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## Introduction

This publication presents 2015 potato estimates of acreage, yield per acre, production, farm disposition, season average price, value, and utilization of sales including processing with historic comparisons. Also included are first of the month potato stocks (December through June) for the 13 major fall potato producing States. Monthly prices, farm marketings, percent of acreage planted by type, and certified seed acres are also included for selected States. Production, disposition, and value data for Alaska are shown separately.

These estimates are based on information furnished by crop reporters, processors, and cooperating State or Federal Agencies. The various sources include: Market News Service rail and truck shipments, Federal-State inspections, and miscellaneous data available through marketing programs.

Price estimates represent average returns to growers for all uses and for all methods of sale. These prices are applied to total production to compute value of production and to the quantity sold to compute value of sales. Some unsold potatoes contribute to the value of production, including farm use for seed, feed, home use, and loss. The United States season average price is obtained by weighting State prices by quantities sold.

Potato production, utilization, and value of sales in each State have been classified by season according to the period when the largest supplies are harvested.

The four seasons are as follows:

<b>Season</b>	<b>Usual Time of Harvest</b>
Winter	January through March
Spring	April through June
Summer	July to Mid-September
Fall	August through November

A crop year is associated with the calendar year in which harvest is accomplished. Seasons are not fixed dates but are approximations because of overlapping harvests. Generally, the marketing season closely follows harvest except for fall potatoes, when marketing from storage may extend through August of the following year. Thus, the marketing year for fall potatoes is from the start of harvest through August of the following year.

## 2015 Potato Production Down Slightly

Potato production in 2015 is revised to 441 million cwt, up slightly from the estimate in the January *Crop Production 2015 Summary* but slightly below the 2014 crop. Harvested area, at 1.05 million acres, is up slightly from 2014. The average yield of 418 cwt per acre is down 3 cwt from the previous year.

Spring potato final production for 2014 is 20.8 million cwt, 8 percent below the previous year. Harvested acres, at 72,500 acres, increased 2 percent from 2014. The average yield for spring potatoes is 286 cwt per acre, down 32 cwt from 2014. Summer potato production is 15.7 million cwt for 2015, a 1 percent decrease from 2014. Harvested area, at 47,100 acres, is down 4 percent from 2014. The average yield of 334 cwt per acre is up 10 cwt from 2014. Fall potato production is finalized at 405 million cwt for 2015, up slightly from the 2014 crop. Area harvested in 2015 is 934,800 acres, slightly above the previous year. The average fall potato yield, at 433 cwt per acre, is down 1 cwt from 2014.

The value of all potatoes sold in 2015, at \$3.60 billion, decreased 2 percent from the previous year. The average price, at \$8.76 per cwt, is down \$0.12 from 2014. The quantity of potatoes sold from the 2015 crop totaled 410 million cwt, down slightly from 2014. Quantity sold account for 93 percent of 2015 production, unchanged from the previous year.

Growers from the 30 Program States sold 273 million cwt of raw potatoes to processors from the 2015 crop, down 3 percent from 2014. Table stock sales totaled 111 million cwt, 3 percent above the previous year. Seed sales of 25.6 million cwt are up 13 percent from 2014. Sales for livestock feed, at 919 thousand cwt, increased 20 percent from 2014.

Shrinkage and loss is estimated at 26.5 million cwt for 2015, 1 percent below 2014. Potatoes used for livestock feed on farms where grown and home use totaled 866 thousand cwt, a 2 percent increase from the previous season. Growers kept 3.77 million cwt for seed on their own farms, up 13 percent from 2014.

U.S. potatoes used for processing totaled 280 million cwt, down 5 percent from 2014. Potatoes used for chips and shoestrings totaled 58.1 million cwt in 2015, down 21 percent from the previous year. Frozen french fries and other frozen products utilized 166 million cwt of raw potatoes, up 2 percent from 2014. Potatoes used for dehydrating totaled 47.9 million cwt, down 2 percent from 2014. Canning use, at 1.21 million cwt, is down 9 percent from the previous year. Other products made from potatoes totaled 6.38 million cwt of potatoes, an 8 percent decrease from 2014.

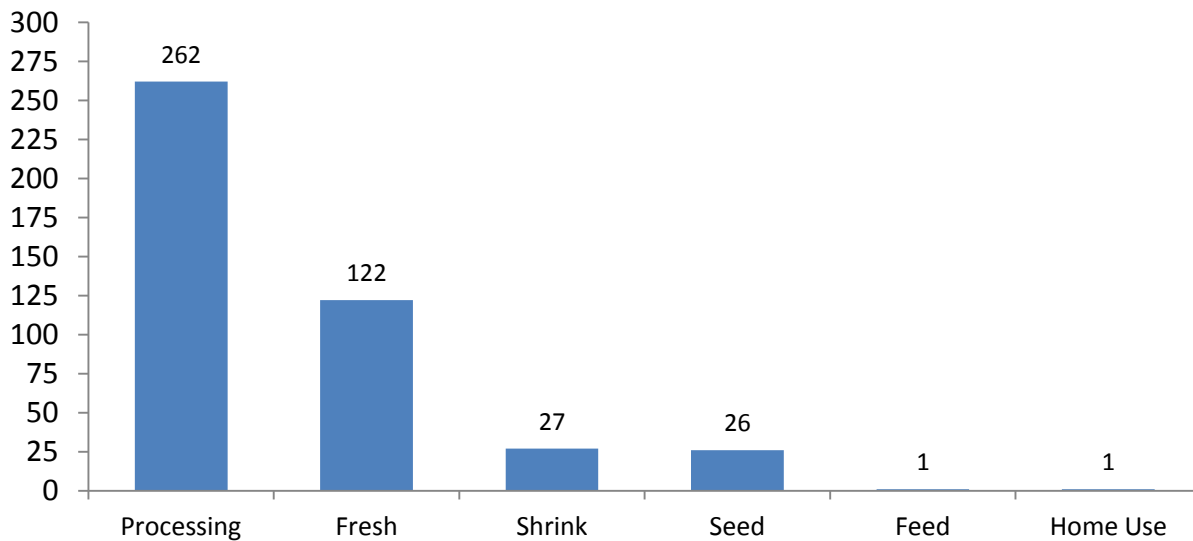
## Potato Utilization – Program States: 2013-2015

Utilization items	Crop year		
	2013 (1,000 cwt)	2014 (1,000 cwt)	2015 (1,000 cwt)
<b>Sales</b>			
Table stock .....	106,930	107,344	110,960
Processing .....	273,506	280,330	272,538
<b>Other sales</b>			
Livestock feed .....	1,251	768	919
Seed .....	22,431	22,774	25,648
Other Sales Total .....	23,682	23,542	26,567
<b>Total sales</b> .....	404,118	411,216	410,065
<b>Non-sales</b>			
Seed used on farms where grown .....	3,215	3,343	3,765
Household use and used for feed on farms where grown .....	1,108	849	866
Shrinkage and loss .....	26,211	26,762	26,509
Total non-sales .....	30,534	30,954	31,140
<b>Total production</b> .....	434,652	442,170	441,205

## Potato Disposition

### United States: 2015

1,000,000 cwt



**Potato Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, and Production – States and United States: 2013-2015**

State	Area planted			Area harvested		
	2013	2014	2015	2013	2014	2015
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)
Arizona .....	3.5	3.8	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.5
California .....	34.3	33.3	35.4	33.8	33.1	35.1
Colorado .....	54.8	60.2	57.7	54.6	59.8	57.4
Delaware .....	1.4	1.2	(D)	1.4	1.2	(D)
Florida .....	30.9	30.5	30.0	29.5	29.3	29.6
Idaho .....	317.0	321.0	323.0	316.0	320.0	322.0
Illinois .....	6.8	6.5	7.5	6.7	6.4	6.9
Kansas .....	4.4	4.2	3.8	4.3	4.1	3.6
Maine .....	55.0	51.0	51.0	54.0	50.5	50.5
Maryland .....	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.1	2.3	2.4
Massachusetts .....	3.9	3.6	3.6	3.9	3.6	3.6
Michigan .....	44.5	43.0	46.0	44.0	42.5	45.0
Minnesota .....	46.0	42.0	41.0	45.0	41.0	40.5
Missouri .....	9.5	8.2	8.5	9.0	7.9	8.1
Montana .....	11.3	11.5	11.0	11.1	11.3	10.9
Nebraska .....	18.5	17.0	15.5	18.3	16.9	15.3
Nevada .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New Jersey .....	2.4	2.0	(D)	2.4	1.9	(D)
New Mexico .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New York .....	17.5	16.0	15.0	17.1	15.8	14.8
North Carolina .....	14.5	14.5	13.5	13.5	13.5	12.7
North Dakota .....	81.0	79.0	82.0	78.0	77.0	80.0
Ohio .....	1.9	1.6	1.3	1.8	1.5	1.2
Oregon .....	40.0	39.0	39.0	39.6	38.9	38.9
Pennsylvania .....	6.7	5.3	5.4	6.6	5.2	5.3
Rhode Island .....	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.6
Texas .....	18.0	21.0	20.0	17.7	20.6	18.2
Virginia .....	4.0	5.0	5.0	3.9	4.5	4.7
Washington .....	160.0	165.0	170.0	160.0	165.0	170.0
Wisconsin .....	62.5	65.0	63.0	62.0	64.0	62.5
Other States <sup>1</sup> .....	10.9	9.4	11.3	10.7	9.3	11.1
United States .....	1,063.9	1,062.6	1,066.1	1,050.9	1,051.1	1,054.4

See footnote(s) at end of table.

