**Wrap Up:**

**August Potato PDI and Annual Potato Processors (195):** PDI ended. Good job getting the influential operators! Thank you all! As a post survey wrap-up, please let us know your honest opinion of using the training teleconference via email to wendy.vance@usda.gov.  

**Hop Aug AP 2018 Forecast (198):** All data collection ended on August 5. Idaho completed 100% of their assignments and they were all completes. We do not use a DCC for this survey.  

**Apple/Peach/Pear Aug 2018 AP Forecast (134):** All data collection ended on August 6.  

**Cranberry Aug AP 2018 Forecast (134):** All data collection ended on August 6. CAPI enumeration outperformed the DCC by over 25% in this survey. Great job here!  

**Grape Aug AP 2018 Forecast (134):** All data collection ended on August 6. This response was 6% better than we had last year. CAPI and DCC success was similar. We need to keep improving here and the Washington grape PDI next May is the first opportunity.  

**Goat NAHMS (930):** The Goat NAHMS data collection period for phase 1 wrapped up on August 9. Our inaccessible rate was about 7% which was a good indication our CAPI folks made a strong attempt to contact everyone.  

Both states – Oregon and Washington -- were pretty much the same in term of refusal rates, out of scope operations, and success rates.  

Thank you for your effort here!

**Current Events:**

**Ag Yield (128):** Records for September Yield are available and should have been assigned by Monday, August 26. Most are matches with Pea & Lentil or Small Grain CAPS surveys. Data collection will run from August 30 – Sep 5 EOD. September AY is only for ID and WA; no OR records.
Wheat Objective Yield (WOY) (101): WOY is going through the last data collection period of the year this week. Only a handful of forms remain. Thank you to all the enumerators who braved the hot wheat fields to collect their counts, clips, and gleanings. It will start all over again next April at WOY Workshop.

Dry Pea and Lentil (191): Data collection begins on August 30. All completed forms are due in CAPI by September 5 at 8:00pm.

Small Grains CAPS (939): Data collection began August 23 for all matches with Peas and Lentils. Data collection begins August 30 for Ag Yield and September Crops APS matches. All other Small Grains CAPS will begin data collection September 5. Data collection for Small Grains CAPS ends October 10. Please DO NOT enter any inaccessibles during September data collection. We will have several weeks to keep trying after the September surveys are done. Please read all notes from the office and enumerate all matched surveys at the same time.

September Crops APS (126) Data collection begins August 30. All completed forms are due in CAPI by September 16 at noon. Please read all notes from the office and enumerate all matched surveys at the same time.

Upcoming Events:

Arms II (906): The sample for ARMSII has been released and supervisors are making assignments. Regional workshops are September 17-18 in Boise, ID, September 23-26 in the Pasco, WA, and September 25-27 in Portland, OR. Study packets will be sent with study authorization letters 1-2 weeks before the workshop. Data collection begins at the end of the workshop you attend.

Vegetable Grower Inquiry (137): Data collection will begin in late October. Supervisors will be asked to make assignments in early September, before Fruit Chem and ARMS2 Workshops. Stay tuned.

October Labor Surveys (956): The October 2019 Ag Labor Survey assignments are ready to be reviewed by supervisors. Assignments are being provided earlier than normal as there are many matches with the Fruit Chemical Usage and ARMS 2 surveys, as well as the significant increase in the Labor survey sample since last October. The sample size is similar to the April Labor survey. NASDA budget allocations have been made to allow more in person contacts with the larger sample. Follow-up data collection period will run tentatively from October 21 to November 6. Further guidelines for the matches with the Fruit Chemical and ARMS 2 survey are forth coming. So stay tuned for that. If you have any questions or concerns, please let us know via email. Thank you.

Cooperation is the thorough conviction that nobody can get there unless everybody gets there. ~ Virginia Burden