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POTATO SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION FOR Tuesday, March 19, 2019

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SALES F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT AND DELIVERED SALES SHIPPING POINT BASIS

---UPPER VALLEY, TWIN FALLS-BURLEY DISTRICT,

IDAHO (Idaho Falls) DEMAND CARTON 40-80s GOOD, BALES LIGHT, OTHERS MODERATE. **MARKET NORKOTAH CARTON 40s HIGHER, CARTON 100s SLIGHTLY LOWER, OTHERS STEADY.**

Russet Burbank U.S. One 2" or 4-oz Min

baled 5 10-lb mesh sacks

non sz A 4.00-5.00

baled 5 10-lb film bags

non sz A 3.50-4.50 occas higher

baled 10 5-lb mesh sacks

non sz A 5.00-6.00

baled 10 5-lb film bags

non sz A 4.50-5.50 occas higher

50 lb cartons

40s 14.00-14.50 mostly 14.00

50s 14.00-14.50 mostly 14.00

60s 14.00-15.00 mostly 15.00

70s 14.00-15.00 mostly 15.00

80s 13.00-15.00 mostly 13.50-14.00 occas higer

90s 10.00-11.00 mostly 10.50-11.00 occas higer

100s 7.50-9.00 mostly 8.00-9.00

U.S. Two 50 lb sacks

6 oz min 5.50-7.00 mostly 6.50

10 oz min 7.50-8.50 mostly 8.00

Norkotah U.S. One 2" or 4-oz Min

baled 5 10-lb mesh sacks

non sz A 4.00-5.00

baled 5 10-lb film bags

non sz A 3.50-4.50

baled 10 5-lb mesh sacks

non sz A 5.00-6.00

baled 10 5-lb film bags

non sz A 4.50-5.50

50 lb cartons

40s 12.50-14.00 mostly 12.50-13.00

50s 13.00-14.00 mostly 13.00

60s 13.50-15.00 mostly 13.50

70s 13.50-15.00 mostly 13.50

80s 11.00-13.00 mostly 13.00

90s 9.00 occas higher

100s 7.50-9.00 mostly 8.00-9.00

U.S. Two 50 lb sacks

6 oz min 6.00 occas lower

10 oz min 7.00 occas higher & lower

---CENTRAL WISCONSIN (Idaho Falls)

DEMAND FAIRLY LIGHT. **MARKET STEADY.**

Russet Norkotah U.S. One

baled 5 10-lb film bags

sz A 8.00-10.00 mostly 9.00-9.50 occas higher

baled 10 5-lb film bags

sz A 9.00-11.00 mostly 10.00-10.50 occas higher

50 lb cartons

40s 14.00-16.00 mostly 15.00-16.00

50s 14.00-16.50 mostly 15.00-16.00

60s 14.00-16.50 mostly 15.00-16.00

70s 14.00-16.50 mostly 15.00-16.00

80s 12.50-15.25 mostly 14.00-15.00

90s 11.50-13.00 mostly 11.50-12.00

100s 11.00-13.00 mostly 11.50-12.00

---COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON & UMATILLA BASIN,

OREGON (Idaho Falls) DEMAND CARTONS 40-80s VERY GOOD, OTHERS MODERATE. **MARKET STEADY.**

Russet Norkotah U.S. One

baled 5 10-lb film bags

non sz A 5.00-5.50

baled 10 5-lb film bags

non sz A 6.00-6.50

50 lb cartons

40s 12.00-14.00 mostly 12.00-13.00

50s 13.00-15.00 mostly 14.00

60s 13.00-15.00 mostly 14.00

70s 13.00-15.00 mostly 14.00

80s 12.00-15.00 mostly 12.00-13.00

90s 10.00-11.00 mostly 10.50-11.00 occas lower

100s 10.00-11.00 mostly 10.00 occas lower

U.S. Two 50 lb sacks

10 oz min 6.00-7.00 occas lower

---**FLORIDA (Idaho Falls) Season DEMAND** ROUND WHITE AND YELLOW TYPE GOOD, ROUND RED MODERATE. **MARKET STEADY.**

Round Red U.S. One

50 lb cartons

sz A 14.50-15.00

sz B 20.50-23.00 mostly 22.00-22.50

Creamers 3/4-1 5/8" 30.75-35.50 mostly 35.00-35.50

50 lb sacks

sz A 12.75-13.50

sz B 18.75-21.25 mostly 20.25-20.75

tote bags approx 2000 lbs per cwt

sz A 24.00-26.00 mostly 24.50

U.S. Two 50 lb sacks

sz A 8.75-10.50

sz B 10.75-14.75

Round White U.S. One

50 lb cartons

sz A 22.50-24.50

sz B 14.00-18.50 mostly 14.00-14.50

Creamers 3/4-1 5/8" 40.50-50.75 mostly 45.75-50.75

50 lb sacks

sz A 20.75-22.75

sz B 12.50-16.75 mostly 12.50-12.75

tote bags approx 2000 lbs per cwt

sz A 40.50-44.50

U.S. Two 50 lb sacks

sz A 12.75-16.75 mostly 14.75-16.75

sz B 8.75-12.75 mostly 10.75-12.75

Yellow Type U.S. One

50 lb cartons

sz A 22.75-25.75 mostly 24.50-25.75

sz B 14.00-17.50 mostly 14.00-15.00

Creamers 3/4-1 5/8" 40.50-50.75 mostly 45.75-50.75

50 lb sacks

sz A 20.75-24.00 mostly 22.75-24.00

sz B 12.25-15.75 mostly 12.50-13.25

tote bags approx 2000 lbs per cwt

sz A 36.50-44.50 mostly 44.00-44.50

U.S. Two 50 lb sacks

sz A 7.75-12.75 mostly 10.75

---MINNESOTA-NORTH DAKOTA (RED RIVER VALLEY)

