

**MILK COW NUMBERS
SELECTED COUNTRIES**

(1,000 HEAD)

	1995	1996	1997	1998	(p) 1999	(f) 2000
NORTH AMERICA						
Canada	1,244	1,237	1,253	1,242	1,240	1,240
Mexico	6,440	6,440	6,500	6,600	6,700	6,800
United States	<u>9,466</u>	<u>9,372</u>	<u>9,252</u>	<u>9,154</u>	<u>9,156</u>	<u>9,168</u>
Sub Total	17,150	17,049	17,005	16,996	17,096	17,208
SOUTH AMERICA						
Argentina	2,350	2,300	2,400	2,500	2,500	2,470
Brazil	17,500	17,100	17,067	17,067	16,750	16,700
Chile	770	720	725	615	613	612
Peru	580	553	575	590	600	610
Venezuela	660	608	600	780	740	735
Sub Total	21,860	21,281	21,367	21,552	21,203	21,127
EUROPEAN UNION						
Denmark	703	712	697	680	681	660
France	4,754	4,672	4,567	4,476	4,432	4,424
Germany	5,273	5,229	5,195	5,026	4,833	4,644
Ireland	1,269	1,267	1,272	1,268	1,277	1,260
Italy	2,167	2,100	2,100	2,078	2,100	2,100
Netherlands	1,709	1,664	1,660	1,600	1,600	1,550
Spain	1,351	1,350	1,300	1,259	1,313	1,350
Sweden	482	466	473	449	435	420
United Kingdom	2,268	2,130	2,090	2,042	2,030	1,992
Other EU	2,458	2,348	2,297	2,264	2,229	2,210
Sub Total	22,434	21,938	21,651	21,142	20,930	20,610
WESTERN EUROPE						
Switzerland	<u>759</u>	<u>752</u>	<u>742</u>	<u>735</u>	<u>730</u>	<u>730</u>
Sub Total	759	752	742	735	730	730
EASTERN EUROPE						
Poland	3,715	3,442	3,550	3,496	3,471	3,400
Romania	1,778	1,776	1,740	1,655	1,650	1,645
Sub Total	5,493	5,218	5,290	5,151	5,121	5,045
FORMER SOVIET UNION						
Russia	18,400	17,450	15,900	14,500	13,500	12,900
Ukraine	7,818	7,200	6,265	6,265	5,864	5,700
Sub Total	26,218	24,650	22,165	20,765	19,364	18,600
SOUTH ASIA						
India 1/	<u>33,000</u>	<u>33,500</u>	<u>34,500</u>	<u>35,000</u>	<u>35,500</u>	<u>35,800</u>
Sub Total	33,000	33,500	34,500	35,000	35,500	35,800
ASIA						
China	2,252	2,071	2,120	2,170	2,220	2,280
Japan	1,034	1,035	1,032	1,022	1,008	1,000
Sub Total	3,286	3,106	3,152	3,192	3,228	3,280
OCEANIA						
Australia 2/	1,786	1,822	1,977	2,060	2,121	2,179
New Zealand 3/	2,994	3,153	3,260	3,270	3,285	3,300
Sub Total	4,780	4,975	5,237	5,330	5,406	5,479
TOTAL	134,980	132,469	131,109	129,863	128,578	127,879

(p) - preliminary

(f) - forecast

1/Year beginning April 1 of the year shown.

2/Year ending June 30 of the year shown.

3/Year ending May 31 of the year shown.

SOURCE: COUNSELOR/ATTACHE REPORTS, OFFICIAL STATISTICS.

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