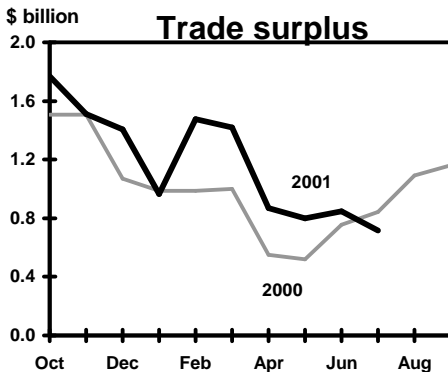


# U.S. Agricultural Trade Update



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**Summary**—The U.S. agricultural trade surplus from October 2000 to July 2001 amounted to \$11.8 billion, \$2 billion more than the same period in fiscal 2000. Year-to-date exports of \$44.6 billion are up \$2 billion from last year as foreign demand for U.S. hides, feeds, and horticulture products continues to be strong. Year-to-date imports, on the other hand, contracted by \$8 million from last year. Starting in April 2001, monthly exports and imports have fallen from the previous month's corresponding values.

**Exports**—Bulk commodity exports for the fiscal year to date are \$91 million less than in 2000, dropping to \$14.9 billion. In volume, the drop equals 1 million tons—from 94.5 to 93.4. Lower sales of corn, rice, and wheat more than offset gains in soybeans, cotton, and other feed grains.

*Wheat* exports to date are down \$58 million from 2000, and volume is down 1.4 million tons. The 20.5 million tons of wheat shipped thus far in 2001 are worth \$2.64 billion, compared with \$2.7 billion in 2000. World production of wheat in 2000/01 fell as producers in the United States, China, and Australia harvested a smaller crop. Wheat prices are rising to levels reached before sharp declines in 1999/2000. Shipments to Egypt have fallen the farthest to date—by \$86 million, followed by the European Union (EU)—by \$57 million, then Russia—by \$44 million.

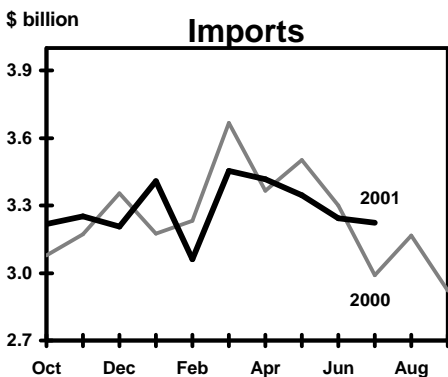
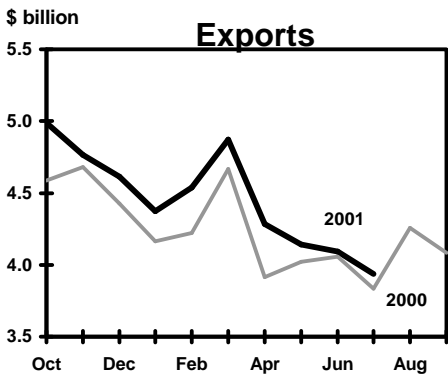
The \$190-million drop in *corn* exports thus far in 2001, from \$3.8 billion in 2000 to \$3.6 billion, as well as 1.1 million tons less in volume shipped, is partly the result of China's larger corn sales in Asian markets. Strong import demand from Canada, however, mitigated the U.S. sales loss in Asia. Also, shipments to Mexico and Egypt partly offset sales declines in the Middle East, South America, and Russia. Corn prices remain low despite smaller production.

Exports of *soybeans* are close to \$4.7 billion in the year-to-date, a \$202 million gain from 2000. Volume is up 1.5 million tons to 24.5 from 23 million tons. World soybean production in 2000/01 expanded significantly in the major producing and exporting countries—the United States, Brazil, and Argentina. Thus soybean prices remain depressed at levels lower than in the past year. Shipments to China and Mexico more than offset declines in the EU and other East Asian countries.

The weak world economy has reduced demand for *cotton*. World cotton production in 2001/02 is expected to expand significantly, and cotton prices have plummeted in response. Nevertheless, U.S. cotton exports to date are up \$112 million from 2000, and volume is virtually unchanged. Sales to South Asia, South Korea, Mexico, and Canada make up the bulk of U.S. export gains.

Underlying the year-to-date overall U.S. export gain is the \$2.1 billion sales increase in *high-value products* (HVP). Although lower sales are recorded for red meat and vegetable oils, impressive gains are posted by live animals, poultry, dairy products, feeds and fodders, and notably by hides and skins. Exports of hides and skins to China and South Korea alone increased HVP sales by almost \$300 million. Strong sales of sugar and products, fruits, and nuts further boosted total HVP exports.

**Imports**—The \$240-million decline in U.S. agricultural imports in the year-to-date is largely due to lower value and volume of U.S. coffee, cocoa, and rubber imports. Imports of nuts and vegetable oils are down as well. Nevertheless, imports of live animals, red meats, vegetables, grain products, and wine offset much of the declines in tropical product imports. [Andy Jerardo, 202-694-5323, [ajerardo@ers.usda.gov](mailto:ajerardo@ers.usda.gov)]



**China's accession to the World Trade Organization (WTO) raises the prospect of larger U.S. wheat exports to that market,** especially the higher protein varieties. Since 1995, U.S. farm sales to China ranged from \$1 billion to \$2.4 billion. Soybean shipments to China more than doubled from 1998 to 2000, but exports of soybean meal and oil slipped to zero or near zero as domestic crushing capacity expanded. Hides and skins are the next largest U.S. export to China. As per capita income in China grows, import demand for high-value products such as red meat, fruits, vegetables, and processed food is likely to rise, as in Taiwan and Hong Kong.

Corn and soybeans lead U.S. exports to Taiwan. Poultry meat is the largest U.S. export to Hong Kong. (See table 5.)

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Table 1--U.S. agricultural exports: Quantity and value by commodity

