

IDAHO

American per capita consumption of potatoes is 126 pounds.

1/3 of a pound every day!
That's about 1 medium potato.

You bet they are famous!
Idaho farmers raise about 12 BILLION pounds of spuds every year. That's 29% of all the potatoes grown in the U.S.

Idaho's crop is grown on 349,000 acres by about 800 farmers.
In 1950, potatoes occupied only 144,000 acres but over 12,000 farmers raised them.

If all the potatoes grown in Idaho were only eaten by the folks living in Idaho, each of us would have to eat 24 pounds every single day. That's over 4 TONS every year.

FAMOUS POTATOES