Citrus Survey Practice Exercises

(Substitute which ever type of fruit is asked for “[specific fruit]” in the exercises)

Exercise 1
You are speaking with the operator
Name and address information are correct

Did this operation have any acres of the following Citrus Fruits? Yes

Does this operation have any [specific fruit] acres? Yes

How many total acres of [specific fruit] were on this operation? 21.0
Of the 21.0 total acres of [specific fruit], how many were of bearing age? 20.0

What is the expected total production or yield of [specific fruit] harvested? 15,000 - 40 Lb Cartons

(Answer if a second citrus crop is asked)
Does this operation have any [specific fruit] acres? Yes

How many total acres of [specific fruit] were on this operation? 50.0
Of the 50.0 total acres of [specific fruit], how many were of bearing age? 25.0 (just planted 25 acres last year that will not produce a crop for a couple more years)

What is the expected total production or yield of [specific fruit] harvested? 300 tons

Has no other citrus crops.

Do you have any comments on the development of fruit, quality, or market conditions for your citrus crop? I had trouble finding enough help to get the crops harvested.

Exercise 2
You are speaking with the manager
Name and address information are correct

Did this operation have any acres of the following Citrus Fruits? Yes

Does this operation have any [specific fruit] acres? Yes

How many total acres of [specific fruit] were on this operation? 125.0
Of the 125.0 total acres of [specific fruit], how many were of bearing age? 120.0

What is the expected total production or yield of [specific fruit] harvested? 0 (a late frost wiped out the entire crop)
(Same answers if other citrus crops are asked)
Exercise 3
You are speaking with the operator
Name and address information are correct

Did this operation have any acres of the following Citrus Fruits? No
Will this operation plant any of the following citrus fruits in the future? No

Has this operation been sold, rented, or turned over to someone else? No
Will the land be used for any agricultural purposes by you or anyone else in the next year? Yes (I am out of the citrus business but I still raise about 300 head of sheep)