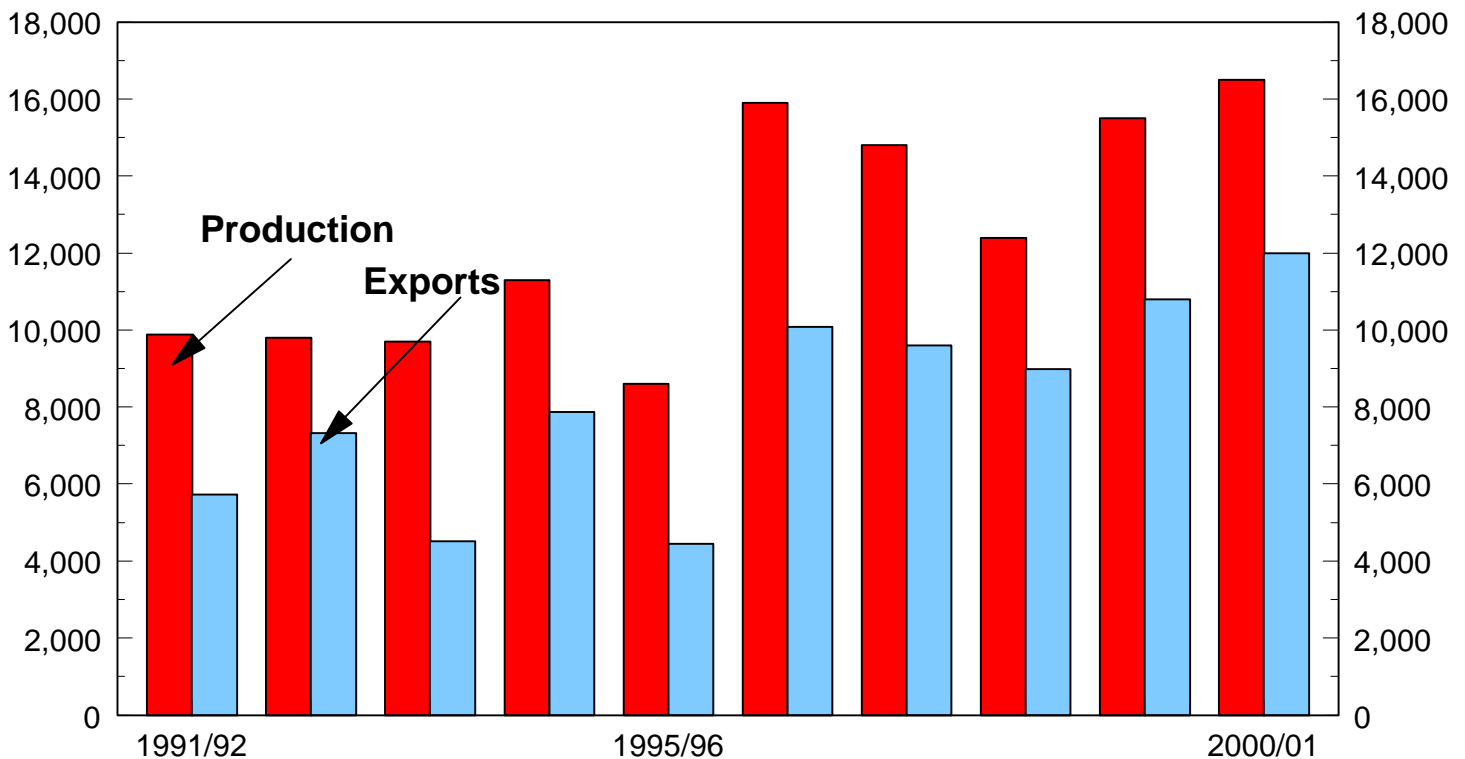




Grain: World Markets and Trade

Argentina Increases Wheat Production, Exports Move into New Markets

Million metric tons



Argentine wheat exports have almost doubled over the past 5 years as a result of a nearly 50 percent expansion in production. While a third of the export growth went to South American markets, where they have a preferential access and freight advantage, more than a third of the growth has been to non-traditional markets.

Argentine exports to North Africa and the Middle East for the last 5 years are estimated at over 10 mmt compared to 1.8 mmt the previous five years, accounting for more than 20 percent of the total import growth in those areas. With relatively low production costs, Argentina has the potential to expand production and exportable supplies even further.

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ALL GRAIN SUMMARY
PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, STOCKS AND TRADE
TOTAL FOREIGN COUNTRIES, USA, AND TOTAL WORLD
(MILLION METRIC TONS)

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
WHEAT						
All Foreign Countries						
Production	519.9	541.6	519.5	524.9	519.9	520.2
Consumption	542.5	549.2	552.1	563.0	560.9	557.1
Ending Stocks	100.4	118.5	111.5	100.5	86.2	91.0
USA						
Production	62.0	67.5	69.3	62.6	60.5	60.5
Imports	2.6	2.6	2.9	2.5	2.5	2.4
Consumption	35.4	34.2	37.7	35.4	36.3	36.3
Exports	27.1	28.1	29.0	29.5	30.0	30.0
Ending Stocks	12.1	19.7	25.7	25.8	22.7	22.6
World Total, Trade	103.8	104.0	102.0	112.5	106.6	106.6
RICE						
All Foreign Countries						
Production	374.7	381.1	388.3	402.1	393.2	393.8
Consumption	376.5	379.6	386.5	399.5	399.8	399.7
USA						
Production	5.5	5.8	5.8	6.5	6.0	6.1
Imports	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
Consumption	3.2	3.3	3.6	3.8	3.9	3.9
Exports	2.3	3.2	2.6	2.8	2.7	2.7
World Total, Trade	18.9	27.7	24.9	22.9	22.7	22.6
TOTAL COARSE GRAINS						
All Foreign Countries						
Production	642.8	623.5	618.6	613.8	581.8	583.2
Consumption	668.6	666.1	662.2	669.7	663.5	663.9
USA						
Production	265.7	260.4	271.5	263.2	274.5	274.5
Imports	3.3	2.9	2.7	2.6	2.8	3.0
Consumption	204.5	207.0	205.4	212.1	214.8	215.5
Exports	53.1	44.0	57.7	56.5	56.5	55.3
Ending Stocks	27.0	38.2	51.4	48.9	54.1	54.4
World Total, Trade	94.1	85.6	96.2	104.3	101.0	101.0
WORLD TOTAL GRAIN, INCLUDING RICE						
All Foreign Countries						
Production	1,537.5	1,546.2	1,526.3	1,540.8	1,494.9	1,497.1
Consumption	1,587.6	1,594.9	1,600.8	1,632.2	1,624.2	1,620.7
USA						
Production	333.1	333.7	346.6	332.2	341.0	341.1
Imports	6.2	5.8	5.9	5.5	5.6	5.7
Exports	82.5	75.2	89.4	88.8	89.1	88.0
World Total, Trade	216.7	217.3	223.1	239.7	230.3	230.2

Trade data are reported on an international year basis. All other data are reported using marketing years. Rice production data is on a milled basis.

U.S. GRAINS: SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION
WHEAT, CORN, SORGHUM, BARLEY, OATS, RYE AND RICE
THOUSAND METRIC TONS/HECTARES

	Area		Production	--Imports--		--Exports--		Domestic Feed Use	Domestic Total Use	Ending Stocks
	Harvested	Yield		Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.			
WHEAT (MY JUNE/MAY)										
1995/96	24,668	2.4	59,404	1,849	1,748	33,778	33,681	4,184	31,028	10,234
1996/97	25,422	2.4	61,980	2,513	2,577	27,257	27,093	8,371	35,397	12,073
1997/98	25,431	2.7	67,534	2,583	2,556	28,315	28,090	6,818	34,212	19,663
1998/99	23,877	2.9	69,327	2,803	2,876	28,364	29,035	10,734	37,685	25,744
1999/00	21,781	2.9	62,569	2,572	2,540	29,653	29,462	7,724	35,384	25,848
2000/01	21,460	2.8	60,512	2,449	2,400	29,937	30,000	8,165	36,305	22,567
CORN (MY SEPT/AUG)										
1995/96	26,390	7.1	187,970	419	399	56,589	52,659	119,196	160,552	10,819
1996/97	29,398	8.0	234,518	337	285	45,655	46,633	134,042	177,586	22,433
1997/98	29,409	8.0	233,864	224	126	38,214	37,697	139,243	185,087	33,220
1998/99	29,376	8.4	247,882	478	388	50,310	51,886	138,981	185,879	45,391
1999/00	28,525	8.4	239,549	374	229	49,209	49,371	143,878	192,477	43,628
2000/01	29,434	8.6	253,208	254	325	49,532	49,000	147,962	198,003	49,555
SORGHUM (MY SEPT/AUG)										
1995/96	3,340	3.5	11,650	0	0	5,025	4,757	7,495	7,977	467
1996/97	4,780	4.2	20,201	1	0	5,217	5,211	13,106	14,246	1,206
1997/98	3,706	4.3	16,093	0	0	5,387	5,164	9,270	10,670	1,242
1998/99	3,125	4.2	13,207	0	0	4,991	5,198	6,657	7,803	1,655
1999/00	3,458	4.4	15,118	0	0	6,497	6,296	7,218	8,615	1,661
2000/01	3,125	3.8	11,940	0	0	5,461	5,300	5,842	6,732	1,408
BARLEY (MY JUNE/MAY)										
1995/96	2,541	3.1	7,824	887	790	1,359	1,182	3,896	7,635	2,168
1996/97	2,714	3.1	8,544	801	887	671	1,214	4,714	8,459	2,383
1997/98	2,508	3.1	7,835	876	748	1,619	1,066	3,135	6,879	2,596
1998/99	2,373	3.2	7,667	649	597	620	600	3,507	7,208	3,084
1999/00	1,916	3.2	6,103	602	627	658	839	2,962	6,707	2,424
2000/01	2,105	3.3	6,921	610	650	1,263	1,000	2,722	6,467	2,225
OATS (MY JUNE/MAY)										
1995/96	1,195	2.0	2,338	1,388	1,091	30	36	3,048	4,194	962
1996/97	1,074	2.1	2,224	1,681	1,961	37	26	2,758	3,862	968
1997/98	1,138	2.1	2,428	1,696	1,942	31	32	2,947	3,987	1,074
1998/99	1,115	2.2	2,409	1,856	1,599	25	24	3,132	4,133	1,181
1999/00	993	2.1	2,122	1,703	1,675	26	20	2,885	3,876	1,104
2000/01	940	2.3	2,166	1,896	1,900	29	25	2,985	3,973	1,164
RYE (MY JUNE/MAY)										
1995/96	156	1.6	256	96	90	1	1	153	365	23
1996/97	140	1.6	227	110	137	1	1	125	340	19
1997/98	128	1.6	207	141	118	2	2	135	346	19
1998/99	169	1.8	309	84	75	1	2	105	349	62
1999/00	155	1.8	280	87	76	7	10	146	382	40
2000/01	122	1.8	219	102	75	6	2	78	315	40
	Area		--Production--		--Imports--		--Exports--		Domestic Total Use	Ending Stocks
	Harvested	Yield	Rough	Milled	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.		
RICE (MY AUG/JULY)										
1995/96	1,252	6.3	7,885	5,628	245	279	2,694	2,625	3,420	1,051
1996/97	1,135	6.9	7,783	5,453	334	317	2,488	2,304	3,243	810
1997/98	1,256	6.6	8,301	5,750	294	300	2,755	3,156	3,278	877
1998/99	1,318	6.3	8,367	5,798	336	357	2,730	2,648	3,587	694
1999/00	1,421	6.6	9,345	6,502	321	308	2,804	2,756	3,846	867
2000/01	1,230	7.0	8,658	6,104	327	315	2,654	2,650	3,865	779

Notes:

Wheat trade year statistics are on July/June years. Barley, corn, sorghum, rye, and oats trade year statistics are on Oct/Sept years. Rice trade year statistics are for the subsequent calendar year.



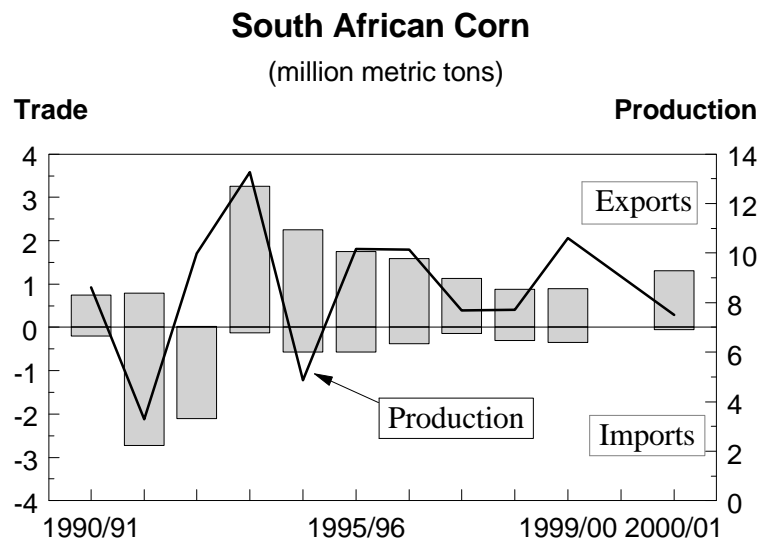
FOREIGN COUNTRIES' POLICIES AND PROGRAMS

Is South Africa a Viable Corn Exporter?

Although South Africa's corn exports are expected to rebound modestly this year, deregulation and the consequent systemic problems could constrain future exports.

Before de-regulation of the one channel marketing system began in 1995, the Maize Board controlled both the domestic and export markets. The Board offered high domestic prices but then subsidized exports in high producing seasons. Farmers were paid an announced delivery price for their corn based on the estimated income potential for the entire crop and then after the crop had been sold also received a supplementary payment. The revenue obtained from subsidized sales of cheaper exports was combined with all other sales to calculate that final payment. Thus, this pooling of income sheltered farmers from the free market with its attendant variability and uncertainty and kept them producing even in surplus years. For two years after de-regulation began and the Board was no longer the sole buyer and seller, it continued to run export pools to absorb any surplus from the domestic market and keep domestic prices high. Since 1997, however, domestic prices have been falling toward export parity.

De-regulation also had the potential to open up the market to foreign competition, since in 1995 the quota system was replaced with a minimum price system. Under the new system, a tariff would be imposed when the deviation of a 21-day moving average of the daily US#2 yellow corn FOB price from a set base price is more than \$7 per ton for 21 straight trading days. Currently, the tariff is set at slightly more than \$10. This system diminishes the chance of cheap imports exerting downward pressure on domestic prices. In the past, imports were done by the Maize board and only occurred during drought years like 1991/92 and 1992/93 and opening the market has not resulted in much competition. Despite low world prices over the past few years, imported corn is really only price competitive (including the tariff) in the southern coastal areas that don't produce corn and where the internal cost of transportation is prohibitive.



The crop harvested in May 2000 was more than 35% bigger than the previous year's, resulting in a surplus. In what was most likely an attempt to recreate the Maize Board's pools, Grain South Africa (GSA) has attempted to form corn export pools twice so far this marketing year (May/Apr) in an effort to bolster domestic prices. The first was in June and aimed for 700,000 tons, with the second was in late August which aimed for 1 million tons. But since both pools had very little support from farmers who considered the offered price too low, very little corn was actually purchased. Consequently, farm prices plummeted on mounting domestic supplies and an unwillingness and inability to sell at low world prices.

Coordination problems with South Africa's rail utility, Spoornet, including inexperienced staff, also constrained exports. In May 2000, Spoornet announced it could move a maximum of 200,000 tons a month to the port of Durban, but only moved about 100,000 tons a month since then. The company claims a shortage of locomotives and drivers are the cause of the problems. Before deregulation, grain logistics were handled by a coordination committee with a computer program, and shipments were from a series of central pools. Now, much of the corn bought for export is purchased in small cargos from many different storage facilities, making logistics more difficult as many different pick-up points slow the delivery process. International traders have claimed it is difficult to export corn from South Africa as they are required to book a specific time for loading and delivery and are then locked into a tight time frame.

Despite those problems, exports rebounded with more than 900,000 tons shipped through the end of calendar year 2000. Early this year, prices rose rapidly as reduced plantings and an extended period of dry weather reduced crop prospects. Despite the sharply higher prices, Japan continued to purchase South African corn for the assurance of not importing GMOs until recently, when a further escalation in prices apparently halted additional purchases.

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SITUATION AND OUTLOOK: COMMENTARY AND CURRENT DATA

WORLD WHEAT SITUATION AND OUTLOOK

World wheat trade in 2000/01 is forecast down 5.9 million tons from last year to 106.6 million. Global production is down for the third consecutive year while consumption is estimated 5 million tons lower than last year. Global stocks are forecast to fall 12.7 million tons thereby maintaining a low stocks-to-use ratio.

In early April, export quotes for #2 HRW FOB Gulf were \$129 down \$5 from a month earlier. Expected global ending stocks were raised by 4.7 million tons due to revisions in the EU and India. Consumption was lowered in these two countries, resulting in a 3.8 million-ton decline in global consumption and a slightly higher global stocks-to-use ratio. World wheat trade in 2000/01 is forecast identical to last month.

2000/2001 Trade Changes

Selected Exporters

- ◆ **Canada** down 500,000 tons to 18.5 million due to a lagging export pace.
- ◆ **India** up 500,000 tons to 2.0 million based on sales and shipments to date.

Selected Importers

- ◆ **Mexico** up 300,000 tons to 2.7 million based on purchases from the U.S. and Canada.
- ◆ **Morocco** up 200,000 tons to 3.3 million due to a strong import pace.
- ◆ **Turkey** down 400,000 tons to 900,000 based on a slow import pace and severe economic difficulties.
- ◆ **United States** down 100,000 tons to 2.4 million due to lower than expected imports to date.

