808* 

- Contact: Donald L. Brick Vice President, Manufacturing
- Telephone:(319) 391-3341FAX:(319) 391-7479

*Commodities Exported:* Whole whey, lactose, whey proteins, and Cheddar and Swiss cheese.

Texas Citrus Exchange P.O. Box 793 Mission, TX 78572

Contact: Jack Carithers Vice President, Fresh Fruit Sales Joel K Wilsher Senior Vice President Telephone: (512) 585-8321

 FAX:
 (512) 585-8521

*Commodities Exported:* Fresh oranges and grapefruit, citrus fruit concentrates, and single-strength citrus fruit juices. *Brands:* Texas Star and Big Tex.

Tree Top, Inc. P.O. Box 248 Selah, WA 98942

Contact: Eric Shetterly Export Sales Manager

Telephone:(509) 697-7251FAX:(509) 697-0421

*Commodities Exported:* Apple juice and cider, blended fruit juices, applesauce, frozen concentrates, evaporated and low-moisture apples, flake powder and apple fiber, and frozen apples.

Tri-State Breeders Cooperative E 10890 Penny Lane Baraboo, WI 53913

Contact: Bob Silveira International Sales Manager

Telephone:(608) 356-8357FAX:(608) 356-3903

*Commodities Exported:* Frozen bovine semen. (Also see listing for World-Wide Sires, Inc.)

**Tri/Valley** Growers/International PO. Box 7114 San Francisco, CA 94120

Contact: Alan Elabd Director, International Sales Division

Telephone:(415) 837-2565FAX:(415) 837-3994

*Commodities Exported:* Canned peaches, fruit cocktail, pears, and other canned fruits. Complete line of tomato products, and fruit juices. *Brands:* Tri Valley, Red Pack, Glorietta, Sacramento, and

Trout, **Inc. P.O.** Box 669 Chelan, WA 98816

S&W Fine Foods.

Contact:	Ric Easley Sales Manager
Telephone:	(509) 682-2539

 Telephone:
 (509) 682-2651

 FAX:
 (509) 682-2651

# Commodities Exported: Apples.

**21st** Century Genetics Cooperative PO. Box 469 Shawano, WI 54166

Contact:	Kyle Alexander International Sales Manager
Telephone:	(715) <i>526-2141</i>
FAX:	(715) 526-3219

*Commodities Exported:* Frozen bovine semen. (Also see listing for World-Wide Sires, Inc.)

## Virginia-Carolina Peanut Farmers Cooperative Assn. P.O. Box 239 Franklin, VA 23851

Contact: Eddie Marks General Manager

Telephone:(804)569-9255FAX:(804)569-9557

*Commodities Exported:* Virginia shelled, in-shell, and seed peanuts.

# Washington Rhubarb Growers Association

P.O. Box 887 Sumner, WA 98390

Contact:	Judith J. Nichols Manager
Telephone:	(206) <i>863-7333</i>
FAX:	(206) <i>863-2775</i>

Commodities Exported: Fresh and frozen rhubarb.

## Watsonville Berry Cooperative P.O. Box 825 Watsonville, CA 95077

Contact:	Stuart Yamamoto General Manager
Telephone:	(408) <i>724-5601</i>
FAX:	(408) <i>761-0237</i>

Commodities Exported: Strawberries.

### Welch's, A Cooperative

**2 South** Portage Street Westfield, NY 14787

Contact: Donald J. Ray Marketing Manager, International

Telephone:	(716) 326-3131
FM:	(716) 326-5239

*Commodities Exported:* Grape and fruit juices (concentrates, bottles, and cans), sparkling grape juice, fruit drinks, and Welchade. Grape and strawberry jelly, jams, and preserves.

#### Winter Garden Citrus Products Cooperative

P.O. Box 770399 Winter Garden, FL 34777-0399

Contact:	Gordon Hunt Director of International Sales
Telephone:	(407) <i>656-1000</i>
<b>FAX</b> :	(407) 656-1229

*Commodities Exported:* Frozen concentrated citrus juices and citrus by-products (bulk and **retail** pack concentrates). Single strength pasteurized orange juice. *Brands:* Whole Sun and Sunshine State.

World-Wide Sires, Inc. P.O. Box 149 Hanford, CA 93232

Contact: John W. Schouten Vice President, Marketing and Sales

Telephone:(209)584-9281FM:(209)584-2003TWX:(910)544-3235

*Commodities Exported:* Frozen bovine semen. (Cooperative marketing agent for Federated Genetics, KABSU, **NOBA**, Inc., Select Sires, Sire Power, Inc., **Tri-State** Breeders Cooperative, and 21st Century Genetics. Marketing agent in areas outside of the Americas.)

Yakima Valley Grape Producers, Inc. P.O. Box 520 Grandview, WA 98930-0520

Contact: David Larson Raw Products Manager

Telephone:(509) 882-1223FAX:(509) 882-1580

*Commodities Exported:* Fruit juices and purees - grape, apple, pear, and blends (Juices supplied in single strength, concentrate, and frozen forms).

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