

WORLD RICE TRADE
JANUARY/DECEMBER YEAR
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

	2002	2003	2004	2005 10-Jun	2005 12-Jul	2006 10-Jun	2006 12-Jul
EXPORTS							
Argentina	224	170	249	350	350	400	400
Australia	366	141	131	125	125	175	175
Burma	1,002	388	130	150	150	150	150
China	1,963	2,583	880	600	650	600	600
Egypt	468	579	826	850	850	750	750
India	6,650	4,421	3,172	3,500	3,750	3,500	3,500
Pakistan	1,603	1,958	1,986	2,100	2,200	2,100	2,100
Thailand	7,245	7,552	10,137	8,500	8,250	8,000	8,000
Uruguay	526	675	804	700	650	700	700
Vietnam	3,245	3,795	4,295	4,200	4,300	4,000	4,000
EU-25	359	220	187	175	175	175	175
Others	867	1,234	1,229	926	926	821	821
Subtotal	24,518	23,716	24,026	22,176	22,376	21,371	21,371
United States	3,295	3,834	3,095	3,550	3,550	3,800	3,800
WORLD TOTAL	27,813	27,550	27,121	25,726	25,926	25,171	25,171
IMPORTS							
Bangladesh	313	1,112	800	700	750	650	650
Brazil	554	1,063	760	425	425	600	600
Canada	229	242	285	250	250	250	250
China	304	258	1,122	700	500	900	600
Colombia	31	75	85	100	75	50	50
Costa Rica	88	95	136	100	100	100	100
Cote d'Ivoire	716	750	750	750	750	750	750
Cuba	538	371	639	750	750	700	700
El Salvador	85	74	51	75	75	75	75
Ghana	350	357	425	350	350	350	350
Guinea	325	350	350	350	350	350	350
Haiti	305	345	269	300	300	300	300
Honduras	105	88	102	100	100	100	100
Indonesia	3,500	2,750	650	700	900	700	700
Iran	964	900	950	950	950	950	950
Iraq	1,178	672	889	1,000	1,000	1,200	1,200
Jamaica & Dep	30	51	35	50	50	50	50
Japan	616	654	706	650	650	650	650
Korea, North	654	633	465	500	500	500	500
Korea, South	136	179	188	230	230	250	250
Malaysia	480	500	700	650	650	600	600
Mexico	530	582	521	550	550	600	600
Nigeria	1,897	1,600	1,369	1,400	1,400	1,500	1,500
Nicaragua	107	102	109	100	100	100	100
Peru	33	32	88	90	115	40	40
Philippines	1,250	1,300	1,100	1,600	1,900	1,100	1,100
Russia	406	385	350	350	350	375	375
Saudi Arabia	938	1,150	1,500	1,100	1,100	1,000	1,000
Senegal	858	750	850	850	850	750	750
Singapore	358	375	346	375	375	375	375
South Africa	800	725	818	750	750	750	750
Sri Lanka	80	29	215	150	150	150	150
Syria	204	190	200	190	190	200	200
Taiwan	106	135	158	125	125	125	125
Turkey	342	340	153	250	250	250	250
Uzbekistan	65	25	25	25	25	25	25
UAE	80	80	80	80	80	80	80
Yemen	210	250	275	250	250	250	250
EU-25	1,173	950	1,079	1,050	1,050	975	975
Other Europe	238	209	230	220	220	220	220
United States	420	458	491	475	425	500	450
Subtotal	21,596	21,186	20,314	19,660	19,960	19,440	19,090
Other Countries	4,344	4,615	5,155	4,417	4,417	4,301	4,301
Unaccounted	1,873	1,749	1,652	1,649	1,549	1,430	1,780
WORLD TOTAL	27,813	27,550	27,121	25,726	25,926	25,171	25,171