**WORLD WHEAT, FLOUR, AND PRODUCTS TRADE
JULY/JUNE YEAR
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
EXPORTS						
Argentina	10,079	9,606	8,985	10,800	12,000	12,000
Australia	18,157	15,398	16,104	17,124	16,000	16,000
Canada	18,131	21,314	14,394	19,373	19,000	18,500
India	1,618	41	0	200	1,500	2,000
Kazakistan	2,320	3,560	2,295	6,514	4,000	4,000
Syria	460	796	411	82	0	0
Turkey	989	1,474	2,803	1,984	1,500	1,500
EU	17,834	14,196	14,589	17,432	15,000	15,000
Eastern Europe	1,770	3,095	4,168	3,598	2,925	2,925
Others	5,305	6,443	9,208	5,927	4,665	4,665
Subtotal	76,663	75,923	72,957	83,034	76,590	76,590
United States	27,093	28,090	29,035	29,462	30,000	30,000
WORLD TOTAL	103,756	104,013	101,992	112,496	106,590	106,590
IMPORTS						
Algeria	3,630	5,221	4,250	4,750	5,200	5,200
Bangladesh	957	839	2,033	1,596	1,200	1,200
Bolivia	392	296	399	375	375	375
Brazil	5,794	6,084	7,325	7,196	7,900	7,900
Chile	440	506	754	710	650	650
China	2,705	1,916	829	1,010	1,000	1,000
Colombia	918	1,099	1,101	1,135	1,100	1,100
Cuba	954	946	977	1,150	1,200	1,200
Ecuador	442	479	410	485	475	475
Egypt	6,893	7,166	7,430	5,973	6,200	6,200
Ethiopia	260	602	466	937	850	850
Georgia	616	644	500	391	500	500
India	1,781	2,344	1,294	1,311	50	100
Indonesia	4,201	3,664	3,117	3,739	3,700	3,700
Iran	7,117	3,587	2,538	7,363	7,200	7,200
Iraq	1,140	2,707	2,028	2,650	3,000	3,000
Israel	958	1,300	1,517	1,600	1,600	1,600
Japan	6,264	6,200	5,959	5,960	5,900	5,900
Jordan	600	692	344	741	700	700
Korea, North	531	679	703	334	500	500
Korea, South	3,465	3,917	4,689	3,811	4,000	4,000
Lebanon	424	458	400	400	400	400
Libya	1,532	1,473	1,236	1,600	1,400	1,400
Malaysia	1,250	1,162	1,263	1,275	1,275	1,275
Mexico	1,940	2,166	2,485	2,632	2,400	2,700
Morocco	1,592	2,591	2,819	3,100	3,100	3,300
Nigeria	986	1,145	1,466	1,275	1,500	1,500
Pakistan	3,018	3,562	3,130	2,000	150	150
Peru	1,292	1,265	1,348	1,250	1,250	1,250
Philippines	2,176	1,959	2,328	2,982	3,000	3,000
Russia	2,631	3,120	2,490	5,000	2,000	1,500
South Africa	974	665	567	806	700	700
Sri Lanka	889	761	867	834	825	825
Taiwan	1,026	1,029	1,011	1,125	1,000	1,000
Thailand	696	659	830	808	800	800
Tunisia	978	1,498	1,084	1,200	1,300	1,300
Turkey	2,630	1,775	1,862	1,455	1,300	900
UAE	908	712	774	1,250	1,200	1,200
Ukraine	50	103	78	450	1,000	1,000
Uzbekistan	1,036	732	380	550	700	700
Venezuela	1,204	1,224	1,300	1,386	1,365	1,365
Vietnam	507	618	604	550	600	600
Yemen	2,389	2,366	2,066	2,000	2,000	2,000
EU	2,442	3,858	3,761	4,176	4,200	4,200
O.W. Europe	514	520	576	743	560	560
Eastern Europe	5,185	1,876	2,133	1,917	3,025	3,025
United States	2,577	2,556	2,876	2,540	2,500	2,400
Subtotal	90,904	90,741	88,397	96,521	92,850	92,400
Other Countries	10,855	11,056	11,362	14,050	12,105	12,455
Unaccounted	1,997	2,216	2,233	1,925	1,635	1,735
WORLD TOTAL	103,756	104,013	101,992	112,496	106,590	106,590

**WORLD WHEAT PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION AND STOCKS
LOCAL MARKETING YEARS**

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
PRODUCTION						
Algeria	2,980	670	2,200	1,500	640	640
Argentina	15,900	14,800	12,400	15,500	16,500	16,500
Australia	22,925	19,224	21,465	25,012	21,000	21,000
Brazil	3,195	2,380	2,188	2,403	1,595	1,595
Canada	29,801	24,280	24,076	26,850	26,800	26,800
China	110,570	123,289	109,726	113,880	102,000	102,000
India	62,097	69,350	66,350	70,780	75,754	75,754
Japan	478	573	570	583	600	688
Kazakistan	7,700	8,950	4,700	11,200	9,100	9,100
Mexico	3,107	3,639	3,235	3,100	3,300	3,300
Morocco	5,916	2,317	4,378	2,154	1,500	1,381
Pakistan	16,907	16,650	18,694	17,854	21,000	21,079
Russia	34,900	44,200	27,000	31,000	34,400	34,450
Saudi Arabia	1,200	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,800
Tunisia	2,000	950	1,353	1,400	750	750
Turkey	16,000	16,000	18,000	16,500	17,500	17,500
Ukraine	13,550	18,404	14,937	13,585	10,200	10,200
EU	98,506	94,181	103,085	96,801	104,946	104,946
Eastern Europe	26,013	34,269	33,928	28,951	27,734	28,234
Others	46,187	45,710	49,384	44,093	42,752	42,445
Subtotal	519,932	541,636	519,469	524,946	519,871	520,162
United States	61,980	67,534	69,327	62,569	60,512	60,512
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>581,912</u>	<u>609,170</u>	<u>588,796</u>	<u>587,515</u>	<u>580,383</u>	<u>580,674</u>
CONSUMPTION						
Algeria	6,011	6,191	6,200	6,300	6,300	6,300
Australia	3,332	4,973	4,530	5,218	5,440	5,440
Brazil	8,582	8,502	9,256	9,579	9,595	9,595
Canada	8,222	7,336	8,077	7,920	8,200	8,200
China	112,392	114,754	115,568	117,000	114,000	114,000
Egypt	12,425	12,815	12,934	12,973	12,950	12,914
India	66,542	68,000	67,553	69,572	71,684	67,500
Japan	6,144	6,209	6,137	6,109	6,200	6,288
Morocco	5,265	5,538	5,552	5,684	5,680	5,761
Pakistan	20,124	20,258	21,284	21,404	21,600	21,679
Russia	38,134	39,809	34,838	35,282	34,600	34,650
Turkey	16,363	16,751	16,886	16,777	17,300	17,300
Ukraine	15,515	15,643	12,819	12,590	11,450	11,450
EU	81,117	82,793	88,210	87,210	93,536	92,536
Eastern Europe	31,078	31,360	31,783	30,770	28,884	29,384
Others	111,302	108,316	110,436	118,616	113,494	114,109
Subtotal	542,548	549,248	552,063	563,004	560,913	557,106
United States	35,397	34,212	37,685	35,384	36,305	36,305
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>577,945</u>	<u>583,460</u>	<u>589,748</u>	<u>598,388</u>	<u>597,218</u>	<u>593,411</u>
ENDING STOCKS						
Australia	2,395	1,348	1,868	3,868	3,478	3,478
Canada	9,047	5,989	7,435	7,375	7,125	7,625
EU	12,814	13,950	18,072	14,411	13,546	15,696
Others	76,136	97,225	84,104	74,848	62,083	64,247
Subtotal	100,392	118,512	111,479	100,502	86,232	91,046
United States	12,073	19,663	25,744	25,848	22,703	22,567
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>112,465</u>	<u>138,175</u>	<u>137,223</u>	<u>126,350</u>	<u>108,935</u>	<u>113,613</u>

**REGIONAL WHEAT IMPORTS, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION AND STOCKS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
IMPORTS						
North America 1/	4,758	4,854	5,513	5,347	5,050	5,250
Latin America 2/	<u>13,477</u>	<u>14,023</u>	<u>15,901</u>	<u>16,114</u>	<u>16,775</u>	<u>16,775</u>
EU	2,442	3,858	3,761	4,176	4,200	4,200
Other Wst. Eur. 3/	<u>514</u>	<u>520</u>	<u>576</u>	<u>743</u>	<u>560</u>	<u>560</u>
Former USSR	6,813	6,838	5,625	9,733	6,370	5,870
Eastern Europe 4/	<u>5,185</u>	<u>1,876</u>	<u>2,133</u>	<u>1,917</u>	<u>3,025</u>	<u>3,025</u>
Middle East 5/	16,753	14,225	12,196	18,279	18,135	17,735
North Africa 6/	<u>14,625</u>	<u>17,949</u>	<u>16,819</u>	<u>16,623</u>	<u>17,200</u>	<u>17,400</u>
Other Africa 7/	6,140	6,693	6,934	8,218	7,450	7,800
South Asia 8/	<u>6,726</u>	<u>7,600</u>	<u>7,391</u>	<u>6,095</u>	<u>2,735</u>	<u>2,785</u>
Other Asia 9/	23,851	22,897	22,467	22,802	22,975	22,975
Oceania 10/	<u>475</u>	<u>464</u>	<u>443</u>	<u>524</u>	<u>480</u>	<u>480</u>
PRODUCTION						
North America 1/	94,888	95,453	96,638	92,519	90,612	90,612
Latin America 2/	<u>22,253</u>	<u>20,088</u>	<u>16,909</u>	<u>20,086</u>	<u>20,260</u>	<u>20,291</u>
EU	98,506	94,181	103,085	96,801	104,946	104,946
Other Wst. Eur. 3/	<u>943</u>	<u>885</u>	<u>963</u>	<u>901</u>	<u>905</u>	<u>905</u>
Former USSR	64,462	82,235	57,646	66,595	64,485	64,535
Eastern Europe 4/	<u>26,013</u>	<u>34,269</u>	<u>33,928</u>	<u>28,951</u>	<u>27,734</u>	<u>28,234</u>
Middle East 5/	34,055	32,256	37,577	30,427	30,860	30,560
North Africa 6/	<u>16,761</u>	<u>9,947</u>	<u>14,195</u>	<u>11,564</u>	<u>9,615</u>	<u>9,460</u>
Other Africa 7/	5,238	4,826	4,737	4,873	5,020	5,020
South Asia 8/	<u>84,044</u>	<u>91,259</u>	<u>90,697</u>	<u>94,492</u>	<u>101,664</u>	<u>101,743</u>
Other Asia 9/	111,504	124,252	110,681	115,019	103,007	103,093
Oceania 10/	<u>23,245</u>	<u>19,519</u>	<u>21,740</u>	<u>25,287</u>	<u>21,275</u>	<u>21,275</u>
CONSUMPTION						
North America 1/	48,434	51,171	51,171	48,732	49,855	49,955
Latin America 2/	<u>23,889</u>	<u>23,156</u>	<u>24,001</u>	<u>24,681</u>	<u>24,995</u>	<u>25,026</u>
EU	81,117	82,793	88,210	87,210	93,536	92,536
Other Wst. Eur. 3/	<u>1,447</u>	<u>1,405</u>	<u>1,539</u>	<u>1,644</u>	<u>1,465</u>	<u>1,465</u>
Former USSR	70,360	73,501	65,934	67,601	64,440	64,490
Eastern Europe 4/	<u>31,078</u>	<u>31,360</u>	<u>31,783</u>	<u>30,770</u>	<u>28,884</u>	<u>29,384</u>
Middle East 5/	45,397	47,638	47,609	47,768	48,475	48,475
North Africa 6/	<u>27,752</u>	<u>28,419</u>	<u>28,342</u>	<u>29,217</u>	<u>28,955</u>	<u>29,000</u>
Other Africa 7/	10,424	11,158	11,655	12,587	12,345	12,695
South Asia 8/	<u>93,563</u>	<u>95,407</u>	<u>96,761</u>	<u>99,518</u>	<u>101,079</u>	<u>96,974</u>
Other Asia 9/	133,263	135,753	136,511	138,627	136,042	136,128
Oceania 10/	<u>4,062</u>	<u>5,704</u>	<u>5,177</u>	<u>5,958</u>	<u>6,135</u>	<u>6,135</u>
ENDING STOCKS						
North America 1/	21,570	26,352	33,879	33,823	30,278	30,842
Latin America 2/	<u>2,309</u>	<u>1,895</u>	<u>2,055</u>	<u>2,205</u>	<u>2,085</u>	<u>2,085</u>
EU	12,814	13,950	18,072	14,411	13,546	15,696
Other Wst. Eur. 3/	<u>475</u>	<u>475</u>	<u>475</u>	<u>475</u>	<u>475</u>	<u>475</u>
Former USSR	8,821	17,986	6,400	5,900	7,265	6,765
Eastern Europe 4/	<u>5,950</u>	<u>7,640</u>	<u>7,750</u>	<u>4,250</u>	<u>3,200</u>	<u>3,200</u>
Middle East 5/	14,239	12,565	11,083	8,849	8,189	6,919
North Africa 6/	<u>5,119</u>	<u>4,409</u>	<u>6,850</u>	<u>5,650</u>	<u>3,340</u>	<u>3,340</u>
Other Africa 7/	1,410	1,460	1,310	1,060	1,060	1,060
South Asia 8/	<u>10,300</u>	<u>13,695</u>	<u>15,931</u>	<u>16,861</u>	<u>18,681</u>	<u>22,415</u>
Other Asia 9/	26,943	36,300	31,450	28,898	17,238	17,238
Oceania 10/	<u>2,515</u>	<u>1,448</u>	<u>1,968</u>	<u>3,968</u>	<u>3,578</u>	<u>3,578</u>

NOTES: Footnotes appear on last page of this circular. Imports are reported on an international year basis. All other data are reported using marketing years.

WORLD RICE SITUATION AND OUTLOOK

Global rice trade for 2001 is projected at 22.6 million tons, nearly unchanged from the previous year. Global ending stocks in 2000/01 are forecast to decline 3.6 million tons as world production exceeds demand.

Large global supplies continue to inhibit trade. The Philippine Government has been active in the import market for the past month, however, overall, the international market has been subdued. Exporting countries have tried to relieve the market from burdensome stocks by reviewing and modifying government policies as well as implementing aggressive pricing strategies. Nonetheless, export quotes continue to fall; Thai 100B is being quoted at \$170 per ton while Viet 5% is holding at \$146.

Similarly, export price quotes for U.S. long grain grade #2/4 percent has fallen to \$273 per ton (FAS), US Gulf sacked, while medium grain #1/4 California rice is at \$210, ex-spout Sacramento port.

Trade Changes in 2001

Selected Exporters

- ! **China** exports down 200,000 tons to 3 million based on slower than expected pace to date.
- ! **Vietnam** up 200,000 tons to 4 million based on large sales to the Philippines.
- ! **India** down 300,000 tons to 800,000 based on inefficient export policies and high prices.
- ! **Pakistan** up 200,000 tons to 2 million due to increased commitments to Africa and competitive prices.

Selected Importers

- ! **Indonesia** imports up 500,000 tons to 1.8 million based on a smaller forecast crop and reports of greater import needs during the second half of the year.
- ! **Philippines** up 200,000 tons to 850,000 based on recent government tenders and the strong pace of purchases to date.
- ! **Colombia** up 20,000 tons to 130,000 based on the recent issuance of import licenses and purchases to date.
- ! **Sri Lanka** down 70,000 tons to 30,000 based on a higher production forecast.

Trade Changes in 2000

Selected Importers

! **Mexico** imports up 15,000 tons to 415,000 tons based on year-end data.

! **Sri Lanka** down 80,000 tons to 20,000 based on annual data.

**WORLD RICE TRADE
CALENDAR YEAR
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001 Mar 8	2001 April 10
EXPORTS						
Argentina	530	599	654	500	200	200
Australia	646	547	667	617	675	675
Burma	15	94	57	277	250	250
China	938	3,734	2,708	2,951	3,200	3,000
Guyana	285	249	252	167	175	175
India	2,087	4,666	2,752	1,300	1,100	800
Pakistan	1,775	1,994	1,838	2,000	1,800	2,000
Thailand	5,216	6,367	6,679	6,549	6,300	6,300
Uruguay	638	628	681	650	700	700
Vietnam	3,327	3,776	4,555	3,370	3,800	4,000
EU	372	346	348	350	350	350
Others	721	1,512	1,085	1,383	1,489	1,539
Subtotal	16,550	24,512	22,276	20,114	20,039	19,989
United States	2,304	3,156	2,648	2,756	2,650	2,650
WORLD TOTAL	18,854	27,668	24,924	22,870	22,689	22,639
IMPORTS						
Bangladesh	60	2,520	1,220	600	250	250
Brazil	827	1,555	781	600	500	500
Canada	240	245	248	250	260	260
China	322	261	178	280	300	300
Colombia	168	308	38	57	110	130
Costa Rica	62	73	56	48	55	55
Cote d'Ivoire	470	520	600	550	575	575
Cuba	267	336	431	415	450	450
Ghana	150	200	125	200	200	200
Guinea	200	200	300	275	325	325
Haiti	200	208	235	245	250	250
Indonesia	839	5,765	3,729	1,500	1,300	1,800
Iran	1,288	844	1,313	1,100	1,400	1,400
Iraq	744	630	779	1,261	1,300	1,300
Jamaica & Dep	62	68	71	75	75	75
Japan	559	468	633	656	740	700
Jordan	159	91	100	90	90	90
Korea, North	272	250	159	400	550	550
Korea, South	36	89	124	125	135	135
Malaysia	638	630	617	658	600	600
Mexico	289	295	342	415	425	425
Nigeria	731	900	950	1,200	1,000	1,000
Peru	209	236	116	86	150	150
Philippines	814	2,185	1,000	900	650	850
Russia	290	224	580	400	440	350
Saudi Arabia	660	775	750	950	975	975
Senegal	575	600	700	700	730	730
Singapore	325	300	421	354	335	335
South Africa	561	529	514	475	550	550
Sri Lanka	351	168	205	20	100	30
Syria	222	160	200	150	200	150
Turkey	281	276	321	350	300	300
UAE	75	75	75	75	75	75
Yemen	185	111	217	210	215	215
EU	844	787	784	800	800	800
O.W. Europe	46	60	50	50	55	55
Eastern Europe	344	313	340	322	330	330
United States	317	300	357	308	300	315
Subtotal	14,682	23,555	19,659	17,150	17,095	17,580
Other Countries	3,037	3,132	3,594	3,874	3,895	3,888
Unaccounted	1,135	981	1,671	1,846	1,699	1,171
WORLD TOTAL	18,854	27,668	24,924	22,870	22,689	22,639

WORLD RICE PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION AND STOCKS
LOCAL MARKETING YEARS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
PRODUCTION						
Australia	1,250	1,324	1,362	1,101	1,750	1,752
Bangladesh	28,326	28,296	29,784	34,602	36,004	36,004
Brazil	9,504	8,551	11,582	11,424	10,882	10,788
Burma	15,517	15,345	16,034	17,000	16,897	16,897
China	195,100	200,700	198,714	198,480	190,000	190,000
Egypt	4,900	5,400	4,198	5,826	6,000	6,000
India	121,980	123,822	129,013	134,233	130,513	130,513
Indonesia	49,360	49,237	50,400	52,919	53,000	52,389
Japan	12,930	12,532	11,201	11,470	11,863	11,863
Korea, South	7,123	7,365	6,800	7,066	7,067	7,199
Pakistan	6,461	6,500	7,012	7,735	6,451	7,051
Philippines	11,177	9,982	10,268	11,957	12,454	12,454
Taiwan	1,931	2,042	1,859	1,986	1,986	1,986
Thailand	20,700	23,500	23,620	25,000	25,152	25,500
Vietnam	27,277	28,930	30,467	31,435	31,970	31,970
EU	2,598	2,701	2,694	2,708	2,435	2,442
Others	39,544	39,735	42,230	43,374	40,889	41,530
Subtotal	555,678	565,962	577,238	598,316	585,313	586,338
United States	7,783	8,301	8,367	9,345	8,669	8,658
WORLD TOTAL	563,461	574,263	585,605	607,661	593,982	594,996
CONSUMPTION						
Bangladesh	19,139	20,062	21,900	23,632	23,900	23,900
Brazil	7,982	7,980	7,955	7,959	8,000	8,000
Burma	9,210	9,211	9,276	9,330	9,350	9,350
China	132,154	135,517	136,070	137,265	136,600	136,800
Egypt	2,619	2,769	2,771	2,856	2,950	2,950
India	81,212	77,552	81,154	82,450	83,500	83,500
Indonesia	33,993	34,813	35,300	35,900	36,200	36,200
Iran	2,950	3,000	3,050	3,100	3,100	3,100
Japan	9,320	9,200	9,100	9,450	9,300	9,300
Korea, North	1,572	1,750	1,559	2,000	1,900	1,900
Korea, South	5,178	5,112	5,038	5,003	5,000	5,000
Philippines	8,027	7,800	8,000	8,400	8,550	8,750
South Africa	454	503	543	531	500	500
Taiwan	1,325	1,325	1,325	1,325	1,300	1,300
Thailand	8,590	8,800	8,900	9,600	9,990	9,990
Vietnam	14,677	15,318	15,613	17,417	17,340	17,140
EU	1,967	2,012	2,066	2,131	2,082	2,082
Others	36,090	36,898	36,922	41,131	40,189	39,916
Subtotal	376,459	379,622	386,542	399,480	399,751	399,678
United States	3,243	3,278	3,587	3,846	3,882	3,865
WORLD TOTAL	379,702	382,900	390,129	403,326	403,633	403,543
ENDING STOCKS						
Brazil	1,200	430	1,205	1,589	1,454	1,390
Burma	660	255	223	476	676	676
China	25,500	27,000	27,500	26,500	20,000	20,000
India	9,500	10,500	12,000	17,716	19,980	20,366
Indonesia	1,530	3,600	3,882	2,927	1,523	1,637
Korea, South	390	805	980	1,355	1,785	1,776
Pakistan	438	122	359	811	661	861
Philippines	1,590	1,566	1,965	2,002	2,347	2,447
Thailand	706	1,049	1,060	1,411	1,721	1,951
Others	9,728	9,844	10,108	9,554	9,729	9,683
Subtotal	51,242	55,171	59,282	64,341	59,876	60,787
United States	866	877	694	867	775	779
WORLD TOTAL	52,108	56,048	59,976	65,208	60,651	61,566

NOTES: Production is on a rough basis; all other data are reported on a milled basis.

