

# National Potato and Onion Report



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## POTATO SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION FOR Tuesday, November 20, 2018

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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 FAIRLY GOOD. **MARKET BURBANK CARTON 40-70s AND NORKOTAH CARTON 60s HIGHER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY.**

Truck availability limiting movement.

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

baled 5 10-lb mesh sacks

non sz A 6.50-7.00 mostly 7.00

baled 5 10-lb film bags

non sz A 6.00-7.25 mostly 6.50

baled 10 5-lb mesh sacks

non sz A 7.50-8.00 mostly 8.00

baled 10 5-lb film bags

non sz A 7.00-7.50 mostly 7.50

50 lb cartons

40s 7.00-8.50 mostly 7.50-8.00

50s 7.00-8.50 mostly 7.50-8.00

60s 8.50-9.00

70s 8.50-10.00 mostly 8.50-9.00

80s 8.50-10.00 mostly 8.50

90s 8.50-9.00 mostly 8.50

100s 8.50-9.00 mostly 8.50 occas lower

U.S. Two 50 lb sacks

6 oz min 5.50-6.00 mostly 6.00

10 oz min 7.00

**Norkotah** U.S. One 2" or 4-oz Min

baled 5 10-lb mesh sacks

non sz A 6.50-7.00 mostly 7.00

baled 5 10-lb film bags

non sz A 6.00-6.50 mostly 6.50

baled 10 5-lb mesh sacks

non sz A 7.50-8.00 mostly 8.00

baled 10 5-lb film bags

non sz A 7.00-7.50 mostly 7.50

50 lb cartons

40s 6.00-7.00 mostly 6.50

50s 6.50-7.00 mostly 6.50

60s 7.00-8.00 mostly 7.50-8.00

70s 7.50-8.00

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 GOOD. **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 & lower

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 occas higher & lower

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 FAIRLY GOOD. **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 occas higher

sz B 7.50-9.00 mostly 8.00-8.50

**Yellow Type** U.S. One

baled 10 5-lb film bags

sz A 11.00-13.00 mostly 11.50

50 lb cartons

sz A 11.00-13.00 mostly 11.50

sz B 8.50-9.00 occas higher

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

tote bags approx 2000 lbs per cwt

sz A 16.00-18.00 mostly 17.00-18.00

**---NEBRASKA (Idaho Falls)**

DEMAND 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

50s 9.00-10.00

60s 9.00-10.00

70s 9.00-11.00 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 LIGHT. **MARKET**

