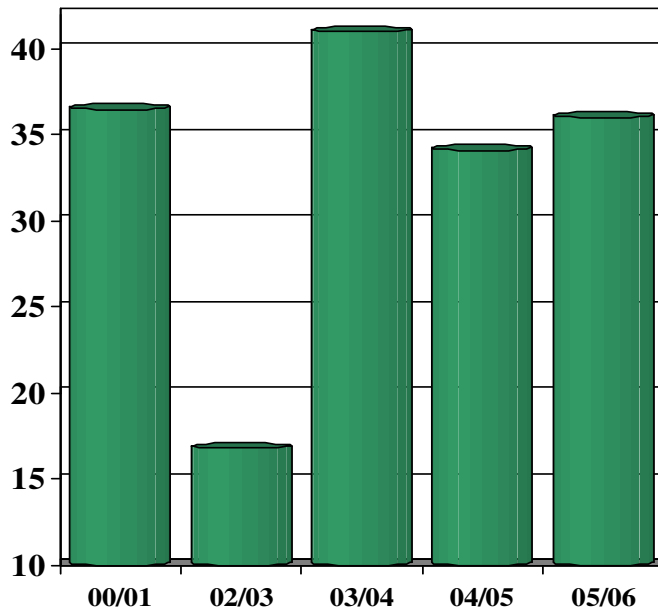




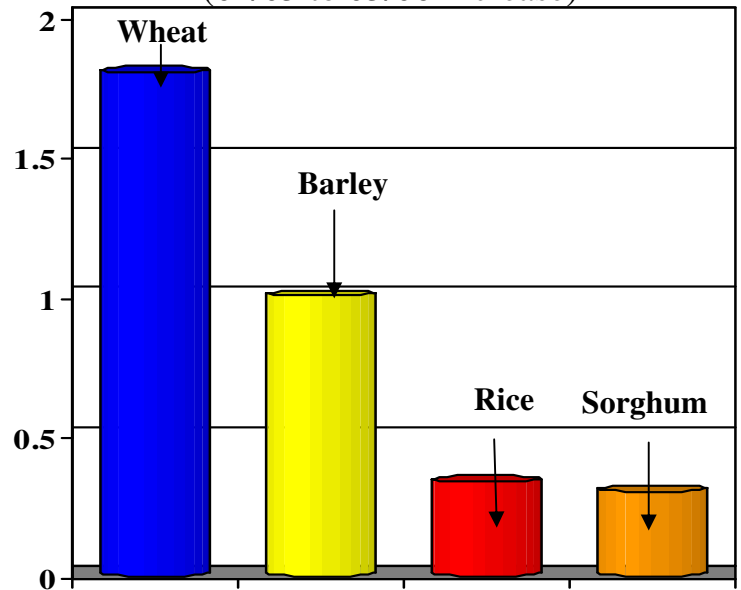
Grain: World Markets and Trade

Larger Harvests Boost Australian Grain Exports

MMT **Total Grain Production Rises**



MMT **Marketing Year Exports Estimated To Climb**
(04/05 to 05/06 Increase)



After a third year of strong production and large stocks, Australia's grain exports are expected to surge. For wheat, total supply is forecast at a record level (the result of both large carry-in stocks and a bigger harvest), and marketing year exports are consequently forecast to grow by nearly 2 million tons. Stocks could continue to rise, however, because weaker global demand and reduced buying from key markets such as China and Iraq will likely limit export growth. For barley, slightly higher production and strong world demand is expected to boost exports. Australia will remain the world's largest exporter, accounting for an estimated one-third of world trade (compared to a quarter last year). For rice, with a huge rebound in its crop, exports are forecast to grow more than four times the previous year's level, exerting downward pressure on medium grain rice prices and increasing Australia's competitiveness, vis-à-vis U.S. rice, in certain markets in the Middle East and Oceania.

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ALL GRAIN SUMMARY
PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, STOCKS, AND TRADE
TOTAL FOREIGN COUNTRIES, USA, AND TOTAL WORLD
(MILLION METRIC TONS)

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|--|---------|---------|---------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| WHEAT | | | | | | | |
| All Foreign Countries | | | | | | | |
| Production | 528.1 | 524.0 | 490.8 | 567.9 | 567.9 | 558.2 | 559.1 |
| Consumption | 552.8 | 573.6 | 556.0 | 576.8 | 576.8 | 589.7 | 589.5 |
| Ending Stocks | 181.3 | 152.7 | 117.4 | 135.4 | 135.4 | 128.9 | 130.0 |
| USA | | | | | | | |
| Production | 53.0 | 43.7 | 63.8 | 58.7 | 58.7 | 57.1 | 57.3 |
| Imports | 3.0 | 2.0 | 1.8 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 2.2 | 2.4 |
| Consumption | 32.4 | 30.4 | 32.5 | 31.9 | 31.9 | 32.3 | 32.3 |
| Exports | 26.3 | 22.8 | 32.3 | 28.5 | 28.5 | 27.5 | 27.5 |
| Ending Stocks | 21.2 | 13.4 | 14.9 | 14.7 | 14.7 | 14.4 | 14.7 |
| World Total, Trade | 110.7 | 109.9 | 104.5 | 113.0 | 113.0 | 110.4 | 110.6 |
| RICE | | | | | | | |
| All Foreign Countries | | | | | | | |
| Production | 392.4 | 370.9 | 385.0 | 394.7 | 394.7 | 399.8 | 399.8 |
| Consumption | 406.2 | 403.0 | 412.0 | 411.5 | 411.2 | 409.9 | 409.8 |
| USA | | | | | | | |
| Production | 6.7 | 6.5 | 6.4 | 7.4 | 7.5 | 7.0 | 7.1 |
| Imports | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.4 |
| Consumption | 3.9 | 3.5 | 3.7 | 3.8 | 3.9 | 4.0 | 4.0 |
| Exports | 3.3 | 3.8 | 3.1 | 3.8 | 3.9 | 3.8 | 3.7 |
| World Total, Trade | 27.8 | 27.6 | 27.1 | 27.8 | 28.3 | 25.4 | 26.1 |
| TOTAL COARSE GRAINS | | | | | | | |
| All Foreign Countries | | | | | | | |
| Production | 630.1 | 629.8 | 637.8 | 688.8 | 688.8 | 657.1 | 659.7 |
| Consumption | 688.7 | 685.7 | 716.2 | 730.5 | 730.3 | 733.6 | 730.0 |
| USA | | | | | | | |
| Production | 261.7 | 243.7 | 275.1 | 319.5 | 319.4 | 296.6 | 298.7 |
| Imports | 2.4 | 2.5 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 2.2 |
| Consumption | 216.8 | 214.7 | 226.0 | 240.4 | 240.3 | 238.1 | 240.7 |
| Exports | 54.0 | 46.4 | 54.1 | 50.5 | 50.5 | 53.3 | 52.3 |
| Ending Stocks | 45.0 | 30.9 | 28.8 | 58.8 | 58.8 | 65.8 | 66.7 |
| World Total, Trade | 102.7 | 104.3 | 102.6 | 101.7 | 101.4 | 100.7 | 100.2 |
| WORLD TOTAL GRAIN, INCLUDING RICE | | | | | | | |
| All Foreign Countries | | | | | | | |
| Production | 1,550.6 | 1,524.8 | 1,513.5 | 1,651.3 | 1,651.4 | 1,615.1 | 1,618.7 |
| Consumption | 1,647.7 | 1,662.3 | 1,684.2 | 1,718.8 | 1,718.3 | 1,733.2 | 1,729.3 |
| USA | | | | | | | |
| Production | 321.4 | 294.0 | 345.3 | 385.6 | 385.6 | 360.7 | 363.1 |
| Imports | 5.8 | 5.0 | 4.5 | 4.6 | 4.6 | 4.9 | 5.0 |
| Exports | 83.5 | 73.1 | 89.5 | 82.8 | 82.9 | 84.6 | 83.5 |
| World Total, Trade | 241.2 | 241.7 | 234.3 | 242.4 | 242.7 | 236.5 | 236.9 |

Trade data are reported on an international year basis. All other data are reported using marketing years. Rice production data is on a milled basis.



WORLD MARKETS AND TRADE: COMMENTARY AND CURRENT DATA

WHEAT: WORLD MARKETS AND TRADE

MONTHLY HIGHLIGHTS:

U.S. Imports From Canada Expected To Climb:

U.S. imports of Hard Red Spring (HRS) from Canada are expected to jump from last year's low of 8,000 tons, after recent ITC and NAFTA rulings to remove import duties that had been in place since the spring of 2003; HRS imports had been as high as 1.4 MMT.

When similar U.S. duties on durum wheat were removed in late 2003, durum imports quickly returned to previous higher levels. Total U.S. imports are consequently raised this month by 200,000 tons to 2.4 million tons.

U.S. Winter Wheat Area Up:

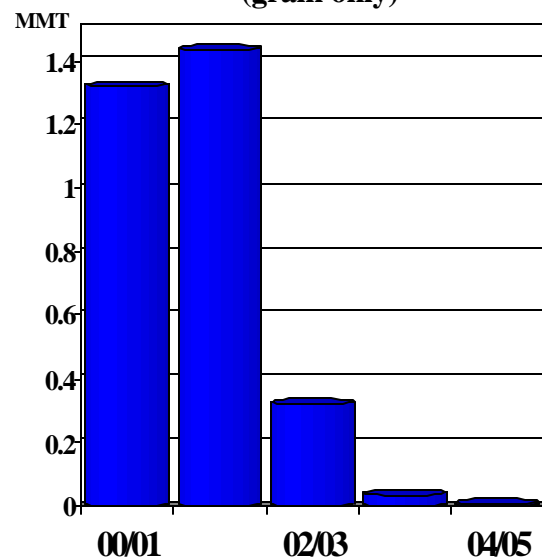
U.S. winter wheat seeding area is projected to increase 2 percent mostly due to better planting and germinating conditions for Soft Red Winter (SRW), which is up 19 percent from last year.

Hard Red Winter seedings are down 1 percent from last year. However, some key states actually expanded acreage because of concerns over high costs of fuel and fertilizer for spring-planted crops.

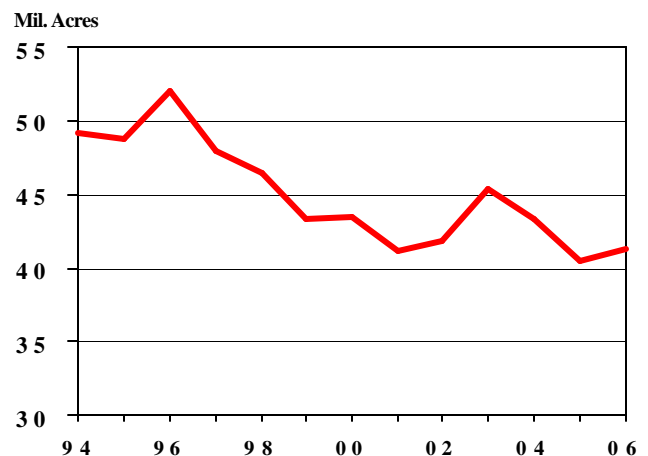
PRICES:

Domestic: Prices for winter wheat classes rose in December on deteriorating crop conditions, especially in southern HRW belt states where there has been continued dryness.

**U.S. HRS Imports From Canada
(grain only)**



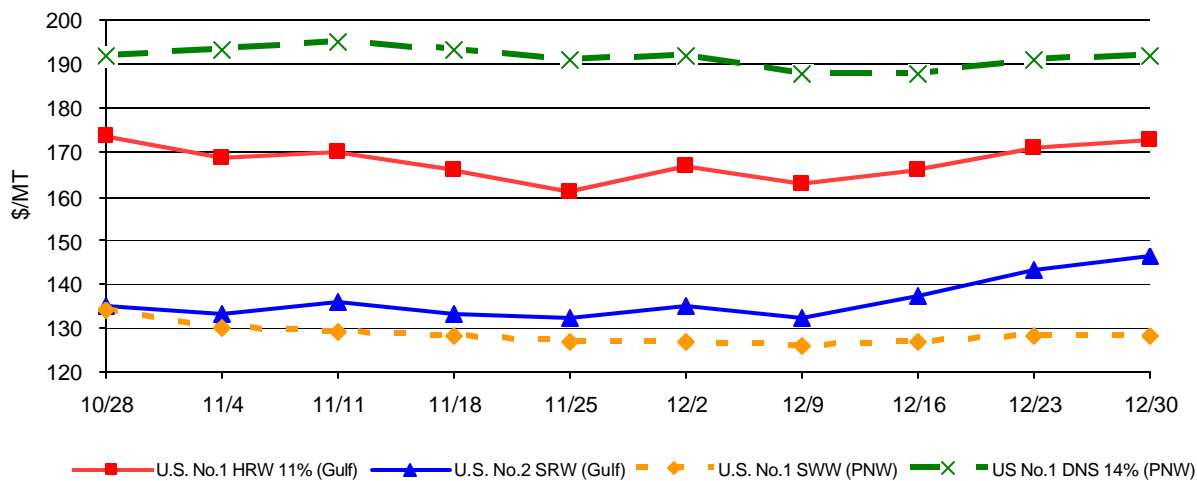
U.S. Winter Wheat Seedings



Source: NASS

For the month, HRW prices were up \$6 per ton, with SRW up \$11 per ton and Soft White up \$1 per ton. HRS prices finished the month unchanged.

U.S. Weekly FOB Export Bids



TRADE CHANGES IN 2005/2006

Selected Exporters

- **Paraguay** is up 100,000 tons to 300,000 with continued strong exports to Brazil.
- **Bulgaria** is up 100,000 tons to 800,000 because of strong shipments to nearby markets.

Selected Importers

- **United States** is up 200,000 tons to 2.4 million on expectations for larger imports of spring wheat from Canada following the removal of duties.

WORLD WHEAT, FLOUR, AND PRODUCTS TRADE
JULY/JUNE YEAR
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|--------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| EXPORTS | | | | | | | |
| Argentina | 11,671 | 6,276 | 7,346 | 13,502 | 13,502 | 7,000 | 7,000 |
| Australia | 16,494 | 10,946 | 15,096 | 15,826 | 15,826 | 16,500 | 16,500 |
| Canada | 16,758 | 9,393 | 15,526 | 15,142 | 15,142 | 16,500 | 16,500 |
| India | 3,234 | 5,350 | 5,425 | 1,605 | 1,605 | 500 | 500 |
| Kazakhstan | 3,977 | 6,238 | 4,110 | 2,700 | 2,700 | 3,500 | 3,500 |
| Russia | 4,372 | 12,621 | 3,114 | 7,951 | 7,951 | 10,000 | 10,000 |
| Syria | 300 | 800 | 1,200 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 |
| Turkey | 558 | 839 | 854 | 2,217 | 2,217 | 2,000 | 2,000 |
| Ukraine | 5,486 | 6,569 | 66 | 4,351 | 4,351 | 5,500 | 5,500 |
| EU-25 | 14,232 | 19,940 | 10,931 | 14,367 | 14,367 | 14,500 | 14,500 |
| Other Europe | 1,872 | 1,657 | 166 | 1,295 | 1,295 | 1,310 | 1,410 |
| Others | 5,525 | 6,442 | 8,390 | 4,860 | 4,860 | 4,865 | 4,965 |
| Subtotal | 84,479 | 87,071 | 72,224 | 84,516 | 84,516 | 82,875 | 83,075 |
| United States | 26,270 | 22,834 | 32,295 | 28,464 | 28,464 | 27,500 | 27,500 |
| WORLD TOTAL | 110,749 | 109,905 | 104,519 | 112,980 | 112,980 | 110,375 | 110,575 |
| IMPORTS | | | | | | | |
| Algeria | 4,572 | 6,079 | 3,933 | 5,398 | 5,398 | 5,500 | 5,500 |
| Bangladesh | 1,565 | 1,335 | 1,945 | 2,009 | 2,009 | 2,100 | 2,100 |
| Bolivia | 462 | 356 | 271 | 376 | 376 | 400 | 400 |
| Brazil | 7,202 | 6,631 | 5,559 | 5,309 | 5,309 | 6,000 | 6,000 |
| Chile | 433 | 421 | 442 | 321 | 321 | 500 | 500 |
| China | 1,092 | 418 | 3,749 | 6,747 | 6,747 | 2,000 | 2,000 |
| Colombia | 1,161 | 1,166 | 1,246 | 1,248 | 1,248 | 1,300 | 1,300 |
| Cuba | 1,054 | 819 | 727 | 836 | 836 | 800 | 800 |
| Ecuador | 431 | 347 | 514 | 416 | 416 | 450 | 450 |
| Egypt | 6,944 | 6,327 | 7,295 | 8,150 | 8,150 | 7,500 | 7,500 |
| Ethiopia | 400 | 611 | 782 | 431 | 431 | 700 | 700 |
| India | 33 | 19 | 8 | 20 | 20 | 1,000 | 1,000 |
| Indonesia | 3,677 | 3,984 | 4,535 | 4,661 | 4,661 | 4,600 | 4,600 |
| Iran | 5,586 | 1,561 | 246 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| Iraq | 2,801 | 1,579 | 1,925 | 3,010 | 3,010 | 3,800 | 3,800 |
| Israel | 1,553 | 1,691 | 951 | 1,549 | 1,549 | 1,600 | 1,600 |
| Japan | 5,836 | 5,579 | 5,751 | 5,744 | 5,744 | 5,700 | 5,700 |
| Jordan | 752 | 1,147 | 595 | 718 | 718 | 700 | 700 |
| Kenya | 633 | 656 | 419 | 474 | 474 | 550 | 550 |
| Korea, North | 300 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 |
| Korea, South | 3,979 | 4,052 | 3,434 | 3,591 | 3,591 | 3,900 | 3,900 |
| Libya | 1,623 | 1,421 | 1,057 | 1,508 | 1,508 | 1,500 | 1,500 |
| Malaysia | 1,268 | 1,195 | 1,329 | 1,412 | 1,412 | 1,350 | 1,350 |
| Mexico | 3,171 | 3,161 | 3,644 | 3,717 | 3,717 | 3,600 | 3,600 |
| Morocco | 3,075 | 2,720 | 2,414 | 2,272 | 2,272 | 2,900 | 2,900 |
| Nigeria | 2,446 | 2,304 | 2,383 | 3,014 | 3,014 | 3,900 | 3,900 |
| Pakistan | 250 | 181 | 47 | 1,416 | 1,416 | 800 | 800 |
| Peru | 1,421 | 1,157 | 1,488 | 1,449 | 1,449 | 1,500 | 1,500 |
| Philippines | 2,922 | 3,230 | 2,975 | 2,593 | 2,593 | 2,600 | 2,600 |
| Russia | 629 | 1,045 | 1,026 | 1,197 | 1,197 | 1,000 | 1,000 |
| South Africa | 561 | 1,024 | 911 | 1,407 | 1,407 | 1,300 | 1,300 |
| Sri Lanka | 851 | 1,019 | 886 | 1,163 | 1,163 | 1,000 | 1,000 |
| Sudan | 902 | 860 | 995 | 1,500 | 1,500 | 1,100 | 1,100 |
| Taiwan | 1,026 | 1,003 | 1,216 | 1,146 | 1,146 | 1,100 | 1,100 |
| Thailand | 967 | 895 | 1,253 | 1,100 | 1,100 | 1,100 | 1,100 |
| Tunisia | 1,261 | 2,167 | 781 | 1,079 | 1,079 | 1,200 | 1,200 |
| Turkey | 1,088 | 1,217 | 1,056 | 500 | 500 | 500 | 500 |
| UAE | 1,149 | 1,010 | 1,135 | 1,213 | 1,213 | 1,200 | 1,200 |
| Uzbekistan | 481 | 254 | 229 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| Venezuela | 1,395 | 961 | 1,538 | 1,504 | 1,504 | 1,600 | 1,600 |
| Vietnam | 916 | 875 | 830 | 1,226 | 1,226 | 1,200 | 1,200 |
| Yemen | 1,761 | 1,772 | 1,635 | 1,853 | 1,853 | 1,900 | 1,900 |
| EU-25 | 10,716 | 13,921 | 5,912 | 7,200 | 7,200 | 7,200 | 7,200 |
| Other Europe | 1,928 | 1,921 | 4,214 | 1,775 | 1,775 | 1,825 | 1,825 |
| United States | 2,953 | 1,958 | 1,760 | 1,946 | 1,946 | 2,200 | 2,400 |
| Subtotal | 95,226 | 92,449 | 85,441 | 94,998 | 94,998 | 93,475 | 93,675 |
| Other Countries | 13,806 | 15,232 | 16,415 | 15,066 | 15,066 | 14,110 | 14,110 |
| Unaccounted | 1,717 | 2,224 | 2,663 | 2,916 | 2,916 | 2,790 | 2,790 |
| WORLD TOTAL | 110,749 | 109,905 | 104,519 | 112,980 | 112,980 | 110,375 | 110,575 |

WORLD WHEAT PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS
LOCAL MARKETING YEARS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| PRODUCTION | | | | | | | |
| Algeria | 2,010 | 1,502 | 2,970 | 2,602 | 2,602 | 1,500 | 1,500 |
| <u>Argentina</u> | <u>15,500</u> | <u>12,300</u> | <u>14,500</u> | <u>16,000</u> | <u>16,000</u> | <u>12,100</u> | <u>12,100</u> |
| Australia | 24,299 | 10,132 | 26,132 | 22,600 | 22,600 | 24,000 | 24,000 |
| <u>Brazil</u> | <u>3,250</u> | <u>2,925</u> | <u>5,851</u> | <u>5,845</u> | <u>5,845</u> | <u>4,600</u> | <u>4,600</u> |
| Canada | 20,568 | 16,198 | 23,552 | 25,860 | 25,860 | 26,800 | 26,800 |
| <u>China</u> | <u>93,873</u> | <u>90,290</u> | <u>86,490</u> | <u>91,950</u> | <u>91,950</u> | <u>96,000</u> | <u>97,000</u> |
| India | 69,680 | 71,810 | 65,100 | 72,060 | 72,060 | 72,000 | 72,000 |
| <u>Iran</u> | <u>9,500</u> | <u>12,450</u> | <u>13,500</u> | <u>14,000</u> | <u>14,000</u> | <u>14,500</u> | <u>14,500</u> |
| Kazakhstan | 12,700 | 12,600 | 11,000 | 9,950 | 9,950 | 11,500 | 11,000 |
| <u>Mexico</u> | <u>3,270</u> | <u>3,230</u> | <u>2,700</u> | <u>2,320</u> | <u>2,320</u> | <u>3,000</u> | <u>3,000</u> |
| Morocco | 3,316 | 3,357 | 5,147 | 5,540 | 5,540 | 3,043 | 3,043 |
| <u>Pakistan</u> | <u>19,023</u> | <u>18,226</u> | <u>19,192</u> | <u>19,000</u> | <u>19,000</u> | <u>21,000</u> | <u>21,000</u> |
| Russia | 46,900 | 50,550 | 34,100 | 45,300 | 45,300 | 48,000 | 47,600 |
| <u>Tunisia</u> | <u>1,120</u> | <u>420</u> | <u>1,600</u> | <u>1,722</u> | <u>1,722</u> | <u>1,450</u> | <u>1,450</u> |
| Turkey | 15,500 | 16,800 | 16,800 | 18,500 | 18,500 | 18,000 | 18,000 |
| <u>Ukraine</u> | <u>21,349</u> | <u>20,556</u> | <u>3,600</u> | <u>17,500</u> | <u>17,500</u> | <u>19,000</u> | <u>19,000</u> |
| EU-25 | 113,553 | 124,830 | 106,878 | 136,761 | 136,773 | 122,521 | 122,845 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>14,656</u> | <u>12,660</u> | <u>7,495</u> | <u>15,408</u> | <u>15,408</u> | <u>12,760</u> | <u>13,260</u> |
| Others | 38,063 | 43,148 | 44,172 | 44,973 | 44,973 | 46,449 | 46,449 |
| Subtotal | 528,130 | 523,984 | 490,779 | 567,891 | 567,903 | 558,223 | 559,147 |
| United States | 53,001 | 43,705 | 63,814 | 58,738 | 58,738 | 57,106 | 57,280 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>581,131</u> | <u>567,689</u> | <u>554,593</u> | <u>626,629</u> | <u>626,641</u> | <u>615,329</u> | <u>616,427</u> |
| CONSUMPTION | | | | | | | |
| Algeria | 6,372 | 6,650 | 6,800 | 7,500 | 7,500 | 7,600 | 7,600 |
| <u>Australia</u> | <u>5,427</u> | <u>6,178</u> | <u>5,956</u> | <u>6,400</u> | <u>6,400</u> | <u>6,600</u> | <u>6,600</u> |
| Brazil | 10,002 | 9,890 | 9,800 | 10,200 | 10,200 | 10,800 | 10,800 |
| <u>Canada</u> | <u>7,566</u> | <u>8,181</u> | <u>7,637</u> | <u>9,230</u> | <u>9,230</u> | <u>9,200</u> | <u>9,200</u> |
| China | 108,742 | 105,200 | 104,500 | 102,000 | 102,000 | 101,000 | 101,000 |
| <u>Egypt</u> | <u>12,750</u> | <u>12,800</u> | <u>13,300</u> | <u>14,050</u> | <u>14,050</u> | <u>14,400</u> | <u>14,400</u> |
| India | 65,125 | 74,294 | 68,258 | 72,760 | 72,760 | 73,000 | 73,000 |
| <u>Iran</u> | <u>14,800</u> | <u>14,350</u> | <u>14,300</u> | <u>14,200</u> | <u>14,200</u> | <u>14,100</u> | <u>14,100</u> |
| Japan | 5,991 | 6,040 | 6,040 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 5,980 | 5,980 |
| <u>Morocco</u> | <u>6,100</u> | <u>6,220</u> | <u>6,400</u> | <u>6,900</u> | <u>6,900</u> | <u>7,100</u> | <u>7,100</u> |
| Pakistan | 19,800 | 18,380 | 18,900 | 19,500 | 19,500 | 20,300 | 20,300 |
| <u>Russia</u> | <u>38,078</u> | <u>39,320</u> | <u>35,500</u> | <u>37,400</u> | <u>37,400</u> | <u>38,800</u> | <u>38,400</u> |
| Turkey | 16,501 | 17,000 | 17,000 | 17,000 | 17,000 | 17,000 | 17,000 |
| <u>Ukraine</u> | <u>13,450</u> | <u>14,500</u> | <u>9,025</u> | <u>11,700</u> | <u>11,700</u> | <u>13,300</u> | <u>13,300</u> |
| EU-25 | 110,100 | 118,100 | 107,900 | 115,000 | 115,000 | 119,500 | 119,500 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>13,597</u> | <u>13,514</u> | <u>12,870</u> | <u>14,108</u> | <u>14,108</u> | <u>13,835</u> | <u>13,935</u> |
| Others | 98,357 | 102,973 | 111,787 | 112,889 | 112,889 | 117,234 | 117,298 |
| Subtotal | 552,758 | 573,590 | 555,973 | 576,837 | 576,837 | 589,749 | 589,513 |
| United States | 32,434 | 30,448 | 32,507 | 31,910 | 31,910 | 32,332 | 32,331 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>585,192</u> | <u>604,038</u> | <u>588,480</u> | <u>608,747</u> | <u>608,747</u> | <u>622,081</u> | <u>621,844</u> |
| ENDING STOCKS | | | | | | | |
| Australia | 8,048 | 3,142 | 5,360 | 6,893 | 6,893 | 7,868 | 7,868 |
| <u>Canada</u> | <u>6,729</u> | <u>5,725</u> | <u>6,080</u> | <u>7,992</u> | <u>7,992</u> | <u>9,342</u> | <u>9,342</u> |
| China | 76,588 | 60,378 | 43,293 | 38,819 | 38,819 | 34,819 | 35,819 |
| <u>India</u> | <u>23,000</u> | <u>15,700</u> | <u>6,900</u> | <u>4,100</u> | <u>4,100</u> | <u>3,600</u> | <u>3,600</u> |
| Russia | 6,479 | 6,133 | 2,645 | 3,791 | 3,791 | 3,991 | 3,991 |
| <u>Ukraine</u> | <u>2,955</u> | <u>3,252</u> | <u>1,126</u> | <u>2,625</u> | <u>2,625</u> | <u>2,875</u> | <u>2,875</u> |
| EU-25 | 15,933 | 16,644 | 10,603 | 25,197 | 25,209 | 20,918 | 21,254 |
| Others | 41,576 | 41,761 | 41,343 | 45,988 | 45,988 | 45,505 | 45,205 |
| Subtotal | 181,308 | 152,735 | 117,350 | 135,405 | 135,417 | 128,918 | 129,954 |
| United States | 21,150 | 13,374 | 14,872 | 14,699 | 14,699 | 14,434 | 14,745 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>202,458</u> | <u>166,109</u> | <u>132,222</u> | <u>150,104</u> | <u>150,116</u> | <u>143,352</u> | <u>144,699</u> |

REGIONAL WHEAT IMPORTS, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|----------------------|---------|---------|---------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| IMPORTS | | | | | | | |
| North America | 6,435 | 5,501 | 5,630 | 5,910 | 5,910 | 6,050 | 6,250 |
| Latin America | 16,226 | 14,549 | 14,546 | 14,370 | 14,370 | 15,400 | 15,400 |
| EU-25 | 10,716 | 13,921 | 5,912 | 7,200 | 7,200 | 7,200 | 7,200 |
| Other Europe | 1,928 | 1,921 | 4,214 | 1,775 | 1,775 | 1,825 | 1,825 |
| Former Soviet Union | 3,810 | 4,601 | 7,260 | 4,587 | 4,587 | 3,940 | 3,940 |
| Middle East | 15,923 | 11,507 | 8,834 | 10,347 | 10,347 | 11,200 | 11,200 |
| North Africa | 17,475 | 18,714 | 15,480 | 18,407 | 18,407 | 18,600 | 18,600 |
| Sub-Saharan Africa | 8,888 | 9,603 | 9,713 | 12,069 | 12,069 | 12,510 | 12,510 |
| East Asia | 13,061 | 12,236 | 15,320 | 18,357 | 18,357 | 13,850 | 13,850 |
| South Asia | 3,700 | 3,569 | 3,008 | 4,838 | 4,838 | 5,030 | 5,030 |
| Southeast Asia | 10,218 | 10,663 | 11,291 | 11,459 | 11,459 | 11,300 | 11,300 |
| Oceania | 652 | 896 | 648 | 745 | 745 | 680 | 680 |
| PRODUCTION | | | | | | | |
| North America | 76,839 | 63,133 | 90,066 | 86,918 | 86,918 | 86,906 | 87,080 |
| Latin America | 21,428 | 17,904 | 23,633 | 25,099 | 25,099 | 19,620 | 19,620 |
| EU-25 | 113,553 | 124,830 | 106,878 | 136,761 | 136,773 | 122,521 | 122,845 |
| Other Europe | 14,656 | 12,660 | 7,495 | 15,408 | 15,408 | 12,760 | 13,260 |
| Former Soviet Union | 91,294 | 96,949 | 60,910 | 86,430 | 86,430 | 92,855 | 91,955 |
| Middle East | 32,519 | 37,991 | 39,486 | 40,963 | 40,963 | 41,920 | 41,920 |
| North Africa | 12,701 | 11,704 | 16,285 | 16,619 | 16,619 | 12,918 | 12,918 |
| Sub-Saharan Africa | 5,492 | 5,165 | 4,536 | 5,052 | 5,052 | 4,817 | 4,817 |
| East Asia | 94,905 | 91,468 | 87,750 | 93,193 | 93,193 | 97,257 | 98,257 |
| South Asia | 92,980 | 95,302 | 90,975 | 97,106 | 97,106 | 99,270 | 99,270 |
| Southeast Asia | 100 | 96 | 107 | 140 | 140 | 145 | 145 |
| Oceania | 24,664 | 10,487 | 26,472 | 22,940 | 22,940 | 24,340 | 24,340 |
| CONSUMPTION | | | | | | | |
| North America | 45,818 | 44,529 | 46,044 | 47,140 | 47,140 | 47,632 | 47,631 |
| Latin America | 26,384 | 25,300 | 26,446 | 27,170 | 27,170 | 27,888 | 27,888 |
| EU-25 | 110,100 | 118,100 | 107,900 | 115,000 | 115,000 | 119,500 | 119,500 |
| Other Europe | 13,597 | 13,514 | 12,870 | 14,108 | 14,108 | 13,835 | 13,935 |
| Former Soviet Union | 70,222 | 75,350 | 65,874 | 72,705 | 72,705 | 76,045 | 75,645 |
| Middle East | 46,090 | 46,901 | 46,929 | 48,775 | 48,775 | 49,185 | 49,185 |
| North Africa | 29,370 | 29,666 | 30,082 | 32,633 | 32,633 | 33,325 | 33,325 |
| Sub-Saharan Africa | 13,867 | 13,869 | 14,612 | 16,449 | 16,449 | 17,152 | 17,152 |
| East Asia | 120,990 | 117,757 | 116,539 | 114,061 | 114,061 | 113,355 | 113,355 |
| South Asia | 92,569 | 101,455 | 96,791 | 101,750 | 101,750 | 102,740 | 102,740 |
| Southeast Asia | 10,023 | 10,440 | 10,438 | 11,100 | 11,100 | 11,170 | 11,170 |
| Oceania | 6,245 | 7,078 | 6,826 | 7,352 | 7,352 | 7,525 | 7,525 |
| ENDING STOCKS | | | | | | | |
| North America | 28,735 | 19,849 | 21,695 | 22,967 | 22,967 | 24,052 | 24,363 |
| Latin America | 3,101 | 3,380 | 3,247 | 3,398 | 3,398 | 2,640 | 2,540 |
| EU-25 | 15,933 | 16,644 | 10,603 | 25,197 | 25,209 | 20,918 | 21,254 |
| Other Europe | 3,980 | 3,390 | 2,063 | 3,843 | 3,843 | 3,283 | 3,583 |
| Former Soviet Union | 16,020 | 16,480 | 10,986 | 14,111 | 14,111 | 15,626 | 15,126 |
| Middle East | 12,134 | 13,175 | 12,087 | 11,324 | 11,324 | 11,909 | 11,909 |
| North Africa | 5,608 | 5,959 | 7,467 | 9,642 | 9,642 | 7,625 | 7,625 |
| Sub-Saharan Africa | 1,097 | 1,508 | 1,108 | 1,420 | 1,420 | 1,220 | 1,220 |
| East Asia | 79,658 | 63,218 | 46,249 | 41,934 | 41,934 | 38,026 | 39,026 |
| South Asia | 26,291 | 17,548 | 8,942 | 6,878 | 6,878 | 7,878 | 7,878 |
| Southeast Asia | 1,653 | 1,572 | 2,145 | 2,189 | 2,189 | 1,999 | 1,999 |
| Oceania | 8,248 | 3,386 | 5,630 | 7,201 | 7,201 | 8,176 | 8,176 |

NOTES: Regional definitions appear on last page of this circular. Imports are reported on an international year basis. All other data are reported using marketing years.