**REGIONAL RICE IMPORTS, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION AND STOCKS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001 Mar 8	2001 April 10
IMPORTS						
North America 1/	846	840	947	973	985	1,000
Latin America 2/	2,253	3,357	2,263	2,025	2,104	2,127
EU	844	787	784	800	800	800
Other West. Eur. 3/	46	60	50	50	55	55
Former USSR	392	321	712	528	665	590
Eastern Europe 4/	344	313	340	322	330	330
Middle East 5/	3,866	3,224	4,024	4,481	4,850	4,800
North Africa 6/	178	188	218	200	186	186
Other Africa 7/	3,984	4,188	4,706	5,102	5,027	5,027
South Asia 8/	488	2,756	1,552	851	505	435
Other Asia 9/	4,241	10,365	7,331	5,315	5,083	5,718
Oceania 10/	237	288	326	377	400	400
	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2000/01
PRODUCTION						
North America 1/	8,183	8,751	8,836	9,748	9,119	9,058
Latin America 2/	18,530	17,256	22,019	22,118	20,083	20,498
EU	2,598	2,701	2,694	2,708	2,435	2,442
Other West. Eur. 3/	0	0	0	0	0	0
Former USSR	1,250	1,108	1,155	1,329	1,050	1,026
Eastern Europe 4/	72	56	52	56	56	56
Middle East 5/	3,102	3,048	3,370	2,905	2,381	2,381
North Africa 6/	4,963	5,463	4,261	5,889	6,063	6,063
Other Africa 7/	10,754	10,540	10,845	10,950	11,481	11,481
South Asia 8/	163,048	165,170	172,526	183,527	179,670	180,476
Other Asia 9/	349,711	358,846	358,485	367,330	359,894	359,763
Oceania 10/	1,250	1,324	1,362	1,101	1,750	1,752
CONSUMPTION						
North America 1/	4,028	4,108	4,439	4,717	4,778	4,785
Latin America 2/	13,535	13,746	14,215	14,611	14,446	14,711
EU	1,967	2,012	2,066	2,131	2,082	2,082
Other West. Eur. 3/	50	48	50	53	55	55
Former USSR	1,118	1,130	1,248	1,347	1,297	1,311
Eastern Europe 4/	389	344	382	360	365	365
Middle East 5/	5,941	5,779	6,159	6,449	6,700	6,650
North Africa 6/	2,838	2,982	2,984	3,097	3,177	3,177
Other Africa 7/	9,996	10,412	10,973	11,563	12,132	12,132
South Asia 8/	107,572	104,835	110,458	113,677	114,790	114,850
Other Asia 9/	229,422	234,503	236,010	241,824	241,621	241,796
Oceania 10/	507	563	608	670	700	700
ENDING STOCKS						
North America 1/	948	982	814	1,062	1,005	987
Latin America 2/	2,332	1,410	2,482	2,887	2,585	2,508
EU	495	685	820	917	789	838
Other West. Eur. 3/	8	6	16	13	8	8
Former USSR	175	50	213	223	210	148
Eastern Europe 4/	0	0	0	0	0	0
Middle East 5/	2,273	1,553	1,679	1,399	1,079	1,079
North Africa 6/	269	600	200	631	1,081	1,081
Other Africa 7/	835	1,125	1,357	1,480	1,573	1,573
South Asia 8/	10,463	11,297	13,413	19,415	21,979	22,565
Other Asia 9/	34,268	38,163	38,775	37,092	29,992	30,427
Oceania 10/	42	177	207	89	350	352

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WORLD COARSE GRAINS SITUATION AND OUTLOOK

World coarse grain trade for 2000/01 is projected down over 3 million tons to 101 million tons, due to larger crops in several major importing countries, especially Brazil and Russia. World production is expected to drop sharply as reductions in Eastern Europe and China are only partially offset by bigger crops in the United States, Brazil, and the EU. Global consumption is expected to remain near record levels and global carryout stocks are forecast down almost 22 million tons.

Global corn trade is projected down marginally from last year at 72.4 million tons. US exports are projected to drop slightly from 1999/00 levels, largely because of increased competition from Argentina and Brazil. World barley trade is forecast to remain robust as Mid Eastern and North African demand continues strong. Although exports are forecast for Australia and Canada, the EU will remain the largest supplier.

US Gulf FOB prices for corn have fallen by \$5 from the last month to only slightly above \$90 a ton.

2000/01 Trade Changes

Selected Exporters

- ◆ **United States corn** down 1.5 million tons to 49 million, in response to intensifying competition.
- ◆ **Argentina corn** up 500,000 tons to 12.5 million due to higher production.
- ◆ **Brazil corn** up 700,000 tons to 1.5 million with the prospects of a record crop and a strong short-term export program
- ◆ **Hungary corn** up 200,000 tons to 500,000 based on better crop prospects.
- ◆ **Thailand corn** up 200,000 tons to 300,000 tons due to a recent flurry of sales to other Asian countries.
- ◆ **United States barley** up 50,000 tons to 1 million due to a strong export pace to date.
- ◆ **United States sorghum** up 300,000 tons to 5.3 million because of reduced domestic feeding and continued strong demand from Mexico.
- ◆ **Turkey barley** down 100,000 tons to 400,000 based on a weak export pace to date.
- ◆ **EU oats** up 100,000 tons to 800,000 based on a strong export license pace.
- ◆ **EU rye** down 400,000 tons to 1.1 million based on the slow pace of licenses to date.

Selected Importers

- ◆ **Indonesia corn** up 100,000 tons to 1.3 million, driven by decreased production.
- ◆ **Egypt corn** up 100,000 tons to 4.7 million, credited to a strong pace of imports and purchases to date.
- ◆ **North Korea corn** up 150,000 tons to 250,000 due to a strong shipment pace by China.
- ◆ **Colombia corn** down 200,000 tons to 1.8 million, **Peru corn** down 100,000 tons to 900,000, and **Turkey corn** down 200,000 tons to 1 million due to a slow pace of imports to date.
- ◆ **United States barley** up 50,000 to 650,000 due to strong import pace to date.
- ◆ **Algeria barley** down 100,000 tons to 700,000 and **Morocco barley** down 200,000 tons to 800,000 based on lower demand and prospects for better forage crops.
- ◆ **Israel barley** down 100,000 tons to 300,000 as relatively high prices slow purchases
- ◆ **Russia barley** up 200,000 tons to 400,000 due to strong purchases to date.
- ◆ **Mexico sorghum** up 300,000 tons to 3.8 million based on a strong pace of imports and purchases to date.
- ◆ **United States oats** up 100,000 to 1.9 million due to strong EU sales.
- ◆ **South Korea rye** down 100,000 tons to 150,000 tons due to a slow pace of imports to date.

**WORLD COARSE GRAIN TRADE
OCTOBER/SEPTEMBER YEAR
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
EXPORTS						
Argentina	11,089	14,268	8,499	9,612	12,700	13,200
Australia	4,270	3,233	4,771	3,804	4,390	4,390
Canada	5,630	3,421	3,297	3,547	3,475	3,475
China	3,996	6,203	3,357	9,953	6,030	6,030
South Africa	1,647	1,064	798	700	1,100	1,100
Russia	322	1,338	136	375	350	350
Turkey	383	1,396	801	181	500	400
EU	7,771	4,658	10,757	13,351	11,900	11,700
Others	5,934	6,029	6,069	6,225	4,060	5,005
Subtotal	41,042	41,610	38,485	47,748	44,505	45,650
United States	53,085	43,961	57,710	56,536	56,477	55,327
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>94,127</u>	<u>85,571</u>	<u>96,195</u>	<u>104,284</u>	<u>100,982</u>	<u>100,977</u>
IMPORTS						
Algeria	1,188	1,326	1,930	1,960	2,200	2,100
Brazil	657	1,563	1,081	2,195	760	860
Canada	901	1,441	948	1,134	1,345	1,345
Chile	837	859	1,343	1,360	1,430	1,430
China	2,125	1,591	2,615	2,296	2,650	2,600
Colombia	1,933	2,076	1,686	2,120	2,115	1,915
Costa Rica	375	382	430	550	550	550
Dominican Republic	733	671	814	1,000	1,100	1,100
Ecuador	150	297	320	270	335	335
Egypt	3,234	3,254	3,687	4,600	4,600	4,700
Iran	2,430	1,303	1,448	2,100	1,900	1,900
Israel	1,520	1,032	1,135	1,331	1,250	1,150
Japan	20,526	21,038	20,922	20,415	20,090	20,090
Jordan	1,057	781	902	1,030	1,000	1,000
Korea, North	503	347	200	150	100	250
Korea, South	8,731	7,598	7,828	9,280	8,351	8,251
Libya	999	574	339	475	500	500
Malaysia	2,335	2,202	2,384	2,296	2,400	2,400
Mexico	5,415	7,980	9,095	9,931	9,730	10,030
Morocco	761	804	1,822	1,552	1,830	1,630
Peru	906	1,294	1,100	912	1,050	950
Poland	1,136	592	499	700	850	850
Romania	189	139	161	150	300	300
Russia	903	275	1,185	1,925	625	575
Saudi Arabia	7,163	5,260	7,079	7,300	6,600	6,600
South Africa	549	274	391	488	180	180
Syria	464	482	1,002	1,325	1,150	1,150
Taiwan	6,014	4,757	4,798	5,231	5,350	5,350
Thailand	237	255	151	451	200	200
Tunisia	703	539	784	839	850	850
Turkey	1,085	851	1,027	1,461	1,300	1,100
Venezuela	1,500	1,161	1,463	1,300	1,350	1,350
Zimbabwe	225	415	350	50	200	200
EU	2,811	2,403	3,117	2,686	2,910	2,910
O.W. Europe	1,252	737	666	957	816	816
United States	3,270	2,934	2,659	2,607	2,800	2,950
Subtotal	84,817	79,487	87,361	94,427	90,767	90,467
Other Countries	7,789	5,022	5,697	8,074	8,010	7,985
Unaccounted	1,521	1,062	3,137	1,783	2,205	2,525
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>94,127</u>	<u>85,571</u>	<u>96,195</u>	<u>104,284</u>	<u>100,982</u>	<u>100,977</u>

WORLD COARSE GRAIN PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION AND STOCKS
LOCAL MARKETING YEARS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
PRODUCTION						
Australia	10,227	9,524	10,069	8,718	8,855	8,855
Argentina	18,923	24,676	17,751	21,664	19,115	20,115
Brazil	36,602	31,290	33,505	32,553	39,602	40,602
Canada	28,194	25,115	26,565	26,767	24,345	24,345
China	141,318	114,662	144,191	137,794	113,855	113,855
Egypt	6,761	6,944	6,540	6,598	6,720	6,570
Hungary	7,140	8,445	7,597	8,293	5,580	6,107
India	34,349	30,952	31,670	30,480	30,460	30,460
Indonesia	5,950	5,700	6,500	6,200	6,200	5,500
Mexico	26,491	23,114	24,698	26,036	24,800	24,304
Philippines	4,215	3,528	4,894	4,449	4,508	4,508
Romania	11,063	14,954	9,640	11,945	5,155	5,655
South Africa	10,782	8,281	8,143	11,075	7,878	7,878
Ukraine	9,510	15,457	10,337	10,591	13,000	13,500
Yugoslavia	9,117	10,529	9,464	10,735	6,373	6,373
EU	103,777	109,400	105,549	103,098	108,256	108,086
Others	178,358	180,911	161,452	156,810	157,116	156,438
Subtotal	642,777	623,482	618,565	613,806	581,818	583,151
United States	265,714	260,427	271,474	263,172	274,454	274,454
WORLD TOTAL	908,491	883,909	890,039	876,978	856,272	857,605
CONSUMPTION						
Argentina	6,767	9,661	10,033	9,463	8,695	9,195
Brazil	37,489	34,754	34,863	34,247	36,762	37,016
Canada	21,771	23,463	23,583	23,662	23,632	23,632
China	124,655	125,464	127,901	129,344	131,459	131,409
Egypt	9,995	10,203	10,227	11,098	11,320	11,270
India	33,721	31,226	31,823	30,450	30,460	30,460
Indonesia	6,825	5,707	6,711	7,279	7,400	7,000
Japan	20,717	20,715	21,273	20,842	20,482	20,482
Korea, South	9,112	8,310	8,334	9,392	9,056	8,956
Malaysia	2,362	2,370	2,425	2,353	2,450	2,450
Mexico	31,512	31,686	33,502	35,538	35,230	35,030
Romania	10,785	12,555	10,311	10,985	6,705	7,205
Russia	32,559	34,234	25,637	24,626	26,525	26,673
Saudi Arabia	7,280	7,113	7,669	7,454	7,504	7,504
South Africa	8,391	8,695	8,405	8,612	8,808	8,808
Yugoslavia	9,159	9,426	9,709	10,320	9,808	9,808
Others	295,478	290,497	289,837	294,062	287,215	287,038
Subtotal	668,578	666,079	662,243	669,727	663,511	663,936
United States	204,493	206,969	205,372	212,057	214,841	215,490
WORLD TOTAL	873,071	873,048	867,615	881,784	878,352	879,426
ENDING STOCKS						
Canada	4,845	4,273	4,876	5,240	4,123	4,123
China	52,500	37,086	52,634	53,427	32,472	32,443
Russia	1,293	7,415	1,777	681	2,183	2,133
EU	12,214	21,991	24,313	21,439	19,551	19,876
Others	38,374	38,180	34,542	35,065	30,512	29,921
Subtotal	109,226	108,945	118,142	115,852	88,841	88,496
United States	27,009	38,151	51,373	48,857	54,066	54,392
WORLD TOTAL	136,235	147,096	169,515	164,709	142,907	142,888

**REGIONAL COARSE GRAIN IMPORTS, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION AND STOCKS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
IMPORTS						
North America 1/	9,586	12,355	12,702	13,672	13,875	14,325
Latin America 2/	8,999	9,590	9,926	11,966	10,625	10,425
EU	2,811	2,403	3,117	2,686	2,910	2,910
Other West. Eur. 3/	1,252	737	666	957	816	816
Former USSR	1,306	493	1,606	2,798	1,115	1,065
Eastern Europe 4/	2,660	1,224	1,644	1,685	2,165	2,040
Middle East 5/	14,800	10,512	13,514	15,522	14,275	13,975
North Africa 6/	6,885	6,497	8,562	9,426	9,980	9,780
Other Africa 7/	2,291	1,713	1,351	1,213	1,530	1,530
South Asia 8/	0	1	175	260	210	210
Other Asia 9/	41,952	38,910	39,664	42,205	41,166	41,266
Oceania 10/	28	44	75	81	80	80
PRODUCTION						
North America 1/	320,399	308,656	322,737	315,975	323,599	323,103
Latin America 2/	67,083	67,004	61,701	64,843	70,030	72,106
EU	103,777	109,400	105,549	103,098	108,256	108,086
Other West. Eur. 3/	1,914	1,852	1,819	1,827	1,827	1,827
Former USSR	54,696	71,405	40,534	42,938	52,100	52,500
Eastern Europe 4/	50,259	58,811	50,978	54,775	35,959	36,986
Middle East 5/	17,889	16,871	17,497	14,030	14,846	14,276
North Africa 6/	13,706	9,186	10,063	9,489	8,032	7,749
Other Africa 7/	69,005	63,055	67,356	68,495	63,703	63,703
South Asia 8/	38,335	35,134	36,021	34,808	34,660	34,660
Other Asia 9/	160,357	132,112	164,826	157,108	133,506	132,855
Oceania 10/	10,832	10,144	10,679	9,338	9,475	9,475
CONSUMPTION						
North America 1/	257,776	262,118	262,457	271,257	273,703	274,152
Latin America 2/	63,165	63,321	64,018	63,564	66,180	66,774
EU	95,808	97,808	97,326	95,177	98,720	98,553
Other West. Eur. 3/	3,050	2,681	2,634	2,812	2,662	2,612
Former USSR	55,393	59,741	47,770	44,928	47,828	48,476
Eastern Europe 4/	50,775	53,473	51,436	52,214	42,899	43,501
Middle East 5/	29,939	28,766	29,876	29,283	29,069	28,449
North Africa 6/	19,127	16,956	18,327	18,792	18,972	18,479
Other Africa 7/	67,875	65,396	67,114	66,932	66,323	66,323
South Asia 8/	37,707	35,408	36,174	34,788	34,670	34,670
Other Asia 9/	183,319	179,626	184,901	188,213	190,056	189,556
Oceania 10/	6,477	6,311	6,121	5,578	5,293	5,293
ENDING STOCKS						
North America 1/	35,555	45,275	59,375	57,628	61,058	61,335
Latin America 2/	4,923	4,667	3,568	2,977	5,378	5,688
EU	12,214	21,991	24,313	21,439	19,551	19,876
Other West. Eur. 3/	936	844	695	659	648	640
Former USSR	3,651	12,793	4,857	3,611	6,495	6,440
Eastern Europe 4/	5,347	8,840	7,121	8,002	2,727	2,727
Middle East 5/	6,295	4,212	4,024	2,869	2,971	2,521
North Africa 6/	2,134	892	1,185	1,121	761	671
Other Africa 7/	4,559	2,387	3,737	4,565	3,075	3,075
South Asia 8/	1,020	720	740	1,020	1,215	1,170
Other Asia 9/	58,336	42,684	58,638	59,575	38,018	37,735
Oceania 10/	725	1,206	865	786	753	753

NOTES: Footnotes appear on last page of this circular. Imports are reported on an international year basis. All other data are reported using marketing years.