**RUSSET CARTONS 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 9.00-10.00

50s 9.00-10.00 mostly 9.50-10.00

60s 9.50-10.00 mostly 10.00

70s 9.50-10.00 mostly 10.00

80s 9.50-10.50 mostly 10.00

90s 9.50-10.50 mostly 10.00

100s 9.50-10.50 mostly 10.00

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 12.00-12.50 mostly 12.50

**Yellow Type** U.S. One

baled 10 5-lb film bags

sz A 12.00-13.00

**---LONG ISLAND, NEW YORK (Benton Harbor)**

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

<b>POTATOES - SHIPMENTS &amp; IMPORTS - 1,000 CWT</b>											
<b>Areas currently shipping - Preliminary</b>									<b>TTD</b>		<b>FINAL</b>
<b>November</b>		<b>Tue</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>Thu</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>Sun</b>	<b>Mon</b>	<b>THIS</b>	<b>LAST</b>	<b>LAST</b>
		<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>SSN</b>	<b>SSN</b>	<b>SSN</b>
<b>Idaho-2018</b>	TR	174	168	147	130	0	0	169	8756	8108	32197
	TR-EXPT	6	3	2	1	0	0	0	89	22	267
	RL & PB	19	29	18	27	2	0	12	948	726	3871
	Organic TR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	1	23
	<b>Total</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>9799</b>	<b>8857</b>	<b>36358</b>
<b>California</b>											
Northern California	TR	W/E 11/17: 9							57	64	366
Organic	TR	W/E 11/17: 11							37	45	233
Kern	TR	W/E 11/17: 26							2491	2369	2379
	TR-EXPT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41	159	159
	RL & PB	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	282	295	295
<b>Colorado</b>	TR	54	89	90	83	11	0	68	2,755	2,754	10,376
San Luis Valley	TR-EXPT	W/E 11/17: 36							264	287	1,191
	RL & PB	3	7	0	7	0	0	4	64	134	585
Organic	TR	8	4	2	9	0	0	4	169	161	592
Northern Colorado	TR	15	13	12	15	9	0	5	563	441	527
<b>Delaware</b>	TR	W/E 11/10: 2							124	164	164
<b>Maine</b>	TR	10	14	23	9	9	0	6	270	287	1,773
<b>Michigan</b>	TR	8	5	9	11	55	6	9	471	679	2,447
<b>Minnesota</b>											
Big Lake & Central 2018	TR	W/E 11/17: 21							1,501	1,563	1,775
	TR-EXPT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	15	15
Red River Valley	TR	2	3	1	3	2	0	3	139	100	456
<b>Nebraska</b>	TR	13	13	16	16	20	0	9	790	1,066	3,333
<b>New Mexico</b>	TR	W/E 10/13: 1							17	10	65
<b>New York</b>											
Eastern Long Island	TR	2	4	5	4	1	0	3	191	233	291
<b>North Dakota</b>											
Red River Valley	TR	17	10	9	21	17	0	15	662	825	3,290
	RL & PB	3	9	12	5	0	0	3	172	108	369
<b>Oregon</b>											
Klamath Basin	TR	W/E 11/17: 29							116	144	673
Organic	TR	W/E 11/17: 3							12	115	270
Umatilla Basin 2018	TR	4	7	4	7	8	0	7	328	469	1,131
	TR-EXPT	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	107	168	341
	RL & PB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	16	48
<b>Texas</b>											
Hereford Hi-Plains	TR	W/E 11/17: 79							1908	1935	2740
<b>Washington</b>											
Columbia Basin 2018	TR	20	18	21	23	14	0	23	2,337	2,834	5,711
	TR-EXPT	5	5	5	7	3	0	6	780	746	1,942
	RL & PB	3	3	4	4	0	0	3	121	103	304
Organic	TR	2	3	3	2	0	0	8	267	403	494
<b>Wisconsin 2018</b>	TR	58	45	53	61	0	0	43	2,150	2,767	6,917
Organic	TR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	32	42
<b>Canada-Commerce</b>	2017 Crop July-June (as of June 2018)								6,210	5,948	5,948
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>428</b>	<b>452</b>	<b>436</b>	<b>446</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>401</b>	<b>35232</b>	<b>36296</b>	<b>93600</b>
<b>NOTE:</b> Total for Saturday, November 17 including current week ending numbers is <b>389</b> .											

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**SALES F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT AND DELIVERED SALES SHIPPING POINT BASIS****---IDAHO AND MALHEUR COUNTY, OREGON****(Idaho Falls)**DEMAND GOOD. **MARKET STEADY.**

Truck availability limiting movement.

**Yellow Spanish Hybrid U.S. One**

50 lb sacks Super

col 5.50-7.00 mostly 6.00

col 5.00-6.00 mostly 5.00 occas higher &amp; lower

jbo 4.50-5.00 occas higher &amp; 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 occas higher

**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

**---COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON & UMATILLA BASIN, OREGON (Idaho Falls)**DEMAND GOOD. **MARKET STEADY.**

Truck availability limiting movement.

