# SURVEY OF PLANT CAPACITY UTILIZATION FOURTH QUARTER 2005 (October-December) 

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## IMPORTANT

## PLEASE READ

INSTRUCTIONS AND
DEFINITIONS BEFORE COMPLETING FORM

In correspondence pertaining to this report refer to the ID NUMBER (ID) (11 digits)

## DO NOT USE TO REPORT

NOTE - If you need a copy of the instructions, please visit www.census.gov/cir/www/mqc1pag2.html

## Item 1 OPERATIONAL STATUS

Mark (X) ONE box which best describes this establishment at the end of 2005. See instructions for reporting.
$12 \square$ In operation - Complete items 2 through 6.Sold or leased to another company See instruction sheetPermanently ceased operations See instruction sheet.

| Give date or closed | Month | Year |
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Item 2

## VALUE OF PRODUCTION

a. Report market value of actual production for the 4th quarter of 2005
b. Estimate the market value of production of this plant as if it had been operating at full production capability in the 4th quarter of 2005.
Assume:

- only machinery and equipment in place and ready to operate.
- normal downtime.
- Labor, materials, utilities, etc. ARE FULLY AVAILABLE.
- the number of shifts, hours of operation, and overtime pay that can be sustained under normal conditions and a realistic work schedule in the long run.
- the same product mix as in the fourth quarter.
c. Divide your actual production estimate by your full production estimate. Multiply this ratio by 100 to get a percentage. Enter this percentage in the box.
Is this a reasonable estimate of your sustainable capacity use in the 4th quarter?


## Capacity Utilization:

$\square$YesNo - Please review your full production estimate
d. If your estimate of 2005 fourth quarter full production capability has changed compared to 2004 , mark ( X ) the primary reasons.

| ${ }_{35} \square$ Building capital expenditures | ${ }_{41} \square$ Change in method of operation |
| :---: | :---: |
| 36 $\square$ Machinery capital expenditures - Include new, replaced, or enhanced machinery | $42 \square$ Change in product mix or product specifications ${ }_{43} \square$ Change in material input |
| ${ }_{3} \square \square$ Building retirements | $48 \square$ Other - Specify $\quad$ ? |
| $38 \square$ Machinery retirements |  |
| ${ }_{39} \square$ Price changed but product mix is the same |  |
| 40 Revised estimation assumption with no change in plant or operations | 49 |

Column (1-3) - Report work patterns for each shift of actual operations in the 4 th quarter of 2005.
If the plant did not operate a second or third shift, do not complete the corresponding columns.
Column (4) - Report work patterns as if the plant operated at full production capability as defined in item $2 b$.

|  | Actual Operations |  |  | Full Production Capability Number of shifts per day <br> (4) $\square$ |
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## Item 4 FOURTH QUARTER ACTUAL OPERATIONS VS FULL PRODUCTION CAPABILITY FOR 2005

a. If this plant's actual production in the 4th quarter was less than full production capability, mark $(X)$ the primary reasons:
$51 \square$
Not most profitable to operate at
full production capability
${ }_{52} \square$ Insufficient supply of materials
53Insufficient orders
$54 \square$ Insufficient supply of local labor force/skills
${ }_{55} \square$ Lack of sufficient fuel or electric energy
${ }_{56} \square$ Equipment limitations
${ }_{57} \square$ Storage limitations
${ }_{58} \square$ Logistics/transportation constraints
${ }_{59} \square$ Sufficient inventory of finished goods
on hand
$60 \square$
$\square$ Strike or work stoppage 61 $\qquad$ Seasonal operationsEnvironmental restrictions
$68 \square$Other - Specify Z 69
b. If actual operations in the 4th quarter were less than full production capability, how quickly could you increase to that level, if necessary? Assume sufficient demand for your product. Mark $(X)$ the shortest amount of time you would require.
$71 \square$ Less than 3 months $\quad 72 \square 3$ to 6 months $\quad 73 \square 7$ to 12 months $\quad 74 \square$ More than one year

## Item 5 NATIONAL EMERGENCY PRODUCTION

a. Estimate the value of production for this plant as if it had been operating under national emergency conditions in the 4th quarter of 2005.

|  | NATIONAL EMERGENCY PRODUCTION |  |  |  |
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|  | 4th QTR. 2005 | 4th QTR. 2004 |  |  |
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Assume:

- full use of all your machinery and equipment, including that requiring reconditioning.
- plant production as close to $\mathbf{1 6 8}$ hours per week as possible, including extra shifts.
- minimal downtime. See the instruction sheet for additional guidance.
b. If actual operations in the 4th quarter were less than national emergency production, how quickly could you increase to the national emergency production level if given emergency priority by the government? Mark ( X ) the shortest amount of time you would require.
$82 \square$ Less than 3 months
$83 \square$
3 to 6 months
$84 \square$ $\square 7$
to 12 months
85More than one year

911 Remarks

