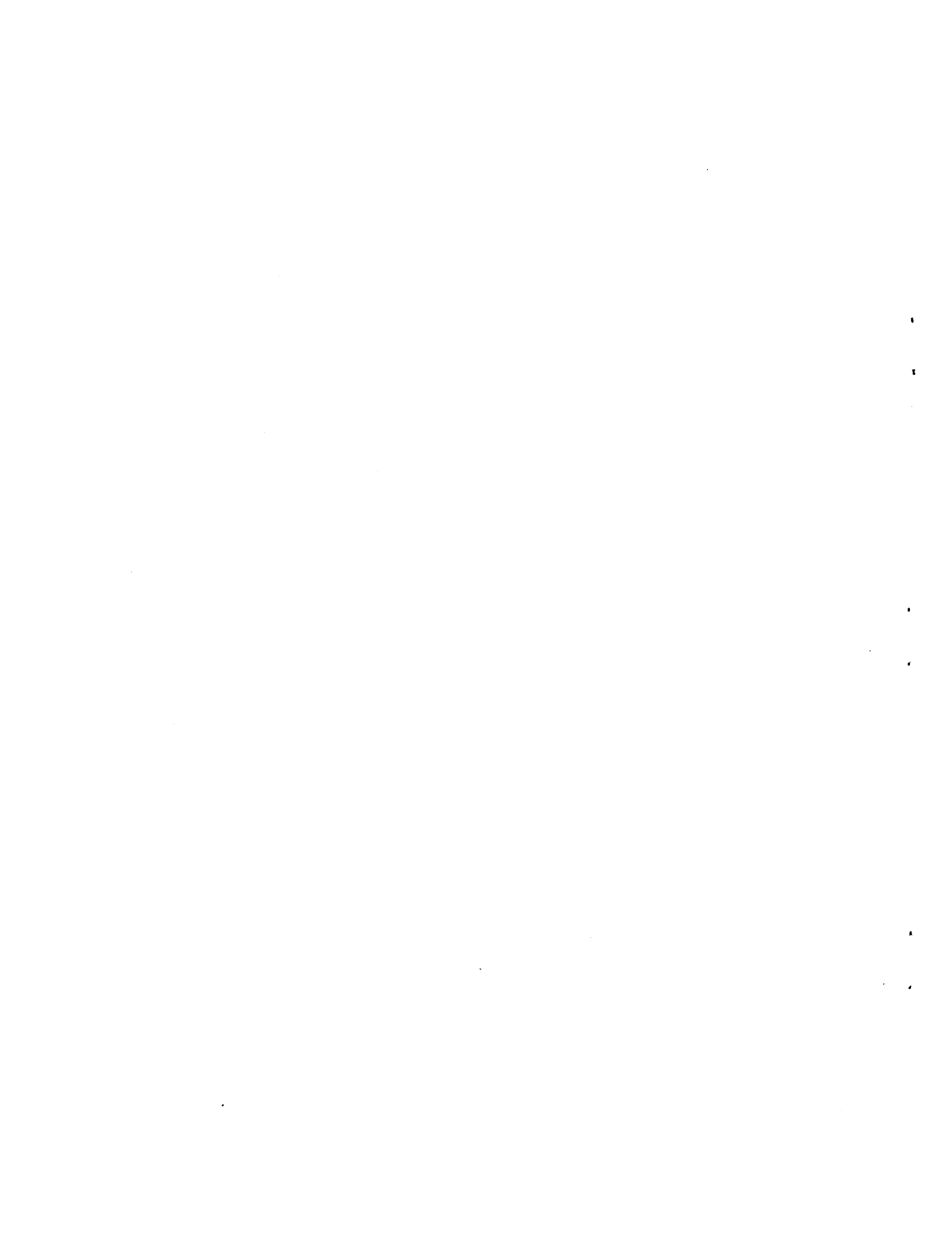


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S U M M A R YPRODUCTION

Maine's 1993 planted acres of 81,000 was down slightly from the 1992 acreage of 82,000. The 1991 planted acres were the same as 1993's. Production of 20,540,000 cwt was down 15 percent from last year's 24,300,000 cwt. The average yield of 260 cwt per acre was down moderately from last year. The 1991 crop of 79,000 harvested acres had an average yield of 230 cwt, giving a production total of 18,170,000 cwt. Shipments were ahead of last year through April 25th. Shipments through May 4th (in 500 cwt units) were 18,515--all truck. The comparable total for last year through May 4th was 18,732, which was all truck. The end-of-season total for the 1991 crop was 19,136 truck.

PLANTING

Planting started about normal, but rain slowed planting so that only 61 percent of acreage was planted by May 23rd. By June 6th, 95 percent of the crop was planted; and by June 13th, planting was virtually completed.

HARVEST

Maine's potato harvest started in late July and early August and was 40 percent complete by the end of September. By October 10th the harvest was 80 percent complete and by October 17th was virtually completed except for a few large growers.

EXPORT

Export of Maine potatoes was fairly light for the season. Seed exports were to Canada 111, Dominican Republic 2, Mexico 1, Venezuela 1, Jamaica 1 and Russia 7. Approximately 239 loads went to Canada for processing through April 30th.

PROCESSING

Maine processing totals were below last year for the entire season. This season the April 1st processing total was 2,875,000 cwt. The end-of-season total for last year was 5,055,000 cwt.

S U M M A R YMARKETING

Production in the east was down 12 percent from last year and 14 percent above 1991. The Maine crop was down 15 percent from last year; New York was above 4 percent and Pennsylvania was down 7 percent. FOB range for Maine Round Whites USone Size A in 50 lb sacks was 3.75-3.85 the week ending September 24th. October 1st through November 5th ranged from 3.50-4.00. November 12th through January 14th ranged from 4.00-4.25. January 21st through March 11th ranged from 4.00-4.75. March 18th through April 15th ranged from 4.50-4.75 and April 22nd through April 29th was mostly 4.00-4.75. The price of baled 10 lb openwindow sacks ranged from 92 cents to 1.00 through February 18th. February 25th through March 10th prices ranged from 95 cents-1.10. March 18th through April 22nd ranged from 1.05-1.15. Loose 10s ranged from 85 cents to 95 cents September 24th through November 19th. November 26th through January 14th the range was 88 cents to 95 cents. January 21st through February 25th the range was mostly 90-98 cents. March 18th through April 15th they were mostly 1.00-1.05. April 22nd through April 29th they were mostly 90 cents-1.05. Prices to growers at shippers packing shed for Central Aroostook Round Whites USone Size A per cwt from September 17th through October 29th prices were mostly 3.94-4.25. From November 5th through January 21st prices were mostly 4.25-4.85. From January 28th through March 18th prices ranged mostly from 4.85-5.50. From March 25th through April 22nd prices were mostly 5.45-6.06. Major varieties planted were Superior, Russet Burbank, Shepody and Atlantic. Percentages planted were 24 percent, 18 percent, 11 percent and 9 percent, respectively.

PACKAGING

Packaging remained about the same, with most table shipments in 50 lb, 10 lb and 5 lb sacks.

TRANSPORTATION

Shipments started out slightly ahead of last year and remained so until April 26th, when they fell behind last year. Shipments totaled 18,515 truck shipments through May 4th. Last year May 4th totals were 18,732. Last year's end-of-season total was 20,549. This year's highest shipment months were April with 3,029, March with 2,983, January with 2,878, and February with 2,823. Last year's three highest months were April with 3,367, March with 3,091, and January with 2,849. Seed this year was higher than last year, while table was below last year. Chip stock was above last year. April 30th totals this year were table 11,580, chippers 3,014, and seed 3,782. April 8th totals last year were table 12,064, chippers 2,879, and seed 3,557. Last year's end-of-season totals were table 13,523, chippers 2,955, and seed 4,071.

TRUCK DISTRIBUTIONS OF MAINE POTATOES (In truck units) SHOWING PRIMARY STATE DESTINATIONS

1993-1994 SEASON

STATE	1993-1994 SEASON									TOTAL
	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	
Maine	12	49	68	81	64	77	80	68	66	565
Al	-	-	2	1	5	4	-	-	-	12
Ark	-	1	2	1	-	4	-	-	-	8
Az	-	-	-	-	4	2	2	4	2	14
Conn	100	173	212	316	383	303	332	431	347	2,597
Del	-	20	51	105	123	96	109	127	108	739
Fla	-	20	64	86	82	100	88	63	25	528
Ga	-	11	15	27	8	15	5	2	4	87
IL	-	-	-	2	10	-	-	-	-	12
Ky	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	3
Md	-	19	48	117	113	115	143	123	80	758
Mass	104	216	312	472	461	525	487	488	321	3,386
Mich	-	-	2	3	5	9	9	1	-	29
Mn	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
N.H.	-	5	26	11	12	13	11	12	14	104
N.J.	-	34	158	209	198	203	166	155	145	1,268
N.Y.	16	40	146	219	274	337	278	330	295	1,935
N.C.	10	21	60	97	79	95	75	49	31	517
Oh	-	-	1	5	-	2	2	4	5	19
Okla	-	-	-	-	1	6	-	-	1	8
Pa	-	48	118	206	233	264	238	198	153	1,458
R.I.	-	16	29	38	35	44	47	49	41	299
S.C.	-	13	31	34	57	57	34	23	14	263
Tenn	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Tx	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2
Vt	-	-	3	8	25	24	23	18	24	125
Va	-	16	48	73	79	87	103	68	47	521
Wash D.C.	-	-	5	2	6	5	4	6	2	30
W.Va	-	-	-	1	4	15	19	5	3	47
Wisc	1	-	1	-	2	2	-	-	-	6
*Totals	243	703	1,402	2,114	2,263	2,406	2,256	2,225	1,730	15,342
*Totals thru April 30, 1994										

TRUCK DISTRIBUTIONS OF MAINE POTATOES (In truck units) SHOWING PRIMARY STATE DESTINATIONS

1992-1993 SEASON

STATE	JULY AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	TOTAL
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Maine	12	60	72	82	83	101	64	96	76	31	7	1	685
Ark	-	-	-	1	2	4	-	6	-	-	-	-	13
Conn	67	133	205	306	358	373	251	360	279	88	7	-	2,427
Del	-	42	84	84	128	86	93	106	148	134	44	-	949
Fla	3	13	73	122	105	114	87	89	139	65	3	-	813
Ga	1	6	6	24	23	31	10	12	12	12	-	-	137
IL	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Ind	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	2
Ky	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3
La	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	4
Md	-	10	33	82	102	87	63	136	121	72	23	-	729
Mass	71	221	315	367	543	570	551	586	575	244	54	11	4,108
Mich	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	3	9	28	-	-	43
Mo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	6	-	-	7
Ne	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
N.H.	1	7	8	10	10	22	4	18	17	7	1	-	105
N.J.	2	32	84	165	185	174	169	204	203	136	32	3	1,389
N.Y.	11	94	181	195	272	270	259	400	292	196	71	1	2,242
N.C.	4	15	118	84	70	80	70	111	128	82	11	-	773
Oh	-	-	-	1	1	1	2	2	6	7	1	-	21
Pa	4	49	142	188	185	297	168	196	189	149	45	2	1,614
R.I.	-	10	21	25	36	39	27	52	40	32	2	1	285
S.C.	-	6	51	52	45	39	31	45	40	29	4	-	342
Tenn	-	-	1	-	5	7	-	7	21	-	-	-	41
Vt	-	1	14	3	13	37	25	25	26	23	6	-	173
Va	-	2	50	58	55	65	68	95	81	51	11	-	536
Wash D.C.	-	-	6	5	9	9	9	7	7	8	6	-	66
W.Va	-	-	1	-	3	-	6	13	2	6	1	-	32
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
TOTALS	176	701	1,467	1,854	2,235	2,408	1,961	2,571	2,413	1,406	330	20	17,542

DESTINATIONS OF MAINE CERTIFIED SEED - BY STATES
1993-94 Season. (in 50,000 lb units)

Alabama	65	Maryland	20	South Carolina	13
Arkansas	1	Massachusetts	65	South Dakota	4
California	1	Michigan	99	Tennessee	17
Connecticut	1	Minnesota	2	Texas	1
Delaware	98	Missouri	29	Vermont	1
Florida	1,138	Nebraska	2	Virginia	137
Idaho	7	New Jersey	70	West Virginia	28
Georgia	12	New York	527	Wisconsin	26
Illinois	2	North Carolina	503	Canada	111
Indiana	15	North Dakota	12	Dominican Republic	2
Iowa	1	Ohio	42	Mexico	1
Kansas	1	Oklahoma	4	Venezuela	1
Kentucky	11	Pennsylvania	292	Jamaica	1
Maine	156	Rhode Island	22	Russia	7
				Total	3,548*

Total through April 23, 1994*

WEEKLY PRICE OF 1993 CROP MAINE CERTIFIED SEED USONE SIZE A

Prices shown represent sales made each week for both prompt and future delivery. Sales are for shipments by truck, FOB shipping point delivery, Presque Isle rate of freight less transportation charges. Unit of sale is the 100 lb sacks, some paper 50s and some bulk loads, tagged, loaded and brokerage.

