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NEBRASKA POTATO SUMMARY

LINCOLN, NE, September 19, 2013 -- Final production for the 2012 **potato** crop totaled 10.4 million hundredweight (cwt), up 33 percent from 2011, according to the USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service. Planted acres for 2012 totaled 23,500, up 18 percent from 2011. Harvested area, at 23,300 acres, increased 19 percent from the previous year. Yield for all potatoes averaged 445 cwt in 2012, 45 cwt per acre higher than the 2011 yield.

The value of potatoes sold from the 2012 crop totaled \$102 million, up 35 percent from the 2011 crop. The marketing year average price was \$10.90 per cwt, compared with \$10.70 for the 2011 crop.

Sales from the 2012 crop totaled 9.37 million cwt, up 32 percent from 2011. Sales accounted for 90 percent of production, down 1 percent from the 2011 crop.

Access this complete report at: <http://usda01.library.cornell.edu/usda/current/Pota/Pota-09-19-2013.pdf>

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