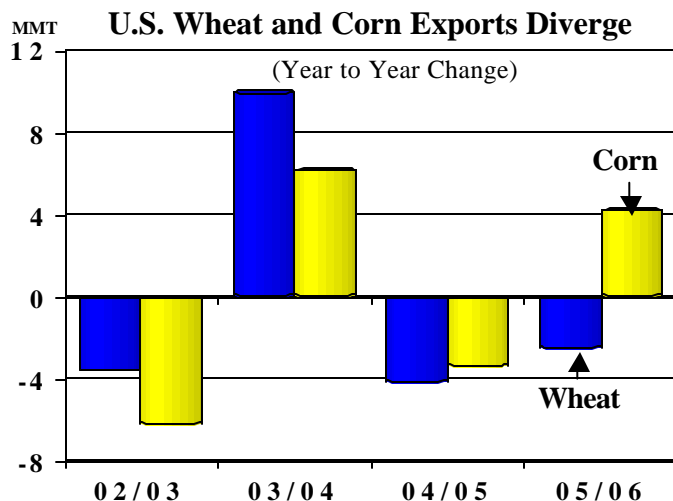
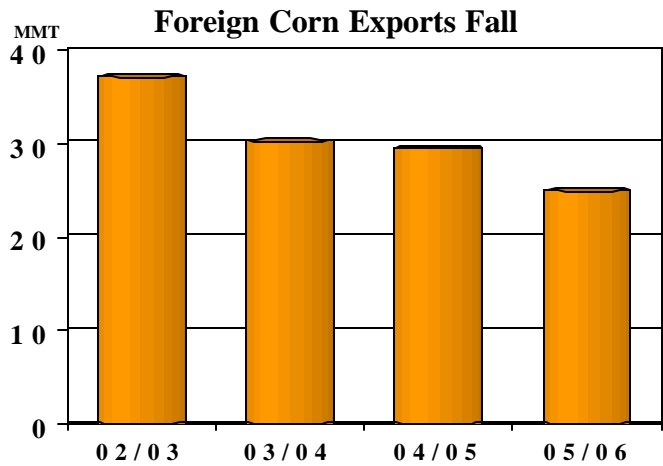
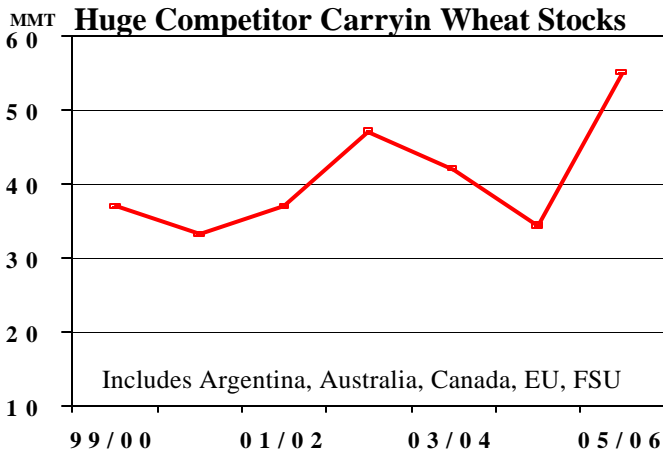




# Grain: World Markets and Trade

## Export Competition Strengthens for Wheat, Weakens for Corn In 2005/06



Whereas the global supply and import demand picture for both wheat and corn is largely unchanged from last year, the export competition picture differs sharply for these two grains. For wheat, competition is expected to be strong as exporter stocks are beginning at high levels and most Northern Hemisphere new crops are in good condition. Ample supplies in the EU and Black Sea region will be available to buyers in Mediterranean markets. A return to more normal crop quality in Canada is also expected to increase competition for spring wheat. Consequently, U.S. wheat exports are forecast to fall 2.5 million tons.

U.S. corn exports, in contrast, will benefit from weaker competition. Record yields in Argentina are unlikely to be repeated, which will reduce production and exportable supplies. China's exports are forecast to be smaller as domestic consumption continues to outpace production. In addition, Ukraine's exports will drop as a result of a smaller crop.

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### **Circular Modifications:**

The following changes are incorporated into this May 2005 Circular:

- “Other Africa” has been renamed “Sub-Saharan Africa.” For specific regional definitions, please see the endnotes section of this Circular.
- “Macedonia (Skopje)” has been renamed “Macedonia, Republic of” to reflect U.S. State Department usage.
- Some countries were either added to or deleted from tables to more accurately reflect the major players involved in global grain trade and production.
- A rye balance sheet was added for Israel.

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

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>WHEAT</b>							
All Foreign Countries							
Production	527.9	523.7	490.1	565.0	566.2	0.0	555.8
Consumption	552.6	573.6	556.3	575.1	574.1	0.0	585.5
Ending Stocks	181.3	152.4	116.0	133.0	134.8	0.0	129.0
USA							
Production	53.0	43.7	63.8	58.7	58.7	0.0	59.5
Imports	3.0	2.0	1.8	1.9	1.9	0.0	1.9
Consumption	32.4	30.4	32.5	32.2	32.2	0.0	31.8
Exports	26.3	22.8	32.3	28.0	28.0	0.0	25.5
Ending Stocks	21.2	13.4	14.9	14.7	14.7	0.0	18.4
World Total, Trade	110.8	110.0	104.6	107.6	107.9	0.0	106.8
<b>RICE</b>							
All Foreign Countries							
Production	391.8	371.4	383.0	394.4	394.7	0.0	403.2
Consumption	405.7	403.8	410.0	409.2	409.5	0.0	412.6
USA							
Production	6.7	6.5	6.4	7.3	7.4	0.0	7.1
Imports	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.5
Consumption	3.9	3.5	3.7	3.9	3.9	0.0	4.0
Exports	3.3	3.8	3.1	3.5	3.5	0.0	3.8
World Total, Trade	27.8	27.6	26.8	25.4	25.4	0.0	25.1
<b>TOTAL COARSE GRAINS</b>							
All Foreign Countries							
Production	629.9	629.7	639.1	683.7	689.4	0.0	658.3
Consumption	688.5	687.3	719.5	728.9	732.4	0.0	730.8
USA							
Production	261.7	243.7	275.1	319.5	319.5	0.0	296.3
Imports	2.4	2.5	2.3	2.3	2.1	0.0	2.3
Consumption	216.8	214.7	226.0	238.1	238.1	0.0	235.9
Exports	54.0	46.4	53.9	50.5	50.5	0.0	54.8
Ending Stocks	45.0	30.9	28.8	61.8	61.7	0.0	69.8
World Total, Trade	102.6	104.2	102.8	97.5	98.4	0.0	98.4
<b>WORLD TOTAL GRAIN, INCLUDING RICE</b>							
All Foreign Countries							
Production	1,549.6	1,524.8	1,512.3	1,643.1	1,650.3	0.0	1,617.3
Consumption	1,646.8	1,664.7	1,685.8	1,713.2	1,715.9	0.0	1,728.9
USA							
Production	321.4	294.0	345.3	385.5	385.6	0.0	362.9
Imports	5.8	5.0	4.5	4.6	4.5	0.0	4.7
Exports	83.5	73.1	89.3	81.9	81.9	0.0	84.1
World Total, Trade	241.3	241.8	234.3	230.5	231.7	0.0	230.3

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.



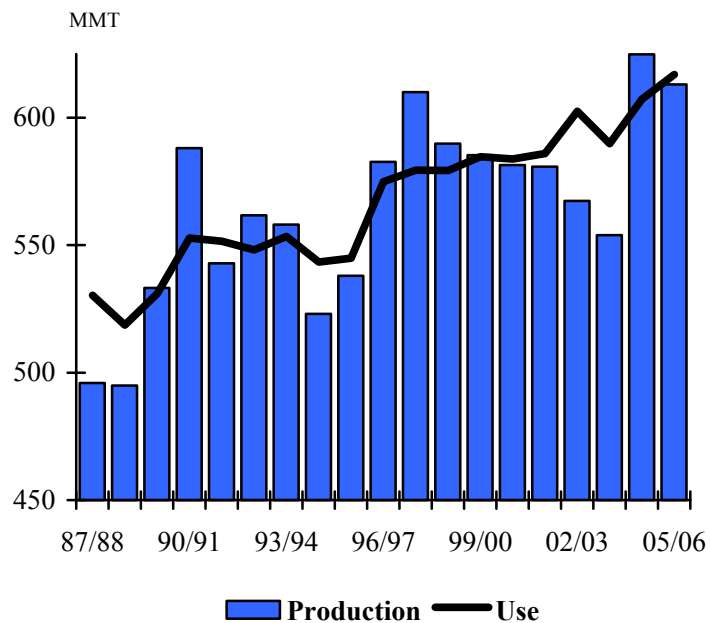
# WORLD MARKETS AND TRADE: COMMENTARY AND CURRENT DATA

## WHEAT: WORLD MARKETS AND TRADE

World wheat supply in 2005/06 is forecast to be up again due to higher carryin stocks and another expected large global crop - the second largest in history. World consumption is forecast to climb to a record with both higher food use and animal feeding. Steady population growth is expected to expand food use, especially in South Asia and North Africa. Also, there could be some additional growth in industrial use in Europe with the building of more ethanol plants. Wheat feeding is expected to be up throughout Europe and the Former Soviet Union due to smaller corn and barley crops. World production and use are

expected to nearly balance next year, resulting in only a slight drawdown in global ending stocks. This decline will be driven primarily by the continued shrinking of China's stocks, while exporter stocks are expected to climb to the highest level in 12 years. The combination of larger world supplies and strong competition will likely pressure export prices.

### Large Production, Record Use Expected to Balance



### HIGHLIGHTS FOR 2005/06

#### Selected Exporters

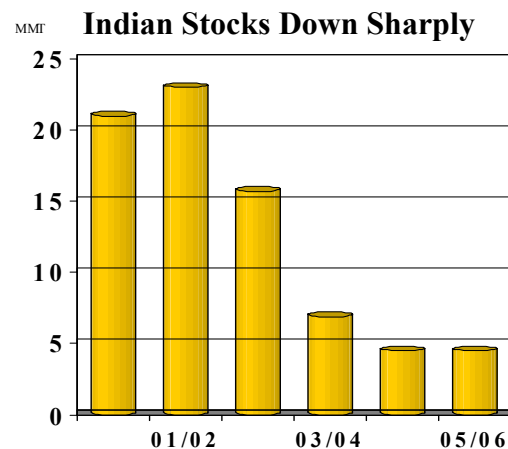
Export competition is expected to intensify with abundant supplies expected in nearly all significant exporters. The EU-25 will begin next year with large intervention and free stocks. Prospects for another huge crop are anticipated to pressure domestic/internal prices and help make EU wheat more competitive. Stronger import demand in Mediterranean markets will likely provide opportunities for expanded EU shipments. The level of total exports, though, will ultimately depend on Commission policies on export restitutions and intervention sales.

**Canada's** exports are also forecast higher, as a return to normal quality will make spring wheat more attractive next year. Durum exports are also likely to be up, as demand from North Africa is expected to be larger, and European demand expands due to a decline in durum area.

Even with larger forecast supplies, **Australian** exports are projected to fall due to reduced demand in key markets, especially China and Pakistan. Poor old crop exports due to the smaller crop in 04/05 will also contribute to the decline. **Argentine** exports are expected to drop even though production is forecast to remain fairly steady. With the past harvest already largely committed, exports during the first half of 05/06 will be down sharply.

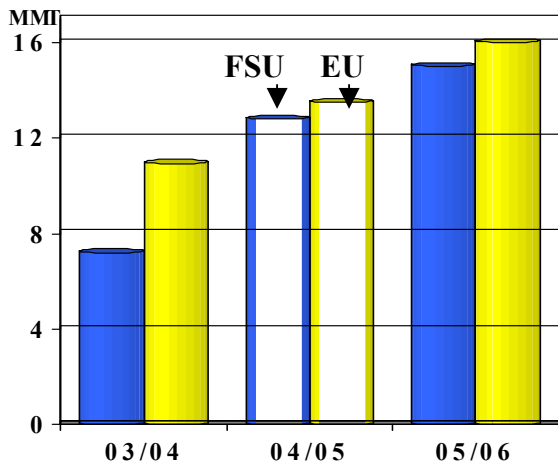
Exports from the Former Soviet Union are expected to be up again with replenished stocks and good crops. Sales from **Russia** and **Ukraine** are expected to grow again; and with shipments to the EU capped by quotas, more will go to Mediterranean or even Asian markets. Exports from **Kazakhstan** are also expected up with a crop recovery anticipated.

Despite the second largest crop in history, **Indian** exports are estimated to be down because of tight stocks, expanding food consumption, and the assumption that the government will not subsidize exports. Even so, some unsubsidized wheat will likely flow to nearby markets such as Bangladesh. **Syrian** exports are expected to be steady next year as the government tries to maintain stocks at about a year's consumption level.

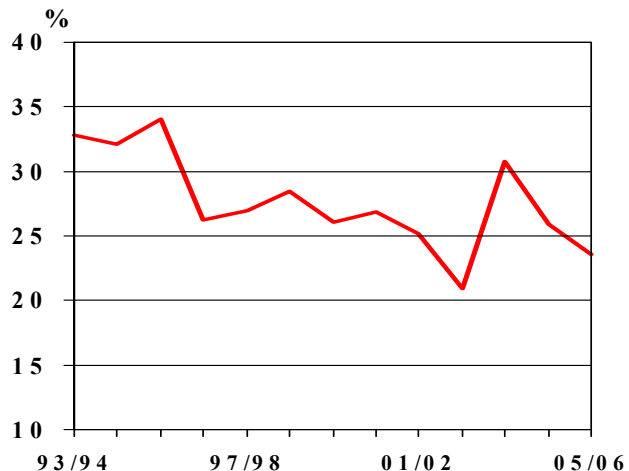


While production is expected to be up slightly, **United States** wheat exports are expected to fall 2.5 million tons. Stronger competition from Europe and the Black Sea region in Mediterranean markets, enhanced Canadian competition for spring wheat markets, and smaller purchases by China are forecast to combine to pressure exports. Ending stocks are subsequently expected to expand to a 4-year high.

**EU, Former Soviet Union Exports Surge**



**U.S. Global Market Share Falls Again**



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## Selected Importers

Total world import demand is expected to be down slightly from last year with a shift from Asian to Mediterranean markets. Smaller expected harvests in North Africa, especially **Morocco**, after years of bumper crops is expected to lead to higher soft wheat and durum imports. **Egyptian** demand is expected to be unchanged, maintaining it as the world's largest and highly competitive market.

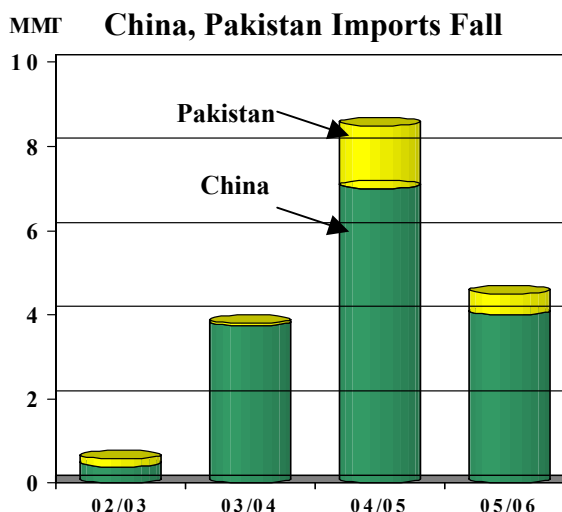
Middle East demand is also expected to increase with **Saudi Arabia** possibly importing substantial quantities for the first time in decades as production drops due to reduced government price support. Imports by **Iraq** are projected to rise in order to build larger buffer stocks. **Israel** imports are likely to increase slightly due to more feed-quality wheat from Russia and Ukraine. **Iran**, the world's largest wheat importer in 1999/00, is expected to once again require very little imported wheat as production surpasses use.

European imports are expected to be unchanged from last year. For the **EU-25**, feed-quality wheat imports are capped by quotas, which are expected to be filled by ample Russian and Ukrainian supplies. High-quality imports are also expected to be the same as last year, although there will likely be a shift towards more durum and possibly less spring wheat.

Larger carryin stocks will partially offset lower production in **Brazil**, with imports only expected up slightly. With a rebound in production, **Mexican** imports should fall from this year's record level.

In Asia, two major markets are expected to reduce imports due to larger crops. With acreage expanding for the first time in 9 years due to government programs and higher prices at planting, **Chinese** imports are forecast to fall from 7 to 4 million tons. In contrast to last year at this time, China has done little forward purchasing. With a near record crop, **Pakistan** is also expected to cut imports as the crop looks to be sufficient to build stocks and supply increased domestic use.

In Sub-Saharan Africa, **Nigerian** imports are projected to continue to grow with consumption. With the second smallest crop in over a decade expected in **South Africa**, imports are likely to remain at a high level, especially as substantial quantities will continue to be needed for re-export to bordering nations.

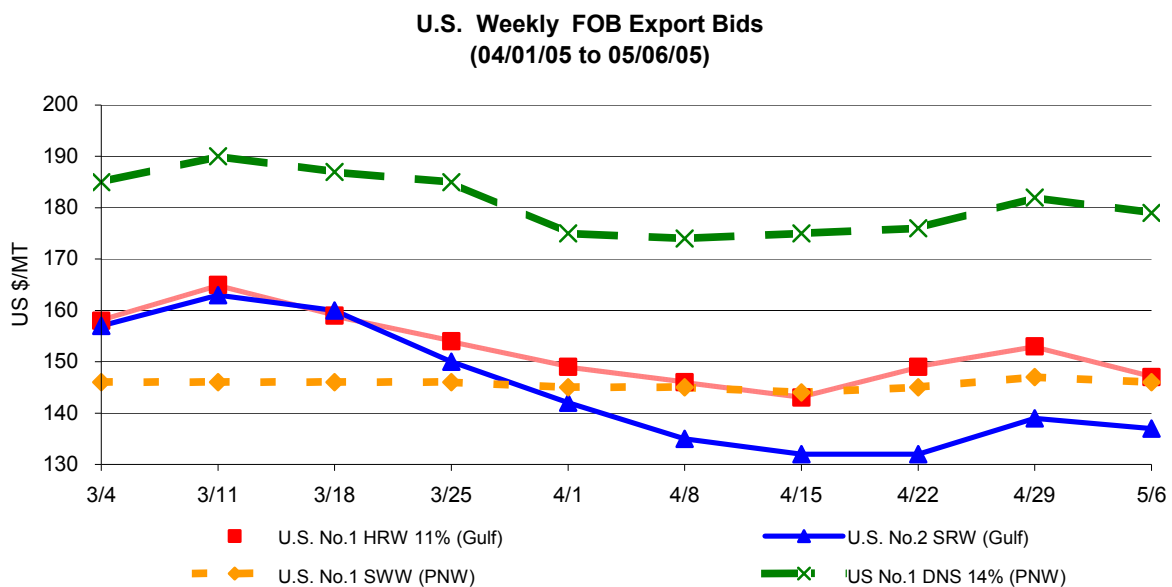


**United States** imports are expected to be unchanged from last year with continued durum imports from western Canada as well as soft wheat from Ontario. Spring wheat shipments will likely be minimal due to countervailing duties.

**PRICES:**

**Domestic:** U.S. wheat prices were under pressure for most of April on expectations for a good new crop and continuing large global supplies. Higher basis premiums due to tight supplies of high protein spring wheat helped DNS prices, while weaker demand depressed SRW prices.

For the week ending May 6, and compared to a month earlier, average HRW prices were \$2 a ton lower, while SRW were \$5 a ton lower. HRS prices rose \$4 a ton, while SWW gained \$1 a ton.



**TRADE CHANGES IN 2004/2005**

**Selected Exporters**

- **Argentina** up 500,000 tons to a record 12.5 million as new crop exports have been very strong.
- **Australia** down 300,000 tons to 16.7 million as exports have waned in recent months.
- **Kazakhstan** down 500,000 tons to 2.7 million due to pace to date. Nearly half of grain exports this year have gone to Russia.
- **Russia** up 300,000 tons to 6.3 million due to continued strong sales and exports, particularly to Egypt.

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- **Ukraine** up 300,000 tons to 3.8 million tons due to strong exports to date and continued shipments to the EU.

### **Selected Importers**

- **China** down 500,000 tons to 7.0 million as imports have slowed considerably during the second half of the year.
- **EU-25** up 500,000 tons to 6.0 million due to stronger than expected low and medium quality imports from Russia and Ukraine.



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

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>EXPORTS</b>							
Argentina	11,671	6,276	7,346	12,000	12,500	0	10,000
Australia	16,494	10,946	15,096	17,000	16,700	0	16,000
Canada	16,758	9,393	15,526	15,000	15,000	0	15,500
India	3,234	5,350	5,425	1,500	1,500	0	1,000
Kazakhstan	3,977	6,238	4,110	3,200	2,700	0	4,000
Russia	4,372	12,621	3,114	6,000	6,300	0	7,000
Syria	300	800	1,200	1,000	1,000	0	1,000
Turkey	558	839	854	1,300	1,300	0	1,000
Ukraine	5,486	6,569	66	3,500	3,800	0	4,000
EU-25	14,232	19,940	10,931	13,500	13,500	0	16,000
Other Europe	1,872	1,657	216	1,183	1,183	0	1,310
Others	5,600	6,517	8,458	4,415	4,412	0	4,505
Subtotal	84,554	87,146	72,342	79,598	79,895	0	81,315
United States	26,270	22,834	32,287	28,000	28,000	0	25,500
<b>WORLD TOTAL</b>	<b>110,824</b>	<b>109,980</b>	<b>104,629</b>	<b>107,598</b>	<b>107,895</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>106,815</b>
<b>IMPORTS</b>							
Algeria	4,572	6,079	3,933	4,300	4,300	0	4,600
Bangladesh	1,565	1,335	1,945	2,000	2,000	0	2,000
Bolivia	462	356	271	350	400	0	400
Brazil	7,202	6,631	5,559	5,000	5,000	0	5,500
Chile	433	421	442	300	300	0	500
China	1,092	418	3,749	7,500	7,000	0	4,000
Colombia	1,161	1,166	1,246	1,250	1,250	0	1,300
Cuba	1,054	819	727	1,000	900	0	900
Ecuador	431	347	514	450	450	0	450
Egypt	6,944	6,327	7,295	7,500	7,500	0	7,500
Ethiopia	400	611	782	700	400	0	700
India	33	19	8	20	20	0	20
Indonesia	3,677	3,984	4,535	4,500	4,500	0	4,500
Iran	5,586	1,561	246	200	200	0	200
Iraq	2,801	1,579	1,925	3,300	3,000	0	3,300
Israel	1,553	1,691	951	1,500	1,500	0	1,600
Japan	5,836	5,579	5,751	5,700	5,700	0	5,700
Jordan	752	1,147	595	700	700	0	700
Kenya	633	656	419	650	650	0	650
Korea, North	300	400	400	400	400	0	400
Korea, South	3,979	4,052	3,434	3,800	3,800	0	3,800
Libya	1,623	1,421	1,057	1,400	1,500	0	1,500
Malaysia	1,268	1,195	1,329	1,250	1,350	0	1,350
Mexico	3,171	3,161	3,644	3,900	3,900	0	3,600
Morocco	3,075	2,720	2,414	2,200	2,200	0	2,700
Nigeria	2,446	2,304	2,383	2,600	2,600	0	2,700
Pakistan	250	181	47	1,500	1,500	0	500
Peru	1,421	1,157	1,488	1,500	1,500	0	1,500
Philippines	2,922	3,230	2,975	2,800	2,800	0	2,800
Russia	629	1,045	1,026	1,500	1,200	0	1,200
South Africa	561	1,024	911	1,200	1,400	0	1,300
Sri Lanka	851	1,019	886	950	1,000	0	1,000
Sudan	902	860	995	1,100	1,300	0	1,100
Taiwan	1,026	1,003	1,216	1,100	1,100	0	1,100
Thailand	967	895	1,253	1,000	1,100	0	1,100
Tunisia	1,261	2,167	781	1,000	1,000	0	1,100
Turkey	1,088	1,217	1,056	600	600	0	1,200
UAE	1,149	1,010	1,135	1,100	1,200	0	1,200
Uzbekistan	481	254	229	200	200	0	200
Venezuela	1,395	961	1,538	1,500	1,500	0	1,600
Vietnam	916	875	830	950	1,050	0	1,050
Yemen	1,761	1,772	1,635	1,800	1,800	0	1,800
EU-25	10,716	13,921	5,912	5,500	6,000	0	6,000
Other Europe	1,928	1,921	4,214	1,800	1,755	0	1,755
United States	2,953	1,958	1,757	1,900	1,900	0	1,900
Subtotal	95,226	92,449	85,438	91,470	91,425	0	89,975
Other Countries	13,806	14,732	16,195	13,320	13,530	0	13,955
Unaccounted	1,792	2,799	2,996	2,808	2,940	0	2,885
<b>WORLD TOTAL</b>	<b>110,824</b>	<b>109,980</b>	<b>104,629</b>	<b>107,598</b>	<b>107,895</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>106,815</b>