| Quantity and unit                 | October-July   |        |                  |            | July           |       |                  |           |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|--------|------------------|------------|----------------|-------|------------------|-----------|
|                                   | Thousand units |        | Thousand dollars |            | Thousand units |       | Thousand dollars |           |
|                                   | 2000           | 2001   | 2000             | 2001       | 2000           | 2001  | 2000             | 2001      |
| Total agricultural exports (NA)   | 0              | 0      | 42,567,406       | 44,602,346 | 0              | 0     | 3,832,218        | 3,938,717 |
| Animals & animal prods (NA)       | 0              | 0      | 9,708,078        | 10,340,499 | 0              | 0     | 928,831          | 1,010,546 |
| Animals live - ex poultry (NA)    | 0              | 0      | 525,897          | 655,914    | 0              | 0     | 28,422           | 49,887    |
| Cattle & calves - live (NO)       | 380            | 663    | 209,195          | 245,278    | 23             | 253   | 13,564           | 13,799    |
| Horses, mules, burros-live (NO)   | 73             | 62     | 288,208          | 387,461    | 4              | 2     | 12,320           | 33,124    |
| Swine - live (NO)                 | 77             | 20     | 11,270           | 6,618      | 4              | 4     | 729              | 852       |
| Sheep, live (NO)                  | 325            | 287    | 15,135           | 14,308     | 29             | 37    | 1,424            | 1,869     |
| Other live animals (NA)           | 0              | 0      | 2,089            | 2,248      | 0              | 0     | 384              | 243       |
| Meats & meat prods (MT)           | 2,043          | 2,061  | 4,572,177        | 4,374,356  | 197            | 197   | 442,384          | 418,413   |
| Beef & veal (MT)                  | 718            | 639    | 2,598,634        | 2,230,228  | 76             | 62    | 260,257          | 212,432   |
| Beef & veal - fr or froz (MT)     | 701            | 620    | 2,536,612        | 2,161,795  | 74             | 60    | 254,618          | 204,367   |
| Beef - prep or pres (MT)          | 17             | 19     | 62,022           | 68,433     | 2              | 2     | 5,639            | 8,065     |
| Horsemeat-fr, chill, froz (MT)    | 9              | 10     | 26,996           | 34,044     | 1              | 1     | 2,228            | 2,729     |
| Lamb,mutton or goat-fr,ch,frz(MT) | 2              | 2      | 4,847            | 4,930      | 0              | 0     | 543              | 361       |
| Pork (MT)                         | 395            | 445    | 1,075,685        | 1,134,382  | 33             | 37    | 96,451           | 98,855    |
| Pork - fr or froz (MT)            | 355            | 403    | 973,128          | 1,021,668  | 29             | 33    | 87,094           | 88,436    |
| Pork - prep or pres (MT)          | 40             | 42     | 102,556          | 112,714    | 3              | 4     | 9,357            | 10,420    |
| Variety meats, edible offals (MT) | 487            | 567    | 623,407          | 753,269    | 46             | 59    | 59,737           | 83,390    |
| Other meats - fr or prep (MT)     | 432            | 398    | 242,608          | 217,502    | 41             | 39    | 23,168           | 20,646    |
| Poultry & poultry prods (NA)      | 0              | 0      | 1,864,425        | 2,079,289  | 0              | 0     | 176,591          | 218,921   |
| Poultry - live (NA)               | 41,504         | 50,165 | 83,860           | 84,600     | 4,667          | 5,069 | 7,760            | 9,376     |
| Baby chicks (NO)                  | 32,765         | 43,956 | 72,753           | 75,413     | 3,638          | 4,441 | 6,581            | 8,395     |
| Other live poultry (NA)           | 8,739          | 6,209  | 11,107           | 9,187      | 1,029          | 628   | 1,179            | 982       |
| Poultry meats (MT)                | 2,370          | 2,582  | 1,623,368        | 1,827,755  | 220            | 254   | 153,390          | 192,576   |
| Chickens - fr or froz (MT)        | 2,147          | 2,287  | 1,284,471        | 1,403,350  | 201            | 226   | 122,690          | 153,432   |
| Turkeys - fr or froz (MT)         | 151            | 171    | 160,529          | 187,017    | 12             | 12    | 12,862           | 13,404    |
| Other poultry - fr or froz (MT)   | 6              | 4      | 9,892            | 7,915      | 0              | 0     | 757              | 789       |
| Poultry meats-prep or pres(MT)    | 67             | 120    | 168,476          | 229,472    | 6              | 15    | 17,080           | 24,951    |
| Feathers & downs, crude (MT)      | 4              | 3      | 15,281           | 18,103     | 0              | 0     | 1,128            | 1,239     |
| Eggs (NA)                         | 0              | 0      | 141,916          | 148,831    | 0              | 0     | 14,313           | 15,730    |
| Dairy prods (NA)                  | 0              | 0      | 835,687          | 951,512    | 0              | 0     | 79,738           | 86,920    |
| Evap & condensed milk (MT)        | 6              | 5      | 4,155            | 4,105      | 1              | 1     | 413              | 598       |
| Nonfat dry milk (MT)              | 115            | 77     | 163,617          | 153,384    | 8              | 5     | 12,305           | 9,932     |
| Butter & anhyd milkfat (MT)       | 2              | 2      | 2,958            | 3,191      | 0              | 0     | 206              | 227       |
| Cheese (MT)                       | 36             | 43     | 110,141          | 129,492    | 3              | 3     | 9,939            | 11,450    |
| Whey, fluid or dried (NA)         | 0              | 0      | 128,200          | 140,102    | 0              | 0     | 14,927           | 13,884    |
| Other dairy prods (NA)            | 0              | 0      | 426,615          | 521,237    | 0              | 0     | 41,948           | 50,830    |
| Fats, oils, & greases (MT)        | 982            | 873    | 354,832          | 259,537    | 94             | 83    | 29,416           | 26,844    |
| Lard (MT)                         | 86             | 52     | 38,746           | 25,586     | 8              | 6     | 3,364            | 3,113     |
| Tallow - inedible (MT)            | 654            | 524    | 209,922          | 141,375    | 61             | 51    | 16,641           | 14,829    |
| Other animal fats & oils (MT)     | 242            | 297    | 106,164          | 92,576     | 26             | 26    | 9,411            | 8,903     |
| Hides & skins, incl furs (NA)     | 0              | 0      | 1,202,544        | 1,640,734  | 0              | 0     | 136,948          | 175,331   |
| Bovine hides - whole (NO)         | 18,013         | 18,794 | 949,089          | 1,214,036  | 1,986          | 1,918 | 110,176          | 129,766   |
| Other cattle hides - pieces (NA)  | 0              | 0      | 34,231           | 27,821     | 0              | 0     | 2,506            | 7,104     |
| Calf skins, whole (PC)            | 1,045          | 1,618  | 28,185           | 53,402     | 105            | 85    | 4,562            | 2,311     |
| Horse hides, whole (PC)           | 308            | 3,691  | 10,871           | 123,479    | 33             | 389   | 1,224            | 15,431    |
| Sheep and lamb skins (PC)         | 0              | 0      | 15,045           | 19,491     | 0              | 0     | 2,731            | 1,312     |
| Other hides & skins,ex furs(NA)   | 6,970          | 5,380  | 43,288           | 55,789     | 614            | 872   | 3,375            | 4,857     |
| Furskins (NA)                     | 0              | 0      | 121,835          | 146,716    | 0              | 0     | 12,374           | 14,550    |
| Mink pelts (NO)                   | 3,930          | 4,021  | 98,862           | 113,657    | 320            | 331   | 10,055           | 11,351    |
| Other furskins (NA)               | 0              | 0      | 22,973           | 33,059     | 0              | 0     | 2,319            | 3,199     |
| Wool & mohair (MT)                | 4              | 3      | 17,495           | 10,391     | 1              | 0     | 1,797            | 831       |
| Sausage casings (MT)              | 20             | 22     | 56,113           | 54,393     | 2              | 2     | 5,042            | 5,739     |
| Bull semen (NA)                   | 0              | 0      | 49,138           | 48,462     | 0              | 0     | 4,582            | 5,138     |
| Misc animal prods - other (NA)    | 0              | 0      | 229,769          | 265,912    | 0              | 0     | 23,911           | 22,522    |
| Grains & feeds (MT)               | 83,681         | 80,388 | 11,281,901       | 11,332,271 | 8,112          | 8,037 | 1,074,130        | 1,070,989 |
| Wheat, unmilled (MT)              | 21,863         | 20,477 | 2,695,731        | 2,637,519  | 2,246          | 1,762 | 279,770          | 230,252   |
| Wheat flour (MT)                  | 731            | 472    | 112,816          | 100,371    | 75             | 13    | 12,041           | 3,314     |
| Bulqur wheat (MT)                 | 4              | 7      | 1,019            | 1,545      | 0              | 0     | 34               | 0         |
| Other wheat prods (MT)            | 86             | 82     | 76,908           | 71,096     | 8              | 7     | 7,740            | 6,394     |
| Rice-paddy, milled, parb. (MT)    | 2,868          | 2,549  | 791,132          | 632,913    | 240            | 154   | 60,024           | 41,824    |
| Feed grains & prods (MT)          | 45,774         | 44,980 | 4,497,923        | 4,404,140  | 4,436          | 5,029 | 412,297          | 468,994   |
| Feed grains (MT)                  | 45,240         | 44,398 | 4,329,555        | 4,210,991  | 4,378          | 4,950 | 394,611          | 443,785   |
| Barley (MT)                       | 485            | 898    | 62,986           | 116,774    | 65             | 21    | 8,243            | 3,487     |
| Corn (MT)                         | 39,489         | 38,367 | 3,774,122        | 3,584,435  | 3,877          | 4,645 | 347,371          | 412,492   |
| Grain sorghums (MT)               | 5,240          | 5,101  | 489,476          | 506,152    | 433            | 278   | 38,615           | 27,194    |
| Oats (MT)                         | 17             | 24     | 2,103            | 2,983      | 2              | 4     | 296              | 501       |
| Rye (MT)                          | 9              | 7      | 867              | 647        | 1              | 1     | 85               | 112       |
| Feed grain prods (MT)             | 534            | 582    | 168,368          | 193,148    | 58             | 80    | 17,687           | 25,209    |
| Popcorn (MT)                      | 83             | 90     | 50,789           | 53,530     | 7              | 8     | 3,938            | 5,381     |
| Blended food prods (MT)           | 261            | 205    | 66,467           | 55,568     | 17             | 31    | 4,428            | 7,911     |
| Other grain prods (MT)            | 821            | 840    | 945,907          | 1,050,729  | 64             | 73    | 89,485           | 100,313   |
| Feeds & fodders, ex oilcake (MT)  | 11,190         | 10,685 | 2,043,209        | 2,324,861  | 1,018          | 959   | 204,372          | 206,605   |
| Corn by-products (MT)             | 4,738          | 4,537  | 484,060          | 486,570    | 472            | 425   | 50,376           | 44,488    |
| Alfalfa meal & cubes (MT)         | 193            | 138    | 30,347           | 21,451     | 16             | 10    | 2,317            | 1,562     |
| Beet pulp (MT)                    | 578            | 547    | 70,138           | 70,336     | 32             | 55    | 4,199            | 7,066     |
| Citrus pulp pellets (MT)          | 823            | 545    | 57,561           | 28,123     | 33             | 1     | 2,778            | 48        |
| Other feeds & fodders (MT)        | 4,858          | 4,918  | 1,401,103        | 1,718,380  | 464            | 468   | 144,702          | 153,441   |
| Fruits & prep, ex juice (MT)      | 2,562          | 2,895  | 2,165,659        | 2,352,586  | 279            | 269   | 260,386          | 254,311   |
| Fruits - fr (MT)                  | 2,197          | 2,484  | 1,632,436        | 1,798,632  | 242            | 233   | 208,233          | 205,475   |
| Fruits - fr - citrus (MT)         | 972            | 1,046  | 551,567          | 581,701    | 47             | 31    | 25,779           | 17,915    |
| Grapefruit - fresh (MT)           | 380            | 383    | 201,859          | 196,093    | 11             | 6     | 5,839            | 3,134     |
| Lemons & limes - fresh (MT)       | 98             | 106    | 70,947           | 66,467     | 8              | 6     | 5,555            | 4,770     |
| Oranges & tangerines-fresh(MT)    | 491            | 555    | 276,483          | 317,668    | 28             | 19    | 14,308           | 9,912     |

