Northern Michigan FruitNet 2015
Northwest Michigan Horticultural Research Center

Special Update

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The 2015 Michigan Fruit Crop Guesstimate was held today in Grand Rapids. This session was the 60th Anniversary of this estimate, which was hosted by the Michigan Frozen Food Packers Association. Growers and consultants representing different areas of Michigan provided the following estimates. In the case of tart cherries, growers represented the different tart cherry growing states as well as the regions of Michigan:

Tart Cherries (million pounds)

Michigan

- Northwest: 86
- West Central: 33
- Southwest: 27.5

Total: 146.5

New York	10
Pennsylvania	3.5
Wisconsin	9
Utah	35
Washington	25
Oregon	1.5
U.S. total:	230.5
Ontario:	7

Sweet Cherries (million pounds)

Michigan: 15

- Canned: 1
- Frozen: 4.3
- Brine: 8.5

Apples (000 bushels)

Michigan (total numbers of bushels)

- Northwest: 2,119,000
- Southeast: 901,000
- West Central: 16,000,000

- Southwest: 2,900,000

Michigan total: 22,500,000

Blueberries (million pounds)

Michigan: 85