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

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>PRODUCTION</b>							
Algeria	2,010	1,502	2,970	2,600	2,602	0	2,600
<u>Argentina</u>	<u>15,500</u>	<u>12,300</u>	<u>14,000</u>	<u>16,000</u>	<u>16,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>15,500</u>
Australia	24,299	10,132	26,231	21,500	21,500	0	23,000
<u>Brazil</u>	<u>3,250</u>	<u>2,925</u>	<u>5,851</u>	<u>6,021</u>	<u>6,021</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5,000</u>
Canada	20,568	16,198	23,552	25,860	25,860	0	23,500
<u>China</u>	<u>93,873</u>	<u>90,290</u>	<u>86,490</u>	<u>91,000</u>	<u>91,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>93,000</u>
India	69,680	71,810	65,100	72,060	72,060	0	74,000
<u>Iran</u>	<u>9,500</u>	<u>12,450</u>	<u>13,500</u>	<u>13,500</u>	<u>14,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>14,500</u>
Kazakhstan	12,700	12,600	11,000	9,950	9,950	0	11,500
<u>Mexico</u>	<u>3,270</u>	<u>2,900</u>	<u>2,400</u>	<u>2,900</u>	<u>2,650</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,200</u>
Morocco	3,316	3,357	5,147	5,540	5,540	0	2,900
<u>Pakistan</u>	<u>19,023</u>	<u>18,226</u>	<u>19,192</u>	<u>19,000</u>	<u>19,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>21,000</u>
Russia	46,900	50,550	34,100	45,300	45,300	0	45,000
<u>Tunisia</u>	<u>1,120</u>	<u>420</u>	<u>1,600</u>	<u>1,700</u>	<u>1,700</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,600</u>
Turkey	15,500	16,800	16,800	17,700	18,000	0	17,000
<u>Ukraine</u>	<u>21,349</u>	<u>20,556</u>	<u>3,600</u>	<u>17,500</u>	<u>17,500</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>16,700</u>
EU-25	113,553	124,830	106,903	136,525	136,673	0	127,500
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>14,656</u>	<u>12,660</u>	<u>7,495</u>	<u>15,408</u>	<u>15,408</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>14,090</u>
Others	37,864	43,144	44,177	44,912	45,399	0	44,161
Subtotal	527,931	523,650	490,108	564,976	566,163	0	555,751
United States	53,001	43,705	63,814	58,738	58,738	0	59,462
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>580,932</u>	<u>567,355</u>	<u>553,922</u>	<u>623,714</u>	<u>624,901</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>615,213</u>
<b>CONSUMPTION</b>							
Algeria	6,372	6,650	6,800	6,900	6,900	0	7,200
<u>Australia</u>	<u>5,427</u>	<u>6,178</u>	<u>5,956</u>	<u>5,600</u>	<u>5,600</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5,800</u>
Brazil	10,002	9,890	9,800	10,100	10,100	0	10,200
<u>Canada</u>	<u>7,566</u>	<u>8,181</u>	<u>7,637</u>	<u>9,200</u>	<u>9,200</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>8,500</u>
China	108,742	105,200	104,500	102,000	102,000	0	101,000
<u>Egypt</u>	<u>12,750</u>	<u>12,800</u>	<u>13,300</u>	<u>13,800</u>	<u>13,800</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>14,300</u>
India	65,125	74,294	68,258	71,980	72,480	0	73,020
<u>Iran</u>	<u>14,800</u>	<u>14,350</u>	<u>14,300</u>	<u>13,700</u>	<u>14,200</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>14,100</u>
Japan	5,991	6,040	6,040	6,000	6,000	0	5,980
<u>Morocco</u>	<u>6,100</u>	<u>6,220</u>	<u>6,400</u>	<u>6,900</u>	<u>6,900</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>7,000</u>
Pakistan	19,800	18,380	18,900	19,500	19,500	0	20,000
<u>Russia</u>	<u>38,078</u>	<u>39,320</u>	<u>35,500</u>	<u>38,000</u>	<u>38,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>39,000</u>
Turkey	16,501	17,000	17,000	17,200	17,200	0	17,400
<u>Ukraine</u>	<u>13,450</u>	<u>14,500</u>	<u>9,025</u>	<u>12,500</u>	<u>12,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>13,000</u>
EU-25	110,100	118,100	107,900	116,750	114,500	0	119,000
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>13,597</u>	<u>13,514</u>	<u>12,970</u>	<u>13,785</u>	<u>13,885</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>13,885</u>
Others	98,158	102,969	112,017	111,183	111,787	0	116,159
Subtotal	552,559	573,586	556,303	575,098	574,052	0	585,544
United States	32,434	30,448	32,477	32,215	32,215	0	31,788
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>584,993</u>	<u>604,034</u>	<u>588,780</u>	<u>607,313</u>	<u>606,267</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>617,332</u>
<b>ENDING STOCKS</b>							
Australia	8,048	3,142	5,459	4,934	5,434	0	6,209
<u>Canada</u>	<u>6,729</u>	<u>5,725</u>	<u>6,080</u>	<u>7,940</u>	<u>7,940</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>7,690</u>
China	76,588	60,378	43,293	38,793	38,293	0	33,293
<u>India</u>	<u>23,000</u>	<u>15,700</u>	<u>6,900</u>	<u>5,000</u>	<u>4,500</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,500</u>
Russia	6,479	6,133	2,645	5,445	4,845	0	5,045
<u>Ukraine</u>	<u>2,955</u>	<u>3,252</u>	<u>1,126</u>	<u>2,826</u>	<u>3,026</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,926</u>
EU-25	15,933	16,644	10,628	21,272	25,301	0	23,801
Others	41,576	41,431	39,918	46,743	45,492	0	45,524
Subtotal	181,308	152,405	116,049	132,953	134,831	0	128,988
United States	21,150	13,374	14,872	14,724	14,724	0	18,448
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>202,458</u>	<u>165,779</u>	<u>130,921</u>	<u>147,677</u>	<u>149,555</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>147,436</u>

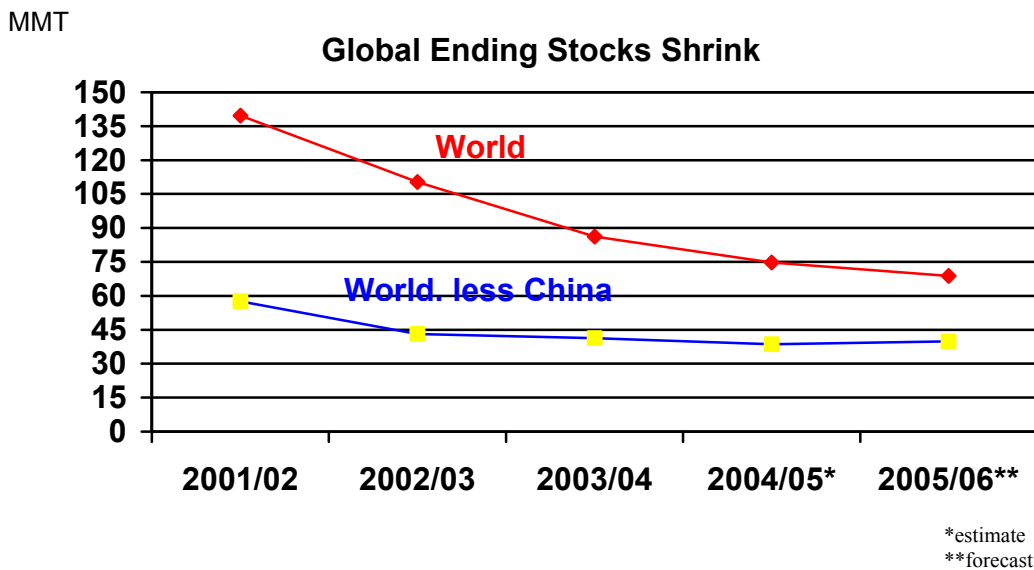
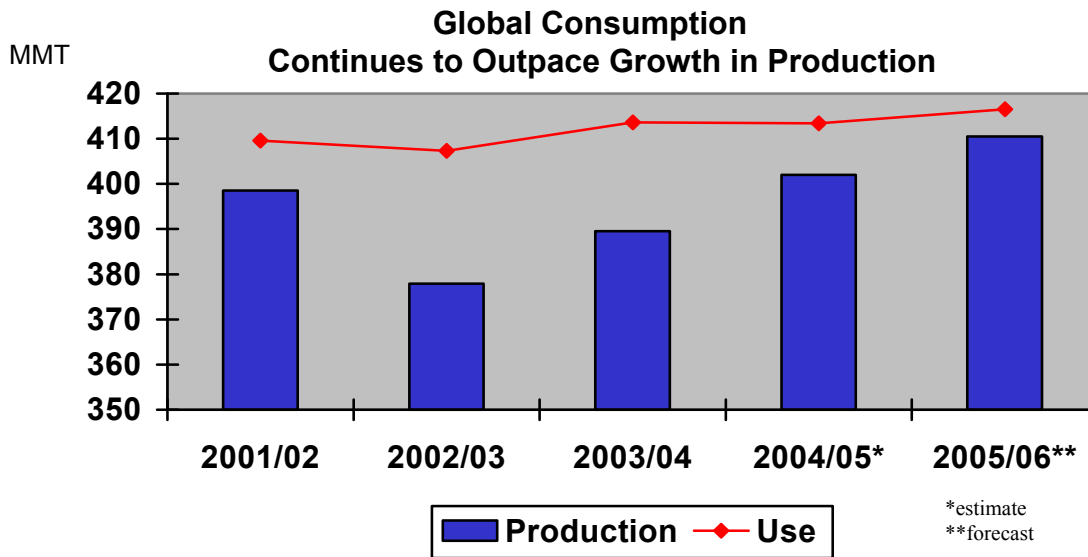
**REGIONAL WHEAT IMPORTS, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS**  
**THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>IMPORTS</b>							
North America	6,435	5,501	5,627	6,000	6,000	0	5,750
Latin America	16,226	14,549	14,502	14,065	13,990	0	14,845
EU-25	10,716	13,921	5,912	5,500	6,000	0	6,000
Other Europe	1,928	1,921	4,214	1,800	1,755	0	1,755
Former Soviet Union	3,810	4,101	7,110	4,290	4,090	0	3,990
Middle East	15,923	11,507	8,834	10,500	10,300	0	11,750
North Africa	17,475	18,714	15,480	16,400	16,500	0	17,400
Sub-Saharan Africa	8,888	9,603	9,687	10,760	10,990	0	11,110
East Asia	13,061	12,236	15,320	19,300	18,800	0	15,800
South Asia	3,700	3,569	3,008	4,595	4,650	0	3,650
Southeast Asia	10,218	10,663	11,291	10,900	11,200	0	11,200
Oceania	652	896	648	680	680	0	680
<b>PRODUCTION</b>							
North America	76,839	62,803	89,766	87,498	87,248	0	86,162
Latin America	21,428	17,904	23,148	25,315	25,275	0	23,420
EU-25	113,553	124,830	106,903	136,525	136,673	0	127,500
Other Europe	14,656	12,660	7,495	15,408	15,408	0	14,090
Former Soviet Union	91,137	96,949	60,910	86,430	86,430	0	86,750
Middle East	32,492	37,987	39,486	39,663	40,463	0	39,630
North Africa	12,701	11,704	16,285	16,595	16,597	0	14,025
Sub-Saharan Africa	5,477	5,165	4,526	4,540	5,067	0	4,456
East Asia	94,905	91,468	87,750	92,240	92,240	0	94,240
South Asia	92,980	95,302	90,975	97,530	97,530	0	101,470
Southeast Asia	100	96	107	130	130	0	130
Oceania	24,664	10,487	26,571	21,840	21,840	0	23,340
<b>CONSUMPTION</b>							
North America	45,818	44,529	46,014	47,515	47,515	0	46,588
Latin America	26,384	25,300	26,414	27,214	27,069	0	27,383
EU-25	110,100	118,100	107,900	116,750	114,500	0	119,000
Other Europe	13,597	13,514	12,970	13,785	13,885	0	13,885
Former Soviet Union	69,990	74,775	65,649	73,415	72,930	0	75,230
Middle East	46,063	46,897	46,929	47,595	48,595	0	48,835
North Africa	29,370	29,666	30,082	31,625	31,725	0	32,725
Sub-Saharan Africa	13,852	13,869	14,578	14,985	15,342	0	15,476
East Asia	120,990	117,757	116,539	114,305	114,305	0	113,285
South Asia	92,569	101,455	96,900	101,025	101,570	0	102,610
Southeast Asia	10,023	10,440	10,438	10,705	10,905	0	11,155
Oceania	6,245	7,078	6,826	6,515	6,515	0	6,725
<b>ENDING STOCKS</b>							
North America	28,735	19,519	21,065	23,077	22,827	0	26,301
Latin America	3,101	3,380	2,747	4,011	3,981	0	3,698
EU-25	15,933	16,644	10,628	21,272	25,301	0	23,801
Other Europe	3,980	3,390	1,913	4,153	4,008	0	4,658
Former Soviet Union	16,020	16,480	11,001	17,204	15,531	0	15,781
Middle East	12,134	13,175	12,087	11,252	11,355	0	11,300
North Africa	5,608	5,959	7,459	8,569	8,621	0	7,111
Sub-Saharan Africa	1,097	1,508	1,106	1,146	1,346	0	1,061
East Asia	79,658	63,218	46,249	41,824	41,324	0	36,419
South Asia	26,291	17,548	8,792	7,842	7,342	0	8,792
Southeast Asia	1,653	1,572	2,145	2,113	2,205	0	2,025
Oceania	8,248	3,386	5,729	5,214	5,714	0	6,489

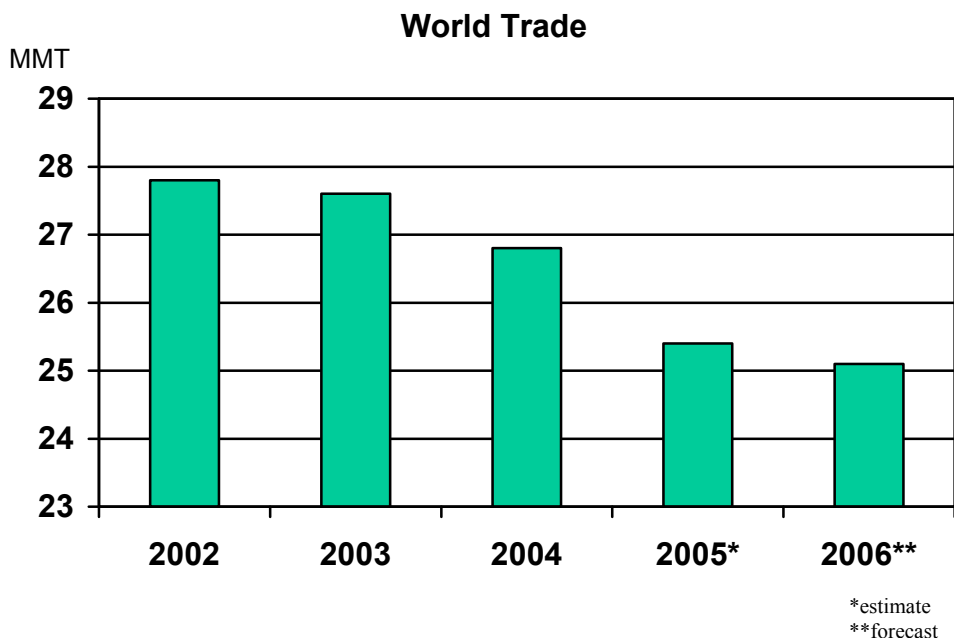
NOTES: Regional definitions appear on last page of this circular. Imports are reported on an international year basis. All other data are reported using marketing years.

## RICE: WORLD MARKETS AND TRADE

Global production in 2005/06 is projected at 410.3 million tons (milled basis), up over 8 million tons from a revised 2004/05 with the largest increases forecast in India, China, Bangladesh, and Thailand. Global consumption continues to outpace production and is expected to grow 3 million tons to 416.6 million. Consequently, ending stocks are expected to continue their downward trajectory, dropping 6 million tons to 68.5 million. However, with the majority of the decline in China, stocks in the rest of the world are forecast to show a minor gain for the first time in 5 years.



Global trade is expected to be relatively flat year-to-year as a significant decline in Philippine import demand is partially offset by smaller gains in Iraq and Nigeria. Indonesia is forecast to remain largely withdrawn from the import market due to another large crop and ample stocks. Meanwhile, Thailand is likely to reduce exports for the second consecutive year due to low carry-over stocks. Vietnam is also anticipated to reduce exports. However, the United States is expected to gain market share with near-record exports forecast due to large exportable supplies.



## MONTHLY HIGHLIGHTS 2005

### PRICES:

**International:** Asian prices are still showing a wide divergence between suppliers. In Thailand, prices remain high, sustained by the government intervention program, which was extended to the dry crop. Thai 100B is currently quoted at \$302 per ton, FOB, up \$1 from last month. However, speculation that the government is likely to begin selling intervention stocks could pressure prices. In contrast, prices in Vietnam have fallen throughout the month with ample exportable supplies. Viet 5% is currently quoted at \$257 per ton, FOB, down \$8 from last month. Prices in India remain unchanged; 5% is currently quoted at \$265 per ton, FOB.

**Domestic:** U.S. prices softened slightly month to month, with U.S. #2/4 long grain milled rice quoted at \$318 per ton, FOB, down \$3. The spread between comparable qualities of Thai and U.S. rice is at a low of \$16 per ton. Prices for U.S. #1/4 medium grain milled rice from California are currently quoted at \$300 per ton, FOB, up \$10 from last month.

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## TRADE CHANGES IN 2005

### **Selected Exporters**

- **Brazil** is doubled 50,000 to 100,000 tons based on strong shipments of broken rice to Senegal.
- **Burma** is slashed in half to 150,000 tons as private exports remain restricted and the government is likely to hold stocks to exert pressure on domestic prices.
- **Egypt** is boosted 50,000 to 750,000 tons as last year's strong export pace is anticipated to continue.
- **EU-25** is reduced 125,000 to 175,000 tons as intra-trade is likely to expand at the expense of external market sales.
- With over 1.0 million tons exported in the first quarter, **India** is raised 250,000 tons to 3.5 million.
- **Uruguay** is dropped 50,000 to 700,000 tons due to reduced import demand from Brazil.

### **Selected Importers**

- The **Dominican Republic** has been shaved 15,000 to 45,000 tons, as the government seems unlikely to issue any further import licenses.
- **Cote d'Ivoire** is boosted 100,000 to 750,000 tons due to stronger than expected import demand.
- **Iraq** is cut 200,000 to 1.0 million tons due to the slow pace of imports, which has caused the government to fall short of its monthly distribution needs.
- As a result of continued strong import demand despite high carry-over stocks, **Saudi Arabia** is increased 100,000 to 1.1 million tons.
- **South Africa** is raised 50,000 to 750,000 due to strong early season import demand.

## TRADE CHANGES IN 2004

### **Selected Exporters**

- Changes to **Australia, India, Pakistan,** and the **EU-25** are based on year-end export statistics.

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## **Selected Importers**

- Changes to **El Salvador**, the **EU-25**, **Hong Kong**, **Israel**, **North Korea**, **Singapore**, and **Taiwan** are based on year-end statistics.

**WORLD RICE TRADE  
JANUARY/DECEMBER YEAR  
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

	2002	2003	2004	2005 8-Apr	2005 12-May	2006 8-Apr	2006 12-May
<b>EXPORTS</b>							
Argentina	224	170	249	400	400	0	400
Australia	366	141	131	175	175	0	175
Burma	1,002	388	130	300	150	0	150
China	1,963	2,583	880	500	500	0	600
Egypt	468	579	826	700	750	0	750
India	6,650	4,421	3,172	3,250	3,500	0	3,500
Pakistan	1,603	1,958	1,986	2,100	2,100	0	2,100
Thailand	7,245	7,552	10,137	8,500	8,500	0	8,000
Uruguay	526	675	804	750	700	0	700
Vietnam	3,245	3,795	4,295	4,200	4,200	0	4,000
EU-25	359	220	187	300	175	0	175
Others	867	1,234	939	776	826	0	796
Subtotal	24,518	23,716	23,736	21,951	21,976	0	21,346
United States	3,295	3,834	3,095	3,450	3,450	0	3,800
<b>WORLD TOTAL</b>	<b>27,813</b>	<b>27,550</b>	<b>26,831</b>	<b>25,401</b>	<b>25,426</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>25,146</b>
<b>IMPORTS</b>							
Bangladesh	313	1,112	800	650	650	0	650
Brazil	554	1,063	760	500	500	0	500
Canada	229	242	285	250	250	0	250
China	304	258	1,122	900	900	0	900
Colombia	31	75	85	100	100	0	50
Costa Rica	88	95	136	100	100	0	100
Cote d'Ivoire	716	750	750	650	750	0	750
Cuba	538	371	639	700	700	0	700
El Salvador	85	74	51	75	75	0	75
Ghana	350	357	425	350	350	0	350
Guinea	325	350	350	300	300	0	300
Haiti	305	345	269	300	300	0	300
Honduras	105	88	102	100	100	0	100
Indonesia	3,500	2,750	650	700	700	0	700
Iran	964	900	950	950	950	0	950
Iraq	1,178	672	889	1,200	1,000	0	1,200
Jamaica & Dep	30	51	35	50	50	0	50
Japan	616	654	706	650	650	0	650
Korea, North	654	633	465	500	500	0	500
Korea, South	136	179	188	230	230	0	250
Malaysia	480	500	700	550	550	0	600
Mexico	530	582	521	550	550	0	600
Nigeria	1,897	1,600	1,369	1,400	1,400	0	1,500
Nicaragua	107	102	109	100	100	0	100
Peru	33	32	88	90	90	0	40
Philippines	1,250	1,300	1,100	1,600	1,600	0	1,100
Russia	406	385	350	350	350	0	375
Saudi Arabia	938	1,150	1,500	1,000	1,100	0	1,000
Senegal	858	750	850	750	750	0	750
Singapore	358	375	346	375	375	0	375
South Africa	800	725	818	700	750	0	750
Sri Lanka	80	29	215	150	150	0	150
Syria	204	190	200	190	190	0	200
Taiwan	106	135	158	125	125	0	125
Turkey	342	350	200	250	250	0	250
Uzbekistan	65	25	25	25	25	0	25
UAE	80	80	80	80	80	0	80
Yemen	210	250	275	250	250	0	250
EU-25	1,173	950	1,079	1,050	1,050	0	975
Other Europe	238	209	230	220	220	0	220
United States	420	458	491	475	475	0	500
Subtotal	21,596	21,196	20,361	19,535	19,585	0	19,290
Other Countries	4,344	4,615	4,895	4,391	4,367	0	4,251
Unaccounted	1,873	1,739	1,575	1,475	1,474	0	1,605
<b>WORLD TOTAL</b>	<b>27,813</b>	<b>27,550</b>	<b>26,831</b>	<b>25,401</b>	<b>25,426</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>25,146</b>



