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# Tobacco: World Markets and Trade

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## WORLD DEVELOPMENTS

### RECENT REPORTS:

**Italy:** Italian leaf production in 2001 is estimated at 130,000 metric tons, unchanged from 2000 and within the allotted EU quota. Export levels are expected to decline slightly due to decreased sales of burley. Sources expected that strong competition from Malawi will affect burley sales. **IT1009**

**Russia:** Cigarette and papirosa production is forecast to increase slightly in 2001. Last year cigarette and papirosa production increased by 16 percent to reach 310 billion pieces. As a result of increased cigarette production in 2000, leaf imports increased by nearly 8 percent. The United States moved from the 11th largest supplier of leaf to Russia in 1999 to the 6th largest supplier in 2000. For 2001, Russian leaf imports are forecast at close to 300,000 tons, up 5 percent from 2000. **RS1013**

**Spain:** The contract license agreement under which Altadis produces American blend cigarettes in mainland Spain was revised with Philip Morris and canceled with Japan Tobacco Inc. in order to comply with European legislation. As a result of the changes, Altadis will decrease production of Marlboro and L&M, and end production of Winston, Camel, and Gold Coast brands. The agreement is expected to dampen U.S. leaf imports to Spain over the next few years. **SP1017**

## U.S. DEVELOPMENTS

### RECENT REPORTS:

**USDA Announces Preliminary Tobacco Referenda Results:** Pennsylvania growers of cigar filler (type 41), Connecticut and Massachusetts growers of cigar binder (type 51 and 52), and growers of Maryland type tobacco (type 32) all voted against quotas for marketing years 2001, 2002, and 2003. Virginia growers of sun-cured (type 37) voted in favor of quotas. **PR1505**

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

	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000*
<b>Production</b>					
World Total	6,565,532	7,722,327	5,848,455	5,917,236	5,772,992
China; Peoples Republic of	2,910,600	3,613,350	2,010,250	2,074,792	2,050,631
India	506,475	561,330	572,200	587,600	599,400
Brazil	365,900	485,100	373,150	498,400	493,100
United States	619,432	729,139	604,131	527,720	408,200
Zimbabwe	178,605	165,271	192,384	170,910	208,988
Turkey	190,391	250,836	217,570	207,830	163,660
<b>Exports</b>					
World Total	1,984,082	2,010,038	1,920,389	2,054,375	1,930,755
Brazil	282,500	319,000	300,500	343,000	350,000
Zimbabwe	195,958	159,941	168,804	215,744	195,977
United States	222,316	221,512	211,917	189,379	182,000
Malawi	95,555	111,449	135,300	107,600	101,250
Greece	130,250	103,000	98,328	100,000	100,600
India	117,460	117,900	81,790	119,643	100,000
<b>Imports</b>					
World Total	1,949,148	1,992,939	1,907,849	2,011,341	2,038,826
Russian Federation	148,000	184,900	200,900	264,670	275,000
Germany 2/	235,855	222,080	222,591	260,510	246,000
United States	326,454	306,838	246,762	241,065	220,000
United Kingdom 1/	166,027	157,689	149,756	137,183	135,500
Japan	85,634	90,469	101,442	98,920	104,000
Netherlands	97,368	105,358	84,813	84,860	84,974
<b>Consumption</b>					
World Total	6,469,040	6,511,187	6,279,228	6,641,374	6,437,408
China; Peoples Republic of	2,313,705	2,289,834	2,342,220	2,696,126	2,645,000
India	471,826	476,850	483,360	478,350	470,310
United States	720,962	772,932	616,835	575,296	436,200
Russian Federation	150,055	175,100	180,460	265,700	276,600
Japan	197,250	184,100	172,700	184,112	183,000
Germany 2/	161,357	158,000	142,651	164,854	163,500
<b>Ending Stocks</b>					
World Total	5,945,179	7,139,220	6,713,230	7,031,580	6,492,700
China; Peoples Republic of	1,941,310	3,201,864	2,787,478	3,149,888	2,504,419
United States	1,542,216	1,583,749	1,605,890	1,610,000	1,620,000
Turkey	269,172	293,898	311,010	329,499	365,859
Brazil	210,700	231,500	162,950	214,850	252,450
Japan	318,049	280,235	267,117	241,917	221,767
Italy	140,634	141,900	140,922	152,772	157,302

