

ALL GREENS

MARKET REPORT AUGUST 2024



HIGHLIGHTS

- English plums
- English soft fruit: strawberries, raspberries, blueberries, blackberries, green and red gooseberries
- Stone fruit: yellow, white, blood peaches, yellow and blood nectarines, apricots
- Melons - Charentais, watermelon
- Black and green figs
- English runner beans, broad beans, peas
- Lautrec garlic (France)
- Sweet corn
- Courgettes - green, yellow, round, flowers
- Fig leaf
- Artichokes - Petit Violet, Globe

- Onion squash
- Borlotti beans (France / Italy)
- Coco beans (France)
- Cobnuts (French then English later in August)

COMING SOON

- English apples - Discovery variety expected this month
- English squashes

GOING OUT

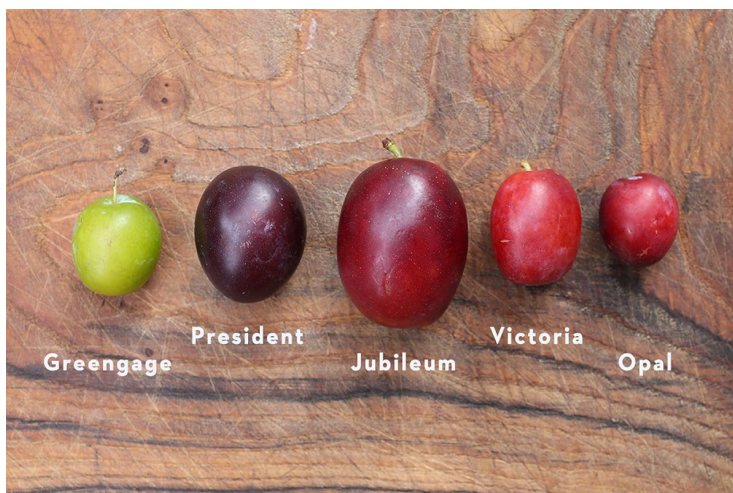
- English cherries
- English peas
- French green almonds

PRODUCT OF THE MONTH

English Plums

Our lead buyer Zurab is excited about the start of this season: "English plums are slightly softer but they are full of sugar - they are very sweet. The quality is absolutely outstanding. Italian and Spanish are a bigger size, crunchy and less sweet."

In terms of varieties, the picture above shows some of the most common. Opal is the main early variety, followed by Victoria and then the later-ripening Marjorie's Seedling. Jubileum is a modern variety known for its large size. Greengages are known as Reine de Claude in France.



MEET THE TEAM: 'The Commander'

"I manage the operation system for the deliveries, the loading of the vans and checking what is going out. I am always double checking and making sure the orders are in the right position to load. I make sure that everything that is going out to the customer is of good quality. I've been working here for the past three years. I've been working on the Market for the last 13 years. I have made many friends. I love cooking. I am an African. My family come from Takoradi in Ghana. Sometimes I go to my local dishes such as jollof rice and banku."

DAIRY | DRY GOODS | PRE-PREPARED



Don't forget that All Greens also sells a wide range of other products for your kitchen, including dry goods, dairy and staples such as blue roll. Bestsellers include cooking oil, Maldon salt, nuts, Heinz ketchup and Hellmann's mayonnaise. The range extends to specialist lines such as agave syrup, Turkish red pepper flakes and kimchi. Contact us to find out more.

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