

TABLE GRAPE PRODUCERS / WHOLESALERS / STORE MANAGERS / PRODUCE BUYERS / FRESH PRODUCE MANAGERS

2024/2025 Table Grape Maturity Inspections

We wish to advise that inspections, to ensure table grapes meet minimum standards of maturity will be carried out at the central markets in Canning Vale, distribution centre's and wholesale and retail outlets throughout Western Australia.

The standards have been approved by the Executive Director, Biosecurity, Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development and the grower organisation has been notified, in accordance with regulation 46 of the Biosecurity and Agriculture Management (Agriculture Standards) Regulations 2013. The maturity standards apply from 1 September 2024 to 31 August 2025.

Inspections are funded by the Agricultural Produce Commission, Table Grape Producers' Committee on behalf of the table grape industry. Inspections will be carried out under the Biosecurity and Agriculture Management Act 2007 (BAM) and the BAM (Agriculture Standards) Regulations 2013, by authorized inspectors from Total Quality Assurance Systems (TQAS).

These inspections will ensure table grapes offered for sale have an appropriate level of maturity thus providing consumer satisfaction and encourage repeat sales.

The Minimum Standards of Maturity for Table Grapes 2024/2025 can also be found at:

https://apcwa.org.au/producers-committees/table-grape

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