\* Estimate

1/ Unified Germany

2/ General Imports (Actual Arrivals)

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**Table 2**  
**U.S. TOBACCO TRADE**  
**2000-01**

	February		January - February		January - December	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001 1/
<b>Exports:</b>						
<b>Unmanufactured Tobacco</b>						
MT	22,577	23,679	39,462	41,895	182,517	185,000
\$1,000	136,101	140,401	250,899	255,662	1,221,837	1,258,000
\$/MT	6,028	5,929	6,358	6,102	6,694	6,800
<b>Bulk Smoking Tobacco</b>						
MT	3,757	4,194	6,623	8,017	61,741	66,000
\$1,000	29,908	65,011	50,501	125,164	562,232	501,600
\$/MT	7,961	15,501	7,625	15,612	9,106	7,600
<b>Cigarettes</b>						
Pieces (mil.)	12,340	12,195	20,412	22,283	148,261	145,000
\$1,000	285,266	243,568	476,150	464,688	3,307,546	3,200,000
<b>Unmanufactured Tobacco Imports:</b>						
<b>For Consumption</b>						
MT	22,665	20,690	37,282	41,410	221,602	220,000
\$1,000	74,590	68,834	121,209	141,908	711,214	638,000
\$/MT	3,291	3,327	3,251	3,427	3,209	2,900
<b>General Imports</b>						
MT	15,597	15,603	34,460	40,368	238,887	215,000
\$1,000	46,935	59,213	103,029	137,579	753,383	623,500
\$/MT	3,009	3,795	2,990	3,408	3,154	2,900
<b>Unmanufactured Imports from CBI Countries/2</b>						
Metric Tons						
Consump.	1,772	712	1,897	1,516	16,294	12,965
General	1,672	712	1,808	1,574	15,076	12,000

1/ Forecast.

2/ Caribbean Basin Initiative (CBI) countries include: Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, British Virgin Islands, Costa Rica, Dominica, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Grenada, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica, Montserrat, Netherland Antilles, St. Christopher-Nevis, St. Lucia, St. Vincent, Grenadines, Trinidad and Tobago, Panama and Guyana.

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**TABLE 3**  
**UNMANUFACTURED TOBACCO: U.S. MONTHLY EXPORTS BY TYPE**  
**CALENDAR YEARS 1999, 2000, AND 2001**  
**(METRIC TONS)**

Month	Flue-Cured			Burley			Total Unmanufactured		
	1999	2000	2001	1999	2000	2001	1999	2000	2001
January	14,940	12,471	10,926	580	1,148	370	19,394	16,885	18,216
February	12,393	13,165	11,987	4,492	2,606	3,473	23,592	22,577	23,679
March	10,297	12,752		5,255	3,976		23,849	24,659	
April	6,577	5,614		10,692	6,745		21,520	16,793	
May	6,557	2,603		13,756	8,709		23,487	16,185	
June	2,327	2,542		4,086	4,980		10,423	12,823	
July	4,177	2,926		2,440	1,626		11,950	8,249	
August	3,868	5,829		800	3,390		7,805	13,660	
September	2,992	3,591		925	1,002		7,032	8,080	
October	5,427	3,569		3,263	1,066		13,805	8,565	
November	10,764	7,528		1,963	1,184		17,979	12,934	
December	6,519	13,684		1,146	1,214		11,139	21,107	
<b>SUB-TOTAL</b>	<b>27,333</b>	<b>25,636</b>	<b>22,913</b>	<b>5,072</b>	<b>3,754</b>	<b>3,843</b>	<b>42,986</b>	<b>39,462</b>	<b>41,895</b>
<b>YEAR TOTAL</b>	<b>86,838</b>	<b>86,274</b>	<b>22,913</b>	<b>49,398</b>	<b>37,646</b>	<b>3,843</b>	<b>191,975</b>	<b>182,517</b>	<b>41,895</b>

