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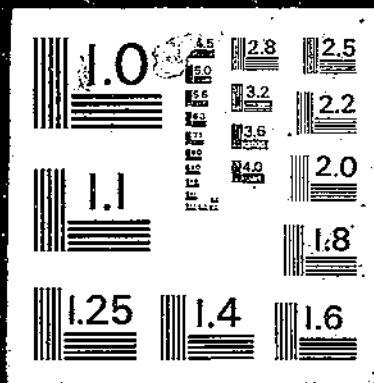
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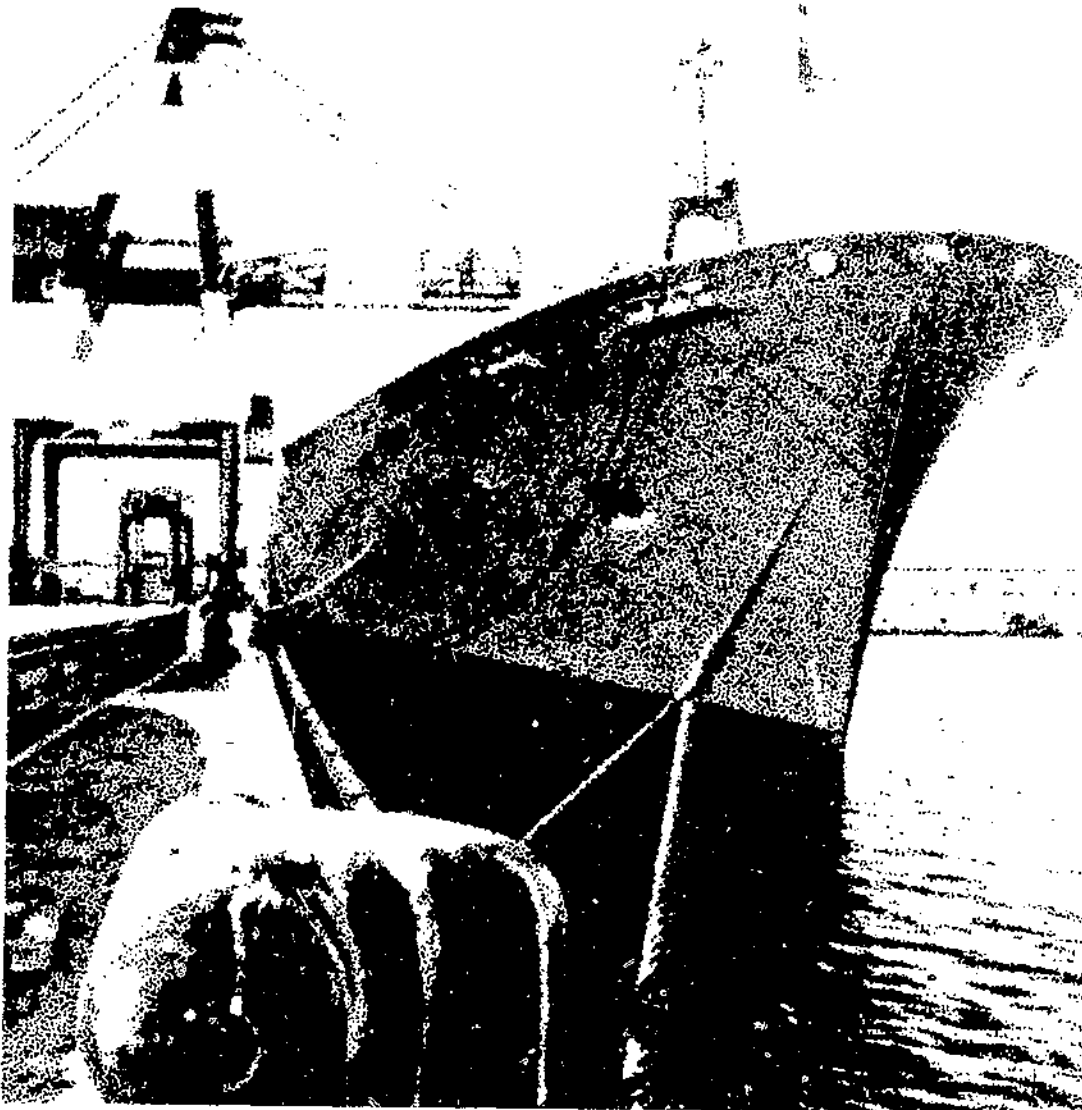
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DIGEST

October Agricultural Exports Continue Strong (see p. 4). Farm product exports in October were the second highest on record, totaling \$2.26 billion. From January through October, agricultural exports reached a record \$23.8 billion. The 10-month farm trade surplus amounted to \$11.7 billion, 48 percent above similar months a year earlier. Increased shipments of wheat, coarse grains, and oilseeds accounted for much of the gain.

Larger Share Of Farm Production Exported (see p. 33). A record \$27.3 billion in U.S. farm products was exported during fiscal year 1978--equal to 28 percent of 1977's cash receipts from farm marketings. Over half of the rice, sunflower seeds, wheat, and soybean crops moved abroad, and foreign markets were important outlets for cotton, tobacco, corn, and some livestock byproducts.

U.S. Agricultural Imports Rise 7 Percent During First 10 Months Of Calendar 1978 (see p. 36). U.S. agricultural imports were valued at \$12.1 billion during the first 10 months of 1978, 7 percent higher than a year ago. Value gains in cocoa products, rubber, bananas, live animals, dairy products, meat, fruits, vegetables, tobacco, wine, and malt beverages more than offset substantial value declines in coffee, tea, sugar, and vegetable oils.

Fiscal Year Export And Import Prices Moderate (see p. 61). U.S. fiscal year 1978 agricultural export prices were 5 percent lower and import prices were about the same as they were in fiscal 1977. Wheat, wheat flour, tobacco, corn feed byproducts, rice, inedible tallow and whole cattle hides were priced higher, while corn, grain sorghum, soybeans products, cotton, and nonfat dried milk were lower. Sharp declines in coffee prices were offset by rising prices for the other major commodities.

Bilateral World Food Aid Declines, Multilateral Increases In Calendar 1977 (see p. 66). Net disbursements of bilateral food aid from 17 developed countries and multilateral and regional food aid totaled an estimated \$1.8 billion in calendar 1977, slightly less than the previous year. The decline was in bilateral food aid which totaled \$1.3 billion, 10 percent less than in 1976.

The Relationship Between Export Prices And Unit Values (see p. 74). Several alternative prices can be used as indicators of agricultural commodity export unit values. Using coefficients of determination, the comparative strength of relationships between export prices and unit values can aid in forecasting.

OCTOBER AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS CONTINUE STRONG

Exports of farm products totaled \$2.66 billion during October, up sharply from the \$2.27 billion shipped in September and only slightly behind the record \$2.73 billion set in May 1978. October's strong agricultural export performance reflected increases in oilseeds, tobacco, fresh fruits and vegetables, edible nuts, and tallow.

The agricultural trade surplus for January-October 1978 amounted to \$11.7 billion, 48 percent above similar months a year earlier. Farm product exports climbed 24 percent to over \$23.8 billion, while imports rose only 7 percent to \$12.16 billion. October's agricultural trade surplus--almost \$1.44 billion--was the highest since last June's \$1.49 billion record.

Although U.S. wheat exports during October lagged slightly behind August and September levels, they were exceeded only three times since November 1975. From January through October, cumulative wheat exports reached 29 million tons, over 46 percent above the similar period a year earlier, and the highest since 1973. Because of higher prices this year, the wheat export value advanced 62 percent to \$3.65 billion.

The largest importer of U.S. wheat in January-October--the U.S.S.R.--increased purchases by 19 percent over 1977. Following closely behind was Japan which was the major destination in 1977, but taking 5 percent less this year. A more than quadrupling of imports by Brazil placed that country in third place this year with over 2.4 million tons. The People's Republic of China (PRC) moved up behind Korea as fifth principal foreign wheat market (over 1.25 million tons), with heavy shipments beginning in May. The last wheat exported to the PRC was in the fall of 1974. The PRC was the largest single destination for U.S. wheat in October.

Increased wheat exports in 1978 have also moved to Pakistan, Chile, Morocco, Nigeria, Iraq, Venezuela, the Philippines, Taiwan, and the European Community (EC). Substantially larger quantities were shipped from Great Lakes ports through Canadian Seaway ports.

Coarse grain export volume rose 20 percent to 47 million tons in January-October from over 39.2 million during similar months the previous year, setting a new 10-month record. Slightly higher prices resulted in a 23-percent value increase. Corn shipments accounted for most of the increase, gaining 28 percent in quantity and 31 percent in value. Reduced sorghum and barley exports offset part of the gain. The U.S.S.R. took nearly 10 million tons, or more than one-fifth of total U.S. coarse grain exports (including transshipments through Canada), versus about 2.4 million tons or 6 percent in January-October 1977. This tripling in volume plus export gains to Poland, Spain, Korea, and Taiwan more than offset lower shipments to EC members, Mexico, and Portugal. The 2.3 million tons of corn transshipped through Canada moved primarily to Spain (1.2 million tons) and the U.S.S.R. (430,000 tons).

Over \$6.3 billion in oilseeds and product exports moved abroad in January-October, up one-fifth from similar months a year earlier. Soybean export tonnage advanced more than 30 percent, while lower average prices resulted in a 14 percent value increase. A 10-month record of 16 million tons were shipped, and October's 2.3 million ton level approached the previous monthly record set in November 1977. Major destinations were the EC, Japan, Spain, Taiwan, and the U.S.S.R.

Table 1--Agricultural, nonagricultural, and total trade balance

Item	January-October		October	
	1977	1978	1977	1978
-- Million dollars --				
Agricultural exports	19,229	23,852	1,705	2,665
Nonagricultural exports	78,997	90,498	7,657	10,258
Total exports	98,226	114,350	9,362	12,923
Agricultural imports	11,327	12,136	855	1,229
Nonagricultural imports	111,023	130,776	11,726	13,957
Total imports	122,350	142,912	12,581	15,186
Agricultural trade balance	7,902	11,716	850	1,436
Nonagricultural trade balance	-32,026	-40,278	-4,069	-3,699
Total trade balance	-24,124	-28,562	-3,219	-2,263

Table 2--Export quantities of selected commodities, January-October 1977 and 1978, and October 1977 and 1978

Commodity	January-October		October	
	1977	1978	1977	1978
-- 1,000 Metric tons --				
Animal products:				
Fats, oils, and greases	1,188	1,086	134	133
Meats and meat products	333	340	30	38
Poultry meat, fresh or frozen	154	160	18	18
Grains:				
Wheat and products	20,984	30,372	1,943	3,243
Feed grains and products	39,398	47,195	3,447	3,851
Rice	1,727	1,764	82	193
Oilseeds and products:				
Soybeans	12,256	16,017	2,113	2,383
Protein meal	3,292	5,209	220	460
Vegetable oils and waxes	1,067	1,256	96	79
Other:				
Fruits and preparations	1,360	1,382	140	146
Vegetables and preparations	1,082	997	71	97
Tobacco	216	235	8	39
Cotton, excluding linters	827	1,159	34	65
Feeds and fodders	2,352	2,183	246	151
Total	86,236	109,355	8,582	10,896

Table 3--U.S. agricultural exports: Value by commodity, January-October 1977 and 1978, and October 1977 and 1978

Commodity	January-October			October		
	1977	1978	Change	1977	1978	Change
	Million dollars		Percent	Million dollars		Percent
Animals and animal products:						
Dairy products	149	119	-20	10	8	-20
Fats, oils, and greases	502	485	-3	53	65	+23
Hides and skins, including furskins :	673	731	+9	46	67	+46
Cattle hides, whole	437	489	+12	35	54	+54
Furskins	198	193	-3	8	8	---
Other hides and skins	38	49	+29	3	5	+67
Meats and meat products	498	601	+21	47	73	+55
Poultry and poultry products	254	280	+10	27	32	+19
Other	148	232	+57	17	34	+100
Total animals and animal products :	2,224	2,448	+10	200	279	+40
Cotton, excluding linters	1,270	1,473	+16	46	85	+85
Feeds and fodders, excl. protein meal:						
Corn byproducts	188	199	+6	18	11	-39
Alfalfa meal	44	39	-11	3	4	+33
Other	277	250	-10	19	20	+5
Total feeds and fodders, excl. protein meal	509	488	-4	40	35	-12
Fruits and preparations	688	848	+23	83	101	+22
Grains and preparations:						
Feed grains, excluding products	4,015	4,940	+23	301	392	+30
Rice	546	739	+35	26	84	+223
Wheat and products	2,453	3,893	+59	205	438	+114
Other	154	158	+3	22	16	-27
Total grains and preparations	7,168	9,730	+36	554	930	+68
Nuts and preparations	186	253	+36	46	67	+46
Oilseeds and products:						
Cottonseed and soybean oil	521	628	+21	35	36	+3
Soybeans	3,518	4,019	+14	448	593	+32
Protein meal	764	1,045	+37	41	98	+139
Other	458	650	+42	88	130	+48
Total oilseeds and products	5,261	6,342	+21	612	857	+40
Tobacco, unmanufactured	793	977	+23	29	175	+503
Vegetables and preparations	524	569	+9	40	58	+42
Other	606	725	+20	55	78	+42
Total agricultural exports	19,229	23,853	+24	1,705	2,665	+56

Table 4 --U.S. agricultural exports by regions, January-October 1977 and 1978, and October 1977 and 1978

Region ^{1/}	January-October		October		Change	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	Jan.-Oct. 1978	October 1978
	-- Million dollars --				-- Percent --	
Western Europe	6,839	7,267	688	957	+6	+39
European Community (EC-9)	5,450	5,743	556	780	+5	+40
Other Western Europe	1,389	1,524	132	177	+10	+34
Eastern Europe and U.S.S.R.	1,305	2,498	71	115	+91	+62
U.S.S.R.	825	1,617	28	60	+96	+114
Eastern Europe	480	881	43	55	+84	+28
Asia	6,433	8,156	458	906	+27	+98
West Asia	896	1,212	55	147	+35	+167
South Asia	497	585	21	48	+18	+129
East and Southeast Asia, ex. Japan and PRC:	1,999	2,509	120	238	+26	+98
Japan	3,040	3,495	261	412	+15	+58
People's Republic of China	1	354	<u>2/</u>	61	+100	+100
Latin America and Caribbean	1,852	2,486	201	292	+34	+45
Brazil	68	398	4	33	+485	+725
Mexico	574	676	76	107	+18	+41
Canada, excluding transshipments	1,294	1,347	135	151	+4	+12
Canadian transshipments	251	599	52	102	+138	+96
Africa	1,133	1,369	88	125	+21	+42
North Africa	654	786	45	65	+20	+44
Other Africa	479	583	43	60	+22	+40
Oceania	122	125	13	17	+2	+31
Total	19,229	23,853	1,705	2,665	+24	+56

^{1/} Not adjusted for transshipments.

^{2/} Less than \$500,000.

Table 5--U.S. agricultural exports: Value by months, January 1971 to October 1978

Month and quarter	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978 ^{1/}
-- Million dollars --								
January	670.3	769.7	1,135.5	1,833.9	2,452.5	1,994.1	1,906.7	1,937.7
February	634.5	714.2	1,150.1	1,909.8	1,920.0	1,715.1	2,045.2	2,068.0
March	714.5	668.2	1,411.4	2,092.6	1,911.0	1,873.3	2,290.8	2,518.9
January-March	2,019.3	2,152.1	3,727.0	5,836.3	6,283.5	5,582.5	6,242.7	6,524.6
April	632.1	627.7	1,265.5	2,011.1	1,757.1	1,932.3	2,206.3	2,507.8
May	623.1	711.5	1,367.3	1,796.5	1,495.9	1,848.4	2,196.3	2,728.6
June	607.1	743.5	1,376.1	1,704.4	1,389.1	1,823.8	1,880.2	2,640.0
April-June	1,862.3	2,082.7	4,008.9	5,512.0	4,642.1	5,604.5	6,283.0	7,876.4
January-June	3,881.6	4,234.8	7,735.9	11,348.3	10,925.6	11,187.0	12,525.7	14,401.0
July	578.5	680.8	1,223.7	1,631.5	1,532.2	1,798.6	1,746.6	2,132.5
August	546.2	679.0	1,478.1	1,452.3	1,600.1	1,759.6	1,540.8	2,391.5
September	749.3	708.5	1,449.2	1,382.6	1,609.5	1,796.9	1,733.8	2,267.2
July-September	1,874.0	2,069.3	4,151.0	4,466.4	4,741.8	5,355.1	5,021.2	6,792.2
October	465.9	907.5	1,736.4	1,711.9	2,081.7	2,250.6	1,705.0	2,664.9
November	630.2	1,080.4	2,085.6	2,352.5	2,175.5	2,120.9	2,081.4	
December	841.5	1,108.6	1,973.3	2,119.5	1,959.4	2,081.4	2,323.7	
October-December	1,937.6	3,096.5	5,793.3	6,183.9	6,216.6	6,452.9	6,110.1	
July-December	3,811.6	5,165.8	9,944.3	10,650.3	10,958.4	11,808.0	11,131.3	
January-December	7,693.2	9,400.7	17,680.2	21,998.6	21,864.1	22,996.7	23,657.0	
Monthly average	641.1	783.3	1,473.4	1,833.2	1,823.7	1,916.4	1,971.4	

^{1/} Preliminary.

TABLE 6 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY

COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
ALL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	98,225,500	114,350,300	--	--	9,361,800	12,922,600
NONAGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	78,996,742	90,497,796	--	--	7,656,817	10,257,701
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	19,228,758	23,852,504	--	--	1,704,983	2,664,899
ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	2,224,301	2,448,253	--	--	199,681	279,131
ANIMALS LIVE, EX POULTRY	---	---	---			--	--		
CATTLE	NO	83,273	98,610	81,928	121,693	--	--	9,688	18,172
OTHER	---	---	---	49,979	74,133	10,787	12,111	5,900	9,403
DAIRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	31,958	47,560	--	--	3,787	8,769
BUTTER	MT	---	---	149,200	119,341	--	--	10,202	8,476
CHEESE AND CURD	MT	227	172	460	393	21	9	45	24
MILK AND CREAM	MT	4,059	4,014	11,760	12,026	496	418	1,420	1,202
CONDENSED OR EVAPORATED	MT	---	---	94,737	86,500	--	--	5,969	5,246
DRY, WHOLE MILK AND CREAM	MT	12,562	14,489	8,045	9,206	1,375	1,922	835	1,185
FRESH OR SOUR	LIT	6,998,061	6,721,167	6,806	6,023	757	476	579	634
NONFAT DRY	MT	51,509	88,533	75,140	67,592	3,163	0,267	4,124	2,973
OTHER	---	---	---	42,243	20,322	--	--	2,768	2,004
FATS, OILS, AND GREASES	MT	1,187,919	1,085,783	502,178	485,344	134,305	132,797	53,132	65,292
LARD AND OTHER RENDERED PIG FAT	MT	69,381	44,441	33,439	26,928	8,131	5,830	3,614	3,738
TALLOW	MT	1,044,051	980,450	431,869	428,897	114,803	122,833	44,495	59,310
EDIBLE	MT	5,500	7,512	2,563	3,616	954	1,654	417	949
INEDIBLE	MT	1,038,551	972,938	429,305	425,281	113,849	121,179	44,078	58,361
OTHER	MT	74,478	60,892	36,870	29,519	11,371	4,134	5,023	2,244
MEATS AND MEAT PREPARATIONS	MT	333,475	339,841	497,979	600,560	30,072	37,760	46,770	72,510
BEEF AND VEAL, EXCEPT OFFALS	MT	33,469	45,811	97,293	158,995	3,659	4,183	10,724	16,599
PORK, EXCEPT OFFALS	MT	102,713	80,247	183,794	177,597	11,328	10,325	18,767	26,532
OFFALS, EDIBLE, VARIETY MEATS	MT	141,523	156,095	129,093	161,359	10,960	16,080	9,915	16,462
OTHER	MT	55,770	57,688	87,798	102,608	4,125	7,172	7,365	12,917
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	254,380	279,724	--	--	27,451	31,772
POULTRY, LIVE	---	---	---	25,824	29,887	--	--	2,438	3,410
BREEDING CHICKS	NO	8,269,002	10,801,139	16,347	21,903	779,016	970,666	1,395	2,318
BABY CHICKS, EX BREEDING CHICKS	NO	10,915,331	16,110,683	3,594	4,320	1,076,020	2,051,380	341	540
OTHER	---	---	---	5,883	3,664	--	--	701	552
POULTRY MEAT, FRESH, FROZEN	MT	154,245	160,442	149,923	169,859	17,724	18,332	17,725	21,397
CHICKENS	MT	128,492	133,571	120,605	133,763	15,211	15,138	14,682	16,517
TURKEYS	MT	19,219	18,883	21,553	26,938	1,989	2,219	2,325	3,817
OTHER	MT	6,534	7,988	7,765	9,159	524	975	719	1,064
POULTRY, CANNED AND SPECIALTIES	MT	2,878	1,063	4,200	1,849	411	75	616	207
OTHER POULTRY	MT	0	1,617	0	3,307	0	134	0	314
EGGS IN THE SHELL, FOR HATCHING	DOZ	14,317,480	15,912,525	20,394	23,925	1,790,458	1,515,137	2,378	2,220
EGGS IN THE SHELL, OTHER	DOZ	23,632,250	24,794,093	14,520	14,921	3,370,748	3,309,297	1,871	1,922
EGGS, AND EGGS ALBUMEN, DRIED	MT	1,048	2,800	5,406	10,781	89	335	495	1,096
EGGS & ALBUMEN, OTHERWISE PRES	MT	5,555	10,572	13,128	11,837	568	435	1,360	522
FEATHERS AND DOWN	---	---	---	22,324	13,358	--	--	766	684

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TABLE 6--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.	
HIDES AND SKINS, INC FURSKINS	---	---	---	672,875	730,944	---	---	46,494	66,730
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	TPC	20,372	20,159	437,194	489,440	1,623	1,906	34,514	53,886
FURSKINS	---	---	---	198,483	193,479	---	---	8,341	7,520
OTHER	---	---	---	37,198	48,025	---	---	3,639	5,324
OTHER ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	65,761	110,646	---	---	5,943	16,178
HAIR, ANIMAL, EX WOOL OR FINE HAIR	MT	443	2,982	698	3,435	20	113	45	234
SAUSAGE CASINGS	MT	5,699	5,834	28,499	19,137	575	564	1,670	2,598
WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED, INC FINE HAIR	MT	2,217	2,982	17,070	27,300	231	516	1,954	5,031
OTHER	---	---	---	27,495	60,775	---	---	2,274	8,316
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	17,004,457	21,404,251	---	---	1,505,302	2,385,768
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED	---	---	---	1,277,157	1,485,212	---	---	46,317	85,471
COTTON, RAW	MT	826,862	1,159,365	1,269,799	1,472,856	33,816	64,937	45,918	84,733
LINTERS	MT	44,504	53,257	7,357	12,356	3,025	3,062	399	738
FRUITS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	687,810	848,245	---	---	82,634	101,196
CANNED	MT	116,097	154,766	77,100	100,589	13,334	17,711	9,090	12,768
CHERRIES	MT	6,742	6,969	7,308	9,362	1,084	836	1,231	1,407
FRUIT COCKTAIL	MT	34,648	5,498	22,112	4,667	4,357	874	2,876	791
PEACHES	MT	42,087	72,703	22,474	37,628	4,199	6,748	2,288	3,913
PEARS	MT	2,770	3,534	1,780	2,263	275	228	194	204
PINEAPPLES	MT	13,687	12,008	9,289	8,553	1,900	1,426	1,341	1,120
OTHER	MT	16,163	54,054	14,137	38,116	1,519	7,599	1,160	5,333
DRIED	MT	72,121	90,351	90,849	119,871	14,424	12,278	18,051	17,149
PRUNES	MT	37,638	39,934	36,663	46,112	7,236	7,860	7,778	9,394
GRAPES (RAISINS)	MT	26,298	40,835	42,674	58,257	5,705	3,097	8,243	5,280
OTHER	MT	8,185	9,582	21,513	15,502	1,483	1,321	2,029	2,474
FRESH	MT	1,171,769	1,136,925	383,998	469,303	112,131	115,901	44,744	57,531
APPLES	MT	97,627	101,496	37,520	47,020	15,632	20,554	6,786	9,423
BERRIES	MT	18,288	19,679	14,295	15,699	1,052	1,996	701	1,577
GRAPEFRUIT	MT	239,542	228,630	57,463	57,863	22,254	17,078	5,336	5,189
GRAPES	MT	85,235	80,135	47,092	50,253	36,486	32,233	17,882	17,376
LEMONS AND LIMES	MT	204,350	195,611	63,979	87,059	10,462	17,687	4,465	10,946
ORANGES, TANGERINES, & CLEMENTINES	MT	366,602	307,224	105,133	122,865	16,880	13,204	6,209	6,666
PEARS	MT	21,599	22,660	7,629	9,898	3,661	4,067	1,392	1,727
OTHER	MT	138,526	181,490	50,889	78,647	5,784	9,082	2,692	4,526
FRUIT JUICES	HCL	1,672,287	2,701,186	120,536	136,514	126,475	255,522	8,982	11,697
GRAPEFRUIT	HCL	253,666	316,030	13,788	15,497	16,774	22,055	905	1,164
ORANGE	HCL	922,463	1,680,008	79,879	87,287	50,402	145,260	4,737	7,459
OTHER	HCL	496,158	705,140	26,868	33,730	59,299	88,207	3,341	3,074
FROZEN FRUITS	MT	7,900	10,578	6,608	8,694	1,128	1,184	871	823
OTHER	MT	16,722	19,639	8,718	13,273	1,270	1,525	895	1,228
NUTS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	185,613	253,410	---	---	46,370	66,742
ALMONDS, SHELLED BASIS	MT	51,735	52,172	111,041	141,705	8,934	8,526	21,015	28,300
WALNUTS, NOT SHELLED BASIS	MT	38,406	94,301	26,181	38,159	16,988	18,489	18,589	26,265
OTHER	---	---	---	48,390	73,546	---	---	6,765	12,176

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TABLE 6--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.	
GRAINS AND PREPARATIONS				7,167,809	9,730,386	--	--	554,140	929,597
FEED GRAINS AND PRODUCTS	MT	39,398,037	47,194,701	4,051,708	4,982,022	3,446,780	3,850,909	304,290	395,887
FEED GRAINS	MT	39,251,988	47,028,386	4,014,537	4,939,538	3,431,135	3,838,685	300,873	392,389
BARLEY	MT	1,421,860	621,677	144,767	66,279	174,758	67,064	14,534	8,794
CORN	MT	32,900,667	42,108,661	3,380,250	4,444,794	3,020,721	3,535,954	265,105	360,124
GRAIN SORGHUMS	MT	4,878,001	4,152,971	484,056	413,924	218,683	216,161	19,735	21,520
OATS	MT	51,460	145,077	5,463	14,542	16,773	19,506	1,580	1,951
MALT AND FLOUR, INC BARLEY MALT	MT	17,217	19,838	5,471	6,116	687	1,353	293	485
CORN GRITS AND HOMINY	MT	11,728	16,538	1,810	2,824	981	980	134	168
CORNMEAL	MT	73,248	78,689	13,056	16,009	10,428	4,983	1,799	1,032
CORN STARCH	MT	31,464	26,637	13,186	11,147	2,421	2,450	916	1,133
OTHER CORN PRODUCTS	MT	0	5,384	0	1,152	0	506	0	86
oatmeal & oats, rolled, etc	MT	12,392	19,229	3,648	6,035	1,128	1,952	276	592
RICE	MT	1,726,595	1,764,111	545,533	738,930	82,037	192,657	26,289	84,093
MILLED	MT	1,485,059	1,539,915	488,142	663,078	62,208	173,884	20,915	78,136
HUSKED, BROWN	MT	241,536	224,196	57,391	75,851	19,829	18,773	5,374	5,958
RYE	MT	704	667	69	51	70	149	8	10
WHEAT AND PRODUCTS	MT	20,983,965	30,372,396	2,452,838	3,892,882	1,943,119	3,242,539	205,476	437,744
WHEAT	MT	19,881,102	29,131,234	2,253,810	3,654,585	1,880,774	3,143,872	194,238	418,069
WHEAT FLOUR	MT	887,190	951,414	160,365	183,272	40,449	84,410	7,564	16,830
OTHER WHEAT PRODUCTS	MT	215,673	289,748	38,663	54,925	21,896	14,257	3,674	2,824
BAKERY PRODUCTS	MT	20,099	1,545	21,966	1,407	2,336	77	2,489	181
DIETETIC FOODS	MT	855	0	2,054	0	65	0	164	0
BLENDED FOOD PRODUCTS	MT	115,088	128,640	47,176	43,779	24,282	12,438	10,618	3,773
OTHER				46,467	70,515	--	--	4,805	7,910
FEEDS AND FODDERS, EX OIL CAKE & MEAL				509,426	487,805	--	--	40,169	35,482
HAY, FODDER, ROOTS, LUPINES, ETC	MT	117,448	82,713	11,049	6,892	10,674	14,628	1,005	1,157
CORN BYPRODUCTS, FEED	MT	1,601,532	1,511,971	187,557	199,069	151,273	80,754	18,210	11,408
ALFALFA MEAL, DEHYDRATED	MT	108,051	68,862	13,920	7,735	7,745	14,187	936	1,660
ALFALFA MEAL, SUN-CURED	MT	122,096	134,554	16,246	11,999	9,270	7,192	929	787
ALFALFA HAY CUBES	MT	132,256	196,648	13,398	18,898	11,825	17,526	1,222	1,567
ANIMAL FEED, PREPARED	MT	270,854	187,123	84,013	71,392	55,749	16,281	7,219	6,667
OTHER				183,243	171,820	--	--	10,648	12,235
OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS				5,261,410	6,342,352	--	--	612,426	857,410
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	MT	3,292,481	5,208,939	764,259	1,044,737	220,215	460,363	40,758	97,785
SOYBEAN OIL CAKE AND MEAL	MT	3,176,955	4,913,857	738,903	994,282	207,931	433,194	38,797	93,006
OTHER	MT	115,526	295,158	25,356	50,455	12,284	27,169	1,961	4,780
OILSEEDS				3,797,511	4,451,628	--	--	514,045	702,444
FLAXSEED	MT	11,721	2,323	2,422	475	11,518	0	2,365	0
SOYBEANS	MT	12,256,049	16,816,918	3,517,874	4,018,791	2,112,642	2,382,721	448,090	593,157
SUNFLOWER SEED	MT	320,480	739,819	82,494	193,674	179,470	314,553	40,997	78,609
SAFFLOWER SEED	MT	27,342	38,532	7,471	9,266	4,314	9,208	1,776	2,226
PEANUTS, SHELLED BASIS	MT	239,437	268,426	161,346	209,689	26,650	33,691	19,312	26,323
OTHER	MT	92,076	64,805	25,904	19,734	8,373	7,748	2,206	2,129
VEG OILS AND WAXES	MT	1,067,332	1,255,590	675,508	807,255	95,924	78,547	55,550	53,949
COTTONSEED OIL	MT	272,058	280,191	158,689	164,699	16,062	11,740	9,306	6,796
SOYBEAN OIL	MT	609,965	766,816	362,229	463,536	49,452	47,170	25,588	29,351
PEANUT OIL	MT	35,262	36,097	28,475	34,156	5,142	5,725	4,090	4,675
OTHER	MT	150,047	172,576	126,116	144,913	25,268	13,912	16,567	13,128
PROTEIN SUBSTANCES	MT	24,534	45,174	24,132	38,732	2,110	3,281	2,072	3,232

