

MID SEASON MACADAMIA NUT PROCESSOR REPORT – CROP YEAR 2012–2013

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

Your cooperation is needed in preparing the preliminary estimates of the 2012–2013 macadamia nut crop. Please complete this questionnaire, which asks questions on harvested production and purchases through November 15th, and give your best estimate of expected production and purchases for the remainder of the crop year. Information requested in this survey is used to prepare estimates of selected agricultural commodities. Under Title 7 of the U.S. Code and CIPSEA (Public Law 107-347), facts about your operation are kept **confidential** and used only for statistical purposes in combination with similar reports from other producers. Response is **voluntary**, however, your cooperation is important in order to estimate the preliminary macadamia nut crop.

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If your operation is known by another name, please enter it here: _____

Please complete and return this questionnaire in the enclosed self-addressed, postage-paid envelope by December 30, 2012.

SECTION I: ACREAGE AND PRODUCTION

Parts A & B refer to orchards you **own, are the lessee of, or manage**. Part C applies only to production from orchards you **own or are the lessee of**. Make your best estimate concerning production for the remainder of the season.

Part A: Area

		Own/Lease	Manage
1. What is the total area planted in macadamia nuts?.....	acres	0001	0005
2. How many acres will you harvest this season?.....	acres	0002	0006
3. How many new acres did you plant in 2012?.....	acres	0003	0007
4. How many acres did you abandon or take out of production in 2012?.....	acres	0004	0008

SECTION I: ACREAGE AND PRODUCTION (Continued)

Part B: Trees

5. Provide a breakdown of trees, by age group, contained in the total acreage you operate (item 1 above). If you do not know the exact number of trees by age group, please make an estimate.

a. Less than 6 years old.....	trees	0333
b. 6 years and older.....	trees	0334
6. How many macadamia nut trees are planted on your farm?.....	total trees	0330

Sum of 5a + 5b should equal question 6.

Part C. Production

NOTE: Please include only production from orchards you own or lease. Report production from orchards you manage as:

(1) purchases in Section II, or as

(2) sales in Section III.

Actual Production July 1, 2012 through Nov. 15, 2012	Expected Production Nov. 16, 2012 through June 30, 2013	Total For Season
0101	0111	0121

7. **Gross pounds delivered** on a wet in-shell basis..... **pounds**

(Exclude husking losses. Convert all in-husk deliveries to an in-shell equivalent.)

8. **Total spoilage** on a wet in-shell basis..... **pounds**

(Include all deducts of obvious shell injury, insect damage, germination, etc. If sampling is the method used to determine the deducts, then enter % here _____ and apply that percentage to the gross wet in-shell pounds delivered.)

9. **Net pounds delivered** on a wet in-shell basis..... **pounds**

(Amount should equal question 7 less amount in question 8.)

10. What was the **average moisture content** of nuts delivered for processing?..... **percent (%)**

SECTION II: PURCHASES FROM GROWERS

Parts A & B refer to purchases from growers, including from orchards you managed for others.

DO NOT INCLUDE ANY PURCHASES FROM OTHER PROCESSORS.

Part A. Purchases Between July 1, 2012 and Nov. 15, 2012

		The island from which nuts were purchased.				
		Hawaii	Kauai	Maui	Oahu	Total
11. Gross pounds delivered on a wet in-shell basis.....	pounds	0401	0501	0601	0701	0201

(Exclude husking losses. Convert all in-husk deliveries to an in-shell equivalent.)

12. Total spoilage on a wet in-shell basis.....	pounds	0402	0502	0602	0702	0202
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(Include all deducts of obvious shell injury, insect damage, germination, etc. If sampling is the method used to determine the deducts, then enter % here _____ and apply that percentage to the gross wet in-shell pounds delivered.)

13. Net pounds delivered on a wet in-shell basis.	pounds	0403	0503	0603	0703	0203
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(Amount should equal item 11 minus item 12.)

14. Total dollars paid and expected to be paid for nuts already received..	dollars (\$)	0404	0504	0604	0704	0204
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15. What was the average moisture content of nuts delivered for processing?.....	percent (%)	0405	0505	0605	0705	0205
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Part B. Expected Purchases Between Nov. 16, 2012 and June 30, 2013

		The island from which nuts were purchased.				
		Hawaii	Kauai	Maui	Oahu	Total
16. Expected deliveries from 11/16/2012 to 6/30/2013	pounds	0411	0511	0611	0711	0211

(Gross pounds wet in-shell)

SECTION III: PURCHASES/SALES BETWEEN PROCESSORS

17. List any amount produced from orchards you **own, lease, or manage** and sold to another processor:

Processor sold to:	Amount Sold (Wet in-shell) (pounds)	Dollars Received (\$)
	802	803
	812	813

18. List any amount **purchased** from other processors:

Processor purchased from:	Amount Purchased (Wet in-shell) (pounds)	Dollars Paid (\$)
	902	903
	912	913

SECTION III: PURCHASES/SALES BETWEEN PROCESSORS (Continued)

19. If applicable, please identify the primary district in which your farm/ranch is located by checking (☑) the appropriate box.

Hawaii County

- Puna (110)
- South Hilo (120)
- North Hilo (130)
- Hamakua (140)
- North Kohala (150)
- South Kohala (160)
- North Kona (170)
- South Kona (180)
- Ka`u (190)

Honolulu County

- Honolulu (610)
- Koolaupoko (640)
- Koolauloa (650)
- Waialua (660)
- Wahiawa (670)
- Waianae (680)
- Ewa (690)

Kauai County

- Waimea (210)
- Koloa (220)
- Lihue (230)
- Kawaihau (240)
- Hanalei (250)

Maui County

- Hana (310)
- Makawao (320)
- Wailuku (330)
- Lahaina (340)
- Molokai (350)
- Kalawao (360)

Other area not listed: _____ LOC: _____

Comments (weather, pests, crop or market conditions, etc.):

SURVEY RESULTS: To receive the complete results of this survey on the release date, go to <http://www.nass.usda.gov/hi/>

Would you rather have a brief summary mailed to you at a later date?.....

Yes No

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Name: _____

Date: _____

Position: Operator, Partner, Manager
 Spouse

Accountant/Bookkeeper
 Other: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone: _____

Fax Number: _____ e-mail address: _____

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Response		Respondent		Mode		Enum.	Eval.	R. Unit	Change	Office Use for POID			
1-Comp	9901	1-Op/Mgr	9902	1-Mail	9903	0098	0100	0921	0785	0789			
2-R		2-Sp		2-Tel						-----			
3-Inac		3-Acct/Bkpr		3-Face-to-Face									
4-Office Hold		4-Partner		4-CATI									
5-R – Est		9-Oth		5-Web									
6-Inac – Est				6-e-mail									
7-Off Hold – Est				7-Fax									
8-Known Zero				8-CAPI									
		19-Other					0407	0408	9906	9916			
S/E Name													