WEEK ENDING	ATLANTIC	KATAHDIN	KENNEBEC	NORLAND	SUPERIOR	NORWIS
Nov 27	+ 8.50-10.50	+ 9.50-11.00	11.00-12.00	- -	8.00-10.00	9.50-11.00
Dec 4	8.50-10.00	10.00-11.50	11.75-12.00	* 13.00	9.00-10.00	9.00-11.00
11	8.50-10.00	+ 10.00	11.50-12.00	- -	9.00	9.50-11.50
18	8.00-9.00	- -	- -	- -	7.00	- -
Jan 1	+ 8.00-9.00	- -	* 12.00-12.50	- -	+ 6.50-7.00	* 8.75-11.00
8	* 8.00-9.50	* 11.00	11.75-12.00	- -	- -	- -
15	8.00-9.50	* 11.00	+ 12.00-12.50	- -	* 10.00	* 10.50
22	7.50-8.00	- -	* 11.75-13.50	* 12.25	8.00-9.25	10.00
29	7.50-8.50	- -	11.50-12.00	- -	8.00-9.50	10.00
Feb 5	7.50-9.00	* 10.00-12.75	* 11.50-13.00	- -	* 9.00-10.00	- -
12	7.25-8.75	10.00-10.50	12.00-13.00	- -	8.00-9.50	- -
19	* 7.00-10.50	10.00-10.50	12.00-13.50	- -	* 8.00-9.00	* 9.50-11.00
26	7.00-8.50	9.50-10.00	12.50-13.50	- -	8.00-9.50	9.50-10.50
Mar 5	7.25-8.00	- -	12.50-13.50	- -	8.00-9.00	- -
12	7.00-9.00	10.00-11.00	12.50-14.00	- -	8.00-10.00	+ 9.00-11.00
19	7.00-7.50	- -	12.50-13.00	- -	+ 8.00-9.00	+ 9.50
26	7.00-10.50	10.50	12.00-13.00	- -	* 7.50-9.00	9.50
Apr 2	7.00-10.50	10.00-10.50	12.00-13.00	13.00	* 7.50-9.50	8.75-9.00
9	7.00-8.25	10.00-10.50	+ 12.00-13.00	- -	8.00-8.50	+ 9.00
16	7.00-9.00	9.50-10.00	9.50-11.50	- -	- -	8.50-9.00
23	7.00-9.00	- -	- -	- -	* 7.50-8.00	* 8.50

PRICES BELOW REPRESENT OCCASIONAL SALES SCATTERED THROUGHOUT THE SEASON

WEEK ENDING	RED PONTIAC	SNOWDEN	MAINECHIP	GOLDRUSH	KANONA	MONONA
Nov 27	+ 12.00-13.00	10.00-11.00	- -	- -	* 11.25	- -
Dec 4	+ 11.50-13.00	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
11	- -	+ 11.00-11.50	- -	- -	- -	- -
18	- -	11.00	- -	- -	- -	* 10.00
Jan 1	- -	* 11.50	- -	- -	- -	* 10.00
8	- -	11.50-12.00	- -	- -	- -	- -
15	- -	* 11.50-13.00	- -	* 11.00	- -	- -
Feb 5	- -	* 12.00	- -	- -	- -	9.00-10.00
19	12.50-13.00	12.00-13.25	- -	- -	- -	* 10.00
26	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	10.00
Mar 5	- -	13.00	- -	- -	- -	* 10.00-11.00
12	- -	12.50	* 12.00	- -	- -	10.00-11.00
19	- -	12.50-13.00	* 12.00	- -	- -	+ 11.00
26	* 14.50	12.00-14.00	- -	10.50	- -	9.75-10.50
Apr 2	- -	+ 13.00	- -	10.50	- -	- -
9	- -	+ 14.00	- -	- -	- -	* 11.00
16	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	* 8.00
23	- -	11.50-12.50	- -	- -	- -	* 8.50

+ Few

* Occasional

SEED POTATO CERTIFICATION IN MAINE
(Maine Department of Agriculture)

TRUCK SHIPMENTS
(in 500 cwt)

VARIETY	ACREAGE	COMPARATIVE		1993-94	1992-93	1991-92	1990-91	
	CERTIFIED	1992	1991					
Superior	* 6,480.085	6,384.05	6,826.91	:	405	449	591	645
Atlantic	* 5,545.164	4,996.44	5,150.51	:	1,605	1,783	1,671	1,748
Norwis	3,369.17	4,648.31	3,259.37	:	317	467	696	586
Alleghany	1,204.024	2,854.75	813.85	:	13	43	85	13
Katahdin	2,119.107	1,872.246	1,505.98	:	45	126	134	150
Monona	739.66	982.3	845.57	:	58	107	163	197
Snowden	* 1,176.15	822.73	45.26	:	264	183	-	-
Frito-lay Var.	1,110.40	953.75	856.70	:	195	240	199	189
Russet Burbank	* 571.326	795.99	954.37	:	-	4	-	6
Shepody	* 801.98	591.932	716.55	:	17	3	-	27
Kennebec	486.821	403.499	528.821	:	110	150	150	183
LaChipper	230.10	399.40	258.09	:	93	98	84	44
Ontario	567.52	337.427	660.10	:	-	1	2	5
Sunrise	169.41	312.19	228.72	:	20	44	34	45
LaRouge	138.316	282.31	271.168	:	48	56	87	77
Russet Norkotah*	185.212	272.6	866.70	:	5	7	1	18
Norchip	* 39.335	177.32	179.60	:	16	46	51	77
Coastal Chip	5.10	131.59	93.35	:	-	4	32	35
Belrus	129.0413	129.20	269.80	:	8	14	13	16
Yukon Gold	94.854	116.842	166.736	:	14	14	12	9
Red LaSoda	156.10	106.101	46.503	:	68	49	24	5
Chippewa	77.30	104.70	82.40	:	6	10	15	26
Norland	46.59	94.10	110.0	:	20	23	27	32
WF31-4	160.10	93.10	66.60	:	57	38	17	29
Coastal Russet	64.30	63.53	133.79	:	-	4	4	8
Hi-Lite Russet	34.60	62.80	176.26	:	1	2	2	11
Langlade	63.60	61.00	14.90	:	15	14	2	-
Campbell 13	7.10	51.45	64.20	:	-	-	3	2
Onaway	90.35	46.17	58.531	:	8	6	11	11
B9792-8B	--	45.70	28.35	:	-	-	12	6
Elba	46.28	42.59	4,582	:	-	1	-	-
Kanona	157.13	41.90	7.60	:	53	16	-	-
FL657R	7.102	40.86	106.40	:	-	2	16	35
Sebago	43.30	40.50	29.00	:	2	16	14	7
LA12-59(Fontenot)	56.96	40.11	1.43	:	8	2	-	-
Portage (CS7697-24)	25.75	38.80	11.00	:	1	1	2	-
LaBelle	10.70	38.22	15.19	:	2	3	2	1
Goldrush	600.47	33.75	2.75	:	21	2	-	-
Cherry Red	33.982	3,602	0,642	:	2	-	-	-
Carola	50.93	30.93	6,678	:	1	-	1	-
Krantz	91.48	29.237	11,901	:	-	5	2	-
AF828-5 (St Johns)	29.90	2.20	--	:	3	-	-	-
Frontier Russet	212.395	28.60	3.37	:	-	-	-	-
Steuben	20.00	27.30	41.70	:	4	8	10	3
Norking Russet	57.01	26.19	17.41	:	-	-	-	-
Chieftain	16.26	26.00	26.00	:	3	-	6	-
Ranger Russet	368.785	25.55	194.90	:	2	2	3	-
Somerset	41.30	24.60	40.70	:	9	11	10	22
B9792-61	14.68	21.00	9.25	:	-	1	-	1
Red Pontiac	32.58	20.60	26.21	:	4	4	11	12
AF1060-2	46.56	16.00	1.79	:	7	-	-	-
Alasclear	40.08	15.10	3.80	:	-	-	-	-
Mainechip	97.305	14.53	7.10	:	4	1	-	-
Alaska Russet	14.0	1,107	0,003	:	-	-	-	-
Sangre	14.83	13.00	47.90	:	-	-	1	8
B9922-11	109.95	11.80	1.50	:	-	-	-	-
Green Mountain	16.131	11.705	21.181	:	-	1	-	5
AF875-15	19.9	11.00	1.20	:	8	3	-	-
Dark Red Norland	28.9	10.64	3.34	:	3	1	-	-
Eide Russet	20.002	9.702	43.503	:	1	-	-	-
CS7232-4	13.08	9.00	9.25	:	-	-	2	-
Red Cloud	45.256	8.21	1.53	:	2	-	-	-
Blue Mac	8.00	2.12	0.10	:	-	-	-	-
ND671-4Rus	13.60	5.52	1.50	:	-	-	-	-
Minor Varieties	40.4467	113.245	226.665	:	-	6	21	26
TOTALS	28,307.85	29,028.745	26,202.764	:	*3,548	4,071	4,223	4,320

Number of Growers: 318

*Total through April 23, 1994

Accurate Acreage as of September 27, 1993.

* Denotes that Hybritech Seed International, Inc. has transgenic potatoes of this variety that are modified to confer resistance to Colorado Potato Beetle (*Leptinotarsa-decemlineata* (Say)). Seed Potato Producers who have certified transgenic lines of these varieties are denoted by (H1) after the generation number in that varieties' grower listings.

SHIPMENTS OF POTATOES (BY MONTHS) FROM MAINE AND U. S.
(IN 500 CWT)

MONTH	RAIL						TRUCK					
	1993-1994		1992-1993		1991-1992		1993-1994		1992-1993		1991-1992	
	ME	U.S.	ME	U.S.	ME	U.S.	ME	U.S.	ME	U.S.	ME	U.S.
JULY	0	1,022	0	2,530	0	1,222	6	14,412	0	11,599	20	9,690
AUG	0	1,488	0	1,430	0	1,356	196	14,702	151	18,374	210	18,892
SEPT	0	1,528	0	2,172	0	2,272	555	17,750	568	16,378	827	15,986
OCT	0	2,914	0	3,522	0	2,734	1,427	21,618	1,456	19,998	1,697	16,690
NOV	0	3,704	0	3,536	0	4,860	1,967	17,216	1,791	15,406	2,467	22,894
DEC	0	3,714	0	3,718	0	3,958	2,020	15,590	2,029	14,514	2,163	14,908
JAN	0	4,712	0	4,616	0	4,128	3,242	19,566	3,216	19,454	2,490	15,384
FEB	0	3,494	0	3,224	0	4,992	2,810	16,188	2,531	14,034	2,543	18,762
MAR	0	3,756	0	3,800	0	3,892	2,812	15,696	2,823	15,390	2,928	14,732
APR	*0	*3,048	0	2,920	0	3,018	*2,754	*15,964	3,206	14,844	2,500	15,198
MAY	-	-	0	3,796	0	6,438	-	-	2,442	16,796	490	22,996
JUNE	-	-	0	3,046	0	4,980	-	-	321	7,728	0	17,143
JULY	-	-	0	2,486	0	1,096	-	-	15	5,142	0	3,564
TOTALS	0	29,380	0	41,796	0	44,946	17,789	168,702	20,549	189,657	18,335	206,839

*Through April 23, 1994

*Through April 23, 1994

POTATOES USED FOR PROCESSING BY MAINE PLANTS
(Excluding pre-peeled sold fresh and potato chips)
Cumulative totals to specified dates - in 1,000 cwt.

	TO DEC 1	JAN 1	FEB 1	MAR 1	APR 1	MAY 1	TOTAL
1990-91 Food	2,105	2,690	3,420	3,900	4,460	5,120	6,750
TOTAL	2,105	2,690	3,420	3,900	4,460	5,120	6,750
1991-92 Food	2,015	2,450	3,050	3,350	3,900	4,445	5,210
TOTAL	2,015	2,450	3,050	3,350	3,900	4,445	5,210
1992-93 Food	1,195	1,630	2,205	2,720	3,390	4,020	5,055
TOTAL	1,195	1,630	2,205	2,720	3,390	4,020	5,055
1993-94 Food	1,350	1,720	2,215	2,500	2,875	--	--
TOTAL	1,350	1,720	2,215	2,500	2,875	--	--

POTATOES USED FOR PROCESSING 1/, EIGHT STATES, 1991-92, 1992-93, 1993-94 CROPS

STATE	STORAGE SEASON	DEC 1	JAN 1	FEB 1	MAR 1	APR 1	MAY 1	ENTIRE SEASON
					1,000 cwt.			
IDAHO AND MALHEUR CO, OREG	1991-92	22,980	28,910	35,700	42,840	50,260	57,290	78,690
	1992-93	22,180	29,080	35,710	42,800	50,090	57,090	80,570
	1993-94	24,090	30,540	37,150	44,720	53,070	--	--
MAINE 2/	1991-92	2,015	2,450	3,050	3,350	3,900	4,445	5,210
	1992-93	1,195	1,630	2,205	2,720	3,390	4,020	5,055
	1993-94	1,350	1,720	2,215	2,500	2,875	--	--
WASH AND OTHER AREA OREG	1991-92	26,345	30,570	35,320	41,320	47,120	52,605	65,210
	1992-93	26,840	31,550	35,950	41,670	46,530	51,630	63,510
	1993-94	28,270	33,320	39,040	45,030	51,260	--	--
OTHER STATES 3/	1991-92	7,515	9,350	11,580	13,585	15,685	17,935	24,990
	1992-93	7,140	9,220	11,265	13,305	15,550	17,555	25,070
	1993-94	7,605	9,515	11,605	13,720	15,760	--	--
TOTAL	1991-92	58,855	71,280	85,650	101,095	116,965	132,275	174,100
	1992-93	57,355	71,480	85,130	100,495	115,560	130,295	174,205
	1993-94	61,315	75,095	90,010	105,970	122,965	--	--

1/ Total quantity received and used for processing regardless of the state in which the potatoes were produced. Amount excludes quantities used for potato chips in Maine, Michigan, Minnesota, North Dakota, and Wisconsin.

2/ Includes Maine grown potatoes only.

3/ Michigan, Minnesota, North Dakota, and Wisconsin.

