



Oregon Caneberries

Raspberries and Blackberries
Oregon's Sweet Treat

Oregon - The Berry State

- Oregon is number one in the US in the production of:
- Marionberries
- Blackberries
- Boysenberries
- Black Raspberries
- Loganberries





Oregon Berries

Oregon is second in the US in production of Red Raspberries and produces over 50 different types of caneberries!



What is a Caneberry?

Caneberries like raspberries and blackberries grow on long, stout canes, that are tied on to wires between two posts to keep them off the ground and make them easier to pick.



Berries grow on the canes in long rows. A berry plant can produce many pounds of plump, juicy berries.

Canes flower during the long, cool Northwest Springs. Berries are grown in Oregon's Willamette Valley.



Harvesting

Berries are harvested by machine or by hand picking. Machine harvesters straddle the rows of berries and gently shake the canes so that ripe berries fall onto conveyor belts and are moved to the top where they are put into flats



Processing Berries

After Oregon berries are picked they are cooled and sent to the processing plant where they are sorted, washed and individually quick frozen before being packed into boxes or bags.



Berries are Sold at Farmer's Markets and Grocery Stores near you.

Fresh berries come to groceries and markets in the summer during harvest time. Frozen berries are available all year long so you can enjoy them whenever you want!



Berries are Great Tasting and Good For You!

Berries are full of vitamins, minerals and fiber that help keep your body strong and healthy. Berries are great in smoothies and as a snack as well as in delicious desserts.