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

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>MILLED PRODUCTION</b>							
Australia	888	280	383	308	308	0	322
Bangladesh	24,310	25,187	26,152	25,500	25,500	0	26,500
Brazil	7,067	7,050	8,709	8,400	8,400	0	8,100
Burma	10,440	10,788	10,730	10,150	10,150	0	10,730
China	124,306	122,180	112,462	126,000	126,000	0	127,500
Egypt	3,575	3,705	3,900	3,930	3,930	0	4,000
India	93,080	72,700	87,000	86,000	86,000	0	90,000
Indonesia	32,960	33,411	35,024	34,830	34,830	0	34,900
Japan	8,242	8,089	7,091	7,944	7,944	0	8,000
Korea, South	5,515	4,927	4,451	5,000	5,000	0	4,900
Pakistan	3,882	4,479	4,848	4,920	4,920	0	5,000
Philippines	8,450	8,450	9,200	9,400	9,400	0	9,300
Taiwan	1,245	1,271	1,164	1,027	1,011	0	1,025
Thailand	17,499	17,198	18,011	17,000	17,000	0	17,800
Vietnam	21,036	21,527	22,082	22,136	22,136	0	22,300
EU-25	1,632	1,731	1,723	1,876	1,864	0	1,803
Others	27,675	28,409	30,118	29,985	30,273	0	30,986
Subtotal	391,802	371,382	383,048	394,406	394,666	0	403,166
United States	6,714	6,536	6,420	7,329	7,381	0	7,144
<b>WORLD TOTAL</b>	<b>398,516</b>	<b>377,918</b>	<b>389,468</b>	<b>401,735</b>	<b>402,047</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>410,310</b>
<b>CONSUMPTION</b>							
Australia	378	380	380	380	380	0	380
Bangladesh	25,553	26,100	26,400	26,700	26,700	0	26,900
Brazil	8,300	8,100	8,679	8,832	8,832	0	9,096
Burma	9,900	10,100	10,200	10,300	10,300	0	10,400
China	134,581	134,800	135,000	135,100	135,100	0	135,200
Egypt	3,175	3,275	3,300	3,325	3,325	0	3,350
India	87,351	80,740	84,100	84,000	84,000	0	85,000
Indonesia	36,382	36,500	36,000	35,850	35,850	0	35,600
Iran	3,000	3,075	3,100	3,125	3,125	0	3,150
Japan	8,779	8,742	8,357	8,300	8,300	0	8,250
Korea, North	2,004	2,083	1,925	2,040	2,040	0	1,960
Korea, South	5,155	5,033	4,637	4,741	4,741	0	4,663
Pakistan	2,635	2,645	2,700	2,750	2,750	0	2,800
Philippines	9,040	9,550	10,250	10,300	10,400	0	10,600
South Africa	600	650	700	750	750	0	800
Taiwan	1,150	1,150	1,150	1,125	1,125	0	1,125
Thailand	9,400	9,460	9,470	9,480	9,480	0	9,490
Vietnam	17,300	17,800	18,200	18,600	18,600	0	19,000
EU-25	2,444	2,597	2,509	2,529	2,529	0	2,550
Others	38,619	40,985	42,893	41,015	41,164	0	42,256
Subtotal	405,746	403,765	409,950	409,242	409,491	0	412,570
United States	3,850	3,534	3,652	3,920	3,938	0	4,016
<b>WORLD TOTAL</b>	<b>409,596</b>	<b>407,299</b>	<b>413,602</b>	<b>413,162</b>	<b>413,429</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>416,586</b>
<b>ENDING STOCKS</b>							
Australia	766	604	520	343	393	0	285
Brazil	538	586	1,266	1,334	1,284	0	738
Burma	929	1,229	1,629	1,179	1,329	0	1,509
China	82,169	67,224	44,928	36,228	36,228	0	28,828
Egypt	819	720	494	444	349	0	249
India	24,480	11,000	10,800	9,900	9,800	0	11,800
Indonesia	4,683	4,344	4,018	3,698	3,698	0	3,698
Korea, South	1,566	1,025	821	1,300	1,300	0	1,787
Pakistan	203	45	243	488	413	0	613
Philippines	3,407	3,807	4,047	4,397	4,297	0	4,247
Thailand	3,116	3,302	1,706	726	726	0	1,036
Vietnam	3,493	3,465	3,092	2,468	2,468	0	1,808
Others	13,620	13,330	13,647	12,781	12,937	0	11,916
Subtotal	138,485	109,491	85,425	73,609	73,545	0	67,491
United States	1,216	829	761	1,186	1,259	0	1,037
<b>WORLD TOTAL</b>	<b>139,701</b>	<b>110,320</b>	<b>86,186</b>	<b>74,795</b>	<b>74,804</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>68,528</b>

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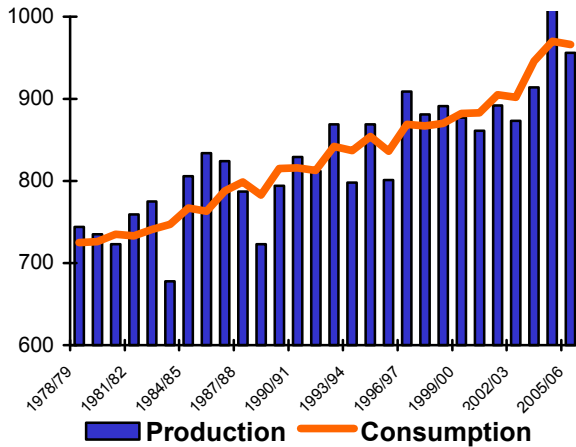
**REGIONAL RICE IMPORTS, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS**  
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

	2002	2003	2004	2005 8-Apr	2005 12-May	2006 8-Apr	2006 12-May
<b>IMPORTS</b>							
North America	1,179	1,282	1,297	1,275	1,275	0	1,350
Latin America	<u>2,147</u>	<u>2,685</u>	<u>2,683</u>	<u>2,490</u>	<u>2,475</u>	0	<u>2,380</u>
EU-25	1,173	950	1,079	1,050	1,050	0	975
Other Europe	<u>238</u>	<u>209</u>	<u>230</u>	<u>220</u>	<u>220</u>	0	<u>220</u>
Former Soviet Union	601	540	526	526	526	0	551
Middle East	<u>4,329</u>	<u>4,000</u>	<u>4,559</u>	<u>4,365</u>	<u>4,265</u>	0	<u>4,355</u>
North Africa	243	238	225	225	225	0	225
Sub-Saharan Africa	<u>7,397</u>	<u>7,053</u>	<u>7,304</u>	<u>6,310</u>	<u>6,511</u>	0	<u>6,500</u>
East Asia	2,128	2,166	2,948	2,730	2,720	0	2,740
South Asia	<u>576</u>	<u>1,381</u>	<u>1,225</u>	<u>1,115</u>	<u>1,065</u>	0	<u>1,065</u>
Southeast Asia	5,721	5,063	2,942	3,380	3,380	0	2,925
Oceania	<u>208</u>	<u>244</u>	<u>238</u>	<u>240</u>	<u>240</u>	0	<u>255</u>
<b>PRODUCTION</b>							
North America	6,899	6,669	6,620	7,529	7,581	0	7,344
Latin America	<u>13,806</u>	<u>13,897</u>	<u>15,819</u>	<u>15,305</u>	<u>15,349</u>	0	<u>15,233</u>
EU-25	1,632	1,731	1,723	1,876	1,864	0	1,803
Other Europe	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>	0	<u>25</u>
Former Soviet Union	630	687	847	889	891	0	909
Middle East	<u>1,564</u>	<u>2,151</u>	<u>2,483</u>	<u>2,625</u>	<u>2,592</u>	0	<u>2,592</u>
North Africa	3,616	3,746	3,941	3,971	3,971	0	4,041
Sub-Saharan Africa	<u>7,352</u>	<u>6,992</u>	<u>7,270</u>	<u>7,315</u>	<u>7,800</u>	0	<u>8,050</u>
East Asia	140,658	137,917	126,628	141,511	141,495	0	142,885
South Asia	<u>125,714</u>	<u>107,184</u>	<u>122,691</u>	<u>121,194</u>	<u>121,194</u>	0	<u>126,400</u>
Southeast Asia	95,732	96,639	101,038	99,187	98,977	0	100,706
Oceania	<u>888</u>	<u>280</u>	<u>383</u>	<u>308</u>	<u>308</u>	0	<u>322</u>
<b>CONSUMPTION</b>							
North America	4,754	4,476	4,662	4,970	4,988	0	5,091
Latin America	<u>15,335</u>	<u>15,207</u>	<u>16,081</u>	<u>16,410</u>	<u>16,438</u>	0	<u>16,845</u>
EU-25	2,444	2,597	2,509	2,529	2,529	0	2,550
Other Europe	<u>216</u>	<u>234</u>	<u>240</u>	<u>250</u>	<u>230</u>	0	<u>235</u>
Former Soviet Union	1,172	1,228	1,435	1,475	1,475	0	1,480
Middle East	<u>6,535</u>	<u>6,719</u>	<u>6,717</u>	<u>7,040</u>	<u>6,757</u>	0	<u>6,867</u>
North Africa	3,459	3,504	3,566	3,591	3,591	0	3,616
Sub-Saharan Africa	<u>13,340</u>	<u>13,985</u>	<u>14,850</u>	<u>14,901</u>	<u>15,328</u>	0	<u>15,398</u>
East Asia	151,975	152,115	151,378	151,631	151,621	0	151,513
South Asia	<u>120,516</u>	<u>114,528</u>	<u>118,306</u>	<u>118,599</u>	<u>118,599</u>	0	<u>120,065</u>
Southeast Asia	88,459	89,749	91,085	91,262	91,152	0	91,846
Oceania	<u>528</u>	<u>530</u>	<u>530</u>	<u>530</u>	<u>530</u>	0	<u>530</u>
<b>ENDING STOCKS</b>							
North America	1,419	998	940	1,315	1,388	0	1,141
Latin America	<u>2,760</u>	<u>3,020</u>	<u>3,969</u>	<u>3,910</u>	<u>3,925</u>	0	<u>3,358</u>
EU-25	878	960	969	1,066	1,129	0	1,182
Other Europe	<u>10</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>50</u>	0	<u>60</u>
Former Soviet Union	339	308	191	111	113	0	73
Middle East	<u>2,020</u>	<u>1,169</u>	<u>1,115</u>	<u>1,557</u>	<u>1,552</u>	0	<u>1,692</u>
North Africa	819	720	494	444	349	0	249
Sub-Saharan Africa	<u>2,875</u>	<u>3,423</u>	<u>3,336</u>	<u>2,508</u>	<u>2,544</u>	0	<u>1,635</u>
East Asia	86,541	70,960	47,753	39,578	39,596	0	32,858
South Asia	<u>25,201</u>	<u>11,643</u>	<u>12,097</u>	<u>10,992</u>	<u>10,867</u>	0	<u>13,367</u>
Southeast Asia	16,073	16,470	14,762	12,961	12,898	0	12,628
Oceania	<u>766</u>	<u>604</u>	<u>520</u>	<u>343</u>	<u>393</u>	0	<u>285</u>

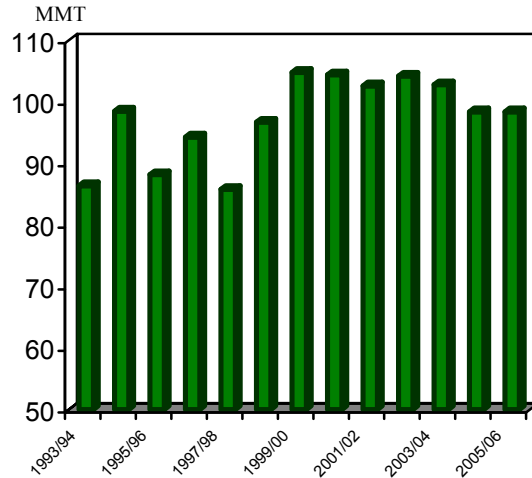
NOTES: Regional definitions appear on last page of this circular. Imports are reported on an international year basis.  
All other data are reported using marketing years.

## COARSE GRAINS: WORLD MARKETS AND TRADE

**Coarse Grain Production  
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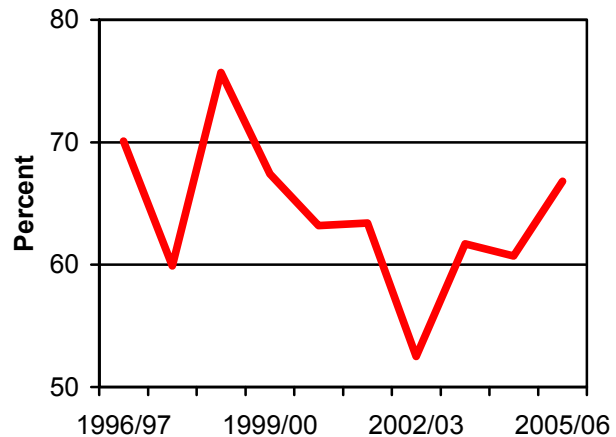
**Coarse Grain Trade Unchanged**



World coarse grain production in 2005/06 is forecast to drop more than 50 million tons from the current year's record, as yields return to more normal levels. However, ending stocks are projected to decline by only 12 million tons due to large carryin stocks and slightly lower consumption. Even so, the stocks-to-use ratio is forecast to drop to 16.8 percent, the second lowest in 29 years. World trade is forecast to remain flat.

Global **corn** production is forecast at 674 million tons, 34 million less than 2004/05, but still the second highest in history. Consumption is projected to rise slightly to 681 million tons. Robust growth in Brazil and China is mostly offset by drops in the EU-25, Russia, and Ukraine. World corn trade in 2005/06 is expected to be little changed due to stagnant demand in developed countries in East Asia and continued competition from feed quality wheat. U.S. exports are forecast to climb and market share to expand, due to reduced competition from China, Argentina, and Ukraine (see cover).

**U.S. Corn Market Share Climbs**



Global **barley** trade is projected to increase slightly, with stronger demand from Turkey and Morocco caused by smaller crop prospects. Both Canada and the EU-25 are expected to increase exports by 500,000 tons each. Canada's exports will likely recover in 2005/06 after being

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constrained by poor quality this year. The EU-25 is expected to benefit from less competition from Russia and Ukraine, because of reduced production.

Global **sorghum** trade patterns are largely unchanged year to year, led by static demand from Mexico and Japan. Sorghum must compete against huge global supplies of other feed grains.

Global **oat** trade is expected to be steady, and U.S. imports unchanged. Market share of exports, however, are likely to shift as a near record crop is expected in Canada, and a sharply lower crop is forecast for Sweden and Finland.

Global **rye** trade is expected to be down from last year, with the EU-25 accounting for the lion's share as intervention stocks are exported. Industrial consumption of rye in the EU-25 will continue to climb as more ethanol plants come on line.

## **HIGHLIGHTS FOR 2005/06**

### **Selected Exporters**

**United States corn** exports are forecast up 4.5 million tons to 50 million as a result of diminished competition. **U.S. sorghum** exports are forecast unchanged at 4.5 million tons due to static demand from the two key importers. **U.S. barley** exports are forecast down 150,000 tons to 300,000 tons due to a smaller production forecast.

**Argentine corn** exports are down 0.5 million tons to 13.5 million based on a smaller crop forecast.

**Brazil corn** exports are down 300,000 tons to 1.5 million, the smallest in 6 years, as expanding domestic use limits exportable surplus.

**China corn** exports are forecast at 3.0 million tons, down 50 percent, as domestic consumption continues to outpace production.

**Ukraine corn** exports are down 700,000 tons to 1.1 million as production recedes from this year's record.

**EU barley** exports are forecast to rebound by 0.5 million tons to 3.3 million due to less competition from the Black Sea region.

**Barley** exports from **Ukraine** and **Russia** are projected to drop by a combined 400,000 tons on account of smaller crop prospects.

**Canada** is expected to boost **barley** exports (mostly for malting) by 0.5 million tons to 1.8 million as crop quality is expected to return to normal. **Oat** exports are forecast at a 5-year high due to larger production and less EU competition.

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Another good **sorghum** crop in **Argentina** is expected to increase exports to a more normal 300,000 tons. At the same time, **Australia's** exports will be limited to 500,000 tons (down 200,000 tons) by a drop in production.

### **Selected Importers**

**Mexico corn** is forecast up 400,000 tons to 5.9 million while **sorghum** imports are expected to stay level at 3.5 million tons in light of competitive U.S corn prices.

**Brazil corn** imports are expected to plummet by 1.6 million tons to 400,000 as production recovers from this year's drought.

**Chile corn** imports are expected to increase by 300,000 tons to 1.3 million due to less production.

**South Korea corn** imports are expected to increase by 300,000 tons to 8.8 million. While domestic consumption is projected to soften, a drawdown in carryin stocks necessitates higher imports.

**Russia corn** imports are expected to double to 800,000 tons due to an expected plunge in production.

**Turkey barley** imports are forecast up 250,000 tons to 400,000 resulting from a drop in production.

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

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>EXPORTS</b>							
Argentina	9,089	13,055	10,834	14,410	14,410	0	14,010
<u>Australia</u>	<u>5,323</u>	<u>2,472</u>	<u>6,753</u>	<u>4,670</u>	<u>4,670</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,470</u>
Brazil	3,897	3,246	6,191	2,050	1,825	0	1,550
<u>Canada</u>	<u>2,443</u>	<u>1,712</u>	<u>3,472</u>	<u>3,000</u>	<u>2,800</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,550</u>
China	8,630	15,336	7,723	5,075	6,075	0	3,100
<u>South Africa</u>	<u>1,230</u>	<u>1,190</u>	<u>838</u>	<u>1,525</u>	<u>1,725</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,825</u>
Russia	2,668	3,492	1,767	1,005	1,005	0	805
<u>Ukraine</u>	<u>3,827</u>	<u>3,420</u>	<u>3,811</u>	<u>5,705</u>	<u>5,905</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,980</u>
EU-25	7,659	9,736	2,342	4,455	4,405	0	4,855
<u>Others</u>	<u>3,911</u>	<u>4,153</u>	<u>5,166</u>	<u>5,145</u>	<u>5,080</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,375</u>
Subtotal	48,677	57,812	48,897	47,040	47,900	0	43,520
United States	53,964	46,428	53,923	50,495	50,495	0	54,845
<b><u>WORLD TOTAL</u></b>	<b><u>102,641</u></b>	<b><u>104,240</u></b>	<b><u>102,820</u></b>	<b><u>97,535</u></b>	<b><u>98,395</u></b>	<b><u>0</u></b>	<b><u>98,365</u></b>
<b>IMPORTS</b>							
Algeria	2,054	1,696	1,788	1,815	1,845	0	1,925
<u>Brazil</u>	<u>437</u>	<u>817</u>	<u>814</u>	<u>1,205</u>	<u>2,305</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>555</u>
Canada	4,181	4,096	2,084	2,045	2,100	0	1,855
<u>Chile</u>	<u>1,428</u>	<u>1,110</u>	<u>1,158</u>	<u>1,115</u>	<u>1,115</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,415</u>
China	1,963	1,830	1,533	1,905	1,905	0	2,005
<u>Colombia</u>	<u>2,100</u>	<u>2,402</u>	<u>2,214</u>	<u>2,360</u>	<u>2,360</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,310</u>
Costa Rica	463	514	583	600	600	0	600
<u>Dominican Republic</u>	<u>1,038</u>	<u>906</u>	<u>824</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,100</u>
Ecuador	321	306	469	420	470	0	470
<u>Egypt</u>	<u>4,931</u>	<u>4,867</u>	<u>3,763</u>	<u>4,320</u>	<u>4,320</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,220</u>
Guatemala	584	513	493	550	550	0	600
<u>Indonesia</u>	<u>1,149</u>	<u>1,633</u>	<u>1,436</u>	<u>1,100</u>	<u>1,100</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,100</u>
Iran	1,583	2,157	2,307	2,150	2,150	0	2,200
<u>Israel</u>	<u>1,466</u>	<u>1,382</u>	<u>2,012</u>	<u>1,500</u>	<u>1,530</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,450</u>
Japan	19,945	20,321	19,982	19,985	19,985	0	19,835
<u>Jordan</u>	<u>938</u>	<u>820</u>	<u>921</u>	<u>950</u>	<u>950</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,000</u>
Korea, North	288	144	89	200	200	0	250
<u>Korea, South</u>	<u>8,848</u>	<u>8,886</u>	<u>8,992</u>	<u>8,705</u>	<u>8,655</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>9,005</u>
Libya	496	322	548	550	550	0	500
<u>Malaysia</u>	<u>2,425</u>	<u>2,408</u>	<u>2,401</u>	<u>2,400</u>	<u>2,400</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,500</u>
Mexico	9,040	8,766	8,879	9,145	9,145	0	9,545
<u>Morocco</u>	<u>1,523</u>	<u>1,212</u>	<u>1,326</u>	<u>1,305</u>	<u>1,305</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,405</u>
Peru	930	992	1,114	1,075	1,075	0	1,075
<u>Russia</u>	<u>729</u>	<u>376</u>	<u>986</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,250</u>
Saudi Arabia	7,268	8,926	7,522	7,600	7,600	0	7,600
<u>South Africa</u>	<u>983</u>	<u>750</u>	<u>643</u>	<u>275</u>	<u>350</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>275</u>
Syria	1,068	1,198	1,541	1,400	2,000	0	1,800
<u>Taiwan</u>	<u>4,874</u>	<u>4,829</u>	<u>5,114</u>	<u>4,850</u>	<u>4,850</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,750</u>
Thailand	5	7	6	10	10	0	50
<u>Tunisia</u>	<u>1,449</u>	<u>1,046</u>	<u>883</u>	<u>900</u>	<u>900</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>900</u>
Turkey	1,247	1,603	1,215	665	690	0	740
<u>Venezuela</u>	<u>515</u>	<u>675</u>	<u>688</u>	<u>600</u>	<u>600</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>650</u>
Zimbabwe	311	636	263	600	650	0	200
EU-25	5,940	6,721	7,677	3,135	3,135	0	3,135
United States	2,401	2,543	2,254	2,250	2,100	0	2,250
Subtotal	94,921	97,410	94,522	89,685	91,500	0	90,520
Other Countries	5,692	5,762	6,103	5,975	5,675	0	6,170
Unaccounted	2,028	1,068	2,195	1,875	1,220	0	1,675
<b><u>WORLD TOTAL</u></b>	<b><u>102,641</u></b>	<b><u>104,240</u></b>	<b><u>102,820</u></b>	<b><u>97,535</u></b>	<b><u>98,395</u></b>	<b><u>0</u></b>	<b><u>98,365</u></b>

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

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>PRODUCTION</b>							
Argentina	18,725	19,445	18,596	23,803	23,709	0	23,148
<u>Australia</u>	<u>12,247</u>	<u>6,652</u>	<u>14,807</u>	<u>10,955</u>	<u>10,955</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10,555</u>
Brazil	36,795	47,097	44,881	41,304	40,304	0	47,129
<u>Canada</u>	<u>22,601</u>	<u>19,892</u>	<u>26,326</u>	<u>26,503</u>	<u>26,441</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>26,500</u>
China	122,245	130,725	124,636	137,050	137,050	0	135,700
Egypt	7,080	7,070	6,810	6,840	6,840	0	7,010
India	34,682	25,660	37,810	31,990	31,990	0	33,960
<u>Indonesia</u>	<u>6,000</u>	<u>6,100</u>	<u>6,350</u>	<u>6,500</u>	<u>6,500</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>6,600</u>
Mexico	27,157	26,453	30,095	29,400	29,375	0	28,830
<u>Romania</u>	<u>8,460</u>	<u>8,365</u>	<u>7,965</u>	<u>13,805</u>	<u>13,805</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10,755</u>
Russia	35,150	33,400	30,500	29,550	29,550	0	28,600
<u>South Africa</u>	<u>10,452</u>	<u>10,126</u>	<u>10,363</u>	<u>12,042</u>	<u>12,542</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>9,993</u>
Ukraine	17,031	17,110	15,600	23,000	23,000	0	18,200
<u>EU-25</u>	<u>140,059</u>	<u>138,651</u>	<u>122,905</u>	<u>148,663</u>	<u>150,585</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>132,978</u>
Others	131,170	132,990	141,470	142,294	146,793	0	138,376
Subtotal	<u>629,854</u>	<u>629,736</u>	<u>639,114</u>	<u>683,699</u>	<u>689,439</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>658,334</u>
United States	261,723	243,719	275,098	319,454	319,454	0	296,321
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>891,577</u>	<u>873,455</u>	<u>914,212</u>	<u>1,003,153</u>	<u>1,008,893</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>954,655</u>
<b>CONSUMPTION</b>							
Argentina	7,629	7,427	7,507	8,943	8,863	0	9,263
<u>Brazil</u>	<u>36,504</u>	<u>40,235</u>	<u>41,163</u>	<u>43,569</u>	<u>43,669</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>45,109</u>
Canada	25,002	22,816	23,809	24,030	24,068	0	24,610
<u>China</u>	<u>132,875</u>	<u>136,401</u>	<u>139,201</u>	<u>143,850</u>	<u>142,350</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>144,500</u>
Egypt	12,170	11,989	10,590	11,030	11,030	0	11,230
<u>India</u>	<u>33,925</u>	<u>26,750</u>	<u>36,000</u>	<u>32,300</u>	<u>32,300</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>33,280</u>
Indonesia	7,300	7,500	7,350	7,500	7,500	0	7,600
<u>Japan</u>	<u>20,142</u>	<u>20,475</u>	<u>20,437</u>	<u>20,235</u>	<u>20,285</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>20,185</u>
Korea, South	9,350	9,151	9,144	9,570	9,520	0	9,470
<u>Malaysia</u>	<u>2,440</u>	<u>2,250</u>	<u>2,300</u>	<u>2,350</u>	<u>2,450</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,550</u>
Mexico	35,356	35,583	37,232	38,770	38,745	0	39,200
<u>Romania</u>	<u>7,905</u>	<u>8,205</u>	<u>8,355</u>	<u>10,705</u>	<u>10,805</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10,805</u>
Russia	29,050	29,850	33,250	29,450	29,450	0	29,100
<u>Saudi Arabia</u>	<u>7,232</u>	<u>7,463</u>	<u>8,835</u>	<u>7,014</u>	<u>7,014</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>7,814</u>
South Africa	9,018	9,072	9,282	9,448	9,648	0	9,598
<u>EU-25</u>	<u>134,362</u>	<u>136,086</u>	<u>135,467</u>	<u>138,855</u>	<u>139,567</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>135,594</u>
Others	178,240	176,086	189,580	191,247	195,135	0	190,853
Subtotal	<u>688,500</u>	<u>687,339</u>	<u>719,502</u>	<u>728,866</u>	<u>732,399</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>730,761</u>
United States	216,800	214,667	226,006	238,071	238,071	0	235,905
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>905,300</u>	<u>902,006</u>	<u>945,508</u>	<u>966,937</u>	<u>970,470</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>966,666</u>
<b>ENDING STOCKS</b>							
Canada	3,515	3,135	4,103	5,627	5,776	0	5,971
<u>China</u>	<u>85,551</u>	<u>66,369</u>	<u>45,614</u>	<u>34,644</u>	<u>36,144</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>26,249</u>
<u>Mexico</u>	<u>4,274</u>	<u>3,887</u>	<u>5,591</u>	<u>5,356</u>	<u>5,356</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,526</u>
Russia	6,735	7,204	2,930	3,030	3,030	0	2,975
<u>EU-25</u>	<u>21,213</u>	<u>21,503</u>	<u>12,676</u>	<u>20,011</u>	<u>22,824</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>18,488</u>
Others	29,503	34,239	36,303	38,049	39,579	0	34,403
Subtotal	<u>150,791</u>	<u>136,337</u>	<u>107,217</u>	<u>106,717</u>	<u>112,709</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>92,612</u>
United States	45,037	30,940	28,764	61,804	61,695	0	69,781
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>195,828</u>	<u>167,277</u>	<u>135,981</u>	<u>168,521</u>	<u>174,404</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>162,393</u>