WORLD RICE PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS
LOCAL MARKETING YEARS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05 10-Jun	2004/05 12-Jul	2005/06 10-Jun	2005/06 12-Jul
MILLED PRODUCTION							
Australia	888	280	382	247	247	322	322
Bangladesh	24,310	25,187	26,152	25,500	25,500	26,500	26,500
Brazil	7,067	7,050	8,709	8,976	8,976	8,100	8,100
Burma	10,440	10,788	10,730	9,570	9,570	10,730	10,440
China	124,306	122,180	112,462	126,000	126,000	127,500	127,500
Egypt	3,575	3,705	3,900	3,930	3,930	4,000	4,000
India	93,080	72,700	87,000	86,000	86,000	90,000	90,000
Indonesia	32,960	33,411	35,024	34,830	34,250	34,900	34,900
Japan	8,242	8,089	7,091	7,944	7,944	8,000	8,000
Korea, South	5,515	4,927	4,451	5,000	5,000	4,900	4,800
Pakistan	3,882	4,479	4,848	4,920	4,920	5,000	5,000
Philippines	8,450	8,450	9,200	9,400	9,400	9,300	9,300
Taiwan	1,245	1,271	1,164	1,011	1,011	1,025	1,025
Thailand	17,499	17,198	18,011	17,000	17,000	17,800	17,800
Vietnam	21,036	21,527	22,082	21,850	21,850	22,300	22,300
EU-25	1,632	1,731	1,723	1,864	1,864	1,803	1,803
Others	27,684	28,425	30,139	30,323	30,345	31,046	31,064
Subtotal	391,811	371,398	383,068	394,365	393,807	403,226	402,854
United States	6,714	6,536	6,420	7,407	7,407	7,144	7,017
WORLD TOTAL	398,525	377,934	389,488	401,772	401,214	410,370	409,871
CONSUMPTION							
Australia	378	380	380	380	380	380	380
Bangladesh	25,553	26,100	26,400	26,700	26,700	26,900	26,900
Brazil	8,300	8,100	8,687	9,001	9,001	9,210	9,210
Burma	9,900	10,100	10,200	10,300	10,300	10,400	10,400
China	134,581	134,800	135,000	135,100	135,100	135,200	135,200
Egypt	3,175	3,275	3,300	3,325	3,325	3,350	3,350
India	87,351	80,740	84,100	84,000	84,000	85,000	85,000
Indonesia	36,382	36,500	36,000	35,850	35,850	35,600	35,600
Iran	3,000	3,075	3,100	3,125	3,125	3,150	3,150
Japan	8,779	8,742	8,357	8,300	8,300	8,250	8,250
Korea, North	2,004	2,083	1,925	2,040	2,040	1,960	1,960
Korea, South	5,155	5,033	4,637	4,741	4,741	4,663	4,663
Pakistan	2,635	2,645	2,700	2,750	2,750	2,800	2,800
Philippines	9,040	9,550	10,250	10,400	10,400	10,600	10,600
South Africa	600	650	700	750	750	800	800
Taiwan	1,150	1,150	1,150	1,125	1,125	1,125	1,125
Thailand	9,400	9,460	9,470	9,480	9,480	9,490	9,490
Vietnam	17,000	17,500	18,000	18,600	18,500	19,000	19,000
EU-25	2,444	2,597	2,509	2,529	2,529	2,550	2,550
Others	38,628	41,001	42,683	41,676	41,506	42,373	43,167
Subtotal	405,455	403,481	409,548	410,172	409,902	412,801	413,595
United States	3,850	3,534	3,652	3,948	3,948	4,020	4,020
WORLD TOTAL	409,305	407,015	413,200	414,120	413,850	416,821	417,615
ENDING STOCKS							
Australia	766	604	519	366	366	258	258
Brazil	538	586	1,229	1,454	1,454	769	769
Burma	929	1,229	1,629	749	749	929	639
China	82,169	67,224	44,928	35,928	35,678	28,528	27,978
Egypt	819	720	494	249	249	149	149
India	24,480	11,000	10,800	9,800	9,800	11,800	11,300
Indonesia	4,683	4,344	4,018	3,698	3,318	3,698	3,318
Korea, South	1,566	1,025	821	1,300	1,300	1,787	1,687
Pakistan	203	45	243	413	313	613	513
Philippines	3,407	3,807	4,047	4,297	4,547	4,247	4,497
Thailand	3,116	3,302	1,706	726	976	1,036	1,286
Vietnam	3,793	4,065	4,152	2,182	3,242	1,522	2,582
Others	13,620	13,330	13,609	13,195	13,249	12,035	12,064
Subtotal	138,785	110,091	86,447	72,537	73,421	66,344	66,013
United States	1,216	829	761	1,263	1,151	1,005	815
WORLD TOTAL	140,001	110,920	87,208	73,800	74,572	67,349	66,828

Notes: All data are reported on a milled basis.

