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## Overview

Potatoes are the fifth largest primary agriculture crop in Canada (after canola, wheat, soybean, and corn), contributing approximately \$2 billion in farm cash receipts in 2023. The value of potatoes and potato products exports rose 8% from 2022/2023 to reach over \$3.6 billion in 2023/2024<sup>1</sup>. In addition, potatoes are the largest vegetable crop grown in Canada, accounting for 29% of all vegetable receipts<sup>2</sup> and 17% of all horticultural<sup>3</sup> receipts.

Potatoes also make a significant contribution to provincial agricultural sectors; for example, in 2023, potatoes contributed over 55% of the total farm cash receipts in Prince Edward Island, and 22% of the total farm cash receipts in New Brunswick. Manitoba and Alberta also have sizable potato sectors with higher total potato farm cash receipts than both Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick; however, potato farm cash receipts represent only 4% and 2%, respectively, of the total farm cash receipts for Manitoba and Alberta.

In Canada, potatoes are generally planted in the spring and harvested throughout the late-summer and fall. Potatoes are produced for three uses: seed, table market, and processing (frying, chipping, dehydration and others) and the relative importance of each sector differs greatly by province. Each category is comprised of unique end-uses and markets.

In 2023, potato growers across Canada produced approximately 5.8 million metric tons of potatoes. Canadian potato production is truly national, with production distributed across the country from coast-to-coast. Production on an area basis is distributed as 35% in Atlantic Canada, 21% in Central Canada, and 44% in the Prairie Provinces and British Columbia. The main producing provinces by volume were Alberta (24%), Manitoba (23%), Prince Edward Island (20%), New Brunswick (12%), Quebec (10%), and Ontario (7%).

Approximately 68% of the total production in 2023 was destined for the processing sector, 21% for the fresh/table sector, and 11% for the seed sector. Most processing potatoes are used to produce French fries, chips, and other processed potato products. The main French fry processing provinces, by volume, are Alberta, Manitoba, New Brunswick, and Prince Edward Island, while Ontario has the largest potato chip sector. Processing plants are usually located close to where production occurs. These processors offer contracts to potato growers for production of the quantities and varieties required, in advance of the growing season. Most growers have state-of-the-art storage and are responsible for keeping good quality potatoes as required by the retailers and processors.

Approximately 150 seed potato varieties are registered in Canada for commercial production. Alberta (27%), Prince Edward Island (21%), Manitoba (16%), Quebec (12%), and New Brunswick (10%) were the largest seed potato producing provinces in 2023.

Canada is a net exporter of potato and potato products and the U.S. is by far the most important market for Canadian potatoes. In 2023/2024, Canada exported \$50 million of seed potatoes, \$493 million of fresh potatoes, \$2.7 billion worth of French fries and \$424 million of other processed potato exports to all countries.

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<sup>1</sup> The potato production year is associated with the calendar year in which the harvest is accomplished. However, the marketing year for potatoes is from the start of harvest (July-August) through August of the following year. Therefore, trade data are based on crop years that run from August 1<sup>st</sup> of one year to July 31<sup>st</sup> of the following year and are expressed as such (for example, 2022–2023). Data based on calendar years are expressed as a single year (for example, 2022). However, other countries' production and trade data referenced in this report is based on a calendar year or as a single year (for example, 2022).

<sup>2</sup> Vegetable receipts refer to market receipts or farm cash receipts, excluding program payments. They represent the income received from the sale of agricultural commodities.

<sup>3</sup> The horticulture sector consists of greenhouse vegetables, other vegetables, potatoes, tree fruits, small fruits, floriculture, nursery, sod, Christmas trees, maple products, honey and ginseng.

In 2023/2024, the U.S. market represented 96% (\$48 million) for seed, 93% (\$457 million) for fresh and 91% (\$2.4 billion) for French fry exports. During the same period, Canada imported a total value of \$456 million worth of potato and potato products from the U.S., accounting for 85% of total imports from all countries (\$534 million). Of that total imported value, \$440 million was in processed potatoes (\$126 million for frozen French fry and \$314 million for other processed potatoes). The remaining \$94 million was in fresh potatoes (\$80 million for table stock potatoes and \$14 million for seed potatoes).

Canada accounts for approximately 2% of global potato production. China is by far the leading producer of potatoes with 25% of world production, followed by India (15%) and Ukraine (6%).

Worldwide, Canada is among the top ten exporting countries for table stock and seed potatoes. In 2023, in terms of value, Canada ranked 4<sup>th</sup> in table potato exports, totalling \$580 million, and ranked 7<sup>th</sup> in exports of seed potatoes with a value of \$53 million.

Conversely, Canada ranked as the 13<sup>th</sup> largest importer of table potatoes in terms of value at \$112 million, and ranked 17<sup>st</sup> globally for seed potatoes with imports totaling \$13 million.

Belgium was the largest importer of table potatoes as well as the largest importer of seed potatoes in terms of value, while France was the largest exporter for table potatoes and Netherlands was the largest exporter of seed potatoes.

# 1. Production

## 1.1. Canadian potato production

### 1.1.1. Seeded area by province (hectares)

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2023 % Share
Newfoundland and Labrador	172	172	192	168	172	0.1%
Prince Edward Island	34,601	33,832	34,398	33,710	34,196	21.3%
Nova Scotia	583	486	486	324	324	0.2%
New Brunswick	21,408	19,643	21,448	21,125	21,373	13.3%
Quebec	17,607	18,585	18,711	18,361	18,924	11.8%
Ontario	13,770	14,771	15,509	15,046	15,257	9.5%
Manitoba	28,328	28,935	31,565	32,577	32,780	20.4%
Saskatchewan	2,711	2,833	2,954	2,873	2,954	1.8%
Alberta	24,781	24,150	27,701	29,574	32,415	20.2%
British Columbia	2,711	2,630	2,550	2,104	2,347	1.5%
<b>Canada<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>146,672</b>	<b>146,037</b>	<b>155,515</b>	<b>155,863</b>	<b>160,742</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Note:  
1. The sum of provinces may not add up to totals as a result of rounding.  
Source: Statistics Canada. Table 32-10-0358-01 Area, production and farm value of potatoes

### 1.1.2. Harvested area by province (hectares)

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2023 % Share
Newfoundland and Labrador	132	148	152	142	150	0.1%
Prince Edward Island	33,994	33,791	34,196	33,670	33,589	21.4%
Nova Scotia	567	486	465	324	316	0.2%
New Brunswick	21,367	19,607	21,044	20,882	20,443	13.1%
Quebec	17,469	18,044	18,525	18,142	18,440	11.8%
Ontario	13,568	14,488	15,096	15,014	15,135	9.7%
Manitoba	23,067	28,814	31,565	32,071	32,375	20.7%
Saskatchewan	2,509	2,550	2,752	2,630	2,914	1.9%
Alberta	23,006	23,446	27,438	28,864	30,934	19.7%
British Columbia	2,671	2,630	2,550	2,023	2,347	1.5%
<b>Canada<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>138,349</b>	<b>144,003</b>	<b>153,782</b>	<b>153,762</b>	<b>156,642</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Note:  
1. The sum of provinces may not add up to totals as a result of rounding.  
Source: Statistics Canada. Table 32-10-0358-01 Area, production and farm value of potatoes



### 1.1.3. Potato production by province (metric tons)

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2023 % Share
Newfoundland and Labrador	2,449	2,495	2,495	2,359	2,268	0.0%
Prince Edward Island	1,102,320	952,544	1,234,180	1,260,488	1,170,858	20.0%
Nova Scotia	18,869	13,608	16,193	10,886	10,070	0.2%
New Brunswick	743,892	521,631	825,538	771,107	674,900	11.6%
Quebec	573,704	577,468	639,565	647,639	611,987	10.5%
Ontario	304,134	341,011	406,101	370,131	390,180	6.7%
Manitoba	893,577	1,088,622	1,089,710	1,185,645	1,349,891	23.1%
Saskatchewan	68,039	63,503	68,901	65,771	80,739	1.4%
Alberta	985,112	1,061,724	1,116,472	1,216,217	1,454,353	24.9%
British Columbia	97,296	97,749	94,347	72,575	97,069	1.7%
<b>Canada<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>4,789,437</b>	<b>4,720,355</b>	<b>5,493,503</b>	<b>5,602,773</b>	<b>5,842,315</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Note:  
1. The sum of provinces may not add up to totals as a result of rounding.  
Source: Statistics Canada. Table 32-10-0358-01 Area, production and farm value of potatoes

### 1.1.4. Average yield by province (metric tons per harvested hectare)

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Newfoundland and Labrador	18.52	16.84	16.50	16.76	15.04
Prince Edward Island	32.47	28.23	36.14	37.49	34.90
Nova Scotia	33.36	28.06	34.86	33.67	31.99
New Brunswick	34.86	26.64	39.28	36.98	33.05
Quebec	32.88	32.04	34.57	35.75	33.23
Ontario	22.45	23.57	26.94	24.68	25.81
Manitoba	38.79	37.83	34.57	37.01	41.75
Saskatchewan	27.15	24.94	25.07	25.04	27.74
Alberta	42.87	45.34	40.74	42.19	47.08
British Columbia	36.48	37.21	37.06	35.91	41.41
<b>Canada</b>	<b>34.67</b>	<b>32.83</b>	<b>35.77</b>	<b>36.49</b>	<b>37.35</b>

Source: Statistics Canada. Table 32-10-0358-01 Area, production and farm value of potatoes



## 1.2. Number of potato farms<sup>1</sup> in Canada (2011, 2016 and 2021)

	2011	2016	2021	2021 % Share
Newfoundland and Labrador	25	5	8	0.8%
Prince Edward Island	262	202	175	18.4%
Nova Scotia	13	7	9	0.9%
New Brunswick	193	144	111	11.7%
Quebec	224	191	198	20.8%
Ontario	170	147	132	13.9%
Manitoba	99	77	77	8.1%
Saskatchewan	61	33	34	3.6%
Alberta	149	125	123	12.9%
British Columbia	127	74	84	8.8%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>1,323</b>	<b>1,005</b>	<b>951</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**Note:**

1. Number of farms includes all farms reported to be growing potatoes and on which potato production represents 50% or more of total farm cash receipts.