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TABLE 6--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.	
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	216,064	234,700	792,908	976,758	8,096	39,306	28,580	174,748
BURLEY	MT	34,799	38,751	145,490	175,956	477	2,156	2,168	9,518
CIGAR WRAPPER	MT	1,545	1,320	18,199	19,189	140	137	1,998	2,100
DARK-FIRED KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE	MT	7,338	6,963	26,530	26,956	271	1,434	892	5,786
FLUE-CURED	MT	134,270	143,403	556,584	685,783	4,907	28,185	21,714	148,234
MARYLAND	MT	3,350	3,690	13,666	15,905	3	583	9	2,760
OTHER	MT	34,762	40,573	31,440	52,970	2,298	6,811	1,799	6,351
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	523,912	568,895	--	--	40,399	58,219
CANNED	MT	94,864	95,579	59,685	67,512	10,179	11,665	6,276	7,867
ASPARAGUS	MT	874	1,207	1,188	1,898	76	148	129	249
CORN	MT	23,958	28,920	13,705	16,553	3,576	3,964	1,935	2,279
SOUPS	MT	10,756	13,477	7,649	11,606	792	1,708	565	1,317
TOMATOES, TOMATO SAUCE AND PUREE	MT	21,462	24,652	14,894	16,605	2,398	3,100	1,717	1,972
OTHER	MT	37,834	27,323	22,249	20,850	3,337	2,745	1,929	2,850
PULSES	MT	268,387	224,395	83,494	97,992	16,250	33,542	7,088	12,623
DRIED BEANS	MT	143,713	173,990	55,209	75,494	13,516	22,037	5,742	7,947
DRIED PEAS, INC COW AND CHICK	MT	45,717	35,516	17,158	13,756	2,520	6,659	1,210	2,053
DRIED LENTILS	MT	16,957	14,889	11,127	8,742	214	4,846	136	2,624
DRIED, OTHER	MT	0	734	0	867	0	52	0	51
FRESH	MT	778,730	677,283	179,574	184,205	45,045	52,123	12,862	15,343
ASPARAGUS	MT	4,351	5,302	4,469	6,349	60	25	47	16
LETTUCE	MT	133,260	140,410	26,000	34,025	15,608	13,667	3,045	2,813
ONIONS	MT	72,122	76,299	17,364	17,253	5,772	10,565	1,371	2,308
POTATOES, EXCEPT SWEET POTATOES	MT	289,388	136,757	42,178	20,290	3,297	2,618	481	407
TOMATOES	MT	57,578	75,051	20,958	25,087	7,443	7,671	2,857	2,663
OTHER	MT	222,031	249,464	68,599	81,200	12,865	17,577	5,060	7,137
FROZEN VEGETABLES	MT	59,723	64,452	28,512	36,061	3,468	7,873	1,980	4,491
HOPS	MT	5,177	4,906	12,246	11,848	29	218	76	675
SOUPS AND VEGETABLES, DEHYDRATED	MT	34,785	55,129	40,711	55,923	2,275	5,464	3,567	6,077
TOMATO JUICE, CANNED	HCL	154,894	123,005	5,939	7,141	12,516	12,698	663	734
VEGETABLE SEASONINGS	MT	16,893	9,816	20,627	10,949	1,176	867	1,293	1,066
OTHER	---	---	---	93,123	96,396	--	--	6,293	9,292
OTHER VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	598,413	711,188	--	--	54,567	76,902
COFFEE	MT	19,850	14,312	86,841	90,647	1,976	2,276	6,749	11,803
DRUGS, HERBS, ROOTS, ETC	MT	4,622	4,535	20,230	40,347	329	655	10,694	11,056
ESSENTIAL OILS AND RESINOIDS	MT	5,843	8,172	66,788	73,358	217	731	3,884	7,552
FLAVORING SIRUPS, SUGARS, EXTRACTS	---	---	---	92,704	149,858	--	--	6,056	10,658
HONEY	MT	2,066	2,936	3,024	4,337	149	365	213	529
NURSERY STOCK	---	---	---	34,433	39,911	--	--	2,944	3,367
SEEDS, EXCEPT OILSEEDS	MT	149,441	198,259	134,045	160,819	14,011	37,968	11,327	15,921
SPICES	MT	4,417	5,956	12,171	15,948	298	594	878	1,605
OTHER	---	---	---	140,177	135,963	--	--	11,822	10,411

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TABLE 7--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP
DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER		OCTOBER	
		1977	1978	1977	1978
ALL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---
NONAGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---
ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
ANIMALS LIVE, EX POULTRY	---	---	---	---	---
CATTLE	NO	600.034	751.782	546.990	776.402
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
DAIRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
BUTTER	MT	2,027.837	2,286.390	2,127.571	2,665.556
CHEESE AND CURD	MT	2,897.154	2,996.052	2,863.460	2,874.974
MILK AND CREAM	---	---	---	---	---
CONDENSED OR EVAPORATED	MT	640.425	635.363	607.575	616.685
DRY, WHOLE MILK AND CREAM	MT	708.700	1,199.945	764.871	1,332.162
FRESH OR SOUR	LIT	.678	.562	.681	.552
NONFAT DRY	MT	1,458.776	763.472	1,303.803	359.646
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
FATS, OILS, AND GREASES	MT	422.741	446.999	395.605	491.667
LARD AND OTHER RENDERED PIG FAT	MT	481.965	605.931	444.472	641.169
TALLOW	MT	413.647	437.449	387.573	482.851
EDIBLE	MT	466.046	481.317	436.850	573.932
INEDIBLE	MT	413.369	437.110	387.160	481.608
OTHER	MT	495.051	484.781	441.757	542.783
MEATS AND MEAT PREPARATIONS	MT	1,493.302	1,767.178	1,555.269	1,920.290
BEEF AND VEAL, EXCEPT OFFALS	MT	2,906.968	3,470.682	2,930.769	3,968.228
PORK, EXCEPT OFFALS	MT	1,789.397	2,213.127	1,656.686	2,569.705
OFFALS, EDIBLE, VARIETY MEATS	MT	912.168	1,033.724	904.608	1,023.755
OTHER	MT	1,574.292	1,778.675	1,785.439	1,801.017
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
POULTRY, LIVE	---	---	---	---	---
BREEDING CHICKS	NO	1.977	2.028	1.791	2.389
BABY CHICKS, EX BREEDING CHICKS	NO	.329	.268	.317	.263
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
POULTRY MEAT, FRESH, FROZEN	MT	971.982	1,058.695	1,000.061	1,167.205
CHICKENS	MT	938.615	1,001.435	965.197	1,091.065
TURKEYS	MT	1,121.466	1,426.550	1,168.883	1,719.959
OTHER	MT	1,188.464	1,146.584	1,371.286	1,091.365
POULTRY, CANNED AND SPECIALTIES	MT	1,459.228	1,739.194	1,499.786	2,761.240
OTHER POULTRY	MT	---	2,044.982	---	2,342.485
EGGS IN THE SHELL, FOR HATCHING	DOZ	1.424	1.504	1.328	1.465
EGGS IN THE SHELL, OTHER	DOZ	.614	.602	.555	.581
EGGS, AND EGGS ALBUMEN, DRIED	MT	5,158.832	3,850.365	5,556.270	3,272.648
EGGS & ALBUMEN, OTHERWISE PRES	MT	2,363.268	1,119.687	2,395.106	1,199.306
FEATHERS AND DOWN	---	---	---	---	---

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DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER		OCTOBER	
		1977	1978	1977	1978
HIDES AND SKINS, INC FURSKINS	---	---	---	---	---
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	TPC	21,460.526	24,279.005	21,265.429	28,271.614
FURSKINS	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
HAIR, ANIMAL, EX WOOL OR FINE HAIR	MT	1,575.467	1,151.858	2,233.050	2,070.522
SAUSAGE CASINGS	MT	3,596.924	3,280.218	2,904.689	4,605.798
WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED, INC FINE HAIR	MT	7,699.483	9,154.760	8,460.017	9,749.298
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED	---	---	---	---	---
COTTON, RAW	MT	1,585,684	1,270,399	1,357,878	1,304,849
LINTERS	MT	165,310	232,007	431,900	241,018
FRUITS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
CANNED	---	---	---	---	---
CHERRIES	MT	664.100	649.942	681.741	720.900
FRUIT COCKTAIL	MT	1,084.014	1,343.399	1,135.656	1,682.522
PEACHES	MT	638.187	848.774	660.067	904.555
PEARS	MT	533.980	517.553	544.935	579.947
PINEAPPLES	MT	642.664	640.441	706.327	895.899
OTHER	MT	678.648	712.257	705.751	785.162
DRIED	MT	874.663	705.154	763.676	701.842
PRUNES	MT	1,259.679	1,326.725	1,251.442	1,396.719
GRAPES (RAISINS)	MT	974.099	1,154.705	1,074.899	1,195.220
OTHER	MT	1,622.690	1,426.647	1,444.944	1,704.937
FRESH	MT	1,406.552	1,617.799	1,368.461	1,873.042
APPLES	MT	327.708	412.783	399.034	496.382
BERRIES	MT	384.316	463.268	434.133	458.471
GRAPEFRUIT	MT	781.638	797.735	666.788	840.263
GRAPES	MT	239.887	253.084	239.770	303.853
LEMONS AND LIMES	MT	552.496	627.104	468.190	539.085
ORANGES, TANGERINES, & CLEMENTINES	MT	313.087	445.964	426.826	618.893
PEARS	MT	286.776	399.920	372.550	504.821
OTHER	MT	353.194	436.815	380.261	424.758
FRUIT JUICES	MT	367.358	433.338	471.905	498.302
GRAPEFRUIT	HCL	72.078	50.539	71.022	45.779
ORANGE	HCL	54.356	49.035	53.931	52.776
OTHER	HCL	86.593	51.956	93.978	51.351
FROZEN FRUITS	MT	54.152	47.835	56.344	34.852
OTHER	MT	836.501	821.939	772.495	695.274
	MT	521.350	675.850	704.888	805.136
NUTS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
ALMONDS, SHELLED BASIS	MT	2,146.342	2,716.112	2,352.250	3,399.392
WALNUTS, NOT SHELLED BASIS	MT	681.690	1,112.474	688.787	1,420.574
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---

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DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER		OCTOBER	
		1977	1978	1977	1978
GRAINS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
FEED GRAINS AND PRODUCTS	MT	102.840	105.580	88.283	102.803
FEED GRAINS	MT	102.276	105.833	87.689	102.220
BARLEY	MT	101.815	106.813	83.167	131.133
CORN	MT	102.741	105.555	87.762	101.846
GRAIN SORGHUMS	MT	99.233	99.669	90.161	99.558
OATS	MT	106.165	100.234	89.408	100.024
MALT AND FLOUR, INC BARLEY MALT	MT	317.796	308.318	425.885	358.129
CORN GRITS AND HOMINY	MT	154.358	170.783	136.137	171.549
CORNMEAL	MT	178.240	203.445	172.501	207.058
CORN STARCH	MT	419.073	418.476	378.273	462.573
OTHER CORN PRODUCTS	MT	---	214.046	---	174.042
OATMEAL & OATS, ROLLED, ETC	MT	294.386	313.857	244.949	303.054
RICE	MT	315.959	418.868	320.448	436.493
MILLED	MT	328.702	430.594	336.207	449.354
HUSKED, BROWN	MT	237.609	338.325	271.007	317.370
RYE	MT	97.339	76.477	113.857	66.919
WHEAT AND PRODUCTS	MT	116.891	128.172	105.746	135.000
WHEAT	MT	113.364	125.456	103.275	132.985
WHEAT FLOUR	MT	180.756	192.631	187.011	199.389
OTHER WHEAT PRODUCTS	MT	179.265	189.561	167.787	198.106
BAKERY PRODUCTS	MT	1,092.887	910.741	1,065.699	2,349.429
DIETETIC FOODS	MT	2,401.959	---	2,527.554	---
BLENDED FOOD PRODUCTS	MT	407.085	340.322	437.277	303.316
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
FEEDS AND FODDERS, EX OIL CAKE & MEAL	---	---	---	---	---
HAY, FODDER, ROOTS, LUPINES, ETC	MT	94.081	83.325	94.167	79.121
CORN BYPRODUCTS, FEED	MT	117.111	131.662	120.378	141.268
ALFALFA MEAL, DEHYDRATED	MT	128.832	112.321	120.806	117.034
ALFALFA MEAL, SUN-CURED	MT	133.058	89.177	100.240	109.486
ALFALFA HAY CUBES	MT	101.306	96.102	103.336	89.432
ANIMAL FEED, PREPARED	MT	310.177	381.526	129.492	409.496
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	MT	232.122	200.566	185.082	212.409
SOYBEAN OIL CAKE AND MEAL	MT	232.582	202.342	186.587	214.698
OTHER	MT	219.486	170.943	159.604	175.920
OILSEEDS	---	---	---	---	---
FLAXSEED	MT	206.678	204.354	205.351	---
SOYBEANS	MT	287.032	250.909	212.099	248.941
SUNFLOWER SEED	MT	257.408	261.786	228.435	249.908
SAFFLOWER SEED	MT	273.232	240.465	249.376	241.784
PEANUTS, SHELLLED BASIS	MT	790.174	781.179	724.636	783.393
OTHER	MT	281.336	304.511	263.435	274.735
VEG OILS AND WAXES	MT	632.094	642.929	579.108	686.838
COTTONSEED OIL	MT	583.291	587.998	579.351	578.847
SOYBEAN OIL	MT	593.852	604.495	517.426	622.238
PEANUT OIL	MT	807.516	944.845	795.427	816.546
OTHER	MT	840.508	839.708	655.650	943.627
PROTEIN SUBSTANCES	MT	983.599	857.405	981.989	985.092

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TABLE 7--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP
DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER		OCTOBER	
		1977	1978	1977	1978
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	3,669.785	4,161.732	3,530.148	4,445.847
BURLEY	MT	4,209.595	4,540.693	4,545.178	4,414.584
CIGAR WRAPPER	MT	11,779.383	14,537.115	14,274.300	15,327.562
DARK-FIRED KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE	MT	3,615.383	3,871.349	3,290.756	4,834.529
FLUE-CURED	MT	4,145.258	4,782.205	4,425.130	5,259.329
MARYLAND	MT	4,879.477	4,310.212	3,018.000	4,734.269
OTHER	MT	904.431	1,305.539	782.707	932.457
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
CANNED	MT	629.159	706.353	616.560	674.419
ASPARAGUS	MT	1,358.862	1,572.349	1,698.211	1,682.277
CORN	MT	572.534	572.377	541.040	574.939
SOUPS	MT	711.127	861.185	713.899	771.227
TOMATOES, TOMATO SAUCE AND PUREE	MT	693.948	673.576	716.135	636.112
OTHER	MT	588.073	763.105	578.197	746.760
PULSES	MT	400.670	436.696	436.211	376.341
DRIED BEANS	MT	384.165	433.901	424.844	360.599
DRIED PEAS, INC CORN AND CHICK	MT	375.298	387.327	480.340	308.331
DRIED LENTILS	MT	586.980	587.114	634.481	541.383
DRIED, OTHER	MT	---	1,181.406	---	979.500
FRESH	MT	230.598	271.976	285.547	294.368
ASPARAGUS	MT	1,027.067	1,197.512	786.550	633.840
LETTUCE	MT	195.110	242.327	195.094	205.789
ONIONS	MT	240.832	226.123	237.510	218.473
POTATOES, EXCEPT SWEET POTATOES	MT	145.750	155.175	146.034	155.375
TOMATOES	MT	363.999	334.270	383.914	347.183
OTHER	MT	308.962	325.497	393.347	406.031
FROZEN VEGETABLES	MT	562.105	559.505	570.832	570.442
HOPS	MT	2,365.460	2,415.023	2,637.586	3,096.367
SOUPS AND VEGETABLES, DEHYDRATED	MT	1,170.362	1,014.406	1,567.911	1,112.198
TOMATO JUICE, CANNED	HCL	38.345	58.054	52.984	57.775
VEGETABLE SEASONINGS	MT	1,221.061	1,115.415	1,099.683	1,229.386
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
COFFEE	MT	4,374.885	6,333.637	3,415.526	5,185.949
DRUGS, HERBS, ROOTS, ETC	MT	6,107.808	8,896.885	32,504.872	16,879.056
ESSENTIAL OILS AND RESINOIDS	MT	11,430.359	8,976.740	17,898.263	10,331.442
FLAVORING SIRUPS, SUGARS, EXTRACTS	---	---	---	---	---
HONEY	MT	1,463.626	1,477.191	1,429.564	1,450.066
NURSERY STOCK	---	---	---	---	---
SEEDS, EXCEPT OILSEEDS	MT	896.975	811.157	808.470	419.323
SPICES	MT	2,755.466	2,677.587	2,946.000	2,701.226
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 8 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
CATTLE, LIVE	NO	83,278	98,610	49,970	74,133	10,787	12,111	5,900	9,403
CANADA		23,538	37,692	7,335	18,390	2,627	4,170	869	1,943
MEXICO		21,633	19,096	12,006	12,456	2,430	3,287	1,207	2,429
COSTA RICA		2,615	806	2,339	696	150	44	102	44
COLOMBIA		572	1,923	750	1,856	84	291	47	192
BRAZIL		546	418	1,250	1,185	7	8	30	36
ARGENTINA		849	478	1,871	968	1	8	2	39
HUNGARY		2,824	587	2,648	1,197	1,031	0	716	0
SPAIN		886	0	1,247	0	0	0	0	0
YUGOSLAVIA		3,083	1,050	2,167	1,203	123	0	89	0
IRAN		6,952	11,886	4,588	11,603	1,461	558	970	549
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		6,330	11,622	4,487	10,738	1,456	2,131	928	2,434
JAPAN		6,572	4,891	5,117	6,044	529	198	340	120
OTHER		6,878	8,161	4,165	7,800	836	1,506	600	1,618
MILK & CREAM, CONDENSED OR EVAPORATED	MT	12,562	14,488	8,045	9,206	1,375	1,921	635	1,185
MEXICO		10,388	11,816	6,254	7,150	994	1,560	606	911
BAHAMAS		330	110	177	82	61	2	32	3
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS		209	186	142	191	33	17	23	29
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES		88	23	187	12	0	0	0	1
TRUST TERR PAC IS		644	909	471	705	195	117	124	90
GUINEA		196	260	228	118	0	84	0	34
OTHER		706	1,184	566	949	91	141	50	118
MILK, NONFAT DRY	MT	51,509	88,533	75,140	67,592	3,163	6,267	4,124	2,973
MEXICO		155	18,131	84	7,684	0	233	0	100
GUATEMALA		1,835	2,126	2,046	1,759	280	664	423	219
COSTA RICA		1,899	92	2,809	143	0	0	0	0
HAITI		1,611	2,477	2,420	2,565	4	229	7	81
BOLIVIA		1,375	2,327	2,019	1,114	0	0	0	0
CHILE		6,161	316	9,287	113	45	125	68	44
LEBANON		894	1,219	1,334	1,813	0	83	0	29
INDIA		4,460	21,078	6,687	16,541	1	4,488	2	1,588
INDONESIA		2,352	2,974	3,553	1,164	4	1	11	2
PHILIPPINES		2,850	62	18,412	138	1,422	0	1,472	0
MOROCCO		1,842	5,330	2,701	3,996	0	15	0	5
ALGERIA		1,877	403	2,789	651	0	0	0	0
EGYPT		1,175	2,350	1,734	1,363	0	1,908	0	673
SUDAN		151	3,048	38	2,790	0	0	0	0
UPPER VOLTA		2,248	6,256	3,297	7,276	44	11	71	4
SOMALIA		26	2,471	39	3,694	0	0	0	0
MOZAMBIQUE		228	2,958	368	3,039	228	0	368	0
OTHER		10,540	14,914	15,514	11,768	1,134	569	1,703	228
LARD AND OTHER RENDERED PIG FAT	MT	69,380	44,441	33,439	26,928	8,131	5,830	3,614	3,738
CANADA		15,616	16,192	6,901	10,016	3,495	2,223	1,333	1,435

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TABLE 8--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
MEXICO		25,106	21,718	12,662	12,657	2,954	2,637	1,390	1,641
BELIZE		1,069	1,175	939	956	17	176	14	158
UNITED KINGDOM		17,644	3,205	8,021	1,655	712	645	297	370
NETHERLANDS		2,660	0	777	0	0	0	0	0
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		1,746	1	987	1	300	0	129	0
POLAND		3,383	0	1,709	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER		2,157	2,150	1,443	1,643	654	149	451	134
TALLOW, INEDIBLE:									
MEXICO	MT	1,038,552	972,937	429,305	425,281	113,849	121,179	42,078	58,361
COLOMBIA		37,059	41,805	15,831	18,150	3,532	3,094	1,522	1,541
VENEZUELA		31,285	28,854	11,919	12,268	2,498	4,340	963	2,071
UNITED KINGDOM		11,692	23,260	4,731	10,377	3,791	1,598	1,531	809
NETHERLANDS		82,072	44,822	32,419	19,363	8,130	6,010	3,032	2,840
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		79,650	83,337	32,090	35,900	6,662	11,883	2,186	5,495
FRANCE		37,031	23,868	14,067	10,049	11,683	6,481	4,050	3,115
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		22,577	11,427	8,932	5,289	5,294	2,475	2,018	1,203
USSR		68,847	65,047	26,580	26,310	6,563	10,859	2,140	4,745
SPAIN		0	43,706	0	18,744	0	0	0	0
INDIA		39,400	27,395	15,548	11,929	3,358	5,406	1,215	2,502
PAKISTAN		21,517	18,761	10,318	8,788	33	5,009	27	2,500
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA		44,167	38,871	20,015	17,383	6,146	2,718	2,551	1,314
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		3,000	24,868	1,140	11,657	0	0	0	0
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		80,967	63,384	32,700	28,405	6,524	16,419	2,466	8,327
JAPAN		8,633	23,506	3,506	9,814	750	4,064	262	1,845
ALGERIA		80,296	70,458	32,021	31,210	8,869	7,847	3,403	3,818
EGYPT		28,657	29,547	12,204	12,621	4,606	3,327	1,977	1,497
NIGERIA		92,918	102,951	42,766	44,040	6,100	9,141	3,111	4,319
OTHER		28,397	27,249	11,425	12,097	4,662	4,660	1,683	2,398
		240,388	179,754	101,092	80,889	24,649	15,857	10,339	8,022
BEEF AND VEAL, EXCEPT OFFALS									
CANADA	MT	33,470	45,812	97,293	158,995	3,660	4,183	10,724	16,599
BERMUDA		3,448	2,978	12,301	11,121	354	505	1,343	1,775
BAHAMAS		672	723	2,887	3,183	64	65	251	312
NETHERLANDS, ANTILLES		2,154	2,237	6,318	7,593	199	203	582	702
VENEZUELA		638	1,048	2,207	3,548	76	138	209	553
NETHERLANDS		2,276	335	4,088	469	41	86	79	85
SAUDI ARABIA		537	475	2,215	1,711	10	61	30	163
JAPAN		1,377	1,658	4,872	6,521	140	138	465	836
OTHER		15,794	29,299	40,872	99,731	2,262	2,143	6,181	9,201
		6,580	7,060	21,533	25,119	515	844	1,583	2,972
PORK, EXCEPT OFFALS									
CANADA	MT	102,713	83,312	183,794	185,619	11,328	10,672	18,767	27,433
MEXICO		65,905	38,532	105,713	73,666	6,754	3,101	11,196	6,724
BAHAMAS		3,729	7,370	2,267	5,336	836	1,011	448	783
VENEZUELA		1,767	2,062	3,206	4,488	199	241	373	585
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		4,082	4,000	7,288	12,436	1,587	774	2,149	2,698
		182	4,099	514	9,063	0	1,562	0	3,179

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TABLE 8--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
JAPAN		20,262	18,177	53,881	63,452	1,283	3,009	3,366	11,502
OTHER		6,786	9,071	10,936	17,197	670	974	1,238	2,041
OFFALS, EDIBLE, VARIETY MEATS	MT	141,524	156,097	129,093	161,359	10,959	16,080	9,915	16,462
CANADA		1,672	4,971	1,206	4,587	354	441	303	466
MEXICO		11,066	13,096	5,916	8,065	907	1,504	478	1,132
UNITED KINGDOM		24,192	30,648	19,005	23,437	2,424	2,268	1,831	1,888
NETHERLANDS:		16,060	16,004	13,960	13,271	1,082	1,427	630	1,053
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		8,975	9,389	9,705	10,223	534	1,052	489	1,140
FRANCE		43,789	43,427	42,502	41,350	3,169	4,526	2,830	4,616
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		9,781	7,598	5,536	2,904	409	881	225	380
JAPAN		12,526	18,619	20,810	44,502	1,271	2,354	2,281	4,458
OTHER		13,464	12,344	10,454	13,021	809	1,546	648	1,330
BREEDING CHICKS	MNO	8,269	10,801	16,347	21,903	779	971	1,395	2,318
CANADA		1,291	2,401	1,110	1,739	95	126	115	92
MEXICO		258	302	1,221	1,503	27	57	11	173
VENEZUELA		328	362	649	1,129	32	30	99	84
BRAZIL:		186	230	1,212	1,632	5	14	8	161
FRANCE		102	231	532	954	8	28	45	191
SPAIN		245	259	965	1,274	24	5	51	15
JAPAN		434	477	713	466	33	88	40	141
OTHER		1,657	1,394	3,244	3,255	75	93	126	278
		3,768	5,146	6,500	9,950	480	528	902	1,184
POULTRY MEAT, CHICKENS, FRESH, FROZEN	MT	128,493	133,571	120,605	133,763	15,211	15,137	14,682	16,517
CANADA		9,662	10,424	10,213	11,567	676	1,037	730	974
MEXICO		4,446	5,705	3,513	4,874	530	754	443	682
JAMAICA		11,597	11,345	3,939	4,764	854	609	428	179
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS		4,988	6,913	3,035	4,850	754	639	473	413
NETHERLANDS: ANTILLES		3,299	3,776	3,555	4,408	303	429	371	516
VENEZUELA		2,669	19,652	2,919	20,989	861	2,891	982	3,017
USSR		6,335	0	6,726	0	0	0	0	0
IRAQ		14,320	0	14,640	0	3,934	0	3,881	0
SINGAPORE		7,617	7,693	6,917	7,176	1,173	933	1,075	970
HONG KONG		15,528	16,498	12,167	13,124	871	1,348	655	1,111
JAPAN		24,981	29,494	27,780	36,488	2,661	5,020	3,022	6,567
EGYPT		5,552	2,487	6,029	2,309	0	0	0	0
CANARY ISLANDS:		3,068	4,183	2,889	4,895	260	465	326	543
NIGERIA		3,172	2,816	2,735	2,566	1,000	0	875	0
OTHER		11,258	12,583	13,547	15,813	1,335	1,013	1,420	1,545
POULTRY MEAT, TURKEYS, FRESH, FROZEN	MT	19,218	18,884	21,553	26,938	1,988	2,219	2,325	3,817
CANADA		1,320	1,070	1,763	1,278	118	102	164	101
UNITED KINGDOM		528	934	1,294	2,815	118	212	326	661
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		8,343	8,315	8,834	11,976	553	1,069	556	1,654
SWITZERLAND:		532	757	798	1,240	7	190	15	340

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TABLE 8--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
HONG KONG		1,147	676	1,060	866	128	113	111	168
JAPAN		472	604	733	1,277	60	124	106	270
TOGO		563	42	604	28	0	0	0	0
NIJERIA		3,003	3,563	2,532	2,942	463	17	367	7
OTHER		3,310	2,923	3,935	4,514	562	393	680	616
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	MNO	20,372	20,159	437,194	489,440	1,623	1,906	34,514	53,886
CANADA		719	841	13,126	18,012	57	119	1,063	2,930
MEXICO		1,511	1,566	27,933	38,620	253	184	4,568	5,594
FRANCE		698	440	16,644	11,170	19	30	425	858
CZECHOSLOVAKIA		584	472	11,156	10,317	14	12	260	378
SPAIN		730	681	13,161	15,781	47	67	903	2,308
ITALY		907	1,025	17,597	21,951	25	70	446	1,438
ROMANIA		1,165	1,513	21,718	35,780	0	261	0	7,590
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		3,023	3,014	77,276	86,125	184	191	4,793	6,491
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		703	844	14,754	18,241	65	78	1,497	1,794
JAPAN		7,095	7,390	156,426	186,649	797	668	16,708	20,017
OTHER		3,238	2,373	67,402	47,395	203	227	3,851	4,527
COTTON, RAW EXCLUDING LINTERS	MT	826,862	1,159,365	1,269,799	1,472,856	33,816	64,937	45,916	84,733
CANADA		37,972	41,983	57,141	53,735	4,335	4,958	5,954	6,912
SPAIN		17,842	12,836	29,760	17,447	334	772	177	1,082
INDIA		31,248	22	50,314	29	0	0	0	0
BANGLADESH		23,488	21,045	38,869	25,627	0	0	0	0
THAILAND		32,235	35,589	48,098	46,770	1,769	2,266	2,166	2,977
INDONESIA		31,435	45,538	50,693	60,782	1,028	2,592	1,573	3,733
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA		0	112,621	0	137,213	0	3,220	0	3,869
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		176,212	256,632	263,883	323,858	8,284	11,633	11,892	14,951
HONG KONG		71,830	108,376	102,294	130,806	4,209	7,696	5,448	9,506
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		86,891	112,139	118,136	132,360	3,534	5,136	3,965	6,078
JAPAN		160,554	213,924	247,895	271,029	4,810	11,990	6,636	15,829
EGYPT		25,148	13,556	46,514	19,711	0	0	0	0
OTHER		132,007	185,060	216,241	253,489	5,514	14,675	8,107	19,795
FRUIT COCKTAIL, CANNED	MT	34,648	5,498	22,112	4,667	4,357	874	2,876	791
CANADA		15,418	972	9,928	515	2,431	62	1,575	66
NICARAGUA		37	135	31	149	6	2	5	2
PANAMA		667	75	529	95	65	24	52	35
BERMUDA		36	145	27	152	3	0	1	0
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES		144	406	115	260	4	53	3	27
SWEDEN		1,681	90	1,029	150	133	1	85	1
NORWAY		880	6	572	8	258	2	180	3
UNITED KINGDOM		1,348	12	588	10	2	2	2	3
NETHERLANDS		833	58	521	51	110	12	72	13
FRANCE		20	324	14	181	4	31	3	33
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		888	78	508	83	80	3	48	3
AUSTRIA		883	-1	513	1	15	0	9	0

