

## **Instructions on How to Fill Out the Productive Capacity Information Sheet for B.C. Apple Growers**

This Productive Capacity Information Sheet must be filled out by all B.C. Apple Producers who are **new participants** to the CAIS program. Producers who submitted this sheet for their 2003 CAIS application will not have to re-submit the Productive Capacity Information Sheet for 2004.

**For 2004:** enter the acres of apple trees in the appropriate category based on age and density.

**For 1999 to 2003:** you have two options for providing the historical information:

a) Enter the acres of apple trees for each year in the appropriate category based on age and density. This option provides the most accurate information and would be the recommended method.

OR:

b) Enter the total acres of apple trees for each year on line code 5094 *Apples, 5+ years of fruit production*. If you use this option, we will measure each reference year at the maximum productive units.

**Note:** When filling out your 2004 production information on the Crop Inventory page of the application (pg 2) you must use the following codes:

- 5087 Apples, Non-Bearing (will only need to report acreage)
- 5088 Apples, 1<sup>st</sup> year of fruit production, low density
- 5089 Apples, 1<sup>st</sup> year of fruit production, medium density
- 5090 Apples, 1<sup>st</sup> year of fruit production, high density
- 5091 Apples, 2<sup>nd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> year of fruit production, low density
- 5092 Apples, 2<sup>nd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> year of fruit production, medium density
- 5093 Apples, 2<sup>nd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> year of fruit production, high density
- 5094 Apples, 5+ years of fruit production

Please complete the *Productive Capacity Information Sheet* and include it when submitting your 2004 CAIS Supplementary Application to the CAIS Administration. If you have already submitted your 2004 CAIS Supplementary Application, submit the *Productive Capacity Information Sheet* to the CAIS Administration by the application deadline of **September 30, 2005**. This will allow the Administration to process your claim more quickly. Please ensure you include your name and PIN at the top of the *Productive Capacity Information Sheet* and send to:

CAIS Administration  
P.O. Box 3200  
Winnipeg, Manitoba R3C 5R7

If you have any questions, please call the CAIS Administration toll-free at 1-866-367-8506.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PIN: \_\_\_\_\_

## BRITISH COLUMBIA APPLE GROWERS PRODUCTIVE CAPACITY INFORMATION

*This Productive Capacity Information Sheet must be completed by all B.C. Apple Producers. The CAIS Administration uses the information on this sheet to adjust the reference year production margins, where necessary, to determine and account for any structural change that may have occurred on the farming operation.*

<u>Code</u>	<u>Inventory Description/Tree Age</u>	<u>*Planting Density</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>
	<u>Partnership percentage</u>							
5087	Apples, Non-Bearing	N/A						
5088	Apples, 1st year of fruit production, low density	Low						
5089	Apples, 1st year of fruit production, medium density	Medium						
5090	Apples, 1st year of fruit production, high density	High						
5091	Apples, 2nd to 4th year of fruit production, low density	Low						
5092	Apples, 2nd to 4th year of fruit production, medium density	Medium						
5093	Apples, 2nd to 4th year of fruit production, high density	High						
5094	Apples, 5 + years of fruit production	N/A						

*Note: Indicate the number of acres (owned, rented, and your share of crop share acres if you are a tenant) for this operation for the applicable years (1999-2004). If you are a partner, report 100% of the acreage. Enter the acres of apple trees for each year, in the appropriate category, based on age and density as described below.*

### Inventory Description/ Tree Age

**Apples, Non-Bearing** – the number of acres of trees from which you would not expect to harvest fruit in that year. This would not include trees that did not produce fruit due to circumstances beyond your control, such as frost. It would include replanted trees that were not yet producing harvestable fruit in that year.

**Apples, 1<sup>st</sup> year of fruit production** – the number of acres of trees from which you would expect to harvest the first year of fruit.

**Apples, 2<sup>nd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> year of fruit production** – the number of acres of trees from which you would expect to harvest the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 4<sup>th</sup> years of fruit.

**Apples, 5+ years of fruit production** – the number of acres of mature trees from which you would expect to harvest the 5<sup>th</sup> year and any additional years, of fruit.

### \*Planting Density

**Low Density** - less than 500 trees per acre.

**Medium Density** - between 500 and 999 trees per acre.

**High Density** - 1000 or more trees per acre.