



Idaho Potatoes

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October Potato Processing In Idaho and Malheur County Down 4 Percent From Last Year

Processors in Idaho and Malheur County, Oregon used 7.79 million cwt of 2007 crop raw potatoes during October, down 4 percent from October 2006. For the 2007 crop, processors have used 18.7 million cwt of 2007 crop raw potatoes to November 1, down 5 percent from last year. Idaho potatoes account for 13.5 million cwt of the total processed. The remaining 5.19 million cwt were produced in other states. Processors in Washington and Other Oregon Counties have used 22.3 million cwt of 2007 crop raw potatoes to November 1, down 6 percent from last year. Processing in other areas will first be published on December 14, 2007.

POTATOES USED FOR PROCESSING, SELECTED STATES, 2005 - 2007 CROPS 1/

STATE	STORAGE SEASON	TO OCT 1	TO NOV 1	TO DEC 1	TO JAN 1	TO FEB 1	TO MAR 1	TO APR 1	TO MAY 1	TO JUNE 1	ENTIRE SEASON
1,000 Cwt											
ID & Malheur Co, OR All Potatoes	2005-06	8,410	15,870	22,840	29,300	35,970	43,300	50,820	57,830	65,030	77,360
	2006-07	11,640	19,730	27,090	34,070	41,350	48,940	56,650	63,680	71,220	85,630
	2007-08	10,860	18,650								
IDAHO Potatoes	2005-06	5,580	11,880	18,200	24,430	30,810	37,870	44,960	51,140	57,610	69,170
	2006-07	8,370	15,690	22,870	29,550	36,430	43,750	50,990	57,240	64,560	78,510
	2007-08	6,760	13,460								
Maine 2/	2005-06			1,365	1,880	2,485	3,090	3,800	4,450	5,130	6,825
	2006-07			1,755	2,360	2,910	3,465	4,185	4,810	5,470	7,560
	2007-08										
WA & Other Area, OR	2005-06	16,620	23,645	30,310	35,895	40,545	48,290	55,320	61,855	69,360	78,550
	2006-07	16,930	23,845	30,980	37,060	42,190	49,930	56,690	63,170	70,410	77,355
	2007-08	15,060	22,305								
Other States 3/	2005-06			11,055	14,070	17,005	19,895	22,520	25,270	27,740	35,535
	2006-07			14,270	17,695	21,290	24,545	28,040	31,370	34,830	43,315
	2007-08										
TOTAL	2005-06			65,570	81,145	96,005	114,575	132,460	149,405	167,260	198,270
	2006-07			74,095	91,185	107,740	126,880	145,565	163,030	181,930	213,860
	2007-08										
DEHYDRATED 4/	2005-06			11,920	15,655	19,225	22,765	26,605	30,065	34,130	41,625
	2006-07			14,590	19,250	23,635	27,885	32,210	36,480	40,915	49,370
	2007-08										

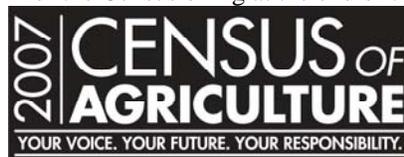
1/ Total quantity received and used for processing regardless of the State in which the potatoes were produced. Amount excludes quantities used for potato chips in ME and WI.

2/ Includes Maine grown potatoes only.

3/ CO, MN, NV, ND, and WI.

4/ Dehydrated products except starch and flour. Included in above totals. Includes CO, ID, NV, ND, OR, WA, and WI.

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MONTH ENDING COLD STORAGE STOCKS 1/

MONTH	MOUNTAIN 2/				PACIFIC 3/				48 STATES			
	FRENCH FRIES		OTHER		FRENCH FRIES		OTHER		FRENCH FRIES		OTHER	
	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007
	1,000 Pounds											
January	177,351	187,000	53,426	57,733	404,794	389,212	87,730	77,054	855,455	826,127	220,766	215,206
February	180,255	192,881	52,412	54,426	464,403	406,051	97,637	78,007	918,622	850,024	228,394	213,621
March	185,819	202,245	50,783	62,815	471,108	420,764	98,477	85,757	929,837	884,916	229,048	229,720
April	182,069	199,570	51,012	62,425	470,741	420,502	102,975	75,582	923,349	878,639	253,297	223,593
May	167,834	185,992	54,908	52,980	443,260	382,791	102,423	82,564	861,830	845,445	243,063	225,246
June	180,420	202,978	57,885	57,552	422,341	385,137	84,862	56,986	877,400	871,947	230,711	206,261
July	162,312	182,979	59,897	54,923	381,315	357,687	80,615	65,180	775,111	787,713	221,294	202,611
August	151,260	173,551	46,631	54,805	396,276	375,173	79,055	67,431	765,090	798,033	199,049	200,996
September	168,184	185,032	48,432	62,357	395,236	408,128	77,919	67,919	808,199	868,810	201,410	211,157
October	187,784	203,095	53,004	72,714	423,798	425,881	78,823	64,377	859,605	914,195	206,994	220,932
November	172,191	*	53,508	*	421,697	*	79,656	*	844,197	*	207,949	*
December	158,305	*	52,970	*	372,163	*	68,982	*	758,254	*	196,566	*

1/ October 2007 is preliminary.

2/ Includes AZ, CO, ID, MT, NV, NM, UT, and WY.

3/ Includes CA, OR, and WA.

* Not available.

2007-2008 POTATO RELEASE DATES

FALL PRODUCTION, STOCKS & PROCESSING, SELECTED STATES – 2007 CROP

Second Forecast 2007 Fall Production	December 14, 2007	Stocks and Processing to March 1	March 14, 2008
Stocks and Processing to December 1	December 14, 2007	Stocks and Processing to April 1	April 15, 2008
Final Forecast 2007 Fall Production	January 11, 2008	Stocks and Processing to May 1	May 15, 2008
Stocks and Processing to January 1	January 17, 2008	Stocks and Processing to June 1	June 13, 2008
Stocks and Processing to February 1	February 15, 2008	Final 2007 Fall Production	September 12, 2008

PROCESSING IDAHO, WASHINGTON & OREGON ONLY

	<u>2007 CROP</u>	<u>2008 CROP</u>
Processing to October 1	October 22, 2007	October 22, 2008
Processing to November 1	November 21, 2007	November 21, 2008

FARM DISPOSITION, VALUE AND UTILIZATION – 2007 CROP – SEPTEMBER 25, 2008

COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS

December 21, 2007	April 21, 2008	July 22, 2008	October 22, 2008
January 22, 2008	May 22, 2008	August 22, 2008	November 21, 2008
February 22, 2008	June 20, 2008	September 22, 2008	December 22, 2008
March 20, 2008			

COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS – Annual Release for 2007 – February 22, 2008

ACREAGE AND PRODUCTION – 2008 CROP

SEASONAL GROUP	2008 CROP YEAR ACREAGE	2008 CROP YEAR PRODUCTION ESTIMATES		2007 CROP YEAR REVISIONS
Winter	January 11, 2008	January 11, 2008	April 9, 2008	October 12, 2007
Spring	April 9, 2008	April 9, 2008	May 9, 2008	January 11, 2008
Summer	June 30, 2008	July 11, 2008	September 12, 2008	April 9, 2008
Fall	July 11, 2008	November 10, 2008	December 15, 2008	September 12, 2008