

United States Imports of Fresh and Chilled Asparagus 1/

Country	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
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Mexico	17,826	21,753	18,441	21,166	29,907
Peru	8,292	9,465	10,543	12,707	14,152
Chile	1,891	2,362	2,655	2,817	2,521
Colombia	338	858	1,234	1,940	1,768
Argentina	335	463	752	761	844
Guatemala	494	615	546	475	439
Ecuador	113	244	242	256	95
Other	111	131	121	86	99
Grand Total	29,400	35,891	34,534	40,208	49,825

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

1/ Calendar years.