

SWEET POTATO PRODUCTION AND MARKETING INQUIRY MARCH 2009



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Your cooperation is needed to determine the acreage planted to sweet potatoes this season and the acreage and production of the 2008 sweet potato crop. This information will be helpful to all persons interested in the production and marketing of this crop. Response to this survey is voluntary and not required by law. However, your answers to the questions below will be appreciated and will be confidential. Please return this inquiry promptly in the enclosed envelope, which requires no stamp.

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

PLEASE REPORT FOR THE FARM(S) YOU OPERATE

Acreage Plans for 2009 Crop:

1. Sweet potato **acreage planted and to be planted** this year, 2009. **Acres**

Acreage and Production 2008

2. Total **acres** of sweet potatoes **harvested in 2008** on the farm(s) you operate. . **Acres**

3. **Quantity of sweet potatoes harvested** from entire acres reported in item 1. (Report total quantity hauled from field.) **Bushels**

Check the following unit that applies to quantity harvested [Item 2]

- 40 lb boxes Bushels Other _____

4. **Quantity sold from 2008 production and average price** received, by utilization.

	Quantity Sold (Bushels)	Average Price (Dollars Per Bushel)
a. Fresh Market	383	483 .____
b. Processing	384	484 .____
c. Seed	385	485 .____
d. Livestock Feed	386	486 .____

Would you like to receive a copy of the results of this survey in the mail?
The survey results will also be available on the internet at <http://www.nass.usda.gov>.

Yes = 1 No = 3.

Comments: _____

Respondent Name: _____ Phone: (____) _____
Date:

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3-Inac		3-Acct/Bkpr		3-Face-to-Face			
4-Office Hold		4-Partner		4-CATI			
5-R – Est		9-Oth		5-Web			
6-Inac – Est				6-e-mail			
7-Off Hold – Est				7-Fax			
8-Known Zero				8-CAPI			
				19-Other			

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