(Idaho Falls) DEMAND MODERATE. **MARKET STEADY.**

Round Red U.S. One

baled 10 5-lb film bags

sz A 11.00-11.50 occas lower

50 lb cartons

sz A 11.00-11.50 occas lower

sz B 13.00-15.00 mostly 14.00

Creamers 3/4-1 5/8" 25.00-30.00 mostly 25.00

50 lb sacks

sz A 9.50-10.00 occas lower

sz B 11.50-13.50 mostly 12.00-13.00

tote bags approx 2000 lbs per cwt

sz A 15.00-17.00 mostly 16.00-17.00

sz B 20.00-24.00 mostly 21.00-22.00 occas higher & lower

U.S. Two 50 lb sacks

sz A 5.00-6.00 mostly 5.00

sz B 6.50-9.00 mostly 8.00-9.00 occas lower

Yellow Type U.S. One

baled 10 5-lb film bags

sz A 12.50-14.50 mostly 13.00 occas higher

50 lb cartons

sz A 12.50-14.50 mostly 13.00 occas higher

sz B 8.50-10.50 mostly 9.00-10.00 occas higher

Creamers 3/4-1 5/8" 25.00-30.00 mostly 25.00

tote bags approx 2000 lbs per cwt

sz A 19.00-23.00 mostly 20.00-23.00 occas higher

---SAN LUIS VALLEY, COLORADO (Idaho Falls)

DEMAND MODERATE. **MARKET STEADY.**

Russet Norkotah/Other Varieties U.S. One

baled 5 10-lb film bags

sz A 8.00-8.50 mostly 8.50

baled 10 5-lb film bags

sz A 8.50-9.50 mostly 9.50

50 lb cartons

40s 11.00-12.50 mostly 12.00 occas lower

50s 11.00-13.00 mostly 12.50-13.00 occas higher

60s 12.00-13.00 mostly 12.50-13.00 occas higher

70s 12.00-13.00 mostly 12.50-13.00 occas higher

80s 12.00-13.00 mostly 12.50-13.00 occas higher

90s 12.00-13.00 mostly 12.50-13.00 occas higher

100s 12.00-13.00 mostly 12.50-13.00 occas higher

U.S. Two

baled 5 10-lb film bags 6.50-7.00 mostly 7.00

50 lb sacks

10 oz min 7.00-9.00 mostly 7.00

U.S. Coml bulk

per cwt 9.50-11.00 mostly 10.00

Round Red U.S. One

baled 10 5-lb film bags

sz A 12.50-13.00 mostly 13.00

Yellow Type U.S. One

baled 10 5-lb film bags

sz A 11.00-13.00 mostly 13.00

---CANADA (NEW BRUNSWICK) CROSSINGS THROUGH MAINE POINTS (Benton Harbor)

DEMAND LIGHT. **MARKET STEADY.** Offerings fairly light.

Russet Norkotah/Other Varieties U.S. No. 1 or Canada No. 1

baled 5 10-lb sacks

2" or 4 oz min 11.00-11.50

baled 10 5-lb sacks

2" or 4 oz min 12.00-12.50

---MICHIGAN (Benton Harbor)

DEMAND FAIRLY LIGHT. **MARKET STEADY.**

Russet Norkotah U.S. One

baled 5 10-lb sacks

sz A 10.00-12.75 occasional lower

baled 10 5-lb sacks

sz A 11.00-13.25 occasional higher and lower

---AROOSTOOK COUNTY, MAINE (Benton Harbor)