WORLD CORN TRADE
OCTOBER/SEPTEMBER YEAR
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
EXPORTS						
Argentina	10,210	12,756	7,848	8,859	12,000	12,500
China	<u>3,892</u>	<u>6,173</u>	<u>3,340</u>	<u>9,935</u>	<u>6,000</u>	<u>6,000</u>
Hungary	1,122	1,236	1,829	1,786	200	500
Romania	<u>537</u>	<u>874</u>	<u>400</u>	<u>400</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>100</u>
South Africa	1,581	1,041	798	700	1,100	1,100
Ukraine	<u>22</u>	<u>593</u>	<u>365</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>600</u>	<u>300</u>
EU	243	382	99	210	100	200
Others	<u>2,176</u>	<u>2,187</u>	<u>1,831</u>	<u>1,963</u>	<u>1,845</u>	<u>2,790</u>
Subtotal	19,783	25,242	16,510	23,908	21,945	23,490
United States	46,633	37,697	51,886	49,371	50,500	49,000
WORLD TOTAL	<u>66,416</u>	<u>62,939</u>	<u>68,396</u>	<u>73,279</u>	<u>72,445</u>	<u>72,490</u>
IMPORTS						
Algeria	996	943	1,171	1,300	1,400	1,400
Brazil	<u>514</u>	<u>1,456</u>	<u>945</u>	<u>1,789</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>600</u>
Canada	879	1,418	903	1,084	1,300	1,300
Chile	<u>783</u>	<u>851</u>	<u>1,268</u>	<u>1,260</u>	<u>1,400</u>	<u>1,400</u>
China	75	287	262	71	150	150
Colombia	<u>1,675</u>	<u>1,785</u>	<u>1,570</u>	<u>2,005</u>	<u>2,000</u>	<u>1,800</u>
Costa Rica	375	382	430	550	550	550
Dominican Republic	<u>733</u>	<u>671</u>	<u>814</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>1,100</u>	<u>1,100</u>
Ecuador	114	279	285	225	300	300
Egypt	<u>3,201</u>	<u>3,245</u>	<u>3,687</u>	<u>4,600</u>	<u>4,600</u>	<u>4,700</u>
Guatemala	328	305	385	500	500	500
Indonesia	<u>895</u>	<u>516</u>	<u>455</u>	<u>1,229</u>	<u>1,200</u>	<u>1,300</u>
Iran	1,658	900	1,072	1,100	1,100	1,100
Israel	<u>736</u>	<u>530</u>	<u>579</u>	<u>800</u>	<u>700</u>	<u>700</u>
Japan	15,963	16,422	16,336	16,117	16,000	16,000
Jordan	<u>442</u>	<u>485</u>	<u>448</u>	<u>450</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>500</u>
Korea, North	503	347	200	150	100	250
Korea, South	<u>8,336</u>	<u>7,528</u>	<u>7,517</u>	<u>8,694</u>	<u>8,000</u>	<u>8,000</u>
Malaysia	2,335	2,202	2,384	2,296	2,400	2,400
Mexico	<u>3,141</u>	<u>4,376</u>	<u>5,615</u>	<u>4,911</u>	<u>6,000</u>	<u>6,000</u>
Morocco	687	553	729	750	750	750
Peru	<u>840</u>	<u>1,228</u>	<u>1,050</u>	<u>862</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>900</u>
Philippines	446	455	129	582	600	600
Poland	<u>657</u>	<u>384</u>	<u>224</u>	<u>250</u>	<u>200</u>	<u>200</u>
Russia	231	85	524	684	300	100
Saudi Arabia	<u>1,272</u>	<u>1,234</u>	<u>1,265</u>	<u>1,500</u>	<u>1,600</u>	<u>1,600</u>
South Africa	372	135	307	350	50	50
Taiwan	<u>5,742</u>	<u>4,474</u>	<u>4,575</u>	<u>5,023</u>	<u>5,100</u>	<u>5,100</u>
Thailand	231	253	150	450	200	200
Tunisia	<u>474</u>	<u>368</u>	<u>561</u>	<u>600</u>	<u>550</u>	<u>550</u>
Turkey	929	704	887	1,250	1,200	1,000
Venezuela	<u>1,494</u>	<u>1,161</u>	<u>1,463</u>	<u>1,300</u>	<u>1,350</u>	<u>1,350</u>
Zimbabwe	220	402	350	50	200	200
EU	<u>2,572</u>	<u>2,055</u>	<u>2,716</u>	<u>2,296</u>	<u>2,500</u>	<u>2,500</u>
O.W. Europe	404	199	254	276	210	210
United States	<u>285</u>	<u>126</u>	<u>388</u>	<u>229</u>	<u>325</u>	<u>325</u>
Subtotal	60,538	58,744	61,898	66,583	65,935	65,685
Other Countries	5,270	3,894	4,389	5,468	5,095	5,095
Unaccounted	608	301	2,109	1,228	1,415	1,710
WORLD TOTAL	<u>66,416</u>	<u>62,939</u>	<u>68,396</u>	<u>73,279</u>	<u>72,445</u>	<u>72,490</u>

WORLD CORN PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION AND STOCKS
LOCAL MARKETING YEARS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
PRODUCTION						
Argentina	15,500	19,360	13,500	17,200	15,000	16,000
Brazil	<u>35,700</u>	<u>30,100</u>	<u>32,393</u>	<u>31,641</u>	<u>38,500</u>	<u>39,500</u>
Canada	7,380	7,180	8,952	9,096	6,800	6,800
China	<u>127,470</u>	<u>104,309</u>	<u>132,954</u>	<u>128,086</u>	<u>105,000</u>	<u>105,000</u>
Egypt	5,825	6,010	5,605	5,678	5,800	5,650
Hungary	<u>6,000</u>	<u>6,800</u>	<u>6,000</u>	<u>7,000</u>	<u>4,500</u>	<u>5,000</u>
India	10,612	10,852	10,680	11,470	11,500	11,500
Indonesia	<u>5,950</u>	<u>5,700</u>	<u>6,500</u>	<u>6,200</u>	<u>6,200</u>	<u>5,500</u>
Mexico	18,922	16,934	17,788	19,239	18,000	17,694
Philippines	<u>4,215</u>	<u>3,528</u>	<u>4,894</u>	<u>4,449</u>	<u>4,508</u>	<u>4,508</u>
Romania	9,610	12,680	8,000	10,500	4,000	4,500
South Africa	<u>10,136</u>	<u>7,693</u>	<u>7,724</u>	<u>10,584</u>	<u>7,500</u>	<u>7,500</u>
Thailand	3,900	3,700	4,300	3,900	4,400	4,400
Ukraine	<u>1,840</u>	<u>5,340</u>	<u>2,301</u>	<u>1,737</u>	<u>3,800</u>	<u>3,800</u>
Yugoslavia	8,293	9,564	8,386	9,900	5,500	5,500
EU	<u>34,794</u>	<u>38,522</u>	<u>35,295</u>	<u>37,291</u>	<u>38,631</u>	<u>38,471</u>
Others	51,507	53,065	52,122	52,411	50,208	50,029
Subtotal	357,654	341,337	357,394	366,382	329,847	331,352
United States	234,518	233,864	247,882	239,549	253,208	253,208
WORLD TOTAL	<u>592,172</u>	<u>575,201</u>	<u>605,276</u>	<u>605,931</u>	<u>583,055</u>	<u>584,560</u>
CONSUMPTION						
Brazil	36,443	33,455	33,615	33,191	35,400	35,400
Canada	<u>7,650</u>	<u>8,600</u>	<u>8,918</u>	<u>9,359</u>	<u>8,900</u>	<u>8,900</u>
China	109,400	113,400	114,300	116,900	120,000	120,000
Egypt	<u>9,026</u>	<u>9,255</u>	<u>9,292</u>	<u>10,178</u>	<u>10,400</u>	<u>10,350</u>
Hungary	4,679	5,164	4,921	5,014	4,700	4,900
India	<u>10,304</u>	<u>10,946</u>	<u>10,853</u>	<u>11,350</u>	<u>11,500</u>	<u>11,500</u>
Indonesia	6,825	5,707	6,711	7,279	7,400	7,000
Japan	<u>16,100</u>	<u>15,900</u>	<u>16,436</u>	<u>16,317</u>	<u>16,050</u>	<u>16,050</u>
Korea, South	8,300	7,975	7,617	8,400	8,300	8,300
Malaysia	<u>2,362</u>	<u>2,370</u>	<u>2,425</u>	<u>2,353</u>	<u>2,450</u>	<u>2,450</u>
Mexico	22,090	22,002	23,037	23,650	24,400	24,100
Romania	<u>9,225</u>	<u>10,493</u>	<u>8,621</u>	<u>9,500</u>	<u>5,450</u>	<u>5,950</u>
Russia	1,331	2,369	1,711	1,834	1,800	1,650
South Africa	<u>7,636</u>	<u>7,990</u>	<u>7,884</u>	<u>7,981</u>	<u>8,300</u>	<u>8,300</u>
Yugoslavia	8,211	8,451	8,600	9,325	8,850	8,850
Others	<u>126,134</u>	<u>128,931</u>	<u>129,846</u>	<u>138,037</u>	<u>131,122</u>	<u>131,737</u>
Subtotal	385,716	393,008	394,787	410,668	405,022	405,437
United States	177,586	185,087	185,879	192,477	196,987	198,003
WORLD TOTAL	<u>563,302</u>	<u>578,095</u>	<u>580,666</u>	<u>603,145</u>	<u>602,009</u>	<u>603,440</u>
ENDING STOCKS						
Brazil	2,633	1,100	1,000	600	3,050	3,450
China	<u>50,961</u>	<u>35,984</u>	<u>51,560</u>	<u>52,882</u>	<u>32,061</u>	<u>32,032</u>
South Africa	2,239	817	1,022	2,325	1,275	1,275
EU	<u>3,280</u>	<u>4,468</u>	<u>3,658</u>	<u>4,105</u>	<u>4,578</u>	<u>4,318</u>
Others	18,670	21,733	19,301	21,178	15,558	15,208
Subtotal	77,783	64,102	76,541	81,090	56,522	56,283
United States	22,433	33,220	45,391	43,628	49,301	49,555
WORLD TOTAL	<u>100,216</u>	<u>97,322</u>	<u>121,932</u>	<u>124,718</u>	<u>105,823</u>	<u>105,838</u>

**REGIONAL CORN IMPORTS, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION AND STOCKS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
IMPORTS						
North America 1/	4,305	5,920	6,906	6,224	7,625	7,625
Latin America 2/	8,222	9,019	9,456	11,198	10,090	9,890
EU	2,572	2,055	2,716	2,296	2,500	2,500
Other Wst. Eur. 3/	404	199	254	276	210	210
Former USSR	381	232	627	909	420	220
Eastern Europe 4/	1,250	819	1,028	930	805	805
Middle East 5/	6,182	4,863	5,383	6,475	6,300	6,100
North Africa 6/	5,704	5,392	6,239	7,525	7,500	7,600
Other Africa 7/	2,080	1,472	1,244	1,025	1,350	1,350
South Asia 8/	0	1	175	260	210	210
Other Asia 9/	34,666	32,635	32,190	34,887	33,975	34,225
Oceania 10/	6	1	13	16	15	15
PRODUCTION						
North America 1/	260,820	257,978	274,622	267,884	278,008	277,702
Latin America 2/	60,277	58,432	54,369	57,668	62,786	64,862
EU	34,794	38,522	35,295	37,291	38,631	38,471
Other Wst. Eur. 3/	215	220	185	220	220	220
Former USSR	5,024	10,751	5,346	4,983	7,175	7,225
Eastern Europe 4/	26,342	32,203	25,120	30,840	16,660	17,660
Middle East 5/	3,257	3,462	3,742	3,107	3,257	2,957
North Africa 6/	6,038	6,388	5,908	5,880	6,102	5,952
Other Africa 7/	35,731	32,002	33,648	36,492	31,273	31,273
South Asia 8/	13,537	13,788	13,782	14,540	14,570	14,570
Other Asia 9/	145,459	120,893	152,631	146,386	123,683	122,978
Oceania 10/	543	417	483	510	545	545
CONSUMPTION						
North America 1/	207,326	215,689	217,834	225,486	230,287	231,003
Latin America 2/	56,803	56,197	56,938	56,753	58,856	59,196
EU	35,962	38,862	38,948	38,802	39,847	39,866
Other Wst. Eur. 3/	599	429	479	496	430	430
Former USSR	5,855	8,593	6,921	6,238	6,035	6,085
Eastern Europe 4/	25,132	27,463	25,155	27,394	21,835	22,535
Middle East 5/	8,688	8,735	9,114	9,737	9,607	9,107
North Africa 6/	11,668	11,822	12,146	13,155	13,702	13,652
Other Africa 7/	34,616	33,774	33,893	34,439	33,713	33,713
South Asia 8/	13,229	13,882	13,955	14,430	14,580	14,580
Other Asia 9/	161,963	161,721	165,116	169,642	172,758	172,408
Oceania 10/	529	405	457	505	535	535
ENDING STOCKS						
North America 1/	25,908	35,625	48,126	46,913	51,571	51,819
Latin America 2/	4,435	3,652	2,572	1,985	4,557	4,866
EU	3,280	4,468	3,658	4,105	4,578	4,318
Other Wst. Eur. 3/	130	120	80	80	80	80
Former USSR	987	2,728	1,348	892	1,802	1,902
Eastern Europe 4/	3,832	6,687	5,195	6,710	1,790	1,790
Middle East 5/	1,341	890	809	654	604	604
North Africa 6/	400	391	391	491	491	491
Other Africa 7/	3,889	2,067	2,972	4,250	2,760	2,760
South Asia 8/	400	300	300	670	865	820
Other Asia 9/	55,594	40,383	56,470	57,956	36,713	36,376
Oceania 10/	20	11	11	12	12	12

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**WORLD BARLEY TRADE
OCTOBER/SEPTEMBER YEAR
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
EXPORTS						
Australia	3,967	2,838	4,241	2,870	3,600	3,600
Canada	3,442	1,897	1,185	1,707	2,000	2,000
Russia	297	1,321	123	325	250	250
Turkey	380	1,395	743	181	500	400
Ukraine	322	539	972	775	700	700
EU	6,183	2,990	8,894	10,438	9,500	9,500
Eastern Europe	361	268	474	532	100	100
Others	1,750	506	630	871	500	500
Subtotal	16,702	11,754	17,262	17,699	17,150	17,050
United States	1,214	1,066	600	839	950	1,000
WORLD TOTAL	17,916	12,820	17,862	18,538	18,100	18,050
IMPORTS						
Algeria	192	383	759	660	800	700
Brazil	143	107	115	147	160	160
China	2,036	1,176	1,986	2,200	2,400	2,400
Colombia	199	208	97	100	100	100
Iran	772	403	376	1,000	800	800
Israel	311	419	464	351	400	300
Japan	1,431	1,435	1,660	1,609	1,600	1,600
Jordan	615	296	454	580	500	500
Korea, South	81	65	135	106	100	100
Libya	653	291	248	200	300	300
Mexico	131	196	155	212	200	200
Morocco	73	251	951	747	1,000	800
Russia	475	168	335	800	200	400
Saudi Arabia	5,887	4,026	5,814	5,800	5,000	5,000
South Africa	177	139	84	100	100	100
Taiwan	192	211	194	167	200	200
Tunisia	229	171	223	239	300	300
Turkey	17	147	140	69	100	100
EU	74	96	91	70	100	100
O.W. Europe	622	405	310	546	480	480
Eastern Europe	1,032	355	598	425	800	800
United States	887	748	597	627	600	650
Subtotal	16,229	11,696	15,786	16,755	16,240	16,090
Other Countries	950	565	1,282	1,562	1,455	1,455
Unaccounted	737	559	794	221	405	505
WORLD TOTAL	17,916	12,820	17,862	18,538	18,100	18,050

WORLD BARLEY PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION AND STOCKS
LOCAL MARKETING YEARS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
PRODUCTION						
Algeria	1,800	190	720	600	160	160
Argentina	533	920	535	398	450	450
Australia	6,696	6,482	5,987	5,043	5,600	5,600
Canada	<u>15,562</u>	<u>13,527</u>	<u>12,709</u>	<u>13,196</u>	<u>13,500</u>	<u>13,500</u>
China	4,000	4,000	3,500	2,866	2,755	2,755
Japan	233	193	144	205	160	214
Kazakstan	2,700	2,670	1,100	2,250	2,000	1,700
Mexico	614	380	410	450	500	500
Morocco	3,831	1,324	1,970	1,474	600	467
Russia	<u>15,900</u>	<u>20,800</u>	<u>9,800</u>	<u>10,600</u>	<u>14,000</u>	<u>14,100</u>
Saudi Arabia	450	400	400	400	400	400
Tunisia	861	200	300	415	100	100
Turkey	7,200	7,300	7,500	6,600	7,400	7,400
Ukraine	<u>5,725</u>	<u>7,407</u>	<u>5,870</u>	<u>6,425</u>	<u>6,900</u>	<u>6,900</u>
EU	51,716	52,608	51,907	48,880	51,570	51,560
Eastern Europe	<u>9,523</u>	<u>11,986</u>	<u>10,686</u>	<u>9,633</u>	<u>7,755</u>	<u>7,782</u>
Others	17,653	16,242	15,900	12,443	13,059	12,789
Subtotal	144,997	146,629	129,438	121,878	126,909	126,377
United States	8,544	7,835	7,667	6,103	6,921	6,921
WORLD TOTAL	<u>153,541</u>	<u>154,464</u>	<u>137,105</u>	<u>127,981</u>	<u>133,830</u>	<u>133,298</u>
CONSUMPTION						
Algeria	1,990	571	1,475	1,280	1,160	960
Australia	<u>2,746</u>	<u>3,041</u>	<u>2,130</u>	<u>2,100</u>	<u>2,050</u>	<u>2,050</u>
Canada	11,051	11,789	11,336	11,170	11,800	11,800
China	<u>5,700</u>	<u>5,575</u>	<u>5,500</u>	<u>5,500</u>	<u>5,305</u>	<u>5,305</u>
Japan	1,621	1,600	1,860	1,840	1,840	1,840
Morocco	<u>2,685</u>	<u>2,524</u>	<u>2,601</u>	<u>2,345</u>	<u>2,100</u>	<u>1,857</u>
Russia	16,435	16,494	12,900	11,300	12,800	13,048
Saudi Arabia	<u>5,800</u>	<u>5,675</u>	<u>6,200</u>	<u>5,750</u>	<u>5,700</u>	<u>5,700</u>
Turkey	6,475	6,684	6,790	6,763	6,900	7,200
EU	<u>44,137</u>	<u>43,948</u>	<u>42,527</u>	<u>41,122</u>	<u>42,532</u>	<u>42,413</u>
Eastern Europe	10,742	11,407	11,070	10,198	8,685	8,712
Others	<u>31,639</u>	<u>29,751</u>	<u>27,433</u>	<u>26,977</u>	<u>28,185</u>	<u>27,895</u>
Subtotal	141,021	139,059	131,822	126,345	129,057	128,780
United States	8,459	6,879	7,208	6,707	6,358	6,467
WORLD TOTAL	<u>149,480</u>	<u>145,938</u>	<u>139,030</u>	<u>133,052</u>	<u>135,415</u>	<u>135,247</u>
ENDING STOCKS						
Australia	363	835	465	423	388	388
Canada	<u>2,919</u>	<u>2,459</u>	<u>2,737</u>	<u>3,071</u>	<u>2,811</u>	<u>2,811</u>
EU	6,373	12,671	14,640	11,898	10,290	10,424
Others	<u>11,723</u>	<u>13,726</u>	<u>9,436</u>	<u>7,475</u>	<u>8,088</u>	<u>7,494</u>
Subtotal	21,378	29,691	27,278	22,867	21,577	21,117
United States	2,383	2,596	3,084	2,424	2,334	2,225
WORLD TOTAL	<u>23,761</u>	<u>32,287</u>	<u>30,362</u>	<u>25,291</u>	<u>23,911</u>	<u>23,342</u>