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Agriculture. Table 32-10-0166-01 Farms classified by farm type, Census of Agriculture historical data

### 1.3. Top 50 registered seed potato varieties grown in Canada, total area accepted in 2023 (hectares)

	NFL	PEI	NS	NB	QC	ON	MB	SK	AB	BC	Total
Russet Burbank		336	29	783	47		1,345	48	2,118		4,705
Ranger Russet		86		0			352	37	475		950
Goldrush	5	35		91	674	7	21	6	33	2	873
Mountain Gem Russet		626	41	33	45				23		767
Dakota Russet		407	19	1			139	3	43		611
Ho2000		249						169	164		582
Norland	1	128		23	126	0	81	138	58	3	558
Eva		475		0							475
Colomba		21		0	160	49	70	7	120		427
Caribou Russet		141		162	41	16	29	0	29		419
Ciklamen		18			5	58	190	126	11		408
Russet Norkotah				51	1			36	275	17	381
Shepody		107	20	99	0		4	27	108		365
Chieftain	2	24		62	223		7		5	25	348
Innovator		54		124	3		113		18		312
Milva					1	40		259			300
Satina		170			4				94		269
Sangre		5		0	4		161	19	71		261
Dakota Pearl		26				95	31		93	0	245
Prospect		180	36	25							241
Umatilla Russet							119	5	112		236
Atlantic		4		160	4	14		1	54		235
Whitney		0		0	18		167	10	31		226
Anouk				12	0		106	11	96		225
Envol				9	179	20			0		209
Ivory Russet		19		0			0	14	172		206
Lamoka		55		68	27	14			37		201
Orchestra							169	5	24		198
Bin'tje								1	190		191
Highland Russet		34		96	43	5	9	1			189
Targhee Russet		97	20	10					31		157
Clearwater Russet		23		0				33	95	3	154
Kennebec		39		33	3	8	2	1	21	39	145
Superior	3	28		14	87	5					138

Source: Canadian Food Inspection Agency, Potatoes Section

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### 1.3. Top 50 registered seed potato varieties grown in Canada, total area accepted in 2023 (hectares) (cont'd)

	NFL	PEI	NS	NB	QC	ON	MB	SK	AB	BC	Total
Yellow Star					0	11		82	42		135
Alverstone Russet		109	13	5					3		130
Actrice		14			24	17		45	21	5	125
Perline		26						42	56		125
Penni		33				40			40		113
Yukon Gold	0	1		21	11	3	22	4	28	19	109
Sifra		9		0	10	42			43	5	108
Frisian Gold		69						9	29		107
Nonpareil Russet		60		37	8						105
Constance				4	11		9	6	67	3	101
Agata				0			59	7	34	0	100
Waneta		44		6	33	16					99
Baby Boomer		44						51	3		98
Vivaldi		9		0	87						96
Vigor							21		74	0	94
Electra		72				14			4		90
<b>Total top 50 registered varieties</b>	12	3,874	176	1,929	1,882	472	3,224	1,201	5,047	121	17,939
<b>Total other varieties<sup>1</sup></b>	3	967	10	439	851	311	523	530	1,145	55	4,834
<b>Total all</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>4,841</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>2,368</b>	<b>2,732</b>	<b>783</b>	<b>3,747</b>	<b>1,732</b>	<b>6,192</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>22,773</b>

Note:

1. Other varieties include small acreages of registered, non-registered and private varieties.

Source: Canadian Food Inspection Agency, Potatoes Section

#### 1.4. Total area of registered seed potato varieties grown in Canada – hectares accepted 2019-2023

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2023 % Share
Newfoundland and Labrador	7	28	33	11	14	0.1%
Prince Edward Island	6,858	6,555	6,982	5,580	4,841	21.3%
Nova Scotia	131	152	159	161	186	0.8%
New Brunswick	2,982	2,754	2,742	2,437	2,368	10.4%
Quebec	2,917	3,108	3,293	3,025	2,732	12.0%
Ontario	247	351	467	669	783	3.4%
Manitoba	3,226	3,081	3,447	3,831	3,747	16.5%
Saskatchewan	1,230	1,170	1,260	1,426	1,732	7.6%
Alberta	5,268	5,477	5,860	5,846	6,192	27.2%
British Columbia	297	275	266	225	175	0.8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>23,163</b>	<b>22,952</b>	<b>24,509</b>	<b>23,210</b>	<b>22,773</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Canadian Food Inspection Agency, Potatoes Section

## 2. Canadian potato storage holdings

### 2.1. Canadian potato storage by province<sup>1</sup> (hundreds of metric tons)

	December 2023	January 2024	February 2024	March 2024	April 2024	May 2024	June 2024	July 2024
Prince Edward Island	9,489	8,461	7,323	6,326	5,295	4,358	2,753	1,935
New Brunswick	4,357	3,871	3,298	2,750	2,167	1,580	N/A	N/A
Quebec	4,212	3,697	3,094	2,712	2,169	1,501	844	466
Ontario	2,898	2,448	2,065	1,746	1,354	929	552	237
Manitoba	9,548	8,662	7,627	6,574	5,557	4,337	2,541	1,473
Alberta	11,744	11,034	9,862	8,703	7,057	5,594	3,866	2,583
British Columbia	490	384	311	230	165	91	0	0
<b>Canada</b>	<b>42,738</b>	<b>38,558</b>	<b>33,580</b>	<b>29,041</b>	<b>23,765</b>	<b>18,390</b>	<b>10,557</b>	<b>6,694</b>

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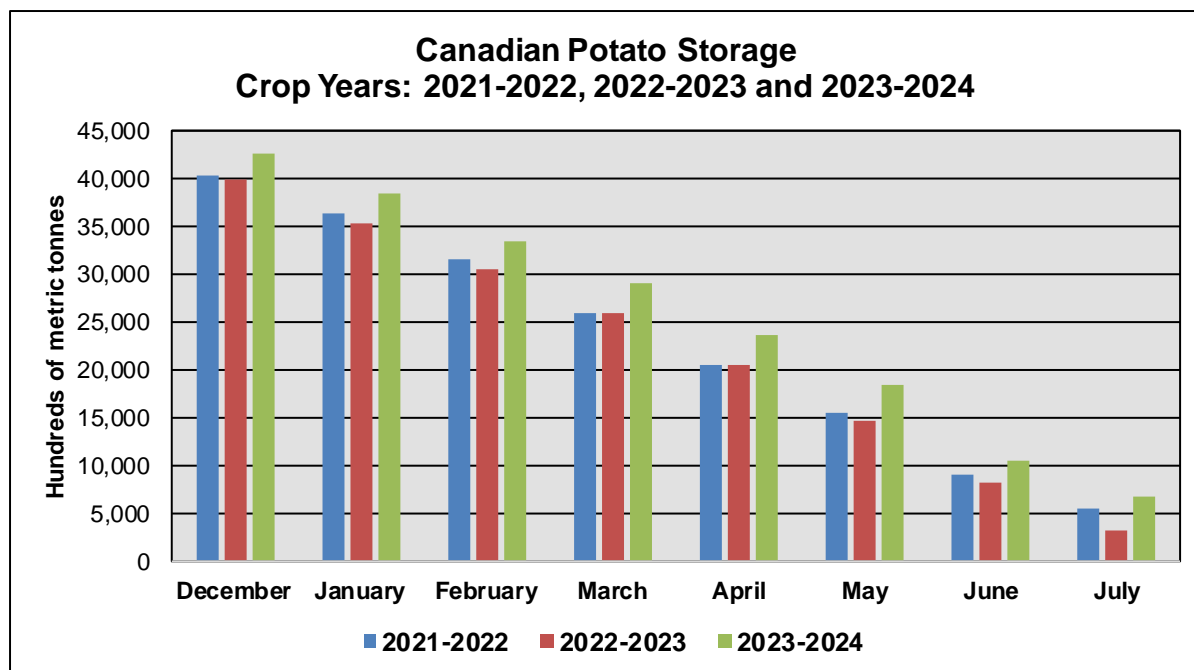
1. Storage data for Newfoundland and Labrador, Nova Scotia and Saskatchewan are not available.

N/A: Not available.

This table provides data by province across Canada as reported by the storage operators and represents volumes as of the first of each month from December to July.

