

# PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS OPERATION PROFILE for RICE (Cooperative and Privet Merchant) 2007



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For our monthly survey of Prices Received by Farmers, this firm will be asked to report total quantities of commodities purchased from U.S. farmers and the total dollar value of those purchases.

Please make corrections to name, address and Zip Code, if necessary.

### Do you expect this operation to purchase rice from U.S. farmers during the August 2003 through July 2004 time period?

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- <sup>1</sup> YES (Continue)    <sup>3</sup> NO (Thank the respondent. That is the end of the interview.)  
<sup>2</sup> Don't Know

#### The NASS Rice Prices Received data series is based on:

- All grain lengths (long, medium, and short), but not wild rice.
- Total hundredweight (cwt) purchased and received from U.S. farmers during the survey period.

Purchases of rice under contract are to be reported during the month when the buyer obtains possession of the rice **AND** makes payment to the farmer for the rice.

Buyers which redeem rough rice under loan with CCC are to report the value paid to redeem the loan plus any additional dollars paid to the farmer for the rice.

Include **only** rice purchased from U.S. farmers. **DO NOT** include any purchases from rice dealers, brokers, or other non-farmers.

1. Will your reported **previous month** rice data include only the **total quantity** of rice purchased and received from U.S. farmers?

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- <sup>1</sup> YES                      <sup>3</sup> NO  
(If **NO**, what else will be included?) \_\_\_\_\_

- 1a. Will your reported data for the **first 15 days of the current month** include only the **total quantity** of rice purchased and received from U.S. farmers?

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- <sup>1</sup> YES                      <sup>3</sup> NO  
(If **NO**, what else will be included?) \_\_\_\_\_

2. Will your reported previous month data of rice value contain only the **total gross value** of rice purchased and received from U.S. farmers for the previous month?

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<sup>1</sup> YES <sup>3</sup> NO  
(If **NO**, what else will be included?) \_\_\_\_\_

2a. Will your reported data for the **first 15 days of the current month** include only the **total gross value** of the rice purchased and received from U.S. farmers?

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<sup>1</sup> YES <sup>3</sup> NO  
(If **NO**, what else will be included?) \_\_\_\_\_

3. Will your reported data **exclude** all data relating to rice **purchased from non-farmers** such as dealers, brokers, or other non-farmers.

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<sup>1</sup> YES <sup>3</sup> NO  
(If **NO**, what else will be included?) \_\_\_\_\_

4. Will your reported data include **total gross value** of purchases from U.S. farmers, **before itemized deductions are made** such as storage, check-off fees, and service fees are made?

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<sup>1</sup> YES <sup>3</sup> NO  
(If **NO**, what will have been deducted?) \_\_\_\_\_

5. **Contract Purchases** - Will your report include both the quantities and gross value paid to farmers for rice purchased under contract (*option contracts, forward contracts, deferred payment contracts, basis contracts, or hedge-to-arrive contracts*), in the month that the rice was delivered to your operation?

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<sup>1</sup> YES <sup>3</sup> NO <sup>5</sup> Does not apply  
(If **NO**, how will you report Monthly contract purchases?) \_\_\_\_\_

6. Who will be the **primary contact** at your operation for completing our monthly survey?

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: ( ) Fax: ( ) Email: \_\_\_\_\_

7. Who will be the **alternate contact** at your operation for completing our monthly survey?

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: ( ) Fax: ( ) Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Thanks so much** for your assistance today and for your continued help in completing the Prices Received by Farmers report. Each month we will mail you a monthly Prices Received questionnaire to complete. We will also include a copy of the reporting instructions for your reference. If you have any questions, feel free to contact our office using our toll free number. [If you did not interview the primary contact, ask to speak with the primary contact and take some time to review the reporting instructions with them.]

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