



U.S. per Capita Utilization of Potatoes, by Category: 1970-2016 ¹

Year	Total	Fresh	Processing				
			Total	Freezing	Chips & Shoestrings	Dehydrating	Canning
Pounds/person/year, farm weight							
1970	121.7	61.8	59.9	28.5	17.4	12.0	2.0
1971	117.8	56.1	61.7	30.1	17.2	12.3	2.1
1972	119.4	57.9	61.5	30.3	16.7	12.4	2.1
1973	118.3	52.4	65.8	34.2	16.3	13.1	2.2
1974	117.2	49.4	67.8	35.3	15.7	14.5	2.3
1975	121.9	52.6	69.3	37.1	15.5	14.7	2.0
1976	125.3	49.5	75.9	41.8	15.8	16.3	2.0
1977	122.1	50.1	72.0	42.2	16.2	11.4	2.2
1978	119.4	46.0	73.5	42.6	16.5	12.1	2.3
1979	117.8	49.3	68.5	38.5	16.7	11.2	2.1
1980	114.7	51.1	63.6	35.4	16.5	9.8	1.9
1981	116.5	45.8	70.7	41.5	16.6	10.8	1.8
1982	115.0	47.1	67.9	38.6	17.0	10.4	1.9
1983	118.7	49.8	68.9	39.2	17.8	10.0	1.9
1984	122.1	48.3	73.8	43.7	18.0	10.3	1.8
1985	122.4	46.3	76.1	45.4	17.6	11.2	1.9
1986	125.9	48.8	77.1	46.3	18.1	10.9	1.8
1987	126.0	47.9	78.1	47.9	17.6	10.8	1.8
1988	122.3	49.6	72.7	43.3	17.1	10.4	1.9
1989	127.0	50.0	77.0	46.8	17.4	10.8	2.0
1990	123.9	46.7	77.2	46.4	16.4	12.6	1.8
1991	134.1	50.2	83.9	51.1	17.3	13.8	1.7
1992	129.9	48.3	81.6	49.9	17.1	12.8	1.8
1993	136.7	50.1	86.6	53.5	17.7	13.7	1.7
1994	136.7	49.6	87.1	55.7	16.5	13.2	1.7
1995	136.9	49.2	87.7	56.2	16.4	13.2	1.9
1996	145.0	49.9	95.1	60.2	16.4	16.7	1.8
1997	137.8	47.3	90.5	57.8	15.5	15.5	1.7
1998	137.7	46.9	90.8	58.1	14.7	16.5	1.5
1999	136.2	47.7	88.5	58.5	15.9	12.4	1.7
2000	137.7	47.2	90.5	57.5	15.6	15.7	1.7
2001	138.6	46.6	92.0	58.2	17.4	14.8	1.6
2002	131.9	44.3	87.6	55.2	16.3	14.7	1.4
2003	138.0	46.8	91.2	57.1	17.2	15.5	1.4
2004	134.5	45.8	88.7	57.3	16.4	13.8	1.2
2005	125.4	41.3	84.1	54.3	16.1	12.8	0.9
2006	123.6	38.6	85.0	53.2	18.6	12.4	0.8
2007	124.4	38.7	85.7	53.2	18.6	13.0	0.9
2008	118.3	37.8	80.5	51.5	15.7	12.4	0.9
2009	113.4	36.7	76.7	50.4	13.7	11.8	0.8
2010	113.8	36.8	77.0	50.1	15.0	11.2	0.7
2011	110.3	34.1	76.3	48.3	16.8	10.6	0.7
2012	114.7	34.5	80.2	48.0	17.6	13.8	0.8
2013	113.3	34.5	78.8	47.6	17.8	12.9	0.6
2014	112.8	33.6	79.3	47.0	19.9	12.1	0.3
2015	115.4	34.1	81.3	49.7	19.8	11.5	0.3
2016 p	111.2	33.2	78.0	47.3	17.8	12.6	0.3

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¹ Calendar-year estimates on a fresh-equivalent basis.

Source: Vegetable and Pulses Yearbook, April 2017, USDA, Economic Research Service.