Source: AAFC (Infohort)

### 2.2. Canadian potato storage



Source: AAFC (Infohort)

### 2.3. Intended utilization of potatoes by province (hundreds of metric tons)

		December 2023	January 2024	February 2024	March 2024	April 2024	May 2024	June 2024	July 2024
Prince Edward Island	Fresh	3,034	2,607	2,173	1,797	1,394	1,080	817	342
	Processed	5,718	5,117	4,420	3,809	3,180	2,557	1,927	1,583
	Seed	737	737	729	721	721	721	9	9
New Brunswick	Fresh	924	846	768	689	573	446	N/A	N/A
	Processed	2,724	2,344	1,877	1,435	996	589	N/A	N/A
	Seed	709	680	653	627	598	545	N/A	N/A
Quebec	Fresh	2,152	1,785	1,445	1,184	882	649	352	139
	Processed	1,544	1,414	1,197	1,102	930	695	490	328
	Seed	516	498	452	426	357	158	2	0
Ontario	Fresh	789	590	484	393	278	169	83	36
	Processed	2,008	1,757	1,488	1,261	1,005	741	469	201
	Seed	102	102	93	93	71	20	0	0
Manitoba	Fresh	761	687	542	365	239	214	137	78
	Processed	7,929	7,117	6,226	5,350	4,496	3,399	2,404	1,395
	Seed	859	859	859	859	822	723	0	0
Alberta	Fresh	724	650	497	396	176	95	6	0
	Processed	9,358	8,727	7,734	6,947	5,888	5,011	3,839	2,583
	Seed	1,662	1,658	1,632	1,359	993	488	21	0
British Columbia	Fresh	431	348	276	200	136	90	0	0
	Processed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Seed	59	35	35	31	29	1	0	0

## Notes:

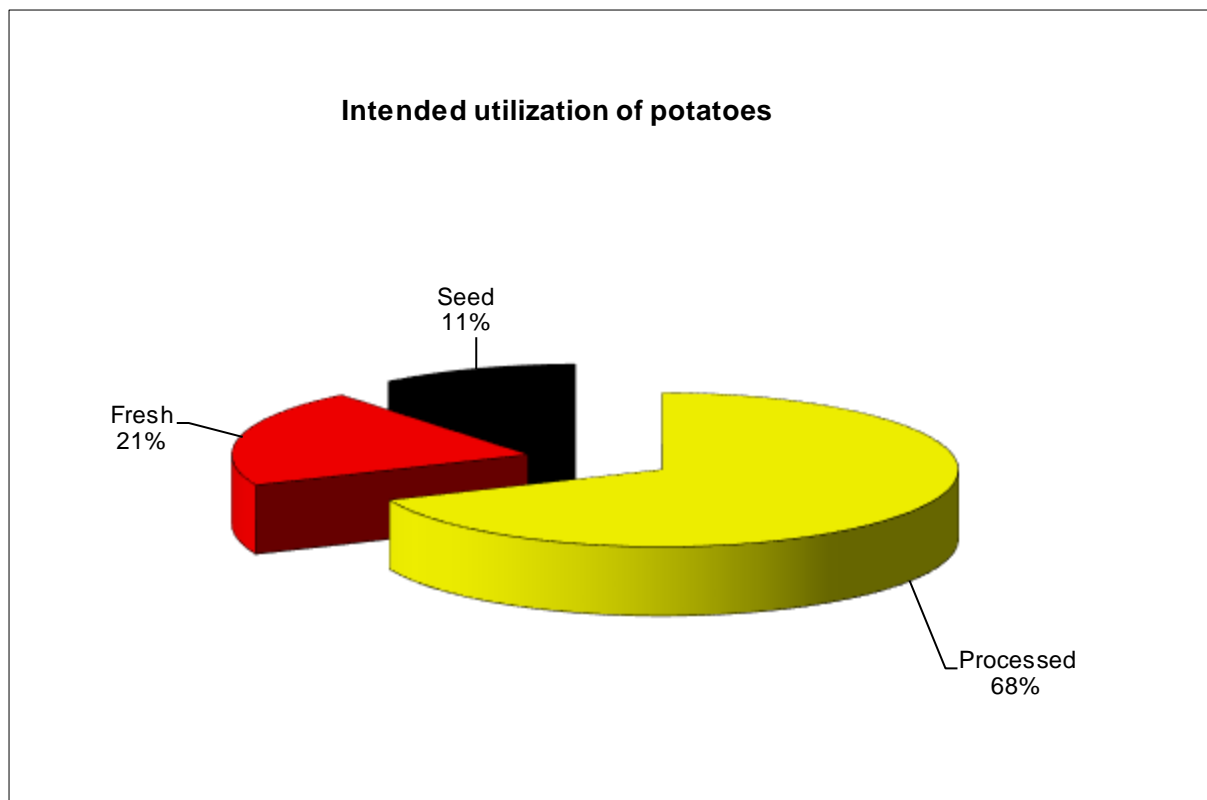
1. Storage data for Newfoundland and Labrador, Nova Scotia and Saskatchewan are not available.

N/A: Not available.

This table is done in conjunction with the storage holdings and indicates the intended utilization as reported by the storage operators of either the fresh market, seed market or processing market. The storage operator's intent may change during the month depending on the demand.

Source: AAFC (Infohort)

## 2.4. Percentage of intended utilization of potatoes – total



Note:  
Storage holdings as of December 1, 2023.  
Source: AAFC (Infohort)

## 2.5. Percentage of intended utilization of potatoes by province

	% Fresh	% Processed	% Seed
Prince Edward Island	32.0%	60.3%	7.8%
New Brunswick	21.2%	62.5%	16.3%
Quebec	51.1%	36.7%	12.2%
Ontario	27.2%	69.3%	3.5%
Manitoba	8.0%	83.0%	9.0%
Alberta	6.2%	79.7%	14.2%
British Columbia	88.0%	0.0%	12.0%

Note:  
Details of intended utilization are not available for Newfoundland and Labrador, Nova Scotia, Saskatchewan, and have therefore not been used in this section.

Source: AAFC (Infohort)



### 3. Revenue and prices

#### 3.1. Potato farm cash receipts (CAN\$ '000)

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2023 % Share
Newfoundland and Labrador	1,307	1,305	1,317	1,246	1,152	0.1%
Prince Edward Island	234,233	252,085	218,187	350,219	409,136	20.9%
Nova Scotia	6,873	5,227	6,115	4,661	4,131	0.2%
New Brunswick	166,836	153,500	166,152	233,418	262,908	13.4%
Quebec	176,428	181,105	185,203	236,352	241,396	12.3%
Ontario	108,091	112,123	132,602	148,646	154,409	7.9%
Manitoba	240,296	283,620	305,802	357,417	414,653	21.1%
Saskatchewan	34,225	31,720	31,585	35,004	37,530	1.9%
Alberta	254,658	273,061	290,052	315,215	381,032	19.4%
British Columbia	61,391	60,732	62,886	55,918	55,187	2.8%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>1,284,339</b>	<b>1,354,478</b>	<b>1,399,900</b>	<b>1,738,096</b>	<b>1,961,534</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Note:

Potato farm cash receipts refer to market receipts, excluding program payments. They represent the income received from the sale of potatoes.

Source: Statistics Canada. Table 32-10-0045-01 Farm cash receipts, annual (x 1,000)

#### 3.2. Canadian potato farm average prices<sup>1</sup> (CAN\$ per ton metric)

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Newfoundland and Labrador	..	..	..	..	..
Prince Edward Island	254.85	281.31	295.86	313.28	320.99
Nova Scotia	..	..	..	..	..
New Brunswick	274.48	285.50	303.36	310.63	341.50
Quebec	350.53	380.96	371.92	390.22	409.84
Ontario	401.90	406.97	406.09	406.31	427.26
Manitoba	293.66	313.72	338.85	326.50	354.94
Saskatchewan	..	..	..	..	..
Alberta	276.46	297.84	299.17	310.19	330.03
British Columbia	649.26	682.33	736.56	757.51	789.25
<b>Canada</b>	<b>302.92</b>	<b>326.50</b>	<b>336.65</b>	<b>344.80</b>	<b>362.44</b>

Notes:

1. The average price of potatoes per province depends, among other things, on the type of potato grown in each province (seed, table or processing).

.. Not available for a specific reference period.

Source: Statistics Canada, Farm Income and Prices

## 4. Potato availability

### 4.1. Potatoes available<sup>1</sup> in Canada<sup>2</sup> (kilograms per person)

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Potatoes-chips	3.60	3.70	3.90	3.95	3.69
Potatoes-chips, fresh equivalent	12.61	12.95	13.65	13.81	12.92
Potatoes-frozen	5.82	6.10	6.47	4.41	4.82
Potatoes-frozen, fresh equivalent	9.89	10.38	11.00	7.50	8.19
Potatoes-other processed	4.25	4.13	4.63	4.49	4.64
Potatoes-other processed, fresh equivalent	11.23	10.89	12.22	11.85	12.25
Potatoes-total processed	13.67	13.93	15.00	12.85	13.15
Potatoes-total processed, fresh equivalent	33.73	34.22	36.87	33.17	33.36
Potatoes-white fresh	21.20	20.09	21.24	20.45	22.20
Potatoes-white fresh and processed, fresh equivalent	54.93	54.31	58.11	53.61	55.56

Notes:

1. Food available per person is calculated by dividing the domestic disappearance by the Canadian population as of July 1st of the reference year, at the retail level.

Domestic disappearance represents the total food available for human consumption from the Canadian food supply chain.

Total Supply = Beginning stocks + Production + Imports

Domestic Disappearance = Total supply – Exports – Manufacturing - Waste - Ending stocks

2. Does not adjust for losses, such as waste and/or spoilage, in stores, households, private institutions or restaurants or losses during preparation.

Source: Statistics Canada. Table 32-10-0054-01 Food available in Canada

**4.2. Potatoes available<sup>1</sup> in Canada adjusted for losses<sup>2</sup> (kilograms per person)**

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Potatoes-chips	3.25	3.34	3.52	3.56	3.33
Potatoes-frozen	4.59	4.82	5.11	3.48	3.80
Potatoes-other processed	3.57	3.46	3.88	3.76	3.89
Potatoes-total processed	11.41	11.62	12.51	10.81	11.03
Potatoes-white fresh	14.70	13.93	14.73	14.17	15.39
Potatoes-white fresh and processed	38.36	37.93	40.59	37.44	38.81

**Notes:**

1. Food available per person is calculated by dividing the domestic disappearance by the Canadian population as of July 1st of the reference year, at the retail level.