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

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>IMPORTS</b>							
North America	15,622	15,405	13,217	13,440	13,345	0	13,650
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>9,386</u>	<u>9,950</u>	<u>10,389</u>	<u>10,865</u>	<u>12,060</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10,770</u>
EU-25	5,940	6,721	7,677	3,135	3,135	0	3,135
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>1,044</u>	<u>864</u>	<u>1,415</u>	<u>860</u>	<u>780</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>845</u>
Former Soviet Union	990	756	1,482	1,365	1,395	0	1,695
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>14,483</u>	<u>16,869</u>	<u>16,442</u>	<u>15,215</u>	<u>15,870</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>15,750</u>
North Africa	10,453	9,143	8,308	8,890	8,920	0	8,950
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>2,449</u>	<u>2,588</u>	<u>1,827</u>	<u>2,290</u>	<u>2,190</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,000</u>
East Asia	36,012	36,114	35,791	35,745	35,670	0	35,945
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Southeast Asia	4,199	4,606	3,987	3,785	3,740	0	3,880
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>146</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>70</u>
<b>PRODUCTION</b>							
North America	311,481	290,064	331,519	375,357	375,270	0	351,651
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>67,086</u>	<u>79,189</u>	<u>76,211</u>	<u>78,510</u>	<u>77,500</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>83,394</u>
EU-25	140,059	138,651	122,905	148,663	150,585	0	132,978
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>21,086</u>	<u>22,325</u>	<u>18,842</u>	<u>28,749</u>	<u>28,869</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>24,683</u>
Former Soviet Union	61,764	60,738	55,420	62,860	62,860	0	56,390
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>14,489</u>	<u>15,643</u>	<u>16,117</u>	<u>16,506</u>	<u>16,498</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>16,588</u>
North Africa	9,335	9,612	11,757	11,912	11,926	0	10,122
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>72,051</u>	<u>68,572</u>	<u>77,372</u>	<u>72,907</u>	<u>78,106</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>71,061</u>
East Asia	124,475	133,040	126,928	139,392	139,392	0	137,958
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>38,684</u>	<u>30,085</u>	<u>42,310</u>	<u>36,550</u>	<u>36,550</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>38,520</u>
Southeast Asia	18,200	18,264	19,404	20,172	19,762	0	20,135
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>12,867</u>	<u>7,272</u>	<u>15,427</u>	<u>11,575</u>	<u>11,575</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>11,175</u>
<b>CONSUMPTION</b>							
North America	277,158	273,066	287,047	300,871	300,884	0	299,715
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>64,031</u>	<u>68,106</u>	<u>69,980</u>	<u>74,774</u>	<u>74,899</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>77,248</u>
EU-25	134,362	136,086	135,467	138,855	139,567	0	135,594
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>20,437</u>	<u>20,969</u>	<u>20,859</u>	<u>24,700</u>	<u>24,725</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>24,589</u>
Former Soviet Union	50,770	52,795	56,614	55,075	55,100	0	53,269
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>27,852</u>	<u>28,904</u>	<u>32,626</u>	<u>30,830</u>	<u>31,235</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>32,377</u>
<u>North Africa</u>	<u>19,479</u>	<u>19,162</u>	<u>19,059</u>	<u>20,016</u>	<u>20,066</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>20,015</u>
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>72,316</u>	<u>69,453</u>	<u>76,416</u>	<u>72,508</u>	<u>76,999</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>72,756</u>
East Asia	169,377	172,756	175,672	180,555	179,030	0	180,975
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>37,931</u>	<u>31,184</u>	<u>40,532</u>	<u>36,860</u>	<u>36,860</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>37,840</u>
Southeast Asia	21,998	22,160	21,717	22,715	22,570	0	23,575
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>6,900</u>	<u>5,956</u>	<u>7,385</u>	<u>7,480</u>	<u>7,480</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>7,130</u>
<b>ENDING STOCKS</b>							
North America	52,826	37,962	38,458	72,787	72,827	0	80,278
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>3,893</u>	<u>7,636</u>	<u>7,447</u>	<u>4,183</u>	<u>5,513</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5,809</u>
EU-25	21,213	21,503	12,676	20,011	22,824	0	18,488
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>2,254</u>	<u>3,109</u>	<u>2,110</u>	<u>4,161</u>	<u>4,849</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,438</u>
Former Soviet Union	11,454	11,976	6,157	7,920	7,952	0	6,703
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>3,410</u>	<u>5,498</u>	<u>5,263</u>	<u>5,336</u>	<u>5,586</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5,279</u>
North Africa	1,166	1,019	2,005	2,857	2,835	0	1,892
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>4,235</u>	<u>4,095</u>	<u>5,624</u>	<u>6,763</u>	<u>6,503</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5,148</u>
East Asia	90,483	71,462	50,854	39,262	40,811	0	30,639
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>1,806</u>	<u>661</u>	<u>1,231</u>	<u>771</u>	<u>746</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,201</u>
Southeast Asia	1,056	1,108	2,026	2,643	2,133	0	2,048
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>2,032</u>	<u>1,248</u>	<u>2,130</u>	<u>1,827</u>	<u>1,825</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,470</u>

NOTES: Regional definitions 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**

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>EXPORTS</b>							
Argentina	8,581	12,349	10,439	14,000	14,000	0	13,500
Brazil	<u>3,857</u>	<u>3,181</u>	<u>5,818</u>	<u>2,000</u>	<u>1,800</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,500</u>
Canada	211	306	367	150	150	0	200
China	<u>8,611</u>	<u>15,244</u>	<u>7,553</u>	<u>5,000</u>	<u>6,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,000</u>
Paraguay	262	516	548	600	600	0	400
Romania	135	144	93	1,000	800	0	1,000
South Africa	1,182	1,141	797	1,500	1,700	0	1,800
Thailand	184	137	726	700	500	0	250
Ukraine	349	811	1,238	1,800	1,800	0	1,100
EU-25	<u>2,849</u>	<u>1,995</u>	<u>459</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>600</u>
Others	1,012	1,265	2,144	1,345	1,605	0	1,400
Subtotal	27,233	37,089	30,182	28,595	29,455	0	24,750
United States	47,271	40,924	48,645	45,500	45,500	0	50,000
<b>WORLD TOTAL</b>	<b><u>74,504</u></b>	<b><u>78,013</u></b>	<b><u>78,827</u></b>	<b><u>74,095</u></b>	<b><u>74,955</u></b>	<b><u>0</u></b>	<b><u>74,750</u></b>
<b>IMPORTS</b>							
Algeria	1,537	1,643	1,765	1,800	1,800	0	1,900
Brazil	<u>297</u>	<u>521</u>	<u>677</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>2,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>400</u>
Canada	4,022	3,846	2,039	2,000	2,000	0	1,800
Chile	<u>1,278</u>	<u>933</u>	<u>1,043</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,300</u>
China	39	29	2	100	100	0	200
Colombia	<u>1,911</u>	<u>2,112</u>	<u>1,999</u>	<u>2,100</u>	<u>2,100</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,100</u>
Costa Rica	463	514	583	600	600	0	600
Cuba	<u>292</u>	<u>279</u>	<u>469</u>	<u>450</u>	<u>450</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>500</u>
Dominican Republic	1,038	906	824	1,000	1,000	0	1,100
Ecuador	<u>309</u>	<u>304</u>	<u>457</u>	<u>400</u>	<u>450</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>450</u>
Egypt	4,905	4,848	3,743	4,300	4,300	0	4,200
El Salvador	<u>287</u>	<u>394</u>	<u>476</u>	<u>450</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>500</u>
Guatemala	584	513	493	550	550	0	600
Indonesia	<u>1,149</u>	<u>1,633</u>	<u>1,436</u>	<u>1,100</u>	<u>1,100</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,100</u>
Iran	1,261	2,157	1,857	1,900	1,900	0	1,900
Israel	<u>1,021</u>	<u>776</u>	<u>1,377</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>900</u>
Japan	16,395	16,863	16,781	16,800	16,800	0	16,700
Jordan	<u>439</u>	<u>406</u>	<u>371</u>	<u>450</u>	<u>450</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>450</u>
Korea, North	288	144	89	200	200	0	250
Korea, South	<u>8,621</u>	<u>8,786</u>	<u>8,783</u>	<u>8,500</u>	<u>8,500</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>8,800</u>
Malaysia	2,425	2,408	2,401	2,400	2,400	0	2,500
Mexico	<u>4,076</u>	<u>5,269</u>	<u>5,707</u>	<u>5,500</u>	<u>5,500</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5,900</u>
Morocco	829	1,054	1,183	1,200	1,200	0	1,200
Peru	<u>858</u>	<u>917</u>	<u>1,041</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,000</u>
Philippines	263	68	52	50	50	0	50
Russia	<u>534</u>	<u>99</u>	<u>496</u>	<u>400</u>	<u>400</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>800</u>
Saudi Arabia	1,268	1,424	1,621	1,600	1,600	0	1,600
South Africa	<u>726</u>	<u>617</u>	<u>495</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>175</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>100</u>
Syria	892	919	941	1,100	1,300	0	1,300
Taiwan	<u>4,661</u>	<u>4,681</u>	<u>4,951</u>	<u>4,700</u>	<u>4,700</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,600</u>
Tunisia	793	734	784	800	800	0	800
Turkey	<u>1,193</u>	<u>1,475</u>	<u>1,023</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>300</u>
Venezuela	515	675	687	600	600	0	650
Vietnam	263	344	36	100	100	0	100
Zimbabwe	311	625	233	600	650	0	200
EU-25	<u>3,801</u>	<u>4,327</u>	<u>5,752</u>	<u>2,500</u>	<u>2,500</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,500</u>
United States	202	374	341	200	200	0	250
Subtotal	69,746	73,617	73,008	69,050	70,475	0	69,600
Other Countries	3,715	3,552	3,981	4,040	3,695	0	4,170
Unaccounted	1,043	844	1,838	1,005	785	0	980
<b>WORLD TOTAL</b>	<b><u>74,504</u></b>	<b><u>78,013</u></b>	<b><u>78,827</u></b>	<b><u>74,095</u></b>	<b><u>74,955</u></b>	<b><u>0</u></b>	<b><u>74,750</u></b>

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

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>PRODUCTION</b>							
Argentina	14,700	15,500	15,000	19,500	19,500	0	19,000
Brazil	<u>35,501</u>	<u>44,500</u>	<u>42,000</u>	<u>38,500</u>	<u>37,500</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>44,000</u>
Canada	8,389	8,999	9,600	8,836	8,836	0	8,900
China	<u>114,088</u>	<u>121,300</u>	<u>115,830</u>	<u>128,000</u>	<u>128,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>127,000</u>
Egypt	6,160	6,000	5,740	5,780	5,780	0	5,950
India	<u>13,510</u>	<u>11,100</u>	<u>14,720</u>	<u>13,600</u>	<u>13,600</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>14,500</u>
Indonesia	6,000	6,100	6,350	6,500	6,500	0	6,600
Mexico	<u>20,400</u>	<u>19,280</u>	<u>21,800</u>	<u>22,000</u>	<u>22,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>21,600</u>
Nigeria	5,000	5,200	5,500	5,200	6,500	0	5,500
Philippines	<u>4,505</u>	<u>4,430</u>	<u>4,845</u>	<u>5,300</u>	<u>5,100</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5,250</u>
Romania	7,000	7,300	7,020	12,000	12,000	0	9,000
Serbia and Montenegro	5,400	5,585	3,800	6,274	6,274	0	5,900
South Africa	10,050	9,675	9,700	11,500	12,000	0	<u>9,500</u>
Thailand	<u>4,500</u>	<u>4,250</u>	<u>4,100</u>	<u>4,210</u>	<u>4,000</u>	<u>0</u>	4,140
Turkey	2,000	2,100	2,800	3,000	3,000	0	<u>3,500</u>
Ukraine	<u>3,641</u>	<u>4,180</u>	<u>6,850</u>	<u>8,800</u>	<u>8,800</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>6,500</u>
EU-25	50,142	49,360	39,861	53,125	53,350	0	47,865
Others	<u>46,696</u>	<u>49,133</u>	<u>52,002</u>	<u>53,820</u>	<u>55,576</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>50,538</u>
Subtotal	357,682	373,992	367,518	405,945	408,316	0	395,243
United States	241,377	227,767	256,278	299,917	299,917	0	279,032
<b>WORLD TOTAL</b>	<b><u>599,059</u></b>	<b><u>601,759</u></b>	<b><u>623,796</u></b>	<b><u>705,862</u></b>	<b><u>708,233</u></b>	<b><u>0</u></b>	<b><u>674,275</u></b>
<b>CONSUMPTION</b>							
Brazil	35,000	37,500	38,600	40,600	40,600	0	41,900
Canada	<u>11,965</u>	<u>12,576</u>	<u>11,238</u>	<u>10,700</u>	<u>10,600</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10,600</u>
China	123,100	125,900	128,400	133,000	131,500	0	134,000
Egypt	<u>11,200</u>	<u>10,900</u>	<u>9,500</u>	<u>9,950</u>	<u>9,950</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10,150</u>
India	<u>13,050</u>	<u>12,000</u>	<u>13,200</u>	<u>13,600</u>	<u>13,600</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>13,800</u>
Indonesia	<u>7,300</u>	<u>7,500</u>	<u>7,350</u>	<u>7,500</u>	<u>7,500</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>7,600</u>
Japan	16,300	16,800	16,900	16,800	16,800	0	16,750
Korea, South	<u>8,735</u>	<u>8,746</u>	<u>8,710</u>	<u>9,100</u>	<u>9,100</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>9,000</u>
Malaysia	2,440	2,250	2,300	2,350	2,450	0	2,550
Mexico	<u>23,600</u>	<u>24,700</u>	<u>26,400</u>	<u>27,400</u>	<u>27,400</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>28,100</u>
Nigeria	5,030	5,200	5,500	5,250	5,900	0	5,800
Romania	<u>6,800</u>	<u>7,200</u>	<u>7,300</u>	<u>9,300</u>	<u>9,400</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>9,400</u>
Serbia and Montenegro	4,850	4,850	4,450	5,300	5,300	0	5,300
South Africa	<u>8,446</u>	<u>8,520</u>	<u>8,700</u>	<u>8,750</u>	<u>8,950</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>8,900</u>
EU-25	50,508	49,526	46,814	52,700	52,500	0	51,100
Others	<u>93,407</u>	<u>92,353</u>	<u>100,179</u>	<u>104,312</u>	<u>105,601</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>104,425</u>
Subtotal	421,731	426,521	435,541	456,612	457,151	0	459,375
United States	200,941	200,748	211,723	222,515	222,515	0	221,498
<b>WORLD TOTAL</b>	<b><u>622,672</u></b>	<b><u>627,269</u></b>	<b><u>647,264</u></b>	<b><u>679,127</u></b>	<b><u>679,666</u></b>	<b><u>0</u></b>	<b><u>680,873</u></b>
<b>ENDING STOCKS</b>							
Brazil	1,637	4,798	4,108	591	1,708	0	2,208
China	<u>84,788</u>	<u>64,973</u>	<u>44,852</u>	<u>33,952</u>	<u>35,452</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>25,652</u>
Japan	1,393	1,457	1,339	1,340	1,340	0	1,291
Mexico	<u>3,396</u>	<u>3,238</u>	<u>4,340</u>	<u>4,430</u>	<u>4,430</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,825</u>
South Africa	1,943	2,443	2,943	4,343	4,143	0	3,343
EU-25	<u>2,660</u>	<u>4,826</u>	<u>3,166</u>	<u>5,782</u>	<u>6,016</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,681</u>
Others	12,739	14,259	15,044	17,969	19,336	0	16,571
Subtotal	108,556	95,994	75,792	68,407	72,425	0	57,571
United States	40,551	27,603	24,337	56,271	56,271	0	64,527
<b>WORLD TOTAL</b>	<b><u>149,107</u></b>	<b><u>123,597</u></b>	<b><u>100,129</u></b>	<b><u>124,678</u></b>	<b><u>128,696</u></b>	<b><u>0</u></b>	<b><u>122,098</u></b>

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

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>IMPORTS</b>							
North America	8,300	9,489	8,087	7,700	7,700	0	7,950
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>8,698</u>	<u>9,000</u>	<u>9,819</u>	<u>10,180</u>	<u>11,275</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10,175</u>
EU-25	3,801	4,327	5,752	2,500	2,500	0	2,500
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>630</u>	<u>509</u>	<u>927</u>	<u>425</u>	<u>345</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>460</u>
Former Soviet Union	666	179	677	580	610	0	1,010
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>6,708</u>	<u>7,668</u>	<u>7,901</u>	<u>7,250</u>	<u>7,450</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>7,150</u>
North Africa	8,299	8,413	7,673	8,300	8,300	0	8,300
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>2,042</u>	<u>2,285</u>	<u>1,464</u>	<u>1,975</u>	<u>1,865</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,685</u>
East Asia	30,098	30,607	30,687	30,400	30,375	0	30,650
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Southeast Asia	4,195	4,601	3,962	3,760	3,730	0	3,870
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>84</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>20</u>
<b>PRODUCTION</b>							
North America	270,166	256,046	287,678	330,753	330,753	0	309,532
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>59,700</u>	<u>70,533</u>	<u>67,496</u>	<u>69,032</u>	<u>68,116</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>73,832</u>
EU-25	50,142	49,360	39,861	53,125	53,350	0	47,865
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>16,542</u>	<u>17,767</u>	<u>15,130</u>	<u>23,394</u>	<u>23,444</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>19,720</u>
Former Soviet Union	6,809	8,543	11,535	15,300	15,300	0	11,050
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>2,707</u>	<u>2,983</u>	<u>3,682</u>	<u>3,932</u>	<u>3,932</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,432</u>
North Africa	6,362	6,202	5,942	5,982	5,982	0	6,152
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>35,938</u>	<u>34,579</u>	<u>37,274</u>	<u>37,408</u>	<u>40,830</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>34,971</u>
East Asia	115,706	123,074	117,679	129,859	129,859	0	128,781
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>16,490</u>	<u>14,245</u>	<u>17,875</u>	<u>16,720</u>	<u>16,720</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>17,620</u>
Southeast Asia	17,895	17,972	19,107	19,812	19,402	0	19,775
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>602</u>	<u>455</u>	<u>537</u>	<u>545</u>	<u>545</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>545</u>
<b>CONSUMPTION</b>							
North America	236,506	238,024	249,361	260,615	260,515	0	260,198
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>56,514</u>	<u>59,391</u>	<u>61,854</u>	<u>65,265</u>	<u>65,370</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>67,530</u>
EU-25	50,508	49,526	46,814	52,700	52,500	0	51,100
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>16,214</u>	<u>16,709</u>	<u>16,674</u>	<u>19,770</u>	<u>19,725</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>19,850</u>
Former Soviet Union	7,042	7,916	11,049	13,010	13,035	0	11,580
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>9,348</u>	<u>9,692</u>	<u>11,608</u>	<u>11,356</u>	<u>11,456</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>11,706</u>
North Africa	14,935	14,334	13,598	14,200	14,200	0	14,500
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>36,460</u>	<u>34,644</u>	<u>37,009</u>	<u>36,638</u>	<u>38,617</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>36,596</u>
East Asia	154,913	158,011	160,723	165,630	164,105	0	166,400
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>16,031</u>	<u>15,151</u>	<u>16,387</u>	<u>16,720</u>	<u>16,720</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>16,920</u>
Southeast Asia	21,704	21,896	21,414	22,380	22,250	0	23,230
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>555</u>	<u>460</u>	<u>545</u>	<u>545</u>	<u>545</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>545</u>
<b>ENDING STOCKS</b>							
North America	45,003	31,952	29,820	61,830	61,930	0	69,481
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>2,995</u>	<u>6,740</u>	<u>6,138</u>	<u>2,798</u>	<u>4,119</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,556</u>
EU-25	2,660	4,826	3,166	5,782	6,016	0	4,681
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>1,755</u>	<u>2,584</u>	<u>1,608</u>	<u>3,599</u>	<u>4,287</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,917</u>
Former Soviet Union	1,557	1,532	1,349	2,391	2,424	0	1,779
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>636</u>	<u>1,615</u>	<u>1,524</u>	<u>1,350</u>	<u>1,440</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,306</u>
North Africa	344	338	505	637	637	0	589
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>3,156</u>	<u>3,552</u>	<u>4,172</u>	<u>5,470</u>	<u>5,935</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,435</u>
East Asia	88,778	69,121	49,279	37,809	39,408	0	29,439
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>1,162</u>	<u>213</u>	<u>533</u>	<u>383</u>	<u>383</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>883</u>
Southeast Asia	1,050	1,100	2,021	2,613	2,103	0	2,018
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>14</u>

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

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

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>EXPORTS</b>							
Argentina	91	101	167	200	200	0	200
<u>Australia</u>	<u>4,590</u>	<u>2,159</u>	<u>6,105</u>	<u>3,800</u>	<u>3,800</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,800</u>
Canada	1,126	304	1,935	1,500	1,300	0	1,800
<u>Kazakhstan</u>	<u>393</u>	<u>542</u>	<u>700</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>200</u>
Russia	2,664	3,066	1,736	1,000	1,000	0	800
<u>Turkey</u>	<u>501</u>	<u>504</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Ukraine	3,134	2,334	2,557	3,800	4,000	0	3,800
<u>EU-25</u>	<u>3,236</u>	<u>6,307</u>	<u>984</u>	<u>2,800</u>	<u>2,800</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,300</u>
Other Europe	845	253	20	800	800	0	650
<u>Others</u>	<u>492</u>	<u>629</u>	<u>722</u>	<u>400</u>	<u>450</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>300</u>
Subtotal	17,072	16,199	14,926	14,400	14,450	0	14,850
United States	517	552	357	450	450	0	300
<b><u>WORLD TOTAL</u></b>	<b><u>17,589</u></b>	<b><u>16,751</u></b>	<b><u>15,283</u></b>	<b><u>14,850</u></b>	<b><u>14,900</u></b>	<b><u>0</u></b>	<b><u>15,150</u></b>
<b>IMPORTS</b>							
Algeria	512	46	22	10	40	0	20
<u>Brazil</u>	<u>121</u>	<u>296</u>	<u>128</u>	<u>200</u>	<u>200</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>150</u>
China	1,913	1,792	1,519	1,800	1,800	0	1,800
<u>Colombia</u>	<u>182</u>	<u>226</u>	<u>181</u>	<u>250</u>	<u>250</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>200</u>
Iran	322	0	450	250	250	0	300
<u>Israel</u>	<u>387</u>	<u>448</u>	<u>508</u>	<u>450</u>	<u>450</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>450</u>
Japan	1,358	1,399	1,359	1,350	1,350	0	1,300
<u>Jordan</u>	<u>499</u>	<u>414</u>	<u>550</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>550</u>
Korea, South	102	65	67	100	100	0	100
<u>Kuwait</u>	<u>69</u>	<u>116</u>	<u>62</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>100</u>
Libya	261	188	350	350	350	0	300
Mexico	66	31	41	75	75	0	75
Morocco	689	156	143	100	100	0	200
Russia	192	275	475	400	400	0	400
Saudi Arabia	6,000	7,502	5,900	6,000	6,000	0	6,000
<u>South Africa</u>	<u>167</u>	<u>87</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>150</u>	<u>150</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>150</u>
Syria	176	279	600	300	700	0	500
<u>Taiwan</u>	<u>172</u>	<u>84</u>	<u>102</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>100</u>
Tunisia	656	312	99	100	100	0	100
<u>Turkey</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>85</u>	<u>171</u>	<u>150</u>	<u>150</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>400</u>
UAE	156	109	101	100	100	0	100
<u>Ukraine</u>	<u>95</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>80</u>
EU-25	1,665	1,443	700	350	350	0	350
Other Europe	288	266	393	320	320	0	280
United States	538	282	498	400	250	0	350
Subtotal	16,615	15,919	14,557	13,955	14,235	0	14,355
Other Countries	485	616	518	400	455	0	460
Unaccounted	489	216	208	495	210	0	335
<b><u>WORLD TOTAL</u></b>	<b><u>17,589</u></b>	<b><u>16,751</u></b>	<b><u>15,283</u></b>	<b><u>14,850</u></b>	<b><u>14,900</u></b>	<b><u>0</u></b>	<b><u>15,150</u></b>