**REGIONAL BARLEY IMPORTS, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION AND STOCKS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
IMPORTS						
North America 1/	1,037	965	794	879	840	890
Latin America 2/	619	458	379	428	375	375
EU	74	96	91	70	100	100
Other Wst. Eur. 3/	622	405	310	546	480	480
Former USSR	682	231	552	1,151	410	610
Eastern Europe 4/	1,032	355	598	425	800	800
Middle East 5/	8,002	5,566	8,039	8,725	7,825	7,725
North Africa 6/	1,179	1,105	2,181	1,846	2,400	2,100
Other Africa 7/	182	152	89	100	100	100
South Asia 8/	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Asia 9/	3,740	2,887	3,975	4,082	4,300	4,300
Oceania 10/	10	41	60	65	65	65
PRODUCTION						
North America 1/	24,720	21,742	20,786	19,749	20,921	20,921
Latin America 2/	1,440	1,848	1,392	1,144	1,345	1,345
EU	51,716	52,608	51,907	48,880	51,570	51,560
Other Wst. Eur. 3/	1,154	1,126	1,099	1,074	1,074	1,074
Former USSR	29,358	36,020	21,386	22,650	26,965	26,765
Eastern Europe 4/	9,523	11,986	10,686	9,633	7,755	7,782
Middle East 5/	13,312	12,087	12,384	9,629	10,295	10,025
North Africa 6/	6,762	1,969	3,245	2,744	1,115	982
Other Africa 7/	1,881	1,787	1,570	1,556	1,605	1,605
South Asia 8/	1,949	1,957	2,229	2,008	1,870	1,870
Other Asia 9/	4,645	4,452	4,044	3,471	3,315	3,369
Oceania 10/	7,081	6,882	6,377	5,443	6,000	6,000
CONSUMPTION						
North America 1/	20,280	19,244	19,129	18,530	18,858	18,967
Latin America 2/	1,721	2,047	1,746	1,490	1,670	1,670
EU	44,137	43,948	42,527	41,122	42,532	42,413
Other Wst. Eur. 3/	1,712	1,593	1,509	1,645	1,580	1,530
Former USSR	29,090	29,424	24,245	21,806	24,428	24,476
Eastern Europe 4/	10,742	11,407	11,070	10,198	8,685	8,712
Middle East 5/	19,315	18,626	19,352	17,926	18,018	17,898
North Africa 6/	6,551	4,300	5,129	4,717	4,375	3,932
Other Africa 7/	1,996	1,918	1,660	1,656	1,705	1,705
South Asia 8/	1,949	1,957	2,229	2,008	1,870	1,870
Other Asia 9/	8,006	7,710	8,089	8,013	7,845	7,845
Oceania 10/	3,119	3,384	2,582	2,550	2,500	2,500
ENDING STOCKS						
North America 1/	5,377	5,130	5,876	5,550	5,200	5,091
Latin America 2/	140	260	135	110	110	110
EU	6,373	12,671	14,640	11,898	10,290	10,424
Other Wst. Eur. 3/	641	579	479	446	428	420
Former USSR	1,279	5,770	1,887	2,142	3,441	3,341
Eastern Europe 4/	984	1,656	1,391	857	627	627
Middle East 5/	4,941	3,309	3,202	2,202	2,354	1,904
North Africa 6/	1,689	461	754	590	230	140
Other Africa 7/	0	0	0	0	0	0
South Asia 8/	20	20	20	20	20	20
Other Asia 9/	1,904	1,533	1,463	1,003	773	827
Oceania 10/	413	898	515	473	438	438

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WORLD SORGHUM TRADE
OCTOBER/SEPTEMBER YEAR
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
EXPORTS						
Argentina	634	1,373	519	671	650	650
Australia	178	222	355	761	600	600
China	97	30	17	18	30	30
Sudan	49	0	167	150	0	0
Others	20	31	125	103	125	125
Subtotal	978	1,656	1,183	1,703	1,405	1,405
United States	5,211	5,164	5,198	6,296	5,000	5,300
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>6,189</u>	<u>6,820</u>	<u>6,381</u>	<u>7,999</u>	<u>6,405</u>	<u>6,705</u>
IMPORTS						
Colombia	38	80	9	5	5	5
Israel	473	83	92	180	150	150
Japan	2,774	2,769	2,453	2,206	2,000	2,000
Korea, South	72	1	1	4	1	1
Mexico	2,091	3,340	3,295	4,773	3,500	3,800
Morocco	1	0	112	25	50	50
Sudan	8	0	0	0	0	0
Taiwan	80	72	29	41	50	50
Turkey	139	0	0	0	0	0
EU	163	249	299	300	300	300
Subtotal	5,839	6,594	6,290	7,534	6,056	6,356
Other Countries	144	151	89	434	255	255
Unaccounted	206	75	2	31	94	94
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>6,189</u>	<u>6,820</u>	<u>6,381</u>	<u>7,999</u>	<u>6,405</u>	<u>6,705</u>

WORLD SORGHUM PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION AND STOCKS
LOCAL MARKETING YEARS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
PRODUCTION						
Argentina	2,500	3,770	3,222	3,350	3,100	3,100
Australia	<u>1,425</u>	<u>1,081</u>	<u>1,891</u>	<u>2,163</u>	<u>1,500</u>	<u>1,500</u>
Burkina	1,250	940	1,300	1,400	1,400	1,400
China	<u>5,676</u>	<u>3,640</u>	<u>4,087</u>	<u>3,242</u>	<u>2,800</u>	<u>2,800</u>
Colombia	290	180	175	165	170	170
Egypt	<u>766</u>	<u>764</u>	<u>765</u>	<u>750</u>	<u>750</u>	<u>750</u>
Ethiopia	1,850	2,000	1,200	1,450	1,450	1,450
India	<u>11,088</u>	<u>7,982</u>	<u>8,710</u>	<u>8,860</u>	<u>9,000</u>	<u>9,000</u>
Mexico	6,855	5,700	6,400	6,247	6,200	6,010
Nigeria	<u>6,600</u>	<u>6,930</u>	<u>7,300</u>	<u>7,500</u>	<u>7,800</u>	<u>7,800</u>
Sudan	4,200	3,200	4,500	2,350	2,500	2,500
Tanzania: United Republ	<u>600</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>425</u>	<u>400</u>	<u>400</u>	<u>400</u>
Venezuela	437	380	370	370	370	370
EU	<u>548</u>	<u>761</u>	<u>663</u>	<u>600</u>	<u>675</u>	<u>675</u>
Others	5,263	5,012	5,180	5,029	5,115	5,115
Subtotal	49,348	42,840	46,188	43,876	43,230	43,040
United States	20,201	16,093	13,207	15,118	11,940	11,940
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>69,549</u>	<u>58,933</u>	<u>59,395</u>	<u>58,994</u>	<u>55,170</u>	<u>54,980</u>
CONSUMPTION						
Argentina	1,656	2,070	2,550	2,600	2,700	2,700
Australia	<u>1,194</u>	<u>897</u>	<u>1,381</u>	<u>1,473</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>1,000</u>
Burkina	1,250	940	1,300	1,400	1,400	1,400
China	<u>5,379</u>	<u>3,650</u>	<u>4,134</u>	<u>3,319</u>	<u>2,754</u>	<u>2,754</u>
Ethiopia	1,860	2,088	1,200	1,500	1,500	1,500
India	<u>10,888</u>	<u>8,182</u>	<u>8,690</u>	<u>8,850</u>	<u>9,000</u>	<u>9,000</u>
Japan	2,637	2,800	2,500	2,200	2,100	2,100
Mexico	<u>8,500</u>	<u>8,940</u>	<u>9,750</u>	<u>11,100</u>	<u>10,000</u>	<u>10,100</u>
Nigeria	6,600	6,930	7,318	7,500	7,800	7,800
Sudan	<u>4,050</u>	<u>3,550</u>	<u>3,888</u>	<u>2,650</u>	<u>2,500</u>	<u>2,500</u>
Venezuela	695	982	872	857	900	900
Others	<u>8,712</u>	<u>7,326</u>	<u>7,133</u>	<u>7,599</u>	<u>7,165</u>	<u>7,246</u>
Subtotal	53,421	48,355	50,716	51,048	48,819	49,000
United States	14,246	10,670	7,803	8,615	7,367	6,732
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>67,667</u>	<u>59,025</u>	<u>58,519</u>	<u>59,663</u>	<u>56,186</u>	<u>55,732</u>
ENDING STOCKS						
Argentina	250	620	728	729	578	579
China	<u>325</u>	<u>285</u>	<u>221</u>	<u>126</u>	<u>142</u>	<u>142</u>
Mexico	1,169	1,269	1,214	1,134	887	844
Others	<u>1,644</u>	<u>1,086</u>	<u>1,560</u>	<u>1,059</u>	<u>984</u>	<u>984</u>
Subtotal	3,388	3,260	3,723	3,048	2,591	2,549
United States	1,206	1,242	1,655	1,661	1,154	1,408
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>4,594</u>	<u>4,502</u>	<u>5,378</u>	<u>4,709</u>	<u>3,745</u>	<u>3,957</u>

**REGIONAL SORGHUM IMPORTS, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION AND STOCKS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
IMPORTS						
North America 1/	2,091	3,340	3,295	4,773	3,500	3,800
<u>Latin America 2/</u>	<u>106</u>	<u>92</u>	<u>56</u>	<u>300</u>	<u>130</u>	<u>130</u>
EU	163	249	299	300	300	300
<u>Other Wst. Eur. 3/</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>
Former USSR	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Eastern Europe 4/</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Middle East 5/	616	83	92	180	150	150
<u>North Africa 6/</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>112</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>
Other Africa 7/	29	89	18	88	80	80
<u>South Asia 8/</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Other Asia 9/	2,932	2,844	2,484	2,252	2,051	2,051
<u>Oceania 10/</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
PRODUCTION						
North America 1/	27,056	21,793	19,607	21,365	18,140	17,950
<u>Latin America 2/</u>	<u>4,365</u>	<u>5,497</u>	<u>4,928</u>	<u>4,778</u>	<u>4,797</u>	<u>4,797</u>
EU	548	761	663	600	675	675
<u>Other Wst. Eur. 3/</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Former USSR	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Eastern Europe 4/</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>
Middle East 5/	590	584	600	585	585	585
<u>North Africa 6/</u>	<u>776</u>	<u>779</u>	<u>780</u>	<u>765</u>	<u>765</u>	<u>765</u>
Other Africa 7/	17,443	16,188	17,504	16,019	16,282	16,282
<u>South Asia 8/</u>	<u>11,307</u>	<u>8,213</u>	<u>8,938</u>	<u>9,090</u>	<u>9,230</u>	<u>9,230</u>
Other Asia 9/	5,934	3,902	4,349	3,504	3,061	3,061
<u>Oceania 10/</u>	<u>1,425</u>	<u>1,081</u>	<u>1,891</u>	<u>2,163</u>	<u>1,500</u>	<u>1,500</u>
CONSUMPTION						
North America 1/	22,746	19,610	17,553	19,715	17,367	16,832
<u>Latin America 2/</u>	<u>3,592</u>	<u>3,867</u>	<u>4,286</u>	<u>4,048</u>	<u>4,502</u>	<u>4,756</u>
EU	695	982	872	857	900	900
<u>Other Wst. Eur. 3/</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>
Former USSR	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Eastern Europe 4/</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>
Middle East 5/	1,206	667	692	765	735	735
<u>North Africa 6/</u>	<u>778</u>	<u>784</u>	<u>892</u>	<u>790</u>	<u>815</u>	<u>815</u>
Other Africa 7/	17,313	16,626	16,927	16,409	16,362	16,362
<u>South Asia 8/</u>	<u>11,107</u>	<u>8,413</u>	<u>8,918</u>	<u>9,080</u>	<u>9,230</u>	<u>9,230</u>
Other Asia 9/	8,428	6,787	6,927	5,827	5,166	5,166
<u>Oceania 10/</u>	<u>1,194</u>	<u>897</u>	<u>1,381</u>	<u>1,473</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>1,000</u>
ENDING STOCKS						
North America 1/	2,375	2,511	2,869	2,795	2,041	2,252
<u>Latin America 2/</u>	<u>310</u>	<u>680</u>	<u>788</u>	<u>789</u>	<u>638</u>	<u>639</u>
EU	22	50	46	39	64	64
<u>Other Wst. Eur. 3/</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Former USSR	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Eastern Europe 4/</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Middle East 5/	13	13	13	13	13	13
<u>North Africa 6/</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>40</u>
Other Africa 7/	670	320	765	315	315	315
<u>South Asia 8/</u>	<u>300</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>120</u>	<u>130</u>	<u>130</u>	<u>130</u>
Other Asia 9/	759	688	577	488	404	404
<u>Oceania 10/</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>100</u>

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**WORLD OATS TRADE
OCTOBER/SEPTEMBER YEAR
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
EXPORTS						
Argentina	1	0	0	0	0	0
Australia	102	161	153	158	170	170
Canada	1,708	1,309	1,155	1,383	1,300	1,300
EU	423	737	511	481	700	800
Eastern Europe	4	50	25	25	25	25
Others	28	21	21	20	10	10
Subtotal	2,266	2,278	1,865	2,067	2,205	2,305
United States	26	32	24	20	25	25
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>2,292</u>	<u>2,310</u>	<u>1,889</u>	<u>2,087</u>	<u>2,230</u>	<u>2,330</u>
IMPORTS						
Canada	3	2	2	5	5	5
Colombia	21	3	10	10	10	10
Ecuador	30	17	20	20	20	20
Japan	91	89	82	86	90	90
Mexico	52	68	30	35	30	30
Russia	12	20	20	25	25	25
EU	1	2	9	20	10	10
O.W. Europe	162	58	46	55	55	55
Eastern Europe	2	0	0	0	0	0
United States	1,961	1,942	1,599	1,675	1,800	1,900
Subtotal	2,335	2,201	1,818	1,931	2,045	2,145
Other Countries	8	5	37	40	30	30
Unaccounted	(51)	104	34	116	155	155
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>2,292</u>	<u>2,310</u>	<u>1,889</u>	<u>2,087</u>	<u>2,230</u>	<u>2,330</u>

WORLD OATS PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION AND STOCKS
LOCAL MARKETING YEARS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
PRODUCTION						
Algeria	100	20	100	70	20	20
Argentina	310	517	383	553	450	450
Australia	1,653	1,634	1,798	1,092	1,300	1,300
Brazil	214	286	250	250	250	250
Belarus	707	700	700	550	600	600
Canada	4,361	3,485	3,958	3,641	3,400	3,400
China	600	400	650	600	600	600
Kazakstan	359	50	75	200	80	80
Mexico	100	100	100	100	100	100
Morocco	30	30	30	30	30	30
Poland	1,581	1,630	1,460	1,446	1,275	1,275
Romania	290	330	350	375	350	350
Russia	8,300	9,400	4,600	4,400	6,000	6,000
Turkey	275	280	310	250	250	250
Ukraine	730	1,062	778	760	900	900
Yugoslavia	225	235	265	260	260	260
EU	6,886	6,665	6,147	6,116	6,710	6,710
Q.W. Europe	445	405	431	447	447	447
Others	1,247	1,246	1,117	1,122	1,032	1,032
Subtotal	28,413	28,475	23,502	22,262	24,054	24,054
United States	2,224	2,428	2,409	2,122	2,166	2,166
WORLD TOTAL	30,637	30,903	25,911	24,384	26,220	26,220
CONSUMPTION						
Algeria	100	20	100	70	20	20
Australia	1,506	1,495	1,571	920	1,128	1,128
Brazil	214	286	250	250	250	250
Canada	2,363	2,287	2,553	2,377	2,300	2,300
China	593	400	600	600	600	600
Hungary	108	125	132	175	100	100
Kazakstan	347	30	55	180	70	70
Mexico	152	168	130	135	130	130
Poland	1,631	1,580	1,435	1,421	1,250	1,250
Romania	290	330	350	375	350	350
Russia	8,408	7,720	5,570	5,378	5,525	5,525
Ukraine	850	1,062	890	728	900	900
EU	6,333	5,958	5,693	5,632	5,794	5,727
Q.W. Europe	575	483	486	505	495	495
Others	2,929	3,167	2,873	2,726	3,151	3,125
Subtotal	26,399	25,111	22,688	21,472	22,063	21,970
United States	3,862	3,987	4,133	3,876	3,814	3,973
WORLD TOTAL	30,261	29,098	26,821	25,348	25,877	25,943
ENDING STOCKS						
Australia	192	197	179	201	203	203
Canada	832	846	1,088	1,057	862	862
EU	977	932	726	762	635	685
Others	799	2,524	1,489	575	1,062	1,062
Subtotal	2,800	4,499	3,482	2,595	2,762	2,812
United States	968	1,074	1,181	1,104	1,237	1,164
WORLD TOTAL	3,768	5,573	4,663	3,699	3,999	3,976

**REGIONAL OAT IMPORTS, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION AND STOCKS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
IMPORTS						
North America 1/	2,016	2,012	1,631	1,715	1,835	1,935
<u>Latin America 2/</u>	<u>52</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>30</u>
EU	1	2	9	20	10	10
<u>Other Wst. Eur. 3/</u>	<u>162</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>55</u>
Former USSR	12	20	20	25	25	25
<u>Eastern Europe 4/</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Middle East 5/	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>North Africa 6/</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>30</u>
Other Africa 7/	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>South Asia 8/</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Other Asia 9/	94	91	82	86	90	90
<u>Oceania 10/</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
PRODUCTION						
North America 1/	6,685	6,013	6,467	5,863	5,666	5,666
<u>Latin America 2/</u>	<u>895</u>	<u>1,088</u>	<u>869</u>	<u>1,058</u>	<u>955</u>	<u>955</u>
EU	6,886	6,665	6,147	6,116	6,710	6,710
<u>Other Wst. Eur. 3/</u>	<u>445</u>	<u>405</u>	<u>431</u>	<u>447</u>	<u>447</u>	<u>447</u>
Former USSR	10,430	11,560	6,490	6,195	7,875	7,875
<u>Eastern Europe 4/</u>	<u>2,527</u>	<u>2,686</u>	<u>2,497</u>	<u>2,541</u>	<u>2,245</u>	<u>2,245</u>
Middle East 5/	275	280	310	250	250	250
<u>North Africa 6/</u>	<u>130</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>130</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>
Other Africa 7/	34	45	45	45	45	45
<u>South Asia 8/</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Other Asia 9/	602	402	652	602	602	602
<u>Oceania 10/</u>	<u>1,728</u>	<u>1,709</u>	<u>1,873</u>	<u>1,167</u>	<u>1,375</u>	<u>1,375</u>
CONSUMPTION						
North America 1/	6,377	6,442	6,816	6,388	6,244	6,403
<u>Latin America 2/</u>	<u>943</u>	<u>1,071</u>	<u>905</u>	<u>1,078</u>	<u>1,005</u>	<u>1,005</u>
EU	6,333	5,958	5,693	5,632	5,794	5,727
<u>Other Wst. Eur. 3/</u>	<u>575</u>	<u>483</u>	<u>486</u>	<u>505</u>	<u>495</u>	<u>495</u>
Former USSR	10,646	9,860	7,552	7,121	7,390	7,390
<u>Eastern Europe 4/</u>	<u>2,565</u>	<u>2,629</u>	<u>2,482</u>	<u>2,526</u>	<u>2,220</u>	<u>2,220</u>
Middle East 5/	275	280	310	250	250	250
<u>North Africa 6/</u>	<u>130</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>130</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>80</u>
Other Africa 7/	34	45	45	45	45	45
<u>South Asia 8/</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Other Asia 9/	685	492	686	688	692	692
<u>Oceania 10/</u>	<u>1,582</u>	<u>1,570</u>	<u>1,646</u>	<u>995</u>	<u>1,203</u>	<u>1,203</u>
ENDING STOCKS						
North America 1/	1,807	1,927	2,276	2,168	2,106	2,033
<u>Latin America 2/</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>93</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>73</u>
EU	977	932	726	762	635	685
<u>Other Wst. Eur. 3/</u>	<u>165</u>	<u>145</u>	<u>136</u>	<u>133</u>	<u>140</u>	<u>140</u>
Former USSR	460	2,160	1,098	177	677	677
<u>Eastern Europe 4/</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>77</u>	<u>67</u>	<u>57</u>	<u>57</u>	<u>57</u>
Middle East 5/	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>North Africa 6/</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Other Africa 7/	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>South Asia 8/</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Other Asia 9/	59	60	108	108	108	108
<u>Oceania 10/</u>	<u>192</u>	<u>197</u>	<u>179</u>	<u>201</u>	<u>203</u>	<u>203</u>

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**WORLD RYE TRADE
OCTOBER/SEPTEMBER YEAR
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
EXPORTS						
Canada	188	91	77	79	75	75
Russia	21	1	0	50	100	100
Turkey	0	0	53	0	0	0
EU	922	549	1,153	2,144	1,500	1,100
Eastern Europe	5	10	104	25	25	25
Others	157	9	278	73	100	100
Subtotal	1,293	660	1,665	2,371	1,800	1,400
United States	1	2	2	10	2	2
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>1,294</u>	<u>662</u>	<u>1,667</u>	<u>2,381</u>	<u>1,802</u>	<u>1,402</u>
IMPORTS						
China	11	126	367	25	100	50
Japan	267	323	391	397	400	400
Korea, South	242	4	175	476	250	150
Russia	185	2	306	416	100	50
EU	1	1	2	0	0	0
O.W. Europe	20	27	33	30	21	21
Eastern Europe	376	50	18	330	560	435
United States	137	118	75	76	75	75
Subtotal	1,239	651	1,367	1,750	1,506	1,181
Other Countries	55	9	104	445	160	160
Unaccounted	0	2	196	186	136	61
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>1,294</u>	<u>662</u>	<u>1,667</u>	<u>2,381</u>	<u>1,802</u>	<u>1,402</u>