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**TABLE 4**  
**UNMANUFACTURED TOBACCO: U.S. MONTHLY EXPORTS BY TYPE**  
**CALENDAR YEARS 1999, 2000, AND 2001**  
**(THOUSAND DOLLARS)**

Month	Flue-Cured			Burley			Total Unmanufactured		
	1999	2000	2001	1999	2000	2001	1999	2000	2001
January	91,757	91,504	81,908	4,979	9,704	3,143	113,504	114,798	115,261
February	94,211	95,449	90,126	36,418	20,899	28,013	149,078	136,101	140,401
March	73,706	93,910		40,871	31,869		146,025	149,433	
April	45,623	43,276		89,274	56,996		153,516	123,434	
May	47,942	19,322		114,508	71,914		177,506	113,873	
June	16,444	19,977		34,047	40,831		73,147	87,971	
July	29,821	23,302		17,627	14,476		64,182	55,848	
August	28,390	40,719		6,257	29,275		63,764	84,002	
September	21,933	27,247		6,781	7,664		51,347	60,441	
October	40,345	27,549		27,843	9,938		117,867	65,583	
November	74,812	56,647		16,270	10,827		125,519	91,026	
December	46,070	102,271		9,689	10,967		76,188	139,327	
<b>SUB-TOTAL</b>	<b>185,968</b>	<b>186,953</b>	<b>172,034</b>	<b>41,397</b>	<b>30,603</b>	<b>31,156</b>	<b>262,582</b>	<b>250,899</b>	<b>255,662</b>
<b>YEAR TOTAL</b>	<b>611,054</b>	<b>641,173</b>	<b>172,034</b>	<b>404,564</b>	<b>315,360</b>	<b>31,156</b>	<b>1,311,643</b>	<b>1,221,837</b>	<b>255,662</b>

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**TABLE 5**  
**UNMANUFACTURED TOBACCO: U.S. MONTHLY IMPORTS**  
**CALENDAR YEARS 1999, 2000, AND 2001**  
**(METRIC TONS)**

Month	Consumption			General		
	1999	2000	2001	1999	2000	2001
January	25,402	14,617	20,720	19,434	18,863	24,766
February	14,339	22,665	20,690	14,370	15,597	15,603
March	16,183	23,358		21,805	13,603	
April	15,404	7,684		15,811	9,165	
May	8,392	20,177		15,145	15,482	
June	46,863	34,331		14,677	20,825	
July	9,625	12,417		20,322	14,683	
August	18,384	20,261		26,036	20,789	
September	19,695	16,725		25,797	19,918	
October	10,559	13,726		21,029	13,381	
November	7,791	11,248		21,439	14,492	
December	28,965	18,391		23,022	19,798	
<b>SUB-TOTAL</b>	<b>39,741</b>	<b>37,282</b>	<b>41,410</b>	<b>33,804</b>	<b>34,460</b>	<b>40,369</b>
<b>YEAR TOTAL</b>	<b>221,602</b>	<b>215,600</b>	<b>41,410</b>	<b>238,887</b>	<b>196,596</b>	<b>40,369</b>

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**TABLE 6**  
**UNMANUFACTURED TOBACCO: U.S. MONTHLY IMPORTS**  
**CALENDAR YEARS 1999, 2000, AND 2001**  
**(THOUSAND DOLLARS)**