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

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>PRODUCTION</b>							
Algeria	574	416	1,220	1,300	1,314	0	1,000
<u>Australia</u>	<u>8,280</u>	<u>3,865</u>	<u>10,287</u>	<u>7,000</u>	<u>7,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>7,000</u>
Canada	10,846	7,489	12,328	13,186	13,186	0	12,500
<u>China</u>	<u>2,893</u>	<u>3,322</u>	<u>3,400</u>	<u>3,250</u>	<u>3,250</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,100</u>
Iran	1,500	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	0	2,000
<u>Iraq</u>	<u>550</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>1,150</u>	<u>1,250</u>	<u>1,250</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,250</u>
Japan	206	217	199	196	196	0	190
<u>Kazakhstan</u>	<u>2,200</u>	<u>2,200</u>	<u>2,100</u>	<u>1,500</u>	<u>1,500</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,900</u>
Morocco	1,155	1,669	2,620	2,760	2,760	0	1,100
<u>Russia</u>	<u>19,500</u>	<u>18,700</u>	<u>18,000</u>	<u>17,200</u>	<u>17,200</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>17,000</u>
Syria	1,300	920	1,100	900	900	0	800
<u>Turkey</u>	<u>6,900</u>	<u>7,200</u>	<u>6,900</u>	<u>7,100</u>	<u>7,100</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>6,800</u>
Ukraine	10,186	10,364	6,850	11,100	11,100	0	9,000
<u>EU-25</u>	<u>56,962</u>	<u>56,509</u>	<u>54,773</u>	<u>61,670</u>	<u>61,748</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>54,257</u>
Other Europe	3,324	3,266	2,460	4,080	4,150	0	3,680
<u>Others</u>	<u>9,710</u>	<u>9,819</u>	<u>11,104</u>	<u>11,821</u>	<u>11,945</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>11,202</u>
Subtotal	136,086	128,956	136,491	146,313	146,599	0	132,779
United States	5,407	4,940	6,059	6,080	6,080	0	4,899
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>141,493</u>	<u>133,896</u>	<u>142,550</u>	<u>152,393</u>	<u>152,679</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>137,678</u>
<b>CONSUMPTION</b>							
Algeria	650	750	900	1,050	1,100	0	1,100
<u>Australia</u>	<u>2,800</u>	<u>2,700</u>	<u>3,050</u>	<u>3,650</u>	<u>3,650</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,500</u>
Canada	10,268	7,905	9,893	10,500	10,700	0	10,800
<u>China</u>	<u>4,500</u>	<u>4,900</u>	<u>5,250</u>	<u>5,150</u>	<u>5,150</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,900</u>
Iran	2,100	2,100	2,200	2,400	2,400	0	2,397
<u>Japan</u>	<u>1,650</u>	<u>1,600</u>	<u>1,630</u>	<u>1,600</u>	<u>1,600</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,600</u>
Kazakhstan	1,650	1,900	1,950	1,550	1,550	0	1,700
<u>Mexico</u>	<u>850</u>	<u>850</u>	<u>850</u>	<u>900</u>	<u>900</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>950</u>
Morocco	1,750	2,000	2,300	2,500	2,500	0	2,100
<u>Russia</u>	<u>14,250</u>	<u>15,500</u>	<u>18,600</u>	<u>16,500</u>	<u>16,500</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>16,500</u>
Saudi Arabia	5,710	5,810	7,010	5,210	5,210	0	6,010
<u>Syria</u>	<u>1,150</u>	<u>1,100</u>	<u>1,250</u>	<u>1,100</u>	<u>1,350</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,400</u>
Turkey	6,600	6,800	7,100	7,200	7,200	0	7,200
<u>Ukraine</u>	<u>7,000</u>	<u>7,400</u>	<u>6,000</u>	<u>6,400</u>	<u>6,400</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5,700</u>
<u>EU-25</u>	<u>53,871</u>	<u>54,400</u>	<u>56,877</u>	<u>53,900</u>	<u>52,900</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>52,500</u>
Other Europe	2,845	2,890	2,815	3,535	3,605	0	3,345
<u>Others</u>	<u>12,545</u>	<u>11,895</u>	<u>14,363</u>	<u>15,270</u>	<u>14,590</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>14,537</u>
Subtotal	130,189	130,500	142,038	138,415	137,305	0	136,239
United States	5,661	5,179	4,991	5,660	5,660	0	5,226
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>135,850</u>	<u>135,679</u>	<u>147,029</u>	<u>144,075</u>	<u>142,965</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>141,465</u>
<b>ENDING STOCKS</b>							
Australia	1,767	948	1,787	1,337	1,337	0	1,037
<u>Canada</u>	<u>2,047</u>	<u>1,475</u>	<u>2,102</u>	<u>3,314</u>	<u>3,363</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,293</u>
Russia	4,387	4,706	2,227	2,327	2,327	0	2,427
<u>Turkey</u>	<u>753</u>	<u>673</u>	<u>679</u>	<u>679</u>	<u>679</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>679</u>
Ukraine	1,324	1,424	796	1,346	1,246	0	826
<u>EU-25</u>	<u>9,867</u>	<u>8,488</u>	<u>4,318</u>	<u>9,296</u>	<u>11,116</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>9,923</u>
<u>Others</u>	<u>6,247</u>	<u>7,391</u>	<u>7,608</u>	<u>8,634</u>	<u>8,852</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>7,275</u>
Subtotal	26,392	25,105	19,517	26,933	28,920	0	25,460
United States	2,006	1,510	2,619	3,039	2,930	0	2,603
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>28,398</u>	<u>26,615</u>	<u>22,136</u>	<u>29,972</u>	<u>31,850</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>28,063</u>

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

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>IMPORTS</b>							
North America	723	512	566	495	400	0	455
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>560</u>	<u>772</u>	<u>450</u>	<u>600</u>	<u>600</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>510</u>
EU-25	1,665	1,443	700	350	350	0	350
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>288</u>	<u>266</u>	<u>393</u>	<u>320</u>	<u>320</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>280</u>
Former Soviet Union	306	333	743	560	560	0	620
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>7,692</u>	<u>8,999</u>	<u>8,392</u>	<u>7,900</u>	<u>8,300</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>8,460</u>
North Africa	2,144	721	634	580	610	0	640
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>167</u>	<u>97</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>150</u>	<u>150</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>150</u>
East Asia	3,545	3,340	3,047	3,350	3,350	0	3,300
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Southeast Asia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>50</u>
<b>PRODUCTION</b>							
North America	17,020	13,199	19,287	20,166	20,166	0	18,299
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>1,251</u>	<u>1,399</u>	<u>2,039</u>	<u>2,052</u>	<u>2,038</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,935</u>
EU-25	56,962	56,509	54,773	61,670	61,748	0	54,257
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>3,324</u>	<u>3,266</u>	<u>2,460</u>	<u>4,080</u>	<u>4,150</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,680</u>
Former Soviet Union	34,721	34,091	29,675	33,160	33,160	0	30,810
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>10,433</u>	<u>11,353</u>	<u>11,216</u>	<u>11,350</u>	<u>11,342</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10,932</u>
North Africa	2,134	2,430	4,795	4,905	4,919	0	2,945
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>1,752</u>	<u>1,485</u>	<u>1,764</u>	<u>1,729</u>	<u>1,875</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,695</u>
East Asia	3,482	3,839	3,819	3,706	3,706	0	3,550
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>1,734</u>	<u>2,060</u>	<u>2,035</u>	<u>2,175</u>	<u>2,175</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,175</u>
Southeast Asia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>8,680</u>	<u>4,265</u>	<u>10,687</u>	<u>7,400</u>	<u>7,400</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>7,400</u>
<b>CONSUMPTION</b>							
North America	16,779	13,934	15,734	17,060	17,260	0	16,976
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>1,729</u>	<u>1,900</u>	<u>2,098</u>	<u>2,350</u>	<u>2,350</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,350</u>
EU-25	53,871	54,400	56,877	53,900	52,900	0	52,500
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>2,845</u>	<u>2,890</u>	<u>2,815</u>	<u>3,535</u>	<u>3,605</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,345</u>
Former Soviet Union	25,460	27,635	29,350	27,750	27,750	0	27,184
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>17,061</u>	<u>17,745</u>	<u>19,625</u>	<u>18,185</u>	<u>18,435</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>19,302</u>
North Africa	3,695	3,839	4,440	4,780	4,830	0	4,480
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>1,895</u>	<u>1,612</u>	<u>1,824</u>	<u>1,890</u>	<u>2,036</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,875</u>
East Asia	6,807	6,949	7,269	7,210	7,210	0	6,960
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>1,730</u>	<u>2,063</u>	<u>2,025</u>	<u>2,165</u>	<u>2,165</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,195</u>
Southeast Asia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>3,250</u>	<u>3,150</u>	<u>3,500</u>	<u>4,100</u>	<u>4,100</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,950</u>
<b>ENDING STOCKS</b>							
North America	4,149	3,030	4,842	6,549	6,489	0	6,117
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>179</u>	<u>317</u>	<u>564</u>	<u>671</u>	<u>647</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>537</u>
EU-25	9,867	8,488	4,318	9,296	11,116	0	9,923
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>449</u>	<u>457</u>	<u>448</u>	<u>513</u>	<u>513</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>478</u>
Former Soviet Union	7,232	7,445	3,927	4,548	4,547	0	3,993
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>2,744</u>	<u>3,840</u>	<u>3,696</u>	<u>3,938</u>	<u>4,103</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,935</u>
North Africa	781	640	1,459	2,180	2,158	0	1,263
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2</u>
East Asia	1,162	1,388	983	829	829	0	719
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>24</u>
Southeast Asia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>1,802</u>	<u>983</u>	<u>1,822</u>	<u>1,372</u>	<u>1,372</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,072</u>

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**WORLD SORGHUM TRADE  
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	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>EXPORTS</b>							
Argentina	409	604	228	200	200	0	300
<u>Australia</u>	<u>515</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>425</u>	<u>700</u>	<u>700</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>500</u>
Brazil	11	64	371	50	25	0	50
<u>China</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>88</u>	<u>168</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>100</u>
South Africa	48	49	41	25	25	0	25
<u>Sudan</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>25</u>
Others	114	111	118	80	105	0	105
Subtotal	1,121	1,001	1,361	1,155	1,155	0	1,105
United States	6,135	4,911	4,882	4,500	4,500	0	4,500
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>7,256</u>	<u>5,912</u>	<u>6,243</u>	<u>5,655</u>	<u>5,655</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5,605</u>
<b>IMPORTS</b>							
Brazil	4	0	9	0	100	0	0
<u>Chile</u>	<u>71</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>62</u>	<u>65</u>	<u>65</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>65</u>
Israel	26	69	104	50	50	0	50
<u>Japan</u>	<u>1,776</u>	<u>1,562</u>	<u>1,434</u>	<u>1,400</u>	<u>1,400</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,400</u>
Mexico	4,837	3,384	3,026	3,500	3,500	0	3,500
<u>South Africa</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Sudan	25	15	15	25	25	0	25
<u>Taiwan</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>50</u>
EU-25	41	439	1,172	225	225	0	225
Subtotal	6,887	5,618	5,900	5,315	5,415	0	5,315
Other Countries	167	258	314	180	175	0	165
Unaccounted	202	36	29	160	65	0	125
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>7,256</u>	<u>5,912</u>	<u>6,243</u>	<u>5,655</u>	<u>5,655</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5,605</u>

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

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>PRODUCTION</b>							
Argentina	2,750	2,800	2,200	2,900	2,900	0	2,900
<u>Australia</u>	<u>2,021</u>	<u>1,465</u>	<u>2,108</u>	<u>2,400</u>	<u>2,400</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,000</u>
Brazil	773	1,900	2,103	2,022	2,022	0	2,300
<u>Burkina</u>	<u>1,200</u>	<u>1,260</u>	<u>1,520</u>	<u>1,300</u>	<u>1,300</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,300</u>
China	2,697	3,327	2,865	3,000	3,000	0	2,800
Egypt	750	900	900	900	900	0	900
Ethiopia	1,830	1,100	1,700	1,400	2,150	0	1,400
<u>India</u>	<u>8,390</u>	<u>7,060</u>	<u>7,330</u>	<u>7,530</u>	<u>7,530</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>8,000</u>
Mexico	5,900	6,338	7,300	6,400	6,400	0	6,250
<u>Niger</u>	<u>650</u>	<u>700</u>	<u>720</u>	<u>575</u>	<u>600</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>600</u>
Nigeria	7,800	7,850	9,000	8,050	10,000	0	9,000
<u>Sudan</u>	<u>4,470</u>	<u>2,930</u>	<u>5,190</u>	<u>4,350</u>	<u>2,600</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,575</u>
Tanzania; United Republic of	550	835	580	650	700	0	550
<u>EU-25</u>	<u>653</u>	<u>701</u>	<u>380</u>	<u>478</u>	<u>478</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>590</u>
Others	4,442	4,223	4,629	4,468	4,516	0	4,542
Subtotal	44,876	43,389	48,525	46,423	47,496	0	46,707
United States	13,057	9,163	10,446	11,555	11,555	0	10,287
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>57,933</u>	<u>52,552</u>	<u>58,971</u>	<u>57,978</u>	<u>59,051</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>56,994</u>
<b>CONSUMPTION</b>							
Argentina	2,300	2,250	1,950	2,600	2,600	0	2,700
<u>Australia</u>	<u>1,655</u>	<u>1,405</u>	<u>1,505</u>	<u>1,755</u>	<u>1,755</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,555</u>
Brazil	800	1,850	1,650	2,000	2,100	0	2,200
<u>Burkina</u>	<u>1,200</u>	<u>1,260</u>	<u>1,520</u>	<u>1,300</u>	<u>1,300</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,300</u>
China	2,700	2,825	3,000	2,900	2,900	0	2,800
Egypt	750	900	900	900	900	0	900
Ethiopia	1,830	1,105	1,700	1,400	2,150	0	1,400
<u>India</u>	<u>8,300</u>	<u>7,150</u>	<u>7,350</u>	<u>7,450</u>	<u>7,450</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>7,900</u>
Japan	1,775	1,575	1,500	1,400	1,450	0	1,400
<u>Mexico</u>	<u>10,750</u>	<u>9,900</u>	<u>9,800</u>	<u>10,300</u>	<u>10,300</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10,000</u>
Niger	675	725	750	645	650	0	650
<u>Nigeria</u>	<u>7,750</u>	<u>7,800</u>	<u>8,950</u>	<u>8,000</u>	<u>9,950</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>8,950</u>
Sudan	4,000	3,500	4,500	4,500	3,500	0	3,400
<u>Others</u>	<u>5,985</u>	<u>6,289</u>	<u>7,413</u>	<u>6,044</u>	<u>6,040</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>6,335</u>
Subtotal	50,470	48,534	52,488	51,194	53,045	0	51,490
United States	6,427	4,939	5,594	6,274	6,274	0	5,664
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>56,897</u>	<u>53,473</u>	<u>58,082</u>	<u>57,468</u>	<u>59,319</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>57,154</u>
<b>ENDING STOCKS</b>							
Argentina	458	370	429	421	429	0	329
<u>Japan</u>	<u>291</u>	<u>278</u>	<u>212</u>	<u>212</u>	<u>162</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>162</u>
Mexico	779	601	1,127	727	727	0	477
<u>Others</u>	<u>1,707</u>	<u>1,521</u>	<u>2,132</u>	<u>2,176</u>	<u>1,478</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,617</u>
Subtotal	3,235	2,770	3,900	3,536	2,796	0	2,585
United States	1,549	1,093	852	1,688	1,688	0	1,739
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>4,784</u>	<u>3,863</u>	<u>4,752</u>	<u>5,224</u>	<u>4,484</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,324</u>



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

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>IMPORTS</b>							
North America	4,837	3,385	3,026	3,500	3,500	0	3,500
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>78</u>	<u>122</u>	<u>104</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>170</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>70</u>
EU-25	41	439	1,172	225	225	0	225
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>25</u>
Former Soviet Union	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>105</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>50</u>
North Africa	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>216</u>	<u>187</u>	<u>232</u>	<u>140</u>	<u>150</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>140</u>
East Asia	1,824	1,632	1,526	1,460	1,460	0	1,460
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Southeast Asia	4	5	25	25	10	0	10
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>PRODUCTION</b>							
North America	18,957	15,501	17,746	17,955	17,955	0	16,537
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>4,630</u>	<u>5,809</u>	<u>5,387</u>	<u>6,035</u>	<u>6,035</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>6,328</u>
EU-25	653	701	380	478	478	0	590
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5</u>
Former Soviet Union	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>655</u>	<u>553</u>	<u>485</u>	<u>485</u>	<u>485</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>485</u>
North Africa	765	915	915	915	915	0	915
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>18,767</u>	<u>16,836</u>	<u>21,365</u>	<u>18,724</u>	<u>19,797</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>18,883</u>
East Asia	2,715	3,345	2,883	3,021	3,021	0	2,821
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>8,620</u>	<u>7,290</u>	<u>7,560</u>	<u>7,760</u>	<u>7,760</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>8,230</u>
Southeast Asia	145	132	137	200	200	0	200
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>2,021</u>	<u>1,465</u>	<u>2,108</u>	<u>2,400</u>	<u>2,400</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,000</u>
<b>CONSUMPTION</b>							
North America	17,177	14,839	15,394	16,574	16,574	0	15,664
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>4,262</u>	<u>5,308</u>	<u>4,771</u>	<u>5,789</u>	<u>5,889</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>6,089</u>
EU-25	679	677	1,966	725	725	0	825
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>30</u>
Former Soviet Union	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>686</u>	<u>610</u>	<u>590</u>	<u>535</u>	<u>535</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>540</u>
North Africa	765	916	915	915	915	0	915
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>18,348</u>	<u>17,511</u>	<u>20,580</u>	<u>18,909</u>	<u>20,717</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>18,748</u>
East Asia	4,540	4,485	4,604	4,376	4,426	0	4,276
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>8,530</u>	<u>7,380</u>	<u>7,580</u>	<u>7,680</u>	<u>7,680</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>8,130</u>
Southeast Asia	134	104	143	175	160	0	185
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>1,655</u>	<u>1,405</u>	<u>1,505</u>	<u>1,755</u>	<u>1,755</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,555</u>
<b>ENDING STOCKS</b>							
North America	2,328	1,694	1,979	2,415	2,415	0	2,216
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>569</u>	<u>481</u>	<u>641</u>	<u>599</u>	<u>632</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>591</u>
EU-25	40	68	63	4	36	0	21
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Former Soviet Union	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>38</u>
North Africa	40	40	40	40	40	0	40
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>1,060</u>	<u>525</u>	<u>1,397</u>	<u>1,249</u>	<u>524</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>699</u>
East Asia	422	826	463	493	443	0	348
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>220</u>	<u>124</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>144</u>	<u>119</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>194</u>
Southeast Asia	6	8	5	30	30	0	30
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>69</u>	<u>54</u>	<u>57</u>	<u>202</u>	<u>202</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>147</u>

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	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>EXPORTS</b>							
Argentina	8	1	0	10	10	0	10
<u>Australia</u>	<u>165</u>	<u>145</u>	<u>210</u>	<u>150</u>	<u>150</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>150</u>
Canada	1,038	1,058	984	1,200	1,200	0	1,400
<u>Chile</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>15</u>
EU-25	718	794	443	500	450	0	350
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Others	40	8	17	10	10	0	10
Subtotal	1,986	2,018	1,698	1,885	1,835	0	1,935
United States	37	39	37	40	40	0	40
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>2,023</u>	<u>2,057</u>	<u>1,735</u>	<u>1,925</u>	<u>1,875</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,975</u>
<b>IMPORTS</b>							
Algeria	5	7	1	5	5	0	5
<u>Brazil</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5</u>
Canada	35	49	18	20	20	0	20
<u>Colombia</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5</u>
Ecuador	12	2	0	5	5	0	5
<u>Japan</u>	<u>81</u>	<u>83</u>	<u>67</u>	<u>85</u>	<u>85</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>85</u>
Mexico	61	82	105	70	70	0	70
<u>Russia</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
South Africa	24	19	31	25	25	0	25
<u>EU-25</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10</u>
Other Europe	68	41	47	65	65	0	55
<u>United States</u>	<u>1,497</u>	<u>1,777</u>	<u>1,314</u>	<u>1,500</u>	<u>1,500</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,500</u>
Subtotal	1,811	2,075	1,608	1,795	1,795	0	1,785
Other Countries	11	8	25	5	5	0	5
Unaccounted	201	(26)	102	125	75	0	185
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>2,023</u>	<u>2,057</u>	<u>1,735</u>	<u>1,925</u>	<u>1,875</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,975</u>

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

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>PRODUCTION</b>							
Argentina	645	500	348	400	350	0	350
<u>Australia</u>	<u>1,434</u>	<u>957</u>	<u>1,965</u>	<u>1,100</u>	<u>1,100</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,100</u>
Brazil	277	390	413	411	411	0	400
Belarus	530	575	500	770	770	0	600
Canada	2,691	2,911	3,691	3,683	3,683	0	4,240
Chile	416	420	425	425	425	0	425
China	600	600	600	600	600	0	600
<u>Kazakhstan</u>	<u>218</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>140</u>	<u>140</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>140</u>
Mexico	90	65	95	100	75	0	80
Russia	7,700	5,700	5,200	4,950	4,950	0	5,000
Turkey	265	290	285	290	290	0	290
Ukraine	1,116	943	925	1,000	1,000	0	1,000
EU-25	8,091	9,280	8,623	8,650	8,755	0	7,701
Other Europe	1,013	1,084	1,048	1,069	1,069	0	1,077
Others	243	221	272	273	273	0	272
Subtotal	25,329	24,036	24,490	23,861	23,891	0	23,275
United States	1,707	1,684	2,096	1,683	1,683	0	1,887
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>27,036</u>	<u>25,720</u>	<u>26,586</u>	<u>25,544</u>	<u>25,574</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>25,162</u>
<b>CONSUMPTION</b>							
Argentina	620	525	359	390	340	0	340
<u>Australia</u>	<u>1,310</u>	<u>800</u>	<u>1,705</u>	<u>950</u>	<u>950</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>950</u>
Brazil	295	382	410	415	415	0	405
Canada	2,129	1,870	2,175	2,200	2,200	0	2,550
Chile	385	430	380	400	400	0	400
China	601	600	610	600	600	0	600
Kazakhstan	200	100	95	135	135	0	135
Mexico	156	133	182	170	145	0	150
Romania	350	350	350	350	350	0	350
Russia	7,100	6,300	5,600	4,900	4,900	0	5,000
Ukraine	1,050	950	950	1,000	1,000	0	1,000
EU-25	7,420	8,287	8,276	8,080	8,230	0	7,400
Other Europe	1,106	1,115	1,112	1,139	1,139	0	1,137
Others	777	945	1,046	1,206	1,156	0	1,214
Subtotal	23,499	22,787	23,250	21,935	21,960	0	21,631
United States	3,459	3,480	3,401	3,264	3,264	0	3,192
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>26,958</u>	<u>26,267</u>	<u>26,651</u>	<u>25,199</u>	<u>25,224</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>24,823</u>
<b>ENDING STOCKS</b>							
Australia	150	187	237	237	237	0	237
<u>Canada</u>	<u>363</u>	<u>524</u>	<u>800</u>	<u>1,103</u>	<u>1,103</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,413</u>
Russia	1,176	580	189	239	239	0	239
EU-25	905	1,010	834	946	919	0	880
Other Europe	49	67	53	48	48	0	43
Others	393	315	287	364	364	0	321
Subtotal	3,036	2,683	2,400	2,937	2,910	0	3,133
United States	917	723	941	781	781	0	897
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>3,953</u>	<u>3,406</u>	<u>3,341</u>	<u>3,718</u>	<u>3,691</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,030</u>

