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POTATO STOCKS – JUNE 1, 2023

COLORADO HIGHLIGHTS

Potato stocks in Colorado on June 1, 2023, totaled 3.00 million hundredweight, down 12 percent from last year. Disappearance of the crop to date was 18.12 million hundredweight. Potatoes in storage accounted for 14 percent of the 2022 production, compared with 16 percent a year earlier.

UNITED STATES HIGHLIGHTS

Potatoes held in storage on June 1, 2023, totaled 54.5 million cwt, down 3 percent from June 1, 2022. Potatoes in storage accounted for 14 percent of the 2023 production, virtually unchanged from a year earlier. The indicated season to date disappearance, at 338 million cwt, was down 4 percent from the same period last year. Season to date shrink and loss, at 21.6 million cwt, was down 1 percent from the same time last year. Processors in the 8 States used 187 million cwt of potatoes for the season, down 4 percent from June 2022.

For a full copy of the *Potato Stocks* report, please visit www.nass.usda.gov.