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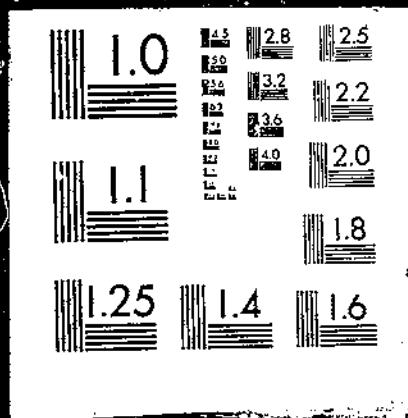
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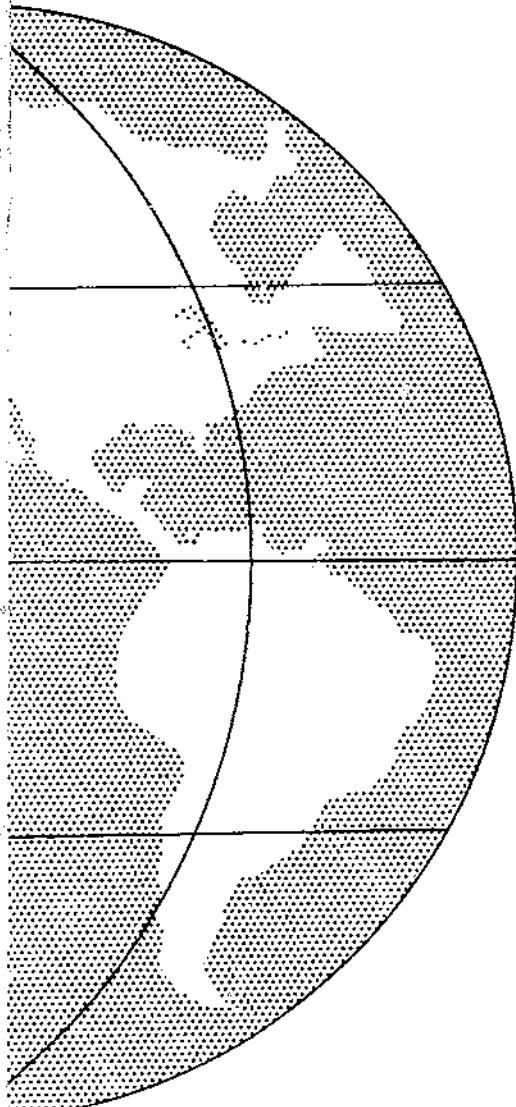
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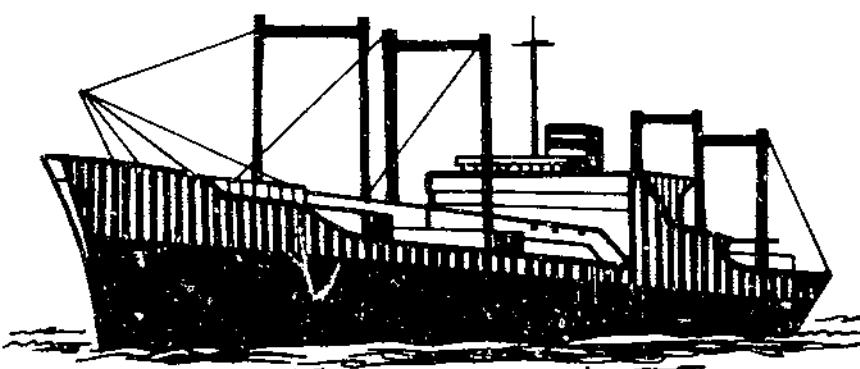


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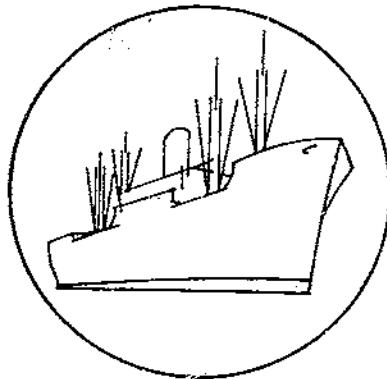
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# FOREIGN AGRICULTURAL TRADE OF THE UNITED STATES

## Digest

U.S. agricultural exports attained a record level of \$6,076 million in fiscal year 1963-64, approximately 20 percent larger than the \$5,078 million for 1962-63. The \$6,076 million figure is based on 12 months of actual exports. Practically all of the increase occurred in sales for dollars. Exports in 1963-64 are summarized in tables 1 and 2. Commodities that set export records are listed in table 3. Some of them are wheat and flour, corn, soybeans, rice, tallow, nonfat dry milk, hides and skins, and variety meats. Principal increases in 1963-64 occurred in wheat and flour, cotton, feed grains, soybeans, rice, tobacco, animal fats, dairy products, poultry products, and meats. Small declines took place in fruits and vegetable oils. Developments affecting exports in 1963-64 were described in the July-August issue of this publication.

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U.S. agricultural exports to the European Economic Community (EEC) advanced to \$1,321 million in fiscal year 1963-64 from \$1,070 million a year earlier, a gain of nearly one-fourth. Shipments increased for commodities subject to EEC variable levies and those not subject to the variable levy system. Exports of commodities subject to the variable levies rose to \$434 million from \$380 million. Exports of commodities not subject to variable levies rose to \$888 million compared with \$689 million a year earlier.

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Over 90 percent of the \$900 million increase in agricultural exports in July 1963-March 1964 over a year earlier occurred in commercial sales for dollars, which reached a record \$3,477 million, 76 percent of total U.S. agricultural exports. Exports under Government-financed programs amounted to \$1,089 million, about \$70 million above a year earlier. With the exception of long-term supply and dollar credit sales under Title IV, exports under all titles of P.L. 480 (Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act of 1954) rose moderately from the comparable 9 months of the preceding year. Largest increases were in donations and barter under Title III, rising to \$143 million and \$68 million, respectively. July-March exports under AID (Agency for International Development) programs were double the \$10 million in 1962-63. Sales for foreign currency under Title I amounted to \$726 million compared with \$715 million a year earlier.

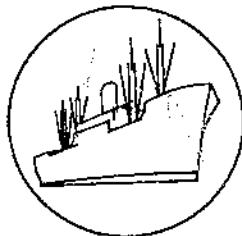
The \$20 million of agricultural commodities exported under AID programs included \$17 million under commodity (nonproject) programs and \$3 million under development loans. Shipments under development loans, previously relatively small, are now reported for the first time. Such loans, authorized under P.L. 87-195 (Act for International Development), are designed to stimulate economic development and include Alliance for Progress loans to Latin America.

Disbursements under credit guarantees extended by the Export-Import Bank and purchases under the CCC (Commodity Credit Corporation) credit sales program amounted to \$166 million in the July 1963-March 1964 period compared with \$119 million a year earlier. Shipments under the CCC credit sales program increased by \$46 million while disbursements under Export-Import Bank guarantees remained about the same as the \$64 million in 1962-63. Largest disbursements under Export-Import Bank guarantees were for shipments of cotton to Japan. Major items under the CCC credit sales program were cotton and grain sorghums principally for Japan, wheat for export to 16 countries, and corn, nearly half of which was for export to Mexico.

Among the commercial sales for dollars, which include loans and credits, largest commodity increases in July 1963-March 1964 over a year earlier were scored in wheat and wheat flour, cotton, feed grains, and animals and animal products. Among the exports under Government-financed programs, largest gains over a year earlier took place in wheat and wheat flour and dairy products. Smaller shipments under Government programs occurred for cotton, feed grains, rice, vegetables and preparations, oilseeds and products, and tobacco.

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U.S. imports of agricultural products rose to an estimated \$4,095 million in fiscal year 1963-64 from \$3,907 million in the previous year, a gain of 5 percent. Primary gains were in the complementary, or noncompetitive, commodities, which advanced to \$1,871 million, 10 percent above the year before. Imports of supplementary, or partially competitive, items were only slightly in excess of the previous year's level of \$2,208 million. Complementary value gains occurred because of larger imports of coffee and bananas along with higher prices for coffee, cocoa beans, and carpet wool. Among the supplementary commodities, value declines in imports of dutiable cattle and apparel wool were about offset by larger imports of hides and skins, fruits, grains, nuts, tobacco, and vegetables. Declines in U.S. beef prices discouraged Canadian and Mexican shipments of cattle to the United States. Imports of meats and meat products were up 1 percent in value to \$519 million. Sugar imports, largest supplementary commodity, declined 2 percent to \$539 million.



## Export Highlights

### FISCAL YEAR 1963-64

With the release of official agricultural export statistics for the month of June 1964, preliminary information is available on U.S. agricultural exports in fiscal year 1963-64 (tables 1 and 2). Actual exports for the 12-month period totaled \$6,076 million as compared with the estimate of \$6,115 million published in the July-August 1964 issue of this publication. The figure of \$6,115 million was based on actual exports for the first 11 months and an estimate for June 1964. Actual exports of \$6,076 million in 1963-64 were 20 percent above the \$5,078 million in 1962-63. The total of \$6,076 million is the largest ever attained for a single year.

Measured in terms of quantity, new export records were established for wheat and flour, corn and corn products, soybeans, rice, inedible tallow and greases, nonfat dry milk, hides and skins, variety meats, butter, and dry edible beans. Exports of grain sorghums, oilcake and meal, poultry meat, lemons and limes, and fresh grapes were at their second highest levels on record, while third highest peaks were attained by soybean oil, canned fruits, and fresh tomatoes. While exports of tobacco were tenth largest in terms of quantity, export value was the highest on record. Cotton exports were at their seventh highest mark in the postwar period (table 3).

#### Exports to the European Economic Community, July 1963-May 1964

U.S. agricultural exports to the European Economic Community (EEC) advanced to \$1,321 million in fiscal year 1963-64 from \$1,070 million a year earlier, a gain of nearly one-fourth. Shipments increased for commodities subject to EEC variable levies and those not subject to the variable levy system (table 4).

Exports of commodities subject to the variable levies rose to \$434 million from \$380 million. The gain included a sharp rise in wheat and pork, with smaller ones for feed grains, turkey meat, stewing chickens, and canned poultry. The sharp rise in wheat reflected the poor EEC wheat harvest. Moreover, the unusually wet season produced a substantially lower quality of wheat in 1963, necessitating larger EEC imports of foreign wheat for blending with local wheat. The advance in pork and poultry meat exports resulted from the relatively short supply of meat in the EEC area and increased demand from consumers with larger incomes. Rye exports were appreciably reduced from the previous year's high level. Lard exports continued to lag. The variable levies continued to hold down U.S. shipments of wheat flour, broilers and fryers.

Table 1.--U.S. agricultural exports: Value by commodity, fiscal years  
1962-63 and 1963-64

Commodity	1962-63	1963-64	<u>1/</u>	Change
	-- Million dollars --		Percent	
Animals and animal products:				
Dairy products <u>2/</u> .....	154	203		+32
Fats, oils, and greases .....	148	216		+46
Hides and skins .....	79	82		+4
Meats and meat products .....	87	118		+36
Poultry products .....	70	78		+12
Other .....	67	75		+12
Total animals, etc. <u>2/</u> .....	605	772		+28
Cotton, excluding linters .....	491	670		+36
Fruits and preparations .....	280	274		-2
Grains and preparations:				
Feed grains, excluding products ..	731	816		+12
Rice, milled .....	162	217		+32
Wheat and flour .....	1,158	1,519		+31
Other .....	78	67		-14
Total grains, etc. .....	2,129	2,619		+23
Oilseeds and products:				
Cottonseed and soybean oils <u>3/</u> ...	173	159		-8
Soybeans .....	441	516		+17
Other .....	163	174		+7
Total oilseeds, etc. <u>3/</u> .....	777	849		+9
Tobacco, unmanufactured .....	378	421		+11
Vegetables and preparations .....	163	164		+1
Other .....	255	307		+20
Total .....	5,078	6,076		+20

1/ Preliminary.

2/ Excludes Title III, P.L. 480 donations of butter and ghee, which are included in "Other" agricultural exports.

3/ Excludes Title III, P.L. 480 donations, which are included in "Other" agricultural exports.

Table 2.—U. S. agricultural exports: Quantity and value by commodity,  
June 1963 and 1964 and July-June 1962-63 and 1963-64

Commodity exported	Unit	June 1/				July-June 1/				
		Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value		
		1963	1964	1963	1964	1962-63	1963-64	1962-63	1963-64	
: Thousands										
: Thousands										
: dollars										
ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS										
<u>Animals, live:</u>	No.	2	14	909	3,135	20	54	8,425	16,637	
Cattle .....										
Poultry, live -	No.	2,268	2,465	942	918	22,789	26,928	8,103	9,686	
Baby chicks .....	Lb.	317	960	137	287	3,331	4,232	1,219	1,578	
Other live poultry .....	Lb.			486	588	2/	2/	6,118	6,378	
Other .....		2/	2/	2,474	4,928	---	---	23,865	34,261	
Total animals, live .....										
<u>Dairy products:</u>										
Anhydrous milk fat .....	Lb.	942	1,526	532	775	7,349	23,811	5,106	11,098	
Butter (except dehydrated) .....	Lb.	184	7,960	55	2,894	6,449	105,592	2,141	36,501	
Cheese, including donations .....	Lb.	2,970	485	926	240	40,353	13,227	12,958	4,630	
Infants' and dietetic foods, chiefly milk .....	Lb.	1,337	3,144	769	1,464	16,834	19,856	10,206	10,341	
Milk -										
Condensed sweetened .....	Lb.	6,564	5,398	1,570	1,295	50,197	64,437	11,604	14,373	
Dried whole .....	Lb.	753	593	513	262	20,981	22,247	9,652	9,335	
Evaporated, unsweetened, incl. donations .....	Lb.	10,761	2,990	1,328	444	68,565	45,918	9,759	6,547	
Nonfat dry, including donations .....	Lb.	91,218	142,391	6,386	11,125	1,008,741	1,315,381	69,314	105,273	
2/	2/			253	330	2/	2/	3,712	4,833	
Other .....								154,454	202,981	
Total dairy products .....										
<u>Fats, oils, and greases:</u>										
Lard .....	Lb.	24,249	91,146	2,234	8,514	444,276	668,412	41,214	63,373	
Tallow, edible .....	Lb.	350	428	33	45	4,716	3,680	452	371	
Other edible fats, oils, and greases .....	Lb.	732	427	109	68	5,864	7,932	1,014	1,187	
Tallow, inedible .....	Lb.	153,091	191,597	9,920	13,321	1,439,670	1,917,724	90,234	129,457	
Other inedible fats, oils, and greases .....	Lb.	26,675	30,432	2,093	2,280	22,364	276,183	15,295	21,434	
2/	2/							148,175	215,322	
Total fats, oils, and greases .....										
<u>Meat and meat products:</u>										
Beef and veal .....	Lb.	1,685	4,992	714	2,166	25,352	38,574	11,868	16,066	
Pork .....	Lb.	11,467	12,891	3,280	3,437	101,576	162,153	28,367	47,536	
Sausage casings .....	Lb.	1,612	963	956	670	19,219	18,432	12,934	10,832	
Variety meats .....	Lb.	13,171	18,777	2,586	4,007	144,074	186,504	32,449	38,465	
Other (including meat extracts) .....	Lb.	684	1,513	431	433	11,433	12,446	5,205	5,157	
Other (including meat extracts) .....	Lb.	23,790	36,136	7,967	10,712	302,156	410,111	86,653	118,056	
Total meat and products (except poultry) .....										
<u>Poultry products:</u>										
Eggs, dried, frozen, otherwise preserved .....	Lb.	655	353	723	378	5,226	4,402	5,065	4,649	
Eggs in the shell -										
Hatching .....	Doz.	604	736	657	657	8,645	8,735	8,318	8,547	
Other .....	Doz.	579	104	220	44	6,182	2,951	2,214	1,139	
Poultry meat -										
Chickens, fresh or frozen .....	Lb.	12,332	12,775	3,530	2,595	150,513	165,458	38,581	42,848	
Turkeys, fresh or frozen .....	Lb.	806	2,839	337	1,021	30,375	36,215	10,643	13,364	
Other, fresh or frozen .....	Lb.	936	406	199	127	5,521	4,642	1,816	1,608	
Canned .....	Lb.	345	2,212	199	476	10,010	23,813	3,181	5,666	
Total poultry products .....								69,833	77,821	

