



Pear Production
and Disposition Inquiry
2008 Crop



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The information requested in this survey is needed to prepare estimates of production, use and average price for the **2008** pear crop in **New York**. Response is **voluntary** and not required by law. However, your report is needed to make the estimates as accurate as possible, even if you do not expect any production and disposition in **New York**.

Please complete and return this report in the enclosed envelope which does not need a stamp. Your individual report is **confidential** and used only with other reports for statistical purposes. Thanks very much for your cooperation.

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

REPORT FOR THE ORCHARD(S) YOU OPERATE OR MANAGE IN 2008

1. What is the **TOTAL** number of bearing acres of pears?
(Please report to the nearest whole acre).....

Whole acres

455

2. Quantity of pears harvested for all purposes during **2008**.....

Bushels

515

3. Of the total quantity of pears harvested, how many were:
a. **Sold for fresh market as:**
(1) F.O.B. sales of packed fruit?
(***(Include** fruit packed by you and sales through co-ops;
F.O.B. equals net price to growers after packing costs)*).....

+

511

541

(2) Bulk sales to packers or truckers? (***(Include** orchard run)*).....

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512

542

(3) Local sales - - roadside stands and other sales direct to consumers?.....

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513

543

b. **Sold** for commercial processing? (***(Include** sales through co-ops)*).....

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c. Used by you **to make processed items for sale** by this operation?.....

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d. **Used** on your farm and given away?
(***(Include** pears given to hired help, tenants, etc.)*).....

+

518

e. **Harvested production not sold?** (***(Include** pears not marketed because of poor
quality, decay, shrinkage, cullage, marketing restrictions or other reasons.)*).....

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519

(Sum of Items 3a thru 3e must equal Item 2.)

4. **Unharvested production?** (***(Include** all pears left in the orchard, regardless of
whether on tree or ground, due to weather losses, disease, insect damage,
marketing restrictions, labor shortages, low prices, or other reasons)*).....

521

5. **Net weight per bushel** as reported in the questions above.

539

6. **Production** of pears in your orchard as a percent of full crop. *1/*.....

Percent

580

REPORT FOR YOUR LOCALITY

7. **Number** of pears as a percent of full crop. *1/*.....

Percent

590

1/ Please report total production of fruit as a percent of full crop. Let 100 percent represent the full crop you would expect if there were no damage from unfavorable weather, insects, disease, etc.

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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			
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