

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	20,270	19,515	19,946	18,490	18,995	18,991
China, People's Rep.	4,768	4,202	4,594	4,507	3,832	4,355
United States	3,897	4,124	4,092	3,030	3,694	3,742
India	2,885	3,030	2,686	2,805	2,652	2,460
Pakistan	1,785	1,594	1,562	1,372	1,872	1,720
Uzbekistan, Rep.	1,250	1,048	1,138	1,002	1,128	936
Brazil	390	280	380	457	675	849
Turkey	852	784	795	840	791	762
Others	4,443	4,452	4,699	4,476	4,350	4,166
Consumption						
World Total	18,726	19,166	18,985	18,581	19,990	19,970
China, People's Rep.	4,289	4,420	4,267	4,180	4,834	5,117
India	2,608	2,857	2,760	2,748	2,939	2,874
United States	2,318	2,422	2,471	2,265	2,230	2,003
Pakistan	1,568	1,524	1,565	1,524	1,666	1,698
S.E. Asia 1/	964	961	868	945	998	1,109
Turkey	950	1,031	1,089	1,002	1,219	1,089
EU-15	1,125	1,137	1,136	1,070	1,049	1,081
Others	4,905	4,815	4,830	4,848	5,055	4,999
Imports						
World Total	5,937	6,279	5,675	5,447	6,156	5,814
S.E. Asia 1/	998	980	859	961	1,054	1,117
EU-15	1,031	1,052	977	875	876	928
Mexico	115	195	299	310	395	414
Russian Federation	239	218	267	185	348	381
Turkey	113	295	316	248	523	316
India	19	3	32	111	305	305
Korea, South	362	327	288	320	334	294
Others	3,060	3,208	2,639	2,436	2,323	2,060
Exports						
World Total	5,996	5,840	5,811	5,155	5,928	5,660
United States	1,671	1,495	1,633	946	1,470	1,393
Uzbekistan, Rep.	985	991	995	830	893	784
Australia	318	518	590	662	699	751
Franc-Zone Africa 2/	609	720	788	783	792	699
EU-15	372	349	303	293	335	346
Syria	123	152	218	185	207	229
Turkmenistan	200	114	109	163	174	147
Others	1,716	1,501	1,176	1,294	1,359	1,311
Ending Stocks						
World Total	7,986	8,735	9,518	9,773	8,949	8,081
China, People's Rep.	3,059	3,626	4,345	4,601	3,256	2,483
United States	568	865	846	858	854	1,197
India	1,100	1,019	909	1,034	1,041	921
Pakistan	296	396	331	373	587	538
Australia	238	299	354	390	412	357
Brazil	323	274	324	223	340	340
EU-15	288	261	278	267	309	306
Others	2,113	1,997	2,132	2,028	2,152	1,939

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.