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Table 2.— U. S. agricultural exports: Quantity and value by commodity,  
June 1963 and 1964 and July-June 1962-63 and 1963-64 - Continued

Commodity exported	Unit	June 17				July-June 1			
		Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
		1963	1964	1,000	1,000	1962-63	1963-64	1,000	1,000
<u>Other animal products:</u>									
Feathers, crude	Lb.	180	113	78	94	1,687	1,477	1,814	1,533
Gelatin, edible	Lb.	327	344	727	639	3,837	2,202	7,946	7,303
Hair, raw or dressed, new	Lb.	501	618	122	215	7,038	7,020	2,343	2,326
Hides and skins, raw (except furs) 3/	No.	906	1,433	5,249	8,252	11,614	15,415	79,916	61,937
Honey	Lb.	1,454	497	268	86	16,700	22,676	2,773	3,859
Wool, unmanufactured	C.Lb.	877	329	868	405	13,320	8,227	11,894	9,048
Other		2/	2/	1,551	145	2/	2/	16,233	17,347
Total other animal products		---	---	8,863	11,736	---	---	121,919	123,353
Total animals and animal products		---	---	51,681	76,036	---	---	605,108	772,314
<u>VEGETABLE PRODUCTS</u>									
<u>Cotton, unmanufactured:</u>									
Cotton	R.Bale	244	388	33,466	49,876	3,632	5,147	491,417	677,138
Linters	R.Bale	35	29	1,008	795	325	337	10,100	9,320
Total cotton and linters	R.Bale	279	417	34,474	50,671	3,957	5,484	501,572	679,453
<u>Fruits and preparations:</u>									
Canned -									
Fruit cocktail	Lb.	7,226	4,971	1,101	894	146,412	127,608	21,500	21,014
Peaches	Lb.	4,791	7,350	575	911	286,325	215,056	30,672	23,935
Pears	Lb.	676	304	115	56	11,190	6,001	1,753	1,162
Pineapples	Lb.	7,630	10,775	1,193	1,660	102,761	98,778	15,329	14,518
Other	Lb.	3,077	985	531	234	48,229	30,346	7,889	5,913
Total canned fruits	Lb.	23,600	24,365	3,515	3,745	595,617	475,789	77,143	66,542
Dried -									
Prunes	Lb.	3,109	4,127	662	913	86,662	81,318	12,651	17,271
Raisins and currants	Lb.	3,318	4,778	619	1,094	90,363	110,013	16,614	19,910
Other	Lb.	829	750	301	261	19,099	14,192	7,109	5,375
Total dried fruits	Lb.	7,256	9,655	1,582	2,178	196,123	205,523	42,374	42,556
Fresh -									
Apples	Lb.	3,624	3,476	353	341	139,313	202,098	12,947	18,081
Berries	Lb.	6,180	5,481	1,093	1,157	22,565	21,116	4,502	4,323
Grapefruit	Lb.	13,878	13,171	1,245	969	160,069	172,897	9,533	11,531
Grapes	Lb.	5,194	3,093	1,032	626	200,304	190,081	16,174	17,296
Lemons and limes	Lb.	26,683	30,440	3,382	2,049	154,978	241,321	13,675	18,630
Oranges and tangerines	Lb.	53,976	52,137	5,330	4,307	370,505	436,395	34,651	38,357
Pears	Lb.	169	502	23	55	70,752	36,706	6,268	3,635
Other	Lb.	56,534	37,265	3,221	2,937	170,544	167,894	10,092	10,650
Total fresh fruits	Lb.	176,438	140,655	15,679	12,491	1,289,436	1,473,508	109,842	122,703
Fruit juices -									
Grapefruit	Gal.	306	308	286	381	6,527	3,554	5,042	3,796
Orange	Gal.	656	554	1,008	1,588	13,202	7,548	24,744	19,611
Other	Gal.	1,224	966	1,351	1,116	14,626	11,456	13,600	12,263
Total fruit juices	Gal.	2,182	1,828	3,545	3,095	34,357	22,558	43,386	35,670
Frozen fruits (including specialties)	Lb.	2,335	881	420	169	17,003	11,364	2,674	2,294
Other		2/	2/	346	278	2/	2/	4,355	4,716
Total fruits and preparations		---	---	25,087	21,946	---	---	279,774	274,481

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Table 2.—U. S. agricultural exports: Quantity and value by commodity,  
June 1963 and 1964 and July-June 1962-63 and 1963-64—Continued

Commodity exported	Unit	June 1/			July-June 1/			Value 1,000 dollars		
		Quantity		Value	Quantity		Value			
		1963	1964	1963	1964	1962-63	1963-64			
1,000										
<i>Grains and preparations:</i>										
Feed grains and products -		Thousands	Thousands	dollars	Thousands	Thousands	dollars			
Barley grain (48 lb.)	Bu.	5,039	7,270	5,116	7,935	64,490	67,317	70,933 72,777		
Corn grain, including donations (56 lb.)	Bu.	43,246	27,932	57,377	38,047	396,709	453,194	508,575 617,546		
Grain sorghums (56 lb.)	Bu.	7,615	5,616	8,451	6,465	116,815	99,243	134,627 122,275		
Oats grain (32 lb.)	Bu.	693	600	699	419	22,784	4,279	16,556 3,461		
Total feed grains	M.Ton	1,411	1,021	72,143	52,865	14,831	15,570	730,693 816,079		
Barley malt (34 lb.)	Bu.	260	350	582	696	3,010	2,672	5,631 5,463		
Corn grits and hominy	Lb.	5,457	5,263	232	217	40,966	41,720	1,732 1,722		
Cornmeal and corn flour, incl. donations	Cwt.	413	307	1,931	1,180	4,589	5,127	20,824 19,767		
Cornstarch	Lb.	4,090	6,778	347	553	46,062	67,350	4,034 5,828		
Oatmeal, groats, and rolled oats	Lb.	997	422	128	42	22,055	19,947	2,700 960		
Total feed grains and products	M.Ton	1,443	1,064	75,363	55,573	15,359	16,139	760,104 849,819		
Rice -										
Milled, including donations	Lb.	99,395	236,964	6,765	15,909	2,430,127	3,160,970	162,334 216,266		
Paddy or rough	Lb.	3,136	170	299	16	13,046	10,557	1,265 862		
Total rice (milled basis)	Lb.	101,433	237,074	7,064	15,925	2,429,192	3,173,522	133,852 217,130		
Rye grain (56 lb.)	Bu.	2,058	149	2,673	173	20,582	10,343	27,470 14,205		
Wheat and flour, including donations -										
Wheat grain (60 lb.)	Bu.	39,129	54,925	71,151	98,607	524,284	755,737	973,819 1,354,495		
Wheat flour, wholly of U. S. wheat	Cwt.	4,607	5,755	18,534	10,685	44,423	40,752	184,086 164,673		
Total wheat and flour	Bu.	49,736	61,261	89,685	102,312	627,070	649,153	1,157,005 1,319,168		
Bakery products	Lb.	685	1,024	367	371	11,405	13,757	4,661 5,201		
Other		2/	2/	653	1,450	2/	2/	9,650 12,759		
Total grains and preparations		---	175,505	162,572	---	---	2,124,237	2,618,282		
<i>Oilseeds and products:</i>										
Oils, edible and inedible -										
Cottonseed oil	Lb.	16,156	43,042	1,246	4,352	365,372	473,942	45,734 53,402		
Soybean oil	Lb.	77,710	96,519	8,501	9,964	1,135,163	1,013,157	127,527 106,062		
Other	Lb.	6,244	20,557	1,240	2,662	114,716	201,463	17,454 26,221		
Total oils (except essential)	Lb.	102,110	162,606	11,593	17,478	1,715,444	1,065,582	191,215 185,705		
Oilseeds -										
Flaxseed (56 lb.)	Bu.	353	246	1,000	683	4,335	3,576	13,237 10,583		
Soybeans (60 lb.)	Bu.	15,006	13,046	41,207	33,285	171,001	137,598	441,323 515,681		
Other	Lb.	29,127	25,540	1,497	1,280	262,700	571,262	15,232 25,265		
Total oilseeds		---	---	43,764	35,246	---	---	469,792 551,547		
Protein meal (oilcake and meal)	S.Ton	145	135	11,097	10,312	1,551	1,405	116,342 111,796		
Total oilseeds and products		---	---	66,454	63,038	---	---	737,349 849,050		
<i>Tobacco, unmanufactured:</i>										
Burley	Lb.	5,937	6,644	4,321	4,291	46,471	43,030	36,803 34,489		
Cigar wrapper	Lb.	405	604	756	1,650	4,389	5,647	8,226 12,382		
Dark-fired Kentucky and Tennessee	Lb.	1,556	1,646	794	734	17,301	16,150	9,616 8,225		
Flue-cured	Lb.	30,751	32,639	22,467	22,196	370,421	425,501	302,662 346,664		
Maryland	Lb.	873	859	715	592	11,351	11,827	8,767 8,689		
Other	Lb.	1,369	1,193	646	657	22,821	29,705	9,965 10,237		
Total tobacco, unmanufactured	Lb.	40,891	44,384	29,702	31,271	473,294	532,360	376,241 420,666		

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Table 2.— U. S. agricultural exports: Quantity and value by commodity,  
June 1963 and 1964 and July-June 1962-63 and 1963-64 - Continued

Commodity exported	Unit	June 1/				July-June 1/			
		Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
		1963	1964	1,000	1,000	1962-63	1963-64	1,000	1,000
<u>Vegetables and preparations:</u>									
Canned -		Thousands	Thousands	dollars	dollars	Thousands	Thousands	dollars	dollars
Asparagus .....	Lb.	11,636	10,114	2,471	2,627	62,149	61,222	14,282	15,406
Soups .....	Lb.	1,167	1,320	216	233	15,371	16,494	2,849	3,047
Tomato juice .....	Lb.	3,540	4,785	287	430	26,479	31,694	2,354	2,924
Tomato paste and puree .....	Lb.	1,001	725	184	133	12,786	14,068	2,618	2,887
Tomato sauce for cooking purposes .....	Lb.	66	43	10	6	1,093	950	145	127
Other .....	Lb.	3,974	4,006	660	613	70,550	59,054	9,610	8,535
Total canned vegetables .....	Lb.	21,406	20,955	3,828	4,042	188,428	183,682	32,358	32,926
Dry, ripe beans, including donations .....	Lb.	23,078	14,785	1,663	1,314	359,526	415,172	29,154	34,401
Dry, ripe peas (excluding cow and chick) .....	Lb.	12,146	15,714	782	1,112	247,640	231,691	16,528	15,713
Fresh -									
Lettuce .....	Lb.	10,306	12,091	494	437	159,462	176,354	6,877	8,459
Onions .....	Lb.	11,852	16,287	516	522	143,099	96,888	5,338	4,736
Potatoes, white .....	Lb.	63,107	41,270	1,182	1,601	332,895	169,864	6,059	5,526
Tomatoes .....	Lb.	14,965	16,266	1,471	1,364	58,919	99,199	8,410	9,638
Other .....	Lb.	37,026	39,070	1,774	2,136	438,412	356,567	23,332	20,782
Total fresh vegetables .....	Lb.	137,332	125,094	5,437	5,830	1,165,787	897,722	32,616	49,141
Frozen vegetables (including specialties) .....	Lb.	1,153	1,641	258	305	28,776	33,040	5,216	5,546
Soups and vegetables, dehydrated .....	Lb.	689	1,298	420	491	19,095	15,427	7,892	6,585
Vegetable seasonings .....	Lb.	276	629	250	362	5,471	4,943	3,525	3,355
Other .....	—	2/	2/	1,272	1,312	2/	2/	15,144	15,722
Total vegetables and preparations .....	—	—	—	13,930	15,818	—	—	162,533	163,791
<u>Other vegetable products:</u>									
Coffee .....	Lb.	1,635	2,127	1,606	2,700	24,056	31,811	28,820	34,741
Drugs, herbs, roots, crude .....	Lb.	269	297	213	176	3,729	3,596	3,924	4,555
Essential oils, natural .....	Lb.	629	610	1,269	1,430	7,910	7,779	14,988	17,334
Feeds and fodders (except oilcake and meal) .....	S.Ton.	99	64	5,727	3,919	954	929	58,023	59,098
Flavoring syrups for beverages .....	Gal.	115	130	756	846	1,113	1,170	7,209	8,016
Hops .....	Lb.	373	580	262	348	20,177	21,046	12,955	13,838
Nursery and greenhouse stock .....	—	2/	2/	455	508	2/	2/	5,882	6,896
Nuts and preparations .....	Lb.	4,690	12,522	709	1,573	47,374	98,178	15,610	24,402
Seeds, field and garden .....	Lb.	4,132	4,618	870	1,027	83,352	101,474	19,527	26,480
Spices .....	Lb.	210	215	119	207	3,795	3,456	2,209	2,552
Other, including donations .....	—	2/	2/	3,618	5,726	2/	2/	74,474	98,930
Total other vegetable products .....	—	—	—	15,604	18,472	—	—	243,621	296,842
Total vegetable products .....	—	—	—	361,056	383,090	—	—	4,472,627	5,303,190
<u>TOTAL AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS</u> .....									
		—	—	412,937	459,126	—	—	5,022,735	6,075,504
<u>TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL EXPORTS</u> .....									
		—	—	1,425,331	1,603,332	—	—	16,490,376	18,440,153
<u>TOTAL EXPORTS, ALL COMMODITIES</u> .....									
		—	—	1,838,268	2,067,458	—	—	21,565,011	24,515,657

1/ Preliminary.

2/ Reported in value only.

3/ Excludes the number of "other hides and skins," reported in value only.

Table 3.--U.S. agricultural exports: Quantity and value, fiscal year 1963-64 with comparisons

Commodity and year	Unit:	Quantity			Rank (total quantity)	Value		
		Government	Dollar sales	Total		Government	Dollar sales	Total
		programs 1/	Million	Million		Million	Million	Million
Wheat and flour .....	1963-64 :Bu.	497	352	849	Record	934	585	1,519
	1961-62 :Bu.	504	212	716	Previous record	895	388	1,283
Corn and products .....	1963-64 :Bu.	61	412	473	Record	86	559	645
	1962-63 :Bu.	60	354	414	Previous record	78	463	541
Soybeans .....	1963-64 :Bu.	0.7	186.9	187.6	Record	2	514	516
	1962-63 :Bu.	4	167	171	Previous record	9	433	442
Rice .....	1963-64 :Lb.	1,473	1,703	3,176	Record	84	133	217
	1956-57 :Lb.	2,175	472	2,647	Previous record	137	53	190
Inedible tallow and greases .....	1963-64 :Lb.	315	1,879	2,194	Record	25	126	151
	1961-62 :Lb.	217	1,613	1,830	Previous record	19	108	127
Nonfat dry milk .....	1963-64 :Lb.	707	608	1,315	Record	57	48	105
	1962-63 :Lb.	753	238	991	Previous record	69	20	89
Hides and skins .....	1963-64 :Pc.	0.1	15.3	15.4	Record	1	81	82
	1960-61 :Pc.	0.4	12.7	13.1	Previous record	6	77	83
Butter .....	1963-64 :Lb.	46	98	3/144	Record	16	34	3/50
	1955-56 :Lb.	109	28	137	Previous record	47	12	59
Variety meats .....	1963-64 :Lb.	---	187	187	Record	---	38	38
	1962-63 :Lb.	---	144	144	Previous record	---	28	28
Dry edible beans .....	1963-64 :Lb.	2/	415	415	Record	1	33	34
	1959-60 :Lb.	20	366	386	Previous record	2	28	30
Grain sorghums .....	1963-64 :Bu.	6	93	99	2nd highest	8	114	122
	1962-63 :Bu.	17	102	119	Record	19	116	135
Oilcake and meal .....	1963-64 :S.T.	2/	1.4	1.4	2nd highest	2/	112	112
	1962-63 :S.T.	2/	1.6	1.6	Record	3	113	116
Poultry meat .....	1963-64 :Lb.	12	219	231	2nd highest	3	60	63
	1961-62 :Lb.	1	308	309	Record	0.3	80.7	81.0
Lemons and limes .....	1963-64 :Lb.	n.a.	n.a.	241	2nd highest	n.a.	n.a.	19
	1957-58 :Lb.	n.a.	n.a.	274	Record	n.a.	n.a.	18
Grapes, fresh .....	1963-64 :Lb.	n.a.	n.a.	190	2nd highest	n.a.	n.a.	17
	1962-63 :Lb.	n.a.	n.a.	200	Record	n.a.	n.a.	18
Soybean oil .....	1963-64 :Lb.	594	436	3/1,030	3rd highest	68	40	3/108
	1962-63 :Lb.	513	752	3/1,265	Record	60	72	3/132
Canned fruits .....	1963-64 :Lb.	n.a.	n.a.	476	3rd highest	n.a.	n.a.	67
	1962-63 :Lb.	n.a.	n.a.	596	Record	n.a.	n.a.	77
Tomatoes, fresh .....	1963-64 :Lb.	---	99	99	3rd highest	---	10	10
	1958-59 :Lb.	---	127	127	Record	---	9	9
Cottonseed oil .....	1963-64 :Lb.	128	348	3/476	4th highest	14	40	3/54
	1955-56 :Lb.	387	278	665	Record	63	37	100
Dry edible peas .....	1963-64 :Lb.	---	232	232	5th highest	---	16	16
	1945-46 :Lb.	n.a.	n.a.	330	Record	n.a.	n.a.	26
Barley grain .....	1963-64 :Bu.	7	60	67	7th highest	7	66	73
	1959-60 :Bu.	50	64	114	Record	54	66	120
Tobacco .....	1963-64 :Lb.	50	482	532	10th highest	34	387	421
	1919-20 :Lb.	---	648	648	Record	---	273	273
Cotton .....	1963-64 :Bale	1.1	4.0	5.1	7th postwar high	139	531	670
	1956-57 :Bale	3.1	4.2	7.3	Postwar record	455	661	1,116

1/ Government programs partly estimated for fiscal year 1963-64. 2/ Less than 50,000 tons. 3/ Exports of butter, soybean oil, and cottonseed oil include amounts reported by the Bureau of the Census plus amounts donated under Title III, which are not separately reported by the Bureau of the Census.

