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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 BALES MODERATE, OTHERS FAIRLY GOOD.

MARKET STEADY.

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

baled 5 10-lb mesh sacks

non sz A 6.50-7.00 occas lower

baled 5 10-lb film bags

non sz A 6.00-7.25 occas lower

baled 10 5-lb mesh sacks

non sz A 7.50-8.00 occas lower

baled 10 5-lb film bags

non sz A 7.00-7.50 occas lower

50 lb cartons

40s 8.50-9.00 mostly 8.50

50s 8.50-9.00 mostly 8.50

60s 9.00

70s 9.00-10.00 mostly 9.00

80s 8.50-10.00 mostly 8.50-9.00

90s 8.50-9.00 mostly 8.50

100s 8.00-8.50 mostly 8.50

U.S. Two 50 lb sacks

6 oz min 5.50-6.50 mostly 6.00

10 oz min 7.00-7.50 **Norkotah** U.S. One 2" or 4-oz Min

baled 5 10-lb mesh sacks

non sz A 6.50-7.00 occas lower

baled 5 10-lb film bags

non sz A 6.00-6.50 occas lower

baled 10 5-lb mesh sacks

non sz A 7.50-8.00 occas lower

baled 10 5-lb film bags

non sz A 7.00-7.50 occas lower

50 lb cartons

40s 6.00-7.00 mostly 7.00

50s 6.50-7.00 mostly 7.00

60s 8.00-8.50

70s 8.00-8.50

80s 8.00-8.50

90s 8.00-8.50

100s 8.00-8.50 occas lower

U.S. Two 50 lb sacks

6 oz min 5.50-6.00 mostly 6.00

10 oz min 6.00-7.00 mostly 6.00-6.50

---CENTRAL WISCONSIN (Idaho Falls)

DEMAND FAIRLY LIGHT. **MARKET STEADY.**

Russet Norkotah U.S. One

baled 5 10-lb film bags

sz A 7.50-9.00 mostly 8.00-9.00

baled 10 5-lb film bags

sz A 8.50-10.00 mostly 9.00-10.00

50 lb cartons

40s 12.00-14.00 mostly 12.00-13.00

50s 12.00-14.00 mostly 12.00-13.00

60s 12.00-14.00 mostly 12.00-13.00

70s 12.00-14.00 mostly 12.00-13.00

80s 11.00-13.00 mostly 11.00-12.00

90s 10.00-12.00 mostly 10.00-10.50

100s 9.50-11.00 mostly 10.00-10.50

Round Red U.S. One

baled 10 5-lb film bags

sz A 9.00-13.00 mostly 12.00-13.00

50 lb cartons

sz A 9.00-13.00 mostly 12.00-13.00

sz B 13.00-18.00 mostly 16.00-18.00

50 lb sacks

sz A 8.00-12.00 mostly 11.00-12.00

sz B 12.00-17.00 mostly 15.00-17.00

Yellow Type U.S. One

baled 10 5-lb film bags

sz A 11.00-15.00 mostly 12.00-15.00

50 lb cartons

sz A 11.00-14.00 mostly 12.00-13.00 occas higher

50 lb sacks

sz A 10.00-13.00 mostly 11.00-12.00 occas higher

---COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON & UMATILLA BASIN, OREGON (Idaho Falls)

DEMAND MODERATE. **MARKET STEADY.**

Russet Norkotah U.S. One

baled 5 10-lb film bags

non sz A 5.00-6.00

baled 10 5-lb film bags

non sz A 6.00-7.00

50 lb cartons

40s 7.00-7.50 mostly 7.00 occas higher

50s 7.50-9.00 mostly 8.00-8.50 occas higher & lower

60s 7.50-9.00 mostly 8.00-8.50 occas higher & lower

70s 7.50-9.00 mostly 8.00-8.50 occas higher & lower

80s 8.00-9.00 mostly 8.00-8.50 occas higher

90s 8.00-8.50 mostly 8.00 occas higher

100s 7.00-9.00 mostly 7.50-8.00

U.S. Two 50 lb sacks

10 oz min 5.00-6.00 occas lower

---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 10.50-11.00 mostly 10.75-11.00

50 lb cartons

sz A 10.50-11.00 mostly 10.75-11.00

sz B 14.00-15.50 mostly 14.50

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

50 lb sacks

sz A 9.00-9.50 mostly 9.25-9.50

sz B 12.50-14.00 mostly 13.00

tote bags approx 2000 lbs per cwt

sz A 15.00-16.00 mostly 15.50-16.00

sz B 22.00-25.00 mostly 23.00 occas lower

U.S. Two 50 lb sacks

sz A 5.00-5.50 mostly 5.00 occas higher

sz B 7.00-9.00 mostly 8.00

Yellow Type U.S. One

baled 10 5-lb film bags

sz A 11.50-12.50 mostly 11.50

50 lb cartons

sz A 11.50-12.50 mostly 11.50

sz B 8.00-9.00 mostly 8.50-9.00

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

tote bags approx 2000 lbs per cwt

sz A 17.00-19.00 mostly 17.00-18.00

---NEBRASKA (Idaho Falls)DEMAND FAIRLY LIGHT. **MARKET STEADY.****Russet Norkotah U.S. One**

