

Non-substantive change request for the Hawaii Seed Crop Survey (0535-0002)

NASS entered into a cooperative agreement to conduct the Hawaii Seed Crop Survey on an annual basis. The survey was requested by and is funded by the Hawaii Department of Agriculture. The purpose of the project is to measure and publish estimates related to foundation seed, grow-out, and test plots. Estimates will be tracked to determine the growth and trend of Hawaii's largest dollar value agricultural commodity. Seed acreage, seed shipments, and total gross budget are collected from all seed crop farms (approximately 15). Much of the data are collected in other seed surveys included in OMB Control Number 0535-0002. One mailing is planned with phone followup. A report will be published by the NASS-Hawaii Field Office in May, 2022.

Adding this survey will add approximately four hours of burden. Total burden for the surveys in this ICR will increase from a total of 172,137 to 172,141 hours.

From:

Potato Grower Inquiry (Summer Potatoes)	0	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	2	0	0
Potato Grower Inquiry (Fall Potatoes)	1,100	1	880	880	5	73	220	220	2	7	80
Acreage & Disposition (Spring Potatoes)	0	1	0	0	20	0	0	0	2	0	0
Acreage & Disposition (Summer Potatoes)	0	1	0	0	20	0	0	0	2	0	0
Acreage & Disposition (Fall Potatoes)	1,400	1	1,120	1,120	20	373	280	280	2	9	382
Sweet Potato Price	0	2	0	0	15	0	0	0	2	0	0

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Survey	Estimated Sample Size	Freq	Estimated Responses				Non-response				Total Burden Hours
			Resp. Count	Freq x Count	Min./ Resp.	Burden Hours	Nonresp Count	Freq. x Count	Min/ Non Resp	Burden Hours	
Sugar Crops											
Sugarbeets	10	7	8	56	30	28	2	14	2	0	28
Sugar Cane Inquiry	20	11	16	176	15	44	4	44	2	1	45
Tobacco											
Tobacco Price Inquiry	2,200	2	1,760	3,520	10	587	440	880	2	29	616
Variety Surveys											
Wheat Variety ^{2/}	35,000	1	28,000	28,000	10	4,667	7,000	7,000	2	233	4,900
Wheat and Barley Variety ^{2/} (Montana version)	5,300	1	4,240	4,240	20	1,413	1,060	1,060	2	35	1,448
Potato Variety Survey ^{2/}	90	1	72	72	20	24	18	18	2	1	25
County Estimates											
County Agricultural Production Survey (CAPS) Small Grains	85,000	1	68,000	68,000	15	17,000	17,000	17,000	2	567	17,567
County Agricultural Production Survey (CAPS) Row Crops	124,000	1	99,200	99,200	20	33,067	24,800	24,800	2	827	33,894
Other Surveys											
Crop Progress and Condition Report (Crop Weather)	4,000	40	3,200	128,000	10	21,333	800	32,000	2	1,067	22,400
Cash Rent Survey	290,000	1	232,000	232,000	10	38,667	58,000	58,000	2	1,933	40,600
Wildlife Damage Survey ^{2/}	20,000	1	16,000	16,000	25	6,667	4,000	4,000	2	133	6,800
Publicity Materials (Cover Letters and EDR Instruction Sheet)											
All Surveys ^{2/}	578,915		447,132	449,116	5	37,426	131,783	112,279	2	3,743	41,169
Testing											
Cognitive Testing ^{3/}	200	1	200	200	30	100	0	0	2	0	100
Total	579,115		463,332	590,116		163,481	115,783	147,479		8,656	172,137

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^{3/} A small amount of respondent burden was included in this approval for small cognitive testing. Any large scale tests will be submitted under the Generic Testing docket 0535-0248.

Total (Original)	573,815	459,092	585,876	161,715	114,723	146,419	8,585	170,300
Total (Adjusted for Montana Wheat & Barley variety)	579,115	463,332	590,116	163,481	115,783	147,479	8,656	172,137
Difference (a negative means additional burden)	-5,300	-4,240	-4,240	-1,766	-1,060	-1,060	-71	-1,837

Total Change in Responses	-5,300
Total Change in Respondent Burden	-1,837

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Total	579,140		463,347	590,131		163,487	115,793	147,489		8,656	172,141

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Difference (a negative means additional burden)	-5,325	-4,255	-4,255	-1,772	-1,070	-1,070	-71	-1,841

Total Change in Responses	-5,325
Total Change in Respondent Burden	-1,843