

California League of Food Producers Tomato Statistics Report June 22, 2018

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## U.S. PROCESSED TOMATO STOCKS-ON-HAND REPORT FOR JUNE 1, 2018

Total inventories of U.S. processed tomato products are just under 5.9 million tons, stated on a raw product equivalent basis, as of June 1, 2018, according to a report released today by the California League of Food Producers. Inventory is down 23.4% from the prior year level. Apparent disappearance of tomato stocks increased 2.4%, totaling approximately 12.8 million tons during the twelve-month period of June 1, 2017 to June 1, 2018.

Total bulk tomato paste stocks, including inventory held for remanufacture, were estimated to total 4.5 million tons, on a raw product "paid-for tons" equivalent basis, as of June 1, 2018.

The U.S. bulk tomato paste-for-sale inventory on June 1, 2018 was approximately 3.1 million tons, on a raw product "paid-for tons" equivalent basis.

CLFP statistics reports are **estimates**, assuming 100% reporting, of the total U.S. processed tomato supply based on voluntary reports from processors throughout the United States. Participating processors handle approximately 91.82% of total U.S. tonnage of processing tomatoes, and 94.89% of total U.S. paste production.

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