baled 5 10-lb film bags

sz A 8.50-9.00 mostly 8.50

baled 10 5-lb film bags

sz A 9.50-10.00 mostly 9.50

50 lb cartons

40s 9.00-10.00 mostly 10.00

50s 9.00-10.00 mostly 10.00

60s 9.00-10.00 mostly 10.00

70s 10.00-11.00 mostly 10.00

80s 10.00-11.00 mostly 10.00

90s 10.00-12.00 mostly 10.00

100s 10.00-12.00 mostly 10.00

---SAN LUIS VALLEY, COLORADO (Idaho Falls)DEMAND FAIRLY LIGHT. **MARKET CARTON 50s ABOUT STEADY, OTHERS 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 9.00-9.50 mostly 9.50

50 lb cartons

40s 8.00-10.00 mostly 9.50-10.00

50s 9.00-10.00 mostly 10.00 occas higher

60s 9.50-10.00 mostly 10.00 occas higher

70s 9.50-10.00 mostly 10.00 occas higher

80s 9.50-10.50 mostly 10.00 occas higher

90s 9.50-10.50 mostly 10.00 occas higher

100s 9.50-10.50 mostly 10.00 occas higher

U.S. Two

baled 5 10-lb film bags 6.00-7.00 mostly 7.00

50 lb sacks

10 oz min 9.00

U.S. Coml bulk

per cwt 9.50-10.00 mostly 10.00

Round Red U.S. One

baled 10 5-lb film bags

sz A 12.50-13.00 mostly 12.50

Yellow Type U.S. One

baled 10 5-lb film bags

sz A 12.50-13.00 mostly 13.00

---LONG ISLAND, NEW YORK (Idaho Falls)DEMAND LIGHT. **MARKET STEADY.****Round White U.S. One**

baled 10 5-lb sacks

sz A 9.50-11.00 mostly 10.00-11.00 occasional lower

50 lb sacks

sz A 8.00-9.00

lge 9.00-10.00 occasional lower

tote bags approx 2000 lbs per cwt

sz A 15.50-17.00 mostly 16.00-17.00

Yellow Type U.S. One

baled 10 5-lb sacks

sz A 12.00-12.50 occasional lower

---MICHIGAN (Benton Harbor)DEMAND FAIRLY LIGHT. **MARKET STEADY.****Russet Norkotah U.S. One**

baled 5 10-lb sacks

sz A 10.00-12.75 few including prior commitments low as 9.25

baled 10 5-lb sacks

sz A 11.00-13.75 few low as 10.25

---AROOSTOOK COUNTY, MAINE (Benton Harbor)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

Yellow Type U.S. One

baled 10 5-lb sacks

2" min 11.00-12.00 mostly 12.00 occasional higher

tote bags approx 2000 lbs per cwt

2" min 17.50-18.50

---CANADA (NEW BRUNSWICK) CROSSINGS THROUGH MAINE POINTS (Benton Harbor)DEMAND FAIRLY LIGHT. **MARKET STEADY.****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

POTATOES - SHIPMENTS & IMPORTS - 1,000 CWT											
Areas currently shipping - Preliminary									TID		FINAL
November		Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	THIS	LAST	LAST
		27	28	29	30	1	2	3	SSN	SSN	SSN
Idaho-2018	TR	142	124	113	114	0	0	159	9867	9142	32197
	TR-EXPT	4	5	1	1	0	0	3	112	25	267
	RL & PB	26	36	31	42	4	0	8	1195	939	3871
	Organic TR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	1	23
	Total	172	165	145	157	4	0	170	11181	10107	36358
California											
Northern California	TR	W/E 12/01: 8							67	77	366
Organic	TR	W/E 12/01: 5							44	56	233
Kern	TR	W/E 12/01: 21							2526	2369	2379
	TR-EXPT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41	159	159
	RL & PB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	282	295	295
Colorado	TR	50	39	33	39	3	0	53	3,079	3,128	10,376
San Luis Valley	TR-EXPT	W/E 12/01: 42							329	359	1,191
	RL & PB	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	75	181	585
Organic	TR	4	1	4	1	0	0	2	191	188	592
Northern Colorado	TR	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	577	457	527
Maine	TR	9	9	7	12	8	0	3	377	368	1,773
Michigan	TR	2	5	7	6	32	0	4	568	779	2,447
Minnesota											
Big Lake & Central 2018	TR	W/E 12/01: 13							1,525	1,591	1,775
	TR-EXPT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	15	15
Red River Valley	TR	1	2	3	4	2	0	1	158	111	456
Nebraska	TR	11	14	11	15	9	0	13	924	1,187	3,333
New Mexico	TR	W/E 10/13: 1							17	10	65
New York											
Eastern Long Island	TR	2	2	3	3	2	0	3	213	248	291
North Dakota											
Red River Valley	TR	14	12	21	17	8	0	14	809	946	3,290
	RL & PB	3	3	0	2	0	0	0	191	153	369
Oregon											
Klamath Basin	TR	W/E 12/01: 17							145	169	673
Organic	TR	W/E 12/01: 3							20	130	270
Umatilla Basin 2018	TR	4	2	3	2	1	0	3	354	492	1,131
	TR-EXPT	1	3	2	1	0	0	4	120	183	341
	RL & PB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	19	48
Texas											
Hereford Hi-Plains	TR	W/E 12/01: 46							1988	2009	2740
Washington											
Columbia Basin 2018	TR	14	13	9	15	1	0	20	2,474	2,987	5,711
	TR-EXPT	8	8	3	5	3	0	6	839	802	1,942
	RL & PB	4	2	4	2	2	3	1	141	110	304
Organic	TR	1	1	2	2	0	0	1	278	416	494
Wisconsin 2018	TR	23	24	25	27	2	0	31	2,409	3,082	6,917
Organic	TR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	33	42
Canada-Commerce	2018 Crop July-June (as of Sep 2018)								876	783	6,210
TOTAL		325	315	284	312	77	3	329	31980	33216	87488
NOTE: Total for Saturday, December 01 including current week ending numbers is 235 .											