**Yellow Hybrid**

50 lb sacks

col 5.00-6.50 mostly 5.50-6.00

jbo 4.50-5.50 occas lower

med 5.50-6.00

**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 IMPORTS – REPACKED AT VARIOUS EAST COAST SHIPPING POINTS (Idaho Falls)**DEMAND FAIRLY GOOD. **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

rprkr 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

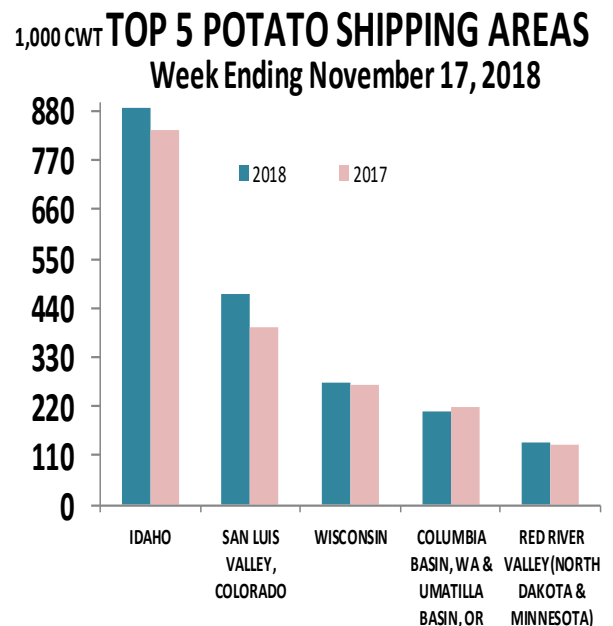
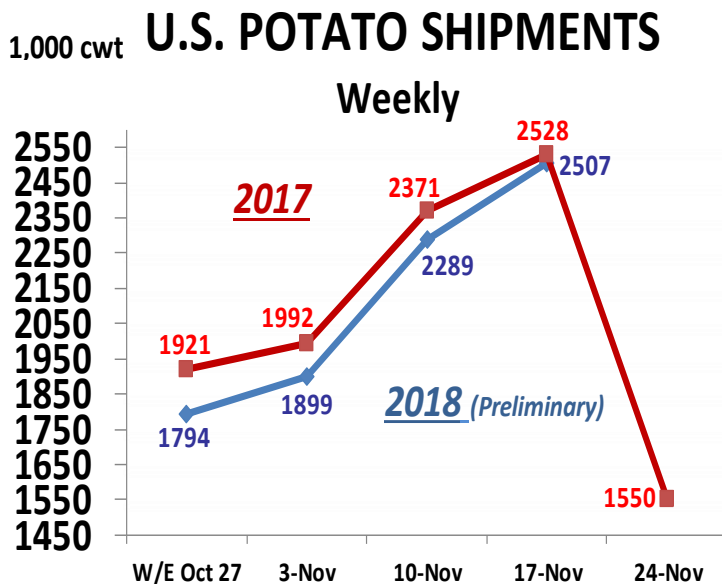
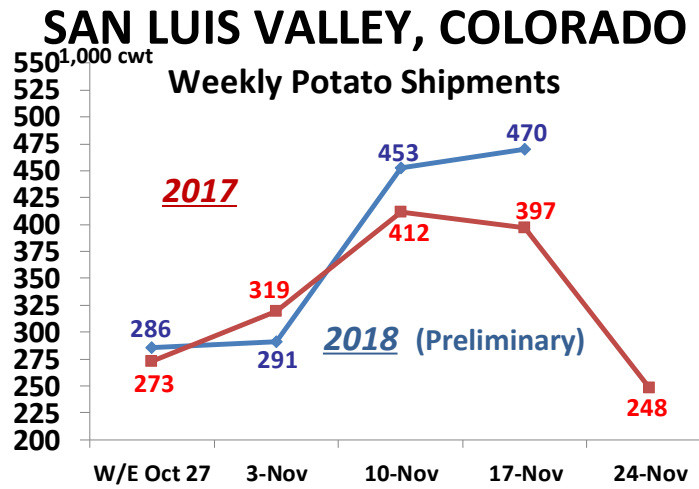
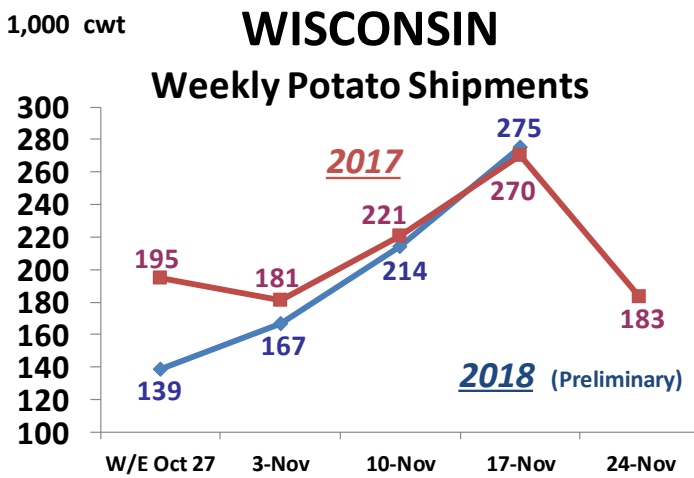
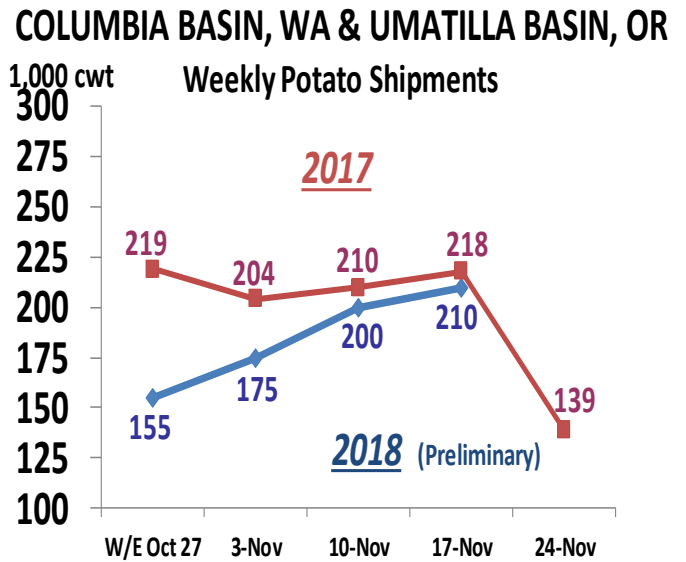
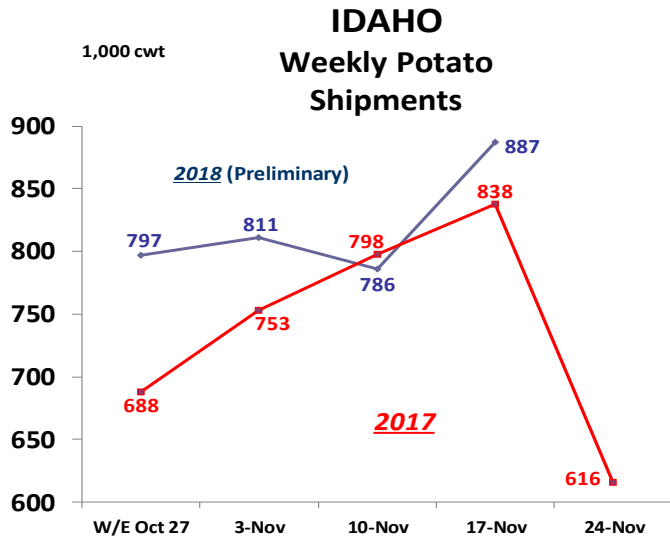
condition lower

