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KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS: NOVEMBER 2022 – OCTOBER 2023

\$1.15

Average Selling Price

Category Average Selling Price per Unit for the 4-weeks ending October 8, 2023

352.1 Million

Consumer Media Impressions

Includes offline, online and social media impressions through October 2023

1.3 Billion

Consumer PR Impressions

Media coverage secured with print, broadcast and online media outlets through October, 2023

42.3 Million

Trade Media and Public Relations
Impressions

Positive direct CAC trade media and public relations circulation through October 2023

126 Thousand

Waze Navigations

Driving users to local retailers carrying California Avocados through Sponsored Search and Branded Pins in the Waze App 48

Retail Promotions

Number of Retail Promotions with signed Promotion Agreements through October 2023



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REVENUE: CROP MOVEMENT AND MEASURES

California Avocado Grade and Size Distribution - This Year vs. Last Year											
		November 1, 2022 - October 31, 2023		November 1, 2021 - October 31, 2022							
		Size %	(millions)		Avg Lug \$		Size %	(millions)		Ava Lua ¢	
Grade	Size	SIZE /0	Pounds	Dollars	Avy Lug \$		SIZE /0	Pounds	Dollars	Avg Lug \$	
Hass #1 Conv	40	8%	13.4	23.6	\$	43.86	5%	11.9	31.4	\$	65.97
	48	33%	57.2	102.3	\$	44.68	28%	61.7	167.6	\$	67.92
	60	26%	45.8	70.9	\$	38.73	30%	64.6	158.8	\$	61.47
	70	17%	30.6	36.8	\$	30.09	21%	45.4	91.8	\$	50.56
	84	10%	17.5	18.8	\$	26.94	11%	25.0	41.0	\$	40.98
	Other	6%	11.4				4%	9.2			
	All	100%	175.9	268.7	\$	38.19	100%	217.8	490.7	\$	58.81
Hass #2s	All		14.0	17.7	\$	31.52		19.5	36.0	\$	46.20
Hass Organic #1	All		22.7	43.8	\$	48.25		21.5	57.8	\$	67.19
	Califor	nia Avoc	ado Regio	on Distrib	utio	n - T	his Year	vs. Last \	Year		
All Varieties		November 1, 2022 - October 31, 2023				November 1, 2021 - October 31, 2022					
			(millions)				(m		llions)		
Region		Region %	Pounds	Dollars	Avg	Lug \$	Region %	Pounds	Dollars	Αv	g Lug \$
EAST CENTRAL		3%	6.2	10.4	\$	42.04	5%	13.9	31.9	\$	57.44
NORTHEAST		4%	8.9	14.5	\$	40.82	4%	10.2	25.1	\$	61.64
PACIFIC		79%	176.7	266.8	\$	37.75	79%	213.7	473.6	\$	55.40
SOUTHEAST		4%	9.1	15.9	\$	43.55	4%	10.2	25.3	\$	61.89
SOUTHWEST		4%	8.2	14.2	\$	42.97	4%	11.0	25.1	\$	56.95
WEST CENTRAL		6%	13.9	22.8	\$	40.95	4%	10.5	25.1	\$	59.75
EXPORT		1%	1.5	2.4	\$	39.00	0%	1.2	2.8	\$	57.38







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U.S. Hass Avocado Supply (November-October)						
	2022/23	2021/22	2020/21			
Origin	Volume (MM lbs)	Volume (MM lbs)	Volume (MM lbs)			
California	233	276	264			
Chile	11	14	6			
Mexico	2,481	2,051	2,391			
Peru	152	251	190			
Other	28	35	6			
Total	2,905	2,627	2,857			



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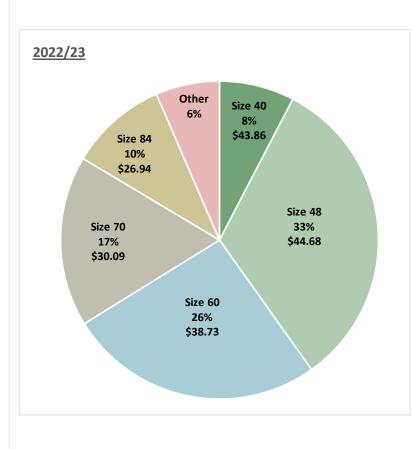
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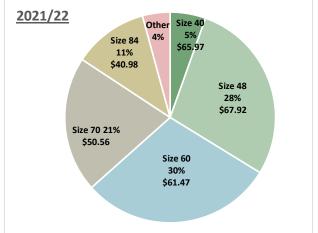
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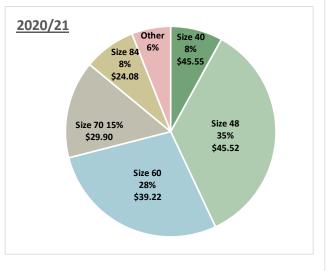
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Hass #1 Conventional (November-October)









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REVENUE: RETAIL SALES AND VOLUME

<u>RETAIL</u> (4 wks)	<u>Oct22</u> (9/12/22-10/09/22)	Oct23 (9/11/23-10/8/23)	<u>Variance</u>
Volume (Unit)	147,569,001	151,158,014	+2.4%
Dollars	\$176,306,620	\$174,245,658	-1.2%
Avg. Selling Price/Unit	\$1.19	\$1.15	-3.5%
<u>RETAIL</u> <u>California Season</u>	<u>Mar22-Aug22</u> (2/28/22-8/28/22)	<u>Mar23-Aug23</u> (2/27/23-8/27/23)	<u>Variance</u>
Volume (Unit)	992,365,151	1,107,178,955	+11.6%
Dollars	\$1,453,621,320	\$1,243,332,606	-14.5%
Avg. Selling Price/Unit	\$1.46	\$1.12	-23.3%
<u>RETAIL</u> <u>Non-California Season</u>	<u>Sep21-Feb22</u> (8/30/21-2/27/22)	<u>Sep22-Feb23</u> (8/29/22-2/26/23	<u>Variance</u>
Volume (Unit)	1,007,193,728	1,025,351,848	+1.8%
Dollars	\$1,242,295,716	\$1,134,000,594	-8.7%
Avg. Selling Price/Unit	\$1.23	\$1.11	-10.3%





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Avg. Retail Price \$1.46



Mar 2022 – Aug 2022

Avg. Retail Price \$1.10

Off Season

Sept 2022 – Feb 2023 (8/29/22 – 2/26/23) Avg. Retail Price \$1.12



Mar 2023 – Aug 2023 (2/27/23 – 8/27/23)





