

California League of Food Producers Tomato Statistics Report July 1, 2019

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## U.S. PROCESSED TOMATO STOCKS-ON-HAND REPORT FOR JUNE 1, 2019

Total inventories of U.S. processed tomato products are just over 5.4 million tons, stated on a raw product equivalent basis, as of June 1, 2019, according to a report released today by the California League of Food Producers. Inventory is down 7.9% from the prior year level. Apparent disappearance of tomato stocks increased 3.5%, totaling approximately 13.3 million tons during the twelve-month period of June 1, 2018 to June 1, 2019.

Total bulk tomato paste stocks, including inventory held for remanufacture, were estimated to total 4 million tons, on a raw product "paid-for tons" equivalent basis, as of June 1, 2019.

The U.S. bulk tomato paste-for-sale inventory on June 1, 2019 was approximately 2.8 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 90.2% of total U.S. tonnage of processing tomatoes, and 96% of total U.S. paste production.

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