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

(Idaho Falls)

DEMAND FAIRLY GOOD. **MARKET ABOUT STEADY.**

Yellow Spanish Hybrid U.S. One

50 lb sacks Super

col 5.50-6.50 mostly 6.00

col 5.00-6.00 mostly 5.00

jbo 4.50-5.00 occas lower

med 5.50-6.00 occas lower

White U.S. One

50 lb sacks

jbo 10.00-12.00 mostly 11.00

med 9.00-10.00

Red Globe Type U.S. One

25 lb sacks

jbo 7.00-8.00 mostly 7.00

med 6.00-7.00 mostly 6.00

---CENTRAL WISCONSIN (Idaho Falls)DEMAND MODERATE. **MARKET STEADY.****Yellow Globe Type**

master container 16 3-lb mesh sacks

med 12.00-13.50 mostly 12.00 occas lower

---COLUMBI BASIN, WASHINGTON & UMATILLA BASIN, OREGON (Idaho Falls)DEMAND FAIRLY GOOD. **MARKET STEADY.****Yellow Hybrid**

50 lb sacks

col 5.00-6.50 mostly 5.00-5.50

jbo 4.50-5.50 mostly 4.50-5.00 occas lower

med 5.50-6.00 mostly 5.50

White

50 lb sacks

jbo 10.00-12.00

med 9.00-10.00

Red Globe Type

25 lb sacks

jbo 5.00-7.00 mostly 5.50-6.00

med 4.50-6.00 mostly 5.00-5.50

---PERU OMPORT – REPACKED AT VARIOUS EAST COAST SHIPPING POINTS (Idaho Falls)DEMAND MODERATE. **MARKET STEADY.****Yellow Granex - Marked Sweet**

40 lb cartons

jbo 16.00-19.00 mostly 17.00-18.00

---MICHIGAN (Benton Harbor)DEMAND FAIRLY GOOD. **MARKET STEADY.**

Wide range in quality and size.

Yellow Globe Type

master container 16 3-lb mesh sacks

med 10.00-13.00 fair quality lower, occasional best 14.00

rpk sz 8.00-12.00 mostly 9.00-10.00 fair quality lower

Red Globe Type

25 lb sacks

jbo 10.00-11.00

med 7.50-8.25

---NEW YORK (Benton Harbor)DEMAND FAIRLY GOOD. **MARKET STEADY.**

Wide range in quality and size.

