

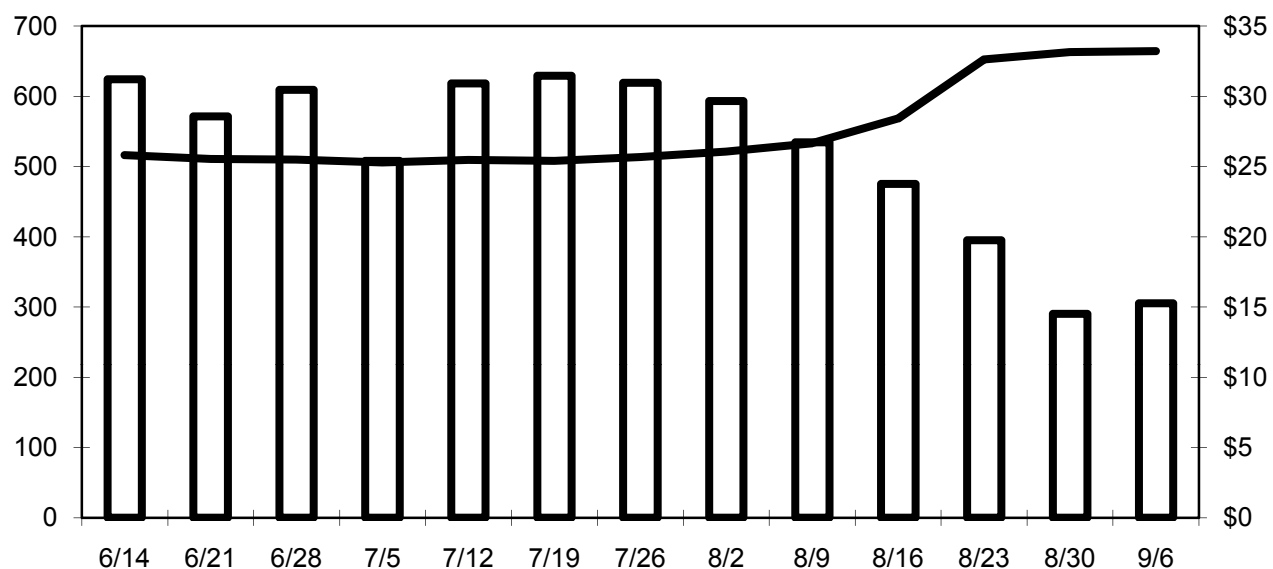
## Fresh Russet Potato Market Report

Week Ending: 9/7/08

State	FWA	Chg	GRI	Chg	70ct	Chg	10# Film	Chg
Idaho Norkotah	\$33.21	\$0.06	\$21.74	\$0.05	\$50.00	\$0.00	\$22.25	-\$0.25
Columbia Basin	\$29.76	-\$0.81	\$16.63	-\$0.50	\$40.00	-\$3.00	\$21.00	\$0.00
Wisconsin	\$26.87	-\$1.46	\$18.46	-\$1.17	\$40.00	-\$4.00	\$23.50	-\$1.50



Shipments (000 Cwt)    
  Idaho FWA



**Market Commentary: Idaho shipments will pick up rapidly during September. Other areas have dropped prices in an attempt to move more potatoes.**

Sources: North American Potato Market News and USDA Agricultural Marketing Service.

Notes: Prices are Friday mostly quotes. All prices are in \$/per cwt. FWA is a weighted average of shipping point prices for common packs in each area. Weights differ by area. GRI is the Grower Returns Index for each individual area, on a delivered to packing shed basis. Idaho GRIs are based on a 60% packout for Burbanks and a 75% packout for Norkotahs.