

**SUGAR PRODUCTION INQUIRY**  
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In preparing final estimates of sugar and molasses production for the 2007 season, we are asking all sugar factory operators to give the information requested below. Response to this survey is voluntary and not required by law. However, cooperation is very important in order to estimate accurately in Louisiana. Your reply will be held confidential and combined with those from other factories in making estimates for Louisiana. Please mail or fax by November 24, 2008.

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

**Report For Your Factory**

1. Tons of <b>CANE</b> received.....	Gross Tons	221
	Net Tons	222
2. Tons of <b>RAW SUGAR</b> , as produced.....	Tons	223
3. <b>POLARIZATION</b> of sugars reported in (Question 2).....	Percent	224
4. Final ( <i>black strap</i> ) <b>MOLASSES</b> produced, 80° Brix.....	Gallons	225
5. Commercial <b>SYRUP</b> produced.....	Gallons	226
6. Normal juice <b>SUCROSE</b> ( <i>or Absolute value</i> ).....	Percent	227
7. Normal juice <b>PURITY</b> ( <i>or Absolute value</i> ).....	Percent	228
8. Percent <b>SUCROSE</b> in cane.....	Percent	229
9. Please report the <b>TONS</b> your factory received and acres from which they were harvested, by parish. ( <i>If you don't know the parish breakdown, please use your best estimate.</i> )		

Parish	Acres	Gross of Net Tons Received 1/	OR	Percent Received By Parish
		251	.....	
	242	252	.....	272
	243	253	.....	273
	244	254	.....	274
	245	255	.....	275
1/ Sum should equal Question 1.....		290		<b>100%</b>

**Comments:** \_\_\_\_\_

10. Would you like to receive a free 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

**Reported by:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_ **Telephone** \_\_\_\_\_

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