

Please fill out and return by March 10, 2010 to Cheryl Smith.

Late Blight Survey for New Hampshire Growers:

Your Name _____ Farm Name _____ County _____

** Are you a **Conventional** or **Organic** grower (please circle)

1. Where (from what source) did you first hear of the late blight outbreak?

2. From what source did you obtain the most useful information for management of late blight?

3. On which crops did you get late blight? (circle all that apply):

Field tomatoes

Tunnel/Greenhouse Tomatoes

Potatoes

If you had late blight on FIELD TOMATOES, please answer the following questions:

4. How many acres did you grow in 2009? _____

5. What was your average price per pound for field tomatoes in 2009? _____

6. Did you have a reduction in yield of FIELD TOMATOES due to late blight infection? Yes / No

If yes, what percentage (%) of your FIELD TOMATO crop did you harvest this year? _____

7. Did you notice differences in late blight susceptibility of different FIELD TOMATO varieties? Yes / No

If yes, please describe: _____

8. Did you apply fungicides to control late blight? Yes / No

If yes, did you spend more than usual on fungicides? Yes / No....If yes, an estimate of increased cost per A

OR total cost + acreage applied would be appreciated. _____

9. As a result of your experience with late blight in 2009, will you change any TOMATO production practices?

If yes, please explain (change in acreage, different crops or varieties, fungicide use, different market, etc.):

If you had late blight on HIGH TUNNEL or GREENHOUSE TOMATOES, please answer the following:

10. How many square feet of TUNNEL/GREENHOUSE TOMATOES did you grow in 2009? _____

11. What was your average price per pound for TUNNEL TOMATOES in 2009? _____

12. Did you have a reduction in yield of TUNNEL TOMATOES due to late blight infection? Yes / No

If yes, what percentage (%) of your TUNNEL TOMATOE crop did you harvest this year? _____

13. Did you notice differences in late blight susceptibility of different TUNNEL TOMATOE varieties? Yes / No

If yes, please describe: _____

14. Did you apply fungicides to control late blight in TUNNEL TOMATOES ? Yes / No

If yes, did you spend more than usual on fungicides? Yes / No....If yes, an estimate of increased cost per A
OR total cost + acreage applied would be appreciated. _____

15. As a result of your experience with late blight in 2009, will you change any TOMATO production practices?

If yes, please explain (change in acreage, different crops or varieties, fungicide use, different market, etc.):

If you had late blight on POTATOES, please answer the following:

16. How many acres of POTATOES did you grow in 2009? _____

17. What was your average price per pound POTATOES in 2009? _____

18. Did you have a reduction in yield of POTATOES due to late blight infection? Yes / No

If yes, what percentage (%) of your POTATOE crop did you harvest this year? _____

19. Did you notice differences in late blight susceptibility of different POTATO varieties? Yes / No

If yes, please describe: _____

20. Did you apply fungicides to control late blight in POTATOES in 2009? Yes / No

If yes, did you spend more than usual on fungicides? Yes / No....If yes, an estimate of increased cost per A
OR total cost + acreage applied would be appreciated. _____

As a result of your experience with late blight in 2009, will you change any POTATO production practices?

If yes, please explain (change in acreage, different crops or varieties, fungicide use, different market, etc.):

Please return survey to: Cheryl Smith, UNH Cooperative Extension, Spaulding Hall, 38 Academic Way, Durham NH 03824.
You may also fax or email responses to (fax) 603-862-2717 or email: cheryl.smith@unh.edu. THANK YOU!!