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| Quantity and unit                 | October-July   |        |                  |           | July           |       |                  |         |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|--------|------------------|-----------|----------------|-------|------------------|---------|
|                                   | Thousand units |        | Thousand dollars |           | Thousand units |       | Thousand dollars |         |
|                                   | 2000           | 2001   | 2000             | 2001      | 2000           | 2001  | 2000             | 2001    |
| Other citrus - fresh (MT)         | 3              | 1      | 2,278            | 1,472     | 0              | 0     | 77               | 100     |
| Fruits - fr - noncitrus (MT)      | 1,225          | 1,439  | 1,080,870        | 1,216,931 | 195            | 202   | 182,454          | 187,559 |
| Apples - fresh (MT)               | 479            | 666    | 281,333          | 368,366   | 37             | 41    | 21,336           | 23,503  |
| Berries - fresh (MT)              | 67             | 63     | 122,169          | 119,541   | 9              | 11    | 18,105           | 20,104  |
| Cherries - fresh (MT)             | 41             | 40     | 166,037          | 152,307   | 15             | 12    | 50,110           | 39,172  |
| Grapes - fresh (MT)               | 160            | 197    | 211,057          | 266,191   | 15             | 23    | 19,596           | 31,659  |
| Melons - fresh (MT)               | 195            | 181    | 71,373           | 77,132    | 53             | 53    | 16,267           | 17,780  |
| Peaches - fresh (MT)              | 71             | 80     | 64,221           | 74,953    | 33             | 34    | 28,187           | 29,981  |
| Pears - fresh (MT)                | 132            | 132    | 75,337           | 74,259    | 10             | 5     | 5,783            | 3,822   |
| Plums - fresh (MT)                | 29             | 31     | 28,840           | 28,993    | 18             | 17    | 15,745           | 14,625  |
| Other noncitrus - fresh (MT)      | 50             | 49     | 60,502           | 55,189    | 6              | 6     | 7,325            | 6,913   |
| Fruits - dried (MT)               | 144            | 186    | 272,198          | 298,360   | 14             | 16    | 25,411           | 24,830  |
| Raisins - dried (MT)              | 63             | 89     | 114,602          | 123,623   | 8              | 8     | 12,241           | 10,698  |
| Prunes - dried (MT)               | 55             | 71     | 110,372          | 128,628   | 4              | 6     | 9,101            | 11,040  |
| Other dried fruits (MT)           | 25             | 26     | 47,224           | 46,109    | 2              | 1     | 4,069            | 3,091   |
| Fruits - canned ex juice (MT)     | 122            | 126    | 117,990          | 124,171   | 11             | 11    | 11,764           | 10,925  |
| Fruits - froz ex juice (MT)       | 31             | 33     | 46,116           | 46,654    | 4              | 3     | 6,050            | 4,538   |
| Other fruits - prep or pres (MT)  | 69             | 66     | 96,919           | 84,769    | 7              | 7     | 8,929            | 8,544   |
| Fruit juices incl froz (HL)       | 9,956          | 9,050  | 590,810          | 570,821   | 1,043          | 998   | 64,401           | 60,860  |
| Apple juice (HL)                  | 292            | 225    | 34,895           | 27,734    | 28             | 13    | 3,658            | 1,427   |
| Grape juice (HL)                  | 650            | 645    | 54,477           | 53,219    | 61             | 53    | 4,941            | 3,931   |
| Grapefruit juice (HL)             | 989            | 1,248  | 57,815           | 63,884    | 156            | 145   | 8,396            | 7,482   |
| Orange juice (HL)                 | 4,700          | 3,946  | 242,322          | 212,054   | 423            | 453   | 24,973           | 22,982  |
| Other fruit juices (HL)           | 3,325          | 2,986  | 201,301          | 213,929   | 375            | 334   | 22,433           | 25,037  |
| Wine (HL)                         | 2,204          | 2,534  | 425,874          | 445,682   | 215            | 282   | 41,034           | 49,313  |
| Nuts & prep (MT)                  | 509            | 486    | 981,079          | 1,082,149 | 48             | 36    | 86,982           | 84,102  |
| Almonds (shelled basis) (MT)      | 173            | 207    | 450,393          | 559,861   | 15             | 20    | 40,966           | 50,695  |
| Filberts (MT)                     | 11             | 11     | 19,367           | 20,405    | 1              | 0     | 1,602            | 945     |
| Peanuts, shelled or prep (MT)     | 200            | 130    | 193,956          | 133,471   | 23             | 8     | 21,333           | 8,436   |
| Pistachios (MT)                   | 15             | 25     | 70,343           | 89,250    | 1              | 2     | 5,280            | 6,040   |
| Walnuts, shelled/unshelled (MT)   | 58             | 66     | 130,428          | 159,107   | 2              | 2     | 5,526            | 6,880   |
| Pecans, shelled or unshelled (MT) | 9              | 9      | 45,565           | 47,359    | 1              | 1     | 5,168            | 4,802   |
| Other nuts, shelled or prep (MT)  | 42             | 37     | 71,026           | 72,696    | 5              | 3     | 7,107            | 6,305   |
| Vegetables & prep (NA)            | 0              | 0      | 3,752,141        | 3,843,373 | 0              | 0     | 351,671          | 351,631 |
| Vegetables - fresh (MT)           | 1,743          | 1,743  | 1,005,727        | 1,059,057 | 184            | 178   | 98,249           | 99,426  |
| Asparagus - fresh (MT)            | 17             | 14     | 49,723           | 38,859    | 1              | 0     | 2,146            | 1,389   |
| Broccoli - fresh (MT)             | 154            | 131    | 105,082          | 87,681    | 10             | 12    | 7,487            | 8,160   |
| Carrots - fresh (MT)              | 108            | 123    | 57,914           | 70,967    | 11             | 13    | 6,400            | 7,241   |
| Cabbage - fresh (MT)              | 39             | 36     | 17,180           | 16,849    | 1              | 2     | 647              | 775     |
| Celery - fresh (MT)               | 106            | 102    | 48,732           | 50,187    | 10             | 9     | 5,075            | 3,794   |
| Cauliflower - fresh (MT)          | 65             | 68     | 44,362           | 45,447    | 4              | 5     | 3,423            | 3,339   |
| Corn, sweet - fresh (MT)          | 41             | 47     | 17,310           | 22,449    | 6              | 7     | 2,392            | 3,026   |
| Cucumbers - fresh (MT)            | 24             | 26     | 13,904           | 14,639    | 2              | 2     | 1,205            | 838     |
| Garlic - fresh (MT)               | 6              | 5      | 7,399            | 6,413     | 0              | 0     | 315              | 650     |
| Lettuce - fresh (MT)              | 286            | 306    | 154,263          | 173,143   | 20             | 20    | 11,020           | 11,029  |
| Mushrooms - fresh (MT)            | 6              | 5      | 13,288           | 15,532    | 0              | 0     | 853              | 1,179   |
| Onions and shallots-fresh (MT)    | 241            | 254    | 70,284           | 83,210    | 19             | 20    | 6,645            | 7,095   |
| Peppers - fresh (MT)              | 62             | 64     | 59,944           | 69,125    | 8              | 7     | 6,671            | 6,210   |
| Potatoes - fresh (MT)             | 270            | 260    | 79,101           | 78,174    | 57             | 48    | 15,459           | 14,054  |
| Tomatoes - fresh (MT)             | 141            | 137    | 115,175          | 126,625   | 20             | 17    | 16,221           | 12,989  |
| Other fresh vegetables (MT)       | 176            | 165    | 152,065          | 159,758   | 15             | 14    | 12,290           | 17,658  |
| Vegetables - froz (MT)            | 575            | 608    | 448,872          | 465,515   | 56             | 56    | 42,946           | 43,953  |
| Corn, sweet, frozen (MT)          | 57             | 60     | 48,696           | 51,208    | 5              | 4     | 4,113            | 3,000   |
| Potatoes - frozen (MT)            | 417            | 449    | 304,726          | 323,252   | 42             | 45    | 30,405           | 32,084  |
| Other frozen vegetables (MT)      | 101            | 99     | 95,450           | 91,055    | 9              | 8     | 8,428            | 8,869   |
| Vegetables - canned (MT)          | 354            | 343    | 293,708          | 279,159   | 31             | 32    | 26,774           | 26,629  |
| Pulses (MT)                       | 411            | 456    | 202,393          | 214,501   | 29             | 38    | 13,060           | 18,649  |
| Dried beans (MT)                  | 276            | 305    | 150,716          | 159,298   | 22             | 31    | 10,185           | 15,990  |
| Dried peas (MT)                   | 80             | 88     | 27,867           | 31,057    | 5              | 4     | 1,660            | 1,464   |
| Dried lentils (MT)                | 55             | 64     | 23,811           | 24,145    | 3              | 3     | 1,215            | 1,195   |
| Hops, incl hop ext (MT)           | 9              | 11     | 79,050           | 112,253   | 0              | 1     | 4,221            | 8,597   |
| Other veg - prep or pres (NA)     | 0              | 0      | 1,722,391        | 1,712,889 | 0              | 0     | 166,421          | 154,377 |
| Oilseeds & prods (MT)             | 31,498         | 33,379 | 7,273,382        | 7,770,665 | 2,043          | 1,571 | 494,227          | 425,377 |
| Oilcake & meal (MT)               | 5,864          | 6,112  | 1,071,272        | 1,206,616 | 428            | 453   | 81,997           | 86,394  |
| Bran, hulls, legum. veg. (MT)     | 339            | 212    | 24,733           | 16,596    | 31             | 35    | 2,387            | 3,184   |
| Corn oilcake & meal (MT)          | 47             | 9      | 4,677            | 988       | 1              | 2     | 116              | 190     |
| Soybean meal (MT)                 | 5,339          | 5,717  | 1,019,237        | 1,157,754 | 387            | 403   | 77,748           | 80,527  |
| Other oilcake & meal (MT)         | 138            | 173    | 22,625           | 31,277    | 9              | 13    | 1,745            | 2,494   |
| Oilseeds (MT)                     | 23,789         | 25,512 | 5,039,382        | 5,569,818 | 1,449          | 958   | 314,088          | 244,948 |
| Rapeseed (MT)                     | 102            | 173    | 24,162           | 39,433    | 8              | 6     | 2,127            | 1,756   |
| Safflower seeds (MT)              | 32             | 28     | 11,936           | 6,467     | 0              | 0     | 18               | 32      |
| Soybeans (MT)                     | 22,993         | 24,536 | 4,485,087        | 4,686,616 | 1,368          | 901   | 266,750          | 176,919 |
| Sunflowerseeds (MT)               | 131            | 126    | 73,170           | 79,857    | 8              | 9     | 5,338            | 5,898   |
| Peanuts, incl oilstock (MT)       | 37             | 18     | 29,695           | 14,674    | 2              | 1     | 1,699            | 647     |
| Other oilseeds (MT)               | 382            | 507    | 93,492           | 125,557   | 54             | 27    | 12,469           | 7,448   |
| Protein substances (MT)           | 112            | 125    | 321,841          | 617,214   | 10             | 14    | 25,687           | 52,247  |
| Vegetable oils (MT)               | 1,845          | 1,755  | 1,162,727        | 994,232   | 165            | 160   | 98,142           | 94,035  |
| Soybean oil (MT)                  | 567            | 561    | 251,164          | 208,837   | 47             | 41    | 19,124           | 16,628  |
| Cottonseed oil (MT)               | 52             | 47     | 29,871           | 22,833    | 5              | 5     | 3,213            | 2,169   |
| Sunflower oil (MT)                | 254            | 234    | 134,372          | 106,301   | 32             | 22    | 13,389           | 11,056  |
| Corn oil (MT)                     | 362            | 333    | 221,626          | 163,572   | 30             | 32    | 16,149           | 15,576  |
| Peanut oil (MT)                   | 6              | 6      | 4,735            | 4,269     | 0              | 0     | 145              | 303     |
| Rapeseed oil (MT)                 | 110            | 72     | 47,285           | 27,094    | 9              | 14    | 3,046            | 5,708   |
| Safflower oil (MT)                | 15             | 9      | 16,589           | 9,782     | 2              | 2     | 2,029            | 1,932   |

