NEW JERSEY: VEGETABLES, FRUIT AND BERRIES, UNIT OF SALE, AVERAGE WEIGHT AND NUMBER OF PACKAGES USED IN CONVERTING TO CARLOT EQUIVALENTS

Crop	Unit of Sale	Avg Weight Per Unit (lbs)	Package Per Carlot Equivalent	
			In Units	In Cwt
Vegetables				
Asparagus	Crate, 12 bunches	28	1,050	294
Beets, topped	Bushel	50	700	350
Broccoli	Crate, 12 - 14 bunches	21	900	189
Cabbage	Crate or sack	50	600	300
Carrots, topped	Bushel	50	1,000	500
Cauliflower	Crate	50	400	200
Celery	Crate, 3 - 4 dozen	60	600	360
Cucumber	Bushel	55	700	385
Eggplant	1 1/9 bushel crate	33	750	248
Escarole & endive	1 1/9 bushel crate	25	850	213
Lettuce, Head	Crate, 24 heads	50	825	413
Onions, Dry	Sack	50	800	400
Peppers, Bell	Bushel	28	850	238
Snap Beans	Bushel	30	850	255
Spinach	Bushel	25	850	213
Sweet Corn	Crate, 50 ears	42	725	305
Tomatoes	Carton	25	2,000	500
Fruit and Berries				
Apples	Bushel or carton	42	900	378
Blueberries	Flat, 12 pints	11	1,400	154
Cranberries	Barrel	100		
Peaches	1/2 bushel or carton	25	900	342

SOURCE: Fruit and Vegetable Market News Service, AMS, US Department of Agriculture.