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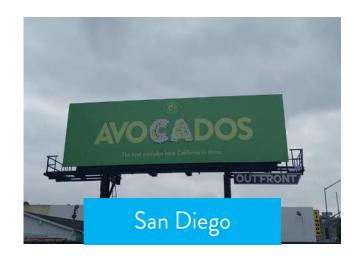
CONSUMER ADVERTISING: OUTDOOR

- 113,711,196 Impressions
- Four high-impact locations throughout Los Angeles, San Francisco, San Diego and Orange County
- 149 Volta Electric Vehicle Charging Stations across multiple retail locations
- 34 units in Premium Dining and Shopping Centers in Los Angeles, Orange County and San Francisco
- 1 BART Train Wrap in San Francisco













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CONSUMER ADVERTISING: AUDIO

- 25,239,431 Impressions
- 13,715 Clicks with a 0.14% Click Through Rate
- 6,649,853 Video Views
- Targeted listening sessions, audio, banners, overlays, in-car audio and podcast live reads



















CONSUMER ADVERTISING: DIGITAL BRAND

- 85,650,809 Impressions
- 178,602 Clicks with a 0.26% Click Through Rate
- 59,586,163 Video Views
- Digital video, mobile and display banners

















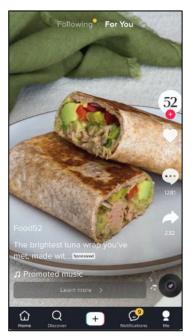




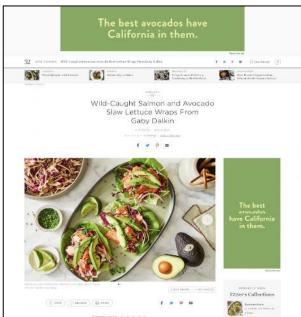
CONSUMER ADVERTISING: DIGITAL CUSTOM CONTENT

FOOD52

Custom content including three recipe videos and images prominently featuring California Avocados shared across Food52's Instagram, Facebook and TikTok along with their website, email and the featured talent's Instagram















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CONSUMER ADVERTISING: DIGITAL CUSTOM CONTENT

TASTEMADE

Custom content including four recipes featuring California Avocados distributed across Tastemade's site, Facebook, Instagram, TikTok and Pinterest social channels as well as talent inspired recipes distributed on their Instagram pages and stories

















CONSUMER ADVERTISING: DIGITAL RETAIL

YouTube

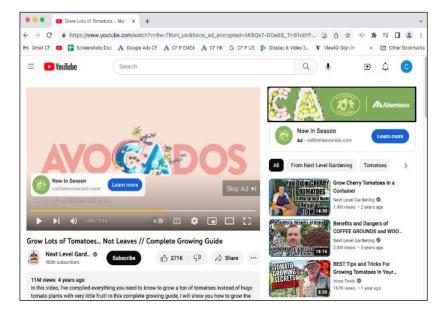
- 44,215,604 Impressions
- 141,800 Clicks with a 0.32% Click Through Rate
- 3,219,228 Video Views
- Promoted in-store availability to drive users to retailers carrying California Avocados













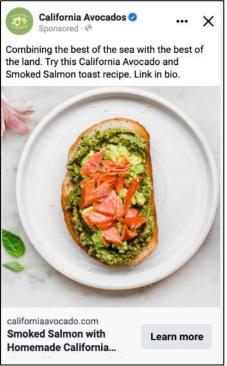


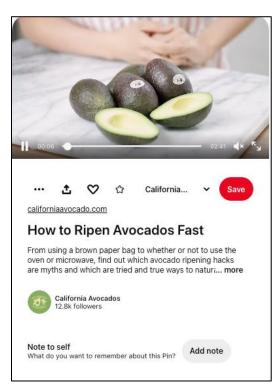
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- 33,776,324 Impressions
- 5,473,531 Engagements with a 16.21% Engagement Rate
- Season-long social advertising across top platforms























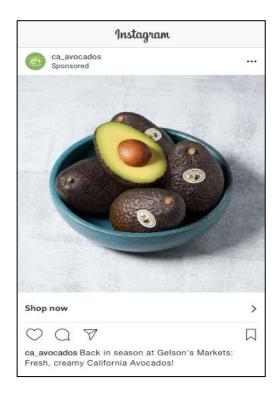




CONSUMER ADVERTISING: SOCIAL RETAIL



- 8,196,204 Impressions
- 45,717 Engagements with a 0.56% Engagement Rate
- Promoted California Avocados in-store to drive users to retailers









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ONLINE MARKETING: NOVEMBER 2022 – OCTOBER 2023

SEARCH RESULTS

• Organic Search Impressions: 33.9MM

• Paid Search Impressions: 7.4MM

SOCIAL MEDIA

Facebook

- Page Fans: 316K (0% change YoY)

YouTube

- Subscribers: 3.4K (9% increase YoY)

Instagram

- Followers: 44.8K (5% increase YoY)

TikTok

- Followers: 1.7K (91% increase YoY)

Pinterest

- Followers: 12.8K (9% increase YoY)

• Twitter

- Followers: 20K (2% decrease YoY)

CONSUMER WEBSITE

• # of Visits: 1.5MM (16% decrease YoY)

• Page Views / Visit: 1.4 (6% increase YoY)

• Time on site: 37 seconds (3% increase YoY)

• Total Page Views: 1.9MM (3% decrease YoY)

EMAIL

Average Open Rate: 23%

• Click through rate: 2.5%

• Emails Sent: 8 emails sent to 179.7K recipients per email





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CONSUMER PR: CALIFORNIA AVOCADO SEASON OPENER

- To drive awareness and excitement around the start of California Avocado season, the Commission kicked off its consumer PR efforts by distributing a press release and mat release focused on the "top five things to know" about in-season California Avocados
- Both releases shared ideas around how consumers can maximize their enjoyment of the fruit throughout the season by sharing versatile California Avocado recipes and how-to preparation tricks, such as CAC's nick-and-peel method
- Through earned media relations, as well as distribution of a press release and mat release, the program resulted in more than 304 million impressions across national and regional media outlets, including Associated Press, Well+Good, Bakersfield.com, Santa Maria Times, San Diego Union-Tribune, Napa Valley Register, and LA Downtown News, as well as the High Vibration Living podcast
 - National lifestyle outlet Well+Good expressed excitement around the season kickoff and learning about CAC's "California avocado tips & tricks," and posted a story in May titled "We Should All Be Pickling Our Avocados—Here's How" as a result