Month	Consumption			General		
	1999	2000	2001	1999	2000	2001
January	89,843	46,618	73,074	68,625	56,095	78,365
February	54,452	74,590	68,834	52,536	46,935	59,213
March	65,634	45,849		66,033	36,755	
April	55,430	24,672		54,842	33,798	
May	25,119	55,784		50,827	39,536	
June	128,795	98,963		51,413	61,250	
July	24,047	34,986		58,727	35,904	
August	54,548	73,167		66,289	61,835	
September	67,150	50,305		82,688	56,542	
October	25,352	32,102		44,643	33,516	
November	24,964	29,517		63,874	39,348	
March	95,880	61,657		92,886	66,944	
<b>SUB-TOTAL</b>	<b>144,295</b>	<b>121,208</b>	<b>141,908</b>	<b>121,161</b>	<b>103,030</b>	<b>137,578</b>
<b>YEAR TOTAL</b>	<b>711,214</b>	<b>628,210</b>	<b>141,908</b>	<b>753,383</b>	<b>568,458</b>	<b>137,578</b>

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**TABLE 7**  
**U.S. EXPORTS OF UNMANUFACTURED TOBACCO**  
**BY TOBACCO TYPE**  
**(METRIC TONS AND \$1000)**

Tobacco Type	January - February				February			
	Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
Flue-cured								
Unstemmed	132	0	602	0	61	0	273	0
Stemmed	25,505	22,913	186,352	172,034	13,104	11,987	95,176	90,126
Total Flue-cured	25,637	22,913	186,954	172,034	13,165	11,987	95,449	90,126
Burley								
Unstemmed	0	8	3	40	0	8	3	40
Stemmed	3,754	3,834	30,600	31,116	2,606	3,465	20,895	27,972
Total Burley	3,754	3,843	30,603	31,156	2,606	3,473	20,899	28,013
Other Tobacco								
Dark Fire KY & TN	695	1,636	3,754	8,837	430	784	2,311	4,137
VA Fire and Sun	8	34	47	115	8	0	47	0
Maryland	208	328	1,389	2,564	151	138	1,101	1,074
Blackfat	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cigar Wrapper	399	341	16,573	14,495	214	140	9,366	5,042
Cigar Binder	0	46	0	268	0	18	0	99
Stems	7,938	9,921	4,584	6,636	5,590	5,742	3,133	3,108
Other Leaf Tobacco	824	2,834	6,997	19,557	413	1,397	3,795	8,802
<b>Total Unmanufactured</b>	<b>39,463</b>	<b>41,896</b>	<b>250,901</b>	<b>255,662</b>	<b>22,577</b>	<b>23,679</b>	<b>136,101</b>	<b>140,401</b>

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**TABLE 8**  
**U.S. EXPORTS OF LEAF TOBACCO**  
**BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION**  
**(METRIC TONS AND \$1000)**