RICE: WORLD MARKETS AND TRADE

PRICES:

International: Thai prices jumped \$12 this month, with quotes currently at \$296 per ton, FOB. While domestic prices continue to be supported by the mortgage scheme, most of the increase is because of currency fluctuations. Vietnam prices are currently quoted at \$263 per ton, FOB. Although the soft export ban has reportedly been lifted, there are indications that limitations are still in place through the month of January.

Domestic: U.S. long grain prices have strengthened over the past month, up \$16, with #2/4 currently quoted at \$351 per ton, FOB. This brings the price spread between Thai and U.S. rice to \$55 per ton. Meanwhile, U.S. medium grain prices have stabilized; current quotes for U.S. #1/4 are \$515 per ton, FOB.

TRADE CHANGES IN 2006

Selected Exporters

- **Australia** is further increased 100,000 tons to 500,000 due to larger exportable supplies.
- With a new parboiled rice mill, **China** is raised 100,000 tons to 700,000.
- Continuing the extraordinary export pace of 2005, **Pakistan** is boosted 600,000 tons to a record 2.8 million.
- The **United States** is reduced 100,000 tons to 3.7 million due to reduced competitiveness resulting from higher prices.

Selected Importers

- **Philippines** is boosted 700,000 to 1.8 million tons in response to indications of unusually strong first and second quarter import demand.

TRADE CHANGES IN 2005

Selected Exporters

- **Burma** is raised 25,000 tons to 175,000 considering the stronger pace to date.
- **Pakistan** is up 300,000 tons to 2.65 million due to robust exports to Africa.
- With enhanced shipments to select African and Middle East markets, **Uruguay** is increased 100,000 tons to 750,000 despite reduced shipments to Brazil.

Selected Importers

- **China** is raised 100,000 tons to 600,000 based on stronger than anticipated import demand for fragrant rice.
- **Cuba** is dropped 50,000 tons to 800,000 due to weaker fourth quarter import demand.
- With stronger imports from Egypt and the United States, **Jordan** is increased 25,000 tons to 150,000.
- **Nicaragua** is raised 40,000 tons to 150,000 due to heavy shipments from the United States.
- **Peru** is boosted to a record 140,000 tons because of continued import demand from Uruguay and the United States.
- **Sub-Saharan Africa** is increased 225,000 tons to a record 8.2 million tons, with most of the increase in **Ghana, Mozambique, and Senegal**.

**WORLD RICE TRADE
JANUARY/DECEMBER YEAR
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

| | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 9-Dec | 2005 12-Jan | 2006 9-Dec | 2006 12-Jan |
|--------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|
| EXPORTS | | | | | | | |
| Argentina | 224 | 170 | 249 | 350 | 350 | 400 | 400 |
| Australia | 366 | 141 | 131 | 125 | 125 | 400 | 500 |
| Burma | 1,002 | 388 | 130 | 150 | 175 | 150 | 150 |
| China | 1,963 | 2,583 | 880 | 700 | 700 | 600 | 700 |
| Egypt | 468 | 579 | 826 | 1,100 | 1,100 | 1,000 | 1,000 |
| India | 6,650 | 4,421 | 3,172 | 4,500 | 4,500 | 3,500 | 3,500 |
| Pakistan | 1,603 | 1,958 | 1,986 | 2,350 | 2,650 | 2,200 | 2,800 |
| Thailand | 7,245 | 7,552 | 10,137 | 7,250 | 7,250 | 7,000 | 7,000 |
| Uruguay | 526 | 675 | 804 | 650 | 750 | 700 | 700 |
| Vietnam | 3,245 | 3,795 | 4,295 | 5,100 | 5,100 | 4,500 | 4,500 |
| EU-25 | 359 | 220 | 187 | 175 | 175 | 175 | 175 |
| Others | 867 | 1,234 | 1,229 | 1,516 | 1,516 | 1,011 | 1,011 |
| Subtotal | 24,518 | 23,716 | 24,026 | 23,966 | 24,391 | 21,636 | 22,436 |
| United States | 3,295 | 3,834 | 3,090 | 3,800 | 3,900 | 3,800 | 3,700 |
| WORLD TOTAL | 27,813 | 27,550 | 27,116 | 27,766 | 28,291 | 25,436 | 26,136 |
| IMPORTS | | | | | | | |
| Bangladesh | 313 | 1,112 | 801 | 800 | 800 | 500 | 500 |
| Brazil | 554 | 1,063 | 762 | 500 | 500 | 750 | 750 |
| Canada | 229 | 242 | 285 | 250 | 250 | 250 | 250 |
| China | 304 | 258 | 1,122 | 500 | 600 | 600 | 600 |
| Colombia | 31 | 75 | 58 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 |
| Costa Rica | 88 | 95 | 136 | 140 | 140 | 100 | 100 |
| Cote d'Ivoire | 716 | 750 | 750 | 800 | 800 | 750 | 750 |
| Cuba | 538 | 371 | 639 | 850 | 800 | 700 | 700 |
| El Salvador | 85 | 74 | 51 | 75 | 75 | 75 | 75 |
| Ghana | 350 | 357 | 425 | 400 | 450 | 350 | 350 |
| Guinea | 325 | 350 | 350 | 350 | 350 | 350 | 350 |
| Haiti | 305 | 345 | 269 | 300 | 300 | 300 | 300 |
| Honduras | 105 | 88 | 102 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 |
| Indonesia | 3,500 | 2,750 | 650 | 500 | 500 | 800 | 800 |
| Iran | 964 | 900 | 950 | 950 | 950 | 950 | 950 |
| Iraq | 1,178 | 672 | 889 | 800 | 800 | 1,200 | 1,200 |
| Jamaica & Dep | 30 | 51 | 35 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 |
| Japan | 616 | 654 | 706 | 650 | 750 | 650 | 650 |
| Korea, North | 654 | 633 | 465 | 600 | 600 | 500 | 500 |
| Korea, South | 136 | 179 | 188 | 120 | 120 | 475 | 475 |
| Malaysia | 480 | 500 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 600 | 600 |
| Mexico | 530 | 582 | 521 | 550 | 550 | 600 | 600 |
| Nigeria | 1,897 | 1,448 | 1,369 | 1,700 | 1,700 | 1,500 | 1,500 |
| Nicaragua | 107 | 102 | 109 | 110 | 150 | 120 | 120 |
| Peru | 33 | 32 | 88 | 115 | 140 | 75 | 75 |
| Philippines | 1,250 | 1,300 | 1,100 | 1,900 | 1,900 | 1,100 | 1,800 |
| Russia | 406 | 385 | 350 | 350 | 350 | 375 | 375 |
| Saudi Arabia | 938 | 1,150 | 1,500 | 1,250 | 1,250 | 1,000 | 1,000 |
| Senegal | 858 | 750 | 850 | 1,100 | 1,150 | 750 | 750 |
| Singapore | 358 | 375 | 346 | 375 | 375 | 375 | 375 |
| South Africa | 800 | 725 | 818 | 800 | 800 | 750 | 750 |
| Sri Lanka | 80 | 29 | 215 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 |
| Syria | 204 | 190 | 200 | 250 | 250 | 250 | 250 |
| Taiwan | 106 | 135 | 158 | 125 | 125 | 125 | 125 |
| Turkey | 342 | 320 | 151 | 300 | 300 | 175 | 175 |
| Uzbekistan | 65 | 25 | 25 | 25 | 25 | 25 | 25 |
| UAE | 80 | 80 | 80 | 80 | 80 | 80 | 80 |
| Yemen | 210 | 250 | 275 | 250 | 250 | 250 | 250 |
| EU-25 | 1,173 | 950 | 1,079 | 1,050 | 1,050 | 975 | 975 |
| Other Europe | 238 | 209 | 230 | 220 | 220 | 220 | 220 |
| United States | 420 | 458 | 477 | 410 | 405 | 450 | 425 |
| Subtotal | 21,596 | 21,014 | 20,274 | 20,545 | 20,855 | 19,395 | 20,070 |
| Other Countries | 4,344 | 4,615 | 5,105 | 5,352 | 5,532 | 4,486 | 4,526 |
| Unaccounted | 1,873 | 1,921 | 1,737 | 1,869 | 1,904 | 1,555 | 1,540 |
| WORLD TOTAL | 27,813 | 27,550 | 27,116 | 27,766 | 28,291 | 25,436 | 26,136 |

WORLD RICE PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS
LOCAL MARKETING YEARS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| MILLED PRODUCTION | | | | | | | |
| Australia | 888 | 313 | 395 | 231 | 231 | 715 | 715 |
| Bangladesh | 24,310 | 25,187 | 26,152 | 25,900 | 25,900 | 26,700 | 26,700 |
| Brazil | 7,067 | 7,050 | 8,709 | 8,976 | 8,976 | 7,800 | 7,800 |
| Burma | 10,440 | 10,788 | 10,730 | 9,570 | 9,570 | 10,440 | 10,440 |
| China | 124,306 | 122,180 | 112,462 | 125,363 | 125,363 | 127,400 | 127,400 |
| Egypt | 3,575 | 3,705 | 3,900 | 4,128 | 4,160 | 4,193 | 4,200 |
| India | 93,340 | 71,820 | 88,280 | 85,310 | 85,310 | 85,000 | 85,000 |
| Indonesia | 32,960 | 33,411 | 35,024 | 34,250 | 34,250 | 34,900 | 34,900 |
| Japan | 8,242 | 8,089 | 7,091 | 7,944 | 7,944 | 8,000 | 8,000 |
| Korea, South | 5,515 | 4,927 | 4,451 | 5,000 | 5,000 | 4,750 | 4,768 |
| Pakistan | 3,882 | 4,479 | 4,848 | 5,020 | 5,020 | 5,400 | 5,400 |
| Philippines | 8,450 | 8,450 | 9,200 | 9,445 | 9,445 | 9,500 | 9,500 |
| Taiwan | 1,245 | 1,271 | 1,164 | 1,011 | 1,011 | 1,025 | 1,025 |
| Thailand | 17,499 | 17,198 | 18,011 | 17,070 | 17,070 | 17,900 | 17,900 |
| Vietnam | 21,036 | 21,527 | 22,082 | 22,627 | 22,627 | 22,500 | 22,500 |
| EU-25 | 1,632 | 1,731 | 1,728 | 1,864 | 1,864 | 1,741 | 1,798 |
| Others | 27,971 | 28,809 | 30,735 | 30,957 | 30,957 | 31,857 | 31,742 |
| Subtotal | 392,358 | 370,935 | 384,962 | 394,666 | 394,698 | 399,821 | 399,788 |
| United States | 6,714 | 6,536 | 6,420 | 7,405 | 7,455 | 7,009 | 7,088 |
| WORLD TOTAL | 399,072 | 377,471 | 391,382 | 402,071 | 402,153 | 406,830 | 406,876 |
| CONSUMPTION | | | | | | | |
| Australia | 378 | 380 | 380 | 380 | 380 | 380 | 380 |
| Bangladesh | 25,553 | 26,100 | 26,700 | 26,900 | 26,900 | 27,250 | 27,250 |
| Brazil | 8,300 | 8,100 | 8,687 | 9,001 | 9,001 | 9,210 | 9,210 |
| Burma | 9,900 | 10,100 | 10,200 | 10,300 | 10,300 | 10,400 | 10,400 |
| China | 134,581 | 134,800 | 135,000 | 135,100 | 135,100 | 135,200 | 135,200 |
| Egypt | 3,100 | 3,200 | 3,225 | 3,250 | 3,250 | 3,300 | 3,300 |
| India | 87,611 | 79,860 | 85,380 | 83,110 | 83,110 | 81,000 | 81,000 |
| Indonesia | 36,382 | 36,500 | 36,000 | 35,850 | 35,850 | 35,600 | 35,600 |
| Iran | 3,000 | 3,075 | 3,100 | 3,125 | 3,125 | 3,150 | 3,150 |
| Japan | 8,779 | 8,742 | 8,357 | 8,300 | 8,300 | 8,250 | 8,250 |
| Korea, North | 2,004 | 2,083 | 1,925 | 2,140 | 2,140 | 2,100 | 2,100 |
| Korea, South | 5,155 | 5,033 | 4,637 | 4,741 | 4,771 | 4,663 | 4,663 |
| Pakistan | 2,635 | 2,645 | 2,700 | 2,750 | 2,750 | 2,800 | 2,665 |
| Philippines | 9,040 | 9,550 | 10,250 | 10,400 | 10,400 | 10,600 | 10,600 |
| South Africa | 600 | 650 | 700 | 750 | 750 | 800 | 800 |
| Taiwan | 1,150 | 1,150 | 1,150 | 1,125 | 1,125 | 1,125 | 1,125 |
| Thailand | 9,400 | 9,460 | 9,470 | 9,480 | 9,480 | 9,490 | 9,490 |
| Vietnam | 17,000 | 17,500 | 18,000 | 18,500 | 18,500 | 19,000 | 19,000 |
| EU-25 | 2,444 | 2,597 | 2,509 | 2,529 | 2,529 | 2,550 | 2,550 |
| Others | 39,206 | 41,451 | 43,653 | 43,781 | 43,556 | 42,994 | 43,060 |
| Subtotal | 406,218 | 402,976 | 412,023 | 411,512 | 411,222 | 409,862 | 409,793 |
| United States | 3,850 | 3,534 | 3,656 | 3,836 | 3,886 | 4,020 | 4,049 |
| WORLD TOTAL | 410,068 | 406,510 | 415,679 | 415,348 | 415,108 | 413,882 | 413,842 |
| ENDING STOCKS | | | | | | | |
| Australia | 766 | 637 | 565 | 396 | 396 | 491 | 391 |
| Brazil | 538 | 586 | 1,342 | 1,567 | 1,567 | 732 | 732 |
| Burma | 929 | 1,229 | 1,629 | 749 | 724 | 639 | 614 |
| China | 82,169 | 67,224 | 44,928 | 34,991 | 35,091 | 27,191 | 27,191 |
| Egypt | 894 | 870 | 719 | 627 | 529 | 520 | 429 |
| India | 24,480 | 11,000 | 10,800 | 8,500 | 8,500 | 9,000 | 9,000 |
| Indonesia | 4,683 | 4,344 | 4,018 | 2,918 | 2,918 | 3,018 | 3,018 |
| Korea, South | 1,566 | 1,025 | 821 | 1,003 | 973 | 1,365 | 1,353 |
| Pakistan | 203 | 45 | 243 | 213 | 158 | 563 | 68 |
| Philippines | 3,407 | 3,807 | 4,047 | 4,592 | 4,592 | 4,742 | 5,392 |
| Thailand | 3,116 | 3,302 | 1,706 | 2,046 | 2,046 | 3,456 | 3,456 |
| Vietnam | 3,793 | 4,065 | 4,152 | 3,479 | 3,479 | 2,579 | 2,579 |
| Others | 12,904 | 12,581 | 12,200 | 12,550 | 12,850 | 11,951 | 12,168 |
| Subtotal | 138,144 | 109,492 | 85,263 | 71,668 | 71,860 | 65,024 | 65,268 |
| United States | 1,216 | 829 | 761 | 1,209 | 1,209 | 801 | 835 |
| WORLD TOTAL | 139,360 | 110,321 | 86,024 | 72,877 | 73,069 | 65,825 | 66,103 |

Notes: All data are reported on a milled basis.

REGIONAL RICE IMPORTS, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

| | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 9-Dec | 2005 12-Jan | 2006 9-Dec | 2006 12-Jan |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| IMPORTS | | | | | | | |
| North America | 1,179 | 1,282 | 1,283 | 1,210 | 1,205 | 1,300 | 1,275 |
| Latin America | <u>2,147</u> | <u>2,685</u> | <u>2,658</u> | <u>2,690</u> | <u>2,735</u> | <u>2,685</u> | <u>2,685</u> |
| EU-25 | 1,173 | 950 | 1,079 | 1,050 | 1,050 | 975 | 975 |
| Other Europe | <u>238</u> | <u>209</u> | <u>230</u> | <u>220</u> | <u>220</u> | <u>220</u> | <u>220</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 601 | 540 | 526 | 526 | 526 | 551 | 551 |
| Middle East | <u>4,329</u> | <u>3,970</u> | <u>4,510</u> | <u>4,350</u> | <u>4,375</u> | <u>4,330</u> | <u>4,330</u> |
| North Africa | 243 | 238 | 225 | 250 | 250 | 225 | 225 |
| Sub-Saharan Africa | <u>7,397</u> | <u>6,901</u> | <u>7,254</u> | <u>7,936</u> | <u>8,161</u> | <u>6,725</u> | <u>6,725</u> |
| East Asia | 2,128 | 2,166 | 2,948 | 2,310 | 2,510 | 2,665 | 2,665 |
| South Asia | <u>576</u> | <u>1,381</u> | <u>1,226</u> | <u>1,165</u> | <u>1,165</u> | <u>865</u> | <u>865</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 5,721 | 5,063 | 3,202 | 3,950 | 3,950 | 3,085 | 3,825 |
| Oceania | <u>208</u> | <u>244</u> | <u>238</u> | <u>240</u> | <u>240</u> | <u>255</u> | <u>255</u> |
| PRODUCTION | | | | | | | |
| North America | 6,899 | 6,669 | 6,620 | 7,605 | 7,655 | 7,209 | 7,288 |
| Latin America | <u>13,946</u> | <u>14,052</u> | <u>16,061</u> | <u>16,232</u> | <u>16,232</u> | <u>15,021</u> | <u>15,021</u> |
| EU-25 | 1,632 | 1,731 | 1,728 | 1,864 | 1,864 | 1,741 | 1,798 |
| Other Europe | 15 | 15 | 18 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 20 |
| Former Soviet Union | 604 | 690 | 846 | 770 | 770 | 892 | 867 |
| Middle East | <u>1,564</u> | <u>2,151</u> | <u>2,483</u> | <u>2,592</u> | <u>2,592</u> | <u>2,633</u> | <u>2,633</u> |
| North Africa | 3,616 | 3,746 | 3,941 | 4,169 | 4,201 | 4,234 | 4,241 |
| Sub-Saharan Africa | <u>7,270</u> | <u>6,992</u> | <u>7,320</u> | <u>7,861</u> | <u>7,861</u> | <u>8,530</u> | <u>8,530</u> |
| East Asia | 140,658 | 137,917 | 126,628 | 140,858 | 140,858 | 142,775 | 142,793 |
| South Asia | <u>126,248</u> | <u>106,556</u> | <u>124,439</u> | <u>121,368</u> | <u>121,368</u> | <u>122,144</u> | <u>122,144</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 95,732 | 96,639 | 100,903 | 98,501 | 98,501 | 100,916 | 100,826 |
| Oceania | <u>888</u> | <u>313</u> | <u>395</u> | <u>231</u> | <u>231</u> | <u>715</u> | <u>715</u> |
| CONSUMPTION | | | | | | | |
| North America | 4,754 | 4,476 | 4,666 | 4,886 | 4,936 | 5,095 | 5,124 |
| Latin America | <u>15,523</u> | <u>15,424</u> | <u>16,360</u> | <u>17,033</u> | <u>16,983</u> | <u>17,244</u> | <u>17,244</u> |
| EU-25 | 2,444 | 2,597 | 2,509 | 2,529 | 2,529 | 2,550 | 2,550 |
| Other Europe | 206 | 224 | 233 | 225 | 225 | 230 | 230 |
| Former Soviet Union | 1,146 | 1,231 | 1,434 | 1,350 | 1,350 | 1,383 | 1,383 |
| Middle East | <u>6,510</u> | <u>6,694</u> | <u>6,697</u> | <u>6,647</u> | <u>6,657</u> | <u>6,957</u> | <u>6,972</u> |
| North Africa | 3,384 | 3,429 | 3,491 | 3,541 | 3,541 | 3,566 | 3,566 |
| Sub-Saharan Africa | <u>13,526</u> | <u>14,014</u> | <u>15,016</u> | <u>15,808</u> | <u>15,858</u> | <u>16,001</u> | <u>16,001</u> |
| East Asia | 151,975 | 152,115 | 151,378 | 151,721 | 151,751 | 151,653 | 151,653 |
| South Asia | <u>121,050</u> | <u>113,900</u> | <u>120,354</u> | <u>118,273</u> | <u>118,178</u> | <u>116,415</u> | <u>116,280</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 88,159 | 89,449 | 90,460 | 91,100 | 91,100 | 91,756 | 91,706 |
| Oceania | <u>528</u> | <u>530</u> | <u>530</u> | <u>530</u> | <u>530</u> | <u>530</u> | <u>530</u> |
| ENDING STOCKS | | | | | | | |
| North America | 1,419 | 998 | 940 | 1,338 | 1,338 | 905 | 939 |
| Latin America | <u>2,637</u> | <u>2,835</u> | <u>3,762</u> | <u>4,054</u> | <u>4,114</u> | <u>3,046</u> | <u>3,106</u> |
| EU-25 | 878 | 960 | 974 | 1,129 | 1,134 | 1,120 | 1,182 |
| Other Europe | 10 | 45 | 40 | 50 | 50 | 60 | 60 |
| Former Soviet Union | 339 | 308 | 191 | 117 | 117 | 157 | 132 |
| Middle East | <u>2,125</u> | <u>1,299</u> | <u>1,170</u> | <u>1,653</u> | <u>1,663</u> | <u>1,894</u> | <u>1,889</u> |
| North Africa | 894 | 870 | 719 | 627 | 529 | 520 | 429 |
| Sub-Saharan Africa | <u>2,177</u> | <u>2,696</u> | <u>2,291</u> | <u>2,045</u> | <u>2,170</u> | <u>1,683</u> | <u>1,808</u> |
| East Asia | 86,541 | 70,960 | 47,753 | 38,062 | 38,232 | 30,799 | 30,887 |
| South Asia | <u>25,201</u> | <u>11,643</u> | <u>11,797</u> | <u>9,242</u> | <u>9,187</u> | <u>10,236</u> | <u>9,741</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 16,373 | 17,070 | 15,822 | 14,164 | 14,139 | 14,914 | 15,539 |
| Oceania | <u>766</u> | <u>637</u> | <u>565</u> | <u>396</u> | <u>396</u> | <u>491</u> | <u>391</u> |

NOTES: Regional definitions appear on last page of this circular. Imports are reported on an international year basis.

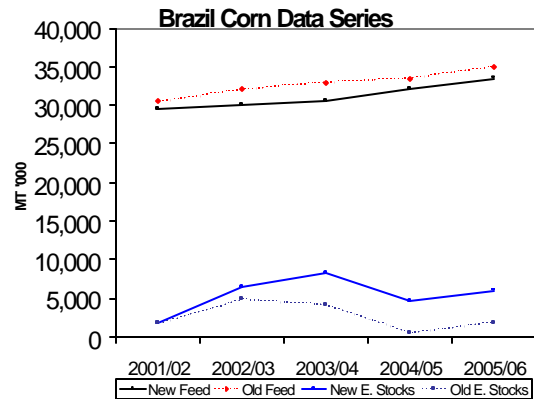
All other data are reported using marketing years.

COARSE GRAINS: WORLD MARKETS AND TRADE

MONTHLY HIGHLIGHTS:

Brazil Corn Series Revised: USDA has revised down its consumption series and raised its stock series beginning in 2001/02, based on official information released by government agency CONAB (Companhia Nacional de Abastecimento).

Because the 2004/05 harvest fell by 7 million tons to just 35 million tons, and based on the beginning stocks estimate of 4 million tons, government and private forecasters foresaw imports at 4 to 6 million tons and strong domestic prices. However, as the year progressed and prices remained low with very little import activity, it became evident that stocks were much higher than originally thought.



CONAB has explained that the error was in overestimating feed consumption, particularly by the poultry sector. For example, the production cycle for broilers has been shortened by about one-third, leading to reduced feed consumption.

Forecasting stocks in Brazil is a challenge due to the large number of livestock and poultry operations as well as the difficulty in measuring stocks held by small producers. (A spreadsheet showing the changes can be found on the Grain and Feed website at <http://www.fas.usda.gov/grain/circular/2006/01-01/graintoc.htm>.)

PRICES:

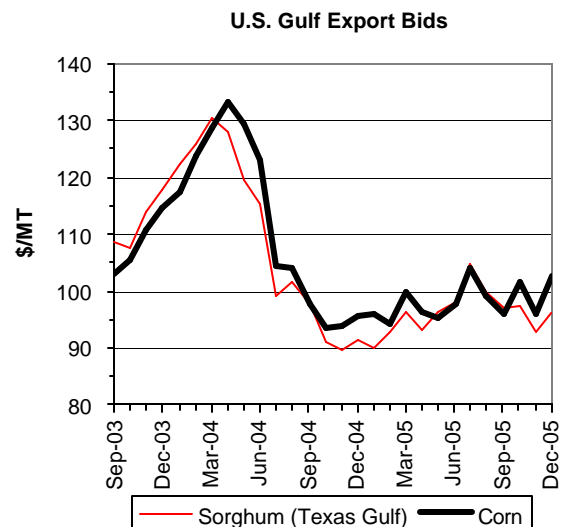
Domestic: December export bids for #2 yellow corn were up sharply by \$7 to nearly \$103/MT. December export bids for #2 yellow sorghum (Texas Gulf) were up over \$3 to \$96/MT.

Prices strengthened because of higher barge rates and concerns over weather in South America. However, the increase was tempered by relatively weak export demand.

TRADE CHANGES IN 2005/2006

Selected Exporters

- **United States corn** is down by 1.0 million tons to 47.5 million because of reduced foreign demand.



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- **Argentina corn** is down by 200,000 tons to 12.5 million because of a reduced production forecast.
 - **Brazil corn** is up by 700,000 tons to 1.5 million and imports are reduced by 300,000 tons to 700,000, as a result of lower domestic use and higher stocks.

Selected Importers

- **Canada corn** is cut by 500,000 tons again this month to 1.5 million, the lowest in 6 years, based on slow purchases, ample feed grain supplies, and the additional import duties imposed on U.S. corn last month.
- **EU-25 corn** is up by 500,000 tons to 3.0 million as import licenses are up 75 percent over last year.