Domestic disappearance represents the total food available for human consumption from the Canadian food supply chain.

Total Supply = Beginning stocks + Production + Imports

Domestic Disappearance = Total supply – Exports – Manufacturing - Waste - Ending stocks

2. Experimental, use with caution. The data have been adjusted for retail, household, cooking and plate loss.

Source: Statistics Canada. Table 32-10-0054-01 Food available in Canada

## 5. Trade<sup>4</sup>

### 5.1. Canadian potatoes trade balance (CAN\$)

		2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24
<b>Exports</b>	Fresh potatoes	334,997,298	320,412,338	423,024,147	622,103,164	493,102,830
	Seed potatoes	41,834,238	41,633,863	35,450,567	52,040,541	50,249,104
	Frozen potatoes	1,366,479,307	1,506,488,493	1,883,807,057	2,356,033,707	2,672,943,501
	Other processed potatoes	187,237,056	203,536,174	212,938,617	339,218,005	423,929,202
	<b>Total exports</b>	<b>1,930,547,899</b>	<b>2,072,070,868</b>	<b>2,555,220,388</b>	<b>3,369,395,417</b>	<b>3,640,224,637</b>
<b>Imports</b>	Fresh potatoes	113,747,014	117,501,256	99,195,542	121,853,069	80,309,605
	Seed potatoes	9,143,410	10,903,293	12,423,274	12,801,061	14,391,518
	Frozen potatoes	103,169,142	85,894,136	109,363,357	112,232,072	125,571,891
	Other processed potatoes	207,177,153	217,609,400	230,714,635	281,016,283	314,008,166
	<b>Total imports</b>	<b>433,236,719</b>	<b>431,908,085</b>	<b>451,696,808</b>	<b>527,902,485</b>	<b>534,281,180</b>
<b>Trade balance (exports - imports)</b>	Fresh potatoes	221,250,284	202,911,082	323,828,605	500,250,095	412,793,225
	Seed potatoes	32,690,828	30,730,570	23,027,293	39,239,480	35,857,586
	Frozen potatoes	1,263,310,165	1,420,594,357	1,774,443,700	2,243,801,635	2,547,371,610
	Other processed potatoes	-19,940,097	-14,073,226	-17,776,018	58,201,722	109,921,036
	<b>Overall trade balance</b>	<b>1,497,311,180</b>	<b>1,640,162,783</b>	<b>2,103,523,580</b>	<b>2,841,492,932</b>	<b>3,105,943,457</b>

Notes:

Fresh potatoes do not include seed potatoes.

Frozen potatoes include uncooked potatoes, potatoes cooked by steaming or boiling water, prepared or preserved potatoes (other than by vinegar or acetic acid) in the frozen state.

Other processed potatoes include potato chips; potato starch, flakes, granules and pellets; potato flour, meal and powder; and dried potatoes.

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

<sup>4</sup> The potato production year is associated with the calendar year in which the harvest is accomplished. However, the marketing year for potatoes is from the start of harvest (July-August) through August of the following year. Therefore, trade data are based on crop years that run from August 1<sup>st</sup> of one year to July 31<sup>st</sup> of the following year and are expressed as such (for example, 2023–2024). Data based on calendar years are expressed as a single year (for example, 2023).

## 5.2. Canadian potato exports

### 5.2.1. Fresh potatoes

#### 5.2.1.1. Fresh potato exports by province, value (CAN\$)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
Newfoundland and Labrador	85	347	0	1,017	2,204	0.0%
Prince Edward Island	98,824,358	113,602,323	104,657,167	230,035,688	183,280,709	37.2%
Nova Scotia	330,623	481,902	120,128	267,174	254,532	0.1%
New Brunswick	66,554,067	53,114,079	86,438,419	107,849,356	56,689,330	11.5%
Quebec	46,784,393	45,279,179	80,586,677	103,205,795	61,076,371	12.4%
Ontario	30,456,995	42,751,958	58,411,270	86,543,337	102,953,485	20.9%
Manitoba	55,555,468	31,407,104	36,766,266	40,219,176	36,985,813	7.5%
Saskatchewan	7,999,071	6,701,487	16,843,732	14,026,140	9,428,165	1.9%
Alberta	21,561,786	19,376,531	30,489,375	34,313,222	32,341,032	6.6%
British Columbia	6,930,452	7,697,428	8,711,113	5,642,259	10,091,189	2.0%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>334,997,298</b>	<b>320,412,338</b>	<b>423,024,147</b>	<b>622,103,164</b>	<b>493,102,830</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Note:

Does not include seed potatoes.

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

#### 5.2.1.2. Fresh potato exports by province, quantity (metric tons)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
Newfoundland and Labrador	0	1	0	2	2	0.0%
Prince Edward Island	127,666	135,952	116,398	220,235	168,902	34.2%
Nova Scotia	444	720	176	237	205	0.0%
New Brunswick	89,021	73,109	109,308	121,986	66,952	13.6%
Quebec	54,876	61,351	98,014	100,419	63,369	12.8%
Ontario	69,058	87,886	117,599	108,748	111,094	22.5%
Manitoba	65,857	42,260	40,692	43,639	47,916	9.7%
Saskatchewan	7,591	6,509	12,117	10,108	7,557	1.5%
Alberta	17,206	13,504	20,260	36,091	21,249	4.3%
British Columbia	6,225	6,667	7,284	3,710	6,833	1.4%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>437,944</b>	<b>427,959</b>	<b>521,848</b>	<b>645,175</b>	<b>494,079</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Note:

Does not include seed potatoes.

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

### 5.2.1.3. Fresh potato export destinations, value (CAN\$)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
United States	318,897,712	306,922,831	402,530,336	586,079,397	456,806,620	92.6%
Trinidad and Tobago	2,655,679	2,479,094	3,914,733	5,833,410	9,036,862	1.8%
Dominican Republic	979,927	1,206,895	3,324,306	5,356,910	7,752,095	1.6%
Indonesia	2,093,904	1,405,396	2,737,543	8,030,718	6,374,945	1.3%
Guatemala	2,472,377	516,422	1,154,295	5,665,268	4,043,703	0.8%
Others	7,897,699	7,881,700	9,362,934	11,137,461	9,088,605	1.8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>334,997,298</b>	<b>320,412,338</b>	<b>423,024,147</b>	<b>622,103,164</b>	<b>493,102,830</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Note:						
Does not include seed potatoes.						
Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)						

### 5.2.1.4. Fresh potato export destinations, quantity (metric tons)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
United States	407,659	406,538	486,903	601,060	449,534	91.0%
Trinidad and Tobago	5,839	4,915	8,267	9,416	13,552	2.7%
Dominican Republic	2,045	1,873	5,691	6,284	9,150	1.9%
Indonesia	4,032	2,828	5,544	9,490	7,000	1.4%
Guatemala	4,176	960	1,968	5,250	4,015	0.8%
Others	14,193	10,845	13,475	13,675	10,828	2.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>437,944</b>	<b>427,959</b>	<b>521,848</b>	<b>645,175</b>	<b>494,079</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Note:						
Does not include seed potatoes.						
Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)						

## 5.2.2. Seed potatoes

### 5.2.2.1. Seed potato exports by province, value (CAN\$)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
Prince Edward Island	5,096,054	3,437,179	1,068,369	1,523,533	1,657,898	3.3%
Nova Scotia	11,355	24,079	0	0	0	0.0%
New Brunswick	6,940,529	5,821,203	5,700,421	7,593,087	6,133,152	12.2%
Quebec	1,230,448	1,748,454	1,457,243	1,770,900	1,474,929	2.9%
Ontario	217,230	173,810	226,551	252,136	449,862	0.9%
Manitoba	3,171,214	6,590,733	2,107,999	5,880,979	3,351,270	6.7%
Saskatchewan	2,838,745	3,672,105	3,675,425	4,918,040	4,316,333	8.6%
Alberta	20,354,137	18,531,778	19,644,649	28,483,419	31,753,361	63.2%
British Columbia	1,974,526	1,634,522	1,569,910	1,618,447	1,112,299	2.2%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>41,834,238</b>	<b>41,633,863</b>	<b>35,450,567</b>	<b>52,040,541</b>	<b>50,249,104</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

### 5.2.2.2. Seed potato exports by province, quantity (metric tons)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
Prince Edward Island	7,262	5,431	1,540	1,162	2,551	3.2%
Nova Scotia	10	43	0	0	0	0.0%
New Brunswick	12,361	10,487	9,537	11,065	9,834	12.4%
Quebec	1,687	2,645	2,164	2,448	2,221	2.8%
Ontario	390	253	325	338	584	0.7%
Manitoba	4,712	13,410	3,094	4,324	4,980	6.3%
Saskatchewan	4,830	5,810	6,320	7,420	7,265	9.2%
Alberta	39,224	37,245	35,852	43,336	50,668	63.8%
British Columbia	2,863	2,603	2,474	1,975	1,268	1.6%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>73,339</b>	<b>77,927</b>	<b>61,306</b>	<b>72,068</b>	<b>79,371</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)



**5.2.2.3. Seed potato export destinations, value (CAN\$)**

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
United States	39,488,591	38,377,629	34,053,088	50,212,835	48,241,616	96.0%
Thailand	591,049	382,489	531,654	1,453,262	1,583,550	3.2%
Dominican Republic	197,684	506,429	32,790	77,040	125,650	0.3%
Jamaica	22,746	23,926	210,254	27,698	114,204	0.2%
Uruguay	571,572	883,285	252,400	70,271	95,736	0.2%
Others	962,596	1,460,105	370,381	199,435	88,348	0.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>41,834,238</b>	<b>41,633,863</b>	<b>35,450,567</b>	<b>52,040,541</b>	<b>50,249,104</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