Yellow Globe Type

50 lb sacks

jbo 9.00-11.00 mostly 10.00-11.00 fair quality and condition lower

med 2 1/4" min 10.00-13.00 fair quality and condition lower

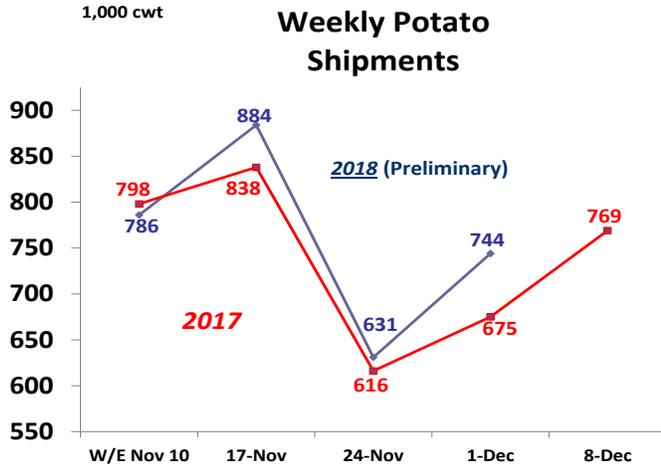
Red Globe Type

50 lb sacks

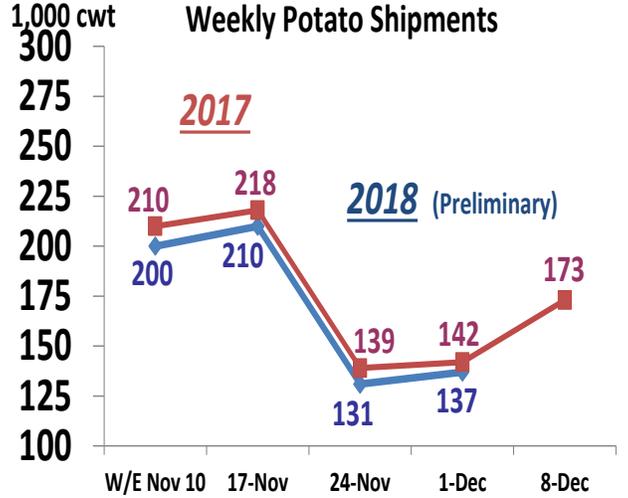
med 13.00-16.00 fair quality and condition lower

ONIONS - SHIPMENTS & IMPORTS - 400 CWT											
Area Currently Shipping - Preliminary									TID		FINAL
	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	THIS	LAST	LAST	
November - December	27	28	29	30	1	2	3	SSN	SSN	SSN	
Idaho & Malheur	TR	171	152	140	125	0	0	184	11,480	8,434	18,990
	TR-EXPT	7	3	5	4	0	0	2	326	155	490
County, Oregon	RL & PB	31	26	51	28	7	6	6	1,209	590	1,839
Total ID/OR		209	181	196	157	7	6	192	13015	9179	21319
California											
Southern California	TR	W/E 12/01: 19							328	596	979
	RL & PB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	37	0	6
Central California Coast	TR	W/E 12/01: 25							431	0	0
Colorado (North & East Poin	TR	W/E 12/01: 66							1055	1379	2532
Western Slope	TR	W/E 12/01: 55							457	765	1069
Michigan	TR	5	7	7	6	7	0	6	510	728	1,399
New York	TR	22	10	13	22	17	0	24	1,174	1,985	5,577
Oregon											
Umatilla Basin	TR	W/E 11/17: 79							2,379	2,748	6,128
	TR-EXPT	W/E 11/17: 21							546	531	1,087
	RL & PB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	9	19
Western Oregon	TR	W/E 11/17: 33							422	290	685
	TR-EXPT	W/E 11/17: 17							155	63	104
Utah	TR	W/E 12/01: 98							956	986	1,928
Washington	TR	91	92	89	115	30	0	143	10,042	9,914	22,168
Columbia Basin 2018 CROP	TR-EXPT	41	27	52	41	15	0	53	3,325	2,944	5,690
	RL & PB	26	26	26	33	43	0	0	2,079	1,644	4,293
Organic	TR	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	12	6	13
Total Columbia Basin		158	145	167	189	88	0	197	15458	14508	32164
Wisconsin	TR	W/E 12/01: 28							383	368	1023
IMPORTS-ALL PORTS											
Canada-Commerce	TR	2018 Crop July-June (as of Sep 2018)							959	862	3,404
Mexico											
Crossings thru Otay Mesa	TR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	203
Crossings thru Pharr, TX	TR	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	22	10	1,801
Crossing thru Rio Grande City, TX	TR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	9	738
Total Mexico Crossings		0	1	1	0	0	0	0	40	23	2,742
Peru	TR	27	35	21	31	24	5	35	2507	2482	5783
U.S. TOTAL		421	379	405	405	143	11	454	39,482	36,272	83,521
ONIONS PROCESSED											
US - EAST	TR	W/E 12/01: 10							924	975	1,013
US - WEST	TR	W/E 12/01: 276							14,962	14,229	15,363
NOTE: Total for Saturday, December 01 including current week ending numbers is 441											