**Red Globe Type**

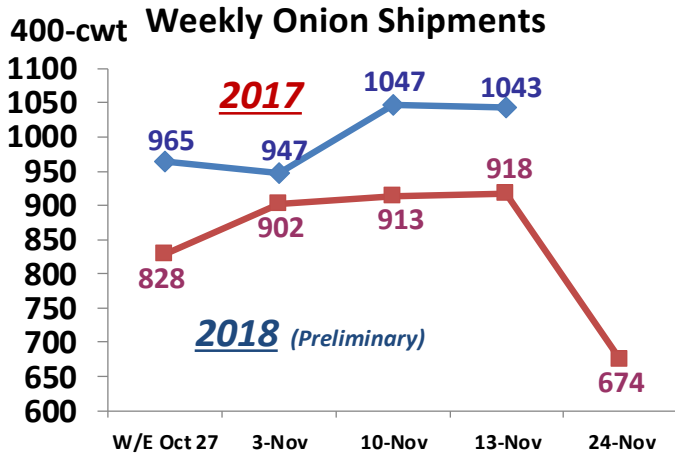
50 lb sacks

med 13.00-16.00 fair quality and condition lower

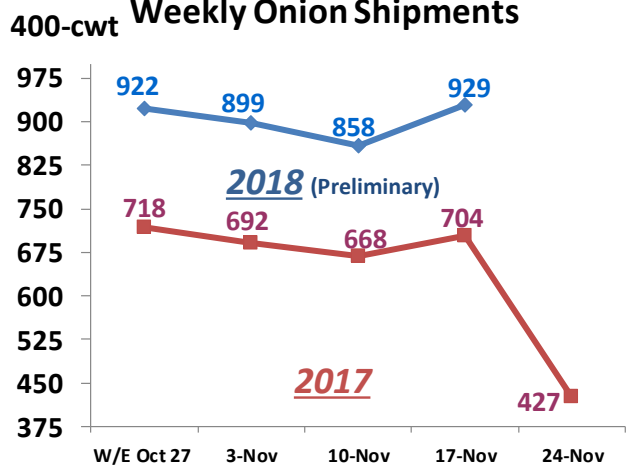
ONIONS - SHIPMENTS & IMPORTS - 400 CWT											
Area Currently Shipping - Preliminary									TID		FINAL
November	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	THIS	LAST	LAST	
	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	SSN	SSN	SSN	
<b>Idaho &amp; Malheur</b>	TR	156	160	145	149	0	0	109	10,241	7,461	18,990
	TR-EXPT	4	11	14	2	0	0	14	286	119	490
<b>County, Oregon</b>	RL & PB	20	17	20	12	17	0	12	952	458	1,839
<b>Total ID/OR</b>		180	188	179	163	17	0	135	11479	8038	21319
<b>California</b>											
Southern California	TR	W/E 11/17: 26							278	564	979
	RL & PB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	37	0	6
Central California Coast	TR	W/E 11/17: 32							381	0	0
<b>Colorado (North &amp; East Poin</b>	TR	W/E 11/17: 84							921	1220	2532
<b>Western Slope</b>	TR	W/E 11/17: 38							360	624	1069
<b>Michigan</b>	TR	11	8	11	10	13	0	10	447	641	1,399
<b>New York</b>	TR	23	25	22	20	19	0	32	959	1,639	5,577
<b>Oregon</b>											
Umatilla Basin	TR	W/E 10/27: 134							2,047	2,665	6,128
	TR-EXPT	W/E 10/27: 35							489	522	1,087
	RL & PB	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	9	19
Western Oregon	TR	W/E 10/27: 25							316	266	685
	TR-EXPT	W/E 10/27: 27							105	56	104
<b>Utah</b>	TR	W/E 11/17: 112							795	810	1,928
<b>Washington</b>	TR	112	119	90	127	37	0	131	9,004	8,969	22,168
Columbia Basin 2018 CROP	TR-EXPT	38	19	37	34	24	0	43	2,904	2,632	5,690
	RL & PB	38	38	38	34	60	0	0	1,853	1,435	4,293
Organic	TR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	5	13
<b>Total Columbia Basin</b>		188	176	165	195	121	0	174	13771	13041	32164
<b>Wisconsin</b>	TR	W/E 11/17: 44							328	307	1023
<b>IMPORTS-ALL PORTS</b>											
<b>Canada-Commerce</b>	TR	2017 Crop July-June (as of June 2018)							3,404	2,755	2,755
<b>Mexico</b>											
Crossings thru Otay Mesa	TR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	203
Crossings thru Pharr, TX	TR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	5	1,801
Crossing thru Rio Grande City, TX	TR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	6	738
<b>Total Mexico Crossings</b>		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	12	2,742
<b>Peru</b>	TR	46	45	37	46	36	13	44	2162	2159	5783
<b>U.S. TOTAL</b>		451	442	414	434	206	13	395	20,947	22,069	56,419
<b>ONIONS PROCESSED</b>											
US - EAST	TR	W/E 11/17: 10							905	956	1,013
US - WEST	TR	W/E 11/17: 288							14,399	13,709	15,363
NOTE: Total for Saturday, November 17 including current week ending numbers is 624											