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		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
SWITZERLAND		2,026	118	1,191	159	178	92	110	126
ITALY		10	330	6	239	0	328	0	237
ISRAEL		886	19	509	14	134	17	78	11
SAUDI ARABIA		570	139	395	109	80	0	67	0
SINGAPORE		1,157	196	706	210	113	16	72	13
INDONESIA		326	194	232	172	22	62	17	60
HONG KONG		1,662	31	1,047	41	163	1	108	1
JAPAN		2,030	1,452	1,415	1,472	131	41	94	35
OTHER		3,125	717	2,256	595	405	124	297	120
PEACHES, CANNED	MT								
CANADA		42,088	72,703	22,474	37,628	4,199	6,748	2,288	3,913
SWEDEN		19,212	19,471	10,460	10,991	2,516	1,640	1,406	1,054
NORWAY		1,594	1,578	841	845	40	267	22	164
UNITED KINGDOM		621	1,458	350	782	194	46	90	39
NETHERLANDS		33	4,049	24	2,110	0	70	0	37
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		1,228	1,441	614	706	77	35	40	26
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		885	1,272	472	676	16	47	8	30
SWITZERLAND		4,486	19,797	2,047	8,809	451	1,187	195	618
JAPAN		383	1,834	199	864	127	648	57	355
OTHER		9,044	15,182	4,731	8,116	365	2,114	191	1,194
		4,602	6,622	2,735	3,728	424	694	278	396
PRUNES, DRIED	MT								
CANADA		37,639	39,933	36,663	44,112	7,236	7,860	7,778	9,394
VENEZUELA		3,391	2,663	3,013	2,759	382	450	383	491
SWEDEN		928	1,224	997	1,518	346	114	342	144
NORWAY		1,891	2,692	2,158	3,989	293	234	355	387
FINLAND		1,416	2,246	1,524	1,950	224	959	265	465
DENMARK		2,199	2,266	2,601	3,233	518	507	707	790
UNITED KINGDOM		2,126	2,256	1,991	2,626	388	327	428	436
NETHERLANDS		1,869	1,894	1,729	2,041	314	216	313	284
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		567	622	614	1,138	78	115	80	168
FRANCE		1,151	1,322	1,156	1,674	45	161	50	226
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		7,783	4,318	7,864	4,673	2,526	227	2,680	324
SPAIN		2,633	4,007	2,688	4,966	433	1,045	422	1,553
ITALY		933	1,029	1,015	1,444	372	450	431	674
JAPAN		4,818	7,159	3,846	7,267	823	2,026	912	2,283
OTHER		797	1,690	721	1,852	20	488	30	537
		5,137	4,347	4,746	4,983	474	540	380	632
GRAPES, DRIED (RAISINS)	MT								
CANADA		26,298	40,235	42,674	58,257	5,705	3,097	8,243	5,280
VENEZUELA		4,969	5,332	7,729	7,026	1,272	573	1,645	665
SWEDEN		885	726	1,842	1,400	290	70	494	173
NORWAY		2,339	2,921	3,773	5,084	416	683	571	1,254
FINLAND		746	1,502	1,478	2,685	57	19	89	65
DENMARK		1,618	1,636	3,018	2,881	315	369	608	724
UNITED KINGDOM		1,574	1,750	2,774	2,768	169	174	281	276
		3,140	774	4,580	1,127	1,286	69	1,712	115

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		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
NETHERLANDS		1,209	1,501	2,227	2,856	296	263	474	529
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		661	1,152	1,190	1,816	172	128	275	224
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		1,238	2,407	1,833	3,170	410	169	571	277
JAPAN		4,389	14,628	6,161	18,441	214	200	270	465
NEW ZEALAND		448	701	1,033	1,649	118	19	268	49
OTHER		3,084	5,806	5,035	7,353	692	363	985	464
GRAPEFRUITS, FRESH	MT	239,541	228,630	57,463	57,863	22,254	17,078	5,336	5,189
CANADA		46,470	47,136	10,204	10,487	6,660	3,811	1,517	1,026
NETHERLANDS		19,290	28,786	5,810	6,408	1,105	1,749	219	639
FRANCE		19,798	29,417	4,980	6,611	2,338	1,395	569	452
JAPAN		143,530	113,550	34,046	31,605	9,375	9,468	2,650	2,844
OTHER		10,453	9,741	2,422	2,751	2,775	655	582	229
GRAPE, FRESH	MT	85,234	80,135	47,092	50,253	36,486	32,233	17,082	17,376
CANADA		75,106	66,537	38,254	37,799	33,842	28,667	14,680	14,063
SINGAPORE		1,118	1,743	961	1,564	270	498	222	424
INDONESIA		977	1,238	812	1,156	206	249	195	226
HONG KONG		4,659	4,091	4,238	4,212	682	928	860	974
JAPAN		345	1,308	271	1,158	184	559	180	539
OTHER		3,030	5,219	2,597	4,364	1,102	1,332	946	1,151
LEMONS AND LIMES, FRESH	MT	204,350	195,611	63,979	67,059	10,462	17,687	4,465	10,946
CANADA		14,579	14,461	6,004	6,937	1,396	1,249	628	656
NETHERLANDS		8,315	4,389	2,201	1,211	441	250	118	81
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		6,933	4,267	1,585	1,111	245	226	59	62
FRANCE		21,772	12,257	4,984	3,297	940	2,032	224	563
GERMAN DEM. REPUBLIC		7,734	4,536	1,624	1,198	0	0	0	0
POLAND		20,123	24,508	4,210	6,191	0	861	0	237
USSR		13,135	12,485	2,882	3,075	0	0	0	0
HONG KONG		3,410	3,446	1,329	1,828	216	429	106	204
JAPAN		88,093	100,383	34,424	58,006	6,292	11,310	2,985	8,709
OTHER		20,256	14,880	4,738	4,204	931	1,329	345	434
ORANGES, TANBERINES, CLEMENTINES, FRESH	MT	366,602	307,224	105,133	122,865	16,881	13,204	6,289	6,656
CANADA		151,162	129,197	44,670	47,931	8,732	6,198	3,142	2,770
UNITED KINGDOM		15,981	3,765	3,504	1,136	291	0	60	0
NETHERLANDS		30,571	19,555	7,851	6,841	168	0	66	0
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		9,997	7,421	2,195	2,561	0	0	0	0
FRANCE		9,667	2,181	2,249	736	0	0	0	0
SINGAPORE		12,803	7,928	3,476	3,251	866	467	317	212
HONG KONG		89,418	74,672	27,458	34,288	4,988	4,694	2,068	2,562
JAPAN		21,119	45,501	6,811	20,237	896	1,349	363	926
OTHER		26,863	17,004	6,918	6,283	939	496	274	206
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	MLTR	25,367	31,604	13,788	15,497	1,677	2,206	905	1,164
CANADA		14,033	17,966	6,826	8,503	1,212	1,786	630	830

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		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000	1,000	DOL.	DOL.			1,000	1,000
		DOL.	DOL.					DOL.	DOL.
BAHAMAS		1,815	202	801	77	256	4	118	3
UNITED KINGDOM		1,112	2,733	1,020	958	3	8	6	12
NETHERLANDS		1,279	1,394	879	664	2	37	2	11
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		714	2,125	476	973	0	14	0	12
JAPAN		771	1,388	712	1,343	94	135	90	139
OTHER		5,643	5,796	3,074	2,979	109	221	59	157
ORANGE JUICE	MLTR	92,246	168,001	79,879	87,287	5,040	14,526	4,737	7,459
CANADA		46,485	101,989	40,538	47,269	3,887	10,445	3,694	4,749
SWEDEN		6,517	12,645	6,881	4,764	0	1,080	0	569
NETHERLANDS		6,570	7,011	5,387	4,585	40	273	51	101
OTHER		32,674	46,356	27,074	30,670	1,113	2,728	992	1,941
ALMONDS, SHELLED BASIS	MT	51,735	52,172	111,041	141,705	8,934	9,325	21,015	28,300
SWEDEN		2,633	2,602	5,852	8,203	1,187	784	2,734	2,867
UNITED KINGDOM		3,113	3,537	7,180	9,905	383	461	961	1,748
FRANCE		2,743	2,545	5,259	7,381	961	588	1,929	2,147
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		16,089	16,476	34,116	43,782	2,533	2,742	6,268	9,397
USSR		6,000	4,500	12,370	12,701	2	0	6	0
JAPAN		8,963	9,275	19,274	24,107	696	1,208	1,699	4,300
OTHER		12,194	13,237	26,990	35,626	3,172	2,542	7,418	7,841
WALNUTS, UNSHELLED BASIS	MT	38,406	34,301	26,161	38,159	26,988	18,489	18,589	26,265
CANADA		2,926	1,970	1,520	1,468	678	782	445	625
UNITED KINGDOM		3,677	1,313	1,654	1,043	1,091	226	284	299
NETHERLANDS		4,486	1,904	1,669	1,935	4,290	934	1,491	1,049
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		1,626	1,817	843	1,934	1,558	1,690	785	1,809
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		8,749	9,172	8,908	13,287	8,085	6,749	8,180	10,933
SPAIN		2,507	3,786	2,336	5,475	1,494	2,848	1,505	4,757
ITALY		2,833	1,907	2,616	2,663	2,208	1,747	2,070	2,498
OTHER		11,581	12,433	6,636	10,353	7,575	3,513	3,838	4,295
FEED GRAINS	MT	39,251,987	47,028,384	4,014,537	4,939,538	3,431,135	5,838,684	306,873	392,389
MEXICO		2,189,230	1,954,832	226,236	219,707	213,652	181,865	21,336	20,232
UNITED KINGDOM		2,546,224	1,548,717	249,375	155,533	230,081	197,364	18,007	18,362
NETHERLANDS		3,721,250	2,389,623	381,341	249,073	307,466	317,682	26,855	33,323
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		1,657,863	1,436,158	162,797	149,792	117,315	169,599	9,519	16,659
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		3,166,670	1,880,875	321,696	195,882	383,730	114,729	32,540	11,809
POLAND		1,049,138	1,787,127	100,515	182,366	161,454	31,263	13,621	2,974
USSR		2,321,978	9,424,308	262,121	1,002,401	191,912	417,998	17,964	43,177
SPAIN		1,064,563	1,400,301	107,001	141,378	58,809	32,900	4,682	3,177
PORTUGAL		1,715,314	1,251,966	171,541	130,085	111,728	65,049	10,349	6,713
ITALY		1,905,829	2,046,277	199,703	216,809	25,409	23,252	2,058	2,131
GREECE		811,273	800,172	83,477	82,595	79,772	92,654	6,565	9,175
ISRAEL		939,976	899,075	96,760	88,787	61,631	91,721	5,972	9,522
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		1,247,546	1,627,419	125,704	174,101	88,059	158,675	7,491	15,306
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		1,032,213	1,657,940	108,424	177,080	49,067	146,974	4,138	15,946

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		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
JAPAN		8,285,625	9,049,562	867,052	958,428	788,674	733,014	73,377	76,649
UNDNTFD CTRY-CAN T/S		1,557,167	2,321,026	131,399	223,634	299,983	210,791	23,050	18,385
OTHER		4,040,127	5,553,005	419,395	591,907	262,393	853,215	23,348	88,849
BARLEY	MT	1,421,861	621,677	144,767	66,279	174,758	67,064	14,534	8,794
MEXICO		7	66,305	1	10,024	0	28,464	0	4,521
COLOMBIA		26,003	0	3,725	0	0	0	0	0
DENMARK		67,657	0	7,655	0	0	0	0	0
UNITED KINGDOM		79,495	0	9,327	0	0	0	0	0
NETHERLANDS		53,699	0	6,298	0	0	0	0	0
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		32,154	0	3,531	0	0	0	0	0
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		118,933	35,518	13,329	3,222	3,636	0	277	0
GERMAN DEM. REPUBLIC		0	55,132	0	5,192	0	0	0	0
POLAND		4,288	141,210	327	13,188	4,288	0	327	0
ITALY		65,841	0	7,559	0	10,395	0	807	0
CYPRUS		45,211	0	3,609	0	16,098	0	1,220	0
IRAQ		43,236	43,435	4,602	3,637	0	0	0	0
IRAN		59,734	16,025	6,150	1,717	16,161	0	1,160	0
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		352,098	10,000	34,184	1,306	61,651	0	5,327	0
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		0	168,886	0	18,432	0	38,258	0	4,215
JAPAN		52,680	47,340	5,496	5,124	17,999	341	1,755	58
ALGERIA		126,798	0	11,970	0	16,450	0	1,363	0
TUNISIA		61,788	15,747	5,278	1,488	15,750	0	1,295	0
UNDNTFD CTRY-CAN T/S		135,606	9,100	12,132	1,487	6,996	0	529	0
OTHER		96,641	11,178	9,600	1,463	5,334	0	455	0
OATS	MT	51,460	145,076	5,463	14,542	16,773	19,506	1,500	1,951
JAMAICA		1,079	432	200	89	0	91	0	19
VENEZUELA		6,018	1,821	875	247	1,366	6	184	0
NETHERLANDS		6,085	10,500	516	982	6,085	10,500	516	982
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		2,540	0	201	0	2,540	0	201	0
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		7,043	84,793	603	3,155	0	0	0	0
GERMAN DEM. REPUBLIC		6,096	0	517	0	6,096	0	517	0
ITALY		11,118	0	806	0	0	0	0	0
JAPAN		9,882	30,789	1,526	3,483	354	6,858	74	682
UNDNTFD CTRY-CAN T/S		472	8,692	59	714	12	937	4	15
OTHER		1,126	8,050	163	871	320	1,120	4	253
CORN, EXCEPT SEED	MT	50,666	42,108,661	3,380,250	4,444,794	3,020,720	3,535,954	265,105	360,124
MEXICO		1,520,797	1,403,396	159,524	158,721	212,930	87,898	21,298	9,021
UNITED KINGDOM		2,432,722	1,548,319	236,654	155,506	230,081	197,221	18,007	18,353
NETHERLANDS		3,581,328	2,379,123	366,190	246,091	301,381	307,182	26,340	32,341
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		1,481,092	1,402,989	144,283	146,903	114,775	169,599	9,318	16,659
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		3,040,694	1,766,564	307,764	184,505	380,094	114,729	32,263	11,809
POLAND		974,461	1,328,794	93,313	136,801	157,166	31,203	13,294	2,974
USSR		2,321,869	9,424,308	262,113	1,002,401	191,912	417,998	17,964	43,177
SPAIN		669,795	1,274,271	71,406	129,721	16,443	32,900	1,191	3,177

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		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
PORTUGAL		1,321,018	1,144,394	134,663	119,701	90,169	65,049	8,600	6,713
ITALY		1,828,646	2,046,248	191,327	216,807	15,013	23,252	1,251	2,131
GREECE		811,273	800,172	83,477	82,595	79,772	92,654	6,565	9,175
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		895,448	1,617,412	91,521	172,792	26,408	158,675	2,164	15,306
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		1,032,213	1,427,306	108,424	152,666	49,067	108,715	4,138	11,731
JAPAN		6,383,662	7,205,828	671,990	776,321	625,448	669,264	57,998	70,752
UNDETFD' CTRY-CAN T/S		1,421,089	2,303,234	119,209	221,434	292,975	209,854	22,517	18,370
OTHER		3,184,558	5,045,303	338,391	539,830	237,087	849,760	22,196	88,438
BRAIN SORGHUMS, EXCEPT SEED	MT	4,878,008	4,152,970	484,056	413,924	218,683	216,161	19,735	21,520
MEXICO		668,052	461,353	66,702	50,798	402	65,345	35	6,682
VENEZUELA		192,293	313,126	20,089	35,093	1,390	24,646	129	2,817
NORWAY		130,871	72,437	13,156	7,743	0	0	0	0
BELGIUM-LUXENBOURG		142,077	33,169	14,782	2,889	0	0	0	0
POLAND		70,389	320,123	6,874	32,376	0	0	0	0
SPAIN		394,769	126,030	35,595	11,657	42,367	0	3,491	0
PORTUGAL		394,296	104,822	36,878	9,751	21,559	0	1,748	0
ROMANIA		35,722	100,822	2,831	9,758	0	0	0	0
ISRAEL		578,527	565,996	57,172	53,231	0	61,399	0	5,971
JAPAN		1,839,401	1,765,605	188,040	173,500	144,873	56,551	13,550	50,156
OTHER		431,604	269,487	41,936	27,128	8,292	8,220	781	895
RICE	MT	1,726,592	1,764,113	545,533	738,930	82,038	192,657	26,269	84,093
CANADA		67,885	61,358	19,943	23,308	8,510	9,600	2,636	3,567
NETHERLANDS		46,713	12,784	13,147	4,541	8,640	2,382	2,447	795
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		45,576	55,647	14,505	24,040	0	3,582	0	1,424
USSR		77,094	16,342	21,011	5,969	5,952	0	1,771	0
PORTUGAL		63,646	27,180	17,943	9,575	4	1	1	1
IRAQ		54,975	71,862	16,409	30,940	0	0	0	0
IRAN		365,316	262,019	121,352	112,066	1,799	32,742	703	14,282
SAUDI ARABIA		65,010	194,481	28,036	121,342	8,195	26,395	3,842	17,037
INDONESIA		161,647	351,583	42,885	116,513	12,280	10,500	3,126	3,050
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		61,282	0	11,716	0	0	0	0	0
IVORY COAST		42,988	42,823	11,626	12,896	245	610	103	260
NIGERIA		138,790	188,806	72,691	104,129	7,940	22,367	4,350	12,460
LIBERIA		51,116	35,632	13,363	9,253	1,036	604	388	239
REP. SOUTH AFRICA		80,490	68,166	28,088	26,989	1,147	12,821	392	5,035
OTHER		404,061	375,428	112,818	137,369	26,289	71,053	6,518	25,943
WHEAT AND PRODUCTS	MT	21,349,594	30,766,092	2,454,171	3,892,882	1,961,139	3,275,391	205,476	437,744
VENEZUELA		545,596	608,442	65,075	79,765	60,021	61,027	6,556	8,188
CHILE		281,314	858,182	28,826	112,380	100,649	124,159	9,517	17,380
BRAZIL		436,066	2,444,583	45,323	295,630	26,356	50,398	2,767	6,282
NETHERLANDS		542,015	751,238	56,514	93,423	120,803	119,595	13,158	15,782
POLAND		572,641	546,277	52,338	63,381	0	0	0	0
USSR		2,342,628	2,790,064	344,747	338,219	76,540	126,565	8,573	15,871
PORTUGAL		532,767	476,719	56,489	57,805	49,460	101,103	5,329	13,429

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		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1977	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
IRAQ		144,585	675,928	14,933	82,359	18,289	143,930	1,761	18,820
IRAN		1,127,955	1,103,704	122,250	140,167	30,177	163,006	3,121	14,575
PAKISTAN		12	1,232,021	5	152,455	0	168,421	0	21,653
BANGLADESH		513,189	482,513	51,273	59,790	44,999	72,299	4,640	9,670
INDONESIA		439,495	505,341	50,038	67,829	959	51,946	165	6,711
PHILIPPINES		355,705	610,473	41,526	79,252	25,754	37,000	2,209	5,317
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA		0	1,250,913	0	160,743	0	337,133	0	42,859
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		1,543,721	1,435,931	174,662	182,624	80,483	139,573	8,811	18,954
JAPAN		2,896,451	2,752,555	326,648	358,225	269,439	265,801	28,908	36,928
MOROCCO		303,382	738,063	31,652	86,801	80,025	4,021	7,867	703
EGYPT		1,605,035	1,619,683	165,685	199,916	101,931	77,148	9,542	9,859
NIGERIA		571,467	750,315	72,814	93,671	43,837	74,350	4,753	10,104
UNDNFTD CTRY-CAN T/S		659,402	1,634,279	61,886	200,947	102,669	268,638	9,255	33,775
OTHER		5,940,169	7,501,869	691,366	987,501	728,948	949,476	78,546	131,084
WHEAT									
VENEZUELA	MT	19,831,103	29,131,234	2,253,810	3,654,685	1,880,774	3,143,873	194,238	418,089
PERU		545,142	608,253	64,791	79,744	60,021	61,027	6,556	8,188
CHILE		419,688	415,128	45,297	48,944	1,705	23,010	195	3,005
BRAZIL		270,073	844,844	27,021	110,968	100,480	122,449	9,503	17,125
NETHERLANDS		434,294	2,444,081	45,059	295,551	26,250	50,398	2,724	6,262
POLAND		539,916	749,264	56,170	93,070	120,708	119,189	13,140	15,684
USSR		572,641	546,277	52,338	63,381	0	0	0	0
PORTUGAL		2,342,628	2,790,064	344,947	338,219	76,540	126,565	8,573	15,671
IRAQ		532,766	476,707	56,408	57,801	49,460	101,097	5,329	13,427
IRAN		144,585	676,924	14,933	82,357	18,289	143,930	1,761	18,820
PAKISTAN		1,127,955	1,103,842	122,178	140,113	30,177	103,006	3,121	14,575
BANGLADESH		0	1,232,016	0	152,451	0	168,420	0	21,652
PHILIPPINES		513,189	482,509	51,272	59,788	44,999	72,299	4,640	9,670
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA		341,157	588,853	39,022	75,665	24,971	35,585	2,102	5,079
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		0	1,250,913	0	160,743	0	337,133	0	42,859
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		1,543,676	1,435,782	174,645	182,502	80,483	139,566	8,811	18,954
JAPAN		404,020	543,109	47,378	70,085	27,000	89,540	2,987	12,311
MOROCCO		2,896,294	2,752,218	326,558	358,095	269,439	265,762	28,908	36,909
EGYPT		268,636	710,137	26,203	82,061	75,436	0	7,220	0
NIGERIA		1,199,497	1,098,671	119,847	133,041	99,076	56,982	9,270	7,160
UNDNFTD CTRY-CAN T/S		568,345	687,037	72,368	84,080	40,719	72,283	4,308	9,758
OTHER		659,402	1,634,279	61,886	200,947	102,669	268,638	9,255	33,775
		4,561,287	6,062,526	505,790	785,060	632,553	786,995	65,836	107,189
WHEAT FLOUR									
CANADA	MT	1,219,890	1,300,653	161,699	183,272	55,116	115,256	7,564	16,830
JAMAICA		55,298	4,516	7,202	469	136	432	25	38
SAUDI ARABIA		18,279	43,018	3,246	6,300	1,636	4,906	293	760
SRI LANKA (CEYLON)		245,197	199,105	40,856	32,677	13,672	18,612	2,235	3,294
MOROCCO		278,309	252,104	32,594	34,420	11,625	43,745	1,390	5,926
EGYPT		34,747	27,926	6,449	4,740	4,590	4,021	647	703
SUDAN		402,400	517,782	45,727	66,131	2,854	20,165	272	2,699
		13,662	37,624	1,464	5,073	0	1,580	0	166

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		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
NIGERIA		3,117	63,241	445	9,579	3,117	2,067	445	346
OTHER		168,880	159,337	24,714	23,882	17,485	19,727	2,258	2,879
ALFALFA MEAL, DEHYDRATED, SUNCURED, ETC.	MT	382,403	400,065	43,584	38,632	29,839	38,906	3,087	4,015
CANADA		10,019	24,519	706	1,676	347	3,501	34	242
NETHERLANDS		25,953	9,960	3,309	747	0	0	0	0
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		103,868	87,836	12,656	9,623	11,644	17,049	1,268	1,880
JAPAN		212,919	268,968	25,501	25,594	16,740	16,387	1,759	1,706
OTHER		9,644	3,782	1,392	991	109	1,969	27	188
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	MT	3,292,479	5,209,015	764,259	1,044,780	220,215	460,364	40,756	97,785
CANADA		222,295	433,183	57,156	70,152	27,557	37,567	5,856	8,608
MEXICO		193,335	99,795	57,527	22,037	1,031	1,177	98	179
VENEZUELA		129,871	131,433	26,055	31,059	0	15,246	0	4,418
NETHERLANDS		379,192	506,900	82,768	120,044	36,150	45,305	6,009	9,320
FRANCE		67,837	146,421	11,371	31,270	0	44,432	0	9,621
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		771,873	909,512	190,990	177,292	59,250	188,511	11,732	21,416
GERMAN DEM. REPUBLIC		0	113,794	0	23,627	0	33,601	0	7,037
HUNGARY		25,623	99,127	7,089	20,996	0	0	0	0
POLAND		197,240	598,142	44,490	121,219	3,281	0	531	0
SPAIN		103,388	212,309	21,316	44,770	0	27,790	0	6,302
ITALY		343,829	648,828	71,482	131,405	43,967	78,876	7,542	16,269
YUGOSLAVIA		94,978	99,324	20,173	19,533	103	0	71	0
JAPAN		224,359	224,345	47,320	47,078	5,302	249	1,342	19
OTHER		538,661	885,901	120,522	164,298	43,575	66,511	7,577	14,585
SOYBEAN OILCAKE AND MEAL	MT	3,176,955	4,913,857	738,903	994,324	207,931	433,194	38,797	93,006
CANADA		217,450	424,635	55,628	67,889	26,919	37,332	5,665	8,509
MEXICO		190,518	95,561	57,263	21,578	249	849	37	144
VENEZUELA		127,624	117,302	26,015	27,950	0	13,668	0	3,801
NETHERLANDS		360,446	575,622	85,077	115,008	36,150	39,268	6,009	8,371
FRANCE		67,837	148,607	11,371	30,983	0	44,271	0	9,553
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		738,546	849,425	185,499	169,542	51,843	99,927	10,717	20,264
GERMAN DEM. REPUBLIC		0	113,794	0	23,627	0	33,601	0	7,037
HUNGARY		25,623	99,127	7,089	20,996	0	0	0	0
POLAND		177,521	493,318	41,262	103,471	0	0	0	0
SPAIN		102,945	210,701	20,813	44,348	0	25,551	0	6,045
PORTUGAL		10,474	94,121	1,559	19,913	0	12,430	0	2,603
ITALY		343,814	647,971	71,472	131,150	43,967	78,876	7,542	16,269
YUGOSLAVIA		94,848	99,324	20,056	19,533	103	0	71	0
JAPAN		222,568	218,916	46,453	46,128	5,244	0	1,308	0
OTHER		496,742	728,432	109,344	152,209	43,458	46,401	7,448	10,410
FLAXSEED	MT	11,721	2,323	2,422	475	11,518	0	2,365	0
NETHERLANDS		3,517	1,367	565	242	3,517	0	565	0
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		0	482	0	118	0	0	0	0
FRANCE		0	53	0	13	0	0	0	0

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		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000	1,000	DOL.	DOL.			1,000	1,000
		DOL.	DOL.					DOL.	DOL.
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		113	356	44	94	0	0	0	0
POLAND		8,001	0	1,800	0	8,001	0	1,800	0
OTHER		90	65	13	8	0	0	0	0
SOYBEANS	MT	12,256,050	16,015,918	3,517,874	4,018,791	2,112,642	2,382,723	448,090	593,157
CANADA		288,218	241,430	84,408	60,226	19,666	39,077	3,830	9,827
MEXICO		286,539	410,235	81,738	107,658	105,021	61,514	25,565	14,348
DENMARK		321,864	327,033	91,312	78,640	42,095	59,146	6,273	13,758
UNITED KINGDOM		425,926	644,141	122,317	159,639	89,686	59,411	20,372	14,590
NETHERLANDS		2,362,876	3,309,126	677,786	836,584	469,430	603,082	100,593	150,513
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		330,882	396,203	95,792	99,709	117,003	84,028	23,266	21,708
FRANCE		346,085	496,195	97,000	122,876	51,941	99,125	10,569	25,260
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		1,141,565	1,160,941	333,965	281,989	185,344	196,927	38,987	48,621
USSR		564,597	744,180	154,307	199,738	0	0	0	0
SPAIN		894,479	1,185,743	244,512	296,988	216,640	149,650	43,320	37,484
ITALY		618,359	678,721	184,717	167,286	90,999	65,794	18,332	15,542
ISRAEL		347,014	344,360	102,484	83,469	43,956	30,178	9,354	7,097
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		544,169	850,818	165,987	203,678	44,751	105,805	10,466	24,388
JAPAN		2,625,715	3,139,444	765,923	796,120	370,704	497,153	81,055	125,714
UNDETFD. CTRY-CAN. T/S		236,947	641,714	57,653	164,930	97,529	198,813	19,589	50,210
OTHER		920,816	1,436,636	257,771	359,261	167,877	133,018	34,521	34,898
COTTONSEED OIL	MT	272,057	280,100	158,689	164,699	16,061	11,740	9,306	6,796
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		2,037	10,431	1,328	6,625	0	3,426	0	2,218
VENEZUELA		33,212	19,034	18,321	11,870	7,674	0	4,126	0
NETHERLANDS		9,931	1,911	5,421	1,177	0	0	0	0
IRAN		20,133	39,651	12,681	27,612	0	0	0	0
PAKISTAN		0	10,431	0	6,934	0	0	0	0
JAPAN		17,806	23,174	11,048	13,412	832	1,867	464	1,138
EGYPT		164,636	155,968	95,104	84,616	5,550	5,705	3,662	3,106
OTHER		24,302	19,499	14,786	12,452	2,005	742	1,054	333
SOYBEAN OIL	MT	609,966	766,818	362,229	463,536	49,452	47,170	25,588	29,351
CANADA		23,885	23,980	13,853	14,008	2,795	2,445	1,370	1,527
MEXICO		15,327	34,128	10,369	20,348	8	4,544	5	2,537
HAITI		13,177	12,057	8,273	7,862	0	640	0	455
COLOMBIA		27,962	30,100	15,535	16,754	6,029	2,208	3,596	1,327
ECUADOR		16,936	18,216	9,989	9,892	3,415	1,526	2,105	963
PERU		42,080	62,354	24,954	36,175	0	9,750	0	6,020
CHILE		17,354	16,325	9,664	10,431	5,909	288	3,943	238
IRAN		39,763	59,305	27,310	36,007	2	14,998	3	9,160
INDIA		215,013	234,097	127,586	140,587	45	1,274	44	1,050
PAKISTAN		97,936	95,814	58,302	56,050	0	0	0	0
BANGLADESH		10,168	23,338	4,878	16,144	6,090	200	2,923	178
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA		0	44,203	0	26,118	0	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA		18,213	15,265	10,434	8,929	1,590	939	731	648
OTHER		72,154	97,636	41,081	64,231	23,569	8,359	10,867	5,247

