



Operation Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

- ▶ All labels or container markings must be approved by CCOF prior to printing
- ▶ This form must include all of your own organic products and any organic products that you broker or resell for other operations.

**A. Non-Retail Shipping or Storage Containers Identification**

*Nonretail containers used only to ship or store organic product must clearly identify the organic status of the product. If you use lot numbers, the non-retail containers must display the production lot number of the product.*

Not applicable, ownership of crop is transferred at harvest, or no shipping or storage containers used.

1) List all products that are packed for shipping or storage in any type of container **other** than for retail sale.

Crop	Brand (if any)	Type of Non-Retail Label
		<input type="checkbox"/> Box <input type="checkbox"/> Bin <input type="checkbox"/> Tote <input type="checkbox"/> Bag <input type="checkbox"/> Other:
		<input type="checkbox"/> Box <input type="checkbox"/> Bin <input type="checkbox"/> Tote <input type="checkbox"/> Bag <input type="checkbox"/> Other:
		<input type="checkbox"/> Box <input type="checkbox"/> Bin <input type="checkbox"/> Tote <input type="checkbox"/> Bag <input type="checkbox"/> Other:
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2) Mark all that apply to describe how you mark the non-retail containers for shipping and storage of organic products. Markings may be on boxes, bills of lading, bin tags or other identifying documentation.

- 'organic', 'org', 'o', etc.  CCOF seal or name  USDA seal  Lot number  Field number  Harvest date code
- Farm name (if all organic farm)  Other (describe):

3) Attach **color** samples of the markings used on non-retail containers

Samples attached (Samples must be no larger than 8.5"x11"- do not send large boxes or entire containers. Photographs, illustrations or print proofs are acceptable).

**B. Unpackaged Retail Labels**

*Products in other than packaged form at the point of retail sale. This includes PLU, twist tie, and plant tag labels. PLU labels include stickers affixed to individual produce items and may include grape bags or tags affixed to other produce that remains unpackaged or open in the retail setting. If the packaging fully encloses the product and is sealed, it is a retail packaged label. The USDA seal and/or the CCOF seal or name may be used, but if both are used, the USDA seal must be displayed more prominently than the CCOF seal. A "Certified Organic by CCOF" statement may be used and can be located anywhere on the unpackaged retail label.*

*CCOF **only** reviews unpackaged retail labels that contain one or more of the following elements: USDA seal, CCOF name/seal, or ingredient statement.*

Not applicable, no unpackaged retail labels used, or unpackaged retail labels do not contain the USDA seal, CCOF seal or ingredient statement.

▶ All unpackaged retail labels with any reviewable elements must be approved by CCOF prior to printing.

1) Attach color copies of **all** reviewable unpackaged retail labels or proposed labels.  **Color** copies of all labels attached

Crop	Brand (if any)	Type of Unpackaged Retail Label
		<input type="checkbox"/> PLU <input type="checkbox"/> Twist Tie <input type="checkbox"/> Plant Tag <input type="checkbox"/> Other:
		<input type="checkbox"/> PLU <input type="checkbox"/> Twist Tie <input type="checkbox"/> Plant Tag <input type="checkbox"/> Other:
		<input type="checkbox"/> PLU <input type="checkbox"/> Twist Tie <input type="checkbox"/> Plant Tag <input type="checkbox"/> Other:
		<input type="checkbox"/> PLU <input type="checkbox"/> Twist Tie <input type="checkbox"/> Plant Tag <input type="checkbox"/> Other:
		<input type="checkbox"/> PLU <input type="checkbox"/> Twist Tie <input type="checkbox"/> Plant Tag <input type="checkbox"/> Other:



**C. Retail Packaged Labels**  Not applicable, no retail labels used

*For packaged products where your operation is the final handler of the product, the label must state "Certified Organic by CCOF" below the name and contact information for your operation. The USDA seal and/or or the CCOF seal or name may be used, but if both are used, the USDA seal must be displayed more prominently than the CCOF seal.*

▶ All retail labels must be approved by CCOF prior to printing

1) Attach color copies of **all** retail package labels or proposed labels.  **Color** copies of all labels attached

Crop/Product	Label/Brand Name

**D. Labels From Other Operations**

1) Do you pack organic crops into labels owned by other companies?

No. Stop, this form is complete.  Yes, they are listed and attached in section B and/or C above. Complete this section.

a) Is the label owner certified organic for the product(s)?

Yes, CCOF certified  Yes, certified by another certification agency  Valid organic certificate attached  
 No

b) If no, do any of the labels use the CCOF name or seal without identifying your operation as the grower of the product ("private labels")?

No  Yes. Complete and attach the [Co-Packer Application](#)