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Northwest Region Potato Stocks on June 1, 2021 Totaled 43.7 Million Hundredweight

Potato stocks in Idaho on June 1, 2021 totaled 26.0 million cwt. Disappearance of the Idaho crop to date was 109 million cwt. June 1 potato stocks in Oregon totaled 3.90 million cwt. Disappearance to date was 23.1 million cwt. In Washington, June 1 potato stocks totaled 13.8 million cwt. Disappearance to date totaled 84.8 million cwt. Nationally, the major potato States held 65.3 million cwt in storage on June 1, 2021, up 13 percent from June 1, 2020. Potatoes in storage accounted for 16 percent of the States' 2020 production compared with 14 percent a year earlier. The indicated potato disappearance, at 349 million cwt, was down 5 percent from the same period last year. Season-to-date shrink and loss, at 24.0 million cwt, was 8 percent higher than the same time last year.

Processors in Idaho and Malheur County, Oregon used 73.1 million cwt of potatoes for the season, up 5 percent from June 1, 2020. In Washington and other Oregon counties, 78.1 million cwt of potatoes had been used by processors for the season, down 1 percent from the previous year. Processors in the 8 States used 187 million cwt of potatoes for the season, down slightly from June 2020.

Potato Production and Stocks — 13 Major States: June 1, 2020-2021

[Stocks include processor holdings and most of the seed to plant following year's crop. Seed usage for all seasons in 2020 totaled 23.7 million cwt]

State	Crop of 2019			Crop of 2020			
	Production	Stocks June1, 2020	June stocks as a percent of production	Production	Stocks April1, 2021	Stocks June1, 2021	June stocks as a percent of production
	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(percent)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(percent)
California	16,842	(D)	(D)	12,560	500	(D)	(D)
Colorado	19,666	2,800	14	23,134	8,800	5,200	22
Florida	6,958	(D)	(D)	5,450	(D)	(D)	(D)
Idaho	130,900	25,000	19	134,775	51,000	26,000	19
Maine	16,738	1,800	11	12,878	3,500	1,100	9
Michigan	20,370	500	2	17,860	3,300	400	2
Minnesota	17,845	3,400	19	17,638	6,400	3,800	22
Nebraska	9,595	(D)	(D)	9,306	2,400	(D)	(D)
North Dakota	19,430	2,400	12	22,913	7,900	3,800	17
Oregon	25,311	2,800	11	27,000	5,700	3,900	14
Texas	7,104	(D)	(D)	4,374	(D)	(D)	(D)
Washington	104,960	15,500	15	98,560	31,000	13,800	14
Wisconsin	28,700	2,700	9	27,800	9,600	6,900	25
Other States ¹	-	1,100	(X)	-	400	400	(X)
Total	424,419	58,000	14	414,248	130,500	65,300	16
Klamath Basin ²	(NA)	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	1,200	(D)	(NA)

- Represents zero.

