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Oxbo, International, building on the Korvan brand, developed a top-loading harvester, model 7420, that can harvest fresh market quality blueberries, blackberries or IQF (individually quick frozen) raspberries. The 7420 offers a selection of three different picking heads and fully configurable upper and lower cleaning systems. With a 60-inch picking tunnel it can accommodate even large, mature plants. The 7420 has a cleaning system that blows air from the bottom and sucks air out the top leaving clean whole fruit. You can watch the 7420 model harvesting blueberries and raspberries on their YouTube video at:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3iXJFDoKEvI> . This video is also available on our website at <http://citrusMH.ifas.ufl.edu>.