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**Potato Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, and Production – States and United States:  
2013-2015 (continued)**

State	Yield per acre <sup>2</sup>			Production		
	2013 (cwt)	2014 (cwt)	2015 (cwt)	2013 (1,000 cwt)	2014 (1,000 cwt)	2015 (1,000 cwt)
Arizona .....	280	310	290	952	1,085	1,015
California .....	425	470	393	14,369	15,557	13,808
Colorado .....	372	388	393	20,304	23,196	22,575
Delaware .....	280	290	(D)	392	348	(D)
Florida .....	240	240	230	7,080	7,032	6,808
Idaho .....	415	415	405	131,131	132,880	130,400
Illinois .....	370	415	380	2,479	2,656	2,622
Kansas .....	350	340	335	1,505	1,394	1,206
Maine .....	290	290	320	15,660	14,645	16,160
Maryland .....	310	380	330	651	874	792
Massachusetts .....	260	285	305	1,014	1,026	1,098
Michigan .....	360	370	390	15,840	15,725	17,550
Minnesota .....	385	400	400	17,325	16,400	16,200
Missouri .....	300	270	305	2,700	2,133	2,471
Montana .....	310	320	325	3,441	3,616	3,543
Nebraska .....	460	470	450	8,418	7,943	6,885
Nevada .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New Jersey .....	230	225	(D)	552	428	(D)
New Mexico .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New York .....	290	275	280	4,959	4,345	4,144
North Carolina .....	240	210	210	3,240	2,835	2,667
North Dakota .....	290	310	345	22,620	23,870	27,600
Ohio .....	280	280	230	504	420	276
Oregon .....	545	580	560	21,582	22,562	21,784
Pennsylvania .....	290	275	280	1,914	1,430	1,484
Rhode Island .....	260	245	135	130	123	81
Texas .....	460	335	375	8,142	6,901	6,825
Virginia .....	210	250	220	819	1,125	1,034
Washington .....	600	615	590	96,000	101,475	100,300
Wisconsin .....	420	410	445	26,040	26,240	27,813
Other States <sup>1</sup> .....	457	420	366	4,889	3,906	4,064
United States .....	414	421	418	434,652	442,170	441,205

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

<sup>1</sup> Includes data withheld above.

<sup>2</sup> Derived.

## Potato Production, Seed Use, Farm Disposition, Price, and Value – States and United States: 2013 Crop

[United States and totals may not add due to rounding]

State	Production (1,000 cwt)	Total used for seed (1,000 cwt)	Farm disposition			Price per cwt (dollars)	Value of	
			Where grown		Sold (1,000 cwt)		Production <sup>1</sup> (1,000 dollars)	Sales <sup>1</sup> (1,000 dollars)
			Seed, feed, home (1,000 cwt)	Shrink and loss (1,000 cwt)				
Arizona .....	952	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
California .....	14,369	927	2	875	13,492	17.15	246,171	229,845
Colorado .....	20,304	1,565	954	1,460	17,890	9.90	201,010	176,809
Delaware .....	392	21	1	1	390	19.20	7,526	7,476
Florida .....	7,080	751	-	210	6,870	17.00	120,360	116,978
Idaho .....	131,131	7,545	1,166	8,525	121,440	7.75	1,016,265	941,110
Illinois .....	2,479	117	10	7	2,462	10.70	26,525	26,361
Kansas .....	1,505	125	-	60	1,445	11.30	17,007	16,320
Maine .....	15,660	1,030	230	1,130	14,300	10.50	164,430	149,444
Maryland .....	651	33	1	4	646	12.50	8,138	8,098
Massachusetts .....	1,014	89	-	19	995	11.10	11,255	11,002
Michigan .....	15,840	1,035	310	430	15,100	11.90	188,496	179,645
Minnesota .....	17,325	900	59	866	16,400	9.50	164,588	155,401
Missouri .....	2,700	102	5	2	2,693	13.80	37,260	37,126
Montana .....	3,441	286	226	180	3,035	12.90	44,389	39,191
Nebraska .....	8,418	494	183	429	7,806	13.70	115,327	106,892
Nevada .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New Jersey .....	552	37	8	1	543	11.70	6,458	6,342
New Mexico .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New York .....	4,959	374	29	113	4,817	13.40	66,451	64,404
North Carolina .....	3,240	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
North Dakota .....	22,620	1,742	299	2,111	20,210	10.30	232,986	208,518
Ohio .....	504	34	5	4	495	14.80	7,459	7,347
Oregon .....	21,582	874	72	1,400	20,110	8.75	188,843	176,312
Pennsylvania .....	1,914	152	3	13	1,898	16.20	31,007	30,772
Rhode Island .....	130	10	4	3	123	13.20	1,716	1,621
Texas .....	8,142	630	-	814	7,328	17.90	145,742	131,180
Virginia .....	819	74	1	2	816	23.00	18,837	18,750
Washington .....	96,000	4,175	290	6,000	89,710	8.25	792,000	738,823
Wisconsin .....	26,040	1,449	421	1,300	24,319	10.40	270,816	254,116
Other States <sup>2</sup> .....	4,889	678	44	252	8,785	11.70	106,222	103,331
United States .....	434,652	25,249	4,323	26,211	404,118	9.75	4,237,284	3,943,214

- Represents zero.

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## Potato Production, Seed Use, Farm Disposition, Price, and Value – States and United States: 2014 Crop

[United States and totals may not add due to rounding]

State	Production	Total used for seed	Farm disposition			Price per cwt	Value of	
			Where grown		Sold		Production <sup>1</sup>	Sales <sup>1</sup>
			Seed, feed, home	Shrink and loss				
	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
Arizona .....	1,085	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
California .....	15,557	1,262	10	211	15,336	11.90	184,891	182,443
Colorado .....	23,196	1,537	961	2,330	19,905	8.25	191,367	164,330
Delaware .....	348	20	1	1	346	14.80	5,150	5,126
Florida .....	7,032	897	-	531	6,501	18.70	131,498	121,802
Idaho .....	132,880	7,703	890	8,630	123,360	7.20	956,736	886,654
Illinois .....	2,656	150	26	-	2,630	9.70	25,763	25,512
Kansas .....	1,394	107	-	50	1,344	8.55	11,919	11,508
Maine .....	14,645	1,071	327	1,818	12,500	10.50	153,773	131,554
Maryland .....	874	38	1	1	872	11.70	10,226	10,193
Massachusetts .....	1,026	83	12	5	1,009	10.40	10,670	10,490
Michigan .....	15,725	1,058	315	450	14,960	11.70	183,983	175,151
Minnesota .....	16,400	984	136	659	15,605	9.25	151,700	144,248
Missouri .....	2,133	204	-	-	2,133	11.90	25,458	25,458
Montana .....	3,616	276	226	200	3,190	12.80	46,285	40,808
Nebraska .....	7,943	432	162	544	7,237	10.60	84,196	76,625
Nevada .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New Jersey .....	428	40	2	1	425	11.90	5,093	5,070
New Mexico .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New York .....	4,345	346	82	240	4,023	12.60	54,747	50,877
North Carolina .....	2,835	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
North Dakota .....	23,870	1,782	360	2,200	21,310	9.40	224,378	200,836
Ohio .....	420	32	5	5	410	11.70	4,914	4,788
Oregon .....	22,562	952	70	1,375	21,117	7.90	178,240	167,008
Pennsylvania .....	1,430	120	13	14	1,403	13.30	19,019	18,649
Rhode Island .....	123	11	-	1	122	13.00	1,599	1,587
Texas .....	6,901	630	50	51	6,800	17.30	119,387	117,357
Virginia .....	1,125	97	2	8	1,115	16.60	18,675	18,506
Washington .....	101,475	4,318	260	6,340	94,875	7.60	771,210	719,309
Wisconsin .....	26,240	1,501	275	846	25,119	10.40	272,896	260,021
Other States <sup>2</sup> .....	3,906	608	6	251	7,569	10.79	84,438	82,369
United States .....	442,170	26,259	4,192	26,762	411,216	8.88	3,928,211	3,658,279

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# Potato Production, Seed Use, Farm Disposition, Price, and Value – States and United States: 2015 Crop

[United States totals may not add due to rounding]

State	Production	Total used for seed	Farm disposition			Price per cwt	Value of	
			Where grown		Sold		Production <sup>1</sup>	Sales <sup>1</sup>
			Seed, feed, home	Shrink and loss				
	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
Arizona .....	1,015	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
California .....	13,808	908	10	1,076	12,722	13.70	188,799	172,904
Colorado .....	22,575	1,415	930	2,030	19,615	8.40	189,630	164,857
Delaware .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Florida .....	6,808	658	1	-	6,807	15.90	108,247	108,027
Idaho .....	130,400	8,060	1,089	8,420	120,891	7.00	912,800	845,940
Illinois .....	2,622	158	-	12	2,610	8.30	21,763	21,679
Kansas .....	1,206	105	-	46	1,160	9.25	11,156	10,756
Maine .....	16,160	1,029	322	1,615	14,223	10.10	163,216	143,112
Maryland .....	792	36	1	1	790	10.50	8,316	8,310
Massachusetts .....	1,098	88	16	9	1,073	10.40	11,419	11,182
Michigan .....	17,550	1,152	335	540	16,675	10.40	182,520	173,140
Minnesota .....	16,200	840	104	826	15,270	10.00	162,000	153,362
Missouri .....	2,471	194	-	10	2,461	11.60	28,664	28,517
Montana .....	3,543	294	208	140	3,195	13.00	46,059	41,546
Nebraska .....	6,885	479	251	529	6,105	9.85	67,817	60,085
Nevada .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New Jersey .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New Mexico .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New York .....	4,144	288	46	290	3,808	12.20	50,557	46,606
North Carolina .....	2,667	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
North Dakota .....	27,600	1,782	456	2,234	24,910	9.25	255,300	230,376
Ohio .....	276	29	5	5	266	12.80	3,533	3,407
Oregon .....	21,784	1,053	207	1,305	20,272	8.20	178,629	165,987
Pennsylvania .....	1,484	122	28	22	1,434	12.30	18,253	17,597
Rhode Island .....	81	12	2	1	78	11.40	923	888
Texas .....	6,825	584	-	-	6,825	15.70	107,153	106,922
Virginia .....	1,034	70	2	3	1,029	14.90	15,407	15,319
Washington .....	100,300	4,323	268	6,220	93,812	7.70	772,310	720,145
Wisconsin .....	27,813	1,361	222	1,004	26,587	9.70	269,786	258,289
Other States <sup>2</sup> .....	4,064	675	128	171	7,447	11.78	91,281	88,110
United States .....	441,205	25,715	4,631	26,509	410,065	8.76	3,865,538	3,597,063