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		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	216,225	234,801	793,468	977,147	8,097	39,304	28,580	174,748
SWEDEN		5,357	7,247	17,837	26,948	0	763	0	3,560
DENMARK		7,052	8,484	22,224	28,741	0	2,556	0	8,050
UNITED KINGDOM		16,511	48,178	62,940	200,017	235	8,664	1,148	38,499
NETHERLANDS		11,579	11,069	41,330	43,219	250	1,633	1,384	7,398
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		29,700	19,240	98,231	72,413	225	2,474	258	10,414
SWITZERLAND		11,355	9,222	37,738	35,209	1,171	829	3,388	2,964
SPAIN		2,334	7,443	8,432	30,759	0	1,100	0	4,510
ITALY		17,919	17,955	65,822	75,026	343	0	1,611	0
THAILAND		7,243	8,257	28,270	34,651	0	0	0	0
MALAYSIA		4,941	4,031	20,641	23,521	228	829	945	4,932
PHILIPPINES		6,313	4,966	28,244	22,925	461	203	1,615	1,082
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		4,459	4,469	21,159	25,207	0	0	0	0
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		5,308	7,790	19,633	35,782	0	2,543	0	12,867
JAPAN		22,778	19,415	84,554	67,263	1,687	8,331	5,643	41,295
AUSTRALIA		5,468	4,514	22,077	21,588	423	1,410	1,862	6,922
EGYPT		12,119	11,115	43,800	38,826	108	3,241	59	11,054
OTHER		45,791	41,407	170,334	175,111	2,956	4,729	10,667	21,202
BURLEY TOBACCO	MT	34,798	38,750	146,490	175,956	477	2,155	2,168	9,518
SWEDEN		817	1,239	3,674	5,936	0	263	0	1,289
DENMARK		690	1,253	3,007	5,749	0	428	0	1,887
UNITED KINGDOM		111	4,556	551	18,323	0	193	0	1,085
NETHERLANDS		736	1,070	2,513	4,417	0	110	0	423
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		6,194	3,505	22,180	13,080	4	490	11	1,827
SWITZERLAND		2,913	2,974	13,745	14,425	0	0	0	0
ITALY		7,391	8,348	27,132	33,154	0	0	0	0
SYRIA		1,200	0	4,997	0	0	0	0	0
THAILAND		1,981	2,997	8,770	13,700	0	0	0	0
PHILIPPINES		1,963	1,517	8,646	8,747	168	13	997	92
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		1,499	1,526	8,771	9,554	0	0	0	0
JAPAN		3,751	4,680	18,676	25,768	0	0	0	0
EGYPT		1,547	1,284	6,663	5,375	0	417	0	1,722
OTHER		4,004	3,800	17,164	17,706	305	240	1,160	1,194
FLUE-CURED TOBACCO	MT	134,269	143,403	556,584	685,783	4,907	28,185	21,714	148,234
SWEDEN		2,838	3,819	12,643	18,858	0	270	0	1,410
DENMARK		4,279	4,784	18,387	22,124	0	1,288	0	5,965
UNITED KINGDOM		12,159	33,280	56,373	172,740	195	6,616	1,103	36,259
NETHERLANDS		6,089	4,893	21,827	19,164	80	205	247	902
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		20,439	12,870	72,209	53,422	12	1,836	46	7,927
SPAIN		1,926	6,276	6,929	26,091	0	1,100	0	4,510
ITALY		9,843	9,265	36,417	40,708	343	0	1,611	0
THAILAND		5,262	5,260	19,501	20,951	0	0	0	0
MALAYSIA		3,799	3,725	20,002	22,623	176	766	936	4,718
PHILIPPINES		4,350	2,604	19,598	13,127	292	190	619	990

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		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		2,957	2,925	12,381	15,562	0	0	0	0
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		5,308	7,731	19,633	35,487	0	2,543	0	12,867
JAPAN		12,991	10,005	64,830	60,454	354	6,631	5,458	40,993
AUSTRALIA		3,958	3,487	19,478	19,647	333	1,090	1,848	6,298
EGYPT		8,108	7,455	35,182	31,880	0	2,111	0	8,826
OTHER		29,963	25,043	121,193	112,935	2,520	3,540	9,845	16,569
MARYLAND TOBACCO	MT	3,350	3,689	13,666	15,905	3	583	9	2,760
ECUADOR		0	685	0	3,122	0	217	0	1,093
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		456	285	1,527	939	0	0	0	0
FRANCE		203	17	896	58	0	0	0	0
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		374	513	1,184	1,988	3	135	9	620
SWITZERLAND		2,061	1,916	9,161	8,860	0	210	0	993
SPAIN		102	0	351	0	0	0	0	0
EGYPT		84	169	276	521	0	0	0	0
OTHER		70	134	270	349	0	21	0	54
VEGETABLES, CANNED	MT	94,863	82,104	59,685	55,906	10,178	9,957	6,276	6,550
CANADA		25,461	25,340	16,505	16,660	2,984	3,203	1,758	2,048
MEXICO		4,381	3,899	2,000	2,119	899	684	323	386
PANAMA		2,154	1,403	1,564	1,096	153	271	114	209
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES		2,083	1,989	1,608	1,382	116	227	83	165
VENEZUELA		4,327	3,789	3,157	3,081	554	643	497	550
UNITED KINGDOM		2,529	2,757	1,854	2,164	472	315	404	250
FRANCE		3,601	4,421	1,833	2,770	409	699	185	379
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		9,604	4,852	4,050	2,655	439	292	203	170
SWITZERLAND		2,807	3,278	1,408	1,825	318	271	191	152
SAUDI ARABIA		4,165	4,811	3,213	3,904	535	159	320	161
HONG KONG		5,879	3,226	3,615	2,046	754	273	430	168
JAPAN		6,962	6,654	4,484	4,334	958	1,677	521	913
OTHER		20,909	15,694	14,393	11,869	1,586	1,241	1,248	999
PULSES	MT	208,385	224,393	83,494	97,992	16,249	33,541	7,088	12,623
CANADA		9,596	16,197	3,966	7,050	758	1,394	431	541
MEXICO		5,441	10,358	1,642	2,891	864	2,493	294	630
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		4,237	2,243	1,785	1,095	1,766	996	752	485
COLOMBIA		8,751	3,571	3,036	1,290	0	593	0	248
VENEZUELA		21,863	12,489	8,398	5,425	471	2,142	184	832
UNITED KINGDOM		30,583	51,726	12,695	25,869	2,954	5,327	1,239	2,049
NETHERLANDS		8,362	25,645	2,875	5,207	918	3,296	300	412
FRANCE		7,135	6,115	2,924	2,971	808	931	366	410
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		8,211	6,218	3,680	2,880	217	1,623	87	747
SPAIN		4,860	4,018	2,119	2,293	562	1,330	279	649
ITALY		5,167	10,928	2,406	5,348	1,940	4,446	998	2,040
GREECE		4,132	632	1,787	285	100	104	51	20
IRAN		5,499	5,348	2,148	2,866	498	0	220	0
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		6,792	7,214	1,818	1,870	130	1,968	41	488

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TABLE 8 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
JAPAN		22,641	13,739	6,374	4,426	1,113	1,307	364	525
ALGERIA		13,430	14,969	8,964	8,245	0	0	0	0
ANGOLA		5,020	0	2,121	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER		36,464	32,985	16,759	18,122	3,149	5,590	1,482	2,538
BEANS, DRIED									
CANADA	MT	143,711	173,989	55,209	75,494	13,516	22,036	5,742	7,947
MEXICO		8,438	14,781	3,522	6,432	728	1,260	414	483
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		5,148	10,297	1,486	2,850	781	2,486	234	628
VENEZUELA		4,233	2,139	1,781	995	1,765	953	751	452
BRAZIL		10,424	6,279	4,207	3,042	226	1,098	94	509
UNITED KINGDOM		3,999	284	1,484	48	0	0	0	0
NETHERLANDS		23,456	47,912	9,862	24,518	2,866	3,980	1,199	1,646
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		6,266	24,910	1,755	4,836	788	3,279	234	403
FRANCE		3,024	1,733	1,242	634	1,618	992	682	308
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		6,780	5,450	2,735	2,658	702	718	300	326
ITALY		5,481	4,150	2,199	1,905	217	399	87	156
IRAN		3,833	6,074	1,637	2,985	1,988	3,203	796	1,440
JAPAN		4,009	4,330	1,467	2,119	0	0	0	0
ALGERIA		20,008	10,956	5,485	3,515	684	958	199	428
ANGOLA		6,095	14,721	2,640	8,057	0	0	0	0
OTHER		5,020	0	2,121	0	0	0	0	0
		27,497	19,973	11,594	10,900	1,552	2,710	752	1,170
PEAS, INCLUDING COM AND CHICK, DRIED									
CANADA	MT	45,718	35,515	17,158	13,756	2,520	6,359	1,210	2,053
COLOMBIA		937	1,141	326	413	29	75	17	28
VENEZUELA		5,715	2,188	1,867	658	0	35	0	10
UNITED KINGDOM		10,187	5,503	3,506	2,068	245	908	91	254
SPAIN		7,110	3,747	2,826	1,314	88	1,311	40	381
ITALY		2,254	742	818	281	159	72	80	31
IRAN		698	1,108	332	361	353	231	202	71
INDIA		1,489	1,016	680	547	498	0	220	0
SINGAPORE		56	1,510	19	430	0	372	0	88
PHILIPPINES		1,036	1,172	442	453	2	248	2	75
HONG KONG		1,210	810	414	367	0	105	0	37
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		493	891	236	358	44	93	18	34
JAPAN		4,259	5,354	1,305	1,492	130	1,793	41	457
NIGERIA		2,822	2,783	881	910	429	349	165	97
OTHER		5	614	6	296	0	15	0	7
		7,448	6,936	3,502	3,809	543	1,053	335	482
LETTUCE, FRESH									
CANADA	MT	133,260	140,410	26,088	34,025	15,608	13,667	3,045	2,813
SWEDEN		121,082	126,877	21,075	27,783	14,795	12,472	2,736	2,289
NETHERLANDS		2,221	1,647	945	812	5	129	3	89
HONG KONG		1,326	1,017	550	597	0	56	0	41
OTHER		5,413	5,900	2,174	2,456	501	461	184	180
		3,218	4,969	1,257	2,377	307	550	122	213
POTA. FRESH, EXCEPT SWEET POTATOES									
CANADA	MT	289,388	130,757	42,178	20,290	3,297	2,618	481	407
		185,441	118,740	25,047	18,367	1,762	1,523	240	232

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TABLE 8--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1977	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
MEXICO		10,599	8,235	1,071	966	1,065	650	99	70
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO		3,822	23	924	5	3	0	2	0
NETHERLANDS		8,353	0	1,892	0	0	0	0	0
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		22,235	0	3,097	0	0	0	0	0
FRANCE		39,317	0	5,274	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER		19,622	3,760	4,872	953	467	446	141	105
TOMATOES, FRESH									
CANADA	MT	57,578	75,050	20,958	25,087	7,443	7,671	2,857	2,663
MEXICO		54,774	71,140	19,782	23,497	7,223	6,858	2,762	2,376
OTHER		631	1,901	182	546	51	462	12	138
		2,172	2,010	994	1,044	169	351	84	149
HOPS									
CANADA	MT	5,176	4,904	12,246	11,848	29	218	76	675
MEXICO		591	524	1,457	1,125	0	13	0	38
COLOMBIA		456	166	988	411	0	0	0	0
VENEZUELA		0	96	0	283	0	0	0	0
PERU		92	0	550	0	13	0	40	0
BRAZIL		167	0	639	0	0	0	0	0
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		1,388	1,721	3,507	4,586	0	0	0	0
USSR		363	10	725	21	1	37	1	115
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		1,527	1,387	2,739	2,730	0	0	0	11
JAPAN		1	170	2	482	0	0	0	0
NIGERIA		108	189	308	446	0	100	0	285
OTHER		76	172	186	602	7	0	17	0
		407	467	1,144	1,162	9	35	19	145

1/ PRELIMINARY

LARGER SHARE OF FARM PRODUCTION EXPORTED

During fiscal 1978, U.S. agricultural exports set a new value record at \$27.3 billion, exceeding the previous high of \$24 billion by 14 percent. Volume also reached a record-breaking 127 million tons, up 18 percent from 1976/77's 108 million tons. Corn, soybeans, soybean products, wheat, cotton, sunflower seeds, and peanuts contributed to the strong export performance.

Export value equaled about 28 percent of 1977 cash receipts from farm marketings, up from 25 percent a year earlier. Cash receipts at the farm level value amounted to over \$96 billion during 1976. About 31 percent of 1977's U.S. crop production was exported. Harvested area totaled 342 million acres; output from an estimated 107 million of those acres was exported, including 40 million acres in food grains, 26 million in feed grains, 32 million in oil crops, and 5 million in cotton. Harvested acreage increased about 1.2 percent between 1976 and 1977; the crop production index rose 6.6 percent. In 1976/77, approximately 28 percent of the harvested acreage was exported.

Crops heavily dependent upon export markets include rice, sunflower seeds, wheat, and soybeans. Over half of those four commodities were shipped abroad last year. Major foreign destinations for rice were Indonesia, Iran, Saudi Arabia, and Nigeria. Sunflower seeds moved primarily to Holland, West Germany, and Portugal. Wheat went to over 70 countries, with about half to the 8 leading destinations: the U.S.S.R., Japan, Brazil, Korea, Egypt, Pakistan, Iran, and the People's Republic of China. Nearly 60 percent of the U.S. soybean exports were shipped to Western Europe; Japan was the largest single country market.

While less than half of most other crops are exported, foreign markets are important demand sources for corn, cotton, tobacco, citrus, and edible nuts. Over 40 percent of the almonds and cotton, 35 percent of the tobacco, and 30 percent of the corn produced was shipped abroad. Among livestock commodities, over half the cattle hides, 41 percent of the tallow, and 15 percent of the edible offal production was exported.

Table 9--Exports of selected U.S. agricultural commodities compared with production: Quantity, 1974-78

Commodity	Unit	Production					Exports--year ending September 30					Exports as percent of production				
		1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978 1/	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
		-- Thousands --					-- Thousands --					-- Percent --				
Rice milled	M. ton	3,033	3,667	4,100	3,782	3,120	1,694	2,214	1,950	2,229	2,107	56	60	48	59	68
Sunflower seed	do.	---	274.2	544.9	467.9	1,330.4	N.A.	151.4	312.2	403.3	906.2	N.A.	55	57	86	68
Wheat 2/	do.	46,560	48,496	57,764	58,305	55,133	27,806	30,404	31,127	25,334	33,575	60	63	54	43	61
Soybeans 2/	do.	42,117	33,102	42,113	35,042	47,947	21,484	16,439	20,977	20,384	26,691	51	50	50	58	56
Cattle hides	No.	34,700	37,700	41,800	43,582	42,770	18,203	21,758	23,894	25,085	23,665	52	58	57	57	55
Almonds (shelled basis)	M. ton	70.3	104.3	84.4	128.8	142.0	3/ 31.5	49.0	50.2	60.9	61.7	45	47	59	47	43
Cotton, raw	do.	2,824.7	2,512.6	1,807.5	2,303.6	3,132.9	1,205.5	858.5	699.3	988.4	1,317.0	43	34	39	43	42
Tallow, inedible	do.	2,197	2,569	2,177	2,619 1/	2,822	1,080	896	930	1,226	1,557	49	35	43	47	41
Prunes, dried	do.	186.0	128.8	135.2	134.3	142.4	53.7	44.8	58.4	47.9	52.6	29	35	43	36	37
Tabacco, unmg.	do.	706.4	806.9	884.7	866.1	775.5	313.5	273.6	272.9	289.7	272.5	44	34	31	33	35
Corn, grain	do.	144,036	119,416	148,062	159,173	161,621	31,006	28,822	43,126	42,454	49,108	22	24	29	27	30
Grain sorghum	do.	23,450	15,817	19,127	18,283	20,083	5,925	5,362	5,789	6,225	5,357	25	34	30	34	27
Beans, dried	do.	738.2	922.1	791.2	806.7	738.8	143.9	227.5	132.0	185.1	199.4	19	25	17	23	27
Hops, incl. extract	do.	24.8	25.8	25.4	26.2	24.8	11.6	11.1	12.1	12.6	6.15	47	43	47	48	25
Lemons and limes	do.	805	652	1,054	647	936	195	198	204	241	220	24	30	19	37	24
Peanuts	do.	1,576	1,664	1,750	1,701	1,690	3/ 243	258.0	137.3	264.9	319.0	15	15	8	16	19
Edible offals	do.	1,063	1,157	1,130	1,225	1,220	130	140	152	183	183	12	12	13	15	15

1/ Preliminary.

2/ Export data include unmilled equivalents of products.

3/ July-June data.

Table 10 --U.S. agricultural exports and cash receipts from farm marketings, fiscal year 1978 ^{1/}

Commodity or commodity group	Cash receipts from farm marketings		Exports		Exports as share of cash receipts
	1977		1977/78		
	Million dollars	Percent of total	Million dollars	Percent of total	Percent
All commodities	96,084	100.0	27,298	100.0	28.4
Livestock products:	47,565	49.5	2,810	10.3	5.9
Meat animals	27,946	29.0	^{2/} 2,111	7.7	7.5
Dairy products	11,776	12.3	146	0.5	1.2
Poultry and eggs	7,219	7.5	333	1.2	4.6
Miscellaneous	624	1.2	^{3/} 220	0.8	35.3
Crops:	48,519	50.5	24,488	89.7	50.5
Wheat	5,152	5.3	^{4/} 4,139	15.2	80.3
Rice	958	1.0	833	3.1	87.0
Corn	8,656	9.0	^{5/} 5,344	19.6	61.7
Barley	500	0.5	^{6/} 92	0.3	18.4
Sorghum grain	1,113	1.1	520	1.9	46.7
Hay	1,455	1.5	54	0.2	3.7
Cotton	3,580	3.7	^{7/} 1,707	6.3	47.7
Tobacco	2,331	2.4	1,132	4.1	48.6
Soybeans	8,541	8.9	^{8/} 6,411	23.5	75.1
Peanuts	784	0.8	^{9/} 290	1.1	37.0
Vegetables ^{10/}	5,761	6.0	658	2.4	11.4
Fruits ^{11/}	3,932	4.7	976	3.6	24.8
Tree nuts	574	0.6	288	1.1	50.2
Seed crops	305	0.3	210	0.8	68.8
Other crops ^{12/}	4,877	5.1	1,834	7.5	37.6

^{1/} Preliminary. ^{2/} Includes live animals, meat, edible offals, hides, lard and tallow, sausage casings, wool, and mohair. ^{3/} Includes furskins. ^{4/} Includes wheat products. ^{5/} Includes corn products. ^{6/} Includes malt. ^{7/} Includes linters. ^{8/} Includes soybean meal and oil. ^{9/} Includes peanut products. ^{10/} Includes hops and mushrooms. ^{11/} Includes melons and berries. ^{12/} Includes rye, flaxseed, sugar crops, mint, popcorn, nursery stock, and other miscellaneous crops.

Note: Cash receipts from farm marketings are valued at the farm, while exports are valued (f.a.s.) at the port of export. Cash receipts are based on a January-December year, while export data are for the October-September period.

U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS RISE 7 PERCENT DURING FIRST 10 MONTHS OF CALENDAR 1978

U.S. agricultural imports were valued at \$12.1 billion during the first 10 months of calendar 1978, 7 percent higher than a year ago. Value gains in imports of cocoa beans, cocoa products, bananas, rubber, live animals, hides and skins, dairy and poultry products, meat, fruits, vegetables, tobacco, wine, and malt beverages more than offset substantial value declines in coffee, tea, sugar, and vegetable oils.

Imports of green coffee, the leading agricultural import, totaled \$3.1 billion during January-October 1978, 7 percent less than a year ago. However, the quantity imported rose by 19 percent as unit import prices of green coffee dropped from \$2.01 per pound during January-October 1977 to \$1.59 per pound during the first 10 months of this year. In January 1978, import prices were \$1.86 per pound. Since then, they have declined monthly, hitting a low of \$1.31 per pound in October. This drop was due mainly to increased production, a fall-off in roastings, and relatively favorable inventories. The value of tea imports declined by nearly two-fifths. The value of cocoa bean imports rose by one-fifth and chocolate preparations increased more than two-fifths. Price inflation generally caused this increase as the quantity of cocoa and chocolate imported rose very little.

Except for vegetable oils, sugar, inedible molasses, and nuts, major competitive product imports rose during the first 10 months of calendar 1978. Live animal imports totaled \$239 million, over two-fifths higher than a year ago. The main gains were in imports of dutiable cattle--accounting for nearly two-thirds of all live animal imports--and swine. The number of swine imported rose from 37,000 during the first 10 months of 1977 to 190,000 during January-October 1978, due mainly to strong domestic demand and inadequate supplies.

Meat imports totaled about \$1.5 billion during 1978, 38 percent higher than a year ago. Most of the gain was in fresh and frozen beef and veal which accounted for about 71 percent of all meat imported. The value of fresh and frozen beef and veal rose by over one-half, while the quantity rose by about 17 percent. Thus, price inflation caused much of the value gain, partly due to a shortage of domestic supplies. Unit import prices of fresh and frozen beef and veal rose by about 42 percent between January and October of 1978. Thus, cumulative unit import prices for fresh and frozen beef and veal rose by 29 percent from \$1,262 per metric ton to \$1,629 per metric ton. Larger beef and veal imports were also due to an increase of 200 million pounds allowed under the voluntary quota for 1978 which was announced in June.

Imports of fruits and preparations rose by 29 percent, while vegetables and preparations rose by 23 percent during the first 10 months of 1978. Among fruits, the largest increase was in imports of concentrated orange juice which went from \$16 million to \$75 million. This gain was due to a severe freeze in the winter of 1977 which led to a reduction in stocks, high domestic prices, and an increase in imports from Brazil.

Sugar imports totaled \$604 million during 1978, about one-fifth less than a year ago. The decline was due partly to higher import fees imposed in January. Since May, sugar imports have risen. The principal supplier in calendar 1978 was the Philippines with 21 percent of the total. The Dominican Republic provided 19 percent of the total and Brazil supplied another 11 percent. Among main suppliers, the Philippines, the Dominican Republic, Peru, Argentina, and Australia, all experienced large declines.

Vegetable oil imports totaled about \$395 million, an 11 percent decline from a year ago. Of the two leading vegetable oil imports, the value of coconut oil rose slightly while palm oil dropped by about 44 percent. The quantity of imported coconut oil

increased by 4 percent as unit import prices fell. Since January, monthly import prices of coconut oil have risen but the cumulative 10-month import price of \$531 per metric ton was below the previous periods's price of \$549 per metric ton.

Price inflation caused much of the value gains in imports of tobacco of 19 percent; wine, 42 percent; and malt beverages; 48 percent. The quantity imported of these commodities did not increase by as much as the value.

Table 11--U.S. agricultural imports: Value by commodity, January-October 1977 and 1978, and October 1977 and 1978

Commodity	January-October		Change	October		Change
	1977	1978		1977	1978	
	Million dollars		Percent	Million dollars		Percent
<u>Complementary</u>						
Bananas, fresh	260	291	+12	28	33	+18
Cocoa and chocolate:						
Cocoa beans	442	531	+20	36	40	+11
Cocoa butter	82	86	+5	7	8	+14
Cocoa cake, powder, and chocolate	305	510	+67	49	47	-4
Coffee:						
Coffee, green or crude	3,324	3,105	-7	153	30	+116
Coffee, soluble	270	190	-30	6	20	+233
Essential oils	110	110	---	9	7	-22
Fibers, unmanufactured	64	72	+13	4	7	+75
Rubber, crude:						
Rubber, crude, dry form	501	513	+2	54	48	-11
Rubber, latex	44	46	+5	5	4	-20
Silk, raw	2	5	+150	1/	1	---
Spices	111	114	+3	8	10	+25
Tea, crude	159	96	-40	9	9	---
Wool, carpet	27	26	-4	1	2	+100
Other complementary products	112	100	-11	9	7	-22
Total complementary products	5,836	5,820	---	381	575	+50
<u>Supplementary</u>						
Animals and animal products:						
Cattle and calves	117	151	+29	13	14	+8
Dairy products and eggs	235	267	+14	24	30	+25
Hides and skins, including furskins	189	216	+14	10	15	+50
Meats and meat products, excluding poultry:						
Beef and veal	690	1,002	+45	55	117	+113
Pork	345	415	+20	26	51	+96
Other meats and meat products	32	54	+69	2	6	+200
Sausage casings	36	43	+19	3	4	+33
Wool, apparel	50	47	-6	3	4	+33
Other animals and animal products	188	240	+28	16	22	+38
Total animals and animal products	1,882	2,435	+29	152	263	+73
Cotton, raw, excluding linters	5	1	-80	1/	1/	---
Feeds and fodders	49	55	+12	4	6	+50
Fruits and preparations	336	432	+29	26	44	+69
Grains and preparations	144	172	+19	12	19	+58
Nuts and preparations	183	169	-8	20	19	-5
Oilseeds, oilnuts, and products:						
Coconut oil	205	207	+1	7	22	+214
Palm and palm kernel oil	141	89	-37	10	6	-40
Olive oil, edible	26	32	+23	3	4	+33
Other oilseeds and products	152	113	+26	12	10	-17
Seeds, cut flowers, & nursery stk., excl. oilseeds	108	134	+24	15	16	+7
Sugar and molasses:						
Sugar, cane or beet	769	604	-21	86	65	-24
Molasses, inedible	76	58	-24	4	9	+125
Tobacco, unmanufactured, incl. bulk smoking ..	276	329	+19	27	36	+33
Vegetables and preparations	546	669	+23	37	44	+19
Wines and malt beverages:						
Wines	325	461	+42	34	54	+59
Malt beverages	135	200	+48	11	19	+73
Other supplementary vegetable products	133	156	+18	13	18	+38
Total supplementary products	5,491	6,316	+15	473	654	+38
Total agricultural imports	11,327	12,136	+7	855	1,229	+44

1/ Less than \$500,000.

Table 12 --U.S. imports of meat under Public Law-88-482 1/: Quantity and value by country, January-October 1977 and 1978, and October 1977 and 1978

Country	January-October		October	
	1977	1978	1977	1978
-- Metric tons --				
Australia	238,644	304,158	22,657	31,352
New Zealand	101,738	120,024	6,387	13,281
Canada	31,795	22,028	1,996	2,356
CACM:				
Costa Rica	22,023	21,545	644	3,283
El Salvador	1,314	2,875	0	511
Guatemala	11,345	9,664	1,208	1,390
Honduras	14,455	15,297	1,507	1,941
Nicaragua	16,576	23,204	2,534	2,659
Dominican Republic	978	143	0	111
Haiti	554	786	11	122
Ireland	0	4	0	0
Mexico	19,665	21,391	2,290	1,806
Panama	1,374	295	38	34
Belize	0	0	0	0
United Kingdom-No. Ireland	18	17	0	0
Total	460,479	541,431	39,272	58,846
-- 1,000 dollars --				
Australia	288,297	470,840	25,065	53,022
New Zealand	122,110	193,400	7,121	22,807
Canada	43,115	40,192	2,929	4,930
CACM:				
Costa Rica	31,952	38,615	964	6,686
El Salvador	1,937	5,800	0	1,117
Guatemala	17,717	18,450	1,902	3,063
Honduras	20,400	27,900	2,249	3,982
Nicaragua	24,229	46,156	3,522	5,946
Dominican Republic	1,340	336	0	275
Haiti	986	1,596	17	271
Ireland	0	18	0	0
Mexico	27,730	39,266	3,171	4,247
Panama	1,881	479	56	50
Belize	0	0	0	0
United Kingdom-No. Ireland	28	37	0	0
Total	581,722	883,085	46,996	106,396

1/ P.L.-88-482 (1964) provides for import quotas on fresh, chilled, or frozen beef, veal, mutton, and goat meat. Fresh, chilled, or frozen boneless beef accounted for more than 90 percent of the import volume in 1969-77.

