

# The 3 Types of Cantaloupes Being Sold

*& How to Know When They Are Ripe!*

## Western Shipper

Ripe when there's a  
'full slip'



## Long Shelf-Life

Ripe when the exterior  
netting moves up the  
vine



## Extended Shelf-Life

Ripe when there's a clean  
'slip' (although it is not as  
clean with the Extended Shelf-  
life cultivars)

