Table 8: U.S. Export Sales Summary 1/

U.S. export sales were down in December 2000. Upland cotton sales for delivery in MY 2000/2001 during Dec 1 - Dec 28 (4 weeks) registered net sales of 407,000 running bales, a weekly average of 101,750 bales. In MY 1999/2000 upland sales during Dec 3 - Dec 30, registered net sales of 737,700 running bales, a weekly average of 184,425 bales. The weekly upland export average through Dec 28 for MY 2000/2001 was 80,000 running bales against MY 1999/2000's weekly export average of 70,000 bales. Accumulated exports through Dec 28 for MY 2000/2001 were 1.8 million running bales, compared with 1.5 million last year. Total upland outstanding sales for MY 2000/2001 were 2.6 million running bales, compared with 3.4 million bales the same time a year ago. Upland commitments to date were 4.4 million running bales, compared with 5 million bales last year. Pima export sales during Dec 1 - Dec 28 for delivery during MY 2000/2001 totaled 15,400 running bales and total net sales were 14,200 bales. Pima accumulated exports through Dec 28 for MY 2000/2001 totaled 168,300 running bales, compared with 91,000 bales the same time a year ago. Total Pima commitments amounted to 383,700 running bales.

U.S. Cotton Export Sales For 4 -Week Period Dec 1 - Dec 28 MY 2000/2001 (1,000 Running Bales)					
Region/Country	Pima	All Upland	Upland		
			> 1-1/16"	1" to 1-1/16"	< 1"
European Union	4.5	3.9	2.7	1.2	0.0
Other Western Europe	-0.3	14.3	-0.7	4.8	10.2
Eastern Europe	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Former Soviet Union	0.0	0.9	0.9	0.0	0.0
Japan	4.1	38.4	37.4	0.9	0.1
Taiwan	0.1	43.2	27.6	11.7	4.0
China	0.0	1.5	-3.7	5.2	0.0
Korea Republic	-0.4	63.2	49.4	13.8	0.0
India	0.9	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.0
Other Asia & Oceania	5.7	94.2	53.1	35.8	5.4
Africa	0.0	2.4	2.4	0.0	0.0
Western Hemisphere	0.0	145.0	97.6	47.4	0.0
Unknown	-0.5	-0.6	-0.6	0.0	0.0
Total Net Sales	14.2	407.0	266.6	120.7	19.7
Note: Totals may not add due to rounding. Source: USDA/FAS					Jan-01