

Welcome to May's latest news & produce update. This month we have seen the first of the English Strawberries arrive. The Asparagus season is in full flow and as the days start to get warmer the season will inevitably draw to a close, so ensure you take full advantage of this Spring crop. The start of the stone fruit season also arrives with Peaches and Apricots.



Introducing Hugh Lowe Farms. We have been working with Hugh Lowe Farms in Kent for some years and they grow a range of berries for us. They have been growing berries at Mereworth, Kent since 1893. They have now started picking Strawberries and we think the early crop are always the sweetest. We will see raspberries grown and Blackberries when the season starts. This year we will be planning visits to a lot of our British growers, if you are interested in coming along then please get in contact at sales@valimex.co.uk

New Products



We have added new lines to our stock range of Special Ingredients – Glucose Powder, Ascorbic acid and Pectin. We also stock Truffle Hunter products including Minced Black Truffle. We will see englich new season Blueberries soon For more information please contact us at sales@valimex.co.uk



May Produce Report



Earlier this month our friends at Portwood started their Purple sprouting Broccoli, which is grown in Norfolk. Expect British Peas and Broad beans to start in the coming weeks. French Cherries, Nectarines, British Cauliflowers and Wet Garlic are in season. Please contact us for any enquiries on 02089612477 or email sales@valimex.co.uk

Fresh in this month



This month we see the stone fruit season start with Yellow, white peaches and AAA Apricots. Baby vegetables are in good supply with high quality from French growers and English starting. There are some lovely Italian tomatoes in good supply along with the new season English tomatoes starting of with Isle of Wight.

Mid – End season

Wild Garlic has now flowered and the warmer days will start to slow and ultimately finish, only a month or so left. Forced rhubarb now moves onto outdoor. Keep an eye out on our Instagram page for daily updates on fresh-in produce and new ingredients @valimexItd



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