Table 1--U.S. agricultural exports: Quantity and value by commodity

| Quantity and unit               | October-July   |       |                  |            | July           |      |                  |           |
|---------------------------------|----------------|-------|------------------|------------|----------------|------|------------------|-----------|
|                                 | Thousand units |       | Thousand dollars |            | Thousand units |      | Thousand dollars |           |
|                                 | 2000           | 2001  | 2000             | 2001       | 2000           | 2001 | 2000             | 2001      |
| Other veg oils & waxes (MT)     | 480            | 494   | 457,084          | 451,544    | 40             | 44   | 41,046           | 40,664    |
| Tobacco - unmfq (MT)            | 159            | 152   | 1,084,653        | 1,014,809  | 8              | 10   | 55,848           | 63,053    |
| Tobacco - light air-cured (MT)  | 37             | 33    | 302,840          | 280,559    | 2              | 2    | 15,018           | 13,375    |
| Tobacco - flue cured (MT)       | 74             | 68    | 539,942          | 507,603    | 3              | 5    | 23,601           | 37,403    |
| Other tobacco - unmfq (MT)      | 48             | 52    | 241,871          | 226,647    | 4              | 3    | 17,229           | 12,276    |
| Cotton, ex linters (MT)         | 1,307          | 1,306 | 1,585,341        | 1,704,118  | 104            | 153  | 136,264          | 179,399   |
| Cotton linters (MT)             | 59             | 29    | 19,339           | 12,508     | 6              | 2    | 2,026            | 671       |
| Essential oils (MT)             | 44             | 46    | 476,394          | 575,918    | 5              | 4    | 52,033           | 52,982    |
| Seeds - field & garden (MT)     | 616            | 623   | 686,007          | 632,242    | 31             | 44   | 49,666           | 42,084    |
| Sugar & tropical prods (NA)     | 0              | 0     | 1,281,249        | 1,548,936  | 0              | 0    | 121,957          | 162,027   |
| Sugar & related prods (NA)      | 0              | 0     | 516,849          | 543,171    | 0              | 0    | 51,139           | 53,207    |
| Sugar - cane or beet (MT)       | 103            | 84    | 34,231           | 32,220     | 6              | 9    | 2,745            | 3,357     |
| Related sugar prods (NA)        | 0              | 0     | 482,618          | 510,951    | 0              | 0    | 48,394           | 49,850    |
| Coffee (MT)                     | 50             | 49    | 209,523          | 213,512    | 5              | 4    | 23,090           | 19,299    |
| Cocoa (MT)                      | 41             | 44    | 87,904           | 85,538     | 3              | 5    | 6,114            | 9,574     |
| Chocolate & prep (MT)           | 97             | 166   | 280,820          | 496,308    | 9              | 21   | 25,045           | 61,738    |
| Tea & mate (MT)                 | 20             | 28    | 82,187           | 113,531    | 2              | 3    | 7,191            | 10,529    |
| Spices (MT)                     | 28             | 30    | 67,855           | 64,493     | 3              | 3    | 5,664            | 5,286     |
| Rubber - crude natural (MT)     | 21             | 18    | 34,521           | 29,399     | 3              | 1    | 3,519            | 2,250     |
| Fibers ex cotton (MT)           | 2              | 6     | 1,590            | 2,984      | 0              | 0    | 194              | 143       |
| Other misc veg prods (MT)       | 0              | 0     | 371,974          | 429,791    | 0              | 0    | 35,819           | 35,362    |
| Nursery & greenhouse prods (NA) | 0              | 0     | 246,736          | 244,893    | 0              | 0    | 14,523           | 13,193    |
| Beverages ex juices (NA)        | 0              | 0     | 636,791          | 701,083    | 0              | 0    | 62,420           | 82,814    |
| Selected non-ag exports (NA)    | 0              | 0     | 11,480,323       | 11,170,222 | 0              | 0    | 1,181,541        | 1,049,190 |
| Fertilizers (MT)                | 8              | 22    | 2,077,150        | 1,754,469  | 1              | 1    | 200,461          | 189,444   |
| Nitrogen (MT)                   | 5              | 19    | 2,070,339        | 1,747,647  | 1              | 1    | 199,615          | 188,215   |
| Phosphate (MT)                  | 3              | 3     | 6,810            | 6,822      | 0              | 1    | 846              | 1,228     |
| Fish & shellfish (MT)           | 0              | 0     | 2,318,600        | 2,486,048  | 0              | 0    | 311,927          | 306,375   |
| Fish - fr or prep (MT)          | 0              | 0     | 1,275,855        | 1,338,240  | 0              | 0    | 203,603          | 224,689   |
| Shellfish (MT)                  | 0              | 0     | 628,984          | 618,282    | 0              | 0    | 71,380           | 49,354    |
| Other fish prods (MT)           | 201            | 219   | 413,762          | 529,527    | 17             | 20   | 36,945           | 32,332    |
| Aq chemicals (MT)               | 240            | 379   | 1,385,919        | 1,433,689  | 20             | 44   | 129,099          | 133,261   |
| Fungicides (MT)                 | 25             | 27    | 134,457          | 132,215    | 3              | 2    | 12,426           | 10,018    |
| Herbicides (MT)                 | 128            | 108   | 707,977          | 703,006    | 9              | 11   | 60,331           | 65,402    |
| Insecticides (MT)               | 51             | 208   | 337,147          | 336,870    | 5              | 27   | 33,009           | 28,937    |
| Other pesticides (MT)           | 36             | 37    | 206,338          | 261,598    | 4              | 4    | 23,332           | 28,904    |
| Farm machinery (NA)             | 0              | 0     | 2,578,371        | 2,543,512  | 0              | 0    | 251,565          | 266,465   |
| Tractors & self-prop mach (NO)  | 35             | 34    | 933,067          | 865,701    | 3              | 3    | 102,175          | 119,236   |
| Other ag machinery & parts (NA) | 0              | 0     | 1,645,304        | 1,677,811  | 0              | 0    | 149,390          | 147,229   |
| Tobacco - mfg (NA)              | 0              | 0     | 3,120,284        | 2,952,504  | 0              | 0    | 288,488          | 153,645   |

Table contains preliminary data. NA = Not available. Zeros in quantity columns indicate none or less than 500 units.

Table 2--Top 10 U.S. export markets in fiscal years 2000 and 2001 (metric tons)

| Wheat          | Oct-Jul    | Oct-Jul    | Jul 2001  | Corn               | Oct-Jul    | Oct-Jul    | Jul 2001  |
|----------------|------------|------------|-----------|--------------------|------------|------------|-----------|
|                | 1999/2000  | 2000/2001  |           |                    | 1999/2000  | 2000/2001  |           |
| Egypt          | 3,754,226  | 2,696,762  | 118,426   | Japan              | 12,501,201 | 11,656,263 | 998,274   |
| Japan          | 2,589,848  | 2,462,425  | 103,120   | Mexico             | 3,636,659  | 4,426,838  | 269,186   |
| Mexico         | 1,483,126  | 1,693,360  | 179,486   | China (Taiwan)     | 4,413,531  | 4,016,600  | 423,358   |
| Philippines    | 1,690,770  | 1,584,490  | 149,349   | Egypt              | 2,771,560  | 3,081,722  | 781,917   |
| Nigeria        | 932,672    | 1,252,738  | 167,147   | South Korea        | 2,176,646  | 2,213,016  | 489,425   |
| South Korea    | 1,383,556  | 1,195,811  | 132,296   | Canada             | 687,059    | 2,145,763  | 298,792   |
| European Union | 1,204,508  | 844,915    | 125,197   | Colombia           | 1,614,644  | 1,406,689  | 182,090   |
| China (Taiwan) | 906,221    | 781,398    | 54,008    | Algeria            | 850,519    | 987,798    | 69,798    |
| Indonesia      | 273,381    | 682,940    | 0         | Venezuela          | 886,862    | 910,875    | 212,543   |
| Colombia       | 512,072    | 497,634    | 34,235    | Dominican Republic | 836,973    | 853,747    | 98,320    |
| World          | 21,863,349 | 20,476,608 | 1,762,351 | World              | 39,488,861 | 38,366,757 | 4,645,358 |