Season DEMAND FAIRLY LIGHT. **MARKET STEADY.**

Russet Norkotah/Other Varieties U.S. One

baled 5 10-lb sacks

2" or 4 oz min 8.00-9.50

baled 10 5-lb sacks

2" or 4 oz min 9.00-10.50 mostly 9.50-10.00 occasional lower

tote bags approx 2000 lbs per cwt

2" or 4 oz min 14.00-15.00

Round White U.S. One

baled 10 5-lb sacks

2" min 9.00-11.00 mostly 9.50-10.50

POTATOES - SHIPMENTS & IMPORTS - 1,000 CWT											
Areas currently shipping - Preliminary									TTD		FINAL
March		Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	THIS	LAST	LAST
		12	13	14	15	16	17	18	SSN	SSN	SSN
Idaho-2018	TR	122	162	84	150	0	0	137	19375	18206	32197
	TR-EXPT	2	1	4	6	0	0	4	408	68	267
	RL & PB	17	18	27	25	1	0	6	2525	2281	3871
	Organic TR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	15	23
	Total	141	181	115	181	1	0	147	22336	20570	36358
California											
Northern California	TR	W/E 3/16: 4							140	181	366
	TR-EXPT	W/E 3/16: 1							6	7	31
Organic	TR	W/E 3/16: 7							148	154	233
Kern	TR	W/E 3/16: 50							423	489	2620
Colorado	TR	57	50	31	61	15	0	41	6,553	6,218	10,376
San Luis Valley	TR-EXPT	W/E 3/16: 19							709	749	1,191
	RL & PB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	212	468	585
Organic	TR	4	2	4	3	0	0	4	429	426	592
Northern Colorado	TR	W/E 3/16: 2							651	527	527
Florida	TR	26	20	20	27	15	0	27	693	544	2,436
	TR-EXPT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	21	57
Maine	TR	11	4	13	11	10	0	7	1,352	1,299	1,773
Michigan	TR	8	7	5	5	24	3	9	1,483	1,675	2,447
Minnesota											
Big Lake & Central 2018	TR	W/E 3/16: 1							1,627	1,740	1,775
Red River Valley	TR	3	2	1	3	0	0	1	344	282	456
Nebraska	TR	6	5	0	13	7	0	11	1,820	2,445	3,333
New Mexico	TR	W/E 2/23: 5							102	59	65
North Dakota											
Red River Valley	TR	19	20	3	15	9	0	16	2,045	2,155	3,290
	RL & PB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	359	354	369
Oregon											
Klamath Basin	TR	W/E 3/16: 14							371	448	673
Organic	TR	W/E 3/09: 1							60	243	270
Umatilla Basin 2018	TR	1	3	2	2	0	0	4	595	739	1,131
	TR-EXPT	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	220	260	341
	RL & PB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	28	48
Texas											
Hereford Hi-Plains	TR	W/E 03/16: 72							2834	2490	2740
Washington											
Columbia Basin 2018	TR	13	16	9	15	2	0	17	3,554	4,206	5,711
	TR-EXPT	3	3	6	6	1	0	5	1,272	1,274	1,942
	RL & PB	0	0	3	0	2	2	1	256	188	304
Organic	TR	0	3	0	1	0	0	1	358	494	494
Wisconsin 2018	TR	15	14	12	14	1	0	17	4,047	5,276	6,917
Organic	TR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	42	42
Canada-Commerce	2018 Crop July-June (as of Nov 2018)								2,007	2,071	6,210
TOTAL		308	331	224	359	87	5	308	55056	56051	89493
NOTE: Total for Saturday, March 16 including current week ending numbers is 284 .											

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SALES F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT AND DELIVERED SALES SHIPPING POINT BASIS**---IDAHO AND MALHEUR COUNTY, OREGON**

(Idaho Falls) DEMAND RED GOOD, YELLOW MODERATE. **MARKET ABOUT STEADY.**

Yellow Spanish Hybrid U.S. One

50 lb sacks

Super col 14.00-17.00 mostly 15.00-16.00

col 14.00-16.50 mostly 14.00-16.00

jbo 13.00-16.00 mostly 14.00-15.00

med 14.00-16.00 mostly 15.00

Red Globe Type U.S. One

25 lb sacks

jbo 13.00-15.00 mostly 14.00 occas higher

med 13.00-15.00 mostly 14.00 occas higher

---COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON & UMATILLA BASIN, OREGON (Idaho Falls)
DEMAND RED GOOD, YELLOW MODERATE.

MARKET YELLOW HIGHER, RED STEADY.

Yellow Hybrid

50 lb sacks

col 15.00-16.00 mostly 15.00

jbo 14.00-15.00 mostly 14.00

med 15.00-16.00 mostly 15.00

Red Globe Type

25 lb sacks

jbo 11.00-13.00 mostly 11.00-12.00 occas lower

med 11.00-13.00 mostly 11.00-12.00 occas lower

---PERU IMPORTS – REPACKED AT VARIOUS EAST COAST SHIPPING POINTS (Idaho Falls)

DEMAND MODERATE. **MARKET STEADY.**

Yellow Granex - Marked Sweet

40 lb cartons

jbo 18.00-22.00 mostly 20.00

---MEXICO CROSSINGS TROUGH SOUTH TEXAS (Idaho Falls) SUPPLY WHITES VERY LIGHT. DEMAND YELLOWS MODERATE, OTHERS GOOD. **MARKET YELLOW CARTON JUMBO HIGHER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY.**

