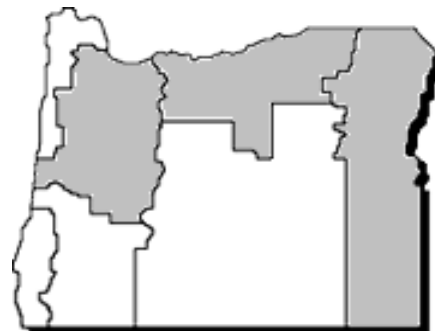


Commodity Data Sheet

Storage Onions



Commodity number-crop year: 7115-05*

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Item and area	Unit	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Acreage harvested						
Oregon - Malheur county	<i>Acres</i>	11,300	12,000	12,200	11,100	11,500
Oregon - Other counties	<i>Acres</i>	7,600	7,300	6,900	7,400	7,800
United States						
Spring ^{1/}	<i>Acres</i>	35,900	33,700	32,500	35,700	35,300
Summer	<i>Acres</i>	129,090	129,020	133,590	133,250	125,820
Non-storage ^{2/}	<i>Acres</i>	21,000	21,800	22,200	23,200	19,800
Storage ^{3/}	<i>Acres</i>	108,090	107,220	111,390	110,050	106,020
Total spring & summer	<i>Acres</i>	164,990	162,720	166,090	168,950	161,120
Yield per acre						
Oregon - Malheur county	<i>Cwt^{4/}</i>	620	650	590	780	640
Oregon - Other counties	<i>Cwt^{4/}</i>	520	530	470	570	360
United States						
Spring ^{1/}	<i>Cwt^{4/}</i>	305	284	312	337	318
Summer	<i>Cwt^{4/}</i>	457	467	473	533	486
Non-storage ^{2/}	<i>Cwt^{4/}</i>	456	495	522	521	563
Storage ^{3/}	<i>Cwt^{4/}</i>	457	462	464	535	472
Total spring & summer	<i>Cwt^{4/}</i>	424	429	442	491	449
Production						
Oregon - Malheur county	<i>1,000 cwt^{4/}</i>	7,006	7,800	7,198	8,658	7,360
Oregon - Other counties	<i>1,000 cwt^{4/}</i>	3,952	3,869	3,243	4,218	2,808
United States						
Spring ^{1/}	<i>1,000 cwt^{4/}</i>	10,946	9,561	10,133	12,031	11,243
Summer	<i>1,000 cwt^{4/}</i>	59,015	60,283	63,230	70,976	61,174
Non-storage ^{2/}	<i>1,000 cwt^{4/}</i>	9,585	10,792	11,588	12,098	11,140
Storage ^{3/}	<i>1,000 cwt^{4/}</i>	49,430	49,491	51,642	58,878	50,034
Total spring & summer	<i>1,000 cwt^{4/}</i>	69,961	69,844	73,363	83,007	72,417
Farm price						
Oregon - Malheur county	<i>Dollars/cwt^{4/}</i>	6.20	9.38	11.10	6.90	14.40
Oregon - Other counties	<i>Dollars/cwt^{4/}</i>	6.25	6.66	7.45	7.20	11.90
United States						
Spring ^{1/}	<i>Dollars/cwt^{4/}</i>	18.30	20.00	29.70	19.70	22.80
Summer	<i>Dollars/cwt^{4/}</i>	9.14	10.60	10.90	8.70	11.90
Non-storage ^{2/}	<i>Dollars/cwt^{4/}</i>	14.50	14.00	15.60	14.60	13.80
Storage ^{3/}	<i>Dollars/cwt^{4/}</i>	7.94	9.80	9.73	7.28	11.40
Total spring & summer	<i>Dollars/cwt^{4/}</i>	10.70	12.10	13.70	10.50	13.70

*Shaded areas of map represent the major areas of production for this commodity. 1/ Spring onions are grown in AZ, CA, GA & TX. 2/ Non-storage onions are grown in CA, NV, NM, TX & WA. 3/ Storage onions are grown in CA, CO, ID, MI, MN, NY, OH, OR, UT, WA & WI. 4/ Hundredweight (cwt) is equal to 100 pounds.