**WORLD COARSE GRAIN TRADE
OCTOBER/SEPTEMBER YEAR
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| EXPORTS | | | | | | | |
| Argentina | 9,089 | 13,055 | 10,834 | 14,760 | 14,379 | 13,210 | 13,010 |
| <u>Australia</u> | <u>5,323</u> | <u>2,472</u> | <u>6,752</u> | <u>5,013</u> | <u>5,008</u> | <u>6,170</u> | <u>6,170</u> |
| Brazil | 3,897 | 3,246 | 6,191 | 1,455 | 1,455 | 850 | 1,550 |
| <u>Canada</u> | <u>2,443</u> | <u>1,712</u> | <u>3,474</u> | <u>3,217</u> | <u>3,217</u> | <u>3,600</u> | <u>3,600</u> |
| China | 8,630 | 15,336 | 7,723 | 7,617 | 7,617 | 6,025 | 6,025 |
| <u>South Africa</u> | <u>1,230</u> | <u>1,190</u> | <u>838</u> | <u>1,552</u> | <u>1,552</u> | <u>1,525</u> | <u>1,525</u> |
| Russia | 2,668 | 3,492 | 1,767 | 1,493 | 1,537 | 805 | 805 |
| <u>Ukraine</u> | <u>3,827</u> | <u>3,420</u> | <u>3,811</u> | <u>6,419</u> | <u>6,453</u> | <u>6,380</u> | <u>6,380</u> |
| EU-25 | 7,659 | 9,736 | 2,342 | 5,029 | 5,114 | 4,455 | 4,455 |
| <u>Others</u> | <u>3,953</u> | <u>4,184</u> | <u>4,816</u> | <u>4,558</u> | <u>4,564</u> | <u>4,365</u> | <u>4,325</u> |
| Subtotal | 48,719 | 57,843 | 48,548 | 51,113 | 50,896 | 47,385 | 47,845 |
| United States | 53,964 | 46,428 | 54,077 | 50,545 | 50,545 | 53,345 | 52,345 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>102,683</u> | <u>104,271</u> | <u>102,625</u> | <u>101,658</u> | <u>101,441</u> | <u>100,730</u> | <u>100,190</u> |
| IMPORTS | | | | | | | |
| Algeria | 2,054 | 1,696 | 1,788 | 2,105 | 2,151 | 2,105 | 2,105 |
| <u>Brazil</u> | <u>437</u> | <u>817</u> | <u>814</u> | <u>780</u> | <u>768</u> | <u>1,155</u> | <u>855</u> |
| Canada | 4,188 | 4,098 | 2,081 | 2,337 | 2,333 | 2,055 | 1,555 |
| <u>Chile</u> | <u>1,428</u> | <u>1,110</u> | <u>1,148</u> | <u>1,115</u> | <u>1,202</u> | <u>1,215</u> | <u>1,215</u> |
| China | 1,963 | 1,830 | 1,533 | 2,007 | 2,060 | 2,305 | 2,305 |
| <u>Colombia</u> | <u>2,100</u> | <u>2,402</u> | <u>2,214</u> | <u>2,360</u> | <u>2,516</u> | <u>2,310</u> | <u>2,410</u> |
| Costa Rica | 463 | 514 | 583 | 569 | 569 | 600 | 600 |
| <u>Dominican Republic</u> | <u>1,038</u> | <u>906</u> | <u>824</u> | <u>1,100</u> | <u>1,031</u> | <u>1,100</u> | <u>1,100</u> |
| Ecuador | 321 | 306 | 469 | 470 | 451 | 470 | 470 |
| <u>Egypt</u> | <u>4,931</u> | <u>4,867</u> | <u>3,747</u> | <u>5,320</u> | <u>5,418</u> | <u>5,320</u> | <u>5,320</u> |
| Guatemala | 584 | 513 | 513 | 650 | 641 | 600 | 600 |
| <u>Indonesia</u> | <u>1,149</u> | <u>1,633</u> | <u>1,436</u> | <u>500</u> | <u>500</u> | <u>600</u> | <u>600</u> |
| Iran | 1,583 | 2,157 | 2,233 | 3,725 | 3,683 | 3,100 | 3,100 |
| <u>Israel</u> | <u>1,466</u> | <u>1,382</u> | <u>2,012</u> | <u>1,834</u> | <u>1,740</u> | <u>1,425</u> | <u>1,325</u> |
| Japan | 19,945 | 20,321 | 19,982 | 19,709 | 19,709 | 19,485 | 19,485 |
| <u>Jordan</u> | <u>938</u> | <u>820</u> | <u>771</u> | <u>950</u> | <u>950</u> | <u>1,050</u> | <u>1,050</u> |
| Korea, North | 288 | 144 | 89 | 275 | 275 | 250 | 250 |
| <u>Korea, South</u> | <u>8,848</u> | <u>8,886</u> | <u>8,992</u> | <u>8,751</u> | <u>8,714</u> | <u>8,530</u> | <u>8,530</u> |
| Libya | 496 | 322 | 531 | 625 | 625 | 500 | 500 |
| <u>Malaysia</u> | <u>2,425</u> | <u>2,408</u> | <u>2,401</u> | <u>2,400</u> | <u>2,400</u> | <u>2,500</u> | <u>2,500</u> |
| Mexico | 9,040 | 8,766 | 8,873 | 8,996 | 8,959 | 10,345 | 10,345 |
| <u>Morocco</u> | <u>1,523</u> | <u>1,212</u> | <u>1,326</u> | <u>1,970</u> | <u>1,993</u> | <u>2,105</u> | <u>2,105</u> |
| Peru | 930 | 992 | 1,114 | 1,275 | 1,376 | 1,075 | 1,175 |
| <u>Russia</u> | <u>729</u> | <u>376</u> | <u>949</u> | <u>750</u> | <u>727</u> | <u>650</u> | <u>650</u> |
| Saudi Arabia | 7,268 | 8,926 | 7,522 | 7,700 | 7,700 | 7,900 | 7,900 |
| <u>South Africa</u> | <u>983</u> | <u>750</u> | <u>612</u> | <u>260</u> | <u>277</u> | <u>325</u> | <u>325</u> |
| Syria | 1,068 | 1,198 | 1,541 | 2,150 | 2,194 | 1,800 | 1,600 |
| <u>Taiwan</u> | <u>4,874</u> | <u>4,829</u> | <u>5,114</u> | <u>4,685</u> | <u>4,686</u> | <u>4,750</u> | <u>4,750</u> |
| Thailand | 5 | 7 | 6 | 10 | 10 | 50 | 50 |
| <u>Tunisia</u> | <u>1,449</u> | <u>1,046</u> | <u>883</u> | <u>1,215</u> | <u>1,231</u> | <u>900</u> | <u>900</u> |
| Turkey | 1,247 | 1,603 | 1,215 | 325 | 311 | 220 | 220 |
| <u>Venezuela</u> | <u>515</u> | <u>675</u> | <u>688</u> | <u>100</u> | <u>106</u> | <u>400</u> | <u>400</u> |
| Zimbabwe | 311 | 636 | 263 | 1,003 | 703 | 300 | 400 |
| EU-25 | 5,940 | 6,721 | 7,616 | 3,228 | 3,332 | 3,145 | 3,645 |
| United States | 2,401 | 2,543 | 2,241 | 2,242 | 2,242 | 2,200 | 2,200 |
| Subtotal | 94,928 | 97,412 | 94,124 | 93,491 | 93,583 | 92,840 | 92,540 |
| Other Countries | 5,692 | 5,690 | 5,898 | 6,684 | 6,325 | 5,760 | 5,860 |
| Unaccounted | 2,063 | 1,169 | 2,603 | 1,483 | 1,533 | 2,130 | 1,790 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>102,683</u> | <u>104,271</u> | <u>102,625</u> | <u>101,658</u> | <u>101,441</u> | <u>100,730</u> | <u>100,190</u> |

WORLD COARSE GRAINS PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS
LOCAL MARKETING YEARS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| PRODUCTION | | | | | | | |
| Argentina | 18,725 | 19,445 | 18,596 | 23,902 | 23,902 | 21,298 | 20,498 |
| <u>Australia</u> | <u>12,247</u> | <u>6,652</u> | <u>14,861</u> | <u>11,655</u> | <u>11,655</u> | <u>12,055</u> | <u>12,055</u> |
| Brazil | 36,795 | 47,097 | 44,881 | 37,804 | 37,804 | 45,629 | 45,629 |
| <u>Canada</u> | <u>22,601</u> | <u>19,892</u> | <u>26,326</u> | <u>26,447</u> | <u>26,447</u> | <u>25,983</u> | <u>25,983</u> |
| China | 122,245 | 130,725 | 123,953 | 137,930 | 137,930 | 137,600 | 141,600 |
| <u>Egypt</u> | <u>7,080</u> | <u>7,070</u> | <u>6,810</u> | <u>6,840</u> | <u>6,840</u> | <u>7,010</u> | <u>7,010</u> |
| India | 34,682 | 25,660 | 37,810 | 31,990 | 31,990 | 31,460 | 31,460 |
| <u>Indonesia</u> | <u>6,000</u> | <u>6,100</u> | <u>6,350</u> | <u>6,500</u> | <u>6,500</u> | <u>6,600</u> | <u>6,600</u> |
| Mexico | 27,157 | 26,453 | 30,095 | 29,555 | 29,555 | 27,480 | 27,480 |
| <u>Romania</u> | <u>8,460</u> | <u>8,365</u> | <u>7,965</u> | <u>13,805</u> | <u>13,805</u> | <u>10,505</u> | <u>10,505</u> |
| Russia | 35,150 | 33,400 | 30,500 | 29,550 | 29,550 | 29,000 | 27,650 |
| <u>South Africa</u> | <u>10,452</u> | <u>10,126</u> | <u>10,363</u> | <u>12,209</u> | <u>12,209</u> | <u>8,023</u> | <u>8,023</u> |
| Ukraine | 17,031 | 17,110 | 15,600 | 23,000 | 23,000 | 18,370 | 18,370 |
| <u>EU-25</u> | <u>140,059</u> | <u>138,651</u> | <u>122,973</u> | <u>150,594</u> | <u>150,605</u> | <u>130,128</u> | <u>131,028</u> |
| Others | 131,391 | 133,102 | 140,690 | 147,009 | 147,009 | 145,937 | 145,837 |
| Subtotal | <u>630,075</u> | <u>629,848</u> | <u>637,773</u> | <u>688,790</u> | <u>688,801</u> | <u>657,078</u> | <u>659,728</u> |
| United States | 261,723 | 243,719 | 275,098 | 319,452 | 319,417 | 296,556 | 298,736 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>891,798</u> | <u>873,567</u> | <u>912,871</u> | <u>1,008,242</u> | <u>1,008,218</u> | <u>953,634</u> | <u>958,464</u> |
| CONSUMPTION | | | | | | | |
| Argentina | 7,629 | 7,427 | 7,357 | 9,058 | 9,058 | 9,073 | 8,773 |
| <u>Brazil</u> | <u>36,504</u> | <u>38,535</u> | <u>38,863</u> | <u>41,969</u> | <u>41,569</u> | <u>44,009</u> | <u>43,209</u> |
| Canada | 25,005 | 22,816 | 23,811 | 23,824 | 23,824 | 25,028 | 24,828 |
| <u>China</u> | <u>132,875</u> | <u>136,401</u> | <u>138,651</u> | <u>141,212</u> | <u>141,212</u> | <u>143,800</u> | <u>143,800</u> |
| Egypt | 12,170 | 11,989 | 10,577 | 11,680 | 11,680 | 12,380 | 12,380 |
| <u>India</u> | <u>33,925</u> | <u>26,750</u> | <u>36,000</u> | <u>32,100</u> | <u>32,100</u> | <u>31,380</u> | <u>31,380</u> |
| Indonesia | 7,300 | 7,500 | 7,350 | 7,200 | 7,200 | 7,200 | 7,200 |
| <u>Japan</u> | <u>20,142</u> | <u>20,475</u> | <u>20,437</u> | <u>20,135</u> | <u>20,135</u> | <u>19,835</u> | <u>19,835</u> |
| Korea, South | 9,350 | 9,151 | 9,156 | 9,035 | 8,998 | 8,845 | 8,845 |
| <u>Malaysia</u> | <u>2,440</u> | <u>2,250</u> | <u>2,300</u> | <u>2,450</u> | <u>2,450</u> | <u>2,550</u> | <u>2,550</u> |
| Mexico | 35,356 | 35,583 | 37,232 | 38,245 | 38,226 | 39,100 | 39,100 |
| <u>Romania</u> | <u>7,905</u> | <u>8,205</u> | <u>8,355</u> | <u>10,905</u> | <u>10,905</u> | <u>10,805</u> | <u>10,805</u> |
| Russia | 29,050 | 29,850 | 33,250 | 29,350 | 29,350 | 29,350 | 28,200 |
| <u>Saudi Arabia</u> | <u>7,232</u> | <u>7,463</u> | <u>8,835</u> | <u>6,814</u> | <u>6,814</u> | <u>7,614</u> | <u>7,614</u> |
| South Africa | 9,018 | 9,072 | 9,219 | 9,573 | 9,590 | 9,523 | 9,523 |
| <u>EU-25</u> | <u>134,362</u> | <u>136,086</u> | <u>135,467</u> | <u>139,617</u> | <u>139,617</u> | <u>134,945</u> | <u>134,945</u> |
| Others | 178,427 | 176,169 | 189,334 | 197,320 | 197,544 | 198,132 | 197,022 |
| Subtotal | <u>688,690</u> | <u>685,722</u> | <u>716,194</u> | <u>730,487</u> | <u>730,272</u> | <u>733,569</u> | <u>730,009</u> |
| United States | 216,800 | 214,667 | 225,958 | 240,353 | 240,276 | 238,072 | 240,702 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>905,490</u> | <u>900,389</u> | <u>942,152</u> | <u>970,840</u> | <u>970,548</u> | <u>971,641</u> | <u>970,711</u> |
| ENDING STOCKS | | | | | | | |
| Canada | 3,515 | 3,135 | 4,091 | 6,339 | 6,335 | 5,749 | 5,445 |
| <u>China</u> | <u>85,551</u> | <u>66,369</u> | <u>45,481</u> | <u>36,589</u> | <u>36,642</u> | <u>26,669</u> | <u>30,722</u> |
| <u>Mexico</u> | <u>4,274</u> | <u>3,887</u> | <u>5,599</u> | <u>5,895</u> | <u>5,860</u> | <u>4,615</u> | <u>4,580</u> |
| Russia | 6,735 | 7,204 | 2,930 | 2,766 | 2,694 | 1,861 | 1,589 |
| <u>EU-25</u> | <u>21,213</u> | <u>21,503</u> | <u>12,629</u> | <u>22,720</u> | <u>22,745</u> | <u>16,243</u> | <u>17,668</u> |
| Others | 29,252 | 35,717 | 39,980 | 39,757 | 44,068 | 33,839 | 38,190 |
| Subtotal | <u>150,540</u> | <u>137,815</u> | <u>110,710</u> | <u>114,066</u> | <u>118,344</u> | <u>88,976</u> | <u>98,194</u> |
| United States | 45,037 | 30,940 | 28,764 | 58,758 | 58,800 | 65,841 | 66,703 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>195,577</u> | <u>168,755</u> | <u>139,474</u> | <u>172,824</u> | <u>177,144</u> | <u>154,817</u> | <u>164,897</u> |

REGIONAL COARSE GRAINS IMPORTS, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|---------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| IMPORTS | | | | | | | |
| North America | 15,629 | 15,407 | 13,195 | 13,575 | 13,534 | 14,600 | 14,100 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>9,387</u> | <u>9,951</u> | <u>10,399</u> | <u>10,612</u> | <u>10,824</u> | <u>10,970</u> | <u>10,870</u> |
| EU-25 | 5,940 | 6,721 | 7,616 | 3,228 | 3,332 | 3,145 | 3,645 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>1,044</u> | <u>840</u> | <u>1,395</u> | <u>670</u> | <u>508</u> | <u>770</u> | <u>820</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 990 | 756 | 1,445 | 1,175 | 1,152 | 1,095 | 1,095 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>14,483</u> | <u>16,869</u> | <u>16,207</u> | <u>17,684</u> | <u>17,578</u> | <u>16,455</u> | <u>16,155</u> |
| North Africa | 10,453 | 9,143 | 8,275 | 11,235 | 11,418 | 10,930 | 10,930 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>2,449</u> | <u>2,588</u> | <u>1,666</u> | <u>2,994</u> | <u>2,543</u> | <u>1,795</u> | <u>1,895</u> |
| East Asia | 36,012 | 36,114 | 35,791 | 35,502 | 35,519 | 35,420 | 35,420 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>32</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 4,199 | 4,606 | 3,987 | 3,440 | 3,440 | 3,380 | 3,430 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>29</u> | <u>97</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>40</u> | <u>40</u> | <u>40</u> | <u>40</u> |
| PRODUCTION | | | | | | | |
| North America | 311,481 | 290,064 | 331,519 | 375,454 | 375,419 | 350,019 | 352,199 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>67,258</u> | <u>79,315</u> | <u>76,277</u> | <u>75,048</u> | <u>75,048</u> | <u>80,110</u> | <u>79,310</u> |
| EU-25 | 140,059 | 138,651 | 122,973 | 150,594 | 150,605 | 130,128 | 131,028 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>21,086</u> | <u>22,325</u> | <u>18,842</u> | <u>28,869</u> | <u>28,869</u> | <u>24,883</u> | <u>24,783</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 61,778 | 60,724 | 55,371 | 62,860 | 62,860 | 56,570 | 55,220 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>14,489</u> | <u>15,643</u> | <u>15,817</u> | <u>16,798</u> | <u>16,798</u> | <u>16,938</u> | <u>16,938</u> |
| North Africa | 9,335 | 9,612 | 11,757 | 11,943 | 11,943 | 9,389 | 9,389 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>72,086</u> | <u>68,572</u> | <u>76,860</u> | <u>77,807</u> | <u>77,807</u> | <u>76,456</u> | <u>76,456</u> |
| East Asia | 124,475 | 133,040 | 126,245 | 140,272 | 140,272 | 139,991 | 143,991 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>38,684</u> | <u>30,085</u> | <u>42,310</u> | <u>36,550</u> | <u>36,550</u> | <u>36,020</u> | <u>36,020</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 18,200 | 18,264 | 19,419 | 19,772 | 19,772 | 20,455 | 20,455 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>12,867</u> | <u>7,272</u> | <u>15,481</u> | <u>12,275</u> | <u>12,275</u> | <u>12,675</u> | <u>12,675</u> |
| CONSUMPTION | | | | | | | |
| North America | 277,161 | 273,066 | 287,001 | 302,422 | 302,326 | 302,200 | 304,630 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>64,206</u> | <u>66,531</u> | <u>67,571</u> | <u>73,331</u> | <u>72,971</u> | <u>75,688</u> | <u>74,838</u> |
| EU-25 | 134,362 | 136,086 | 135,467 | 139,617 | 139,617 | 134,945 | 134,945 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>20,437</u> | <u>20,969</u> | <u>20,744</u> | <u>24,715</u> | <u>24,690</u> | <u>24,689</u> | <u>24,639</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 50,784 | 52,781 | 56,565 | 54,500 | 54,500 | 51,699 | 50,549 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>27,852</u> | <u>28,904</u> | <u>32,489</u> | <u>32,532</u> | <u>32,416</u> | <u>33,180</u> | <u>33,080</u> |
| <u>North Africa</u> | <u>19,479</u> | <u>19,162</u> | <u>19,046</u> | <u>21,261</u> | <u>21,261</u> | <u>21,765</u> | <u>21,765</u> |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>72,254</u> | <u>69,372</u> | <u>75,853</u> | <u>77,419</u> | <u>77,286</u> | <u>78,965</u> | <u>78,965</u> |
| East Asia | 169,377 | 172,756 | 175,134 | 177,247 | 177,210 | 179,420 | 179,420 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>37,931</u> | <u>31,184</u> | <u>40,532</u> | <u>36,680</u> | <u>36,680</u> | <u>35,940</u> | <u>35,940</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 21,998 | 22,160 | 21,683 | 22,480 | 22,480 | 23,195 | 23,195 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>6,900</u> | <u>5,906</u> | <u>7,235</u> | <u>7,430</u> | <u>7,530</u> | <u>7,030</u> | <u>7,030</u> |
| ENDING STOCKS | | | | | | | |
| North America | 52,826 | 37,962 | 38,454 | 70,992 | 70,995 | 76,205 | 76,728 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>3,899</u> | <u>9,344</u> | <u>11,449</u> | <u>4,191</u> | <u>8,576</u> | <u>5,169</u> | <u>9,504</u> |
| EU-25 | 21,213 | 21,503 | 12,629 | 22,720 | 22,745 | 16,243 | 17,668 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>2,254</u> | <u>3,085</u> | <u>2,170</u> | <u>4,941</u> | <u>4,857</u> | <u>3,905</u> | <u>3,861</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 11,454 | 11,976 | 6,157 | 7,677 | 7,571 | 5,778 | 5,472 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>3,410</u> | <u>5,498</u> | <u>5,269</u> | <u>6,439</u> | <u>6,403</u> | <u>5,602</u> | <u>5,566</u> |
| North Africa | 1,166 | 1,019 | 1,988 | 3,630 | 3,727 | 2,184 | 2,281 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>3,976</u> | <u>3,886</u> | <u>5,122</u> | <u>5,666</u> | <u>5,656</u> | <u>3,662</u> | <u>3,652</u> |
| East Asia | 90,483 | 71,462 | 50,709 | 41,734 | 41,788 | 31,700 | 35,754 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>1,806</u> | <u>661</u> | <u>1,172</u> | <u>637</u> | <u>637</u> | <u>592</u> | <u>592</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 1,056 | 1,108 | 2,058 | 1,972 | 1,964 | 2,037 | 2,079 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>2,034</u> | <u>1,251</u> | <u>2,297</u> | <u>2,225</u> | <u>2,225</u> | <u>1,740</u> | <u>1,740</u> |

NOTES: Regional definitions appear on last page of this circular. Imports are reported on an international year basis. All other data are reported using marketing years.

**WORLD CORN TRADE
OCTOBER/SEPTEMBER YEAR
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|--------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| EXPORTS | | | | | | | |
| Argentina | 8,581 | 12,349 | 10,439 | 14,200 | 13,752 | 12,700 | 12,500 |
| Brazil | <u>3,857</u> | <u>3,181</u> | <u>5,818</u> | <u>1,431</u> | <u>1,431</u> | 800 | <u>1,500</u> |
| Canada | 211 | 306 | 367 | 244 | 244 | 150 | 150 |
| China | <u>8,611</u> | <u>15,244</u> | <u>7,553</u> | <u>7,589</u> | <u>7,589</u> | <u>6,000</u> | <u>6,000</u> |
| Paraguay | 262 | 516 | 548 | 386 | 386 | 400 | 400 |
| Romania | 135 | 144 | 93 | 587 | 587 | 800 | 800 |
| South Africa | 1,182 | 1,141 | 797 | 1,517 | 1,517 | 1,500 | 1,500 |
| Thailand | 184 | 137 | 726 | 396 | 396 | 250 | 250 |
| Ukraine | 349 | 811 | 1,238 | 2,300 | 2,334 | 2,300 | 2,300 |
| EU-25 | <u>2,849</u> | <u>1,995</u> | <u>459</u> | <u>200</u> | <u>200</u> | <u>600</u> | <u>600</u> |
| Others | 1,054 | 1,296 | 2,281 | 2,106 | 2,162 | 1,890 | 1,850 |
| Subtotal | 27,275 | 37,120 | 30,319 | 30,956 | 30,598 | 27,390 | 27,850 |
| United States | 47,271 | 40,924 | 48,808 | 45,223 | 45,223 | 48,500 | 47,500 |
| WORLD TOTAL | <u>74,546</u> | <u>78,044</u> | <u>79,127</u> | <u>76,179</u> | <u>75,821</u> | <u>75,890</u> | <u>75,350</u> |
| IMPORTS | | | | | | | |
| Algeria | 1,537 | 1,643 | 1,765 | 2,000 | 2,046 | 1,900 | 1,900 |
| Brazil | <u>297</u> | <u>521</u> | <u>677</u> | <u>500</u> | <u>481</u> | <u>1,000</u> | <u>700</u> |
| Canada | 4,022 | 3,846 | 2,033 | 2,237 | 2,237 | 2,000 | 1,500 |
| Chile | <u>1,278</u> | <u>933</u> | <u>1,043</u> | <u>1,000</u> | <u>1,081</u> | <u>1,100</u> | <u>1,100</u> |
| China | 39 | 29 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 200 | 200 |
| Colombia | <u>1,911</u> | <u>2,112</u> | <u>1,999</u> | <u>2,100</u> | <u>2,256</u> | <u>2,100</u> | <u>2,200</u> |
| Costa Rica | 463 | 514 | 583 | 569 | 569 | 600 | 600 |
| Cuba | <u>292</u> | <u>279</u> | <u>469</u> | <u>550</u> | <u>546</u> | <u>500</u> | <u>500</u> |
| Dominican Republic | 1,038 | 906 | 824 | 1,100 | 1,031 | 1,100 | 1,100 |
| Ecuador | <u>309</u> | <u>304</u> | <u>457</u> | <u>450</u> | <u>431</u> | <u>450</u> | <u>450</u> |
| Egypt | 4,905 | 4,848 | 3,743 | 5,300 | 5,398 | 5,300 | 5,300 |
| El Salvador | <u>287</u> | <u>394</u> | <u>476</u> | <u>513</u> | <u>513</u> | <u>500</u> | <u>500</u> |
| Guatemala | 584 | 513 | 513 | 650 | 641 | 600 | 600 |
| Indonesia | <u>1,149</u> | <u>1,633</u> | <u>1,436</u> | <u>500</u> | <u>500</u> | <u>600</u> | <u>600</u> |
| Iran | 1,261 | 2,157 | 1,857 | 2,600 | 2,558 | 2,300 | 2,300 |
| Israel | <u>1,021</u> | <u>776</u> | <u>1,377</u> | <u>1,300</u> | <u>1,206</u> | <u>900</u> | <u>800</u> |
| Japan | 16,395 | 16,863 | 16,781 | 16,485 | 16,485 | 16,500 | 16,500 |
| Jordan | <u>439</u> | <u>406</u> | <u>371</u> | <u>350</u> | <u>350</u> | <u>450</u> | <u>450</u> |
| Korea, North | 288 | 144 | 89 | 275 | 275 | 250 | 250 |
| Korea, South | <u>8,621</u> | <u>8,786</u> | <u>8,783</u> | <u>8,638</u> | <u>8,638</u> | <u>8,400</u> | <u>8,400</u> |
| Malaysia | 2,425 | 2,408 | 2,401 | 2,400 | 2,400 | 2,500 | 2,500 |
| Mexico | <u>4,076</u> | <u>5,269</u> | <u>5,739</u> | <u>5,921</u> | <u>5,921</u> | <u>6,700</u> | <u>6,700</u> |
| Morocco | 829 | 1,054 | 1,183 | 1,400 | 1,423 | 1,300 | 1,300 |
| Peru | <u>858</u> | <u>917</u> | <u>1,041</u> | <u>1,200</u> | <u>1,301</u> | <u>1,000</u> | <u>1,100</u> |
| Philippines | 263 | 68 | 52 | 150 | 150 | 50 | 100 |
| Russia | <u>534</u> | <u>99</u> | <u>496</u> | <u>200</u> | <u>200</u> | <u>200</u> | <u>200</u> |
| Saudi Arabia | 1,268 | 1,424 | 1,621 | 1,200 | 1,200 | 1,400 | 1,400 |
| South Africa | <u>726</u> | <u>617</u> | <u>495</u> | <u>131</u> | <u>131</u> | <u>200</u> | <u>200</u> |
| Syria | 892 | 919 | 941 | 1,650 | 1,694 | 1,300 | 1,100 |
| Taiwan | <u>4,661</u> | <u>4,681</u> | <u>4,951</u> | <u>4,500</u> | <u>4,500</u> | <u>4,600</u> | <u>4,600</u> |
| Tunisia | 793 | 734 | 784 | 650 | 666 | 700 | 700 |
| Turkey | <u>1,193</u> | <u>1,475</u> | <u>1,023</u> | <u>150</u> | <u>150</u> | <u>100</u> | <u>100</u> |
| Venezuela | 515 | 675 | 687 | 100 | 106 | 400 | 400 |
| Vietnam | 263 | 344 | 36 | 300 | 300 | 100 | 100 |
| Zimbabwe | 311 | 625 | 233 | 1,000 | 700 | 300 | 400 |
| EU-25 | <u>3,801</u> | <u>4,327</u> | <u>5,752</u> | <u>2,500</u> | <u>2,517</u> | <u>2,500</u> | <u>3,000</u> |
| United States | 202 | 374 | 341 | 281 | 281 | 250 | 250 |
| Subtotal | 69,746 | 73,617 | 73,054 | 70,852 | 70,884 | 70,350 | 70,100 |
| Other Countries | 3,715 | 3,552 | 3,851 | 4,250 | 3,899 | 3,815 | 3,865 |
| Unaccounted | 1,085 | 875 | 2,222 | 1,077 | 1,038 | 1,725 | 1,385 |
| WORLD TOTAL | <u>74,546</u> | <u>78,044</u> | <u>79,127</u> | <u>76,179</u> | <u>75,821</u> | <u>75,890</u> | <u>75,350</u> |

