



## Bumper Crop from One Potato

A Tisbury correspondent informs us, that a single potato, planted this season in the garden of Mr. James Lever, of the Compass Inn, Chicksgrove, produced one hundred and fourteen roots, which weighed 54 lbs.

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### **OPC Notes:**

The average single potato planted would normally produce a minimum of three to four pounds of crop.

The heaviest potato at the time of publication (2020) weighs 4.98 kg (10 lb 14 oz) and was grown by Peter Glazebrook of Newark, Nottinghamshire. It was weighed at the National Gardening Show at the Royal Bath & West Showground in Shepton Mallet, Somerset, on 4 September 2011