Yellow**Grano**

50 lb sacks

col 20.00-22.00 mostly 21.00

jbo 19.00-21.00 mostly 20.00 occas lower

med 18.00-21.00 mostly 18.00 occas lower

Grano - Marked Sweet

40 lb cartons

jbo 18.00-24.00 mostly 20.00

White

50 lb sacks

jbo 50.00-55.00 mostly 50.00

med 45.00-50.00 mostly 48.00-50.00

Red Globe Type

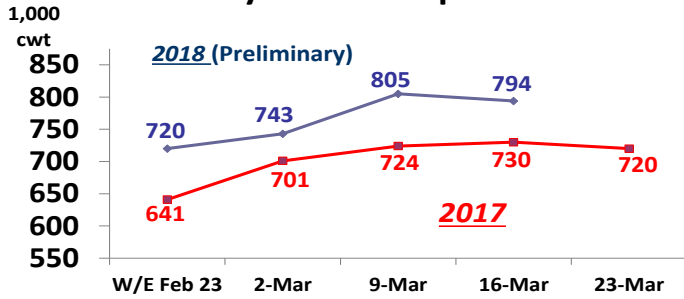
25 lb sacks

jbo 12.00-14.00

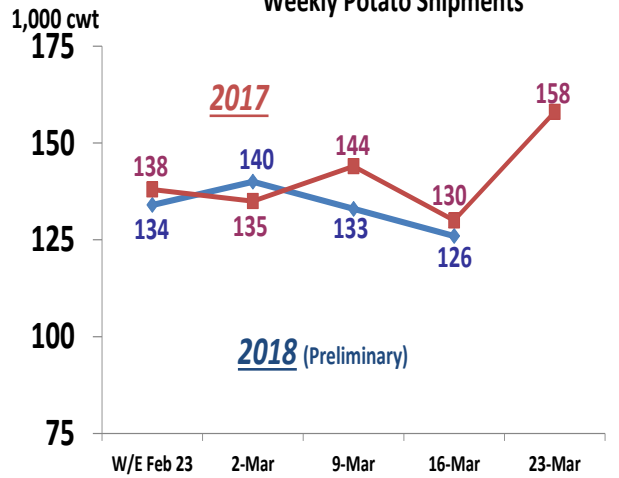
med 12.00-14.00

ONIONS - SHIPMENTS & IMPORTS - 400 CWT											
Area Currently Shipping - Preliminary									TID		FINAL
March	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	THIS	LAST	LAST	
	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	SSN	SSN	SSN	
Idaho & Malheur	TR	171	214	177	179	0	0	186	23,106	16,705	18,990
	TR-EXPT	1	3	2	5	0	0	7	693	413	490
County, Oregon	RL & PB	18	0	12	3	3	0	3	2,832	1,727	1,839
Total ID/OR		190	217	191	187	3	0	196	26631	18845	21319
California											
Southern California	TR	W/E 3/16: 16							612	876	979
Central California Coast	TR	W/E 3/16: 21							779	0	0
New York	TR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,605	5,010	5,577
Oregon											
Umatilla Basin	TR	W/E 3/02: 143							4,364	4,834	6,128
	TR-EXPT	W/E 3/02: 32							933	808	1,087
	RL & PB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	19	19
Western Oregon	TR	W/E 02/02: 17							680	685	685
	TR-EXPT	W/E 01/26: 4							249	104	104
Utah	TR	W/E 3/16: 8							2,003	1,928	1,928
Washington	TR	127	110	114	144	51	0	157	19,608	17,932	22,168
Columbia Basin 2018 CROP	TR-EXPT	19	24	21	33	3	0	24	6,323	4,770	5,690
	RL & PB	21	38	30	26	34	0	0	3,999	3,534	4,293
Organic	TR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	11	13
Total Columbia Basin		167	172	165	203	88	0	181	29954	26247	32164
Wisconsin	TR	W/E 3/16: 26							867	872	1023
IMPORTS-ALL PORTS											
Canada-Commerce	TR	2018 Crop July-June (as of Nov 2018)							1,792	1,900	3,404
Mexico											
Crossings thru Calexico, CA	TR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	7	362
Crossings thru El Paso, TX	TR	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	19	68
Crossings thru Otay Mesa, TX	TR	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	16	48	203
Crossings thru Pharr, TX	TR	11	9	14	13	20	2	0	267	622	1,801
Crossings thru Progresso, TX	TR	56	57	78	85	59	0	0	1,322	2,475	5,797
Crossing thru Rio Grande City, TX	TR	2	0	9	0	0	1	0	143	469	738
Crossing thru Roma, TX	TR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0
Total Mexico Crossings		71	67	102	98	79	3	0	1,758	3,640	8,969
Peru	TR	17	14	13	18	7	4	1	5686	5534	5783
U.S. TOTAL		445	470	471	506	177	7	378	76,275	68,530	84,742
ONIONS PROCESSED											
US - EAST	TR	W/E 3/09: 10							96	96	962
US - WEST	TR	W/E 3/09: 242							2,875	2,736	15,953
NOTE: Total for Saturday, March 16 including current week ending numbers is 256.											