| Soybeans         | Oct-Jul    | Oct-Jul    | Jul 2001 | Cotton         | Oct-Jul   | Oct-Jul   | Jul 2001 |
|------------------|------------|------------|----------|----------------|-----------|-----------|----------|
|                  | 1999/2000  | 2000/2001  |          |                | 1999/2000 | 2000/2001 |          |
| European Union   | 6,587,475  | 5,678,797  | 90       | Mexico         | 294,853   | 324,545   | 46,817   |
| China (Mainland) | 3,543,243  | 5,220,968  | 0        | Turkey         | 167,630   | 126,469   | 12,071   |
| Mexico           | 2,863,096  | 3,232,409  | 288,456  | Indonesia      | 116,195   | 109,776   | 10,813   |
| Japan            | 3,147,437  | 3,054,114  | 188,795  | South Korea    | 60,782    | 96,853    | 9,049    |
| China (Taiwan)   | 1,724,512  | 1,628,355  | 135,073  | India          | 21,045    | 76,380    | 23,275   |
| Indonesia        | 882,224    | 1,045,716  | 107,062  | China (Taiwan) | 97,823    | 75,669    | 7,994    |
| South Korea      | 1,121,932  | 903,405    | 57,314   | Japan          | 85,952    | 66,531    | 6,379    |
| Thailand         | 654,598    | 627,405    | 100      | Canada         | 47,692    | 59,799    | 2,819    |
| Israel           | 435,814    | 429,054    | 0        | Hong Kong      | 66,029    | 55,967    | 2,455    |
| Turkey           | 249,872    | 301,002    | 26,987   | Thailand       | 54,235    | 46,533    | 6,084    |
| World            | 22,993,127 | 24,535,901 | 901,121  | World          | 1,306,761 | 1,305,652 | 152,505  |

Table 3--U.S. agricultural imports: Quantity and value by commodity

| Quantity and unit                | October-July   |        |                  |            | July           |       |                  |           |
|----------------------------------|----------------|--------|------------------|------------|----------------|-------|------------------|-----------|
|                                  | Thousand units |        | Thousand dollars |            | Thousand units |       | Thousand dollars |           |
|                                  | 2000           | 2001   | 2000             | 2001       | 2000           | 2001  | 2000             | 2001      |
| Total agricultural imports (NA)  | 0              | 0      | 32,834,803       | 32,826,839 | 0              | 0     | 2,990,885        | 3,223,363 |
| Noncompetitive ag imports (NA)   | 0              | 0      | 6,860,129        | 5,568,591  | 0              | 0     | 614,101          | 578,866   |
| Bananas & plantains (MT)         | 3,710          | 3,453  | 957,048          | 969,246    | 411            | 349   | 104,273          | 103,436   |
| Coffee, incl prods (MT)          | 1,206          | 1,031  | 2,537,424        | 1,519,320  | 114            | 112   | 221,305          | 154,995   |
| Cocoa & prods (MT)               | 890            | 743    | 1,232,569        | 1,119,328  | 70             | 80    | 101,215          | 122,045   |
| Tea (MT)                         | 144            | 139    | 212,198          | 220,046    | 14             | 16    | 22,756           | 24,341    |
| Spices (MT)                      | 134            | 132    | 421,637          | 425,704    | 14             | 13    | 44,888           | 41,307    |
| Rubber & allied gums-crude(MT)   | 1,067          | 876    | 713,731          | 564,164    | 69             | 103   | 45,952           | 60,437    |
| Silk - raw (MT)                  | 0              | 0      | 118              | 165        | 0              | 0     | 8                | 42        |
| Wool, unmfq - carpet (MT)        | 9              | 10     | 19,045           | 22,291     | 1              | 1     | 1,796            | 2,365     |
| Fibers, excl cotton (MT)         | 70             | 63     | 32,491           | 27,481     | 8              | 6     | 3,287            | 2,484     |
| Essential oils (NA)              | 0              | 0      | 273,890          | 258,618    | 0              | 0     | 25,142           | 26,334    |
| Drugs - crude natural (MT)       | 58             | 57     | 459,978          | 442,229    | 5              | 5     | 43,480           | 41,078    |
| Competitive ag imports (NA)      | 0              | 0      | 25,974,674       | 27,258,248 | 0              | 0     | 2,376,784        | 2,644,498 |
| Animals & prods (NA)             | 0              | 0      | 6,804,804        | 7,527,615  | 0              | 0     | 659,346          | 781,151   |
| Animals-live, ex poultry (NO)    | 0              | 0      | 1,484,235        | 1,871,363  | 0              | 0     | 96,405           | 146,407   |
| Cattle and calves (NO)           | 1,859          | 2,172  | 933,174          | 1,219,812  | 84             | 135   | 54,059           | 98,493    |
| Horses, mules, burros (NO)       | 228            | 35     | 319,545          | 365,812    | 4              | 10    | 16,444           | 16,211    |
| Swine (NO)                       | 3,455          | 4,101  | 220,253          | 273,977    | 345            | 456   | 25,344           | 31,090    |
| Sheep, live (NO)                 | 43             | 73     | 4,454            | 7,629      | 3              | 4     | 340              | 289       |
| Other live animals (NO)          | 0              | 0      | 6,808            | 4,134      | 0              | 0     | 219              | 323       |
| Meats & prods, ex poultry (MT)   | 0              | 0      | 3,077,791        | 3,366,460  | 0              | 0     | 335,870          | 396,035   |
| Beef & veal (MT)                 | 847            | 871    | 1,985,228        | 2,173,415  | 93             | 100   | 219,074          | 256,587   |
| Beef & veal - fr or froz (MT)    | 784            | 812    | 1,821,334        | 2,011,677  | 86             | 94    | 200,906          | 239,579   |
| Beef & veal - prep or pres (MT)  | 63             | 60     | 163,893          | 161,738    | 7              | 6     | 18,168           | 17,009    |
| Pork (MT)                        | 335            | 324    | 794,296          | 843,398    | 32             | 36    | 84,708           | 103,865   |
| Pork - fr or froz (MT)           | 259            | 259    | 542,289          | 615,486    | 24             | 30    | 59,220           | 80,483    |
| Pork - prep or pres (MT)         | 76             | 65     | 252,007          | 227,912    | 7              | 6     | 25,488           | 23,382    |
| Mutton, goat & lamb (MT)         | 49             | 59     | 170,445          | 205,541    | 5              | 6     | 15,993           | 21,214    |
| Horsemeat - fr or froz (MT)      | 0              | 0      | 12               | 28         | 0              | 0     | 0                | 0         |
| Variety meats - fr or froz (MT)  | 45             | 51     | 83,354           | 87,882     | 6              | 5     | 10,864           | 9,260     |
| Other meats - fr or froz (MT)    | 2              | 4      | 14,791           | 21,476     | 0              | 0     | 1,061            | 1,338     |
| Other meats & prods (MT)         | 8              | 10     | 29,666           | 34,721     | 1              | 1     | 4,170            | 3,771     |
| Poultry and prods (NA)           | 0              | 0      | 239,021          | 218,862    | 0              | 0     | 32,505           | 21,942    |
| Poultry - live (NA)              | 10,295         | 11,047 | 19,404           | 21,353     | 1,139          | 1,490 | 2,238            | 2,530     |
| Poultry meat (MT)                | 13             | 18     | 38,810           | 56,096     | 2              | 2     | 4,933            | 5,260     |
| Eggs (NA)                        | 0              | 0      | 15,959           | 14,590     | 0              | 0     | 1,824            | 2,036     |