**5.2.2.4. Seed potato export destinations, quantity (metric tons)**

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
United States	70,249	72,896	59,339	70,485	76,313	96.1%
Thailand	700	504	675	1,107	2,437	3.1%
Jamaica	26	26	264	43	175	0.2%
Dominican Republic	258	741	54	108	162	0.2%
Uruguay	696	1,345	219	55	150	0.2%
Others	1,410	2,415	755	270	134	0.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>73,339</b>	<b>77,927</b>	<b>61,306</b>	<b>72,068</b>	<b>79,371</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

### 5.2.3. Frozen potatoes

#### 5.2.3.1. Frozen potato exports by province, value (CAN\$)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
Newfoundland and Labrador	106	0	44,021	0	0	0.0%
Prince Edward Island	369,208,454	359,030,258	437,116,118	584,238,927	691,262,774	25.9%
Nova Scotia	282,889	1,077,865	2,700,255	58,160	29,796	0.0%
New Brunswick	155,109,786	113,808,549	185,252,262	340,056,055	347,585,899	13.0%
Quebec	2,339,389	628,584	2,120,509	9,547,016	81,732,703	3.1%
Ontario	45,282,359	35,495,549	52,350,343	68,603,710	4,478,898	0.2%
Manitoba	438,234,618	574,931,268	698,588,551	644,326,627	745,860,351	27.9%
Saskatchewan	24,245	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Alberta	352,490,824	406,697,583	486,200,441	688,953,218	776,658,038	29.1%
British Columbia	3,506,637	14,818,837	19,434,557	20,249,994	25,335,042	0.9%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>1,366,479,307</b>	<b>1,506,488,493</b>	<b>1,883,807,057</b>	<b>2,356,033,707</b>	<b>2,672,943,501</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

#### 5.2.3.2. Frozen potato exports by province, quantity (kilograms)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
Newfoundland and Labrador	86	0	35,555	0	0	0.0%
Prince Edward Island	242,908,391	239,362,606	260,691,952	271,092,492	289,133,615	20.6%
Nova Scotia	396,477	866,365	1,754,831	56,409	18,370	0.0%
New Brunswick	107,531,072	81,123,625	126,454,802	233,418,597	230,025,265	16.4%
Quebec	1,852,653	558,791	1,538,117	4,174,930	35,021,859	2.5%
Ontario	28,776,464	23,757,969	32,536,647	32,849,369	1,825,981	0.1%
Manitoba	385,658,012	483,363,076	561,246,043	465,065,666	494,390,213	35.3%
Saskatchewan	17,636	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Alberta	227,956,596	283,794,191	308,613,462	322,240,793	334,733,453	23.9%
British Columbia	2,459,812	11,651,723	13,817,770	12,753,545	16,247,627	1.2%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>997,557,199</b>	<b>1,124,478,346</b>	<b>1,306,689,179</b>	<b>1,341,651,801</b>	<b>1,401,396,383</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

### 5.2.3.3. Frozen potato export destinations, value (CAN\$)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
United States	1,208,034,290	1,348,789,076	1,683,655,398	2,142,686,967	2,431,620,497	91.0%
Mexico	34,340,576	29,491,110	46,631,839	49,412,962	64,218,709	2.4%
Japan	20,139,472	48,627,027	43,638,173	40,295,832	40,692,436	1.5%
Panama	6,123,730	12,155,968	14,089,954	17,438,075	25,716,707	1.0%
Taiwan	14,930,402	16,797,221	18,767,147	18,714,233	22,509,350	0.8%
Others	82,910,837	50,628,091	77,024,546	87,485,638	88,185,802	3.3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,366,479,307</b>	<b>1,506,488,493</b>	<b>1,883,807,057</b>	<b>2,356,033,707</b>	<b>2,672,943,501</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

### 5.2.3.4. Frozen potato export destinations, quantity (kilograms)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
United States	876,332,692	995,166,748	1,151,376,187	1,185,071,969	1,226,276,249	87.5%
Mexico	31,156,628	26,020,515	38,368,166	36,018,730	44,828,112	3.2%
Japan	18,324,559	41,857,145	34,779,684	27,584,568	27,256,832	1.9%
Panama	5,081,565	10,417,835	11,871,259	12,278,924	19,346,888	1.4%
Taiwan	10,344,807	12,797,180	14,281,611	14,000,169	16,804,927	1.2%
Others	56,316,948	38,218,923	56,012,272	66,697,441	66,883,375	4.8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>997,557,199</b>	<b>1,124,478,346</b>	<b>1,306,689,179</b>	<b>1,341,651,801</b>	<b>1,401,396,383</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

## 5.2.4. Other processed potatoes

### 5.2.4.1. Other processed potato<sup>1</sup> exports by province, value (CAN\$)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
Newfoundland and Labrador	3,260	4,976	6,114	5,895	4,381	0.0%
Prince Edward Island	16,754,417	21,966,175	19,426,923	38,165,286	32,871,611	7.8%
Nova Scotia	432,575	696,361	440,984	968,144	1,315,440	0.3%
New Brunswick	30,540,012	25,244,053	34,309,661	49,456,613	51,748,773	12.2%
Quebec	5,399,590	9,736,066	6,252,784	6,653,573	8,555,466	2.0%
Ontario	120,240,690	126,656,563	129,345,824	184,105,112	206,427,141	48.7%
Manitoba	1,997,643	3,806,047	7,262,390	11,250,345	10,285,925	2.4%
Saskatchewan	0	0	0	9,969	0	0.0%
Alberta	10,130,554	9,420,140	9,692,539	39,715,804	102,593,379	24.2%
British Columbia	1,738,315	6,005,793	6,201,398	8,887,264	10,127,086	2.4%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>187,237,056</b>	<b>203,536,174</b>	<b>212,938,617</b>	<b>339,218,005</b>	<b>423,929,202</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Note:

1. Other processed potatoes include potato chips; potato starch, flakes, granules and pellets; potato flour, meal and powder; and dried potatoes.

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

### 5.2.4.2. Other processed potato<sup>1</sup> exports by province, quantity (kilograms)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
Newfoundland and Labrador	597	913	1,123	1,082	805	0.0%
Prince Edward Island	9,292,923	11,861,757	11,522,634	16,918,050	12,611,705	14.5%
Nova Scotia	386,266	580,217	531,297	948,026	893,772	1.0%
New Brunswick	15,931,168	11,664,688	16,324,159	17,368,769	16,877,578	19.4%
Quebec	2,042,204	2,569,720	1,900,833	2,028,126	2,857,103	3.3%
Ontario	23,493,787	25,398,887	24,048,849	26,047,851	27,326,237	31.4%
Manitoba	848,565	1,811,783	4,611,079	5,799,621	4,472,185	5.1%
Saskatchewan	0	0	0	3,100	0	0.0%
Alberta	10,058,435	11,764,401	11,829,298	12,938,695	20,573,274	23.7%
British Columbia	233,239	753,634	802,651	1,059,359	1,324,645	1.5%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>62,287,184</b>	<b>66,406,000</b>	<b>71,571,923</b>	<b>83,112,679</b>	<b>86,937,304</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Note:

1. Other processed potatoes include potato chips; potato starch, flakes, granules and pellets; potato flour, meal and powder; and dried potatoes.

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

**5.2.4.3. Other processed potato<sup>1</sup> export destinations, value (CAN\$)**

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
United States	176,472,944	193,913,708	205,156,793	331,580,285	416,814,299	98.3%
Japan	1,425,037	1,771,460	1,732,839	1,440,691	1,775,605	0.4%
Chile	175,543	42,737	1,436,971	1,778,164	1,363,122	0.3%
Panama	0	0	0	340,334	666,459	0.2%
Guatemala	168,562	434,373	222,320	372,165	431,386	0.1%
Others	8,994,970	7,373,896	4,389,694	3,706,366	2,878,331	0.7%
<b>Total</b>	<b>187,237,056</b>	<b>203,536,174</b>	<b>212,938,617</b>	<b>339,218,005</b>	<b>423,929,202</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Note:

1. Other processed potatoes include potato chips; potato starch, flakes, granules and pellets; potato flour, meal and powder; and dried potatoes.

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

**5.2.4.4. Other processed potato<sup>1</sup> export destinations, quantity (kilograms)**

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
United States	60,412,857	64,524,573	69,883,240	81,279,042	85,561,845	98.4%
Japan	205,383	234,679	290,153	267,961	394,838	0.5%
Panama	0	0	0	248,929	224,184	0.3%
Chile	35,088	7,846	289,568	248,681	200,264	0.2%
Guatemala	31,563	106,525	45,016	73,307	66,558	0.1%
Others	1,602,293	1,532,377	1,063,946	994,759	489,615	0.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>62,287,184</b>	<b>66,406,000</b>	<b>71,571,923</b>	<b>83,112,679</b>	<b>86,937,304</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Note:

1. Other processed potatoes include potato chips; potato starch, flakes, granules and pellets; potato flour, meal and powder; and dried potatoes.