WORLD RYE PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION AND STOCKS
LOCAL MARKETING YEARS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
PRODUCTION						
Argentina	36	62	66	116	65	65
Australia	20	20	20	20	20	20
Belarus	1,794	2,100	1,600	1,250	1,600	1,600
Canada	309	320	398	387	260	260
Hungary	100	140	129	80	80	80
Kazakstan	29	60	20	20	50	50
Poland	5,652	5,300	5,664	5,181	4,100	4,100
Romania	48	50	45	50	50	50
Russia	5,900	7,500	3,300	4,800	5,400	5,450
Turkey	245	235	237	250	250	250
Ukraine	1,100	1,348	1,140	919	1,000	1,000
EU	5,680	6,021	6,345	5,509	5,471	5,471
O.W. Europe	133	93	70	44	135	135
Others	777	977	963	808	736	736
Subtotal	21,823	24,226	19,997	19,434	19,217	19,267
United States	227	207	309	280	219	219
WORLD TOTAL	22,050	24,433	20,306	19,714	19,436	19,486
CONSUMPTION						
Argentina	36	62	66	116	65	65
Australia	18	20	20	20	20	20
Belarus	1,786	2,100	1,693	1,470	1,700	1,700
Hungary	99	132	126	80	80	80
Japan	267	323	391	397	400	400
Kazakstan	26	55	20	20	50	50
Japan	267	323	391	397	400	400
Poland	5,902	5,285	5,704	5,486	4,700	4,700
Romania	48	50	45	50	50	50
Russia	5,939	6,451	5,006	5,214	5,300	5,350
Turkey	245	235	184	396	250	250
Ukraine	964	1,196	1,062	852	850	850
EU	4,508	3,215	4,094	4,062	4,448	4,448
O.W. Europe	78	86	69	61	52	52
Others	1,396	1,038	1,313	1,499	1,524	1,173
Subtotal	21,579	20,571	20,184	20,120	19,889	19,588
United States	340	346	349	382	315	315
WORLD TOTAL	21,919	20,917	20,533	20,502	20,204	19,903
ENDING STOCKS						
Canada	69	63	166	162	100	100
Russia	550	1,600	200	200	300	250
EU	1,557	3,865	5,243	4,635	3,984	4,385
Others	996	1,160	809	655	505	500
Subtotal	3,172	6,688	6,418	5,652	4,889	5,235
United States	19	19	62	40	40	40
WORLD TOTAL	3,191	6,707	6,480	5,692	4,929	5,275

**REGIONAL RYE IMPORTS, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION AND STOCKS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01 Mar 8	2000/01 April 10
IMPORTS						
North America 1/	137	118	76	81	75	75
Latin America 2/	0	0	0	0	0	0
EU	1	1	2	0	0	0
Other Wst. Eur. 3/	20	27	33	30	21	21
Former USSR	231	10	407	713	260	210
Eastern Europe 4/	376	50	18	330	560	435
Middle East 5/	0	0	0	142	0	0
North Africa 6/	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Africa 7/	0	0	0	0	0	0
South Asia 8/	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Asia 9/	520	453	933	898	750	600
Oceania 10/	8	0	0	0	0	0
PRODUCTION						
North America 1/	536	527	707	667	479	479
Latin America 2/	54	84	88	138	87	87
EU	5,680	6,021	6,345	5,509	5,471	5,471
Other Wst. Eur. 3/	133	93	70	44	135	135
Former USSR	9,293	11,554	6,594	7,415	8,565	8,615
Eastern Europe 4/	6,161	5,930	6,276	5,681	4,530	4,530
Middle East 5/	245	235	237	250	250	250
North Africa 6/	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Africa 7/	3	3	3	3	3	3
South Asia 8/	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Asia 9/	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oceania 10/	20	20	20	20	20	20
CONSUMPTION						
North America 1/	465	530	577	691	562	562
Latin America 2/	54	84	88	138	87	87
EU	4,508	3,215	4,094	4,062	4,448	4,448
Other Wst. Eur. 3/	78	86	69	61	52	52
Former USSR	9,211	10,344	8,334	8,068	8,455	8,505
Eastern Europe 4/	6,630	5,968	6,330	6,016	5,290	5,165
Middle East 5/	245	235	184	396	250	250
North Africa 6/	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Africa 7/	3	3	3	3	3	3
South Asia 8/	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Asia 9/	520	453	933	898	750	600
Oceania 10/	18	20	20	20	20	20
ENDING STOCKS						
North America 1/	88	82	228	202	140	140
Latin America 2/	0	0	0	0	0	0
EU	1,557	3,865	5,243	4,635	3,984	4,385
Other Wst. Eur. 3/	0	0	0	0	0	0
Former USSR	925	2,135	524	400	575	520
Eastern Europe 4/	601	605	465	435	210	210
Middle East 5/	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Africa 6/	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Africa 7/	0	0	0	0	0	0
South Asia 8/	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Asia 9/	20	20	20	20	20	20
Oceania 10/	0	0	0	0	0	0

NOTES: Footnotes appear on last page of this circular. Imports are reported on an international year basis. All other data are reported using marketing years.



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**EUROPEAN UNION: GRAIN SUPPLY AND DEMAND
WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS
MILLION METRIC TONS/HECTARES**

	Area		Production	--Imports--		--Exports--		Domestic Feed Use	Domestic Total Use	Ending Stocks
	Harvested	Yield		Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.			
WHEAT										
1989/90	17.7	4.8	85.7	14.4	1.7	34.9	22.3	24.8	64.3	14.1
1990/91	17.3	5.1	89.1	15.5	1.5	35.7	22.2	26.7	65.1	17.9
1991/92	17.5	5.3	93.7	16.2	1.2	36.7	22.9	25.6	67.1	24.0
1992/93	17.4	5.0	87.7	15.9	1.4	38.2	23.7	24.9	65.8	23.6
1993/94	15.7	5.3	82.9	17.4	1.7	36.1	20.1	29.4	72.0	15.9
1994/95	15.8	5.4	84.5	17.3	2.1	32.6	17.1	32.0	73.6	11.6
1995/96	16.2	5.3	86.2	21.5	2.5	32.0	13.3	34.7	76.4	10.8
1996/97	16.7	5.9	98.5	22.9	2.4	38.3	17.8	38.5	81.1	12.8
1997/98	17.1	5.5	94.2	25.8	3.9	36.0	14.2	39.6	82.8	14.0
1998/99	17.1	6.0	103.1	25.2	3.8	35.9	14.6	44.1	88.2	18.1
1999/00	17.1	5.7	96.8	25.1	4.2	38.3	17.4	42.7	87.2	14.4
2000/01	17.9	5.9	104.9	24.8	4.2	35.9	15.0	47.7	92.5	15.7
COARSE GRAINS										
1989/90	22.9	4.4	100.5	16.8	4.9	23.3	11.0	72.4	96.2	13.6
1990/91	21.8	4.4	95.6	15.4	3.6	22.4	9.6	63.9	86.8	15.4
1991/92	21.4	4.7	100.3	16.1	2.0	23.7	12.0	64.2	87.2	20.9
1992/93	20.4	4.4	90.5	14.2	2.2	22.4	9.5	60.3	82.8	20.3
1993/94	19.0	4.9	92.5	15.1	2.8	22.0	9.8	65.0	87.9	18.0
1994/95	18.8	4.6	86.6	15.8	4.7	18.9	8.0	65.3	88.6	12.9
1995/96	18.5	4.8	88.5	20.1	4.2	19.7	4.3	68.5	91.7	10.1
1996/97	19.6	5.3	103.8	16.9	2.8	22.8	7.8	72.5	95.8	12.2
1997/98	20.5	5.3	109.4	16.3	2.4	18.1	4.7	73.6	97.8	22.0
1998/99	20.1	5.3	105.5	17.3	3.1	23.2	10.8	73.2	97.3	24.3
1999/00	19.1	5.4	103.1	16.2	2.7	27.0	13.4	71.5	95.2	21.4
2000/01	19.5	5.5	108.1	15.7	2.9	26.8	11.7	74.5	98.6	19.9
WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS										
1989/90	40.6	4.6	186.2	31.1	6.5	58.2	33.3	97.2	160.5	27.7
1990/91	39.1	4.7	184.7	30.9	5.1	58.1	31.9	90.6	151.9	33.3
1991/92	38.9	5.0	194.0	32.3	3.3	60.4	34.9	89.8	154.3	45.0
1992/93	37.9	4.7	178.2	30.0	3.6	60.7	33.2	85.2	148.6	44.0
1993/94	34.7	5.1	175.4	32.5	4.5	58.1	29.8	94.5	159.9	34.0
1994/95	34.6	5.0	171.2	33.1	6.8	51.5	25.1	97.3	162.3	24.5
1995/96	34.6	5.0	174.6	41.6	6.8	51.7	17.5	103.3	168.1	20.9
1996/97	36.4	5.6	202.3	39.8	5.3	61.1	25.6	110.9	176.9	25.0
1997/98	37.6	5.4	203.6	42.1	6.3	54.2	18.9	113.2	180.6	35.9
1998/99	37.2	5.6	208.6	42.5	6.9	59.2	25.3	117.3	185.5	42.4
1999/00	36.2	5.5	199.9	41.3	6.9	65.4	30.8	114.2	182.4	35.9
2000/01	37.4	5.7	213.0	40.4	7.1	62.7	26.7	122.2	191.1	35.6

Notes:

Trade statistics are on a July/June year for wheat and an October/September year for coarse grains.
Trade year imports and exports exclude Intra-EU trade.

**CHINA: GRAIN SUPPLY AND DEMAND
WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS
MILLION METRIC TONS/HECTARES**

	Area	Yield	Production	--Imports--		--Exports--		Domestic Feed Use	Domestic Total Use	Ending Stocks
	Harvested			Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.			
WHEAT										
1989/90	29.8	3.0	90.8	12.8	12.8	0.0	0.0	2.6	104.5	21.9
1990/91	30.8	3.2	98.2	9.4	9.4	0.0	0.0	2.7	106.0	23.5
1991/92	30.9	3.1	96.0	15.9	15.9	0.0	0.0	5.0	111.7	23.7
1992/93	30.5	3.3	101.6	6.7	6.7	0.2	0.2	2.8	109.0	22.9
1993/94	30.2	3.5	106.4	4.3	4.3	0.6	0.6	2.7	110.2	22.7
1994/95	29.0	3.4	99.3	10.3	10.3	0.4	0.4	3.0	110.2	21.7
1995/96	28.9	3.5	102.2	12.5	12.5	0.5	0.5	3.2	111.7	24.3
1996/97	29.6	3.7	110.6	2.7	2.7	1.0	1.0	3.4	112.4	24.2
1997/98	30.1	4.1	123.3	1.9	1.9	1.2	1.2	4.9	114.8	33.5
1998/99	29.8	3.7	109.7	0.8	0.8	0.5	0.5	5.0	115.6	27.9
1999/00	28.9	3.9	113.9	1.0	1.0	0.5	0.5	5.0	117.0	25.2
2000/01	27.0	3.8	102.0	1.0	1.0	0.5	0.5	1.5	114.0	13.7
COARSE GRAINS										
1989/90	26.8	3.5	92.6	1.0	1.0	3.4	3.4	56.3	91.3	16.3
1990/91	27.6	4.1	112.7	0.9	0.9	7.2	7.2	57.3	96.5	26.1
1991/92	27.2	4.1	112.3	1.1	1.1	10.4	10.4	58.0	96.4	32.7
1992/93	26.3	4.2	109.3	0.6	0.6	13.0	13.0	63.4	100.6	29.0
1993/94	25.8	4.5	117.2	1.3	1.3	12.0	12.0	69.7	108.7	26.8
1994/95	26.1	4.4	114.3	6.4	6.4	1.6	1.6	79.6	117.1	28.8
1995/96	27.3	4.6	124.5	3.0	3.0	0.2	0.2	81.4	118.3	37.7
1996/97	29.1	4.9	141.3	2.1	2.1	4.0	4.0	85.6	124.7	52.5
1997/98	28.1	4.1	114.7	1.6	1.6	6.2	6.2	88.9	125.5	37.1
1998/99	29.4	4.9	144.2	2.6	2.6	3.4	3.4	90.4	127.9	52.6
1999/00	29.6	4.7	137.8	2.3	2.3	10.0	10.0	91.9	129.3	53.4
2000/01	27.6	4.1	113.9	2.6	2.6	6.0	6.0	94.5	131.4	32.4
WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS										
1989/90	56.6	3.2	183.4	13.8	13.8	3.4	3.4	58.9	195.7	38.2
1990/91	58.4	3.6	210.9	10.3	10.3	7.2	7.2	60.0	202.6	49.7
1991/92	58.2	3.6	208.3	16.9	16.9	10.5	10.4	63.0	208.1	56.4
1992/93	56.8	3.7	210.9	7.4	7.4	13.2	13.2	66.1	209.6	51.9
1993/94	56.0	4.0	223.6	5.6	5.6	12.7	12.7	72.4	218.9	49.5
1994/95	55.1	3.9	213.6	16.6	16.6	2.0	2.0	82.6	227.2	50.5
1995/96	56.2	4.0	226.7	15.5	15.5	0.7	0.7	84.6	230.0	62.0
1996/97	58.7	4.3	251.9	4.8	4.8	5.0	5.0	89.0	237.0	76.7
1997/98	58.1	4.1	238.0	3.5	3.5	7.4	7.4	93.8	240.2	70.5
1998/99	59.1	4.3	253.9	3.4	3.4	3.9	3.9	95.4	243.5	80.5
1999/00	58.5	4.3	251.7	3.3	3.3	10.5	10.5	96.9	246.3	78.7
2000/01	54.6	4.0	215.9	3.6	3.6	6.5	6.5	96.0	245.4	46.2

Notes:

Trade statistics are on a July/June year for wheat and an October/September year for coarse grains.

EASTERN EUROPE: GRAIN SUPPLY AND DEMAND
WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS
MILLION METRIC TONS/HECTARES

	Area		Production	--Imports--		--Exports--		Domestic Feed Use	Domestic Total Use	Ending Stocks
	Harvested	Yield		Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.			
WHEAT										
1989/90	9.8	4.2	40.8	1.0	1.0	3.7	3.9	13.9	39.0	3.8
1990/91	9.8	4.2	41.3	1.3	1.3	1.8	1.7	16.1	40.0	4.6
1991/92	9.9	3.9	38.5	1.4	1.4	2.3	2.4	14.6	36.3	5.8
1992/93	8.2	3.2	26.5	3.6	3.6	1.4	1.4	11.7	30.6	4.0
1993/94	9.7	3.1	30.1	2.6	2.6	0.8	0.8	10.3	30.1	5.8
1994/95	10.0	3.4	33.7	2.7	2.8	4.0	4.0	10.8	31.1	7.1
1995/96	9.7	3.6	34.9	2.5	2.5	6.4	6.4	10.6	30.4	7.6
1996/97	8.7	3.0	26.0	5.2	5.2	1.8	1.8	11.3	31.1	6.0
1997/98	9.9	3.5	34.3	1.9	1.9	3.1	3.1	11.8	31.4	7.6
1998/99	9.6	3.5	33.9	2.1	2.1	4.2	4.2	12.0	31.8	7.8
1999/00	8.3	3.5	29.0	1.9	1.9	3.6	3.6	11.3	30.8	4.3
2000/01	8.8	3.2	28.2	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.9	10.1	29.4	3.2
COARSE GRAINS										
1989/90	16.3	3.5	57.8	3.2	2.9	0.6	0.5	44.2	57.5	7.5
1990/91	15.9	3.2	51.4	2.9	2.8	0.2	0.2	41.9	56.0	5.5
1991/92	16.5	3.9	64.7	0.9	0.9	4.3	4.3	44.1	58.9	7.9
1992/93	16.9	2.6	43.5	4.0	4.0	1.2	1.2	38.1	49.2	4.9
1993/94	16.5	2.7	44.9	2.4	2.4	0.6	0.6	35.1	46.7	4.8
1994/95	16.7	2.8	46.9	1.9	1.9	1.5	1.5	36.6	48.0	4.1
1995/96	16.2	3.2	52.3	1.4	1.5	1.1	1.1	38.7	50.8	5.9
1996/97	16.3	3.1	50.3	2.6	2.7	2.2	2.2	38.8	50.8	5.9
1997/98	16.3	3.6	58.8	1.2	1.2	3.0	3.0	41.4	53.5	9.4
1998/99	16.0	3.2	51.0	1.6	1.6	3.1	3.1	39.8	51.4	7.5
1999/00	15.9	3.4	54.8	1.7	1.7	3.3	3.4	40.4	52.2	8.5
2000/01	14.8	2.5	37.0	2.0	2.0	1.0	1.0	31.6	43.5	3.0
WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS										
1989/90	26.2	3.8	98.6	4.2	3.9	4.3	4.4	58.1	96.5	11.3
1990/91	25.7	3.6	92.6	4.2	4.1	2.0	1.9	58.0	96.0	10.2
1991/92	26.4	3.9	103.2	2.3	2.3	6.6	6.7	58.7	95.3	13.7
1992/93	25.1	2.8	70.0	7.6	7.7	2.6	2.6	49.8	79.8	8.8
1993/94	26.3	2.9	75.0	5.0	5.0	1.4	1.4	45.4	76.8	10.6
1994/95	26.7	3.0	80.6	4.7	4.6	5.5	5.5	47.4	79.1	11.2
1995/96	25.9	3.4	87.2	3.9	4.0	7.5	7.5	49.3	81.3	13.5
1996/97	25.0	3.1	76.3	7.8	7.8	3.9	3.9	50.1	81.9	11.8
1997/98	26.2	3.6	93.1	3.1	3.1	6.1	6.1	53.2	84.8	17.1
1998/99	25.6	3.3	84.9	3.8	3.8	7.3	7.3	51.7	83.2	15.3
1999/00	24.3	3.4	83.7	3.6	3.6	6.9	7.0	51.7	83.0	12.7
2000/01	23.6	2.8	65.2	5.1	5.1	3.9	3.9	41.7	72.9	6.2

Notes:

Trade statistics are on a July/June year for wheat and an October/September year for coarse grains.

