



QUARTERLY RETURN FOR HORTICULTURE (rates to 30 June 2019)

****Call the Levies Management free call number on 1800 020 619 or email levies.management@agriculture.gov.au for assistance completing your return****

1. How to complete your levy return

- a) Use BLOCK LETTERS and do not use pencil
- b) A street address must be provided in the “business address” field
- c) If your postal address is a post office box or post office bag, provide these details in the “postal address” field
- d) If both addresses are the same, write the words “as above” in the postal address field
- e) Review the form to ensure that all fields are completed accurately and that you have provided your unique LRS number and signed the declaration.

2. How to lodge your return and make a payment

- a) Please refer to the relevant horticulture levy information page on the department’s website for information about how a levy or charge may apply to you. The levy information pages are available at: agriculture.gov.au/ag-farm-food/levies/commodities#horticulture
- b) Alternatively, access [Levies Online](#) to lodge your return online.
- c) When you have completed all required fields, forward your return together with payment to:

Mail: Department of Agriculture and Water Resources – Levies
Locked Bag 4488
KINGSTON ACT 2604

Email: levies.management@agriculture.gov.au

Fax: 1800 609 150

- d) You can pay your levy by electronic funds transfer (EFT):

Bank: Reserve Bank of Australia

BSB: 092 009

Account number: 111 700

Account name: AFFA Official Administered Receipts

Reference: enter prefix ‘LRS’ followed by your unique LRS number and business name.

Example: LRS12345 AZ Wholesale

- e) You can also pay your levy by cheque or money order, made out and mailed to:

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3. When do I need to lodge my return and payment

Your quarterly return and payment is due within 28 days of the end of the quarter.

Example: for the quarter ending 30 June, your return and payment is due on or before 28 July.

If you pay your levy late you will incur a penalty that is calculated daily at a compounding rate of 2 per cent of the unpaid amount each month, including any penalties you have already accrued, until you have paid the outstanding amount in full.

4. Making a declaration

The declaration on the return form must be completed and signed by:

- a) In the case of an individual – that person
- b) In the case of a body corporate – a company director, company secretary, or a principal officer
- c) In the case of a partnership – one of the partners.



Quarterly Horticulture Levy Return

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*.

LRS Account Number

Quarter ended*

Personal information about the person lodging the return

Full name* (please print)

Business address or residential address* (not a post office box or post office bag)

<input type="text"/>	
<input type="text"/>	Postcode

Post office box or post office bag*

<input type="text"/>	
<input type="text"/>	Postcode

Phone number

Fax number

Email address

Australian Business Number or Australian Company Number*

Method of payment

Cheque ☐ EFT ☐

Date deposited

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Levy or charge paid*

\$

Note: Payment of levy not received by the due date may attract late payment penalty. The department does not issue receipts.

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 serious offence"**

Full name of declarant* (please print)

Mr/Mrs/Dr/Ms/Miss

Signature*

Date*

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Please estimate how long it took for you to complete this return form

(hours)

On completion, forward your return together with the payment to:

Email: levies.management@agriculture.gov.au

Fax: 1800 609 150, or

Mail to:

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KINGSTON ACT 2604

OFFICE USE ONLY

Date entered:

Return number:

Signed

Quarterly Horticulture Return

LRS account number

Quarter Ended

Levy No. 072	Type	Domestic Quantity	Type	Export Quantity	Levy/Charge rate	Levy/Charge \$ payable c
Chestnuts (<i>kilograms</i>)	01		02		11 cents/kg	

Subtotal A

Levy No. 087						
Stone Fruit (<i>kilograms</i>)	07		08		1 cent/kg	

Subtotal B

Levy No. 095						
Sweet potatoes (<i>gross \$ value</i>)	01		02		1.5 %	

Subtotal C

Levy No. 097						
Vegetables (<i>gross \$ value</i>)	01		02		0.51%	

Subtotal D

Levy No. 116						
Passionfruit – packed (<i>cartons</i>)	01		04		40 cents/carton	
Passionfruit – not packed (<i>8 kilograms</i>)	02		05		40 cents/8kg	
Passionfruit – processing (<i>kilograms</i>)	03		06		3 cents/kg	

Subtotal E

Levy No. 066						
Potato – unprocessed (<i>tonnes</i>)	01		03		60 cents/tonne	
Potato – processing (<i>tonnes</i>)	02			-- N/A --	50 cents/tonne	

Subtotal F

Levy No. 069						
Avocado (<i>kilograms</i>)	05		07		7.5 cents/kg	
Avocado – processing (<i>kilograms</i>)	06			-- N/A --	1 cent/kg	

Subtotal G

Levy No.080						
Onions (<i>tonnes</i>)	01		02		\$4.00/tonne	

Subtotal H

Levy No. 126						
Table grapes (<i>kilograms</i>)	01		02		1 cent/kg	

Subtotal I

Levy No. 130						
Mangoes (<i>kilograms</i>)	01		02		1.893 cents/kg	

Subtotal J

Levy No. 136						
Papaya (<i>kilograms</i>)	01		03		2 cents/kg	
Papaya – processing (<i>kilograms</i>)	02			-- N/A --	0.25 cents/kg	

Subtotal K

Levy No. 144						
Persimmons (<i>kilograms</i>)	01		02		6.25 cents/kg	

Subtotal L

Levy No. 104						
Almonds – in shell all varieties other than Nonpareil (<i>kilograms</i>)	01		04		1.1 cent/kg	
Almonds – in shell non pareil (<i>kilograms</i>)	02		05		1.6 cents/kg	
Almonds – shelled all varieties (<i>kilograms</i>)	03		06		2.13 cents/kg	

