



PISTACHIO PRODUCTION AND PRICE INQUIRY
May 1, 2007



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We need your help to prepare the California's 2006 pistachio production and average returns to growers. Response to this survey is voluntary and not required by law. However, your cooperation is very important to accurately estimate California's pistachio production and prices. Individual reports are kept **confidential** and only used in State totals.

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

Please mail or fax by May 21. FAX Number: 1-888-478-5637

A postage-paid envelope is enclosed for your convenience. If you have any questions, please call Suzanne Avilla at 1-800-851-1127.

You may complete on the Internet from May 1 until May 21.
Survey web site: www.agcounts.usda.gov

A. Report the average price for nuts delivered to the packinghouse or receivinh station.

Include

- Bonus payments for quality
- Hauling allowances
- Assessments

Exclude

- Commissions and wages paid for acquisition
- Purchases from other handlers

B. When reporting Marketable Shelling Stock, if in – shell weight is unknown, use 2.0 X nut meat weight.

1. Total Marketable In-shell.
2. Total marketable shelling stock.
3. Total crop processed.
 (Item 1 + Item 2).
4. Shelling Ratio OR Pounds of Nut Meat
 (Refers to quantity in Item 1).
5. Are these the final prices for the 2006 crop year?

2006 Crop	
Quantity Purchased (Pounds)	Average Price Per Ton At Processing Plant Door (\$/Pound)
Shelling Ratio	Pounds of Nut Meat

Check one: YES NO

COMMENTS:

Reported By Name: _____ Phone: _____ Date: _____ Telephone: _____

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