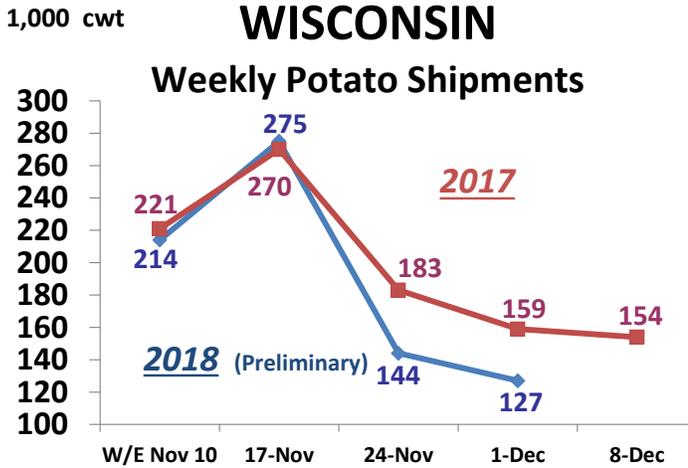
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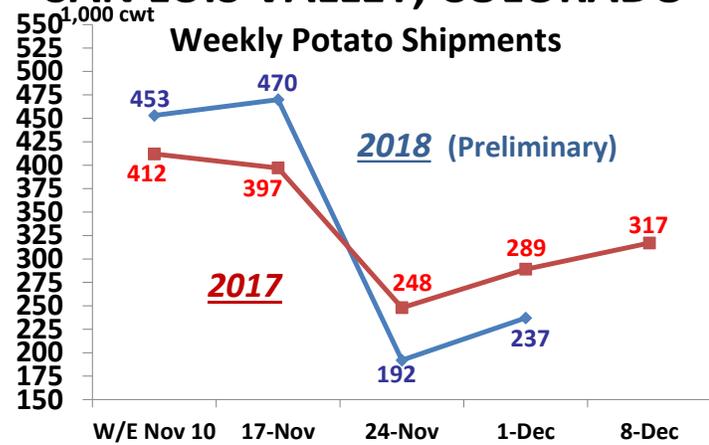
COLUMBIA BASIN, WA & UMATILLA BASIN, OR Weekly Potato Shipments



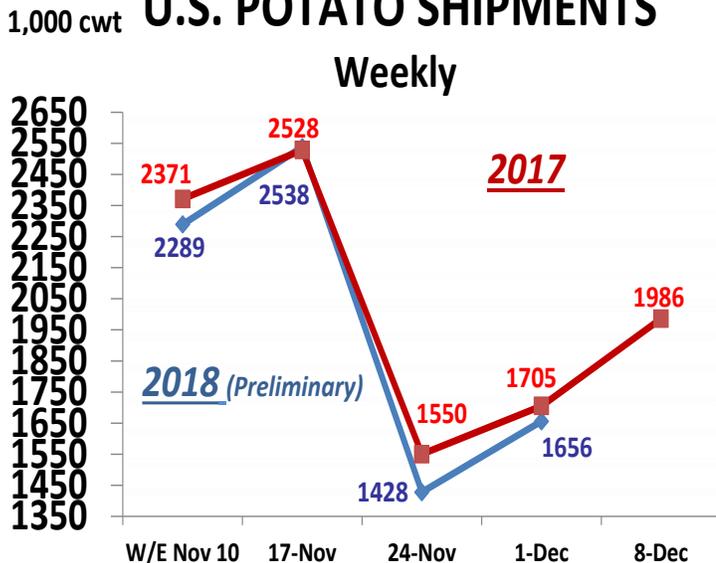
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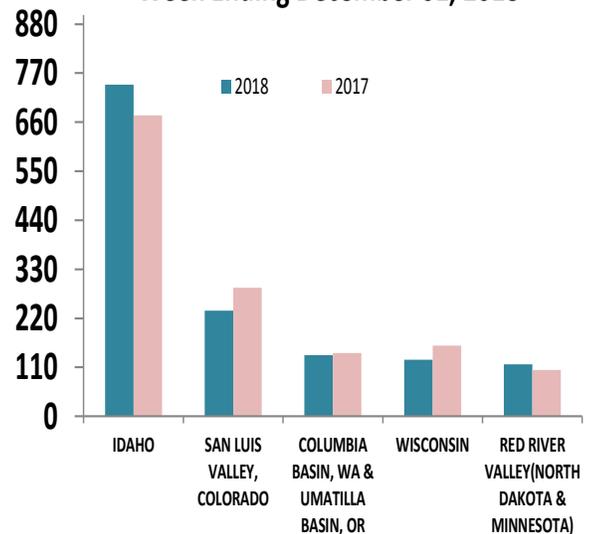
SAN LUIS VALLEY, COLORADO Weekly Potato Shipments



