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Every few years, growers on the UMass Cranberry Station mailing are asked to report the varieties planted on their properties. The following data were collected from the request sent out (along with the newsletter renewal information) in December 2014. The newsletter list had approximately 350 growers. 241 growers renewed their subscription as a result of the December request and 178 growers provided information on the acreage of their varieties. The respondents accounted for 5,258 acres, which was ~42% of the Massachusetts acreage in 2014 (NASS-NJ Field Office Report). Growers also reported that 220 acres were fitted with pop-up sprinklers and 190 acres were under renovation.

Variety	Acres	%
Early Black	1481.3	26.6
Howes	1341.1	24.1
Stevens	1326.5	23.8
Ben Lear	362.2	6.5
Wilcox	151.7	2.7
Crimson Queen	106.4	1.9
Grygleski	102	1.8
Mullica Queen	75.5	1.4
Aviator	53	1.0
Other	49.1	0.9
Demoranville	32.5	0.6
Bergman	18.2	0.3
Pilgrim	15.3	0.3
Black Veil	14.1	0.3
Scarlet Knight	6.7	0.1
Franklin	5.1	0.1
Round Howes	5	0.1
Mcfarlin	3	0.1
Shaw's Success	1.8	0.0
CN	0.5	0.0
Early Red	0.4	0.0
Paradise Meadow	0.3	0.0
Bugle	0	0.0
Centennial	0	0.0
Crowley	0	0.0
Hyred	0	0.0
Matthers	0	0.0
Smalley Howes	0	0.0
Vose's Pride	0	0.0
Wales Henry	0	0.0