

TABLE 16
Rapeseed Area, Yield, and Production
World and Selected Countries and Regions

Country/Region	Area				Yield				Production				Change in Production			
	Prel.		1997/98 Proj.		Prel.		1997/98 Proj.		Prel.		1997/98 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	1995/96	1965/97	Mar.	Apr.	1995/96	1996/97	Mar.	Apr.	1995/96	1996/97	Mar.	Apr.				
	Million hectares				Metric tons per hectare				Million metric tons				MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	24.421	22.158	23.226	23.218	1.413	1.418	1.451	1.450	34.519	31.425	33.702	33.672	-0.030	-0.089	2.247	7.150
United States	0.175	0.141	0.283	0.283	1.429	1.553	1.470	1.470	0.250	0.219	0.416	0.416	0.000	0.000	0.197	89.954
Total Foreign	24.246	22.017	22.943	22.935	1.413	1.417	1.451	1.450	34.269	31.206	33.286	33.256	-0.030	-0.090	2.050	6.569
India	6.546	6.856	6.400	6.400	0.917	1.013	0.922	0.922	6.000	6.942	5.900	5.900	0.000	0.000	-1.042	-15.010
China	6.907	6.734	6.350	6.350	1.416	1.366	1.476	1.476	9.777	9.200	9.370	9.370	0.000	0.000	0.170	1.848
Canada	5.273	3.451	4.800	4.800	1.221	1.467	1.292	1.292	6.436	5.062	6.200	6.200	0.000	0.000	1.138	22.481
European Union	2.822	2.646	2.716	2.708	2.931	2.700	3.159	3.157	8.271	7.143	8.579	8.549	-0.030	-0.350	1.406	19.684
France	0.845	0.865	0.970	0.970	3.195	3.318	3.505	3.505	2.700	2.870	3.400	3.400	0.000	0.000	0.530	18.467
Germany	0.974	0.854	0.900	0.900	3.210	2.307	3.111	3.111	3.127	1.970	2.800	2.800	0.000	0.000	0.830	42.132
United Kingdom	0.439	0.412	0.442	0.442	3.030	3.422	3.394	3.394	1.330	1.410	1.500	1.500	0.000	0.000	0.090	6.383
Denmark	0.152	0.105	0.105	0.105	2.053	2.381	2.762	2.762	0.312	0.250	0.290	0.290	0.000	0.000	0.040	16.000
Sweden	0.105	0.066	0.065	0.063	2.048	2.106	2.000	1.952	0.215	0.139	0.130	0.123	-0.007	-5.385	-0.016	-11.511
Eastern Europe	0.974	0.693	0.743	0.743	2.323	1.815	1.937	1.937	2.263	1.258	1.439	1.439	0.000	0.000	0.181	14.388
Poland	0.606	0.283	0.320	0.320	2.272	1.587	1.844	1.844	1.377	0.449	0.590	0.590	0.000	0.000	0.141	31.403
Czech Rep.	0.252	0.227	0.240	0.240	2.627	2.295	2.292	2.292	0.662	0.521	0.550	0.550	0.000	0.000	0.029	5.566
Australia	0.406	0.420	0.685	0.685	1.382	1.524	1.182	1.182	0.561	0.640	0.810	0.810	0.000	0.000	0.170	26.563
FSU-12	0.417	0.305	0.325	0.325	0.559	0.702	0.717	0.717	0.233	0.214	0.233	0.233	0.000	0.000	0.019	8.879
Russia	0.275	0.167	0.175	0.175	0.455	0.659	0.657	0.657	0.125	0.110	0.115	0.115	0.000	0.000	0.005	4.545
Pakistan	0.320	0.340	0.350	0.350	0.797	0.800	0.800	0.800	0.255	0.272	0.280	0.280	0.000	0.000	0.008	2.941
Bangladesh	0.337	0.336	0.336	0.336	0.709	0.732	0.732	0.732	0.239	0.246	0.246	0.246	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Others	0.244	0.236	0.238	0.238	0.959	0.970	0.962	0.962	0.234	0.229	0.229	0.229	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000