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

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>IMPORTS</b>							
North America	1,593	1,908	1,437	1,590	1,590	0	1,590
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>15</u>
EU-25	8	11	11	10	10	0	10
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>65</u>	<u>65</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>55</u>
Former Soviet Union	0	2	9	0	0	0	0
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
North Africa	10	8	1	10	10	0	10
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>25</u>
East Asia	82	90	76	85	85	0	85
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Southeast Asia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>PRODUCTION</b>							
North America	4,488	4,660	5,882	5,466	5,441	0	6,207
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>1,373</u>	<u>1,331</u>	<u>1,221</u>	<u>1,267</u>	<u>1,217</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,205</u>
EU-25	8,091	9,280	8,623	8,650	8,755	0	7,701
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>1,013</u>	<u>1,084</u>	<u>1,048</u>	<u>1,069</u>	<u>1,069</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,077</u>
Former Soviet Union	9,577	7,331	6,735	6,870	6,870	0	6,750
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>265</u>	<u>290</u>	<u>285</u>	<u>290</u>	<u>290</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>290</u>
North Africa	74	65	105	110	110	0	110
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>45</u>
East Asia	601	602	602	602	602	0	602
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Southeast Asia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>1,509</u>	<u>1,032</u>	<u>2,040</u>	<u>1,175</u>	<u>1,175</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,175</u>
<b>CONSUMPTION</b>							
North America	5,744	5,483	5,758	5,634	5,609	0	5,892
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>1,350</u>	<u>1,364</u>	<u>1,189</u>	<u>1,246</u>	<u>1,196</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,185</u>
EU-25	7,420	8,287	8,276	8,080	8,230	0	7,400
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>1,106</u>	<u>1,115</u>	<u>1,112</u>	<u>1,139</u>	<u>1,139</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,137</u>
Former Soviet Union	8,863	7,963	7,155	6,745	6,745	0	6,795
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>276</u>	<u>290</u>	<u>288</u>	<u>290</u>	<u>290</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>290</u>
North Africa	84	73	106	121	121	0	120
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>59</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>70</u>
East Asia	683	685	677	685	685	0	685
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Southeast Asia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>1,385</u>	<u>875</u>	<u>1,780</u>	<u>1,025</u>	<u>1,025</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,025</u>
<b>ENDING STOCKS</b>							
North America	1,283	1,250	1,744	1,887	1,887	0	2,313
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>150</u>	<u>98</u>	<u>104</u>	<u>115</u>	<u>115</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>125</u>
EU-25	905	1,010	834	946	919	0	880
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>67</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>43</u>
Former Soviet Union	1,304	670	247	362	362	0	307
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
North Africa	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>12</u>
East Asia	101	108	109	111	111	0	113
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Southeast Asia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>150</u>	<u>187</u>	<u>237</u>	<u>237</u>	<u>237</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>237</u>

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

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

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>EXPORTS</b>							
Belarus	30	150	50	100	100	0	50
<u>Canada</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>186</u>	<u>150</u>	<u>150</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>150</u>
Russia	4	414	31	5	5	0	5
<u>Ukraine</u>	<u>310</u>	<u>269</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>75</u>
EU-25	853	624	452	650	650	0	600
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Others	0	4	5	0	0	0	0
Subtotal	1,265	1,505	730	1,005	1,005	0	880
United States	4	2	2	5	5	0	5
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>1,269</u>	<u>1,507</u>	<u>732</u>	<u>1,010</u>	<u>1,010</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>885</u>
<b>IMPORTS</b>							
Israel	32	89	23	0	30	0	50
<u>Japan</u>	<u>335</u>	<u>414</u>	<u>341</u>	<u>350</u>	<u>350</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>350</u>
Korea, South	121	31	114	100	50	0	100
<u>Russia</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>200</u>	<u>200</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>50</u>
Turkey	20	43	16	15	40	0	40
<u>Ukraine</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>222</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10</u>
EU-25	425	501	42	50	50	0	50
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>25</u>
United States	164	109	101	150	150	0	150
Subtotal	1,131	1,423	699	900	905	0	825
Other Countries	45	86	15	20	20	0	10
Unaccounted	93	(2)	18	90	85	0	50
<u>WORLD TOTAL</u>	<u>1,269</u>	<u>1,507</u>	<u>732</u>	<u>1,010</u>	<u>1,010</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>885</u>

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

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>PRODUCTION</b>							
Argentina	81	80	37	70	55	0	55
Belarus	<u>1,294</u>	<u>1,600</u>	<u>1,200</u>	<u>1,400</u>	<u>1,400</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,400</u>
Canada	228	134	327	418	418	0	450
Russia	<u>6,600</u>	<u>7,150</u>	<u>4,200</u>	<u>2,850</u>	<u>2,850</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,800</u>
Turkey	220	255	240	240	240	0	240
Ukraine	<u>1,822</u>	<u>1,511</u>	<u>625</u>	<u>1,600</u>	<u>1,600</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,200</u>
EU-25	11,891	9,190	6,907	10,020	9,967	0	8,214
Other Europe	<u>146</u>	<u>147</u>	<u>143</u>	<u>145</u>	<u>145</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>145</u>
Others	111	78	78	79	79	0	79
Subtotal	22,393	20,145	13,757	16,822	16,754	0	15,583
United States	175	165	219	219	219	0	216
<b><u>WORLD TOTAL</u></b>	<b><u>22,568</u></b>	<b><u>20,310</u></b>	<b><u>13,976</u></b>	<b><u>17,041</u></b>	<b><u>16,973</u></b>	<b><u>0</u></b>	<b><u>15,799</u></b>
<b>CONSUMPTION</b>							
Belarus	1,300	1,300	1,200	1,275	1,275	0	1,325
Canada	<u>193</u>	<u>106</u>	<u>123</u>	<u>250</u>	<u>250</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>250</u>
Israel	32	89	23	0	30	0	50
Japan	<u>335</u>	<u>415</u>	<u>340</u>	<u>350</u>	<u>350</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>350</u>
Korea, South	121	31	114	100	50	0	100
Russia	<u>5,800</u>	<u>6,150</u>	<u>5,500</u>	<u>3,300</u>	<u>3,300</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,800</u>
Turkey	240	269	283	255	280	0	280
Ukraine	<u>1,349</u>	<u>1,300</u>	<u>900</u>	<u>1,300</u>	<u>1,300</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,200</u>
EU-25	10,169	9,310	8,700	9,850	10,100	0	9,000
Other Europe	<u>184</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>173</u>	<u>170</u>	<u>170</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>171</u>
Others	205	274	323	245	225	0	235
Subtotal	19,928	19,404	17,679	17,095	17,330	0	16,761
United States	312	321	297	358	358	0	325
<b><u>WORLD TOTAL</u></b>	<b><u>20,240</u></b>	<b><u>19,725</u></b>	<b><u>17,976</u></b>	<b><u>17,453</u></b>	<b><u>17,688</u></b>	<b><u>0</u></b>	<b><u>17,086</u></b>
<b>ENDING STOCKS</b>							
Canada	49	25	58	81	81	0	136
Russia	<u>1,096</u>	<u>1,805</u>	<u>355</u>	<u>105</u>	<u>105</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>150</u>
Ukraine	256	325	140	350	350	0	285
EU-25	<u>6,532</u>	<u>6,177</u>	<u>3,834</u>	<u>2,634</u>	<u>3,101</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,765</u>
Others	30	219	160	185	185	0	209
Subtotal	7,963	8,551	4,547	3,355	3,822	0	2,545
United States	14	11	15	25	25	0	15
<b><u>WORLD TOTAL</u></b>	<b><u>7,977</u></b>	<b><u>8,562</u></b>	<b><u>4,562</u></b>	<b><u>3,380</u></b>	<b><u>3,847</u></b>	<b><u>0</u></b>	<b><u>2,560</u></b>

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

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 8-Apr	2004/05 12-May	2005/06 8-Apr	2005/06 12-May
<b>IMPORTS</b>							
North America	169	111	101	155	155	0	155
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>52</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
EU-25	425	501	42	50	50	0	50
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>25</u>
Former Soviet Union	18	242	53	225	225	0	65
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>52</u>	<u>132</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>90</u>
North Africa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
East Asia	463	445	455	450	400	0	450
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Southeast Asia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>PRODUCTION</b>							
North America	403	299	546	637	637	0	666
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>94</u>	<u>85</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>61</u>
EU-25	11,891	9,190	6,907	10,020	9,967	0	8,214
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>146</u>	<u>147</u>	<u>143</u>	<u>145</u>	<u>145</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>145</u>
Former Soviet Union	9,791	10,311	6,075	5,900	5,900	0	6,450
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>220</u>	<u>255</u>	<u>240</u>	<u>240</u>	<u>240</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>240</u>
North Africa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3</u>
East Asia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Southeast Asia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>20</u>
<b>CONSUMPTION</b>							
North America	505	427	420	608	608	0	575
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>138</u>	<u>111</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>61</u>
EU-25	10,169	9,310	8,700	9,850	10,100	0	9,000
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>184</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>173</u>	<u>170</u>	<u>170</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>171</u>
Former Soviet Union	8,539	8,819	7,660	5,940	5,940	0	6,380
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>272</u>	<u>358</u>	<u>306</u>	<u>255</u>	<u>310</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>330</u>
North Africa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3</u>
East Asia	463	446	454	450	400	0	450
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Southeast Asia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>20</u>
<b>ENDING STOCKS</b>							
North America	63	36	73	106	106	0	151
<u>Latin America</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
EU-25	6,532	6,177	3,834	2,634	3,101	0	1,765
<u>Other Europe</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Former Soviet Union	1,361	2,329	634	619	619	0	624
<u>Middle East</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
North Africa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
East Asia	20	19	20	20	20	0	20
<u>South Asia</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Southeast Asia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Oceania</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

NOTES: Regional definitions 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--		Feed Cons.	Total Cons.	Ending Stocks	
	Harvested	Yield		Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.				
<b>WHEAT</b>											
1994/95	15.8	5.4	84.5	2.1	2.1	17.1	17.1	31.1	73.9	11.2	EU-15
1995/96	16.2	5.3	86.2	2.5	2.5	13.2	13.2	34.7	77.2	9.4	
1996/97	16.7	5.9	98.5	2.5	2.5	17.8	17.8	37.5	81.8	10.8	
1997/98	17.1	5.5	94.2	3.9	3.9	14.2	14.2	39.6	82.7	11.9	
1998/99	17.1	6.0	103.1	3.8	3.8	14.6	14.6	44.1	88.1	16.0	
1999/00	22.0	5.2	114.7	5.1	5.1	19.4	19.4	51.2	106.5	15.0	EU-25
2000/01	23.5	5.3	124.2	4.7	4.7	16.8	16.8	54.2	111.1	16.0	
2001/02	22.3	5.1	113.6	10.7	10.7	14.2	14.2	53.4	110.1	15.9	
2002/03	23.1	5.4	124.8	13.9	13.9	19.9	19.9	58.4	118.1	16.6	
2003/04	22.0	4.8	106.9	5.9	5.9	10.9	10.9	50.8	107.9	10.6	
2004/05	23.2	5.9	136.7	6.0	6.0	13.5	13.5	56.0	114.5	25.3	
2005/06	22.8	5.6	127.5	6.0	6.0	16.0	16.0	60.0	119.0	23.8	
<b>COARSE GRAINS</b>											
1994/95	18.7	4.6	86.5	4.7	4.7	7.9	8.1	65.2	88.5	12.7	EU-15
1995/96	18.5	4.8	88.3	5.8	5.8	4.6	4.4	69.3	92.5	9.7	
1996/97	19.6	5.3	103.4	2.7	2.7	8.6	7.6	72.4	95.8	11.4	
1997/98	20.4	5.3	109.0	2.3	2.4	4.0	4.7	72.7	98.1	20.6	
1998/99	20.0	5.2	105.1	3.1	3.1	9.2	10.8	73.9	97.4	22.2	
1999/00	29.1	4.6	133.5	4.8	4.8	15.2	15.6	95.0	126.7	21.1	EU-25
2000/01	29.0	4.6	132.7	5.4	5.5	10.7	9.0	99.5	131.0	17.6	
2001/02	29.5	4.7	140.1	5.9	5.9	8.0	7.7	101.2	134.4	21.2	
2002/03	29.2	4.8	138.7	6.4	6.7	8.6	9.7	102.8	136.1	21.5	
2003/04	29.0	4.2	122.9	8.1	7.7	4.4	2.3	101.9	135.5	12.7	
2004/05	29.1	5.2	150.6	3.1	3.1	4.0	4.4	106.2	139.6	22.8	
2005/06	28.3	4.7	133.0	3.1	3.1	4.9	4.9	102.2	135.6	18.5	
<b>WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS</b>											
1994/95	34.5	5.0	171.0	6.8	6.8	25.0	25.2	96.3	162.4	23.9	EU-15
1995/96	34.6	5.0	174.5	8.3	8.3	17.9	17.6	104.0	169.7	19.1	
1996/97	36.3	5.6	201.9	5.2	5.2	26.4	25.5	109.9	177.6	22.1	
1997/98	37.6	5.4	203.2	6.2	6.3	18.2	18.9	112.3	180.8	32.5	
1998/99	37.1	5.6	208.2	6.9	6.9	23.8	25.4	118.0	185.6	38.2	
1999/00	51.1	4.9	248.3	9.9	9.9	34.5	34.9	146.2	233.2	36.1	EU-25
2000/01	52.5	4.9	256.9	10.2	10.2	27.5	25.8	153.7	242.1	33.6	
2001/02	51.8	4.9	253.6	16.6	16.7	22.2	21.9	154.6	244.5	37.1	
2002/03	52.2	5.0	263.5	20.3	20.6	28.6	29.7	161.2	254.2	38.1	
2003/04	51.0	4.5	229.8	14.0	13.6	15.3	13.3	152.7	243.4	23.3	
2004/05	52.3	5.5	287.3	9.1	9.1	17.5	17.9	162.2	254.1	48.1	
2005/06	51.1	5.1	260.5	9.1	9.1	20.9	20.9	162.2	254.6	42.3	

Notes:

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

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

	<b>Area Harvested</b>	<b>Yield</b>	<b>Production</b>	<b>--Imports--</b>		<b>--Exports--</b>		<b>Feed Cons.</b>	<b>Total Cons.</b>	<b>Ending Stocks</b>
				<b>Mkt Yr.</b>	<b>Trade Yr.</b>	<b>Mkt Yr.</b>	<b>Trade Yr.</b>			
<b>WHEAT</b>										
1994/95	29.0	3.4	99.3	10.3	10.3	0.4	0.4	3.0	105.4	68.7
1995/96	28.9	3.5	102.2	12.5	12.5	0.5	0.5	3.2	106.5	76.5
1996/97	29.6	3.7	110.6	2.7	2.7	1.0	1.0	3.4	107.6	81.2
1997/98	30.1	4.1	123.3	1.9	1.9	1.2	1.2	4.9	109.1	96.2
1998/99	29.8	3.7	109.7	0.8	0.8	0.5	0.5	5.0	108.3	97.9
1999/00	28.9	3.9	113.9	1.0	1.0	0.5	0.5	6.5	109.3	102.9
2000/01	26.7	3.7	99.6	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.6	10.0	110.3	91.9
2001/02	24.6	3.8	93.9	1.1	1.1	1.5	1.5	9.0	108.7	76.6
2002/03	23.9	3.8	90.3	0.4	0.4	1.7	1.7	6.5	105.2	60.4
2003/04	22.0	3.9	86.5	3.7	3.7	2.8	2.8	6.0	104.5	43.3
2004/05	21.8	4.2	91.0	7.0	7.0	1.0	1.0	4.0	102.0	38.3
2005/06	22.7	4.1	93.0	4.0	4.0	1.0	1.0	3.5	101.0	33.3
<b>COARSE GRAINS</b>										
1994/95	26.1	4.4	114.3	6.4	6.4	1.5	1.5	76.6	114.4	89.2
1995/96	27.3	4.6	124.5	3.0	3.0	0.2	0.2	78.4	115.4	101.1
1996/97	29.1	4.9	141.3	2.1	2.1	4.0	4.0	82.6	121.0	119.5
1997/98	28.1	4.1	114.7	1.6	1.6	6.2	6.2	87.2	121.6	108.0
1998/99	29.1	4.9	143.5	2.6	2.6	3.4	3.4	91.4	127.3	123.4
1999/00	29.6	4.6	137.2	2.3	2.3	10.0	10.0	92.7	128.8	124.2
2000/01	26.5	4.3	114.0	2.4	2.4	7.3	7.3	94.4	130.4	102.8
2001/02	27.5	4.4	122.2	2.0	2.0	8.6	8.6	96.2	132.9	85.6
2002/03	28.0	4.7	130.7	1.8	1.8	15.3	15.3	98.4	136.4	66.4
2003/04	27.3	4.6	124.6	1.5	1.5	7.7	7.7	99.5	139.2	45.6
2004/05	27.7	4.9	137.1	1.9	1.9	6.1	6.1	100.6	142.4	36.1
2005/06	28.2	4.8	135.7	2.0	2.0	3.1	3.1	101.9	144.5	26.2
<b>WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS</b>										
1994/95	55.1	3.9	213.6	16.6	16.6	1.9	1.9	79.6	219.8	158.0
1995/96	56.2	4.0	226.7	15.5	15.5	0.7	0.7	81.6	221.9	177.6
1996/97	58.7	4.3	251.9	4.8	4.8	5.0	5.0	86.0	228.6	200.7
1997/98	58.1	4.1	238.0	3.5	3.5	7.4	7.4	92.1	230.6	204.2
1998/99	58.8	4.3	253.2	3.4	3.4	3.9	3.9	96.4	235.6	221.3
1999/00	58.4	4.3	251.1	3.4	3.4	10.5	10.5	99.2	238.1	227.1
2000/01	53.1	4.0	213.6	2.6	2.6	7.9	7.9	104.4	240.7	194.7
2001/02	52.1	4.1	216.1	3.1	3.1	10.1	10.1	105.2	241.6	162.1
2002/03	51.9	4.3	221.0	2.2	2.2	17.1	17.1	104.9	241.6	126.7
2003/04	49.3	4.3	211.1	5.3	5.3	10.5	10.5	105.5	243.7	88.9
2004/05	49.5	4.6	228.1	8.9	8.9	7.1	7.1	104.6	244.4	74.4
2005/06	50.9	4.5	228.7	6.0	6.0	4.1	4.1	105.4	245.5	59.5

Notes:

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

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

	<b>Area Harvested</b>	<b>Yield Production</b>	<b>--Imports--</b>		<b>--Exports--</b>		<b>Feed Cons.</b>	<b>Total Cons.</b>	<b>Ending Stocks</b>	
			<b>Mkt Yr.</b>	<b>Trade Yr.</b>	<b>Mkt Yr.</b>	<b>Trade Yr.</b>				
<b>WHEAT</b>										
1994/95	5.4	2.9	15.7	1.2	1.2	0.9	0.9	3.5	15.6	3.0
1995/96	5.1	3.3	16.6	1.2	1.2	2.8	2.8	3.3	14.2	3.7
1996/97	3.9	2.3	8.9	2.2	2.2	0.6	0.6	3.0	12.6	1.7
1997/98	5.0	3.2	16.0	1.5	1.5	1.1	1.1	3.2	14.4	3.6
1998/99	4.6	3.1	14.5	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.1	3.1	14.3	3.9
1999/00	3.9	3.1	11.9	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.6	3.2	13.4	2.6
2000/01	4.4	2.8	12.1	1.9	1.9	0.9	0.9	2.8	12.9	2.9
2001/02	5.1	2.9	14.7	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	3.3	13.6	4.0
2002/03	4.7	2.7	12.7	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.7	3.2	13.5	3.4
2003/04	3.5	2.2	7.5	4.2	4.2	0.2	0.2	2.6	13.0	1.9
2004/05	4.1	3.8	15.4	1.8	1.8	1.2	1.2	3.4	13.9	4.0
2005/06	4.3	3.3	14.1	1.8	1.8	1.3	1.3	3.4	13.9	4.7
<b>COARSE GRAINS</b>										
1994/95	7.9	2.9	22.9	0.9	0.9	0.7	0.7	19.4	23.1	1.5
1995/96	7.6	3.4	25.8	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.9	21.2	25.2	1.8
1996/97	7.7	3.0	23.4	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	19.5	23.5	1.5
1997/98	7.5	3.9	29.4	0.7	0.7	1.2	1.2	22.9	27.0	3.5
1998/99	7.3	3.1	22.8	0.6	0.6	1.0	1.0	19.8	23.8	2.1
1999/00	7.3	3.6	26.5	0.8	0.8	0.9	1.0	21.8	25.8	2.7
2000/01	6.6	2.3	15.2	1.5	1.6	0.4	0.6	13.5	17.5	1.5
2001/02	6.8	3.1	21.1	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.1	16.5	20.4	2.3
2002/03	6.6	3.4	22.3	1.0	0.9	1.5	1.0	17.4	21.0	3.1
2003/04	6.7	2.8	18.8	1.4	1.4	0.4	0.4	17.3	20.9	2.1
2004/05	7.0	4.1	28.9	0.8	0.8	2.2	2.2	19.4	24.7	4.8
2005/06	7.1	3.5	24.7	0.8	0.8	2.4	2.4	19.5	24.6	3.4
<b>WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS</b>										
1994/95	13.3	2.9	38.7	2.1	2.1	1.5	1.5	22.9	38.8	4.5
1995/96	12.7	3.3	42.4	1.8	1.8	3.8	3.8	24.4	39.4	5.6
1996/97	11.6	2.8	32.3	3.0	3.0	1.6	1.6	22.5	36.1	3.2
1997/98	12.4	3.6	45.4	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.3	26.1	41.4	7.1
1998/99	12.0	3.1	37.3	1.8	1.8	2.1	2.1	23.0	38.2	6.0
1999/00	11.1	3.5	38.4	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.6	25.0	39.1	5.3
2000/01	11.0	2.5	27.3	3.3	3.4	1.3	1.5	16.3	30.4	4.3
2001/02	11.8	3.0	35.7	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.9	19.8	34.0	6.2
2002/03	11.3	3.1	35.0	2.9	2.8	3.1	2.7	20.6	34.5	6.5
2003/04	10.1	2.6	26.3	5.6	5.6	0.6	0.6	19.8	33.8	4.0
2004/05	11.1	4.0	44.3	2.6	2.5	3.4	3.4	22.8	38.6	8.9
2005/06	11.5	3.4	38.8	2.6	2.6	3.7	3.7	22.9	38.5	8.1

Notes:

