

2009 Mango Flowering Survey

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Are your mangoes flowering?

The Northern Territory Government (RDPIFR) is currently running the flowering survey for the 2009 crop forecast. The information you provide will be used to predict the fruiting pattern for the 2009 Australian mango season, information that will benefit you and the industry as a whole. All individual information will be confidential and only regional information will be published.

The first crop forecast will be available on the internet from August.

If you would like us to email updates out to you please leave your email address:

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How it works?

First fill out the information on the region your orchard is located in, the types of mangoes you grow and the number of trees. Since different regions such as Katherine, Berry Springs, or Kununurra experience very different temperatures this information is important in determining which areas are flowering and when their season will start.

	Growing Area <i>(ie Darwin, Katherine, Bundaberg, Mareeba, Dimbulah, Kununurra, Carnarvon)</i>	Major Varieties	No of Trees
Farm 1			
Farm 2			

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Flowering Pattern

Flowering in KP should be counted when you can first see the bud emerge, in Florida and Calypso it should be counted when there is a full panicle of approximately 2/3 open flowers.

Guess the amount (%) of flowering that occurred. It doesn't have to add up to 100%

Fill in the following survey on a whole-farm basis, not for individual blocks. There is room for two separate farms if you manage a number of orchards.

	Variety	May		June		Total
		Early	Late	Early	Late	
<i>Example</i>	<i>Kensington Pride</i>	20%	15%	35%		70%
Farm 1						
Farm 2						

	Variety	July		August		Total
		Early	Late	Early	Late	
Farm 1						
Farm 2						

Please fax the completed survey back to DRDP/IFR Plant Industries office on (08) 8999 2049

Email chelsea.moore@nt.gov.au

Or complete the survey online at: www.horticulture.nt.gov.au

Thank you for your assistance.