

California League of Food Producers TOMATO STATISTICS REPORT June 19, 2023

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## U.S. PROCESSED TOMATO STOCKS-ON-HAND REPORT FOR JUNE 1, 2023

Total inventories of U.S. processed tomato products were just over 3 million tons, stated on a raw product equivalent basis, as of June 1, 2023, according to a report released today by the California League of Food Producers. Inventory is down 7.4% from the prior year level. Apparent disappearance of tomato stocks decreased 1.5%, totaling approximately 11.3 million tons during the twelve-month period of June 1, 2022, to June 1, 2023.

Total bulk tomato paste stocks, including inventory held for remanufacture, were estimated to total 2.0 million tons, on a raw product "paid-for tons" equivalent basis, as of June 1, 2023.

The U.S. bulk tomato paste-for-sale inventory on June 1, 2023, was approximately 1.4 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 94% of total U.S. tonnage of processing tomatoes, and 99% of total U.S. paste production.

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