

# ANNUAL TARO GROWERS SURVEY – 2015 SEASON

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**REPORT FOR THE ACREAGE YOU OPERATED OR MANAGED FOR THE 2015 SEASON.**

1. Did this operation have any **taro** acres for the **2015** season?

0740     **YES** – Go to Section 1         **NO** – Continue

2. Will this operation have any **taro** acres in the future?

0741     **YES** – Go to Section 2         **NO** – Go to Section 2         **DON'T KNOW** – Go to Section 2

**SECTION 1 – TARO PRODUCTION**

**REPORT FOR THE TARO GROWN ON THE LAND YOU OPERATED OR MANAGED FOR THE 2015 SEASON.**

Provide your best estimate of acres harvested, pounds of production, and price received for the taro you sold in 2015. Please make your best estimate of any remaining acreage and production to be harvested in 2015. If your records are incomplete or unavailable, please provide your best estimate.

1. How many **total acres** of taro were on this operation during the **2015** season?  
 (Include wetland and dryland taro acres.) .....
2. How many **acres** of taro were **harvested** for all purposes on this operation during the **2015** season?

<b>ACRES</b>	
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**(OVER)**

**POUNDS**

3. How many **pounds** of taro were **harvested** for all purposes during the **2015** season?  
 (Include taro grown for poi, fresh, and all other uses.) ..... 0744

	<b>AVERAGE PRICE (Dollars Per Pound)</b>	<b>OR</b>	<b>TOTAL DOLLARS RECEIVED</b>
	Price at local shipping point after deducting packing and marketing charges.		
4. What was the <b>average price per pound</b> or <b>total dollars received</b> for the (Item 3) pounds of taro harvested for all purposes during the <b>2015</b> season? .....	0745		0746

5. Did this operation **mill** any of the **2015** season taro crop?

0747    1  **YES** – Continue                    3  **NO** – Continue

**SECTION 2 – CONCLUSION**

1. **COMMENTS** about the **2015** taro crop in your locality are appreciated:

2. **SURVEY RESULTS:** To receive the complete results of this survey on the release date, go to  
[http://www.nass.usda.gov/Surveys/Guide\\_to\\_NASS\\_Surveys/](http://www.nass.usda.gov/Surveys/Guide_to_NASS_Surveys/)

Would you rather have a brief summary mailed to you at a later date?    9990    1  **YES**    3  **NO**

Respondent Name:	9911 Phone:	9910    MM    DD    YY Date:    _ _    _ _    _ _
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**Thank you for your response**

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