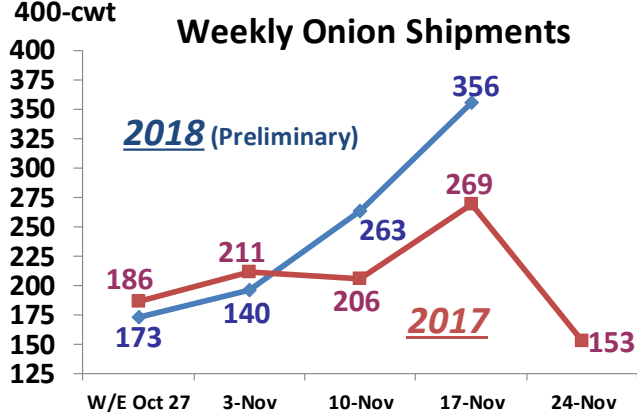
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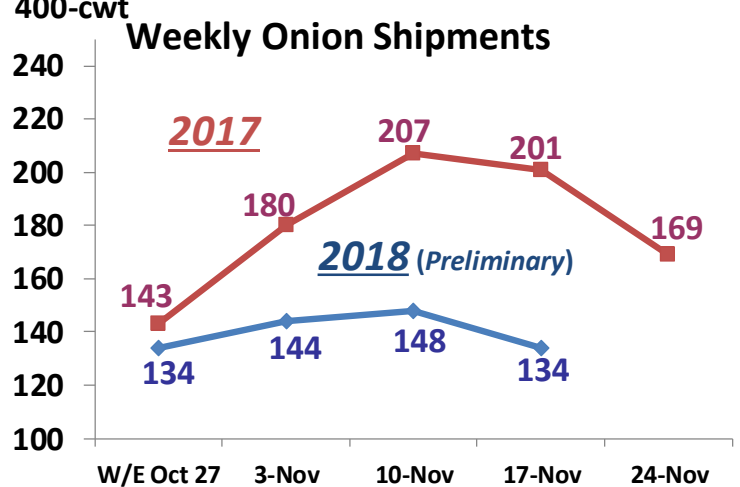
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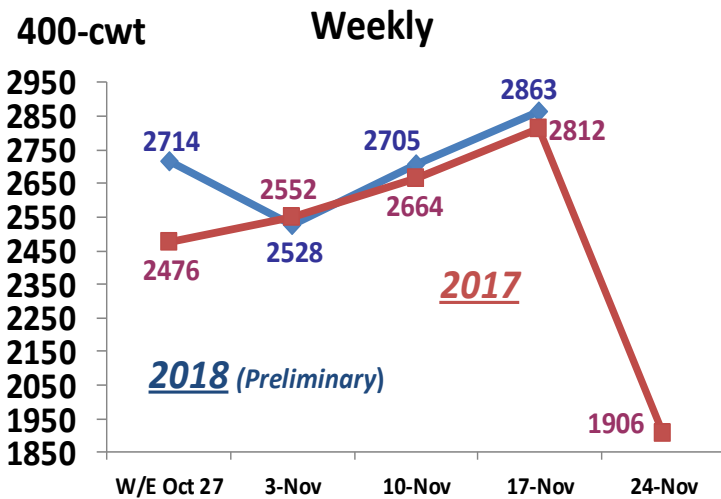
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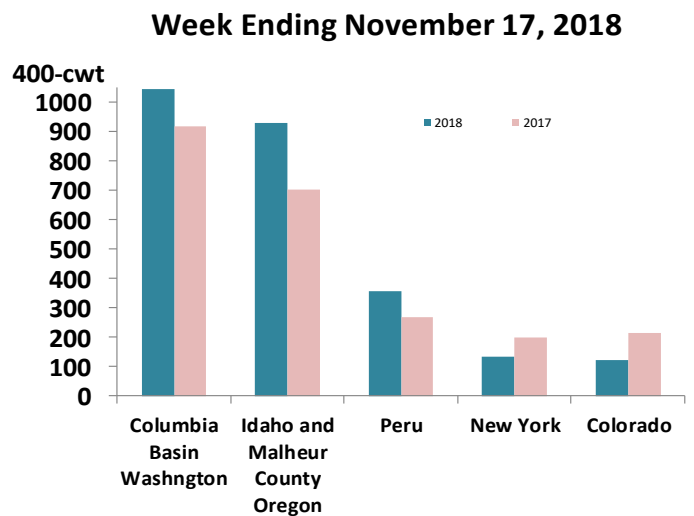
### NEW YORK



