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Northwest Region Potato Stocks on April 1, 2023 Totaled 75.6 Million Hundredweight

Potato stocks in Idaho on April 1, 2023 totaled 42.0 million cwt. Disappearance of the Idaho crop to date was 78.7 million cwt. April 1 potato stocks in Oregon totaled 7.60 million cwt. Disappearance to date was 17.3 million cwt. In Washington, April 1 potato stocks totaled 26.0 million cwt. Disappearance to date totaled 64.4 million cwt. Nationally, potatoes held in storage on April 1, 2023 totaled 121 million cwt, down 5 percent from April 1, 2022. Potatoes in storage accounted for 31 percent of the 2022 production, equal to a year earlier. The indicated season to date disappearance, at 271 million cwt, was down 4 percent from the same period last year.

Processors in Idaho used 48.8 million cwt of potatoes for the season. Malheur County, Oregon used 6.75 million cwt of potatoes for the season. The combined Idaho and Malheur County, Oregon usage was down 1 percent from April 1, 2022. In Washington, 44.0 million cwt of potatoes had been used by processors for the season. In the other parts of Oregon, 21.3 million cwt of potatoes had been processed. The combined Washington and other Oregon usage was down 4 percent from the previous year. Processors in the 8 States used 150 million cwt of potatoes for the season, down 3 percent from April 2022.

Potato Production and Stocks — 13 Major States: April 1, 2022-2023

[Stocks include processor holdings and most of the seed to plant following year's crop.]

State	Crop of 2021			Crop of 2022			
	Production	Stocks April 1, 2022	April stocks as a percent of production	Production	Stocks February 1, 2023	Stocks April 1, 2023	April stocks as a percent of production
	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(percent)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(percent)
California	11,049	500	5	7,728	900	500	6
Colorado	21,484	7,200	34	21,120	10,800	6,700	32
Florida	5,400	(D)	(D)	4,956	(D)	(D)	(D)
Idaho	132,090	48,000	36	120,745	64,500	42,000	35
Maine	18,389	5,500	30	18,060	9,700	5,900	33
Michigan	19,350	4,000	21	16,465	7,200	3,700	22
Minnesota	17,553	6,700	38	20,081	11,500	8,000	40
Nebraska	9,261	2,300	25	9,652	4,100	1,700	18
North Dakota	22,500	8,900	40	22,995	13,200	8,300	36
Oregon	26,280	8,900	34	24,940	13,100	7,600	30
Texas	5,520	(D)	(D)	7,188	(D)	(D)	(D)
Washington	91,928	25,000	27	90,383	38,000	26,000	29
Wisconsin	29,025	9,400	32	27,930	15,000	10,000	36
Other States ¹	-	900	(X)	-	1,800	700	(X)
Total	409,829	127,300	31	392,243	189,800	121,100	31
Klamath Basin ²	(NA)	1,200	(NA)	(NA)	2,300	1,100	(NA)

- Represents zero.