COUNTRY	January - February				February			
	Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
<b>European Union/1</b>								
Germany	5,066	8,500	29,614	52,660	3,114	4,996	19,208	30,025
Belgium-Luxembourg	1,435	5,901	4,909	24,176	1,291	2,154	3,863	10,595
Netherlands	2,838	3,470	16,716	26,540	1,827	1,656	9,628	13,195
France	6	1,453	44	5,836	6	1,066	44	5,110
Denmark	1,279	1,138	8,041	7,589	752	469	5,131	3,187
Italy	712	645	3,532	5,148	0	645	0	5,148
Portugal	568	544	4,096	4,061	568	448	4,096	3,351
Austria	417	354	2,578	2,235	417	354	2,578	2,235
Sweden	4	230	28	1,525	4	38	28	263
Spain	158	110	911	286	16	49	97	177
Finland	0	21	0	78	0	0	0	0
United Kingdom	952	1	5,298	12	216	1	1,167	12
Greece	19	0	158	0	0	0	0	0
Ireland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total EU</b>	<b>13,454</b>	<b>22,366</b>	<b>75,925</b>	<b>130,146</b>	<b>8,212</b>	<b>11,877</b>	<b>45,841</b>	<b>73,298</b>
<b>Other Markets</b>								
Japan	10,863	9,656	71,215	60,175	5,734	6,030	34,470	32,903
Russian Federation	1,430	2,938	1,059	6,642	1,192	1,559	976	2,924
Thailand	1,515	1,801	10,550	13,210	894	1,198	6,441	9,339
Malaysia	328	938	2,461	6,725	195	656	1,404	4,521
Switzerland	2,449	771	18,245	4,401	1,641	270	12,383	618
Korea; Republic of	1,332	738	10,738	5,921	632	738	5,017	5,921
Nigeria	263	505	1,107	1,412	177	0	758	0
Dominican Republic	892	481	18,866	17,462	494	164	10,384	5,570
Sri Lanka	30	257	117	992	0	227	0	874
Honduras	120	250	1,573	2,184	62	128	1,124	630
Norway	144	232	1,082	1,523	115	117	888	645
Romania	0	192	0	91	0	192	0	91
Australia	497	163	2,203	848	38	155	299	773
India	1	113	4	438	1	113	4	438
South Africa; Republic of	0	81	0	462	0	81	0	462
Indonesia	390	73	2,700	430	107	38	714	315
Taiwan	0	58	3	571	0	0	3	0
Other	5,754	282	33,051	2,029	3,084	136	15,396	1,079
<b>Total Other Markets</b>	<b>26,008</b>	<b>19,529</b>	<b>174,974</b>	<b>125,516</b>	<b>14,366</b>	<b>11,802</b>	<b>90,261</b>	<b>67,103</b>
<b>World Total</b>	<b>39,462</b>	<b>41,895</b>	<b>250,899</b>	<b>255,662</b>	<b>22,578</b>	<b>23,679</b>	<b>136,102</b>	<b>140,401</b>

1/ EUROPEAN UNION (EU): GROUP OF 15 COUNTRIES FORMERLY KNOWN AS THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY (EC).

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**TABLE 9**  
**U.S. EXPORTS OF FLUE-CURED TOBACCO**  
**BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION**  
**(METRIC TONS AND \$1000)**

COUNTRY	January - February				February			
	Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
<b>European Union/1</b>								
Germany	2,256	4,578	17,290	34,787	1,135	2,259	8,546	17,161
Netherlands	1,929	3,177	14,123	24,765	1,110	1,517	8,226	12,376
Belgium-Luxembourg	614	2,255	4,459	17,053	470	637	3,413	4,742
Portugal	568	544	4,096	4,061	568	448	4,096	3,351
Denmark	627	527	4,800	3,982	348	204	2,679	1,532
France	0	473	0	3,581	0	394	0	2,999
Austria	337	293	2,558	2,219	337	293	2,558	2,219
Sweden	0	121	0	932	0	19	0	151
Italy	712	105	3,532	712	0	105	0	712
Spain	0	4	0	26	0	4	0	26
Finland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greece	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ireland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Trieste	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total EU</b>	<b>7,706</b>	<b>12,079</b>	<b>56,056</b>	<b>92,118</b>	<b>4,124</b>	<b>5,881</b>	<b>30,636</b>	<b>45,269</b>
<b>Other Markets</b>								
Japan	9,569	7,745	70,789	56,576	4,715	4,510	34,120	32,293
Malaysia	139	773	1,052	5,944	119	546	904	4,207
Korea; Republic of	1,207	730	9,991	5,881	507	730	4,270	5,881
Thailand	621	566	4,110	3,725	0	0	0	0
Switzerland	2,201	564	16,414	4,281	1,394	64	10,562	505
Norway	144	192	1,082	1,461	115	77	888	584
Australia	269	96	2,104	713	38	96	299	713
Poland	0	58	0	438	0	0	0	0
Indonesia	288	38	2,182	315	69	38	522	315
Bangladesh	29	32	246	265	19	32	164	265
Other Pacific Islands; NEC	0	29	0	224	0	0	0	0
Russian Federation	19	12	148	94	19	12	148	94
Afghanistan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Albania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Algeria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
American Samoa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Angola	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	3,444	(2)	22,780	(1)	2,046	1	12,936	0
<b>Total Other Markets</b>	<b>17,930</b>	<b>10,833</b>	<b>130,898</b>	<b>79,916</b>	<b>9,041</b>	<b>6,106</b>	<b>64,813</b>	<b>44,857</b>
<b>World Total</b>	<b>25,636</b>	<b>22,912</b>	<b>186,954</b>	<b>172,034</b>	<b>13,165</b>	<b>11,987</b>	<b>95,449</b>	<b>90,126</b>