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We Should All Be Pickling Our Avocados -Here's How





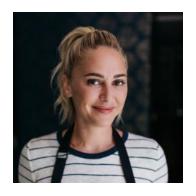


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CONSUMER PR: CELEBRATE CALIFORNIA AVOCADO MONTH WITH CHEF BROOKE WILLIAMSON

- To drive awareness and excitement for California Avocado Month, the Commission partnered with Californiabased chef Brooke Williamson to develop two delicious and seasonal recipes prominently featuring California Avocados (Braised Short Rib on California Avocado Tahini Puree, and California Avocado Chocolate Mousse Layer Cake), which were promoted via press and mat releases
- Additionally, Chef Brooke's Braised Short Rib on California Avocado Tahini Puree recipe debuted at her popular beachside restaurant in Playa del Rey, Playa Provisions, during the month of June for a limited time for fans of Chef Williamson and California avocados alike to experience in person. The team coordinated a restaurant visit for Access Hollywood, too
- Chef Brooke posted about her CAC-inspired recipes and partnership on her Instagram page, reaching her more than 320K followers
- Through earned media relations, the program resulted in more than 358 million impressions across national and regional media outlets, including TODAY Show, Associated Press, Real Food Magazine, EatingWell, Bakersfield.com, Bake Magazine, Times of San Diego, and LA Downtown News











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CONSUMER PR: BRAND ADVOCATES

- To celebrate California Avocado season, the Commission partnered with two influencers to serve as this year's Brand Advocates - one TikTok influencer (NomLife) and one Instagram/Blogger influencer (Veggiekins) chosen based on their significant social followings, and their unique recipes and content creation
- Each partner developed four recipes promoting California Avocados on their respective social media channels, including their blog, Instagram and TikTok pages with culinary themes in mind. They each created unique dishes that were healthy, Asian/Japanese inspired and made for their audiences and avocado consumers alike
- Between March and June, the Brand Advocate program secured a total of 2,274,009 impressions:
 - Paid: 407,503 impressions
 - Earned: 1,866,506 impressions*















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CONSUMER PR: BRAND ADVOCATES (CONT.)

- Additionally, last year during the 2022 season, CAC partnered with Elizabeth Van Lierde (The College Housewife) under the Website Contributor program to provide unique, robust content, including recipes and images, to be featured on the CAC website and across her own social channels. Elizabeth's social content was posted during the 2023 season
- Throughout the season, the team tracked coverage on Elizabeth's Instagram channel, resulting in more than 178.3K impressions across 10 pieces of coverage from March through July
- 187,962 views and 8,778 engagements were secured on Elizabeth's Instagram













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CONSUMER PR: NEWS BUREAU

- Throughout the 2022-23 season, the Consumer PR team identified relevant story angles for CAC (outside of Season Opener and California Avocado Month), and leveraged the brand's unique perspective, spokespeople and assets to promote the season among consumer media. Pitch angles included CAC tips & tricks, International Women's Day, National Avocado Day and CAC's unique sustainability messaging
- News bureau media efforts resulted in more than 644 million impressions

EatThis, NotThat!

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The 10 Best Butter Substitutes
To Use When You're in a Pinch

These Avocado Ripening Tricks Actually Work California avocados star in desserts













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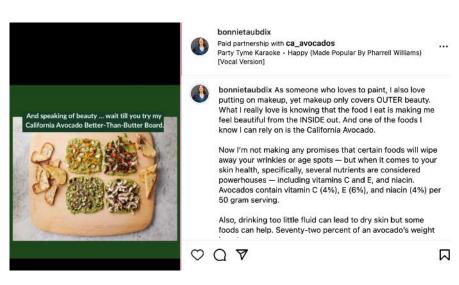
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CONSUMER/TRADE – LIVING WELL: BRAND ADVOCATES

Living Well Brand Advocates are registered dietitian nutritionists who serve as third-party trusted experts and spokespersons on behalf of CAC. These Advocates developed recipes for the CAC website and produced content for their social media and retailer channels to tell the California Avocado story of seasonality and superiority and communicate the health benefits.







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RETAIL: TRADE RELATIONS – KEY ACCOUNT MARKETING COMMUNICATIONS

CAC worked with key accounts to secure, create and run multi-platform social media campaigns throughout the season to the Commission's retail marketing promotions as well as retailer initiatives. Customized content was provided to convey California Avocado-specific messages and show California Avocado branding. This messaging spoke directly to retailers' customers at targeted top-tier accounts through their social media platforms and other digital marketing tools including social media, websites, blogs and mailers.



















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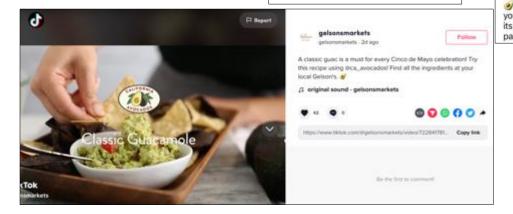
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Cinco de Mayo

