

Cherry Industry Administrative Board

Weekly Raw Product Report

Week 5

Weekly Raw Product Report for Week 5 ending August 6, 2011 (Millions of pounds)						
DIST.	Processed		Divert	YTD Total	2011 Est.	2010 Total
	Wk 5	YTD				
NW MI	24.9	89.7	0.0	89.7	135.0	65.3
WC MI	0.8	48.0	0.0	48.0	55.0	57.2
SW MI	0.4	16.4	0.4	16.9	20.0	11.9
NY	0.3	5.7	0.0	5.7	6.5	7.5
OR	0.4	0.6	0.0	0.6	1.7	1.2
PA	0.0	3.1	0.0	3.1	3.2	2.2
UT	10.9	15.3	0.2	15.5	24.0	22.8
WA	6.0	15.1	0.0	15.1	12.0	15.4
WI	<u>2.7</u>	<u>5.2</u>	<u>0.0</u>	<u>5.2</u>	<u>8.7</u>	<u>5.5</u>
Total	46.4	199.1	0.6	199.7	266.1	189

The crop is much smaller both nationally and in the restricted Mid-West states than was estimated. As of this week it is 71.8% of estimate. Fewer cherries will cause the restriction percentage to be less, but we cannot yet say how much smaller.

All the districts in MI and NY were or will be short of their estimates. NW MI is still harvesting, but there is not much more expected to be processed from there. WC MI is done.

WA is already at 125.8% of estimate. UT is also expected to be more than its estimate. However, the extra from these states will not fully offset the short crops in the other states.

Following discussions at the June meeting, the CIAB has established a committee to review the OSF and compliance alternatives. It will report back to the CIAB at the September meeting with its recommendations.