

# OREGON STRAWBERRY COMMISSION

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## 2025 CROP YEAR - FRESH MARKET ASSESSMENT REPORT

**New Address - Please take note. Thank you**

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:**

**Oregon Strawberry Commission  
PO Box 184, Beaver Creek OR  
97004**

Please furnish this report to the commission office at the above address using the following due dates for any Oregon Fresh Market or U-Pick Strawberries sold during the corresponding period. Reports must be submitted by mail, postmarked no later than the period due date to avoid late fees.

**Period (1) December 1, 2024 - July 31, 2025 ..... Due September 15, 2025**

**Period (2) August 1, 2025 - November 30, 2025 ..... Due December 15, 2025**

**Is this your final report for the 2025 crop year? ☐ YES ☐ NO**

2025 Assessment Rates for Oregon-grown Strawberries sold as Fresh Market & U-Pick

- Assessment Average Price: \$1.05 per pound

- Assessment collection rate 1% of the gross value of Fresh Market raw product sold

Please see Back of form

**Calculate Assessment Payment**

Total pounds of strawberries sold as Fresh Market or U-Pick = \_\_\_\_\_ lbs x \$1.05 per pound = Gross Cash Value total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Gross Cash Value total x 1% Assessment Rate = Total Assessment Due \$ \_\_\_\_\_

+ Late Fees Added (if any) 10% Late Fee + 1.5% Interest per month \$ \_\_\_\_\_ **Total Payment Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

I hereby certify that this report is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

If you sold less than 1,000 pounds of fresh market strawberries in the 2025 crop year, you are exempt from paying an assessment.

**Reporting the total pounds sold is still required.**

Please mail this form or email oregonstrawberries@gmail.com your total pounds sold.

Submission of this report is required by \*Oregon State Law and delinquent penalties are assessed at 10% late fee + 1.5% interest per month of the assessment due. Please note that some exemptions are allowed (see reverse).

**Assessment Exemptions Allowed:** Grower sales of less than 1,000 pounds per year are exempt from assessment fees. Please check the box below to indicate exemption status.

**EXEMPT STATUS, Check all that apply:**

- ☐ GROW LESS THAN 1,000 POUNDS EXEMPTION - exempt from assessment, **reporting total pounds sold is required.**
- ☐ NO FRESH MARKET OR U-PICK TO REPORT THIS "PERIOD" / "SEASON" (circle one)
- ☐ ALL BERRIES SOLD DIRECTLY TO PACKER / PROCESSOR (No berries sold as Fresh Market or U-Pick)

**ORGANIC GROWERS ARE NO LONGER EXEMPT FROM PAYING ASSESSMENTS**


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\*ORS Chapter 576.335 (2) "A person responsible for collecting an assessment for a commission who fails to deduct an assessment at the time of sale shall report and pay the assessment to the commission. A producer required to report and pay an assessment is subject to this section."  
 ORS Chapter 576.355 (1) "In addition to the penalties prescribed in ORS 576.991, any person who delays transmittal of funds beyond the time

set by the commission shall pay 10% of the amount due and shall also pay 1 ½ % interest per month on the unpaid balance of the assessment.”

**RULE TEXT: (1) As authorized or required by ORS 576.325 and 576.335, any person who is a first purchaser (or otherwise is required to pay an assessment to the Oregon Strawberry Commission) for all purchases of strawberries grown in Oregon, including conventional and organic. (See definition of "First Purchaser") Grower-purchasers will use an estimated average of the state price, which will be set by the Commission prior to August 1st each year. (2) All casual sales of less than 1,000 pounds in a calendar year of Strawberries shall be exempt from the assessment.**

ORS 192.501(26) reporting name and address of those that pay an assessment is kept confidential