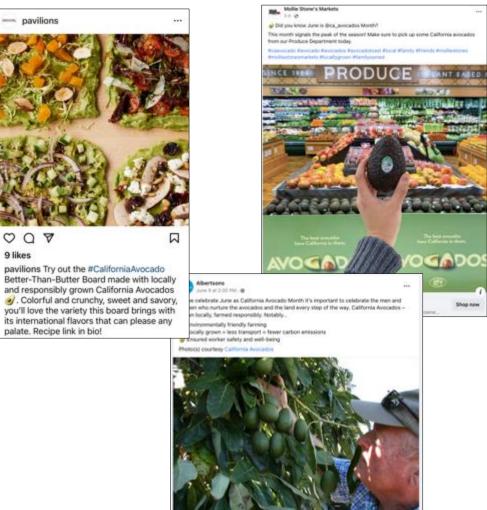




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California Avocado Month

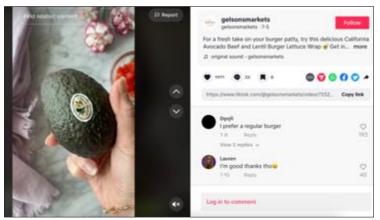






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4th of July





National Avocado Day





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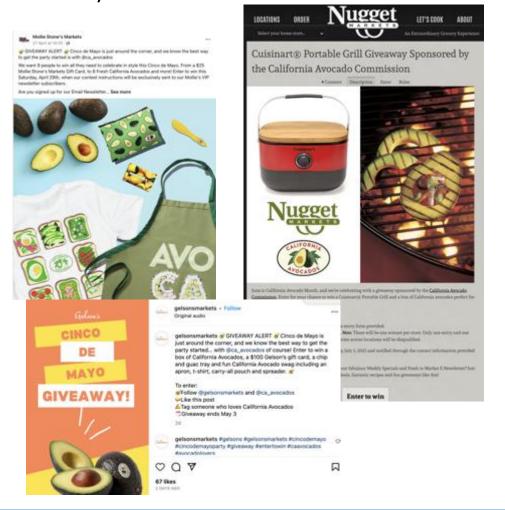
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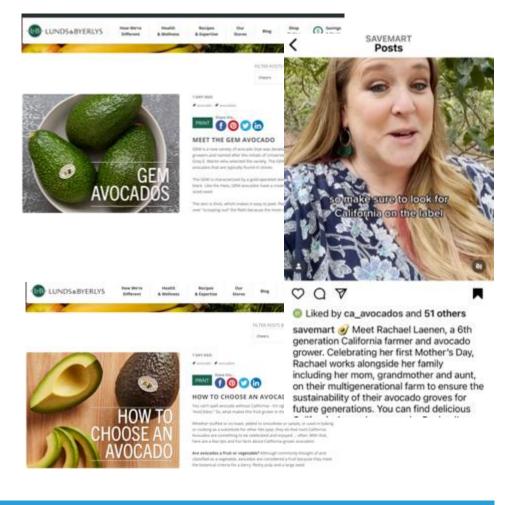
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Giveaways



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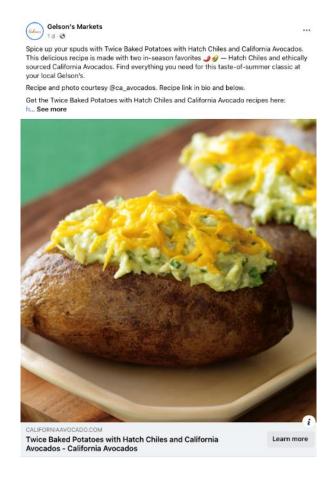
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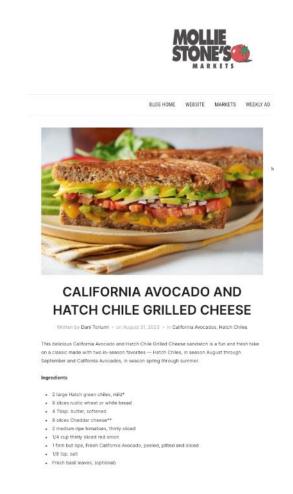
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RMD Produce Promotion Support: Summer Hatch Chile Retailer Co-promotion













- Sales contest, Albertsons/Vons for U Coupon at \$0.25 off bagged California Avocados and CAC display bins during June
- 14% decrease in sales / 24.9% increase in units
- 102,507 coupons redeemed



Albertsons/Vons digital ad artwork

- Full-month support in over 350 stores
- Ad feature, followed by coupons for consistent promotion
- 24.9% increase in units, even when sales down







Portland Division

- Big Book Ad July
- Just 4 U Digital Coupon Offer at \$1 off bagged avocados





- Promotion support outside of California
- Unit movement increase 18%









- June & July Feature Ads
- Digital Coupon offer \$1 off bagged California Avocados





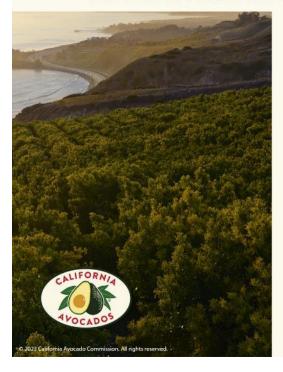
- Promotion support outside California
- Volume increase 57.6%



RETAIL: Bristol Farms



The best avocados have California in them.





Grown exclusively in California and available April-May, the GEM avocado has a thick skin, creamy texture and delicious taste.

Bristol Farms is teaming up with local growers to bring GEM avocados to our shoppers.

Don't miss out on these special California Avocados!

April/May Promotion

- GEM Avocados in Passport to Savings Book
- Organic Hass Large California Avocados promoted

- Local grown promotion supporting all varieties
- Volume increase of 39%





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RETAIL: Gelson's

July 4th Demos in Stores with California-Grown signage



4-Hour Demo Generated:

- 984 organic avocado sales
- 2,019 Large avocado sales



- Local-grown recognition
- Volume lift averaged 113% over 27 stores
- Consumers tasting quality of California Avocados







- Cinco de Mayo Sales Contest
- 29% sales lift over previous month sales







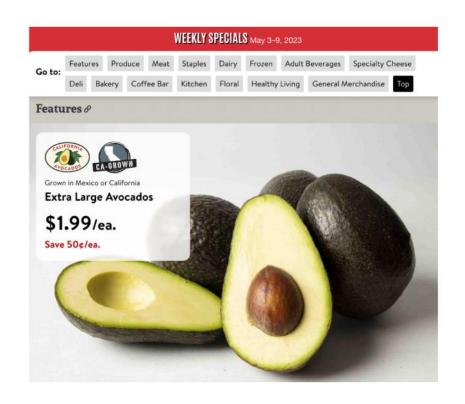


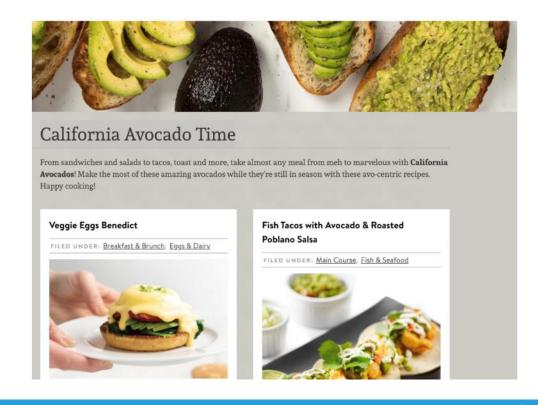
RETAIL: Nugget

- Monthly ad promotion on bulk and organic avocados
- Hyper-local recognition
- Digital online feature and landing page to recipes

Results:

- 43% unit increase on large California Avocados
- 172% increase on organic medium avocados









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- Promotion support outside California
- GEM avocado unit lift 18% over 2022
- Organic Hass avocado increase 32% for bulk







