

# BEE AND HONEY INQUIRY - December 2013

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1. During 2013, did this operation own or control any apiaries?

2701    <sub>1</sub>  **Yes** – Go to Item 3, page 2.

<sub>3</sub>  **No** – Continue

2. Did this operation have any honey stocks for sale in 2013 from any production year?

2703    <sub>1</sub>  **Yes** – Go to Item 3, page 2. (Complete Columns 1 and 5.)

<sub>3</sub>  **No** – Go to Item 5, page 3.

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Please Complete the Following Questions for All Apiaries You Owned or Controlled During 2013

3. Report for each State in which you had colonies or stocks, starting with North Dakota first. It is possible to report the same colonies in more than one State.

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| <b>State</b><br>(List all States in which this operation had colonies in <b>2013</b> or stocks from any year.) | <b>What was the largest number of colonies, for all purposes, that this operation had in 2013 in this State?</b><br>(Include colonies for honey production, pollination, hobby, etc.)<br><b>Colonies</b> | <b>From how many of these colonies did you harvest or "pull off" honey in this State?</b><br><b>Colonies</b> | <b>How many total pounds of honey were harvested in this State from these colonies?</b><br><b>Pounds</b> | <b>How many pounds of honey stocks did this operation have for sale in this State on Dec 15<sup>th</sup> 2013?</b><br>(Exclude honey under government or CCC loans.)<br><b>Pounds</b> |
| <b>North Dakota</b>  | 701  | 702  | 703  | 704   |
| 800<br>State: _____  | 801  | 802  | 803  | 804   |
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4. How many **TOTAL POUNDS** of honey did this operation harvest in all States in 2013? (Total should be sum of column 4).....

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5. Did you **sell** any honey during **2013**? (Include **sales** of honey produced in **2012**.)

- 1  Yes (Continue)  
 3  No (Go to Item 7.)

6. Please report **2013** sales of honey, by class and by year of production. Report the pounds sold and dollars received in **2013** by this operation for honey produced by this operation in **2012** and **2013**.  
 (Do not include resale of honey produced by another operation.)

| HONEY COLOR CLASS  | MARKETING CHANNEL   | HONEY PRODUCED BY THIS OPERATION IN 2013 |  | HONEY PRODUCED BY THIS OPERATION IN 2012 |  |
|--|---|--|--|--|--|
|  |   | Pounds Sold in 2013                      | Dollars Received in 2013 <sup>1/</sup> | Pounds Sold in 2013                      | Dollars Received in 2013 <sup>1/</sup> |
| <b>Water white, extra white, and white (0 – 34 mm)</b>   | Sales to Cooperatives                                       | 727                                      |  | 725                                      |  |
|  | Sales to Private Processing Companies                       | 723                                      | 724 \$                                 | 721                                      | 722 \$                                 |
|  | Wholesale Sales (grocery stores, restaurants, distributors) | 718                                      | 719 \$                                 | 716                                      | 717 \$                                 |
|  | Retail Sales (direct to consumers)                          | 731                                      | 732 \$                                 | 729                                      | 730 \$                                 |
| <b>Extra light amber (35 - 50mm)</b>   | Sales to Cooperatives                                       | 739                                      |  | 737                                      |  |
|  | Sales to Private Processing Companies                       | 735                                      | 736 \$                                 | 733                                      | 734 \$                                 |
|  | Wholesale Sales (grocery stores, restaurants, distributors) | 714                                      | 715 \$                                 | 712                                      | 713 \$                                 |
|  | Retail Sales (direct to consumers)                          | 743                                      | 744 \$                                 | 741                                      | 742 \$                                 |
| <b>Light amber, amber and dark amber (51+ mm)</b>  | Sales to Cooperatives                                       | 751                                      |  | 749                                      |  |
|  | Sales to Private Processing Companies                       | 747                                      | 748 \$                                 | 745                                      | 746 \$                                 |
|  | Wholesale Sales (grocery stores, restaurants, distributors) | 775                                      | 776 \$                                 | 773                                      | 774 \$                                 |
|  | Retail Sales (direct to consumers)                          | 755                                      | 756 \$                                 | 753                                      | 754 \$                                 |
| <b>Area specialties: Sourwood, tupelo, buckwheat, etc.</b><br>(Honey not included in any of the above color classes) | Sales to Cooperatives                                       | 763                                      |  | 761                                      |  |
|  | Sales to Private Processing Companies                       | 759                                      | 760 \$                                 | 757                                      | 758 \$                                 |
|  | Wholesale Sales (grocery stores, restaurants, distributors) | 771                                      | 772 \$                                 | 769                                      | 770 \$                                 |
|  | Retail Sales (direct to consumers)                          | 767                                      | 768 \$                                 | 765                                      | 766 \$                                 |

<sup>1/</sup> Report receipts before deductions of marketing charges such as transportation, grading, container costs, etc.

Complete Items 7, 8 and 9 only if the operation named on the label did NOT report for Items 3, 4, or 6; otherwise, go to Item 10.

7. Will this operation own or control any apiaries in 2014?

2702 <sub>1</sub>  Yes <sub>3</sub>  No

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8. Has the operation named on the label been sold, rented, or turned over to someone else?

Yes – (Continue)       No

Will the land be used for any agricultural purpose by you (the operator), or anyone else in the next year, or will you control or own bee colonies in the future? Include growing crops, grains, row crops, oilseeds, fruits, vegetables, or specialty crops, raising any livestock or poultry.

Yes       Don't Know       No

(Regardless of answer to above, write a note to explain the situation.)

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9. What is the name and address of the new operation that has taken over the land or colonies?

Operation Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Operator Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

10. **SURVEY RESULTS:** To receive the complete results of this survey on the release date, go to [www.nass.usda.gov/results](http://www.nass.usda.gov/results).

Would you rather have a brief summary mailed to you at a later date?

<sub>1</sub>  Yes      <sub>3</sub>  No

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Comments:

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Respondent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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| 3-Inac           |            | 3-Acct/Bkpr |       | 3-Face-to-Face |        |     |     |     |
| 4-Office Hold    |            | 4-Partner   |       | 4-CATI         |        |     |     |     |
| 5-R – Est        |            | 9-Oth       |       | 5-Web          |        |     |     |     |
| 6-Inac – Est     |            |             |       | 6-e-mail       |        |     |     |     |
| 7-Off Hold – Est |            |             |       | 7-Fax          |        |     |     |     |
| 8-Known Zero     |            |             |       | 8-CAPI         |        |     |     |     |
|                  |            |             |       | 19-Other       |        |     |     |     |

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