1993-1994

WEEKLY SHIPMENTS - MAINE AND U.S. - RAIL AND TRUCK COMBINED

(500 cwt. units)

WEEK ENDING -----	MAINE TABLE -----	MAINE SEED -----	MAINE CHIPPERS -----	COMBINED TOTAL MAINE -----	COMBINED TOTAL U.S. RAIL AND TRUCK -----
July 3	-	-	-	-	2,690
10	-	-	-	-	3,284
17	-	-	-	-	3,108
24	-	-	-	-	2,924
31	-	-	6	6	3,434
Aug 7	-	-	29	29	4,125
14	2	0	33	35	3,873
21	7	0	56	63	3,981
28	22	0	47	69	4,407
Sept 4	49	0	53	102	4,574
11	54	0	29	83	4,637
18	97	0	64	161	5,365
25	156	0	53	209	5,257
Oct 2	153	0	56	209	5,033
9	199	0	48	247	5,075
16	231	0	53	284	5,352
23	238	0	56	294	5,170
30	328	0	65	393	5,329
Nov 6	384	0	78	462	5,956
13	354	17	63	434	6,152
20	472	43	94	609	6,447
27	334	54	74	462	4,332
Dec 4	343	21	97	461	5,395
11	409	69	89	567	5,645
18	410	32	98	540	5,632
25	313	42	97	452	4,652
Jan 1	414	42	93	549	4,299
8	472	172	81	725	5,575
15	500	86	71	657	5,955
22	423	156	83	662	5,668
29	429	131	89	649	6,023
Feb 5	448	163	93	704	5,558
12	426	175	98	699	5,783
19	456	171	83	710	5,636
26	465	153	79	697	5,515
Mar 5	405	139	102	646	5,490
12	394	147	98	639	5,487
19	421	275	112	808	5,670
26	318	276	113	707	5,605
Apr 2	287	367	84	738	5,592
9	330	319	84	733	5,355
16	333	286	91	710	5,240
23	250	212	123	585	5,591
30	254	234	99	587	--

CANADA IMPORTS - TRUCK EXPORTS TO UNITED STATES THROUGH MAINE PORTS OF ENTRY

(500 cwt. units)

Week Ending	1993-1994			Seed Todate	Week Ending	1992-1993			Seed Todate
	Table	Table Todate	Seed			Table	Table Todate	Seed	
Aug. 13	20	20	0	0	Aug. 29	25	25	0	0
20	36	56	0	0	Sept. 5	13	38	0	0
27	61	117	0	0	12	26	64	0	0
Sept. 4	60	177	0	0	19	46	110	0	0
11	49	226	0	0	26	108	218	0	0
18	93	319	0	0	Oct. 3	110	328	0	0
25	126	445	0	0	10	103	431	0	0
Oct. 2	129	574	0	0	17	68	499	0	0
9	153	727	0	0	24	169	668	0	0
16	120	847	0	0	31	131	799	0	0
23	189	1,036	0	0	Nov. 7	109	908	0	0
30	167	1,203	0	0	14	120	1,028	0	0
Nov. 6	232	1,435	0	0	21	151	1,179	0	0
13	135	1,570	0	0	28	192	1,371	0	0
20	205	1,775	0	0	Dec. 5	96	1,467	0	0
27	138	1,913	16	16	12	146	1,613	0	0
Dec. 4	154	2,067	3	19	19	151	1,764	49	49
11	146	2,213	30	49	26	138	1,902	0	49
18	193	2,406	24	73	Jan. 2	121	2,023	4	53
25	144	2,550	0	73	9	205	2,228	0	53
Jan. 1	147	2,697	148	221	16	261	2,489	35	88
8	171	2,868	41	262	23	181	2,670	62	150
15	256	3,124	2	264	30	241	2,911	18	168
22	160	3,284	7	271	Feb. 6	173	3,084	90	258
29	196	3,480	148	419	13	199	3,283	21	279
Feb. 5	168	3,648	16	435	20	180	3,463	77	356
12	165	3,813	61	496	27	256	3,719	104	460
19	201	4,014	80	576	Mar. 6	170	3,889	34	494
26	196	4,210	0	576	13	198	4,087	12	506
Mar. 5	163	4,373	30	606	20	212	4,299	130	636
12	234	4,607	178	784	27	278	4,577	50	686
19	177	4,784	29	813	Apr. 3	260	4,837	9	695
26	175	4,959	84	897	10	257	5,094	64	759
Apr. 2	173	5,132	32	929	17	216	5,310	122	881
9	184	5,316	164	1,093	24	207	5,517	20	901
16	179	5,495	146	1,239	May 1	343	5,860	119	1,020
23	149	5,644	40	1,279	8	179	6,039	14	1,034
30	136	5,780	112	1,391	15	293	6,332	1	1,035
					22	14	6,346	0	1,035

CANADA 1993 NOVEMBER FORECAST OF COMMERCIAL POTATO DISTRIBUTION

	ACREAGE PLANTED		YIELD PER ACRE (A) (cwt.)		PRODUCTION 1,000 cwt.	
	1992	1993	1992	1993	1992	1993
Newfoundland	700	700	130.0	100.0	91,000	70,000
Prince Edward Island	84,800	87,000	290.0	255.0	24,592,000	22,185,000
Nova Scotia	4,500	4,500	250.0	226.0	1,125,000	1,017,000
New Brunswick	50,000	51,000	290.0	260.0	14,250,000	13,260,000
MARITIMES	139,300	142,500			39,967,000	36,462,000
Quebec	44,500	42,700	229.0	210.0	10,185,000	8,973,000
Ontario	35,000	34,000	210.0	216.0	7,350,000	7,344,000
CENTRAL CANADA	79,500	76,700			17,535,000	16,317,000
Manitoba	47,500	48,000	250.0	205.0	11,875,000	9,840,000
Saskatchewan	4,800	4,400	235.0	215.0	1,128,000	946,000
Alberta	26,100	27,800	230.0	276.0	6,003,000	7,661,000
British Columbia	8,500	8,600	295.0	255.0	2,508,000	2,193,000
WESTERN CANADA	86,900	88,800			21,514,000	20,640,000
CANADA	306,400	308,700	258.0	238.0	79,107,000	73,489,000

1992 and 1993 acreage figures refer only to potatoes grown mainly for sale.

(A) Average yield per acre is based on harvested area.

Source: Marketing Information Services, Marketing Services Division, Statistics Canada.

U.S. STOCKS OF FROZEN POTATO PRODUCTS AUGUST THROUGH MARCH 1993-94
(in 1,000 lbs)

	Thru August 31		Thru September 30		Thru October 31	
	1992	1993	1992	1993	1992	1993
Frozen French-fried	704,456	693,960	713,605	784,236	821,725	908,047
Other frozen products	244,247	232,099	235,528	236,973	245,441	277,744
TOTAL	948,703	926,059	949,133	1,021,209	1,067,166	1,185,791
	Thru November 30		Thru December 31		Thru January 31	
	1992	1993	1992	1993	1993	1994
Frozen French-fried	820,538	883,624	742,350	775,984	734,406	794,527
Other potato products	218,120	233,227	220,817	230,459	236,765	237,729
TOTAL	1,038,658	1,116,851	963,167	1,006,443	971,171	1,032,256
	Thru February 28		Thru March 31			
	1993	1994	1993	1994	1994	
Frozen French-fried	778,469	801,700	790,992	785,473		
Other potato products	249,682	257,767	255,622	262,616		
TOTAL	1,028,151	1,059,467	1,046,614	1,048,089		

Agricultural Statistics Board, NASS, USDA

POTATOES: ACREAGE, YIELD, AND PRODUCTION
MAINE, 1989-1993

YEAR	ACRES		YIELD	Thousand Cwt.
	PLANTED	HARVESTED		
1989	81,000	80,000	275	22,000
1990	81,000	76,000	270	20,520
1991	81,000	79,000	230	18,170
1992	82,000	81,000	300	24,300
1993 1/	81,000	79,000	260	20,540

1/ Preliminary estimate - December 1, 1993

New England Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, USDA.

1993 - 1994 SEASON

WAREHOUSE CASH TO GROWER, Bulk per cwt, USone 2 inch minimum
Central Aroostook Points

Week Ending	1993-1994	1992-1993	1991-1992
Sept. 10	- -	*	- -
17	- -	*	3.94-4.25
24	4.24	*	3.94
Oct. 1	4.24-5.15	*	3.94-4.55
8	4.24-5.15	*	3.94-4.85
15	4.24-5.45	*	4.25
22	5.15-5.45	*	4.25
29	5.15-5.45	*	4.25
Nov. 5	5.15-6.67	*	4.25-4.85
12	5.45-6.67	*	4.25-4.85
19	5.45-6.67	*	4.25-4.85
26	6.06-6.67	*	4.25-4.85
Dec. 3	6.06-6.67	*	- -
10	6.06-6.67	*	4.25-4.85
17	6.06-6.67	*	4.25-4.85
24	6.06-6.67	*	4.85
31	- -	*	4.85
Jan. 7	- -	2.42	4.85
14	6.06	2.12-2.42	4.85
21	- -	2.12-2.42	4.85
28	6.06	2.12-2.42	4.85-5.45
Feb. 4	6.06-6.36	2.12-2.42	4.85-5.45
11	6.36-7.00	2.12-2.42	4.85-5.45
18	6.36-6.67	2.42	4.85-5.50
25	6.50-7.00	2.42	4.85-5.50
Mar. 4	6.50-7.27	2.42	4.85-5.45
11	6.50-7.27	2.42	4.85-5.50
18	6.67-7.88	2.42	5.45
25	7.27-7.88	2.42	5.45-6.06
Apr. 1	7.27-7.88	2.42	5.45-6.06
8	7.25-7.88	2.42	6.06
15	6.67-7.88	2.42	6.06
22	6.67-7.88	2.73	6.06
29	- -	2.73	- -
May 6	- -	2.73	- -
13	- -	2.73-3.03	- -

* mostly contract

There were no quotes for Southern Aroostook Points.

WEEKLY F. O. B. PRICE-RANGE ON MAINE TABLESTOCK POTATOES

Central Aroostook Points -- 1992-1993 Season

Round Whites, washed & unwashed, USone Size A (Except Chefs)

WEEK ENDING	50 LB SACKS PLAIN PAPER	50 LB SACKS CHEF'S SPECIAL	50 LB SACKS LARGE	10 LB SACKS BALED OPENWINDOW	10 LB SACKS OPENWINDOW LOOSE
Sept. 24	3.75-3.85	- -	5.25-6.25	- -	.85-.90
Oct. 1	3.50-3.75	- -	4.50-5.50	- -	.85-.90
8	3.50-3.75	- -	4.25-5.25	- -	.85-.90
15	3.50-3.75	5.00-5.50	4.25-5.00	- -	.85-.90
22	3.50-3.75	5.00-5.50	4.25-5.00	- -	.85-.90
29	3.50-4.00	5.00-5.50	4.25-5.00	- -	.88-.90
Nov. 5	3.75-4.00	5.00-5.50	4.25-5.00	- -	.88-.90
12	4.00-4.25	5.00-5.50	4.50-5.00	- -	.88-.92
19	4.00-4.25	5.25-5.50	4.50-5.25	.92-1.00	.88-.95
26	4.00-4.25	5.25-5.50	4.50-5.25	.92-1.00	.88-.93
Dec. 3	4.00-4.25	5.25-5.50	4.50-5.25	.92-1.00	.88-.93
10	4.00-4.25	5.25-5.50	4.50-5.25	.92-1.00	.88-.93
17	4.00-4.25	5.00-5.50	4.50-5.25	.92-.98	.88-.93
24	4.00-4.25	5.00-5.50	4.50-5.00	.92-.97	.88-.92
31	4.00-4.25	4.50-5.50	4.00-5.00	.92-.97	.88-.92
Jan. 7	4.00-4.25	4.50-5.00	4.00-5.00	.92-.97	.88-.92
14	4.00-4.25	4.50-5.00	4.00-5.00	.92-.97	.88-.95
21	4.00-4.50	4.50-5.00	4.00-5.00	.93-1.00	.90-.98
28	4.00-4.50	4.50-5.00	4.25-4.75	.93-1.00	.90-.98
Feb. 4	4.00-4.50	4.50-5.00	4.25-4.75	.93-1.00	.92-.95
11	4.00-4.50	4.50-5.00	4.25-4.75	.93-1.00	.92-.95
18	4.00-4.50	4.75-5.25	4.25-4.75	.93-1.00	.92-.98
25	4.00-4.50	4.75-5.25	4.25-4.75	.95-1.05	.95-.98
Mar. 4	4.00-4.50	4.75-5.25	4.25-4.75	.95-1.10	.95-1.03
11	4.00-4.75	4.75-5.50	4.25-5.25	1.00-1.10	.98-1.05
18	4.50-4.75	5.00-5.50	4.50-5.25	1.05-1.10	1.00-1.05
25	4.50-4.75	5.00-5.50	4.50-5.25	1.05-1.10	1.00-1.05
Apr. 1	4.50-4.75	5.00-5.50	4.50-5.25	1.05-1.15	1.00-1.05
8	4.50-4.75	5.00-5.50	4.50-5.25	1.05-1.15	1.00-1.05
15	4.50-4.75	5.00-5.50	4.50-5.25	1.05-1.15	1.00-1.05
22	4.00-4.75	5.50-6.50	4.50-5.50	1.05-1.15	.90-1.03
29	4.00-4.75	5.50-6.50	4.50-5.50	- -	.90-1.05

WEEKLY F. O. B. PRICE-RANGE ON MAINE TABLESTOCK POTATOES (CONTINUED)