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**Potato Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, and Production by Seasonal Group – States and United States: 2013-2015**

Seasonal group and State	Area planted			Area harvested		
	2013 (1,000 acres)	2014 (1,000 acres)	2015 (1,000 acres)	2013 (1,000 acres)	2014 (1,000 acres)	2015 (1,000 acres)
<b>Spring</b>						
Arizona .....	3.5	3.8	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.5
California .....	27.0	25.0	27.0	26.5	24.8	26.7
Florida .....	30.9	30.5	30.0	29.5	29.3	29.6
North Carolina .....	14.5	14.5	13.5	13.5	13.5	12.7
United States .....	75.9	73.8	74.1	72.9	71.1	72.5
<b>Summer</b>						
Delaware .....	1.4	1.2	(D)	1.4	1.2	(D)
Illinois .....	6.8	6.5	7.5	6.7	6.4	6.9
Kansas .....	4.4	4.2	3.8	4.3	4.1	3.6
Maryland .....	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.1	2.3	2.4
Missouri .....	9.5	8.2	8.5	9.0	7.9	8.1
New Jersey .....	2.4	2.0	(D)	2.4	1.9	(D)
Texas .....	18.0	21.0	20.0	17.7	20.6	18.2
Virginia .....	4.0	5.0	5.0	3.9	4.5	4.7
Other States .....	(NA)	(NA)	3.3	(NA)	(NA)	3.2
United States .....	48.7	50.4	50.5	47.5	48.9	47.1
<b>Fall</b>						
California .....	7.3	8.3	8.4	7.3	8.3	8.4
Colorado .....	54.8	60.2	57.7	54.6	59.8	57.4
San Luis Valley .....	49.7	54.2	51.9	49.6	53.9	51.8
All other areas .....	5.1	6.0	5.8	5.0	5.9	5.6
Idaho .....	317.0	321.0	323.0	316.0	320.0	322.0
10 Southwest counties .....	17.0	16.0	16.0	17.0	16.0	16.0
All other counties .....	300.0	305.0	307.0	299.0	304.0	306.0
Maine .....	55.0	51.0	51.0	54.0	50.5	50.5
Massachusetts .....	3.9	3.6	3.6	3.9	3.6	3.6
Michigan .....	44.5	43.0	46.0	44.0	42.5	45.0
Minnesota .....	46.0	42.0	41.0	45.0	41.0	40.5
Montana .....	11.3	11.5	11.0	11.1	11.3	10.9
Nebraska .....	18.5	17.0	15.5	18.3	16.9	15.3
Nevada .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New Mexico .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New York .....	17.5	16.0	15.0	17.1	15.8	14.8
North Dakota .....	81.0	79.0	82.0	78.0	77.0	80.0
Ohio .....	1.9	1.6	1.3	1.8	1.5	1.2
Oregon .....	40.0	39.0	39.0	39.6	38.9	38.9
Pennsylvania .....	6.7	5.3	5.4	6.6	5.2	5.3
Rhode Island .....	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.6
Washington .....	160.0	165.0	170.0	160.0	165.0	170.0
Wisconsin .....	62.5	65.0	63.0	62.0	64.0	62.5
Other States <sup>1</sup> .....	10.9	9.4	8.0	10.7	9.3	7.9
United States .....	939.3	938.4	941.5	930.5	931.1	934.8
<b>All potatoes</b>						
United States .....	1,063.9	1,062.6	1,066.1	1,050.9	1,051.1	1,054.4

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**Potato Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, and Production by Seasonal Group – States and United States: 2013-2015 (continued)**

Seasonal group and State	Yield per acre <sup>2</sup>			Production		
	2013 (cwt)	2014 (cwt)	2015 (cwt)	2013 (1,000 cwt)	2014 (1,000 cwt)	2015 (1,000 cwt)
<b>Spring</b>						
Arizona .....	280	310	290	952	1,085	1,015
California .....	410	470	385	10,865	11,656	10,280
Florida .....	240	240	230	7,080	7,032	6,808
North Carolina .....	240	210	210	3,240	2,835	2,667
United States .....	304	318	286	22,137	22,608	20,770
<b>Summer</b>						
Delaware .....	280	290	(D)	392	348	(D)
Illinois .....	370	415	380	2,479	2,656	2,622
Kansas .....	350	340	335	1,505	1,394	1,206
Maryland .....	310	380	330	651	874	792
Missouri .....	300	270	305	2,700	2,133	2,471
New Jersey .....	230	225	(D)	552	428	(D)
Texas .....	460	335	375	8,142	6,901	6,825
Virginia .....	210	250	220	819	1,125	1,034
Other States .....	(NA)	(NA)	245	(NA)	(NA)	784
United States .....	363	324	334	17,240	15,859	15,734
<b>Fall</b>						
California .....	480	470	420	3,504	3,901	3,528
Colorado .....	372	388	393	20,304	23,196	22,575
San Luis Valley .....	365	380	385	18,104	20,482	19,943
All other areas .....	440	460	470	2,200	2,714	2,632
Idaho .....	415	415	405	131,131	132,880	130,400
10 Southwest counties .....	520	515	500	8,840	8,240	8,000
All other counties .....	409	410	400	122,291	124,640	122,400
Maine .....	290	290	320	15,660	14,645	16,160
Massachusetts .....	260	285	305	1,014	1,026	1,098
Michigan .....	360	370	390	15,840	15,725	17,550
Minnesota .....	385	400	400	17,325	16,400	16,200
Montana .....	310	320	325	3,441	3,616	3,543
Nebraska .....	460	470	450	8,418	7,943	6,885
Nevada .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New Mexico .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New York .....	290	275	280	4,959	4,345	4,144
North Dakota .....	290	310	345	22,620	23,870	27,600
Ohio .....	280	280	230	504	420	276
Oregon .....	545	580	560	21,582	22,562	21,784
Pennsylvania .....	290	275	280	1,914	1,430	1,484
Rhode Island .....	260	245	135	130	123	81
Washington .....	600	615	590	96,000	101,475	100,300
Wisconsin .....	420	410	445	26,040	26,240	27,813
Other States <sup>1</sup> .....	457	420	415	4,889	3,906	3,280
United States .....	425	434	433	395,275	403,703	404,701
<b>All potatoes</b>						
United States .....	414	421	418	434,652	442,170	441,205

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(NA) Not available.

<sup>1</sup> Includes data withheld above.

<sup>2</sup> Derived.

# Potato Production, Seed Use, Farm Disposition, Price, and Value by Seasonal Group – States and United States: 2013 Crop

[United States and totals may not add due to rounding]

Seasonal group and State	Production	Total used for seed	Farm disposition			Price per cwt	Value of	
			Where grown		Sold		Production <sup>1</sup>	Sales <sup>1</sup>
			Seed, feed, home	Shrink and loss				
	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
<b>Spring</b>								
Arizona .....	952	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
California .....	10,865	717	2	805	10,058	19.40	210,781	195,279
Florida .....	7,080	751	-	210	6,870	17.00	120,360	116,978
North Carolina .....	3,240	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other States <sup>2</sup> .....	(NA)	417	3	5	4,184	14.05	58,820	58,592
United States .....	22,137	1,885	5	1,020	21,112	17.62	389,961	370,849
<b>Summer</b>								
Delaware .....	392	21	1	1	390	19.20	7,526	7,476
Illinois .....	2,479	117	10	7	2,462	10.70	26,525	26,361
Kansas .....	1,505	125	-	60	1,445	11.30	17,007	16,320
Maryland .....	651	33	1	4	646	12.50	8,138	8,098
Missouri .....	2,700	102	5	2	2,693	13.80	37,260	37,126
New Jersey .....	552	37	8	1	543	11.70	6,458	6,342
Texas .....	8,142	630	-	814	7,328	17.90	145,742	131,180
Virginia .....	819	74	1	2	816	23.00	18,837	18,750
United States .....	17,240	1,139	26	891	16,323	15.52	267,493	251,653
<b>Fall</b>								
California .....	3,504	210	-	70	3,434	10.10	35,390	34,566
Colorado .....	20,304	1,565	954	1,460	17,890	9.90	201,010	176,809
Idaho .....	131,131	7,545	1,166	8,525	121,440	7.75	1,016,265	941,110
Maine .....	15,660	1,030	230	1,130	14,300	10.50	164,430	149,444
Massachusetts .....	1,014	89	-	19	995	11.10	11,255	11,002
Michigan .....	15,840	1,035	310	430	15,100	11.90	188,496	179,645
Minnesota .....	17,325	900	59	866	16,400	9.50	164,588	155,401
Montana .....	3,441	286	226	180	3,035	12.90	44,389	39,191
Nebraska .....	8,418	494	183	429	7,806	13.70	115,327	106,892
Nevada .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New Mexico .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New York .....	4,959	374	29	113	4,817	13.40	66,451	64,404
North Dakota .....	22,620	1,742	299	2,111	20,210	10.30	232,986	208,518
Ohio .....	504	34	5	4	495	14.80	7,459	7,347
Oregon .....	21,582	874	72	1,400	20,110	8.75	188,843	176,312
Pennsylvania .....	1,914	152	3	13	1,898	16.20	31,007	30,772
Rhode Island .....	130	10	4	3	123	13.20	1,716	1,621
Washington .....	96,000	4,175	290	6,000	89,710	8.25	792,000	738,823
Wisconsin .....	26,040	1,449	421	1,300	24,319	10.40	270,816	254,116
Other States <sup>2</sup> .....	4,889	261	41	247	4,601	9.70	47,402	44,739
United States .....	395,275	22,225	4,292	24,300	366,683	9.05	3,579,830	3,320,712
<b>All potatoes</b>								
United States .....	434,652	25,249	4,323	26,211	404,118	9.75	4,237,284	3,943,214

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<sup>2</sup> Includes data withheld above.



