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Chelmer Foods are specialists in the supply & distribution of dried & dehydrated fruits, edible nuts and seeds.

We offer a bespoke service to our clients, which encompasses precise product specifications, just-in-time deliveries, varying carton weights, own-label packaging, pre-packing the product for food-service and retail packing.

Exchange Rates



GBP – USD = 1.33
GBP – Euro = 1.19

Featured Products

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Hot Commodity News

Bulgarian Sunflower:

Crop is progressing, although not at full pace. Farmers are very reserved sellers. It make is almost impossible to buy at the moment. This is situation is one packers have not experienced before. Market is nervous respectively and prices are firm.

Desiccated Coconut:

Demand for material is at it's highest point in the year as we move into Q4. With an increase in demand we have seen prices increase across all origins. Prices are expected to continue increasing until the end of the year.

Californian walnuts crop update

Last Friday the USDA/NASS released their 2016 crop objective estimate at a record **670,000 short tons**. This is up 11% from last year's production of 603,000 tons. It is also up 4% from the subjective estimate earlier this year. Also quality expected is good, so we are looking forward to a very active USA walnut season 2016/2017.

NPD – Barberries

We have available some samples of **barberries** for Iran available. Please contact the sales team if you would like to receive some samples.



As a leading supplier to major UK manufacturers Chelmer Foods has constantly looked to diversify it's portfolio of products it can offer to customers. This portfolio now includes supplying Whole & Chopped Dates from BRC approved factories, whilst we are also seeing a huge upturn in the number of customers asking about our Date Paste.

Please visit our website to have a look at the full range of products that we can offer:

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Figs



Figs Update:

The meeting of the Aegean Exporters Association held on the 25th August agreed on the first shipment date of September 29th for new season Fig shipments. The official crop estimate is 72,000 tons compared to 85,000 tons last year. There is 3,000 tons of carryover, so total availability of 75,000 tons. There was no carryover in the previous year, so we have a net 10,000 ton deficit, which points to moderately firmer prices. Total exports of 2015 crop reached 65,000 tons with 17,000 tons of domestic consumption. Due to hot weather during the early part of fruit development, sizes will be smaller this year, there is also a high level of sun burn/hard figs, but apart from that the quality is generally better than last year, with less industrial quality. The harvest started a week earlier than last year. Currently the weather forecast is mostly dry with a few isolated thunderstorms in the Aydin area.

Linseed



Linseed Update:

Prices have eased off for both brown and golden linseeds due to good size crops being reported in Kazakhstan and Russia for Brown linseeds and in Eastern Europe for Golden Linseeds. Harvest is well underway now and as long as we do not get heavy rains in the next 2 weeks or so the crop should be safe. Prices are historically very low and a lot of buying interest is expected in the coming weeks for the new crop both for use in the bakery and oil crushing sectors, so we suggest taking forward cover for both types at these levels.

Mango / Ginger



Mango / Ginger Update:

Ginger

The crop has currently started and the sign has shown the sign of good crop this year and is expected to last from now until Oct.

Mango

The intermediary crop is due in October. This is generally a small crop but will provide some relief to the market which is completely bereft of stock.

The likelihood is, that prices will move up as the demand is substantial.

Buyers will be looking to cover their requirements to see them through until the main crop in April and June.

We recommend that your needs are covered from this crop until April.