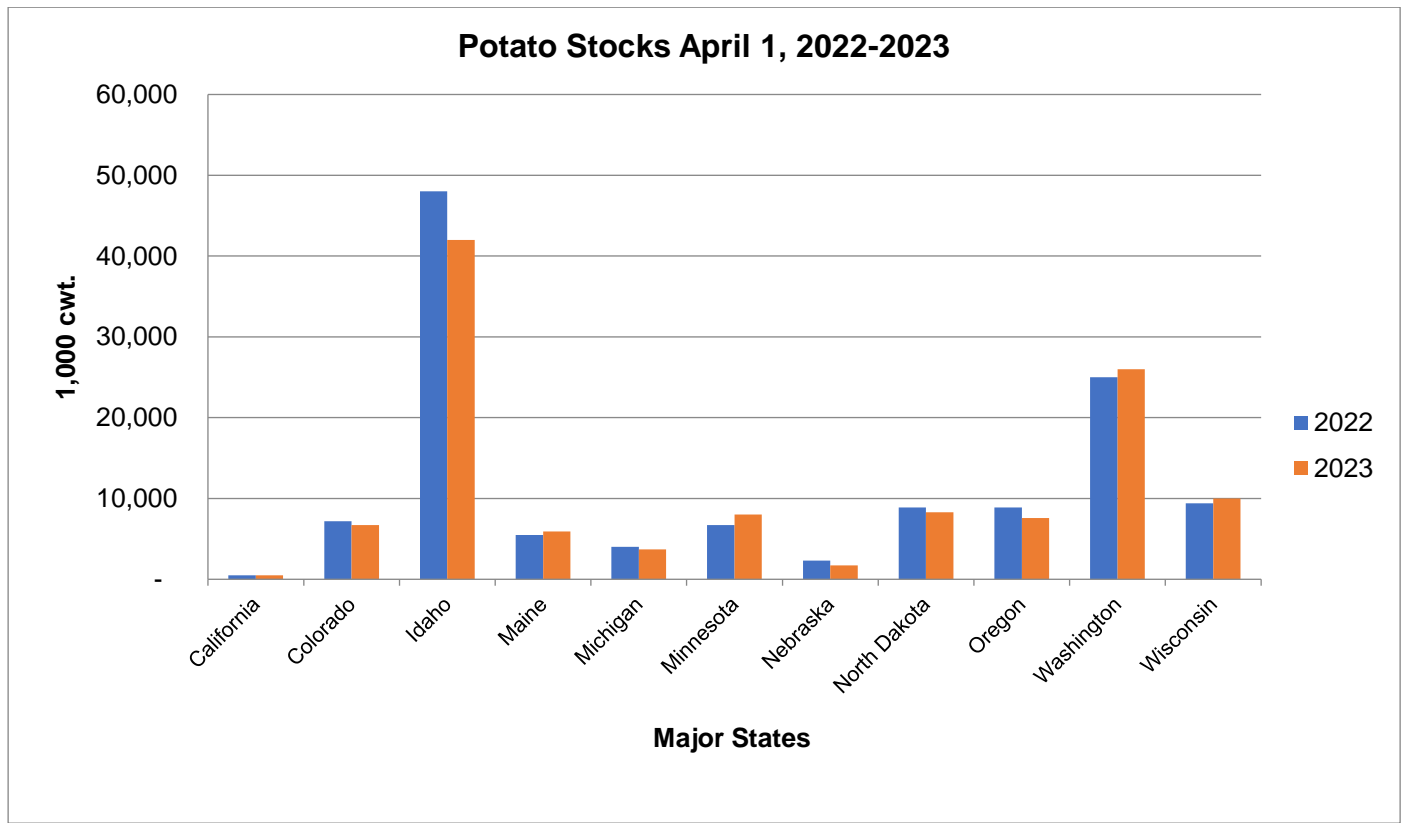
(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

(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: 2021-2023

[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	Current year	Following year						Season
	December 1 2021	January 1 2022	February 1 2022	March 1 2022	April 1 2022	May 1 2022	June 1 2022	
	(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	27,070	34,300	41,530	48,715	56,370	63,875	71,680	83,070
Maine	1,735	2,250	2,890	3,475	4,065	4,590	5,050	5,399
Washington and Oregon ¹	34,920	42,380	49,870	59,620	67,870	76,105	84,965	94,882
Other States ²	11,882	16,011	19,773	22,981	26,364	29,486	33,035	39,642
United States	75,607	94,941	114,063	134,791	154,669	174,056	194,730	222,993
Dehydrated ³	11,855	15,715	19,495	22,335	26,080	29,360	32,415	40,406

State	Current year	Following year						Season
	December 1 2022	January 1 2023	February 1 2023	March 1 2023	April 1 2023	May 1 2023	June 1 2023	
	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)
Colorado.....	740	(D)	1,275	1,465	1,695			
Idaho	22,085	28,735	35,255	42,015	48,795			
Maine	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)			
Minnesota.....	2,745	3,795	4,985	5,915	7,070			
North Dakota	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)			
Oregon	15,630	18,630	21,335	24,515	28,000			
Malheur County	3,715	4,410	5,200	5,900	6,750			
All other counties	11,915	14,220	16,135	18,615	21,250			
Washington	24,715	29,330	34,025	39,065	43,970			
Wisconsin.....	4,595	5,580	6,665	(D)	(D)			
Other States ⁴	4,868	7,519	8,075	17,369	20,203			
United States.....	75,378	93,589	111,615	130,344	149,733			
Dehydrated ³	11,095	14,560	17,680	20,765	24,220			

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

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.

⁴ Includes data withheld above.

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