

## Questions/Answers

RFQ 057/17 - Supply, delivery and installation of a total of eight drying units for fruit and vegetables in Akhnaghbyur (2 units), Berqaber (1 unit), Ditavan (1 unit), Aygedzor (2 units), Bagratashen village of Ayrum (1 unit) and Voskepar village of Noyemberyan (1 unit) communities of Tavush Marz

1.-What type of fruits/vegetables the dryer is mainly going to dry?

**A: It is intended that the driers will be used to dry mainly fruit (plum, peach, apple, apricot, fig, persimmon, cornelian cherry, etc.), forest berries (rose-hip, raspberry, etc.), herbs (herbs for producing herbal tea) all grown and cultivated in Tavush Region of Armenia and Armenia at large.**

2.-Does the machine need to dehydrate the fruits or only dry them?

**A: The equipment should ensure the complete fruit drying process by producing dried fruit/berries/herbs by inputting fresh produce into the equipment.**

3.-Is it for familiar or industrial use?

**A: The equipment is intended for micro-to small-size farmers/family farming whose long-term vision includes collectively producing enough dried fruit that could be sold in the market and exported abroad**