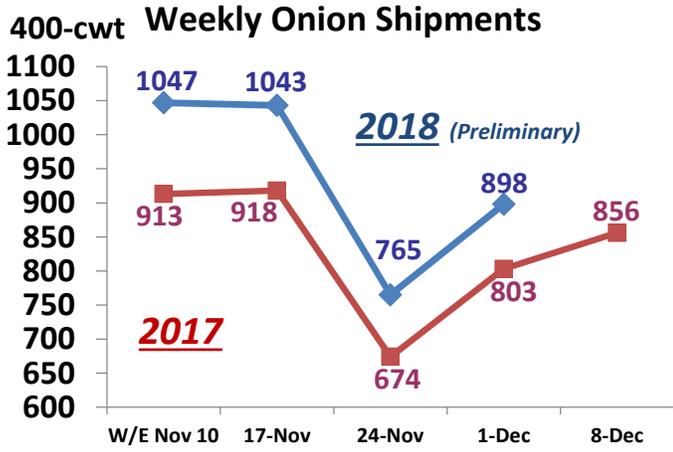
U.S. POTATO SHIPMENTS Weekly



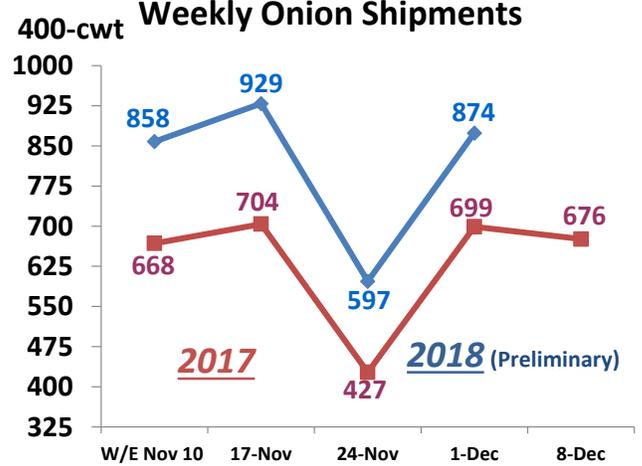
TOP 5 POTATO SHIPPING AREAS Week Ending December 01, 2018



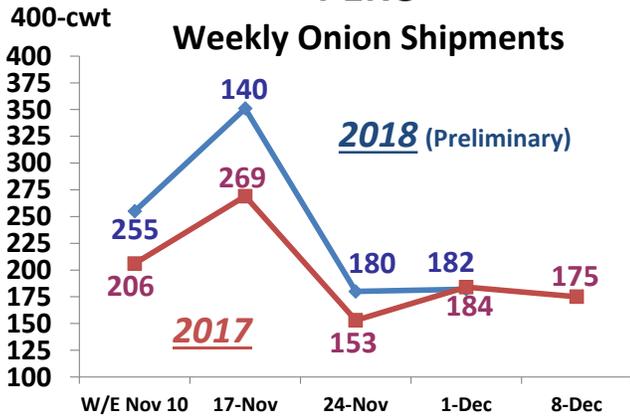
COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON



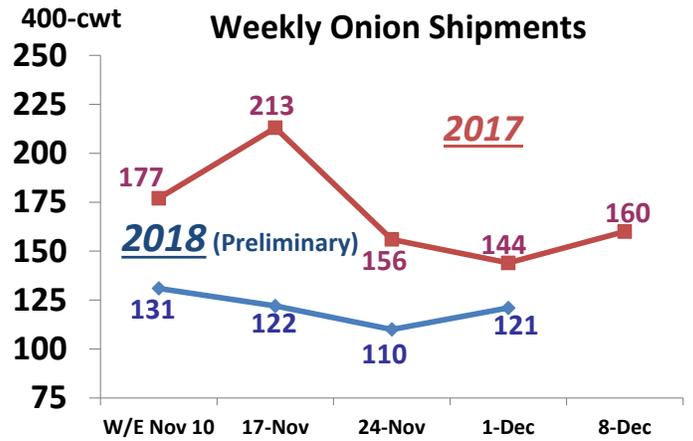
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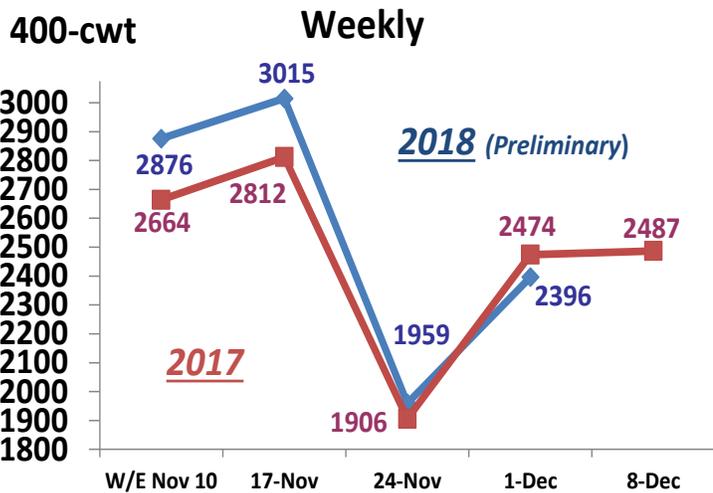
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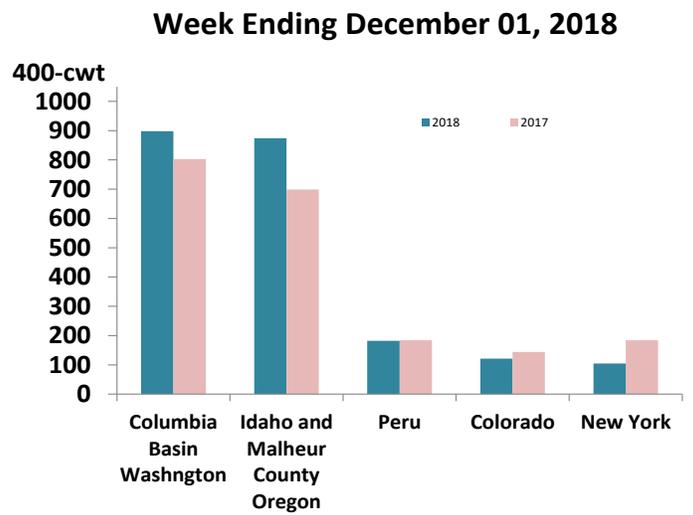
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U.S. ONION SHIPMENTS



