

Table 1
World Cotton Supply, Use, and Trade
1994/95 - 1999/2000 (Season Beginning August 1)
In 1,000 Metric Tons

	<u>1994/95</u>	<u>1995/96</u>	<u>1996/97</u>	<u>1997/98</u>	<u>1998/99</u> <u>Estimate</u>	<u>1999/2000</u> <u>Forecast</u>
Production						
World Total	18,694	20,258	19,502	19,957	18,389	18,734
China, People's Rep.	4,333	4,768	4,202	4,594	4,507	4,137
United States	4,281	3,897	4,124	4,092	3,030	3,577
India	2,427	2,885	3,030	2,686	2,787	2,678
Pakistan	1,361	1,785	1,594	1,562	1,372	1,633
Uzbekistan, Rep.	1,258	1,250	1,048	1,138	1,002	1,045
Franc-Zone Africa 2/	578	685	798	941	882	923
Turkey	628	852	784	795	838	849
Others	3,827	4,136	3,921	4,149	3,972	3,892
Consumption						
World Total	18,625	18,920	19,395	19,264	18,480	18,955
China, People's Rep.	4,572	4,485	4,648	4,529	4,311	4,398
India	2,296	2,608	2,857	2,760	2,722	2,787
United States	2,438	2,318	2,422	2,471	2,265	2,221
Pakistan	1,470	1,568	1,524	1,565	1,524	1,568
EU15	1,205	1,121	1,146	1,170	1,123	1,093
Turkey	850	950	1,031	1,089	947	1,023
S.E. Asia 1/	961	964	961	868	910	968
Others	4,832	4,907	4,805	4,813	4,678	4,898
Imports						
World Total	6,647	6,001	6,317	5,746	5,380	5,589
S.E. Asia 1/	938	998	980	859	914	994
EU15	1,073	1,034	1,043	1,010	939	938
Mexico	126	151	207	322	316	435
Brazil	351	385	519	410	297	359
Korea, South	380	362	327	288	320	348
Taiwan	243	300	283	263	305	316
Japan	381	330	292	292	275	272
Others	3,154	2,441	2,665	2,302	2,013	1,926
Exports						
World Total	6,180	6,043	5,841	5,806	5,103	5,489
United States	2,047	1,671	1,495	1,633	946	1,197
Uzbekistan, Rep.	1,090	985	991	995	827	849
Franc-Zone Africa 2/	584	609	720	788	788	825
Australia	293	319	519	590	631	610
EU15	295	365	336	294	292	312
China, People's Rep.	40	5	2	7	148	261
Syria	124	123	146	197	250	218
Others	1,708	1,966	1,631	1,302	1,219	1,216
Ending Stocks						
World Total	6,510	7,781	8,312	8,881	9,097	8,913
China, People's Rep.	1,933	2,874	3,213	3,670	3,790	3,321
United States	577	568	865	846	858	1,023
India	878	1,100	1,019	909	1,034	958
Brazil	420	323	274	324	370	403
EU15	352	351	319	344	337	362
Pakistan	368	296	396	331	313	362
Australia	94	163	206	240	265	287
Others	1,887	2,106	2,021	2,217	2,131	2,197

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.