



# FRUIT INQUIRY

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Fruit crop prospects become more definite as the season advances and further information is needed to make reliable monthly forecasts. Reports from all fruit areas are needed to insure the accuracy of these reports. Please help by mailing your report by **July XX**, in the enclosed postage paid envelope. Response to this survey is voluntary and not required by law. Individual reports will be kept confidential. Thank you for your cooperation.

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

**Please report the expected production of fruit crops now, as compared with prospects for a full crop. Let 100 percent represent the full crop you would expect if there was no damage from unfavorable weather, insects, disease, etc.**

**REPORT FOR YOUR ORCHARD(S)**

1. What is the present expected production of --	<b>PERCENT</b>
a. <b>PEACHES</b> as a percent of a full crop?.....	063
b. <b>APPLES</b> as a percent of a full crop?.....	030
	<b>¾ BUSHELS</b>
2. What is the quantity of PEACHES expected for harvest <b>this year,2008?</b> .....	064
	<b>DOLLARS and CENTS</b>
3. What is the average <b>retail</b> price received by you for <b>PEACHES</b> sold in <b>July?</b>	065 \$ . ____
4. What is the average <b>wholesale</b> price received by you for <b>PEACHES</b> sold in <b>July?</b> .....	066 \$ . ____
	<b>BUSHELS</b>
5. What is the quantity of APPLES expected for harvest <b>this year,2008?</b> .....	031
	<b>DOLLARS and CENTS</b>
6. What is the average (per bushel) fresh market price received by you for <b>APPLES</b> sold in <b>July?</b>	032 \$ . ____
7. If you would like to receive a copy of the results of this survey in the mail, please make a check (✓) in the box. .... <small>(Results will also be available on the Internet at <a href="http://www.nass.usda.gov">http://www.nass.usda.gov</a>)</small>	998

Please **COMMENT** about the fruit crop in your locality.

Respondent Name: _____	Phone: _____	<table border="1" style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;">9910</td> <td style="padding: 2px;">MM</td> <td style="padding: 2px;">DD</td> <td style="padding: 2px;">YY</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;">Date:</td> <td style="padding: 2px;">__</td> <td style="padding: 2px;">__</td> <td style="padding: 2px;">__</td> </tr> </table>	9910	MM	DD	YY	Date:	__	__	__
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Date:	__	__	__							
Name of Orchard: _____		County: _____								

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Response			Respondent		Mode			Enum.	Eval.
1-Comp	5-R – Est	9901	1-Op/Mgr	9902	1-Mail	6-e-mail	9903	098	100
2-R	6-Inac – Est		2-Sp		2-Tel	7-Fax			
3-Inac	7-Off Hold – Est		3-Acct/Bkpr		3-Face-to-Face	8-CAPI			
4-Office Hold	8-Known Zero		4-Partner		4-CATI	19-Other			
			9-Oth		5-Web				

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