

# Potato Area and Yield Survey

## June 2015

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Please provide your email address.

Email address

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Legal name (if applicable)

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Operating name (if applicable)

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Address (number and street)

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City

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Province/territory

Postal code

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Country

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### GENERAL INFORMATION

This information is collected under the authority of the *Statistics Act, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1985, Chapter S-19.*  
**COMPLETION OF THIS QUESTIONNAIRE IS A LEGAL REQUIREMENT UNDER THIS ACT.**

#### Purpose of this survey

The purpose of this survey is to obtain information to produce national and provincial level estimates of potato production and value. These estimates will be used by producer organizations, government departments and others. Your information may also be used by Statistics Canada for other statistical and research purposes.

#### Confidentiality

##### Your answers are confidential.

The *Statistics Act* protects the confidentiality of information collected by Statistics Canada. 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*. Statistics Canada will use the information from this survey for statistical purposes.

#### Record linkages

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

#### Fax or e-mail transmission disclosure

Statistics Canada advises you that there could be a risk of disclosure during the transmission of information by facsimile or e-mail. However, upon receipt, Statistics Canada will provide the guaranteed level of protection afforded all information collected under the authority of the *Statistics Act*.

#### Data-sharing agreements

To reduce respondent burden, Statistics Canada has entered into data-sharing agreements with provincial and territorial statistical agencies and other government organizations, which have agreed to keep the data confidential and use them only for statistical purposes. Statistics Canada will only share data from this survey with those organizations that have demonstrated a requirement to use the data.

**Section 11** of the *Statistics Act* provides for the sharing of information with provincial and territorial statistical agencies that meet certain conditions. These agencies must have the legislative authority to collect the same information, on a mandatory basis, and the legislation must provide substantially the same provisions for confidentiality and penalties for disclosure of confidential information as the *Statistics Act*. Because these agencies have the legal authority to compel businesses to provide the same information, consent is not requested and businesses may not object to the sharing of the data.

For this survey, there are **Section 11** agreements with the provincial statistical agencies of Newfoundland and Labrador, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and British Columbia.

The shared data will be limited to information pertaining to business establishments located within the jurisdiction of the respective province.

**Section 12** of the *Statistics Act* provides for the sharing of information with federal, provincial or territorial government organizations. Under **Section 12**, you may refuse to share your information with any of these organizations by writing a letter of objection to the Chief Statistician.

For this survey, there are **Section 12** agreements with the statistical agency of Prince Edward Island as well as with the New Brunswick Department of Agriculture, Aquaculture and Fisheries, the Saskatchewan Ministry of Agriculture and the British Columbia Ministry of Agriculture.

For agreements with provincial government organizations, the shared data will be limited to information pertaining to business establishments located within the jurisdiction of the respective province.

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### MAIN RESPONDENT

C0008	Given name and initial(s)	C0028	Family name		
	<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>		
C0017	Telephone number	C0016	Fax number	C0506	Other telephone number
	<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>
C0504	Number and street name				
	<input type="text"/>				
C0507	Post office (name of city, town or village where mail is received)	C0512	Province	C0510	Postal code
	<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>
C0018	Email address (if applicable)				
	<input type="text"/>				

### ALTERNATE RESPONDENT

C0603	Given name and initial(s)	C0601	Family name		
	<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>		
C0600	<input type="checkbox"/> Check this box if the address and telephone number are the same as main respondent.				
C0602	Telephone number	C0604	Fax number	C0606	Other telephone number
	<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>
C0609	Number and street name				
	<input type="text"/>				
C0611	Post office (name of city, town or village where mail is received)	C0612	Province	C0610	Postal code
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### ALTERNATE RESPONDENT

C0703	Given name and initial(s)	C0701	Family name		
	<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>		
C0700	<input type="checkbox"/> Check this box if the address and telephone number are the same as main respondent.				
C0702	Telephone number	C0704	Fax number	C0706	Other telephone number
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C0709	Number and street name				
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C0711	Post office (name of city, town or village where mail is received)	C0712	Province	C0710	Postal code
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## SECTION A - AREA PLANTED 2015

1. Are you growing any potatoes for sale this year?

- C1000 1  Yes ► Please go to question 2
- 3  No ► Please go to Section B

2. What is the total area planted to potatoes in 2015?

Please report for entire operation, area planted to potatoes on land owned or rented by all partners in the operation.

a) Total area planted to potatoes

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b) What is the unit of measure?

C1002 1  acres 3  hectares

## SECTION B - QUANTITY SOLD AND PRICE RECEIVED (BASED ON THE 2014 CROP YEAR)

1. Did you sell any potatoes in the 2014 crop year?

- C1003 1  Yes ► Please go to question 2
- 3  No ► Go to comments on page 4

2. The following questions are for the quantity of potatoes sold and the average price received for the **2014 crop year**.

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

Quantity sold and average price received for the 2014 crop year				
	Quantity sold	Quantity sold unit of measure	Average price received	Average price received unit of measure
1. Tablestock potatoes	C2101 <input type="text"/>	C2102 1 <input type="radio"/> Metric tonnes	C2104 <input type="text"/>	C2105 1 <input type="radio"/> \$/Metric tonne
		2 <input type="radio"/> Hundredweight (cwt)		2 <input type="radio"/> \$/Hundredweight (cwt)
		3 <input type="radio"/> Imperial tons		3 <input type="radio"/> \$/Imperial ton
2. Seed potatoes	C2201 <input type="text"/>	4 <input type="radio"/> Barrels	C2204 <input type="text"/>	4 <input type="radio"/> \$/Barrel
		5 <input type="radio"/> Pounds		5 <input type="radio"/> ¢/Pound
		6 <input type="radio"/> Kilograms		6 <input type="radio"/> ¢/Kilogram
3. Processing potatoes	C2301 <input type="text"/>	7 <input type="radio"/> Other <input type="text"/> (Please specify)	C2304 <input type="text"/>	7 <input type="radio"/> Other <input type="text"/> (Please specify)

## COMMENTS

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