WORLD CORN PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS
LOCAL MARKETING YEARS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| PRODUCTION | | | | | | | |
| Argentina | 14,700 | 15,500 | 15,000 | 19,500 | 19,500 | 17,300 | 16,800 |
| Brazil | <u>35,501</u> | <u>44,500</u> | <u>42,000</u> | <u>35,000</u> | <u>35,000</u> | <u>42,500</u> | <u>42,500</u> |
| Canada | 8,389 | 8,999 | 9,600 | 8,840 | 8,840 | 9,470 | 9,470 |
| China | <u>114,088</u> | <u>121,300</u> | <u>115,830</u> | <u>130,290</u> | <u>130,290</u> | <u>130,000</u> | <u>134,000</u> |
| Egypt | 6,160 | 6,000 | 5,740 | 5,780 | 5,780 | 5,950 | 5,950 |
| India | <u>13,510</u> | <u>11,100</u> | <u>14,720</u> | <u>13,600</u> | <u>13,600</u> | <u>13,500</u> | <u>13,500</u> |
| Indonesia | 6,000 | 6,100 | 6,350 | 6,500 | 6,500 | 6,600 | 6,600 |
| Mexico | <u>20,400</u> | <u>19,280</u> | <u>21,800</u> | <u>22,630</u> | <u>22,630</u> | <u>20,500</u> | <u>20,500</u> |
| Nigeria | 5,000 | 5,200 | 5,500 | 6,500 | 6,500 | 7,000 | 7,000 |
| Philippines | <u>4,505</u> | <u>4,430</u> | <u>4,900</u> | <u>5,050</u> | <u>5,050</u> | <u>5,500</u> | <u>5,500</u> |
| Romania | 7,000 | 7,300 | 7,020 | 12,000 | 12,000 | 9,000 | 9,000 |
| Serbia and Montenegro | 5,400 | 5,585 | 3,800 | 6,274 | 6,274 | 6,300 | 6,300 |
| South Africa | 10,050 | 9,675 | 9,700 | 11,716 | 11,716 | 7,500 | <u>7,500</u> |
| Thailand | <u>4,500</u> | <u>4,250</u> | <u>4,100</u> | <u>4,000</u> | <u>4,000</u> | <u>4,140</u> | 4,140 |
| Turkey | 2,000 | 2,100 | 2,500 | 3,000 | 3,000 | 3,500 | <u>3,500</u> |
| Ukraine | <u>3,641</u> | <u>4,180</u> | <u>6,850</u> | <u>8,800</u> | <u>8,800</u> | <u>7,200</u> | <u>7,200</u> |
| EU-25 | 50,142 | 49,360 | 39,876 | 53,348 | 53,348 | 46,945 | 47,470 |
| Others | <u>46,555</u> | <u>49,088</u> | <u>51,475</u> | <u>55,583</u> | <u>55,583</u> | <u>54,516</u> | <u>54,316</u> |
| Subtotal | 357,541 | 373,947 | 366,761 | 408,411 | 408,411 | 397,421 | 401,246 |
| United States | 241,377 | 227,767 | 256,278 | 299,917 | 299,914 | 280,228 | 282,260 |
| WORLD TOTAL | <u>598,918</u> | <u>601,714</u> | <u>623,039</u> | <u>708,328</u> | <u>708,325</u> | <u>677,649</u> | <u>683,506</u> |
| CONSUMPTION | | | | | | | |
| Brazil | 35,000 | 35,800 | 36,300 | 38,900 | 38,500 | 40,800 | 40,000 |
| Canada | 11,965 | 12,576 | 11,228 | 10,400 | 10,400 | 11,500 | 11,000 |
| China | 123,100 | 125,900 | 128,400 | 131,500 | 131,500 | 134,000 | 134,000 |
| Egypt | 11,200 | 10,900 | 9,500 | 10,600 | 10,600 | 11,300 | 11,300 |
| India | 13,050 | 12,000 | 13,200 | 13,400 | 13,400 | 13,400 | 13,400 |
| Indonesia | 7,300 | 7,500 | 7,350 | 7,200 | 7,200 | 7,200 | 7,200 |
| Japan | 16,300 | 16,800 | 16,900 | 16,700 | 16,700 | 16,600 | 16,600 |
| Korea, South | 8,735 | 8,746 | 8,722 | 8,615 | 8,615 | 8,450 | 8,450 |
| Malaysia | 2,440 | 2,250 | 2,300 | 2,450 | 2,450 | 2,550 | 2,550 |
| Mexico | <u>23,600</u> | <u>24,700</u> | <u>26,400</u> | <u>27,900</u> | <u>27,900</u> | <u>28,400</u> | <u>28,400</u> |
| Nigeria | 5,030 | 5,200 | 5,500 | 6,300 | 6,300 | 6,800 | 6,800 |
| Romania | 6,800 | 7,200 | 7,300 | 9,400 | 9,400 | 9,400 | 9,400 |
| Serbia and Montenegro | 4,850 | 4,850 | 4,450 | 5,300 | 5,300 | 5,600 | 5,600 |
| South Africa | 8,446 | 8,520 | 8,677 | 8,950 | 8,950 | 8,900 | 8,900 |
| EU-25 | 50,508 | 49,526 | 46,814 | 52,500 | 52,500 | 50,600 | 50,600 |
| Others | <u>93,236</u> | <u>92,258</u> | <u>99,695</u> | <u>106,478</u> | <u>106,637</u> | <u>105,624</u> | <u>104,414</u> |
| Subtotal | 421,560 | 424,726 | 432,736 | 456,593 | 456,352 | 461,124 | 458,614 |
| United States | 200,941 | 200,748 | 211,644 | 224,797 | 224,750 | 224,419 | 227,595 |
| WORLD TOTAL | <u>622,501</u> | <u>625,474</u> | <u>644,380</u> | <u>681,390</u> | <u>681,102</u> | <u>685,543</u> | <u>686,209</u> |
| ENDING STOCKS | | | | | | | |
| Brazil | 1,637 | 6,498 | 8,118 | 418 | 4,618 | 1,818 | 6,018 |
| China | <u>84,788</u> | <u>64,973</u> | <u>44,852</u> | <u>36,055</u> | <u>36,055</u> | <u>26,255</u> | <u>30,255</u> |
| Japan | 1,393 | 1,457 | 1,339 | 1,125 | 1,125 | 1,026 | 1,026 |
| Mexico | <u>3,396</u> | <u>3,238</u> | <u>4,372</u> | <u>5,013</u> | <u>4,996</u> | <u>3,808</u> | <u>3,791</u> |
| South Africa | 1,943 | 2,443 | 2,956 | 3,572 | 3,572 | 1,372 | 1,372 |
| EU-25 | 2,660 | 4,826 | 3,181 | 6,329 | 6,346 | 4,574 | 5,616 |
| Others | 12,475 | 14,045 | 14,587 | 20,463 | 20,556 | 18,427 | 18,560 |
| Subtotal | 108,292 | 97,480 | 79,405 | 72,975 | 77,268 | 57,280 | 66,638 |
| United States | 40,551 | 27,603 | 24,337 | 53,653 | 53,697 | 61,454 | 61,624 |
| WORLD TOTAL | <u>148,843</u> | <u>125,083</u> | <u>103,742</u> | <u>126,628</u> | <u>130,965</u> | <u>118,734</u> | <u>128,262</u> |

REGIONAL CORN IMPORTS, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|---------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| IMPORTS | | | | | | | |
| North America | 8,300 | 9,489 | 8,113 | 8,439 | 8,439 | 8,950 | 8,450 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>8,698</u> | <u>9,000</u> | <u>9,839</u> | <u>9,845</u> | <u>10,043</u> | <u>10,375</u> | <u>10,275</u> |
| EU-25 | 3,801 | 4,327 | 5,752 | 2,500 | 2,517 | 2,500 | 3,000 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>630</u> | <u>509</u> | <u>927</u> | <u>295</u> | <u>133</u> | <u>410</u> | <u>460</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 666 | 179 | 677 | 490 | 490 | 410 | 410 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>6,708</u> | <u>7,668</u> | <u>7,901</u> | <u>7,950</u> | <u>7,858</u> | <u>7,150</u> | <u>6,850</u> |
| North Africa | 8,299 | 8,413 | 7,673 | 9,675 | 9,858 | 9,400 | 9,400 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>2,042</u> | <u>2,285</u> | <u>1,334</u> | <u>2,463</u> | <u>2,000</u> | <u>1,530</u> | <u>1,630</u> |
| East Asia | 30,098 | 30,607 | 30,687 | 29,975 | 29,975 | 30,050 | 30,050 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>7</u> | <u>32</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 4,195 | 4,601 | 3,962 | 3,430 | 3,430 | 3,370 | 3,420 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>22</u> | <u>84</u> | <u>8</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>20</u> |
| PRODUCTION | | | | | | | |
| North America | 270,166 | 256,046 | 287,678 | 331,387 | 331,384 | 310,198 | 312,230 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>59,700</u> | <u>70,483</u> | <u>67,411</u> | <u>65,321</u> | <u>65,321</u> | <u>70,548</u> | <u>70,048</u> |
| EU-25 | 50,142 | 49,360 | 39,876 | 53,348 | 53,348 | 46,945 | 47,470 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>16,542</u> | <u>17,767</u> | <u>15,130</u> | <u>23,444</u> | <u>23,444</u> | <u>20,320</u> | <u>20,120</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 6,818 | 8,548 | 11,530 | 15,300 | 15,300 | 13,150 | 13,150 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>2,707</u> | <u>2,983</u> | <u>3,382</u> | <u>3,932</u> | <u>3,932</u> | <u>4,432</u> | <u>4,432</u> |
| North Africa | 6,362 | 6,202 | 5,942 | 5,982 | 5,982 | 6,152 | 6,152 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>35,788</u> | <u>34,579</u> | <u>36,877</u> | <u>40,788</u> | <u>40,788</u> | <u>36,730</u> | <u>36,730</u> |
| East Asia | 115,706 | 123,074 | 117,679 | 132,149 | 132,149 | 131,914 | 135,914 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>16,490</u> | <u>14,245</u> | <u>17,875</u> | <u>16,720</u> | <u>16,720</u> | <u>16,620</u> | <u>16,620</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 17,895 | 17,972 | 19,122 | 19,412 | 19,412 | 20,095 | 20,095 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>602</u> | <u>455</u> | <u>537</u> | <u>545</u> | <u>545</u> | <u>545</u> | <u>545</u> |
| CONSUMPTION | | | | | | | |
| North America | 236,506 | 238,024 | 249,272 | 263,097 | 263,050 | 264,319 | 266,995 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>56,514</u> | <u>57,641</u> | <u>59,254</u> | <u>63,457</u> | <u>63,087</u> | <u>65,905</u> | <u>65,355</u> |
| EU-25 | 50,508 | 49,526 | 46,814 | 52,500 | 52,500 | 50,600 | 50,600 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>16,214</u> | <u>16,709</u> | <u>16,624</u> | <u>19,675</u> | <u>19,650</u> | <u>20,100</u> | <u>19,950</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 7,051 | 7,921 | 11,044 | 12,585 | 12,585 | 11,530 | 11,530 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>9,348</u> | <u>9,692</u> | <u>11,308</u> | <u>11,506</u> | <u>11,406</u> | <u>11,656</u> | <u>11,556</u> |
| North Africa | 14,935 | 14,334 | 13,598 | 14,945 | 14,945 | 15,700 | 15,700 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>36,218</u> | <u>34,563</u> | <u>36,596</u> | <u>39,225</u> | <u>39,075</u> | <u>39,275</u> | <u>39,275</u> |
| East Asia | 154,913 | 158,011 | 160,735 | 163,500 | 163,500 | 165,820 | 165,820 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>16,031</u> | <u>15,151</u> | <u>16,387</u> | <u>16,540</u> | <u>16,540</u> | <u>16,520</u> | <u>16,520</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 21,704 | 21,896 | 21,380 | 22,160 | 22,160 | 22,850 | 22,850 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>555</u> | <u>460</u> | <u>545</u> | <u>545</u> | <u>545</u> | <u>545</u> | <u>545</u> |
| ENDING STOCKS | | | | | | | |
| North America | 45,003 | 31,952 | 29,852 | 60,382 | 60,409 | 66,798 | 66,951 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>2,995</u> | <u>8,440</u> | <u>10,191</u> | <u>2,973</u> | <u>7,400</u> | <u>4,151</u> | <u>8,528</u> |
| EU-25 | 2,660 | 4,826 | 3,181 | 6,329 | 6,346 | 4,574 | 5,616 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>1,755</u> | <u>2,584</u> | <u>1,658</u> | <u>4,250</u> | <u>4,166</u> | <u>3,280</u> | <u>3,236</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 1,557 | 1,532 | 1,349 | 2,229 | 2,151 | 1,934 | 1,856 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>636</u> | <u>1,615</u> | <u>1,524</u> | <u>1,819</u> | <u>1,783</u> | <u>1,495</u> | <u>1,459</u> |
| North Africa | 344 | 338 | 505 | 1,140 | 1,237 | 992 | 1,089 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>2,892</u> | <u>3,338</u> | <u>3,672</u> | <u>4,931</u> | <u>4,906</u> | <u>2,726</u> | <u>2,701</u> |
| East Asia | 88,778 | 69,121 | 49,267 | 40,343 | 40,343 | 30,487 | 34,487 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>1,162</u> | <u>213</u> | <u>476</u> | <u>276</u> | <u>276</u> | <u>276</u> | <u>276</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 1,050 | 1,100 | 2,053 | 1,942 | 1,934 | 2,007 | 2,049 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>11</u> | <u>24</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>14</u> |

NOTES: Regional definitions appear on last page of this circular. Imports are reported on an international year basis. All other data are reported using marketing years.

**WORLD BARLEY TRADE
OCTOBER/SEPTEMBER YEAR
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|---------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| EXPORTS | | | | | | | |
| Argentina | 91 | 101 | 167 | 300 | 338 | 200 | 200 |
| <u>Australia</u> | <u>4,590</u> | <u>2,159</u> | <u>6,104</u> | <u>4,481</u> | <u>4,481</u> | <u>5,500</u> | <u>5,500</u> |
| Canada | 1,126 | 304 | 1,937 | 1,476 | 1,476 | 2,000 | 2,000 |
| <u>Kazakhstan</u> | <u>393</u> | <u>542</u> | <u>613</u> | <u>100</u> | <u>100</u> | <u>200</u> | <u>200</u> |
| Russia | 2,664 | 3,066 | 1,736 | 1,488 | 1,488 | 800 | 800 |
| <u>Turkey</u> | <u>501</u> | <u>504</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>50</u> | <u>50</u> | <u>200</u> | <u>200</u> |
| Ukraine | 3,134 | 2,334 | 2,557 | 3,992 | 3,992 | 4,000 | 4,000 |
| <u>EU-25</u> | <u>3,236</u> | <u>6,307</u> | <u>984</u> | <u>3,800</u> | <u>3,881</u> | <u>3,300</u> | <u>3,300</u> |
| Other Europe | 845 | 253 | 20 | 708 | 708 | 400 | 400 |
| <u>Others</u> | <u>492</u> | <u>629</u> | <u>322</u> | <u>50</u> | <u>50</u> | <u>50</u> | <u>50</u> |
| Subtotal | 17,072 | 16,199 | 14,440 | 16,445 | 16,564 | 16,650 | 16,650 |
| United States | 517 | 552 | 384 | 750 | 750 | 300 | 300 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>17,589</u> | <u>16,751</u> | <u>14,824</u> | <u>17,195</u> | <u>17,314</u> | <u>16,950</u> | <u>16,950</u> |
| IMPORTS | | | | | | | |
| Algeria | 512 | 46 | 22 | 100 | 100 | 200 | 200 |
| <u>Brazil</u> | <u>121</u> | <u>296</u> | <u>128</u> | <u>200</u> | <u>200</u> | <u>150</u> | <u>150</u> |
| China | 1,913 | 1,792 | 1,519 | 2,000 | 2,049 | 2,100 | 2,100 |
| <u>Colombia</u> | <u>182</u> | <u>226</u> | <u>181</u> | <u>250</u> | <u>250</u> | <u>200</u> | <u>200</u> |
| Iran | 322 | 0 | 376 | 1,125 | 1,125 | 800 | 800 |
| <u>Israel</u> | <u>387</u> | <u>448</u> | <u>508</u> | <u>350</u> | <u>350</u> | <u>450</u> | <u>450</u> |
| Japan | 1,358 | 1,399 | 1,359 | 1,522 | 1,522 | 1,400 | 1,400 |
| <u>Jordan</u> | <u>499</u> | <u>414</u> | <u>400</u> | <u>600</u> | <u>600</u> | <u>600</u> | <u>600</u> |
| Korea, South | 102 | 65 | 67 | 100 | 63 | 100 | 100 |
| <u>Kuwait</u> | <u>69</u> | <u>116</u> | <u>62</u> | <u>150</u> | <u>150</u> | <u>100</u> | <u>100</u> |
| Libya | 261 | 188 | 333 | 300 | 300 | 300 | 300 |
| <u>Mexico</u> | <u>66</u> | <u>31</u> | <u>41</u> | <u>75</u> | <u>75</u> | <u>75</u> | <u>75</u> |
| Morocco | 689 | 156 | 143 | 565 | 565 | 800 | 800 |
| Russia | 192 | 275 | 438 | 350 | 350 | 400 | 400 |
| Saudi Arabia | 6,000 | 7,502 | 5,900 | 6,500 | 6,500 | 6,500 | 6,500 |
| <u>South Africa</u> | <u>167</u> | <u>87</u> | <u>69</u> | <u>102</u> | <u>102</u> | <u>100</u> | <u>100</u> |
| Syria | 176 | 279 | 600 | 500 | 500 | 500 | 500 |
| <u>Taiwan</u> | <u>172</u> | <u>84</u> | <u>102</u> | <u>125</u> | <u>125</u> | <u>100</u> | <u>100</u> |
| Tunisia | 656 | 312 | 99 | 565 | 565 | 200 | 200 |
| <u>Turkey</u> | <u>29</u> | <u>85</u> | <u>171</u> | <u>100</u> | <u>100</u> | <u>100</u> | <u>100</u> |
| UAE | 156 | 109 | 101 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 |
| <u>Ukraine</u> | <u>95</u> | <u>18</u> | <u>38</u> | <u>50</u> | <u>50</u> | <u>80</u> | <u>80</u> |
| <u>EU-25</u> | <u>1,665</u> | <u>1,443</u> | <u>672</u> | <u>468</u> | <u>554</u> | <u>400</u> | <u>400</u> |
| Other Europe | 288 | 242 | 373 | 260 | 260 | 255 | 255 |
| United States | 538 | 282 | 497 | 157 | 157 | 350 | 350 |
| Subtotal | 16,615 | 15,895 | 14,199 | 16,614 | 16,712 | 16,360 | 16,360 |
| Other Countries | 491 | 569 | 439 | 375 | 375 | 430 | 430 |
| Unaccounted | 483 | 287 | 186 | 206 | 227 | 160 | 160 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>17,589</u> | <u>16,751</u> | <u>14,824</u> | <u>17,195</u> | <u>17,314</u> | <u>16,950</u> | <u>16,950</u> |

WORLD BARLEY PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS
LOCAL MARKETING YEARS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| PRODUCTION | | | | | | | |
| Algeria | 574 | 416 | 1,220 | 1,314 | 1,314 | 400 | 400 |
| <u>Australia</u> | <u>8,280</u> | <u>3,865</u> | <u>10,387</u> | <u>7,702</u> | <u>7,702</u> | <u>8,500</u> | <u>8,500</u> |
| Canada | 10,846 | 7,489 | 12,328 | 13,186 | 13,186 | 12,500 | 12,500 |
| <u>China</u> | <u>2,893</u> | <u>3,322</u> | <u>2,717</u> | <u>2,900</u> | <u>2,900</u> | <u>2,800</u> | <u>2,800</u> |
| Iran | 1,500 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 |
| Iraq | 550 | 1,000 | 1,150 | 1,250 | 1,250 | 1,250 | 1,250 |
| Japan | 206 | 217 | 199 | 196 | 196 | 190 | 190 |
| <u>Kazakhstan</u> | <u>2,200</u> | <u>2,200</u> | <u>2,100</u> | <u>1,500</u> | <u>1,500</u> | <u>1,500</u> | <u>1,500</u> |
| Morocco | 1,155 | 1,669 | 2,620 | 2,760 | 2,760 | 1,102 | 1,102 |
| <u>Russia</u> | <u>19,500</u> | <u>18,700</u> | <u>18,000</u> | <u>17,200</u> | <u>17,200</u> | <u>16,000</u> | <u>15,800</u> |
| Syria | 1,300 | 920 | 1,100 | 900 | 900 | 750 | 750 |
| <u>Turkey</u> | <u>6,900</u> | <u>7,200</u> | <u>6,900</u> | <u>7,400</u> | <u>7,400</u> | <u>7,200</u> | <u>7,200</u> |
| Ukraine | 10,186 | 10,364 | 6,850 | 11,100 | 11,100 | 9,000 | 9,000 |
| <u>EU-25</u> | <u>56,962</u> | <u>56,509</u> | <u>54,826</u> | <u>61,742</u> | <u>61,753</u> | <u>53,012</u> | <u>53,127</u> |
| Other Europe | 3,324 | 3,266 | 2,460 | 4,150 | 4,150 | 3,280 | 3,380 |
| <u>Others</u> | <u>9,715</u> | <u>9,800</u> | <u>11,060</u> | <u>11,958</u> | <u>11,958</u> | <u>11,107</u> | <u>11,107</u> |
| Subtotal | 136,091 | 128,937 | 135,917 | 147,258 | 147,269 | 130,591 | 130,606 |
| United States | 5,407 | 4,940 | 6,059 | 6,091 | 6,091 | 4,620 | 4,613 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>141,498</u> | <u>133,877</u> | <u>141,976</u> | <u>153,349</u> | <u>153,360</u> | <u>135,211</u> | <u>135,219</u> |
| CONSUMPTION | | | | | | | |
| Algeria | 650 | 750 | 900 | 1,100 | 1,100 | 850 | 850 |
| <u>Australia</u> | <u>2,800</u> | <u>2,700</u> | <u>3,050</u> | <u>3,500</u> | <u>3,500</u> | <u>3,300</u> | <u>3,300</u> |
| Canada | 10,271 | 7,905 | 9,893 | 10,707 | 10,707 | 10,800 | 11,100 |
| <u>China</u> | <u>4,500</u> | <u>4,900</u> | <u>4,700</u> | <u>4,900</u> | <u>4,900</u> | <u>5,000</u> | <u>5,000</u> |
| Iran | 2,100 | 2,100 | 2,200 | 2,900 | 2,900 | 2,900 | 2,900 |
| Japan | 1,650 | 1,600 | 1,630 | 1,650 | 1,650 | 1,650 | 1,650 |
| Kazakhstan | 1,650 | 1,900 | 1,950 | 1,550 | 1,550 | 1,400 | 1,400 |
| Mexico | 850 | 850 | 850 | 900 | 900 | 950 | 950 |
| Morocco | 1,750 | 2,000 | 2,300 | 2,700 | 2,700 | 2,700 | 2,700 |
| <u>Russia</u> | <u>14,250</u> | <u>15,500</u> | <u>18,600</u> | <u>16,500</u> | <u>16,500</u> | <u>16,100</u> | <u>16,100</u> |
| Saudi Arabia | 5,710 | 5,810 | 7,010 | 5,410 | 5,410 | 6,010 | 6,010 |
| <u>Syria</u> | <u>1,150</u> | <u>1,100</u> | <u>1,250</u> | <u>1,350</u> | <u>1,350</u> | <u>1,400</u> | <u>1,400</u> |
| Turkey | 6,600 | 6,800 | 7,100 | 7,300 | 7,300 | 7,200 | 7,200 |
| <u>Ukraine</u> | <u>7,000</u> | <u>7,400</u> | <u>6,000</u> | <u>6,400</u> | <u>6,400</u> | <u>5,300</u> | <u>5,300</u> |
| EU-25 | 53,871 | 54,400 | 56,877 | 52,900 | 52,900 | 52,500 | 52,500 |
| Other Europe | 2,845 | 2,890 | 2,750 | 3,645 | 3,645 | 3,195 | 3,295 |
| <u>Others</u> | <u>12,549</u> | <u>11,899</u> | <u>14,486</u> | <u>13,865</u> | <u>13,832</u> | <u>16,699</u> | <u>16,699</u> |
| Subtotal | 130,196 | 130,504 | 141,546 | 137,277 | 137,244 | 137,954 | 138,354 |
| United States | 5,661 | 5,179 | 4,990 | 5,672 | 5,672 | 4,790 | 4,572 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>135,857</u> | <u>135,683</u> | <u>146,536</u> | <u>142,949</u> | <u>142,916</u> | <u>142,744</u> | <u>142,926</u> |
| ENDING STOCKS | | | | | | | |
| Australia | 1,767 | 948 | 1,887 | 1,589 | 1,589 | 1,289 | 1,289 |
| <u>Canada</u> | <u>2,047</u> | <u>1,475</u> | <u>2,102</u> | <u>3,489</u> | <u>3,489</u> | <u>3,219</u> | <u>2,919</u> |
| Russia | 4,387 | 4,706 | 2,227 | 2,163 | 2,163 | 1,263 | 1,063 |
| <u>Turkey</u> | <u>753</u> | <u>673</u> | <u>679</u> | <u>855</u> | <u>855</u> | <u>705</u> | <u>705</u> |
| Ukraine | 1,324 | 1,424 | 796 | 1,234 | 1,234 | 1,014 | 1,014 |
| <u>EU-25</u> | <u>9,867</u> | <u>8,488</u> | <u>4,287</u> | <u>10,611</u> | <u>10,622</u> | <u>7,923</u> | <u>8,049</u> |
| Others | 6,249 | 7,370 | 7,437 | 9,697 | 9,730 | 7,297 | 7,330 |
| Subtotal | 26,394 | 25,084 | 19,415 | 29,638 | 29,682 | 22,710 | 22,369 |
| United States | 2,006 | 1,510 | 2,619 | 2,796 | 2,796 | 2,191 | 2,402 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>28,400</u> | <u>26,594</u> | <u>22,034</u> | <u>32,434</u> | <u>32,478</u> | <u>24,901</u> | <u>24,771</u> |

REGIONAL BARLEY IMPORTS, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|---------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| IMPORTS | | | | | | | |
| North America | 730 | 514 | 567 | 307 | 307 | 455 | 455 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>560</u> | <u>772</u> | <u>440</u> | <u>600</u> | <u>600</u> | <u>510</u> | <u>510</u> |
| EU-25 | 1,665 | 1,443 | 672 | 468 | 554 | 400 | 400 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>288</u> | <u>242</u> | <u>373</u> | <u>260</u> | <u>260</u> | <u>255</u> | <u>255</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 306 | 333 | 706 | 460 | 460 | 620 | 620 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>7,692</u> | <u>8,999</u> | <u>8,157</u> | <u>9,475</u> | <u>9,475</u> | <u>9,210</u> | <u>9,210</u> |
| North Africa | 2,144 | 721 | 601 | 1,550 | 1,550 | 1,520 | 1,520 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>167</u> | <u>97</u> | <u>69</u> | <u>102</u> | <u>102</u> | <u>100</u> | <u>100</u> |
| East Asia | 3,545 | 3,340 | 3,047 | 3,747 | 3,759 | 3,700 | 3,700 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>7</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>6</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>20</u> |
| PRODUCTION | | | | | | | |
| North America | 17,020 | 13,199 | 19,287 | 20,177 | 20,177 | 18,020 | 18,013 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>1,251</u> | <u>1,399</u> | <u>2,039</u> | <u>2,038</u> | <u>2,038</u> | <u>1,885</u> | <u>1,885</u> |
| EU-25 | 56,962 | 56,509 | 54,826 | 61,742 | 61,753 | 53,012 | 53,127 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>3,324</u> | <u>3,266</u> | <u>2,460</u> | <u>4,150</u> | <u>4,150</u> | <u>3,280</u> | <u>3,380</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 34,726 | 34,072 | 29,631 | 33,160 | 33,160 | 29,320 | 29,120 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>10,433</u> | <u>11,353</u> | <u>11,216</u> | <u>11,642</u> | <u>11,642</u> | <u>11,282</u> | <u>11,282</u> |
| North Africa | 2,134 | 2,430 | 4,795 | 4,936 | 4,936 | 2,212 | 2,212 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>1,752</u> | <u>1,485</u> | <u>1,764</u> | <u>1,871</u> | <u>1,871</u> | <u>1,875</u> | <u>1,875</u> |
| East Asia | 3,482 | 3,839 | 3,136 | 3,356 | 3,356 | 3,250 | 3,250 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>1,734</u> | <u>2,060</u> | <u>2,035</u> | <u>2,175</u> | <u>2,175</u> | <u>2,175</u> | <u>2,175</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>8,680</u> | <u>4,265</u> | <u>10,787</u> | <u>8,102</u> | <u>8,102</u> | <u>8,900</u> | <u>8,900</u> |
| CONSUMPTION | | | | | | | |
| North America | 16,782 | 13,934 | 15,733 | 17,279 | 17,279 | 16,540 | 16,622 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>1,729</u> | <u>1,900</u> | <u>2,139</u> | <u>2,350</u> | <u>2,350</u> | <u>2,350</u> | <u>2,350</u> |
| EU-25 | 53,871 | 54,400 | 56,877 | 52,900 | 52,900 | 52,500 | 52,500 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>2,845</u> | <u>2,890</u> | <u>2,750</u> | <u>3,645</u> | <u>3,645</u> | <u>3,195</u> | <u>3,295</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 25,465 | 27,616 | 29,306 | 27,550 | 27,550 | 26,094 | 26,094 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>17,061</u> | <u>17,745</u> | <u>19,788</u> | <u>19,535</u> | <u>19,535</u> | <u>20,205</u> | <u>20,205</u> |
| North Africa | 3,695 | 3,839 | 4,427 | 5,280 | 5,280 | 5,030 | 5,030 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>1,895</u> | <u>1,612</u> | <u>1,774</u> | <u>1,986</u> | <u>1,986</u> | <u>1,925</u> | <u>1,925</u> |
| East Asia | 6,807 | 6,949 | 6,719 | 7,010 | 6,973 | 7,110 | 7,110 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>1,730</u> | <u>2,063</u> | <u>2,025</u> | <u>2,165</u> | <u>2,165</u> | <u>2,195</u> | <u>2,195</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>3,250</u> | <u>3,100</u> | <u>3,450</u> | <u>3,900</u> | <u>3,900</u> | <u>3,700</u> | <u>3,700</u> |
| ENDING STOCKS | | | | | | | |
| North America | 4,149 | 3,030 | 4,842 | 6,481 | 6,481 | 5,631 | 5,542 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>179</u> | <u>317</u> | <u>504</u> | <u>487</u> | <u>471</u> | <u>327</u> | <u>311</u> |
| EU-25 | 9,867 | 8,488 | 4,287 | 10,611 | 10,622 | 7,923 | 8,049 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>449</u> | <u>433</u> | <u>458</u> | <u>642</u> | <u>642</u> | <u>582</u> | <u>582</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 7,232 | 7,445 | 3,927 | 4,471 | 4,471 | 2,917 | 2,717 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>2,744</u> | <u>3,840</u> | <u>3,702</u> | <u>4,585</u> | <u>4,585</u> | <u>4,072</u> | <u>4,072</u> |
| North Africa | 781 | 640 | 1,442 | 2,450 | 2,450 | 1,152 | 1,152 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>9</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>58</u> | <u>93</u> | <u>93</u> | <u>143</u> | <u>143</u> |
| East Asia | 1,162 | 1,388 | 850 | 918 | 967 | 758 | 807 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>24</u> | <u>24</u> | <u>34</u> | <u>44</u> | <u>44</u> | <u>24</u> | <u>24</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>1,804</u> | <u>986</u> | <u>1,930</u> | <u>1,652</u> | <u>1,652</u> | <u>1,372</u> | <u>1,372</u> |

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**WORLD SORGHUM TRADE
OCTOBER/SEPTEMBER YEAR
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|---------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| EXPORTS | | | | | | | |
| Argentina | 409 | 604 | 228 | 250 | 279 | 300 | 300 |
| <u>Australia</u> | <u>515</u> | <u>75</u> | <u>425</u> | <u>375</u> | <u>370</u> | <u>500</u> | <u>500</u> |
| Brazil | 11 | 64 | 371 | 24 | 24 | 50 | 50 |
| <u>China</u> | <u>19</u> | <u>88</u> | <u>168</u> | <u>28</u> | <u>28</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>25</u> |
| South Africa | 48 | 49 | 41 | 35 | 35 | 25 | 25 |
| <u>Sudan</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>25</u> |
| Others | 114 | 111 | 118 | 103 | 103 | 105 | 105 |
| Subtotal | 1,121 | 1,001 | 1,361 | 840 | 844 | 1,030 | 1,030 |
| United States | 6,135 | 4,911 | 4,845 | 4,539 | 4,539 | 4,500 | 4,500 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>7,256</u> | <u>5,912</u> | <u>6,206</u> | <u>5,379</u> | <u>5,383</u> | <u>5,530</u> | <u>5,530</u> |
| IMPORTS | | | | | | | |
| Brazil | 4 | 0 | 9 | 75 | 82 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Chile</u> | <u>71</u> | <u>58</u> | <u>62</u> | <u>65</u> | <u>71</u> | <u>65</u> | <u>65</u> |
| Israel | 26 | 69 | 104 | 34 | 34 | 50 | 50 |
| <u>Japan</u> | <u>1,776</u> | <u>1,562</u> | <u>1,434</u> | <u>1,374</u> | <u>1,374</u> | <u>1,350</u> | <u>1,350</u> |
| Mexico | 4,837 | 3,384 | 3,002 | 2,930 | 2,912 | 3,500 | 3,500 |
| <u>South Africa</u> | <u>66</u> | <u>27</u> | <u>17</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Sudan | 25 | 15 | 15 | 150 | 145 | 25 | 25 |
| <u>Taiwan</u> | <u>41</u> | <u>64</u> | <u>61</u> | <u>60</u> | <u>61</u> | <u>50</u> | <u>50</u> |
| EU-25 | 41 | 439 | 1,139 | 225 | 226 | 225 | 225 |
| Subtotal | 6,887 | 5,618 | 5,843 | 4,915 | 4,907 | 5,265 | 5,265 |
| Other Countries | 168 | 259 | 314 | 310 | 315 | 165 | 165 |
| Unaccounted | 201 | 35 | 49 | 154 | 161 | 100 | 100 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>7,256</u> | <u>5,912</u> | <u>6,206</u> | <u>5,379</u> | <u>5,383</u> | <u>5,530</u> | <u>5,530</u> |