TABLE 13--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY

COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	
ALL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	122,349,800	142,912,000	--	--	12,652,000	15,173,500
NONAGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	111,022,365	130,776,087	--	--	11,797,449	13,944,930
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	11,327,435	12,135,913	--	--	854,551	1,228,570
COMPLEMENTARY	---	---	---	5,836,976	5,819,597	--	--	381,476	374,998
BANANAS, FRESH	MT	1,753,965	1,900,572	260,043	290,902	183,587	211,449	28,243	35,017
PLANTAINS, FRESH	MT	51,496	56,815	8,088	10,432	5,228	6,275	959	1,051
BANANAS, PLANTAINS, DRIED OR PREPARED	MT	15,441	15,309	5,675	4,947	1,213	894	535	361
COFFEE, GREEN	MT	749,315	887,619	3,323,923	3,104,620	38,105	114,078	153,164	329,515
COFFEE, SOLUBLE, EXTRACTS	MT	24,566	19,561	269,541	189,828	447	2,454	5,747	20,347
COFFEE, ROASTED OR GROUND	MT	17,359	19,284	86,482	65,135	1,116	955	5,300	3,004
COCOA BEANS	MT	164,492	173,683	441,747	531,313	8,196	16,163	36,152	40,490
COCOA BUTTER	MT	15,377	20,191	81,518	86,129	1,237	1,770	6,645	7,686
COCOA, POWDER & CAKE	MT	62,091	69,498	167,073	312,293	6,005	5,911	25,063	24,153
CHOCOLATE PREPARATIONS	MT	44,533	55,537	137,590	197,782	6,164	6,902	24,321	23,090
DRUGS, HERBS, ROOTS, LEAVES, ETC	MT	32,089	33,271	110,453	110,301	5,739	1,889	9,276	6,634
ESSENTIAL OILS	MT	4,548	4,225	64,374	71,993	347	485	4,093	6,508
FIBERS, EX COTTON, JUTE	MT	53,263	47,490	23,090	23,786	6,159	4,905	3,188	2,491
RUBBER, AND ALLIED GUMS:									
RUBBER, DRY FORM	MT	634,941	591,220	501,121	513,267	68,593	51,688	54,102	48,375
RUBBER, LATEX	MT	48,900	47,559	43,940	45,943	5,782	4,091	5,147	4,177
ALLIED GUMS	MT	2,074	2,013	4,481	4,706	158	48	396	134
SILK, RAW	MT	128	247	2,400	5,139	11	39	199	865
SPICES	MT	55,392	55,505	110,987	113,783	4,829	4,934	8,106	10,375
PEPPER, BLACK, UNGROUND	MT	20,545	20,106	43,103	43,156	1,507	1,248	3,123	2,197
VANILLA BEANS	MT	1,290	967	22,386	19,744	9	157	153	3,750
OTHER	MT	33,557	34,432	45,498	50,884	3,313	3,529	4,830	4,428
TEA, CRUDE OR PREPARED	MT	83,859	59,214	158,601	96,313	4,401	5,671	9,215	9,374
WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED, FREE, CARPET	MT	9,019	0,016	27,312	26,059	246	899	704	2,418
OTHER	---	---	---	8,537	14,919	--	--	1,002	940
SUPPLEMENTARY	---	---	---	5,490,459	6,316,316	--	--	473,074	653,573
ANIMAL AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	1,882,375	2,434,358	--	--	152,151	262,692
ANIMALS, LIVE	---	---	---	167,512	238,573	--	--	17,984	24,993
CATTLE, DUTIABLE	NO	783,034	796,798	113,099	146,084	63,425	51,420	13,285	13,424
CATTLE FOR BREEDING, FREE	NO	4,608	6,887	3,810	5,275	216	1,231	114	944
HORSES	NO	5,986	10,211	44,890	65,047	946	1,527	3,805	8,436
SWINE	NO	36,898	190,109	4,739	20,614	3,382	14,833	464	1,799
OTHER	---	---	---	973	1,554	--	--	317	391
DAIRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	229,338	263,220	--	--	23,890	30,055
CHEESE	MT	68,389	75,273	163,275	189,604	8,034	9,966	18,371	24,437
BLUE MOLD, INCLUDING ROQUEFORT	MT	1,815	2,351	6,150	8,087	200	231	763	948
CHEDDAR	MT	2,744	2,659	4,438	4,483	408	173	725	349
EDAM AND GOUDA	MT	2,729	3,307	7,284	8,895	168	753	446	1,641
EMMENTHALER OR SWISS, INC GRUYERE	MT	27,403	32,283	66,500	83,039	2,583	4,140	6,612	10,436

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COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1977	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
ROMANO,REGGIANO,PARMESANO	MT	3,629	3,670	8,195	9,944	273	324	766	1,034
PECORINO AND SHEEPSMILK	MT	6,300	6,640	20,352	19,413	639	800	2,263	2,211
OTHER	MT	23,769	24,355	50,355	55,743	3,763	3,545	6,797	7,818
CASEIN AND MIXTURES	MT	55,461	52,701	58,428	64,174	4,548	3,915	4,967	5,009
NONFAT DRY MILK	MT	853	1,181	514	675	39	0	23	0
OTHER	---	---	---	7,122	8,767	---	---	529	608
HIDES AND SKINS, INCLUDING FURSKINS	---	---	---	188,633	215,679	---	---	10,350	14,864
CALF AND KIP SKINS	MT	306	537	645	1,132	13	98	29	199
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	MT	17,433	14,026	13,381	14,677	1,837	2,062	1,299	2,752
GOAT AND KID SKINS	MT	804	953	3,028	3,491	26	63	81	352
SHEEP AND LAMB SKINS	MT	16,692	16,669	61,522	63,395	813	986	3,092	3,546
FURSKINS	---	---	---	104,428	125,156	---	---	5,350	7,191
OTHER	---	---	---	5,628	7,839	---	---	499	824
MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS	MT	654,427	766,498	1,067,300	1,470,947	53,256	83,483	82,851	174,345
MEATS-P.L.88-482	MT	460,478	541,432	581,722	883,883	39,273	58,848	46,999	106,395
BEEF AND VEAL	MT	522,736	609,078	690,236	1,001,979	43,877	64,808	54,699	117,383
CANNED	MT	36,648	38,924	60,953	64,343	3,356	4,189	5,476	7,346
FRESH OR FROZEN	MT	463,093	544,141	584,487	886,526	39,501	58,950	47,235	106,525
PREPARED OR PRESERVED	MT	22,995	26,813	44,796	51,110	1,020	1,669	1,988	3,512
MUTTON, GOAT, AND LAMB	MT	8,383	15,175	13,624	26,432	171	1,049	348	2,013
PORK	MT	114,566	131,070	344,803	414,882	8,237	16,132	25,656	51,068
FRESH OR FROZEN	MT	10,285	22,123	13,006	32,904	933	2,906	1,078	4,761
HAMS AND SHOULDERS,CND,COOKED	MT	96,850	100,562	315,362	359,723	6,844	12,129	23,449	43,462
OTHER	MT	7,431	8,385	16,435	22,255	460	1,097	1,129	2,844
OTHER, INC EDIBLE OFFALS, GAME	MT	8,742	11,175	18,636	27,654	971	1,494	2,156	3,882
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	72,036	75,174	---	---	4,992	2,093
BABY CHICKS	MNO	2,693	3,060	2,297	2,527	226	170	211	142
EGGS IN SHELL	MOZ	14,663	12,032	5,687	4,071	57	98	147	144
FEATHERS AND DOWNS, CRUDE, SORTED	MT	7,121	4,856	60,694	65,002	357	170	4,165	1,330
POULTRY MEAT	MT	168	343	1,937	2,244	25	14	162	313
OTHER	---	---	---	1,421	1,331	---	---	307	165
OTHER ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	157,555	171,264	---	---	12,085	16,342
BEESWAX	MT	1,095	917	4,146	3,916	173	125	718	528
BONES, HOOFS, AND HORNS	---	---	---	2,497	3,847	---	---	344	171
BRISTLES, CRUDE OR PREPARED	MT	1,310	858	9,602	6,540	32	134	239	1,154
FATS, OILS, AND GREASES	MT	8,481	8,454	4,580	5,313	1,067	870	550	600
GELATIN	---	---	---	30,428	36,815	---	---	3,310	3,470
HAIR, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	1,602	1,138	5,445	5,855	195	158	495	823
OSSEIN	MT	5,400	7,051	7,120	10,011	497	682	576	469
SAUSAGE CASINGS	---	---	---	35,884	43,050	---	---	2,567	3,673
WOOL,UNMANUFACTURED,EX FREE, APPARE	MT	13,793	11,027	50,324	46,519	782	1,082	2,627	4,277
OTHER	---	---	---	7,528	9,297	---	---	659	1,176
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	3,608,084	3,881,458	---	---	320,923	390,881
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	16,803	13,951	8,777	4,991	1,267	1,908	1,020	489
COTTON, RAW	MT	1,891	607	4,937	1,187	189	20	465	22
LINTERS	MT	14,912	13,344	3,840	3,803	1,078	1,888	555	468

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COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.	
FRUITS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	335,545	432,072	--	--	26,244	44,162
APPLES, FRESH	MT	39,952	50,959	11,685	19,875	2,342	2,894	472	1,001
APPLES, PREPARED OR PRESERVED	MT	5,456	3,555	3,302	1,492	497	67	295	110
APRICOTS	MT	1,735	2,119	3,089	4,513	50	107	87	182
BERRIES:									
BLUEBERRIES, FRESH OR FROZEN	MT	6,542	7,807	9,366	11,525	982	857	1,730	1,515
STRAWBERRIES, FRESH	MT	9,316	12,788	3,934	5,534	0	22	0	35
STRAWBERRIES, FROZEN	MT	42,547	41,582	24,335	20,356	799	1,111	454	541
OTHER	MT	12,325	13,519	9,116	9,926	1,296	4,159	698	1,663
CANDIED OR GLACE FRUITS	MT	3,125	3,140	4,305	4,305	379	379	504	511
CITRUS:									
GRAPEFRUIT, FRESH	MT	5,989	137	2,543	52	798	1	245	0
LIMES, FRESH	MT	6,579	10,026	2,201	2,574	572	992	119	227
ORANGES, CANNED	MT	30,480	34,581	22,489	27,465	2,404	2,601	2,048	2,104
ORANGES, FRESH	MT	25,103	18,863	5,600	4,670	1,241	2,004	277	477
OTHER	MT	455	7,366	205	3,939	9	493	15	254
DATES	MT	17,230	8,553	9,086	5,187	1,823	36	1,174	43
FIGS	MT	1,851	2,564	1,977	2,733	1,104	1,455	1,112	1,778
FRUIT JUICES:									
APPLE AND PEAR	HCL	1,067,632	1,532,128	22,273	33,416	89,940	99,981	1,768	2,342
GRAPE	HCL	15,172	26,001	321	951	82	1,798	6	77
ORANGE, CONCENTRATED	HCL	1,271,747	3,788,397	16,473	74,998	225,817	1,073,709	3,796	18,707
PINEAPPLE	HCL	6,760,727	7,956,345	7,874	10,601	859,713	319,942	1,096	711
OTHER	HCL	886,153	1,048,864	5,564	8,442	63,779	95,088	493	1,130
FRUIT PEEL, PASTE AND PULP	MT	13,367	13,916	7,617	8,816	911	958	365	484
GRAPES, FRESH	MT	29,744	29,955	15,399	20,306	1,668	474	273	195
JAMS AND JELLIES	MT	3,441	3,160	4,104	3,967	399	336	426	498
MANGOES, FRESH OR PREPARED	MT	10,997	15,567	6,059	7,800	450	289	280	217
MELONS, FRESH	MT	176,570	199,565	31,463	34,988	456	239	62	27
PEARS, FRESH	MT	4,175	5,633	1,546	2,367	64	22	54	27
PINEAPPLES, FRESH	---	---	---	5,005	6,564	--	--	485	542
PINEAPPLES, CANNED	MT	150,214	149,731	71,988	75,082	12,852	10,692	6,778	5,412
PINEAPPLES, PREPARED, EXC CANNED	MT	2,529	2,295	1,398	1,083	163	161	86	98
PRUNES, PLUMS	MT	1,838	2,290	1,931	2,432	82	79	154	134
RAISINS, CURRANTS	MT	11,587	1,600	12,165	2,412	118	1,327	138	2,179
OTHER	---	---	---	10,131	12,601	--	--	753	941
NUTS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	182,846	168,997	--	--	19,722	19,445
BRAZIL	MT	10,724	10,372	14,904	17,001	1,063	498	1,973	1,208
CASHEWS	MT	31,519	27,058	93,081	81,078	2,246	3,349	7,516	10,065
CHESTNUTS	MT	654	719	857	838	235	539	348	505
COCONUTS, IN SHELL	MNO	14,236	15,410	2,322	2,465	1,840	1,873	294	316
COCONUT MEAT, FRESH OR PREPARED	MT	36,905	41,263	27,795	34,459	4,386	4,503	4,022	3,723
FILBERTS	MT	5,182	3,184	8,367	6,433	330	285	528	591
PECANS	MT	1,386	374	3,066	662	70	219	103	312
PISTACHE	MT	9,233	6,891	28,328	22,938	1,385	726	4,579	2,457
OTHER	---	---	---	4,126	3,123	--	--	359	268
GRAINS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	144,346	172,178	--	--	11,541	19,002
BARLEY	MT	163,884	97,270	22,978	7,452	617	2,417	88	236
BARLEY AND OTHER MALT	MT	40,841	39,092	9,750	7,723	3,252	4,814	768	953
CORN, EXC SEED	MT	59,621	45,061	6,953	5,881	12,247	289	1,041	18
OATS	MT	33,484	12,093	3,607	1,158	1,441	369	117	28
RICE	MT	970	1,545	565	906	205	264	72	121
WHEAT, EXC. SEED	MT	34,968	11	3,187	3	18	0	5	0

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COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.	
WHEAT FLOUR	MT	348	520	48	194	0	68	0	22
WHEAT GLUTEN	MT	19,652	18,916	19,052	16,310	1,408	1,507	1,407	1,174
BISCUITS, CAKES, WAFERS ETC	MT	31,842	38,344	48,023	63,087	3,023	4,509	4,860	8,174
BREAD CRUMBS	MT	9,491	12,504	5,690	7,295	1,273	1,808	806	1,040
BREAD, YEAST-LEAVENED	MT	1,419	1,908	1,252	2,249	163	185	148	195
MACARONI, SPAGHETTI, ETC	MT	21,366	27,196	16,199	20,935	1,969	3,421	1,401	2,491
OTHER	---	---	---	7,042	38,986	---	---	827	4,551
OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS	MT	906,773	829,771	523,899	441,216	47,684	66,794	32,233	42,429
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	MT	18,665	7,903	4,260	1,505	268	365	41	59
OILSEEDS AND OILNUTS	MT	126,062	84,102	70,097	38,113	6,232	8,947	4,351	3,400
FLAXSEED	MT	37,959	22,134	11,006	3,771	0	3,578	0	642
MUSTARD SEED	MT	27,625	27,876	9,914	8,572	1,978	1,959	688	602
POPPY SEED	MT	3,887	2,238	3,161	1,462	59	159	68	94
SESAME SEED	MT	25,080	27,801	17,590	22,484	1,370	1,985	1,164	1,615
SUNFLOWER SEED	MT	2,130	2,873	649	683	536	1,168	108	241
OTHER	MT	29,381	1,180	27,756	1,141	2,289	98	2,322	206
VEGETABLE OILS AND WAXES	MT	762,046	737,766	449,541	401,598	41,184	56,982	27,841	38,960
CARNAUBA WAX	MT	1,995	3,095	3,764	5,894	183	318	333	617
CASTOR OIL	MT	50,706	116,619	41,621	33,405	6,262	5,875	5,762	4,129
COCONUT OIL	MT	374,109	390,883	205,494	207,432	13,340	36,482	7,340	22,055
OLIVE OIL, EDIBLE	MT	20,230	23,945	26,039	32,239	2,492	2,758	2,816	3,669
PALM OIL	MT	221,579	128,798	103,304	58,113	11,652	3,995	6,196	2,137
PALM KERNEL OIL	MT	62,906	47,878	37,941	30,664	6,041	5,286	3,795	3,865
RAPESEED OIL	MT	6,201	5,622	3,402	3,595	155	740	29	460
SESAME OIL	MT	1,340	1,500	2,570	3,202	103	177	208	393
TUNG OIL	MT	7,639	7,525	9,962	14,642	204	300	314	419
OTHER	MT	15,341	11,901	15,445	12,503	752	1,051	988	1,216
SUGAR AND RELATED PRODUCTS	---	---	---	922,455	730,104	---	---	98,435	84,953
SUGAR, CANE OR BEET	MT	3,917,371	2,483,928	768,811	604,343	450,769	365,939	85,814	65,418
MOLASSES, INEDIBLE	HCL	2,825,197	3,315,325	76,277	57,572	1,107	1,691	4,235	9,308
MAPLE SUGAR AND SIRUP	MT	4,014	3,939	6,475	7,395	308	258	613	524
CONFECTIONERY PRODUCTS	MT	35,821	36,166	45,320	54,379	3,893	3,803	4,195	7,642
HONEY	MT	24,342	23,110	16,144	17,813	1,951	1,041	1,488	859
OTHER	---	---	---	9,427	8,602	---	---	2,090	1,202
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	545,705	669,290	---	---	36,797	43,686
FRESH OR FROZEN:									
ASPARAGUS, EX FROZEN	MT	3,031	2,381	2,753	2,657	242	153	204	161
BEANS	MT	6,627	9,178	2,110	6,378	93	180	59	153
BROCCOLI, CAULIFLOWER, OKRA, SLC, FRZ	MT	12,455	17,406	6,118	8,442	1,304	1,829	670	1,046
CABBAGE	MT	17,723	10,806	2,498	1,209	56	233	6	41
CARROTS	MT	22,627	19,931	3,376	3,426	4,370	7,393	612	1,262
CUCUMBERS	MT	34,025	40,761	6,860	11,928	48	142	16	95
DASHEENS	MT	9,030	10,193	2,671	3,444	1,133	954	448	322
EGGPLANT	MT	12,691	16,093	2,894	6,041	2	5	1	2
ENDIVE	MT	504	741	957	1,195	23	62	55	94
GARLIC	MT	8,254	12,349	6,302	8,576	10	152	13	217
LETTUCE	MT	1,634	2,405	362	720	79	63	37	30
OKRA	MT	8,238	10,653	1,680	2,159	158	98	72	44
ONIONS	MT	60,497	55,730	11,690	13,611	356	614	161	315
PEAS	MT	7,610	8,338	4,439	5,934	312	406	216	313
PEPPERS	MT	50,845	62,905	20,318	28,842	656	1,087	265	362
POTATOES, WHITE OR IRISH	MT	25,244	30,290	2,494	3,357	2,541	2,126	318	383
SQUASH	MT	26,160	29,079	3,947	13,997	244	70	45	30
TOMATOES	MT	332,965	348,541	138,881	150,782	10,731	6,768	5,255	3,590
TURNIPS OR RUTABAGAS	MT	28,429	27,131	4,727	3,219	4,061	4,458	542	477
OTHER	---	---	---	10,821	16,307	---	---	825	1,595

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TABLE 13 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.	
DRIED:									
BEANS, INCLUDING MUNG	MT	16,609	6,171	7,923	3,740	527	631	341	271
CHICKPEAS	MT	9,942	8,783	5,883	5,956	1,378	2,737	780	1,800
MUSHROOMS	MT	634	434	5,637	7,624	39	56	535	1,251
PEAS, EXCEPT CHICKPEAS	MT	6,283	3,816	2,278	1,429	1,342	325	393	126
OTHER	---	---	---	9,604	14,336	--	--	1,346	1,166
PREPARED OR PRESERVED:									
ARTICHOKES	MT	4,725	7,629	6,012	10,243	514	1,233	753	1,784
ASPARAGUS	MT	4,351	2,322	5,618	3,389	394	187	582	292
BEAN CAKE, CURD	MT	950	1,066	1,365	1,650	86	89	118	143
CASSAVA, FLOUR, STARCH, TAPIOCA	MT	32,527	30,810	6,517	5,788	2,123	3,045	405	518
HOPS, INCLUDING EXTRACTS	MT	3,459	4,593	11,653	12,425	93	42	194	58
MUSHROOMS	MT	27,949	35,202	66,649	83,603	2,965	2,116	7,220	4,703
OLIVES, IN BRINE	HCL	4,707,157	6,052,967	60,104	64,448	345,859	559,145	4,049	8,126
ONIONS	MT	3,011	3,212	3,593	3,240	203	155	270	171
PALM HEARTS	MT	1,134	468	1,715	796	9	23	14	40
PEAS, INCLUDING COMPEAS	MT	4,511	4,397	3,610	3,798	137	255	124	212
PIMIENTOS	MT	4,188	3,916	5,364	5,612	114	200	149	276
SOUPS AND SAUCES	MT	13,979	17,199	18,922	30,041	1,350	1,735	1,636	2,902
STARCH, POTATO	MT	5,664	8,434	1,311	1,925	467	716	100	159
TOMATOES	MT	54,204	50,383	25,147	24,334	4,811	3,901	2,410	1,893
WATERCHESTNUTS	MT	13,268	8,084	10,156	5,630	503	680	390	464
OTHER	---	---	---	50,747	87,059	--	--	5,168	6,801
OTHER VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	944,512	1,242,610	--	--	94,930	136,724
BROOMCORN	MT	8,990	8,678	9,271	11,235	1,077	681	1,194	1,073
CUT FLOWERS	---	---	---	30,226	45,029	--	--	3,302	4,346
ESSENTIAL OILS	MT	2,169	1,309	5,312	6,571	24	267	168	833
FEEDS & FODDERS, EX OIL CAKE & MEAL	---	---	---	49,458	55,205	--	--	4,049	5,754
FLAVORING EXTRACTS	---	---	---	13,552	17,687	--	--	938	1,315
JUTE AND JUTE BUTTS, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	10,561	13,183	2,354	2,881	545	1,740	134	216
MALT LIQUORS	HCL	25,752,232	34,350,690	135,263	200,142	2,219,065	3,335,546	11,350	19,421
MURSEY & GREENHOUSE STOCK	---	---	---	41,617	47,550	--	--	8,314	8,024
SEEDS, EXCEPT OILSEEDS	MT	36,752	55,867	35,905	41,518	2,516	2,916	3,090	4,079
SPICES	MT	8,917	9,742	11,988	13,483	265	544	395	779
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	121,315	132,885	275,692	329,356	10,432	14,537	27,059	35,980
TOBACCO LEAF, ORIENTAL	MT	63,937	68,085	180,545	210,590	6,099	8,104	18,589	24,459
WINES	HCL	22,757,469	29,160,244	325,410	461,351	2,211,764	3,232,100	34,160	53,819
WINES, STILL GRAPE, UNDER 14% ALCH	HCL	18,269,367	24,161,330	250,563	362,658	1,780,316	2,675,332	25,333	40,064
MISC. VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	8,465	10,803	--	--	777	1,085

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TABLE 14--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP
DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER		OCTOBER	
		1977	1978	1977	1978
ALL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---
NONAGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---
COMPLEMENTARY	---	---	---	---	---
BANANAS, FRESH	MT	148.260	153.060	153.842	156.145
PLANTAINS, FRESH	MT	157.060	183.612	183.497	167.549
BANANAS, PLANTAINS, DRIED OR PREPARED	MT	367.525	323.148	440.676	403.490
COFFEE, GREEN	MT	4,435.949	3,497.704	4,019.534	2,888.504
COFFEE, SOLUBLE, EXTRACTS	MT	10,972.108	9,704.397	12,857.620	8,291.456
COFFEE, ROASTED OR GROUND	MT	4,467.263	3,377.695	4,749.332	3,145.130
COCOA BEANS	MT	2,685.526	3,059.095	4,410.930	2,505.117
COCOA BUTTER	MT	5,301.272	4,265.719	5,371.820	4,342.156
COCOA, POWDER & CAKE	MT	2,690.774	4,493.550	4,173.713	4,086.170
CHOCOLATE PREPARATIONS	MT	3,089.620	3,561.267	3,932.837	3,345.365
DRUGS, HERBS, ROOTS, LEAVES, ETC	MT	3,442.071	3,315.228	1,616.316	3,511.777
ESSENTIAL OILS	MT	14,154.372	17,039.712	11,795.954	13,418.979
FIBERS, EX COTTON, JUTE	MT	433.509	500.860	504.550	507.756
RUBBER, AND ALLIED GUMS:					
RUBBER, DRY FORM	MT	789.240	868.148	788.732	935.902
RUBBER, LATEX	MT	898.571	966.019	890.112	1,021.059
ALLIED GUMS	MT	2,160.394	2,337.864	2,505.323	2,783.396
SILK, RAW	MT	18,753.797	20,806.154	18,118.818	22,167.385
SPICES	MT	2,003.664	2,049.964	1,678.546	2,102.782
PEPPER, BLACK, UNGROUND	MT	2,097.973	2,146.412	2,072.021	1,760.477
VANILLA BEANS	MT	17,353.864	20,417.276	17,025.444	23,883.516
OTHER	MT	1,355.831	1,477.811	1,457.874	1,254.842
TEA, CRUDE OR PREPARED	MT	1,891.277	1,626.528	2,093.824	1,652.904
WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED, FREE, CARPET	MT	3,028.274	2,890.306	2,861.789	2,876.043
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
SUPPLEMENTARY	---	---	---	---	---
ANIMAL AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
ANIMALS, LIVE	---	---	---	---	---
CATTLE, DUTIABLE	NO	160.873	183.339	209.457	261.058
CATTLE FOR BREEDING, FREE	NO	826.802	765.866	527.829	766.488
HORSES	NO	7,499.238	6,370.279	4,022.360	5,524.396
SWINE	NO	128.448	108.433	137.140	121.275
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
DAIRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
CHEESE	---	---	---	---	---
BLUE MOLD, INCLUDING ROQUEFORT	MT	2,387.440	2,518.884	2,286.660	2,452.034
CHEDDAR	MT	3,388.637	3,439.607	3,813.225	4,102.848
EDAM AND GOUDA	MT	1,617.238	1,686.014	1,776.929	2,014.792
EMMENTHALER OR SWISS, INC GRUYERE	MT	2,668.997	2,689.781	2,657.607	2,179.861
OTHER	MT	2,426.749	2,572.230	2,559.679	2,520.878

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TABLE 14--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP
DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER		OCTOBER	
		1977	1978	1977	1978
ROMANO, REGGIANO, PARMESANO	MT	2,258.257	2,709.417	2,804.234	3,190.466
PECORINO AND SHEEPSMILK	MT	3,230.533	2,920.164	3,540.784	2,764.194
OTHER	MT	2,118.520	2,288.775	1,806.312	2,205.280
CASEIN AND MIXTURES	MT	1,053.492	1,217.701	1,092.139	1,279.540
NONFAT DRY MILK	MT	602.082	571.228	594.641	---
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
HIDES AND SKINS, INCLUDING FURSKINS	---	---	---	---	---
CALF AND KIP SKINS	MT	2,108.248	2,107.477	2,210.231	2,028.796
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	MT	767.567	1,046.380	707.228	1,334.789
GOAT AND KID SKINS	MT	3,766.257	3,662.944	3,115.077	5,586.159
SHEEP AND LAMB SKINS	MT	3,685.741	3,803.181	3,802.670	3,596.239
FURSKINS	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS	MT	1,630.892	1,919.048	1,555.707	2,088.394
MEATS-P.L.88-482	MT	1,263.300	1,631.014	1,196.725	1,807.974
BEEF AND VEAL	MT	1,320.430	1,645.075	1,246.645	1,811.235
CANNED	MT	1,663.214	1,653.040	1,631.760	1,753.591
FRESH OR FROZEN	MT	1,262.137	1,629.222	1,195.799	1,807.039
PREPARED OR PRESERVED	MT	1,948.076	1,964.768	1,948.631	2,104.137
MUTTON, GOAT, AND LAMB	MT	1,625.179	1,741.805	1,987.947	1,919.291
PORK	MT	3,009.646	3,165.347	3,114.727	3,165.624
FRESH OR FROZEN	MT	1,264.569	1,487.312	1,155.838	1,638.319
HAMS AND SHOULDERS, CND, COOKED	MT	3,256.195	3,577.127	3,426.149	3,583.352
OTHER	MT	2,211.622	2,654.175	2,454.459	2,592.906
OTHER, INC EDIBLE OFFALS, GAME	MT	2,131.834	2,474.622	2,220.149	2,598.185
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
BABY CHICKS	MNO	852.938	825.877	932.673	832.547
EGGS IN SHELL	MDZ	387.833	338.306	2,577.965	1,471.510
FEATHERS AND DOWNS, CRUDE, SORTED	MT	8,523.264	13,385.997	11,667.014	7,820.618
POULTRY MEAT	MT	11,530.560	6,541.178	6,475.040	22,365.429
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
BEESWAX	MT	3,786.135	4,270.840	4,149.295	4,226.368
BONES, HOOPS, AND HORNS	---	---	---	---	---
BRISTLES, CRUDE OR PREPARED	MT	7,329.769	7,739.268	7,482.219	8,614.224
FATS, OILS, AND GREASES	MT	540.080	628.464	515.631	690.183
GELATIN	---	---	---	---	---
HAIR, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	3,399.059	5,144.693	2,536.021	5,210.968
OSSEIN	MT	1,318.547	1,419.859	1,158.771	687.565
SAUSAGE CASINGS	---	---	3,908.297	---	4,315.700
WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED, EX FREE, APPARE	MT	3,648.517	4,218.645	3,359.335	3,952.865
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	522.340	357.725	805.425	256.468
COTTON, RAW	MT	2,610.911	1,956.290	2,460.534	1,088.800
LINTERS	MT	257.487	285.009	515.244	247.651

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TABLE 14--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP
DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER		OCTOBER	
		1977	1978	1977	1978
FRUITS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
APPLES, FRESH	MT	292.414	390.018	201.622	345.962
APPLES, PREPARED OR PRESERVED	MT	605.249	419.724	594.396	1,644.313
APRICOTS	MT	1,780.523	2,129.550	1,740.420	1,700.140
BERRIES:					
BLUEBERRIES, FRESH OR FROZEN	MT	1,431.673	1,476.282	1,761.669	1,767.751
STRAWBERRIES, FRESH	MT	422.335	518.769	---	1,587.909
STRAWBERRIES, FROZEN	MT	571.953	489.532	568.518	486.689
OTHER	MT	739.651	734.239	538.576	399.804
CANDIED OR GLACE FRUITS	MT	1,377.677	1,378.901	1,330.190	1,348.918
CITRUS:					
GRAPEFRUIT, FRESH	MT	424.640	376.715	306.833	333.000
LIMES, FRESH	MT	334.505	256.757	207.633	229.333
ORANGES, CANNED	MT	737.820	794.229	852.049	809.110
ORANGES, FRESH	MT	262.916	247.588	222.873	238.060
OTHER	MT	451.292	534.805	1,652.444	515.158
DATES	MT	527.337	606.483	643.914	1,183.278
FIGS	MT	1,068.192	1,065.725	1,006.841	1,221.767
FRUIT JUICES:					
APPLE AND PEAR	HCL	20.862	21.810	19.655	23.423
GRAPE	HCL	21.140	36.574	73.122	42.674
ORANGE, CONCENTRATED	HCL	12.953	19.797	16.809	17.423
PINEAPPLE	HCL	1.165	1.332	1.274	2.224
OTHER	HCL	6.279	8.048	7.731	11.887
FRUIT PEEL, PASTE AND PULP	MT	569.799	633.520	400.465	505.170
GRAPES, FRESH	MT	517.724	677.870	163.909	411.030
JAMS AND JELLIES	MT	1,192.697	1,255.350	1,068.747	1,482.137
MANGOES, FRESH OR PREPARED	MT	550.982	501.035	622.496	751.349
MELONS, FRESH	MT	178.192	175.322	136.507	112.774
PEARS, FRESH	MT	370.239	420.191	844.109	1,236.455
PINEAPPLES, FRESH	---	---	---	---	---
PINEAPPLES, CANNED	MT	479.236	501.446	527.424	506.145
PINEAPPLES, PREPARED, EXC CANNED	MT	552.936	471.850	527.055	606.323
PRUNES, PLUMS	MT	1,050.788	1,061.990	1,880.976	1,694.266
RAISINS, CURRANTS	MT	1,049.879	1,507.562	1,172.542	1,641.828
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
NUTS AND PREPARATIONS					
BRAZIL	MT	1,389.746	1,639.167	1,856.370	2,426.496
CASHEWS	MT	2,953.181	2,996.434	3,346.226	3,005.245
CHESTNUTS	MT	1,311.124	1,165.737	1,482.651	936.831
COCONUTS, IN SHELL	MND	163.130	159.993	160.039	168.778
COCONUT MEAT, FRESH OR PREPARED	MT	753.156	835.106	917.036	826.758
FILBERTS	MT	1,614.589	2,020.409	1,599.085	2,073.453
PECANS	MT	2,212.315	1,770.214	1,465.257	1,424.845
PISTACHE	MT	3,068.097	3,328.636	3,306.380	3,384.508
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
GRAINS AND PREPARATIONS					
BARLEY	MT	140.210	76.607	143.214	97.624
BARLEY AND OTHER MALT	MT	238.720	197.569	236.051	197.897
CORN, EXC SEED	MT	116.613	130.505	84.996	61.522
OATS	MT	107.722	95.733	81.518	75.558
RICE	MT	582.843	586.511	352.873	459.799
WHEAT, EXC. SEED	MT	91.138	236.727	295.778	---