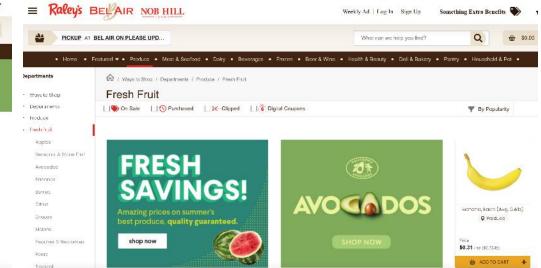


RETAIL: Raley's

- Monthly & weekly Ad Promotions
- \$5 Monday Offers
- Digital Online Specials
- Display Bins in stores June & July
- Local Branding Online
- RESULTS: 40-99% unit increase











RETAIL: Save

- May "Best of Fresh" grower spotlight & recipes
- Monthly ad promotions
- Grove tour in June with California Avocado growers
- 30-73% increase in unit movement when promoting in June/July





Crab Guacamole

Clos du Bois Buttery Chardonnay



RETAIL: SAFEWAY () NorCal Division

- Ad Features
- Safeway for U Coupon during July 29,405 redemptions
 - RESULTS: 28 45% Increase
- Season-Long Supporter







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RETAIL: SPROUTS FARMERS MARKET

- May month-long promotion & sales contest
- CAC Display bins, giveaways, sales contest & custom signage in California stores
- RESULTS: 94.1% volume movement YOY















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- Bulk and bagged ads
- 30+ % lift for each ad on bagged avocados / front-page feature on bulk 43% lift









RETAIL: Gelson's

August Hatch Chile-Morro Bay Demos in Stores



4-Hour Demo Generated:

• 7,375 units of small conventional avocado sales

Benefits:

- Northern growing region recognition
- Volume lift averaged 78% over 27 stores
- Consumer engagement for California Avocados with giveaways





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RETAIL: Gelson's

- August Foodservice Contest with California Avocado & Hatch Chile Corn Salad
- Custom sign with California Avocados brand logo





Hatch Chile, Grilled Corn, and Heirloom Tomato Salad

\$13.99/lb

Ingredients: Corn, Hatch Chiles, tomatoes, edamame beans, quinoa, avocado, arugula, basil, parsley, olive oil, vinegar, cumin, lime juice, salt, pepper.

- Foodservice Contest realized 51%-79% increase in sales, using over 10,000 units of avocados to produce and sell the salad
- Salad offered in demo during our produce dept. Hatch Chile/Morro Bay event

Benefits:

 California Avocado branding in two areas of Gelson's 27 stores





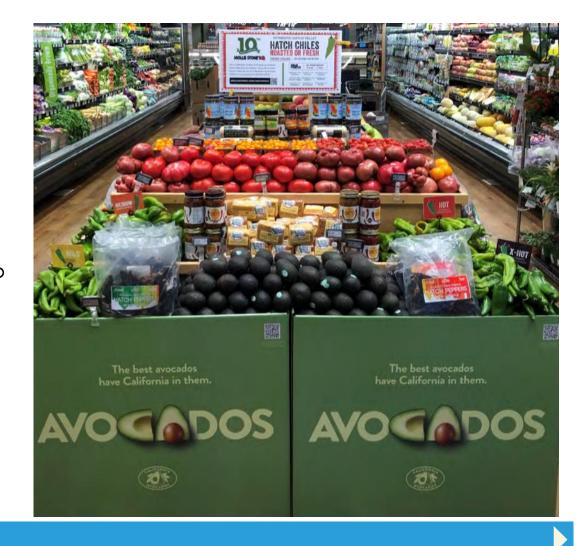
RETAIL: MOLLIE



- August Hatch Chile Sales Contest
- 49% sales lift over previous year sales on large conventional avocados
- 110% lift on small avocados

Benefits:

- California Avocado loyal retailers willing to promote late-season and pay a premium
- Signage and Display bins bring awareness to consumers







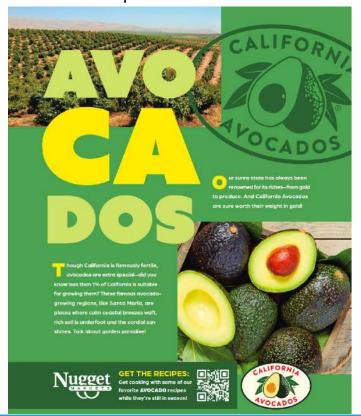
California Avocados

Results: 39% unit increase on large

RETAIL: Nugget

August promotion on California Avocados

- Hyper-local recognition for Santa Maria region
- Digital online ad and posters in stores with QR code to CAC website









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- Full-season support from Washington's own local independent retailers
- Ads provide volume lift on bulk avocados from 38% to 64%



Proud to be your locally owned and operated neighborhood grocer!

Prices effective August 16-August 22, 2023

The City of Seattle Sugar tax is added to the ad price where applicable









RETAIL: Raley's

- Monthly & weekly Ad Promotions
- Labor Day ad promotion and end-cap displays continuing local-grown support of California Avocados
- Large fruit and bagged avocados





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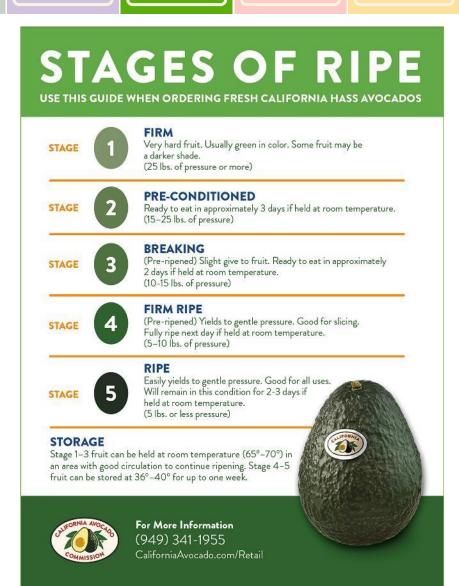
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RETAIL: SPROUTS FARMERS MARKET

- CAC educational support of loyal retailers
- Backroom ripening posters in conjunction with CAC handler ensures loyalty by Sprouts Farmers Market, and reminds produce managers and staff that the California is their go-to source for avocados and avocado information







RETAIL: CORPORATE PROMOTIONS

- Digital coupons on Branded California Bags at key Kroger Divisions: Delivered on Targeted Basis
 - Ralphs
 - Fred Meyer
 - King Soopers added (No Coupon)
- 528,000 served, 105,000 downloads, 21,342 purchased
- Sold 17,000 bags on promotion
- Over 190,000 bags loaded into Kroger stores
- 22 plus % redemption!