WORLD SORGHUM PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS
LOCAL MARKETING YEARS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| PRODUCTION | | | | | | | |
| Argentina | 2,750 | 2,800 | 2,200 | 2,900 | 2,900 | 2,800 | 2,500 |
| <u>Australia</u> | <u>2,021</u> | <u>1,465</u> | <u>2,009</u> | <u>2,177</u> | <u>2,177</u> | <u>2,000</u> | <u>2,000</u> |
| Brazil | 773 | 1,900 | 2,103 | 2,022 | 2,022 | 2,300 | 2,300 |
| <u>Burkina</u> | <u>1,200</u> | <u>1,260</u> | <u>1,520</u> | <u>1,300</u> | <u>1,300</u> | <u>1,400</u> | <u>1,400</u> |
| China | 2,697 | 3,327 | 2,865 | 2,328 | 2,328 | 2,400 | 2,400 |
| Egypt | 750 | 900 | 900 | 900 | 900 | 900 | 900 |
| Ethiopia | 1,830 | 1,100 | 1,700 | 2,150 | 2,150 | 1,800 | 1,800 |
| <u>India</u> | <u>8,390</u> | <u>7,060</u> | <u>7,330</u> | <u>7,530</u> | <u>7,530</u> | <u>7,500</u> | <u>7,500</u> |
| Mexico | 5,900 | 6,338 | 7,300 | 5,950 | 5,950 | 6,000 | 6,000 |
| <u>Niger</u> | <u>650</u> | <u>700</u> | <u>720</u> | <u>500</u> | <u>500</u> | <u>650</u> | <u>650</u> |
| Nigeria | 7,800 | 7,850 | 9,000 | 10,000 | 10,000 | 10,500 | 10,500 |
| <u>Sudan</u> | <u>4,470</u> | <u>2,930</u> | <u>5,190</u> | <u>2,600</u> | <u>2,600</u> | <u>3,575</u> | <u>3,575</u> |
| Tanzania; United Republic of | 740 | 835 | 500 | 820 | 820 | 890 | 890 |
| <u>EU-25</u> | <u>653</u> | <u>701</u> | <u>380</u> | <u>470</u> | <u>470</u> | <u>470</u> | <u>470</u> |
| Others | 4,639 | 4,399 | 4,745 | 4,658 | 4,658 | 4,725 | 4,725 |
| Subtotal | 45,263 | 43,565 | 48,462 | 46,305 | 46,305 | 47,910 | 47,610 |
| United States | 13,057 | 9,163 | 10,446 | 11,555 | 11,523 | 9,848 | 10,005 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>58,320</u> | <u>52,728</u> | <u>58,908</u> | <u>57,860</u> | <u>57,828</u> | <u>57,758</u> | <u>57,615</u> |
| CONSUMPTION | | | | | | | |
| Argentina | 2,300 | 2,250 | 1,950 | 2,600 | 2,600 | 2,600 | 2,300 |
| <u>Australia</u> | <u>1,655</u> | <u>1,405</u> | <u>1,405</u> | <u>1,705</u> | <u>1,805</u> | <u>1,605</u> | <u>1,605</u> |
| Brazil | 800 | 1,850 | 1,650 | 2,100 | 2,100 | 2,200 | 2,200 |
| <u>Burkina</u> | <u>1,200</u> | <u>1,260</u> | <u>1,520</u> | <u>1,300</u> | <u>1,300</u> | <u>1,400</u> | <u>1,400</u> |
| China | 2,700 | 2,825 | 3,000 | 2,400 | 2,400 | 2,400 | 2,400 |
| Egypt | 750 | 900 | 900 | 900 | 900 | 900 | 900 |
| Ethiopia | 1,830 | 1,105 | 1,700 | 2,150 | 2,150 | 1,800 | 1,800 |
| <u>India</u> | <u>8,300</u> | <u>7,150</u> | <u>7,350</u> | <u>7,450</u> | <u>7,450</u> | <u>7,400</u> | <u>7,400</u> |
| Japan | 1,775 | 1,575 | 1,500 | 1,400 | 1,400 | 1,350 | 1,350 |
| <u>Mexico</u> | <u>10,750</u> | <u>9,900</u> | <u>9,800</u> | <u>9,300</u> | <u>9,300</u> | <u>9,600</u> | <u>9,600</u> |
| Niger | 675 | 725 | 750 | 550 | 550 | 675 | 675 |
| <u>Nigeria</u> | <u>7,750</u> | <u>7,800</u> | <u>8,950</u> | <u>9,950</u> | <u>9,950</u> | <u>10,450</u> | <u>10,450</u> |
| Sudan | 4,000 | 3,500 | 4,500 | 3,500 | 3,500 | 3,400 | 3,400 |
| <u>Others</u> | <u>6,369</u> | <u>6,463</u> | <u>7,478</u> | <u>6,759</u> | <u>6,678</u> | <u>6,497</u> | <u>6,497</u> |
| Subtotal | 50,854 | 48,708 | 52,453 | 52,064 | 52,083 | 52,277 | 51,977 |
| United States | 6,427 | 4,939 | 5,638 | 6,287 | 6,257 | 5,462 | 5,207 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>57,281</u> | <u>53,647</u> | <u>58,091</u> | <u>58,351</u> | <u>58,340</u> | <u>57,739</u> | <u>57,184</u> |
| ENDING STOCKS | | | | | | | |
| Argentina | 458 | 370 | 429 | 429 | 404 | 329 | 304 |
| <u>Japan</u> | <u>291</u> | <u>278</u> | <u>212</u> | <u>186</u> | <u>186</u> | <u>186</u> | <u>186</u> |
| Mexico | 779 | 601 | 1,103 | 683 | 665 | 583 | 565 |
| <u>Others</u> | <u>1,718</u> | <u>1,534</u> | <u>2,097</u> | <u>1,456</u> | <u>1,480</u> | <u>1,607</u> | <u>1,631</u> |
| Subtotal | 3,246 | 2,783 | 3,841 | 2,754 | 2,735 | 2,705 | 2,686 |
| United States | 1,549 | 1,093 | 852 | 1,448 | 1,446 | 1,516 | 1,926 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>4,795</u> | <u>3,876</u> | <u>4,693</u> | <u>4,202</u> | <u>4,181</u> | <u>4,221</u> | <u>4,612</u> |

REGIONAL SORGHUM IMPORTS, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|---------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| IMPORTS | | | | | | | |
| North America | 4,837 | 3,385 | 3,002 | 2,931 | 2,913 | 3,500 | 3,500 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>79</u> | <u>123</u> | <u>104</u> | <u>152</u> | <u>166</u> | <u>70</u> | <u>70</u> |
| EU-25 | 41 | 439 | 1,139 | 225 | 226 | 225 | 225 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>27</u> | <u>34</u> | <u>24</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>25</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>26</u> | <u>70</u> | <u>105</u> | <u>34</u> | <u>34</u> | <u>50</u> | <u>50</u> |
| North Africa | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>216</u> | <u>187</u> | <u>232</u> | <u>404</u> | <u>399</u> | <u>140</u> | <u>140</u> |
| East Asia | 1,824 | 1,632 | 1,526 | 1,444 | 1,449 | 1,410 | 1,410 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 4 | 5 | 25 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| PRODUCTION | | | | | | | |
| North America | 18,957 | 15,501 | 17,746 | 17,505 | 17,473 | 15,848 | 16,005 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>4,802</u> | <u>5,985</u> | <u>5,538</u> | <u>6,185</u> | <u>6,185</u> | <u>6,378</u> | <u>6,078</u> |
| EU-25 | 653 | 701 | 380 | 470 | 470 | 470 | 470 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>5</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>655</u> | <u>553</u> | <u>485</u> | <u>485</u> | <u>485</u> | <u>485</u> | <u>485</u> |
| North Africa | 765 | 915 | 915 | 915 | 915 | 915 | 915 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>18,982</u> | <u>16,836</u> | <u>21,250</u> | <u>19,809</u> | <u>19,809</u> | <u>21,306</u> | <u>21,306</u> |
| East Asia | 2,715 | 3,345 | 2,883 | 2,349 | 2,349 | 2,421 | 2,421 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>8,620</u> | <u>7,290</u> | <u>7,560</u> | <u>7,760</u> | <u>7,760</u> | <u>7,730</u> | <u>7,730</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 145 | 132 | 137 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>2,021</u> | <u>1,465</u> | <u>2,009</u> | <u>2,177</u> | <u>2,177</u> | <u>2,000</u> | <u>2,000</u> |
| CONSUMPTION | | | | | | | |
| North America | 17,177 | 14,839 | 15,438 | 15,587 | 15,557 | 15,062 | 14,807 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>4,437</u> | <u>5,483</u> | <u>4,921</u> | <u>6,039</u> | <u>6,049</u> | <u>6,144</u> | <u>5,844</u> |
| EU-25 | 679 | 677 | 1,966 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>32</u> | <u>39</u> | <u>29</u> | <u>30</u> | <u>30</u> | <u>30</u> | <u>30</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>686</u> | <u>610</u> | <u>590</u> | <u>527</u> | <u>527</u> | <u>535</u> | <u>535</u> |
| North Africa | 765 | 916 | 915 | 915 | 915 | 915 | 915 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>18,558</u> | <u>17,511</u> | <u>20,480</u> | <u>20,844</u> | <u>20,844</u> | <u>21,195</u> | <u>21,195</u> |
| East Asia | 4,540 | 4,485 | 4,604 | 3,886 | 3,886 | 3,826 | 3,826 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>8,530</u> | <u>7,380</u> | <u>7,580</u> | <u>7,680</u> | <u>7,680</u> | <u>7,630</u> | <u>7,630</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 134 | 104 | 143 | 160 | 160 | 185 | 185 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>1,655</u> | <u>1,405</u> | <u>1,405</u> | <u>1,705</u> | <u>1,805</u> | <u>1,605</u> | <u>1,605</u> |
| ENDING STOCKS | | | | | | | |
| North America | 2,328 | 1,694 | 1,955 | 2,131 | 2,111 | 2,099 | 2,491 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>575</u> | <u>489</u> | <u>650</u> | <u>618</u> | <u>600</u> | <u>578</u> | <u>560</u> |
| EU-25 | 40 | 68 | 32 | 24 | 21 | 14 | 11 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>30</u> | <u>43</u> | <u>43</u> | <u>35</u> | <u>35</u> | <u>35</u> | <u>35</u> |
| North Africa | 40 | 40 | 40 | 40 | 40 | 40 | 40 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>1,065</u> | <u>530</u> | <u>1,380</u> | <u>630</u> | <u>645</u> | <u>781</u> | <u>796</u> |
| East Asia | 422 | 826 | 463 | 342 | 347 | 322 | 327 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>220</u> | <u>124</u> | <u>62</u> | <u>117</u> | <u>117</u> | <u>192</u> | <u>192</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 6 | 8 | 5 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>69</u> | <u>54</u> | <u>63</u> | <u>235</u> | <u>235</u> | <u>130</u> | <u>130</u> |

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THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|----------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| EXPORTS | | | | | | | |
| Argentina | 8 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 |
| <u>Australia</u> | <u>165</u> | <u>145</u> | <u>210</u> | <u>137</u> | <u>137</u> | <u>150</u> | <u>150</u> |
| Canada | 1,038 | 1,058 | 984 | 1,374 | 1,374 | 1,300 | 1,300 |
| <u>Chile</u> | <u>17</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>44</u> | <u>15</u> | <u>29</u> | <u>15</u> | <u>15</u> |
| EU-25 | 718 | 794 | 443 | 350 | 354 | 350 | 350 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Others | 40 | 8 | 17 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 |
| Subtotal | 1,986 | 2,018 | 1,698 | 1,896 | 1,914 | 1,835 | 1,835 |
| United States | 37 | 39 | 38 | 31 | 31 | 40 | 40 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>2,023</u> | <u>2,057</u> | <u>1,736</u> | <u>1,927</u> | <u>1,945</u> | <u>1,875</u> | <u>1,875</u> |
| IMPORTS | | | | | | | |
| Algeria | 5 | 7 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| <u>Brazil</u> | <u>15</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>5</u> |
| Canada | 35 | 49 | 19 | 20 | 16 | 20 | 20 |
| <u>Colombia</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>5</u> |
| Ecuador | 12 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| <u>Japan</u> | <u>81</u> | <u>83</u> | <u>67</u> | <u>67</u> | <u>67</u> | <u>85</u> | <u>85</u> |
| Mexico | 61 | 82 | 91 | 70 | 51 | 70 | 70 |
| <u>Russia</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| South Africa | 24 | 19 | 31 | 25 | 42 | 25 | 25 |
| EU-25 | 8 | 11 | 11 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 |
| Other Europe | 68 | 41 | 47 | 65 | 65 | 55 | 55 |
| <u>United States</u> | <u>1,497</u> | <u>1,777</u> | <u>1,302</u> | <u>1,629</u> | <u>1,629</u> | <u>1,500</u> | <u>1,500</u> |
| Subtotal | 1,811 | 2,075 | 1,583 | 1,906 | 1,900 | 1,785 | 1,785 |
| Other Countries | 11 | 8 | 25 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| Unaccounted | 201 | (26) | 128 | 16 | 40 | 85 | 85 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>2,023</u> | <u>2,057</u> | <u>1,736</u> | <u>1,927</u> | <u>1,945</u> | <u>1,875</u> | <u>1,875</u> |

WORLD OATS PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS
LOCAL MARKETING YEARS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|----------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| PRODUCTION | | | | | | | |
| Argentina | 645 | 500 | 348 | 508 | 508 | 350 | 350 |
| <u>Australia</u> | <u>1,434</u> | <u>957</u> | <u>2,018</u> | <u>1,321</u> | <u>1,321</u> | <u>1,100</u> | <u>1,100</u> |
| Brazil | 277 | 390 | 413 | 411 | 411 | 400 | 400 |
| <u>Belarus</u> | <u>530</u> | <u>575</u> | <u>500</u> | <u>770</u> | <u>770</u> | <u>600</u> | <u>600</u> |
| Canada | 2,691 | 2,911 | 3,691 | 3,683 | 3,683 | 3,350 | 3,350 |
| <u>Chile</u> | <u>416</u> | <u>420</u> | <u>425</u> | <u>425</u> | <u>425</u> | <u>425</u> | <u>425</u> |
| China | 600 | 600 | 600 | 600 | 600 | 600 | 600 |
| <u>Kazakhstan</u> | <u>218</u> | <u>100</u> | <u>100</u> | <u>140</u> | <u>140</u> | <u>140</u> | <u>140</u> |
| Mexico | 90 | 65 | 95 | 75 | 75 | 80 | 80 |
| <u>Russia</u> | <u>7,700</u> | <u>5,700</u> | <u>5,200</u> | <u>4,950</u> | <u>4,950</u> | <u>4,800</u> | <u>4,600</u> |
| Turkey | 265 | 290 | 285 | 290 | 290 | 290 | 290 |
| <u>Ukraine</u> | <u>1,116</u> | <u>943</u> | <u>925</u> | <u>1,000</u> | <u>1,000</u> | <u>800</u> | <u>800</u> |
| EU-25 | 8,091 | 9,280 | 8,623 | 8,754 | 8,754 | 7,736 | 7,586 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>1,013</u> | <u>1,084</u> | <u>1,048</u> | <u>1,069</u> | <u>1,069</u> | <u>1,077</u> | <u>1,077</u> |
| Others | 243 | 221 | 272 | 273 | 273 | 272 | 272 |
| Subtotal | 25,329 | 24,036 | 24,543 | 24,269 | 24,269 | 22,020 | 21,670 |
| United States | 1,707 | 1,684 | 2,096 | 1,679 | 1,679 | 1,669 | 1,667 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>27,036</u> | <u>25,720</u> | <u>26,639</u> | <u>25,948</u> | <u>25,948</u> | <u>23,689</u> | <u>23,337</u> |
| CONSUMPTION | | | | | | | |
| Argentina | 620 | 525 | 359 | 500 | 500 | 350 | 350 |
| <u>Australia</u> | <u>1,310</u> | <u>800</u> | <u>1,705</u> | <u>1,150</u> | <u>1,150</u> | <u>1,050</u> | <u>1,050</u> |
| Brazil | 295 | 382 | 410 | 415 | 415 | 405 | 405 |
| <u>Canada</u> | <u>2,129</u> | <u>1,870</u> | <u>2,187</u> | <u>2,184</u> | <u>2,184</u> | <u>2,200</u> | <u>2,200</u> |
| Chile | 385 | 430 | 380 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 |
| <u>China</u> | <u>601</u> | <u>600</u> | <u>610</u> | <u>600</u> | <u>600</u> | <u>600</u> | <u>600</u> |
| Kazakhstan | 200 | 100 | 95 | 135 | 135 | 135 | 135 |
| <u>Mexico</u> | <u>156</u> | <u>133</u> | <u>182</u> | <u>145</u> | <u>126</u> | <u>150</u> | <u>150</u> |
| Romania | 350 | 350 | 350 | 350 | 350 | 350 | 350 |
| <u>Russia</u> | <u>7,100</u> | <u>6,300</u> | <u>5,600</u> | <u>4,900</u> | <u>4,900</u> | <u>4,800</u> | <u>4,600</u> |
| Ukraine | 1,050 | 950 | 950 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 800 | 800 |
| EU-25 | 7,420 | 8,287 | 8,276 | 8,330 | 8,330 | 7,500 | 7,500 |
| Other Europe | 1,106 | 1,115 | 1,112 | 1,139 | 1,139 | 1,137 | 1,137 |
| <u>Others</u> | <u>777</u> | <u>945</u> | <u>1,058</u> | <u>1,109</u> | <u>1,140</u> | <u>1,286</u> | <u>1,286</u> |
| Subtotal | 23,499 | 22,787 | 23,274 | 22,357 | 22,369 | 21,163 | 20,963 |
| United States | 3,459 | 3,480 | 3,389 | 3,253 | 3,253 | 3,092 | 3,019 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>26,958</u> | <u>26,267</u> | <u>26,663</u> | <u>25,610</u> | <u>25,622</u> | <u>24,255</u> | <u>23,982</u> |
| ENDING STOCKS | | | | | | | |
| Australia | 150 | 187 | 290 | 324 | 324 | 224 | 224 |
| <u>Canada</u> | <u>363</u> | <u>524</u> | <u>788</u> | <u>988</u> | <u>984</u> | <u>858</u> | <u>854</u> |
| Russia | 1,176 | 580 | 189 | 239 | 239 | 239 | 239 |
| EU-25 | 905 | 1,010 | 834 | 918 | 918 | 814 | 664 |
| Other Europe | 49 | 67 | 53 | 48 | 48 | 43 | 43 |
| <u>Others</u> | <u>393</u> | <u>315</u> | <u>287</u> | <u>362</u> | <u>354</u> | <u>309</u> | <u>301</u> |
| Subtotal | 3,036 | 2,683 | 2,441 | 2,879 | 2,867 | 2,487 | 2,325 |
| United States | 917 | 723 | 941 | 841 | 841 | 667 | 738 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>3,953</u> | <u>3,406</u> | <u>3,382</u> | <u>3,720</u> | <u>3,708</u> | <u>3,154</u> | <u>3,063</u> |

REGIONAL OATS IMPORTS, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|---------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| IMPORTS | | | | | | | |
| North America | 1,593 | 1,908 | 1,412 | 1,719 | 1,696 | 1,590 | 1,590 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>32</u> | <u>4</u> | <u>16</u> | <u>15</u> | <u>15</u> | <u>15</u> | <u>15</u> |
| EU-25 | 8 | 11 | 11 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>68</u> | <u>41</u> | <u>47</u> | <u>65</u> | <u>65</u> | <u>55</u> | <u>55</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 0 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| North Africa | 10 | 8 | 1 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>24</u> | <u>19</u> | <u>31</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>42</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>25</u> |
| East Asia | 82 | 90 | 76 | 67 | 67 | 85 | 85 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| PRODUCTION | | | | | | | |
| North America | 4,488 | 4,660 | 5,882 | 5,437 | 5,437 | 5,099 | 5,097 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>1,373</u> | <u>1,331</u> | <u>1,221</u> | <u>1,375</u> | <u>1,375</u> | <u>1,205</u> | <u>1,205</u> |
| EU-25 | 8,091 | 9,280 | 8,623 | 8,754 | 8,754 | 7,736 | 7,586 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>1,013</u> | <u>1,084</u> | <u>1,048</u> | <u>1,069</u> | <u>1,069</u> | <u>1,077</u> | <u>1,077</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 9,577 | 7,331 | 6,735 | 6,870 | 6,870 | 6,350 | 6,150 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>265</u> | <u>290</u> | <u>285</u> | <u>290</u> | <u>290</u> | <u>290</u> | <u>290</u> |
| North Africa | 74 | 65 | 105 | 110 | 110 | 110 | 110 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>45</u> | <u>45</u> | <u>45</u> | <u>45</u> | <u>45</u> | <u>45</u> | <u>45</u> |
| East Asia | 601 | 602 | 602 | 602 | 602 | 602 | 602 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>1,509</u> | <u>1,032</u> | <u>2,093</u> | <u>1,396</u> | <u>1,396</u> | <u>1,175</u> | <u>1,175</u> |
| CONSUMPTION | | | | | | | |
| North America | 5,744 | 5,483 | 5,758 | 5,582 | 5,563 | 5,442 | 5,369 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>1,350</u> | <u>1,364</u> | <u>1,189</u> | <u>1,356</u> | <u>1,356</u> | <u>1,195</u> | <u>1,195</u> |
| EU-25 | 7,420 | 8,287 | 8,276 | 8,330 | 8,330 | 7,500 | 7,500 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>1,106</u> | <u>1,115</u> | <u>1,112</u> | <u>1,139</u> | <u>1,139</u> | <u>1,137</u> | <u>1,137</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 8,863 | 7,963 | 7,155 | 6,745 | 6,745 | 6,395 | 6,195 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>276</u> | <u>290</u> | <u>288</u> | <u>290</u> | <u>290</u> | <u>290</u> | <u>290</u> |
| North Africa | 84 | 73 | 106 | 121 | 121 | 120 | 120 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>64</u> | <u>59</u> | <u>79</u> | <u>70</u> | <u>87</u> | <u>70</u> | <u>70</u> |
| East Asia | 683 | 685 | 677 | 685 | 685 | 685 | 685 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>1,385</u> | <u>875</u> | <u>1,780</u> | <u>1,225</u> | <u>1,225</u> | <u>1,125</u> | <u>1,125</u> |
| ENDING STOCKS | | | | | | | |
| North America | 1,283 | 1,250 | 1,732 | 1,832 | 1,828 | 1,528 | 1,595 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>150</u> | <u>98</u> | <u>104</u> | <u>113</u> | <u>105</u> | <u>113</u> | <u>105</u> |
| EU-25 | 905 | 1,010 | 834 | 918 | 918 | 814 | 664 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>49</u> | <u>67</u> | <u>53</u> | <u>48</u> | <u>48</u> | <u>43</u> | <u>43</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 1,304 | 670 | 247 | 362 | 362 | 307 | 307 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| North Africa | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>15</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>12</u> |
| East Asia | 101 | 108 | 109 | 111 | 111 | 113 | 113 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>150</u> | <u>187</u> | <u>290</u> | <u>324</u> | <u>324</u> | <u>224</u> | <u>224</u> |

NOTES: Regional definitions appear on last page of this circular. Imports are reported on an international year basis. All other data are reported using marketing years.

**WORLD RYE TRADE
OCTOBER/SEPTEMBER YEAR
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|---------------------|--------------|--------------|------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| EXPORTS | | | | | | | |
| Belarus | 30 | 150 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 |
| <u>Canada</u> | <u>68</u> | <u>44</u> | <u>186</u> | <u>123</u> | <u>123</u> | <u>150</u> | <u>150</u> |
| Russia | 4 | 414 | 31 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| <u>Ukraine</u> | <u>310</u> | <u>269</u> | <u>6</u> | <u>122</u> | <u>122</u> | <u>75</u> | <u>75</u> |
| EU-25 | 853 | 624 | 452 | 676 | 676 | 200 | 200 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Others | 0 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Subtotal | 1,265 | 1,505 | 730 | 976 | 976 | 480 | 480 |
| United States | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 5 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>1,269</u> | <u>1,507</u> | <u>732</u> | <u>978</u> | <u>978</u> | <u>485</u> | <u>485</u> |
| IMPORTS | | | | | | | |
| Israel | 32 | 89 | 23 | 150 | 150 | 25 | 25 |
| <u>Japan</u> | <u>335</u> | <u>414</u> | <u>341</u> | <u>261</u> | <u>261</u> | <u>150</u> | <u>150</u> |
| Korea, South | 121 | 31 | 114 | 8 | 8 | 25 | 25 |
| <u>Russia</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>6</u> | <u>200</u> | <u>177</u> | <u>50</u> | <u>50</u> |
| Turkey | 20 | 43 | 16 | 75 | 61 | 20 | 20 |
| <u>Ukraine</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>222</u> | <u>32</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>10</u> |
| EU-25 | 425 | 501 | 42 | 25 | 25 | 10 | 10 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>31</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>24</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>25</u> |
| United States | 164 | 109 | 101 | 174 | 174 | 100 | 100 |
| Subtotal | 1,131 | 1,423 | 699 | 928 | 891 | 415 | 415 |
| Other Countries | 45 | 86 | 15 | 20 | 20 | 10 | 10 |
| Unaccounted | 93 | (2) | 18 | 30 | 67 | 60 | 60 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>1,269</u> | <u>1,507</u> | <u>732</u> | <u>978</u> | <u>978</u> | <u>485</u> | <u>485</u> |

**WORLD RYE PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS
LOCAL MARKETING YEARS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS**

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|---------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| PRODUCTION | | | | | | | |
| Argentina | 81 | 80 | 37 | 89 | 89 | 55 | 55 |
| Belarus | <u>1,294</u> | <u>1,600</u> | <u>1,200</u> | <u>1,400</u> | <u>1,400</u> | <u>1,300</u> | <u>1,300</u> |
| Canada | 228 | 134 | 327 | 420 | 420 | 360 | 360 |
| Russia | <u>6,600</u> | <u>7,150</u> | <u>4,200</u> | <u>2,850</u> | <u>2,850</u> | <u>4,000</u> | <u>3,600</u> |
| Turkey | 220 | 255 | 240 | 240 | 240 | 240 | 240 |
| Ukraine | <u>1,822</u> | <u>1,511</u> | <u>625</u> | <u>1,600</u> | <u>1,600</u> | <u>1,200</u> | <u>1,200</u> |
| EU-25 | 11,891 | 9,190 | 6,907 | 9,967 | 9,967 | 7,874 | 7,674 |
| Other Europe | <u>146</u> | <u>147</u> | <u>143</u> | <u>145</u> | <u>145</u> | <u>145</u> | <u>145</u> |
| Others | 111 | 78 | 78 | 79 | 79 | 79 | 79 |
| Subtotal | 22,393 | 20,145 | 13,757 | 16,790 | 16,790 | 15,253 | 14,653 |
| United States | 175 | 165 | 219 | 210 | 210 | 191 | 191 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>22,568</u> | <u>20,310</u> | <u>13,976</u> | <u>17,000</u> | <u>17,000</u> | <u>15,444</u> | <u>14,844</u> |
| CONSUMPTION | | | | | | | |
| Belarus | 1,300 | 1,300 | 1,200 | 1,325 | 1,325 | 1,225 | 1,225 |
| Canada | <u>193</u> | <u>106</u> | <u>123</u> | <u>215</u> | <u>215</u> | <u>225</u> | <u>225</u> |
| Israel | 32 | 89 | 23 | 150 | 150 | 25 | 25 |
| Japan | <u>335</u> | <u>415</u> | <u>340</u> | <u>300</u> | <u>300</u> | <u>150</u> | <u>150</u> |
| Korea, South | 121 | 31 | 114 | 50 | 50 | 25 | 25 |
| Russia | <u>5,800</u> | <u>6,150</u> | <u>5,500</u> | <u>3,300</u> | <u>3,300</u> | <u>4,000</u> | <u>3,600</u> |
| Turkey | 240 | 269 | 283 | 315 | 299 | 260 | 260 |
| Ukraine | <u>1,349</u> | <u>1,300</u> | <u>900</u> | <u>1,300</u> | <u>1,300</u> | <u>1,200</u> | <u>1,200</u> |
| EU-25 | 10,169 | 9,310 | 8,700 | 10,075 | 10,075 | 8900 | 8,900 |
| Other Europe | <u>184</u> | <u>160</u> | <u>173</u> | <u>170</u> | <u>170</u> | <u>171</u> | <u>171</u> |
| Others | 205 | 274 | 323 | 40 | 84 | 233 | 233 |
| Subtotal | 19,928 | 19,404 | 17,679 | 17,240 | 17,268 | 16,414 | 16,014 |
| United States | 312 | 321 | 297 | 344 | 344 | 309 | 309 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>20,240</u> | <u>19,725</u> | <u>17,976</u> | <u>17,584</u> | <u>17,612</u> | <u>16,723</u> | <u>16,323</u> |
| ENDING STOCKS | | | | | | | |
| Canada | 49 | 25 | 58 | 146 | 146 | 136 | 136 |
| Russia | <u>1,096</u> | <u>1,805</u> | <u>355</u> | <u>105</u> | <u>77</u> | <u>150</u> | <u>122</u> |
| Ukraine | 256 | 325 | 140 | 346 | 346 | 281 | 281 |
| EU-25 | <u>6,532</u> | <u>6,177</u> | <u>3,834</u> | <u>3,176</u> | <u>3,176</u> | <u>1,910</u> | <u>1,710</u> |
| Others | 30 | 219 | 160 | 185 | 185 | 209 | 209 |
| Subtotal | 7,963 | 8,551 | 4,547 | 3,958 | 3,930 | 2,686 | 2,458 |
| United States | 14 | 11 | 15 | 20 | 20 | 13 | 13 |
| <u>WORLD TOTAL</u> | <u>7,977</u> | <u>8,562</u> | <u>4,562</u> | <u>3,978</u> | <u>3,950</u> | <u>2,699</u> | <u>2,471</u> |

REGIONAL RYE IMPORTS, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND STOCKS
THOUSAND METRIC TONS

| | 2001/02 | 2002/03 | 2003/04 | 2004/05 9-Dec | 2004/05 12-Jan | 2005/06 9-Dec | 2005/06 12-Jan |
|---------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| IMPORTS | | | | | | | |
| North America | 169 | 111 | 101 | 179 | 179 | 105 | 105 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>18</u> | <u>52</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| EU-25 | 425 | 501 | 42 | 25 | 25 | 10 | 10 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>31</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>24</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>25</u> | <u>25</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 18 | 242 | 53 | 225 | 202 | 65 | 65 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>52</u> | <u>132</u> | <u>39</u> | <u>225</u> | <u>211</u> | <u>45</u> | <u>45</u> |
| North Africa | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| East Asia | 463 | 445 | 455 | 269 | 269 | 175 | 175 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| PRODUCTION | | | | | | | |
| North America | 403 | 299 | 546 | 630 | 630 | 551 | 551 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>94</u> | <u>85</u> | <u>42</u> | <u>95</u> | <u>95</u> | <u>61</u> | <u>61</u> |
| EU-25 | 11,891 | 9,190 | 6,907 | 9,967 | 9,967 | 7,874 | 7,674 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>146</u> | <u>147</u> | <u>143</u> | <u>145</u> | <u>145</u> | <u>145</u> | <u>145</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 9,791 | 10,311 | 6,075 | 5,900 | 5,900 | 6,550 | 6,150 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>220</u> | <u>255</u> | <u>240</u> | <u>240</u> | <u>240</u> | <u>240</u> | <u>240</u> |
| North Africa | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>3</u> |
| East Asia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>20</u> |
| CONSUMPTION | | | | | | | |
| North America | 505 | 427 | 420 | 559 | 559 | 534 | 534 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>138</u> | <u>111</u> | <u>42</u> | <u>95</u> | <u>95</u> | <u>61</u> | <u>61</u> |
| EU-25 | 10,169 | 9,310 | 8,700 | 10,075 | 10,075 | 8,900 | 8,900 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>184</u> | <u>160</u> | <u>173</u> | <u>170</u> | <u>170</u> | <u>171</u> | <u>171</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 8,539 | 8,819 | 7,660 | 5,990 | 5,990 | 6,480 | 6,080 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>272</u> | <u>358</u> | <u>306</u> | <u>465</u> | <u>449</u> | <u>285</u> | <u>285</u> |
| North Africa | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>3</u> |
| East Asia | 463 | 446 | 454 | 350 | 350 | 175 | 175 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>31</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>20</u> |
| ENDING STOCKS | | | | | | | |
| North America | 63 | 36 | 73 | 166 | 166 | 149 | 149 |
| <u>Latin America</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| EU-25 | 6,532 | 6,177 | 3,834 | 3,176 | 3,176 | 1,910 | 1,710 |
| <u>Other Europe</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Former Soviet Union | 1,361 | 2,329 | 634 | 615 | 587 | 620 | 592 |
| <u>Middle East</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| North Africa | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Sub-Saharan Africa</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| East Asia | 20 | 19 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 20 |
| <u>South Asia</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |
| Southeast Asia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| <u>Oceania</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |

NOTES: Regional definitions appear on last page of this circular. Imports are reported on an international year basis. All other data are reported using marketing years.



