

TABLE 19

**Potatoes, area, production, farm price and value
Prince Edward Island**

| | 2005 | 2004 | 2003 | 2002 | 2001 | 2000 | 1999 | 1998 | 1997 | 1996 |
|---|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Seeded area (acres) | 95,500 | 106,000 | 106,000 | 109,000 | 107,000 | 109,000 | 113,000 | 112,000 | 112,000 | 110,000 |
| Harvested area (acres) | 93,500 | 105,500 | 105,500 | 107,500 | 107,000 | 108,000 | 110,000 | 110,000 | 112,000 | 109,000 |
| Average yield (cwt per acre) | 260.0 | 275.0 | 265.0 | 280.0 | 172.0 | 270.0 | 260.0 | 265.0 | 265.0 | 260.0 |
| Production ('000 cwt) | 24,310 | 29,013 | 27,958 | 30,100 | 18,404 | 29,160 | 28,600 | 29,150 | 29,680 | 28,340 |
| Amount sold, consumed, seeded and fed to animals ('000 cwt) | .. | 28,548 | 27,661 | 29,794 | 18,306 | 22,543 | 28,192 | 28,622 | 29,166 | 27,769 |
| Average farm price (\$ per cwt) | .. | 5.79 | 5.87 | 7.71 | 10.52 | 6.21 | 6.94 | 7.63 | 6.42 | 5.00 |
| Farm value (\$'000) | .. | 165,376 | 162,248 | 229,825 | 192,511 | 139,947 | 195,617 | 218,355 | 187,290 | 138,956 |

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