# Potato Production, Seed Use, Farm Disposition, Price, and Value by Seasonal Group – States and United States: 2014 Crop

[United States and totals may not add due to rounding]

Seasonal group and State	Production	Total used for seed	Farm disposition			Price per cwt	Value of	
			Where grown		Sold		Production <sup>1</sup>	Sales <sup>1</sup>
			Seed, feed, home	Shrink and loss				
	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
<b>Spring</b>								
Arizona .....	1,085	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
California .....	11,656	1,036	8	172	11,476	12.80	149,197	147,142
Florida .....	7,032	897	-	531	6,501	18.70	131,498	121,802
North Carolina .....	2,835	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other States <sup>2</sup> .....	(NA)	350	6	6	3,908	14.50	56,868	56,615
United States .....	22,608	2,283	14	709	21,885	14.93	337,563	325,559
<b>Summer</b>								
Delaware .....	348	20	1	1	346	14.80	5,150	5,126
Illinois .....	2,656	150	26	-	2,630	9.70	25,763	25,512
Kansas .....	1,394	107	-	50	1,344	8.55	11,919	11,508
Maryland .....	874	38	1	1	872	11.70	10,226	10,193
Missouri .....	2,133	204	-	-	2,133	11.90	25,458	25,458
New Jersey .....	428	40	2	1	425	11.90	5,093	5,070
Texas .....	6,901	630	50	51	6,800	17.30	119,387	117,357
Virginia .....	1,125	97	2	8	1,115	16.60	18,675	18,506
United States .....	15,859	1,286	82	112	15,665	13.98	221,671	218,730
<b>Fall</b>								
California .....	3,901	226	2	39	3,860	10.10	35,694	35,301
Colorado .....	23,196	1,537	961	2,330	19,905	8.25	191,367	164,330
Idaho .....	132,880	7,703	890	8,630	123,360	7.20	956,736	886,654
Maine .....	14,645	1,071	327	1,818	12,500	10.50	153,773	131,554
Massachusetts .....	1,026	83	12	5	1,009	10.40	10,670	10,490
Michigan .....	15,725	1,058	315	450	14,960	11.70	183,983	175,151
Minnesota .....	16,400	984	136	659	15,605	9.25	151,700	144,248
Montana .....	3,616	276	226	200	3,190	12.80	46,285	40,808
Nebraska .....	7,943	432	162	544	7,237	10.60	84,196	76,625
Nevada .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New Mexico .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New York .....	4,345	346	82	240	4,023	12.60	54,747	50,877
North Dakota .....	23,870	1,782	360	2,200	21,310	9.40	224,378	200,836
Ohio .....	420	32	5	5	410	11.70	4,914	4,788
Oregon .....	22,562	952	70	1,375	21,117	7.90	178,240	167,008
Pennsylvania .....	1,430	120	13	14	1,403	13.30	19,019	18,649
Rhode Island .....	123	11	-	1	122	13.00	1,599	1,587
Washington .....	101,475	4,318	260	6,340	94,875	7.60	771,210	719,309
Wisconsin .....	26,240	1,501	275	846	25,119	10.40	272,896	260,021
Other States <sup>2</sup> .....	3,906	258	-	245	3,661	7.06	27,570	25,754
United States .....	403,703	22,690	4,096	25,941	373,666	8.35	3,368,977	3,113,990
<b>All potatoes</b>								
United States .....	442,170	26,259	4,192	26,762	411,216	8.88	3,928,211	3,658,279

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<sup>2</sup> Includes data withheld above.

# Potato Production, Seed Use, Farm Disposition, Price, and Value by Seasonal Group – States and United States: 2015 Crop

[United States and totals may not add due to rounding]

Seasonal group and State	Production	Total used for seed	Farm disposition			Price per cwt	Value of	
			Where grown		Sold		Production <sup>1</sup>	Sales <sup>1</sup>
			Seed, feed, home	Shrink and loss				
	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
<b>Spring</b>								
Arizona .....	1,015	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
California .....	10,280	754	8	935	9,337	15.50	159,340	144,673
Florida .....	6,808	658	1	-	6,807	15.90	108,247	108,027
North Carolina .....	2,667	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other States <sup>2</sup> .....	(NA)	422	5	33	3,644	13.25	48,797	48,057
United States .....	20,770	1,834	14	968	19,788	15.23	316,384	300,757
<b>Summer</b>								
Delaware .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Illinois .....	2,622	158	-	12	2,610	8.30	21,763	21,679
Kansas .....	1,206	105	-	46	1,160	9.25	11,156	10,756
Maryland .....	792	36	1	1	790	10.50	8,316	8,310
Missouri .....	2,471	194	-	10	2,461	11.60	28,664	28,517
New Jersey .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Texas .....	6,825	584	-	-	6,825	15.70	107,153	106,922
Virginia .....	1,034	70	2	3	1,029	14.90	15,407	15,319
Other States .....	784	55	-	2	782	12.73	9,980	9,971
United States .....	15,734	1,202	3	74	15,657	12.87	202,439	201,474
<b>Fall</b>								
California .....	3,528	154	2	141	3,385	8.35	29,459	28,231
Colorado .....	22,575	1,415	930	2,030	19,615	8.40	189,630	164,857
Idaho .....	130,400	8,060	1,089	8,420	120,891	7.00	912,800	845,940
Maine .....	16,160	1,029	322	1,615	14,223	10.10	163,216	143,112
Massachusetts .....	1,098	88	16	9	1,073	10.40	11,419	11,182
Michigan .....	17,550	1,152	335	540	16,675	10.40	182,520	173,140
Minnesota .....	16,200	840	104	826	15,270	10.00	162,000	153,362
Montana .....	3,543	294	208	140	3,195	13.00	46,059	41,546
Nebraska .....	6,885	479	251	529	6,105	9.85	67,817	60,085
Nevada .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New Mexico .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New York .....	4,144	288	46	290	3,808	12.20	50,557	46,606
North Dakota .....	27,600	1,782	456	2,234	24,910	9.25	255,300	230,376
Ohio .....	276	29	5	5	266	12.80	3,533	3,407
Oregon .....	21,784	1,053	207	1,305	20,272	8.20	178,629	165,987
Pennsylvania .....	1,484	122	28	22	1,434	12.30	18,253	17,597
Rhode Island .....	81	12	2	1	78	11.40	923	888
Washington .....	100,300	4,323	268	6,220	93,812	7.70	772,310	720,145
Wisconsin .....	27,813	1,361	222	1,004	26,587	9.70	269,786	258,289
Other States <sup>2</sup> .....	3,280	198	123	136	3,021	9.91	32,504	30,082
United States .....	404,701	22,679	4,614	25,467	374,620	8.26	3,346,715	3,094,832
<b>All potatoes</b>								
United States .....	441,205	25,715	4,631	26,509	410,065	8.76	3,865,538	3,597,063

