

Table 1
World's Leading Unmanufactured Tobacco Producing, Trading
and Consuming Countries
(Metric Tons Dry Weight, Calendar Years)

	2000	2001	2002	2003 ^e	2004 ^f
Production					
World Total	6,097,244	5,551,535	5,722,948	5,371,428	5,734,717
China; Peoples Republic of	2,295,000	1,997,183	2,079,950	1,918,450	2,013,735
Brazil	493,100	442,345	551,250	515,720	757,075
India	599,400	530,000	592,000	595,000	598,000
United States	408,200	404,559	358,363	339,241	357,612
Malawi	89,550	37,408	124,301	121,021	138,000
Indonesia	157,052	146,100	144,700	135,000	135,000
Exports					
World Total	1,961,742	2,071,100	2,108,116	2,096,964	2,095,730
Brazil	341,500	435,500	476,000	466,000	564,000
China; Peoples Republic of	113,259	139,918	140,783	146,123	156,900
United States	179,892	186,302	153,427	155,454	156,000
Malawi	101,250	110,168	124,301	121,021	138,000
Italy	100,608	109,524	119,165	120,882	110,000
Turkey	100,900	96,450	88,840	107,870	100,000
Imports					
World Total	2,010,505	2,088,348	2,085,675	2,017,993	1,863,858
Russian Federation	285,000	307,500	307,500	293,202	275,042
United States 2/	196,601	254,259	263,895	261,179	270,000
Germany 1/	263,077	247,066	183,198	195,278	175,000
Netherlands	112,358	108,150	101,929	101,929	101,929
United Kingdom	108,427	102,666	104,641	87,913	100,000
Japan	93,928	92,425	89,456	81,931	84,000
Consumption					
World Total	5,136,087	6,411,165	5,992,135	5,883,502	5,724,505
China; Peoples Republic of	1,235,471	2,601,350	2,172,206	2,232,047	2,220,320
India	474,275	471,947	481,130	488,130	486,230
United States	498,909	483,909	463,190	444,190	450,000
Russian Federation	301,480	308,510	309,300	293,615	280,917
Japan	164,701	152,000	168,950	146,500	144,000
Indonesia	170,540	146,237	137,742	125,930	141,569
Ending Stocks					
World Total	8,189,671	7,347,289	7,055,045	6,464,616	6,242,956
China; Peoples Republic of	4,342,988	3,655,589	3,469,356	3,064,503	2,744,638
United States	1,536,000	1,524,607	1,530,248	1,531,024	1,552,636
Turkey	380,820	392,427	346,694	306,402	268,015
Brazil	266,980	176,745	149,995	108,695	209,820
Japan	231,105	225,256	197,455	175,772	157,772
Italy	150,795	140,156	132,363	125,779	130,844
Korea; Republic of	126,473	122,750	116,578	115,579	114,083

e, Estimate

f, Forecast

1/ Unified Germany

2/ General Imports (Actual Arrivals)

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