

North Dakota Dry Bean Stock Report

**Stocks on Hand
as of**

July 31, 2008

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Table 1 outlines the number of July 31, 2008 Bean Storage Report Surveys emailed by the North Dakota Public Service Commission to licensees handling dry edible beans. The Table indicates 40 companies were notified of the report survey and 40 report surveys were returned by September 17, 2008. The response rate shown in the Table is 100%.

Table 1. Response Rate of the July 31, 2008 Bean Storage Report Survey

Report Category	Category Value
Number of Report Surveys Sent	40
Number of Report Surveys Received	40
Percent of Report Surveys Returned	100%

Table 2 details the reported bean stocks on hand July 31, 2008. The category ‘Number of Companies Reporting Stocks on Hand’ shows the number of companies that reported stocks on hand, greater than zero, for the related type of commodity. In this category, the ‘5 or less’ phrase indicates a small number of report surveys (for confidentiality purposes, the actual number of companies reporting is not shown). Three or more report surveys must be received for a commodity to be reported.

Table 2. Bean Storage Report

Commodity	Number of Companies Reporting Stocks on Hand	Reported Stocks on Hand in hundredweight
Navy	10	447,850
Pinto	31	1,910,769
Blacks	14	197,735
Pinks	7	73,773
Small Reds	5 or less	9,442