



DETERMINING HANDLER OR PRODUCER STATUS FOR THE OCCC

Processed (Milled) olives into olive oil from a producer who grew olives in the state of California.

Handler

Processed on average more than 5,000 gallons of oil in the last 4 years

Mandatory Handler
Mandatory membership and regular reporting through Form A (Lot and Testing Information) & Form B (Grower Information)

All lots of oil and their corresponding information must be submitted to the OCCC by December 31st for random sampling from CDFA through Form A

Responsible for collecting and remitting Producer assessments to OCCC

Required to submit quality chemistry and sensory testing results for all reportable lots through Form A and Producer Information through Form B by February 28th

The OCCC will verify that all lots meet the OCCC standard and each handler will be provided a Member in Good Standing Certificate

Processed on average less than 5,000 gallons of oil

Voluntary Handler
Voluntary Membership Option

Contact the OCCC to enroll as a Voluntary Member

Required to submit FFA, UV, PV, and Sensory testing from an accredited lab through Form A (blue sections) and Grower Information through Form B by February 28th

Voluntary Handler assessments due annually

Produced or grew olives that are processed into olive oil in the state of California

Producer

Olives sold to a handler equated to more than 5,000 gallons of oil (Approximately 40 acres at 4 tons per acre)

Mandatory Producer
Mandatory membership and regular reporting through the handler you use

Producer responsible for OCCC assessments (paid through Handler)

Olives sold to a handler equated to less than 5,000 gallons of oil

Voluntary Producer
Voluntary Membership Option

Contact your handler if you would like to participate

See Handler Details



DETERMINING OOCM MEMBERSHIP STATUS AS A TOLL-PROCESSOR