Round Whites, washed & unwashed, USone Size A

WEEK ENDING :	10 LB SACKS LOOSE OPENWINDOW 2 1/4 INCH MIN	5 LB SACKS BALED FILM	5 LB SACKS BALED FILM 2 1/4 INCH MIN
Sept. 24 :	- -	.52 1/2-.57	- -
Oct. 1 :	- -	.50-.57	- -
8 :	- -	.50-.55	- -
15 :	- -	.52-.55	- -
22 :	- -	.52-.55	- -
29 :	1.00	.52-.55	.60
Nov. 5 :	1.00	.52-.55	.60
12 :	1.00	.53-.55	- -
19 :	1.05	.53-.56	- -
26 :	1.05	.53-.56	- -
Dec. 3 :	1.05	.53-.56	- -
10 :	1.05	.53-.56	- -
17 :	1.03-1.05	.52-.56	- -
24 :	1.03-1.05	.52-.56	- -
31 :	1.00-1.05	.52-.56	- -
Jan. 7 :	1.00-1.05	.52-.56	- -
14 :	1.03-1.05	.53-.56	- -
21 :	1.05-1.10	.53-.56	- -
28 :	1.10	.53-.56	- -
Feb. 4 :	1.10	.53-.56	- -
11 :	1.10	.53-.56	- -
18 :	1.10	.53-.56	- -
25 :	1.10-1.15	.55-.58	- -
Mar. 4 :	1.15-1.20	.55-.60	- -
11 :	1.15-1.25	.55-.62	- -
18 :	1.20-1.25	.58-.62 1/2	- -
25 :	1.20-1.25	.58-.62 1/2	- -
Apr. 1 :	1.20-1.30	.58-.62 1/2	- -
8 :	1.20-1.30	.58-.62 1/2	- -
15 :	1.20-1.30	.58-.62 1/2	- -
22 :	1.20-1.30	.58-.62 1/2	- -
29 :	1.20-1.30	.52-.60	- -

WEEKLY-PRICE RANGE TO GROWERS FOR PROCESSING PLANT DELIVERY -- BULK PER CWT

1993-1994 Season

		US#2 1 7/8 INCH, PROCESSING GRADE				US#1 PROCESSING GRADE				US#2 PROCESSING GRADE			
		LONG WHITES				1 7/8 inch min				1 7/8 inch min			
		(Shepody)				ROUND WHITES				LONG & WHITES (Shepody)			
Ending	Size B	Size B	Size B	Size B	Size B	Size B	Size B	Size B	RUSSETS	RUSSETS	RUSSETS	RUSSETS	
C A S H S A L E S						C O N T R A C T D E L I V E R I E S							
Sept.	20	-	-	3.75	-	3.75	-	-	-	3.60	-	-	
	27	3.75	-	3.75	-	3.50	-	-	-	3.60	-	-	
Oct.	4	3.50	-	3.50	-	3.50	-	-	-	3.60	-	-	
	12	3.50	-	3.50	-	3.25	-	3.90	3.90	-	-	-	
	18	3.50	-	3.50	-	3.25	-	3.94	3.94	1.50	-	-	
	25	5.00	-	5.00	-	-	-	3.98	3.98	1.50	-	-	
Nov.	1	5.00	-	5.00	-	3.25	-	4.02	4.02	1.50	-	-	
	8	5.00	-	5.00	-	-	-	4.06	4.06	1.50	-	-	
	15	5.00	-	5.00	-	-	-	4.10	4.10	1.50	-	-	
	22	5.00	-	5.00	-	-	-	4.14	4.14	1.50	-	-	
	29	5.00	-	5.00	-	-	-	4.18	4.18	1.50	-	-	
Dec.	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.22	4.22	1.50	-	-	
	13	4.27	-	4.27	-	-	-	4.27	4.27	1.50	-	-	
	20	4.32	-	4.32	-	-	-	4.32	4.32	1.50	-	-	
	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Jan.	3	4.53	-	4.53	-	-	-	4.53	4.53	1.50	-	-	
	10	4.58	-	4.58	-	-	-	4.58	4.58	1.50	-	-	
	18	4.63	-	4.63	-	-	-	4.63	4.63	1.50	-	-	
	24	4.68	-	4.68	-	-	-	4.68	4.68	1.50	-	-	
	31	4.73	-	4.73	-	-	-	4.73	4.73	1.50	-	-	
Feb.	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.78	4.78	1.50	-	-	
	14	5.08	-	5.08	-	-	-	4.83	4.83	1.50	-	-	
	22	5.13	-	5.13	-	-	-	4.88	4.88	1.50	-	-	
	28	5.18	-	5.18	-	-	-	4.93	4.93	1.50	-	-	
Mar.	7	5.00	-	5.00	-	-	-	5.00	5.00	1.50	-	-	
	14	5.05	-	5.05	-	-	-	5.05	5.05	1.50	-	-	
	21	4.73	-	4.73	-	-	-	5.10	5.10	1.50	-	-	
	28	4.73	-	4.73	-	-	-	5.15	5.15	1.50	-	-	
Apr.	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.21	5.21	1.50	-	-	
	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.27	5.27	1.50	-	-	
	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.33	5.33	1.50	-	-	
	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.39	5.39	1.50	-	-	

WEEKLY-PRICE RANGE TO GROWERS FOR PROCESSING PLANT DELIVERY -- BULK PER CWT

1992-1993 Season

		US#2 1 7/8 INCH, PROCESSING GRADE				US#2 PROCESSING GRADE			
		RUSSETS		LONG WHITES (Shepody)		US#1 PROCESSING GRADE 1 7/8 inch min ROUND WHITES		1 7/8 inch min LONG WHITES (Shepody)	
Ending		Size B		Size B		Size B		RUSSETS & SHEPODY Size B	
		C A S H		S A L E S		C O N T R A C T D E L I V E R I E S			
Sept.	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.95	-
	23	3.20	-	3.20	-	-	-	3.95	-
	30	-	-	3.00	-	-	-	3.95	-
Oct.	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.95	-
	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.95	-
	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.99	-
	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.03	-
Nov.	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.07	-
	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.11	-
	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.15	-
	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.23	1.50
	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.27	1.50
	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.32	1.50
	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.37	1.50
	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jan.	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.47	1.50
	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.52	1.50
	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.57	1.50
	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.62	1.50
Feb.	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.67	1.50
	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.72	1.50
	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.77	1.50
	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.82	1.50
Mar.	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.87	1.50
	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.92	1.50
	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.97	1.50
	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.02	1.50
	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.07	1.50
Apr.	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.13	1.50
	14	2.50	-	3.03	-	-	-	5.19	1.50
	21	2.50	-	3.03	-	-	-	5.25	1.50
	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.31	1.50
May	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.37	1.50
	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.43	1.50

1992-1993

BOSTON Maine Potato Quotations
 Round Whites USone 2 inch min 50 lb unless otherwise stated
 Weekly mostly range of markets

: A R R I V A L S (1,000 cwt)									
Week	TABLE		CHIP		Washed & Unwashed	50 lb sacks	50 lb sacks	Loose	Loose
Ending	Total	Maine	Total	Maine	50 lb sacks	Chefs Special	Large	Openwindow 10 lb sacks	Openwindow 20 lb sacks
Sept. 10 :	* 38	3	0	0	-	8.00	8.50	1.15-1.25	-
17 :	42	7	1	0	-	7.50	8.00	1.10-1.15	-
24 :	45	10	2	0	-	7.00-7.50	7.00	1.00-1.05	-
Oct. 1 :	54	12	1	0	-	6.50-7.00	6.50	1.00-1.05	1.95
8 :	44	16	1	1	6.00	6.50	6.00	1.00-1.05	1.95
15 :	42	6	0	0	-	5.75-6.50	6.00	1.00	1.95
22 :	56	9	1	0	5.00	6.00	-	1.00-1.05	1.95
29 :	67	12	2	0	5.00	6.00	-	1.05-1.10	2.05
Nov. 5 :	85	35	1	1	-	6.00	6.00	1.05-1.10	2.10
12 :	65	34	1	1	5.50	6.00-6.50	6.00-6.50	1.05-1.10	-
19 :	71	39	2	2	5.50-5.75	6.50	6.25-6.50	1.10	-
26 :	65	40	1	1	5.50	6.50	6.25-6.50	1.10	-
Dec. 3 :	67	41	1	1	5.50	6.00-6.50	-	1.10-1.15	-
10 :	59	35	0	0	5.50	6.00-6.25	-	1.10-1.15	-
17 :	83	42	0	0	5.50	6.00-6.25	-	1.10	-
24 :	68	31	1	1	5.50	6.00	-	1.10	-
31 :	61	33	1	1	5.50	6.00-6.25	-	1.10	-
Jan. 7 :	31	12	1	1	5.50	6.00-6.50	6.00-6.25	1.10-1.15	-
14 :	72	29	1	1	5.50	6.25-6.50	7.00	1.12-1.20	-

: A R R I V A L S (1,000 cwt)									
Week	TABLE		CHIP		Washed & Unwashed	50 lb sacks	50 lb sacks	Loose	US Commercial
Ending	Total	Maine	Total	Maine	50 lb sacks	Chefs Special	Large	Openwindow 10 lb sacks	50 lb sacks
Jan. 21 :	72	39	1	1	5.50	6.25	7.00	1.15	2.75-3.00
28 :	80	38	1	1	5.50	6.25-6.50	5.50-6.00	1.15	-
Feb. 4 :	72	49	1	1	5.50	6.25	6.25	1.15	-
11 :	80	55	1	1	5.50	6.25-6.50	-	1.15	-
18 :	77	48	0	0	5.50-6.00	6.25-6.75	-	1.15	-
25 :	81	54	2	2	5.75	6.50	6.00	1.15-1.20	2.75-3.00
Mar. 4 :	80	44	1	1	5.75-6.00	6.50-6.75	-	1.20	-
11 :	109	68	0	0	6.00	6.50-7.00	6.50-7.00	1.20-1.25	-
18 :	86	49	2	2	6.00	6.50-7.00	-	1.25	-
25 :	99	43	1	1	6.00	6.75-7.00	6.00	1.25	2.75-3.00
Apr. 1 :	82	19	0	0	6.00	6.75-8.00	6.00	1.25	-
8 :	74	46	0	0	6.00-6.25	6.50-8.00	-	1.20-1.25	-
15 :	54	27	0	0	6.00-6.25	7.50-8.00	-	1.25	-
22 :	57	24	0	0	6.00	7.75-8.00	7.00	1.25	2.75-3.00
29 :	63	28	0	0	6.00	7.50-7.75	-	1.20-1.30	2.75-3.00

* Sales include 50 lb sacks Size B 7.00

BOSTON CONTINUED Maine Potato Quotations

* Round Whites (continued)

* Yukon Gold

Week Ending	Baled 10-5 lb film bags non Size A	Baled 10-5 lb film bags Size A	Baled 5-10 lb film bags	50 lb sacks	50 lb sacks Large	Baled 10-5 lb film bags
Oct. 15	-	-	-	12.00-13.00	-	-
22	6.25	-	-	9.00	-	-
29	6.25	-	-	9.00	-	-
Nov. 5	6.50	-	-	9.00	-	-
12	7.00	-	-	9.00	-	-
19	7.00	7.00	-	9.00	-	-
26	-	7.00	-	-	-	-
Dec. 3	-	7.00	-	-	-	-
10	-	7.00	-	8.00	-	-
17	-	7.00	-	8.00	-	-
24	-	7.00	-	-	-	-
31	-	7.00	-	8.00	13.00	-
Jan. 7	-	7.00	-	8.00	13.00	-
14	-	7.00-7.50	6.25	-	-	-
21	-	7.00-7.50	6.50	-	-	-
28	-	7.00-7.50	6.50	-	-	-
Feb. 4	-	7.00-7.50	6.50	-	-	-
11	-	7.50	6.50	-	-	-
18	-	7.25-7.50	6.50	-	-	-
25	-	7.25-7.50	6.50	-	-	-
Mar. 4	-	7.50	6.50-6.75	-	12.00	-
11	-	7.50-7.75	6.75	13.00	-	-
18	-	7.50-8.00	7.00	12.00	-	-
25	-	7.75-8.00	7.00	13.00	-	-
Apr. 1	-	7.75-8.00	7.00	12.00	-	14.00
8	-	8.00-8.25	7.25	12.00	-	14.00
15	-	8.00	7.25	-	-	-
22	-	8.00	-	-	-	-
29	-	8.00	-	-	-	-

* Price ranges are shown for only those weeks when Round Whites baled 10-5 lb film bags and baled 5-10 lb film bags sales were quoted.

* Price ranges are shown for only those weeks when Yukon Gold sales were quoted.

BOSTON CONTINUED Maine Potato Quotations

*Round Reds

Week	50 lb sacks	50 lb sacks
Ending	Size B	Size B
Nov. 19	8.00	10.00
26	8.00	10.00
Dec. 10	8.00-10.00	10.00
17	8.00	-

*Price ranges are shown for only those weeks when Round Reds sales were quoted.

BOSTON CONTINUED Maine Potato Quotations

*Russet Norkotahs

Week	cartons count	Baled 10-5 lb
Ending	90s	film & mesh bags
Nov. 12	12.00	-
19	12.00	-
Dec. 3	12.00	-
Jan. 14	-	8.50
21	-	8.00-8.50
28	-	8.50

*Price ranges are shown for only those weeks when Russet Norkotah sales were quoted.

BOSTON CONTINUED Maine Potato Quotations

*Russet Burbanks

*Belrus

Week	cartons count	cartons count	cartons count	cartons count	cartons baled	cartons
Ending	70s	80s	90s	100s	10-5 lb film bags	count 90s
Oct. 23	8.00-8.50	8.00-8.50	7.50	6.50	-	-
Nov. 12	-	-	-	-	-	12.00
19	-	-	-	-	-	12.00
27	-	-	-	-	6.50-7.00	-

*Price ranges are shown for only those weeks when Russet Burbank & Belrus sales were quoted.