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

## 5.2.5. All potato products

### 5.2.5.1. Exports of all potato products by province, value (CAN\$)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
Newfoundland and Labrador	3,451	5,323	50,135	6,912	6,585	0.0%
Prince Edward Island	489,883,283	498,035,935	562,268,577	853,963,434	909,072,992	25.0%
Nova Scotia	1,057,442	2,280,207	3,261,367	1,293,478	1,599,768	0.0%
New Brunswick	259,144,394	197,987,884	311,700,763	504,955,111	462,157,154	12.7%
Quebec	55,753,820	57,392,283	90,417,213	121,177,284	152,839,469	4.2%
Ontario	196,197,274	205,077,880	240,333,988	339,504,295	314,309,386	8.6%
Manitoba	498,958,943	616,735,152	744,725,206	701,677,127	796,483,359	21.9%
Saskatchewan	10,862,061	10,373,592	20,519,157	18,954,149	13,744,498	0.4%
Alberta	404,537,301	454,026,032	546,027,004	791,465,663	943,345,810	25.9%
British Columbia	14,149,930	30,156,580	35,916,978	36,397,964	46,665,616	1.3%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>1,930,547,899</b>	<b>2,072,070,868</b>	<b>2,555,220,388</b>	<b>3,369,395,417</b>	<b>3,640,224,637</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

### 5.2.5.2. Destinations of overall potato exports, value (CAN\$)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
United States	1,742,893,537	1,888,003,244	2,325,395,615	3,110,559,484	3,353,483,032	92.1%
Mexico	34,340,576	29,491,110	46,631,839	49,412,962	64,218,709	1.8%
Japan	21,564,509	50,398,487	45,371,012	41,736,523	42,468,041	1.2%
Panama	6,437,773	12,674,944	14,411,610	18,647,493	26,603,289	0.7%
Taiwan	14,954,938	17,068,736	19,113,253	18,799,066	22,526,067	0.6%
Others	110,356,566	74,434,347	104,297,059	130,239,889	130,925,499	3.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,930,547,899</b>	<b>2,072,070,868</b>	<b>2,555,220,388</b>	<b>3,369,395,417</b>	<b>3,640,224,637</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

### 5.3. Canadian potato imports

#### 5.3.1. Fresh potatoes

##### 5.3.1.1. Fresh potato imports by province, value (CAN\$)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
New Brunswick	6,705,085	8,523,177	4,187,497	3,519,544	3,515,588	4.4%
Québec	1,432,384	391,016	317,975	854,626	489,871	0.6%
Ontario	37,594,995	30,952,730	25,042,440	30,894,058	33,060,869	41.2%
Manitoba	5,286,371	23,983,888	20,680,035	26,503,225	2,523,698	3.1%
Saskatchewan	556,118	1,012,809	1,799,373	626,554	1,079,246	1.3%
Alberta	10,376,043	8,193,073	3,738,995	4,141,690	4,523,019	5.6%
British Columbia	51,796,018	44,444,563	43,429,227	55,313,372	35,117,314	43.7%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>113,747,014</b>	<b>117,501,256</b>	<b>99,195,542</b>	<b>121,853,069</b>	<b>80,309,605</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Note:  
Does not include seed potatoes.  
Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

##### 5.3.1.2. Fresh potato imports by province, quantity (metric tons)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
New Brunswick	14,603	20,499	8,261	10,919	6,722	4.5%
Quebec	3,657	713	257	1,462	452	0.3%
Ontario	49,746	39,408	22,071	28,672	73,936	49.2%
Manitoba	15,098	74,570	60,504	68,563	4,496	3.0%
Saskatchewan	668	1,742	5,335	551	1,174	0.8%
Alberta	24,763	19,633	4,424	4,706	5,093	3.4%
British Columbia	57,752	54,620	54,118	112,845	58,278	38.8%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>166,287</b>	<b>211,185</b>	<b>154,970</b>	<b>227,718</b>	<b>150,151</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Note:  
Does not include seed potatoes.  
Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)



**5.3.1.3. Fresh potato imports by country of origin, value (CAN\$)**

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
United States	113,636,921	117,434,945	98,999,752	121,470,536	80,122,028	99.8%
Others	110,093	66,311	195,790	382,533	187,577	0.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>113,747,014</b>	<b>117,501,256</b>	<b>99,195,542</b>	<b>121,853,069</b>	<b>80,309,605</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Note: Does not include seed potatoes. Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)						

**5.3.1.4. Fresh potato imports by country of origin, quantity (metric tons)**

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
United States	166,149	211,123	154,781	227,396	149,984	99.9%
Others	138	62	189	322	167	0.1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>166,287</b>	<b>211,185</b>	<b>154,970</b>	<b>227,718</b>	<b>150,151</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Note: Does not include seed potatoes. Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)						

### 5.3.2. Seed potatoes

#### 5.3.2.1. Seed potato imports by province, value (CAN\$)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
New Brunswick	2,948,307	2,420,508	5,425,235	6,512,820	5,503,181	38.2%
Quebec	136,631	135,843	203,423	161,835	311,350	2.2%
Ontario	2,851,112	3,814,181	2,850,260	2,088,726	4,394,858	30.5%
Manitoba	1,014,011	2,323,945	2,401,925	2,117,519	3,161,081	22.0%
Saskatchewan	311,342	366,388	181,923	712,895	162,987	1.1%
Alberta	1,513,958	1,214,542	714,661	351,357	495,755	3.4%
British Columbia	368,034	627,886	645,847	855,909	362,306	2.5%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>9,143,410</b>	<b>10,903,293</b>	<b>12,423,274</b>	<b>12,801,061</b>	<b>14,391,518</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

#### 5.3.2.2. Seed potato imports by province, quantity (metric tons)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
New Brunswick	7,050	8,495	14,774	14,832	11,582	38.2%
Quebec	180	262	480	374	515	1.7%
Ontario	7,773	11,083	8,213	5,464	10,589	35.0%
Manitoba	1,754	5,810	5,287	3,788	6,271	20.7%
Saskatchewan	225	622	451	878	220	0.7%
Alberta	3,373	2,634	1,700	646	558	1.8%
British Columbia	510	1,007	1,219	1,309	562	1.9%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>20,865</b>	<b>29,913</b>	<b>32,124</b>	<b>27,291</b>	<b>30,297</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

**5.3.2.3. Seed potato imports by country of origin, value (CAN\$)**

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
United States	9,143,265	10,891,746	12,423,274	12,800,945	14,391,373	100.0%
Others	145	11,547	0	116	145	0.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,143,410</b>	<b>10,903,293</b>	<b>12,423,274</b>	<b>12,801,061</b>	<b>14,391,518</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)						

**5.3.2.4. Seed potato imports by country of origin, quantity (metric tons)**

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
United States	20,865	29,889	32,124	27,291	30,297	100.0%
Others	0	24	0	0	0	0.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,865</b>	<b>29,913</b>	<b>32,124</b>	<b>27,291</b>	<b>30,297</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)						

### 5.3.3. Frozen potatoes

#### 5.3.3.1. Frozen potato imports by province, value (CAN\$)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
Nova Scotia	630	476	38,752	557	2,347	0.0%
New Brunswick	13,436,691	9,338,957	13,143,281	13,214,872	21,240,179	16.9%
Quebec	5,462,866	5,304,027	6,564,230	9,290,923	7,561,153	6.0%
Ontario	38,180,033	35,898,747	44,403,706	41,617,704	49,308,370	39.3%
Manitoba	12,210,804	7,994,840	10,712,269	9,095,457	11,816,912	9.4%
Saskatchewan	2,440,529	1,015,687	4,601,886	1,080,031	1,039,147	0.8%
Alberta	8,970,275	7,765,807	7,881,516	10,103,041	10,462,371	8.3%
British Columbia	22,467,314	18,575,595	22,017,717	27,829,487	24,141,276	19.2%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>103,169,142</b>	<b>85,894,136</b>	<b>109,363,357</b>	<b>112,232,072</b>	<b>125,571,891</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

#### 5.3.3.2. Frozen potato imports by province, quantity (kilograms)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
Nova Scotia	385	519	23,732	303	1,231	0.0%
New Brunswick	15,745,990	12,005,797	16,115,140	11,535,703	13,572,520	25.9%
Quebec	2,800,843	3,339,922	3,535,791	4,126,709	3,193,503	6.1%
Ontario	17,044,800	18,036,399	21,170,156	18,179,158	18,236,241	34.8%
Manitoba	6,875,950	4,261,303	5,868,600	4,302,870	4,753,293	9.1%
Saskatchewan	1,590,691	536,389	1,545,050	540,457	517,358	1.0%
Alberta	4,460,670	4,527,920	4,376,597	4,383,506	4,345,697	8.3%
British Columbia	9,014,407	7,079,009	8,410,253	9,665,349	7,818,610	14.9%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>57,533,736</b>	<b>49,787,258</b>	<b>61,045,319</b>	<b>52,734,055</b>	<b>52,438,495</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

**5.3.3.3. Frozen potato imports by country of origin, value (CAN\$)**

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
United States	89,768,366	73,432,558	95,656,568	93,290,282	103,190,896	82.2%
Belgium	7,056,520	7,160,751	7,966,732	12,264,755	17,609,600	14.0%
France	1,404,681	1,344,964	1,959,399	2,304,207	1,244,477	1.0%
Netherlands	110,165	464,559	632,794	1,366,471	438,131	0.3%
Egypt	14,480	15,408	9,673	182,275	349,078	0.3%
Others	4,814,930	3,475,896	3,138,191	2,824,082	2,739,709	2.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>103,169,142</b>	<b>85,894,136</b>	<b>109,363,357</b>	<b>112,232,072</b>	<b>125,571,891</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

**5.3.3.4. Frozen potato imports by country of origin, quantity (kilograms)**

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
United States	48,310,082	40,187,365	51,883,994	43,660,411	42,850,716	81.7%
Belgium	5,246,615	6,540,102	6,413,232	6,545,125	7,926,598	15.1%
France	350,012	308,645	466,821	438,732	297,168	0.6%
Netherlands	22,589	428,658	492,659	741,631	210,564	0.4%
Egypt	7,218	8,004	4,626	115,645	144,309	0.3%
Others	3,597,220	2,314,484	1,783,987	1,232,511	1,009,140	1.9%
<b>Total</b>	<b>57,533,736</b>	<b>49,787,258</b>	<b>61,045,319</b>	<b>52,734,055</b>	<b>52,438,495</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

### 5.3.4. Other processed potatoes

#### 5.3.4.1. Other processed potato<sup>1</sup> imports by province, value (CAN\$)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
Newfoundland and Labrador	1,008	91	0	0	0	0.0%
Nova Scotia	138,775	4,258,634	193,347	643,560	113,093	0.0%
New Brunswick	1,230,353	990,173	1,732,607	1,254,145	2,935,949	0.9%
Quebec	4,952,893	5,589,580	6,348,736	6,915,011	7,205,717	2.3%
Ontario	128,396,740	128,557,028	140,802,989	177,009,416	202,000,643	64.3%
Manitoba	4,437,034	5,605,668	11,053,703	12,160,713	8,200,890	2.6%
Saskatchewan	1,279,028	561,684	663,561	650,418	1,226,071	0.4%
Alberta	11,365,485	10,085,769	9,671,453	11,708,562	13,210,713	4.2%
British Columbia	55,375,837	61,960,773	60,248,239	70,674,458	79,115,090	25.2%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>207,177,153</b>	<b>217,609,400</b>	<b>230,714,635</b>	<b>281,016,283</b>	<b>314,008,166</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Note:

1. Other processed potatoes include potato chips; potato starch, flakes, granules and pellets; potato flour, meal and powder; and dried potatoes.