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**EUROPEAN UNION: GRAIN SUPPLY AND DEMAND
WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS
MILLION METRIC TONS/HECTARES**

| | Area Harvested | Yield | Production | --Imports-- Mkt Yr. Trade Yr. | --Exports-- Mkt Yr. Trade Yr. | Feed Cons. | Total Cons. | Ending Stocks | | | |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|-------|------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|----------------|------------------|-------|------|-------|
| WHEAT | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1994/95 | 15.8 | 5.4 | 84.5 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 17.1 | 17.1 | 31.1 | 73.9 | 11.2 | EU-15 |
| 1995/96 | 16.2 | 5.3 | 86.2 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 13.2 | 13.2 | 34.7 | 77.2 | 9.4 | |
| 1996/97 | 16.7 | 5.9 | 98.5 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 17.8 | 17.8 | 37.5 | 81.8 | 10.8 | |
| 1997/98 | 17.1 | 5.5 | 94.2 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 14.2 | 14.2 | 39.6 | 82.7 | 11.9 | |
| 1998/99 | 17.1 | 6.0 | 103.1 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 14.6 | 14.6 | 44.1 | 88.1 | 16.0 | |
| 1999/00 | 22.0 | 5.2 | 114.7 | 5.1 | 5.1 | 19.4 | 19.4 | 51.2 | 106.5 | 15.0 | EU-25 |
| 2000/01 | 23.5 | 5.3 | 124.2 | 4.7 | 4.7 | 16.8 | 16.8 | 54.2 | 111.1 | 16.0 | |
| 2001/02 | 22.3 | 5.1 | 113.6 | 10.7 | 10.7 | 14.2 | 14.2 | 53.4 | 110.1 | 15.9 | |
| 2002/03 | 23.1 | 5.4 | 124.8 | 13.9 | 13.9 | 19.9 | 19.9 | 58.4 | 118.1 | 16.6 | |
| 2003/04 | 22.0 | 4.8 | 106.9 | 5.9 | 5.9 | 10.9 | 10.9 | 50.8 | 107.9 | 10.6 | |
| 2004/05 | 23.2 | 5.9 | 136.8 | 7.2 | 7.2 | 14.4 | 14.4 | 56.5 | 115.0 | 25.2 | |
| 2005/06 | 22.8 | 5.4 | 122.8 | 7.2 | 7.2 | 14.5 | 14.5 | 60.5 | 119.5 | 21.3 | |
| COARSE GRAINS | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1994/95 | 18.7 | 4.6 | 86.5 | 4.7 | 4.7 | 7.9 | 8.1 | 65.2 | 88.5 | 12.7 | EU-15 |
| 1995/96 | 18.5 | 4.8 | 88.3 | 5.8 | 5.8 | 4.6 | 4.4 | 69.3 | 92.5 | 9.7 | |
| 1996/97 | 19.6 | 5.3 | 103.4 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 8.6 | 7.6 | 72.4 | 95.8 | 11.4 | |
| 1997/98 | 20.4 | 5.3 | 109.0 | 2.3 | 2.4 | 4.0 | 4.7 | 72.7 | 98.1 | 20.6 | |
| 1998/99 | 20.0 | 5.2 | 105.1 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 9.2 | 10.8 | 73.9 | 97.4 | 22.2 | |
| 1999/00 | 29.1 | 4.6 | 133.5 | 4.8 | 4.8 | 15.2 | 15.6 | 95.0 | 126.7 | 21.1 | EU-25 |
| 2000/01 | 29.0 | 4.6 | 132.7 | 5.4 | 5.5 | 10.7 | 9.0 | 99.5 | 131.0 | 17.6 | |
| 2001/02 | 29.5 | 4.7 | 140.1 | 5.9 | 5.9 | 8.0 | 7.7 | 101.2 | 134.4 | 21.2 | |
| 2002/03 | 29.2 | 4.8 | 138.7 | 6.4 | 6.7 | 8.6 | 9.7 | 102.8 | 136.1 | 21.5 | |
| 2003/04 | 29.0 | 4.2 | 123.0 | 8.0 | 7.6 | 4.4 | 2.3 | 101.9 | 135.5 | 12.6 | |
| 2004/05 | 29.1 | 5.2 | 150.6 | 3.3 | 3.3 | 4.1 | 5.1 | 106.2 | 139.6 | 22.7 | |
| 2005/06 | 28.6 | 4.6 | 131.0 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 4.8 | 4.5 | 101.6 | 134.9 | 17.7 | |
| WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1994/95 | 34.5 | 5.0 | 171.0 | 6.8 | 6.8 | 25.0 | 25.2 | 96.3 | 162.4 | 23.9 | EU-15 |
| 1995/96 | 34.6 | 5.0 | 174.5 | 8.3 | 8.3 | 17.9 | 17.6 | 104.0 | 169.7 | 19.1 | |
| 1996/97 | 36.3 | 5.6 | 201.9 | 5.2 | 5.2 | 26.4 | 25.5 | 109.9 | 177.6 | 22.1 | |
| 1997/98 | 37.6 | 5.4 | 203.2 | 6.2 | 6.3 | 18.2 | 18.9 | 112.3 | 180.8 | 32.5 | |
| 1998/99 | 37.1 | 5.6 | 208.2 | 6.9 | 6.9 | 23.8 | 25.4 | 118.0 | 185.6 | 38.2 | |
| 1999/00 | 51.1 | 4.9 | 248.3 | 9.9 | 9.9 | 34.5 | 34.9 | 146.2 | 233.2 | 36.1 | EU-25 |
| 2000/01 | 52.5 | 4.9 | 256.9 | 10.2 | 10.2 | 27.5 | 25.8 | 153.7 | 242.1 | 33.6 | |
| 2001/02 | 51.8 | 4.9 | 253.6 | 16.6 | 16.7 | 22.2 | 21.9 | 154.6 | 244.5 | 37.1 | |
| 2002/03 | 52.2 | 5.0 | 263.5 | 20.3 | 20.6 | 28.6 | 29.7 | 161.2 | 254.2 | 38.1 | |
| 2003/04 | 51.0 | 4.5 | 229.9 | 13.9 | 13.5 | 15.3 | 13.3 | 152.7 | 243.4 | 23.2 | |
| 2004/05 | 52.3 | 5.5 | 287.4 | 10.5 | 10.5 | 18.5 | 19.5 | 162.7 | 254.6 | 48.0 | |
| 2005/06 | 51.3 | 4.9 | 253.9 | 10.8 | 10.8 | 19.3 | 19.0 | 162.1 | 254.4 | 38.9 | |

Notes:

Trade year statistics are on a July/June year for wheat and an Oct/Sep year for coarse grains.

**CHINA: GRAIN SUPPLY AND DEMAND
WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS
MILLION METRIC TONS/HECTARES**

| | Area Harvested | Yield | Production | --Imports-- | | --Exports-- | | Feed Cons. | Total Cons. | Ending Stocks |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|-------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| | | | | Mkt Yr. | Trade Yr. | Mkt Yr. | Trade Yr. | | | |
| WHEAT | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1994/95 | 29.0 | 3.4 | 99.3 | 10.3 | 10.3 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 3.0 | 105.4 | 68.7 |
| 1995/96 | 28.9 | 3.5 | 102.2 | 12.5 | 12.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 3.2 | 106.5 | 76.5 |
| 1996/97 | 29.6 | 3.7 | 110.6 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 3.4 | 107.6 | 81.2 |
| 1997/98 | 30.1 | 4.1 | 123.3 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 4.9 | 109.1 | 96.2 |
| 1998/99 | 29.8 | 3.7 | 109.7 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 5.0 | 108.3 | 97.9 |
| 1999/00 | 28.9 | 3.9 | 113.9 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 6.5 | 109.3 | 102.9 |
| 2000/01 | 26.7 | 3.7 | 99.6 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 10.0 | 110.3 | 91.9 |
| 2001/02 | 24.6 | 3.8 | 93.9 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 9.0 | 108.7 | 76.6 |
| 2002/03 | 23.9 | 3.8 | 90.3 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 6.5 | 105.2 | 60.4 |
| 2003/04 | 22.0 | 3.9 | 86.5 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 2.8 | 2.8 | 6.0 | 104.5 | 43.3 |
| 2004/05 | 21.6 | 4.3 | 92.0 | 6.7 | 6.7 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 4.0 | 102.0 | 38.8 |
| 2005/06 | 22.7 | 4.3 | 97.0 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 3.5 | 101.0 | 35.8 |
| COARSE GRAINS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1994/95 | 26.1 | 4.4 | 114.3 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 76.6 | 114.4 | 89.2 |
| 1995/96 | 27.3 | 4.6 | 124.5 | 3.0 | 3.0 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 78.4 | 115.4 | 101.1 |
| 1996/97 | 29.1 | 4.9 | 141.3 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 82.6 | 121.0 | 119.5 |
| 1997/98 | 28.1 | 4.1 | 114.7 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 6.2 | 6.2 | 87.2 | 121.6 | 108.0 |
| 1998/99 | 29.1 | 4.9 | 143.5 | 2.6 | 2.6 | 3.4 | 3.4 | 91.4 | 127.3 | 123.4 |
| 1999/00 | 29.6 | 4.6 | 137.2 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 10.0 | 10.0 | 92.7 | 128.8 | 124.2 |
| 2000/01 | 26.5 | 4.3 | 114.0 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 7.3 | 7.3 | 94.4 | 130.4 | 102.8 |
| 2001/02 | 27.5 | 4.4 | 122.2 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 8.6 | 8.6 | 96.2 | 132.9 | 85.6 |
| 2002/03 | 28.0 | 4.7 | 130.7 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 15.3 | 15.3 | 98.4 | 136.4 | 66.4 |
| 2003/04 | 27.1 | 4.6 | 124.0 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 7.7 | 7.7 | 99.1 | 138.7 | 45.5 |
| 2004/05 | 28.2 | 4.9 | 137.9 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 100.2 | 141.2 | 36.6 |
| 2005/06 | 29.0 | 4.9 | 141.6 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 6.0 | 6.0 | 101.7 | 143.8 | 30.7 |
| WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1994/95 | 55.1 | 3.9 | 213.6 | 16.6 | 16.6 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 79.6 | 219.8 | 158.0 |
| 1995/96 | 56.2 | 4.0 | 226.7 | 15.5 | 15.5 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 81.6 | 221.9 | 177.6 |
| 1996/97 | 58.7 | 4.3 | 251.9 | 4.8 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 86.0 | 228.6 | 200.7 |
| 1997/98 | 58.1 | 4.1 | 238.0 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 7.4 | 7.4 | 92.1 | 230.6 | 204.2 |
| 1998/99 | 58.8 | 4.3 | 253.2 | 3.4 | 3.4 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 96.4 | 235.6 | 221.3 |
| 1999/00 | 58.4 | 4.3 | 251.1 | 3.4 | 3.4 | 10.5 | 10.5 | 99.2 | 238.1 | 227.1 |
| 2000/01 | 53.1 | 4.0 | 213.6 | 2.6 | 2.6 | 7.9 | 7.9 | 104.4 | 240.7 | 194.7 |
| 2001/02 | 52.1 | 4.1 | 216.1 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 10.1 | 10.1 | 105.2 | 241.6 | 162.1 |
| 2002/03 | 51.9 | 4.3 | 221.0 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 17.1 | 17.1 | 104.9 | 241.6 | 126.7 |
| 2003/04 | 49.1 | 4.3 | 210.4 | 5.3 | 5.3 | 10.5 | 10.5 | 105.1 | 243.2 | 88.8 |
| 2004/05 | 49.9 | 4.6 | 229.9 | 8.8 | 8.8 | 8.8 | 8.8 | 104.2 | 243.2 | 75.5 |
| 2005/06 | 51.7 | 4.6 | 238.6 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 7.0 | 7.0 | 105.2 | 244.8 | 66.5 |

Notes:

Trade year statistics are on a July/June year for wheat and an Oct/Sep year for coarse grains.

**OTHER EUROPE: GRAIN SUPPLY AND DEMAND
WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS
MILLION METRIC TONS/HECTARES**

| | Area Harvested | Yield Production | --Imports-- | | --Exports-- | | Feed Cons. | Total Cons. | Ending Stocks | |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|-----|
| | | | Mkt Yr. | Trade Yr. | Mkt Yr. | Trade Yr. | | | | |
| WHEAT | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1994/95 | 5.4 | 2.9 | 15.7 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 3.5 | 15.6 | 3.0 |
| 1995/96 | 5.1 | 3.3 | 16.6 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 2.8 | 2.8 | 3.3 | 14.2 | 3.7 |
| 1996/97 | 3.9 | 2.3 | 8.9 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 3.0 | 12.6 | 1.7 |
| 1997/98 | 5.0 | 3.2 | 16.0 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 3.2 | 14.4 | 3.6 |
| 1998/99 | 4.6 | 3.1 | 14.5 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 3.1 | 14.3 | 3.9 |
| 1999/00 | 3.9 | 3.1 | 11.9 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 3.2 | 13.4 | 2.6 |
| 2000/01 | 4.4 | 2.8 | 12.1 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 2.8 | 12.9 | 2.9 |
| 2001/02 | 5.1 | 2.9 | 14.7 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 3.3 | 13.6 | 4.0 |
| 2002/03 | 4.7 | 2.7 | 12.7 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 3.2 | 13.5 | 3.4 |
| 2003/04 | 3.5 | 2.2 | 7.5 | 4.2 | 4.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 2.5 | 12.9 | 2.1 |
| 2004/05 | 4.1 | 3.8 | 15.4 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 3.4 | 14.1 | 3.8 |
| 2005/06 | 4.3 | 3.1 | 13.3 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 3.3 | 13.9 | 3.6 |
| COARSE GRAINS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1994/95 | 7.9 | 2.9 | 22.9 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 19.4 | 23.1 | 1.5 |
| 1995/96 | 7.6 | 3.4 | 25.8 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 21.2 | 25.2 | 1.8 |
| 1996/97 | 7.7 | 3.0 | 23.4 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 19.5 | 23.5 | 1.5 |
| 1997/98 | 7.5 | 3.9 | 29.4 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 22.9 | 27.0 | 3.5 |
| 1998/99 | 7.3 | 3.1 | 22.8 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 19.8 | 23.8 | 2.1 |
| 1999/00 | 7.3 | 3.6 | 26.5 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 21.8 | 25.8 | 2.7 |
| 2000/01 | 6.6 | 2.3 | 15.2 | 1.5 | 1.6 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 13.5 | 17.5 | 1.5 |
| 2001/02 | 6.8 | 3.1 | 21.1 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 0.9 | 1.1 | 16.5 | 20.4 | 2.3 |
| 2002/03 | 6.6 | 3.4 | 22.3 | 1.0 | 0.8 | 1.5 | 1.0 | 17.4 | 21.0 | 3.1 |
| 2003/04 | 6.7 | 2.8 | 18.8 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 17.1 | 20.7 | 2.2 |
| 2004/05 | 7.0 | 4.1 | 28.9 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 2.0 | 2.1 | 19.4 | 24.7 | 4.9 |
| 2005/06 | 7.0 | 3.5 | 24.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 19.3 | 24.6 | 3.9 |
| WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1994/95 | 13.3 | 2.9 | 38.7 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 22.9 | 38.8 | 4.5 |
| 1995/96 | 12.7 | 3.3 | 42.4 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 24.4 | 39.4 | 5.6 |
| 1996/97 | 11.6 | 2.8 | 32.3 | 3.0 | 3.0 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 22.5 | 36.1 | 3.2 |
| 1997/98 | 12.4 | 3.6 | 45.4 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 26.1 | 41.4 | 7.1 |
| 1998/99 | 12.0 | 3.1 | 37.3 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 23.0 | 38.2 | 6.0 |
| 1999/00 | 11.1 | 3.5 | 38.4 | 2.5 | 2.6 | 2.5 | 2.6 | 25.0 | 39.1 | 5.3 |
| 2000/01 | 11.0 | 2.5 | 27.3 | 3.3 | 3.4 | 1.3 | 1.5 | 16.3 | 30.4 | 4.3 |
| 2001/02 | 11.8 | 3.0 | 35.7 | 3.0 | 3.0 | 2.8 | 2.9 | 19.8 | 34.0 | 6.2 |
| 2002/03 | 11.3 | 3.1 | 35.0 | 2.9 | 2.8 | 3.1 | 2.7 | 20.6 | 34.5 | 6.5 |
| 2003/04 | 10.1 | 2.6 | 26.3 | 5.6 | 5.6 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 19.6 | 33.6 | 4.2 |
| 2004/05 | 11.1 | 4.0 | 44.3 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 3.3 | 3.4 | 22.8 | 38.8 | 8.7 |
| 2005/06 | 11.3 | 3.4 | 38.0 | 2.6 | 2.6 | 3.4 | 3.4 | 22.6 | 38.6 | 7.4 |

Notes:

Trade year statistics are on a July/June year for wheat and an Oct/Sep year for coarse grains.

**FORMER SOVIET UNION: GRAIN SUPPLY AND DEMAND
WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS
MILLION METRIC TONS/HECTARES**

| | Area Harvested | Yield | Production | --Imports-- | | --Exports-- | | Feed Cons. | Total Cons. | Ending Stocks |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|-------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| | | | | Mkt Yr. | Trade Yr. | Mkt Yr. | Trade Yr. | | | |
| FSU TOTAL | | | | | | | | | | |
| <u>WHEAT</u> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1999/00 | 41.8 | 1.5 | 64.8 | 9.5 | 9.5 | 9.3 | 9.3 | 17.0 | 65.0 | 5.8 |
| 2000/01 | 43.1 | 1.5 | 63.1 | 5.2 | 5.2 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 16.2 | 64.0 | 5.1 |
| 2001/02 | 45.7 | 2.0 | 91.3 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 13.9 | 13.9 | 21.1 | 70.2 | 16.0 |
| 2002/03 | 48.4 | 2.0 | 96.9 | 4.6 | 4.6 | 25.7 | 25.7 | 24.8 | 75.4 | 16.5 |
| 2003/04 | 40.3 | 1.5 | 60.9 | 7.3 | 7.3 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 17.6 | 65.9 | 11.0 |
| 2004/05 | 46.5 | 1.9 | 86.4 | 4.6 | 4.6 | 15.2 | 15.2 | 20.8 | 72.7 | 14.1 |
| 2005/06 | 48.6 | 1.9 | 92.0 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 19.2 | 19.2 | 23.2 | 75.6 | 15.1 |
| <u>COARSE GRAINS</u> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1999/00 | 31.8 | 1.3 | 40.4 | 2.8 | 2.7 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 26.6 | 42.2 | 3.6 |
| 2000/01 | 31.0 | 1.6 | 49.1 | 1.1 | 0.9 | 2.5 | 3.4 | 28.8 | 45.3 | 6.0 |
| 2001/02 | 32.6 | 1.9 | 61.8 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 6.6 | 7.0 | 33.3 | 50.8 | 11.5 |
| 2002/03 | 31.4 | 1.9 | 60.7 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 8.1 | 7.7 | 35.0 | 52.8 | 12.0 |
| 2003/04 | 31.2 | 1.8 | 55.4 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 6.1 | 6.3 | 39.2 | 56.6 | 6.2 |
| 2004/05 | 31.1 | 2.0 | 62.9 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 8.1 | 8.2 | 38.0 | 54.5 | 7.6 |
| 2005/06 | 28.8 | 1.9 | 55.2 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 7.9 | 7.5 | 34.4 | 50.5 | 5.5 |
| RUSSIAN FEDERATION | | | | | | | | | | |
| <u>WHEAT</u> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1999/00 | 23.0 | 1.3 | 31.0 | 5.1 | 5.1 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 11.8 | 35.4 | 1.2 |
| 2000/01 | 23.2 | 1.5 | 34.5 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 11.5 | 35.2 | 1.4 |
| 2001/02 | 23.8 | 2.0 | 46.9 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 4.4 | 4.4 | 14.0 | 38.1 | 6.5 |
| 2002/03 | 25.7 | 2.0 | 50.6 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 12.6 | 12.6 | 16.0 | 39.3 | 6.1 |
| 2003/04 | 22.2 | 1.5 | 34.1 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 12.5 | 35.5 | 2.6 |
| 2004/05 | 24.2 | 1.9 | 45.3 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 8.0 | 8.0 | 13.6 | 37.4 | 3.8 |
| 2005/06 | 25.5 | 1.9 | 47.6 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 10.0 | 10.0 | 14.9 | 38.4 | 4.0 |
| <u>COARSE GRAINS</u> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1999/00 | 20.9 | 1.0 | 21.8 | 2.2 | 2.0 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 14.8 | 24.8 | 0.9 |
| 2000/01 | 19.6 | 1.4 | 28.2 | 0.8 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 1.0 | 15.9 | 26.8 | 2.5 |
| 2001/02 | 20.6 | 1.7 | 35.2 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 17.7 | 29.1 | 6.7 |
| 2002/03 | 19.6 | 1.7 | 33.4 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 3.4 | 3.5 | 18.3 | 29.9 | 7.2 |
| 2003/04 | 18.1 | 1.7 | 30.5 | 1.0 | 0.9 | 2.5 | 1.8 | 21.5 | 33.3 | 2.9 |
| 2004/05 | 17.5 | 1.7 | 29.6 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 1.1 | 1.5 | 19.0 | 29.4 | 2.7 |
| 2005/06 | 16.5 | 1.7 | 27.7 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 1.2 | 0.8 | 18.0 | 28.2 | 1.6 |

Notes:

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FORMER SOVIET UNION: GRAIN SUPPLY AND DEMAND (CONTINUED)
WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS
MILLION METRIC TONS/HECTARES

| | Area Harvested | Yield | Production | --Imports-- Mkt Yr. | Trade Yr. | --Exports-- Mkt Yr. | Trade Yr. | Feed Cons. | Total Cons. | Ending Stocks |
|----------------------|-------------------|-------|------------|------------------------|-----------|------------------------|-----------|---------------|----------------|------------------|
| KAZAKHSTAN | | | | | | | | | | |
| <u>WHEAT</u> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2001/02 | 10.7 | 1.2 | 12.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 2.1 | 5.8 | 4.1 |
| 2002/03 | 11.5 | 1.1 | 12.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 6.2 | 6.2 | 2.7 | 6.8 | 3.7 |
| 2003/04 | 11.3 | 1.0 | 11.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 4.1 | 4.1 | 2.7 | 6.8 | 3.8 |
| 2004/05 | 11.8 | 0.8 | 10.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 7.4 | 3.6 |
| 2005/06 | 11.8 | 0.9 | 11.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 2.7 | 7.4 | 3.8 |
| <u>COARSE GRAINS</u> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2001/02 | 2.1 | 1.4 | 2.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 2.0 | 2.3 | 1.2 |
| 2002/03 | 2.2 | 1.3 | 2.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 2.2 | 2.5 | 1.0 |
| 2003/04 | 2.2 | 1.2 | 2.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 2.2 | 2.5 | 0.4 |
| 2004/05 | 2.1 | 1.0 | 2.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 1.8 | 2.1 | 0.3 |
| 2005/06 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 2.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 1.6 | 1.9 | 0.2 |
| UKRAINE | | | | | | | | | | |
| <u>WHEAT</u> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2001/02 | 6.9 | 3.1 | 21.3 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 5.5 | 5.5 | 3.0 | 13.5 | 3.0 |
| 2002/03 | 6.8 | 3.0 | 20.6 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 6.6 | 6.6 | 4.0 | 14.5 | 3.3 |
| 2003/04 | 2.5 | 1.5 | 3.6 | 3.4 | 3.4 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 9.0 | 1.1 |
| 2004/05 | 5.9 | 3.0 | 17.5 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 4.4 | 4.4 | 2.1 | 11.7 | 2.6 |
| 2005/06 | 6.7 | 2.9 | 19.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 5.5 | 5.5 | 3.3 | 13.3 | 2.9 |
| <u>COARSE GRAINS</u> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2001/02 | 6.7 | 2.5 | 17.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 3.5 | 3.8 | 9.1 | 13.0 | 2.6 |
| 2002/03 | 6.7 | 2.6 | 17.1 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 4.0 | 3.4 | 9.3 | 13.3 | 2.7 |
| 2003/04 | 7.8 | 2.0 | 15.6 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 2.8 | 3.8 | 10.5 | 13.8 | 1.8 |
| 2004/05 | 8.4 | 2.7 | 23.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 6.8 | 6.5 | 11.4 | 15.2 | 2.9 |
| 2005/06 | 7.4 | 2.5 | 18.4 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 9.1 | 12.6 | 2.5 |
| UZBEKISTAN | | | | | | | | | | |
| <u>WHEAT</u> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2003/04 | 1.5 | 3.7 | 5.4 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.8 | 5.2 | 0.9 |
| 2004/05 | 1.4 | 3.7 | 5.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.8 | 5.2 | 1.0 |
| 2005/06 | 1.3 | 4.4 | 5.7 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.8 | 5.4 | 1.4 |
| <u>COARSE GRAINS</u> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2003/04 | 0.1 | 2.0 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.0 |
| 2004/05 | 0.1 | 2.9 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.0 |
| 2005/06 | 0.1 | 2.9 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.0 |
| OTHER FSU | | | | | | | | | | |
| <u>WHEAT</u> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2003/04 | 2.9 | 2.3 | 6.8 | 2.6 | 2.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.2 | 9.4 | 2.5 |
| 2004/05 | 3.2 | 2.6 | 8.5 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 1.6 | 11.0 | 3.1 |
| 2005/06 | 3.3 | 2.6 | 8.7 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 1.5 | 11.1 | 3.1 |
| <u>COARSE GRAINS</u> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2003/04 | 2.9 | 2.2 | 6.4 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 4.8 | 6.7 | 1.0 |
| 2004/05 | 3.1 | 2.6 | 8.0 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 5.6 | 7.5 | 1.7 |
| 2005/06 | 2.9 | 2.4 | 6.9 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 5.5 | 7.5 | 1.2 |

Notes:

Trade year statistics are on a July/June year for wheat and an Oct/Sep year for coarse grains.

The Coarse Grains category includes barley, corn, millet, oats, rye, and sorghum.

Production estimates are on a clean-weight basis.