FORMER SOVIET UNION: GRAIN SUPPLY AND DEMAND
WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS
MILLION METRIC TONS/HECTARES

	Area Harvested	Yield	Production	--Imports--		--Exports--		Domestic Feed Use	Domestic Total Use	Ending Stocks
				Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.			
FSU 12 TOTAL										
<u>WHEAT</u>										
1994/95	42.1	1.4	59.6	7.7	7.7	4.3	4.3	29.7	75.0	19.5
1995/96	45.4	1.3	59.5	9.4	9.4	6.0	6.0	26.1	70.3	12.1
1996/97	47.6	1.3	63.1	6.5	6.5	4.4	4.4	22.5	69.0	8.3
1997/98	48.2	1.7	80.6	6.6	6.6	6.2	6.2	24.5	72.0	17.2
1998/99	44.9	1.3	56.1	5.4	5.4	8.7	8.7	16.6	64.4	5.7
1999/00	41.7	1.6	65.3	9.4	9.4	9.1	9.1	17.0	66.0	5.3
2000/01	40.1	1.6	62.9	5.6	5.6	4.9	4.9	14.6	62.8	6.2
<u>COARSE GRAINS</u>										
1994/95	48.8	1.6	79.3	1.1	1.2	3.9	3.4	56.4	77.6	11.6
1995/96	43.9	1.3	57.0	1.1	1.1	2.9	2.7	42.7	62.7	4.1
1996/97	38.1	1.4	52.0	1.1	1.1	1.4	1.6	33.6	52.6	3.3
1997/98	38.6	1.8	68.7	0.4	0.4	3.0	2.8	37.4	57.1	12.3
1998/99	33.5	1.1	38.0	1.5	1.5	2.3	2.3	26.4	45.0	4.5
1999/00	32.2	1.3	41.0	2.5	2.5	2.0	2.1	27.4	42.5	3.4
2000/01	31.8	1.6	50.1	0.8	0.9	2.2	2.0	29.8	46.0	6.1
FSU 15 TOTAL										
<u>WHEAT</u>										
1994/95	42.5	1.4	60.5	8.3	8.3	4.3	4.3	30.3	76.3	20.0
1995/96	45.8	1.3	60.4	9.7	9.7	6.0	6.0	26.7	71.6	12.5
1996/97	48.1	1.3	64.5	6.8	6.8	4.6	4.6	23.1	70.4	8.8
1997/98	48.8	1.7	82.2	6.8	6.8	6.4	6.4	25.1	73.5	18.0
1998/99	45.5	1.3	57.6	5.6	5.6	8.9	8.9	17.3	65.9	6.4
1999/00	42.2	1.6	66.6	9.7	9.7	9.2	9.2	17.7	67.6	5.9
2000/01	40.7	1.6	64.5	5.9	5.9	5.1	5.1	15.3	64.5	6.8
<u>COARSE GRAINS</u>										
1994/95	50.3	1.6	81.9	1.5	1.7	3.9	3.4	58.5	80.6	12.1
1995/96	45.2	1.3	59.0	1.6	1.6	2.9	2.7	44.6	65.3	4.5
1996/97	39.3	1.4	54.7	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.6	35.7	55.4	3.7
1997/98	39.9	1.8	71.4	0.5	0.5	3.0	2.8	39.3	59.7	12.8
1998/99	34.7	1.2	40.5	1.6	1.6	2.3	2.3	28.5	47.8	4.9
1999/00	33.3	1.3	42.9	2.7	2.8	2.0	2.1	29.2	44.9	3.6
2000/01	32.9	1.6	52.5	1.0	1.1	2.2	2.0	31.6	48.5	6.4
RUSSIAN FEDERATION										
<u>WHEAT</u>										
1994/95	22.2	1.4	32.1	2.2	2.2	0.6	0.6	20.4	42.9	7.5
1995/96	23.9	1.3	30.1	5.3	5.3	0.2	0.2	18.0	39.8	2.9
1996/97	25.7	1.4	34.9	2.6	2.6	0.7	0.7	14.4	38.1	1.6
1997/98	26.1	1.7	44.2	3.1	3.1	1.1	1.1	16.4	39.8	8.0
1998/99	26.1	1.0	27.0	2.5	2.5	1.7	1.7	11.2	34.8	1.0
1999/00	23.0	1.3	31.0	5.0	5.0	0.5	0.5	11.1	35.3	1.2
2000/01	21.3	1.6	34.5	1.5	1.5	0.5	0.5	10.4	34.7	2.0
<u>COARSE GRAINS</u>										
1994/95	30.2	1.5	45.1	0.8	0.8	2.5	2.0	28.5	43.1	6.2
1995/96	27.2	1.1	30.7	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.7	22.1	35.5	1.5
1996/97	24.8	1.3	31.6	0.9	0.9	0.2	0.3	19.9	32.6	1.3
1997/98	25.0	1.7	41.6	0.3	0.3	1.5	1.3	22.1	34.2	7.4
1998/99	22.1	0.9	19.0	1.2	1.2	0.1	0.1	13.6	25.6	1.8
1999/00	20.9	1.0	21.8	1.9	1.9	0.1	0.4	15.0	24.6	0.7
2000/01	19.6	1.4	28.2	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.4	16.2	26.7	2.1

Notes:

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**WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS
MILLION METRIC TONS/HECTARES**

	Area Harvested	Yield	Production	--Imports--		--Exports--		Domestic Feed Use	Domestic Total Use	Ending Stocks
				Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.			
KAZAKHSTAN										
<u>WHEAT</u>										
1998/99	9.1	0.5	4.7	0.0	0.0	2.3	2.3	1.1	4.6	0.8
1999/00	8.7	1.3	11.2	0.0	0.0	6.5	6.5	1.0	4.5	1.0
2000/01	9.5	1.0	9.1	0.0	0.0	4.0	4.0	1.1	4.6	1.5
<u>COARSE GRAINS</u>										
1998/99	2.2	0.6	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.5	1.0	1.2	0.3
1999/00	2.0	1.3	2.7	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.8	1.1	1.4	0.8
2000/01	2.1	1.0	2.1	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.5	1.3	1.6	0.9
UKRAINE										
<u>WHEAT</u>										
1998/99	5.6	2.6	14.9	0.1	0.1	4.7	4.7	2.5	12.8	1.5
1999/00	5.9	2.3	13.6	0.5	0.5	1.9	1.9	2.2	12.6	1.0
2000/01	5.2	2.0	10.2	1.0	1.0	0.3	0.3	1.0	11.5	0.5
<u>COARSE GRAINS</u>										
1998/99	5.9	1.7	10.3	0.0	0.0	1.6	1.6	6.2	10.6	1.5
1999/00	5.8	1.8	10.6	0.1	0.1	1.0	0.9	6.5	9.9	1.3
2000/01	6.7	2.0	13.5	0.1	0.1	1.1	1.1	7.6	11.2	2.6
UZBEKISTAN										
<u>WHEAT</u>										
1998/99	1.3	2.8	3.6	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.6	4.0	0.5
1999/00	1.3	2.8	3.6	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.8	4.2	0.5
2000/01	1.3	2.5	3.2	0.7	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.5	3.9	0.5
<u>COARSE GRAINS</u>										
1998/99	0.2	2.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.0
1999/00	0.1	2.2	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.0
2000/01	0.1	2.2	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.0
OTHER FSU-12										
<u>WHEAT</u>										
1998/99	2.8	2.1	5.9	2.5	2.5	0.1	0.1	1.2	8.1	1.9
1999/00	2.8	2.1	5.9	3.4	3.4	0.1	0.1	2.0	9.4	1.6
2000/01	2.8	2.1	6.0	2.4	2.4	0.1	0.1	1.6	8.2	1.7
<u>COARSE GRAINS</u>										
1998/99	3.2	2.2	7.0	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	5.5	7.3	0.9
1999/00	3.3	1.7	5.6	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.0	4.6	6.3	0.6
2000/01	3.3	1.8	6.0	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	4.4	6.3	0.5
BALTICS										
<u>WHEAT</u>										
1998/99	0.6	2.7	1.5	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.7	1.5	0.8
1999/00	0.5	2.5	1.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.7	1.7	0.6
2000/01	0.5	3.0	1.6	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.7	1.7	0.6
<u>COARSE GRAINS</u>										
1998/99	1.2	2.2	2.6	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	2.0	2.7	0.4
1999/00	1.1	1.8	2.0	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.0	1.8	2.4	0.2
2000/01	1.1	2.2	2.4	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	1.8	2.5	0.3

Notes: Crop Year is July/June for wheat and October/September for coarse grains; all marketing year trade is reported on a July/June basis. Coarse Grains includes barley, corn, millet, mixed grain, millet, rye, and sorghum. Production estimates are on a clean-weight basis.

**WHEAT SUPPLY AND DISAPPEARANCE
SELECTED EXPORTERS
MILLION METRIC TONS/HECTARES**

	Area		Production	--Imports--		--Exports--		Domestic Feed Use	Domestic Total Use	Ending Stocks
	Harvested	Yield		Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.			
ARGENTINA (MY DEC/NOV)										
1992/93	4.2	2.3	9.8	0.0	0.0	5.9	7.3	0.1	4.3	0.0
1993/94	4.8	2.0	9.7	0.0	0.0	5.0	4.5	0.2	4.3	0.4
1994/95	5.1	2.2	11.3	0.0	0.0	7.3	7.9	0.2	4.3	0.2
1995/96	4.5	1.9	8.6	0.0	0.0	4.5	4.4	0.2	4.2	0.2
1996/97	7.1	2.2	15.9	0.0	0.0	10.2	10.1	0.5	5.1	0.8
1997/98	5.7	2.6	14.8	0.0	0.0	10.7	9.6	0.4	4.5	0.4
1998/99	5.1	2.4	12.4	0.0	0.0	8.4	9.0	0.3	4.1	0.3
1999/00	6.1	2.6	15.5	0.0	0.0	11.6	10.8	0.1	4.1	0.2
2000/01	6.3	2.6	16.5	0.0	0.0	12.0	12.0	0.5	4.5	0.2
AUSTRALIA (MY OCT/SEPT)										
1992/93	9.1	1.8	16.2	0.0	0.0	9.9	9.5	1.9	4.2	5.0
1993/94	8.4	2.0	16.5	0.0	0.0	13.7	12.8	1.8	4.1	3.7
1994/95	8.0	1.1	8.9	0.1	0.1	6.4	7.8	1.6	3.9	2.4
1995/96	9.2	1.8	16.5	0.0	0.0	13.3	12.1	1.1	3.7	2.0
1996/97	10.9	2.1	22.9	0.1	0.1	19.2	18.2	0.7	3.3	2.4
1997/98	10.4	1.8	19.2	0.0	0.0	15.3	15.4	2.3	5.0	1.3
1998/99	11.5	1.9	21.5	0.1	0.1	16.5	16.1	1.8	4.5	1.9
1999/00	12.3	2.0	25.0	0.1	0.1	17.8	17.1	2.5	5.2	3.9
2000/01	12.0	1.8	21.0	0.1	0.1	16.0	16.0	2.6	5.4	3.5
CANADA (MY AUG/JUL)										
1992/93	13.8	2.2	29.9	0.1	0.1	19.7	21.8	4.4	8.1	12.2
1993/94	12.4	2.2	27.2	0.2	0.2	19.1	18.7	5.7	9.4	11.1
1994/95	10.8	2.1	23.1	0.1	0.1	20.9	21.8	4.0	7.8	5.7
1995/96	11.1	2.2	25.0	0.2	0.2	16.3	17.1	3.9	7.8	6.7
1996/97	12.3	2.4	29.8	0.2	0.2	19.5	18.1	4.4	8.2	9.0
1997/98	11.4	2.1	24.3	0.1	0.1	20.1	21.3	3.4	7.3	6.0
1998/99	10.8	2.2	24.1	0.2	0.2	14.7	14.4	4.1	8.1	7.4
1999/00	10.4	2.6	26.9	0.2	0.2	19.2	19.4	3.9	7.9	7.4
2000/01	10.9	2.5	26.8	0.2	0.2	18.5	18.5	4.2	8.2	7.6
SUBTOTAL										
1992/93	27.1	2.1	55.9	0.2	0.2	35.4	38.6	6.4	16.6	17.3
1993/94	25.6	2.1	53.4	0.2	0.2	37.8	36.0	7.6	17.8	15.3
1994/95	23.9	1.8	43.3	0.2	0.2	34.5	37.5	5.8	16.1	8.2
1995/96	24.9	2.0	50.1	0.3	0.3	34.1	33.6	5.1	15.6	8.9
1996/97	30.3	2.3	68.6	0.3	0.3	48.9	46.4	5.6	16.6	12.2
1997/98	27.5	2.1	58.3	0.2	0.2	46.1	46.3	6.0	16.9	7.8
1998/99	27.4	2.1	57.9	0.2	0.2	39.6	39.5	6.2	16.8	9.6
1999/00	28.8	2.3	67.4	0.3	0.3	48.6	47.3	6.5	17.2	11.4
2000/01	29.2	2.2	64.3	0.2	0.2	46.5	46.5	7.2	18.1	11.3
SYRIA (MY JUL/JUN)										
1992/93	1.4	2.0	2.8	0.7	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.2	2.9	1.5
1993/94	1.4	2.5	3.4	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.2	3.1	2.3
1994/95	1.6	2.4	3.7	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.2	3.1	3.2
1995/96	1.6	2.7	4.2	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.2	3.2	3.9
1996/97	1.6	2.5	4.1	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.3	3.1	4.4
1997/98	1.8	1.7	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.8	0.3	3.2	3.5
1998/99	1.7	2.4	4.1	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.3	3.1	4.2
1999/00	1.2	2.2	2.6	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	3.1	3.7
2000/01	1.2	2.3	2.7	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.3	3.1	3.3
TURKEY (MY JUN/MAY)										
1992/93	8.8	1.8	15.5	1.0	1.0	2.0	1.7	0.6	15.1	1.5
1993/94	8.9	1.9	16.5	0.7	0.7	1.1	1.2	0.6	15.1	2.5
1994/95	8.6	1.7	14.7	0.5	0.5	1.8	1.9	0.6	15.2	0.7
1995/96	8.6	1.8	15.5	2.1	2.1	1.1	1.2	0.7	16.0	1.2
1996/97	8.5	1.9	16.0	2.6	2.6	1.0	1.0	0.8	16.4	2.5
1997/98	8.5	1.9	16.0	1.8	1.8	1.3	1.5	1.0	16.8	2.2
1998/99	8.6	2.1	18.0	1.9	1.9	2.6	2.8	1.0	16.9	2.6
1999/00	8.7	1.9	16.5	1.5	1.5	2.2	2.0	1.0	16.8	1.6
2000/01	8.7	2.0	17.5	0.9	0.9	1.5	1.5	1.0	17.3	1.2

Notes:

Wheat trade statistics are on a July/June year.

**CORN SUPPLY AND DISAPPEARANCE
SELECTED EXPORTERS
MILLION METRIC TONS/HECTARES**

	Area		Production	--Imports--		--Exports--		Domestic Feed Use	Domestic Total Use	Ending Stocks
	Harvested	Yield		Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.			
ARGENTINA (MY MAR/FEB)										
1992/93	2.5	4.2	10.2	0.0	0.0	4.7	4.8	3.6	5.1	0.9
1993/94	2.4	4.2	10.0	0.0	0.0	4.1	4.2	4.3	5.8	1.0
1994/95	2.6	4.5	11.4	0.0	0.0	5.8	6.0	4.0	5.5	1.1
1995/96	2.7	4.1	11.1	0.0	0.0	7.5	7.0	2.8	4.3	0.4
1996/97	3.4	4.6	15.5	0.0	0.0	10.8	10.2	2.8	4.3	0.8
1997/98	3.2	6.1	19.4	0.0	0.0	12.2	12.8	4.7	6.4	1.5
1998/99	2.6	5.2	13.5	0.0	0.0	7.9	7.8	4.9	6.5	0.7
1999/00	3.1	5.5	17.2	0.0	0.0	11.7	8.9	4.2	5.8	0.4
2000/01	2.8	5.7	16.0	0.0	0.0	10.5	12.5	3.8	5.5	0.4
CHINA (MY OCT/SEPT)										
1992/93	21.0	4.5	95.4	0.0	0.0	12.6	12.6	60.0	85.8	27.0
1993/94	20.7	5.0	102.7	0.0	0.0	11.8	11.8	65.5	92.9	25.0
1994/95	21.2	4.7	99.3	4.3	4.3	1.4	1.4	74.0	99.7	27.5
1995/96	22.8	4.9	112.0	1.5	1.5	0.2	0.2	78.0	104.1	36.7
1996/97	24.5	5.2	127.5	0.1	0.1	3.9	3.9	82.0	109.4	51.0
1997/98	23.8	4.4	104.3	0.3	0.3	6.2	6.2	86.0	113.4	36.0
1998/99	25.2	5.3	133.0	0.3	0.3	3.3	3.3	87.0	114.3	51.6
1999/00	25.9	4.9	128.1	0.1	0.1	9.9	9.9	90.0	116.9	52.9
2000/01	24.0	4.4	105.0	0.2	0.2	6.0	6.0	93.0	120.0	32.0
SOUTH AFRICA (MY MAY/APR)										
1992/93	4.4	2.3	10.0	0.0	2.1	1.2	0.0	3.7	7.7	1.8
1993/94	4.7	2.8	13.3	0.2	0.1	4.2	3.3	4.1	8.1	3.0
1994/95	3.5	1.4	4.9	0.8	0.6	0.3	2.3	3.7	7.7	0.8
1995/96	3.8	2.7	10.2	0.4	0.6	2.7	1.8	3.7	7.7	1.0
1996/97	4.0	2.5	10.1	0.2	0.4	1.4	1.6	3.6	7.6	2.2
1997/98	3.6	2.2	7.7	0.1	0.1	1.2	1.0	4.0	8.0	0.8
1998/99	3.6	2.2	7.7	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.8	3.9	7.9	1.0
1999/00	3.9	2.7	10.6	0.1	0.4	1.4	0.7	4.1	8.0	2.3
2000/01	3.3	2.3	7.5	0.1	0.1	0.3	1.1	4.1	8.3	1.3
THAILAND (MY JUL/JUN)										
1992/93	1.2	2.8	3.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	3.2	3.1	0.4
1993/94	1.1	2.7	2.9	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	3.0	3.0	0.2
1994/95	1.2	3.2	3.8	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	3.7	3.7	0.4
1995/96	1.1	3.2	3.7	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	3.9	4.0	0.3
1996/97	1.2	3.3	3.9	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	4.0	4.2	0.2
1997/98	1.1	3.4	3.7	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	3.9	4.0	0.1
1998/99	1.3	3.3	4.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	4.1	4.2	0.3
1999/00	1.2	3.4	3.9	0.4	0.5	0.1	0.1	4.2	4.3	0.2
2000/01	1.2	3.8	4.4	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	4.2	4.3	0.2
TOTALS										
1992/93	29.1	4.1	119.0	0.1	2.2	18.7	17.6	70.5	101.7	30.1
1993/94	28.8	4.5	128.9	0.2	0.1	20.2	19.4	76.8	109.8	29.2
1994/95	28.4	4.2	119.3	5.3	5.1	7.6	9.9	85.3	116.5	29.8
1995/96	30.4	4.5	137.0	2.1	2.3	10.4	9.0	88.4	120.1	38.4
1996/97	33.1	4.7	157.0	0.5	0.7	16.2	15.7	92.4	125.5	54.2
1997/98	31.6	4.3	135.1	0.7	0.7	19.7	20.1	98.6	131.7	38.5
1998/99	32.7	4.8	158.5	1.0	0.7	11.5	12.1	99.8	132.8	53.6
1999/00	34.0	4.7	159.8	0.6	0.9	23.1	19.6	102.5	135.0	55.9
2000/01	31.3	4.3	132.9	0.4	0.4	17.1	19.9	105.1	138.1	34.0

Notes:

Corn trade statistics are on a Oct/Sept year.

