The impact of sugarbeets on the Idaho economy

Sugarbeets are grown on 180,000 acres in Idaho.

Processed sugar from Idaho sugarbeets brings in about 900 million in annual revenue.

Sugarbeets contribute 300 million, accounting for 10% of Idaho's total cash receipts from crops.

Largest producer of sugarbeets in the United States, and accounts for 19% of sugarbeet production in the country.

Amalgamated Sugar, a grower-owned sugar refining company, has about 1,600 employees.

7 million tons of Idaho sugarbeets are hauled a year, providing additional trailer manufacturing and truck operator jobs.

Idaho Sugarbeet Growers Association