| Feathers & down - crude (MT)     | 23             | 20     | 164,848          | 126,824    | 3              | 2     | 23,510           | 12,116    |
| Dairy products (NA)              | 0              | 0      | 1,358,653        | 1,420,050  | 0              | 0     | 135,855          | 153,509   |
| Milk & cream, fr or dried (MT)   | 0              | 0      | 31,833           | 36,090     | 0              | 0     | 2,014            | 2,419     |
| Butter & butterfat mixtures (MT) | 17             | 35     | 25,915           | 58,653     | 3              | 7     | 4,980            | 11,838    |
| Cheese (MT)                      | 162            | 161    | 577,443          | 586,165    | 15             | 19    | 52,892           | 67,531    |
| Casein & mixtures (MT)           | 99             | 90     | 384,247          | 430,661    | 10             | 9     | 40,509           | 40,054    |
| Other dairy prods (NA)           | 0              | 0      | 339,215          | 308,480    | 0              | 0     | 35,460           | 31,667    |
| Fats, oils, & greases (MT)       | 92             | 87     | 59,980           | 52,236     | 9              | 11    | 5,615            | 5,739     |
| Hides & skins (NA)               | 0              | 0      | 142,153          | 147,992    | 0              | 0     | 9,920            | 10,742    |
| Sheep & lamb skins (MT)          | 1              | 1      | 3,786            | 4,561      | 0              | 0     | 136              | 471       |
| Other hides & skins (NA)         | 0              | 0      | 86,087           | 84,856     | 0              | 0     | 7,317            | 8,544     |
| Furskins (NA)                    | 4,506          | 4,358  | 52,280           | 58,575     | 239            | 226   | 2,467            | 1,726     |
| Wool-unmfq, apparel grade(MT)    | 12             | 9      | 35,972           | 25,351     | 1              | 1     | 3,069            | 2,793     |
| Sausage casings (MT)             | 10             | 11     | 50,693           | 49,537     | 1              | 1     | 5,069            | 4,875     |
| Bull semen (NA)                  | 0              | 0      | 15,962           | 14,301     | 0              | 0     | 1,228            | 964       |
| Misc animal prods (NA)           | 0              | 0      | 340,344          | 361,463    | 0              | 0     | 33,808           | 38,145    |
| Grains & feeds (MT)              | 0              | 0      | 2,513,751        | 2,615,776  | 0              | 0     | 249,279          | 270,782   |
| Wheat, ex seed (MT)              | 1,472          | 1,631  | 181,654          | 213,107    | 162            | 208   | 19,724           | 30,029    |
| Corn, unmilled (MT)              | 215            | 86     | 22,852           | 11,222     | 23             | 9     | 2,209            | 1,071     |
| Oats, unmilled (MT)              | 1,250          | 1,420  | 107,084          | 120,903    | 133            | 168   | 10,839           | 14,995    |
| Barley, unmilled (MT)            | 571            | 575    | 76,401           | 73,059     | 71             | 51    | 8,998            | 6,825     |
| Rice (MT)                        | 278            | 297    | 155,500          | 149,760    | 22             | 39    | 13,059           | 14,175    |
| Biscuits & wafers (MT)           | 330            | 370    | 738,989          | 788,826    | 33             | 37    | 74,094           | 77,934    |
| Pasta & noodles (MT)             | 242            | 241    | 237,279          | 215,450    | 23             | 25    | 23,225           | 22,067    |
| Other grains & preps (NA)        | 0              | 0      | 589,876          | 627,818    | 0              | 0     | 52,544           | 62,194    |
| Feeds & foddere, ex oilcake(MT)  | 1,055          | 1,036  | 404,116          | 415,630    | 102            | 97    | 44,588           | 41,493    |
| Fruits & preps (MT)              | 3,364          | 3,388  | 2,340,177        | 2,502,246  | 220            | 241   | 157,323          | 189,525   |
| Fruits - fr or froz (MT)         | 2,750          | 2,784  | 1,777,985        | 1,950,940  | 152            | 179   | 96,559           | 132,819   |
| Apples, fresh (MT)               | 154            | 146    | 83,819           | 87,613     | 27             | 26    | 14,414           | 15,669    |
| Avocados (MT)                    | 44             | 60     | 63,392           | 77,924     | 0              | 0     | 410              | 438       |
| Berries, excl strawberries (MT)  | 66             | 68     | 101,860          | 104,843    | 7              | 8     | 10,114           | 13,464    |
| Citrus, fresh (MT)               | 284            | 318    | 172,388          | 197,804    | 38             | 44    | 25,251           | 28,859    |
| Grapes, fresh (MT)               | 449            | 417    | 517,310          | 579,679    | 1              | 7     | 846              | 18,684    |
| Kiwi fruit, fresh (MT)           | 38             | 45     | 27,248           | 26,512     | 3              | 6     | 2,325            | 3,336     |
| Mangoes (MT)                     | 215            | 192    | 133,209          | 127,693    | 32             | 41    | 15,349           | 24,170    |
| Melons (MT)                      | 900            | 877    | 261,333          | 286,496    | 0              | 1     | 230              | 678       |
| Peaches (MT)                     | 43             | 54     | 38,020           | 45,968     | 0              | 0     | 0                | 0         |
| Pears (MT)                       | 89             | 84     | 76,518           | 78,472     | 0              | 0     | 619              | 120       |
| Pineapples, fresh/frozen (MT)    | 261            | 300    | 97,442           | 134,012    | 28             | 30    | 13,236           | 14,774    |
| Plums (MT)                       | 23             | 33     | 22,771           | 28,948     | 0              | 0     | 19               | 16        |
| Strawberries, fresh or froz (MT) | 70             | 60     | 81,939           | 70,289     | 2              | 3     | 1,863            | 2,171     |
| Other fruits, fresh or froz (MT) | 114            | 129    | 100,735          | 104,688    | 14             | 13    | 11,884           | 10,441    |
| Fruits - prep or pres (MT)       | 615            | 604    | 562,191          | 551,305    | 69             | 62    | 60,763           | 56,705    |
| Pineapples - can. or prep.(MT)   | 268            | 223    | 162,720          | 129,510    | 31             | 22    | 18,761           | 12,119    |
| Other fruits - prep or pres (MT) | 347            | 381    | 399,472          | 421,795    | 37             | 39    | 42,002           | 44,586    |
| Fruit juices (HL)                | 27,358         | 24,400 | 667,121          | 545,569    | 2,544          | 2,468 | 64,085           | 51,316    |
| Apple juice (HL)                 | 9,865          | 10,199 | 233,838          | 195,561    | 896            | 1,199 | 23,883           | 20,072    |
| Grape juice (HL)                 | 1,576          | 1,258  | 65,761           | 40,772     | 115            | 117   | 4,214            | 3,284     |
| Grapefruit juice (HL)            | 186            | 34     | 4,372            | 1,258      | 1              | 1     | 65               | 51        |
| Lemon juice (HL)                 | 600            | 608    | 10,791           | 12,939     | 200            | 61    | 4,422            | 1,455     |
| Lime juice (HL)                  | 179            | 117    | 4,395            | 3,326      | 58             | 20    | 1,024            | 531       |