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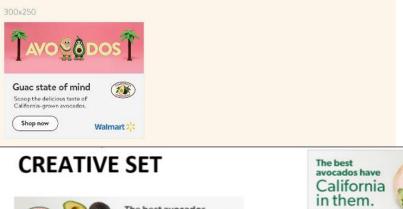
- SHOPPABLE Digital Advertising Campaigns:
 - Sam's Club: April thru Cinco de Mayo
 - Walmart: Cinco de Mayo thru July 4th
 - Combined for over 16,000,000 impressions

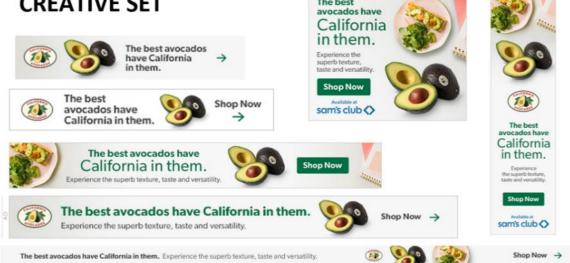














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• In store bin placements in all California TARGET stores



California Avocado branding at Costco









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RETAIL: REGIONAL PROMOTIONS



• Minnesota – In store signage, plus contests, social posts, email blasts/ads







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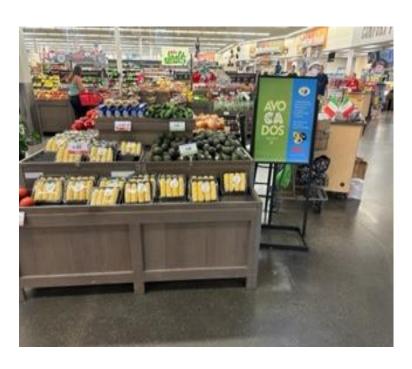
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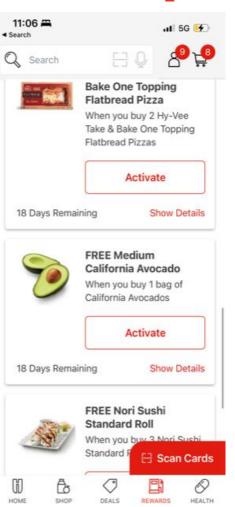
Hy-Vee: 8 midwestern states 225 stores

- 22 x 28" stanchion signs
- Bonus perk digital coupon













RETAIL: REGIONAL PROMOTIONS

The Fresh Market: 159 stores over 20 Eastern and Midwestern states

* Feature ads with in-store California Branding, digital advertising and September livestream on website





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Schnucks

- 128 stores located in St. Louis MO
- Feature ads breaking later in August
- 100 stores with display bins





ORGANIC Del Ray Avocados

Del Rey Avocados Good times (and good foodl) start when the avocados arrive. This versatile fruit adds cool creamy flavor to pretty much anything. Whether they're smashed into guacamole or topping tacos or burgers, avocados are a delicious addition to your next party or



SHOP NOW

ALL PRICES SHOWN ARE VALID FOR IN-STORE PURCHASES ONLY. WHILE SUPPLIES LAST.



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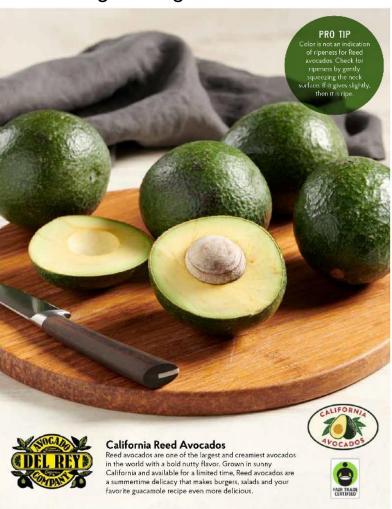
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August Magazine Insertion



Livestream Video August





Unable to watch live? Catch the replay through September 6 at www.thefreshmarket.com





"You could WIN a \$100 The Fresh Market gift card white tiveshearing the show.











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California Avocado Commission's new marketing approach

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RETAIL: TRADE PUBLIC RELATIONS

- More than 8.8 million Trade PR impressions in November 2022 through October 2023
- Q4 press releases and interviews covered season wind-down, Oberman departure and IFPA Global Produce and Floral Show/Marketing messaging and approach













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RETAIL: TRADE PUBLIC RELATIONS – OTHER 2022-23 HIGHLIGHTS

CAC leadership interviews and press releases along with CAC insertion in media-driven topics contributed to significant coverage with key print and digital publications









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RETAIL: TRADE PRINT AD

14 print ads ran from February through October generating 1,587,363 impressions

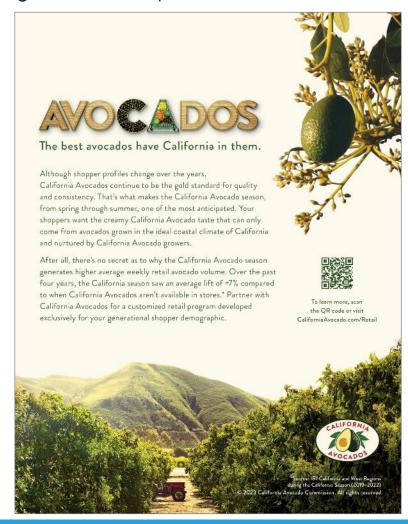
















RETAIL: TRADE DIGITAL ADS

- 482 digital ads ran from March through October 31, 2023, generating 27,827,439 impressions
- Total print and digital impressions: 29,414,802





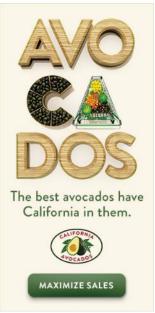














The digital ads featured a "Maximize Sales" button. The button/ad links to CAC's retail website page where the Infographic represents information that supports the sales volume sales data of how retailers can generate sales when California Avocados are in season.