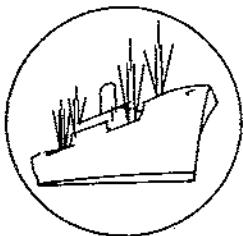
Table 4.--U.S. agricultural exports to the European Economic Community: Value by commodity, July-June and August-June 1961-62 through 1963-64 1/

Commodity	July-June			August-June		
	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64
	-- 1,000 dollars --					
<u>Variable levy commodities 2/</u>						
Feed grains .....	271,410	274,324	278,482	262,858	251,737	256,478
Rye grain .....	9,206	24,160	8,082	9,103	20,983	7,772
Wheat grain .....	114,380	38,752	90,945	110,276	37,376	86,878
Wheat flour 3/ .....	17,218	10,237	7,826	15,601	10,152	7,465
Lard .....	2,954	2,325	2,232	2,663	2,316	2,091
Pork, except variety meats .....	444	383	10,191	425	362	10,178
Poultry and eggs:						
Broilers and fryers .....	38,219	13,144	12,670	35,700	10,636	11,826
Stewing chickens .....	10,924	4,404	7,772	9,973	3,681	7,382
Turkeys .....	9,159	7,905	9,593	8,675	7,500	9,243
Other fresh poultry .....	847	389	346	761	329	308
Canned poultry 4/ .....	1,696	1,572	2,988	1,574	1,468	2,838
Eggs .....	5,095	2,825	2,469	4,720	2,502	2,132
Total poultry and eggs .....	65,940	30,239	35,838	61,403	26,116	33,729
Total .....	481,552	380,420	433,596	462,329	349,042	404,591
<u>Non-variable levy commodities:</u>						
Cotton, excluding linters .....	157,093	86,847	191,053	152,094	83,135	188,281
Fruits and vegetables .....	80,808	96,017	88,366	73,681	89,436	79,712
Rice, milled .....	17,170	13,022	15,570	16,359	11,534	14,191
Soybeans .....	146,955	163,826	193,935	142,793	156,724	185,933
Tallow .....	32,266	22,926	32,693	29,063	21,483	30,652
Tobacco, unmanufactured .....	104,529	103,115	105,701	97,328	88,683	94,371
Variety meats .....	16,778	18,140	26,337	15,541	16,996	24,918
Vegetable oils, expressed .....	18,368	13,346	29,629	17,686	13,169	28,897
Other .....	129,032	171,945	5/204,615	119,893	162,241	5/191,444
Total .....	702,999	689,184	5/887,899	664,438	643,401	5/838,399
Total EEC .....	1,184,551	1,069,604	5/1,321,495	1,126,767	992,443	5/1,242,990

1/ Compiled from U.S. Bureau of the Census data. 2/ Classified for identification of commodities subject to the variable levies which were put into effect on July 30, 1962. The classification is designed to show the overall change in exports of these commodities rather than to measure the impact of the variable levies on exports of these commodities. 3/ Exports of wheat flour to Italy include donations under Titles II and III of P.L. 480. 4/ Amount of variable levy may not exceed bound duty under GATT. 5/ Partly estimated.

Agricultural commodities exported to EEC have been classified as variable levy and non-variable levy commodities for identification purposes. This classification is designed to show the overall change in these commodities rather than to measure the impact of the variable levies on U.S. exports.

Exports of commodities not subject to variable levies rose to \$888 million in 1963-64 compared with \$689 million a year earlier. Over half of the nearly 30 percent increase in this category was due to exports of cotton, which rose to \$191 million in 1963-64 from \$87 million. Exports of rice, soybeans, tallow, tobacco, variety meats and vegetable oils were also larger. Declines were noted for fruits and vegetables due to limited supplies of some commodities in the United States along with higher U.S. prices.



## Government Program Export Highlights

JULY 1963-MARCH 1964

U.S. exports of farm products during the first three quarters of fiscal year 1963-64 reached a high of \$4,566.4 million, over \$900 million above exports in the same period a year earlier. Over 90 percent of the increase was in commercial sales for dollars, which reached a record \$3,477.0 million. Exports under Government-financed programs totaled \$1,089.4 million, about \$70 million above program shipments for July 1962-March 1963 (table 5).

### Government Programs

With the exception of long-term supply and dollar credit sales under Title IV, exports under all titles of P.L. 480 (Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act of 1954) rose moderately from the comparable 9 months of the preceding year. The largest increases were in donations and barter under Title III. July-March exports under AID programs were \$10 million above the 1962-63 level.

Sales for foreign currency under Title I amounted to \$725.6 million in the July-March period of 1963-64 compared with \$715.2 million a year earlier. Nearly 60 percent of the Title I shipments consisted of wheat valued at \$418.1 million. Shipments of wheat to India under this Title amounted to over \$200 million; followed by Pakistan, \$84 million; United Arab Republic (Egypt), \$50 million; and Brazil, \$17 million.

Exports to the United Arab Republic (Egypt), South Viet-Nam, Republic of the Congo, and Bolivia accounted for over 90 percent of the \$39.7 million of wheat flour shipments under Title I.

Exports of cotton under Title I totaled \$80.6 million, most of which moved under agreements with India, South Korea, Indonesia, Republic of China (Taiwan), South Viet-Nam, and Burma. Part of the cotton exported under agreements with Burma and Indonesia went to other countries for processing.

About three-fourths of the \$59.6 million worth of rice exported under Title I went to India. The Republic of the Congo, Guinea, Iceland, Indonesia, Israel, and Peru also received rice shipments under this program during the 9-month period.

Table 5.--U.S. agricultural exports under specified Government-financed programs, exports outside specified Government-financed programs, and total agricultural exports: Value by commodity, July-March 1963-64

Commodity	Public Law 480				P.L. 87-195		Total	Total			
	Title I		Title II		Title III		Title IV		Agency for	agricultural	agricultural
	Sales	Famine	and other	Foreign	Barter	2/	Long-term	Inter-	exports	under	outside
-- Million dollars --											
Wheat.....	418.1	71.7	4.9	36.4	13.8	.8	545.7	440.6	986.3		
Wheat flour.....	39.7	17.0	30.9	---	.8	.2	88.6	34.1	122.7		
Corn.....	30.2	3.3	1.2	9.0	.1	---	43.8	430.0	473.8		
Grain sorghums.....	.1	1.0	---	3.0	5/	---	4.1	95.3	99.4		
Barley.....	5.3	---	---	.5	---	---	5.8	40.4	46.2		
Corn meal.....	---	.2	11.7	---	---	.2	12.1	3.8	15.9		
Wheat cereal foods to be cooked.....	---	6/4.9	6/11.4	---	6/5/	---	16.3	7/2.3	8/14.0		
Barley malt.....	---	---	---	---	---	.8	.8	2.9	3.7		
Rice, milled.....	59.6	---	---	---	2.7	2.4	64.7	90.2	154.9		
Cotton.....	9/80.6	---	---	13.2	---	1.4	95.2	425.9	521.1		
Tobacco, unmanufactured.....	11.7	---	---	4.7	3.0	.4	19.8	326.4	346.2		
Soybeans.....	---	---	---	---	.4	1.2	1.6	396.6	398.2		
Flaxseed.....	---	---	---	---	---	.1	.1	7.4	7.5		
Lard.....	.4	---	---	---	.3	---	.7	41.6	42.3		
Tallow, edible and inedible.....	12.2	---	---	---	.8	1.0	14.0	73.5	87.5		
Soybean oil.....	38.4	2.6	10/1.1	---	3.3	4.7	49.1	28.9	8/78.0		
Cottonseed oil.....	11.2	.6	10/5/	---	5/	1.7	13.5	25.1	8/38.6		
Linseed oil.....	---	---	---	---	---	5/	5/	1.4	1.4		
Shortening, 100 percent vegetable oil.....	---	---	.3	---	---	---	---	.3	.9	8/1.2	
Oilcake and meal.....	---	---	---	---	---	.1	.1	83.0	83.1		
Feeds and fodders, except oilcake and meal.....	---	---	---	---	---	.3	.3	46.0	46.3		
Essential oils.....	---	---	---	---	---	.4	.4	12.3	12.7		
Milk, evaporated and condensed.....	9.8	---	---	---	.9	.7	11.4	3.6	15.0		
Milk, whole dried.....	3.2	---	---	---	---	.2	3.4	4.6	8.0		
Milk, nonfat dry.....	1.6	11/1.1	35.8	1.2	---	5/	38.7	31.1	69.8		
Cheese.....	.1	.4	1.0	---	---	---	1.5	2.3	3.8		
Butter.....	.2	.1	6.6	.2	---	.1	7.2	24.7	8/31.9		
Anhydrous milk fat.....	---	3.4	39.3	---	.9	---	43.6	4.4	8/48.0		
Infants' and dietetic foods.....	---	---	---	---	---	.5	.5	6.4	6.9		
Poultry, fresh or frozen.....	2.7	---	---	---	---	---	2.7	42.7	45.4		
Hides and skins.....	---	---	---	---	---	.7	.7	57.3	58.0		
Seeds.....	---	---	---	---	---	.1	.1	22.7	22.8		
Beans, dry edible.....	.5	---	---	---	---	---	---	.5	29.3	29.8	
Hops.....	---	---	---	---	---	.4	.4	12.6	13.0		
Fruits and juices, fresh, frozen and canned.....	---	---	---	---	---	.2	.2	178.5	178.7		
Other agricultural commodities.....	---	---	---	---	---	12/1.5	1.5	452.8	454.3		
Total agricultural exports.....	725.6	105.3	143.2	68.2	27.0	20.1	1,089.4	3,477.0	4,566.4		

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Table 5 .--U.S. agricultural exports under specified Government-financed programs, exports outside specified Government-financed programs, and total agricultural exports: Value by commodity, July-March 1963-64 - Continued

1/ Foreign donations are authorized under Sec. 416 of the Agricultural Act of 1949 and Sec. 302, Title III, P.L. 480.

2/ The barter program is authorized under the Charter Act of the Commodity Credit Corporation; Sec. 303, Title III, P.L. 480; and other legislation.

3/ Includes expenditures under commodity (non-project) programs and economic development loans.

4/ "Total Agricultural exports outside specified Government-financed programs" (sales for dollars) include, in addition to unassisted commercial transactions, shipments of some commodities with governmental assistance in the form of (1) extension of credit for relatively short periods, (2) sales of Government-owned commodities at less than domestic market prices, and (3) export payments in cash or in kind.

5/ Less than \$50,000.

6/ Bulgur wheat \$4.7 million and rolled wheat \$0.2 million under Title II. Bulgur wheat \$9.7 million and rolled wheat \$1.7 million under Title III, donations. Bulgur wheat under Title IV.

7/ The excess of the Government portion over total agricultural exports may be attributed to lags in reporting or to differences in valuation or classification procedures.

8/ The value shown for wheat cereal foods to be cooked, soybean oil, cottonseed oil, shortening 100 percent vegetable oil, butter, and anhydrous milk fat includes the value reported by the Bureau of the Census plus the value shown as foreign donations under Title III. Relief shipments of these commodities are not separately reported by the Bureau of the Census.

9/ Includes \$0.2 million for cotton fabric.

10/ Reported as soybean and cottonseed oil. Breakdown between the two oils estimated.

11/ Nonfat dry milk exported under Title II totaled \$2.4 million less a downward adjustment for a previous period of \$2.3 million, \$75,081; confectioneries and other sugar products, \$62,714; meats and meat products, \$413,398; vegetables fresh, frozen, or canned, \$171,500; miscellaneous edible vegetable products, \$186,078; non-alcoholic beverages, \$133,313; cattle, \$68,491; and baby chicks, \$167,669; total, \$1,479,355. These commodities are not reported separately as information is not readily available to determine the actual commodity exported.

Major recipients of the \$38.4 million worth of soybean oil exports in July 1963-March 1964 were Pakistan, Turkey, Tunisia, and Israel.

Title I exports to United Arab Republic (Egypt), Israel, India, and Greece accounted for \$25 million of the \$30.2 million of corn shipped under this Title.

Donations for disaster relief and economic development under Title II totaled \$105.3 million (CCC cost) compared with \$91.0 million during the same period of the preceding year. The most substantial increase was in exports of wheat and flour. Principal recipients of Title II donations during the period were Algeria, to which shipments of \$21 million were reported; Afghanistan, South Korea, Tunisia, and the United Nations Relief and Works Agency (UNRWA) for the relief of Palestine refugees, \$11 million each; and Morocco, \$10 million.

Donations through voluntary relief agencies under Title III rose to \$143.2 million in July 1963-March 1964 from \$116.5 million in the like period of 1962-63. With the exception of vegetable oils and cheese, donations of most commodities were larger in the 1963-64 period. Donations of bulgur and rolled wheat increased to 271 million from 200 million pounds; nonfat dry milk, to 447 million from 391 million pounds; and anhydrous milk fat, to 112 million from 19 million pounds. Donations of vegetable oils in the July-March period fell to 2 million in 1963-64 from 78 million pounds in 1962-63. The requirements for fats and oils under the Title III donations program were largely met with butter, butter-oil, and ghee in the 1963-64 period (table 6).

Shipments under the barter program under Title III rose \$27.4 million to \$68.1 million in the first three quarters of fiscal year 1963-64 from \$40.8 million in the comparable period of the previous year. Activity under the barter program has increased substantially under the new barter program policy in which the emphasis has shifted to offshore barter procurement for other Federal agencies, mostly to supply the Department of Defense and the Agency for International Development.

Exports of wheat under this program rose \$32.2 million from the previous year. No cotton was exported under the barter program during 1962-63, but under more favorable terms for the sale of cotton under this program than those in effect for the previous year, exports of cotton reached \$13.2 million during the July 1963-March 1964 period. Decreases in shipments of feed grains and tobacco partially offset the increases in wheat and cotton shipments under the program.

Shipments of wheat to Latin America under the barter program totaled \$27.9 million, including \$19.2 million to Brazil, \$3.6 million to Peru, and \$2.8 million to Colombia. Major recipients of cotton were the Republic of the Philippines, \$4.0 million; Poland, \$3.7 million; Republic of China (Taiwan), \$2.6 million; and South Korea, \$1.0 million.