### U.S. ONION SHIPMENTS



### TOP 5 ONION SHIPPING AREAS



**NATIONAL SHIPPING POINT TRENDS**

Unless otherwise stated, shipments, crossings or imports are for the weeks ending November 04, 11, and 18, 2018 in that order in thousand hundredweight (cwt) or 100,000 pound units. Expected movement is for the period November 11-24, 2018. Prices are for Monday, November 19, 2018 compared to Tuesday, November 13, 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) 1900-2288\*-2507---The top shipping states, in order, were Idaho, Colorado, Wisconsin, Columbia Basin Washington, and Red River Valley (North Dakota & Minnesota). The Market News Service survey of over 30,000 retail stores had 29,174 ads for potatoes last week, which is a 42 percent increase from last weeks ads of 20,434.\*revised.

**UPPER VALLEY, TWIN FALLS-BURLEY DISTRICT, IDAHO**---Shipments 812-786-888(includes exports of 4-6-12)---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading bales active, others fairly active. Prices generally unchanged. Russet Burbank U.S. One baled 10-5pound film bags non size A mostly 7.50; 50-pound cartons 40-50s 7.00-8.00, 60s 8.00-9.00, 70-100s mostly 8.50; Russet Norkotah U.S. One baled 10-5pound film bags non size A mostly 7.50; 50-pound cartons 40-50s mostly 6.50, 60-70s mostly 7.50, 80- 100s 8.00-8.50.

**SAN LUIS VALLEY, COLORADO**---Shipments 291-453-547 (including exports 17-26-36)---Movement expected to increase. Trading slow. 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 12.00- 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.

**CENTRAL WISCONSIN**---Shipments 165-213-275---Movement expected to decrease seasonally after the Thanksgiving Holiday. Trading moderate. Prices Russet baled slightly higher, others 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.

**COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON AND UMATILLA BASIN OREGON 2018**---Shipments 177-199-209 (includes export of 45-33-30)---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading active. 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 8.00-8.50, 100s mostly 7.50- 8.00.

**MINNESOTA-NORTH DAKOTA (RED RIVER VALLEY)**---Shipments 102-146-139--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly active. 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.

**MICHIGAN**---Shipments 47-77-99---Movement expected to decrease following Thanksgiving. Trading opened fairly active, closed moderate. 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.