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

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

	<b>Area Harvested</b>	<b>Yield</b>	<b>Production</b>	<b>--Imports--</b>		<b>--Exports--</b>		<b>Feed Cons.</b>	<b>Total Cons.</b>	<b>Ending Stocks</b>
				<b>Mkt Yr.</b>	<b>Trade Yr.</b>	<b>Mkt Yr.</b>	<b>Trade Yr.</b>			
<b>FSU TOTAL</b>										
<u>WHEAT</u>										
1999/00	41.8	1.5	64.8	9.5	9.5	9.3	9.3	17.0	65.0	5.8
2000/01	43.1	1.5	63.0	5.2	5.2	5.0	5.0	16.2	63.9	5.1
2001/02	45.7	2.0	91.1	3.8	3.8	14.0	14.0	21.1	70.0	16.0
2002/03	48.4	2.0	96.9	4.1	4.1	25.8	25.8	24.8	74.8	16.5
2003/04	40.3	1.5	60.9	7.1	7.1	7.9	7.9	17.6	65.6	11.0
2004/05	46.5	1.9	86.4	4.1	4.1	13.1	13.1	21.3	72.9	15.5
2005/06	47.2	1.8	86.8	4.0	4.0	15.3	15.3	22.8	75.2	15.8
<u>COARSE GRAINS</u>										
1999/00	31.8	1.3	40.5	2.8	2.7	2.0	2.2	26.6	42.2	3.6
2000/01	31.0	1.6	49.0	1.1	0.9	2.5	3.4	28.8	45.3	6.0
2001/02	32.6	1.9	61.8	1.0	1.0	6.6	7.0	33.3	50.8	11.5
2002/03	31.4	1.9	60.7	0.7	0.8	8.1	7.7	35.0	52.8	12.0
2003/04	31.2	1.8	55.4	1.5	1.5	6.1	6.4	39.2	56.6	6.2
2004/05	31.1	2.0	62.9	1.4	1.4	7.4	7.1	38.5	55.1	8.0
2005/06	30.4	1.9	56.4	1.7	1.7	6.1	6.1	36.5	53.3	6.7
<b>RUSSIAN FEDERATION</b>										
<u>WHEAT</u>										
1999/00	23.0	1.3	31.0	5.1	5.1	0.5	0.5	11.8	35.4	1.2
2000/01	23.2	1.5	34.5	1.6	1.6	0.7	0.7	11.5	35.2	1.4
2001/02	23.8	2.0	46.9	0.6	0.6	4.4	4.4	14.0	38.1	6.5
2002/03	25.7	2.0	50.6	1.0	1.0	12.6	12.6	16.0	39.3	6.1
2003/04	22.2	1.5	34.1	1.0	1.0	3.1	3.1	12.5	35.5	2.6
2004/05	24.2	1.9	45.3	1.2	1.2	6.3	6.3	14.0	38.0	4.8
2005/06	24.7	1.8	45.0	1.2	1.2	7.0	7.0	15.0	39.0	5.0
<u>COARSE GRAINS</u>										
1999/00	20.9	1.0	21.8	2.2	2.0	0.1	0.4	14.8	24.8	0.9
2000/01	19.6	1.4	28.2	0.8	0.6	0.6	1.0	15.9	26.8	2.5
2001/02	20.6	1.7	35.2	0.7	0.7	2.6	2.7	17.7	29.1	6.7
2002/03	19.6	1.7	33.4	0.4	0.4	3.4	3.5	18.3	29.9	7.2
2003/04	18.1	1.7	30.5	1.0	1.0	2.5	1.8	21.5	33.3	2.9
2004/05	17.5	1.7	29.6	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	19.1	29.5	3.0
2005/06	17.3	1.7	28.6	1.3	1.3	0.8	0.8	18.5	29.1	3.0

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

	Area Harvested	Yield	Production	--Imports-- Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	--Exports-- Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Feed Cons.	Total Cons.	Ending Stocks
<b>KAZAKHSTAN</b>										
<u>WHEAT</u>										
2001/02	10.7	1.2	12.7	0.0	0.0	4.0	4.0	2.1	5.8	4.1
2002/03	11.5	1.1	12.6	0.0	0.0	6.2	6.2	2.7	6.8	3.7
2003/04	11.3	1.0	11.0	0.0	0.0	4.1	4.1	2.7	6.8	3.8
2004/05	11.8	0.8	10.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	2.7	2.7	7.4	3.6
2005/06	11.5	1.0	11.5	0.0	0.0	4.0	4.0	2.7	7.4	3.8
<u>COARSE GRAINS</u>										
2001/02	2.1	1.4	2.9	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4	2.0	2.3	1.2
2002/03	2.2	1.3	2.8	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.5	2.2	2.5	1.0
2003/04	2.2	1.2	2.6	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.7	2.2	2.5	0.4
2004/05	2.1	1.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	1.8	2.1	0.3
2005/06	2.1	1.2	2.4	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	2.0	2.2	0.3
<b>UKRAINE</b>										
<u>WHEAT</u>										
2001/02	6.9	3.1	21.3	0.1	0.1	5.5	5.5	3.0	13.5	3.0
2002/03	6.8	3.0	20.6	0.8	0.8	6.6	6.6	4.0	14.5	3.3
2003/04	2.5	1.5	3.6	3.4	3.4	0.1	0.1	0.4	9.0	1.1
2004/05	5.9	3.0	17.5	0.2	0.2	3.8	3.8	2.4	12.0	3.0
2005/06	6.3	2.7	16.7	0.2	0.2	4.0	4.0	3.0	13.0	2.9
<u>COARSE GRAINS</u>										
2001/02	6.7	2.5	17.0	0.1	0.1	3.5	3.8	9.1	13.0	2.6
2002/03	6.7	2.6	17.1	0.2	0.3	4.0	3.4	9.3	13.3	2.7
2003/04	7.8	2.0	15.6	0.1	0.1	2.8	3.8	10.5	13.8	1.8
2004/05	8.4	2.7	23.0	0.1	0.1	6.2	5.9	11.8	15.6	3.1
2005/06	7.9	2.3	18.2	0.1	0.1	5.0	5.0	10.2	14.0	2.4
<b>UZBEKISTAN</b>										
<u>WHEAT</u>										
2003/04	1.5	3.7	5.4	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.8	5.2	0.9
2004/05	1.4	3.7	5.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.8	5.2	1.0
2005/06	1.4	3.7	5.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.8	5.3	1.0
<u>COARSE GRAINS</u>										
2003/04	0.1	2.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.0
2004/05	0.1	2.9	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.0
2005/06	0.1	2.9	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.0
<b>OTHER FSU</b>										
<u>WHEAT</u>										
2003/04	2.9	2.3	6.8	2.5	2.5	0.1	0.1	1.2	9.1	2.6
2004/05	3.2	2.6	8.5	2.5	2.5	0.2	0.2	1.4	10.3	3.0
2005/06	3.3	2.6	8.4	2.4	2.4	0.2	0.2	1.3	10.5	3.1
<u>COARSE GRAINS</u>										
2003/04	2.9	2.2	6.4	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.1	4.8	6.7	1.0
2004/05	3.1	2.6	8.0	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	5.6	7.6	1.5
2005/06	3.0	2.3	6.9	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	5.6	7.6	1.0

Notes:

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

The Coarse Grains category includes barley, corn, millet, oats, rye, and sorghum.

Production estimates are on a clean-weight basis.

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

	Area Harvested	Yield	Production	--Imports-- Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	--Exports-- Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Feed Cons.	Total Cons.	Ending Stocks
<b>ARGENTINA (MY DEC/NOV)</b>										
1997/98	5.7	2.8	15.7	0.0	0.0	11.2	9.8	0.0	4.8	0.8
1998/99	5.4	2.5	13.3	0.0	0.0	8.6	9.2	0.0	4.9	0.7
1999/00	6.2	2.7	16.4	0.0	0.0	11.6	11.1	0.1	4.9	0.6
2000/01	6.4	2.5	16.2	0.0	0.0	11.3	11.4	0.1	5.0	0.6
2001/02	6.8	2.3	15.5	0.0	0.0	10.1	11.7	0.1	4.9	1.1
2002/03	5.9	2.1	12.3	0.0	0.0	6.8	6.3	0.1	5.2	1.5
2003/04	5.7	2.5	14.0	0.0	0.0	9.4	7.3	0.1	5.2	0.9
2004/05	6.1	2.6	16.0	0.0	0.0	10.5	12.5	0.1	5.3	1.1
2005/06	6.3	2.5	15.5	0.0	0.0	10.5	10.0	0.1	5.3	0.8
<b>AUSTRALIA (MY OCT/SEPT)</b>										
1997/98	10.4	1.8	19.2	0.0	0.0	15.3	15.4	1.4	4.0	2.3
1998/99	11.5	1.9	21.5	0.1	0.1	16.5	16.1	1.8	4.5	2.8
1999/00	12.2	2.0	24.8	0.1	0.1	17.8	17.1	2.5	5.2	4.6
2000/01	12.1	1.8	22.1	0.1	0.1	15.9	16.7	2.6	5.3	5.5
2001/02	11.6	2.1	24.3	0.1	0.1	16.4	16.5	2.7	5.4	8.0
2002/03	11.1	0.9	10.1	0.3	0.3	9.1	10.9	3.5	6.2	3.1
2003/04	13.0	2.0	26.2	0.1	0.1	18.0	15.1	3.2	6.0	5.5
2004/05	12.2	1.8	21.5	0.1	0.1	16.0	16.7	2.9	5.6	5.4
2005/06	12.0	1.9	23.0	0.1	0.1	16.5	16.0	3.1	5.8	6.2
<b>CANADA (MY AUG/JUL)</b>										
1997/98	11.4	2.1	24.3	0.1	0.1	20.1	21.3	3.5	7.3	6.0
1998/99	10.7	2.3	24.1	0.2	0.2	14.7	14.4	4.3	8.1	7.4
1999/00	10.4	2.6	26.9	0.2	0.2	19.2	19.4	4.1	8.1	7.3
2000/01	11.0	2.4	26.5	0.2	0.2	17.3	17.4	3.0	7.0	9.7
2001/02	10.6	1.9	20.6	0.3	0.3	16.3	16.8	3.7	7.6	6.7
2002/03	8.8	1.8	16.2	0.4	0.4	9.4	9.4	4.1	8.2	5.7
2003/04	10.5	2.3	23.6	0.2	0.2	15.8	15.5	3.4	7.6	6.1
2004/05	9.9	2.6	25.9	0.2	0.2	15.0	15.0	5.0	9.2	7.9
2005/06	9.9	2.4	23.5	0.3	0.3	15.5	15.5	4.3	8.5	7.7
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>										
1997/98	27.6	2.2	59.2	0.2	0.2	46.6	46.5	4.9	16.1	9.1
1998/99	27.6	2.1	58.8	0.2	0.2	39.7	39.7	6.1	17.5	11.0
1999/00	28.7	2.4	68.1	0.3	0.3	48.6	47.6	6.6	18.2	12.5
2000/01	29.5	2.2	64.9	0.3	0.3	44.5	45.4	5.7	17.4	15.8
2001/02	29.0	2.1	60.4	0.4	0.4	42.8	44.9	6.5	17.9	15.9
2002/03	25.8	1.5	38.6	0.7	0.7	25.3	26.6	7.6	19.5	10.4
2003/04	29.2	2.2	63.8	0.3	0.3	43.2	38.0	6.7	18.8	12.4
2004/05	28.2	2.2	63.4	0.3	0.3	41.5	44.2	8.0	20.1	14.5
2005/06	28.2	2.2	62.0	0.3	0.3	42.5	41.5	7.5	19.6	14.7
<b>INDIA (MY APR/MAR)</b>										
1997/98	25.9	2.7	69.4	1.7	2.3	0.0	0.0	0.4	69.2	5.1
1998/99	26.7	2.5	66.4	2.2	1.3	0.0	0.0	0.4	63.7	9.9
1999/00	27.4	2.6	70.8	1.4	1.3	0.2	0.2	0.4	68.8	13.1
2000/01	27.5	2.8	76.4	0.4	0.0	1.6	2.4	0.5	66.8	21.5
2001/02	25.7	2.7	69.7	0.0	0.0	3.1	3.2	0.5	65.1	23.0
2002/03	25.9	2.8	71.8	0.0	0.0	4.9	5.4	0.6	74.3	15.7
2003/04	24.9	2.6	65.1	0.0	0.0	5.7	5.4	0.6	68.3	6.9
2004/05	26.6	2.7	72.1	0.0	0.0	2.0	1.5	0.5	72.5	4.5
2005/06	26.3	2.8	74.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	0.5	73.0	4.5
<b>TURKEY (MY JUN/MAY)</b>										
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	2.1	18.0	0.5	0.4	1.6	1.6	1.0	16.7	1.7
2001/02	8.5	1.8	15.5	1.0	1.1	0.8	0.6	1.1	16.5	1.0
2002/03	8.6	2.0	16.8	1.2	1.2	0.8	0.8	1.0	17.0	1.3
2003/04	8.6	2.0	16.8	1.1	1.1	0.8	0.9	1.0	17.0	1.3
2004/05	8.6	2.1	18.0	0.6	0.6	1.3	1.3	1.0	17.2	1.4
2005/06	8.6	2.0	17.0	1.2	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.0	17.4	1.2

Notes:

Wheat trade year statistics are on a July/June year.

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

	Area Harvested	Yield	Production	--Imports-- Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	--Exports-- Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Feed Cons.	Total Cons.	Ending Stocks
<b>ARGENTINA (MY MAR/FEB)</b>										
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	11.9	8.9	4.0	5.5	0.5
2000/01	2.8	5.5	15.4	0.0	0.0	9.7	12.2	3.9	5.6	0.6
2001/02	2.5	6.0	14.7	0.0	0.0	10.9	8.6	2.7	4.2	0.3
2002/03	2.5	6.3	15.5	0.0	0.0	11.2	12.3	2.5	4.1	0.5
2003/04	2.3	6.5	15.0	0.0	0.0	10.8	10.4	3.0	4.6	0.2
2004/05	2.7	7.2	19.5	0.0	0.0	14.0	14.0	3.5	5.2	0.5
2005/06	2.7	7.2	19.0	0.0	0.0	13.5	13.5	3.8	5.5	0.5
<b>CHINA (MY OCT/SEPT)</b>										
1997/98	23.8	4.4	104.3	0.3	0.3	6.2	6.2	82.5	109.5	106.9
1998/99	25.2	5.3	133.0	0.3	0.3	3.3	3.3	86.5	113.9	122.9
1999/00	25.9	4.9	128.1	0.1	0.1	9.9	9.9	89.5	117.3	123.8
2000/01	23.1	4.6	106.0	0.1	0.1	7.3	7.3	92.0	120.2	102.4
2001/02	24.3	4.7	114.1	0.0	0.0	8.6	8.6	94.0	123.1	84.8
2002/03	24.6	4.9	121.3	0.0	0.0	15.2	15.2	96.0	125.9	65.0
2003/04	24.1	4.8	115.8	0.0	0.0	7.6	7.6	97.0	128.4	44.9
2004/05	24.5	5.2	128.0	0.1	0.1	6.0	6.0	98.5	131.5	35.5
2005/06	25.0	5.1	127.0	0.2	0.2	3.0	3.0	100.0	134.0	25.7
<b>SOUTH AFRICA (MY MAY/APR)</b>										
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	7.9	0.6	0.3	0.5	0.8	3.7	7.9	0.9
1999/00	3.8	3.0	11.5	0.0	0.4	1.4	0.8	4.1	8.9	2.0
2000/01	3.2	2.5	8.0	0.4	0.0	1.3	1.4	4.1	8.7	0.5
2001/02	3.5	2.8	10.1	0.9	0.7	1.1	1.2	3.9	8.4	1.9
2002/03	3.7	2.7	9.7	0.4	0.6	1.1	1.1	4.0	8.5	2.4
2003/04	3.3	2.9	9.7	0.3	0.5	0.8	0.8	4.1	8.7	2.9
2004/05	3.5	3.4	12.0	0.2	0.2	2.0	1.7	4.3	9.0	4.1
2005/06	3.4	2.8	9.5	0.1	0.1	1.5	1.8	4.2	8.9	3.3
<b>BRAZIL (MY MAR/FEB)</b>										
1997/98	11.4	2.6	30.1	1.7	1.5	0.0	0.0	28.5	33.4	1.8
1998/99	12.1	2.7	32.4	1.2	0.9	0.0	0.0	28.2	33.2	2.1
1999/00	12.6	2.5	31.6	1.6	1.8	0.2	0.1	28.5	33.5	1.7
2000/01	13.0	3.2	41.5	0.3	0.7	6.3	3.7	29.5	34.5	2.8
2001/02	11.8	3.0	35.5	0.4	0.3	2.1	3.9	30.5	35.0	1.6
2002/03	13.0	3.4	44.5	0.8	0.5	4.6	3.2	32.0	37.5	4.8
2003/04	12.4	3.4	42.0	0.4	0.7	4.4	5.8	33.0	38.6	4.1
2004/05	12.0	3.1	37.5	2.0	2.0	1.3	1.8	35.0	40.6	1.7
2005/06	13.0	3.4	44.0	0.4	0.4	2.0	1.5	36.0	41.9	2.2
<b>TOTALS</b>										
1997/98	41.9	3.9	161.5	2.1	1.9	19.7	20.0	119.7	157.2	111.0
1998/99	43.5	4.3	186.8	2.0	1.5	11.8	12.0	123.2	161.5	126.6
1999/00	45.4	4.1	188.4	1.7	2.2	23.5	19.7	126.1	165.2	128.0
2000/01	42.1	4.1	171.0	0.8	0.8	24.5	24.7	129.5	169.0	106.3
2001/02	42.1	4.1	174.3	1.4	1.1	22.6	22.2	131.1	170.7	88.7
2002/03	43.7	4.4	191.0	1.3	1.2	32.2	31.9	134.5	176.0	72.7
2003/04	42.1	4.3	182.5	0.6	1.2	23.5	24.6	137.1	180.3	52.1
2004/05	42.7	4.6	197.0	2.3	2.3	23.3	23.5	141.3	186.3	41.8
2005/06	44.1	4.5	199.5	0.7	0.7	20.0	19.8	144.0	190.3	31.7

Notes:

Corn trade year statistics are on an Oct/Sept year.

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

	Area Harvested	Yield	Production	--Imports-- Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	--Exports-- Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Feed Cons.	Total Cons.	Ending Stocks	
<b>BARLEY</b>											
<b>AUSTRALIA (MY NOV/OCT)</b>											
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	2.6	1.9	5.0	0.0	0.0	2.6	2.9	1.7	2.6	0.4	
2000/01	3.5	2.0	6.7	0.0	0.0	4.0	3.9	1.3	2.2	1.0	
2001/02	3.7	2.2	8.3	0.0	0.0	4.7	4.6	1.8	2.8	1.8	
2002/03	3.9	1.0	3.9	0.0	0.0	2.0	2.2	1.8	2.7	0.9	
2003/04	4.4	2.3	10.3	0.0	0.0	6.4	6.1	2.2	3.1	1.8	
2004/05	3.8	1.8	7.0	0.0	0.0	3.8	3.8	2.7	3.7	1.3	
2005/06	3.8	1.8	7.0	0.0	0.0	3.8	3.8	2.5	3.5	1.0	
<b>CANADA (MY AUG/JULY)</b>											
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	1.8	9.9	11.4	2.8	
2000/01	4.6	2.9	13.2	0.0	0.1	2.0	2.0	10.1	11.6	2.5	
2001/02	4.2	2.6	10.8	0.1	0.1	1.1	1.1	8.9	10.3	2.0	
2002/03	3.3	2.2	7.5	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.3	6.5	7.9	1.5	
2003/04	4.4	2.8	12.3	0.0	0.0	1.8	1.9	8.5	9.9	2.1	
2004/05	4.1	3.3	13.2	0.1	0.1	1.3	1.3	9.2	10.7	3.4	
2005/06	4.2	3.0	12.5	0.0	0.0	1.8	1.8	9.2	10.8	3.3	
<b>EUROPEAN UNION (MY JUL/JUN)</b>											
1997/98	11.9	4.4	52.6	0.0	0.1	2.5	3.0	31.0	43.9	12.4	EU-15
1998/99	11.5	4.5	51.9	0.1	0.1	7.4	8.9	31.8	43.2	13.7	
1999/00	13.9	4.1	57.5	1.1	1.1	10.4	10.7	37.3	51.6	11.6	EU-25
2000/01	13.6	4.3	58.8	1.1	1.1	7.7	6.3	40.4	54.9	9.0	
2001/02	13.5	4.2	57.0	1.6	1.7	3.8	3.2	39.0	53.9	9.9	
2002/03	13.3	4.2	56.5	1.5	1.4	5.0	6.3	38.7	54.4	8.5	
2003/04	13.4	4.1	54.8	0.7	0.7	2.8	1.0	41.0	56.9	4.3	
2004/05	13.1	4.7	61.7	0.4	0.4	2.4	2.8	37.5	52.9	11.1	
2005/06	12.9	4.2	54.3	0.4	0.4	3.3	3.3	37.2	52.5	9.9	
<b>SORGHUM</b>											
<b>ARGENTINA (MY MAR/FEB)</b>											
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	0.6	2.5	2.6	0.7	
1999/00	0.7	4.6	3.4	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.7	2.4	2.5	0.7	
2000/01	0.6	4.8	2.7	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.6	2.4	2.5	0.4	
2001/02	0.5	5.1	2.8	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4	2.2	2.3	0.5	
2002/03	0.6	5.1	2.8	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.6	2.1	2.3	0.4	
2003/04	0.5	4.6	2.2	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	1.9	2.0	0.4	
2004/05	0.6	5.0	2.9	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.2	2.4	2.6	0.4	
2005/06	0.6	5.1	2.9	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.3	2.5	2.7	0.3	
<b>AUSTRALIA (MY MAR/FEB)</b>											
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	1.4	1.4	0.1	
1999/00	0.6	3.4	2.1	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.8	1.3	1.3	0.1	
2000/01	0.8	2.6	1.9	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.9	1.3	1.3	0.1	
2001/02	0.8	2.5	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.5	1.7	1.7	0.1	
2002/03	0.7	2.2	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	1.4	1.4	0.1	
2003/04	0.8	2.8	2.1	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.4	1.5	1.5	0.1	
2004/05	0.8	3.0	2.4	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.7	1.8	1.8	0.2	
2005/06	0.8	2.7	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.5	1.6	1.6	0.1	

Notes:

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



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THOUSAND METRIC TONS/HECTARES**

	Area Harvested	Yield	--Imports--		--Exports--		Feed Cons.	Total Cons.	Ending Stocks	
			Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.				
<b>WHEAT (MY JUNE/MAY)</b>										
2000/01	21,474	2.8	60,641	2,445	2,419	28,904	28,027	8,176	36,184	23,846
2001/02	19,616	2.7	53,001	2,927	2,953	26,190	26,270	4,953	32,434	21,150
2002/03	18,544	2.4	43,705	2,106	1,958	23,139	22,834	3,150	30,448	13,374
2003/04	21,474	3.0	63,814	1,716	1,757	31,555	32,287	5,636	32,477	14,872
2004/05	20,234	2.9	58,738	1,905	1,900	28,576	28,000	5,851	32,215	14,724
2005/06	20,727	2.9	59,462	1,905	1,900	25,855	25,500	5,443	31,788	18,448
<b>CORN (MY SEPT/AUG)</b>										
2000/01	29,316	8.6	251,854	173	179	49,313	48,329	148,396	198,102	48,240
2001/02	27,830	8.7	241,377	258	202	48,383	47,271	148,958	200,941	40,551
2002/03	28,057	8.1	227,767	367	374	40,334	40,924	141,303	200,748	27,603
2003/04	28,710	8.9	256,278	358	341	48,179	48,645	147,275	211,723	24,337
2004/05	29,798	10.1	299,917	254	200	45,722	45,500	152,407	222,515	56,271
2005/06	30,037	9.3	279,032	254	250	49,532	50,000	148,597	221,498	64,527
<b>SORGHUM (MY SEPT/AUG)</b>										
2000/01	3,127	3.8	11,952	0	0	6,009	5,949	5,651	6,543	1,061
2001/02	3,472	3.8	13,057	0	0	6,142	6,135	5,842	6,427	1,549
2002/03	2,883	3.2	9,163	1	1	4,681	4,911	4,328	4,939	1,093
2003/04	3,156	3.3	10,446	0	0	5,093	4,882	4,580	5,594	852
2004/05	2,637	4.4	11,555	0	0	4,445	4,500	4,953	6,274	1,688
2005/06	2,573	4.0	10,287	0	0	4,572	4,500	4,318	5,664	1,739
<b>BARLEY (MY JUNE/MAY)</b>										
2000/01	2,104	3.3	6,919	636	663	1,258	1,068	2,951	6,407	2,314
2001/02	1,729	3.1	5,407	521	538	575	517	2,272	5,661	2,006
2002/03	1,669	3.0	4,940	402	282	659	552	1,819	5,179	1,510
2003/04	1,913	3.2	6,059	450	498	409	357	1,825	4,991	2,619
2004/05	1,627	3.7	6,080	261	250	370	450	2,504	5,660	2,930
2005/06	1,431	3.4	4,899	327	350	327	300	2,177	5,226	2,603
<b>OATS (MY JUNE/MAY)</b>										
2000/01	941	2.3	2,165	1,827	1,839	25	34	3,028	4,015	1,056
2001/02	773	2.2	1,707	1,654	1,497	41	37	2,413	3,459	917
2002/03	833	2.0	1,684	1,640	1,777	38	39	2,435	3,480	723
2003/04	898	2.3	2,096	1,559	1,314	36	37	2,341	3,401	941
2004/05	725	2.3	1,683	1,465	1,500	44	40	2,191	3,264	781
2005/06	829	2.3	1,887	1,465	1,500	44	40	2,118	3,192	897
<b>RYE (MY JUNE/MAY)</b>										
2000/01	120	1.8	213	82	88	10	8	59	295	30
2001/02	101	1.7	175	126	164	5	4	75	312	14
2002/03	106	1.6	165	156	109	3	2	85	321	11
2003/04	129	1.7	219	84	101	2	2	62	297	15
2004/05	129	1.7	219	152	150	3	5	122	358	25
2005/06	122	1.8	216	102	150	3	5	89	325	15
	Area Harvested	Yield	--Production--		--Imports--		--Exports--		Total Cons.	Ending Stocks
			Rough	Milled	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.		
<b>RICE (MY AUG/JULY)</b>										
2000/01	1,230	7.0	8,658	5,941	345	413	2,590	2,541	3,676	887
2001/02	1,341	7.3	9,764	6,714	419	420	2,954	3,295	3,850	1,216
2002/03	1,298	7.4	9,570	6,536	471	458	3,860	3,834	3,534	829
2003/04	1,213	7.5	9,068	6,420	495	491	3,331	3,095	3,652	761
2004/05	1,346	7.8	10,470	7,381	445	475	3,390	3,450	3,938	1,259
2005/06	1,349	7.6	10,206	7,144	460	500	3,810	3,800	4,016	1,037

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.