TOP 5 ONION SHIPPING AREAS



NATIONAL POTATO AND ONION SHIPPING POINT TRENDS

Unless otherwise stated, shipments, crossings or imports are for the weeks ending November 18 and 25, and December 02, 2018 in that order in thousand hundredweight (cwt) or 100,000 pound units. Expected movement is for the period November 25-December 08, 2018. Prices are for Monday, December 03, 2018 compared to Monday, November 26, 2018. 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 (not including imports) 2539*-1431-1614---The top shipping states, in order, were Idaho, Colorado, Columbia Basin Washington, Wisconsin and Red River Valley (North Dakota & Minnesota). The Market News Service survey of over 30,000 retail stores had 15,762 ads for potatoes last week, which is a 33 percent decrease from last weeks ads of 23,480. *revised.

UPPER VALLEY, TWIN FALLS-BURLEY DISTRICT, IDAHO---Shipments 885-630-703(includes exports of 12-6-14)---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading carton fairly active, bales moderate. Prices Burbank carton 40-80s and Norkotah carton 40-70s higher, bales lower, others generally unchanged. Russet Burbank U.S. One baled 10-5pound film bags non size A 7.00-7.50; 50-pound cartons 40-50s mostly 8.50, 60s 9.00, 70s mostly 9.00, 80s mostly 8.50-9.00, 90-100s mostly 8.50; Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 10-5pound film bags non size A 7.00-7.50; 50-pound cartons 40-50s mostly 7.00, 60-100s 8.00-8.50.

SAN LUIS VALLEY, COLORADO---Shipments 469-190*-237 (including exports 36-24*-24)---Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Russet U.S One baled 10 5-pound film bags size A mostly 9.50, baled 5 10-pound film bags size A mostly 8.50, Round Red 10 5-pound film bags size A mostly 12.50, Yellow Type 10 5-pound film bags size A mostly 13.00, 50-pound cartons 40s mostly 9.50-10.00, 50s mostly 9.50-10.00, 60s mostly 9.50-10.00, 70s mostly 9.5-10.00, 80s mostly 10.00, 90s mostly 10.00, 100s mostly 10.00. U.S Commercial bulk per cwt mostly 10.00. *revised

COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON AND UMATILLA BASIN OREGON 2018---Shipments 209-135-137 (includes export of 30-27-40)---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 5 10-pound film bags non size A 5.00-6.00, 50-pound carton 40s mostly 7.00, 50s-80s mostly 8.00-8.50, 90s mostly 8.00, 100s mostly 7.50-8.00.

CENTRAL WISCONSIN---Shipments 275-144-128---Movement expected to increase due to the upcoming Christmas Holiday. Trading fairly slow. Prices generally unchanged. Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 10 5-pound film bags size A mostly 9.00-10.00, 50 pound cartons 40s-70s mostly 12.00-13.00, 80s mostly 11.00- 12.00, 90s mostly 10.00-10.50, 100s mostly 10.00-10.50. Round Red U.S. One 10 5-pound size A baled mostly 12.00-13.00, 50-pound cartons size A mostly 12.00-13.00, size B mostly 16.00-18.00, 50-pound sacks size A mostly 11.00- 12.00, size B mostly 15.00-17.00. Yellow Type U.S. One 10 5-pound size A baled mostly 12.00-15.00, 50-pound cartons size A mostly 12.00-13.00, 50- pound sacks size A mostly 11.00-12.00.

MINNESOTA-NORTH DAKOTA (RED RIVER VALLEY)---Shipments 139-80*-115--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Round Red U.S. One 50-pound carton size A mostly 10.75- 11.00, Tote bags approx. 2000 pounds per cwt size A mostly 15.50-16.00, baled 10-5 pound film bags size A mostly 10.75-11.00. *revised

NEBRASKA---Shipments 90-56-72---Movement expected to increase. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Russet U.S. One baled 10 5-pound film bags size A mostly 9.50, baled 5 10-pound film bags size A mostly 8.50, 50-pound cartons 40s mostly 10.00, 50s 9.00-10.00, 60s 9.00-10.00, 70s mostly 10.00, 80s mostly 10.00, 90s mostly 10.00, 100s mostly 10.00.

MICHIGAN---Shipments 99-52-56---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.

HEREFORD-HIGH PLAINS-EASTERN NEW MEXICO---Shipments 79-35-46---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

AROOSTOOK COUNTY, MAINE---Shipments 96-44*-34---Movement expected to increase slightly. 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, tote bags approximately 2000 pounds per cwt. 14.00-15.00, Round White 2 inch minimum baled 10 5-pound sacks mostly 9.50-10.50, Yellow Type 11.00-12.00. *revised.

