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**Department of Agriculture,
 Water and the Environment**

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Macadamia nuts Monthly Return

Version	Please use this form for Macadamia nuts returns from 1 January 2021
Completing this form	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enter your business details in Section A • Complete and sign the declaration in Section B • Enter your return totals in Section C
For assistance contact	Levies Management free call: 1800 020 619 Email: levies.management@awe.gov.au
Before lodging	See agriculture.gov.au/ag-farm-food/levies/rates/macadamia for details about how the levy might apply to you.
Lodge return online	Access agriculture.gov.au/ag-farm-food/levies/lodging-returns-paying-levies/leviesonline
Form must include	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Total quantity of macadamia nuts and amount of levy/charge paid • Information about lodgement • A signed declaration
Declaration	A signed declaration and ticked box confirming that you have the authority in writing to act on behalf of the organisation and that the information is correct. The declaration must be signed by, in the case of; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • an individual – that person • a body corporate – a company director, company secretary, or a principal officer • a partnership – one of the partners
Due date	Monthly return Return and payment are due within 1 month and 28 days after the end of the applicable levy period. For example , the return and payment are <u>due on or before 28 March</u> for macadamia nuts delivered, processed, exported, bought, sold between 1 January and 31 January
When completed send this form via	Email: levies.management@awe.gov.au Fax: 1800 609 150 Mail: Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment – Levies Locked Bag 4488 KINGSTON ACT 2604
EFT payments	Account name: Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment Official Administered Receipts BSB: 092 009 Account number: 111 700 Reference: <i>your LRS account number & business name</i>
Late payments	Late levy payments will incur a penalty that is calculated daily at a compounding rate of 2% each month, including any penalties you have already accrued, until you have paid the outstanding return amount in full.
Legislation	Fields marked with an asterisk (*) are mandatory fields that must be completed in accordance with the Primary Industries Levies and Charges Collection Act 1991 and the Primary Industries Levies and Charges Regulations 1991 .



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OFFICE USE ONLY
Date:
Return ID:
Signed:

SECTION A: Lodgement details

LRS account number Month ended* / /

Please note that your LRS account number is required for account management purposes.

ABN/ACN*

Name*

Please note that name can be either the name of a company or an individual. Please use whichever is most relevant.

Address*

Postal Address*

Phone

Fax

Email

Method of payment: EFT Cheque Money Order Levy/Charge paid* \$

Date deposited: ____/____/____

SECTION B: Declaration

Declaration: I declare that to the best of my knowledge the information contained on this return form and any attachments is correct in every essential detail. Giving false or misleading information is a criminal offence.

Title

First name*

Last name*

I have the authority to sign this declaration as a director, secretary or principal officer of the body corporate, partner, owner or other person, authorised in writing to act on behalf of this organisation.

Signature*

Date*

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SECTION C: Total quantity and levy/charge details

Macadamia Nuts

Commodity	LMU	(i) TOTAL Actual quantity	(ii) TOTAL Deemed quantity	(i) + (ii) = (iii) TOTAL Leviable/Chargeable Quantity	(iv) Levy/Charge Rate	(iii) x (iv) = Levy/Charge Payable/Paid
Dried kernel Domestic	071	Kg 07a	Kg 07b	Kg 07	25.21cents/kg	\$ A
Dried kernel Export	071	Kg 09a	Kg 09b	Kg 09	25.21cents/kg	\$ B
TOTAL LEVY/CHARGE PAYABLE/PAID (A + B)						\$

GST is not applied to Australian Government levies and charges.

SECTION D: Exemptions

A producer of macadamia nuts is not liable to pay the levy and charge on the macadamia nuts that are sold or used to manufacture oil or to manufacture goods that are not for human consumption.

A producer of macadamia nuts is also not liable to pay the levy or charge if the total amount of charge and levy payable on the macadamia nuts in the calendar year is less than \$120.

SECTION E: Privacy notice

Personal information means any information or opinion about an identified or reasonably identifiable individual.

The collection of mandatory information as denoted by an asterisk (*) is authorised by the *Primary Industries Levies and Charges Collection Act 1991* (the Act) and the Primary Industries Levies and Charges Collection Regulations 1991 for the purpose of administering the macadamia nuts levy and charge. If you do not provide the mandatory information requested in this form, you will be in breach of the Act and the Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment may be required to take action. The personal information collected may include information in relation to your business, including your ABN, business name, contact person details, email address, physical address and phone number.

The department may disclose your personal information to other Australian government agencies, such as the Australian Bureau of Statistics, and persons or organisations, such as Horticulture Innovation Australia Limited and the Australian Macadamia Society, where necessary for the above purposes, provided the disclosure is consistent with relevant laws, in particular the *Primary Industries Levies and Charges Collection Act 1991* and the *Privacy Act 1988* (Privacy Act).

Your personal information will be used and stored in accordance with the Australian Privacy Principles. See the department's Privacy Policy at: awe.gov.au/about/commitment/privacy to learn more about accessing or correcting personal information or making a complaint. Alternatively, you can telephone the department on 02 6272 3933.

SECTION F: Definitions

Macadamia nut means a nut of the species *Macadamia integrifolia* or *Macadamia tetraphylla* or a hybrid of those species and includes macadamia nut in shell, as extracted kernel or as dried kernel.

Dried kernel, for macadamia nuts, means macadamia nut kernels that have been artificially partly dried.