

PLEASE FILL IN THE CURRENT MONTH/YEAR

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MONTH YEAR



Mold Business Index SURVEY

NAME _____

COMPANY _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

YES! I would like to participate in this survey every month, please send survey by:

BY EMAIL _____

— or —

PRINT EMAIL ADDRESS

BY FAX (_____) _____ - _____
AREA CODE

1. How do your new orders compare to one month ago?

- GREATER
- FEWER
- THE SAME

2. How does your production compare to one month ago?

- MORE
- LESS
- THE SAME

3. How does your number of employees compare to one month ago?

- GREATER
- FEWER
- THE SAME

4. How does your backlog compare to one month ago?

- LONGER
- SHORTER
- THE SAME

5. How do your export orders (outside the NAFTA region) compare to one month ago?

- GREATER
- FEWER
- THE SAME

6. How do your prices received for your product compare to one month ago?

- HIGHER
- LOWER
- THE SAME

7. How much will you spend on capital equipment over the next 12 months?

- \$0
- \$1 — \$250,000
- \$250,001 — \$500,000
- \$500,001 — \$750,000
- \$750,001 +

8. How do you expect your business to be in the next 12 months?

- BETTER
- WORSE
- THE SAME

9. How do your supplier deliveries compare to one month ago?

- FASTER
- SLOWER
- THE SAME

If you have experienced a change in delivery times, please specify for which goods: _____

10. How do your materials prices compare to one month ago?

- HIGHER
- LOWER
- THE SAME

If you have experienced a change in materials prices, please specify for which goods: _____

11. Please comment on the biggest problem confronting your business or the mold industry?

Fax the completed form **ON OR BEFORE THE 25TH** of the current month to: Bill Wood (413) 772-6874.

Data collected monthly by Bill Wood, Economist/Forecaster.
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