

California League of Food Producers

U.S. Processed Tomato Supply & Movement

The 2018-2019 U.S. Processed Tomato Supply and Movement reported is based on 90.2% of the industry reporting data. All numbers are rounded to the nearest 1,000 lbs. for the purposes of this report.

March	2017-2018	2018-2019	% + / -	2018-2019
Inventory June 1 of prior reporting year	7,669,000	5,872,000	-23.4%	5,872,000
Pack	11,005,000*	12,785,000**	+16.2%	12,785,000**
Total Supply	18,674,000	18,657,000	-0.1%	18,657,000

(assuming 100% reporting)

(actual – estimated 90.2% of industry reporting)

March 1 Inventory	8,785,000	8,238,000	-6.2%	7,432,000
9 Month Disappearance	9,889,000	10,419,000	+5.3%	11,225,000
Monthly Disappearance	1,099,000	1,158,000	+5.4%	1,247,000

Total Bulk Paste Physical	Estimated over 85% of industry reporting this data	6,204,000
Inventory, March 1		

This report is an **estimate** of total U.S. supply and demand for processed tomato products. Reports are based on voluntary pack and inventory reports furnished by participating U.S. processors.

All positions are stated on a "raw product tons" equivalent basis.

CLFP "Pack Year" begins June 1 and ends May 31.

2017-2018 pack year statistics based on reports from processors handling 91.8% of U.S. tonnage.

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^{* 2017-2018} Pack based on PTAB's final report (10/26/2017) of 10,464,000 for California (rounded to the nearest 1,000lbs. for purposes of this report), plus the reported pack production by the USDA/NASS 2017 Vegetable Summary by other states (541,800) released February 2018.

^{* * 2018-2019} Pack based on PTAB's final report (10/27/2018) of 12,276,000 for California (rounded to the nearest 1,000lbs. for purposes of this report), plus the reported pack production by the USDA/NASS 2018 Vegetable Summary by other states (508,492) released March 2019.