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## Grape sector concerned about the recent storms

The recent hail storms in Brazilian grape producing cities like Antonio Prado, Flores da Cunha, Nova Padua and São Marcos in the State of Rio Grande do Sul point out to a pessimistic scenario for the next season, once many producers reported production losses.

The juice and wine industries are also following it up with concern because there was an increase in the minimum price of grape itself in the last two harvests, and a reduction in the 2016 crop supply will certainly raise the price of the fresh fruit.

## Start-up of the new corn processing unit



Glad to say that our new corn processing plant was officially open on this October, 28th/2015, which make us very proud to be part of this professional team.

Also important to point out that this is one of the most modern plants of Latin America, and also qualified to be your new supplier of Corn products from Brazil.

Please consult us to know all details and complete product line.

## FCOJ and by products: high side moving



With the tight situation seen on the citrus market for the fruit to be processed, including for the bigger players, buyers have started to be convinced to guarantee their FCOJ needs, which is a positive action for them, when the current citrus season is almost ending, and with production still reaching lower ratios for this time of the year, because in this November, production records are still marking ratios of about 14-15 and it is being difficult to surpass this barrier, which is not a surprise, as a result of the several blossoms and as it has already been reported in our last editions.

Regarding the byproduct

market, this is increasingly dry! And dry, very dry. Aldehydes from the essential oil are good enough until now, maybe to compensate the no coming stocks from last season, resulting obviously in a lower overall production, and with a less production of FCOJ (in Brazil and in Florida, where besides the lower crop, the processed fruit is being used for the NFC production) except for the oil phase that is recovered, for example. It is still very early to know about next year's scenario, but it seems we will have no product surplus for 2016/17 again.

Contact us so we can help you with your needs before citrus season ends!

## Atlântica Foods presence at the Juice Summit, Anuga and Gulfood Manufacturing Events

With pleasure, we were once again at these three big events of the juice industry, and therefore, we would like to thank for all fruitful meetings we had, which allowed us to be

in person with our clients, know other potential ones, and meet also our important suppliers!

I am glad we have met. Thank you!



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