CITY MARKETS CONTINUED

NEW YORK CITY Maine Potato Quotations
 Round Whites USone 2 inch min 50 lb unless otherwise stated
 Weekly mostly range of markets

Week Ending	Arrivals (1,000 cwt)		Washed & Unwashed 50 lb sacks	Large 50 lb sacks	Baled 10-5 lb sacks	Baled 5-10 lb sacks
	Total	Maine				
Sept. 10 :	54	1	- -	- -	- -	- -
17 :	77	1	- -	- -	- -	- -
24 :	104	0	- -	- -	- -	- -
Oct. 1 :	130	4	- -	- -	- -	- -
8 :	55	2	- -	- -	- -	- -
15 :	80	2	- -	- -	- -	- -
22 :	163	19	6.00-6.25	7.00	7.00-7.50	6.50-7.50
29 :	56	5	6.00	7.00	7.00-8.00	6.50-7.50
Nov. 5 :	98	13	6.00	7.00-7.50	7.50-8.00	6.50-7.00
12 :	97	8	6.00	7.00	7.50	7.50
19 :	112	6	6.00	7.00-7.50	7.00-7.50	6.75-7.00
26 :	114	11	6.00-6.50	7.00-7.50	7.00-7.50	6.75
Dec. 3 :	139	14	6.00-6.50	7.00-7.50	7.00-7.50	6.50
10 :	148	17	5.50-6.50	6.50-7.50	7.00-7.50	6.75-7.00
17 : 1)	148	16	5.50-6.50	6.50-7.50	7.00-7.50	6.75-7.00
24 : 1)	67	5	6.00-6.50	7.00	6.75-7.00	6.75-7.00
31 : 2)	159	27	6.00-6.50	7.00	7.00-8.00	7.00
Jan. 7 : 3)	140	12	6.00-6.50	7.00	7.00-7.50	7.00
14 : 4)	187	29	6.50	7.00	7.00-8.00	7.00
21 :	121	20	6.00-6.50	6.50-7.00	7.50-8.00	7.00
28 :	158	13	6.00-6.50	7.00	7.50-8.00	7.00
Feb. 4 :	122	12	6.00-7.00	6.50-7.00	7.50-8.00	7.00
11 : 5)	48	9	6.00-6.50	6.50-7.00	7.50-8.00	7.00-7.25
18 :	170	25	6.00-6.50	7.00-7.50	7.50-8.50	7.00-7.25
25 :	103	14	6.00-6.50	7.00-7.50	7.50-8.50	7.00-7.25
Mar. 4 :	13	5	6.00-6.50	7.00-7.50	7.50-8.50	7.00-7.25
11 :	101	20	6.00-6.50	7.00-7.50	7.50-8.50	7.00-7.25
18 :	97	9	6.50-7.00	7.00-7.50	8.00	7.00-7.50
25 :	213	19	6.75-7.00	7.50-8.00	8.00-8.50	7.00-7.50
Apr. 1 :	97	8	6.75-7.00	7.50-8.00	8.00-8.50	7.00-7.50
8 :	55	9	6.75-7.00	7.50-8.00	7.50-8.50	7.00-7.50
15 :	105	20	6.75-7.00	7.50-8.00	7.50-8.50	7.00-7.50
22 :	113	17	6.50-7.00	7.00-7.50	8.00-8.50	7.00-7.50
29 :	154	19	6.50-7.00	7.00-7.50	7.00-8.50	7.00-7.50

- 1) Sales include Round Reds 50 lb sacks size A 8.00-9.00, size B 11.00
- 2) Sales include Russets 50 lb sacks 10 oz min 9.50-10.00
- 3) Sales include Round Reds 50 lb sacks size A 8.00-12.00, size B 9.00-13.00, Russet Burbanks 50 lb sacks 10 oz min 9.50-10.00
- 4) Sales include Round Reds 50 lb sacks size A 11.00-12.00, size B 12.00-13.00
- 5) Sales include Round Reds 50 lb sacks size A 7.00-8.00, size B 10.00-11.00

CITY MARKETS CONTINUED

PHILADELPHIA Maine Potato Quotations
 Round Whites USone 2 inch min 50 lb unless otherwise stated
 Weekly mostly range of markets

Week Ending	ROUND WHITES			RUSSET NORKOTAH S		
	Arrivals (1,000 cwt)	Washed & Unwashed 50 lb sacks	Large 50 lb sacks	cartons 70-80s	cartons 90s	cartons 100s
Sept. 10	: 38	1	- -	- -	- -	- -
17	: 42	3	- -	- -	- -	- -
24	: 43	5	5.50-6.00	7.00-8.00	- -	- -
Oct. 1	: 43	3	- -	7.00-8.00	- -	- -
8	: 34	2	- -	7.00-7.50	- -	- -
15	: 33	1	- -	- -	- -	- -
22	: 27	6	- -	- -	- -	- -
29	: 40	8	- -	- -	- -	- -
Nov. 5	: 35	6	5.50	6.25-6.50	- -	- -
12	: 22	5	5.50-6.50	7.00-7.50	- -	- -
19	: 42	7	5.50-6.50	6.50-7.50	16.00-16.50	13.00-13.50
26	: 1) 27	6	6.00-6.25	- -	16.50	13.00
Dec. 3	: 2) 35	3	6.00-6.50	7.00-7.50	16.00	12.00-13.00
10	: 3) 32	3	6.50	6.50-7.00	- -	- -
17	: 3) 41	4	6.00-6.50	6.00-7.00	11.00-12.00	9.00-10.00
24	: 3) 32	3	6.00-6.50	6.50-7.00	- -	- -
31	: 30	3	5.50-6.50	6.50-7.00	- -	- -
Jan. 7	: 34	5	6.00-6.50	6.50-7.00	11.00	9.00
14	: 39	6	6.00-6.50	6.50-7.00	11.00	9.00
21	: 23	5	6.00	- -	- -	- -
28	: 48	10	6.00-6.50	7.00	- -	- -
Feb. 4	: 40	5	6.50	6.75-7.00	12.00	10.00
11	: 34	7	5.50-6.00	- -	- -	- -
18	: 31	3	6.00-6.50	6.50	- -	- -
25	: 28	6	5.75-6.50	6.75	- -	- -
Mar. 4	: 36	5	6.25-6.50	7.00	11.00	10.00
11	: 33	4	6.25-6.50	7.00	- -	- -
18	: 40	4	6.50-7.00	7.50	- -	- -
25	: 22	4	6.00-6.50	7.50	- -	- -
Apr. 1	: 34	3	- -	- -	- -	- -
8	: 29	5	6.00-6.50	- -	- -	- -
15	: 24	3	6.00-7.00	7.50	- -	- -
22	: 4) 33	5	6.00-6.50	7.00-7.50	- -	- -
29	: 31	4	6.00-7.00	7.00-7.75	- -	- -

- 1) Sales include Round Whites loose 10 lb sacks 1.05
- 2) Sales include Round Whites loose 10 lb sacks 1.30
- 3) Sales include Round Whites baled 5-10 lb sacks 7.25, baled 10-5 lb sacks 8.25
- 4) Sales include Round Whites baled 5-10 lb sacks 6.50-7.00, baled 10-5 lb sacks 7.50-8.00

CITY MARKETS CONTINUED

BALTIMORE Maine Potato Quotations
 Round Whites USone 2 inch min
 50 lb unless otherwise stated
 Weekly mostly range of markets

: A R R I V A L S (1,000 cwt)										
: -----										
Week	TABLE		CHIP		SEED		Washed &	Chefs	Large	Loose
Ending	Total	Maine	Total	Maine	Total	Maine	Unwashed	Special	50 lb	10 lb
: -----										
Sept. 10 :	26	0	4	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
17 :	31	2	5	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
24 :	34	5	5	0	0	0	5.25-5.50	-	7.00-7.50	-
Oct. 1 :	23	4	0	0	0	0	5.50-6.00	-	7.00	-
8 :	28	5	0	0	0	0	5.50-6.00	-	6.50-7.00	1.10-1.15
15 :	27	4	4	0	0	0	5.50	-	6.50	1.10-1.15
22 :	27	6	6	0	0	0	5.50	6.50	6.00	1.15
29 :	31	4	4	0	0	0	5.50	6.50	6.00-6.25	1.15
Nov. 5 :	33	7	9	4	0	0	5.50	6.50	6.00-6.25	1.10
12 :	39	8	5	2	0	0	5.50-5.75	6.50	6.00	1.18-1.20
19 :	35	8	0	0	0	0	5.50-6.00	6.50	6.00	-
26 :	25	6	0	0	0	0	5.50-6.00	6.50	-	1.15
Dec. 3 : 1)	37	9	0	0	0	0	6.00	6.50-7.00	-	1.20-1.30
10 : 2)	25	7	0	0	0	0	6.00	6.50	-	1.20
17 : 3)	38	7	3	1	0	0	6.00	6.50-7.00	6.00-6.50	1.10-1.30
24 :	17	6	4	2	0	0	6.00	6.00-7.00	-	1.15
31 :	25	8	5	1	0	0	6.00	7.00	-	-
Jan. 7 :	30	9	5	0	0	0	6.00-6.50	7.00	6.50-6.75	1.10-1.30
14 : 4)	33	11	5	1	0	0	5.75-6.00	6.50-6.75	6.00	1.15-1.30
21 : 5)	14	5	4	1	0	0	5.75-6.00	6.25-6.50	-	1.25-1.30
28 :	34	8	0	0	0	0	5.50-6.00	6.50	6.00	1.20-1.30
Feb. 4 :	31	7	5	2	0	0	5.75-6.00	6.50-7.00	6.00	1.10-1.20
11 : 6)	17	5	6	2	0	0	6.00-6.25	6.50-7.00	6.00	1.15-1.20
18 :	35	8	0	0	0	0	6.00-6.25	6.50-7.00	6.00-6.25	1.15-1.25
25 :	18	4	0	0	0	0	6.00	6.50	-	1.15-1.30
Mar. 4 :	30	7	3	0	1	1	6.00	6.50-7.00	6.00	1.20-1.30
11 :	28	9	0	0	0	0	6.00	6.50-7.00	6.00-6.25	1.20-1.30
18 :	37	8	0	0	3	3	6.00-6.50	7.25-7.50	6.50-7.00	1.30
25 :	30	8	0	0	0	0	6.50-6.75	6.50-7.50	-	1.30-1.40
Apr. 1 :	29	10	0	0	0	0	6.00-7.00	7.00-7.50	-	1.30-1.40
8 :	25	9	0	0	0	0	6.25-6.75	7.00-7.50	-	1.25-1.30
15 :	30	9	0	0	0	0	6.25-7.00	7.50	-	1.30
22 :	23	6	0	0	0	0	6.25-7.00	7.00-8.00	-	1.30
29 :	28	4	1	1	0	0	6.25-7.00	7.00-8.00	-	1.20

- 1) Sales include Round Reds 50 lb sacks 7.50-8.00
- 2) Sales include Round Whites UStwo 50 lb sacks non Size A 3.50
- 3) Sales include Round Whites UStwo 50 lb sacks Size A 3.50, Russet Norkotahs cartons count 70s 11.00
- 4) Sales include Round Reds 50 lb sacks Size A 7.50, Size B 10.00
- 5) Sales include Round Reds 50 lb sacks Size A 7.00, Size B 9.00
- 6) Sales include Round Reds 50 lb sacks Size A 8.00, Size B 10.00

CITY MARKETS CONTINUED

MIAMI Maine Potato Quotations
 Round Whites USone 2 inch min
 50 lb unless otherwise stated
 Weekly mostly range of markets

Week Ending	Arrivals (1,000 cwt)		Washed 50 lb sacks	50 lb sacks Large	Baled	Baled
	Total	Maine			5-10 lb Film Bags	10-5 lb Film Bags
Sept. 10	13	1	-	-	-	-
17	10	1	-	-	-	-
24	18	0	-	-	-	-
Oct. 1	19	1	-	-	-	-
8	19	0	-	-	-	-
15	11	0	7.00-8.00	8.00-9.50	8.25-8.75	8.25-8.75
22	19	3	7.00-7.50	8.50-9.50	8.00-8.50	8.00-8.50
29	20	6	7.00-7.50	8.00-9.00	8.00-8.50	8.00-8.50
Nov. 5	21	3	7.00-7.50	8.00-8.50	8.00-8.50	8.00-8.50
12	16	2	7.00-7.50	8.00-9.00	8.00-8.50	8.00-8.50
19	33	4	7.00-7.50	8.00-9.00	8.00-8.50	8.00-8.50
26	* 17	1	7.00-7.50	8.50-9.00	8.00-8.50	8.00-8.50
Dec. 3	** 24	6	7.00-8.00	8.50-9.00	8.00-9.00	8.00-9.00
10	** 15	2	7.50-8.00	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
17	** 27	6	7.50-8.00	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
24	** 11	1	7.50-8.75	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
31	16	2	7.50-8.75	8.25-9.00	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
Jan. 7	13	2	6.00-7.50	8.00-8.50	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
14	24	4	6.00-7.50	7.50-8.50	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
21	22	1	7.00-7.50	8.00-9.00	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
28	14	2	7.00-7.50	7.50-8.50	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
Feb. 4	29	7	7.00-7.50	8.00-8.50	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
11	23	2	7.00-7.50	8.00-8.50	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
18	16	3	7.00-7.50	8.00-8.50	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
25	24	4	7.00-7.50	8.00-8.50	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
Mar. 4	17	0	7.00-7.50	8.00-8.50	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
11	33	7	7.00-8.00	8.00-8.50	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
18	19	1	7.00-8.00	8.00-8.50	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
25	18	2	7.00-8.00	8.00-8.50	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
Apr. 1	30	5	7.00-8.00	8.00-9.00	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
8	12	1	8.00-8.50	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
15	20	2	8.00-8.50	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
22	20	2	8.00-8.50	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00	8.50-9.00
29	17	2	8.00-10.00	8.50-9.00	8.50-10.00	8.50-10.00

* Sales include 50 lb sacks Size B 7.50-8.00
 ** Sales include 50 lb sacks Size B 8.50-9.00

CITY MARKETS CONTINUED

PITTSBURGH Maine Potato Quotations
 Round Whites USone 2 inch min 50 lb unless otherwise stated
 Weekly mostly range of markets

