



**United States Department of Agriculture**

Farm and Foreign Agricultural Services  
Risk Management Agency

**INFORMATIONAL MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** All Reinsured Companies  
All Risk Management Agency Field Offices

**FROM:** Kenneth D. Ackerman /s/ Ken Ackerman 8-11-00  
Administrator

**SUBJECT:** 2001 & 2002 Perennial Crop Transitional Yield and Acreage Tolerance Listing

The 2001 & 2002 Perennial Crop Transitional Yield and Acreage Tolerance Listing (Listing) has been issued/released. This Listing provides transitional yields (T-Yields) for perennials listed for the 2001 crop year and for the 2002 crop year for Arizona, California and Texas citrus crops and Hawaii macadamia nuts.

The Listing will be available electronically via the Risk Management Agency's (RMA) Home Page. The RMA Website is : <http://www.rma.usda.gov/data/>

For questions regarding the Perennial Crop Transitional Yield and Acreage Tolerance Listing, please contact Sharon Hestvik, Insurance Services, at (202) 720-6685.

**DISPOSAL DATE:**

This Informational Memorandum is for the purpose of transmitting information and the expiration date is December 31, 2001.

Attachment



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**Updates For**  
**The 2001 & 2002 Perennial Crop Transitional Yield and**  
**Acreage Tolerance Listing:**

**Davis RO (was the Sacramento RO):**

1. Updated using more recent yield history for Plum, Stonefruit, and Walnut crops.

**Jackson RO:**

1. No changes.

**Oklahoma City RO:**

1. No changes.

**Raleigh RO:**

1. Blueberries- updated T-yields from 1999 (1990 through 1999 NASS data) for Maine, New Jersey, and North Carolina.
2. Grapes- updated T-yields (factored 1992 and 1997 Ag Census Data by County with State NASS Data and prior T-yields; also listed Grape Type Codes for 2001) for New York and Pennsylvania.
3. Peaches - updated T-yields (factored state NASS data) for Maryland, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, Virginia, and West Virginia.

**Springfield RO:**

1. Updated T-yields for apples, Michigan.
2. Added new grape and peach county, Michigan.

**St. Paul RO:**

1. No changes.

**Spokane RO:**

1. The Apple type code has changed in all states and counties. Type code 111 (Fresh) is no longer applicable.
2. Grape type codes for wine types changed from type codes 271, 272, 273, and 274 to type codes 281, 282, 283, and 284 respectively.
3. Cranberry T-yield Table values changed and factors were assigned for each county. Changes.

**Topeka RO:**

1. A revision was made in the Colorado apple T-yield table.

**Valdosta RO:**

1. New peach varieties and New statement regarding tree populations were added.