REGIONAL RICE IMPORTS, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

	2002	2003	2004	2005 10-Jun	2005 12-Jul	2006 10-Jun	2006 12-Jul
IMPORTS							
North America	1,179	1,282	1,297	1,275	1,225	1,350	1,300
Latin America	<u>2,147</u>	<u>2,685</u>	<u>2,683</u>	<u>2,450</u>	<u>2,450</u>	<u>2,480</u>	<u>2,480</u>
EU-25	1,173	950	1,079	1,050	1,050	975	975
Other Europe	<u>238</u>	<u>209</u>	<u>230</u>	<u>220</u>	<u>220</u>	<u>220</u>	<u>220</u>
Former Soviet Union	601	540	526	526	526	551	551
Middle East	<u>4,329</u>	<u>3,990</u>	<u>4,512</u>	<u>4,265</u>	<u>4,265</u>	<u>4,355</u>	<u>4,355</u>
North Africa	243	238	225	225	225	225	225
Sub-Saharan Africa	<u>7,397</u>	<u>7,053</u>	<u>7,304</u>	<u>6,711</u>	<u>6,711</u>	<u>6,600</u>	<u>6,600</u>
East Asia	2,128	2,166	2,948	2,520	2,320	2,740	2,440
South Asia	<u>576</u>	<u>1,381</u>	<u>1,225</u>	<u>1,115</u>	<u>1,165</u>	<u>1,065</u>	<u>1,065</u>
Southeast Asia	5,721	5,063	3,202	3,480	3,980	2,925	2,925
Oceania	<u>208</u>	<u>244</u>	<u>238</u>	<u>240</u>	<u>240</u>	<u>255</u>	<u>255</u>
PRODUCTION							
North America	6,899	6,669	6,620	7,607	7,607	7,344	7,217
Latin America	<u>13,806</u>	<u>13,897</u>	<u>15,819</u>	<u>15,975</u>	<u>15,975</u>	<u>15,233</u>	<u>15,233</u>
EU-25	1,632	1,731	1,723	1,864	1,864	1,803	1,803
Other Europe	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>25</u>
Former Soviet Union	639	703	868	891	913	969	987
Middle East	<u>1,564</u>	<u>2,151</u>	<u>2,483</u>	<u>2,592</u>	<u>2,592</u>	<u>2,592</u>	<u>2,592</u>
North Africa	3,616	3,746	3,941	3,971	3,971	4,041	4,041
Sub-Saharan Africa	<u>7,352</u>	<u>6,992</u>	<u>7,270</u>	<u>7,800</u>	<u>7,800</u>	<u>8,050</u>	<u>8,050</u>
East Asia	140,658	137,917	126,628	141,495	141,495	142,885	142,785
South Asia	<u>125,714</u>	<u>107,184</u>	<u>122,691</u>	<u>121,194</u>	<u>121,194</u>	<u>126,400</u>	<u>126,400</u>
Southeast Asia	95,732	96,639	101,038	98,111	97,531	100,706	100,416
Oceania	<u>888</u>	<u>280</u>	<u>382</u>	<u>247</u>	<u>247</u>	<u>322</u>	<u>322</u>
CONSUMPTION							
North America	4,754	4,476	4,662	4,998	4,998	5,095	5,095
Latin America	<u>15,335</u>	<u>15,207</u>	<u>16,089</u>	<u>16,657</u>	<u>16,657</u>	<u>16,959</u>	<u>16,959</u>
EU-25	2,444	2,597	2,509	2,529	2,529	2,550	2,550
Other Europe	<u>216</u>	<u>234</u>	<u>240</u>	<u>230</u>	<u>230</u>	<u>235</u>	<u>235</u>
Former Soviet Union	1,181	1,244	1,456	1,475	1,493	1,540	1,558
Middle East	<u>6,535</u>	<u>6,719</u>	<u>6,717</u>	<u>6,757</u>	<u>6,757</u>	<u>6,867</u>	<u>6,867</u>
North Africa	3,459	3,504	3,566	3,591	3,591	3,616	3,616
Sub-Saharan Africa	<u>13,340</u>	<u>13,985</u>	<u>14,850</u>	<u>15,378</u>	<u>15,378</u>	<u>15,498</u>	<u>15,498</u>
East Asia	151,975	152,115	151,378	151,621	151,621	151,513	151,513
South Asia	<u>120,516</u>	<u>114,528</u>	<u>118,306</u>	<u>118,599</u>	<u>118,599</u>	<u>120,065</u>	<u>120,065</u>
Southeast Asia	88,159	89,449	90,595	91,152	91,052	91,846	91,846
Oceania	<u>528</u>	<u>530</u>	<u>530</u>	<u>530</u>	<u>530</u>	<u>530</u>	<u>530</u>
ENDING STOCKS							
North America	1,419	998	940	1,392	1,280	1,109	919
Latin America	<u>2,760</u>	<u>3,020</u>	<u>3,932</u>	<u>4,160</u>	<u>4,235</u>	<u>3,454</u>	<u>3,504</u>
EU-25	878	960	969	1,129	1,129	1,182	1,182
Other Europe	<u>10</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>60</u>
Former Soviet Union	339	308	191	113	117	73	77
Middle East	<u>2,020</u>	<u>1,169</u>	<u>1,115</u>	<u>1,552</u>	<u>1,552</u>	<u>1,692</u>	<u>1,692</u>
North Africa	819	720	494	249	249	149	149
Sub-Saharan Africa	<u>2,875</u>	<u>3,423</u>	<u>3,336</u>	<u>2,594</u>	<u>2,594</u>	<u>1,685</u>	<u>1,685</u>
East Asia	86,541	70,960	47,753	39,296	39,046	32,558	31,908
South Asia	<u>25,201</u>	<u>11,643</u>	<u>12,097</u>	<u>10,867</u>	<u>10,742</u>	<u>13,367</u>	<u>12,742</u>
Southeast Asia	16,373	17,070	15,822	12,032	13,212	11,762	12,652
Oceania	<u>766</u>	<u>604</u>	<u>519</u>	<u>366</u>	<u>366</u>	<u>258</u>	<u>258</u>

NOTES: Regional definitions appear on last page of this circular. Imports are reported on an international year basis.

All other data are reported using marketing years.