



To our Valued Growers,

As harvest is quickly approaching. We wanted to reach out and do our best to prepare for a smooth almond harvest. We would like to thank you for the trust and confidence you have in us to hull and shell your almonds. We hope you and your families are doing well and are gearing up for another almond harvest.

If you would like us to make inshell for you, please notify us prior to field run deliveries and indicate **INSHELL** on your field tag. Call or text Dominic to confirm

Several market factors such as commodity prices at their lowest and with significantly higher cost across the board have brought us to the point of increasing our rate. To continue to offer you great services our hulling and shelling rates will be the following.

Assali Hulling and Shelling 2024 Hulling Rates

It is Assali Hulling and Shelling's policy of minimum charge of \$3,500 for hulling and shelling.

0- 50,000 meat pounds	.04 cents per incoming pounds
50,001 to 500,000 meat pounds	.03 cents per incoming pounds
500,001 to 1,000,000 meat pounds	.0250 cents per incoming pounds
Over 1,000,001 meat Pounds	.0225 cents per incoming pounds

Assali Hulling and Shelling 2024 Trucking Rates Per Load

0-15 miles	\$215
16-31 miles	\$265
32-47 miles	\$280
48-63 miles	\$345

Assali Hulling and Shelling 2024 Trucking Protocol

- All scheduling will need to be done a minimum of 3 days in advance.
- To get on the trucking schedule, call the **Office 209-883-4081 or Call/Text dispatch phone (209) 646-2021**
- When an additional trailer is needed you can call the office (please allow for enough lead time for the truck to drive to your field.)
- If you have multiple empties, please call as soon as a set of doubles are full. If you have a custom harvester pick up for you, please tell them to call in promptly, so you are not waiting for empty trailers.

The truck drivers will give you field tags when they deliver your first trailers, please make sure to completely fill them out. If there is a field or variety change (Split Load), please fill out 2 field tags to make sure we know exactly what you are sending to the huller. Please notify the driver and write "Split load" on the top of the tags. There will be extra field tags in each truck, if you run out, the truck drivers will give you more.



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Carpophilus Beetle

Unfortunately, the carpophilus beetle is making its way through almond orchards across California. As an industry we are working to mitigate and control the population, while still having little experience with this new pest to almonds. If you know the carpophilus beetle is present in your incoming field lot please let us know. This will help us isolate your lot and do our best to keep it from spreading to other lots. We will be hanging traps throughout the facility and working with our PCA to make our best efforts to control the carpophilus beetle.

Assali Hulling and Shelling 2024 Grower Boxes

We know many of you like to get 50lb boxes of your almonds right off the huller. We are more than happy to do that for you. We are just asking that you call the office and let us know how many boxes you want before we run your almonds through the huller. This will help us keep all weights correct when we ship to your processor.

We cannot thank you enough for your long-standing business and support over the years. We hope you have a safe and successful harvest.

Best Regards,

Dominic Assali

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Growers, Processors, and Worldwide Exporters of Almonds