Table 3--U.S. agricultural imports: Quantity and value by commodity

| Quantity and unit                 | October-July   |        |                  |           | July           |       |                  |         |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|--------|------------------|-----------|----------------|-------|------------------|---------|
|                                   | Thousand units |        | Thousand dollars |           | Thousand units |       | Thousand dollars |         |
|                                   | 2000           | 2001   | 2000             | 2001      | 2000           | 2001  | 2000             | 2001    |
| Orange juice (HL)                 | 11,079         | 8,268  | 211,708          | 158,827   | 894            | 650   | 16,879           | 11,629  |
| Pineapple juice (HL)              | 2,122          | 2,206  | 49,210           | 61,727    | 189            | 219   | 4,432            | 5,659   |
| Other fruit juice (HL)            | 1,750          | 1,710  | 87,046           | 71,161    | 192            | 202   | 9,167            | 8,635   |
| Nuts & preps (MT)                 | 207            | 220    | 662,068          | 550,613   | 18             | 20    | 57,140           | 48,298  |
| Brazil nuts (MT)                  | 10             | 8      | 21,628           | 15,747    | 1              | 1     | 3,289            | 1,955   |
| Cashew nuts (MT)                  | 70             | 67     | 406,746          | 300,350   | 7              | 7     | 37,648           | 31,200  |
| Chestnuts (MT)                    | 4              | 4      | 9,782            | 9,234     | 0              | 0     | 126              | 95      |
| Coconut meat (MT)                 | 66             | 65     | 61,112           | 47,905    | 6              | 8     | 5,329            | 5,597   |
| Filberts (MT)                     | 5              | 5      | 20,108           | 18,797    | 0              | 0     | 1,173            | 1,699   |
| Macadamia nuts (MT)               | 4              | 4      | 26,232           | 23,556    | 0              | 0     | 2,297            | 2,188   |
| Pecans (MT)                       | 16             | 25     | 52,977           | 60,537    | 1              | 0     | 2,310            | 199     |
| Pistachio nuts (MT)               | 0              | 1      | 1,355            | 2,789     | 0              | 0     | 58               | 404     |
| Other nuts (MT)                   | 30             | 40     | 62,127           | 71,698    | 2              | 3     | 4,909            | 4,963   |
| Vegetables & preps (NA)           | 0              | 0      | 4,018,780        | 4,425,421 | 0              | 0     | 332,643          | 372,099 |
| Vegetables - fr or froz (MT)      | 3,319          | 3,519  | 2,378,985        | 2,728,157 | 205            | 230   | 175,960          | 192,556 |
| Tomatoes (MT)                     | 643            | 793    | 535,392          | 681,939   | 47             | 50    | 50,750           | 47,951  |
| Asparagus, fresh or frozen(MT)    | 60             | 60     | 98,841           | 105,006   | 6              | 6     | 9,100            | 11,267  |
| Beans, fresh or frozen (MT)       | 35             | 37     | 40,666           | 45,169    | 2              | 1     | 1,809            | 1,579   |
| Cabbage (MT)                      | 26             | 48     | 7,068            | 13,024    | 5              | 5     | 1,204            | 1,454   |
| Carrots, fresh or frozen (MT)     | 64             | 79     | 18,309           | 23,435    | 4              | 6     | 1,387            | 2,314   |
| Cauliflower & broccoli, fr/fz(MT) | 197            | 211    | 130,200          | 142,086   | 15             | 15    | 10,095           | 11,178  |
| Celery, fresh (MT)                | 25             | 30     | 8,341            | 11,519    | 0              | 0     | 83               | 158     |
| Cucumbers (MT)                    | 321            | 348    | 154,092          | 183,281   | 12             | 14    | 8,082            | 11,484  |
| Eggplant (MT)                     | 38             | 39     | 23,285           | 28,592    | 0              | 0     | 176              | 308     |
| Endive, fresh (MT)                | 2              | 2      | 3,891            | 4,016     | 0              | 0     | 311              | 335     |
| Garlic (MT)                       | 24             | 32     | 22,576           | 34,633    | 2              | 3     | 2,405            | 3,347   |
| Lettuce (MT)                      | 18             | 22     | 12,891           | 15,370    | 4              | 6     | 2,005            | 2,921   |
| Okra, fresh or frozen (MT)        | 19             | 20     | 9,934            | 10,606    | 2              | 3     | 844              | 1,258   |
| Onions (MT)                       | 203            | 234    | 121,353          | 153,291   | 8              | 8     | 4,612            | 5,640   |
| Peas, incl chickpeas (MT)         | 35             | 33     | 34,585           | 30,047    | 3              | 3     | 2,535            | 1,904   |
| Peppers (MT)                      | 297            | 293    | 403,289          | 455,203   | 17             | 18    | 28,892           | 31,943  |
| Potatoes, fresh or frozen (MT)    | 806            | 711    | 376,741          | 352,106   | 51             | 60    | 31,912           | 32,674  |
| Radishes, fresh (MT)              | 14             | 15     | 11,754           | 11,966    | 0              | 0     | 269              | 248     |
| Squash (MT)                       | 152            | 163    | 108,731          | 137,597   | 2              | 2     | 1,482            | 2,001   |
| Other veqs - fr or froz (MT)      | 339            | 349    | 257,047          | 289,271   | 22             | 26    | 18,006           | 22,592  |
| Vegetables-prep/pres (NA)         | 0              | 0      | 1,639,795        | 1,697,264 | 0              | 0     | 156,684          | 179,543 |
| Bamboo shoots, presvd.(MT)        | 20             | 25     | 12,594           | 14,454    | 1              | 2     | 680              | 888     |
| Bean cake, miso (MT)              | 6              | 6      | 12,995           | 13,038    | 1              | 1     | 1,260            | 1,130   |
| Cucumbers, preserved (MT)         | 44             | 38     | 24,018           | 23,805    | 3              | 2     | 1,890            | 1,625   |
| Garlic, dried (MT)                | 15             | 17     | 8,617            | 9,130     | 2              | 2     | 1,221            | 894     |
| Olives - prep or pres (MT)        | 76             | 93     | 154,502          | 167,252   | 9              | 11    | 16,268           | 19,683  |
| Mushrooms, canned (MT)            | 55             | 51     | 106,575          | 94,457    | 6              | 6     | 11,078           | 10,680  |
| Mushrooms, dried (MT)             | 3              | 2      | 20,246           | 14,649    | 0              | 0     | 1,743            | 922     |
| Onions, preserved (MT)            | 2              | 2      | 3,383            | 3,450     | 0              | 0     | 119              | 261     |
| Hops, incl extract (MT)           | 5              | 4      | 28,707           | 21,282    | 0              | 0     | 352              | 1,038   |
| Artichokes - prep (MT)            | 27             | 31     | 51,320           | 46,856    | 5              | 5     | 8,934            | 7,124   |
| Asparagus - prep (MT)             | 1              | 1      | 2,244            | 1,838     | 0              | 0     | 238              | 360     |
| Tomatoes, in. paste/sauce(MT)     | 49             | 77     | 60,126           | 73,086    | 3              | 9     | 4,786            | 6,570   |
| Waterchestnuts (MT)               | 33             | 30     | 18,305           | 15,118    | 2              | 3     | 1,464            | 1,712   |
| Beans & peas, dried (MT)          | 65             | 72     | 35,884           | 41,563    | 6              | 6     | 3,530            | 3,738   |
| Mustard (MT)                      | 14             | 18     | 13,780           | 14,606    | 1              | 2     | 1,184            | 1,522   |
| Peppers & pimentos, prep (MT)     | 21             | 23     | 24,842           | 25,104    | 3              | 3     | 2,971            | 3,035   |
| Sov sauce (MT)                    | 34             | 39     | 35,345           | 38,384    | 4              | 4     | 4,154            | 3,816   |
| Starches, ex. wheat & corn (MT)   | 161            | 136    | 81,510           | 66,767    | 17             | 11    | 7,846            | 5,848   |
| Soups & sauces (MT)               | 188            | 196    | 262,689          | 284,367   | 15             | 18    | 21,806           | 26,304  |
| Vinegar (HL)                      | 298            | 319    | 34,130           | 38,009    | 32             | 39    | 3,660            | 4,855   |
| Yeasts (MT)                       | 48             | 58     | 53,567           | 63,372    | 5              | 6     | 6,023            | 7,048   |
| Oth. vegetables-prep/pres (NA)    | 0              | 0      | 594,417          | 626,680   | 0              | 0     | 55,477           | 70,489  |
| Sugar & related prods (NA)        | 0              | 0      | 1,216,024        | 1,295,277 | 0              | 0     | 124,682          | 154,635 |
| Sugar - cane & beet (MT)          | 1,010          | 1,022  | 358,463          | 390,752   | 118            | 125   | 32,538           | 51,712  |
| Molasses (HL)                     | 6,796          | 8,508  | 44,969           | 79,138    | 256            | 995   | 2,726            | 12,463  |
| Confectionery prods (MT)          | 262            | 287    | 614,137          | 629,446   | 28             | 34    | 68,291           | 72,340  |
| Oth. sugar & related prods (MT)   | 436            | 387    | 198,454          | 195,943   | 44             | 34    | 21,126           | 18,120  |
| Spices (MT)                       | 41             | 43     | 58,259           | 57,894    | 4              | 4     | 5,860            | 6,402   |
| Tobacco - unmfq (MT)              | 183            | 175    | 527,659          | 546,016   | 12             | 17    | 34,986           | 44,752  |
| Tobacco - filler (MT)             | 150            | 155    | 497,369          | 503,203   | 10             | 15    | 31,088           | 42,308  |
| Tobacco - scrap (MT)              | 31             | 19     | 13,210           | 10,727    | 2              | 1     | 646              | 707     |
| Other tobacco (MT)                | 1              | 1      | 17,080           | 32,085    | 0              | 0     | 3,252            | 1,737   |
| Beverages, ex fruit juices (HL)   | 0              | 0      | 3,859,938        | 4,146,487 | 0              | 0     | 423,681          | 461,686 |
| Wine (HL)                         | 3,741          | 4,015  | 1,850,739        | 1,871,395 | 345            | 425   | 166,931          | 192,619 |
| Malt beverages (HL)               | 18,588         | 20,722 | 1,726,603        | 1,910,571 | 2,350          | 2,389 | 216,025          | 219,834 |
| Other beverages (HL)              | 0              | 0      | 282,595          | 364,521   | 0              | 0     | 40,725           | 49,232  |
| Oilseeds & prods (MT)             | 3,406          | 3,444  | 1,605,599        | 1,435,586 | 409            | 422   | 157,557          | 158,690 |
| Oilseeds & oilnuts (MT)           | 912            | 814    | 271,882          | 243,258   | 165            | 168   | 28,827           | 30,078  |
| Flaxseed (MT)                     | 132            | 45     | 27,326           | 11,263    | 14             | 4     | 2,689            | 1,208   |
| Mustard seeds (MT)                | 46             | 42     | 14,063           | 11,561    | 4              | 4     | 1,178            | 1,079   |
| Rapeseed (MT)                     | 272            | 237    | 58,515           | 51,390    | 27             | 41    | 4,284            | 8,439   |
| Sesameseed (MT)                   | 43             | 40     | 48,977           | 40,716    | 4              | 4     | 3,977            | 3,435   |
| Soybeans (MT)                     | 102            | 86     | 23,151           | 22,726    | 11             | 11    | 2,242            | 2,522   |
| Sunflower seeds (MT)              | 35             | 55     | 9,677            | 13,590    | 4              | 8     | 1,141            | 1,746   |
| Other oilseeds & oilnuts (MT)     | 281            | 310    | 90,173           | 92,011    | 101            | 96    | 13,316           | 11,650  |
| Oils & waxes-vegetable (MT)       | 1,491          | 1,627  | 1,207,350        | 1,061,465 | 154            | 184   | 116,720          | 118,315 |
| Castor oil (MT)                   | 39             | 38     | 36,805           | 26,784    | 5              | 0     | 4,842            | 145     |
| Coconut oil (MT)                  | 348            | 437    | 219,890          | 161,282   | 31             | 44    | 15,809           | 14,449  |
| Cottonseed oil (MT)               | 4              | 0      | 1,805            | 52        | 0              | 0     | 12               | 0       |
| Olive oil (MT)                    | 156            | 180    | 351,084          | 329,551   | 16             | 25    | 32,693           | 42,315  |
| Palm oil (MT)                     | 142            | 146    | 45,718           | 45,451    | 17             | 21    | 5,742            | 5,681   |
| Palm kernel oil (MT)              | 162            | 133    | 108,874          | 61,656    | 21             | 14    | 13,035           | 6,040   |

