

CHEESE IMPORTS: SUMMARY FOR SELECTED COUNTRIES

1,000 Metric Tons

	1999	2000	2001	2002	(p) 2003	(f) 2004
North America						
Canada	25	29	27	28	28	26
Mexico	44	54	66	65	82	85
United States	195	186	198	214	216	215
Sub-total	264	269	291	307	326	326
South America						
Argentina	2	8	6	1	1	1
Brazil	20	16	8	11	6	6
Sub-total	22	24	14	12	7	7
European Union - 15	142	144	170	146	156	160
Eastern Europe						
Poland	2	6	3	2	2	3
Former Soviet Union						
Russia	60	60	140	130	175	175
Ukraine	1	1	2	2	2	2
Sub-total	61	61	142	132	177	177
North Africa						
Egypt	16	15	9	9	12	8
Asia						
Japan	187	205	202	204	194	209
Korea	21	30	34	31	33	35
Sub-total	208	235	236	235	227	244
Oceania						
Australia 2/	33	38	43	45	51	49
New Zealand 3/	0	0	2	1	2	2
Sub-total	33	38	45	46	53	51
TOTAL SELECTED COUNTRIES	748	792	910	889	960	976

Source: Counselor and attache reports, official statistics, and results of office research.

Notes:

- (p) Preliminary.
- (f) Forecast.
- (1) Based on deliveries
- (2) Year ending May 31 of the year shown.
- (3) Year ending June 30 of the year shown.

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