Week Ending	:	Arrivals (1,000 cwt)		Washed		
		Total	Maine	50 lb cartons & sacks	50 lb sacks Large	Loose 10 lb sacks
Sept.	10	5	0	-	-	-
	17	23	0	-	-	-
	24	35	0	-	-	-
Oct.	1	35	0	-	-	-
	8	32	0	-	-	-
	15	30	0	-	-	-
	22	58	0	-	-	-
	29	60	0	-	-	-
Nov.	5	37	0	-	-	-
	12	37	0	-	-	-
	19	63	0	7.00	8.00	1.20-1.25
	26	43	3	-	-	-
Dec.	3	41	1	-	-	1.20-1.25
	10	47	0	-	-	-
	17	34	1	-	-	-
	24	40	1	6.50	-	1.20
	31	31	2	6.50	-	1.15-1.20
Jan.	7	29	0	6.50	-	1.15-1.20
	14	41	8	6.50	-	1.20
	21	11	1	-	-	-
	28	49	1	6.50	-	-
Feb.	4	53	0	6.50	-	1.25-1.35
	11	32	0	6.50	-	1.20
	18	46	2	6.50	-	1.25-1.30
	25	44	1	6.50	-	1.25-1.30
Mar.	4	59	0	7.00	7.50	1.30
	11	55	11	-	-	-
	18	47	4	6.75-7.00	7.50	1.35-1.40
	25	40	5	6.50	7.50	1.35-1.40
Apr.	1	33	3	7.00	7.50	1.35
	8	38	11	6.00-7.00	7.50	1.33-1.40
	15	28	4	6.50-7.00	7.50-8.00	1.40-1.45
	22	49	11	-	-	-
	29	39	14	6.50-7.00	-	-

CITY MARKETS CONTINUED

CINCINNATI Maine Potato Quotations
 Round Whites USone 2 inch min
 50 lb unless otherwise stated

		A R R I V A L S (1,000 cwt)						Baled 10-5 lb	
Week	Ending	TABLE		CHIP		SEED		50 lb sacks	sacks non Size A
		Total	Maine	Total	Maine	Total	Maine		
Sept.	10 :	28	0	2	0	0	0	- -	- -
	17 :	26	0	2	0	0	0	- -	- -
	24 :	30	0	9	0	0	0	- -	- -
Oct.	1 :	23	0	2	0	0	0	- -	- -
	8 :	28	0	8	0	0	0	- -	- -
	15 :	27	0	0	0	0	0	- -	- -
	22 :	32	0	6	0	0	0	- -	- -
	29 :	26	0	5	0	0	0	- -	- -
Nov.	5 :	26	0	5	0	0	0	- -	- -
	12 :	25	0	2	0	0	0	- -	- -
	19 :	25	0	9	0	0	0	- -	- -
	26 :	21	0	3	0	0	0	- -	- -
Dec.	3 :	18	0	6	0	0	0	- -	- -
	10 :	18	0	6	0	0	0	- -	- -
	17 :	28	0	6	0	0	0	- -	- -
	24 :	19	0	2	0	0	0	- -	- -
	31 :	16	0	10	0	0	0	- -	- -
Jan.	7 :	27	0	2	0	0	0	- -	- -
	14 :	28	0	8	0	0	0	- -	- -
	21 :	29	0	4	0	0	0	- -	- -
	28 :	42	0	4	0	0	0	- -	- -
Feb.	4 :	32	0	5	0	0	0	- -	- -
	11 :	26	0	5	0	0	0	8.00-8.50	11.00-11.50
	18 :	19	1	5	0	0	0	7.50-8.50	11.00-11.50
	25 :	26	0	5	0	0	0	7.50-8.50	11.00-11.50
Mar.	4 :	23	0	5	0	2	0	7.50-8.00	11.00-11.50
	11 :	27	0	6	0	3	0	- -	- -
	18 :	31	0	5	0	2	1	- -	- -
	25 :	31	0	5	0	5	1	- -	- -
Apr.	1 :	36	0	5	0	3	0	- -	- -
	8 :	18	0	4	0	3	1	- -	- -
	15 :	31	0	2	0	2	2	- -	- -
	22 :	24	0	2	0	0	0	- -	- -
	29 :	29	0	5	0	2	1	- -	- -

CITY MARKETS CONTINUED

ATLANTA Maine Potato Quotations
 Round Whites USone 2 inch min
 50 lb unless otherwise stated
 Weekly mostly range of markets

***BUFFALO**
 Maine Potato Arrivals
 Round Whites USone
 2 inch min

Week Ending	A R R I V A L S (1,000 cwt)						50 lb cartons & sacks	50 lb cartons & sacks large	A r r i v a l s (1,000 cwt)	
	Total	Maine	Total	Maine	Total	Maine			Total	Maine
Sept. 10 :	40	0	10	0	0	0	-	-	5	0
17 :	34	1	0	0	0	0	-	-	6	0
24 :	47	0	10	0	0	0	-	-	4	0
Oct. 1 :	47	0	10	0	0	0	-	-	7	0
8 :	38	1	10	0	0	0	-	-	7	0
15 :	31	1	10	0	0	0	-	-	7	0
22 :	40	1	10	0	0	0	-	7.00-8.00	6	0
29 :	25	1	10	0	0	0	-	8.00-9.00	9	0
Nov. 5 :	35	0	10	0	0	0	-	-	5	0
12 :	31	1	10	0	0	0	6.00-6.50	-	7	0
19 :	38	5	10	0	0	0	7.25-7.50	-	10	0
26 :	48	3	10	0	0	0	7.00	-	6	0
Dec. 3 :	32	1	10	0	0	0	7.00	8.00	10	0
10 :	30	0	10	0	0	0	7.50	8.00	7	0
17 :	28	0	10	0	0	0	7.50	8.50	10	0
24 :	29	0	10	0	0	0	-	-	7	0
31 :	36	0	10	0	0	0	7.50	-	8	1
Jan. 7 :	39	1	10	0	0	0	7.50	-	8	0
14 :	44	2	10	0	0	0	7.50	-	5	0
21 :	33	1	10	0	0	0	-	-	5	0
28 :	50	4	10	0	0	0	-	-	6	1
Feb. 4 :	31	1	10	0	1	0	-	-	3	0
11 :	33	2	10	0	0	0	-	-	8	1
18 :	27	1	10	0	0	0	-	-	5	0
25 :	34	1	10	0	0	0	7.00	-	7	0
Mar. 4 :	27	0	10	0	0	0	7.00	-	5	0
11 :	33	0	10	0	0	0	7.00	-	5	0
18 :	36	2	10	0	0	0	-	-	8	0
25 : *	36	3	10	0	2	0	-	-	8	0
Apr. 1 :	30	1	10	0	0	0	-	-	9	0
8 :	26	0	9	0	0	0	-	-	5	0
15 :	38	0	10	0	0	0	-	-	7	0
22 :	24	0	10	0	0	0	-	-	5	0
29 :	38	3	10	0	0	0	8.00	-	6	0

* Sales include Round Reds 50 lb sacks Size A 11.00, Size B 19.00; Belrus cartons 70s 16.50, 80s 15.50

* No Maine price quotations

CITY MARKETS CONTINUED

COLUMBIA Maine Potato Quotations
 Round Whites USone 2 inch min
 50 lb unless otherwise stated

Week Ending	Arrivals (1,000 cwt)		50 lb sacks	50 lb sacks	Baled 5-10 lb	Baled 10-5 lb
	Total	Maine	50 lb sacks	Chefs Special	film bags	film bags
Sept. 10 :	3	0	- -	- -	- -	- -
17 :	2	0	- -	- -	- -	- -
24 :	7	0	- -	- -	- -	- -
Oct. 1 :	7	0	- -	- -	- -	- -
8 :	8	0	- -	- -	- -	- -
15 :	5	2	7.00	- -	- -	- -
22 :	9	0	7.00	- -	- -	- -
29 :	5	3	7.00	- -	- -	- -
Nov. 5 :	7	2	7.50	- -	- -	- -
12 :	4	1	7.50	- -	- -	- -
19 :	5	2	- -	- -	- -	- -
26 :	3	2	- -	- -	- -	- -
Dec. 3 :	6	1	7.50	8.50	8.00-8.50	8.50-9.50
10 :	7	3	7.50	8.50	8.00-8.50	8.50-9.50
17 :	4	1	7.50	8.50	8.00-9.00	8.50-10.00
24 :	4	0	7.50	8.50	8.50	9.50
31 :	5	1	- -	- -	- -	- -
Jan. 7 :	5	2	7.50	8.50	8.00-8.50	9.00-9.50
14 :	6	2	7.50	8.50	7.50-8.50	9.00-9.50
21 :	9	1	7.50	8.50	8.50	9.00-9.50
28 :	4	1	- -	- -	- -	- -
Feb. 4 :	6	2	- -	- -	- -	- -
11 :	* 4	1	7.50	- -	8.50	9.50
18 :	5	1	7.75	- -	8.50	9.50
25 :	9	2	- -	- -	- -	- -
Mar. 4 :	5	2	- -	8.00	8.50	9.50
11 :	5	1	8.00	8.50	8.50	9.50
18 :	7	1	8.00	8.50	8.50	9.50
25 :	6	1	- -	- -	- -	- -
Apr. 1 :	4	0	7.50-8.00	8.50-9.00	8.50	9.50
8 :	12	2	7.75-9.00	8.75-9.00	8.50	9.50
15 :	6	1	- -	- -	- -	- -
22 :	6	1	- -	- -	- -	- -
29 :	7	1	- -	- -	- -	- -

* Sales include Round Reds 50 lb sacks Size B 15.00

CITY MARKETS CONTINUED

***DETROIT** Maine Potato Arrivals
Round Whites USone 2 inch min
50 lb unless otherwise stated

***CHICAGO** Maine Potato Arrivals
Round Whites USone 2 inch min
50 lb unless otherwise stated

		A R R I V A L S (1,000 cwt)						A R R I V A L S (1,000 cwt)				
Week Ending		TABLE		CHIP			TABLE		CHIP		SEED	
		Total	Maine	Total	Maine		Total	Maine	Total	Maine	Total	Maine
Sept.	10 :	19	0	15	0	:	65	0	0	0	0	0
	17 :	29	0	11	0	:	49	0	0	0	0	0
	24 :	31	0	11	0	:	66	0	0	0	0	0
Oct.	1 :	25	0	11	0	:	70	0	0	0	0	0
	8 :	30	0	0	0	:	63	0	0	0	0	0
	15 :	22	0	8	0	:	80	0	0	0	0	0
	22 :	31	0	12	0	:	87	0	0	0	0	0
	29 :	30	0	16	0	:	63	0	0	0	0	0
Nov.	5 :	34	0	10	0	:	97	0	0	0	0	0
	12 :	33	0	0	0	:	64	0	0	0	0	0
	19 :	40	0	28	0	:	159	0	0	0	0	0
	26 :	42	0	16	0	:	116	0	0	0	0	0
Dec.	3 :	41	0	11	0	:	64	0	0	0	0	0
	10 :	29	0	11	0	:	74	1	0	0	0	0
	17 :	35	0	15	0	:	74	0	0	0	0	0
	24 :	39	0	0	0	:	65	0	0	0	0	0
	31 :	30	0	0	0	:	46	0	0	0	0	0
Jan.	7 :	46	0	8	0	:	71	0	0	0	0	0
	14 :	39	0	13	0	:	69	0	0	0	0	0
	21 :	30	0	0	0	:	65	1	0	0	0	0
	28 :	42	0	28	0	:	84	0	0	0	0	0
Feb.	4 :	75	0	0	0	:	90	0	2	0	0	0
	11 :	47	0	12	0	:	103	0	0	0	0	0
	18 :	41	0	13	0	:	99	0	0	0	0	0
	25 :	32	0	15	0	:	75	0	0	0	0	0
Mar.	4 :	39	0	10	0	:	137	0	0	0	0	0
	11 :	40	0	12	0	:	103	0	0	0	0	0
	18 :	35	0	0	0	:	61	0	0	0	0	0
	25 :	41	0	24	0	:	138	0	0	0	0	0
Apr.	1 :	36	0	9	0	:	103	0	0	0	5	0
	8 :	33	0	13	0	:	120	0	0	0	0	0
	15 :	25	0	11	0	:	127	0	0	0	0	0
	22 :	31	0	12	0	:	87	0	0	0	0	0
	29 :	26	0	11	0	:	65	0	0	0	0	0

* No Maine price quotations

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AREA PLANTED - AREA HARVESTED - POTATOES

STATE	AREA PLANTED			AREA HARVESTED		
	1991	1992	1993	1991	1992	1993
	1,000 ACRES			1,000 ACRES		
ALA	11.0	10.8	10.1	9.3	10.5	9.8
ARIZ	6.0	6.4	5.5	6.0	6.1	5.5
CALIF	46.2	43.0	41.9	45.2	42.9	41.5
COLO	78.0	73.4	80.6	74.9	72.7	80.1
DEL	7.7	6.0	5.0	7.7	6.0	5.0
FLA	43.7	41.2	44.7	43.0	40.1	41.9
IDAHO	395.0	380.0	390.0	393.0	378.0	388.0
ILL	4.5	4.5	5.1	4.2	4.4	4.5
IND	4.5	4.6	4.5	4.1	4.3	4.2
IOWA	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.4	0.7
MAINE	81.0	82.0	81.0	79.0	81.0	79.0
MD	1.7	1.6	2.5	1.7	1.6	2.3
MASS	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
MICH	47.0	49.5	53.0	45.5	48.0	50.5
MINN	84.4	78.2	77.2	78.8	74.1	62.1
MO	6.7	7.7	7.7	6.3	7.2	6.7
MONT	9.4	8.6	9.1	9.3	8.5	9.0
NEBR	11.6	10.7	12.7	11.2	10.3	12.4
NEV	7.6	7.5	7.7	7.6	7.5	7.7
N J	4.1	3.6	3.4	4.0	3.5	3.3
N MEX	10.5	8.5	10.5	10.0	8.5	9.9
N Y	29.6	28.2	28.8	29.5	27.0	28.2
N C	18.8	19.1	18.9	18.4	18.7	18.5
N DAK	158.0	146.0	143.0	154.0	142.0	111.0
OHIO	8.0	7.0	5.8	7.7	6.0	5.7
OREG	51.0	46.0	50.4	50.0	45.0	49.4
PA	21.0	20.0	21.0	20.0	19.0	20.0
R I	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.1
S DAK	7.5	6.5	6.0	7.1	6.0	5.2
TEX	16.0	13.0	13.5	14.8	11.8	12.8
UTAH	6.1	6.1	6.3	6.0	6.0	6.2
VA	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0
WASH	144.0	132.0	150.0	141.0	132.0	150.0
WIS	68.0	69.0	71.5	66.5	68.0	69.5
WYO	2.1	1.7	1.8	2.0	1.6	1.8
U S	1,407.5	1,339.3	1,385.8	1,374.4	1,315.0	1,317.5

