



Canadian Potato Storage Holdings **(All Sectors)** by Province

April 1, 2020 Infohort: AAFC (000 cwt)

Province	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	3-yr. Average	2019-20	2020 vs. 3-yr. avg
Prince Edward I	11,912	11,585	10,336	11,278	11,704	+3.8%
New Brunswick	7,361	7,262	6,229	6,951	6,208	-10.7%
Quebec	4,408	4,371	4,241	4,340	4,243	-2.2%
Ontario	1,530	2,238	1,985	1,918	1,975	+3.0%
Eastern Canada	25,211	25,456	22,791	24,487	24,130	-1.5%
Manitoba	9,810	9,433	7,215	8,819	7,404	-16.0%
Alberta	8,373	9,995	9,709	9,359	9,253	-1.1%
British Columbia	288	200	365	284	212	-25.4%
Western Canada	18,471	19,628	17,289	18,462	16,869	-8.6%
Total Canada	43,682	45,085	40,080	42,949	40,998	-4.5%

Total Canadian Potato Storage Holdings on April 1, 2020 are 4.5% below the 3-yr. average. Very strong movement during the first three weeks of March helped reduce inventories before the market slowed down from March 23 onward, as consumers stayed home to follow isolation procedures for Covid-19.

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