

Potato Area and Yield Survey

October 2012

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If necessary, please make address label corrections in the boxes below for the main operation and on the second page for the operators (please print).

C0001 Farm Name (if applicable)

C0002 Corporation Name (if applicable)

C0004 Address (number and street)

C0005 City

C0006 Province / Territory C0007 Postal Code

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. These estimates will be used by producer organizations, government departments and others.

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 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 and/or administrative sources.

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*.

Data-sharing agreements with all provinces except Prince Edward Island

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.

Prince Edward Island Residents

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 your provincial agency?

C5000 1 Yes 3 No

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You can also fax it to us at 1-888-883-7999.

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 Statistics Canada, Operations and Integration Division, Distribution Center – SC-0702
 150 Tunney's Pasture Driveway, Ottawa, Ontario, K1A 0T6

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PARTNER

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1. What was the total area planted to potatoes in 2012?

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

a) Total area planted to potatoes C1001

b) What was the unit of measure that you reported in? C1002 1 acres 3 hectares

2. What was the total area of potatoes harvested in 2012?

C1003

Please answer either question 3 or 4

3. What was the average field run yield for your potatoes?

Please report the average yield on the area harvested, not total area and please report the yield based on product moving into storage, not the marketable yield.

C2000

OR

4. What was the total field run production of harvested potatoes?

Please report the production from the entire operation and the production moving into storage, not the marketable production.

C2001

5. Is the yield or production reported in:

C2002 1 tons
2 cwts
3 tonnes
4 barrels (165 pounds)
5 other (please note) C2003

6. What percentage of your harvested crop do you expect to make grade?

The percentage that you expect to make grade for table, seed or processing as defined by the grading standard of the Canadian Food Inspection Agency, your provincial grading standards or your processor.

C3000 %

COMMENTS

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FOR INFORMATION ONLY

Thank you for completing this questionnaire.