**WHEAT SUPPLY AND DISAPPEARANCE
SELECTED EXPORTERS
MILLION METRIC TONS/HECTARES**

| | Area Harvested | Yield | Production | --Imports-- Mkt Yr. | Trade Yr. | --Exports-- Mkt Yr. | Trade Yr. | Feed Cons. | Total Cons. | Ending Stocks |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|-------|------------|------------------------|-----------|------------------------|-----------|---------------|----------------|------------------|
| ARGENTINA (MY DEC/NOV) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1997/98 | 5.7 | 2.8 | 15.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 11.2 | 9.8 | 0.0 | 4.8 | 0.8 |
| 1998/99 | 5.4 | 2.5 | 13.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 8.6 | 9.2 | 0.0 | 4.9 | 0.7 |
| 1999/00 | 6.2 | 2.7 | 16.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 11.6 | 11.1 | 0.1 | 4.9 | 0.6 |
| 2000/01 | 6.4 | 2.5 | 16.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 11.3 | 11.4 | 0.1 | 5.0 | 0.6 |
| 2001/02 | 6.8 | 2.3 | 15.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 10.1 | 11.7 | 0.1 | 4.9 | 1.1 |
| 2002/03 | 5.9 | 2.1 | 12.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 6.8 | 6.3 | 0.1 | 5.2 | 1.5 |
| 2003/04 | 5.7 | 2.5 | 14.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 9.4 | 7.3 | 0.1 | 5.2 | 1.4 |
| 2004/05 | 6.1 | 2.6 | 16.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 11.5 | 13.5 | 0.1 | 5.2 | 0.7 |
| 2005/06 | 4.9 | 2.5 | 12.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 7.0 | 7.0 | 0.1 | 5.2 | 0.6 |
| AUSTRALIA (MY OCT/SEPT) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1997/98 | 10.4 | 1.8 | 19.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 15.3 | 15.4 | 1.4 | 4.0 | 2.3 |
| 1998/99 | 11.5 | 1.9 | 21.5 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 16.5 | 16.1 | 1.8 | 4.5 | 2.8 |
| 1999/00 | 12.2 | 2.0 | 24.8 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 17.8 | 17.1 | 2.5 | 5.2 | 4.6 |
| 2000/01 | 12.1 | 1.8 | 22.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 15.9 | 16.7 | 2.6 | 5.3 | 5.5 |
| 2001/02 | 11.6 | 2.1 | 24.3 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 16.4 | 16.5 | 2.7 | 5.4 | 8.0 |
| 2002/03 | 11.1 | 0.9 | 10.1 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 9.1 | 10.9 | 3.5 | 6.2 | 3.1 |
| 2003/04 | 13.1 | 2.0 | 26.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 18.0 | 15.1 | 3.2 | 6.0 | 5.4 |
| 2004/05 | 13.8 | 1.6 | 22.6 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 14.7 | 15.8 | 3.7 | 6.4 | 6.9 |
| 2005/06 | 11.8 | 2.0 | 24.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 16.5 | 16.5 | 3.9 | 6.6 | 7.9 |
| CANADA (MY AUG/JUL) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1997/98 | 11.4 | 2.1 | 24.3 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 20.1 | 21.3 | 3.5 | 7.3 | 6.0 |
| 1998/99 | 10.7 | 2.3 | 24.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 14.7 | 14.4 | 4.3 | 8.1 | 7.4 |
| 1999/00 | 10.4 | 2.6 | 26.9 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 19.2 | 19.4 | 4.1 | 8.1 | 7.3 |
| 2000/01 | 11.0 | 2.4 | 26.5 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 17.3 | 17.4 | 3.0 | 7.0 | 9.7 |
| 2001/02 | 10.6 | 1.9 | 20.6 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 16.3 | 16.8 | 3.7 | 7.6 | 6.7 |
| 2002/03 | 8.8 | 1.8 | 16.2 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 9.4 | 9.4 | 4.1 | 8.2 | 5.7 |
| 2003/04 | 10.5 | 2.3 | 23.6 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 15.8 | 15.5 | 3.4 | 7.6 | 6.1 |
| 2004/05 | 9.9 | 2.6 | 25.9 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 15.0 | 15.1 | 5.0 | 9.2 | 8.0 |
| 2005/06 | 9.8 | 2.7 | 26.8 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 16.5 | 16.5 | 5.0 | 9.2 | 9.3 |
| SUBTOTAL | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1997/98 | 27.6 | 2.2 | 59.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 46.6 | 46.5 | 4.9 | 16.1 | 9.1 |
| 1998/99 | 27.6 | 2.1 | 58.8 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 39.7 | 39.7 | 6.1 | 17.5 | 11.0 |
| 1999/00 | 28.7 | 2.4 | 68.1 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 48.6 | 47.6 | 6.6 | 18.2 | 12.5 |
| 2000/01 | 29.5 | 2.2 | 64.9 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 44.5 | 45.4 | 5.7 | 17.4 | 15.8 |
| 2001/02 | 29.0 | 2.1 | 60.4 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 42.8 | 44.9 | 6.5 | 17.9 | 15.9 |
| 2002/03 | 25.8 | 1.5 | 38.6 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 25.3 | 26.6 | 7.6 | 19.5 | 10.4 |
| 2003/04 | 29.2 | 2.2 | 64.2 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 43.2 | 38.0 | 6.7 | 18.8 | 12.8 |
| 2004/05 | 29.7 | 2.2 | 64.5 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 41.2 | 44.5 | 8.8 | 20.8 | 15.6 |
| 2005/06 | 26.5 | 2.4 | 62.9 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 40.0 | 40.0 | 9.0 | 21.0 | 17.8 |
| INDIA (MY APR/MAR) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1997/98 | 25.9 | 2.7 | 69.4 | 1.7 | 2.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 69.2 | 5.1 |
| 1998/99 | 26.7 | 2.5 | 66.4 | 2.2 | 1.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 63.7 | 9.9 |
| 1999/00 | 27.4 | 2.6 | 70.8 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 68.8 | 13.1 |
| 2000/01 | 27.5 | 2.8 | 76.4 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 1.6 | 2.4 | 0.5 | 66.8 | 21.5 |
| 2001/02 | 25.7 | 2.7 | 69.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 0.5 | 65.1 | 23.0 |
| 2002/03 | 25.9 | 2.8 | 71.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 4.9 | 5.4 | 0.6 | 74.3 | 15.7 |
| 2003/04 | 24.9 | 2.6 | 65.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 5.7 | 5.4 | 0.6 | 68.3 | 6.9 |
| 2004/05 | 26.6 | 2.7 | 72.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2.1 | 1.6 | 0.5 | 72.8 | 4.1 |
| 2005/06 | 26.3 | 2.7 | 72.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 73.0 | 3.6 |
| TURKEY (MY JUN/MAY) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1997/98 | 8.5 | 1.9 | 16.0 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.3 | 1.5 | 1.0 | 16.8 | 2.2 |
| 1998/99 | 8.6 | 2.1 | 18.0 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 2.6 | 2.8 | 1.0 | 16.9 | 2.6 |
| 1999/00 | 8.7 | 1.9 | 16.5 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 2.2 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 16.8 | 1.6 |
| 2000/01 | 8.7 | 2.1 | 18.0 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.0 | 16.7 | 1.7 |
| 2001/02 | 8.5 | 1.8 | 15.5 | 1.0 | 1.1 | 0.8 | 0.6 | 1.1 | 16.5 | 1.0 |
| 2002/03 | 8.6 | 2.0 | 16.8 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 1.0 | 17.0 | 1.3 |
| 2003/04 | 8.6 | 2.0 | 16.8 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 17.0 | 1.3 |
| 2004/05 | 8.6 | 2.2 | 18.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 1.0 | 17.0 | 1.3 |
| 2005/06 | 8.6 | 2.1 | 18.0 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 17.0 | 0.8 |

Notes:

Wheat trade year statistics are on a July/June year.

**CORN SUPPLY AND DISAPPEARANCE
SELECTED EXPORTERS
MILLION METRIC TONS/HECTARES**

| | Area Harvested | Yield | Production | --Imports-- Mkt Yr. | Trade Yr. | --Exports-- Mkt Yr. | Trade Yr. | Feed Cons. | Total Cons. | Ending Stocks |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|-------|------------|------------------------|-----------|------------------------|-----------|---------------|----------------|------------------|
| ARGENTINA (MY MAR/FEB) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1997/98 | 3.2 | 6.1 | 19.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 12.2 | 12.8 | 4.7 | 6.4 | 1.5 |
| 1998/99 | 2.6 | 5.2 | 13.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 7.9 | 7.8 | 4.9 | 6.5 | 0.7 |
| 1999/00 | 3.1 | 5.5 | 17.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 11.9 | 8.9 | 4.0 | 5.5 | 0.5 |
| 2000/01 | 2.8 | 5.5 | 15.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 9.7 | 12.2 | 3.9 | 5.6 | 0.6 |
| 2001/02 | 2.5 | 6.0 | 14.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 10.9 | 8.6 | 2.7 | 4.2 | 0.3 |
| 2002/03 | 2.5 | 6.3 | 15.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 11.2 | 12.3 | 2.5 | 4.1 | 0.5 |
| 2003/04 | 2.3 | 6.5 | 15.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 10.9 | 10.4 | 2.8 | 4.4 | 0.2 |
| 2004/05 | 2.7 | 7.2 | 19.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 14.0 | 13.8 | 3.5 | 5.2 | 0.5 |
| 2005/06 | 2.4 | 7.0 | 16.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 11.5 | 12.5 | 3.7 | 5.4 | 0.4 |
| CHINA (MY OCT/SEPT) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1997/98 | 23.8 | 4.4 | 104.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 6.2 | 6.2 | 82.5 | 109.5 | 106.9 |
| 1998/99 | 25.2 | 5.3 | 133.0 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 3.3 | 3.3 | 86.5 | 113.9 | 122.9 |
| 1999/00 | 25.9 | 4.9 | 128.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 9.9 | 9.9 | 89.5 | 117.3 | 123.8 |
| 2000/01 | 23.1 | 4.6 | 106.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 7.3 | 7.3 | 92.0 | 120.2 | 102.4 |
| 2001/02 | 24.3 | 4.7 | 114.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 8.6 | 8.6 | 94.0 | 123.1 | 84.8 |
| 2002/03 | 24.6 | 4.9 | 121.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 15.2 | 15.2 | 96.0 | 125.9 | 65.0 |
| 2003/04 | 24.1 | 4.8 | 115.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 97.0 | 128.4 | 44.9 |
| 2004/05 | 25.4 | 5.1 | 130.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 98.5 | 131.5 | 36.1 |
| 2005/06 | 26.2 | 5.1 | 134.0 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 6.0 | 6.0 | 100.0 | 134.0 | 30.3 |
| SOUTH AFRICA (MY MAY/APR) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1997/98 | 3.6 | 2.2 | 7.7 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 1.2 | 1.0 | 4.0 | 8.0 | 0.8 |
| 1998/99 | 3.6 | 2.2 | 7.9 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 0.5 | 0.8 | 3.7 | 7.9 | 0.9 |
| 1999/00 | 3.8 | 3.0 | 11.5 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 1.4 | 0.8 | 4.1 | 8.9 | 2.0 |
| 2000/01 | 3.2 | 2.5 | 8.0 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 4.1 | 8.7 | 0.5 |
| 2001/02 | 3.5 | 2.8 | 10.1 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 3.9 | 8.4 | 1.9 |
| 2002/03 | 3.7 | 2.7 | 9.7 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 4.0 | 8.5 | 2.4 |
| 2003/04 | 3.3 | 2.9 | 9.7 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 4.1 | 8.7 | 3.0 |
| 2004/05 | 3.2 | 3.6 | 11.7 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 2.3 | 1.5 | 4.3 | 9.0 | 3.6 |
| 2005/06 | 2.6 | 2.9 | 7.5 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 1.0 | 1.5 | 4.2 | 8.9 | 1.4 |
| BRAZIL (MY MAR/FEB) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1997/98 | 11.4 | 2.6 | 30.1 | 1.7 | 1.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 28.5 | 33.4 | 1.8 |
| 1998/99 | 12.1 | 2.7 | 32.4 | 1.2 | 0.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 28.2 | 33.2 | 2.1 |
| 1999/00 | 12.6 | 2.5 | 31.6 | 1.6 | 1.8 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 28.5 | 33.5 | 1.7 |
| 2000/01 | 13.0 | 3.2 | 41.5 | 0.3 | 0.7 | 6.3 | 3.7 | 29.5 | 34.5 | 2.8 |
| 2001/02 | 11.8 | 3.0 | 35.5 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 2.1 | 3.9 | 29.5 | 35.0 | 1.6 |
| 2002/03 | 13.0 | 3.4 | 44.5 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 4.6 | 3.2 | 30.0 | 35.8 | 6.5 |
| 2003/04 | 12.4 | 3.4 | 42.0 | 0.4 | 0.7 | 4.4 | 5.8 | 30.5 | 36.3 | 8.1 |
| 2004/05 | 11.5 | 3.1 | 35.0 | 0.7 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 1.4 | 32.1 | 38.5 | 4.6 |
| 2005/06 | 12.8 | 3.3 | 42.5 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 1.7 | 1.5 | 33.5 | 40.0 | 6.0 |
| TOTALS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1997/98 | 41.9 | 3.9 | 161.5 | 2.1 | 1.9 | 19.7 | 20.0 | 119.7 | 157.2 | 111.0 |
| 1998/99 | 43.5 | 4.3 | 186.8 | 2.0 | 1.5 | 11.8 | 12.0 | 123.2 | 161.5 | 126.6 |
| 1999/00 | 45.4 | 4.1 | 188.4 | 1.7 | 2.2 | 23.5 | 19.7 | 126.1 | 165.2 | 128.0 |
| 2000/01 | 42.1 | 4.1 | 171.0 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 24.5 | 24.7 | 129.5 | 169.0 | 106.3 |
| 2001/02 | 42.1 | 4.1 | 174.3 | 1.4 | 1.1 | 22.6 | 22.2 | 130.1 | 170.7 | 88.7 |
| 2002/03 | 43.7 | 4.4 | 191.0 | 1.3 | 1.2 | 32.2 | 31.9 | 132.5 | 174.3 | 74.4 |
| 2003/04 | 42.1 | 4.3 | 182.5 | 0.6 | 1.2 | 23.7 | 24.6 | 134.4 | 177.8 | 56.1 |
| 2004/05 | 42.8 | 4.6 | 196.5 | 0.9 | 0.6 | 24.6 | 24.3 | 138.4 | 184.2 | 44.8 |
| 2005/06 | 44.0 | 4.6 | 200.8 | 1.0 | 1.1 | 20.2 | 21.5 | 141.4 | 188.3 | 38.1 |

Notes:

Corn trade year statistics are on an Oct/Sept year.

**BARLEY AND SORGHUM SUPPLY AND DISAPPEARANCE
SELECTED EXPORTERS
MILLION METRIC TONS/HECTARES**

| | Area Harvested | Yield | Production | --Imports-- Mkt Yr. Trade Yr. | | --Exports-- Mkt Yr. Trade Yr. | | Feed Cons. | Total Cons. | Ending Stocks |
|------------------------------------|-------------------|-------|------------|----------------------------------|-----|----------------------------------|------|---------------|----------------|------------------|
| BARLEY | | | | | | | | | | |
| AUSTRALIA (MY NOV/OCT) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1997/98 | 3.5 | 1.8 | 6.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 3.0 | 2.8 | 2.3 | 3.0 | 0.8 |
| 1998/99 | 3.2 | 1.9 | 6.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 4.2 | 4.2 | 1.3 | 2.1 | 0.5 |
| 1999/00 | 2.6 | 1.9 | 5.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2.6 | 2.9 | 1.7 | 2.6 | 0.4 |
| 2000/01 | 3.5 | 2.0 | 6.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 4.0 | 3.9 | 1.3 | 2.2 | 1.0 |
| 2001/02 | 3.7 | 2.2 | 8.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 4.7 | 4.6 | 1.8 | 2.8 | 1.8 |
| 2002/03 | 3.9 | 1.0 | 3.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 1.8 | 2.7 | 0.9 |
| 2003/04 | 4.5 | 2.3 | 10.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 6.4 | 6.1 | 2.2 | 3.1 | 1.9 |
| 2004/05 | 4.6 | 1.7 | 7.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 4.5 | 4.5 | 2.6 | 3.5 | 1.6 |
| 2005/06 | 4.1 | 2.1 | 8.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 5.5 | 5.5 | 2.4 | 3.3 | 1.3 |
| CANADA (MY AUG/JULY) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1997/98 | 4.7 | 2.9 | 13.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2.2 | 1.9 | 10.5 | 11.8 | 2.5 |
| 1998/99 | 4.3 | 3.0 | 12.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 10.1 | 11.3 | 2.7 |
| 1999/00 | 4.1 | 3.2 | 13.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.7 | 1.8 | 9.9 | 11.4 | 2.8 |
| 2000/01 | 4.6 | 2.9 | 13.2 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 10.1 | 11.6 | 2.5 |
| 2001/02 | 4.2 | 2.6 | 10.8 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 8.9 | 10.3 | 2.0 |
| 2002/03 | 3.3 | 2.2 | 7.5 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 6.5 | 7.9 | 1.5 |
| 2003/04 | 4.4 | 2.8 | 12.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.8 | 1.9 | 8.5 | 9.9 | 2.1 |
| 2004/05 | 4.1 | 3.3 | 13.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 1.2 | 1.5 | 9.2 | 10.7 | 3.5 |
| 2005/06 | 3.9 | 3.2 | 12.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 9.5 | 11.1 | 2.9 |
| EUROPEAN UNION (MY JUL/JUN) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1997/98 | 11.9 | 4.4 | 52.6 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 2.5 | 3.0 | 31.0 | 43.9 | 12.4 |
| 1998/99 | 11.5 | 4.5 | 51.9 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 7.4 | 8.9 | 31.8 | 43.2 | 13.7 |
| 1999/00 | 13.9 | 4.1 | 57.5 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 10.4 | 10.7 | 37.3 | 51.6 | 11.6 |
| 2000/01 | 13.6 | 4.3 | 58.8 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 7.7 | 6.3 | 40.4 | 54.9 | 9.0 |
| 2001/02 | 13.5 | 4.2 | 57.0 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 3.8 | 3.2 | 39.0 | 53.9 | 9.9 |
| 2002/03 | 13.3 | 4.2 | 56.5 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 5.0 | 6.3 | 38.7 | 54.4 | 8.5 |
| 2003/04 | 13.4 | 4.1 | 54.8 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 2.8 | 1.0 | 41.0 | 56.9 | 4.3 |
| 2004/05 | 13.1 | 4.7 | 61.8 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 3.0 | 3.9 | 37.5 | 52.9 | 10.6 |
| 2005/06 | 13.1 | 4.1 | 53.1 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 3.6 | 3.3 | 37.2 | 52.5 | 8.0 |
| SORGHUM | | | | | | | | | | |
| ARGENTINA (MY MAR/FEB) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1997/98 | 0.8 | 4.8 | 3.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 2.0 | 2.1 | 0.6 |
| 1998/99 | 0.7 | 4.4 | 3.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 2.5 | 2.6 | 0.7 |
| 1999/00 | 0.7 | 4.6 | 3.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 2.4 | 2.5 | 0.7 |
| 2000/01 | 0.6 | 4.8 | 2.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 2.4 | 2.5 | 0.4 |
| 2001/02 | 0.5 | 5.1 | 2.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 0.5 |
| 2002/03 | 0.6 | 5.1 | 2.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 2.1 | 2.3 | 0.4 |
| 2003/04 | 0.5 | 4.6 | 2.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 1.9 | 2.0 | 0.4 |
| 2004/05 | 0.6 | 5.0 | 2.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 2.4 | 2.6 | 0.4 |
| 2005/06 | 0.5 | 5.0 | 2.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 2.1 | 2.3 | 0.3 |
| AUSTRALIA (MY MAR/FEB) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1997/98 | 0.5 | 2.1 | 1.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 0.1 |
| 1998/99 | 0.6 | 3.2 | 1.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 0.1 |
| 1999/00 | 0.6 | 3.4 | 2.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 0.1 |
| 2000/01 | 0.8 | 2.6 | 1.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 0.9 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 0.1 |
| 2001/02 | 0.8 | 2.5 | 2.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 0.1 |
| 2002/03 | 0.7 | 2.2 | 1.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 0.1 |
| 2003/04 | 0.7 | 2.7 | 2.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 0.4 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 0.1 |
| 2004/05 | 0.8 | 2.7 | 2.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 0.2 |
| 2005/06 | 0.8 | 2.7 | 2.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 0.1 |

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Notes:

Barley and sorghum trade year statistics are on an Oct/Sept year.

**U.S. GRAINS: SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION
WHEAT, CORN, SORGHUM, BARLEY, OATS, RYE, AND RICE
THOUSAND METRIC TONS/HECTARES**

| | Area | Yield | --Imports-- | | --Exports-- | | Feed Cons. | Total Cons. | Ending Stocks | |
|------------------------------|-----------|-------|----------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Harvested | | Mkt Yr. | Trade Yr. | Mkt Yr. | Trade Yr. | | | | |
| WHEAT (MY JUNE/MAY) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2000/01 | 21,474 | 2.8 | 60,641 | 2,445 | 2,419 | 28,904 | 28,027 | 8,176 | 36,184 | 23,846 |
| 2001/02 | 19,616 | 2.7 | 53,001 | 2,927 | 2,953 | 26,190 | 26,270 | 4,953 | 32,434 | 21,150 |
| 2002/03 | 18,544 | 2.4 | 43,705 | 2,106 | 1,958 | 23,139 | 22,834 | 3,150 | 30,448 | 13,374 |
| 2003/04 | 21,474 | 3.0 | 63,814 | 1,715 | 1,760 | 31,524 | 32,295 | 5,521 | 32,507 | 14,872 |
| 2004/05 | 20,234 | 2.9 | 58,738 | 1,921 | 1,946 | 28,922 | 28,464 | 5,140 | 31,910 | 14,699 |
| 2005/06 | 20,283 | 2.8 | 57,280 | 2,313 | 2,400 | 27,216 | 27,500 | 5,443 | 32,331 | 14,745 |
| CORN (MY SEPT/AUG) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2000/01 | 29,316 | 8.6 | 251,854 | 173 | 179 | 49,313 | 48,329 | 148,396 | 198,102 | 48,240 |
| 2001/02 | 27,830 | 8.7 | 241,377 | 258 | 202 | 48,383 | 47,271 | 148,958 | 200,941 | 40,551 |
| 2002/03 | 28,057 | 8.1 | 227,767 | 367 | 374 | 40,334 | 40,924 | 141,303 | 200,748 | 27,603 |
| 2003/04 | 28,710 | 8.9 | 256,278 | 358 | 341 | 48,258 | 48,808 | 147,197 | 211,644 | 24,337 |
| 2004/05 | 29,798 | 10.1 | 299,914 | 275 | 281 | 46,079 | 45,223 | 156,520 | 224,750 | 53,697 |
| 2005/06 | 30,395 | 9.3 | 282,260 | 254 | 250 | 46,992 | 47,500 | 152,407 | 227,595 | 61,624 |
| SORGHUM (MY SEPT/AUG) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2000/01 | 3,127 | 3.8 | 11,952 | 0 | 0 | 6,009 | 5,949 | 5,651 | 6,543 | 1,061 |
| 2001/02 | 3,472 | 3.8 | 13,057 | 0 | 0 | 6,142 | 6,135 | 5,842 | 6,427 | 1,549 |
| 2002/03 | 2,883 | 3.2 | 9,163 | 1 | 1 | 4,681 | 4,911 | 4,328 | 4,939 | 1,093 |
| 2003/04 | 3,156 | 3.3 | 10,446 | 0 | 0 | 5,049 | 4,845 | 4,624 | 5,638 | 852 |
| 2004/05 | 2,637 | 4.4 | 11,523 | 1 | 1 | 4,673 | 4,539 | 4,860 | 6,257 | 1,446 |
| 2005/06 | 2,321 | 4.3 | 10,005 | 0 | 0 | 4,318 | 4,500 | 3,810 | 5,207 | 1,926 |
| BARLEY (MY JUNE/MAY) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2000/01 | 2,104 | 3.3 | 6,919 | 636 | 663 | 1,258 | 1,068 | 2,951 | 6,407 | 2,314 |
| 2001/02 | 1,729 | 3.1 | 5,407 | 521 | 538 | 575 | 517 | 2,272 | 5,661 | 2,006 |
| 2002/03 | 1,669 | 3.0 | 4,940 | 402 | 282 | 659 | 552 | 1,819 | 5,179 | 1,510 |
| 2003/04 | 1,913 | 3.2 | 6,059 | 449 | 497 | 409 | 384 | 1,577 | 4,990 | 2,619 |
| 2004/05 | 1,627 | 3.7 | 6,091 | 264 | 157 | 506 | 750 | 2,515 | 5,672 | 2,796 |
| 2005/06 | 1,323 | 3.5 | 4,613 | 218 | 350 | 653 | 300 | 1,524 | 4,572 | 2,402 |
| OATS (MY JUNE/MAY) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2000/01 | 941 | 2.3 | 2,165 | 1,827 | 1,839 | 25 | 34 | 3,028 | 4,015 | 1,056 |
| 2001/02 | 773 | 2.2 | 1,707 | 1,654 | 1,497 | 41 | 37 | 2,413 | 3,459 | 917 |
| 2002/03 | 833 | 2.0 | 1,684 | 1,640 | 1,777 | 38 | 39 | 2,435 | 3,480 | 723 |
| 2003/04 | 898 | 2.3 | 2,096 | 1,547 | 1,302 | 36 | 38 | 2,329 | 3,389 | 941 |
| 2004/05 | 723 | 2.3 | 1,679 | 1,513 | 1,629 | 39 | 31 | 2,180 | 3,253 | 841 |
| 2005/06 | 738 | 2.3 | 1,667 | 1,293 | 1,500 | 44 | 40 | 1,946 | 3,019 | 738 |
| RYE (MY JUNE/MAY) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2000/01 | 120 | 1.8 | 213 | 82 | 88 | 10 | 8 | 59 | 295 | 30 |
| 2001/02 | 101 | 1.7 | 175 | 126 | 164 | 5 | 4 | 75 | 312 | 14 |
| 2002/03 | 106 | 1.6 | 165 | 156 | 109 | 3 | 2 | 85 | 321 | 11 |
| 2003/04 | 129 | 1.7 | 219 | 83 | 101 | 1 | 2 | 62 | 297 | 15 |
| 2004/05 | 121 | 1.7 | 210 | 143 | 174 | 4 | 2 | 108 | 344 | 20 |
| 2005/06 | 113 | 1.7 | 191 | 114 | 100 | 3 | 5 | 74 | 309 | 13 |
| | Area | Yield | --Production-- | | --Imports-- | | --Exports-- | | Total Cons. | Ending Stocks |
| | Harvested | | Rough | Milled | Mkt Yr. | Trade Yr. | Mkt Yr. | Trade Yr. | | |
| RICE (MY AUG/JULY) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2000/01 | 1,230 | 7.0 | 8,658 | 5,941 | 345 | 413 | 2,590 | 2,541 | 3,676 | 887 |
| 2001/02 | 1,341 | 7.3 | 9,764 | 6,714 | 419 | 420 | 2,954 | 3,295 | 3,850 | 1,216 |
| 2002/03 | 1,298 | 7.4 | 9,570 | 6,536 | 471 | 458 | 3,860 | 3,834 | 3,534 | 829 |
| 2003/04 | 1,213 | 7.5 | 9,068 | 6,420 | 478 | 477 | 3,310 | 3,090 | 3,656 | 761 |
| 2004/05 | 1,346 | 7.8 | 10,540 | 7,455 | 419 | 405 | 3,540 | 3,900 | 3,886 | 1,209 |
| 2005/06 | 1,361 | 7.4 | 10,126 | 7,088 | 429 | 425 | 3,842 | 3,700 | 4,049 | 835 |

Notes:

Wheat trade year statistics are on July/June years. Barley, corn, sorghum, rye, and oats trade year statistics are on Oct/Sept years. Rice trade year statistics are for the subsequent calendar year.

**U.S. GRAINS: SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION
WHEAT, CORN, SORGHUM, BARLEY, OATS, RYE, AND RICE
MILLION ACRES AND MILLION BUSHEL/HUNDREDWEIGHTS**

| | Area | --Imports-- | | --Exports-- | | Feed Cons. | Total Cons. | Ending Stocks | | |
|------------------------------|-----------|----------------|------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|---------------|---------------|-----------|
| | Harvested | Yield | Production | Mkt Yr. | Trade Yr. | | | | Mkt Yr. | Trade Yr. |
| WHEAT (MY JUNE/MAY) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2000/01 | 53.1 | 42.0 | 2,228 | 90 | 89 | 1,062 | 1,030 | 300 | 1,330 | 876 |
| 2001/02 | 48.5 | 40.2 | 1,947 | 108 | 109 | 962 | 965 | 182 | 1,192 | 777 |
| 2002/03 | 45.8 | 35.0 | 1,606 | 77 | 72 | 850 | 839 | 116 | 1,119 | 491 |
| 2003/04 | 53.1 | 44.2 | 2,345 | 63 | 65 | 1,158 | 1,187 | 203 | 1,194 | 546 |
| 2004/05 | 50.0 | 43.2 | 2,158 | 71 | 72 | 1,063 | 1,046 | 189 | 1,172 | 540 |
| 2005/06 | 50.1 | 42.0 | 2,105 | 85 | 88 | 1,000 | 1,010 | 200 | 1,188 | 542 |
| CORN (MY SEPT/AUG) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2000/01 | 72.4 | 136.9 | 9,915 | 7 | 7 | 1,941 | 1,903 | 5,842 | 7,799 | 1,899 |
| 2001/02 | 68.8 | 138.2 | 9,503 | 10 | 8 | 1,905 | 1,861 | 5,864 | 7,911 | 1,596 |
| 2002/03 | 69.3 | 129.3 | 8,967 | 14 | 15 | 1,588 | 1,611 | 5,563 | 7,903 | 1,087 |
| 2003/04 | 70.9 | 142.2 | 10,089 | 14 | 13 | 1,900 | 1,921 | 5,795 | 8,332 | 958 |
| 2004/05 | 73.6 | 160.4 | 11,807 | 11 | 11 | 1,814 | 1,780 | 6,162 | 8,848 | 2,114 |
| 2005/06 | 75.1 | 148.0 | 11,112 | 10 | 10 | 1,850 | 1,870 | 6,000 | 8,960 | 2,426 |
| SORGHUM (MY SEPT/AUG) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2000/01 | 7.7 | 60.9 | 471 | 0 | 0 | 237 | 234 | 222 | 258 | 42 |
| 2001/02 | 8.6 | 59.9 | 514 | 0 | 0 | 242 | 242 | 230 | 253 | 61 |
| 2002/03 | 7.1 | 50.6 | 361 | 0 | 0 | 184 | 193 | 170 | 194 | 43 |
| 2003/04 | 7.8 | 52.7 | 411 | 0 | 0 | 199 | 191 | 182 | 222 | 34 |
| 2004/05 | 6.5 | 69.6 | 454 | 0 | 0 | 184 | 179 | 191 | 246 | 57 |
| 2005/06 | 5.7 | 68.7 | 394 | 0 | 0 | 170 | 177 | 150 | 205 | 76 |
| BARLEY (MY JUNE/MAY) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2000/01 | 5.2 | 61.1 | 318 | 29 | 30 | 58 | 49 | 136 | 294 | 106 |
| 2001/02 | 4.3 | 58.1 | 248 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 24 | 104 | 260 | 92 |
| 2002/03 | 4.1 | 55.0 | 227 | 18 | 13 | 30 | 25 | 84 | 238 | 69 |
| 2003/04 | 4.7 | 58.9 | 278 | 21 | 23 | 19 | 18 | 72 | 229 | 120 |
| 2004/05 | 4.0 | 69.6 | 280 | 12 | 7 | 23 | 34 | 116 | 261 | 128 |
| 2005/06 | 3.3 | 64.8 | 212 | 10 | 16 | 30 | 14 | 70 | 210 | 110 |
| OATS (MY JUNE/MAY) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2000/01 | 2.3 | 64.1 | 149 | 106 | 107 | 2 | 2 | 189 | 257 | 73 |
| 2001/02 | 1.9 | 61.6 | 118 | 96 | 87 | 3 | 3 | 148 | 220 | 63 |
| 2002/03 | 2.1 | 56.4 | 116 | 95 | 103 | 3 | 3 | 150 | 222 | 50 |
| 2003/04 | 2.2 | 65.1 | 144 | 90 | 76 | 2 | 3 | 144 | 217 | 65 |
| 2004/05 | 1.8 | 64.7 | 116 | 88 | 95 | 3 | 2 | 134 | 208 | 58 |
| 2005/06 | 1.8 | 63.0 | 115 | 75 | 87 | 3 | 3 | 120 | 194 | 51 |
| RYE (MY JUNE/MAY) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2000/01 | 0.3 | 28.3 | 8 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 12 | 1 |
| 2001/02 | 0.2 | 27.6 | 7 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 12 | 1 |
| 2002/03 | 0.3 | 24.8 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 13 | 0 |
| 2003/04 | 0.3 | 27.0 | 9 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 12 | 1 |
| 2004/05 | 0.3 | 27.7 | 8 | 6 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 14 | 1 |
| 2005/06 | 0.3 | 26.9 | 8 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 12 | 1 |
| | Area | --Production-- | | --Imports-- | | --Exports-- | | Total Cons. | Ending Stocks | |
| | Harvested | Yield | Rough | Milled | Mkt Yr. | Trade Yr. | Mkt Yr. | | | Trade Yr. |
| RICE (MY AUG/JULY) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2000/01 | 3.0 | 62.8 | 191 | 131 | 11 | 13 | 83 | 82 | 118 | 28 |
| 2001/02 | 3.3 | 65.0 | 215 | 148 | 13 | 13 | 95 | 106 | 123 | 39 |
| 2002/03 | 3.2 | 65.8 | 211 | 144 | 15 | 14 | 125 | 124 | 113 | 27 |
| 2003/04 | 3.0 | 66.7 | 200 | 142 | 15 | 15 | 103 | 96 | 115 | 24 |
| 2004/05 | 3.3 | 69.9 | 232 | 164 | 13 | 13 | 110 | 122 | 121 | 38 |
| 2005/06 | 3.4 | 66.4 | 223 | 156 | 14 | 13 | 121 | 117 | 127 | 26 |

Notes:

Wheat trade year statistics are on July/June years. Barley, corn, sorghum, rye, and oats trade year statistics are on Oct/Sept years. Rice statistics are rough basis; trade year statistics are for subsequent calendar year. Rounding errors in conversion from international units cause some discrepancies with World Board Supply and Demand Estimates.

