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CONFIDENTIAL CITRUS CROP QUESTIONNAIRE
 20__ - 20__

1. **Do you still own or manage commercial citrus in the Valley?** Yes No
 If yes, in which counties? Cameron County Hidalgo County Willacy County

1a. If you no longer own citrus, there is no need to complete the rest of the survey, but please return it to the address above.

2. **How much acreage do you now own or manage?**

	Total Acres		Harvestable Crop 20__ - 20__
Ruby Sweet Grapefruit	_____ Acres		_____ Acres
Rio Star Grapefruit	_____ Acres		_____ Acres
Early and Mid-Season Oranges	_____ Acres		_____ Acres
Navels	_____ Acres		_____ Acres
Valencias	_____ Acres		_____ Acres

3. **What was your average yield/acre in 20__ - 20__?**

Grapefruit	_____ Tons/Acre	_____ Total Tons
Early and Mid-Season Oranges	_____ Tons/Acre	_____ Total Tons
Navels	_____ Tons/Acre	_____ Total Tons
Valencias	_____ Tons/Acre	_____ Total Tons

4. **What do you estimate your tonnage will be in 20__ - 20__?**

Ruby Sweet Grapefruit	_____ Total Tons
Rio Star Grapefruit	_____ Total Tons
Early and Mid-Season Oranges	_____ Total Tons
Navels	_____ Total Tons
Valencias	_____ Total Tons

5. **Fruit Quality for 20__ - 20__ (please circle appropriate answer)**

	Shape	Rust Mite Damage	Melanose	Scarring	General Quality
Grapefruit	good	none	none	light	good
	fair	moderate	moderate	average	average
	poor	severe	severe	severe	poor
Early and Mid-Season Oranges	good	none	none	light	good
	fair	moderate	moderate	average	average
	poor	severe	severe	severe	poor
Navels	good	none	none	light	good
	fair	moderate	moderate	average	average
	poor	severe	severe	severe	poor

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Valencias	good	none	none	light	good
	fair	moderate	moderate	average	average
	poor	severe	severe	severe	poor

6. Fruit size for 20___ - 20___ (please check appropriate answer)

	Smaller than Average	Average	Larger than Average
Grapefruit	_____	_____	_____
Early and Mid-Season Oranges	_____	_____	_____
Navels	_____	_____	_____
Valencias	_____	_____	_____

7. How do you hope to market your fruit next season?

- Co-op _____
- Cash Buyer _____
- Juice _____
- Gift _____
- Roadside _____
- Other _____

8. Do you have plans to put in new acreage within the next 12 months? Yes No

Grapefruit (acres)	_____	Ruby Reds	_____	Star Ruby
	_____	Rays	_____	Henderson
Oranges (acres)	_____	Rio Red	_____	Other
	_____	Marrs	_____	Navels
	_____	Pineapple	_____	Valencia
	_____	Other	_____	

9. What do you think are the most serious problems facing the Texas citrus industry in the next few years?

Name: _____

Firm: _____

Address: (include City, State, and Zip Code) _____

Phone No. _____ Fax No. _____

Cell Phone No. _____

Please return this survey as soon as possible to the Texas Valley Citrus Committee.

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