

**BUTTER CONSUMPTION
SELECTED COUNTRIES**

(1,000 METRIC TONS)

	1994	1995	1996	1997	(p) 1998	(f) 1999
NORTH AMERICA						
Canada	84	82	84	79	78	79
Mexico	40	29	31	35	31	33
United States	570	538	522	505	502	514
Sub Total	694	649	637	619	611	626
SOUTH AMERICA						
Argentina	43	42	45	48	49	50
Brazil	70	81	80	78	76	75
Sub Total	113	123	125	126	125	125
EUROPEAN UNION						
Austria	41	42	41	42	42	42
Belgium-Luxembourg	55	61	72	70	70	68
Denmark	28	27	22	30	30	30
Finland	36	35	32	23	23	23
France	498	498	479	532	528	527
Germany	560	581	593	578	567	565
Greece	12	12	12	13	13	13
Ireland	14	14	14	14	15	15
Italy	100	100	100	100	100	100
Netherlands	70	58	59	55	57	58
Portugal	16	16	16	17	16	16
Spain	17	16	16	16	16	16
Sweden	20	18	15	13	12	12
United Kingdom	236	200	194	175	173	172
Sub Total	1,703	1,678	1,665	1,678	1,662	1,657
WESTERN EUROPE						
Switzerland	45	45	44	44	44	43
Sub Total	45	45	44	44	44	43
EASTERN EUROPE						
Poland	164	145	160	172	177	176
Romania	17	19	13	13	11	10
Sub Total	181	164	173	185	188	186
FORMER SOVIET UNION						
Russia	667	570	483	514	500	475
Ukraine	241	154	65	55	55	53
Sub-Total	908	724	548	569	555	528
NORTH AFRICA						
Egypt	57	55	57	46	49	50
Sub-Total	57	55	57	46	49	50
SOUTHEAST ASIA						
India 1/	1,208	1,304	1,401	1,469	1,602	1,755
Sub Total	1,208	1,304	1,401	1,469	1,602	1,755
ASIA						
Japan	91	93	92	90	89	89
Sub Total	91	93	92	90	89	89
OCEANIA						
Australia 2/	56	65	60	54	54	53
New Zealand 3/	53	54	30	30	30	30
Sub Total	109	119	90	84	84	83

TOTAL	5,109	4,954	4,832	4,910	5,009	5,142
(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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