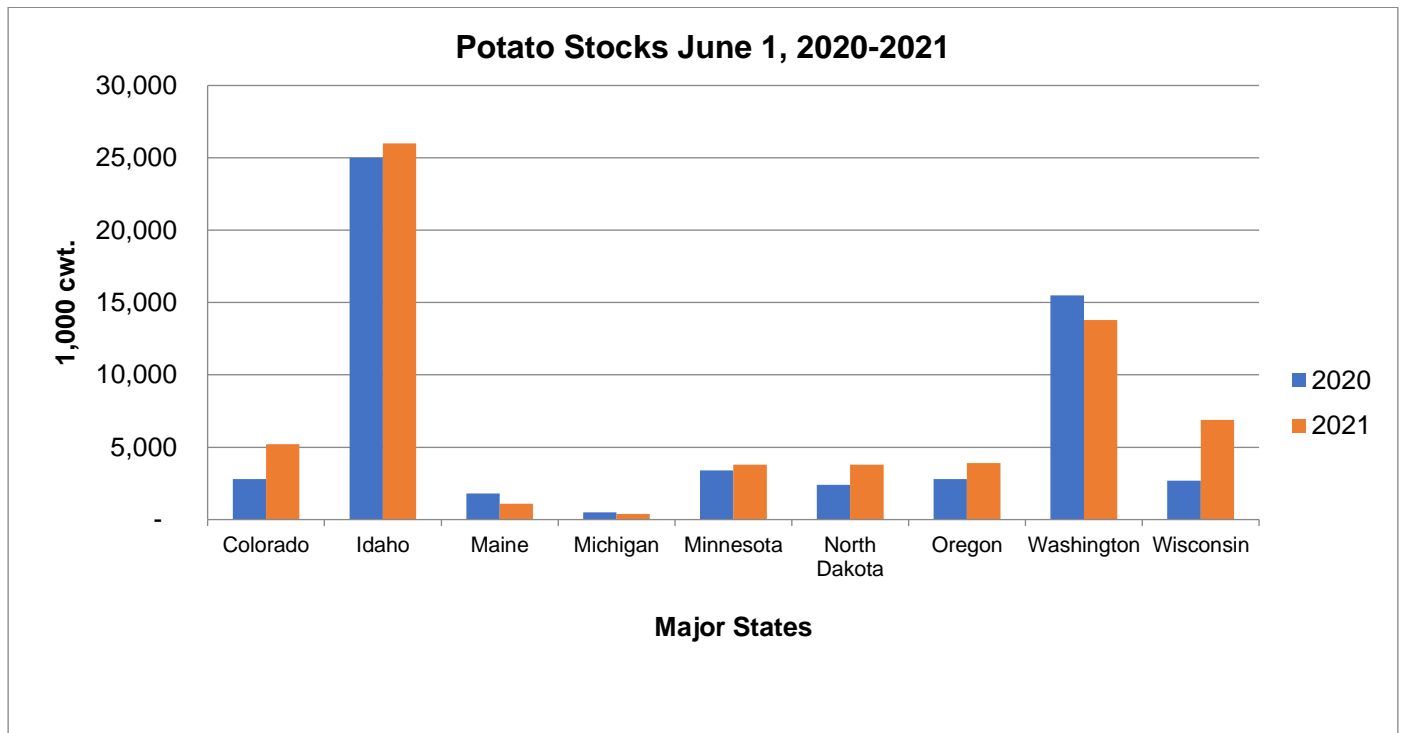
(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

(NA) Not available.

(X) Not applicable.

¹ Includes data withheld above.

² Includes potato stocks in California and Klamath county, Oregon. Already included in the total.



Quantity of Potatoes Used for Processing — 8 States: 2019-2021

[Total quantity received and used for processing regardless of the State in which the potatoes were produced. Blank cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun.]

State and crop year	Current year	Following year						Season
	December 1	January 1	February 1	March 1	April 1	May 1	June 1	
	(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								
2019	26,655	33,170	39,840	47,980	55,775	61,640	69,395	86,863
2020	27,195	34,360	41,695	49,775	57,310	64,755	73,065	
Maine								
2019	1,585	2,050	2,610	2,875	3,285	3,590	4,040	5,050
2020	1,475	1,750	2,095	2,400	2,720	3,055	3,375	
Washington and Oregon ¹								
2019	34,755	42,045	49,685	59,535	67,325	71,280	78,895	94,700
2020	31,930	38,235	45,085	53,250	60,990	68,965	78,090	
Other States ²								
2019	13,315	17,485	21,170	24,940	28,430	31,263	34,565	39,346
2020	11,380	14,854	18,134	21,545	25,200	28,587	32,302	
United States								
2019	76,310	94,750	113,305	135,330	154,815	167,773	186,895	225,959
2020	71,980	89,199	107,009	126,970	146,220	165,362	186,832	
Dehydrated ³								
2019	11,850	15,075	18,620	21,865	25,510	28,780	32,080	40,285
2020	13,140	16,435	19,715	23,235	27,010	30,720	34,430	

¹ Oregon excluding Malheur County.

² Other States include Colorado, Minnesota, North Dakota, and Wisconsin.

³ Dehydrated products except starch and flour. Includes Colorado, Idaho, Minnesota, Oregon, and Washington.

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