

**Table 1**  
**World Cotton Supply, Use, and Trade**  
**1995/96 - 2000/01 (Season Beginning August 1)**  
**In 1,000 Metric Tons**

	<u>1995/96</u>	<u>1996/97</u>	<u>1997/98</u>	<u>1998/99</u>	<u>1999/2000</u> <u>Estimate</u>	<u>2000/01</u> <u>Forecast</u>
<b>Production</b>						
<b>World Total</b>	<b>20,262</b>	<b>19,506</b>	<b>19,950</b>	<b>18,446</b>	<b>18,910</b>	<b>18,888</b>
United States	3,897	4,124	4,092	3,030	3,694	3,988
China, People's Rep.	4,768	4,202	4,594	4,507	3,832	3,810
India	2,885	3,030	2,686	2,771	2,678	2,678
Pakistan	1,785	1,594	1,562	1,372	1,829	1,676
Uzbekistan, Rep.	1,250	1,048	1,138	1,002	1,154	1,067
Franc-Zone Africa 2/	685	798	941	878	837	798
Australia	429	608	666	716	708	762
Others	4,563	4,101	4,271	4,171	4,178	4,108
<b>Consumption</b>						
<b>World Total</b>	<b>18,722</b>	<b>19,165</b>	<b>18,993</b>	<b>18,535</b>	<b>19,912</b>	<b>20,155</b>
China, People's Rep.	4,289	4,420	4,267	4,180	4,834	4,834
India	2,608	2,857	2,760	2,748	2,896	2,961
United States	2,318	2,422	2,471	2,265	2,228	2,221
Pakistan	1,568	1,524	1,565	1,524	1,633	1,655
Turkey	950	1,031	1,089	1,002	1,176	1,197
EU-15	1,113	1,138	1,155	1,085	1,098	1,125
S.E. Asia 1/	964	961	868	945	982	1,017
Others	4,912	4,813	4,819	4,787	5,066	5,145
<b>Imports</b>						
<b>World Total</b>	<b>5,987</b>	<b>6,291</b>	<b>5,714</b>	<b>5,494</b>	<b>5,949</b>	<b>6,099</b>
S.E. Asia 1/	998	980	859	961	1,028	1,036
EU-15	1,025	1,034	994	881	917	959
Mexico	151	207	322	324	403	501
Turkey	113	295	316	248	414	457
Russian Federation	239	218	267	185	348	348
Korea, South	362	327	288	320	332	327
Taiwan	300	283	263	299	316	305
Others	2,798	2,946	2,405	2,274	2,191	2,166
<b>Exports</b>						
<b>World Total</b>	<b>6,043</b>	<b>5,852</b>	<b>5,823</b>	<b>5,157</b>	<b>5,940</b>	<b>5,977</b>
United States	1,671	1,495	1,633	946	1,481	1,720
Uzbekistan, Rep.	985	991	995	830	914	893
Franc-Zone Africa 2/	609	720	788	778	776	769
Australia	319	519	590	662	699	708
EU-15	365	337	293	282	327	349
Syria	123	152	218	185	207	196
Turkmenistan	200	114	109	163	174	163
Others	1,771	1,524	1,198	1,311	1,362	1,179
<b>Ending Stocks</b>						
<b>World Total</b>	<b>7,958</b>	<b>8,685</b>	<b>9,468</b>	<b>9,749</b>	<b>8,691</b>	<b>7,479</b>
China, People's Rep.	3,059	3,626	4,345	4,601	3,256	2,232
India	1,100	1,019	909	1,000	1,033	946
United States	568	865	846	858	860	914
Pakistan	296	396	331	373	535	508
EU-15	349	316	342	332	374	356
Brazil	323	274	324	287	332	334
Australia	163	206	240	254	221	232
Others	2,099	1,983	2,132	2,044	2,080	1,957

1/ Includes Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, and Vietnam.

2/ Includes Benin, Burkina, Cameroon, CAR, Chad, Cote d'Ivoire, Mali, Niger, Senegal, and Togo.

Note: Totals may not add due to rounding.