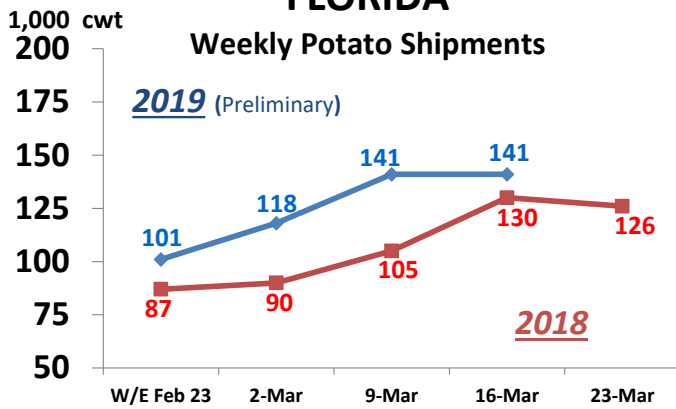
IDAHO Weekly Potato Shipments



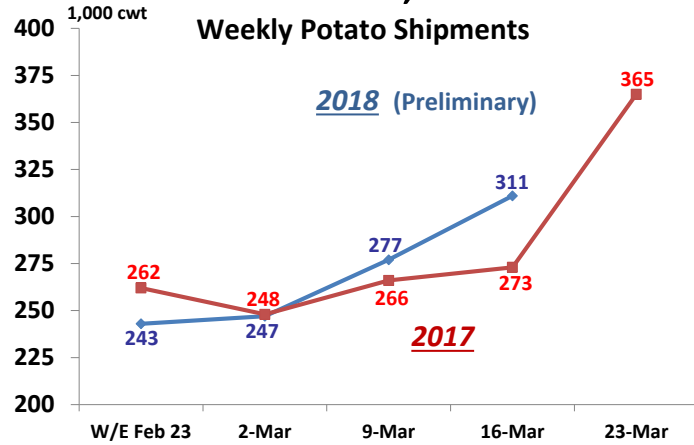
COLUMBIA BASIN, WA & UMATILLA BASIN, OR Weekly Potato Shipments



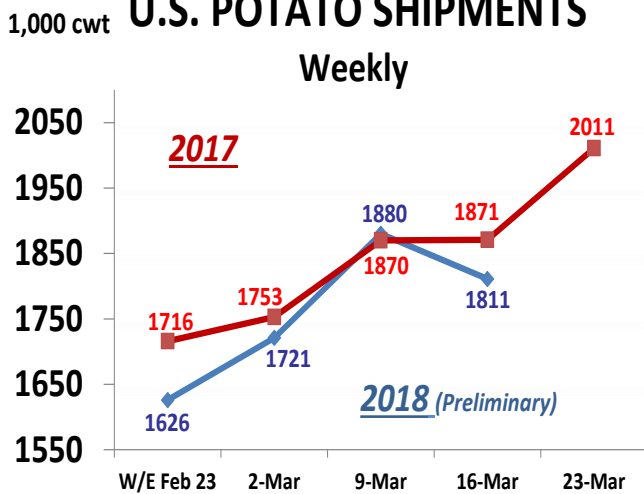
FLORIDA Weekly Potato Shipments



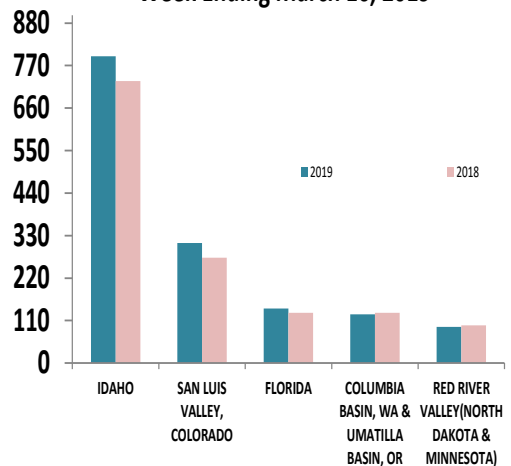
SAN LUIS VALLEY, COLORADO Weekly Potato Shipments



