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NORTH DAKOTA FEBRUARY 1 POTATO STOCKS

FARGO, N.D. February 17, 2021 - North Dakota growers, dealers, and processors held 12.6 million cwt of potatoes in storage on February 1, according to USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Current stocks represent 55% of the 2020 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% of the total, unchanged from a year ago. Round whites were 24% of the total. Long whites were 2% of the total. Reds, at 15% of total stocks, were down from 20% from a year ago. Yellows, at 3%, unchanged from a year ago.

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