



CRANBERRY GROWER INQUIRY December 2009



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Dear Cranberry Grower:

This information is requested to provide you and the cranberry industry with an accurate report of yield and disposition for the 2009 cranberry crop.

Although response is voluntary and not required by law, your cooperation is very important for making accurate estimates. **Your individual report is held strictly confidential** and used only in combination with others to make State estimates. Thank you in advance for your help.

Please make corrections to name, address, and zip code, if necessary.

***** Please return by December 8*****

Please report for the beds you operate

Acres Harvested

	Tenths
1. Total acres of cranberries harvested in 2009 (report to the nearest tenth acre):Acres	103 .
2. Total acres of cranberries that you maintained but did not harvest in 2009 (report to nearest tenth acre)....Acres	104 .

Cranberry Production

	Barrels
3. Total cranberries harvested from the beds you operated in 2009.....	105
4. Estimated total barrels of cranberries left unharvested in 2009.....	120

Cranberry Disposition

	Barrels
5. Total barrels of harvested production delivered to processors/handlers to be marketed as processed fruit:	107
6. Total barrels of harvested production delivered to handlers to be marketed as fresh fruit:	106

Handlers /processors to whom berries were or will be delivered:		
Handler/Processor	Quantity delivered (bbls)	Expected Price (\$/bbls)
	<i>bbls</i>	
	<i>bbls</i>	
	<i>bbls</i>	
	<i>bbls</i>	

Other Disposition

	Barrels	Price/barrel	or	Total value
7. Total barrels of harvested production marketed as fresh fruit directly to consumers: (Example: sales at roadside stand, farmer's markets, etc.).....	109	110		111
	<i>bbls</i>	\$/bbl		\$

	Barrels
8. Total barrels of harvested production that were (or will be) disposed by your operation :	112
9. Other disposition of cranberries (berries not included item 5-8 above): (Specify) _____	113
(Specify) _____	114
10. Total disposition of cranberries in 2009: (Sum of disposition items in 5-9 should equal harvested production in item 3)	115

Please comment on the growing conditions for this past season. This could include items such as the quality of the crop, losses from disease, weather factors, pest issues, etc.

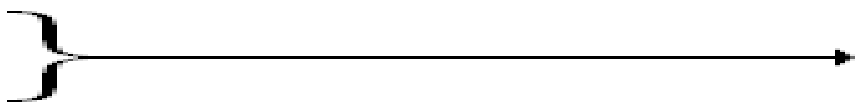
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The results from this survey will be released in January 2009 in the Preliminary Noncitrus Fruits and Nuts publication. The results will also be available on the internet at: <http://www.nass.usda.gov>

Would you like to receive a free copy of the results of this survey in the mail?

Yes – [Enter Code 1.]

No – [Enter Code 3.]



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THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP

Reported by: _____ Date: _____ Phone: _____

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