



# FORM Q-6 FIELD SCALE CHECK 2018



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STATISTICS  
SERVICE**

Year, Form, Month. ....

Region, State, District. ....

Scale ID. ....

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Scale Assigned  
to Enumerator: \_\_\_\_\_

Scale checked  
by Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_

1 - 5
__ 0 6 __ __
6 - 9
1 __ __ 1
10 - 18
3 __ __ __
19 - 22
0 __ __ __
671
672
<b>673</b>

OFFICE USE

### INSTRUCTIONS

The enumerator will weigh the test weights supplied by the supervisor. The supervisor will record the scale readings and the true weights for each test and compute the difference between them. The supervisor will not disclose the true weights until after the tests are completed and should not help or interfere with the weightings by the enumerator in any manner except to verify that the weights are identified correctly.

	SCALE READING		TRUE WEIGHT		DIFFERENCE		TOLERANCE
						CORN	COTTON    POTATOES
Test weight # 1. ....	601 ● __		605 ● __		609 ● __	.25 lb	2 g            10 g
Test weight # 1 and 2. ....	602 ● __		606 ● __		610 ● __	.50 lb	3 g            30 g
Test weight #1,2 and 3 (Except Potatoes). ....	603 ● __		607 ● __		611 ● __	.75 lb	4 g

Supervisor will remove from service any scale that does not meet tolerances on all tests.

Was scale removed from service? .....  Yes             No 613

Enter code(s) for all crops for which this scale is used..... 614

Corn = 2            **Crop Code**  
Cotton = 3  
Potatoes = 8            **Crop Code** 615