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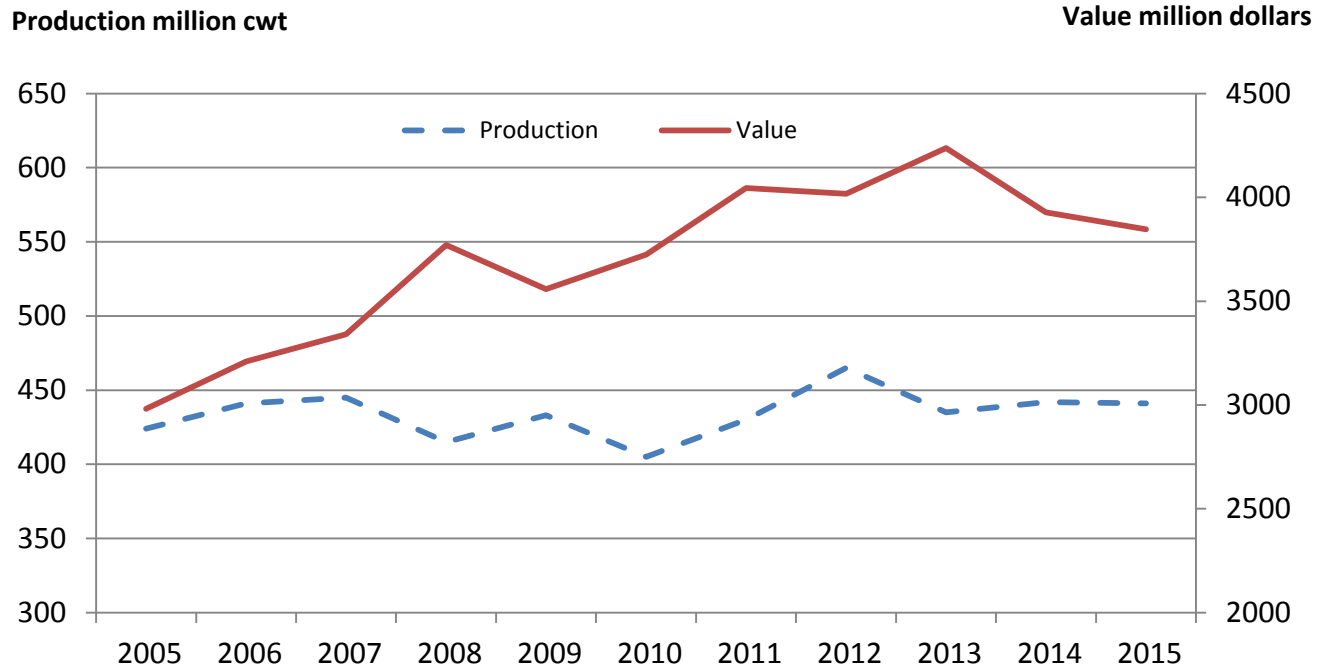
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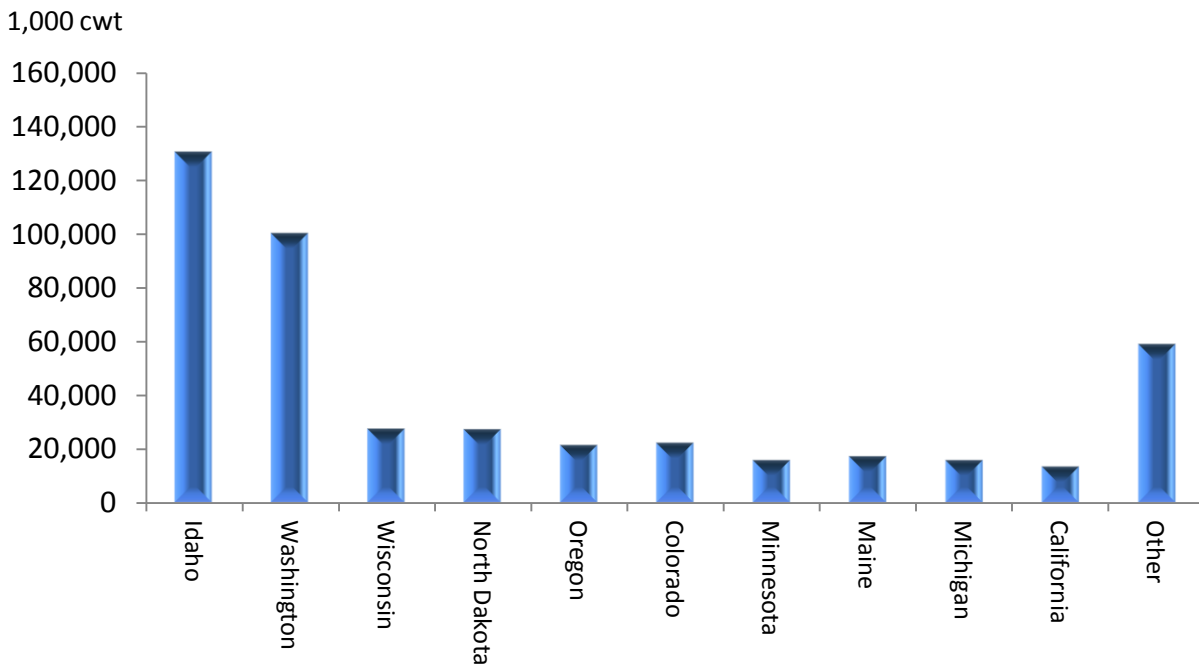
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<sup>2</sup> Includes data withheld above.

## Potato Production and Value - United States



## Potato Production by States: 2015



## Processing – United States: 2013-2015

Utilization items	Crop year		
	2013 <sup>1</sup>	2014	2015
	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)
<b>Processing</b>			
Chips and shoestrings .....	60,485	73,960	58,122
All Dehydrated (including starch and flour) .....	47,411	48,707	47,893
Frozen french fries .....	134,966	152,832	152,329
Other frozen products .....	18,451	9,208	13,573
Canned products .....	188	435	478
Other canned products (hash, stews, soups) .....	1,089	886	730
Other (including fresh pack, potato salad, vodka, etc) .....	10,916	6,907	6,377
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>273,506</b>	<b>292,935</b>	<b>279,502</b>

<sup>1</sup> 2013 reflects only 30 program states.

## Number of Potato Chip and Shoestring Plants and Quantity Used – Areas and United States: 2013-2015

Area	2013		2014		2015	
	Plants	Quantity	Plants	Quantity	Plants	Quantity
	(number)	(1,000 cwt)	(number)	(1,000 cwt)	(number)	(1,000 cwt)
<b>New England</b>						
Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont .....	2	3,169	3	4,135	6	2,587
<b>Eastern</b>						
Delaware, District of Columbia, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Virginia .....	16	11,682	17	12,687	18	10,111
<b>North Central</b>						
Michigan, Ohio, West Virginia .....	16	6,332	16	7,779	15	6,882
<b>Mid-Central</b> <sup>1</sup>						
Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	3	1,911
<b>Midwest</b>						
Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wisconsin .....	15	12,331	15	13,256	18	10,718
<b>Southeast</b>						
Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee .....	10	8,704	11	11,369	11	9,057
<b>South Central</b>						
Arkansas, Oklahoma, Texas .....	5	4,650	6	7,841	7	5,771
<b>Rocky Mountains</b> <sup>1</sup>						
Colorado, Idaho, Montana, New Mexico, Utah, Wyoming .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	3	1,523
<b>West Coast</b>						
Alaska, Arizona, California, Hawaii, Nevada, Oregon, Washington .....	12	9,724	14	11,830	15	9,562
<b>United States</b> .....	<b>80</b>	<b>60,485</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>73,960</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>58,122</b>

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

<sup>1</sup> Included in United States total.

## Quantity of Potatoes Used for Processing – 9 States: 2013-2016

[Total quantity received and used for processing regardless of the State in which the potatoes were produced]

State	Current year	Following year						
	December 1, 2013	January 1, 2014	February 1, 2014	March 1, 2014	April 1, 2014	May 1, 2014	June 1, 2014	Season
	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)
Idaho and Malheur County, Oregon .....	25,770	32,060	39,090	46,320	53,755	61,780	70,425	85,280
Maine <sup>1</sup> .....	1,570	1,990	2,510	3,060	3,680	4,240	4,800	6,315
Washington and Oregon <sup>2</sup> .....	31,575	37,990	45,420	52,690	59,025	64,905	72,325	81,115
Other States <sup>3</sup> .....	11,365	14,280	17,470	20,475	23,695	26,990	30,195	37,425
United States .....	70,280	86,320	104,490	122,545	140,155	157,915	177,745	210,135
Dehydrated <sup>4</sup> .....	12,065	15,875	19,835	23,380	27,140	31,095	34,895	44,700

State	Current year	Following year						
	December 1, 2014	January 1, 2015	February 1, 2015	March 1, 2015	April 1, 2015	May 1, 2015	June 1, 2015	Season
	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)
Idaho and Malheur County, Oregon .....	27,685	33,995	40,850	47,985	54,665	63,025	70,600	86,870
Maine <sup>1</sup> .....	1,320	1,710	2,260	2,735	3,230	3,700	4,130	5,170
Washington and Oregon <sup>2</sup> .....	31,870	37,190	42,715	50,380	57,340	64,525	72,365	88,615
Other States <sup>3</sup> .....	13,705	17,295	20,865	24,685	28,550	32,080	35,415	41,379
United States .....	74,580	90,190	106,690	125,785	143,785	163,330	182,510	222,034
Dehydrated <sup>4</sup> .....	13,045	16,325	19,965	23,645	26,345	31,515	35,490	46,340

State	Current year	Following year						
	December 1, 2015	January 1, 2016	February 1, 2016	March 1, 2016	April 1, 2016	May 1, 2016	June 1, 2016	Season
	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)
Idaho and Malheur County, Oregon .....	26,850	33,115	39,655	46,455	53,710	61,050	68,435	86,250
Maine <sup>1</sup> .....	1,170	1,590	2,050	2,490	2,980	3,495	4,065	5,724
Washington and Oregon <sup>2</sup> .....	33,955	39,970	46,320	54,455	60,985	67,560	74,285	91,720
Other States <sup>3</sup> .....	8,995	12,515	16,380	20,720	24,550	28,665	33,020	38,742
United States .....	70,970	87,190	104,450	124,120	142,225	160,770	179,805	222,436
Dehydrated <sup>4</sup> .....	12,155	15,885	19,620	23,560	27,605	31,585	35,645	45,735

<sup>1</sup> Includes Maine grown potatoes only. Amounts exclude quantities used for potato chips.

<sup>2</sup> Oregon excluding Malheur County.

<sup>3</sup> Colorado, Minnesota, Nevada, North Dakota, and Wisconsin. Monthly amounts exclude quantities used for potato chips in Wisconsin.

<sup>4</sup> Dehydrated products except starch and flour. Includes Colorado, Idaho, Minnesota, Oregon, and Washington.