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TABLE 14--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP
DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER		OCTOBER	
		1977	1978	1977	1978
WHEAT FLOUR	MT	137.681	372.256	---	318.412
WHEAT GLUTEN	MT	969.474	862.254	999.442	779.181
BISCUITS, CAKES, WAFERS ETC	MT	1,508.154	1,645.280	1,607.565	1,812.857
BREAD CRUMBS	MT	599.503	583.411	633.202	575.186
BREAD, YEAST-LEAVENED	MT	882.642	1,178.886	907.638	1,052.341
MACARONI, SPAGHETTI, ETC	MT	758.145	769.799	711.388	728.039
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS	MT	577.762	531.732	675.971	639.877
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	MT	228.255	190.416	154.239	161.907
OILSEEDS AND OILNUTS	MT	556.051	453.178	698.220	380.029
FLAXSEED	MT	289.943	170.391	---	179.562
MUSTARD SEED	MT	358.888	307.497	347.833	307.304
POPPY SEED	MT	818.488	653.385	1,153.932	591.742
SESAME SEED	MT	701.374	808.742	849.903	813.424
SUNFLOWER SEED	MT	304.565	237.713	202.142	206.316
OTHER	MT	944.692	966.802	1,014.634	2,101.337
VEGETABLE OILS AND WAXES	MT	589.914	544.343	676.008	683.733
CARNAUBA WAX	MT	1,886.640	1,875.186	1,821.399	1,940.403
CASTOR OIL	MT	820.821	286.444	920.120	702.772
COCONUT OIL	MT	549.288	530.675	550.224	604.551
OLIVE OIL, EDIBLE	MT	1,287.130	1,346.384	1,129.888	1,330.385
PALM OIL	MT	466.219	451.193	531.774	534.984
PALM KERNEL OIL	MT	603.143	640.457	628.129	731.096
RAPESEED OIL	MT	548.566	639.369	574.361	622.053
SESAME OIL	MT	1,917.686	2,134.916	2,016.165	2,221.333
TUNG OIL	MT	1,304.126	1,945.821	1,540.382	1,396.333
OTHER	MT	1,006.808	1,050.557	1,314.157	1,156.985
SUGAR AND RELATED PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
SUGAR, CANE OR BEET	MT	196.257	202.533	190.372	178.767
MOLASSES, INEDIBLE	HCL	26.999	17.365	3,825.473	5,504.687
MAPLE SUGAR AND SIRUP	MT	1,613.216	1,877.491	1,989.718	2,031.089
CONFECTIONERY PRODUCTS	MT	1,265.183	1,503.593	1,356.332	2,009.348
HONEY	MT	663.217	770.776	770.776	825.272
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
FRESH OR FROZEN:	---	---	---	---	---
ASPARAGUS, EX FROZEN	MT	908.205	1,115.739	842.500	1,051.333
BEANS	MT	318.361	694.955	635.516	849.978
BROCCOLI, CAULIFLOWER, OKRA, SLC, FRZ	MT	491.240	485.002	513.440	571.745
CABBAGE	MT	140.965	111.838	115.196	174.060
CARROTS	MT	149.207	171.872	140.122	170.672
CUCUMBERS	MT	201.623	292.645	327.146	667.810
DASHEENS	MT	295.757	337.915	395.033	337.288
EGGPLANT	MT	228.014	375.371	397.000	369.200
ENDIVE	MT	1,898.034	1,612.559	2,390.174	1,523.952
GARLIC	MT	763.560	694.474	1,338.800	1,430.428
LETTUCE	MT	221.826	299.554	463.392	468.667
OKRA	MT	203.988	202.624	455.734	447.847
ONIONS	MT	193.238	244.231	452.601	512.875
PEAS	MT	583.264	711.741	690.718	769.766
PEPPERS	MT	399.600	458.496	404.131	333.450
POTATOES, WHITE OR IRISH	MT	98.811	108.322	125.336	180.032
SQUASH	MT	150.870	481.332	185.582	433.114
TOMATOES	MT	417.105	432.608	489.727	530.398
TURNIPS OR RUTABAGAS	MT	166.262	118.664	133.541	107.042
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 14--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP
DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER		OCTOBER	
		1977	1978	1977	1978
DRIED:					
BEANS, INCLUDING MUNG	MT	477.022	606.057	647.461	429.837
CHICKPEAS	MT	591.729	678.118	566.025	657.542
MUSHROOMS	MT	8,890.986	17,567.836	13,724.128	22,337.911
PEAS, EXCEPT CHICKPEAS	MT	362.518	374.369	293.019	387.498
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
PREPARED OR PRESERVED:					
ARTICHOKES	MT	1,272.303	1,342.668	1,464.710	1,446.737
ASPARAGUS	MT	1,291.249	1,459.585	1,477.274	1,562.529
BEAN CAKE, CURD	MT	1,436.813	1,547.782	1,373.965	1,606.337
CASSAVA, FLOUR, STARCH, TAPIOCA	MT	200.345	187.877	190.676	170.233
HOPS, INCLUDING EXTRACTS	MT	3,368.790	2,705.127	2,084.860	1,372.476
MUSHROOMS	MT	2,384.662	2,374.946	2,435.037	2,222.626
OLIVES, IN BRINE	HCL	12.769	10.647	11.707	14.533
ONIONS	MT	1,193.174	1,008.715	1,329.916	1,100.806
PALM HEARTS	MT	1,512.425	1,700.774	1,516.667	1,758.696
PEAS, INCLUDING COWPEAS	MT	800.239	863.843	907.942	831.533
PIMIENTOS	MT	1,280.872	1,433.215	1,304.246	1,379.270
SOUPS AND SAUCES	MT	1,353.586	1,746.650	1,211.541	1,672.851
STARCH, POTATO	MT	231.376	228.273	213.784	221.404
TOMATOES	MT	463.937	482.979	500.963	485.342
WATERCHESTNUTS	MT	765.476	696.471	775.089	681.994
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER VEGETABLE PRODUCTS					
BROOMCORN	MT	1,031.216	1,271.579	1,108.567	1,575.103
CUT FLOWERS	---	---	---	---	---
ESSENTIAL OILS	MT	2,448.891	5,020.030	6,989.167	3,120.775
FEEDS & FEEDERS, EX OIL CAKE & MEAL	---	---	---	---	---
FLAVORING EXTRACTS	---	---	---	---	---
JUTE AND JUTE BUTTS, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	222.930	218.568	246.292	124.291
MALT LIQUORS	HCL	5.252	5.826	5.115	5.823
NURSERY & GREENHOUSE STOCK	---	---	---	---	---
SEEDS, EXCEPT OILSEEDS	MT	976.949	743.166	1,228.173	1,398.943
SPICES	MT	1,344.380	1,383.977	1,489.808	1,431.934
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	2,272.531	2,478.500	2,593.875	2,475.047
TOBACCO LEAF, ORIENTAL	MT	2,823.796	3,093.042	3,047.857	3,018.140
WINES	HCL	14.299	15.821	15.445	16.652
WINES, STILL GRAPE, UNDER 14% ALCH	HCL	13.715	15.010	14.230	14.975
MISC. VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 15--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
BANANAS, FRESH	MT	1,753,965	1,900,573	260,043	290,902	183,587	211,449	28,243	33,017
GUATEMALA		179,807	145,523	18,386	15,425	21,511	16,702	2,223	1,754
HONDURAS		427,425	457,359	67,296	75,727	46,171	42,982	7,644	6,947
NICARAGUA		86,746	103,032	15,297	14,397	17,648	6,179	3,180	1,219
COSTA RICA		460,897	407,721	68,644	63,593	50,936	52,439	7,951	8,105
PANAMA		121,509	156,800	17,988	22,467	1,409	30,236	189	4,232
COLOMBIA		77,519	140,074	11,812	21,925	12,114	20,701	1,855	3,742
ECUADOR		363,918	457,682	56,318	72,600	31,351	39,922	4,850	6,657
OTHER		36,146	32,372	4,303	4,768	2,447	2,289	351	362
PLANTAINS, FRESH	MT	51,495	56,815	8,088	10,432	5,228	6,275	959	1,051
GUATEMALA		2,122	3,304	289	585	159	237	28	39
COSTA RICA		4,719	8,058	851	1,380	352	604	84	99
COLOMBIA		20,065	20,871	2,710	3,650	2,662	2,087	434	366
ECUADOR		21,777	22,497	3,623	4,388	1,969	3,231	400	522
OTHER		2,812	2,085	614	428	65	117	14	25
COFFEE, GREEN	MT	749,315	887,620	3,323,923	3,104,628	38,105	114,078	153,164	329,515
MEXICO		75,040	83,286	336,671	213,704	2,747	4,361	10,933	14,106
GUATEMALA		34,805	43,298	148,867	160,606	2,382	5,442	6,768	16,838
EL SALVADOR		59,186	32,619	274,809	98,708	0	11,933	0	20,919
HONDURAS		11,585	30,353	50,194	113,913	629	743	2,385	2,328
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		19,442	23,732	88,638	89,526	418	1,234	1,654	3,974
COLOMBIA		93,882	135,913	418,619	557,011	11,738	22,679	49,414	86,003
ECUADOR		26,724	54,062	110,727	166,224	4,479	10,230	15,144	27,808
PERU		19,434	31,495	92,396	102,028	3,140	5,279	15,171	13,774
BRAZIL		140,525	125,489	589,344	525,268	38	20,084	188	63,477
INDONESIA		45,190	54,745	295,315	140,111	1,151	5,736	3,605	14,673
IVORY COAST		38,033	36,146	178,673	116,468	758	2,871	3,131	7,561
ZAIRE		17,280	29,414	85,167	91,917	0	576	0	1,658
ETHIOPIA		15,005	24,387	78,349	82,007	125	619	694	2,187
UGANDA		52,252	26,276	222,344	81,330	1,734	0	7,151	0
MALAGASY REPUBLIC		10,532	22,815	36,262	72,510	0	537	0	1,761
OTHER		90,399	153,589	408,550	491,298	8,765	20,574	36,927	52,446
COFFEE, SOLUBLE, EXT	MT	24,566	19,561	269,541	189,828	447	2,463	5,747	20,347
CANADA		1,374	10	19,864	49	98	7	1,147	23
COLOMBIA		612	95	6,824	880	2	45	12	405
BRAZIL		18,212	16,807	188,988	155,378	267	2,109	3,365	16,993
FRANCE		2,870	657	28,443	15,258	11	99	286	1,729
SPAIN		849	269	10,638	5,797	0	0	0	0
OTHER		1,648	1,724	14,783	12,465	69	194	938	1,196
COCOA BEANS	MT	164,492	173,684	441,747	531,313	8,196	16,163	36,152	40,490
MEXICO		3,513	1,603	8,927	5,293	0	56	0	182
COSTA RICA		3,921	3,014	14,224	10,946	281	222	1,141	899

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TABLE 15--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		22,611	23,081	81,530	69,986	89	1,269	356	4,335
ECUADOR		3,547	5,663	11,382	17,448	0	418	0	1,390
BRAZIL		23,266	29,541	80,230	95,315	4,842	3,480	19,622	12,339
PAPUA NEW GUINEA		5,451	4,249	20,459	14,961	1,030	1,053	5,095	3,622
IVORY COAST		38,334	40,694	69,527	132,360	926	2,326	3,054	8,197
GHANA		33,887	24,001	71,579	76,022	406	0	2,195	0
NIGERIA		19,446	30,356	51,994	73,329	142	6,965	2,042	8,449
OTHER		10,516	11,482	31,895	35,653	480	374	1,866	1,078
COCOA BUTTER	MT	15,378	20,191	81,518	86,129	1,237	1,770	6,645	7,686
CANADA		56	339	286	1,764	0	108	0	534
MEXICO		976	1,986	4,524	8,619	0	100	0	454
COSTA RICA		329	913	1,583	3,879	0	90	0	411
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		323	222	1,778	938	0	20	0	97
COLOMBIA		220	481	931	2,058	50	0	195	0
VENEZUELA		281	449	1,362	1,812	30	0	115	0
ECUADOR		300	1,622	1,606	6,730	0	238	0	1,028
BRAZIL		5,309	5,132	27,354	21,727	616	856	3,809	3,659
UNITED KINGDOM		474	414	2,619	1,906	34	17	185	87
NETHERLANDS		432	534	2,210	2,393	26	27	129	125
MALAYSIA		317	377	1,670	1,822	0	25	0	93
PHILIPPINES		619	553	3,027	2,190	9	56	33	219
IVORY COAST		5,489	6,066	31,578	25,725	472	54	2,178	286
OTHER		252	1,103	990	4,567	1	177	2	693
COCOA, POWDER & CAKE	MT	62,092	69,497	167,073	312,293	6,005	5,911	25,063	24,153
ECUADOR		1,672	2,159	3,645	8,290	60	105	284	360
BRAZIL		14,708	16,557	39,126	65,411	1,282	1,515	4,711	5,255
UNITED KINGDOM		1,215	1,775	2,478	8,190	36	287	139	1,364
NETHERLANDS		19,386	19,775	60,021	103,458	2,134	1,861	9,746	9,110
FRANCE		3,477	4,000	9,311	17,318	308	431	1,440	1,583
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		8,050	9,767	14,669	42,908	649	622	1,520	2,803
CAMEROON		1,278	131	4,114	564	162	0	758	0
IVORY COAST		5,428	7,706	14,887	36,053	491	679	3,301	2,175
GHANA		3,642	3,330	11,003	12,140	711	0	2,739	0
OTHER		3,235	4,296	7,818	17,962	171	412	425	1,505
ESSENTIAL OILS	MT	4,552	4,227	64,374	71,993	349	485	4,093	6,588
MEXICO		321	377	6,246	7,949	13	50	273	913
HAITI		234	200	7,260	7,408	16	7	441	95
BRAZIL		905	641	4,788	3,003	145	51	897	274
FRANCE		510	504	13,297	15,502	19	22	788	987
SPAIN		93	116	1,425	1,951	2	6	34	83
ITALY		48	74	1,312	2,588	3	6	89	214
INDIA		62	47	4,098	3,268	8	2	359	178
INDONESIA		466	557	6,187	7,946	7	53	391	955
PEOPLES REP OF CHINA		315	258	3,560	4,970	5	57	6	860

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TABLE 15--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
MALAGASY REPUBLIC		294	223	1,697	1,171	1	31	40	159
FRENCH IND OCEAN ARS		26	10	1,627	704	0	1	15	47
OTHER		1,278	1,219	12,858	14,732	127	199	753	1,743
FIBERS, EX COTTON, JUTE	MT	53,263	47,489	23,090	23,786	6,158	4,903	3,109	2,491
MEXICO		3,483	6,874	2,079	5,881	288	599	158	516
ECUADOR		11,585	7,578	5,189	4,820	706	986	487	633
BRAZIL		7,468	5,782	2,318	1,890	772	602	222	193
SRI LANKA (CEYLON)		5,616	7,679	1,025	1,347	1,020	867	204	141
THAILAND		8,572	5,620	4,486	3,376	1,069	816	827	532
PHILIPPINES		13,536	11,285	6,756	5,246	2,052	450	1,077	226
KENYA		1,140	1,144	486	463	0	184	0	74
OTHER		1,863	1,527	751	764	251	401	131	176
RUBBER, DRY FORM	MT	634,940	591,220	501,121	513,267	68,593	51,688	54,102	48,375
THAILAND		64,884	31,901	48,767	28,270	7,147	1,150	5,485	1,089
MALAYSIA		167,806	186,085	141,224	168,736	13,826	16,317	11,590	16,432
SINGAPORE		31,271	21,783	24,225	19,127	5,744	1,631	4,490	1,522
INDONESIA		330,508	313,884	252,577	263,343	38,881	29,730	30,066	26,561
LIBERIA		29,735	29,480	23,817	25,844	2,441	2,323	1,969	2,248
OTHER		10,737	8,088	10,490	7,947	554	537	502	522
RUBBER, LATEX	MT	48,900	47,559	43,940	45,943	5,782	4,091	5,147	4,177
MALAYSIA		17,243	16,750	16,303	16,715	1,514	966	1,434	1,079
INDONESIA		12,129	12,197	10,077	11,272	1,812	1,691	1,495	1,538
LIBERIA		19,080	17,993	17,074	17,540	2,134	1,434	1,898	1,559
OTHER		528	619	486	416	322	0	320	0
PEPPER, BLACK, UNGROUND	MT	20,545	20,106	43,103	43,156	1,587	1,248	3,123	2,197
BRAZIL		3,444	7,529	6,961	16,414	525	487	1,876	787
INDIA		4,889	1,875	11,230	4,470	45	0	112	0
MALAYSIA		3,030	2,219	6,299	4,579	91	177	199	324
SINGAPORE		430	591	899	1,428	60	20	133	38
INDONESIA		8,541	7,640	17,258	15,772	710	561	1,451	1,043
OTHER		210	252	457	492	77	3	152	5
TEA, CRUDE OR PREPARED	MT	83,859	59,214	158,601	96,313	4,401	5,671	9,215	9,374
CANADA		2,124	1,659	6,845	6,339	158	134	722	453
BRAZIL		2,192	1,674	4,856	2,121	54	159	70	170
ARGENTINA		4,723	6,242	5,705	5,939	87	439	144	268
UNITED KINGDOM		766	477	2,704	2,421	19	34	94	132
NETHERLANDS		2,652	3,441	3,713	3,884	299	243	692	297
INDIA		11,811	1,325	27,153	4,959	471	121	1,261	360
SRI LANKA (CEYLON)		14,758	12,169	34,741	22,713	914	1,141	2,075	2,417
INDONESIA		12,959	9,259	24,203	15,664	574	787	1,206	1,417
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA		3,846	2,197	4,331	3,630	121	461	205	671
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		5,147	2,630	4,755	3,448	158	235	233	374

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
JAPAN		2,786	2,639	2,049	1,978	292	412	240	288
KENYA		8,650	6,813	21,065	12,686	440	941	1,059	1,824
MALAWI		5,495	3,851	8,100	4,349	492	161	625	175
OTHER		5,948	4,838	9,180	6,182	321	402	586	530
CATTLE, DUTIABLE									
CANADA	MNO	703	797	113,099	146,084	63	51	13,285	13,424
MEXICO		394	355	73,690	90,503	51	32	11,262	11,264
OTHER		308	442	38,640	55,468	13	19	2,023	2,160
		0	0	770	113	0	0	0	0
CHEESE									
ARGENTINA	MT	68,412	75,274	163,274	189,604	8,031	9,966	18,371	24,437
NORWAY		3,306	2,907	5,324	6,240	192	192	382	442
FINLAND		6,082	6,896	17,936	21,006	831	803	2,554	2,483
DENMARK		8,920	10,022	18,512	21,381	584	1,824	1,386	3,346
NETHERLANDS		9,259	8,966	21,875	24,727	617	1,070	1,678	3,062
FRANCE		2,624	2,982	7,362	9,056	138	565	418	1,639
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		4,447	4,340	15,377	16,037	422	530	1,537	2,103
AUSTRIA		1,676	1,907	3,406	4,324	219	217	462	462
SWITZERLAND		6,252	8,667	13,605	19,024	430	1,064	982	2,288
ITALY		4,790	5,065	13,536	17,527	553	563	1,584	2,174
NEW ZEALAND		4,914	4,596	19,617	17,652	498	673	2,082	2,273
OTHER		7,343	8,111	10,098	11,288	2,764	573	3,787	770
		8,801	10,714	16,626	21,340	683	1,891	1,519	3,394
CASEIN AND MIXTURES									
ARGENTINA	MT	55,462	52,700	58,428	64,174	4,548	3,915	4,967	5,009
UNITED KINGDOM		3,008	1,266	2,662	1,803	118	65	126	106
IRELAND		421	1,100	553	1,610	78	44	109	62
POLAND		1,730	3,789	2,242	5,394	456	570	634	908
USSR		1,537	1,834	1,420	1,905	74	40	76	49
AUSTRALIA		1,503	1,985	1,295	2,299	300	456	258	533
NEW ZEALAND		8,804	9,428	9,515	12,131	390	268	448	382
OTHER		37,170	31,450	39,163	36,558	2,964	2,194	3,112	2,603
		1,288	1,848	1,578	2,473	169	279	205	366
SHEEP AND LAMB SKINS									
TURKEY	MT	16,740	16,667	51,522	63,395	813	985	3,092	3,546
IRAN		536	154	2,916	588	0	0	0	0
AFGHANISTAN		6,918	5,760	26,814	23,078	477	150	1,829	598
NEW ZEALAND		466	449	1,845	2,166	0	34	0	142
		5,930	6,844	18,482	25,313	160	391	552	1,107

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
SUDAN		766	591	2,804	2,625	38	56	125	144
NIGERIA		518	460	3,265	2,900	80	37	384	342
REP SOUTH AFRICA		470	572	2,307	2,785	0	54	0	237
OTHER		1,133	1,838	3,089	3,941	58	254	202	800
BEEF AND VEAL	MT	522,739	609,078	690,236	1,001,979	43,877	64,808	54,699	117,383
CANADA		31,828	22,069	43,301	40,400	1,997	2,357	2,945	4,947
MEXICO		19,666	21,456	27,732	39,373	2,289	1,806	3,171	4,247
GUATEMALA		11,518	9,670	18,009	18,470	1,208	1,390	1,902	3,063
HONDURAS		14,929	15,298	21,053	27,901	1,529	1,941	2,271	3,982
NICARAGUA		16,937	23,390	24,672	46,410	2,568	2,659	3,563	5,946
COSTA RICA		22,023	21,545	31,952	38,615	644	3,283	964	6,686
BRAZIL		24,120	17,339	45,086	32,043	1,382	1,244	2,540	2,320
ARGENTINA		30,710	40,992	51,953	71,117	2,528	4,030	4,122	7,322
AUSTRALIA		239,765	306,768	290,004	474,894	22,763	31,413	25,180	53,143
NEW ZEALAND		104,280	122,183	124,643	196,235	6,603	13,365	7,369	22,945
OTHER		6,962	8,368	11,832	16,520	365	1,319	671	2,781
PORK	MT	114,564	131,071	342,803	414,882	8,236	16,132	25,656	51,068
CANADA		11,438	23,433	17,023	37,363	1,043	3,029	1,484	5,228
DENMARK		33,906	34,226	114,973	127,131	2,485	3,767	8,912	14,257
NETHERLANDS		13,517	7,739	45,211	28,630	882	561	3,181	2,092
HUNGARY		5,814	6,719	16,413	22,405	422	597	1,228	1,971
POLAND		29,421	32,630	92,340	114,374	2,375	4,800	7,756	15,844
YUGOSLAVIA		13,415	17,008	40,577	56,424	683	2,075	2,104	7,727
ROMANIA		4,960	6,759	11,901	20,173	122	991	292	2,935
OTHER		2,092	2,556	6,365	8,382	225	312	699	1,013
GELATIN	---	---	---	30,428	36,815	---	---	3,310	3,470
MEXICO		---	---	1,532	783	---	---	216	98
COLOMBIA		---	---	1,302	1,561	---	---	173	217
BRAZIL		---	---	776	2,252	---	---	320	166
ARGENTINA		---	---	1,042	757	---	---	180	81
SWEDEN		---	---	2,442	1,963	---	---	243	211
UNITED KINGDOM		---	---	4,720	4,500	---	---	413	479
NETHERLANDS		---	---	1,294	1,350	---	---	155	117
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		---	---	2,985	2,625	---	---	178	321
FRANCE		---	---	6,622	10,503	---	---	262	500
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		---	---	1,617	2,240	---	---	153	288
PEOPLES REP OF CHINA		---	---	927	2,676	---	---	123	376
JAPAN		---	---	949	1,047	---	---	213	133
AUSTRALIA		---	---	1,240	1,354	---	---	176	109
OTHER		---	---	2,779	3,205	---	---	506	393
SAUSAGE CASINGS	---	---	---	35,884	43,050	---	---	2,567	3,673
CANADA		---	---	3,521	4,281	---	---	324	372
MEXICO		---	---	2,098	3,001	---	---	181	456

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		---	---	968	295	---	---	81	42
ARGENTINA		---	---	1,028	803	---	---	133	73
SWEDEN		---	---	1,527	1,681	---	---	110	211
DENMARK		---	---	3,470	4,014	---	---	454	363
UNITED KINGDOM		---	---	492	873	---	---	34	83
NETHERLANDS		---	---	3,676	5,480	---	---	380	389
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		---	---	4,440	5,703	---	---	298	483
SPAIN		---	---	1,883	2,845	---	---	73	438
PORTUGAL		---	---	1,217	1,234	---	---	22	107
PEOPLES REP OF CHINA		---	---	437	1,210	---	---	29	191
AUSTRALIA		---	---	1,618	1,062	---	---	57	18
NEW ZEALAND		---	---	7,104	7,959	---	---	214	336
OTHER		0	0	2,472	2,608	0	0	177	113
COTTON, RAW									
MEXICO	MT	1,891	606	4,937	1,187	189	20	465	22
PERU		18	110	16	164	0	20	0	22
ISRAEL		313	50	812	72	0	0	0	0
PAKISTAN		296	0	723	0	0	0	0	0
EGYPT		18	87	35	146	0	0	0	0
SUDAN		765	356	2,271	803	33	0	100	0
OTHER		479	0	1,077	0	156	0	365	0
		2	3	2	3	0	0	0	0
STRAWBERRIES, FRESH									
CANADA	MT	9,316	12,766	3,934	6,634	0	22	0	35
MEXICO		512	412	399	303	0	19	0	30
OTHER		8,803	12,369	3,532	6,319	0	1	0	0
		2	6	3	12	0	2	0	4
STRAWBERRIES, FROZEN									
MEXICO	MT	42,547	45,471	24,335	22,576	799	1,258	454	668
POLAND		37,678	37,407	21,119	17,905	468	830	244	362
OTHER		4,832	4,290	3,183	2,510	293	278	177	176
		37	3,774	33	2,162	37	149	33	130
ORANGES, CANNED									
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)	MT	30,480	34,580	22,489	27,465	2,404	2,601	2,048	2,104
		11,706	11,905	7,288	7,672	61	950	41	602

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1977	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOLL.
JAPAN		17,909	20,988	14,607	18,388	2,152	1,571	1,664	1,397
OTHER		845	1,687	594	1,406	191	80	144	106
PINEAPPLES, CANNED	MT	150,214	149,730	71,988	75,082	12,852	10,692	6,778	5,412
MEXICO		11,008	14,052	5,776	7,557	1,397	1,831	801	967
THAILAND		35,144	37,575	17,014	19,100	2,060	4,219	1,002	2,122
MALAYSIA		5,233	4,356	2,861	2,456	58	334	32	188
SINGAPORE		3,293	2,243	1,763	1,261	514	193	265	113
PHILIPPINES		83,595	64,039	38,188	40,560	7,774	3,208	4,133	1,516
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		7,077	3,295	3,878	1,939	596	109	319	65
OTHER		4,864	4,170	2,516	2,209	454	798	226	421
CASHEW NUTS	MT	32,035	27,057	94,416	81,078	2,246	3,349	7,516	10,065
BRAZIL		5,311	7,133	15,963	20,740	336	826	1,313	2,179
INDIA		10,412	4,805	37,006	19,314	647	796	2,773	3,061
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA		1,161	1,660	3,784	6,025	108	462	478	1,460
TANZANIA		1,498	1,251	4,508	3,459	171	420	788	1,132
MOZAMBIQUE		12,744	11,295	30,020	29,126	940	756	1,940	2,026
OTHER		908	913	3,114	2,412	44	89	224	206
COCONUT MEAT	MT	36,905	41,263	27,795	34,459	4,386	4,503	4,022	3,723
COSTA RICA		531	470	569	641	64	0	73	0
PHILIPPINES		35,276	39,162	26,489	32,682	4,246	4,329	3,897	3,596
OTHER		1,098	1,631	737	1,136	78	174	53	127
BARLEY	MT	150,961	68,471	22,978	7,452	617	2,417	88	236
CANADA		150,958	68,467	22,977	7,448	617	2,417	88	236
OTHER		3	4	2	4	0	0	0	0
BISCUITS, CAKES, WAFERS, ETC	MT	31,841	38,343	48,023	63,087	3,023	4,509	4,860	8,174
CANADA		13,348	16,005	16,782	20,127	1,317	2,043	1,620	2,560
MEXICO		1,744	2,469	1,487	2,157	146	282	136	232
DENMARK		1,711	2,246	4,446	6,256	251	495	641	1,371
UNITED KINGDOM		5,586	5,178	8,292	10,228	395	345	694	856
NETHERLANDS		1,586	2,297	2,882	4,740	101	197	197	419
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		1,289	1,634	2,930	4,336	149	247	335	857
AUSTRIA		631	1,200	1,923	3,092	67	123	198	354
JAPAN		1,211	1,252	2,567	3,285	118	112	280	321
OTHER		4,734	6,063	6,713	8,665	479	665	758	1,201
MACARONI, SPAGHETTI, ETC	MT	21,367	27,196	16,190	20,935	1,969	3,421	1,401	2,491
CANADA		8,322	11,091	5,945	7,502	864	1,357	557	910
MEXICO		2,042	2,548	975	1,323	147	307	77	172
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		409	631	363	549	12	29	11	26
ITALY		5,332	7,292	3,117	4,415	486	1,215	266	688
THAILAND		495	548	324	364	53	36	39	24
PHILIPPINES		376	478	464	629	37	45	43	58

