

Vegetable Grower Inquiry Practice Exercise

Use average yield and price data from the vegetable handout to complete the following interviews. This sheet uses U.S. averages, so warnings might be triggered depending on the state in which you're practicing. (Additionally: this is only meant to be a basic guide, please feel free to deviate from the script to test things like reporting in different units, checking for warnings/errors, practicing different scenarios, etc.)

Practice Interview 1

Who is responding? **Operator**

Let me verify the name, address, and phone number that I have for this operation. Is this correct?

Yes

Did this operation grow any vegetable, melon, or herb crops in 2021? **Yes**

How many acres of vegetables, melons, and herbs were planted for harvest in [state] in 2021? **11.0**

How many acres of [specific vegetable] were planted in 2021? **11.0**

How many of these 11.0 acres of [specific vegetable] were or will be harvested in 2021? **10.0**

What was the total quantity of [specific vegetable] harvested or expected to be harvested in 2021?

Yield from handout X 10.0 harvested acres

What was the total quantity of [specific vegetable] sold or expected to be sold in 2021 for fresh market? **The total production you just calculated**

What was the average price or total dollars received for the [specific vegetable] sold for fresh market?

Price from handout

What was the total quantity of [specific vegetable] sold or expected to be sold in 2021 for processing?

0

What was the amount of [specific vegetable] used to make processed items for this operation to sell?

0

What was the amount of [specific vegetable] harvested, but not sold? **0**

Will this operation grow any vegetable crops, melons, or herbs in the future? **Yes**

Do you make any day-to-day decisions for another farm or ranch? **No**

This completes the survey! Thank you again.

Practice Interview 2

Who is responding? **Spouse (Mary Farmer)**

Let me verify the name, address, and phone number that I have for this operation. Is this correct?

Yes

Did this operation grow any vegetable or herb crops in 2021? **Yes**

How many acres of vegetables, melons, and herbs were planted for harvest in [state] in 2021? **310.0**

How many acres of [specific vegetable] were planted in 2021? **100.0**

How many of these 100.0 acres of [specific vegetable] were or will be harvested in 2021? **100.0**

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What was the total quantity of [specific vegetable] harvested or expected to be harvested in 2021?

Yield from handout X 100.0 harvested acres

What was the total quantity of [specific vegetable] sold or expected to be sold in 2021 for fresh market? **0**

What was the total quantity of [specific vegetable] sold or expected to be sold in 2021 for processing?

The total production you calculated

What was the average price or total dollars received for the [specific vegetable] sold for processing?

Price from handout

What was the amount of [specific vegetable] used to make processed items for this operation to sell?

0

What was the amount of [specific vegetable] harvested, but not sold? **0**

How many acres of [specific vegetable] were planted in 2021? **210.0**

How many of these 210.0 acres of [specific vegetable] were or will be harvested in 2021? **200.0**

What was the total quantity of [specific vegetable] harvested or expected to be harvested in 2021?

Yield from handout X 200.0 harvested acres

What was the total quantity of [specific vegetable] sold or expected to be sold in 2021 for fresh market? **Half**

of the total production you just calculated

What was the average price or total dollars received for the [specific vegetable] sold for fresh market?

Price from handout

What was the total quantity of [specific vegetable] sold or expected to be sold in 2021 for processing? **¼ of the total production you calculated**

What was the average price or total dollars received for the [specific vegetable] sold for fresh market?

Use the same price from handout

What was the amount of [specific vegetable] used to make processed items for this operation to sell?

0

What was the amount of [specific vegetable] harvested, but not sold? **The remaining ¼ of calculated production**

(Operator had no other vegetable acres in 2021)

Do you make any day-to-day decisions for another farm or ranch? **No**

This completes the survey! Thank you again.