Long-term supply and dollar credit sales under Title IV totaled \$27.0 million, 60 percent of those of the previous year. Over half of the shipments consisted of wheat, which totaled \$13.9 million. The principal country of destination for wheat was Iraq, followed by Colombia, Chile, Ecuador, Portugal, and the

Table 6.--U.S. agricultural exports under specified Government-financed programs, exports outside specified Government-financed programs, and total agricultural exports: Quantity by commodity, July-March 1963-64

Commodity	Public Law 480				P.L. 87-195				Total	Total
	Title I		Title II		Title III		Title IV		Agency for	agricultural
	Unit:	Sales	Famine	for	and other	Foreign	Barter	Long-term	Inter-	exports
Grain sorghums (56 lb.)		60	488			---	2,525	20	---	3,093
Barley (48 lb.)		4,744				513				5,257
Corn meal										3,252
Wheat (60 lb.)	Bu.	240,643	18,567	2,530	20,821	7,840	403	290,804	263,328	554,132
Wheat flour	Cwt.	10,984	3,245	8,583	---	218	32	23,062	6,893	29,955
Corn (56 lb.)	Bu.	21,725	1,586	812	6,583	79		30,785	316,789	347,574
Grain sorghums (56 lb.)	Bu.								77,309	80,402
Barley (48 lb.)	Bu.								37,671	42,928
Corn meal	Cwt.								871	4,123
Wheat cereal foods to be cooked	Lb.									6/-3,758
Barley malt (48 lb.)	Bu.									7/330,372
Rice, milled	Cwt.	10,517								
Cotton, running bale	Bale	614								
Tobacco, unmanufactured	Lb.	17,009								
Soybeans (60 lb.)	Bu.									
Flaxseed (56 lb.)	Bu.									
Lard	Lb.	4,063								
Tallow, edible and inedible	Lb.	152,590								
Soybean oil	Lb.	332,765	13,973	8/668						
Cottonseed oil	Lb.	98,924	3,712	8/82						
Linseed oil	Lb.									
Shortening, 100 percent vegetable oil	Lb.									
Oilcake and meal	S.T.									
Feeds and fodders, except oilcake and meal	S.T.									
Essential oils	Lb.									
Milk, evaporated and condensed	Lb.	54,908								
Milk, whole dried	Lb.	6,155								
Milk, nonfat dry	Lb.	20,263	14,356	447,342	19,919					
Cheese	Lb.	202	846	3,501						
Butter	Lb.	801	142	23,730	874					
Anhydrous milk fat	Lb.									
Infants' and dietetic foods	Lb.									
Poultry, fresh or frozen	Lb.	10,114								
Hides and skins	No.									
Seeds	Cwt.									
Beans, dry edible	Cwt.	73								
Hops	Lb.									
Fruits and juices, fresh, frozen and canned	Lb.									

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Table 6 --U.S. agricultural exports under specified Government-financed programs, exports outside specified Government-financed programs, and total agricultural exports: Quantity by commodity, July-March 1963-64 - Continued

1/ Foreign donations are authorized under Sec. 416 of the Agricultural Act of 1949 and Sec. 302, Title III, P.L. 480.

2/ The barter program is authorized under the Charter Act of the Commodity Credit Corporation; Sec. 303, Title III, P.L. 480; and other legislation.

3/ Includes expenditures under commodity (non-project) programs and economic development loans.

4/ "Total agricultural exports outside specified Government-financed programs" (sales for dollars) include, in addition to unassisted commercial transactions, shipments of some commodities with governmental assistance in the form of (1) extension of credit for relatively short periods, (2) sales of Government-owned commodities at less than domestic market prices, and (3) export payments in cash or in kind.

5/ Bulgur wheat 59,900,000 lbs. and rolled wheat 3,307,630 lbs. under Title II. Bulgur wheat 242,917,000 lbs. and rolled wheat 27,676,000 lbs. under Title III. Bulgur wheat under Title IV.

6/ The excess of the Government program portion over total agricultural exports may be attributed to lags in reporting or to differences in classification procedures.

7/ The quantity shown for total agricultural exports of wheat cereal foods to be cooked, soybean oil, cottonseed oil, shortening 100 percent vegetable oil, butter, and anhydrous milk fat includes the quantity reported by the Bureau of the Census plus the quantity shown as foreign donations under Title III. Relief shipments of these commodities are not separately reported by the Bureau of the Census.

8/ Reported as soybean and cottonseed oil. Breakdown between the two oils is estimated.

Ryukyu Islands. Exports of soybean oil totaling \$3.3 million went to Colombia, Ecuador, and Bolivia. Countries taking the \$3.0 million of tobacco were Iraq, Ecuador, Colombia, the Ryukyu Islands, and Iceland.

Exports of agricultural commodities under AID programs authorized by P.L. 87-195, the Act for International Development, totaled \$20.1 million. These exports included \$17.5 million under commodity (non-project) programs and an additional \$2.6 million under development loans. Prior to this report, the relatively small exports of agricultural commodities under development loans have not been reported. Development loans authorized under P.L. 87-195 are designed to stimulate economic development; they include Alliance for Progress loans to Latin America. The repayment period for development loans may extend to a maximum of 40 years, with annual repayments beginning at the expiration of a grace period of varying lengths. Interest charges are made during the grace period, as well as during the repayment period.

#### Commercial Sales for Dollars

Commercial sales for dollars reached a record high of \$3,477.0 million during the 9-month period. Dollar sales of oilseeds and products amounted to \$579.7 million; feed grains, \$568.5 million; and wheat and flour, \$474.7 million (table 7).

Included in dollar sales are disbursements under credit guarantees extended by the Export-Import Bank and purchases under the CCC credit sales program, which totaled \$166.0 million during the period, compared with \$118.6 million during July 1962-March 1963. Purchases under the CCC credit sales program increased by \$46 million, while disbursements under Export-Import Bank guarantees against political and/or financial risk remained at about the same level (table 8).

Disbursements under Export-Import Bank guarantees included \$46.6 million for exports of cotton, including \$46.1 million for export to Japan, \$0.3 million to Austria, and \$0.2 million to Hungary. The disbursements for exports of wheat, corn, soybeans, and soybean meal were for export to Hungary. Export-Import Bank guarantees for exports to Hungary cover only 75 percent of the invoice value of the commodities, since cash down payments of at least 25 percent are required.

Purchases of cotton under the CCC credit sales program totaled \$33.5 million of which \$27.4 million was for export to Japan. Purchases of grain sorghums amounting to \$25.5 million included \$21.7 million for export to Japan. Purchases of wheat totaling \$19.8 million were for export to 16 countries of Latin America, Europe, Asia, and Africa. Nearly half of the purchases of corn in the amount of \$19.7 million were for Mexico.

The largest commodity increase in commercial sales for dollars was in exports of wheat and flour, which rose \$262.1 million from a year earlier to a total of \$474.7 million during the first 9 months of fiscal year 1963-64. The demand for U.S. wheat during fiscal year 1963-64 was stimulated by a decline in wheat production in Western Europe and the Soviet Bloc.

Table 7. -- Exports under specified Government-financed programs, commercial sales for dollars, and total agricultural exports: Value by commodity, July 1963-March 1964 compared with July 1962-March 1963

Commodity	Exports under			Commercial			Total agricultural		
	Govt.-financed programs			sales for dollars 1/			exports		
	1962-63	1963-64	Change	1962-63	1963-64	Change	1962-63	1963-64	Change
	Million dollars			Million dollars			Million dollars		
Wheat and wheat flour ..	561.2	634.3	+73.1	212.6	474.7	+262.1	773.8	1,109.0	+335.2
Feed grains, excluding products .....	65.6	53.7	-11.9	446.0	568.5	+122.5	511.6	622.2	+110.6
Rice, milled .....	73.0	64.7	-8.3	45.6	90.2	+44.6	118.6	154.9	+36.3
Cotton .....	118.4	95.2	-23.2	257.4	425.9	+168.5	375.8	521.1	+145.3
Tobacco, unmanufactured:	24.6	19.8	-4.8	277.6	326.4	+48.8	302.2	346.2	+44.0
Oilseeds and products ..	71.3	64.8	-6.5	516.8	579.7	+62.9	2/588.1	2/644.5	+56.4
Dairy products .....	62.4	106.3	+43.9	50.7	80.6	+29.9	3/113.1	3/186.9	+73.8
Animal and products, except dairy .....	13.2	18.8	+5.6	307.3	383.7	+75.9	321.0	402.5	+81.5
Fruits and preparations:	.1	.2	.1	214.2	214.8	.6	214.3	215.0	.7
Vegetables and preparations .....	7.3	.9	-6.4	111.5	121.3	+9.8	118.8	122.2	+3.4
Other .....	21.3	30.7	+9.4	201.2	211.2	+10.0	222.5	241.9	+19.4
Total agricultural exports .....	1,018.4	1,089.4	+71.0	2,641.4	3,477.0	+835.6	3,659.8	4,566.4	+906.6

1/ Exports outside Government-financed programs. 2/ Total exports of oilseeds and products include the estimated value of donations of vegetable oils under Title III, P.L. 480, not separately reported by the Bureau of the Census, as follows: 1962-63, \$13.7 million, and 1963-64, \$0.4 million. 3/ Total exports of dairy products include the estimated value of donations of butter and butteroil under Title III, P.L. 480, not separately reported by the Bureau of the Census, as follows: 1962-63, \$8.6 million and 1963-64, \$45.9 million.

Table 8 .--U.S. credit sales of agricultural commodities: Value by commodity, July-March 1963-64 1/

Commodity	: Export-Import :		
	: Bank loans	: CCC	: Total
	: and	: credit	: credit
	: medium-term	: sales <u>3/</u>	: sales
	: guarantees <u>2/</u>		
<u>-- Million dollars --</u>			
Wheat.....	11.4	19.8	31.2
Corn.....	4.7	19.7	24.4
Grain sorghums.....	---	25.5	25.5
Barley.....	---	2.7	2.7
Soybeans.....	0.8	---	0.8
Soybean meal.....	0.5	---	0.5
Cotton.....	46.6	33.5	80.1
Tobacco.....	---	.7	.7
Butter.....	---	.1	.1
Total.....	64.0	102.0	166.0

1/ Credits for relatively short periods repayable in dollars plus interest (covering the financing costs of the lending agency).

2/ Includes disbursements by U.S. commercial banks under Export-Import Bank medium-term guarantees against political and/or financial risk.

3/ Purchases during the period.

U.S. dollar exports of feed grains amounted to \$568.5 million, compared with \$446.0 million during the 9-month period of the previous year. Dollar sales of corn totaled \$430.0 million and accounted for all the increase in the commodity group. The increased demand for feed grains from the United States was associated with the rapid growth of the livestock industries in Western Europe and Japan.

Dollar sales of rice from the United States advanced \$44.6 million to \$90.2 million in the first 9 months of fiscal year 1963-64 from the same months a year earlier. Program exports declined \$8.3 million. Dollar sales were 58 percent of total exports of this commodity compared with 38 percent in the same period of the preceding year.

U.S. cotton sold for dollars in foreign markets in the first three quarters of fiscal year 1963-64 rose \$168.5 million to \$425.9 million from the like period of fiscal year 1962-63. Program exports were \$23.2 million less than those of the preceding period. Sales for export from CCC stocks at competitive prices, a decline in production in foreign exporting countries, and relatively low stocks in major importing countries contributed to the increase in U.S. cotton exports.

U.S. dollar exports of unmanufactured tobacco advanced \$48.8 million to \$326.4 million in the July 1963-March 1964 period from the same period of the preceding year. Dollar sales increased more than total exports of this commodity; exports under Government programs declined \$4.8 million. U.S. exportable supplies of tobacco included a higher proportion of high quality leaf, and stocks in many foreign importing countries were at relatively low levels.

Dollar sales of oilseeds and products, amounting to \$579.7 million in July 1963-March 1964, led all other commodity groups. The increase of \$62.9 million over the first 9 months of fiscal year 1962-63 may be attributed to increased dollar exports of soybeans which totaled \$396.6 million during the 9-month period. Communist China, once a leading world supplier of soybeans, continued to have smaller quantities available for export. The growth of the livestock industry in the industrialized countries of Western Europe and Japan has resulted in an increased demand for oilseeds and protein meal.

U.S. exports of dairy products (including the estimated value of donations of butter, butteroil, and ghee under Title III, not separately reported by the Bureau of the Census) rose \$73.8 million to \$186.9 million in the first three quarters of fiscal year 1963-64 over the comparable period of a year earlier. Exports for dollars rose \$29.9 million and Government program shipments advanced \$43.9 million.

Dollar sales of butter totaled \$24.7 million in fiscal year 1963-64 compared with \$1.2 million a year earlier. Exports of nonfat dry milk for dollars were \$31.1 million in the first 9 months of 1963-64, up \$10.1 million from 1962-63. The payment-in-kind programs for nonfat dry milk and for butter, butteroil, ghee, and other products containing 75 percent or more milkfat encouraged exports from commercial stocks, in addition to those sold from Government-owned stocks at less than domestic market prices.

On June 10, 1964, the Department announced a modified payment-in-kind program for exports of nonfat dry milk. The program previously in effect, which provided for announced rates for specified periods, was terminated on May 22, 1964, to provide time for the reassessment of world supply and demand. The modified program, on a competitive bid basis, became effective August 4, 1964.

U.S. dollar exports of animals and products except dairy products advanced to \$383.7 million in July-March of 1963-64 from \$307.8 million in the same months a year earlier. Largest gains were in exports of meats and meat products and tallow and lard. Pork and variety meats, rose \$17.9 million and \$6.2 million, respectively. Competitive prices for U.S. meats and increased demand associated with higher disposable incomes in Western Europe, Japan, and Canada have contributed to the increase in U.S. exports of meats and meat products. Dollar sales of tallow amounted to \$73.5 million in the first 9 months of 1963-64 compared with \$48.6 million in the same period of the prior year and exports of lard for dollars advanced \$14.1 million.

Despite the variable import levies in effect for U.S. exports to the European Common Market countries -- the most important market for U.S. poultry and poultry products (poultry meat and eggs) -- dollar sales of these commodities increased to \$57.4 million from \$51.2 million in the previous 9-month period.

U.S. exports of fruits and preparations, all but \$0.2 million for dollars, remained at relatively the same level during the first three quarters of fiscal years 1963-64 and 1962-63. A rise of \$14.1 million in exports of fresh fruits, principally apples, grapefruit, lemons and limes and oranges and tangerines, was offset by declines of \$9.1 million in shipments of canned fruits and \$5.3 million in fruit juices.

Exports of vegetables and preparations, all but \$0.9 million for dollars, increased \$3.4 million in July-March of 1963-64 compared with the like period of 1962-63. Dollar sales gained \$9.8 million, while Government program exports were down \$6.4 million. Exports of dry edible beans for dollars rose \$13.3 million, and frozen and canned vegetables showed relatively small increases. These increases were partially offset by declines in exports of dry peas, fresh vegetables, and other products.



## Import Highlights

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### U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS INCREASED 5 PERCENT IN FISCAL YEAR 1963-64

U.S. imports of agricultural products for consumption in fiscal year 1963-64 rose to an estimated \$4,095 million from \$3,907 million in the previous year -- a gain of 5 percent. The increase resulted primarily from larger imports of complementary (noncompetitive) products, since imports of supplementary (partially competitive) commodities were about equal to the level of the previous year (table 9).

Nonagricultural imports totaled an estimated \$13.7 billion, 10 percent above the \$12.5 billion of the year before. Imports of nonagricultural products have been growing steadily due to increased consumer incomes in the United States as well as expanded programs by many countries to ship more products to the United States. The increase included both raw materials and finished products.

#### Supplementary Imports

Imports of supplementary products totaled an estimated \$2,224 million, slightly above last year's \$2,208 million. Declines in imports of cane sugar, dutiable cattle, apparel wool, and oilseeds and products were offset by larger imports of fruits, grains, nuts, vegetables, and tobacco. While less sugar was imported last year, the value of supplementary imports was well maintained by higher sugar prices.