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AREA PLANTED, POTATOES, 1991, 1992, 1993

SEASONAL GROUP AND STATE				SEASONAL GROUP AND STATE			
	1991	1992	1993		1991	1992	1993
1,000 ACRES				1,000 ACRES			
WINTER				FALL			
CALIF	5.6	5.3	5.6	CALIF	14.0	14.0	12.0
FLA	7.6	8.1	8.7	COLO	71.0	66.5	72.5
TOTAL	13.2	13.4	14.3	IDAHO-10 SW CO	22.0	22.0	24.0
				-OTHER CO	373.0	358.0	366.0
SPRING				IND	4.5	4.6	4.5
ALA	4.0	3.6	2.8	MAINE	81.0	82.0	81.0
ARIZ	6.0	6.4	5.5	MASS	3.0	3.0	3.0
CALIF	21.8	19.3	19.5	MICH	35.0	37.0	40.0
FLA-HASINGS	27.5	26.0	28.0	MINN	77.0	71.0	70.0
-OTHER	8.6	7.1	8.0	MONT	9.4	8.6	9.1
N C	17.3	17.6	17.6	NEBR	9.1	8.6	9.6
TX	5.0	5.3	5.5	NEV	7.6	7.5	7.7
TOTAL	90.2	85.3	86.9	NEW MEX 1/	-	5.1	5.6
				N Y-LONG IS	6.6	6.2	6.3
SUMMER				-UPSTATE	23.0	22.0	22.5
ALA	7.0	7.2	7.3	ND	158.0	146.0	143.0
CALIF	4.8	4.4	4.8	OH	8.0	7.0	5.8
COLO	7.0	6.9	8.1	OREG-MALHEUR CO	6.8	7.6	8.9
DEL	7.7	6.0	5.0	-OTHER CO	44.2	38.4	41.5
ILL	4.5	4.5	5.1	PA	21.0	20.0	21.0
IOWA	1.5	1.6	1.5	R I	1.3	1.3	1.1
MD	1.7	1.6	2.5	SD	7.5	6.5	6.0
MICH	12.0	12.5	13.0	UT	6.1	6.1	6.3
MINN	7.4	7.2	7.2	WASH	144.0	132.0	150.0
MISS	6.7	7.7	7.7	WIS	68.0	69.0	71.5
NEBR	2.5	2.1	3.1	WYO	2.1	1.7	1.8
N J	4.1	3.6	3.4				
NEW MEX 1/	10.5	3.4	4.9	TOTAL	1,203.2	1,151.7	1,190.7
N C	1.5	1.5	1.3	US	1,407.5	1,339.3	1,385.8
TX	11.0	7.7	8.0				
VA	11.0	11.0	11.0				
TOTAL	100.9	88.9	93.9				

1/ DISTRICT I (NW COUNTIES) FOR 1993 INCLUDED IN FALL POTATOES.

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SEASONAL GROUP AND STATE	AREA HARVESTED			YIELD			PRODUCTION		
	1991	1992	1993	1991	1992	1993	1991	1992	1993
	1,000 Acres			Cwt.			1,000 Acres		
WINTER TOTAL	12.2	13.4	13.6	214	224	188	2,609	2,998	2,552
SPRING TOTAL	87.5	83.0	83.8	236	259	235	20,636	21,535	19,654
FALL									
CALIF	14.0	14.0	12.0	385	400	400	5,390	5,600	4,800
COLO	68.0	66.0	72.2	350	335	350	23,800	22,110	25,270
IDAHO-10 SW CO	22.0	22.0	24.0	410	435	435	9,020	9,570	10,440
-OTHER CO	371.0	356.0	364.0	305	330	305	113,155	117,480	111,020
IND	4.1	4.3	4.2	220	230	250	902	989	1,050
MAINE	79.0	81.0	79.0	230	300	260	18,170	24,300	20,540
MASS	3.0	3.0	3.0	195	275	205	585	825	615
MICH	34.0	36.0	38.0	260	300	310	8,840	10,800	11,780
MINN	71.5	67.0	55.0	240	240	220	17,160	16,080	12,100
MONT	9.3	8.5	9.0	300	290	300	2,790	2,465	2,700
NEBR	8.8	8.3	9.4	280	325	320	2,464	2,698	3,008
NEV	7.6	7.5	7.7	335	390	380	2,546	2,925	2,926
NM 1/	-	5.1	5.6	-	450	475	-	2,295	2,660
N Y-LONG IS	6.6	6.2	6.2	250	320	265	1,650	1,984	1,643
-UPSTATE	22.9	20.8	22.0	230	280	275	5,267	5,824	6,050
N DAK	154.0	142.0	111.0	195	195	180	30,030	27,690	19,980
OHIO	7.7	6.0	5.7	185	240	200	1,425	1,440	1,140
OREG-MALHEUR CO	6.6	7.5	8.7	400	410	430	2,640	3,075	3,741
-OTHER CO	43.4	37.5	40.7	450	480	480	19,530	18,000	19,536
PA	20.0	19.0	20.0	175	260	230	3,500	4,940	4,600
R I	1.3	1.3	1.1	185	290	215	241	377	237
S DAK	7.1	6.0	5.2	250	250	205	1,775	1,500	1,066
UTAH	6.0	6.0	6.2	270	275	265	1,620	1,650	1,643
WASH	141.0	132.0	150.0	535	525	570	75,435	69,300	85,500
WIS	66.5	68.0	69.5	350	370	320	23,275	25,160	22,240
WYO	2.0	1.6	1.8	260	280	280	520	448	504
TOTAL	1,177.4	1,132.6	1,131.2	316	335	333	371,730	379,525	376,789
U. S.	1,374.4	1,315.0	1,317.5	304	323	318	417,622	425,367	419,415

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1993 POTATO FINALS AND STOCKS-ON-HAND: FALL STATES: 1993 CROP

	1993	DEC 1	JAN 1	FEB 1	MAR 1	APR 1
	PRODUCTION	1993	1994	1994	1994	1994
CALIFORNIA	4,800	3,800	3,500	2,900	2,500	1,600
COLORADO	25,270	18,250	15,800	13,300	10,900	8,350
IDAHO	121,460	89,000	79,500	70,000	59,500	46,500
MAINE	20,540	15,000	12,900	10,500	8,500	6,100
MICHIGAN	11,780	7,300	5,800	4,400	3,100	1,800
MINNESOTA	12,100	8,000	6,900	5,700	4,400	3,400
MONTANA	2,700	2,580	2,500	2,440	2,370	1,770
NEBRASKA	3,008	1,890	1,650	1,370	1,050	420
NEW YORK-LONG ISLAND	1,643	600	450	250	1/160	1/15
-UPSTATE	6,050	3,300	2,900	2,400	2,000	1,200
NORTH DAKOTA	19,980	14,000	11,000	9,000	6,700	4,300
OHIO	1,140	250	170	110	1/	1/
OREGON	23,277	20,000	17,800	15,900	13,300	10,300
PENNSYLVANIA	4,600	2,300	1,400	1,100	600	300
WASHINGTON	85,500	41,000	35,500	29,500	24,000	17,500
WISCONSIN	22,240	13,500	11,500	9,200	7,000	4,900
TOTAL 15 STATES	366,088	240,770	209,270	178,070	146,080	108,455

1/ Combined to prevent possible disclosure of individual operation.
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MAINE POTATO PRODUCTION FINALS AND STOCKS-ON-HAND TOTALS PAST 3 SEASONS

	1991 CROP	1992 CROP	1993 CROP
1991 CROP	18,170	12,400	10,500
1992 CROP	24,300	17,900	15,600
1993 CROP	20,540	15,000	12,900

FALL STATES PRODUCTION AND STOCKS-ON-HAND TOTALS PAST 3 SEASONS

	1991 CROP	1992 CROP	1993 CROP
15 FALL STATES	363,806	240,660	210,935
1991 CROP	363,806	240,660	210,935
1992 CROP	368,516	246,820	215,990
1993 CROP	366,088	240,770	209,270

NOTE: Stocks are defined as the quantity remaining in storage for all purposes and used, including shrinkage and waste and other losses that occur after the date of each report. Sales of fall potatoes for all purposes generally account for about 90% of the total fall production. Shrinkage and loss and home use account for the remaining 10%.
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POTATOES - CROP VALUE

SEASON AVERAGE AND YEARLY PRICES AND VALUE OF PRODUCTION BY STATES, 1991, 1992, AND 1993

STATE	PRICE PER CWT			VALUE OF PRODUCTION 1/		
	1991	1992	1993	1991	1992	1993
	DOLLARS			1,000 DOLLARS		
ALA	8.90	6.55	10.20	11,140	11,290	10,759
ARIZ	10.40	6.20	8.25	18,408	11,160	12,251
CALIF	9.90	9.85	12.70	160,293	153,097	188,802
COLO	2.25	4.20	5.60	57,576	100,702	155,790
DEL	7.30	7.65	10.10	9,840	10,557	7,575
FLA	20.40	9.90	17.00	164,885	92,890	128,945
IDAHO	4.00	5.15	4.75	488,700	654,308	576,935
ILL	5.45	5.05	5.15	5,494	6,666	6,026
IND	6.05	6.60	6.85	5,457	6,527	7,193
IOWA	4.65	4.85	6.15	967	1,368	646
MAINE	5.80	5.10	7.05	105,386	123,930	144,807
MD	10.10	7.40	10.70	3,010	2,368	3,445
MASS	6.55	5.90	7.25	3,832	4,868	4,459
MICH	6.15	6.40	7.35	71,882	88,776	112,436
MINN	4.10	4.55	5.90	79,302	83,334	83,885
MO	6.50	4.75	5.85	8,600	8,379	8,822
MT	5.70	8.40	9.50	15,903	20,706	25,650
NEBR	5.10	6.25	7.00	15,957	20,642	25,592
NEV	4.00	6.05	6.00	10,184	17,696	17,556
N J	7.20	5.90	6.30	5,472	4,956	3,950
N MEX	5.50	6.80	6.20	18,975	22,055	24,450
N Y	8.70	6.65	7.45	60,328	52,010	57,391
N C	7.50	4.35	5.80	22,945	15,957	18,842
N DAK	3.95	4.55	6.40	118,619	125,990	127,872
OHIO	7.00	5.95	7.25	9,975	8,568	8,265
OREG	3.95	5.50	5.30	87,810	115,451	123,181
PA	7.50	6.75	7.80	26,250	33,345	35,880
R I	6.60	5.30	6.80	1,591	1,998	1,612
S DAK	4.45	4.20	4.60	7,899	6,300	4,904
TEX	9.00	12.90	10.70	28,691	31,698	31,380
UTAH	5.25	5.40	5.55	8,505	8,910	9,119
VA	15.00	8.80	13.80	22,275	17,424	24,288
WASH	3.80	5.00	5.40	286,653	346,500	461,700
WIS	4.20	4.90	6.30	97,755	123,284	140,112
WYO	4.50	6.20	9.75	2,340	2,778	4,914
U. S.	4.96	5.52	6.22	2,042.899	2,336.478	2,599.434

1/ The value of production is the sum of the value of production of the seasonal groups. Agricultural Statistics Board, NASS, USDA. Crop Values, January 1994.