Source: USDA/NASS (National Agricultural Statistics Service)

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**Storage onions: Acreage, yield, production
and value of sales, by county, Oregon, 2003-2005**

District & county	Acreage harvested			Yield per acre		
	2003r	2004r	2005p	2003r	2004r	2005p
	Acres	Acres	Acres	Cwt ^{1/}	Cwt ^{1/}	Cwt ^{1/}
Marion	1,200	2,120	1,890	330	500	450
Washington	140	140	130	310	320	330
Yamhill	50	50	40	310	340	335
Not disclosed	40	40	40	325	350	425
Willamette Valley	1,430	2,350	2,100	325	485	440
Jackson	50	50	50	520	520	520
South Western	50	50	50	520	520	520
Morrow	2,000	2,500	2,700	655	605	650
Umatilla	3,780	3,800	3,800	655	660	700
North Central	5,780	6,300	6,500	655	640	680
Malheur	11,900	12,000	11,200	605	670	590
Eastern	11,900	12,000	11,200	605	670	590
State total	19,160	20,700	19,850	600	640	605

District & county	Production			Value of sales ^{2/}		
	2003r	2004r	2005p	2003r	2004r	2005p
	1,000 cwt ^{1/}	1,000 cwt ^{1/}	1,000 cwt ^{1/}	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
Marion	396	1,060	851	2,772	7,049	5,574
Washington	43	45	43	387	299	282
Yamhill	16	17	13	144	113	85
Not disclosed	13	14	17	79	93	111
Willamette Valley	468	1,136	924	3,382	7,554	6,052
Jackson	26	26	26	143	143	143
South Western	26	26	26	143	143	143
Morrow	1,310	1,513	1,755	5,600	7,187	8,336
Umatilla	2,476	2,508	2,660	11,761	9,405	9,975
North Central	3,786	4,021	4,415	17,361	16,592	18,311
Malheur	7,200	8,040	6,608	41,875	20,261	48,899
Eastern	7,200	8,040	6,608	41,875	20,261	48,899
State total	11,480	13,223	11,973	62,761	44,550	73,406

r - revised, p - preliminary. 1/ Hundredweight (cwt) is equal to 100 pounds. 2/ Totals may not add due to rounding. The "not disclosed" values are the sum of any county not listed. The Extension Economic Information Office uses different methods than USDA/NASS to set these estimates.

Source: Oregon Agricultural Information Network (OAIN), Extension Economic Information Office, Oregon State University

Storage onions: Acreage, yield, production, price and value of sales, Oregon, 1940-2005^{1/}

Year	Acreage harvested <i>Acres</i>	Yield per acre <i>Cwt^{2/}</i>	Production <i>1,000 cwt^{2/}</i>	Price per cwt ^{2/} <i>Dollars</i>	Value of sales <i>1,000 dollars</i>
1940	3,300	228	751	1.18	830
1950	4,600	385	1,770	1.07	1,893
1960	5,000	404	2,018	2.57	4,206
1970	6,800	447	3,039	3.24	7,647
1976	8,200	541	4,433	8.39	26,153
1977	8,700	493	4,287	5.44	16,954
1978	9,300	450	4,187	10.12	31,688
1979	9,500	503	4,776	4.65	16,622
1980	8,700	520	4,538	8.40	38,130
1981	8,895	505	4,470	11.74	52,471
1982	10,395	485	5,048	4.29	18,359
1983	11,100	495	5,510	10.00	55,086
1984	14,995	480	7,167	6.71	48,100
1985	13,795	500	6,925	4.03	27,909
1986	11,990	510	6,100	9.19	56,053
1987	13,390	545	7,323	7.70	56,365
1988	14,100	495	7,004	6.75	47,273
1989	13,800	500	6,911	8.08	55,853
1990	14,200	530	7,532	6.61	49,781
1991	15,150	565	8,558	7.02	60,081
1992	16,600	550	9,142	8.60	78,626
1993	19,000	515	9,775	10.12	98,937
1994	21,400	565	12,128	6.90	83,698
1995	19,100	515	9,854	9.12	69,666
1996	18,300	520	9,474	9.85	75,222
1997	19,400	555	10,770	13.53	116,550
1998	19,500	485	9,420	13.14	123,130
1999	20,100	610	12,244	5.48	63,151
2000	17,700	570	10,132	9.67	96,941
2001	17,910	625	11,151	7.29	75,527
2002	18,180	610	11,074	4.21	42,077
2003r	19,160	600	11,480	6.43	62,761
2004r	20,700	640	13,223	3.66	44,550
2005p	19,850	605	11,973	6.13	73,406

r - revised, p - preliminary. 1/ 1940-1979 data from USDA/NASS (National Agricultural Statistics Service). For those years, the numbers recorded for value of sales actually reflect value of production, not sales. 2/ Hundredweight (cwt) is equal to 100 pounds. The Extension Economic Information Office uses different methods than USDA/NASS to set these estimates.

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