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Blueberry Processing

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In order to accurately estimate production and value of the 2009 blueberry crop, each processor of blueberries is being asked to supply the following data. Response is voluntary and not required by law. However, cooperation is very important in order to estimate accurately blueberry production and value. Your individual report is confidential and used only in combination with other reports for statistical purposes. Please promptly return this report in the enclosed postage paid envelope, or fax it to (517)324-5299.

Please make address corrections, if needed.

	Quantity	Average Raw Product Purchase Price at Processing Plant Door 1/
	Pounds	*Cents per pound*
1. **Total quantity** of the 2009 blueberry crop processed at this site. If you are a grower, include blueberries you produced and those purchased from other growers. Exclude berries packed for fresh market. ………………		¢
2. How many of the total pounds in item 1 were processed under contract for a cooperative or other processor?		1/ If you process <u>only</u> your own blueberries, leave blank.
3. How many pounds were grown outside Michigan? (state) _____		

Reported by: _____   Telephone: _____   Date: _____

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