Table 3--U.S. agricultural imports: Quantity and value by commodity

| Quantity and unit               | October-July   |        |                  |            | July           |       |                  |           |
|---------------------------------|----------------|--------|------------------|------------|----------------|-------|------------------|-----------|
|                                 | Thousand units |        | Thousand dollars |            | Thousand units |       | Thousand dollars |           |
|                                 | 2000           | 2001   | 2000             | 2001       | 2000           | 2001  | 2000             | 2001      |
| Peanut oil (MT)                 | 1              | 30     | 2,158            | 20,607     | 0              | 0     | 185              | 339       |
| Rapeseed oil (MT)               | 438            | 448    | 202,377          | 172,358    | 43             | 56    | 19,020           | 22,796    |
| Soybean oil (MT)                | 32             | 29     | 15,676           | 12,425     | 3              | 2     | 1,440            | 907       |
| Sesame oil (MT)                 | 7              | 7      | 21,044           | 21,344     | 1              | 1     | 2,063            | 2,214     |
| Other vegetable oils (MT)       | 162            | 177    | 201,918          | 209,956    | 16             | 21    | 21,880           | 23,429    |
| Oilcake & meal (MT)             | 1,004          | 1,003  | 126,368          | 130,863    | 90             | 70    | 12,010           | 10,297    |
| Cotton, excl linters (MT)       | 11             | 3      | 21,970           | 5,750      | 0              | 0     | 755              | 165       |
| Cotton linters (MT)             | 20             | 41     | 4,467            | 15,052     | 3              | 2     | 672              | 696       |
| Seeds - field & garden (MT)     | 413            | 271    | 439,692          | 383,666    | 8              | 15    | 21,651           | 25,303    |
| Cut flowers (NA)                | 0              | 0      | 552,562          | 509,622    | 0              | 0     | 39,346           | 30,192    |
| Nursery stock, bulbs, etc. (NA) | 0              | 0      | 430,871          | 467,727    | 0              | 0     | 26,574           | 26,917    |
| Other vegetable prods (MT)      | 0              | 0      | 250,933          | 227,929    | 0              | 0     | 21,205           | 21,888    |
| Selected non-ag imports (NA)    | 0              | 0      | 14,421,245       | 15,478,386 | 0              | 0     | 1,545,465        | 1,412,867 |
| Fertilizers (MT)                | 21,201         | 25,677 | 2,354,877        | 3,186,316  | 1,507          | 1,622 | 202,443          | 191,056   |
| Potassium (MT)                  | 7,880          | 7,657  | 637,105          | 608,535    | 544            | 401   | 48,179           | 35,478    |
| Nitrogen (MT)                   | 7,976          | 12,294 | 1,086,192        | 1,829,207  | 551            | 786   | 90,637           | 97,254    |
| Phosphate (MT)                  | 5,334          | 5,717  | 624,977          | 741,479    | 411            | 434   | 63,317           | 57,840    |
| Fish (MT)                       | 0              | 0      | 7,788,826        | 8,017,020  | 0              | 0     | 944,361          | 867,689   |
| Fish fresh or prep (MT)         | 0              | 0      | 3,199,146        | 3,161,857  | 0              | 0     | 311,135          | 314,482   |
| Shellfish (MT)                  | 499            | 524    | 4,531,295        | 4,785,896  | 65             | 67    | 624,518          | 541,468   |
| Fish prods, other (MT)          | 44             | 46     | 58,385           | 69,267     | 8              | 4     | 8,708            | 11,739    |
| Ag chemicals (MT)               | 123            | 126    | 844,524          | 1,008,180  | 9              | 7     | 60,185           | 54,174    |
| Fungicides (MT)                 | 33             | 28     | 159,196          | 170,941    | 3              | 3     | 12,963           | 15,661    |
| Herbicides (MT)                 | 28             | 44     | 259,841          | 369,984    | 1              | 2     | 12,993           | 9,476     |
| Insecticides (MT)               | 21             | 18     | 107,820          | 195,134    | 1              | 1     | 6,140            | 12,565    |
| Other pesticides (MT)           | 40             | 36     | 317,666          | 272,121    | 4              | 2     | 28,090           | 16,472    |
| Farm machinery (NA)             | 0              | 0      | 3,039,416        | 2,886,552  | 0              | 0     | 293,233          | 258,983   |
| Tractors & self-prop mach (NO)  | 7,491          | 6,630  | 1,517,313        | 1,346,340  | 491            | 343   | 147,915          | 133,321   |
| Other ag mach & parts (NA)      | 0              | 0      | 1,522,103        | 1,540,211  | 0              | 0     | 145,318          | 125,662   |
| Tobacco - mfg (NA)              | 14             | 15     | 393,602          | 380,319    | 1              | 2     | 45,243           | 40,964    |

Table contains preliminary data. NA = Not available. Zeros in quantity columns indicate none or less than 500 units.

Table 4--Summary of U.S. agricultural trade (million \$)

| Item   | Jun.  | Jul.  | Year-to-date | % Change |
|--|-------|-------|--------------|----------|
| Exports  | 4,092 | 3,939 | 44,602       | 5        |
| Imports (c.i.f.)                               | 3,482 | 3,467 | 35,582       | 0        |
| Imports (customs value)                        | 3,245 | 3,223 | 32,827       | 0        |
| Trade Balance:                                 |       |       |              |          |
| Exports less c.i.f. imports                    | 609   | 472   | 9,020        | 30       |
| Exports less customs-val. imports              | 847   | 715   | 11,776       | 21       |
| Exports by major commodity group               |       |       |              |          |
| Live animals                                   | 31    | 59    | 741          | 21       |
| Meat & poultry                                 | 652   | 611   | 6,202        | 0        |
| Dairy prod & eggs                              | 107   | 103   | 1,100        | 13       |
| Hides & skins                                  | 200   | 175   | 1,641        | 36       |
| Wheat  | 214   | 230   | 2,638        | -2       |
| Rice   | 44    | 42    | 633          | -20      |
| Corn   | 353   | 412   | 3,584        | -5       |
| Other feed grains                              | 51    | 31    | 627          | 13       |
| Animal feeds                                   | 319   | 293   | 3,531        | 13       |
| Soybeans                                       | 207   | 177   | 4,687        | 4        |
| Vegetable oils                                 | 92    | 94    | 994          | -14      |
| Fruits & nuts                                  | 408   | 399   | 4,006        | 7        |
| Vegetables                                     | 387   | 352   | 3,843        | 2        |
| Cotton & linters                               | 203   | 180   | 1,717        | 7        |
| Tobacco, unmf.                                 | 72    | 63    | 1,015        | -6       |
| Seeds & nursery                                | 54    | 55    | 877          | -6       |
| Imports customs value by major commodity group |       |       |              |          |
| Live animals                                   | 148   | 149   | 1,893        | 26       |
| Meat & poultry                                 | 392   | 401   | 3,423        | 10       |
| Dairy prod. & eggs                             | 180   | 156   | 1,435        | 4        |
| Grains & feeds                                 | 263   | 281   | 2,747        | 4        |
| Fruits & nuts                                  | 483   | 393   | 4,568        | -1       |
| Vegetables                                     | 381   | 372   | 4,425        | 10       |
| Vegetable oils                                 | 98    | 118   | 1,061        | -12      |
| Wine   | 187   | 193   | 1,871        | 1        |
| Malt beverages                                 | 229   | 220   | 1,911        | 11       |
| Coffee   | 152   | 155   | 1,519        | -40      |
| Cocoa  | 95    | 122   | 1,119        | -9       |
| Rubber, natural                                | 41    | 60    | 564          | -21      |
| Cane & beet sugar                              | 25    | 52    | 391          | 9        |
| Tobacco, unmf.                                 | 68    | 45    | 546          | 3        |
| Seeds & flowers                                | 88    | 82    | 1,361        | -4       |
| Preliminary data.                              |       |       |              |          |

Table 5--Major U.S. ag. exports to China, Taiwan, HK

| Item                 | FY 1998    | FY 1999 | FY 2000 |
|----------------------|------------|---------|---------|
|                      | million \$ |         |         |
| <b>China</b>         |            |         |         |
| Poultry meats        | 40.2       | 44.7    | 50.6    |
| Hides and skins      | 128.4      | 95.6    | 172.4   |
| Wheat, unmilled      | 36.6       | 55.9    | 18.2    |
| Feed grains          | 23.1       | 40.7    | 0.0     |
| Soybean meal         | 161.1      | 15.1    | 0.0     |
| Soybeans             | 402.7      | 390.5   | 832.7   |
| Soybean oil          | 296.1      | 119.0   | 12.4    |
| Cotton               | 230.9      | 16.9    | 46.5    |
| Fish and shellfish   | 88.1       | 86.7    | 151.4   |
| Other exports        | 195.5      | 233.4   | 340.6   |
| Total ag. exports 1/ | 1,514.7    | 1,011.4 | 1,473.5 |
| <b>Taiwan</b>        |            |         |         |
| Red meats            | 50.4       | 106.0   | 107.5   |
| Hides and skins      | 176.6      | 165.5   | 178.9   |
| Wheat, unmilled      | 156.7      | 137.4   | 156.5   |
| Corn                 | 416.9      | 450.1   | 480.0   |
| Feeds & fodders      | 67.4       | 61.8    | 65.3    |
| Fruits and prep.     | 172.5      | 188.8   | 179.2   |
| Vegetables & prep.   | 102.9      | 116.1   | 108.0   |
| Soybeans             | 418.2      | 430.3   | 371.3   |
| Cotton               | 113.6      | 71.5    | 116.6   |
| Fish and shellfish   | 64.8       | 46.8    | 54.4    |
| Total ag. exports 1/ | 1,975.2    | 2,046.5 | 2,010.6 |
| <b>Hong Kong</b>     |            |         |         |
| Red meats            | 118.5      | 94.6    | 122.9   |
| Poultry meats        | 376.1      | 394.7   | 410.9   |
| Hides and skins      | 44.7       | 52.4    | 75.5    |
| Fruits and prep.     | 238.4      | 147.7   | 166.6   |
| Vegetables & prep.   | 126.6      | 117.5   | 104.3   |
| Soybean oil          | 199.4      | 16.7    | 0.3     |
| Cotton               | 48.3       | 67.6    | 66.3    |
| Total ag. exports 1/ | 1,568.1    | 1,264.3 | 1,254.8 |

1/ Excludes fish and shellfish.