

# UMass CSOREC 2008 Apple Harvest



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| <b>Year</b>           | 2008  | <b>Location</b>  | UMass CSOREC - B3 |
| <b>Date</b>           | 10/13/2008  | <b>Parentage</b> |                   |
| <b>Cultivar</b>       | Cameo/B.9   |                  |                   |
| <b>Number</b>         | 10  |                  |                   |
| <b>Drop</b>           | very few  |                  |                   |
| <b>Size</b>           | 3.0 in.   |                  |                   |
| <b>Color</b>          | 80 % red  |                  |                   |
| <b>Firmness</b>       | 16.8 lbs.   | <b>Range</b>     | 15-21             |
| <b>Soluble Solids</b> | 13.5 % brix   |                  |                   |
| <b>Starch Index</b>   | 5.9   | <b>Range</b>     | 4.5-7             |
| <b>Taste</b>          | very good, sweet, perfect   |                  |                   |
| <b>Disorders</b>      |   |                  |                   |
| <b>Comments</b>       | left smaller fruit, picked 8 boxes off 20 super-spindle trees, if 2 X 10 spacing, 2,000 trees/acre, equals 800 bushels/acre; very easy to manage trees on B.9 rootstock, but biennial bearing |                  |                   |



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| <b>Cultivar</b>       | Topaz  |                  |                   |
| <b>Number</b>         | 10   |                  |                   |
| <b>Drop</b>           | nil  |                  |                   |
| <b>Size</b>           | 3.1 in.  |                  |                   |
| <b>Color</b>          | 85 % red   |                  |                   |
| <b>Firmness</b>       | 16.1 lbs.  | <b>Range</b>     | 15-19             |
| <b>Soluble Solids</b> | 14.6 % brix  |                  |                   |
| <b>Starch Index</b>   | 5.8  | <b>Range</b>     |                   |
| <b>Taste</b>          | tart, complex, good if you like a tart apple; complete opposite of Cameo |                  |                   |
| <b>Disorders</b>      |  |                  |                   |
| <b>Comments</b>       | a flattish apple; would make good cider; very slightly greasy            |                  |                   |



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