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

#### 5.3.4.2. Other processed potato<sup>1</sup> imports by province, quantity (kilograms)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
Newfoundland and Labrador	57	6	0	0	0	0.0%
Nova Scotia	67,835	2,633,529	106,004	63,668	11,166	0.0%
New Brunswick	700,834	592,713	926,831	515,413	687,854	0.9%
Quebec	2,521,197	2,621,657	2,841,904	2,657,718	2,564,244	3.4%
Ontario	40,989,046	39,829,211	40,062,708	41,386,366	44,638,974	59.9%
Manitoba	1,861,268	1,404,827	3,585,324	5,126,673	3,451,176	4.6%
Saskatchewan	323,825	118,636	145,018	196,343	146,711	0.2%
Alberta	2,398,353	1,721,229	1,736,777	1,847,333	1,805,554	2.4%
British Columbia	16,451,722	19,418,348	18,370,592	19,412,763	21,270,847	28.5%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>65,314,137</b>	<b>68,340,156</b>	<b>67,775,158</b>	<b>71,206,277</b>	<b>74,576,526</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Note:

1. Other processed potatoes include potato chips; potato starch, flakes, granules and pellets; potato flour, meal and powder; and dried potatoes.

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

**5.3.4.3. Other processed potato<sup>1</sup> imports by country of origin, value (CAN\$)**

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
United States	178,639,959	181,952,729	198,627,897	233,952,216	257,994,124	82.2%
Mexico	6,689,495	6,452,285	6,503,700	11,222,090	13,653,172	4.3%
Netherlands	3,307,061	2,541,373	2,861,389	6,299,938	8,257,235	2.6%
Germany	3,713,683	4,733,322	3,867,212	5,869,585	8,010,612	2.6%
Denmark	4,737,352	4,163,655	5,468,416	7,075,661	6,695,772	2.1%
Others	10,089,603	17,766,036	13,386,021	16,596,793	19,397,251	6.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>207,177,153</b>	<b>217,609,400</b>	<b>230,714,635</b>	<b>281,016,283</b>	<b>314,008,166</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Note:

1. Other processed potatoes include potato chips; potato starch, flakes, granules and pellets; potato flour, meal and powder; and dried potatoes.

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

**5.3.4.4. Other processed potato<sup>1</sup> imports by country of origin, quantity (kilograms)**

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
United States	53,006,105	52,850,050	54,205,054	55,443,142	57,024,799	76.5%
Netherlands	2,101,373	1,790,688	1,782,630	3,377,691	4,083,691	5.5%
Germany	2,192,939	3,107,497	2,580,594	2,928,875	3,972,575	5.3%
Denmark	3,709,346	3,412,001	3,887,404	4,064,213	3,848,430	5.2%
Mexico	1,483,489	1,417,740	1,255,420	1,548,439	1,464,444	2.0%
Others	2,820,885	5,762,180	4,064,056	3,843,917	4,182,587	5.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>65,314,137</b>	<b>68,340,156</b>	<b>67,775,158</b>	<b>71,206,277</b>	<b>74,576,526</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Note:

1. Other processed potatoes include potato chips; potato starch, flakes, granules and pellets; potato flour, meal and powder; and dried potatoes.

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

### 5.3.5. All potato products

#### 5.3.5.1. Imports of all potato products by province, value (CAN\$)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
Newfoundland and Labrador	1,008	91	0	0	0	0.0%
Prince Edward Island	15	0	0	0	136	0.0%
Nova Scotia	139,405	4,259,110	232,099	644,117	115,440	0.0%
New Brunswick	24,320,436	21,272,815	24,488,620	24,501,381	33,194,897	6.2%
Quebec	11,984,774	11,420,466	13,434,364	17,222,395	15,568,091	2.9%
Ontario	207,022,880	199,222,686	213,099,395	251,609,904	288,764,740	54.0%
Manitoba	22,948,220	39,908,341	44,847,932	49,876,914	25,702,581	4.8%
Saskatchewan	4,587,017	2,956,568	7,246,743	3,069,898	3,507,451	0.7%
Alberta	32,225,761	27,259,191	22,006,625	26,304,650	28,691,858	5.4%
British Columbia	130,007,203	125,608,817	126,341,030	154,673,226	138,735,986	26.0%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>433,236,719</b>	<b>431,908,085</b>	<b>451,696,808</b>	<b>527,902,485</b>	<b>534,281,180</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)

#### 5.3.5.3. Imports of all potato products by country of origin, value (CAN\$)

	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2023/24 % Share
United States	391,188,511	383,711,978	405,707,491	461,513,979	455,698,421	85.3%
Belgium	7,517,011	7,942,335	8,693,401	12,902,446	17,835,639	3.3%
Mexico	6,689,514	6,453,545	6,506,245	11,222,286	13,653,172	2.6%
Netherlands	3,417,540	3,007,519	3,494,183	7,666,409	8,695,475	1.6%
Germany	3,733,119	4,787,336	4,034,164	5,986,149	8,017,580	1.5%
Others	20,691,024	26,005,372	23,261,324	28,611,216	30,380,893	5.7%
<b>Total</b>	<b>433,236,719</b>	<b>431,908,085</b>	<b>451,696,808</b>	<b>527,902,485</b>	<b>534,281,180</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Statistics Canada (CATSnet, September 2024)



## 6. World data

### 6.1. World production

#### 6.1.1. World potato production<sup>1,2</sup> (thousands metric tons)

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2022 % Share
China	90,259	89,500	92,800	94,300	95,570	25.5%
India	51,310	50,190	48,562	54,230	56,176	15.0%
Ukraine	22,504	20,269	20,838	21,356	20,899	5.6%
Russia	22,395	22,075	19,607	18,296	18,888	5.0%
United States	20,422	19,251	19,052	18,590	17,792	4.7%
Germany	8,921	10,602	11,715	11,312	10,683	2.9%
Bangladesh	9,744	9,655	9,606	9,887	10,145	2.7%
France	7,860	8,560	8,822	8,987	8,067	2.2%
Pakistan	4,592	4,869	4,553	5,873	7,937	2.1%
Netherlands	6,025	6,961	7,020	6,676	6,916	1.8%
<b>Canada<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>5,205</b>	<b>5,364</b>	<b>5,287</b>	<b>6,372</b>	<b>6,248</b>	<b>1.7%</b>
Egypt	4,960	5,201	6,786	6,274	6,155	1.6%
Poland	7,312	6,482	7,860	7,081	6,031	1.6%
Peru	5,134	5,389	5,515	5,702	6,021	1.6%
Türkiye	4,550	4,980	5,200	5,100	5,200	1.4%
United Kingdom	5,060	5,307	5,513	5,127	4,797	1.3%
Algeria	4,653	5,020	4,659	4,361	4,300	1.1%
Kazakhstan	3,807	3,912	4,007	4,032	4,080	1.1%
Brazil	3,729	3,712	3,753	3,853	3,890	1.0%
Belarus	4,348	4,355	3,708	3,405	3,857	1.0%
Belgium	3,045	4,028	3,929	3,871	3,578	1.0%
Uzbekistan	2,912	3,090	3,144	3,286	3,443	0.9%
Nepal	3,088	3,113	3,132	3,325	3,411	0.9%
Denmark	1,807	2,409	2,763	2,375	2,618	0.7%
Iran	3,575	3,452	3,215	2,599	2,600	0.7%
Other countries	56,801	59,055	58,336	57,516	55,475	14.8%
<b>World</b>	<b>364,018</b>	<b>366,802</b>	<b>369,381</b>	<b>373,787</b>	<b>374,778</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Notes:

1. Includes seed potatoes.

2. FAO production data for the year 2023 was not yet available at the time of writing this report.

3. The figures for Canada in this table may differ slightly from the data provided by Statistics Canada as the latter are revised one year after the release.

Source: Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) of the United Nations | © FAO Statistics Division 2024 - 27 August 2024

### 6.1.2. A Comparison: United States production statistics

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Seeded area (hectares)	388,620	372,108	380,000	373,525	390,522
Harvested area (hectares)	378,098	368,911	376,196	371,582	388,579
Average yield, measured in metric tons / hectare	50.8	51.6	49.8	49.1	51.4
Production, measured in metric tons	19,195,531	19,040,947	18,716,991	18,236,864	19,992,085
Amount utilized <sup>1</sup> , measured in metric tons	17,854,440	17,772,567	17,486,803	17,072,900	..
Average price <sup>2</sup> , measured in CAN\$ / metric ton	290.6	275.1	282.0	370.2	381.0
Total value of sales <sup>2</sup> , measured in CAN\$ (x 1,000)	5,203,604	4,896,191	4,938,274	6,294,728	..

