

**2024 ARMS PHASE III  
CHECK-OFF AND MARKETING CHARGES**

IT IS DIFFICULT TO ACCOUNT FOR ALL CHECK-OFF AND MARKETING EXPENSES INCURRED BY A FARM OPERATION DURING THE YEAR. USUALLY THESE CHARGES ARE DEDUCTED BEFORE THE FARM OPERATOR RECEIVES A CHECK. ENUMERATORS SHOULD PROBE CAREFULLY TO DETERMINE THE AMOUNT OF ANY MARKETING CHARGES. LISTED BELOW ARE THE COMMODITIES WHICH ARE SUBJECT TO MARKETING CHARGES. THE FOLLOWING FORMULA IS USED TO CALCULATE THE TOTAL MARKETING CHARGE.

$$(\text{RATE} \times \text{QUANTITY (HEAD, BUSHELS, ETC.)}) = \text{TOTAL CHARGE}$$

COMMODITY RATE

CORN	\$0.0050 TIMES EACH BUSHEL SOLD (IN) \$0.0100 TIMES EACH BUSHEL SOLD (MI) \$0.0075 TIMES EACH BUSHEL SOLD (OH)
SOYBEANS	\$0.005 (1/2 OF 1%) OF THE NET MARKET PRICE (IN/MI/OH)
WHEAT	\$0.005 (1/2 OF 1%) OF THE NET MARKET PRICE. In Ohio, this is for all small grains.
DAIRY (MILK)	15 CENTS PER CWT
EGGS	10 CENTS PER CASE (30 DOZEN EGGS PER CASE) (>75k hens)
PORK	\$0.040 PER \$100.00 OF MARKET VALUE SOLD
BEEF	1 DOLLAR PER HEAD
HONEY	\$0.015 PER POUND SOLD
SHEEP/LAMBS	\$0.005 (1/2 OF 1%) TIMES THE VALUE OF THE SHEEP \$0.007 PER POUND OF LAMB SOLD
APPLES	10 CENTS PER BUSHEL (FRESH) 10 CENTS PER CWT (PROCESSING)
BLUEBERRIES	\$18/TON SOLD
CHRISTMAS TREES	15 CENTS PER TREE for growers selling more than 500 trees per year.
POTATOES	\$0.030 PER HUNDREDWEIGHT (>5 acres)
WATERMELONS	\$0.030 TIMES EACH HUNDREDWEIGHT for growers with more than 10 acres