KLAMATH BASIN (NORTHERN CALIFORNIA-OREGON)---Shipments 52*-21*-26--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. *revised.

KERN DISTRICT CALIFORNIA---Shipments 27-14*-21---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading moderate. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market. *revised.

LONG ISLAND NEW YORK---Shipments 19-8-15---Movement expected about the same. Trading slow. Prices unchanged. U.S. One size A Round White baled 10 5-pound sacks mostly 10.00-11.00, 50-pound sacks 8.00-9.00, large 9.00- 10.00.

BIG LAKE AND CENTRAL MINNESOTA DISTRICT---Shipments 21-12-13---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

NORTHERN COLORADO DISTRICT---Shipments 78-9-10---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

NEW BRUNSWICK (CROSSINGS THROUGH MAINE POINTS)---Shipments fairly light---Movement expected about the same. Trading fairly 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 to Chippers 294-215*-335---Movement expected about the same. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few new sales to establish a market. *revised.

WISCONSIN---Shipments to Chippers 222-262-229---Movement expected to remain about the same. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

AROOSTOOK COUNTY, MAINE---Shipments to Chippers 70-44*-72---Movement expected to increase slightly. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market. *revised. **MINNESOTA-NORTH DAKOTA (Red River Valley)**---Shipments to Chippers 49-53-61---Movement expected to remain about the same. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

WESTERN AND CENTRAL NEW YORK---Shipments to Chippers 55-49*-43--- Movement expected about the same. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market. *revised.

PENNSYLVANIA---Shipments to Chippers 28-10-21---Movement expected about the same. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

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UNITED STATES---Shipments (including imports) 1205*-783*-936---The top shipping areas for the week, in order, were Columbia Basin Washington, Idaho and Malheur County Oregon, Peru, Colorado, and New York. The Market News Service survey of over 30,000 retail stores had 14,253 ads for onions last week, which is a 5 percent increase from last week's ads of 13,521. *revised.

COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON AND UMATILLA BASIN OREGON ---Shipments 417-307-346 (includes exports of 71-77-88)---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Yellow Hybrid Type 50-pound sacks colossal mostly 5.00-5.50, jumbo mostly 4.50-5.00, medium mostly 5.50; White 50-pound sacks jumbo 10.00-12.00, medium 9.00- 10.00; Red Globe Type 25-pound sacks jumbo mostly 5.50-6.00, medium mostly 5.00-5.50.

IDAHO AND MALHEUR COUNTY OREGON---Shipments 372-239*-340---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Yellow Spanish Hybrid U.S. One 50-pound sacks super colossal mostly 6.00, colossal mostly 5.00, jumbo 4.50-5.00, medium 5.50-6.00; White 50-pound sacks jumbo mostly 11.00, medium 9.00-10.00; Red Globe Type U.S. One 25-pound sacks jumbo mostly 7.00, medium mostly 6.00. *revised. **PERU IMPORTS AT VARIOUS EAST COAST SHIPPING POINTS**---Shipments 140-72-73- --Movement expected remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Yellow Granex Marked Sweet 40-pound cartons jumbo mostly 17.00-18.00.

NEW YORK---Shipments 54-47-42---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly active. Prices unchanged. Mesh sacks Yellow Globe Type jumbo mostly 10.00-11.00, medium 2/4 inch minimum 10.00-13.00, Red Globe type 50-pound sacks medium 13.00-16.00. Quality and size variable.

UTAH DISTRICT---Shipments 45-25-39---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

NORTH AND EAST POINTS COLORADO---34-27-26---Movement expected to remain about the same. Unofficial prices for Monday, December 3, 2018 Yellow Hybrid 50-pound sacks colossal 10.00-11.00, jumbo 7.50-10.00, medium 8.50-10.00; White 50-pound sacks jumbo 15.00-18.00, medium 13.00-16.00; Red Globe Type 25-pound sacks jumbo 8.00-11.00, medium 7.50-10.00. *revised

WESTERN SLOPE COLORADO---Shipments 15-17-22---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

MICHIGAN---Shipments 23-13-14---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly active. Prices unchanged. Yellow Globe type master containers, mesh sacks 16 3-pound medium 10.00-13.00, repacker size mostly 9.00-10.00. Red Globe type 25 pound mesh sacks jumbo 10.00-11.00, medium 7.50-8.25. Quality and size variable.

CENTRAL WISCONSIN---Shipment 17-11-11---Movement expected to increase due to the upcoming Christmas Holiday. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Yellow Globe Type master container 16 3-lb mesh sacks med mostly 12.00.

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA COAST---Shipments 13-10-10---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA DISTRICT---Shipments 11-13-7---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

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WESTERN UNITED STATES---Shipments 115-115-***---Movement expected to remain about the same. No prices reported. **unavailable.

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

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