

Table 1
World Cotton Supply, Use, and Trade
1995/96 - 2000/01 (Season Beginning August 1)
In 1,000 Metric Tons

	<u>1995/96</u>	<u>1996/97</u>	<u>1997/98</u>	<u>1998/99</u>	<u>1999/2000</u> <u>Estimate</u>	<u>2000/01</u> <u>Forecast</u>
Production						
World Total	20,262	19,506	19,950	18,446	18,948	18,920
China, People's Rep.	4,768	4,202	4,594	4,507	3,832	3,919
United States	3,897	4,124	4,092	3,030	3,694	3,807
India	2,885	3,030	2,686	2,771	2,678	2,678
Pakistan	1,785	1,594	1,562	1,372	1,872	1,807
Uzbekistan, Rep.	1,250	1,048	1,138	1,002	1,128	1,067
Franc-Zone Africa 2/	685	798	941	878	837	764
Turkey	852	784	795	840	800	762
Others	4,141	3,925	4,142	4,046	4,106	4,116
Consumption						
World Total	18,733	19,165	18,976	18,518	19,866	20,183
China, People's Rep.	4,289	4,420	4,267	4,180	4,834	4,899
India	2,608	2,857	2,760	2,748	2,896	2,961
United States	2,318	2,422	2,471	2,265	2,230	2,199
Pakistan	1,568	1,524	1,565	1,524	1,666	1,742
Turkey	950	1,031	1,089	1,002	1,176	1,197
EU-15	1,125	1,137	1,136	1,070	1,055	1,086
S.E. Asia 1/	964	961	868	945	982	1,017
Others	4,912	4,813	4,821	4,784	5,029	5,082
Imports						
World Total	5,994	6,309	5,698	5,481	5,906	5,927
S.E. Asia 1/	998	980	859	961	1,029	1,041
EU-15	1,031	1,052	977	875	881	933
Mexico	151	207	322	324	403	501
Turkey	113	295	316	248	414	457
Russian Federation	239	218	267	185	348	348
Korea, South	362	327	288	320	332	305
Japan	330	292	292	275	279	250
Others	2,769	2,937	2,378	2,292	2,221	2,091
Exports						
World Total	6,050	5,863	5,833	5,168	5,934	5,823
United States	1,671	1,495	1,633	946	1,470	1,655
Uzbekistan, Rep.	985	991	995	830	893	871
Franc-Zone Africa 2/	609	720	788	778	776	724
Australia	318	518	590	662	699	697
EU-15	372	349	303	293	335	346
Syria	123	152	218	185	207	196
Turkmenistan	200	114	109	163	174	152
Others	1,771	1,524	1,198	1,312	1,381	1,182
Ending Stocks						
World Total	7,972	8,722	9,518	9,814	8,811	7,618
China, People's Rep.	3,059	3,626	4,345	4,601	3,256	2,276
India	1,100	1,019	909	1,000	1,033	957
United States	568	865	846	858	854	827
Pakistan	296	396	331	373	546	508
Australia	238	299	354	390	379	401
Brazil	323	274	324	287	332	356
EU-15	288	261	278	267	309	306
Others	2,099	1,983	2,131	2,039	2,103	1,988

1/ Includes Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, and Vietnam.

2/ Includes Benin, Burkina, Cameroon, CAR, Chad, Cote d'Ivoire, Mali, Niger, Senegal, and Togo.

Note: Totals may not add due to rounding.