## Accumulated Potato Shrinkage and Loss – 13 Fall Storage States: 2013-2016

Crop year	Current year	Following year					
	December 1, 2013	January 1, 2014	February 1, 2014	March 1, 2014	April 1, 2014	May 1, 2014	June 1, 2014
2013 ...	(million cwt) (NA)	(million cwt) (NA)	(million cwt) (NA)	(million cwt) (NA)	(million cwt) 21.9	(million cwt) 25.0	(million cwt) 27.6
Crop year	Current year	Following year					
	December 1, 2014	January 1, 2015	February 1, 2015	March 1, 2015	April 1, 2015	May 1, 2015	June 1, 2015
2014 ...	(million cwt) 14.2	(million cwt) 16.6	(million cwt) 18.2	(million cwt) 20.4	(million cwt) 22.1	(million cwt) 24.0	(million cwt) 25.5
Crop year	Current year	Following year					
	December 1, 2015	January 1, 2016	February 1, 2016	March 1, 2016	April 1, 2016	May 1, 2016	June 1, 2016
2015 ...	(million cwt) 12.4	(million cwt) 14.5	(million cwt) 16.3	(million cwt) 17.9	(million cwt) 19.7	(million cwt) 21.5	(million cwt) 23.4

(NA) Not available.

## Potato Stocks Held by Growers, Local Dealers, and Processors – 13 Fall States: 2013-2016

[Stocks are defined as the quantity (whether sold or not) remaining in storage for all purposes and uses, including seed potatoes that are not yet moved, and shrinkage, waste, and other losses that occur after the date of each estimate]

State	Current year	Following year		
	December 1, 2013	February 1, 2014	April 1, 2014	June 1, 2014
	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)
California .....	(NA)	(NA)	800	(D)
Colorado .....	(NA)	(NA)	7,000	2,800
Idaho .....	(NA)	(NA)	47,000	20,000
Maine .....	(NA)	(NA)	4,400	(D)
Michigan .....	(NA)	(NA)	2,100	(D)
Minnesota .....	(NA)	(NA)	6,000	3,000
Montana .....	(NA)	(NA)	1,800	(D)
Nebraska .....	(NA)	(NA)	2,200	(D)
New York .....	(NA)	(NA)	650	(D)
North Dakota .....	(NA)	(NA)	6,500	1,800
Oregon .....	(NA)	(NA)	7,600	3,000
Washington .....	(NA)	(NA)	26,000	12,500
Wisconsin .....	(NA)	(NA)	7,000	1,300
Other States <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	2,485
United States .....	(NA)	(NA)	119,050	46,885
Klamath Basin <sup>2</sup> .....	(NA)	(NA)	1,850	(D)

State	Current year	Following year		
	December 1, 2014	February 1, 2015	April 1, 2015	June 1, 2015
	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)
California .....	2,500	1,600	700	(D)
Colorado .....	17,200	13,000	8,500	4,000
Idaho .....	95,000	74,000	49,000	23,500
Maine .....	11,600	8,500	5,500	2,200
Michigan .....	9,400	5,000	2,200	(D)
Minnesota .....	10,000	7,800	5,000	2,800
Montana .....	3,500	3,400	2,200	(D)
Nebraska .....	4,800	3,300	2,100	700
New York .....	2,100	1,400	500	(D)
North Dakota .....	16,900	12,200	7,100	2,600
Oregon .....	17,700	13,200	8,200	2,700
Washington .....	57,000	44,000	29,000	12,500
Wisconsin .....	18,000	13,400	8,700	4,500
Other States <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	835
United States .....	265,700	200,800	128,700	56,335
Klamath Basin <sup>2</sup> .....	5,000	3,000	1,500	(D)

See footnote(s) at end of table.

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## Potato Stocks Held by Growers, Local Dealers, and Processors – 13 Fall States: 2013-2016 (continued)

[Stocks are defined as the quantity (whether sold or not) remaining in storage for all purposes and uses, including seed potatoes that are not yet moved, and shrinkage, waste, and other losses that occur after the date of each estimate]

State	Current year	Following year		
	December 1, 2015	February 1, 2016	April 1, 2016	June 1, 2016
	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)
California .....	2,400	1,600	1,200	290
Colorado .....	17,200	13,000	8,500	4,000
Idaho .....	90,000	71,000	46,000	21,500
Maine .....	12,500	8,900	5,800	2,300
Michigan .....	10,900	6,700	3,500	(D)
Minnesota .....	10,400	7,800	4,700	1,400
Montana .....	3,400	3,300	1,900	(D)
Nebraska .....	4,400	3,100	2,200	(D)
New York .....	2,200	1,500	600	(D)
North Dakota .....	19,500	14,500	9,200	3,600
Oregon .....	17,000	12,000	7,500	3,000
Washington .....	56,000	42,000	27,000	11,500
Wisconsin .....	17,500	13,400	7,800	2,500
Other States <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	-	1,620
United States .....	263,600	198,500	125,900	51,710
Klamath Basin <sup>2</sup> .....	5,100	3,000	1,650	(D)

- Represents zero.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

(NA) Not available.

<sup>1</sup> Includes data withheld above.

<sup>2</sup> Includes potato stocks in California and Klamath County, Oregon.



## Fall Potato Percent of Acreage Planted by Type of Potato – Selected States and United States: 2013-2015

State	Potato types <sup>1</sup>											
	Reds			Whites			Yellows			Russets		
	2013	2014	2015	2013	2014	2015	2013	2014	2015	2013	2014	2015
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado .....	4	5	5	10	11	9	8	9	9	78	75	77
Idaho .....	3	3	3	4	4	4	2	2	2	91	91	91
Maine .....	3	3	5	42	42	36	2	3	4	53	52	55
Michigan .....	1	1	1	84	83	83	1	1	2	14	15	14
Minnesota .....	20	19	20	11	15	14	1	2	1	68	64	65
New York .....	3	3	5	93	95	93	3	2	2	1	-	-
North Dakota .....	24	25	23	30	29	33	1	1	2	45	45	42
Oregon .....	3	3	3	16	17	17	3	3	3	78	77	77
Pennsylvania .....	6	3	3	88	89	89	5	7	7	1	1	1
Washington .....	5	4	4	8	11	11	3	3	3	84	82	82
Wisconsin .....	8	9	8	38	36	34	1	3	3	53	52	55
United States .....	7	6	6	20	20	19	2	3	3	71	71	72

- Represents zero.

<sup>1</sup> Predominant type shown may include small portion of other type(s) constituting less than 1 percent of State's total. Blue types are reported under red types.

## Fall Potato Acres Planted for Certified Seed – Selected States and United States: 2013-2015

[Data supplied by State seed certification officials]

State	2013 Crop			2014 Crop			2015 Crop		
	Entered for certification	Certified	Percent certified	Entered for certification	Certified	Percent certified	Entered for certification	Certified	Percent certified
	(acres)	(acres)		(acres)	(acres)		(acres)	(acres)	
Alaska .....	76	76	100	32	32	100	46	46	100
Arizona .....	-	-	(NA)	-	-	(NA)	125	63	50
California .....	815	815	100	1,018	1,018	100	1,172	1,142	97
Colorado .....	13,256	9,737	73	12,730	10,975	86	10,238	9,307	91
Idaho <sup>1</sup> .....	33,579	33,101	99	32,893	32,367	98	33,945	33,108	98
Maine .....	10,794	10,794	100	10,861	10,861	100	10,647	10,647	100
Michigan .....	2,253	2,242	100	2,250	2,185	97	2,450	2,255	92
Minnesota .....	6,564	5,385	82	6,754	5,580	83	6,476	5,699	88
Montana .....	10,136	10,136	100	10,194	10,194	100	10,243	10,243	100
Nebraska .....	6,106	6,097	100	6,127	6,016	98	5,870	5,270	90
Nevada .....	251	250	100	143	143	100	207	188	91
New York .....	618	618	100	617	617	100	715	715	100
North Dakota .....	17,953	14,170	79	18,465	16,104	87	19,199	14,888	78
Oregon .....	2,531	2,460	97	2,736	2,623	96	2,536	2,529	100
Pennsylvania .....	343	325	95	367	367	100	382	382	100
Utah <sup>2</sup> .....	30	30	100						
Washington .....	3,065	3,052	100	3,215	3,215	100	3,235	3,235	100
Wisconsin .....	8,404	8,404	100	8,675	8,643	100	8,869	8,827	100
Wyoming .....	702	702	100	857	857	100	821	794	97
United States .....	117,476	108,394	92	117,934	111,797	95	117,176	109,338	93

- Represents zero.

(NA) Not available.

<sup>1</sup> Includes certified acreage in northern Utah.

<sup>2</sup> Excludes certified acreage in northern Utah.