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		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.	
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA		578	756	729	993	57	46	70	73
HONG KONG		893	862	1,394	1,361	65	87	121	137
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		375	565	626	891	20	46	32	82
JAPAN		1,382	1,307	1,332	1,742	109	166	112	240
OTHER		1,164	1,118	929	1,166	119	88	75	80
OILSEEDS AND OILNUTS	MT	126,021	83,892	69,967	37,807	6,203	8,947	4,304	3,398
CANADA		68,860	53,348	22,533	13,245	2,972	6,677	1,046	1,476
MEXICO		21,201	16,413	13,397	13,866	1,086	1,735	909	1,584
GUATEMALA		5,587	7,055	3,962	5,099	122	19	114	19
HONDURAS		320	1,195	216	658	0	4	0	1
NICARAGUA		1,595	2,750	1,477	2,491	156	225	145	95
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		4,756	16	3,541	6	728	9	590	4
SPAIN		1,008	2	1,674	6	22	0	73	0
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		1,652	52	1,852	85	150	2	151	3
JAPAN		5,203	22	8,862	58	326	5	493	12
AUSTRALIA		2,734	887	1,461	444	21	47	25	20
OTHER		13,103	2,152	10,991	1,648	619	224	758	185
COCONUT OIL	MT	374,109	390,883	205,494	207,432	13,340	36,482	7,340	22,055
PHILIPPINES		364,521	378,231	200,270	200,300	13,340	34,977	7,340	21,083
OTHER		9,589	12,651	5,224	7,132	0	1,505	0	972
OLIVE OIL, EDIBLE	MT	20,230	23,944	26,039	32,239	2,492	2,758	2,816	3,669
SPAIN		8,138	9,793	10,305	13,201	987	665	1,114	937
ITALY		8,652	11,925	12,053	15,959	901	1,433	1,244	1,899
MALAYSIA		1,530	0	1,040	0	523	0	328	0
TUNISIA		1,065	1,280	1,270	1,556	0	600	0	746
OTHER		845	947	1,351	1,524	82	60	130	88
PALM OIL	MHT	222	129	103,304	58,113	12	4	6,196	2,137
MALAYSIA		200	122	91,058	55,099	10	4	5,319	2,088
INDONESIA		18	4	10,101	1,766	2	0	657	0
OTHER		4	3	2,146	1,248	1	0	220	49
PALM KERNEL OIL	MT	62,907	47,877	37,941	30,664	6,041	5,285	3,795	3,665
NETHERLANDS		6,362	5,425	5,473	6,442	912	349	823	550
MALAYSIA		45,909	33,887	25,725	19,190	4,116	2,578	2,269	1,642
SINGAPORE		3,946	969	2,166	447	0	0	0	0
INDONESIA		6,491	6,206	3,469	3,462	1,014	982	703	565
IVORY COAST		0	1,359	0	1,082	0	1,359	0	1,082
OTHER		199	31	108	41	0	18	0	26
SUGAR, CANE OR BEET	MT	3,917,371	2,983,928	768,871	604,342	450,769	365,939	85,814	65,418
CANADA		59,693	54,169	17,007	16,815	9,889	5,989	2,624	2,078
GUATEMALA		286,840	131,714	57,577	23,115	11,796	18,810	1,959	2,896
BELIZE		25,468	55,470	5,067	14,837	0	6,012	0	1,482

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
EL SALVADOR		106,311	115,800	10,886	24,321	549	5,275	97	872
HONDURAS		22,034	25,474	4,252	6,591	0	0	0	0
NICARAGUA		112,332	70,840	22,138	16,451	6,592	0	1,654	0
COSTA RICA		84,261	27,263	17,183	6,681	0	5,136	0	1,131
PANAMA		112,771	95,547	21,578	16,768	5,748	7,798	1,029	1,306
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		751,055	580,999	138,770	107,404	37,869	21,392	7,316	3,654
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO		43,315	44,602	8,978	11,536	0	0	0	0
COLOMBIA		12,574	61,213	2,631	10,097	0	48,797	0	8,031
PERU		189,557	135,806	35,792	24,591	12,125	1,999	2,424	356
BOLIVIA		26,837	32,351	4,955	7,678	6,268	6,769	937	1,194
BRAZIL		225,760	316,916	40,713	63,458	80,995	15,849	13,085	2,893
ARGENTINA		135,922	100,914	22,116	19,580	44,438	37,883	7,226	6,041
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		1,458	48,765	275	14,549	630	0	106	0
PHILIPPINES		881,626	621,916	190,260	125,854	76,351	104,564	17,602	19,652
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		76,001	51,399	14,836	8,167	0	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA		210,541	113,502	37,692	20,302	122,136	15,516	22,359	2,239
MAURITIUS		50,220	53,188	9,474	11,771	14,530	0	2,162	0
MOZAMBIQUE		74,580	7,134	14,692	1,010	0	0	0	0
REP SOUTH AFRICA		210,034	0	40,531	0	0	0	0	0
SWAZILAND		40,615	61,763	9,111	13,043	15,241	21,144	4,307	3,658
OTHER		177,367	177,183	34,297	39,723	5,611	43,001	927	7,934
MOLASSES, INEDIBLE	MT	837,510	730,176	76,277	57,572	58,753	89,969	4,235	9,308
MEXICO		198,195	239,491	16,512	16,724	9,486	13,928	725	1,461
GUATEMALA		82,299	23,447	8,801	2,283	0	0	0	0
NICARAGUA		38,928	27,292	3,821	1,512	0	4,441	0	294
PANAMA		17,031	34,958	1,843	2,944	0	0	0	0
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		85,460	78,914	7,838	5,343	10,969	5,310	798	348
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO		24,506	32,747	2,419	2,789	10	19	1	3
COLOMBIA		17,335	41,842	1,734	3,649	0	12,640	0	1,409
GUYANA		13,889	20,780	1,329	1,251	0	4,176	0	303
ECUADOR		26,422	11,979	1,455	1,155	0	5,373	0	643
PERU		19,437	32,867	2,150	3,264	0	0	0	0
BRAZIL		70,419	25,805	6,707	1,635	5,067	0	521	0
FRANCE		45,190	29,605	5,619	4,454	0	13,354	0	1,990
AUSTRALIA		55,768	14,881	4,326	1,141	16,844	0	1,272	0
MAURITIUS		26,225	21,039	1,343	1,900	2,584	9,447	149	1,109
REP SOUTH AFRICA		12,983	21,447	892	1,752	3,617	15,215	167	1,374
OTHER		103,423	73,062	9,479	5,755	10,176	6,065	602	375
CONFECTIONERY PRODUCTS	MT	35,821	36,167	45,320	54,379	3,093	3,803	4,195	7,642
CANADA		1,164	1,320	1,358	1,347	49	182	71	192
COLOMBIA		2,515	2,832	1,752	2,092	223	294	160	217
BRAZIL		2,574	2,309	1,929	1,647	73	198	53	136
ARGENTINA		3,089	3,226	2,160	2,660	563	289	400	250
SWEDEN		1,816	1,944	2,090	2,289	141	201	149	262
DENMARK		872	807	1,230	1,331	65	84	111	166

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		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
UNITED KINGDOM		11,193	11,031	13,128	15,501	621	939	722	1,440
NETHERLANDS		1,604	1,596	2,636	2,746	117	177	160	318
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		1,355	2,529	4,233	10,530	134	501	377	2,334
SPAIN		3,316	1,191	5,672	3,290	494	250	1,047	1,185
ITALY		1,627	2,252	2,727	3,538	225	267	404	502
HONG KONG		731	691	1,202	1,084	25	26	46	43
OTHER		3,965	4,438	5,207	6,322	364	395	496	598
TOMATOES, FRESH	MT	339,449	355,776	142,321	154,534	10,731	6,768	5,255	3,590
MEXICO		336,793	354,181	141,463	153,838	10,667	6,753	5,242	3,582
OTHER		2,656	1,594	859	696	44	15	13	7
BEANS, DRIED, INC MUNG	MT	16,609	3,160	7,923	1,967	528	75	341	40
CANADA		870	541	386	378	22	18	13	5
MEXICO		288	145	158	124	38	1	12	1
PERU		696	222	539	95	68	18	46	0
CHILE		1,596	1,167	546	572	70	0	32	0
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		760	68	335	32	95	0	40	0
AZORES		63	50	48	44	59	0	45	0
INDIA		109	65	60	48	0	1	0	4
THAILAND		7,545	147	3,673	83	38	3	23	2
PEOPLES REP OF CHINA		111	101	110	85	33	0	25	0
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		99	201	109	160	0	0	0	0
KENYA		206	240	181	225	21	13	16	11
MALAGASY REPUBLIC		2,988	0	1,118	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER		1,277	214	660	167	85	20	87	10
MUSHROOMS, PREP OR PRES	MT	27,949	35,204	64,649	83,603	2,965	2,116	7,220	4,703
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		7,342	10,805	17,230	23,447	770	212	1,812	484
HONG KONG		1,119	3,799	2,671	7,214	82	480	201	883
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		18,400	19,220	43,946	48,678	2,007	1,371	4,938	3,162
OTHER		1,016	1,379	2,801	4,264	100	54	269	174
OLIVES, IN BRINE	MLTR	47,072	60,530	60,104	64,448	3,459	5,591	4,049	8,126
SPAIN		42,231	56,119	56,595	61,052	3,207	5,353	3,669	7,062
GREECE		3,880	3,234	2,726	2,654	233	221	158	252
OTHER		961	1,177	784	742	19	18	21	12
TOMATOES, PREP OR PRES	MT	54,205	50,384	25,147	24,334	4,811	3,901	2,410	1,893
MEXICO		10,345	11,822	6,697	7,111	1,071	1,087	632	581
CHILE		1,082	1,792	595	910	0	727	0	340
SPAIN		8,221	10,280	3,444	4,175	1,285	481	709	251
PORTUGAL		2,541	1,123	1,315	824	303	37	209	25
ITALY		16,515	15,714	6,923	6,951	956	1,092	382	470
ISRAEL		8,014	5,774	2,837	2,257	1,031	377	373	162
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		6,106	2,230	2,565	1,200	85	0	54	0
OTHER		1,383	1,609	726	905	80	100	51	66

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TABLE 15--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JANUARY-OCTOBER				OCTOBER			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1977	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1977	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
CUT FLOWERS	---	---	---	30,226	45,029	---	---	3,302	4,346
GUATEMALA	---	---	---	899	554	---	---	60	23
COLOMBIA	---	---	---	27,018	40,156	---	---	2,957	3,767
NETHERLANDS	---	---	---	1,244	2,249	---	---	137	370
OTHER	---	---	---	1,244	2,071	---	---	148	186
MALT LIQUORS	MLTR	257,405	343,507	135,263	200,142	22,191	33,355	11,350	19,421
CANADA		75,363	96,424	28,671	36,352	7,592	10,948	2,829	4,185
MEXICO		15,924	20,430	7,533	10,962	1,819	1,906	896	1,032
UNITED KINGDOM		4,646	7,386	2,314	4,358	529	738	242	459
NETHERLANDS		105,094	154,114	64,397	107,790	7,575	14,235	4,593	10,160
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		34,882	38,651	21,953	26,604	2,626	3,051	1,742	2,120
OTHER		21,697	26,502	10,396	14,076	2,051	2,478	1,049	1,465
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	121,314	132,886	275,692	329,356	10,431	14,537	27,059	35,980
CANADA		1,185	2,719	2,389	7,568	66	100	137	117
MEXICO		4,893	8,910	8,247	15,063	54	483	141	860
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		4,054	3,223	7,007	6,091	357	266	599	544
BRAZIL		12,778	12,080	19,033	21,979	1,540	725	2,917	1,458
ITALY		8,639	7,271	11,883	11,444	337	1,137	617	1,959
YUGOSLAVIA		5,314	6,931	16,607	23,678	495	871	1,641	3,015
GREECE		6,292	10,413	27,324	37,332	596	1,163	2,045	4,071
BULGARIA		6,624	6,282	19,001	20,055	1,014	487	3,051	1,542
TURKEY		37,194	37,845	99,305	109,533	3,303	4,837	10,009	13,059
LEBANON		2,586	1,543	7,839	4,233	178	117	493	351
PHILIPPINES		5,468	6,183	4,802	6,999	445	921	432	1,093
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		8,409	6,930	17,985	17,120	400	769	1,010	2,033
OTHER		17,877	22,557	39,072	48,261	1,647	2,660	3,968	5,876
TOBACCO LEAF, ORIENTAL	MT	63,938	68,085	180,545	210,590	6,099	6,104	18,589	24,459
ITALY		6,058	3,958	8,962	6,889	202	469	324	830
YUGOSLAVIA		5,295	6,931	16,790	23,678	485	871	1,629	3,015
GREECE		6,143	10,123	22,116	36,970	579	1,127	2,024	4,035
BULGARIA		6,624	6,282	18,999	20,055	1,014	487	3,051	1,542
TURKEY		34,386	35,254	98,077	108,338	3,247	4,436	9,975	12,917
SYRIA		1,568	1,812	4,721	5,743	148	330	424	1,172
LEBANON		2,586	1,543	7,839	4,232	178	117	493	351
OTHER		1,279	2,183	3,040	4,685	246	266	669	597
MINES	MLTR	227,593	291,607	325,448	461,358	22,118	32,321	34,160	53,819
FRANCE		44,992	50,695	114,443	160,364	4,262	4,713	17,705	15,989
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		35,267	42,957	57,360	80,410	3,516	4,900	6,125	8,901
SPAIN		22,010	23,598	27,045	32,035	2,197	2,500	3,047	4,673
PORTUGAL		19,224	20,511	21,784	24,388	1,761	1,482	2,239	2,039
ITALY		94,056	139,340	89,478	142,831	9,271	17,566	9,388	19,755
OTHER		12,044	14,508	15,339	21,330	1,112	1,160	1,655	2,463

1/ PRELIMINARY

-- = Not applicable

FISCAL YEAR EXPORT AND IMPORT PRICES MODERATE

Fiscal year export and import unit values moderated from a year ago, with U.S. export prices averaging 5 percent lower, and imports priced at about the same level. Wheat, wheat flour, tobacco, corn feed byproducts, rice, inedible tallow, and whole cattle hides were priced higher during fiscal year 1977/78, while corn, grain sorghum, soybeans, soybean meal, soybean oil, cotton, and nonfat dried milk were priced lower. Among import commodities, declines in the import unit values for coffee were offset by higher prices for the other major items.

The U.S. export unit value for wheat reached \$122 a ton, up slightly from a year ago, while the U.S. export unit value for corn declined slightly to \$103 a ton. Underlying the wheat price situation was an 8 percent decline in 1977/78 world wheat production. The 5-percent decline in the 1977/78 U.S. crops, together with strong export demand, buoyed the U.S. export price, but the bullish effect of the downturn in production was tempered by the bearish effect of the buildup in world wheat stocks.

The U.S. corn price situation was affected by the bumper 1977/78 U.S. corn crop and the slight decline in world coarse grain production. The export unit value for corn byproducts used for feed, in contrast, increased 7 percent in response to strong foreign demand. The decline in U.S. and Southeast Asian rice production brought the milled rice export unit value up 27 percent to 41 cents a kilogram.

Prices in the soybean complex declined as U.S. soybean production recovered from the downturn of the 1976/77 marketing year. The export unit value for soybeans declined 15 percent to \$241 a ton from fiscal 1977 to 1978. The export unit value for soybean meal dropped by the same magnitude, but soybean oil, in contrast, declined only slightly.

A 9-percent increase in the 1977/78 world cotton crop--coupled with a record U.S. outturn--dampened the U.S. cotton export unit value, causing a 17 percent price decline. In contrast, export unit value for flue cured tobacco, inedible tallow, cattle hides, and nonfat dried milk were higher in fiscal year 1978, compared to a year ago.

Coffee was the only major agricultural import commodity facing declining import unit values from fiscal year 1977 to fiscal year 1978. The 10-percent price decline to \$3.64 a kilogram resulted from the recovery in 1977/78 coffee production. While the import unit value for cocoa beans, responded to a tight supply situation by increasing 32 percent, the import unit value for sugar remained nearly steady at \$200 a metric ton, following two seasons of record world production.

Import prices for meat and livestock have strengthened along with domestic U.S. meat prices in response to declining supplies. Imported beef and veal was priced 29 percent higher in fiscal year 1978 than in fiscal year 1977, while canned hams were 8 percent higher.

TABLE 16--UNIT VALUES OF 33 LEADING U.S. AGRICULTURAL TRADE COMMODITIES, QUARTER AND YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 1978 1/

COMMODITY	UNIT	UNIT VALUE								
		QUARTER ENDING SEPTEMBER			QUARTER ENDING		YEAR ENDING			
		1978	1977	1978	JUNE	SEPTEMBER 1978	1978	1977	1978	
				1977	1978	JUNE 1978			1977	
		DOLLARS	DOLLARS	PERCENT	DOLLARS	PERCENT	DOLLARS	DOLLARS	PERCENT	
EXPORT COMMODITIES:										
WHEAT.....	MT.	123.418	104.832	122.5	125.122	102.6	121.854	118.884	102.5	
WHEAT FLOUR.....	DO.	137.529	182.323	108.3	193.491	102.1	191.359	185.777	103.0	
CORN.....	DT.	193.942	91.938	113.1	109.582	94.9	103.229	106.009	97.4	
CORN BY-PRODUCTS, FEED..	DO.	131.915	125.680	105.9	130.461	101.1	128.957	120.466	107.1	
GRAIN SOYBEAN.....	DO.	103.471	88.529	116.9	101.477	102.0	97.080	101.251	95.9	
SOYBEANS.....	DO.	253.640	286.464	88.5	266.807	95.1	241.235	284.155	84.9	
SOYBEAN MEAL.....	DO.	233.521	226.595	103.1	218.275	111.1	188.852	222.965	84.7	
SOYBEAN OIL.....	KG.	0.651	0.645	102.9	0.644	101.1	0.580	0.588	98.6	
COTTON, RAW.....	KG.	1.296	1.532	84.6	1.295	100.1	1.285	1.547	83.1	
TOBACCO, FLUE-CURED.....	KG.	4.940	4.172	118.4	4.464	110.7	4.863	4.208	115.6	
RICE, MILLED.....	KG.	0.430	0.320	134.4	0.440	97.7	0.407	0.320	127.2	
TALLOW, MEASURABLE.....	KG.	0.463	0.435	106.4	0.429	107.9	0.423	0.405	104.4	
HIDES CATTLE, WHOLE.....	NO.	25.619	21.351	120.0	23.877	107.3	23.192	21.172	109.5	
NONFAT DRY MILK.....	KG.	0.421	1.484	28.4	1.107	38.0	0.867	1.448	59.9	
AVG., I.E., INDEX NO.				110.2		98.9			95.7	
IMPORT COMMODITIES:										
COFFEE, GREEN.....	KG.	3.126	4.978	62.8	3.565	87.7	3.644	4.645	90.1	
SUGAR, CANE OR BEET.....	MT.	195.109	167.814	104.3	225.946	86.4	208.127	242.656	82.5	
CATTLE, CUTTABLE.....	NO.	259.347	206.357	121.2	158.647	157.6	176.529	156.387	112.9	
BEEF, VEAL, FR, CHIL, OR FR.	KG.	1.779	1.174	151.5	1.678	106.0	1.525	1.270	120.1	
HAMS, CANNED.....	DO.	3.532	3.284	107.6	3.569	99.0	3.546	3.274	108.3	
RUBBER, CR, JOE, NATURAL..	DO.	0.889	0.794	112.0	0.843	105.5	0.847	0.786	107.8	
COCOA BEANS.....	DO.	2.939	3.604	81.5	2.955	99.5	3.244	2.461	131.8	
BANANAS.....	KG.	0.158	0.152	103.9	0.155	101.9	0.151	0.148	102.0	
VINES.....	LITER	1.654	1.489	111.1	1.608	102.9	1.573	1.433	109.8	
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED..	KG.	2.480	2.381	104.2	2.464	100.6	2.461	2.240	109.9	
TOMATOES.....	KG.	0.529	0.553	95.7	0.400	132.2	0.433	0.414	104.6	
Wool, EX. FREE IN BOND.....	KG.	3.361	3.538	95.0	2.889	116.3	4.182	3.629	115.2	
CHEESE, SWISS.....	DO.	2.513	2.319	108.4	2.632	95.5	2.526	2.386	105.9	
PALM OIL.....	DO.	0.527	0.519	101.5	0.441	119.5	0.456	0.439	103.9	
COCONUT OIL.....	DO.	0.574	0.621	92.4	0.551	104.2	0.515	0.499	103.2	
MUSHROOMS, CANNED.....	DO.	2.320	2.335	98.5	2.457	93.6	2.379	2.364	100.6	
PINEAPPLES, CANNED.....	DO.	0.513	0.479	107.1	0.486	105.6	0.506	0.477	106.1	
CASHEW NUTS.....	DO.	3.067	3.954	77.6	2.809	109.2	3.131	2.691	116.4	
TEA.....	DO.	1.597	2.379	67.1	1.691	94.4	1.705	1.745	97.8	
AVG., I.E., INDEX NO.				93.7		98.4			99.3	
TERMS OF TRADE (EXPORT INDEX DIVIDED BY IMPORT INDEX).....				117.6		100.5			96.4	

1/ UNIT VALUES WERE COMPUTED FROM THE VALUE AND QUANTITY FIGURES PUBLISHED IN FOREIGN AGRICULTURAL TRADE OF THE UNITED STATES.

TABLE 17 -- SELECTED PRICES OF INTERNATIONAL SIGNIFICANCE

YEAR AND MONTH	WHEAT : U.S. NO. 2 : HARD WINTER, ORDINARY : F.O.B. VESSEL : GULF PORTS			WHEAT : U.S. NO. 2 : HARD WINTER, ORDINARY : C.I.F. ROTTERDAM 1/			WHEAT : U.S. NO. 2 : DARK NORTHERN SPRING : F.O.B. DULUTH			WHEAT, NO. 1 : CANADIAN, WESTERN RED : SPRING 13-1/2 : PERCENT : PROTEIN, IN STORE : THUNDER BAY			WHEAT, NO. 1 : CANADIAN, WESTERN RED : SPRING, 13-1/2 : PERCENT : PROTEIN, C.I.F. ROTTERDAM 1/			CORN, U.S. NO. 2 : YELLOW, F.O.B. VESSEL : GULF PORTS			CORN, U.S. NO. 3 : YELLOW, C.I.F. ROTTERDAM 1/		
	\$/BU.	\$/M.T.	\$/M.T.	\$/BU.	\$/M.T.	\$/M.T.	CAN. \$/BU.	\$/M.T.	\$/M.T.	\$/BU.	\$/M.T.	\$/M.T.	\$/BU.	\$/M.T.	\$/M.T.	\$/BU.	\$/M.T.	\$/M.T.			
1977 AVERAGE	2.86	104.90	113.	2.90	106.71	126.	3.35	115.90	133.	2.49	98.19	106.									
JANUARY.....	2.97	109.13	117.	3.07	112.80	145.	3.36	122.13	145.	2.86	112.59	123.									
FEBRUARY.....	3.04	111.70	119.	3.12	114.64	135.	3.50	125.11	134.	2.93	115.35	125.									
MARCH.....	2.97	109.13	119.	3.10	113.91	134.	3.56	124.45	135.	2.78	109.44	127.									
APRIL.....	2.83	103.98	113.	3.05	112.07	130.	3.45	120.63	133.	2.73	107.47	115.									
MAY.....	2.65	97.37	107.	2.88	105.82	127.	3.30	115.65	134.	2.64	103.93	111.									
JUNE.....	2.56	94.86	100.	2.70	99.21	115.	3.14	109.10	127.	2.45	96.45	103.									
JULY.....	2.66	97.74	103.	2.60	95.53	111.	3.02	104.59	121.	2.25	88.58	96.									
AUGUST.....	2.63	96.64	104.	2.57	94.43	110.	3.02	103.21	117.	2.03	79.92	87.									
SEPTEMBER.....	2.78	102.15	111.	2.85	104.72	121.	3.22	110.23	129.	2.07	81.49	88.									
OCTOBER.....	2.90	106.56	114.	2.95	108.39	126.	3.42	114.36	137.	2.17	85.43	91.									
NOVEMBER.....	3.12	114.64	123.	3.02	110.97	131.	3.66	121.26	144.	2.47	97.24	104.									
DECEMBER.....	3.18	116.84	122.	2.94	108.03	132.	3.58	119.93	145.	2.55	100.39	108.									
1978 AVERAGE																					
JANUARY.....	3.25	119.42	126.	2.96	108.76	142.	3.66	122.15	153.	2.57	101.18	108.									
FEBRUARY.....	3.29	120.89	128.	2.93	107.66	147.	3.79	125.13	155.	2.71	106.69	111.									
MARCH.....	3.43	126.03	138.	3.05	112.07	147.	3.96	129.33	148.	2.80	110.23	116.									
APRIL.....	3.67	134.85	147.	3.35	123.09	147.	4.17	134.37	155.	3.04	119.68	129.									
MAY.....	3.48	127.87	140.	3.30	121.25	145.	4.11	135.08	159.	2.97	116.92	127.									
JUNE.....	3.52	129.34	142.	3.18	116.84	142.	4.12	134.98	157.	2.81	110.62	120.									
JULY.....	3.52	129.34	140.	3.23	118.68	138.	4.09	133.69	161.	2.55	100.39	108.									
AUGUST.....	3.52	129.34	142.	3.23	118.68	140.	4.14	133.63	163.	2.43	95.66	105.									
SEPTEMBER.....	3.64	133.75	146.	3.33	122.36	144.	4.33	136.59	166.	2.45	96.45	105.									
OCTOBER.....	3.72	136.69	154.	3.50	128.60	153.	4.52	140.41	170.	2.50	98.42	108.									
NOVEMBER.....																					
DECEMBER.....																					

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TABLE 17--SELECTED PRICES OF INTERNATIONAL SIGNIFICANCE--CONTINUED

YEAR AND MONTH	CORN	SORGHUM	RICE THAILAND	SOYBEANS, U.S.	SOYBEANS, U.S.	SOYBEAN MEAL	COTTON, ARIZONA		
	ARGENTINE, C.I.F. ROTTERDAM	GRAIN, U.S. NO. 2, C.I.F. ROTTERDAM	WHITE 5-PERCENT BROKEN F.O.B. BANGKOK	NO. 2 YELLOW, F.O.B. VESSEL GULF PORTS	NO. 2, BULK, C.I.F. ROTTERDAM	U.S. 44 PER- CENT, C.I.F. ROTTERDAM	STRICT MIDDLING 1-1/16 INCHES C.I.F. OSAKA		
	\$/M.T.	\$/M.T.	\$/M.T.	\$/BU.	\$/M.T.	\$/M.T.	C/LB.	\$/M.T.	
1977 AVERAGE	114.	99.	272.	7.37	270.92	283.	232.	67.22	1482.
JANUARY.....	132.00	111.	259.	7.36	270.43	287.	251.	72.25	1593.
FEBRUARY.....	132.00	113.	257.	7.78	285.87	293.	248.	77.33	1705.
MARCH.....	127.08	108.	261.	8.65	317.83	328.	272.	84.67	1867.
APRIL.....	120.22	106.	252.	10.03	368.54	384.	316.	82.62	1821.
MAY.....	113.60	97.	257.	9.84	361.56	371.	298.	75.95	1666.
JUNE.....	111.82	92.	265.	8.59	312.32	326.	253.	68.95	1520.
JULY.....	101.24	89.	270.	6.89	249.86	282.	221.	61.81	1363.
AUGUST.....	93.11	87.	275.	6.30	231.49	230.	174.	57.19	1261.
SEPTEMBER.....	94.62	87.	275.	5.36	196.95	205.	174.	56.50	1246.
OCTOBER.....	100.73	91.	278.	5.41	198.78	209.	179.	56.75	1251.
NOVEMBER.....	113.90	104.	294.	6.14	225.61	236.	200.	55.49	1223.
DECEMBER.....	126.00	103.	324.	6.31	231.85	241.	200.	57.50	1268.
1978 AVERAGE									
JANUARY.....	126.52	101.	338.	6.24	229.28	239.	200.	70.75	1560.
FEBRUARY.....	121.70	101.	374.	6.33	232.59	239.	188.	65.75	1450.
MARCH.....	123.99	102.	396.	7.20	264.55	273.	215.	68.58	1512.
APRIL.....	138.60	115.	411.	7.54	277.05	290.	224.	69.25	1527.
MAY.....	133.35	112.	409.	7.78	285.87	290.	220.	70.75	1560.
JUNE.....	133.73	108.	404.	7.25	266.39	278.	208.	70.75	1560.
JULY.....	127.66	105.	384.	7.08	260.15	266.	207.	67.65	1491.
AUGUST.....	134.24	102.	366.	6.81	250.22	262.	202.	70.69	1558.
SEPTEMBER.....	129.55	100.	369.	7.05	259.04	264.	208.	73.48	1620.
OCTOBER.....	130.08	107.	375.	7.15	262.72	271.	223.	74.81	1649.
NOVEMBER.....									
DECEMBER.....									