Notes:

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

2. For potatoes sold. Excludes potatoes used on farm where grown for seed, livestock feed and home consumption.

.. : Not available for a specific reference period.

Source: Statistics Canada. Table 32-10-0017-01 Area, production and farm value of potatoes, by harvest season, United States

## 6.2. World trade

### 6.2.1. Top 20 importers of fresh potatoes worldwide (CAN\$ '000)

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2023 % Share
Belgium	875,359	682,439	710,662	880,145	1,483,048	20.3%
Netherlands	515,742	401,337	440,223	435,584	647,036	8.9%
Spain	378,668	358,758	301,754	444,871	622,919	8.5%
United States	258,422	339,650	318,574	503,619	551,425	7.6%
Italy	291,856	214,118	190,385	227,852	440,443	6.0%
Germany	416,164	295,831	257,081	271,394	359,307	4.9%
France	177,793	104,892	112,748	145,873	289,211	4.0%
Portugal	131,155	102,363	94,065	146,738	219,661	3.0%
Russia	166,672	163,759	283,634	324,459	202,942	2.8%
Mexico	78,037	80,775	69,593	108,691	154,914	2.1%
Malaysia	103,634	115,296	102,157	129,008	140,031	1.9%
Greece	128,061	79,166	74,062	110,915	132,055	1.8%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>134,439</b>	<b>109,703</b>	<b>118,815</b>	<b>102,738</b>	<b>112,260</b>	<b>1.5%</b>
Romania	88,179	62,127	57,451	71,145	101,305	1.4%
Czech Republic	88,730	61,522	45,851	57,762	86,517	1.2%
Slovakia	47,885	46,799	28,041	45,887	85,337	1.2%
Ireland	66,559	48,666	44,490	49,656	81,789	1.1%
Poland	131,113	72,309	44,723	63,840	77,380	1.1%
United Kingdom	144,443	141,480	66,752	47,002	70,734	1.0%
Switzerland	15,481	23,216	28,807	54,118	64,673	0.9%
Others	1,132,399	1,011,178	1,055,278	1,328,451	1,368,239	18.8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,370,791</b>	<b>4,515,384</b>	<b>4,445,146</b>	<b>5,549,748</b>	<b>7,291,226</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Note:						
Does not include seed potatoes.						
Source: Global Trade Tracker (September 2024)						

### 6.2.2. Top 20 exporters of fresh potatoes worldwide (CAN\$ '000)

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2023 % Share
France	931,849	780,441	699,236	972,255	1,320,981	18.9%
Netherlands	563,815	407,202	449,073	573,933	921,970	13.2%
Germany	520,851	429,538	411,632	544,780	829,586	11.9%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>267,425</b>	<b>348,899</b>	<b>330,689</b>	<b>520,300</b>	<b>580,497</b>	<b>8.3%</b>
Egypt	335,358	304,194	249,735	454,571	453,259	6.5%
United States	320,399	305,919	324,281	368,768	429,392	6.2%
Belgium	253,742	236,388	215,220	244,473	356,730	5.1%
China	525,152	387,013	263,961	321,327	308,606	4.4%
Spain	171,400	145,413	157,895	179,153	289,580	4.1%
Pakistan	45,231	85,069	128,405	265,253	189,865	2.7%
India	100,907	94,687	87,758	123,266	137,392	2.0%
United Kingdom	134,459	81,558	93,308	115,583	137,390	2.0%
Israel	67,955	92,297	99,921	93,242	119,695	1.7%
Iran	271,632	155,470	169,311	50,312	117,186	1.7%
Italy	97,938	68,198	55,438	59,030	94,197	1.3%
Cyprus	70,810	55,194	61,815	59,030	62,371	0.9%
Portugal	36,748	21,038	24,688	25,320	58,193	0.8%
South Africa	52,562	48,320	48,677	42,314	44,161	0.6%
Azerbaijan	36,005	46,774	48,855	45,057	41,853	0.6%
Kazakhstan	25,035	36,475	27,558	26,461	40,610	0.6%
Others	539,399	440,576	455,337	415,517	445,037	6.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,368,672</b>	<b>4,570,663</b>	<b>4,402,793</b>	<b>5,499,945</b>	<b>6,978,551</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Note:						
Does not include seed potatoes.						
Source: Global Trade Tracker (September 2024)						

### 6.2.3. Top 20 importers of seed potatoes worldwide (CAN\$ '000)

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2023 % Share
Belgium	119,316	125,156	120,325	92,120	166,202	14.8%
Egypt	140,535	100,269	136,863	166,645	148,606	13.2%
Spain	65,055	59,999	46,865	57,825	66,828	5.9%
Italy	61,144	61,987	49,535	55,845	61,221	5.4%
Morocco	33,821	39,638	26,133	48,473	57,405	5.1%
United States	34,063	44,789	33,965	35,144	53,779	4.8%
Germany	63,414	47,138	35,726	35,894	48,365	4.3%
France	33,189	32,613	36,197	36,062	45,036	4.0%
Saudi Arabia	35,883	31,045	24,382	36,774	34,112	3.0%
Netherlands	79,293	67,723	43,520	28,975	34,083	3.0%
Portugal	36,477	30,222	27,920	25,965	32,051	2.8%
Türkiye	16,761	21,830	15,030	15,027	32,047	2.8%
Israel	20,943	28,495	21,512	24,868	27,957	2.5%
Greece	22,693	18,351	14,223	16,217	19,770	1.8%
Romania	10,339	10,019	9,914	11,240	15,305	1.4%
Russia	10,604	10,123	14,734	13,177	13,200	1.2%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>8,522</b>	<b>9,764</b>	<b>10,907</b>	<b>12,510</b>	<b>12,907</b>	<b>1.1%</b>
United Kingdom	5,667	8,703	3,220	4,618	12,674	1.1%
Brazil	10,716	10,596	11,301	11,373	12,510	1.1%
Jordan	10,323	8,923	7,680	5,845	12,479	1.1%
Others	224,461	258,873	218,117	251,026	218,131	19.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,043,219</b>	<b>1,026,256</b>	<b>908,069</b>	<b>985,623</b>	<b>1,124,668</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Global Trade Tracker (September 2023)

**6.2.4. Top 20 exporters of seed potatoes worldwide (CAN\$ '000)**

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2023 % Share
Netherlands	777,233	699,337	602,450	718,741	816,519	53.9%
France	162,203	156,717	144,676	157,094	161,476	10.7%
United Kingdom	95,548	97,644	83,899	105,549	110,829	7.3%
Germany	69,147	78,235	72,633	65,982	84,937	5.6%
Egypt	8,639	7,784	6,623	6,141	83,682	5.5%
Denmark	50,811	35,087	41,306	49,315	62,680	4.1%
<b>Canada</b>	<b>36,159</b>	<b>48,096</b>	<b>36,103</b>	<b>36,165</b>	<b>52,704</b>	<b>3.5%</b>
Belgium	66,763	63,840	36,109	31,829	39,360	2.6%
United States	17,179	20,670	21,692	27,414	28,222	1.9%
South Africa	8,345	9,350	15,665	20,659	14,863	1.0%
Spain	57,866	9,266	7,643	7,789	10,452	0.7%
Dominican Republic	2,887	3,483	2,450	3,989	5,414	0.4%
Australia	6,670	5,372	6,437	4,971	5,279	0.3%
Portugal	5,762	6,217	5,047	5,410	4,800	0.3%
Austria	4,049	4,736	3,253	2,847	4,169	0.3%
Türkiye	732	1,170	1,319	1,514	2,679	0.2%
Poland	2,287	2,404	4,125	2,928	2,531	0.2%
Luxembourg	4,326	5,020	3,097	1,479	2,489	0.2%
Pakistan	834	2,490	1,343	1,392	2,483	0.2%
Kyrgyzstan	87	2,627	1,063	6,137	2,396	0.2%
Others	31,317	37,583	18,380	22,673	16,584	1.1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,408,844</b>	<b>1,297,128</b>	<b>1,115,313</b>	<b>1,280,018</b>	<b>1,514,548</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: Global Trade Tracker (September 2024)

## 7. Key resources

- Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, Infohort
- Canadian Food Inspection Agency, Potatoes Section
- Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, Statistics Division
- Global Trade Tracker
- Statistics Canada. Table 32-10-0045-01
- Statistics Canada. Table 32-10-0054-01
- Statistics Canada. Table 32-10-0166-01
- Statistics Canada. Table 32-10-0358-01
- Statistics Canada. Table 32-10-0017-01
- Statistics Canada. CATSNET
- Statistics Canada. 2021 Census of Agriculture

**Import and export data is based on the following Harmonized System Codes (H.S. Codes):**

- **Fresh Potato Export HS Codes:** 07019000
- **Seed Potato Export HS Codes:** 07011000
- **Frozen Potato Export HS Codes:** 07101000, 20041000
- **Processed Export HS Codes:** 07121000, 11051000, 11052000, 11081300, 20052000
- **Fresh Potato Import HS Codes:** 0701900010, 0701900020
- **Seed Potato Import HS Codes:** 0701100000
- **Frozen Potato Import HS Codes:** 0710100000, 2004100000
- **Processed Import HS Codes:** 0712909010, 1105100000, 1105200000, 1108130010, 1108130020, 2005200010, 2005200020, 2005200090