POTATOES: PRODUCTION, FARM SEASON AVERAGE PRICE RECEIVED
BY FARMERS, AND VALUE, BY SEASONAL GROUPS, 1991 CROP

SEASON AND STATE	PRODUCTION	TOTAL USED FOR SEED	FARM DISPOSITION				VALUE OF - -	
			WHERE GROWN		PRICE PER CWT	PRODUCTION	SALES	
			SEED, FEED, HOME	SHRINK AND LOSS				SOLD
			1,000 CWT		DOLLARS	1,000 DOLLARS		
WINTER: CALIF	1,127	117	-	56	1,071	17.10	19,272	18,314
FLA	1,482	235	-	9	1,473	29.20	43,274	43,012
TOTAL WINTER	2,609	352	-	65	2,544	24.10	62,546	61,326
SPRING: ALA	300	54	1	5	294	10.00	3,000	2,940
ARIZ	1,770	128	5	35	1,730	10.40	18,408	17,992
CALIF	8,284	425	15	166	8,103	12.60	104,378	102,098
FLA-HASTINGS	5,130	650	1	21	5,108	16.80	86,184	85,814
-OTHER	1,470	178	-	12	1,458	24.10	35,427	35,138
N C	2,890	229	23	87	2,780	7.30	21,097	20,295
TEX	792	65	20	16	756	8.65	6,851	6,539
TOTAL SPRING	20,636	1,729	65	342	20,229	13.40	275,345	270,816
SUMMER: ALA	952	109	10	48	894	8.55	8,140	7,644
CALIF	1,560	92	9	31	1,520	9.15	14,274	13,908
COLO	2,036	152	6	104	1,926	4.90	9,976	9,437
DEL	1,348	90	7	54	1,287	7.30	9,840	9,395
ILL	1,008	99	15	30	963	5.45	5,494	5,248
IOWA	208	22	5	15	188	4.65	967	874
MD	298	22	9	9	280	10.10	3,010	2,828
MICH	2,875	263	45	160	2,670	6.40	18,400	17,088
MINN	2,154	135	4	90	2,060	4.95	10,662	10,197
MO	1,323	154	1	13	1,309	6.50	8,600	8,509
NEBR	636	46	26	25	585	3.20	2,035	1,872
N J	760	59	4	23	733	7.20	5,472	5,278
N MEX	3,450	170	22	211	3,217	5.50	18,975	17,694
N C	154	20	29	5	120	12.00	1,848	1,440
TEX	2,400	100	5	48	2,347	9.10	21,840	21,358
VA	1,485	149	1	51	1,433	15.00	22,275	21,495
TOTAL SUMMER	22,647	1,682	198	917	21,532	7.16	161,808	154,265
FALL: CALIF	5,390	266	45	355	4,990	4.15	22,369	20,709
COLO	23,800	1,629	1,295	2,492	20,013	2.00	47,600	40,026
IDAHO	122,175	7,800	1,800	9,213	111,162	4.00	488,700	444,648
IND	902	87	15	50	837	6.05	5,457	5,064
MAINE	18,170	1,804	575	1,470	16,125	5.80	105,386	93,525
MASS	585	59	2	41	542	6.55	3,832	3,550
MICH	8,840	648	160	780	7,900	6.05	53,482	47,795
MINN	17,160	1,250	250	1,778	15,132	4.00	68,640	60,528
MONT	2,790	181	140	250	2,400	5.70	15,903	13,680
NEBR	2,464	206	128	288	2,048	5.65	13,922	11,571
NEV	2,546	150	-	306	2,240	4.00	10,184	8,960
NY-LONG IS	1,650	124	3	62	1,585	8.95	14,768	14,186
-UPSTATE	5,267	528	140	337	4,790	8.65	45,560	41,434
N DAK	30,030	2,336	340	5,110	24,580	3.95	118,619	97,091
OHIO	1,425	140	13	38	1,374	7.00	9,975	9,618
OREG-MALHEUR	2,640	167	10	90	2,540	5.15	13,596	13,081
-OTHER	19,530	845	200	1,945	17,385	3.80	74,214	66,063
PA	3,500	380	38	154	3,308	7.50	26,250	24,810
RI	241	27	1	2	238	6.60	1,591	1,571
S DAK	1,775	104	23	82	1,670	4.45	7,899	7,432
UTAH	1,620	146	18	200	1,402	5.25	8,505	7,361
WASH	75,435	3,036	300	4,800	70,335	3.80	286,653	267,273
WIS	23,275	1,311	233	1,163	21,879	4.20	97,755	91,892
WYO	520	34	3	99	418	4.50	2,340	1,881
TOTAL FALL	371,730	23,258	5,732	31,105	334,893	4.16	1,543,200	1,393,749
U. S.	417,622	27,021	5,995	32,429	379,198	4.96	2,042,899	1,880,156

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POTATOES: PRODUCTION, FARM DISPOSITION, SEASON AVERAGE PRICE RECEIVED
BY FARMERS, AND VALUE, BY SEASONAL GROUPS, 1992 CROP

SEASON AND STATE	PRODUCTION	TOTAL USED FOR SEED	FARM DISPOSITION				PRICE PER CWT	VALUE OF - -	
			WHERE GROWN					PRODUCTION	SALES
			SEED, FEED, HOME	SHRINK AND LOSS	SOLD				
			1,000 CWT		DOLLARS	1,000 DOLLARS			
WINTER: CALIF	1,378	117	-	69	1,309	14.10	19,430	18,457	
FLA	1,620	232	-	10	1,610	22.00	35,640	35,420	
TOTAL WINTER	2,998	349	-	79	2,919	18.50	55,070	53,877	
SPRING: ALA	543	42	1	8	534	8.30	4,507	4,432	
ARIZ	1,800	110	4	36	1,760	6.20	11,160	10,912	
CALIF	7,238	429	14	145	7,079	9.20	66,590	65,127	
FLA-HASTINGS	6,000	700	1	24	5,975	5.05	30,300	30,174	
-OTHER	1,750	200	-	12	1,738	15.40	26,950	26,765	
N C	3,460	229	27	104	3,329	4.10	14,186	13,649	
TEX	744	68	19	15	710	8.95	6,659	6,355	
TOTAL SPRING	21,535	1,778	66	344	21,125	7.50	160,352	157,414	
SUMMER: ALA	1,190	110	10	60	1,120	5.70	6,783	6,384	
CALIF	1,376	109	9	28	1,339	16.80	23,117	22,495	
COLO	2,010	178	5	110	1,895	5.55	11,156	10,517	
DEL	1,380	89	7	55	1,318	7.65	10,557	10,083	
ILL	1,320	112	20	33	1,267	5.05	6,666	6,398	
IOWA	280	21	5	22	253	4.85	1,358	1,227	
MD	320	22	10	10	300	7.40	2,368	2,220	
MICH	3,120	247	50	170	2,900	6.30	19,656	18,270	
MINN	2,308	129	45	30	2,233	5.80	13,386	12,951	
MO	1,764	154	1	18	1,745	4.75	8,379	8,289	
NEBR	600	53	9	18	573	5.40	3,240	3,094	
N J	840	58	5	25	810	5.90	4,956	4,779	
N MEX	952	72	8	19	925	6.05	5,760	5,596	
N C	154	20	29	5	120	11.50	1,771	1,380	
TEX	1,715	104	3	35	1,677	14.60	25,039	24,484	
VA	1,980	149	2	69	1,909	8.80	17,424	16,799	
TOTAL SUMMER	21,309	1,627	218	707	20,384	7.60	161,616	154,966	
FALL: CALIF	5,600	240	50	280	5,270	7.85	43,960	41,370	
COLO	22,110	1,740	1,310	1,825	18,975	4.05	89,546	76,849	
IDAHO	127,050	8,000	1,415	9,237	116,398	5.15	654,308	599,450	
IND	989	86	17	42	930	6.60	6,527	6,138	
MAINE	24,300	1,782	710	5,940	17,650	5.10	123,930	90,015	
MASS	825	60	6	41	778	5.90	4,868	4,590	
MICH	10,800	740	200	1,100	9,500	6.40	69,120	60,800	
MINN	16,080	1,310	269	1,194	14,617	4.35	69,948	63,584	
MONT	2,465	191	99	126	2,240	8.40	20,706	18,816	
NEBR	2,698	240	186	313	2,199	6.45	17,402	14,184	
NEV	2,925	154	-	351	2,574	6.05	17,696	15,573	
NM	2,295	116	2	138	2,155	7.10	16,295	15,301	
NY-LONG IS	1,984	126	3	111	1,870	6.40	12,698	11,968	
-UPSTATE	5,824	540	149	780	4,895	6.75	39,312	33,041	
N DAK	27,690	2,360	400	4,010	23,280	4.55	125,990	105,924	
OHIO	1,440	126	10	103	1,327	5.95	8,568	7,896	
OREG-MALHEUR	3,075	196	10	60	3,005	5.35	16,451	16,077	
-OTHER	18,000	996	105	1,145	16,750	5.50	99,000	92,125	
PA	4,940	420	83	463	4,394	6.75	33,345	29,660	
RI	377	23	2	8	367	5.30	1,998	1,945	
S DAK	1,500	88	20	80	1,400	4.20	6,300	5,880	
UTAH	1,650	153	20	105	1,525	5.40	8,910	8,235	
WASH	69,300	3,335	300	4,400	64,600	5.00	346,500	323,000	
WIS	25,160	1,311	252	755	24,153	4.90	123,284	118,350	
WYO	448	40	21	70	357	6.20	2,778	2,213	
TOTAL FALL	379,525	24,373	5,639	32,677	341,209	5.17	1,959,440	1,762,984	
U. S.	425,367	28,127	5,923	33,807	385,637	5.52	2,336,478	2,129,241	

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FALL POTATOES: PERCENT OF MAJOR VARIETIES PLANTED SELECTED STATES,
1993 CROP 1/

STATE	FIRST		SECOND	
	VARIETY	PERCENT	VARIETY	PERCENT
COLO	Centennial Russet	38.3	Russet Norkotah	23.5
IDAHO	Russet Burbank	88.3	Shepody	7.0
MAINE	Superior	24.1	Russet Burbank	17.6
MICH	Snowden	34.7	Russet Burbank	16.8
MINN	Russet Burbank	31.0	Norchip	22.8
N Y	Norwis	33.9	Monona	12.1
N DAK	Norchip	44.4	Russet Burbank	15.4
OREG	Russet Burbank	63.7	Shepody	18.1
PA	Norwis	22.3	Atlantic	21.5
WASH	Russet Burbank	69.6	Russet Norkotah	7.8
WIS	Russet Burbank	32.2	Russet Norkotah	24.3

STATE	THIRD		FOURTH	
	VARIETY	PERCENT	VARIETY	PERCENT
COLO	Russet Nugget	13.7	Sangre	7.5
IDAHO	Russet Norkotah	1.6	Ranger Russet	1.0
MAINE	Shepody	10.7	Atlantic	9.1
MICH	Atlantic	9.6	Onaway	7.3
MINN	Norland	12.7	Goldrush	6.0
N Y	Superior	9.9	Atlantic	7.4
N DAK	Norland	10.2	Frito Lay Varieties	5.8
OREG	Frontier Russet	5.4	Russet Norkotah	5.2
PA	Snowden	10.7	Katahdin	10.1
WASH	Shepody	7.8	Ranger Russet	4.8
WIS	Snowden	10.8	Norland	8.5

1/ NASS conducts potato objective yield surveys in 11 major fall States, accounting for about 94 percent of U.S. fall production. Producing areas of each State are represented in the sample in proportion to planted acres. The table above is derived from reported data intended to provide current information on varieties but is not designated as an official estimate. Agricultural Statistics Board, NASS, USDA, Crop Production, November 1993.

PERCENT OF MAINE POTATO ACREAGE PLANTED
BY VARIETY, 1989-1993

VARIETY	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993
	Percent				
Atlantic	7	6	9	6	9
Frito-Lay, All	5	6	5	6	7
Norwis	7	6	5	10	8
Katahdin	4	4	2	2	4
Ontario	18	13	9	6	7
Russet Burbank	14	21	18	20	18
Russet Norkotah	3	3	5	1	1/
Snowden	1/	1/	1/	1/	3
Shepody	13	12	10	9	11
Superior	20	20	22	21	24
Other Varieties	9	9	15	19	9
White Varieties 2/	81	71	72	77	78
Russet Varieties	19	29	28	23	22

1/ Included with other varieties.

2/ Includes Red Varieties.

New England Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA.

FALL POTATOES: STOCKS BY TYPES AS PERCENT OF TOTAL STOCKS
DECEMBER 1, 1993 (11 MAJOR STATES)

STATE	REDS	WHITES	RUSSETS	TOTAL
P E R C E N T				
COLO	7	-	93	100
IDAHO	-	7	93	100
MAINE	-	79	21	100
MICH	-	70	30	100
MINN	12	18	70	100
N Y	-	92	-	100
N DAK	20	50	30	100
OREG	-	2	98	100
PA	3	97	-	100
WASH	-	4	94	100
WIS	5	20	80	100
11 STATE TOTAL	3	18	79	100

JANUARY 1, 1994 (11 MAJOR STATES)

STATE	REDS	WHITES	RUSSETS	TOTAL
P E R C E N T				
COLO	7	-	93	100
IDAHO	-	7	93	100
MAINE	-	78	22	100
MICH	-	75	25	100
MINN	10	25	65	100
N Y	7	91	2	100
N DAK	18	51	31	100
OREG	-	2	98	100
PA	3	97	-	100
WASH	-	1	99	100
WIS	5	15	80	100
11 STATE TOTAL	2	17	81	100

FEBRUARY 1, 1994 (11 MAJOR STATES)

STATE	REDS	WHITES	RUSSETS	TOTAL
P E R C E N T				
COLO	7	-	93	100
IDAHO	-	7	93	100
MAINE	-	80	20	100
MICH	-	75	25	100
MINN	8	15	77	100
N Y	7	91	2	100
N DAK	17	52	31	100
OREG	-	2	98	100
PA	3	97	-	100
WASH	-	-	100	100
WIS	1	10	89	100
11 STATE TOTAL	2	16	82	100

Agricultural Statistics Board, NASS, USDA, Potato Stocks, December, 1993, January, February, 1994.

FALL POTATOES: PERCENT OF ACREAGE PLANTED BY TYPE OF POTATOES, 11 MAJOR STATES, 1993 CROP

STATES	POTATOE TYPES 1/			
	REDS	WHITES	RUSSETS	TOTAL
COLO	7	-	93	100
IDAHO	-	7	93	100
MAINE	-	79	21	100
MICH	2	76	22	100
MINN	23	37	40	100
N Y	-	100	-	100
N DAK	18	62	20	100
OREG	1	21	78	100
PA	-	100	-	100
WASH	3	15	82	100
WIS	12	26	62	100
11 STATE TOTAL	6	30	64	100

1/ Predominant type shown may include small portion of other types constituting less than 1 percent of states total.

FALL POTATOES: ACRES PLANTED FOR CERTIFIED SEED POTATOES, BY STATES 1/

STATE	1992 CROP		1993 CROP	
	ENTERED FOR CERTIFICATION	CERTIFIED 2/	PERCENT CERTIFIED	ENTERED FOR CERTIFICATION
	ACRES		PERCENT	ACRES
CALIF	1,200	1,082	90	--
COLO	10,000	10,038	100	10,800
IDAHO	49,106	40,314	82	45,000
MAINE	29,581	29,035	98	25,988
MICH	3,175	2,403	76	3,100
MINN	21,887	20,690	95	22,569
MONT	8,550	7,987	93	8,511
NEBR	6,921	7,095	103	5,782
N Y	1,900	1,820	96	1,822
N DAK	31,103	29,418	95	28,899
OREG	3,100	2,918	94	3,250
PA	245	228	93	242
S DAK	2,024	1,924	95	1,800
UTAH	400	193	48	233
WASH	1,950	2,042	105	2,056
WIS	10,100	10,825	107	10,100
TOTAL	181,242	168,012	93	170,152

1/ Data supplied by State Seed Certification Officials.

2/ Source: 1993 Potato Statistical Yearbook, National Potato Council. Crop Production, Agricultural Statistics Board, NASS, USDA (July 1993)