



Answer Sheet for Common Questions Regarding the Kentucky Corn Checkoff Program

What is the amount of the assessment?

The assessment is one-fourth of one percent (.0025) of the gross marketed price of the corn due to a producer for the sale of corn.

What is gross marketed price?

The gross marketed price is the payment due to a producer after normal price discounts such as deductions for moist, test weight, and foreign matter have been calculated. Otherwise, it is based on the actual value of the corn itself at the time of sale.

Does the assessment apply to corn produced outside of Kentucky but marketed in Kentucky?

The assessment applies to any sale or transaction when corn is purchased as the first point of sale from the producer. The assessment does not apply to a non-producer transaction such as a sale from dealer to dealer.

When corn is delivered for sale and payment to the producer is made at a later date, when is the assessment deducted?

The assessment is deducted from the purchaser payment at the time of payment to the producer. Therefore, if corn is received and full payment is delayed or partial payment is made, the assessment based on the partial payments is made at the time of the actual payments.

Can a producer that has an assessment deducted obtain a refund?

Yes. This assessment is not a tax but a voluntary investment to promote their product. A corn producer can apply for a complete refund **within thirty (30) days of the sale**.

How and where can a producer obtain a refund form?

Refunds must be requested in writing and sent to:

**Kentucky Corn Growers Association
PO Box 90
Eastwood, KY 40018**

For more information, please contact Todd Barlow at 1-800-326-0906.