#### Animals and animal products

Dutiable cattle.--Imports of dutiable cattle fell to 606,000 head in 1963-64 from 1,217,000 in 1962-63 (table 10). Value also declined. Imports from both Canada and Mexico were unusually heavy in the summer of 1962, when drought conditions encouraged ranchers to export. Nearly all imports from Canada and Mexico in 1962-63 were stocker and feeder cattle imported by U.S. feeders and ranchers for finishing with relatively cheap domestic feeds. In 1963-64, Mexico accounted for about two-thirds of cattle imports by the United States; and Canada, for the remaining third. The sharp decline in U.S. prices since 1962 discouraged Canadian and Mexican farmers and ranchers from sending additional cattle to the United States.

Meats.--Total imports of meats and products increased to \$519 million in 1963-64 from \$514 million in the previous year. Declines occurred in imports of pork, principally hams and shoulders, and mutton. Imports of beef and veal were increased slightly over year-ago levels; however, they have been declining since January 1964. From January through June 1964, they totaled 432 million pounds

Table 9.--U.S. agricultural imports for consumption: Value by commodity,  
fiscal years 1962-63 and 1963-64

Commodity	1962-63	1963-64	1/	Change
	-- Million dollars --		Percent	
<u>Supplementary</u>				
Animals and animal products:				
Animals, live .....	118	62	..	-47
Dairy products .....	55	57	..	+4
Hides and skins .....	56	66	..	+18
Meats and meat products .....	514	519	..	+1
Wool, apparel .....	124	101	..	-19
Other .....	42	47	..	+12
Total animals, etc .....	<u>909</u>	<u>852</u>	..	-6
Cotton, excluding linters .....	24	24	..	0
Fruits and preparations .....	93	121	..	+30
Grains and preparations .....	39	46	..	+18
Nuts and preparations .....	62	68	..	+10
Oilseeds and products .....	157	154	..	-2
Sugar, cane .....	548	539	..	-2
Tobacco, unmanufactured .....	95	103	..	+8
Vegetables and preparations .....	86	98	..	+14
Other .....	195	219	..	+12
Total supplementary .....	<u>2,208</u>	<u>2,224</u>	..	+1
<u>Complementary</u>				
Bananas .....	76	93	..	+22
Coffee .....	939	1,121	..	+19
Cocoa beans .....	128	122	..	-5
Rubber, crude, natural .....	227	185	..	-19
Tea .....	61	59	..	-3
Wool, carpet .....	101	110	..	+9
Other .....	167	181	..	+8
Total complementary .....	<u>1,699</u>	<u>1,871</u>	..	+10
Total imports .....	3,907	4,095	..	+5

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Table 10.—U. S. agricultural imports for consumption: Quantity and value by commodity,  
June 1963 and 1964 and July-June 1962-63 and 1963-64

Commodity imported SUPPLEMENTARY	Unit	June 1/				July-June 1/			
		Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
		1963	1964	1,000	1,000	1962-63	1963-64	1,000	1,000
<b>ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS</b>									
<b>Animals, live:</b>									
Cattle, dutiable .....	No.	31	11	1,855	816	1,217	606	106,274	47,041
Cattle, free (for breeding) .....	No.	2	1	629	498	18	19	6,142	5,581
Horses .....	No.	2/	2/	427	401	4	4	4,925	7,102
Other (including live poultry) .....	—	3/	3/	94	97	3/	3/	68	808
Total animals, live .....	—	—	—	3,005	1,812	—	—	118,409	61,532
<b>Dairy products:</b>									
Butter .....	Lb.	108	59	59	31	759	697	352	346
Cheese -									
Blue-mold .....	Lb.	660	460	320	227	4,540	3,917	2,242	1,968
Cheddar .....	Lb.	787	75	216	35	2,550	2,736	754	674
Edam and Gouda .....	Lb.	843	579	367	265	7,399	6,655	3,216	2,999
Pecorino .....	Lb.	582	957	260	480	19,496	14,188	9,647	7,955
Swiss .....	Lb.	1,078	1,225	559	660	17,576	16,787	9,356	9,047
Other .....	Lb.	2,661	2,073	1,051	1,100	30,801	34,458	12,382	13,869
Total cheese .....	Lb.	6,617	5,369	2,773	2,767	62,362	78,741	37,597	36,712
Casein or lactarene .....	Lb.	7,561	11,632	1,379	2,155	87,610	99,837	15,737	17,811
Other .....	—	3/	3/	119	364	3/	3/	1,139	2,392
Total dairy products .....	—	—	—	4,330	5,307	—	—	54,825	57,261
<b>Hides and skins, raw (except furs):</b>									
Calf skins .....	Lb.	818	612	257	248	5,670	4,729	2,644	1,649
Cattle hides .....	Lb.	1,941	1,218	249	192	14,621	14,918	2,230	2,041
Goat and kid skins .....	Lb.	2,056	1,843	1,261	1,206	24,780	25,514	13,980	16,526
Sheep and lamb skins .....	Lb.	5,583	5,722	1,324	2,918	49,757	58,814	19,435	28,346
Other 4/ .....	Lb.	3,706	4,776	1,415	2,345	38,377	38,568	17,274	17,887
Total hides and skins, raw .....	Lb.	12,106	14,171	4,506	6,909	133,405	142,603	55,563	66,451
<b>Meat and meat products:</b>									
Beef and veal -									
Fresh, chilled, or frozen .....	Lb.	71,075	92,138	23,545	30,325	921,670	852,583	293,469	306,604
Other .....	Lb.	7,503	7,416	2,432	2,695	49,266	113,093	32,109	36,437
Total beef and veal .....	Lb.	78,578	99,554	24,977	33,020	1,020,936	1,065,676	325,578	343,041
Lamb, goat, and mutton .....	Lb.	6,082	7,349	1,340	1,671	89,787	62,295	19,619	14,236
Pork -									
Fresh, chilled, or frozen .....	Lb.	2,588	3,291	950	1,212	36,588	37,828	13,987	13,940
Hams and shoulders, canned cooked .....	Lb.	9,393	11,417	6,728	7,690	135,403	139,259	97,248	95,315
Other .....	Lb.	2,481	2,271	1,334	1,301	34,930	29,407	18,236	16,612
Total pork .....	Lb.	14,462	16,979	9,012	10,203	206,921	206,494	129,471	125,867
Sausage casings .....	—	3/	3/	1,258	1,796	3/	3/	16,672	17,552
Other (including meat extracts) .....	Lb.	5,559	5,277	1,594	1,252	82,607	78,763	22,929	18,314
Total meat and products (except poultry) .....	—	—	—	38,181	47,942	—	—	514,469	519,010
<b>Poultry products:</b>									
Eggs, dried, frozen, otherwise preserved ..	Lb.	2/	1	1	1	3	8	5	9
Eggs in the shell .....	Doz.	56	69	95	85	1,701	1,981	940	1,111
Poultry meat .....	Lb.	6	7	11	37	204	256	430	575
Total poultry products .....	—	—	—	107	123	—	—	1,375	1,695

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Table 10.— U. S. agricultural imports for consumption: Quantity and value by commodity,  
June 1963 and 1964 and July-June 1962-63 and 1963-64 - Continued

Commodity imported SUPPLEMENTARY	Unit	June 1/				July-June 1/			
		Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
		1963	1964	1963	1964	1962-63	1963-64	1962-63	1963-64
Wool, unmanufactured (except free in bond):				1,000	1,000			1,000	1,000
40's to 56's .....	G.Lb.	1,869	1,417	1,083	1,088	27,168	18,496	14,919	12,184
Finer than 56's .....	G.Lb.	7,960	6,477	5,238	5,335	143,452	84,614	87,398	63,538
Other wools .....	G.Lb.	2,250	1,989	1,717	1,974	26,708	28,532	21,715	25,721
Total wool, unmanufactured .....	G.Lb.	12,099	9,883	8,043	8,307	197,578	131,412	124,032	101,435
Other animal products:									
Bones, hoofs, and horns, unmanufactured .....	—	3/	3/	209	257	3/	3/	3,976	2,475
Bristles, sorted, bunched, or prepared .....	Lb.	277	272	662	1,015	3,324	3,326	6,410	11,716
Fats, oils, greases, edible and inedible .....	—	3/	3/	68	78	3/	3/	1,057	1,359
Feathers, crude .....	Lb.	380	408	325	621	3,187	3,462	4,435	5,335
Galatin, edible .....	Lb.	570	547	262	260	6,271	8,000	4,165	5,641
Hair, unmanufactured .....	Lb.	762	996	533	780	9,388	11,593	7,260	8,397
Honey .....	Lb.	192	610	50	93	4,523	2,802	550	447
Other .....	—	3/	3/	953	994	3/	3/	10,351	11,013
Total other animal products .....	—	—	—	3,042	4,098	—	—	40,710	44,583
Total animals and animal products .....	—	—	—	61,214	74,568	—	—	909,383	851,975
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS									
<u>Cotton, unmanufactured (450 lb.):</u>									
Cotton .....	Bale	5	1	681	167	126	136	24,113	24,341
Linters .....	Bale	13	19	329	433	120	155	3,563	4,382
Total cotton and linters .....	Bale	18	20	1,010	600	262	324	27,576	28,723
Fruits and preparations:									
Apples, green or ripe (50 lb.) .....	Bu.	41	46	167	219	1,554	1,620	5,677	5,355
Berries .....	Lb.	3,994	5,094	521	802	51,074	67,234	6,766	10,186
Dates .....	Lb.	275	29	25	2	32,396	39,466	3,369	3,784
Figs .....	Lb.	721	2,044	46	163	14,550	27,389	1,291	2,551
Grapes (40 lb.) .....	Qu.Ft.	147	424	432	1,112	717	1,624	2,169	4,218
Melons .....	Lb.	4,079	60,881	121	2,471	315,316	228,927	7,367	9,631
Olives in brine .....	Gal.	809	1,692	1,432	2,134	11,274	14,175	21,157	19,245
Oranges, mandarin, canned .....	Lb.	4,128	6,970	637	1,398	42,203	55,265	9,572	11,523
Pineapples, canned, prepared or preserved .....	Lb.	10,190	15,615	1,170	1,111	103,661	135,962	12,075	15,534
Pineapple juice .....	Gal.	433	1,320	277	366	3,657	11,144	2,301	1,425
Other .....	—	3/	3/	2,551	2,765	3/	3/	71,181	35,987
Total fruits and preparations .....	—	—	—	7,669	12,263	—	—	53,125	121,339
Grains and preparations:									
Barley grain (48 lb.) .....	Bu.	254	308	300	433	1,469	1,437	2,781	12,111
Barley malt .....	Lb.	11,305	5,944	566	298	115,727	102,415	6,242	5,114
Corn grain (56 lb.) .....	Bu.	47	43	65	158	187	1,102	1,734	2,102
Oats grain (32 lb.) .....	Bu.	454	121	363	196	4,235	3,533	3,661	3,049
Rice .....	Lb.	16	30	2	6	4,431	1,371	289	151
Rye grain (56 lb.) .....	Bu.	0	0	0	0	546	649	629	960
Wheat grain for domestic use (60 lb.) .....	Bu.	812	704	1,450	1,326	5,053	3,587	9,656	7,305
Wheat flour .....	Lb.	3,513	3,813	169	160	3,123	3,140	171	161
Other .....	—	3/	3/	741	1,067	3/	3/	13,57	14,573
Total grains and preparations .....	—	—	—	3,748	3,556	—	—	50,571	45,550

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Table 10. -- U. S. agricultural imports for consumption: Quantity and value by commodity,  
June 1963 and 1964 and July-June 1962-63 and 1963-64 - continued

Commodity imported SUPPLEMENTARY	Unit	June 1/				July-June 1/			
		Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
		1963	1964	1963	1964	1962-63	1963-64	1962-63	1963-64
		Thousands	Thousands	dollars	dollars	Thousands	Thousands	dollars	dollars
<u>Nuts and preparations:</u>									
Almonds .....	Lb.	12	4	1,000	1,000	4	198	217	116
Brazil nuts .....	Lb.	2,683	3,029	520	606	25,974	29,231	6,27	6,162
Cashew nuts .....	Lb.	3,794	5,308	1,400	2,400	66,568	72,711	26,687	30,125
Coconut meat, fresh, frozen, or prepared .....	Lb.	7,075	12,146	268	1,006	121,755	139,776	13,645	16,735
Pistache nuts .....	Lb.	615	300	406	151	14,948	12,043	7,164	8,039
Other .....		3/	3/	346	335	3/	3/	7,846	8,039
Total nuts and preparations .....		---	---	5,500	5,500	---	---	61,335	67,826
<u>Oilseeds and products:</u>									
Oils, edible and inedible -	Lb.	904	558	481	401	12,469	12,697	10,771	10,483
Cacao butter .....	Lb.	1,251	1,395	559	547	12,317	13,574	5,327	5,514
Carnauba wax .....	Lb.	6,504	4,627	717	475	97,935	56,157	11,070	9,191
Castor oil .....	Lb.	19,942	36,446	2,37	4,306	375,051	415,017	37,474	46,594
Coconut oil .....	Lb.	3,362	5,123	1,060	1,326	43,904	55,626	14,530	15,487
Olive oil, edible .....	Lb.	2,502	3	233	0	28,830	7,105	2,370	705
Palm oil .....	Lb.	4,287	9,717	537	1,223	85,542	74,970	9,577	9,266
Palm kernel oil .....	Lb.	441	3,457	156	761	14,933	26,038	5,138	7,421
Tung oil .....	Lb.	1,353	2,286	315	420	57,260	26,901	8,393	5,428
Other .....	Lb.	40,662	64,11	6,727	9,526	736,238	718,930	104,850	106,169
Total oils (except essential) .....		40,662	64,11	6,727	9,526	736,238	718,930	104,850	106,169
<u>Oilseeds -</u>									
Copra .....	Lb.	61,787	30,455	4,689	2,394	631,830	517,674	42,750	39,688
Sesame seed .....	Lb.	1,244	2,619	213	346	24,067	23,935	3,446	3,393
Other .....		3/	3/	87	114	3/	3/	3,170	1,904
Total oilseeds .....		---	---	4,969	2,854	---	---	49,366	44,365
<u>Protein meal (oilcake and meal) .....</u>	Lb.	14,979	9,775	422	273	105,786	110,374	3,267	3,186
Total oilseeds and products .....		---	---	12,138	12,653	---	---	157,483	153,680
<u>Sugar and related products:</u>									
Cane sugar .....	S.Ton	482	299	72,952	38,855	4,716	3,635	548,170	539,446
Molasses unfit for human consumption .....	Gal.	33,511	31,799	5,530	3,882	270,704	276,554	36,183	41,321
Other .....		3/	3/	490	303	3/	3/	5,563	6,686
Total sugar and related products .....		---	---	78,972	43,040	---	---	590,216	587,453
<u>Vegetables and preparations:</u>									
Canned mushrooms .....	Lb.	1,321	1,692	665	862	10,499	15,555	5,520	6,949
Canned tomatoes, tomato paste and sauce .....	Lb.	3,560	4,069	379	472	149,444	95,945	12,751	11,199
Fresh or dried -									
Cucumbers .....	Lb.	1	9	2/	2/	57,208	52,640	3,436	4,669
Garlic .....	Lb.	644	1,246	131	149	16,372	18,851	3,426	2,669
Onions .....	Lb.	1,432	1,523	88	151	38,958	51,466	2,056	2,723
Potatoes, white .....	Lb.	1,343	9,724	23	308	91,193	148,966	1,851	3,530
Tomatoes, natural state .....	Lb.	1,147	9,039	99	1,119	238,544	251,229	20,595	27,845
Turnips and rutabagas .....	Lb.	42	360	3	11	74,978	95,302	1,504	1,904
Pickled vegetables .....	Lb.	835	1,336	133	210	13,915	14,781	2,260	2,333
Tapioca, tapioca flour, and cassava .....	Lb.	21,102	27,879	966	862	191,391	257,649	7,296	9,151
Other .....		3/	3/	1,983	1,437	3/	3/	25,300	24,665
Total vegetables and preparations .....		---	---	4,370	6,061	---	---	66,162	64,377

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Table 10.— U. S. agricultural imports for consumption: Quantity and value by commodity,  
June 1963 and 1964 and July-June 1962-63 and 1963-64 - Continued

