

Cotton Outlook's Initial 2015/16 World Raw Cotton Supply & Demand Forecasts

Figures in tonnes for August/July season

2015/2016 Forecast

2014/2015		2015/2016 Forecast	
		February	Change on
		Season	
Major Producers			
China	6,360,000	5,710,000	-650,000
United States	3,502,000	3,117,000	-385,000
India	6,800,000	6,420,000	-380,000
Pakistan	2,300,000	2,200,000	-100,000
Uzbekistan	860,000	850,000	-10,000
African Franc Zone	1,064,000	992,000	-72,000
Turkey	725,000	600,000	-125,000
Brazil	1,500,000	1,400,000	-100,000
Australia	450,000	450,000	
Others	2,247,000	2,130,000	-117,000
World Production	25,808,000	23,869,000	-1,939,000
Major Consumers			
China	7,300,000	7,350,000	50,000
Indian subcontinent	8,782,000	9,007,000	225,000
United States	795,000	806,000	11,000
EU	170,000	166,000	-4,000
Others	6,542,000	6,581,000	39,000
World Consumption	23,589,000	23,910,000	321,000
Net Change in Stock	+2,219,000	-41,000	