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RETAIL: LINKEDIN

- 362,968 Impressions
- 6,042 Engagements with a 4.8% Engagement Rate (Average Rate 3.1%)

- Annual Page Growth Rate of 51% (Over 830 New Followers/ Over 2400 Total Followers)
- Posts reached industry professionals in retail, wholesale, and foodservice in addition to growers, shippers, buyers and retail dietitians









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FOODSERVICE: CHAIN PROMOTIONS

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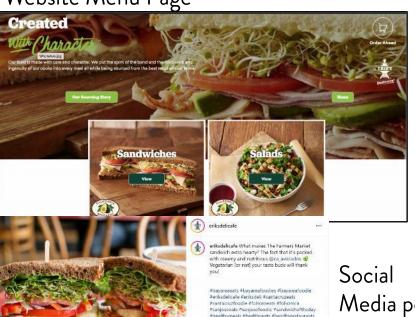
- 27 units (NorCal/Bay Area)
- March 27 May 14
- California Avocados on the menu
- Over 860 pounds per location



- 26 units (CA)
- April 10 May 21
- California Avocado upsell
- Approximately 370 pounds per location; +11% over YAG

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Website Menu Page



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Media post



Social Media post

Website Menu Page

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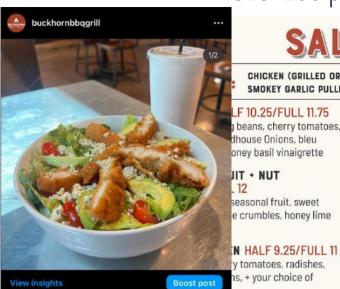




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- 27 units (NorCal/Bay Area)
- March 27 May 14
- California Avocados on the menu
- Over 260 pounds per location



CHICKEN (GRILLED OR KRISPY) 4.75 SMOKEY GARLIC PULLED PORK 4.75

CHAR-ROASTED TRI TIP' 5.25 **CHAR-BROILED SALMON 5.75**

F 10.25/FULL 11.75 CABO CHOP FULL 14

beans, cherry tomatoes, Crispy tortilla, romaine lettuce, avocado, black thouse Onions, bleu beans, corn, jicama, radishes, cherry tomatoes, oney basil vinaigrette bleu cheese crumbles, honey lime dressing

ASIAN CHICKEN FULL 16.5

Mixed greens + cabbage blend, grilled chicken breast, edamame, red bell peppers, cucumbers, cilantro, sliced almonds, crispy tortilla strips, Asian sesame dressing

KRISPY CHICKEN + AVOCADO FULL 16.5

Romaine lettuce, avocado, cherry tomatoes, krispy chicken, bleu cheese crumbles, honey lime dressing (also available with grilled chicken)

Did you know all of our dressings are made in-house?

Social media post

buckhornbbggrill It's @ca_avocados season at

Buckhorn! Start summer off in a refreshing way with our classic Krispy Chicken and Avocado Salad!

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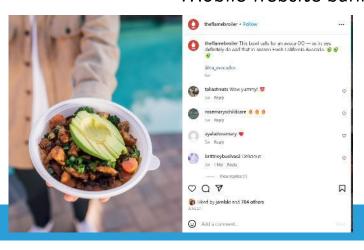
Social media post

FLAME BROILER

- 82 units (CA, AZ)
- May 1 June 10
- California Avocado upsell
- 400+ pounds per location; +42% over YAGO



Mobile website banner





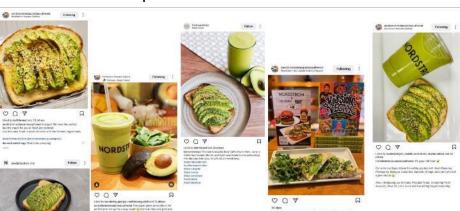


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- 88 units (Western states)
- May 9 July 1
- Celebrate California Avocado Month with California Avocados on the menu
- +38%

Social media posts





- 400 units (CA, AZ)
- featuring California Avocados
- Approximately 654 pounds per location



Website banner



Eblast









FOODSERVICE: CHAIN PROMOTIONS





- 20 units (Western states)
- May 22 July 2
- Celebrate California Avocado season with California Avocados on the menu
- Over 960 pounds per location





- May 24 July 7
- LTO: Cali-Cado Benny
- 380 pounds per location; +15% over YAGO





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Website menu page





Social media post



Website rotating banner





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FOODSERVICE: CHAIN PROMOTIONS



- 50 units (Western states)
- June 6 July 30
- Celebrate California Avocado Month with California Avocados on the menu

• Over 260 pounds per location; +91% over YAGO



Website

- 16 units (CA)
- June 1- July 30
- Featuring California Avocados

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• 550 pounds per location

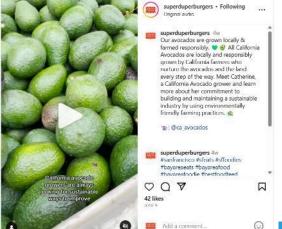


Website menu page



California Avocados

We proudly serve fresh avocados grown right here in our home state of California. To give you an idea of what makes <u>California Avocados</u> particularly special, less than 1 percent of the state is suitable for growing them. We're talking only the richest rich soil, the freshest coastal breezes, and, of course, the friendly California sun. This, accompanied by the care of more than 3,000 California Avocado growers, ensures you that creamy avocado tastes with each slice.







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- 521 units (CA, AZ, NV)
- June 12 August 21
- LTO: Bacon Avocado Cheeseburger

Tri-fold tabletop POP





- 33 units (CA)
- June 1 June 30
- Featuring California Avocados
- 212 pounds per location

Social media pos







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- 8 units (CA)
- June 12 July 30
- Celebrating California Avocado season
- 484 pounds per location



- 29 units (CA)
- July 1 July 30
- Featuring California Avocados
- 150 pounds per location



Website main page







Website: All Natural page



FOODSERVICE: EVENTS: KINETIC 12 EMERGING CHAINS

15-minute one-on-one meetings with multi-unit operations' purchasing and operations

- Houston, TX
- December 2, 2022
- Connected with representatives from 14 chain brands

- Los Angeles, CA
- May 31 June 1, 2023
- Connected with representatives from 17 chain brands











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FOODSERVICE: EVENTS

FOODOVATION

- April 2-4, 2023
- 14 40-minute one-on-one meetings with multi-unit operations' culinary, purchasing and marketing
- Connected with 10 organizations representing 16 chain brands; conducted a California Avocado flavor pairing demo and tasting