Commodity imported	Unit	June 1/				July-June 1/			
		Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
		1963	1964	1963	1964	1962-63	1963-64	1962-63	1963-64
		Thousands	Thousands	dollars	dollars	Thousands	Thousands	dollars	dollars
<u>Other vegetable products:</u>									
Feeds and fodders (except oilcake and meal):	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/
Hops .....	Lb.	3	43	4	45	5,507	5,646	5,539	5,963
Jute and jute butts, unmanufactured .....	L.Ton	5	17	671	783	74	94	11,796	12,227
Malt liquors .....	Gal.	1,612	2,162	1,523	2,391	16,398	18,706	19,161	20,976
Nursery and greenhouse stock .....	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	13,280	15,127
Seeds, field and garden .....	Lb.	2,367	3,576	294	451	46,860	50,675	6,903	8,114
Spices .....	Lb.	13,458	15,725	7,985	10,124	161,769	165,886	95,281	103,026
Tobacco, unmanufactured .....	Lb.	1,055	1,302	3,930	5,008	13,608	15,125	50,849	58,194
Wines .....	Gal.	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	9,384	10,729
Other .....	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	243,123	268,922
Total other vegetable products .....									
Total vegetable products .....									
<b>TOTAL SUPPLEMENTARY IMPORTS</b> .....									
 <u>COMPLEMENTARY</u>									
Bananas .....	Lb.	283,900	286,940	6,654	11,822	3,350,675	3,502,749	76,399	93,051
Coffee (including into Puerto Rico) .....	Lb.	176,635	178,711	51,490	73,174	3,135,745	3,266,581	939,190	1,120,678
Coffee essences, substitutes and adulterants .....	Lb.	368	586	490	907	6,049	6,426	6,836	8,233
Cocoa or cacao beans .....	Lb.	52,417	49,768	12,076	10,532	634,741	535,824	128,454	122,004
Cocoa and chocolate, prepared .....	Lb.	8,711	9,513	1,361	1,561	103,016	129,537	12,631	22,192
Drugs, herbs, roots, etc. .....	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	20,845	21,107
Essential or distilled oils .....	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	23,062	21,240
Fibers, unmanufactured .....	L.Ton	10	10	2,456	2,943	139	173	30,959	40,598
Rubber, crude .....	Lb.	57,263	69,979	12,850	13,908	956,131	853,117	226,806	185,375
Silk, raw .....	Lb.	171	323	1,178	1,618	4,697	4,715	27,297	26,734
Spices .....	Lb.	7,260	8,422	2,718	2,751	92,760	100,418	34,176	32,050
Tea .....	Lb.	7,115	10,409	3,138	4,755	130,721	130,851	60,833	59,083
Wool, unmanufactured (free in bond) .....	G.Lb.	14,553	8,269	7,632	5,591	204,568	182,155	100,552	110,083
Other complementary agricultural products .....	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	5,210	3,710
<b>TOTAL COMPLEMENTARY IMPORTS</b> .....									
<b>TOTAL AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS</b> .....									
<b>TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL IMPORTS</b> .....									
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS, ALL COMMODITIES</b> .....									

1/ Preliminary.

2/ Less than 500.

3/ Reported in value only.

4/ Excludes the weight of "other hides and skins," reported in pieces only.

compared with 470 million a year earlier, a drop of 8 percent. The reduction resulted from voluntary agreements that the United States made with Australia, New Zealand, Ireland, and Mexico; higher meat prices in other world markets; a substantial increase in U.S. production; and lower prices in the United States. In January-June about two-thirds of the boneless beef imports came into the country through Eastern ports, one-fifth through Western ports, and the remainder through other ports of entry.

Apparel wool.--Declines in mill activity resulted in a 29 percent drop in the quantity of apparel wool imported last year. Imports amounted to 131 million pounds (actual weight) in 1963-64 compared with 198 million a year earlier. In addition to the decline in wool consumption, there has been a continued switch to synthetic fibers in the past year. Principal suppliers of apparel wool were Australia, South Africa, New Zealand, Uruguay, and Argentina.

Hides and skins.--Imports of hides and skins increased to 143 million pounds in 1963-64 from 133 million a year earlier. Most of the increase was in sheep and lamb skins. Goat, kid, lamb, and sheep skins accounted for about two-thirds of overall imports of hides and skins. Production of goat, kid, sheep, and lamb skins in the United States is not adequate to meet demand. Imports of calf skins declined, reflecting the rather substantial gain in production in the United States along with lower prices for these items.

#### Cotton

Cotton imports, excluding linters, were the same as last year's 136,000 bales. Imports of cotton have been relatively stable in recent years except for larger purchases of picker lap in 1959-60 and 1960-61. However, imports of picker lap were sharply restricted by U.S. Government action in 1962. Two-thirds of the cotton imports consisted of long staple fiber (1-1/8 inches or longer). Imports other than short Asiatic cotton are regulated by quotas. Long staple imports are limited to 95,000 bales on an August 1-July 30 year, while imports of upland cotton (under 1-1/8 inches) are limited to 30,000 bales on a September 19-September 18 year. Principal suppliers of cotton were Egypt, Mexico, Peru, India, and Pakistan.

#### Grains and preparations

Imports of grains and preparations advanced somewhat in 1963-64 after falling sharply in 1962-63. Imports totaled \$46 million in 1963-64 compared with \$39 million a year earlier. Most of the increase was in barley grain, which advanced to \$12 million from \$3 million. Substantial quantities of barley are imported for malting purposes. Imports of barley malt declined to \$5.1 million in 1963-64 from \$6.2 million in 1962-63. Imports of rice, oats, and wheat declined slightly in 1963-64, while imports of corn, rye, and other grains increased somewhat.

#### Sugar

Imports of cane sugar totaled an 3.6 million short tons in fiscal year 1963-64 compared with 4.7 million a year earlier, tel quel basis as reported by the Bureau of the Census. However, the value of sugar imports fell to \$539 million in 1963-64 from \$548 million a year earlier. While quantity

dropped 23 percent, value fell only 2 percent due to higher prices. Principal suppliers were the Philippines, Dominican Republic, Brazil, Peru, Mexico, Argentina, and Australia. Imports accounted for about 45 percent of U.S. sugar consumption last year -- somewhat less than in the previous year because of amendments to the Sugar Act of 1948 that provided domestic producers with a larger share of the U.S. market.

#### Oilbearing materials and products

Imports of oilbearing materials and products totaled an estimated \$154 million in 1963-64 compared with the previous year's \$157 million. The decline was primarily in cocoa butter, palm oil, and copra. Imports of oilbearing materials and products have been declining in recent years as U.S. production of oils has increased sharply. Moreover, demand for oilbearing materials and products in other industrialized countries has increased sharply, and production has not kept pace with foreign demand. However, the United States continues to import considerable amounts of oilbearing materials and products that have special properties and uses in U.S. industries and food manufacturing.

#### Vegetables and preparations

Imports of vegetables and preparations increased to \$98 million in 1963-64 from \$86 million a year earlier. The increase was almost entirely in fresh vegetables, mainly cucumbers and tomatoes. Imports of canned mushrooms and tapioca also increased. Somewhat offsetting the increases were declines for canned tomatoes and garlic.

#### Tobacco

Imports of unmanufactured tobacco increased to 166 million pounds in fiscal year 1963-64 from 162 million in 1962-63. The rise occurred in scrap, while a slight decline occurred in cigarette leaf. Value increased to \$103 million from \$95 million. Principal suppliers were Turkey and Greece. Tobacco imports accounted for about one-tenth of tobacco use in the United States.

#### Fruits and preparations

Imports of fruits and preparations increased to \$121 million in 1963-64 from \$93 million in 1962-63. A substantial part of the advance was in citrus products, reflecting relatively limited supplies and higher prices in the United States following the Florida freeze in the 1962-63 winter. In addition, gains were noted in berries, figs, grapes, and pineapples. Declines were noted for apples and olives.

#### Complementary Imports

Imports of complementary items rose to \$1,871 million from \$1,699 million a year earlier. The gain resulted both from larger amounts of coffee and bananas along with higher prices for coffee, cocoa beans, and carpet wool. Complementary imports in fiscal year 1963-64 accounted for 46 percent of total U.S. agricultural imports compared with 43 percent in the previous year and nearly 50 percent in the 1950-54 period. The recent gain in the complementary share of the total resulted from a substantial price increase for a

number of complementary items as well as a cutback in imports of supplementary commodities, especially meats and meat products. The downward trend in complementary imports since the early 1950's has been brought about by overabundant world supplies and production of most components of the class that consists of items for which demand tends to be inelastic. The oversupply has resulted in substantial price declines and has tended to depress values.

#### Bananas

Imports of bananas increased to 3,503 million pounds in fiscal year 1963-64 from 3,351 million in 1962-63. Value increased to \$93 million from \$76 million. More bananas were imported because of lower prices abroad and greater demand in the United States. Bananas are being increasingly imported in boxes rather than on stems. Boxed bananas contain more fruit per pound than do bananas on the stem, which is waste. Principal suppliers were the Central American Republics, mainly Ecuador, Costa Rica, Honduras, Panama, and Guatemala. The import increase in 1963-64 was the first significant gain in several years.

#### Coffee

Imports of coffee increased to 3,267 million pounds in 1963-64 from 3,136 million in 1962-63. Value increased to over \$1.1 billion after declining to less than \$1 billion during the past 2 years. The price of coffee increased sharply in January 1964, indicating that Brazil's coffee crop would be down considerably in 1964. Over 80 percent of U.S. coffee imports came from Latin America, principally Brazil, Colombia, Guatemala, and Mexico. In recent years there has been an increase in the amount of coffee supplied from Africa, mainly British East Africa and Angola. Per capita coffee consumption in the United States has remained relatively stable since World War II, averaging nearly 16 pounds annually for the past 5 years. International trade in coffee is regulated by the International Coffee Agreement of which the United States is a member. In 1964 the export quota was increased to provide adequate coffee supplies to consuming countries. The objectives of the International Coffee Agreement are to stabilize international coffee prices and to provide adequate returns to coffee producing countries.

#### Cocoa beans

U.S. cocoa bean imports declined to an estimated 536 million pounds in 1963-64 from 635 million in 1962-63. But the value was only slightly lower because of higher prices. The principal suppliers were Ghana, Nigeria, Dominican Republic, Brazil, and West Africa. Major producing countries have been marketing all their production in the year in which it is produced, leaving no carryover to hedge against lower crops in some years. As a result, prices of cocoa beans fluctuate from year to year in keeping with the size of the total bean crop. There is no international agreement among the producing and consuming countries to regulate the marketing of cocoa beans.

#### Carpet wool

Imports of carpet wool declined to 182 million pounds in 1963-64 from 205 million a year earlier. However, value increased to \$110 million from \$101 million. The increase in price largely reflected the strong world demand. New Zealand

and Argentina accounted for about two-thirds of total U.S. imports of carpet wool. Other major suppliers were the United Kingdom, Pakistan, Iraq, and Syria.

Tea

Imports of tea, amounting to 131 million pounds in 1963-64, were unchanged from 1962-63. Value declined slightly. Principal suppliers were Ceylon, India, Indonesia, and British East Africa.

Hard fibers

Imports of hard fibers rose to 173 million long tons in 1963-64 from 139 million in 1962-63. In recent years a substantial demand has developed in the United States for hard fibers for use in the manufacture of baler and binder twine. Principal suppliers were Mexico, Pakistan, and the Philippines.

Rubber

Imports of crude natural rubber declined to 853 million pounds in 1963-64 from 956 million in 1962-63. Value fell to \$185 million from \$227 million. Principal suppliers were Malaysia, Liberia, Indonesia, and Thailand. In 1964, crude rubber accounted for around one-fourth of total use in the United States compared with over four-fifths in the early 1950's.

Table II.—U. S. agricultural exports: Quantity and value by commodity,  
May 1963 and 1964 and July-Jay 1962-63 and 1963-64

Commodity exported	Unit	May 1/			July-Jay 1/			Value 1,000 dollars
		Quantity		Value	Quantity		Value	
		1963	1964	1963	1962-63	1963-64	1962-63	1963-64
<b>ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS</b>								
<b>Animals, live:</b>								
Cattle .....	No.	2	17	827	3,666	18	47	7,516
Poultry, live -								
Baby chicks .....	No.	2,793	2,242	1,183	1,160	20,521	24,443	7,162
Other live poultry .....	Lb.	847	211	256	167	3,015	3,272	1,082
Other .....		2/	2/	909	74	2/	2/	5,631
Total animals, live .....				3,175	5,740			21,391
<b>Dairy products:</b>								
Anhydrous milk fat .....	Lb.	1,399	1,017	822	610	6,407	22,284	4,574
Butter (except dehydrated) .....	Lb.	288	17,230	99	5,967	6,265	97,613	2,086
Cheese, including donations .....	Lb.	6,169	604	1,921	292	37,383	12,742	12,033
Infants' and dietetic foods, chiefly milk ..	Lb.	1,323	2,524	723	1,189	15,497	15,911	9,439
Milk -								
Condensed sweetened .....	Lb.	4,059	8,613	517	2,081	43,234	59,041	10,034
Dried whole .....	Lb.	1,584	1,278	756	481	20,228	21,654	9,138
Evaporated, unsweetened, incl. donations ..	Lb.	5,421	2,777	756	420	57,804	42,028	8,431
Nonfat dry, including donations .....	Lb.	116,577	179,101	9,559	14,637	914,523	1,172,990	82,928
Other .....		2/	2/	412	690	2/	2/	3,460
Total dairy products .....				15,967	26,367			142,123
<b>Fats, oils, and greases:</b>								
Lard .....	Lb.	70,148	51,526	5,965	5,094	420,027	577,266	38,980
Tallow, edible .....	Lb.	307	456	26	47	4,366	3,257	418
Other edible fats, oils, and greases .....	Lb.	681	1,241	115	185	5,132	7,506	906
Tallow, inedible .....	Lb.	179,818	236,863	11,709	17,229	1,283,579	1,726,127	80,284
Other inedible fats, oils, and greases .....	Lb.	21,922	36,029	1,517	3,005	192,659	245,751	13,202
Total fats, oils, and greases .....	Lb.	272,860	320,115	10,232	25,567	1,007,703	2,559,507	133,250
<b>Meat and meat products:</b>								
Beef and veal .....	Lb.	1,821	5,728	906	2,298	23,696	33,582	11,154
Pork .....	Lb.	12,656	13,578	3,350	3,812	60,111	145,262	25,086
Sausage casings .....	Lb.	2,038	1,117	1,253	776	17,607	17,470	11,548
Variety meats .....	Lb.	13,744	22,562	2,706	4,613	130,503	167,827	25,863
Other (including meat extracts) .....	Lb.	1,002	1,366	500	583	11,040	10,934	4,835
Total meat and products (except poultry) .....	Lb.	31,561	44,281	6,724	12,082	273,363	376,875	78,886
<b>Poultry products:</b>								
Eggs, dried, frozen, otherwise preserved ..	Lb.	827	574	841	615	4,572	4,076	4,362
Eggs in the shell -								
Hatching .....	Doz.	1,021	722	1,028	879	8,038	7,630	7,580
Other .....	Doz.	1,146	97	408	36	5,603	2,846	1,665
Poultry meat -								
Chickens, fresh or frozen .....	Lb.	13,712	15,383	3,382	3,898	138,161	153,663	35,251
Turkeys, fresh or frozen .....	Lb.	580	1,741	734	615	26,570	33,376	12,306
Other, fresh or frozen .....	Lb.	787	261	237	77	4,554	4,234	1,517
Canned .....	Lb.	968	2,009	251	501	5,114	21,601	2,081
Total poultry products .....				6,391	6,625			63,692

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Table 11. - U. S. agricultural exports: Quantity and value by commodity,  
May 1963 and 1964 and July-May 1962-63 and 1963-64 - Continued

