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Answer Key

Episode 102 – Iceberg Makes a Comeback

1. Yuma, Arizona
2. one
70 percent
Yuma
3. In the old days iceberg lettuce was shipped by rail car without refrigeration. To keep them fresh, the heads of lettuce were covered in ice.
4. competition from fancy leaf lettuces reduced the use of iceberg
5. 70 percent
6. varieties grow well in the desert climate with water available from the Colorado River
7. seed
60 – 90 days
head
head lettuce
8. In the last few years, other greens have been hard to obtain due to weather problems.