MARKETING EXECUTIVE GROUP

- May 17 19
- Connected with representatives from over 30 chain brands

OPERATOR BRUNCH

- May 21
- Connected with representatives from over 13 chain brands









FOODSERVICE: EVENTS

CAIFORNIA RESTAURANT ASSOCIATION MIXERS

- Orange County and Los Angeles Chapters
- July 11 and July 13







FOODSERVICE: EVENTS

IFPA FOODSERVICE **CONFERENCE**

- Monterey, CA
- July 27-28, 2023

Connected with produce distributors, suppliers, chain operators



AVOGROVE OPEN HOUSE

- Santa Paula, CA
- August 3

Connected southern California chains' purchasing, culinary and

marketing







FOODSERVICE: EVENTS

CHAIN GANG

- Long Beach, CA
- August 10

Connected southern California chains' purchasing, culinary and marketing

FLAVOR EXPERIENCE

- San Diego, CA
- August 20-22

Connected southern California chains' purchasing, culinary and marketing







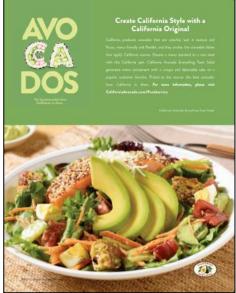
FOODSERVICE: PRINT ADVERTISING

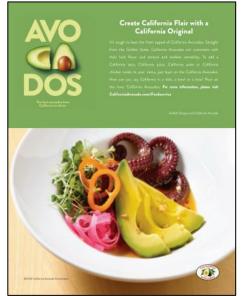
- Focus on California Avocado season and California cuisine and style
- 3 print publications (Flavor & The Menu, FSR and Plate); 8 insertions
- January August 2023 Impressions: 206,998

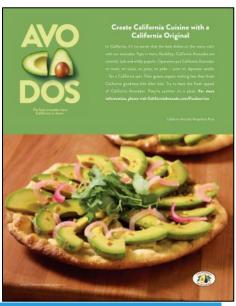


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FOODSERVICE: DIGITAL ADVERTISING

- Leverage insertion dates in season to build awareness of California Avocado season
- 5 digital ads appeared on 2 platforms (Informa: Recipe Watch and NRN A.M.)
- Impressions: 73,126 ; 1.09% average response rate



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Celebrate summer bounty with California Avocados
Customers love California Avocados for the velvety texture and eye appeal they add
to every dish.
FULL SPONSOR GALLERY



Green Eggs & Sam with California Avocado Make a flavor statement on your brunch menu with Fresh California Avocados. This recipe transforms customer favorites—eggs, biscuits, smoked salmon and California Avocados—into an irresistible entrée.

View Recipe



Pokecado Toast with California Avocado

The provenance of California Avocados turns an artisanal food craze into a best seller. Trust California Avocados to deliver the seasonal style of a California original.

View Recipe



California Avocados; Grown Locally, Farmed Responsibly California Avocados are a natural fit into this plant-forward vegan poke. Give patrons what they crave on summer menus and feel good about requesting. California Avocados.

View Recipe



Lobster California Avocado Club Sandwich

Locally grown and farmed responsibly, delicious and nutritious California Avocados add style and appeal to a lobster club sandwich.
Celebrate summer with inseason California Avocados.

View Recipe



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FOODSERVICE: ENEWSLETTER

- Leverage media publications' databases with custom content newsletters
- Deliver message of the benefits of seasonal, local ingredients
- 1 custom content enewsletter
- 1 infographic with 6 placements
- Impressions: 123,168

Restaurant Update

BROUGHT TO YOU BY CALIFORNIA AVOCADO COMMISSION AND RESTAURANT BUSINESS

Build business by putting summer on the menu with seasonal California Avocados



WINSIGHT

- April 18
- Delivered to 12,580 recipients
- 30% average Open Rate
- Received 28 Clicks

NRA SmartBrief

- Deployed April 27, May 10, May 24, June 8, June 15 and June 28
- Delivered to 508,847 recipients
- 24% Open Rate
- 119,511 Impressions
- Received 85 clicks to CaliforniaAvocado.com



Spring and summer = California Avocado season

Offering seasonal menu items can help restaurants stand out from the competition and California Avocados are a crowd-pleasing way to put local, US-grown flavor on the menu. Learn more and get inspiration for spring and summer specials featuring California Avocados. **Download Infographic.**





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FOODSERVICE: PUBLIC RELATIONS

- International Foodservice Editorial Council
- Annual Conference in Santa Barbara | November 7-9
- NRA IFEC Reception in Chicago | May 22
- Met with editors to discuss story angles
- Hosted a California Avocado Grove during the Santa Barbara conference food tour











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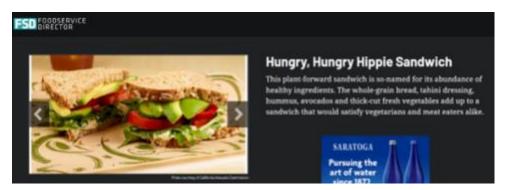
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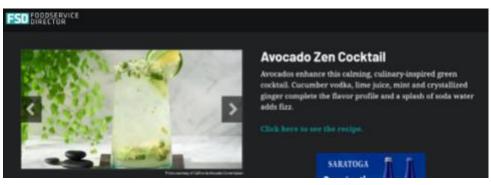
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FOODSERVICE: PUBLIC RELATIONS

- 3,285,229 million Foodservice PR impressions
- Key topics: Avocados, California style, Plant-Based, Local







Recipe report: Salad days

By Patricia Cobe on May 11, 202





Thai Cobb Salad

To change up the usual all-American flavors of a classic cobb, the Sheraton Airport Hotel in San Francisco adds a Thaiinspired dressing that enhances the grilled chicken and avocado. Mung bean sprouts, pea sprouts and shiitake mushrooms carry out the Asian theme.

Click here to see the recipe



Recipe report: Super Bowl Snacks

By Patricia Cobe on Jan. 26, 2023





Avocado Hummus with Pistachio Salsa Verde

At Farmshop in Santa Monica, chef Brian Reimer gives hummus a California spin by blending in fresh avocados along with the traditional chickpeas and tahini. Pistachios, another California crop, add color, crunch and toasty notes to the salsa verde.

Chef inspired meals in







RESEARCH: STUDIES COMPLETE AND IN DEVELOPMENT

2023 Bagged Avocado Study

- Scope: This study provided a look into retail sales for bagged and bulk avocados, and the shopper purchase behaviors of bagged avocado shoppers
- Report included analysis of sales performance during the California Season and Non-California Season inside and outside the California region
- Presented to CAC in May 2023

2023 California Avocado Tracking Study

- Objectives: to monitor performance vs. plan objectives, to better understand consumer attitudes and to showcase reasons why retailers should merchandise California Avocados
- Methodology: quantitative study of nearly 1,400+ avocado purchasers
- Timing: fielding in August, full report delivered in October, highlights presented to CAC Board in November