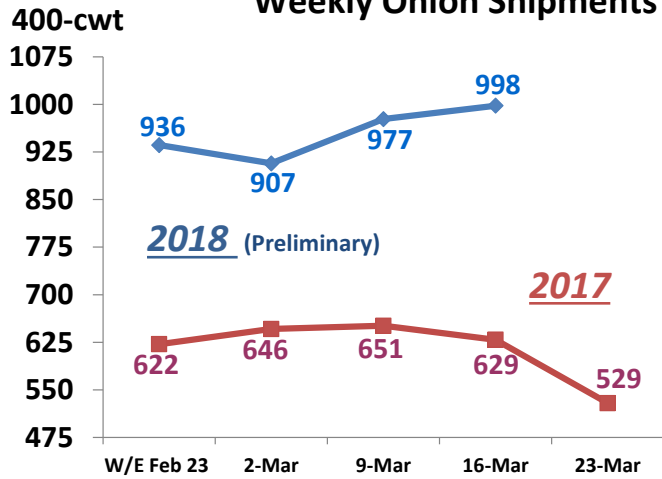
U.S. POTATO SHIPMENTS Weekly



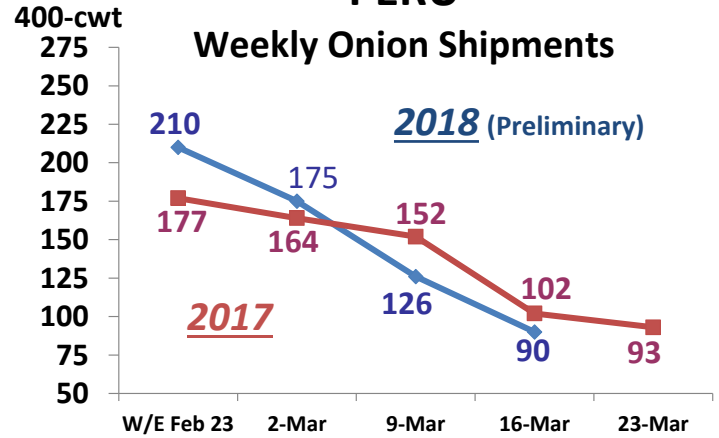
TOP 5 POTATO SHIPPING AREAS Week Ending March 16, 2019



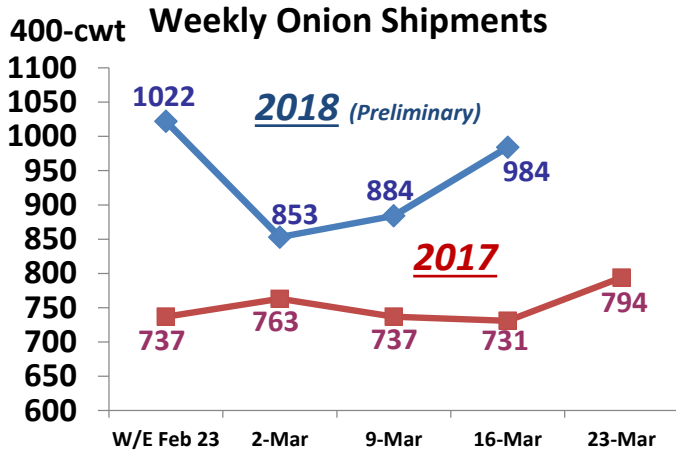
IDAHO & MALHEUR COUNTY, OR Weekly Onion Shipments



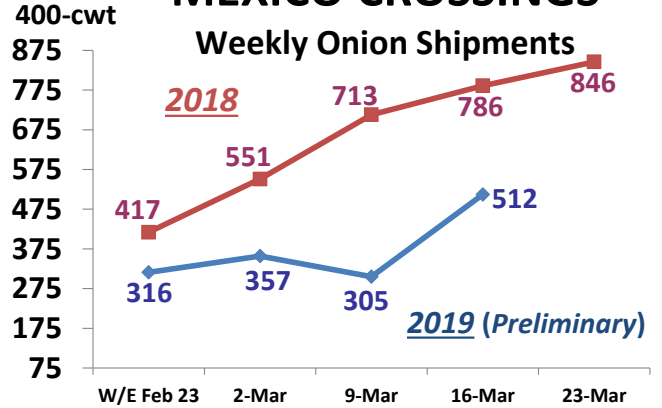
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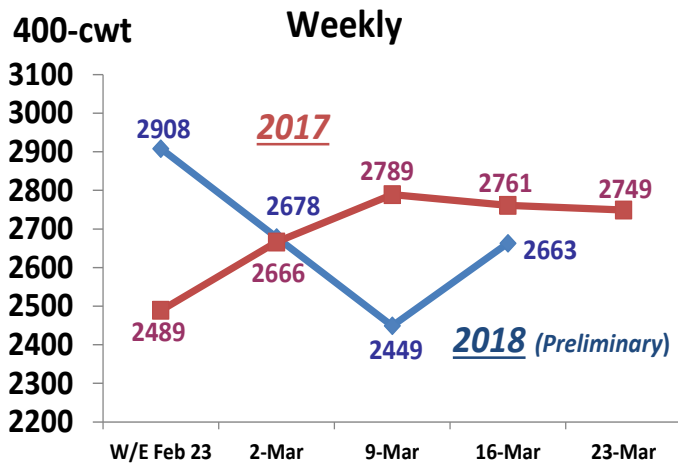
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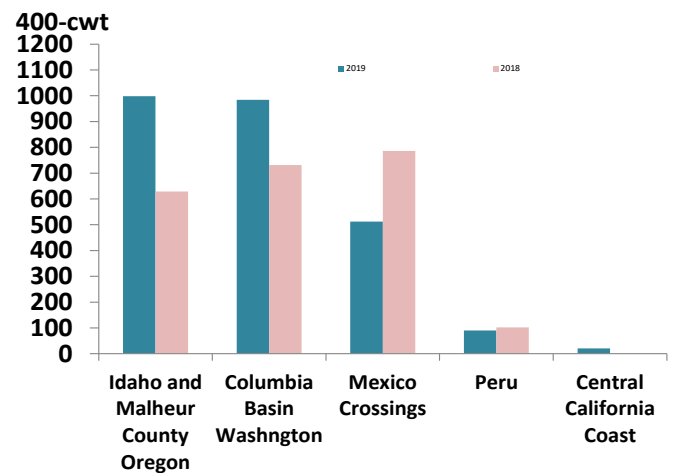
MEXICO CROSSINGS