Commodity exported	Unit	May 1/				July-May 1/			
		1963		Value		1963-53		Value	
		Thousands	Thousands	dollars	dollars	Thousands	Thousands	dollars	dollars
<u>Other animal products:</u>									
Feathers, crude .....	Lb.	110	43	12	67	1,507	1,363	1,730	1,630
Gelatin, edible .....	Lb.	383	239	740	608	3,510	2,858	7,219	6,684
Hair, raw or dressed, new .....	Lb.	1,000	610	337	342	6,537	6,411	1,221	2,111
Hides and skins, raw (except furs) 3/ .....	No.	1,109	1,046	6,765	5,200	10,209	13,622	73,667	73,665
Honey .....	Lb.	1,122	691	725	123	17,246	22,180	2,505	3,772
Wool, unmanufactured .....	C.Lb.	1,126	106	1,161	134	12,443	7,898	11,926	6,642
Other .....		2/	2/	1,318	1,719	2/	2/	14,661	1,533
Total other animal products .....				10,694	11,618			123,056	111,617
Total animals and animal products .....				14,133	17,592			153,226	606,328
<u>VEGETABLE PRODUCTS</u>									
<u>Cotton, unmanufactured:</u>									
Cotton .....	R.Bale	312	381	41,564	48,296	3,328	4,700	457,952	620,762
Linters .....	R.Bale	27	68	970	1,205	251	308	9,447	8,525
Total cotton and linters .....	R.Bale	34	420	42,643	45,464	3,679	5,067	467,399	620,787
<u>Fruits and preparations:</u>									
Canned -									
Fruit cocktail .....	Lb.	17,724	5,639	2,576	1,827	139,184	122,637	20,355	26,121
Peaches .....	Lb.	8,745	2,427	1,722	387	281,634	207,706	30,497	23,224
Pears .....	Lb.	1,122	373	173	55	10,511	5,699	1,638	1,105
Pineapples .....	Lb.	7,126	2,857	1,247	1,550	64,634	86,003	14,136	12,867
Other .....	Lb.	4,540	2,737	730	486	45,851	29,362	7,350	5,185
Total canned fruits .....	Lb.	39,194	24,671	5,125	4,811	366,217	451,405	72,628	62,702
Dried -									
Prunes .....	Lb.	4,231	3,600	887	1,618	83,553	77,161	17,986	16,750
Raisins and currants .....	Lb.	5,185	3,169	823	1,701	87,424	103,235	15,666	18,206
Other .....	Lb.	986	512	353	321	18,764	12,442	6,807	5,114
Total dried fruits .....	Lb.	10,302	9,162	2,223	2,140	108,917	195,968	40,792	40,372
Fresh -									
Apples .....	Lb.	6,683	8,642	694	811	139,688	158,622	12,394	17,740
Berries .....	Lb.	3,512	2,782	821	716	16,785	15,635	3,405	3,167
Grapefruit .....	Lb.	10,629	17,765	825	1,356	146,192	159,426	8,287	10,562
Grapes .....	Lb.	136	328	16	46	105,110	104,587	17,142	16,460
Lemons and limes .....	Lb.	25,724	38,143	2,311	2,575	118,005	210,801	10,294	16,581
Oranges and tangerines .....	Lb.	43,290	45,363	4,390	3,823	316,525	384,598	29,322	24,650
Pears .....	Lb.	576	1,252	66	110	70,589	38,114	6,244	3,783
Other .....	Lb.	16,115	17,405	718	912	114,606	130,631	6,871	7,663
Total fresh fruits .....	Lb.	104,861	131,684	9,633	10,395	1,112,958	1,324,254	94,103	110,212
Fruit juices -									
Grapefruit .....	Gal.	875	200	755	287	6,221	3,246	4,756	3,415
Orange .....	Gal.	1,001	781	2,170	1,974	12,545	6,954	22,836	18,023
Other .....	Gal.	1,809	1,088	1,546	1,261	13,403	10,492	12,242	11,146
Total fruit juices .....	Gal.	3,685	2,069	4,475	3,522	32,169	20,230	39,841	32,584
Frozen fruits (including specialties) .....	Lb.	2/ 2,032	2/ 616	305	125	14,668	2/ 10,483	2,254	5,133
Other .....				320	331	2/	2/	4,786	5,133
Total fruits and preparations .....				22,875	20,484			254,687	252,535

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Table 11.— U. S. agricultural exports: Quantity and value by commodity,  
May 1963 and 1964 and July-May 1962-63 and 1963-64—Continued

Commodity exported	Unit	May 1/				July-May 1/			
		Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
		1963	1964	1,000 Thousands	1,000 dollars	1962-63	1963-64	1,000 Thousands	1,000 dollars
<b>Grains and preparations:</b>									
Feed grains and products -									
Barley grain (48 lb.)	Bu.	2,397	12,312	7,412	15,435	55,452	59,947	65,817	64,811
Corn grain, including donations (56 lb.)	Bu.	39,450	35,246	52,129	47,635	353,464	425,262	451,388	573,300
Grain sorghume (56 lb.)	Bu.	9,800	6,795	11,569	8,137	111,148	125,676	125,676	115,292
Oats grain (32 lb.)	Bu.	1,216	342	1,117	231	21,880	21,476	15,834	16,263
Total feed grains	M.Ton.	1,423	1,341	32,227	50,138	13,416	14,510	658,530	763,184
Barley malt (34 lb.)	Bu.	633	287	794	585	2,750	2,322	5,379	4,767
Corn grits and hominy	Lb.	4,400	5,438	186	221	35,510	36,437	1,503	7,556
Cormeal and corn flour, incl. donations	Cwt.	504	374	2,408	1,453	4,176	4,220	18,893	18,893
Cornstarch	Lb.	5,192	6,992	469	688	41,573	68,512	3,748	5,155
Oatmeal, groats, and rolled oats	Lb.	816	427	113	45	21,121	16,526	2,571	2,571
Total feed grains and products	M.Ton.	1,456	1,388	76,197	53,431	13,896	15,175	190,141	214,516
Rice -									
Milled, including donations	Lb.	237,169	264,575	15,863	18,681	2,520,572	2,532,005	155,568	212,355
Paddy or rough	Lb.	276	284	25	21	10,612	10,227		
Total rice (milled basis)	Lb.	237,345	264,763	15,912	18,703	2,527,559	2,538,757	156,175	212,171
Rye grain (56 lb.)	Bu.	1,459	1,664	1,918	2,275	18,594	19,594	24,873	14,032
Wheat and flour, including donations -									
Wheat grain (60 lb.)	Bu.	74,771	72,610	133,642	132,543	405,269	702,407	905,668	1,125,892
Wheat flour, wholly of U. S. wheat	Cwt.	4,021	20,963	11,532	38,216	32,537	31,537	415,555	415,555
Total wheat and flour	Bu.	85,792	81,513	154,572	142,555	487,316	733,926	1,004,220	1,120,844
Bakery products	Lb.	1,374	961	439	391	2/ 10,520	2/ 12,773	4,294	5,430
Other		2/	2/	871	1,071	2/	2/	8,997	11,280
Total grains and preparations		—	—	249,911	243,208	—	—	1,953,432	2,230,029
<b>Oilseeds and products:</b>									
<b>Oils, edible and inedible -</b>									
Cottonseed oil	Lb.	52,165	53,960	6,796	5,540	349,224	430,849	43,821	48,957
Soybean oil	Lb.	65,530	62,630	10,642	8,123	117,234	913,638	119,246	66,138
Other	Lb.	12,724	21,166	1,782	3,184	1,161,234	181,222	16,121	16,121
Total oils (except essential)	Lb.	166,419	145,718	18,620	15,357	1,163,331	1,525,614	176,661	176,661
<b>Oilseeds -</b>									
Flaxseed (56 lb.)	Bu.	451	692	1,334	2,026	3,972	3,340	12,176	9,900
Soybeans (60 lb.)	Bu.	11,557	14,702	37,162	37,071	155,394	172,552	402,116	452,384
Other	Lb.	26,175	17,811	1,572	1,972	253,573	175,322	175,322	175,322
Total oilseeds		—	—	34,008	41,074	—	—	406,659	511,776
Protein meal (oilcake and meal)	S.Ton.	136	133	10,166	10,425	1,406	1,367	175,244	171,176
Total oilseeds and products		—	—	42,756	46,826	—	—	516,894	589,125
<b>Tobacco, unmanufactured:</b>									
Burley	Lb.	3,840	4,040	3,763	3,076	40,534	36,386	34,483	30,199
Cigar wrapper	Lb.	360	681	603	1,210	3,585	4,843	7,472	10,532
Dark-fired Kentucky and Tennessee	Lb.	961	387	631	196	16,244	14,504	8,222	7,451
Flue-cured	Lb.	20,524	23,515	14,449	17,008	339,670	392,562	280,375	324,458
Maryland	Lb.	849	951	573	836	10,518	10,768	8,245	8,771
Other	Lb.	1,118	1,712	655	232	21,452	28,514	8,245	8,771
Total tobacco, unmanufactured	Lb.	23,732	31,286	20,274	23,056	432,403	487,977	348,534	385,115

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Table 11.—U. S. agricultural exports: Quantity and value by commodity,  
May 1963 and 1964 and July-May 1962-63 and 1963-64—Continued

Commodity exported	Unit	May 1/				July-May 1/			
		Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
		1963	1964	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1962-63	1963-64	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
<b>Vegetables and preparations:</b>									
Canned—		Thousands	Thousands	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	Thousands	Thousands	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
Asparagus .....	Lb.	6,674	4,501	1,394	992	50,510	51,108	11,811	12,779
Soups .....	Lb.	1,032	1,112	192	200	14,203	15,174	2,633	2,814
Tomato juice .....	Lb.	3,453	3,785	301	372	22,938	27,109	2,268	2,493
Tomato paste and puree .....	Lb.	1,084	655	189	137	11,785	13,342	2,434	2,755
Tomato sauce for cooking purposes .....	Lb.	61	94	8	12	1,007	907	134	121
Other .....	Lb.	6,314	5,698	987	845	66,580	55,047	8,951	7,922
Total canned vegetables .....	Lb.	18,618	15,845	3,071	2,558	107,023	162,687	28,231	28,664
Dry, ripe beans, including donations .....	Lb.	29,714	25,105	2,439	2,126	336,448	300,387	27,470	33,087
Dry, ripe peas (excluding cow and chick) .....	Lb.	9,557	8,766	653	611	235,694	215,977	15,747	14,601
Fresh—									
Lettuce .....	Lb.	26,147	23,114	895	802	149,162	164,263	6,383	8,022
Onions .....	Lb.	13,079	11,186	586	496	131,247	80,601	5,422	4,214
Potatoes, white .....	Lb.	39,859	25,611	956	998	272,728	128,594	6,877	3,725
Tomatoes .....	Lb.	17,628	11,093	1,453	1,204	73,934	82,913	6,939	7,654
Other .....	Lb.	56,284	47,590	2,673	2,456	401,384	316,297	21,558	18,647
Total fresh vegetables .....	Lb.	152,997	118,594	6,563	5,956	1,028,455	772,668	47,179	42,262
Frozen vegetables (including specialties) .....	Lb.	1,855	1,534	407	301	27,623	31,399	4,958	5,643
Soups and vegetables, dehydrated .....	Lb.	1,935	1,591	713	552	18,406	14,129	7,473	6,995
Vegetable seasonings .....	Lb.	325	739	271	423	5,194	4,315	3,675	2,993
Other .....	—	2/	2/	1,569	1,467	2/	2/	13,869	14,409
Total vegetables and preparations .....	—	—	—	15,686	13,994	—	—	148,602	147,974
<b>Other vegetable products:</b>									
Coffee .....	Lb.	2,226	2,175	2,507	2,239	22,421	29,683	27,214	32,041
Drugs, herbs, roots, crude .....	Lb.	256	246	152	229	3,460	3,299	3,711	4,377
Essential oils, natural .....	Lb.	665	835	1,370	1,843	7,281	7,170	13,719	15,904
Feeds and fodders (except oilcake and meal): S.Ton.	S.Ton.	87	89	5,829	5,262	854	865	52,297	55,179
Flavoring sirups for beverages .....	Gal.	92	98	726	746	999	1,040	6,454	7,170
Hops .....	Lb.	750	375	557	215	19,804	20,466	12,693	13,490
Nursery and greenhouse stock .....	—	2/	2/	709	930	2/	2/	5,427	6,388
Nuts and preparations .....	Lb.	4,919	12,086	996	1,724	42,664	85,356	14,901	22,629
Seeds, field and garden .....	Lb.	4,801	5,616	941	1,175	79,219	96,657	18,657	25,453
Spices .....	Lb.	215	225	218	104	3,585	3,240	2,089	2,346
Other, including donations .....	—	2/	2/	12,370	9,292	2/	2/	70,857	93,191
Total other vegetable products .....	—	—	—	36,377	23,839	—	—	228,019	270,368
Total vegetable products .....	—	—	—	441,142	440,873	—	—	4,111,572	4,929,100
<b>TOTAL AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS</b> .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,664,799	5,616,376
<b>TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL EXPORTS</b> .....	—	—	—	505,375	528,865	—	—	—	—
<b>TOTAL EXPORTS, ALL COMMODITIES</b> .....	—	—	—	1,632,115	1,696,587	—	—	15,064,944	16,831,821

1/ Preliminary.

2/ Reported in value only.

3/ Excludes the number of "other hides and skins," reported in value only.

Table 12.—U. S. agricultural imports for consumption: Quantity and value by commodity,  
May 1963 and 1964 and July-May 1962-63 and 1963-64

Commodity imported SUPPLEMENTARY	Unit	May 1/				July-May 1/			
		Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
		1963	1964	1963	1964	1962-63	1963-64	1962-63	1963-64
1,000 Thousands									
<b>ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS</b>				1,000 Thousands	1,000 Thousands			1,000 Thousands	1,000 Thousands
<b>Animals, live:</b>									
Cattle, dutiable .....	No.	72	42	4,730	2,203	1,186	594	104,418	46,225
Cattle, free (for breeding) .....	No.	2	2	622	637	16	18	5,513	6,083
Horses .....	No.	2/	2/	363	289	4	3	4,498	6,701
Other (including live poultry) .....		3/	3/	86	85	3/	3/	975	711
Total animals, live .....		---	---	5,801	3,214	---	---	115,404	59,720
<b>Dairy products:</b>									
Butter .....	Lb.	51	50	26	27	651	638	294	314
Cheese -									
Blue-mold .....	Lb.	376	386	182	192	3,880	3,457	1,922	1,741
Cheddar .....	Lb.	204	429	65	123	1,762	2,660	538	839
Edam and Gouda .....	Lb.	870	564	366	270	6,557	6,077	2,549	2,734
Pecorino .....	Lb.	1,740	1,192	811	649	16,908	13,231	9,367	7,475
Swiss .....	Lb.	1,316	1,108	667	593	16,498	15,562	8,797	8,367
Other .....	Lb.	3,328	3,346	1,163	1,188	26,140	32,385	11,331	12,769
Total cheese .....	Lb.	7,834	7,045	3,254	3,015	75,745	73,372	34,824	33,945
Cassin or lactarene .....	Lb.	8,863	7,864	1,577	1,405	80,049	86,205	14,358	15,665
Other .....		3/	3/	54	141	3/	3/	1,019	2,030
Total dairy products .....		---	---	4,911	4,588	---	---	50,495	51,954
<b>Hides and skins, raw (except fur):</b>									
Calf skins .....	Lb.	748	194	248	55	5,052	4,177	2,386	1,401
Cattle hides .....	Lb.	1,474	1,361	193	235	12,680	13,699	1,961	1,849
Goat and kid skins .....	Lb.	2,693	2,459	1,571	1,768	22,724	23,672	12,719	15,322
Sheep and lamb skins .....	Lb.	6,359	7,242	2,570	3,733	46,174	53,092	18,111	25,428
Other 4/ .....	Lb.	5,082	3,461	2,031	1,711	34,669	33,792	15,860	15,542
Total hides and skins, raw .....	Lb.	16,356	14,717	6,613	7,502	121,299	128,432	51,057	59,542
<b>Meat and meat products:</b>									
Beef and veal -									
Fresh, chilled, or frozen .....	Lb.	77,485	48,521	24,530	15,789	850,595	860,445	270,924	276,279
Other .....	Lb.	10,596	4,507	3,464	1,542	91,763	105,677	29,676	33,742
Total beef and veal .....	Lb.	88,081	53,108	28,294	17,331	942,358	966,122	303,600	310,021
Lamb, goat, and mutton .....	Lb.	5,681	3,372	1,304	756	63,705	54,947	18,480	12,565
Pork -									
Fresh, chilled, or frozen .....	Lb.	3,589	3,323	1,172	1,174	34,000	34,537	13,038	12,726
Ham and shoulders, canned cooked .....	Lb.	12,867	11,543	9,184	7,693	126,010	127,841	93,520	87,625
Other .....	Lb.	3,142	2,625	1,586	1,533	32,449	27,157	16,501	15,311
Total pork .....	Lb.	19,518	17,591	11,942	10,400	192,459	189,515	120,459	115,664
Sausage casings .....		3/	3/	1,579	1,559	3/	3/	15,414	15,756
Other (including meat extracts) .....	Lb.	7,845	5,448	2,230	1,166	77,048	3,486	21,335	17,062
Total meat and products (except poultry) .....		---	---	45,349	31,212	---	---	476,238	471,424
<b>Poultry products:</b>									
Eggs, dried, frozen, otherwise preserved ..	Lb.	0	2	0	1	3	6	4	7
Eggs in the shell .....	Doz.	84	51	161	64	1,645	1,921	345	1,026
Poultry meat .....	Lb.	8	3	44	8	198	249	419	539
Total poultry products .....		---	---	205	53	---	---	1,268	1,572