Subtotal M

Quarterly Horticulture Return

LRS account number

Quarter Ended

Type	Domestic Quantity	Type	Export Quantity	Levy/Charge rate	Levy/Charge \$ payable c
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Levy No. 047

Apples (<i>kilograms</i>)	01		03		1.895 cents/kg	
Apples – processing (<i>tonnes</i>)	07			-- N/A --	\$5.50/tonne	
Apples – juicing (<i>tonnes</i>)	05			-- N/A --	\$2.75/tonne	

Subtotal N

Pears (<i>kilograms</i>)	02		04		2.149 cents/kg	
Pears – processing (<i>tonnes</i>)	08			-- N/A --	\$5.90/tonne	
Pears – juicing (<i>tonnes</i>)	06			-- N/A --	\$2.95/tonne	

Subtotal O

Levy No. 149

Rubus (<i>kilograms</i>)	01		02		12 cents/kg	
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Subtotal P

Levy No. 084

Citrus – oranges in bulk (<i>tonnes</i>)	01		05		\$4.25/tonne	
Citrus – oranges not in bulk (<i>boxes</i>)	02		06		8.5 cents/box	
Citrus – other citrus in bulk (<i>tonnes</i>)	03		07		\$3.50/tonne	
Citrus – other citrus not in bulk (<i>boxes</i>)	04		08		7 cents/box	

Subtotal Q

Levy No. 142

Lychee (<i>kilograms</i>)	01		03		8 cents/kg	
Lychee – processing (<i>kilograms</i>)	02			-- N/A --	1 cent/kg	

Subtotal R

Levy No. 086

Custard apples (<i>trays</i>)	07		10		40 cents/tray	
Custard apples (<i>boxes</i>)	08		11		40 cents/box	
Custard apples (<i>tonnes</i>)	09		12		\$50.00/tonne	

Subtotal S

Levy No. 158

Bananas (<i>kilograms</i>)	01			-- N/A --	2.94 cents/kg	
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Subtotal T

Levy No. 160

Pineapples (<i>tonnes</i>)	01		03		\$5.00/tonne	
Pineapples – processing (<i>tonnes</i>)	02			-- N/A --	\$2.00/tonne	

Subtotal U

Levy No. 170

Ginger (<i>gross \$ value</i>)	01			-- N/A --	0.5 %	
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Subtotal V

Levy No. 190

Melons (<i>kilograms</i>)	01		02		0.4 cents/kg	
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Subtotal W

TOTAL LEVY/CHARGE PAYABLE (A to W)

\$

Commodity Exemptions

Apples	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Apples sold by a producer by retail sale or used by a producer in the production of fruit juice or another processed product and the total quantity is not more than 9,000 kilograms in a calendar year. Apples sold for stockfeed.
Avocados	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Avocados sold by a producer by retail sale and the total amount of levy payable would be less than \$100 in a calendar year.
Bananas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bananas sold by a producer by retail sale and the total amount of levy payable would be less than \$100 in a financial year. Bananas sold or used by a producer for processing.
Chestnuts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chestnuts sold by a producer by retail sale and the total quantity is not more than 500 kilograms in a financial year
Citrus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Citrus sold by a producer by retail sale or used by a producer in the production of fruit juice or any other processed product and the total quantity is not more than 500 boxes in a calendar year. Citrus sold for stockfeed.
Custard apples	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Custard apples sold by a producer by retail sale. Custard apples used by a producer for processing. Custard apples sold by a producer directly to a processor for processing.
Lychees	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lychees sold by a producer by retail sale and the total amount of levy payable would be less than \$100 in a financial year.
Mangoes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mangoes sold by a producer by retail sale and the total amount of levy payable would be less than \$100 in a financial year. Mangoes that are sold or used by a producer in a financial year for processing.
Melons	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Melons sold by a producer by retail sale and the total quantity is less than 20 tonnes in a financial year.
Papaya	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Papayas sold by a producer by retail sale and the total amount of levy payable would be less than \$50 in a financial year.
Passionfruit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Passionfruit sold by a producer by retail sale and the total amount of levy payable would be less than \$100 in a financial year.
Pears	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pears sold by a producer by retail sale or used by the producer in the production of fruit juice or another processed product and the total quantity is not more than 9,000 kilograms in a calendar year. Pears sold for stockfeed. Processing pears or juicing pears used in the production of canned fruit. Processing pears where levy has already been paid under the Dried Fruits levy.
Persimmons	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Persimmons sold by a producer by retail sale and the total amount of levy payable would be less than \$100 in a financial year.
Pineapples	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fresh pineapples sold by a producer by retail sale and the total quantity sold is not more than 30 tonnes in a financial year
Potatoes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unprocessed potatoes sold by a producer by retail sale and the total quantity sold is not more than 100 tonnes in a calendar year. Unprocessed potatoes sold for stockfeed. Processed potatoes used by the owner of the potatoes if the total quantity used is not more than 100 tonnes in a calendar year.
Rubus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rubus sold by a producer by retail sale. Rubus sold by a producer for processing. Rubus processed by a producer.
Stone fruit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stone fruit sold by a producer directly to a processor for processing
Table grapes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Table grapes sold by a producer by retail sale and the total quantity sold is not more than 5,000 kilograms in a financial year.
Vegetables	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Asparagus, garlic, hard onions, herbs other than fresh culinary shallots and parsley, melons, mushrooms, potatoes, seed sprouts, sweet potatoes and tomatoes.

Privacy Notice

'Personal information' means any information or opinion about an identified individual, or an individual who is reasonably identifiable.

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 horticultural levies and export charges. 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 and Water Resources may be required to take action.

The department may disclose your personal information to industry bodies and levy recipient organisations, and other Australian government agencies, persons or organisations where necessary for the above purposes, provided the disclosure is consistent with relevant laws, in particular the *Privacy Act 1988* (the Privacy Act).

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