



U.S. Exports and Imports, by Volume: 2014-2019

Potatoes: U.S. exports by volume (1,000 pounds)			Potatoes: U.S. imports by volume (1,000 pounds)			Difference Exports Minus Imports
Chips	Market year*	Total	Chips	Market year*	Total	
	2018/19	45,951		2018/19	20,719	25,232
	2017/18	108,076		2017/18	45,286	62,790
	2016/17	113,651		2016/17	39,341	74,310
	2015/16	110,904		2015/16	36,277	74,627
	2014/15	105,646		2014/15	33,926	71,720
Dried, flour, and meal	Market year*	Total	Dried, flour, and meal	Market year*	Total	
	2018/19	8,868		2018/19	4,787	4,081
	2017/18	18,308		2017/18	18,531	(223)
	2016/17	22,573		2016/17	10,710	11,863
	2015/16	28,847		2015/16	4,633	24,214
	2014/15	37,852		2014/15	7,036	30,817
Flakes and granules	Market year*	Total	Flakes and granules	Market year*	Total	
	2018/19	66,594		2018/19	35,025	31,569
	2017/18	167,120		2017/18	85,534	81,586
	2016/17	172,679		2016/17	79,195	93,484
	2015/16	174,454		2015/16	66,979	107,475
	2014/15	200,501		2014/15	69,957	130,544
Fresh or chilled	Market year*	Total	Fresh or chilled	Market year*	Total	
	2018/19	395,614		2018/19	362,441	33,172
	2017/18	986,011		2017/18	926,416	59,595
	2016/17	1,094,591		2016/17	938,711	155,880
	2015/16	991,649		2015/16	891,178	100,471
	2014/15	900,681		2014/15	712,349	188,332
Frozen, fries	Market year*	Total	Frozen, fries	Market year*	Total	
	2018/19	812,678		2018/19	793,660	19,018
	2017/18	1,985,287		2017/18	1,982,084	3,203
	2016/17	2,020,984		2016/17	1,849,679	171,305
	2015/16	1,997,162		2015/16	1,726,947	270,215
	2014/15	1,794,451		2014/15	1,479,395	315,056
Frozen, other	Market year*	Total	Frozen, other	Market year*	Total	
	2018/19	114,534		2018/19	104,108	10,426
	2017/18	254,360		2017/18	226,209	28,152
	2016/17	248,873		2016/17	194,971	53,902
	2015/16	218,246		2015/16	173,313	44,933
	2014/15	189,275		2014/15	259,361	(70,086)
Prepared or preserved ¹	Market year*	Total	Prepared or preserved ¹	Market year*	Total	
	2018/19	33,920		2018/19	24,493	9,427
	2017/18	87,635		2017/18	63,478	24,156
	2016/17	80,911		2016/17	57,123	23,789
	2015/16	82,292		2015/16	59,853	22,439
	2014/15	75,586		2014/15	58,364	17,222
Seed	Market year*	Total	Seed	Market year*	Total	
	2018/19	14,328		2018/19	36,129	(21,800)
	2017/18	37,565		2017/18	153,286	(115,721)
	2016/17	110,494		2016/17	165,714	(55,220)
	2015/16	35,469		2015/16	159,891	(124,422)
	2014/15	33,131		2014/15	140,207	(107,076)
Starch	Market year*	Total	Starch	Market year*	Total	
	2018/19	7,096		2018/19	112,260	(105,164)
	2017/18	17,070		2017/18	250,316	(233,246)
	2016/17	24,035		2016/17	223,675	(199,640)
	2015/16	19,283		2015/16	234,744	(215,461)
	2014/15	19,526		2014/15	225,022	(205,497)

NA = Not available or null. Most recent month indicated in the charts.

¹ Largely canned. (Based on source data published: April 16, 2012)

Sources: U.S. Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau, Foreign Trade Statistics and ERS calculations using Census trade statistics, April 2019.