

TABLE 42. U.S. IMPORTS OF CHEESE SUBJECT TO QUOTA

	01/1998--12/1998	01/1998--04/1998	01/1999--04/1999	APR 1999	01/1998--12/1998	01/1998--04/1998	01/1999--04/1999	APR 1999
	IMPORT	IMPORT	IMPORT	IMPORT	IMPORT	IMPORT	IMPORT	IMPORT
	QUANTITY	QUANTITY	QUANTITY	QUANTITY	VALUE	VALUE	VALUE	VALUE
	DESIGNATION IN METRIC TONS				IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS			
American/Cheddar; Quota (MT								
New Zealand	15,556	1,598	6,254	1,206	42,503	4,021	13,946	3,212
Australia	3,273	1,471	2,005	540	6,773	3,077	3,945	1,074
Canada	1,639	489	767	315	6,440	1,949	3,032	1,284
Jamaica & Dep	250	112	110	18	1,504	672	652	107
EU - 15	6,218	1,223	1,794	586	23,968	4,701	6,804	2,177
Other Countries	403	80	69	3	1,192	265	264	7
Total	27,339	4,973	10,999	2,668	82,380	14,685	28,643	7,861
Blue Mold Cheese; Quota (MT								
EU - 15	2,577	566	725	224	12,737	2,910	3,683	1,124
Total	2,577	566	725	224	12,737	2,910	3,683	1,124
Ched. Cheese; Not Lic.; Q MT								
Canada	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Uruguay	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Countries	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Edam/Gouda Cheese; Quota MT								
EU - 15	5,336	1,139	1,585	508	20,514	4,275	6,032	1,929
Other Countries	345	40	51	0	1,043	176	192	0
Total	5,681	1,179	1,636	508	21,557	4,451	6,224	1,929
Gruyere Cheese; Quota (M) MT								
Switzerland	993	90	600	116	4,197	463	1,630	365
EU - 15	5,707	1,383	944	271	15,696	3,794	2,789	734
Netherlands	2,303	590	276	50	6,651	1,631	915	125
Germany	1,832	363	109	61	4,014	790	254	131
Belgium-Luxembourg	999	244	350	97	2,999	723	1,023	292
Austria	282	83	177	48	692	218	435	108
Other EU	291	103	32	15	1,340	432	162	78
Other Countries	84	27	5	(1)	198	63	16	0
Total	6,784	1,500	1,549	386	20,091	4,320	4,435	1,099
Italian Cheese; Quota (M) MT								
Argentina	1,842	828	732	164	7,569	3,386	2,803	636
Poland	416	200	340	141	1,573	750	1,228	495
EU - 15	4,437	994	1,667	492	36,057	8,677	12,120	3,450
Italy	4,407	994	1,667	492	35,879	8,677	12,120	3,450
Other EU	30	0	0	0	178	0	0	0
Other Countries	639	126	2	0	2,376	569	10	0
Total	7,334	2,148	2,741	797	47,575	13,382	16,161	4,581
Oth. Cheese and Subs.; Qu MT								
New Zealand	12,017	3,412	4,709	1,567	33,648	8,577	14,199	4,231
Canada	3,005	331	715	134	7,927	966	2,083	440
Australia	2,466	40	130	40	6,383	111	381	120
Switzerland	1,609	536	604	94	9,723	3,209	4,024	629
EU - 15	21,365	3,755	6,946	1,788	81,870	16,384	25,340	6,835
Denmark	7,769	1,751	2,252	580	30,190	6,767	8,784	2,199
United Kingdom	4,166	340	757	203	14,537	1,776	2,954	824
Netherlands	2,603	447	663	175	8,345	1,590	2,179	596
France	1,548	467	523	201	9,851	2,927	3,249	1,203
Germany	1,419	94	1,524	302	3,694	388	3,350	735
Italy	1,298	388	396	115	6,293	1,878	1,980	567
Ireland	1,278	38	333	99	3,891	111	819	211
Other EU	1,284	230	498	113	5,069	947	2,025	500
Other Countries	3,048	514	917	156	8,110	1,586	2,412	453
Total	43,510	8,588	14,021	3,779	147,661	30,833	48,439	12,708
Swiss/Emmentaler; Quota MT								
Switzerland	3,417	1,180	1,164	303	15,127	4,842	5,678	1,452
Hungary	790	117	199	40	1,933	316	666	116
EU - 15	15,152	3,431	5,264	1,475	52,796	11,722	18,880	5,296
Finland	5,872	1,601	1,852	570	20,771	5,498	6,962	2,138
Germany	3,858	783	2,002	361	12,451	2,474	6,632	1,169
Other Countries	8,770	3,001	3,033	521	27,924	9,638	10,537	1,846
Total	28,129	7,729	9,660	2,339	97,780	26,518	35,761	8,710

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