

TABLE 15. U.S. EXPORTS OF LEATHER

Leather	01/97--12/97	01/97--02/97	01/98--02/98	FEB 1998	01/97--12/97	01/97--02/97	01/98--02/98	FEB 1998
	EXPORT	EXPORT	EXPORT	EXPORT	EXPORT	EXPORT	EXPORT	EXPORT
	QUANTITY	QUANTITY	QUANTITY	QUANTITY	VALUE	VALUE	VALUE	VALUE
	DESIGNATION IN NUMBERS				IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS			
Hong Kong	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	137,316	18,667	17,826	10,120
Mexico	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	314,060	44,683	68,055	33,611
Costa Rica	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	19,349	2,368	3,352	1,281
Canada	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	138,074	25,861	20,291	10,663
Korea; Republic of	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	86,426	13,495	5,172	4,059
Dominican Republic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	41,148	5,041	6,744	3,765
Taiwan	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	33,872	5,530	6,112	3,854
United Kingdom	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	20,650	2,447	2,593	1,119
Italy	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	35,821	7,534	11,301	4,881
China; Peoples Republic of	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	24,912	3,254	9,071	6,172
Japan	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	148,127	15,850	26,880	16,892
Thailand	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	29,273	4,318	2,692	1,650
France	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	7,809	961	2,910	1,337
India	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	15,444	1,711	1,815	1,188
Indonesia	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	29,419	5,832	1,771	597
Philippines	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	4,997	968	606	352
Spain	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	9,809	2,673	2,057	953
Brazil	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	3,311	234	274	63
Czech Republic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	5,157	384	36	32
Germany	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	7,477	878	1,142	514
South Africa; Republic of	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	3,211	358	228	20
Portugal	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	3,590	643	845	405
Denmark	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	885	13	103	66
Argentina	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1,346	79	373	370
Australia	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2,221	291	377	139
Colombia	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2,044	82	658	213
Austria	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2,524	111	304	85
Switzerland	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	419	29	96	39
Turkey	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	856	194	626	380
Netherlands	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	3,847	686	629	608
Singapore	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2,145	296	166	79
Israel	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	570	24	729	380
Byelarus; Republic of	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	472	-	211	-
Belgium	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	329	18	13	7
Ecuador	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	339	3	19	6
Pakistan	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	128	25	12	12
Chile	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	983	-	-	-
Tunisia	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	353	-	15	-
Hungary	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	272	11	833	833
Venezuela	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1,208	71	231	153
Guatemala	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	630	59	71	28
Honduras	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	189	46	-	-
El Salvador	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1,057	183	113	3
Vietnam	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	595	-	30	-
Malaysia	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	591	130	-	-
New Zealand (exc. Cook; Niue; & Tokelau)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	69	14	23	23
Poland	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	288	-	-	-
Paraguay	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	53	-	-	-
Qatar	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	421	-	-	-
French Polynesia	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	20	-	-	-
Dominica	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	202	-	61	61
Panama	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	105	-	62	62
Trinidad and Tobago	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	201	-	8	8
Greece	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	87	12	36	-
Norway	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	33	3	4	-
Other Countries	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1,508	256	101	56
Total	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1,146,242	166,326	197,677	107,139