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|  | **Oregon Christmas Tree Survey**  **2015 Production Year** | | |  | **Oregon Christmas Tree Growers Association** |
|  |  | | | **Conducted by USDA-NASS**  **Northwest Region Field Office**  PO Box 609  Olympia, WA 98507  **Phone 360 709-2400, FAX 855 270-2721**  nassrfonwr@nass.usda.gov | |
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| Please make corrections to name, address, and Zip Code if necessary. | | The information you provide will be used for statistical purposes only. In accordance with the Confidential Information Protection provisions of Title V, Subtitle A, Public Law 107–347, and other applicable Federal laws, your responses will be kept confidential and will not be disclosed in identifiable form to anyone other than employees or agents. By law, every employee and agent has taken an oath and is subject to a jail term, a fine, or both if he or she willfully discloses ANY identifiable information about you or your operation. Response to this survey is **voluntary**  This survey is being funded by the Oregon Christmas Tree Growers Association. Survey results are expected to be used extensively for making decisions about issues affecting the industry. Thank you for your participation.  According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, an agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. The valid OMB control number for this information collection is 535-0244. The time required to complete this information collection is estimated to average 20 minutes per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. | | | |

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1. Did you **grow** any Christmas trees during 2015?

YES: Go to question 2.  NO:

Please Skip to question 6 on last page.

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**Christmas Trees Sold and Gross Sales**

2. How many trees did your operation grow and sell, either wholesale, u-cut, or on your retail lots during 2015?

Do not include purchase for resale, only grown and sold. Do not include freight charges in gross sales.

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|  | **2015 Trees Sold**  ***Number*** | **2015 Gross Sales**  ***Dollars*** | **None Sold** |
| a. Douglas fir …………… + | 120 | 130 | Skip to question 3 |
| b. Noble fir ……………… + | 121 | 131 |  |
| c. Grand fir ……………….+ | 122 | 132 |  |
| d. Nordmann/Turkish fir ..+ | 123 | 133 |  |
| e. Other species (specify) + | 125 | 135 |  |
| **Total ……………….…… =** | 126 | 136 |  |

**Christmas Tree County Acreage and Sales Percentage**

3. List the Oregon county or counties of your Christmas tree acreage. If your acreage is in more than one county, list each county separately with the percent of gross sales by county.

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| **State** | **County** | **Acres Growing**  **Trees in 2015** | **Percent of Gross**  **Sales in 2015** |  | **Office Use** |
|  |  | 611 | 621 |  | 601 |
|  |  | 612 | 622 |  | 602 |
|  |  | 613 | 623 |  | 603 |
|  |  | 614 | 624 |  | 605 |
|  |  | 616 | 625 |  | 604 |
|  | **Total Acres in Christmas Trees…………** | 615 | 100% |  |  |

**Seedlings Planted**

4. List by species the approximate number of seedlings that were planted (or to be planted) and survived

(or expected to survive) in the following years.

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|  | **2015** | **2016** |
| a. Douglas fir …………....+ | 205 | 206 |
| b. Noble fir ……………….+ | 215 | 216 |
| c. Grand fir ……………….+ | 225 | 226 |
| d. Nordmann/Turkish fir...+ | 235 | 236 |
| e. Other (Specify) ……... + | 255 | 256 |
| **Total……………... =** | 265 | 266 |

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| **Office Use** |
| 099 |
| 910 |
| 098 |
| 097 |

**Survey Results**

5. Would you like to receive a free copy of the results of this survey?  Yes  No

*Survey results will also be at:* [*www.nass.usda.gov/or*](http://www.nass.usda.gov/or)

Prepared by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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| **Office Use** | | | | | | | |
| **Response** | | **Respondent** | | **Mode** | | **Enum.** | **Eval.** |
| 1-Comp  2-Ref  3-Inac  4-Hold | 9901 | 1-Op  2-Sp  3-Acct 4-Ptr  9-Oth | 9902 | 1-Mail  2-Tel  3-Face to face  5-Web  6-E-mail  7-Fax  19-Other | 9903 | 098 | 100 |
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**Thank You**

**Only answer this question if you answered question #1 on the first page as “NO”**

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**Property Sold, Change in Operator, Retail Sales, Landlord?**

6. Has this operation been sold, rented out, or turned over to someone else?

Yes – Please identify the new operator.  No – Please check one reason below applies:

Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  *Retail sales of purchased trees.*

Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  *Trees too small to sell.*

City:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Zip :\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  *Landlord only*

Other Reason [Specify] \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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