



North American Potatoes

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Combined United States and Canadian Potato Production Up 8 Percent From 2022

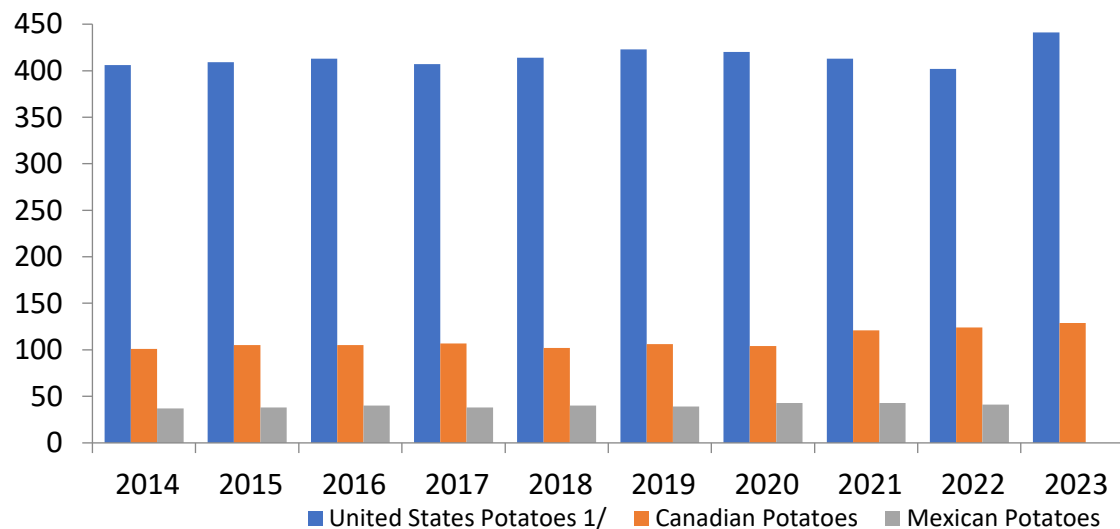
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The 2023 potato production for the United States and Canada combined is estimated at 570 million cwt, up 8 percent from the 2022 estimate. The United States potato production is estimated at 441 million cwt, up 10 percent from last year. Canada's potato growers harvested 129 million cwt, up 4 percent from 2022.

The 2022 potato production for the United States, Canada, and Mexico combined is 567 million cwt, down 2 percent from the 2021 estimate. The United States 2022 potato production is estimated at 402 million cwt, down 3 percent from 2021. Canada's potato growers harvested 124 million cwt during 2022, up 2 percent from 2021. Mexico's potato growers harvested 41.4 million cwt during 2022, down 4 percent from 2021.

Potato Production - North America

(Million cwt)



1/ Beginning in 2019, total includes all potatoes. Previous years were fall potato totals.

Potato Area Planted, Harvested, Yield, Total Production, Utilized Production, Price, and Farm Value – United States: 2014-2023

[Beginning in 2019, total includes all potatoes. Previous years were fall potato totals only. Blank cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Crop year	Area		Yield	Total production	Utilized production ¹	Price	Value of sales ²
	Planted	Harvested					
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2014	942.6	935.3	434	406,080	379,997	8.34	3,130,731
2015	950.5	943.8	434	409,281	383,582	8.28	3,132,640
2016	935.8	921.6	448	412,688	386,688	8.46	3,231,305
2017	919.7	914.7	445	406,800	382,136	8.28	3,135,521
2018	914.7	906.6	457	414,499	389,807	8.48	3,269,884
2019	960.3	934.3	453	423,189	398,232	9.93	3,921,625
2020	919.5	911.6	460	419,781	396,369	9.30	3,649,788
2021	939.0	929.6	444	412,639	389,097	10.20	3,939,588
2022	923.0	918.2	438	402,054	379,922	12.90	4,837,261
2023	965.0	960.2	459	440,750			

¹ Includes potatoes sold and used on farm where grown for human consumption, seed, and livestock feed.

² Includes value of potatoes sold.

Source: National Agricultural Statistics Service.

Potato Area Planted, Harvested, Yield, Total Production, Utilized Production, Price, and Farm Value – Canada: 2014-2023

Crop year	Area		Yield	Total production	Utilized production ¹	Price ²	Farm value ^{2 3}
	Planted	Harvested					
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2014	341.3	337.0	299.1	100,772	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2015	345.3	339.9	308.6	104,907	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2016	346.4	340.6	308.9	105,224	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2017	344.0	340.1	313.7	106,673	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2018	348.6	330.5	310.0	102,447	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2019	362.1	341.8	308.9	105,589	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2020	359.8	355.5	292.7	104,066	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2021	384.3	380.0	318.7	121,111	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2022	385.1	380.0	325.1	123,520	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2023	397.2	387.1	332.8	128,801	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

(NA) Not available.

¹ Includes potatoes sold and used on farm where grown for human consumption, seed, and livestock feed.

² Converted to United States dollars.

³ Includes value of potatoes sold and used on farm where grown for human consumption, seed, and livestock feed.

Source: Agriculture Division, Statistics Canada

Potato Area Planted, Harvested, Yield, Total Production, Utilized Production, Price, and Farm Value – Mexico: 2014-2023

[Blank cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Crop year	Area		Yield	Total production	Utilized production	Price ¹	Value of sales ¹
	Planted	Harvested					
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2014	151.9	151.7	243.9	37,011	(NA)	24.34	900,890
2015	158.2	157.2	242.2	38,081	(NA)	19.31	735,174
2016	159.3	159.0	249.2	39,612	(NA)	14.64	579,793
2017	146.5	146.4	258.3	37,820	(NA)	15.78	596,952
2018	149.1	149.0	266.7	39,740	(NA)	18.55	737,069
2019	147.6	144.4	272.3	39,328	(NA)	18.48	726,720
2020	152.0	150.4	285.0	42,855	(NA)	16.38	701,870
2021	151.5	151.5	283.5	42,940	(NA)	18.81	807,546
2022	148.5	148.5	278.9	41,424	(NA)	19.40	803,786
2023							

(NA) Not available.

¹ Converted to United States dollars.

Source: Servicio de Información Agroalimentaria y Pesquera (SIAP).

Potato Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, Total Production, Utilized Production, Price, and Farm Value – North America: 2014-2023

[Beginning in 2019, total includes all potatoes for the United States, Canada and Mexico. Previous years were fall potato totals only for the United States and all potatoes for Canada and Mexico. Blank cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Crop year	Area		Yield	Total production	Utilized production	Price	Value of sales
	Planted	Harvested					
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2014	1,435.8	1,424.0	381.9	543,863	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2015	1,454.0	1,440.9	383.3	552,269	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2016	1,441.5	1,421.2	392.3	557,524	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2017	1,410.2	1,401.2	393.4	551,293	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2018	1,412.4	1,386.1	401.6	556,686	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2019	1,470.0	1,420.5	399.9	568,106	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2020	1,431.3	1,417.5	399.8	566,702	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2021	1,474.8	1,461.1	394.7	576,690	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2022	1,456.6	1,446.7	391.9	566,998	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2023							

(NA) Not available.

Source: National Agricultural Statistics Service; Agriculture Division, Statistics Canada and Servicio de Información Agroalimentaria y Pesquera (SIAP).

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