**TOTAL WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS: SUPPLY AND DEMAND
MILLIONS OF METRIC TONS/HECTARES**

| | Area Harvested | Yield | Production | World Trade | Feed Cons. | Total Cons. | Ending Stocks | Stocks As % of Cons. |
|---------|---------------------------|--------------|-------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1977/78 | 570.7 | 1.87 | 1068.9 | 158.3 | 511.7 | 1076.8 | 233.2 | 21.7 |
| 1978/79 | 569.7 | 2.08 | 1183.1 | 161.8 | 556.8 | 1138.1 | 278.2 | 24.4 |
| 1979/80 | 569.0 | 2.03 | 1153.1 | 182.6 | 573.9 | 1157.6 | 273.7 | 23.6 |
| 1980/81 | 577.6 | 2.01 | 1159.3 | 200.6 | 562.6 | 1179.2 | 255.2 | 21.6 |
| 1981/82 | 587.8 | 2.05 | 1204.0 | 196.9 | 573.5 | 1178.3 | 281.0 | 23.8 |
| 1982/83 | 576.9 | 2.16 | 1248.0 | 189.6 | 593.4 | 1197.1 | 332.1 | 27.7 |
| 1983/84 | 563.8 | 2.06 | 1162.5 | 193.2 | 588.4 | 1216.2 | 278.5 | 22.9 |
| 1984/85 | 567.0 | 2.32 | 1315.0 | 203.6 | 609.9 | 1253.6 | 339.9 | 27.1 |
| 1985/86 | 570.9 | 2.33 | 1328.5 | 165.2 | 613.1 | 1247.9 | 420.5 | 33.7 |
| 1986/87 | 565.6 | 2.38 | 1348.0 | 174.7 | 644.2 | 1299.5 | 468.9 | 36.1 |
| 1987/88 | 544.7 | 2.36 | 1285.0 | 202.2 | 655.2 | 1329.8 | 422.0 | 31.7 |
| 1988/89 | 542.2 | 2.25 | 1218.0 | 203.3 | 618.2 | 1302.6 | 337.4 | 25.9 |
| 1989/90 | 548.4 | 2.42 | 1327.7 | 208.9 | 643.1 | 1346.4 | 318.7 | 23.7 |
| 1990/91 | 548.8 | 2.58 | 1416.7 | 190.1 | 666.9 | 1369.6 | 365.8 | 26.7 |
| 1991/92 | 545.4 | 2.49 | 1355.4 | 207.5 | 649.8 | 1364.7 | 356.4 | 26.1 |
| 1992/93 | 549.3 | 2.61 | 1431.0 | 205.2 | 662.2 | 1389.5 | 395.0 | 28.4 |
| 1993/94 | 540.5 | 2.51 | 1356.2 | 188.2 | 654.0 | 1388.8 | 362.4 | 26.1 |
| 1994/95 | 537.8 | 2.59 | 1392.4 | 200.1 | 666.5 | 1396.2 | 358.6 | 25.7 |
| 1995/96 | 533.5 | 2.51 | 1338.8 | 187.5 | 636.0 | 1380.3 | 317.1 | 23.0 |
| 1996/97 | 553.6 | 2.69 | 1491.6 | 198.4 | 668.9 | 1442.6 | 366.2 | 25.4 |
| 1997/98 | 539.6 | 2.76 | 1491.1 | 190.3 | 679.6 | 1444.4 | 412.9 | 28.6 |
| 1998/99 | 533.5 | 2.77 | 1480.4 | 198.7 | 677.9 | 1448.1 | 445.2 | 30.7 |
| 1999/00 | 515.3 | 2.84 | 1462.8 | 217.4 | 684.1 | 1466.8 | 440.7 | 30.0 |
| 2000/01 | 514.5 | 2.80 | 1442.8 | 208.5 | 691.8 | 1467.7 | 415.8 | 28.3 |
| 2001/02 | 515.7 | 2.86 | 1472.9 | 213.4 | 705.1 | 1490.7 | 398.0 | 26.7 |
| 2002/03 | 507.6 | 2.84 | 1441.3 | 214.2 | 705.7 | 1504.4 | 334.9 | 22.3 |
| 2003/04 | 516.6 | 2.84 | 1467.5 | 207.1 | 708.0 | 1530.6 | 271.7 | 17.8 |
| 2004/05 | 521.2 | 3.14 | 1634.9 | 214.4 | 741.9 | 1579.3 | 327.3 | 20.7 |
| 2005/06 | 517.5 | 3.04 | 1574.9 | 210.8 | 739.9 | 1592.6 | 309.6 | 19.4 |

Notes:

Wheat and coarse grains trade data are on July/June years through 1975/76. From 1976/77 to the present, coarse grains data are on an Oct/Sept trade year. "Stocks as a Percent of Consumption" represents the ratio of marketing year ending stocks to total consumption.

**WORLD WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS: SUPPLY AND DEMAND
MILLIONS OF METRIC TONS/HECTARES**

| | Area Harvested | Yield | Production | World Trade | Feed Cons. | Total Cons. | Ending Stocks | Stocks As % of Cons. |
|----------------------|---------------------------|--------------|-------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------|
| WHEAT | | | | | | | | |
| 1977/78 | 227.2 | 1.66 | 377.8 | 71.7 | 85.5 | 396.0 | 109.2 | 27.6 |
| 1978/79 | 228.9 | 1.92 | 438.9 | 71.3 | 89.8 | 413.3 | 134.8 | 32.6 |
| 1979/80 | 227.8 | 1.83 | 417.5 | 85.5 | 94.0 | 431.9 | 120.5 | 27.9 |
| 1980/81 | 236.9 | 1.84 | 435.9 | 93.2 | 91.2 | 444.1 | 112.7 | 25.4 |
| 1981/82 | 238.9 | 1.86 | 445.0 | 100.5 | 90.6 | 445.1 | 112.5 | 25.3 |
| 1982/83 | 238.4 | 1.98 | 472.7 | 97.7 | 92.8 | 455.6 | 129.9 | 28.5 |
| 1983/84 | 229.9 | 2.11 | 484.3 | 101.2 | 95.6 | 468.9 | 145.3 | 31.0 |
| 1984/85 | 231.7 | 2.20 | 508.9 | 104.7 | 99.9 | 486.2 | 168.0 | 34.6 |
| 1985/86 | 229.8 | 2.15 | 494.8 | 83.6 | 97.2 | 484.5 | 178.3 | 36.8 |
| 1986/87 | 227.9 | 2.30 | 524.1 | 89.7 | 113.2 | 511.3 | 191.1 | 37.4 |
| 1987/88 | 219.7 | 2.27 | 497.9 | 114.1 | 113.6 | 530.3 | 158.6 | 29.9 |
| 1988/89 | 217.4 | 2.28 | 495.0 | 104.3 | 104.0 | 519.6 | 134.0 | 25.8 |
| 1989/90 | 225.8 | 2.36 | 533.2 | 103.9 | 103.7 | 531.0 | 136.2 | 25.6 |
| 1990/91 | 231.4 | 2.54 | 588.0 | 101.3 | 130.1 | 553.7 | 170.5 | 30.8 |
| 1991/92 | 222.5 | 2.44 | 542.9 | 111.4 | 113.8 | 551.5 | 162.0 | 29.4 |
| 1992/93 | 222.8 | 2.52 | 561.6 | 113.2 | 110.9 | 547.6 | 175.7 | 32.1 |
| 1993/94 | 222.1 | 2.51 | 558.0 | 101.7 | 108.0 | 552.4 | 181.4 | 32.8 |
| 1994/95 | 214.4 | 2.44 | 523.2 | 101.5 | 99.6 | 542.4 | 162.1 | 29.9 |
| 1995/96 | 218.8 | 2.46 | 537.9 | 99.2 | 91.9 | 544.8 | 155.3 | 28.5 |
| 1996/97 | 230.2 | 2.53 | 582.6 | 104.0 | 96.7 | 573.4 | 164.5 | 28.7 |
| 1997/98 | 228.4 | 2.67 | 610.0 | 104.5 | 101.0 | 577.3 | 197.1 | 34.1 |
| 1998/99 | 225.1 | 2.62 | 590.0 | 102.0 | 103.7 | 579.0 | 208.1 | 35.9 |
| 1999/00 | 215.4 | 2.72 | 585.8 | 112.6 | 99.7 | 585.0 | 208.9 | 35.7 |
| 2000/01 | 217.6 | 2.67 | 581.5 | 104.0 | 104.0 | 583.9 | 206.5 | 35.4 |
| 2001/02 | 214.6 | 2.71 | 581.1 | 110.7 | 106.6 | 585.2 | 202.5 | 34.6 |
| 2002/03 | 214.6 | 2.65 | 567.7 | 109.9 | 112.7 | 604.0 | 166.1 | 27.5 |
| 2003/04 | 209.9 | 2.64 | 554.6 | 104.5 | 96.7 | 588.5 | 132.2 | 22.5 |
| 2004/05 | 218.6 | 2.87 | 626.6 | 113.0 | 106.6 | 608.7 | 150.1 | 24.7 |
| 2005/06 | 217.3 | 2.84 | 616.4 | 110.6 | 113.8 | 621.8 | 144.7 | 23.3 |
| COARSE GRAINS | | | | | | | | |
| 1977/78 | 343.5 | 2.01 | 691.0 | 86.6 | 426.2 | 680.8 | 124.0 | 18.2 |
| 1978/79 | 340.8 | 2.18 | 744.1 | 90.5 | 467.0 | 724.8 | 143.3 | 19.8 |
| 1979/80 | 341.1 | 2.16 | 735.5 | 97.1 | 479.9 | 725.6 | 153.2 | 21.1 |
| 1980/81 | 340.7 | 2.12 | 723.5 | 107.4 | 471.4 | 735.1 | 142.6 | 19.4 |
| 1981/82 | 348.9 | 2.18 | 759.0 | 96.4 | 482.9 | 733.2 | 168.4 | 23.0 |
| 1982/83 | 338.6 | 2.29 | 775.3 | 92.0 | 500.6 | 741.5 | 202.2 | 27.3 |
| 1983/84 | 333.9 | 2.03 | 678.2 | 92.0 | 492.7 | 747.3 | 133.1 | 17.8 |
| 1984/85 | 335.3 | 2.40 | 806.1 | 98.9 | 510.0 | 767.4 | 171.9 | 22.4 |
| 1985/86 | 341.1 | 2.44 | 833.7 | 81.6 | 515.9 | 763.4 | 242.2 | 31.7 |
| 1986/87 | 337.7 | 2.44 | 823.9 | 85.0 | 531.0 | 788.2 | 277.9 | 35.3 |
| 1987/88 | 325.0 | 2.42 | 787.1 | 88.1 | 541.6 | 799.5 | 263.3 | 32.9 |
| 1988/89 | 324.9 | 2.23 | 723.0 | 99.0 | 514.2 | 782.9 | 203.4 | 26.0 |
| 1989/90 | 322.6 | 2.46 | 794.5 | 105.0 | 539.4 | 815.4 | 182.5 | 22.4 |
| 1990/91 | 317.5 | 2.61 | 828.6 | 88.9 | 536.8 | 815.9 | 195.2 | 23.9 |
| 1991/92 | 322.8 | 2.52 | 812.5 | 96.2 | 536.0 | 813.3 | 194.4 | 23.9 |
| 1992/93 | 326.4 | 2.66 | 869.3 | 91.9 | 551.2 | 841.9 | 219.3 | 26.1 |
| 1993/94 | 318.4 | 2.51 | 798.1 | 86.5 | 546.0 | 836.4 | 181.1 | 21.6 |
| 1994/95 | 323.5 | 2.69 | 869.2 | 98.6 | 567.0 | 853.8 | 196.5 | 23.0 |
| 1995/96 | 314.7 | 2.54 | 800.9 | 88.2 | 544.1 | 835.5 | 161.8 | 19.4 |
| 1996/97 | 323.4 | 2.81 | 909.0 | 94.4 | 572.2 | 869.1 | 201.7 | 23.2 |
| 1997/98 | 311.2 | 2.83 | 881.2 | 85.8 | 578.6 | 867.1 | 215.8 | 24.9 |
| 1998/99 | 308.5 | 2.89 | 890.5 | 96.7 | 574.2 | 869.1 | 237.2 | 27.3 |
| 1999/00 | 300.0 | 2.92 | 876.9 | 104.8 | 584.4 | 881.9 | 231.8 | 26.3 |
| 2000/01 | 296.9 | 2.90 | 861.3 | 104.4 | 587.9 | 883.8 | 209.3 | 23.7 |
| 2001/02 | 301.2 | 2.96 | 891.8 | 102.7 | 598.5 | 905.5 | 195.6 | 21.6 |
| 2002/03 | 293.0 | 2.98 | 873.6 | 104.3 | 593.0 | 900.4 | 168.8 | 18.7 |
| 2003/04 | 306.7 | 2.98 | 912.9 | 102.6 | 611.3 | 942.2 | 139.5 | 14.8 |
| 2004/05 | 302.6 | 3.33 | 1008.2 | 101.4 | 635.3 | 970.5 | 177.1 | 18.3 |
| 2005/06 | 300.2 | 3.19 | 958.5 | 100.2 | 626.1 | 970.7 | 164.9 | 17.0 |

Notes:

Wheat and coarse grains trade data are on July/June years through 1975/76. From 1976/77 to the present, coarse grains data are on an Oct/Sept trade year. "Stocks as a Percent of Consumption" represents the ratio of marketing year ending stocks to total consumption.

WORLD CORN AND BARLEY: SUPPLY AND DEMAND
MILLIONS OF METRIC TONS/HECTARES

| | Area Harvested | Yield | Production | World Trade | Feed Cons. | Total Cons. | Ending Stocks | Stocks As % of Cons. |
|---------------|---------------------------|--------------|-------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------|
| CORN | | | | | | | | |
| 1977/78 | 125.8 | 2.91 | 365.4 | 63.6 | 226.7 | 356.5 | 77.3 | 21.7 |
| 1978/79 | 126.0 | 3.11 | 392.1 | 67.1 | 247.0 | 378.0 | 91.4 | 24.2 |
| 1979/80 | 127.3 | 3.34 | 425.6 | 73.2 | 277.1 | 405.8 | 111.2 | 27.4 |
| 1980/81 | 131.2 | 3.12 | 408.7 | 77.8 | 279.2 | 417.9 | 102.5 | 24.5 |
| 1981/82 | 133.0 | 3.32 | 441.8 | 66.9 | 286.1 | 417.1 | 127.2 | 30.5 |
| 1982/83 | 125.2 | 3.51 | 439.9 | 63.2 | 293.5 | 417.3 | 149.8 | 35.9 |
| 1983/84 | 119.7 | 2.91 | 348.3 | 61.1 | 271.1 | 409.1 | 89.0 | 21.8 |
| 1984/85 | 129.0 | 3.55 | 458.4 | 66.1 | 289.5 | 429.2 | 118.2 | 27.5 |
| 1985/86 | 131.0 | 3.66 | 479.0 | 53.8 | 284.3 | 419.5 | 177.7 | 42.4 |
| 1986/87 | 131.9 | 3.61 | 475.4 | 56.9 | 304.6 | 448.3 | 204.9 | 45.7 |
| 1987/88 | 127.2 | 3.55 | 451.0 | 58.8 | 316.5 | 458.3 | 197.5 | 43.1 |
| 1988/89 | 126.3 | 3.17 | 400.9 | 66.0 | 306.8 | 453.2 | 145.2 | 32.0 |
| 1989/90 | 127.5 | 3.62 | 462.0 | 74.5 | 324.8 | 474.4 | 132.8 | 28.0 |
| 1990/91 | 129.4 | 3.72 | 482.1 | 58.8 | 318.3 | 473.6 | 141.2 | 29.8 |
| 1991/92 | 132.7 | 3.72 | 493.2 | 63.0 | 334.3 | 493.6 | 140.9 | 28.5 |
| 1992/93 | 133.4 | 4.02 | 536.1 | 62.6 | 348.6 | 512.5 | 162.5 | 31.7 |
| 1993/94 | 130.9 | 3.64 | 476.0 | 57.4 | 342.0 | 509.2 | 129.3 | 25.4 |
| 1994/95 | 135.3 | 4.13 | 559.0 | 71.9 | 371.1 | 535.3 | 152.9 | 28.6 |
| 1995/96 | 134.9 | 3.83 | 515.9 | 64.8 | 364.8 | 536.3 | 132.5 | 24.7 |
| 1996/97 | 141.6 | 4.18 | 592.6 | 66.7 | 387.2 | 559.8 | 165.3 | 29.5 |
| 1997/98 | 136.2 | 4.21 | 573.8 | 63.1 | 400.5 | 573.3 | 165.8 | 28.9 |
| 1998/99 | 139.2 | 4.35 | 605.3 | 68.7 | 403.6 | 580.9 | 190.1 | 32.7 |
| 1999/00 | 139.1 | 4.36 | 606.8 | 73.4 | 421.3 | 604.4 | 192.5 | 31.8 |
| 2000/01 | 137.2 | 4.30 | 589.5 | 76.4 | 426.9 | 609.5 | 172.4 | 28.3 |
| 2001/02 | 137.7 | 4.35 | 598.9 | 74.5 | 434.5 | 622.5 | 148.8 | 23.9 |
| 2002/03 | 137.5 | 4.38 | 601.7 | 78.0 | 431.0 | 625.5 | 125.1 | 20.0 |
| 2003/04 | 141.7 | 4.40 | 623.0 | 79.1 | 441.8 | 644.4 | 103.7 | 16.1 |
| 2004/05 | 144.0 | 4.92 | 708.3 | 75.8 | 466.3 | 681.1 | 131.0 | 19.2 |
| 2005/06 | 145.1 | 4.71 | 683.5 | 75.4 | 465.6 | 686.2 | 128.3 | 18.7 |
| BARLEY | | | | | | | | |
| 1977/78 | 83.0 | 1.89 | 157.1 | 10.1 | 113.8 | 158.9 | 19.9 | 12.5 |
| 1978/79 | 80.9 | 2.17 | 175.6 | 10.6 | 123.9 | 171.2 | 24.3 | 14.2 |
| 1979/80 | 84.0 | 1.83 | 153.8 | 10.2 | 118.5 | 159.2 | 18.9 | 11.9 |
| 1980/81 | 78.6 | 2.00 | 157.4 | 13.5 | 111.2 | 158.3 | 18.3 | 11.6 |
| 1981/82 | 81.6 | 1.83 | 149.5 | 14.5 | 109.4 | 151.8 | 16.0 | 10.6 |
| 1982/83 | 78.8 | 2.05 | 161.2 | 16.0 | 113.4 | 155.8 | 21.5 | 13.8 |
| 1983/84 | 79.8 | 1.99 | 158.5 | 15.8 | 122.0 | 164.5 | 15.5 | 9.4 |
| 1984/85 | 79.2 | 2.15 | 170.5 | 17.4 | 122.4 | 162.9 | 23.1 | 14.2 |
| 1985/86 | 80.0 | 2.17 | 173.6 | 17.7 | 127.8 | 167.2 | 29.6 | 17.7 |
| 1986/87 | 79.6 | 2.24 | 178.1 | 18.3 | 132.1 | 173.8 | 33.8 | 19.5 |
| 1987/88 | 78.7 | 2.23 | 175.3 | 18.3 | 129.7 | 173.6 | 33.4 | 19.2 |
| 1988/89 | 76.4 | 2.15 | 164.0 | 19.0 | 121.9 | 166.2 | 31.1 | 18.7 |
| 1989/90 | 73.6 | 2.26 | 166.1 | 18.5 | 126.2 | 170.5 | 26.7 | 15.7 |
| 1990/91 | 72.9 | 2.46 | 179.0 | 19.6 | 130.4 | 175.9 | 29.8 | 17.0 |
| 1991/92 | 76.4 | 2.22 | 169.8 | 19.4 | 120.2 | 166.3 | 33.3 | 20.0 |
| 1992/93 | 73.4 | 2.27 | 166.2 | 16.4 | 118.9 | 165.6 | 33.3 | 20.1 |
| 1993/94 | 74.7 | 2.26 | 169.2 | 18.8 | 123.7 | 168.9 | 33.5 | 19.9 |
| 1994/95 | 73.2 | 2.20 | 160.7 | 15.3 | 121.1 | 165.8 | 28.5 | 17.2 |
| 1995/96 | 69.0 | 2.05 | 141.6 | 13.4 | 107.7 | 150.6 | 19.5 | 13.0 |
| 1996/97 | 66.5 | 2.31 | 153.6 | 17.9 | 106.2 | 149.4 | 23.7 | 15.8 |
| 1997/98 | 64.9 | 2.38 | 154.2 | 12.8 | 103.7 | 145.7 | 32.2 | 22.1 |
| 1998/99 | 60.7 | 2.23 | 135.7 | 17.8 | 98.6 | 139.0 | 28.9 | 20.8 |
| 1999/00 | 55.3 | 2.31 | 127.5 | 18.8 | 93.9 | 132.3 | 24.0 | 18.2 |
| 2000/01 | 54.7 | 2.43 | 132.9 | 16.9 | 94.3 | 134.2 | 22.8 | 17.0 |
| 2001/02 | 56.7 | 2.49 | 141.5 | 17.6 | 94.5 | 135.9 | 28.4 | 20.9 |
| 2002/03 | 56.2 | 2.38 | 133.9 | 16.8 | 93.5 | 135.7 | 26.6 | 19.6 |
| 2003/04 | 59.9 | 2.37 | 142.0 | 14.8 | 101.4 | 146.5 | 22.0 | 15.0 |
| 2004/05 | 58.2 | 2.64 | 153.4 | 17.3 | 99.4 | 142.9 | 32.5 | 22.7 |
| 2005/06 | 56.0 | 2.42 | 135.2 | 17.0 | 96.9 | 142.9 | 24.8 | 17.3 |

Notes:

Coarse grains trade data are on July/June years through 1975/76. From 1976/77 to the present, coarse grains data are on an Oct/Sept trade year. "Stocks as a Percent of Consumption" represents the ratio of marketing year ending stocks to total consumption.

**WORLD RICE: SUPPLY AND DEMAND
MILLIONS OF METRIC TONS/HECTARES**

| | Area Harvested (Rough) | Yield | --Production-- | | World Trade | Total Cons. | Ending Stocks | Stocks As % of Cons. |
|---------|---------------------------|-------|----------------|--------|----------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------------|
| | | | Rough | Milled | | | | |
| 1976/77 | 141.4 | 2.45 | 346.8 | 235.8 | 10.3 | 236.4 | 38.8 | 16.4 |
| 1977/78 | 143.4 | 2.57 | 368.8 | 250.6 | 9.5 | 244.7 | 44.8 | 18.3 |
| 1978/79 | 143.6 | 2.68 | 385.4 | 262.4 | 11.8 | 252.3 | 54.8 | 21.7 |
| 1979/80 | 141.2 | 2.67 | 376.6 | 256.8 | 12.0 | 257.6 | 54.0 | 21.0 |
| 1980/81 | 144.4 | 2.75 | 397.0 | 269.9 | 11.9 | 271.3 | 52.6 | 19.4 |
| 1981/82 | 144.4 | 2.83 | 408.3 | 277.9 | 11.3 | 279.9 | 50.5 | 18.0 |
| 1982/83 | 140.5 | 2.98 | 418.3 | 285.0 | 11.2 | 278.7 | 56.8 | 20.4 |
| 1983/84 | 144.6 | 3.12 | 450.9 | 306.9 | 11.9 | 294.4 | 69.3 | 23.5 |
| 1984/85 | 144.2 | 3.23 | 464.9 | 316.8 | 11.0 | 298.4 | 87.7 | 29.4 |
| 1985/86 | 144.8 | 3.23 | 467.3 | 318.0 | 11.8 | 307.9 | 97.7 | 31.7 |
| 1986/87 | 144.8 | 3.33 | 481.9 | 316.0 | 12.9 | 310.4 | 103.3 | 33.3 |
| 1987/88 | 141.7 | 3.28 | 465.0 | 315.3 | 11.4 | 313.3 | 105.3 | 33.6 |
| 1988/89 | 146.5 | 3.35 | 491.0 | 332.2 | 14.0 | 325.8 | 111.7 | 34.3 |
| 1989/90 | 147.6 | 3.46 | 510.4 | 345.3 | 11.7 | 336.4 | 120.6 | 35.9 |
| 1990/91 | 146.7 | 3.54 | 518.9 | 351.0 | 12.3 | 345.0 | 126.7 | 36.7 |
| 1991/92 | 147.5 | 3.55 | 522.9 | 353.3 | 14.4 | 353.1 | 126.8 | 35.9 |
| 1992/93 | 146.5 | 3.58 | 524.2 | 354.0 | 14.9 | 357.5 | 123.3 | 34.5 |
| 1993/94 | 145.4 | 3.62 | 526.5 | 355.1 | 16.5 | 359.3 | 119.2 | 33.2 |
| 1994/95 | 147.5 | 3.66 | 539.5 | 364.2 | 20.7 | 365.5 | 117.8 | 32.2 |
| 1995/96 | 148.2 | 3.69 | 547.2 | 368.7 | 19.7 | 368.2 | 118.4 | 32.1 |
| 1996/97 | 150.0 | 3.76 | 564.5 | 380.9 | 18.9 | 378.7 | 120.6 | 31.8 |
| 1997/98 | 151.2 | 3.80 | 574.4 | 386.9 | 27.6 | 379.4 | 128.0 | 33.7 |
| 1998/99 | 152.7 | 3.84 | 586.5 | 394.6 | 24.8 | 387.6 | 135.1 | 34.8 |
| 1999/00 | 155.3 | 3.92 | 608.0 | 408.8 | 22.8 | 397.6 | 146.2 | 36.8 |
| 2000/01 | 151.5 | 3.91 | 593.2 | 398.7 | 24.4 | 394.6 | 150.4 | 38.1 |
| 2001/02 | 150.5 | 3.95 | 593.8 | 399.1 | 27.8 | 410.1 | 139.4 | 34.0 |
| 2002/03 | 145.8 | 3.86 | 562.1 | 377.5 | 27.6 | 406.5 | 110.3 | 27.1 |
| 2003/04 | 148.1 | 3.94 | 583.8 | 391.4 | 27.1 | 415.7 | 86.0 | 20.7 |
| 2004/05 | 149.5 | 4.00 | 598.4 | 402.2 | 28.3 | 415.1 | 73.1 | 17.6 |
| 2005/06 | 151.7 | 3.99 | 605.7 | 406.9 | 26.1 | 413.8 | 66.1 | 16.0 |

Notes:

Stocks, exports, and consumption are expressed on a milled basis in marketing years. Trade is on a milled basis in calendar years. "Stocks as a Percent of Consumption" represents the ratio of marketing year ending stocks to total consumption.

ENDNOTES TO GRAIN: WORLD MARKETS AND TRADE

REGIONAL TABLES

North America: Canada, Mexico, the United States.

Latin America: Central America, the Caribbean, South America.

EU: Austria, Belgium/Luxembourg, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom.

Former Soviet Union: Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Uzbekistan.

Other Europe: Albania, Azores, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Gibraltar, Iceland, Macedonia, Norway, Romania, Serbia and Montenegro, Switzerland, Yugoslavia.

Middle East: Bahrain, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey, United Arab Emirates, Yemen.

North Africa: Algeria, Egypt, Libya, Morocco, Tunisia.

Other Africa: all African countries except North Africa.

South Asia: Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Nepal, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Maldives.

Southeast Asia: Brunei, Burma, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Vietnam.

East Asia: China, Hong Kong, Japan, South Korea, North Korea, Macau, Mongolia, Taiwan.

Oceania: Australia, Fiji, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea.

OTHER NOTES

Stocks: Unless otherwise stated, stock data are based on an aggregate of differing local marketing years and should not be construed as representing world stock levels at a fixed point in time.

Consumption: World totals for consumption reflect total utilization, including food, seed, industrial, feed, and waste; as well as differences in marketing year imports and marketing year exports. Consumption statistics for regions and individual countries, however, reflect food, seed, industrial, feed, and waste only.

EU Consolidation: The trade figures for the EU-25 for the years 1999/00 through 2002/03 are inflated by the two-way trade between the two groups (EU-15 and acceding 10). Over the past 6 years, this “intra-trade” has averaged about 700,000 tons for wheat, 350,000 tons each for corn and barley, and 150,000 tons for rye. The trade figures also include intra-trade between members of the acceding 10. From 2003/04 onward, all intra-trade has been removed.

Statistics: (1) Wheat trade statistics include wheat, flour, and selected products on a grain equivalent basis. (2) Rice trade statistics include rough, brown, milled, and broken on a milled equivalent basis. (3) Coarse grains statistics include corn, barley, sorghum, oats, rye, millet, and mixed grains but exclude trade in barley malt, millet, and mixed grains.

Unaccounted: This term includes grain in transit, reporting discrepancies in some countries, and trade to countries outside the USDA database.

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