

Potato Prices Survey



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This survey is conducted under the authority of the *Statistics Act*, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1985, c. S-19. Completion of this questionnaire is a legal requirement under the *Statistics Act*.

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F.C.	005		1
P.	005		4
R.	005		2
N.C.	005		3

In Business - produces potatoes	004		99
In Business - doesn't produce potatoes	004		98
Out of Business	004		13
Change of Operator	004		12
No potato sales this month	003		1
No potato sales until the month of			

If any information above is incorrect or missing, please make any necessary corrections below.

FRM																								
	Farm Name (if applicable)																							
	Surname or Family Name																Area Code		Telephone					
OP 1																								
	Usual First Name and Initial																		Cell phone					
ADR																								
	R.R.		Box No.																					
EML																								
	Email Address (if applicable)																							
OP 2																								
	Partner's Name (if applicable)																Area Code		Telephone					
OP 3																								
	Partner's Name (if applicable)																Area Code		Telephone					
CORP																								
	Corporation Name (if applicable)																Area Code		Telephone					

RECORD OF CALLS			RECORD OF CALLS		
DATE	TIME	RESULT	DATE	TIME	RESULT

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The purpose of this survey is to collect accurate, up-to-date information on farm prices received for potatoes. These prices are used to calculate farm cash receipts, to negotiate international trade agreements, to formulate income stabilization policies and to help farmers make informed management decisions.

What is the average price you received for potatoes you sold last month?

- Please report the price received after any deductions or bonuses were made.
- Please report an average price taking into account all grades.
- Do not include the price you received for potatoes that you purchased for re-sale.

Note to interviewer: If you are making calls the first week of January, we are looking for the price received by producers for potatoes sold in the month of December. If the producer reports in a unit not shown, report it in other, but try and determine the weight of the unit they are selling in. Please explain any unusual prices in the comment section.

Unit of measure	Tablestock	Seed	Sold for processing under contract	Sold for processing without contract
\$/metric tonne (long - 2205 pounds)				
\$/cwt (100 pounds)				
\$/imperial ton (short - 2000 pounds)				
\$/barrel (165 pounds)				
¢/pound				
¢/kilogram				
Other, please specify _____				

COMMENTS:

GENERAL INFORMATION

Confidentiality

Your answers are confidential.

Statistics Canada is prohibited by law from releasing any information it collects which could identify any person, business, or organization, unless consent has been given by the respondent or as permitted by the *Statistics Act*. The confidentiality provisions of the *Statistics Act* are not affected by either the *Access to Information Act* or any other legislation. Therefore, for example, the Canada Revenue Agency cannot access identifiable survey records from Statistics Canada.

Information from this survey will be used for statistical purposes only and will be published in aggregate form only.

Record linkages

To enhance the data from this survey, Statistics Canada may combine it with information from other surveys from administrative sources.

Data-sharing agreements

NEW-BRUNSWICK, QUEBEC, ONTARIO, MANITOBA, SASKATCHEWAN, ALBERTA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA RESIDENT:

To avoid duplication of enquiry, Statistics Canada has entered into a data-sharing agreement with your provincial statistical agency under **Section 11** of the *Statistics Act*. Your provincial agency has legislation similar to the *Statistics Act* to protect your data. Your data must be kept confidential and be used only for statistical purposes.

NOTE TO INTERVIEWERS: Because these statistical agencies have the legal authority to compel businesses to provide the same information, consent is not requested and farm operations may not object to the sharing of their data.

NEW BRUNSWICK, ONTARIO, MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA RESIDENT:

An agreement has also been signed under **Section 12** of the *Statistics Act* with the New Brunswick Agriculture and Aquaculture department, the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs, the Manitoba Department of Agriculture, Food and Rural Initiatives and the British Columbia Ministry of Agriculture and Lands.

Do you agree to share your information with the organization of your province?

Yes ☐ No ☐

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND RESIDENT:

To avoid duplication of enquiry, Statistics Canada has entered into a data-sharing agreement with your provincial statistical agency under **Section 12** of the *Statistics Act*. Your provincial agency must keep the data confidential and use it only for statistical purposes.

Do you agree to share your information with the Prince Edward Island statistical agency?

Yes ☐ No ☐

Fax or other electronic transmission disclosure

There could be a risk of disclosure during the facsimile or electronic transmission. However, upon receipt of your information, Statistics Canada will provide the level of protection afforded for all information collected under the authority of the *Statistics Act*.