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WHEAT, CORN, SORGHUM, BARLEY, OATS, RYE, AND RICE  
MILLION ACRES AND MILLION BUSHELS/HUNDREDWEIGHTS**

	Area		--Imports--		--Exports--		Feed	Total	Ending	
	Harvested	Yield	Production	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Cons.	Cons.	Stocks
<b>WHEAT (MY JUNE/MAY)</b>										
2000/01	53.1	42.0	2,228	90	89	1,062	1,030	300	1,330	876
2001/02	48.5	40.2	1,947	108	109	962	965	182	1,192	777
2002/03	45.8	35.0	1,606	77	72	850	839	116	1,119	491
2003/04	53.1	44.2	2,345	63	65	1,159	1,186	207	1,193	546
2004/05	50.0	43.2	2,158	70	70	1,050	1,029	215	1,184	541
2005/06	51.2	42.7	2,185	70	70	950	937	200	1,168	678
<b>CORN (MY SEPT/AUG)</b>										
2000/01	72.4	136.9	9,915	7	7	1,941	1,903	5,842	7,799	1,899
2001/02	68.8	138.2	9,503	10	8	1,905	1,861	5,864	7,911	1,596
2002/03	69.3	129.3	8,967	14	15	1,588	1,611	5,563	7,903	1,087
2003/04	70.9	142.2	10,089	14	13	1,897	1,915	5,798	8,335	958
2004/05	73.6	160.4	11,807	10	8	1,800	1,791	6,000	8,760	2,215
2005/06	74.2	148.0	10,985	10	10	1,950	1,968	5,850	8,720	2,540
<b>SORGHUM (MY SEPT/AUG)</b>										
2000/01	7.7	60.9	471	0	0	237	234	222	258	42
2001/02	8.6	59.9	514	0	0	242	242	230	253	61
2002/03	7.1	50.6	361	0	0	184	193	170	194	43
2003/04	7.8	52.7	411	0	0	201	192	180	220	34
2004/05	6.5	69.8	455	0	0	175	177	195	247	66
2005/06	6.4	63.7	405	0	0	180	177	170	223	68
<b>BARLEY (MY JUNE/MAY)</b>										
2000/01	5.2	61.1	318	29	30	58	49	136	294	106
2001/02	4.3	58.1	248	24	25	26	24	104	260	92
2002/03	4.1	55.0	227	18	13	30	25	84	238	69
2003/04	4.7	58.9	278	21	23	19	16	84	229	120
2004/05	4.0	69.5	279	12	11	17	21	115	260	135
2005/06	3.5	63.6	225	15	16	15	14	100	240	120
<b>OATS (MY JUNE/MAY)</b>										
2000/01	2.3	64.1	149	106	107	2	2	189	257	73
2001/02	1.9	61.6	118	96	87	3	3	148	220	63
2002/03	2.1	56.4	116	95	103	3	3	150	222	50
2003/04	2.2	65.1	144	90	76	2	3	144	217	65
2004/05	1.8	64.7	116	85	87	3	3	135	209	54
2005/06	2.0	63.5	130	85	87	3	3	130	204	62
<b>RYE (MY JUNE/MAY)</b>										
2000/01	0.3	28.3	8	3	3	0	0	2	12	1
2001/02	0.2	27.6	7	5	6	0	0	3	12	1
2002/03	0.3	24.8	6	6	4	0	0	3	13	0
2003/04	0.3	27.0	9	3	4	0	0	2	12	1
2004/05	0.3	27.0	9	6	6	0	0	5	14	1
2005/06	0.3	28.2	9	4	6	0	0	4	13	1
	Area		--Production--		--Imports--		--Exports--		Total	Ending
	Harvested	Yield	Rough	Milled	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Mkt Yr.	Trade Yr.	Cons.	Stocks
<b>RICE (MY AUG/JULY)</b>										
2000/01	3.0	62.8	191	131	11	13	83	82	118	28
2001/02	3.3	65.0	215	148	13	13	95	106	123	39
2002/03	3.2	65.8	211	144	15	14	125	124	113	27
2003/04	3.0	66.7	200	142	16	15	104	96	115	24
2004/05	3.3	69.4	231	163	14	15	106	108	123	39
2005/06	3.3	67.5	225	157	14	16	120	120	126	33

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 cause some discrepancies with World Board Supply and Demand Estimates.

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

	<b>Area Harvested</b>	<b>Yield</b>	<b>Production</b>	<b>World Trade</b>	<b>Feed Cons.</b>	<b>Total Cons.</b>	<b>Ending Stocks</b>	<b>Stocks As % of Cons.</b>
1977/78	570.7	1.87	1068.9	158.3	511.7	1076.8	233.2	21.7
1978/79	569.7	2.08	1183.1	161.8	556.8	1138.1	278.2	24.4
1979/80	568.9	2.03	1153.0	182.6	573.9	1157.5	273.7	23.6
1980/81	577.6	2.01	1159.3	200.6	562.6	1179.2	255.2	21.6
1981/82	587.8	2.05	1204.0	196.9	573.5	1178.3	281.0	23.8
1982/83	576.9	2.16	1248.0	189.6	593.4	1197.1	332.1	27.7
1983/84	563.8	2.06	1162.5	193.2	588.3	1216.1	278.5	22.9
1984/85	567.0	2.32	1314.9	203.6	609.9	1253.5	339.9	27.1
1985/86	570.9	2.33	1328.5	165.2	613.1	1247.8	420.5	33.7
1986/87	565.6	2.38	1347.9	174.7	644.2	1299.5	468.9	36.1
1987/88	544.7	2.36	1284.9	202.2	655.2	1329.7	422.0	31.7
1988/89	542.2	2.25	1217.9	203.3	618.1	1302.5	337.4	25.9
1989/90	548.4	2.42	1327.6	208.9	643.0	1346.4	318.7	23.7
1990/91	548.8	2.58	1416.6	190.1	666.8	1369.5	365.8	26.7
1991/92	545.3	2.49	1355.3	207.5	649.8	1364.7	356.4	26.1
1992/93	549.2	2.61	1430.9	205.2	662.0	1389.4	395.0	28.4
1993/94	540.5	2.51	1356.1	188.1	653.9	1388.7	362.4	26.1
1994/95	537.8	2.59	1392.2	200.0	666.4	1396.1	358.6	25.7
1995/96	533.5	2.51	1338.7	187.4	635.9	1380.2	317.1	23.0
1996/97	553.5	2.69	1491.5	198.4	668.8	1442.5	366.2	25.4
1997/98	539.5	2.76	1491.0	190.3	679.5	1444.3	412.9	28.6
1998/99	533.5	2.77	1480.3	198.7	677.7	1447.9	445.2	30.8
1999/00	515.1	2.84	1462.7	217.4	684.0	1466.7	440.7	30.0
2000/01	514.2	2.81	1442.9	208.4	691.7	1467.5	416.1	28.4
2001/02	515.6	2.86	1472.5	213.5	705.9	1490.3	398.3	26.7
2002/03	506.6	2.84	1440.8	214.2	707.6	1506.0	333.1	22.1
2003/04	515.9	2.85	1468.1	207.4	711.8	1534.3	266.9	17.4
2004/05	518.3	3.15	1633.8	206.3	740.7	1576.7	324.0	20.5
2005/06	520.1	3.02	1569.9	205.2	739.3	1584.0	309.8	19.6

Notes:

Wheat and coarse grains trade data are on July/June years through 1975/76. From 1976/77 to the present, coarse grains data are on an 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**

	<b>Area Harvested</b>	<b>Yield</b>	<b>Production</b>	<b>World Trade</b>	<b>Feed Cons.</b>	<b>Total Cons.</b>	<b>Ending Stocks</b>	<b>Stocks As % of Cons.</b>
<b>WHEAT</b>								
1977/78	227.2	1.66	377.8	71.7	85.5	396.0	109.2	27.6
1978/79	228.9	1.92	438.9	71.3	89.8	413.3	134.8	32.6
1979/80	227.8	1.83	417.5	85.5	94.0	431.9	120.5	27.9
1980/81	236.9	1.84	435.9	93.2	91.2	444.1	112.7	25.4
1981/82	238.9	1.86	445.0	100.5	90.6	445.1	112.5	25.3
1982/83	238.4	1.98	472.7	97.7	92.8	455.6	129.9	28.5
1983/84	229.9	2.11	484.3	101.2	95.6	468.9	145.3	31.0
1984/85	231.7	2.20	508.9	104.7	99.9	486.2	168.0	34.6
1985/86	229.8	2.15	494.8	83.6	97.2	484.5	178.3	36.8
1986/87	227.9	2.30	524.1	89.7	113.2	511.3	191.1	37.4
1987/88	219.7	2.27	497.9	114.1	113.6	530.3	158.6	29.9
1988/89	217.4	2.28	495.0	104.3	104.0	519.6	134.0	25.8
1989/90	225.8	2.36	533.2	103.9	103.7	531.0	136.2	25.6
1990/91	231.4	2.54	588.0	101.3	130.1	553.6	170.5	30.8
1991/92	222.5	2.44	542.9	111.4	113.8	551.5	162.0	29.4
1992/93	222.8	2.52	561.6	113.2	110.9	547.6	175.7	32.1
1993/94	222.1	2.51	558.0	101.7	108.0	552.4	181.4	32.8
1994/95	214.3	2.44	523.2	101.5	99.5	542.4	162.1	29.9
1995/96	218.8	2.46	537.9	99.2	91.9	544.8	155.3	28.5
1996/97	230.2	2.53	582.6	104.0	96.7	573.4	164.5	28.7
1997/98	228.4	2.67	610.0	104.5	101.0	577.3	197.1	34.1
1998/99	225.0	2.62	589.9	102.0	103.6	579.0	208.1	35.9
1999/00	215.4	2.72	585.8	112.6	99.7	585.0	208.9	35.7
2000/01	217.5	2.67	581.4	104.0	104.0	583.8	206.5	35.4
2001/02	214.6	2.71	580.9	110.8	106.6	585.0	202.5	34.6
2002/03	213.8	2.65	567.4	110.0	112.7	604.0	165.8	27.4
2003/04	209.8	2.64	553.9	104.6	96.9	588.8	130.9	22.2
2004/05	217.3	2.88	624.9	107.9	106.8	606.3	149.6	24.7
2005/06	218.4	2.82	615.2	106.8	111.0	617.3	147.4	23.9
<b>COARSE GRAINS</b>								
1977/78	343.5	2.01	691.0	86.6	426.2	680.8	124.0	18.2
1978/79	340.8	2.18	744.1	90.5	467.0	724.8	143.3	19.8
1979/80	341.1	2.16	735.5	97.1	479.9	725.6	153.2	21.1
1980/81	340.7	2.12	723.4	107.4	471.4	735.1	142.6	19.4
1981/82	348.9	2.18	759.0	96.4	482.9	733.2	168.4	23.0
1982/83	338.6	2.29	775.3	92.0	500.6	741.5	202.2	27.3
1983/84	333.9	2.03	678.1	92.0	492.7	747.2	133.1	17.8
1984/85	335.3	2.40	806.0	98.9	510.0	767.3	171.9	22.4
1985/86	341.1	2.44	833.7	81.6	515.9	763.3	242.2	31.7
1986/87	337.7	2.44	823.9	85.0	531.0	788.2	277.9	35.3
1987/88	325.0	2.42	787.0	88.1	541.5	799.5	263.3	32.9
1988/89	324.8	2.23	722.9	99.0	514.1	782.9	203.4	26.0
1989/90	322.6	2.46	794.5	105.0	539.3	815.4	182.5	22.4
1990/91	317.5	2.61	828.6	88.9	536.7	815.9	195.2	23.9
1991/92	322.8	2.52	812.4	96.2	536.0	813.2	194.4	23.9
1992/93	326.4	2.66	869.2	91.9	551.1	841.8	219.3	26.1
1993/94	318.4	2.51	798.1	86.4	545.9	836.3	181.1	21.7
1994/95	323.4	2.69	869.1	98.5	566.9	853.7	196.5	23.0
1995/96	314.7	2.54	800.8	88.2	544.0	835.4	161.8	19.4
1996/97	323.4	2.81	908.9	94.3	572.1	869.1	201.7	23.2
1997/98	311.2	2.83	881.0	85.8	578.5	867.0	215.8	24.9
1998/99	308.4	2.89	890.3	96.7	574.0	868.9	237.2	27.3
1999/00	299.8	2.93	876.8	104.8	584.2	881.8	231.8	26.3
2000/01	296.7	2.90	861.5	104.4	587.8	883.7	209.6	23.7
2001/02	301.0	2.96	891.6	102.6	599.3	905.3	195.8	21.6
2002/03	292.8	2.98	873.5	104.2	594.9	902.0	167.3	18.5
2003/04	306.1	2.99	914.2	102.8	615.0	945.5	136.0	14.4
2004/05	301.0	3.35	1008.9	98.4	633.9	970.5	174.4	18.0
2005/06	301.7	3.16	954.7	98.4	628.3	966.7	162.4	16.8

Notes:

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

**WORLD CORN AND BARLEY: SUPPLY AND DEMAND  
MILLIONS OF METRIC TONS/HECTARES**

	<b>Area Harvested</b>	<b>Yield</b>	<b>Production</b>	<b>World Trade</b>	<b>Feed Cons.</b>	<b>Total Cons.</b>	<b>Ending Stocks</b>	<b>Stocks As % of Cons.</b>
<b>CORN</b>								
1977/78	125.8	2.91	365.4	63.6	226.7	356.5	77.3	21.7
1978/79	126.0	3.11	392.1	67.1	247.0	378.0	91.4	24.2
1979/80	127.3	3.34	425.6	73.2	277.1	405.8	111.2	27.4
1980/81	131.2	3.12	408.7	77.8	279.2	417.9	102.5	24.5
1981/82	133.0	3.32	441.8	66.9	286.1	417.1	127.2	30.5
1982/83	125.2	3.51	439.9	63.2	293.5	417.3	149.8	35.9
1983/84	119.7	2.91	348.3	61.1	271.1	409.1	89.0	21.8
1984/85	129.0	3.55	458.4	66.1	289.5	429.2	118.2	27.5
1985/86	131.0	3.66	479.0	53.8	284.3	419.5	177.7	42.4
1986/87	131.9	3.61	475.4	56.9	304.6	448.3	204.9	45.7
1987/88	127.2	3.55	451.0	58.8	316.5	458.3	197.5	43.1
1988/89	126.3	3.17	400.9	66.0	306.8	453.2	145.2	32.0
1989/90	127.5	3.62	462.0	74.5	324.8	474.4	132.8	28.0
1990/91	129.4	3.72	482.1	58.8	318.3	473.6	141.2	29.8
1991/92	132.7	3.72	493.2	63.0	334.3	493.6	140.9	28.5
1992/93	133.4	4.02	536.1	62.6	348.6	512.5	162.5	31.7
1993/94	130.9	3.64	476.0	57.3	342.0	509.2	129.3	25.4
1994/95	135.3	4.13	559.0	71.9	371.1	535.3	152.9	28.6
1995/96	134.9	3.83	515.9	64.7	364.8	536.3	132.5	24.7
1996/97	141.6	4.18	592.6	66.7	387.2	559.8	165.3	29.5
1997/98	136.2	4.21	573.8	63.0	400.5	573.3	165.8	28.9
1998/99	139.2	4.35	605.3	68.7	403.6	580.9	190.1	32.7
1999/00	138.9	4.37	606.7	73.4	421.3	604.4	192.5	31.8
2000/01	137.2	4.30	590.0	76.4	426.9	609.8	172.7	28.3
2001/02	137.7	4.35	599.1	74.5	435.5	622.7	149.1	23.9
2002/03	137.4	4.38	601.8	78.0	433.0	627.3	123.6	19.7
2003/04	141.2	4.42	623.8	78.8	444.6	647.3	100.1	15.5
2004/05	143.2	4.95	708.2	75.0	465.3	679.7	128.7	18.9
2005/06	144.2	4.67	674.3	74.8	463.8	680.9	122.1	17.9
<b>BARLEY</b>								
1977/78	83.0	1.89	157.1	10.1	113.8	158.9	19.9	12.5
1978/79	80.9	2.17	175.6	10.6	123.9	171.2	24.3	14.2
1979/80	84.0	1.83	153.8	10.2	118.5	159.2	18.9	11.9
1980/81	78.6	2.00	157.4	13.5	111.2	158.3	18.3	11.6
1981/82	81.6	1.83	149.5	14.5	109.4	151.8	16.0	10.6
1982/83	78.8	2.05	161.2	16.0	113.4	155.8	21.5	13.8
1983/84	79.8	1.99	158.5	15.8	122.0	164.5	15.5	9.4
1984/85	79.2	2.15	170.5	17.4	122.4	162.9	23.1	14.2
1985/86	80.0	2.17	173.6	17.7	127.8	167.2	29.6	17.7
1986/87	79.6	2.24	178.1	18.3	132.1	173.8	33.8	19.5
1987/88	78.7	2.23	175.3	18.3	129.7	173.6	33.4	19.2
1988/89	76.4	2.15	164.0	19.0	121.9	166.2	31.1	18.7
1989/90	73.6	2.26	166.1	18.5	126.2	170.5	26.7	15.7
1990/91	72.9	2.46	179.0	19.6	130.4	175.9	29.8	17.0
1991/92	76.4	2.22	169.8	19.4	120.2	166.3	33.3	20.0
1992/93	73.4	2.27	166.2	16.4	118.9	165.6	33.3	20.1
1993/94	74.7	2.26	169.2	18.8	123.7	168.9	33.5	19.9
1994/95	73.2	2.20	160.7	15.3	121.1	165.8	28.5	17.2
1995/96	69.0	2.05	141.6	13.4	107.7	150.6	19.5	13.0
1996/97	66.5	2.31	153.6	17.9	106.2	149.4	23.7	15.8
1997/98	64.9	2.38	154.2	12.8	103.7	145.7	32.2	22.1
1998/99	60.7	2.23	135.7	17.8	98.6	139.0	28.9	20.8
1999/00	55.3	2.31	127.5	18.8	93.8	132.4	24.0	18.2
2000/01	54.7	2.43	132.9	16.9	94.3	134.2	22.8	17.0
2001/02	56.7	2.49	141.5	17.6	94.5	135.9	28.4	20.9
2002/03	56.2	2.38	133.9	16.8	93.5	135.7	26.6	19.6
2003/04	60.0	2.38	142.6	15.3	102.3	147.0	22.1	15.1
2004/05	57.5	2.66	152.7	14.9	98.4	143.0	31.9	22.3
2005/06	56.8	2.43	137.7	15.2	97.4	141.5	28.1	19.8

Notes:

Coarse grains trade data are on July/June years through 1975/76. From 1976/77 to the present, coarse grains data are on an 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 (Rough)	Yield	--Production--		World Trade	Total Cons.	Ending Stocks	Stocks As % of Cons.
			Rough	Milled				
1976/77	141.4	2.45	346.8	235.8	10.3	236.4	38.8	16.4
1977/78	143.4	2.57	368.8	250.6	9.5	244.6	44.8	18.3
1978/79	143.6	2.68	385.4	262.4	11.8	252.3	54.8	21.7
1979/80	141.2	2.67	376.6	256.8	12.0	257.6	54.0	21.0
1980/81	144.4	2.75	397.0	270.0	11.9	271.3	52.6	19.4
1981/82	144.4	2.83	408.3	277.9	11.3	280.0	50.5	18.0
1982/83	140.5	2.98	418.3	285.0	11.2	278.7	56.8	20.4
1983/84	144.6	3.12	450.9	306.9	11.9	294.4	69.3	23.5
1984/85	144.1	3.23	464.9	316.7	11.0	298.4	87.7	29.4
1985/86	144.8	3.23	467.2	318.0	11.8	307.9	97.7	31.7
1986/87	144.8	3.33	481.9	316.0	12.9	310.4	103.3	33.3
1987/88	141.7	3.28	465.0	315.2	11.4	313.3	105.3	33.6
1988/89	146.5	3.35	491.0	332.2	14.0	325.8	111.7	34.3
1989/90	147.6	3.46	510.4	345.3	11.7	336.4	120.6	35.9
1990/91	146.7	3.54	518.8	351.0	12.3	345.0	126.7	36.7
1991/92	147.5	3.55	522.9	353.3	14.4	353.1	126.8	35.9
1992/93	146.6	3.58	524.3	354.1	14.9	357.6	123.3	34.5
1993/94	145.3	3.62	526.2	355.0	16.5	359.1	119.2	33.2
1994/95	147.5	3.65	538.7	363.6	20.7	365.0	117.8	32.3
1995/96	148.1	3.72	550.6	371.0	19.7	370.4	118.4	32.0
1996/97	149.9	3.76	563.7	380.4	18.9	378.0	120.7	31.9
1997/98	151.1	3.80	574.2	386.8	27.6	379.3	128.2	33.8
1998/99	152.7	3.84	586.1	394.4	24.8	387.3	135.3	34.9
1999/00	155.2	3.92	607.9	408.7	22.8	397.5	146.6	36.9
2000/01	151.4	3.91	592.5	398.2	24.4	394.0	150.8	38.3
2001/02	150.1	3.95	593.0	398.5	27.8	409.6	139.7	34.1
2002/03	145.6	3.86	562.8	377.9	27.6	407.3	110.3	27.1
2003/04	147.8	3.93	580.8	389.5	26.8	413.6	86.2	20.8
2004/05	149.5	4.00	598.4	402.0	25.4	413.4	74.8	18.1
2005/06	153.2	3.99	611.0	410.3	25.1	416.6	68.5	16.4

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.

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## **ENDNOTES TO GRAIN: WORLD MARKETS AND TRADE**

### **REGIONAL TABLES**

**North America:** Canada, Mexico, the United States.

**Latin America:** Central America, the Caribbean, South America.

**EU:** Austria, Belgium/Luxembourg, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom.

**Former Soviet Union:** Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Uzbekistan.

**Other Europe:** Albania, Azores, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Gibraltar, Iceland, Macedonia, Norway, Romania, Serbia and Montenegro, Switzerland, Yugoslavia.

**Middle East:** Bahrain, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, United Arab Emirates, Yemen.

**North Africa:** Algeria, Egypt, Libya, Morocco, Tunisia.

**Sub-Saharan Africa:** all African countries except North Africa.

**South Asia:** Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Nepal, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Maldives.

**Southeast Asia:** Brunei, Burma, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Vietnam.

**East Asia:** China, Hong Kong, Japan, South Korea, North Korea, Macau, Mongolia, Taiwan.

**Oceania:** Australia, Fiji, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea.

### **OTHER NOTES**

**Stocks:** Unless otherwise stated, stocks 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.

**Consumption:** World totals for consumption reflect total utilization, including food, seed, industrial, feed, and waste; as well as differences in marketing year imports and marketing year exports. Consumption statistics for regions and individual countries, however, reflect food, seed, industrial, feed, and waste only.

**EU Consolidation:** The trade figures for the EU-25 for the years 1999/00 through 2002/03 are inflated by the two-way trade between the two groups (EU-15 and acceding 10). Over the past 6 years, this “intra-trade” has averaged about 700,000 tons for wheat, 350,000 tons each for corn and barley, and 150,000 tons for rye. The trade figures also include intra-trade between members of the acceding 10. From 2003/04 onward, all intra-trade has been removed.

**Statistics:** (1) Wheat trade statistics include wheat, flour, and selected products on a grain equivalent basis. (2) Rice trade statistics include rough, brown, milled, and broken on a milled equivalent basis. (3) Coarse grains statistics include corn, barley, sorghum, oats, rye, millet, and mixed grains but exclude trade in barley malt, millet, and mixed grains.

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**Unaccounted:** This term includes grain in transit, reporting discrepancies in some countries, and trade to countries outside the USDA database.

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