**Fall Potato Percent of Total Farm Marketings by Month – Selected States and United States: 2013-2015 Marketing Years**

State	Jul 2013	Aug 2013	Sep 2013	Oct 2013	Nov 2013	Dec 2013	Jan 2014	Feb 2014	Mar 2014	Apr 2014	May 2014	Jun 2014	Jul 2014
	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
California .....	-	-	-	4	13	12	12	10	10	11	10	10	8
Colorado .....	-	1	7	9	13	11	9	9	10	9	9	7	6
Idaho .....	-	3	11	10	8	7	7	8	10	10	11	7	8
Maine .....	-	1	10	11	8	12	9	10	11	12	7	4	5
Michigan .....	-	9	10	11	12	12	12	9	9	9	5	2	-
Minnesota .....	-	12	11	8	8	9	10	6	8	10	8	10	-
New York .....	-	-	13	21	16	13	10	9	7	6	4	1	-
North Dakota .....	-	-	20	13	9	8	9	9	8	9	7	5	3
Oregon .....	-	13	10	13	8	8	6	8	9	10	7	5	3
Washington .....	-	13	14	22	6	5	5	7	7	6	7	6	2
Wisconsin .....	-	7	12	11	8	10	9	10	10	9	5	9	-
United States .....	-	7	12	14	8	8	7	8	9	9	8	6	4
State	Jul 2014	Aug 2014	Sep 2014	Oct 2014	Nov 2014	Dec 2014	Jan 2015	Feb 2015	Mar 2015	Apr 2015	May 2015	Jun 2015	Jul 2015
	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
California .....	-	-	-	-	16	12	13	10	13	12	13	11	-
Colorado .....	-	1	5	9	10	9	9	9	10	10	8	10	10
Idaho .....	-	5	11	10	7	7	8	8	9	12	9	8	6
Maine .....	-	1	7	9	9	11	11	10	11	12	7	6	6
Michigan .....	-	10	11	11	11	12	12	10	9	8	5	1	-
Minnesota .....	-	13	10	13	11	9	10	10	8	6	6	4	-
New York .....	-	9	15	13	12	10	11	9	8	7	5	1	-
North Dakota .....	-	-	23	16	10	7	7	9	9	9	6	3	1
Oregon .....	-	15	11	11	6	6	4	13	8	9	6	3	8
Washington .....	-	9	11	22	7	6	5	6	8	7	7	7	5
Wisconsin .....	-	6	9	10	9	8	8	10	10	10	10	10	-
United States .....	-	7	11	14	8	7	7	8	9	9	8	7	5
State	Jul 2015	Aug 2015	Sep 2015	Oct 2015	Nov 2015	Dec 2015	Jan 2016	Feb 2016	Mar 2016	Apr 2016	May 2016	Jun 2016	Jul 2016
	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
California .....	-	-	-	-	19	12	12	11	12	12	14	8	-
Colorado .....	-	1	6	10	10	9	10	8	10	9	9	10	8
Idaho .....	-	6	12	12	7	7	7	7	9	11	9	7	6
Maine .....	-	1	4	9	9	11	11	10	11	11	10	7	6
Michigan .....	-	10	9	10	10	11	10	9	10	9	7	5	-
Minnesota .....	-	10	11	6	7	8	8	10	10	11	11	8	-
New York .....	-	8	17	15	10	9	10	10	9	7	4	1	-
North Dakota .....	-	-	27	11	6	8	8	8	8	10	7	4	3
Oregon .....	-	21	11	14	8	6	7	6	8	5	3	4	7
Washington .....	-	9	13	21	7	5	5	7	7	7	7	6	6
Wisconsin .....	-	3	8	9	10	9	10	9	16	11	7	8	-
United States .....	-	7	12	14	8	7	7	8	9	9	8	6	5

- Represents zero.

## Percent of All Potato Total Farm Marketings by Month – United States: 2006-2015

Month	Marketing year									
	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
<b>Previous year</b>										
November .....	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
December .....	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Current year</b>										
January .....	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	0.1
February .....	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.1	-	-	-	0.1	0.2
March .....	0.1	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	-	0.2	0.4
April .....	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.4	0.6	1.0	1.6	1.1	0.5	0.4
May .....	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.5	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.2	1.1	1.1
June .....	2.7	1.7	2.2	2.5	2.5	2.0	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.6
July .....	1.8	1.6	2.4	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.5	1.8	1.5
August .....	6.9	6.9	5.9	5.4	4.9	8.3	7.7	6.9	6.9	6.9
September .....	11.0	11.2	10.8	11.7	12.2	11.2	11.5	11.2	10.4	11.6
October .....	13.0	13.4	14.3	13.1	14.4	12.6	12.3	12.7	12.8	12.7
November .....	7.3	7.7	7.4	7.0	7.4	7.2	7.3	7.7	7.6	7.3
December .....	6.9	7.0	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.9	6.9	7.3	7.0	6.9
<b>Following year</b>										
January .....	7.3	6.9	6.9	6.3	6.4	6.6	6.5	7.0	7.0	6.9
February .....	7.0	7.4	6.5	7.2	7.0	7.3	7.5	7.6	7.8	7.2
March .....	8.4	7.9	8.2	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.4	8.4	8.3	8.6
April .....	8.3	8.2	8.4	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.2	8.3	8.9	8.8
May .....	7.4	7.1	7.1	7.3	7.3	6.8	7.7	7.7	7.2	7.3
June .....	5.6	5.0	5.9	6.0	5.7	5.8	5.6	5.9	6.3	6.0
July .....	3.3	4.6	4.2	5.3	4.2	3.7	3.8	3.9	4.4	4.5

- Represents zero.

**Potato Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, and Production – Alaska: 2013-2015**

Crop year	Area		Yield per acre	Production
	Planted	Harvested		
	(acres)	(acres)	(cwt)	(cwt)
2013 .....	650	620	210	130,000
2014 .....	650	620	250	155,000
2015 .....	560	540	260	140,000

**Potato Seed Use, Farm Disposition, Price, and Value – Alaska: 2013-2015**

Crop year	Total used for seed	Farm disposition			Price per cwt	Value of	
		Where grown		Sold		Production	Sales
		Seed feed, home	Shrink and loss				
	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2013 .....	12.0	18.0	13.0	99.0	23.50	3,055	2,325
2014 .....	10.0	13.0	16.0	126.0	21.90	3,395	2,755
2015 .....	11.0	11.0	13.0	116.0	20.60	2,884	2,390

## Potato Marketing Year Average Price Received – States and United States: 2013-2015

[State Marketing Year Average Prices are computed by weighting State monthly prices by estimated sales for the month during the crop year.

United States Marketing Year Average Price is computed by weighting State Marketing Year Average Prices by estimated sales for the crop year]

State	2013	2014	2015	State	2013	2014	2015
	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)		(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)
Alaska .....	23.50	21.90	20.60	New Jersey .....	11.70	11.90	(D)
Arizona .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	New Mexico .....	(D)	(D)	(D)
California				New York .....	13.40	12.60	12.20
All potatoes .....	17.15	11.90	13.70	North Carolina .....	(D)	(D)	(D)
Spring .....	19.40	12.80	15.50	North Dakota			
Fall .....	10.10	10.10	8.35	All potatoes .....	10.30	9.40	9.25
Colorado				Fresh .....	12.90	(D)	(D)
All potatoes .....	9.90	8.25	8.40	Processing .....	9.40	(D)	8.95
Fresh .....	11.20	9.30	9.95	Ohio .....	14.80	11.70	12.80
Delaware .....	19.20	14.80	(D)				
				Oregon .....	8.75	7.90	8.20
Florida .....	17.00	18.70	15.90	Pennsylvania .....	16.20	13.30	12.30
Idaho				Rhode Island .....	13.20	13.00	11.40
All potatoes .....	7.75	7.20	7.00	Texas .....	17.90	17.30	15.70
Fresh .....	7.15	5.55	5.55	Virginia .....	23.00	16.60	14.90
Processing .....	7.85	7.50	7.05	Washington			
Illinois .....	10.70	9.70	8.30	All potatoes .....	8.25	7.60	7.70
Kansas .....	11.30	8.55	9.25	Processing .....	7.45	7.35	7.35
Maine .....	10.50	10.50	10.10	Wisconsin			
Maryland .....	12.50	11.70	10.50	All potatoes .....	10.40	10.40	9.70
Massachusetts .....	11.10	10.40	10.40	Fresh .....	11.90	10.00	9.45
				Processing .....	9.40	9.40	9.25
Michigan .....	11.90	11.70	10.40	United States			
Minnesota .....	9.50	9.25	10.00	All potatoes .....	9.75	8.88	8.76
Missouri .....	13.80	11.90	11.60	Fresh .....	12.63	10.28	9.79
Montana .....	12.90	12.80	13.00	Processing .....	8.52	8.55	8.03
Nebraska .....	13.70	10.60	9.85				
Nevada .....	(D)	(D)	(D)				

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## Potato Prices Received by Farmers by Month – States and United States: 2013

[Monthly prices refer to all potatoes sold in a given month regardless of the year harvested]

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)
California .....	6.80	6.60	6.60	14.60	18.00	18.50	17.80	19.10	(S)	9.95	10.10	10.20
Spring .....	(S)	(S)	(S)	19.30	19.50	19.60	19.20	19.10	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)
Fall .....	6.80	6.60	6.60	6.65	6.95	7.75	9.75	(S)	(S)	9.95	10.10	10.20
Colorado .....	6.85	6.50	6.90	6.50	6.60	8.65	13.80	22.20	12.00	9.60	9.95	8.95
Fresh .....	7.25	6.90	6.60	6.50	6.95	10.30	15.80	22.20	13.60	11.70	11.10	9.80
Florida .....	(S)	(S)	(S)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)
Idaho .....	6.35	6.75	7.10	7.35	7.10	7.60	9.60	10.30	7.70	7.65	7.65	7.35
Fresh .....	4.10	4.10	4.00	3.80	4.50	6.70	10.90	15.70	8.80	8.00	7.30	7.15
Processing .....	7.80	8.20	8.00	8.30	8.20	8.10	8.80	8.00	7.50	7.60	7.90	7.55
Maine .....	10.90	11.00	11.60	12.10	11.90	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	8.80	9.75	10.70
Michigan .....	12.00	12.30	13.00	13.60	13.40	(S)	(S)	10.20	10.90	10.90	11.80	11.90
Minnesota .....	8.90	8.90	9.50	9.40	10.50	(D)	(S)	11.80	9.65	8.20	8.75	9.10
New York .....	13.80	14.00	14.20	13.90	14.10	(S)	(S)	(S)	13.20	13.00	12.90	12.50
North Carolina .....	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	12.90	14.10	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)
North Dakota .....	8.85	8.50	9.10	9.10	9.85	9.40	(D)	(S)	9.65	12.20	10.90	10.70
Fresh .....	7.75	8.45	8.95	11.60	11.80	8.00	(D)	(S)	10.00	17.10	17.20	13.80
Processing .....	9.25	8.25	8.75	8.55	10.20	8.65	(D)	(S)	9.55	10.20	7.75	9.45
Oregon .....	7.50	7.85	8.50	8.55	8.55	10.40	9.00	9.90	8.95	7.80	8.05	7.45
Texas .....	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Virginia .....	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	23.90	19.40	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)
Washington .....	7.55	7.60	7.80	7.70	7.85	8.45	10.60	9.40	7.35	6.65	8.00	9.00
Processing .....	7.50	7.55	7.60	7.70	7.90	8.00	8.00	7.35	6.30	6.40	7.25	8.10
Wisconsin .....	7.80	8.60	10.20	9.30	8.65	9.45	(S)	14.70	10.30	9.70	9.90	10.30
Fresh .....	6.20	7.00	6.65	5.40	5.20	(D)	(S)	19.50	12.40	10.50	10.70	10.00
Processing .....	10.80	9.20	12.10	9.85	10.40	(D)	(S)	7.75	8.05	9.15	9.20	10.60
United States .....	7.87	8.12	8.72	10.48	9.56	10.40	12.24	11.31	8.63	8.08	9.12	9.24
Fresh .....	6.26	6.89	7.31	9.98	10.96	14.27	17.11	20.72	12.70	11.44	11.03	10.35
Processing .....	8.76	8.51	8.84	9.02	9.29	9.03	9.41	7.89	7.56	7.38	8.18	8.75

