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NORTH DAKOTA FEBRUARY 1 POTATO STOCKS

FARGO, N.D. February 18, 2020 - North Dakota growers, dealers, and processors held 10.3 million cwt of potatoes in storage on February 1, according to USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Current stocks represent 51 percent of the 2019 production. Total stocks are defined as all potatoes on hand, regardless of use, including those that will be lost through future shrinkage and dumping.

Comparing stocks by type, Russets accounted for 56 percent of the total, up from 52 percent in 2019. Reds, at 20 percent of total stocks, were up from 18 percent in 2019. Yellows, at 3 percent, unchanged from 3 percent in 2019.

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