

Table 2
World Cotton Supply, Use, and Trade
1998/99 - 2003/04 (Season Beginning August 1)
In 1,000 480 Lb. Bales

	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03 Estimate	2003/04 Forecast	Percent change
Production							
World	85,258	87,499	88,707	98,519	88,184	92,195	4.5%
China; Peoples Republic of	20,700	17,600	20,300	24,400	22,600	22,000	-2.7%
United States	13,918	16,968	17,188	20,303	17,209	18,224	5.9%
India	12,883	12,180	10,931	12,300	10,600	12,700	19.8%
Pakistan	6,300	8,600	8,200	8,300	7,800	7,600	-2.6%
Brazil	2,391	3,216	4,312	3,519	3,890	5,200	33.7%
Uzbekistan; Republic of	4,600	5,180	4,400	4,900	4,600	4,200	-8.7%
Turkey	3,860	3,634	3,600	3,975	4,179	4,100	-1.9%
Other	20,606	20,121	19,776	20,822	17,306	18,171	5.0%
Use							
World	84,641	90,957	92,158	94,575	97,923	97,111	-0.8%
China; Peoples Republic of	18,700	21,300	23,500	26,250	29,500	30,200	2.4%
India	12,620	13,547	13,544	13,275	13,300	13,200	-0.8%
Pakistan	7,000	7,650	8,100	8,500	9,200	9,400	2.2%
United States	10,401	10,194	8,862	7,696	7,269	6,200	-14.7%
Turkey	4,600	5,600	5,167	6,150	6,300	6,000	-4.8%
Brazil	3,774	4,236	4,200	3,800	3,450	3,700	7.2%
Indonesia	2,200	2,000	2,450	2,300	2,300	2,200	-4.3%
Other	25,346	26,430	26,335	26,604	26,604	26,211	-1.5%
Imports							
World	24,900	28,377	26,591	29,560	30,671	32,396	5.6%
China; Peoples Republic of	359	117	241	449	3,127	7,000	123.9%
Indonesia	2,323	2,076	2,650	2,356	2,250	2,200	-2.2%
Turkey	1,139	2,400	1,750	2,868	2,265	1,850	-18.3%
Thailand	1,211	1,706	1,573	2,057	1,945	1,850	-4.9%
Mexico	1,422	1,813	1,865	2,065	2,300	1,600	-30.4%
Bangladesh	650	775	1,000	1,200	1,450	1,575	8.6%
Russian Federation	850	1,600	1,650	1,800	1,650	1,550	-6.1%
Other	16,946	17,890	15,862	16,765	15,684	14,771	-5.8%
Exports							
World	23,662	27,301	26,622	29,092	30,659	32,054	4.6%
United States	4,298	6,750	6,740	11,000	11,900	13,200	10.9%
Uzbekistan; Republic of	3,812	4,100	3,400	3,400	3,500	3,025	-13.6%
Brazil	23	12	315	674	489	1,650	237.4%
Australia	3,040	3,209	3,904	3,101	2,655	1,650	-37.9%
Greece	964	1,080	1,424	1,000	1,300	1,100	-15.4%
Mali	950	900	575	925	850	1,050	23.5%
Burkina	525	520	520	650	725	925	27.6%
Other	10,050	10,730	9,744	8,342	9,240	9,454	2.3%
Ending Stocks							
World	48,063	45,558	42,640	46,948	36,971	32,358	-12.5%
China; Peoples Republic of	23,033	17,758	14,351	12,608	8,084	6,784	-16.1%
United States	3,939	3,915	6,000	7,448	5,385	4,250	-21.1%
India	4,750	4,913	3,773	4,688	3,338	3,438	3.0%
Brazil	1,741	2,393	2,968	2,416	3,030	3,180	5.0%
Pakistan	1,711	2,696	2,646	3,261	2,455	2,030	-17.3%
Turkey	593	827	882	1,450	1,289	1,039	-19.4%
Australia	2,085	2,309	2,095	2,211	1,231	806	-34.5%
Other	10,211	10,747	9,925	12,866	12,159	10,831	-10.9%