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## Potato Prices Received by Farmers by Month – States and United States: 2014

[Monthly prices refer to all potatoes sold in a given month regardless of the year harvested]

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)
California .....	10.20	10.00	9.95	13.10	13.70	12.20	11.50	13.00	(S)	(S)	8.95	9.20
Spring .....	(S)	(S)	(S)	14.90	14.20	12.30	11.70	13.00	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)
Fall .....	10.20	10.00	9.95	9.95	10.10	10.30	9.60	(S)	(S)	(S)	8.95	9.20
Colorado .....	9.10	9.05	9.00	10.70	10.60	9.60	9.30	8.50	9.90	9.25	8.75	9.15
Fresh .....	9.80	9.60	9.70	12.20	12.10	12.00	11.00	10.50	11.40	10.70	9.90	10.20
Processing .....	(S)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)
Idaho .....	7.55	7.90	7.80	8.35	7.45	7.90	6.95	6.60	6.45	6.35	6.55	6.85
Fresh .....	7.30	6.25	6.50	6.20	7.35	7.05	4.65	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Processing .....	7.75	8.80	7.70	8.00	7.35	8.20	8.40	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Maine .....	9.90	10.90	11.20	11.30	11.60	12.00	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Michigan .....	12.20	12.40	12.90	13.10	13.20	(S)	(S)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Minnesota .....	8.95	(D)	10.00	9.35	9.35	9.10	(S)	10.90	9.85	8.95	9.15	9.20
New York .....	13.30	12.80	14.40	15.90	16.10	14.70	(S)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
North Carolina .....	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(D)	(D)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)
North Dakota .....	10.10	9.75	9.80	10.10	10.20	(D)	9.20	(S)	9.35	9.05	(D)	(D)
Fresh .....	11.60	(D)	10.10	9.40	9.10	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Processing .....	9.40	(D)	9.35	9.20	9.60	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Oregon .....	8.80	9.05	9.05	8.40	9.40	9.95	9.00	7.60	6.50	6.50	6.95	7.25
Texas .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(S)	(S)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Virginia .....	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(D)	(D)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)
Washington .....	9.10	8.95	9.10	9.10	8.75	9.10	8.70	7.40	6.50	6.35	7.05	8.40
Processing .....	8.30	8.25	8.55	8.50	8.40	8.60	8.40	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wisconsin .....	9.55	9.45	10.60	10.20	9.45	11.60	(S)	10.50	9.50	8.95	9.20	9.65
Fresh .....	10.00	11.20	11.00	11.00	10.50	10.70	(S)	11.00	10.30	9.20	9.40	9.50
Processing .....	9.40	7.90	9.60	9.10	8.60	12.00	(S)	10.00	8.80	8.60	9.00	9.80
United States .....	9.22	9.39	9.62	10.01	9.53	10.28	9.72	8.88	7.76	7.30	8.19	8.63
Fresh .....	9.86	10.08	10.60	12.17	11.53	12.98	9.92	11.47	9.84	8.97	9.24	9.40
Processing .....	8.84	8.86	8.69	8.75	8.55	9.48	9.63	8.08	7.30	6.88	7.68	8.23

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## Potato Prices Received by Farmers by Month – States and United States: 2015

[Monthly prices refer to all potatoes sold in a given month regardless of the year harvested]

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)	(\$/cwt)
California .....	13.00	13.50	12.40	14.20	14.10	14.40	15.60	12.80	12.70	(S)	8.30	8.30
Spring .....	22.30	19.40	18.30	20.50	15.50	15.30	15.60	12.80	12.70	(S)	(S)	(S)
Fall .....	9.30	9.20	9.05	9.20	9.20	9.10	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	8.30	8.30
Colorado .....	9.30	8.60	8.50	8.10	7.50	7.90	4.75	4.60	9.40	8.30	9.05	8.60
Fresh .....	10.40	9.45	9.00	8.70	8.35	9.50	5.40	6.30	10.30	9.85	10.00	10.10
Florida .....	(S)	21.60	17.90	17.10	15.00	14.20	13.80	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)
Idaho .....	7.40	7.15	7.55	8.65	7.60	7.35	7.00	7.00	6.35	6.55	6.85	6.60
Fresh .....	6.70	5.70	5.35	5.60	5.55	5.30	4.70	5.70	5.10	5.75	6.10	5.55
Processing .....	7.85	7.75	7.85	7.85	8.15	8.30	8.50	7.70	6.65	6.65	7.20	7.30
Maine .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Michigan .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(S)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Minnesota .....	9.10	10.00	9.30	8.55	6.95	6.40	(S)	10.50	9.75	9.25	9.65	10.20
New York .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(S)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
North Carolina .....	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	10.50	9.70	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)
North Dakota .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(S)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Fresh .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(S)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Processing .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(S)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Oregon .....	8.60	8.05	9.60	9.50	9.20	8.90	8.15	6.90	6.80	7.10	7.80	8.45
Texas .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Virginia .....	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)	14.90	14.70	(S)	(S)	(S)	(S)
Washington .....	8.70	8.60	8.50	8.60	8.35	8.40	8.10	7.50	6.55	6.55	7.50	8.10
Processing .....	8.20	8.05	8.15	8.25	8.20	8.30	8.10	7.05	6.20	6.35	7.15	7.85
Wisconsin .....	10.00	11.20	11.20	12.00	10.90	10.30	(S)	10.80	9.25	8.60	9.60	9.10
Fresh .....	9.85	10.50	9.90	10.60	10.70	10.70	(S)	11.00	9.50	8.90	9.70	9.00
Processing .....	10.20	9.45	8.90	9.55	9.65	9.65	(S)	9.90	8.55	8.05	9.35	8.90
United States .....	9.14	9.15	9.39	9.70	10.34	9.41	9.02	8.45	7.58	7.24	8.23	8.38
Fresh .....	9.68	9.66	9.58	9.75	11.98	10.47	9.70	10.73	8.95	8.78	8.96	8.64
Processing .....	8.74	8.43	8.50	8.47	9.35	8.94	8.77	7.63	7.17	6.88	7.83	8.25

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## Statistical Methodology

**Survey Procedures:** Potato estimates are the results of a variety of surveys. Summer and fall potatoes are included in the June and December Quarterly Agricultural Surveys, but also follow Grower Special Surveys. For spring potatoes, March Quarterly Agricultural Surveys and Grower Special Surveys are the source of data. Telephone follow-up of mail survey non-respondents is used to ensure adequate coverage. Special grower disposition surveys are conducted at the end of each season to provide additional details about the crop.

**Estimating Procedures:** Information obtained from the special grower disposition surveys along with federal administrative data is used to establish estimates of acreage, production, amount sold, and usage on farm where grown. These estimates are reviewed for errors, reasonableness, and consistency with historical estimates.

**Revision Policy:** All estimates for the previous crop year can be revised at this time. However, acreage is rarely updated. End-of-season estimates of production are made following harvest and are subject to revision the following year based on a thorough review of all available data.

**Reliability:** Survey results are subject to non-sampling errors such as omission, duplication, imputation for missing data, and mistakes in reporting, recording, and processing the data. These errors cannot be measured directly, but they are minimized through rigid quality controls in the data collection process and a careful review of all reported data for consistency and reasonableness.

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## **USDA NASS Data Users' Meeting**

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USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service will hold an open forum for users of U.S. domestic and international agriculture data. NASS is organizing the 2016 Data Users' Meeting in cooperation with five other USDA agencies – Agricultural Marketing Service, Economic Research Service, Farm Service Agency, Foreign Agricultural Service, and World Agricultural Outlook Board – and the Census Bureau's Foreign Trade Division. Agency representatives will provide updates on recent and pending changes in statistical and information programs important to agriculture, answer questions, and welcome comments and input from data users.

For registration details or additional information about the Data Users' Meeting, see the meeting page on the NASS website ([https://www.nass.usda.gov/Education\\_and\\_Outreach/Meeting/index.php](https://www.nass.usda.gov/Education_and_Outreach/Meeting/index.php)). Or contact Tina Hall (NASS) at 202-720-3896 or at [tina.hall@nass.usda.gov](mailto:tina.hall@nass.usda.gov).

The Data Users' Meeting precedes the Industry Outlook Conference at the same location on Wednesday, October 19, 2016. The outlook meeting brings together analysts from various commodity sectors to discuss developments and trends. For registration details or additional information about the Industry Outlook Conference, see the conference page on the LMIC website (<http://lmic.info/page/meetings>). Or contact James Robb at (303) 716-9933.