**NEBRASKA**---Shipments 70-90-85---Movement expected to increase. Trading slow. Prices generally unchanged. Russet U.S. One 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.

**HEREFORD-HIGH PLAINS-EASTERN NEW MEXICO**---Shipments 49-71-79---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

**NORTHERN COLORADO DISTRICT**---Shipments 59-66-78---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

**AROOSTOOK COUNTY, MAINE**---Shipments 29-75\*-74---Movement expected to decrease following Thanksgiving promotions. Trading opened fairly active, closed 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 39-53-49--- Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

**KERN DISTRICT CALIFORNIA**---Shipments 23-28-27---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Trading moderate. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.



**BIG LAKE AND CENTRAL MINNESOTA DISTRICT**---Shipments 16-14-21---Movement expected to decrease seasonally. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

**LONG ISLAND NEW YORK**---Shipments 18-15-19---Movement expected to decrease following week. 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.

**NEW BRUNSWICK (CROSSINGS THROUGH MAINE POINTS)**---Shipments moderate--- Movement expected to decrease following Thanksgiving. Trading opened fairly active, closed fairly slow. Prices 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 322-283-271---Movement expected about the same. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few new sales to establish a market.

**WISCONSIN**---Shipments to Chippers 154-157-222---Movement expected to remain about the same. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

**AROOSTOOK COUNTY, MAINE**---Shipments to Chippers 61-62-61---Movement expected about the same. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

**WESTERN AND CENTRAL NEW YORK**---Shipments to Chippers 66-63\*-50--- Movement expected about the same. 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 70-42-49---Movement expected to remain about the same. Too few open market sales to establish a market.

**PENNSYLVANIA**---Shipments to Chippers 22-18\*-22---Movement expected about the same. Most movement on pre-season contract. Too few open market sales to establish a market. \*revised.

### ONIONS, DRY

**UNITED STATES**---Shipments (including imports) 1011-1083-1145---The top shipping areas for the week, in order, were Columbia Basin Washington, Idaho and Malheur County Oregon, Peru, New York, and Colorado. The Market News Service survey of over 30,000 retail stores had 15,263 ads for onions last week, which is a 12 percent increase from last week's ads of 13,590. \*revised.

**COLUMBIA BASIN, WASHINGTON AND UMATILLA BASIN OREGON** ---Shipments 380-419-417 (includes exports of 72-87-71)---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly active. Prices generally unchanged. Yellow Hybrid Type 50-pound sacks colossal mostly 5.50-6.00, jumbo 4.50-5.50, medium 5.50-6.00; 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 360-343-372---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly active. Prices generally unchanged. Yellow lower, others 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. PERU IMPORTS AT VARIOUS EAST COAST SHIPPING POINTS---Shipments 78-105-142---Movement expected remain about the same. Trading fairly active. Prices generally unchanged. Yellow Granex Marked Sweet 40-pound cartons jumbo mostly 16.00-18.00.

**NEW YORK**---Shipments 58-59-54---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading fairly active. Prices yellow jumbo higher, others 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 37-37-45---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

**NORTH AND EAST POINTS COLORADO**---34-36-34---Movement expected to remain about the same. Unofficial prices for Monday, November 19, 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

**MICHIGAN**---Shipments 13-19-23---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. 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 16-16-17---Movement expected to remain about the same. Trading moderate. Prices generally unchanged. Yellow Globe Type master container 16 3-lb mesh sacks med mostly 12.00.

**WESTERN SLOPE COLORADO**---Shipments 13-16-15---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

**CENTRAL CALIFORNIA COAST**---Shipments 10-14-13---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

**SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA DISTRICT**---Shipments 9-14-11---Movement expected to remain about the same. Supplies in too few hands to establish a market.

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**WESTERN UNITED STATES**---Shipments 130-114-115---Movement expected to remain about the same. No prices reported.

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

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