**BARLEY AND SORGHUM SUPPLY AND DISAPPEARANCE
SELECTED EXPORTERS
MILLION METRIC TONS/HECTARES**

	Area		Production	--Imports--		--Exports--		Domestic Feed Use	Domestic Total Use	Ending Stocks
	Harvested	Yield		Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.			
BARLEY										
AUSTRALIA (MY NOV/OCT)										
1992/93	3.0	1.8	5.5	0.0	0.0	2.4	2.6	2.0	2.8	1.0
1993/94	3.4	2.0	7.0	0.0	0.0	4.4	4.2	2.2	3.0	0.5
1994/95	2.5	1.2	2.9	0.1	0.1	1.1	1.4	1.4	2.1	0.2
1995/96	3.1	1.9	5.8	0.0	0.0	3.4	3.4	1.4	2.3	0.4
1996/97	3.4	2.0	6.7	0.0	0.0	4.0	4.0	2.1	2.7	0.4
1997/98	3.5	1.8	6.5	0.0	0.0	3.0	2.8	2.3	3.0	0.8
1998/99	3.2	1.9	6.0	0.0	0.0	4.2	4.2	1.3	2.1	0.5
1999/00	2.5	2.0	5.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	2.9	1.2	2.1	0.4
2000/01	3.0	1.9	5.6	0.0	0.0	3.6	3.6	1.2	2.1	0.4
CANADA (MY AUG/JULY)										
1992/93	3.8	2.9	11.0	0.0	0.0	2.5	2.9	7.2	7.9	3.3
1993/94	4.2	3.1	13.0	0.0	0.0	3.6	3.8	8.5	9.3	3.4
1994/95	4.1	2.9	11.7	0.0	0.0	2.9	2.6	9.6	10.3	1.8
1995/96	4.4	3.0	13.0	0.0	0.0	2.6	2.6	9.8	10.6	1.7
1996/97	4.9	3.2	15.6	0.0	0.0	3.4	3.4	10.3	11.1	2.9
1997/98	4.7	2.9	13.5	0.0	0.0	2.2	1.9	10.5	11.8	2.5
1998/99	4.3	3.0	12.7	0.0	0.0	1.1	1.2	10.1	11.3	2.7
1999/00	4.1	3.2	13.2	0.0	0.0	1.7	1.7	10.0	11.2	3.1
2000/01	4.5	3.0	13.5	0.0	0.0	2.0	2.0	10.5	11.8	2.8
SORGHUM										
ARGENTINA (MY MAR/FEB)										
1992/93	0.7	3.9	2.8	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.1	1.6	1.8	0.4
1993/94	0.6	3.5	2.3	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4	1.8	1.9	0.4
1994/95	0.5	3.5	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	1.5	1.6	0.3
1995/96	0.6	3.3	2.1	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.8	1.3	1.4	0.2
1996/97	0.7	3.7	2.5	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.6	1.6	1.7	0.3
1997/98	0.8	4.8	3.8	0.0	0.0	1.3	1.4	2.0	2.1	0.6
1998/99	0.7	4.4	3.2	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.5	2.5	2.6	0.7
1999/00	0.7	4.6	3.4	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.7	2.5	2.6	0.7
2000/01	0.7	4.6	3.1	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.7	2.6	2.7	0.6
AUSTRALIA (MY MAR/FEB)										
1992/93	0.4	1.3	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.5	0.1
1993/94	0.5	1.9	0.9	0.2	0.0	0.5	0.4	0.7	0.7	0.1
1994/95	0.7	1.9	1.3	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.0	1.2	1.3	0.1
1995/96	0.8	2.1	1.6	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.6	1.0	1.1	0.1
1996/97	0.5	2.6	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	1.0	1.2	0.1
1997/98	0.5	2.1	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.9	0.9	0.1
1998/99	0.6	3.2	1.9	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.4	1.3	1.4	0.2
1999/00	0.6	3.3	2.2	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.8	1.4	1.5	0.1
2000/01	0.6	2.5	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.6	1.0	1.0	0.1

Notes:

Barley and sorghum trade statistics are on an Oct/Sept year.

U.S. GRAINS: SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION
WHEAT, CORN, SORGHUM, BARLEY, OATS, RYE AND RICE
MILLION ACRES AND MILLION BUSHEL/HUNDREDWEIGHTS

	Area		Production	--Imports--		--Exports--		Domestic Feed Use	Domestic Total Use	Ending Stocks
	Harvested	Yield		Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.			
WHEAT (MY JUNE/MAY)										
1995/96	61.0	35.8	2,183	68	64	1,241	1,238	154	1,140	376
1996/97	62.8	36.3	2,277	92	95	1,002	995	308	1,301	444
1997/98	62.8	39.5	2,481	95	94	1,040	1,032	251	1,257	722
1998/99	59.0	43.2	2,547	103	106	1,042	1,067	394	1,385	946
1999/00	53.8	42.7	2,299	95	93	1,090	1,083	284	1,300	950
2000/01	53.0	41.9	2,223	90	88	1,100	1,102	300	1,334	829
CORN (MY SEPT/AUG)										
1995/96	65.2	113.5	7,400	16	16	2,228	2,073	4,693	6,321	426
1996/97	72.6	127.1	9,233	13	11	1,797	1,836	5,277	6,991	883
1997/98	72.7	126.7	9,207	9	5	1,504	1,484	5,482	7,287	1,308
1998/99	72.6	134.4	9,759	19	15	1,981	2,043	5,471	7,318	1,787
1999/00	70.5	133.8	9,431	15	9	1,937	1,944	5,664	7,578	1,718
2000/01	72.7	137.1	9,968	10	13	1,950	1,929	5,825	7,795	1,951
SORGHUM (MY SEPT/AUG)										
1995/96	8.3	55.6	459	0	0	198	187	295	314	18
1996/97	11.8	67.3	795	0	0	205	205	516	561	47
1997/98	9.2	69.2	634	0	0	212	203	365	420	49
1998/99	7.7	67.3	520	0	0	196	205	262	307	65
1999/00	8.5	69.7	595	0	0	256	248	284	339	65
2000/01	7.7	60.9	470	0	0	215	209	230	265	55
BARLEY (MY JUNE/MAY)										
1995/96	6.3	57.2	359	41	36	62	54	179	351	100
1996/97	6.7	58.5	392	37	41	31	56	217	389	109
1997/98	6.2	58.1	360	40	34	74	49	144	316	119
1998/99	5.9	60.1	352	30	27	28	28	161	331	142
1999/00	4.7	59.2	280	28	29	30	39	136	308	111
2000/01	5.2	61.1	318	28	30	58	46	125	297	102
OATS (MY JUNE/MAY)										
1995/96	3.0	54.5	161	81	63	2	2	233	326	66
1996/97	2.7	57.7	153	98	114	3	2	182	248	67
1997/98	2.8	59.5	167	98	113	2	2	153	256	74
1998/99	2.8	60.2	166	108	93	2	2	185	265	81
1999/00	2.5	59.6	146	99	97	2	1	196	249	76
2000/01	2.3	64.2	149	110	110	2	2	180	253	80
RYE (MY JUNE/MAY)										
1995/96	0.4	26.1	10	4	4	0	0	6	14	1
1996/97	0.3	25.8	9	4	5	0	0	5	13	1
1997/98	0.3	25.8	8	6	5	0	0	5	14	1
1998/99	0.4	29.1	12	3	3	0	0	4	14	2
1999/00	0.4	28.8	11	3	3	0	0	6	15	2
2000/01	0.3	28.6	9	4	3	0	0	3	12	2
	Area		--Production--		--Imports--		--Exports--		Domestic Total Use	Ending Stocks
	Harvested	Yield	Rough	Milled	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.		
RICE (MY AUG/JULY)										
1995/96	3.1	56.2	174	124	8	9	82	81	106	25
1996/97	2.8	61.2	172	120	10	10	77	73	103	27
1997/98	3.1	59.0	183	127	9	10	87	100	105	28
1998/99	3.3	56.6	184	128	11	11	87	84	114	22
1999/00	3.5	58.7	206	143	10	10	89	87	122	28
2000/01	3.0	62.8	191	135	10	10	81	83	123	25

Notes:

Wheat trade year statistics are on July/June years. Barley, corn, sorghum, rye, and oats trade year statistics are on Oct/Sept years. Rice statistics are rough basis; trade year statistics are for subsequent calendar year. Rounding errors in conversion from international units causes some discrepancies with World Board Supply and Demand Estimates.

TOTAL WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS: SUPPLY AND DEMAND
MILLIONS OF METRIC TONS/HECTARES

	Area Harvested	Yield	Production	World Trade	Feed Use	Total Use	Ending Stocks	Stocks As % of Cons.
WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS								
1972/73	528.4	1.76	931.7	129.0	483.4	964.4	156.1	16.2
1973/74	551.9	1.86	1025.5	134.0	495.4	1019.1	162.5	15.9
1974/75	552.8	1.77	977.9	129.3	451.8	969.4	170.9	17.6
1975/76	564.7	1.76	993.7	141.9	459.0	984.6	180.0	18.3
1976/77	575.1	1.92	1106.4	147.2	488.8	1045.3	241.1	23.1
1977/78	570.7	1.87	1068.9	161.7	511.5	1076.8	233.2	21.7
1978/79	569.7	2.08	1183.1	165.1	556.5	1144.1	272.2	23.8
1979/80	569.5	2.03	1153.7	185.5	572.0	1164.1	261.7	22.5
1980/81	577.9	2.01	1159.8	202.0	560.9	1183.7	239.3	20.2
1981/82	588.0	2.05	1204.2	198.7	573.7	1179.4	264.2	22.4
1982/83	576.4	2.17	1248.3	188.7	591.4	1199.6	313.1	26.1
1983/84	563.2	2.06	1162.5	196.9	584.7	1218.6	256.9	21.1
1984/85	567.1	2.32	1315.3	206.2	609.8	1262.0	310.2	24.6
1985/86	571.0	2.33	1328.7	167.4	619.3	1258.7	380.1	30.2
1986/87	565.7	2.38	1348.8	173.8	651.4	1313.9	415.0	31.6
1987/88	545.1	2.35	1283.2	205.1	656.9	1335.6	360.4	27.0
1988/89	542.3	2.25	1218.0	202.5	625.3	1312.6	265.8	20.2
1989/90	548.4	2.42	1327.0	208.7	648.5	1350.4	242.3	17.9
1990/91	548.7	2.58	1417.1	190.0	664.0	1379.2	280.2	20.3
1991/92	545.3	2.48	1353.6	207.1	651.4	1365.6	268.2	19.6
1992/93	548.9	2.61	1434.2	205.7	661.5	1394.2	308.1	22.1
1993/94	540.6	2.51	1357.6	187.4	653.7	1400.2	265.6	19.0
1994/95	538.5	2.59	1395.2	199.4	668.7	1405.6	255.2	18.2
1995/96	532.5	2.52	1341.4	187.3	635.5	1387.3	209.3	15.1
1996/97	552.7	2.70	1490.4	197.9	670.4	1451.0	248.7	17.1
1997/98	539.2	2.77	1493.1	189.6	680.5	1456.5	285.3	19.6
1998/99	532.4	2.78	1478.8	198.2	675.0	1457.4	306.7	21.0
1999/00	519.2	2.82	1464.5	216.8	680.6	1480.2	291.1	19.7
2000/01	512.1	2.81	1438.3	207.6	682.1	1472.8	256.5	17.4

Notes:

Wheat and coarse grains trade data are on July/June years through 1975/76. From 1976/77 to the present, coarse grains is on a Oct/Sept trade year. "Stocks as a Percent of Consumption" represents the ratio of marketing year ending stocks to total consumption.

WORLD WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS: SUPPLY AND DEMAND
MILLIONS OF METRIC TONS/HECTARES

	Area Harvested	Yield	Production	World Trade	Feed Use	Total Use	Ending Stocks	Stocks As % of Cons.
WHEAT								
1972/73	210.9	1.60	337.5	69.7	83.8	351.8	74.9	21.3
1973/74	217.0	1.69	366.1	63.0	70.2	358.3	82.7	23.1
1974/75	220.0	1.61	355.2	64.3	72.0	356.5	81.4	22.8
1975/76	225.3	1.56	352.6	66.7	63.6	347.3	86.7	25.0
1976/77	233.1	1.78	414.3	63.3	67.2	373.7	127.4	34.1
1977/78	227.2	1.66	377.8	72.8	85.1	396.0	109.2	27.6
1978/79	228.9	1.92	438.9	72.0	89.6	413.3	134.8	32.6
1979/80	228.5	1.83	418.3	86.0	93.1	431.9	121.3	28.1
1980/81	237.1	1.84	436.3	94.1	91.0	444.1	113.8	25.6
1981/82	239.0	1.86	445.1	101.3	90.9	445.1	113.7	25.5
1982/83	237.7	1.99	472.8	98.9	92.4	455.6	131.1	28.8
1983/84	229.3	2.11	484.4	103.8	95.0	469.0	146.4	31.2
1984/85	231.7	2.20	509.0	106.2	98.9	489.4	166.0	33.9
1985/86	229.9	2.15	494.9	84.7	96.8	490.3	170.6	34.8
1986/87	227.9	2.30	524.1	90.7	112.3	515.7	179.1	34.7
1987/88	219.7	2.26	496.0	115.6	111.9	527.2	147.8	28.0
1988/89	217.4	2.28	495.0	104.3	104.2	524.5	118.4	22.6
1989/90	225.8	2.36	533.2	103.8	103.8	532.7	118.9	22.3
1990/91	231.4	2.54	588.1	101.1	130.6	561.9	145.0	25.8
1991/92	222.5	2.44	542.9	111.2	115.0	555.5	132.5	23.8
1992/93	222.9	2.52	562.4	113.0	111.0	550.8	144.0	26.2
1993/94	222.0	2.52	558.7	101.6	108.3	561.4	141.3	25.2
1994/95	214.5	2.44	524.0	101.4	99.4	547.2	118.1	21.6
1995/96	218.7	2.46	538.4	99.5	90.8	548.0	108.5	19.8
1996/97	230.0	2.53	581.9	103.8	98.0	577.9	112.5	19.5
1997/98	228.0	2.67	609.2	104.0	102.0	583.5	138.2	23.7
1998/99	224.7	2.62	588.8	102.0	104.0	589.7	137.2	23.3
1999/00	217.0	2.71	587.5	112.5	99.4	598.4	126.4	21.1
2000/01	214.3	2.71	580.7	106.6	99.0	593.4	113.6	19.1
COARSE GRAINS								
1972/73	317.5	1.87	594.2	59.3	399.6	612.6	81.2	13.3
1973/74	334.8	1.97	659.4	71.1	425.3	660.8	79.8	12.1
1974/75	332.7	1.87	622.7	65.0	379.8	612.9	89.6	14.6
1975/76	339.4	1.89	641.0	75.2	395.4	637.3	93.3	14.6
1976/77	342.0	2.02	692.0	83.9	421.6	671.6	113.8	16.9
1977/78	343.5	2.01	691.1	89.0	426.4	680.8	124.0	18.2
1978/79	340.8	2.18	744.2	93.1	466.9	730.8	137.4	18.8
1979/80	341.0	2.16	735.3	99.5	478.8	732.2	140.5	19.2
1980/81	340.8	2.12	723.6	107.9	469.9	739.6	125.5	17.0
1981/82	349.0	2.18	759.2	97.4	482.8	734.2	150.5	20.5
1982/83	338.7	2.29	775.6	89.8	499.0	744.0	182.0	24.5
1983/84	333.9	2.03	678.2	93.1	489.7	749.7	110.5	14.7
1984/85	335.4	2.40	806.3	100.0	510.8	772.7	144.1	18.7
1985/86	341.1	2.44	833.8	82.7	522.5	768.5	209.5	27.3
1986/87	337.7	2.44	824.7	83.2	539.2	798.3	235.9	29.5
1987/88	325.4	2.42	787.2	89.5	545.0	808.4	212.6	26.3
1988/89	324.9	2.23	722.9	98.2	521.1	788.2	147.4	18.7
1989/90	322.6	2.46	793.8	104.9	544.7	817.7	123.4	15.1
1990/91	317.3	2.61	829.1	88.9	533.4	817.3	135.2	16.5
1991/92	322.8	2.51	810.7	95.9	536.4	810.1	135.8	16.8
1992/93	326.0	2.67	871.8	92.8	550.5	843.3	164.1	19.5
1993/94	318.7	2.51	798.9	85.8	545.4	838.7	124.3	14.8
1994/95	324.0	2.69	871.3	98.0	569.3	858.4	137.1	16.0
1995/96	313.9	2.56	802.9	87.8	544.7	839.3	100.8	12.0
1996/97	322.7	2.82	908.5	94.1	572.5	873.1	136.2	15.6
1997/98	311.2	2.84	883.9	85.6	578.5	873.0	147.1	16.8
1998/99	307.7	2.89	890.0	96.2	571.0	867.6	169.5	19.5
1999/00	302.2	2.90	877.0	104.3	581.3	881.8	164.7	18.7
2000/01	297.8	2.88	857.6	101.0	583.1	879.4	142.9	16.2

Notes:

Wheat and coarse grains trade data are on July/June years through 1975/76. From 1976/77 to the present, coarse grains is on a Oct/Sept trade year. "Stocks as a Percent of Consumption" represents the ratio of marketing year ending stocks to total consumption.

WORLD RICE: SUPPLY AND DEMAND
MILLIONS OF METRIC TONS/HECTARES

	Area Harvested	Yield (Rough)	--Production--		World Trade	Total Use	Ending Stocks	Stocks As % of Cons.
			Rough	Milled				
1972/73	132.7	2.31	306.2	208.9	8.4	213.2	23.8	11.2
1973/74	136.3	2.45	333.8	227.6	7.7	222.6	28.8	12.9
1974/75	137.8	2.40	331.1	225.7	7.3	226.5	28.0	12.3
1975/76	142.9	2.50	357.4	243.1	8.4	232.3	38.8	16.7
1976/77	141.4	2.45	346.8	235.8	10.6	236.8	37.8	16.0
1977/78	143.4	2.57	368.7	250.6	9.6	244.2	44.2	18.1
1978/79	143.6	2.68	385.4	262.4	11.9	252.5	54.1	21.4
1979/80	141.2	2.67	376.6	256.8	12.5	257.2	53.7	20.9
1980/81	144.4	2.75	397.0	270.0	12.7	275.0	48.5	17.7
1981/82	144.4	2.83	408.3	277.9	11.5	283.1	43.3	15.3
1982/83	140.5	2.98	418.3	285.0	11.5	284.8	43.5	15.3
1983/84	144.6	3.12	450.9	306.9	12.1	302.6	47.9	15.8
1984/85	144.1	3.23	464.9	316.7	11.5	309.0	55.6	18.0
1985/86	144.8	3.23	467.2	318.0	12.4	319.1	54.4	17.1
1986/87	144.8	3.21	464.6	316.0	12.8	319.8	50.7	15.9
1987/88	141.6	3.28	464.0	314.6	11.2	320.5	44.8	14.0
1988/89	146.1	3.35	489.7	331.4	13.9	327.4	48.8	14.9
1989/90	146.6	3.47	508.1	343.9	11.6	338.2	54.5	16.1
1990/91	146.7	3.55	520.5	352.0	12.1	347.4	59.2	17.0
1991/92	147.5	3.56	525.2	354.7	14.2	355.8	58.0	16.3
1992/93	146.4	3.60	527.0	355.7	14.9	357.6	56.2	15.7
1993/94	144.9	3.64	526.9	355.4	16.5	357.9	53.7	15.0
1994/95	147.4	3.66	540.2	364.5	21.0	366.6	51.6	14.1
1995/96	148.1	3.72	551.3	371.4	19.7	371.5	51.6	13.9
1996/97	149.7	3.76	563.5	380.2	18.9	379.7	52.1	13.7
1997/98	151.3	3.80	574.3	386.8	27.7	382.9	56.0	14.6
1998/99	152.4	3.84	585.6	394.1	24.9	390.1	60.0	15.4
1999/00	154.9	3.92	607.7	408.6	22.9	403.3	65.2	16.2
2000/01	151.9	3.92	595.0	399.9	22.6	403.5	61.6	15.3

Notes:

Stocks, exports, and consumption are expressed on a milled basis in marketing years. Trade is on a milled basis in calendar years. "Stocks as a Percent of Consumption" represents the ratio of marketing year ending stocks to total consumption. Trade year statistics since 1979/80 exclude intra-EU trade.

ENDNOTES TO GRAIN: WORLD MARKETS AND TRADE

REGIONAL TABLES

- 1) Includes Canada, Mexico, and the United States.
- 2) Includes Central America, the Caribbean, and South America.
- 3) Includes Azores, Cyprus, Iceland, Malta & Gozo, Norway, and Switzerland.
- 4) Includes Albania, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Hungary, Poland, Romania, Slovakia, and former Yugoslavia.
- 5) Includes Bahrain, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, United Arab Emirates, and Yemen.
- 6) Includes Algeria, Egypt, Libya, Morocco, and Tunisia.
- 7) Includes all other African countries except North Africa.
- 8) Includes Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Nepal, Pakistan, and Sri Lanka.
- 9) Includes all other Asian countries except South Asia.
- 10) Includes Australia, Fiji, New Zealand, and Papua New Guinea.

OTHER NOTES

Unless otherwise stated, stock data are based on an aggregate of differing local marketing years and should not be construed as representing world stock levels at a fixed point in time.

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