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Table 12.— U. S. agricultural imports for consumption: Quantity and value by commodity,  
May 1963 and 1964 and July-May 1962-63 and 1963-64 - Continued

Commodity imported SUPPLEMENTARY	Unit	July 1/			July-Lay 1/			Value 1963-64
		Quantity 1963	1964	Value 1963	1962-63	1963-64	1962-63	
Wool, unmanufactured (except free in bond):				1,000	1,000		1,000	1,000
40's to 56's	G.Lb.	2,415	1,914	1,445	1,305	25,279	17,974	12,831
Finer than 56's	G.Lb.	3,305	5,893	5,251	4,771	135,692	78,208	82,160
Other wools	G.Lb.	2,014	1,782	1,792	1,773	24,493	20,244	12,097
Total wool, unmanufactured	G.Lb.	13,844	13,529	14,486	7,150	135,425	131,529	115,934
								13,246
Other animal products:								
Bones, hoofs, and horns, unmanufactured	Lb.	371	371	342	313	3/	3/	3,757
Bristles, sorted, bunched, or prepared	Lb.	371	371	1,147	1,122	3,847	3,847	2,214
Fats, oils, greases, edible and inedible	Lb.	232	350	51	100	3/	3/	10,701
Feathers, crude	Lb.	661	653	568	575	3,007	3,054	1,581
Gelatin, edible	Lb.	745	620	663	625	7,701	7,453	4,714
Hair, unmanufactured	Lb.	256	792	43	103	1,826	10,566	3,530
Honey	Lb.	3/	3/	1,034	3/	4,330	2,192	7,617
Other		---	---	4,059	4,316	---	---	354
Total other animal products		---	---	71,450	58,478	---	848,170	777,307
Total animals and animal products		---	---	71,450	58,478	---	848,170	777,307
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS								
Cotton, unmanufactured (480 lb.):								
Cotton	Bale	1	4	161	352	131	164	23,432
Linters	Bale	11	17	321	321	113	170	3,732
Total cotton and linters	Bale	12	21	532	720	224	204	26,166
								24,174
Fruits and preparations:								
Apples, green or ripe (50 lb.)	Bu.	30	34	44	167	1,513	1,583	5,111
Berries	Lb.	7,411	6,422	541	965	47,086	61,143	6,145
Dates	Lb.	26	184	1	52	32,123	39,437	3,344
Figs	Lb.	1,723	1,965	115	166	13,629	25,345	5,781
Grapes (40 lb.)	Cu.Ft.	263	360	342	951	570	1,194	1,235
Melons	Lb.	31,561	64,524	2,607	2,060	219,637	103,541	2,588
Olives in brine	Gal.	330	1,456	1,478	1,854	11,166	12,483	1,726
Oranges, mandarin, canned	Lb.	4,001	3,143	539	1,043	44,167	42,294	8,735
Pineapples, canned, prepared or preserved	Lb.	9,192	12,411	1,073	1,407	93,499	119,367	9,925
Pineapple juice	Gal.	355	460	136	178	3,460	9,885	10,733
Other		3/	3/	2,397	2,631	3/	3/	2,004
Total fruits and preparations		---	---	10,956	12,446	---	16,740	23,204
							65,457	106,976
Grains and preparations:								
Barley grain (48 lb.)	Bu.	261	1,271	411	1,653	1,675	9,129	2,401
Barley malt	Bu.	9,452	8,704	466	426	104,722	96,472	5,614
Corn grain (56 lb.)	Bu.	66	173	140	337	633	1,033	1,485
Oats grain (32 lb.)	Bu.	622	129	645	109	3,761	3,412	3,198
Rice	Bu.	70	73	10	26	4,415	1,222	145
Rye grain (56 lb.)	Bu.	0	220	0	331	546	649	960
Wheat grain for domestic use (60 lb.)	Bu.	51	27	93	59	4,230	2,883	8,206
Wheat flour	Bu.	3/	3/	0	0	55	27	5,970
Other		---	---	1,041	3/	3/	2	1
Total grains and preparations		---	---	2,674	3,954	---	12,746	13,507
							24,822	41,970

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Table 12.-- U. S. agricultural imports for consumption: Quantity and value by commodity,  
July 1963 and 1964 and July-Jay 1962-63 and 1963-64 - Continued

Commodity imported SUPPLEMENTARY	Unit	July 1/				July-Jay 1/			
		Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
		1963	1964	1,000	1,000	1962-63	1963-64	1,000	1,000
		Thousands	Thousands	dollars	dollars	Thousands	Thousands	dollars	dollars
<u>Nuts and preparations:</u>									
Almonds .....	Lb.	2/	59	2/	27	176	212	102	119
Brazil nuts .....	Lb.	1,093	1,109	298	233	23,291	26,222	6,307	5,556
Cashew nuts .....	Lb.	7,075	5,233	2,770	2,388	65,575	67,392	25,279	27,718
Coconut meat, fresh, frozen, or prepared .....	Lb.	8,915	11,373	1,062	1,343	114,560	123,629	12,827	15,299
Pistache nuts .....	Lb.	1,149	708	635	356	14,083	11,743	6,759	6,422
Other .....		3/	3/	521	322	3/	3/	7,501	7,704
Total nuts and preparations .....		---	---	5,390	4,723	---	---	55,775	62,816
<u>Oilseeds and products:</u>									
Oils, edible and inedible -									
Cacao butter .....	Lb.	1,461	1,169	776	569	21,540	11,739	10,290	6,022
Carnauba wax .....	Lb.	1,451	1,137	601	459	11,066	12,173	4,798	4,967
Castor oil .....	Lb.	6,248	2,967	776	300	91,427	82,570	10,353	8,716
Coconut oil .....	Lb.	51,117	27,755	3,223	3,204	353,958	370,571	35,377	42,285
Olive oil, edible .....	Lb.	3,106	5,791	1,502	1,520	40,542	48,504	12,870	14,160
Palm oil .....	Lb.	5,183	1,055	6	106	26,236	7,115	2,337	705
Palm kernel oil .....	Lb.	9,064	5,132	1,092	637	81,259	65,252	9,040	8,058
Tung oil .....	Lb.	473	1,327	211	262	14,534	22,581	4,979	5,660
Other .....	Lb.	5,967	3,357	855	597	55,907	26,619	8,076	5,008
Total oils (except essential) .....	Lb.	64,195	28,690	9,512	7,673	695,578	654,919	98,123	56,584
Oilseeds -									
Copra .....	Lb.	17,242	50,590	1,246	3,737	570,043	487,420	38,061	36,693
Sesame seed .....	Lb.	2,714	2,896	362	428	22,623	21,315	3,233	3,046
Other .....		3/	3/	116	91	3/	3/	3,083	1,792
Total oilseeds .....		---	---	1,724	4,250	---	---	44,377	41,531
Protein meal (oilcake and meal) .....	Lb.	18,460	4,315	560	242	94,607	100,599	2,845	2,912
Total oilseeds and products .....		---	---	11,756	12,171	---	---	145,345	141,027
<u>Sugar and related products:</u>									
Cane sugar .....	S.Ton	384	241	48,026	47,621	4,235	3,333	475,218	500,591
Molasses unfit for human consumption .....	Gal.	25,006	35,010	4,124	4,610	237,193	244,755	30,654	37,440
Other .....		3/	3/	865	459	3/	3/	5,372	6,383
Total sugar and related products .....		---	---	53,075	52,250	---	---	511,244	544,614
<u>Vegetables and preparations:</u>									
Canned mushrooms .....	Lb.	1,514	1,212	762	612	9,173	11,683	4,655	6,037
Canned tomatoes, tomato paste and sauce .....	Lb.	6,014	6,837	531	462	145,865	91,855	12,573	10,727
Fresh or dried -									
Cucumbers .....	Lb.	220	10	14	1	57,297	52,630	3,436	4,685
Garlic .....	Lb.	822	1,169	140	138	15,528	17,005	3,285	2,740
Onions .....	Lb.	310	524	11	35	37,529	49,940	1,971	2,572
Potatoes, white .....	Lb.	6,459	30,242	136	729	89,850	139,261	1,827	3,222
Tomatoes, natural state .....	Lb.	22,320	34,712	1,633	3,754	237,397	242,190	20,500	26,725
Turnips and rutabagas .....	Lb.	486	1,037	12	46	74,936	94,942	1,302	1,894
Pickled vegetables .....	Lb.	1,841	1,866	278	260	13,050	13,445	2,127	2,123
Tapioca, tapioca flour, and cassava .....	Lb.	23,186	21,217	805	694	166,288	229,171	6,332	6,289
Other .....		3/	3/	1,655	1,605	3/	3/	25,414	22,729
Total vegetables and preparations .....		---	---	6,362	8,556	---	---	81,892	91,956

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Table 12.— U. S. agricultural imports for consumption: Quantity and value by commodity,  
May 1963 and 1964 and July-May 1962-63 and 1963-64 - Continued

Commodity imported SUPPLEMENTARY	Unit	May 1/				July-May 1/			
		Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
		1963	1964	1963	1964	1962-63	1963-64	1962-63	1963-64
<u>Other vegetable products:</u>									
Feeds and fodders (except oilcake and meal):		Thousands	Thousands	dollars	dollars	Thousands	Thousands	1,000	1,000
Hops	Lb.	124	101	75	93	5,504	5,603	11,307	17,177
Jute and jute butts, unmanufactured	L.Ton.	9	9	1,406	1,389	69	72	5,535	5,918
Malt liquors	Gal.	1,725	1,863	1,947	2,046	14,786	16,544	11,125	11,444
Nursery and greenhouse stock		3/	3/	38	72	3/	3/	17,338	18,584
Seeds, field and garden		3/	3/	912	517	3/	3/	13,250	13,107
Spices				458	455	44,493	47,299	17,962	17,378
Tobacco, unmanufactured	Lb.	2,888	3,224					6,609	7,663
Wines	Lb.	14,547	14,147	8,406	9,244	148,512	150,151	87,295	92,901
Other	Gal.	1,204	1,265	4,546	5,297	12,552	13,823	46,920	53,185
Total other vegetable products		3/	3/	1,301	668	3/	3/	8,360	10,134
Total vegetable products				19,977	21,094			225,701	247,491
<b>TOTAL SUPPLEMENTARY IMPORTS</b>				<b>110,732</b>	<b>116,620</b>			<b>1,169,902</b>	<b>1,265,915</b>
 COMPLEMENTARY									
Bananas	Lb.	339,351	289,009	7,750	9,781	3,066,775	3,214,708	69,744	81,259
Coffee (including into Puerto Rico)	Lb.	238,314	212,147	70,966	84,548	2,959,109	3,087,870	887,700	1,047,504
Coffee essences, substitutes and adulterants	Lb.	693	435	782	623	5,662	5,841	6,345	7,327
Cocoa or cacao beans	Lb.	48,075	35,148	11,099	8,070	582,324	486,056	116,378	111,672
Cocoa and chocolate, prepared	Lb.	7,709	10,233	1,112	1,896	94,305	120,024	17,321	20,611
Drugs, herbs, roots, etc.		3/	3/	2,085	1,986	3/	3/	19,493	19,215
Essential or distilled oils		3/	3/	1,717	1,470	3/	3/	21,305	19,306
Fibers, unmanufactured	L.Ton.	12	12	2,861	3,577	129	163	28,501	37,655
Rubber, crude	Lb.	77,361	96,718	16,039	20,224	898,848	783,138	213,956	171,467
Silk, raw	Lb.	351	362	2,072	2,031	4,526	4,395	26,119	25,116
Spices	Lb.	7,728	11,290	2,576	3,449	85,499	91,996	31,458	29,310
Tea	Lb.	11,293	11,552	5,212	5,151	123,566	120,442	5,696	54,328
Wool, unmanufactured (free in bond)	G.Lb.	19,978	14,482	10,427	9,784	190,010	173,876	92,920	104,492
Other complementary agricultural products		3/	3/	399	777	3/	3/	4,804	8,059
<b>TOTAL COMPLEMENTARY IMPORTS</b>				<b>137,117</b>	<b>153,367</b>			<b>1,593,740</b>	<b>1,737,321</b>
<b>TOTAL AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS</b>									
<b>TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL IMPORTS</b>				<b>323,305</b>	<b>328,465</b>			<b>3,611,812</b>	<b>3,780,623</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS, ALL COMMODITIES</b>				<b>1,115,177</b>	<b>1,105,330</b>			<b>11,452,340</b>	<b>12,456,396</b>
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### Explanatory Note

U.S. foreign agricultural trade statistics in this report include official U.S. data based on compilations of the Bureau of the Census. Agricultural commodities consist of (1) nonmarine food products and (2) other products of agriculture which have not passed through complex processes of manufacture such as raw hides and skins, fats and oils, and wine. Such manufactured products as textiles, leather, boots and shoes, cigarettes, naval stores, forestry products, and distilled alcoholic beverages are not considered agricultural.

The trade statistics exclude shipments between the 50 States and Puerto Rico, between the 50 States and the island possessions, between Puerto Rico and the island possessions, among the island possessions, and in transit through the United States from one foreign country to another when documented as such through U.S. Customs.

**EXPORTS** The export statistics also exclude shipments to the U.S. armed forces for their own use and supplies for vessels and planes engaged in foreign trade. Data on shipments valued at less than \$100 are not compiled by commodity and are excluded from agricultural statistics but are reflected in nonagricultural and overall export totals in this report. The agricultural export statistics include shipments under P.L. 87-195 (Act for International Development), principally sales for foreign currency; under P.L. 83-480 (Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act), and related laws; and involving Government payments to exporters. (USDA payments are excluded from the export value.) Separate statistics on Government program exports are compiled by USDA from data obtained from operating agencies.

The export value, the value at the port of exportation, is based on the selling price (or cost if not sold) and includes inland freight, insurance, and other charges to the port. The country of destination is the country of ultimate destination or where the commodities are to be consumed, further processed, or manufactured. When the shipper does not know the ultimate destination, the shipments are credited to the last country, as known to him at time of shipment from the United States, to which the commodities are to be shipped in their present form. Except for Canada, export shipments valued \$100-\$499 are included on the basis of sampling estimates; shipments to Canada valued \$100-\$1,999 are sampled.

**IMPORTS** Imports for consumption consist of commodities released from U.S. Customs custody upon arrival, or entered into bonded manufacturing warehouse, or withdrawn from bonded storage warehouse for consumption. The agricultural statistics exclude low-value shipments from countries not identified because of illegible reporting, but they are reflected in nonagricultural and overall import totals in this report.

The import value, defined generally as the market value in the foreign country, excludes import duties, ocean freight, and marine insurance. The country of origin is defined as the country where the commodities were grown or processed. Where the country of origin is not known, the imports are credited to the country of shipment.

Imports similar to agricultural commodities produced commercially in the United States and others that are interchangeable in use to any significant extent with such U.S. commodities are supplementary, or partly competitive. All other commodities are complementary, or noncompetitive.

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