U.S. ONION SHIPMENTS



TOP 5 ONION SHIPPING AREAS Week Ending March 16, 2019



NATIONAL POTATO AND ONION SHIPPING POINT TRENDS

Unless otherwise stated, shipments, crossings or imports are for the weeks ending March 02, 09, and 16, 2019 in that order in thousand hundredweight (cwt) or 100,000 pound units. Expected movement is for the period March 17-30, 2019. Prices are for Monday, March 18, 2019 compared to Monday, March 11, 2019. Unless otherwise stated, sales are F.O.B. Shipping Point Basis (including Delivered Sales, F.O.B. Shipping Point Basis) or port of entry and extra services are included. Prices represent open (spot) market sales by first handlers on product of generally good quality and condition unless otherwise stated and may include promotional allowances or other incentives. No consideration is given to after-sale adjustments unless otherwise stated. Brokerage fees paid by shipper are included in the price reported.

POTATOES

UNITED STATES Shipments 1,728*-1,877*-1,813 --- The top shipping states, in order, were Idaho, Colorado, Florida, Columbia Basin Washington, and Red River Valley (North Dakota & Minnesota). The Market News Service survey of over 30,000 retail stores had 29,357 ads for potatoes last week, which is a 34 percent increase from last weeks ads of 21,812. (* revised)

UPPER VALLEY, TWIN FALLS-BURLEY DISTRICT IDAHO Shipments 744-805-794 (Includes exports 28-42-19)--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading bales slow, others fairly active. Prices Burbank carton 40-80s and Norkotah carton 50s higher, Burbank 100s and Norkotah 40s lower, others generally unchanged. Russet Burbank U.S. One baled 10-5 pound film bags non size A 4.50-5.50; 50-pound cartons 40-50s mostly 14.00, 60-70s mostly 15.00, 80s mostly 13.50-14.00, 90s mostly 10.50- 11.00, 100s 8.00-9.00; Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 10-5 pound film bags non size A 4.50-5.50; 50-pound cartons 40s mostly 12.00-13.00, 50s mostly 13.00, 60-70s mostly 13.50, 80s mostly 13.00, 90s 9.00, 100s 8.00-9.00.

SAN LUIS VALLEY, COLORADO Shipments 247-277-313 (Includes exports 19-19-19)--- Movement expected to be about the same. Trading Moderate. Prices Generally Unchanged. U.S. One baled 5 10-lb film bags sz A mostly 8.50; 50 lb cartons 40s mostly 12.00, 50-100s 12.50 -13.00; U.S. Two baled 5 10-lb film bags mostly 7.00, 50 lb sacks 10 oz min mostly 7.00; U.S. Coml bulk per cwt mostly 10.00; Round Red U.S. One baled 10 5-lb film bags sz A mostly 13.00; Yellow Type U.S. One baled 10 5-lb film bags sz A mostly 13.00.

FLORIDA Shipments 118-142-140 --- Movement expected to remain about the same Trading Round White and Yellow Type active, Round red moderate. Prices Yellow Type and Round Red Size B slightly higher, others generally unchanged. Round Red U.S. One 50 pound cartons size A mostly 14.50-15.50, size B mostly 22.00-22.50, Creamers 3/4-1 5/8" mostly 35.00-35.50; 50 pound sacks size A mostly 12.75-13.75, size B mostly 20.25-20.75. Round White U.S. One 50 pound cartons size A 22.50-24.50, size B mostly 14.00-14.50, Creamers 3/4-1 5/8" mostly 45.75-50.75; 50 pound sacks size A 20.75-22.75, size B mostly 12.50-12.75. Yellow Type U.S. One 50 pound cartons size A mostly 24.50-25.75, size B mostly 14.00-15.00, Creamers 3/4-1 5/8" mostly 45.75-50.75; 50 pound sacks size A mostly 22.75-24.00, size B mostly 12.50-13.25.

COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON AND UMATILLA BASIN OREGON Shipments 140-131-128 (Includes exports 39-35-30)--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading Carton 40-80s Active, others moderate Prices Carton 50-70s and 90s higher, others generally unchanged. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 5 10-pound film bags non size A 5.00-5.50, 50-pound carton 40s mostly 12.00- 13.00, 50-70s mostly 14.00, 80s mostly 12.00-13.00, 90s 10.50-11.00, 100s mostly 10.00.

MINNESOTA-NORTH DAKOTA (RED RIVER VALLEY) Shipments 97-124-94 --- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading Moderate. Prices Carton and baled slightly lower, others generally unchanged. Round Red U.S. One 50-pound carton size A 11.00-11.50, Tote bags approx. 2000 pounds per cwt size A mostly 16.00-17.00, baled 10-5 pound film bags size A 11.00-11.50.

CENTRAL WISCONSIN Shipments 76-77-72 --- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading Russet cartons 40s-80s active, others moderate. Prices Generally Unchanged. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 10 5-pound film bags size A mostly 10.00-10.50, 50 pound cartons 40s-70s mostly 15.00-16.00, 80s mostly 14.00-15.00, 90s mostly 11.50-12.00, 100s mostly 11.50-12.00.