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TABLE 17--SELECTED PRICES OF INTERNATIONAL SIGNIFICANCE--CONTINUED

YEAR AND MONTH	IMPORTED COW MEAT, 90-PERCENT LEAN, FROZEN, BONELESS, F.O.B. U.S. PORT OF ENTRY		COFFEE, FROM SANTOS, NO.4 NEW YORK SPOT		SUGAR, RAW, CANE, 96 DEGREE NEW YORK SPOT		SUGAR, RAW, CANE F.O.B. AND STOWED CARIBBEAN PORTS, LONDON DAILY PRICE		NEW YORK COCOPA BEAN FUTURES PRICE		CRUDE RUBBER, NO. 1 RIBBED SMOKED SHEETS, NEW YORK SPOT		DOW JONES COMMODITY SPOT PRICE INDEX
	C/LB.	\$/M.T.	\$/LB.	\$/M.T.	C/LB.	\$/M.T.	C/LB.	\$/M.T.	\$/LB.	\$/M.T.	C/LB.	\$/M.T.	1950=100
1977 AVG.	68.43	1508.	2.41	5304.	10.99	242.	8.18	180.	1.72	3793.	41.6	917.	389.
JANUARY..	71.55	1577.	2.22	4896.	10.95	241.	8.46	187.	1.54	3404.	40.8	899.	380.
FEBRUARY..	74.35	1639.	2.40	5302.	11.06	244.	8.70	192.	1.73	3810.	41.1	906.	398.
MARCH....	73.56	1622.	3.16	6969.	11.67	257.	9.02	199.	1.83	4043.	41.5	915.	435.
APRIL.....	70.33	1551.	3.27	7216.	12.57	277.	10.10	223.	1.62	3576.	40.9	902.	431.
MAY.....	67.95	1498.	3.05	6719.	11.34	250.	9.04	199.	1.70	3748.	40.2	886.	422.
JUNE.....	66.28	1461.	2.80	6164.	10.28	227.	8.08	178.	1.95	4301.	39.0	860.	405.
JULY.....	64.31	1418.	2.18	4806.	10.15	224.	7.47	165.	2.01	4429.	39.4	869.	381.
AUGUST....	63.01	1389.	2.02	4453.	10.37	229.	7.69	170.	1.80	3962.	40.7	897.	360.
SEPTEMBER:	64.18	1415.	1.97	4343.	10.00	220.	7.38	163.	1.78	3920.	44.4	979.	370.
OCTOBER..	66.37	1463.	1.85	4079.	9.84	217.	7.14	157.	1.59	3516.	44.5	981.	367.
NOVEMBER..	67.43	1487.	1.90	4194.	10.42	230.	7.04	155.	1.60	3534.	44.0	970.	368.
DECEMBER..	71.09	1585.	2.05	4517.	11.75	259.	8.09	178.	1.48	3269.	42.6	939.	349.
1978 AVG.													
JANUARY..	77.81	1715.	2.09	4599.	13.28	293.	8.77	193.	1.31	2892.	43.5	959.	348.
FEBRUARY..	86.80	1914.	2.04	4487.	14.75	325.	8.48	187.	1.29	2842.	44.8	988.	349.
MARCH....	90.70	2000.	1.79	3938.	13.99	308.	7.74	171.	1.54	3393.	45.4	1001.	359.
APRIL.....	101.51	2238.	1.72	3782.	15.82	349.	7.59	167.	1.53	3382.	44.3	977.	362.
MAY.....	102.10	2251.	1.67	3674.	15.76	347.	7.32	161.	1.41	3100.	45.6	1005.	360.
JUNE.....	90.20	1989.	1.72	3801.	13.57	299.	7.23	159.	1.35	2976.	49.2	1085.	360.
JULY.....	88.63	1954.	1.50	3311.	12.63	278.	6.42	142.	1.43	3153.	49.9	1100.	354.
AUGUST....	91.86	2025.	1.41	3098.	13.29	293.	7.08	156.	1.51	3325.	52.2	1151.	362.
SEPTEMBER:	101.85	2245.	1.55	3417.	14.40	317.	8.19	181.	1.69	3726.	55.1	1215.	380.
OCTOBER..	108.38	2389.	1.55	3417.	15.16	334.	8.95	197.	1.70	3748.	57.7	1272.	385.
NOVEMBER..													
DECEMBER..													

1/ OFFERING PRICES.

SOURCE: MONTHLY BULLETIN OF AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS AND STATISTICS, FAO; RICE TRADE INTELLIGENCE, FAO; THE PUBLIC LEDGER, LONDON; GRAIN MARKET NEWS, AFS, USDA; RICE MARKET NEWS, AMS USDA; FOREIGN AGRICULTURE, FAS, USDA; BANGKOK BOARD OF TRADE; REUTERS COTTON AND GENERAL ECONOMIC REVIEW, LIVERPOOL; THE NATIONAL PROVISIONER, CHICAGO; THE WALL STREET JOURNAL; THE JOURNAL OF COMMERCE; NEW YORK COFFEE AND SUGAR EXCHANGE; BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS, SPOT MARKET PRICES; AND OIL WORLD HAMBURG.

BILATERAL WORLD FOOD AID DECLINES, MULTILATERAL INCREASES IN CALENDAR 1977

Net disbursements of bilateral food aid from 17 countries in the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) and multilateral and regional food aid totaled an estimated \$1.8 billion in calendar 1977, slightly less than the previous year (table 18). ^{1/} The decline was in bilateral food aid which totaled \$1.3 billion, 10 percent less than in 1976. Most of the decline was from the United States which usually contributes about four-fifths of all bilateral food aid from OECD countries to less developed countries (table 19). Bilateral food aid from Canada, generally the second leading bilateral donor, also fell considerably. Most OECD European countries (chiefly Germany, Italy and Japan) increased food aid in 1977. ^{2/}

While the United States, Canada, Australia, and Japan provide most food aid on a bilateral basis, the other 13 OECD countries contribute most of their aid through the regional European Community (EC) and the multilateral World Food Program (WFP). OECD member contributions of food aid to the EC and the WFP rose a half from 1976, with almost every member increasing its contribution. Canada, the leading multilateral contributor in 1977, provided 18 percent of all OECD multilateral and regional contributions. Germany and the United States were the other chief contributors. While U.S. food aid contributions to multilateral agencies rose by 73 percent in 1977 (accounting for 15 percent of all OECD contributions), the U.S. amount was still below that of 1972 and 1974 through 1975.

Net bilateral disbursements of food aid plus contributions to multilateral and regional agencies totaled \$1.8 billion in calendar 1977, slightly more than the previous year due to increased contributions to the EC and the WFP. The United States provided \$1.1 billion or about 60 percent of the total (table 20). Prior to 1970, the United States provided at least 90 percent of all world food aid. Other leading OECD donors in 1977 were Canada, Germany, the Netherlands, France, the United Kingdom, and Italy. Japan was also a principal donor until the last 3 years when its food aid dropped drastically.

Net disbursements of total economic aid from OECD members reached \$14.7 billion in calendar 1977, 8 percent higher than in 1976 (table 20). Economic aid rose from all the major OECD donors except the United States. U.S. net economic aid in 1977 totaled nearly \$4.2 billion, 4 percent less than the previous year but still higher than in any other year in the seventies. U.S. net food aid accounted for 27 percent of its total economic aid in 1977, about the same as the average share during 1970-1977. Canada provided about one-fifth of its total economic aid as food in 1977. All other leading donors provided 10 percent or less of their economic aid in 1977 as food, except for Italy which provided one-fourth.

Since the early seventies, the WFP and the EC have provided an increasing amount of total world food aid (table 21). With the WFP providing most of the aid, food aid from this agency rose from \$149 million in 1970 to a high of \$362 million in 1977. Its aid in 1978, while expected to reach \$496 million, is forecast to drop to \$446 million in 1979 and \$403 million in 1980. ^{3/}

^{1/} Net disbursements of food aid are not comparable to data on shipments of food aid as reported by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

^{2/} For an earlier article on this subject, see Libbin, Susan, "World Food Aid Declines in 1976--Large Drop from Non-U.S. Donors," *FATUS*, Dec. 1977.

^{3/} World Food Program, Committee on Food Aid Policies and Programs, WFP/CFA: 6/4 July, 1978.

The WFP receives its resources in cash, commodities, and services from over 100 countries. For the 1970-1980 biennium, the WFP set a pledging target of \$950 million, 27 percent higher than the target for the 1977-78 pledging period and more than double that set for 1975-76. As of September 30, 1978, donor countries had pledged \$693 million or 73 percent toward the 1979-1980 target (table 21).

Except for the 1975-76 pledging period, the United States had been the leading contributor. In the early seventies, the U.S. share was one-third or higher. For the two pledging periods 1975-78, there was a U.S. requirement that its pledge could not exceed 25 percent of all contributions to the WFP. This requirement has been dropped for the current pledging period. Other major developed contributors have been Canada, the EC, the Netherlands, Denmark, Norway, Germany, and Sweden.

While over 50 developing countries have pledged resources to the WFP, they generally provided less than 5 percent of its total contributions until the 1975-76 pledging period when Saudi Arabia pledged \$50 million and raised the developing countries' share to 10 percent. Saudi Arabia also pledged similar amounts for the next two pledging periods.

In 1975, the United Nations established an International Emergency Food Reserve (IEFR) to better meet increasing demands for emergency relief throughout the world. An annual target of 500,000 tons of grain was set with donor countries earmarking commodities and/or cash to be channelled through the WFP, other sponsors or bilaterally. Contributions to the IEFR rose from 81,462 metric tons in 1976 to 315,000 tons from January through mid-November 1978. From 1976 through mid-November 1978, 11 countries, plus the EC, had contributed 538,349 tons of grain valued at \$104.7 million. The United States contributed 125,640 tons valued at \$27.4 million.

Grains have accounted for over 90 percent of all world food aid (table 22). In addition to Public Law-480, U.S. data includes grains disbursed under Agency for International Development (AID) programs which have gone to Israel and Egypt in recent years. Unlike Public Law-480, AID disbursements for agricultural commodities are not planned in advance. AID financial loans and some grants are given to recipients which later use all or part of them to purchase U.S. agricultural commodities. Data published by the Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) of the United Nations does not include AID programs and thus, its figures for the United States and world food aid in grains are lower than the data in this article.

In fiscal 1977, world grain aid (bilateral, including U.S. AID disbursements, and donor contributions to regional and multilateral agencies) totaled 10.9 million metric tons, considerably higher than the fiscal 1974-1976 period, but below the more than 12 million tons shipped in 1970 and 1971 (table 23). The United States provided 7.9 million tons in 1977--6.2 million tons under Public Law-480--and accounted for most of the increase in world grain aid over 1976. In fiscal 1977, AID disbursements of grains to Israel and Egypt of 1.7 million tons were over 4 times the level of any year since fiscal 1970. Thus, with AID grain disbursements included in the world total, 1977 became the first year that world grain aid reached the annual target of 10 million tons recommended at the 1974 World Food Conference. Excluding AID data in fiscal 1977, FAO reported world grain aid at 9.1 million tons.

In fiscal 1978, world grain aid shipments (including AID) totaled 10.5 million metric tons, 44 percent less than the previous year with declines mainly from the EC, the United States, and Canada. For fiscal 1979, budgetary allocations of donor countries (excluding U.S. AID) amounted to nearly 10 million metric tons. The amount of grain

aid actually shipped tends to be less than planned allocations. The World Food Program projected that by 1985 a minimum of 15 to 16 million metric tons of grain aid will be needed by recipient countries. ^{4/}

^{4/} World Food Program, Committee on Food Aid Policies and Programs, WFP/CFA: 5/5-B, Mar. 1978.

Table 18--World Food Aid ^{1/}

Calendar year	Bilateral OECD countries	Multilateral and regional			Total food aid
		U.N. world food program	European Community	Total	
-- Million dollars --					
1970	1,142	149	38	187	1,329
1971	1,050	135	65	200	1,250
1972	1,014	176	88	264	1,278
1973	851	212	98	310	1,161
1974	1,065	226	215	441	1,506
1975	1,631	263	141	404	2,035
1976	1,448	295	76	371	1,819
1977	1,304	382	N.A.	N.A.	^{4/} 1,806

^{1/} From Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, Development Cooperation annual reviews); and Food and Agriculture Organization, Food Aid Bulletin, January 1976 and July 1977 and WFP/CFA: 614, July 1978.

^{2/} Excludes the following contributions to the World Food Program: 1973 and 1974, each \$46 million; 1975, \$74 million; 1976, \$56 million.

^{3/} Excludes small amounts provided by various U.N. agencies, such as UNICEF.

^{4/} Estimated.

Table 19--Net official bilateral disbursements of food aid and contributions of food aid to multilateral and regional agencies from OECD countries 1970-77 1/

Country	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
-- Million dollars --								
United States	888	800	978	618	728	1,266	1,210	1,109
Bilateral	870	777	854	564	638	1,175	1,165	1,031
Multilateral	18	23	124	54	90	91	45	78
Canada	99	89	88	96	142	264	190	185
Bilateral	81	72	74	75	124	172	129	93
Multilateral	18	17	14	21	18	92	61	92
Germany	34	50	44	92	144	131	91	132
Bilateral	15	13	15	38	54	50	31	43
Multilateral	19	37	30	54	90	81	60	89
France	26	34	32	67	106	83	50	52
Bilateral	14	14	5	30	42	32	21	10
Multilateral	12	20	27	37	64	51	29	42
Netherlands	17	16	20	24	47	45	45	65
Bilateral	7	3	5	6	13	12	9	19
Multilateral	10	13	15	18	34	33	36	46
Australia	21	13	19	19	76	61	35	24
Bilateral	19	11	17	18	73	58	29	20
Multilateral	2	2	2	1	3	3	6	4
United Kingdom	16	17	3	12	49	60	33	46
Bilateral	11	11	1	---	17	23	16	13
Multilateral	5	6	2	12	32	37	17	33
Japan	100	134	35	106	74	15	8	15
Bilateral	100	134	34	105	71	13	5	15
Multilateral	---	---	1	1	3	2	3	---
Other OECD 2/	63	64	56	99	156	204	127	183
Bilateral	25	15	9	15	33	96	43	60
Multilateral	38	49	47	84	123	108	84	123
Total	1,264	1,217	1,276	133	1,522	2,129	1,790	1,811
Bilateral	1,142	1,050	1,014	851	1,065	1,631	1,448	1,301
Multilateral	122	167	262	282	457	498	342	507

1/ Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, Development Cooperation (annual reviews) and Food Aid, 1974.

2/ Includes Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Italy, New Zealand, Finland, Norway, Sweden, and Switzerland.

--- Not applicable

Table 20 -- Net disbursements of food and official economic aid from OECD countries, 1964-1977 ^{1/}

Country	1964	1965-68 : average	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977 ^{2/}
-- Million dollars --											
Food Aid:											
United States	1,451	1,128	907	888	800	978	618	728	1,266	1,210	1,109
Canada	58	74	60	99	89	88	96	142	264	190	185
Germany	4	3	26	18	50	44	92	144	131	91	132
Netherlands	1	3/	14	17	16	20	24	47	45	45	65
France	1	1	3/	22	34	32	67	106	83	50	52
United Kingdom	2	2	17	16	17	3	12	49	60	33	46
Italy	---	1	24	30	3/	20	29	48	45	20	46
Sweden	---	1	8	4	9	7	11	35	75	25	38
Australia	10	10	15	21	13	19	19	76	61	35	24
Japan	3/	1	55	100	134	35	106	74	15	8	15
Other ^{4/}	2	6	26	28	24	31	59	72	84	83	99
Total	1,529	1,227	1,152	1,243	1,217	1,276	1,133	1,522	2,129	1,790	1,811
Economic Aid:											
United States	3,592	3,370	3,092	3,046	3,324	3,349	2,968	3,439	4,007	4,334	4,159
Canada	78	164	245	346	391	492	515	713	880	886	992
Germany	459	485	579	599	734	808	1,102	1,433	1,689	1,384	1,386
Netherlands	49	100	143	196	216	307	322	436	604	720	900
France	828	794	955	971	1,075	1,320	1,461	1,616	2,093	2,167	2,267
United Kingdom	446	465	431	447	562	609	603	730	863	835	914
Italy	48	110	130	147	183	102	192	216	182	226	186
Sweden	33	110	121	117	159	198	275	402	566	608	779
Australia	100	141	175	202	202	267	286	430	507	385	427
Japan	116	318	436	458	511	611	1,011	1,126	1,148	1,105	1,424
Other ^{4/}	208	140	314	280	333	475	616	776	1,048	1,015	1,262
Total	5,957	6,197	6,621	6,809	7,690	8,538	9,351	11,317	13,587	13,665	14,696

^{1/} From Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, Food Aid, 1964 and Development Cooperation (ann. reviews).

^{2/} Preliminary.

^{3/} Less than \$500,000.

^{4/} Includes Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, Norway, New Zealand, and Switzerland.

-- = Not applicable

Table 21--Pledges to the World Food Program ^{1/}

Donor	1969-70	1971-72	1973-74	1975-76	1977-78	1979-80 ^{2/}
	-- Million dollars --					
Developed:						
United States	99.6	125.0	136.0	140.0	188.0	220.0
Canada	32.5	31.0	34.0	190.5	176.5	169.6
EC	91.5	15.8	65.4	103.3	75.9	N.A.
Netherlands	13.6	12.4	21.9	30.2	40.2	47.7
Denmark	9.0	15.0	27.7	29.3	28.2	37.5
Germany	6.4	9.1	15.1	23.0	29.1	36.6
Norway	7.3	8.5	10.0	24.8	48.1	34.6
Sweden	8.0	12.0	19.1	22.2	26.0	26.3
Other	10.0	12.0	26.5	42.7	45.5	N.A.
Total	277.9	240.8	355.7	606.0	658.1	N.A.
Developing:						
Saudi Arabia	^{3/}	^{3/}	---	50.0	50.0	55.0
India	0.5	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.3
Other	5.0	7.5	7.5	14.0	7.0	4.3
Total	5.5	8.5	5.5	65.0	58.0	N.A.
All pledges	283.4	249.3	361.2	671.0	716.1	693.1

^{1/} Includes commodities, cash and services. From World Food Program, 10 Years of World Food Program Development Aid, 1963-72, and reports of the World Food Program, Committee on Food Aid Policies and Programs.

^{2/} As of October 1978. Pledging has not been completed for this period.

^{3/} Less than \$500,000.

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Table 22--World food aid shipments by principal commodity, 1971-77 ^{1/}

Commodity	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
	-- 1,000 Metric tons --						
Grains	12,015	11,694	10,445	6,295	8,473	7,328	10,881
Nongrains:							
Vegetable oils	396	270	159	104	186	226	N.A.
Dairy products	224	196	102	70	130	226	N.A.
Subtotal	620	466	261	174	316	452	N.A.
Total	12,635	12,160	10,706	6,469	8,789	7,780	N.A.

^{1/} Grains from sources listed in table 23 and nongrains from World Food Program/CFA: 5/5-B, Mar. 1978 and WFP/CEA 1/6-C, Mar. 1976.

Table 23--World food aid in cereals, 1970-79 ^{1/}

Country ^{2/}	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
-- 1,000 Metric tons --										
Argentina	27	10	13	2	10	20	---	22	34	23
Australia	216	235	215	259	222	330	261	231	255	325
Canada	663	608	1,093	887	486	594	1,034	1,176	1,000	1,000
EEC ^{3/}	1,356	983	978	986	1,208	1,413	928	1,131	1,451	1,287
Finland	15	13	---	25	17	24	25	33	47	14
Japan	395	753	731	528	350	182	33	46	141	225
Norway	14	9	8	---	---	---	10	10	10	10
Sweden	38	65	8	56	65	316	47	122	105	75
Switzerland	35	45	27	21	33	29	35	33	22	32
United States ^{4/}	10,161	9,284	9,423	7,134	3,588	4,731	5/4,637	7,940	7,040	N.A.
Public Law-480	10,158	9,105	9,260	6,924	3,162	4,731	4,256	6,204	5,240	6,578
AID	3	179	163	180	426	6/	381	1,736	1,800	N.A.
Other ^{7/}	---	10	291	547	316	834	318	137	395	400
Total	12,920	12,015	11,694	10,445	6,295	8,473	7,328	10,881	10,500	N.A.

^{1/} Except as indicated from Food and Agriculture Organization, Food Outlook, Nov. 1978.

^{2/} For all listed countries except the United States, data for 1970-78 are shipments during July-June; U.S. data for 1970-76 are July-June periods and for 1977-78 are Oct.-Sept. periods. For all countries, 1979 are budget allocations for the budgetary period of each country.

^{3/} Bilateral aid of EC countries and regional EC aid.

^{4/} From U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economics, Statistics, Cooperatives Service. PL-480 data for 1978 are preliminary.

^{5/} Does not include 2,725,000 tons shipped during the July-Sept. transition period.

^{6/} Less than 500 metric tons.

^{7/} Calendar year basis, including in various years Iraq, Algeria, United Arab Emirates, and Saudi Arabia.

THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN EXPORT PRICES AND UNIT VALUES

To forecast the value of U.S. farm product exports, USDA analysts use unit values rather than export prices. Export unit value is the total reported value of a specified commodity exported divided by the reported quantity, and represents a weighted average export price. Monthly export unit values are published by the Department of Agriculture in Foreign Agricultural Trade of the United States (FATUS), normally about a month after the actual exports.

Research indicates that one can use the monthly averages of "spot" price quotations, such as those published monthly in the FATUS article "Selected Prices of International Significance," as a short-term prediction of export unit value. Several alternative prices can be used as indicators. On the basis of the R^2 , the coefficient of determination, the best alternative is determined.

Table 24 displays this relationship for wheat, corn, milled rice, grain sorghum, cotton, soybeans, and soybean products using their respective monthly average "spot" price quotations. For example, even though prices and unit values have changed drastically since mid-1972, the Gulf port's price for U.S. No. 2 Hard Winter wheat accounted for 94 percent of the variation in the U.S. export unit value for wheat that occurred during 1970-1977. ^{1/}

For wheat, a 3-month time lag usually occurs before the quoted Gulf ports wheat price is reflected in the export unit value. The fit between the Gulf ports wheat price and the export unit value for wheat could also be improved (to an $R^2 = .96$) by excluding U.S. wheat exports to the U.S.S.R. from total exports, since the 1972 Russian grain sale had a prolonged impact on the grain market. Initially, the export unit values of grain sold to the U.S.S.R. were low, compared with the export unit values of grain sold to most other countries, because the contracts for the Soviet sale were made before grain prices began to rise.

As an indicator of the unit value for wheat, the Rotterdam price for U.S. wheat is nearly as good as the U.S. Gulf ports price, and explains 92 percent of the variation in wheat's export unit value. When the Gulf ports price of U.S. No. 3 yellow corn was lagged by 1 month, it accounted for 96 percent of the variation that occurred in the export unit value for corn during 1970-77. (If U.S. corn exports to the U.S.S.R. are excluded from corn's total export unit value, the correlation between the U.S. export unit value for corn and the U.S. Gulf ports price could be improved slightly to 97 percent). About 96 percent of the variation in the U.S. export unit value for corn could be explained by the Rotterdam import price.

Bangkok prices for rice provided the best forecast of the U.S. export unit value for U.S. milled rice (92 percent, no lag). The Houston export price for long grain rice (not published in FATUS) is used as an indicator of the U.S. export unit value, but is slightly less accurate (90 percent).

Among other grains, the Gulf ports price for grain sorghum is a good basis for estimating the U.S. export unit value ($R^2 = .94$) when the export unit value is lagged 2 months, while the Rotterdam price explains about the same percent of the variation (93 percent) in the export unit value.

^{1/} In the parlance of statistical measures, R^2 , the coefficient of determination, is strictly interpreted as the percentage of the total variation in the dependent variable that is associated with the variation in the independent variables; when $R^2 = 1.0$, the variation in the independent variable totally explains the variation in the dependent variable.

Soybean prices are more variable than wheat and corn prices. Nevertheless, allowing for a 1-month time lag between the date of quotation and the date of export, 90 percent of the variation in the soybean export unit value could be explained by the Gulf ports soybean price. A slightly better correlation was obtained by excluding prices and export unit values for the 1972/1973 crop-year months, when prices reached record levels. Export controls and short supplies resulted in the speculative bidding up of prices and these prices were inadequately reflected in export unit values, since hardly any soybeans were sold at the bid-up prices.

About 89 percent of the variation in the U.S. export unit value for soybeans could be explained by the Rotterdam import price. There are no Gulf ports price quotations for soybean oil and meal. Nevertheless, Decatur (Illinois) prices for soybean oil and soybean meal, both lagged by 3 months, respectively, explaining 87 percent and 85 percent of the variation in the U.S. export unit values of soybean oil and soybean meal.

The marketing of cotton is unique in the amount of forward contracting that occurs. Consequently, the price of export cotton is reflected in the U.S. export unit value about 6 months later. Since most U.S. cotton is currently exported to the Far East, the Osaka price for U.S. Arizona cotton is a better forecaster of the U.S. export unit value than either the domestic U.S. market price quoted by USDA or the West European ports price.

The relationships between import prices and import unit values for imported beef, coffee, sugar, cocoa beans, and crude rubber are also shown in table 24.

Time lags from the date of quotation to the date of actual exports and imports differ among commodities because of the differences in time to get each commodity in an exportable (or importable) position and because of the role of futures prices in the overall commodity marketing scheme. Wheat exported in March, for example, included wheat sold at the spot price as well as wheat that had been forward contracted months before March delivery.

Table 24--Equation showing the variation in U.S. agricultural export unit values, using spot prices January 1970-December 1977.

Dependent variable	Unit of dependent variable	Equation	Unit of independent variable	R ² corrected for degrees of freedom
Export unit value for wheat	Dol./m.ton	$EUVWH = 5.548 + 35.682 WP_{t-3}$	Dol./bu.	.936
Export unit value for wheat, excluding USSR	Dol./m.ton	$EUVWH = 4.997 + 36.156 WP_{t-3}$	Dol./bu.	.957
Export unit value for wheat	Dol./m.ton	$EUVWH = -2.952 + 1.077 WHP_{t-3}$	Dol./bu.	.922
Export unit value for corn	Dol./m.ton	$EUVC = -1.829 + 40.032 CP_{t-1}$	Dol./bu.	.957
Export unit value for corn excluding USSR	Dol./m.ton	$EUVC = -.003 + 1.014 CP_{t-1}$	Dol./bu.	.971
Export unit value for corn	Dol./m.ton	$EUVC = -.046 + 1.017 COP_{t-1}$	Dol./bu.	.957
Export unit value for grain sorghum	Dol./m.ton	$EUVS = .162 + .005 SP_{t-2}$	Dol./bu.	.937
Export unit value for grain soybean	Dol./m.ton	$EUVS = .158 + .021 SOF_{t-2}$	Dol./bu.	.925
Export unit value for rice	Dol./m.ton	$EUVR = 62.671 + 15.039 RP_{t-2}$	Dol./bu.	.886
Export unit value for rice	Dol./m.ton	$EUVR = 97.230 + .800 RIP_t$	Dol./bu.	.920
Export unit value for soybeans	Dol./m.ton	$EUVS = 17.047 + 32.883 SOYP_{t-1}$	Dol./bu.	.901
Export unit value for soybeans excluding 1972/73	Dol./m.ton	$EUVS = 7.176 + 35.345 SOYP_{t-1}$	Dol./bu.	.933
Export unit value for soybeans	Dol./m.ton	$EUVS = 17.234 + .848 SOYBNP_{t-1}$	Dol./bu.	.887
Export unit value for soybean oil	Dol./m.ton	$EUVSO = .044 + .009 SOYOILP_{t-3}$	Dol./bu.	.870
Export unit value for soybean meal	Dol./m.ton	$EUVSM = 49.036 + .815 SOYMEALP_{t-3}$	Dol./bu.	.853
Export unit value for soybean meal	Dol./m.ton	$EUVSM = 54.273 + .618 SOYMP_{t-2}$	Dol./bu.	.823
Export unit value for cotton	Dol./m.ton	$EUVC = 119.827 + 18.857 COTP_{t-6}$	Cents/lb.	.884
Import unit value for beef and veal	Dol./m.ton	$IUVB = 82,741 + 20,101 BP_{t-1}$	Dol./bu.	.920
Import unit value for coffee <u>1/</u>	Dol./m.ton	$IUVC = 25,581 + 18,098 COFF_{t-2}$	Dol./bu.	.980

See footnotes at end of table.

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Table 24--Equation showing the variation in U.S. agricultural export unit values, using spot prices--Continued

Dependent variable	Unit dependent variable	Equation	Unit of independent variable	R ² corrected for degrees of freedom
Import unit value for sugar ^{2/}	Dol./m.ton	IUVS = 16.443 + 18.150 SUP _{t-2}	Dol./bu.	.946
Import unit value for sugar	Dol./m.ton	IUVS = 82.345 + 15.171 SP _{t-3}	Dol./bu.	.919
Import unit value for cocoa beans	Dol./m.ton	IUVCB = 66.622 + 20.087 CBP _{t-4}	Dol./bu.	.943
Import unit value for crude rubber	Dol./m.ton	IUVR = -.002 + .008 RUBP _{t-2}	Dol./bu.	.905

^{1/} Time period, Mar. 1972-Dec. 1977.

^{2/} Time period, Jan. 1970-Aug. 1977.

KEYWORDS: WP - U.S. No. 2 Hard Winter wheat, Ordinary Protein, f.o.b. Vessel, Gulf Ports
WHP - U.S. No. 2 Hard Winter Wheat, Ordinary Protein, c.i.f. Rotterdam
CP - U.S. No. 2 Yellow Corn, f.o.b. Vessel, Gulf Ports
COP - U.S. No. 3 Yellow Corn, c.i.f. Rotterdam
SP - U.S. No. 2 Yellow Grain Sorghum, f.o.b. Vessel, Gulf Ports
SOP - U.S. No. 2 Yellow Grain Sorghum, c.i.f. Rotterdam
RP - U.S. No. 2 Milled Rice, f.o.b. Houston Mills, Bagged
RIP - Thai White Rice, 5 Percent Broken, f.o.b. Bangkok
SOYP - U.S. No. 2 Yellow Soybeans, f.o.b. Vessel, Gulf Ports
SOYBNP - U.S. No. 2 Yellow Soybeans, c.i.f. Rotterdam
SOYOILP - Soybean Oil, Crude, Average Wholesale Price, f.o.b. Decatur
SOYMEALP - Soybean Meal, 44% Protein, Average Wholesale Price, f.o.b. Decatur
SOYMP - Soybean Meal Price, 44% Protein, c.i.f. Rotterdam
COTP - U.S. Arizona Strick Middling Cotton, 1-1/16 Inches, c.i.f. Osaka
BP - Imported Beef, 90 Percent Lean, Frozen, Boneless, f.o.b. Port of Entry
COFF - Santos No. 4 Coffee, New York Spot Price
SUP - Raw Cane Sugar, 96°, New York Spot Price
SP - Raw Cane Sugar, f.o.b. and Stowed, Caribbean Ports, London Daily Price
CBP - New York Cocoa Beans Futures Price
RUBP - No. 1 Crude Rubber, Smoked Sheets, New York Spot Price

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 intransit 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 and diplomatic missions abroad for their own use and supplies for vessels and aircraft engaged in foreign trade. Data on shipments valued at less than \$251 are not compiled by commodity and are excluded from agricultural statistics but are reflected in non-agricultural and overall export totals in this report. The agricultural export statistics include shipments under P.L. 83-480 (Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act), and related laws; under P.L. 87-195 (Act for International Development); and involving Government payments to exporters through 1974. 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 known to him at the time of shipment from the United States. Shipments of certain U.S. grain from Great Lakes ports to Canadian ports are designated as exports to "unidentified countries." Except for Canada, export shipments valued at \$251-\$999 are included on the basis of sampling estimates; shipments to Canada valued at \$251-\$1,999 are sampled.

IMPORTS: Imports for consumption are a combination of entries for immediate consumption and withdrawals from warehouses for consumption. Data on shipments valued at less than \$251 are estimated on the basis of a 1-percent sample and are not compiled by commodity. They are excluded from agricultural statistics but 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. When 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.

Further explanatory material on foreign trade statistics and compilation procedures of the Bureau of the Census is contained in the publications of that agency.

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