(2) Potato Supply and Demand Balance

d. Sweet Potato Acreage and Production by Area

Acreage (ha)

	Whole Country	Hokkaido	Tohoku	Hokuriku	Kanto	Tokai	Kinki	Chugoku	Shikoku	Kyushu	Miyazaki	Kagoshima	(for starch)	Okinawa
1955	376,400	37	8,730	13,300	99,200	48,800	13,300	25,600	33,300	134,000	–	–	–	–
1965	256,900	20	5,840	6,620	50,500	28,100	4,680	9,830	17,200	134,100	–	–	–	–
1975	68,700	–	922	1,410	16,100	5,690	1,700	1,800	4,410	34,900	–	–	–	1,850
1985	66,000	–	664	1,190	20,000	4,520	1,390	1,530	3,900	32,300	–	–	–	483
1995	49,400	–	472	1,040	16,500	3,370	1,360	1,390	3,090	21,800	–	–	–	408
2000	43,400	–	371	937	15,500	2,800	1,240	1,240	2,820	18,200	–	–	–	293
2005	40,800	–	294	869	13,900	2,270	1,100	1,150	2,520	18,400	–	–	–	275
2010	39,700	15	283	762	12,700	1,890	940	1,100	2,200	19,600	–	–	5,780	254
2015	36,600	16	209	686	12,300	1,550	766	855	2,000	17,900	3,440	12,400	4,870	263
2016	36,000	19	207	685	12,200	1,470	735	827	1,970	17,600	3,590	12,000	4,930	294
2017	35,600	23	195	672	12,100	1,370	707	788	1,910	17,500	3,690	11,900	4,410	281
2018	35,700	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3,610	12,100	4,370	–
2019	34,300	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3,360	11,200	4,500	–
2020	33,100	25	213	646	12,200	1,200	546	629	1,780	15,600	2,990	10,900	4,180	273
2021	32,400	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3,020	10,300	4,230	–
2022	32,300	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3,080	10,000	2,560	–
2023	32,000	100	324	623	12,400	1,080	507	593	1,670	14,500	3,010	9,790	1,850	188
2024	31,800	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3,180	9,490	1,630	–

Yields per 10a (kg)

	Whole Country	Hokkaido	Tohoku	Hokuriku	Kanto	Tokai	Kinki	Chugoku	Shikoku	Kyushu	Miyazaki	Kagoshima	(for starch)	Okinawa
1955	1,910	1,060	1,370	1,430	2,180	2,010	1,430	1,570	1,690	1,920	–	–	–	–
1965	1,930	1,000	1,340	1,440	2,100	1,870	1,340	1,490	1,450	2,040	–	–	–	–
1975	2,060	–	1,310	1,520	2,040	1,960	1,570	1,590	1,730	2,190	–	–	–	2,680
1985	2,310	–	1,360	1,460	2,230	2,030	1,500	1,520	1,750	2,600	–	–	–	2,380
1995	2,390	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2000	2,470	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2005	2,580	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2010	2,180	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2,600	–
2015	2,220	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2,470	2,380	2,490	–
2016	2,390	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2,570	2,690	2,740	–
2017	2,270	1,790	1,290	1,650	2,440	1,360	1,470	1,330	2,310	2,340	2,440	2,370	2,360	1,360
2018	2,230	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2,500	2,300	2,190	–
2019	2,180	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2,400	2,330	2,180	–
2020	2,080	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2,310	1,970	1,830	–
2021	2,070	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2,350	1,850	1,790	–
2022	2,200	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2,530	2,100	2,150	–
2023	2,240	1,870	1,330	1,600	2,500	1,460	1,380	1,360	2,200	2,200	2,290	2,200	2,170	1,250
2024	2,250	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2,430	2,300	2,310	–

Crop Yields (t)

	Whole Country	Hokkaido	Tohoku	Hokuriku	Kanto	Tokai	Kinki	Chugoku	Shikoku	Kyushu	Miyazaki	Kagoshima	(for starch)	Okinawa
1955	7,180,000	394	120,000	190,700	2,160,000	981,800	189,900	401,800	564,000	2,571,000	–	–	–	–
1965	4,955,000	200	78,400	95,000	1,060,000	526,200	62,500	146,500	249,900	2,737,000	–	–	–	–
1975	1,418,000	–	12,100	21,500	328,400	111,600	26,700	28,600	76,500	763,000	–	–	–	49,600
1985	1,527,000	–	9,010	17,400	446,400	91,900	20,900	23,300	68,400	838,800	–	–	–	11,500
1995	1,181,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2000	1,073,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2005	1,053,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2010	863,600	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	150,200	–
2015	814,200	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	85,000	295,100	121,400	–
2016	860,700	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	92,300	322,800	135,000	–
2017	807,100	412	2,510	11,100	295,400	18,600	10,400	10,500	44,200	410,100	90,000	282,000	104,100	3,820
2018	796,500	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	90,300	278,300	95,800	–
2019	748,700	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	80,600	261,000	98,000	–
2020	687,600	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	69,100	214,700	76,300	–
2021	671,900	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	71,000	190,600	75,900	–
2022	710,700	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	77,900	210,000	55,000	–
2023	715,800	1,870	4,320	9,970	310,300	15,800	7,020	8,060	36,800	319,300	68,900	215,400	40,200	2,350
2024	717,000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	77,300	218,300	37,600	–

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