HEREFORD-HIGH PLAINS TEXAS Shipments 77*-71*-72 --- Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. (* revised)

MICHIGAN Shipments 60-58-57 --- Movement expected about the same. Trading Fairly Slow. Prices Unchanged. U.S. One Russet Norkotah size A baled 5 10-pound sacks 10.00-12.75, baled 10 5-pound sacks 11.00-13.75.

KERN DISTRICT CALIFORNIA Shipments 40-51-50 --- Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

AROOSTOOK COUNTY MAINE Shipments 48-69*-42 --- Movement expected about the same. Trading Fairly Slow. Prices Unchanged. U.S. One Russet Norkotah/Other Varieties 2 inch or 4 ounce minimum baled 10 5-pound sacks mostly 9.50-10.00, Round White 2 inch minimum baled 10 5-pound sacks mostly 9.50-10.50. (* revised)

NEBRASKA Shipments 40-39-39 --- Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

KLAMATH BASIN OREGON AND NORTHERN CALIFORNIA DISTRICT Shipments 28-30*-14 --- Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. (* revised)

NORTHERN COLORADO DISTRICT Shipments 2-2-2 --- Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

BIG LAKE MINNESOTA Shipments 3-2-1 --- Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

CANADA (NEW BRUNSWICK) CROSSINGS THROUGH MAINE POINTS Crossings -- --- Shipments light. Movement expected about the same. Trading Slow. Prices Unchanged. Canada No. 1 or U.S. 1 Russet Norkotah/Other Varieties 2 inch or 4 ounce minimum baled 10 5-pound sacks 12.00-12.50, 5 10-pound sacks 11.00-11.50.

POTATOES FOR PROCESSING

MICHIGAN Shipments 242*-238*-242 --- Movement expected about the same. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few new sales to establish a market. (* revised)

WISCONSIN Shipments 97-83-108 --- Movement expected to remain about the same. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

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NORTH DAKOTA (RED RIVER VALLEY) Shipments 87-83-104 --- Movement expected to remain about the same. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

AROOSTOOK COUNTY MAINE Shipments 59-48-62 --- Movement expected about the same. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

WESTERN AND CENTRAL NEW YORK Shipments 40-41*-45 --- Movement expected to decrease slightly. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market. (* revised)

PENNSYLVANIA Shipments 14-7-1 --- Movement expected to continue seasonal decline as most growers have finished for the season. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few new sales to establish a market. **LAST REPORT.**

ONIONS, DRY

UNITED STATES Shipments 1,070*-979*-953 --- The top shipping areas for the week, in order, were Idaho and Malheur County Oregon, Columbia Basin Washington, Mexico, Peru, and Wisconsin. The Market News Service survey of over 30,000 retail stores had 20,771 ads for onions last week, which is a 68 percent increase from last weeks ads of 12,352. (* revised)

IDAHO AND MALHEUR COUNTY OREGON Shipments 363-391-400 (Includes exports 13-8-8)--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading Active. Prices Higher. Yellow Spanish Hybrid U.S. One 50-pound sacks super colossal mostly 15.00-16.00, colossal mostly 14.00-16.00, jumbo mostly 14.00-15.00, medium mostly 15.00; Red Globe Type U.S. One 25-pound sacks jumbo mostly 14.00, medium mostly 14.00.

COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON AND UMATILLA BASIN OREGON Shipments 341-354-393 (Includes exports 61-48-55)--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading Active. Prices Higher. Prices Yellow Hybrid 50-pound sacks colossal 14.00-15.00, jumbo mostly 12.00-13.00, medium 14.00-15.00; Red Globe Type 25-pound sacks jumbo mostly 11.00-12.00, medium mostly 11.00-12.00.

MEXICO CROSSINGS THROUGH SOUTH TEXAS Crossings 142-122-93 --- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading Active. Prices Generally Unchanged. Yellow Grano 50 lb sacks colossal mostly 21.00, jumbo mostly 20.00, medium mostly 18.00; Grano - Marked Sweet 40 lb cartons jumbo mostly 18.00-20.00; White 50 lb sacks jumbo mostly 50.00, medium mostly 48.00-50.00; Red Globe Type 25 lb sacks jumbo 12.00-14.00, medium 12.00-14.00

PERU IMPORTS - REPACKED AT VARIOUS EAST COAST SHIPPING POINTS Shipments 70-51-36 --- Movement expected decrease seasonally. Trading Moderate. Prices Generally Unchanged. Yellow Granex Marked Sweet 40-pound cartons jumbo mostly 20.00.

CENTRAL WISCONSIN Shipments 14-11-10 --- Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

CENTRAL COAST CALIFORNIA Shipments 10-8*-8 --- Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. (* revised)

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA DISTRICT Shipments 8-6-6 --- Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

UTAH Shipments 21-10-3 --- Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. **LAST REPORT.**

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WESTERN UNITED STATES Shipments 114-121-96 --- Movement expected to remain about the same. No prices reported.

EASTERN UNITED STATES Shipments 4-4-4 --- Movement expected to remain about the same. No prices reported

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