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**TABLE 10**  
**U.S. EXPORTS OF BURLEY TOBACCO**  
**BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION**  
**(METRIC TONS AND \$1000)**

COUNTRY	January - February				February			
	Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
<b>European Union/1</b>								
Germany	1,375	887	11,448	7,012	1,232	874	10,269	6,921
Belgium-Luxembourg	0	629	0	5,337	0	625	0	5,312
Italy	0	540	0	4,433	0	540	0	4,433
Denmark	297	352	2,537	2,900	254	170	2,166	1,401
Sweden	0	52	0	427	0	0	0	0
Austria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Finland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
France	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greece	19	0	158	0	0	0	0	0
Ireland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Portugal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Trieste	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total EU</b>	1,691	2,459	14,146	20,108	1,486	2,208	12,439	18,067
<b>Other Markets</b>								
Thailand	858	1,198	6,300	9,339	858	1,198	6,300	9,339
Taiwan	0	58	0	571	0	0	0	0
Malaysia	174	52	1,405	456	62	0	497	0
Israel	0	50	0	486	0	50	0	486
Japan	0	9	0	80	0	9	0	80
Australia	0	9	0	76	0	0	0	0
Korea; Republic of	0	8	0	40	0	8	0	40
Afghanistan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Albania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Algeria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
American Samoa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Angola	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arabian Peninsula States; NEC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Argentina	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Armenia; Republic of	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Azerbaijan; Republic of	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Azores	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	1,031	(1)	8,752	0	200	0	1,663	1
<b>Total Other Markets</b>	2,063	1,383	16,457	11,048	1,120	1,265	8,460	9,946
<b>World Total</b>	3,754	3,842	30,603	31,156	2,606	3,473	20,899	28,013

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**TABLE 11**  
**U.S. EXPORTS OF MANUFACTURED TOBACCO**  
**BY TOBACCO TYPE**  
**(METRIC TONS AND \$1000)**

Tobacco Product Type	January - February				February			
	Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
Cigarettes (million pcs.)	20,412	22,283	476,150	464,687	12,340	12,195	285,266	243,568
Small Cigars (1000 pcs.)	4,242	5,054	437	427	3,014	1,900	317	189
Other Cigars (1000 pcs.)	58,770	17,773	3,663	2,945	14,235	10,459	1,728	1,709
Chewing and Snuff (MT)	119	110	1,524	1,428	57	46	706	585
Smoking in Packages (MT)	15	212	273	3,264	14	206	253	3,157
Smoking in Bulk (MT)	6,623	8,017	50,501	125,164	3,757	4,194	29,908	65,011
Other Mfg. Products (MT)	4,154	8,042	9,967	28,630	1,937	4,270	4,761	15,744
<b>Total Manufactured</b>	--	--	542,515	626,545	--	--	322,939	329,963

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**TABLE 12**  
**U.S. EXPORTS OF CIGARETTES**  
**BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION**  
**(THOUSAND PIECES AND THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)**

COUNTRY	January - February				February			
	Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
<b>European Union/1</b>								
Netherlands	9,320	733,310	245	8,106	0	350,000	0	3,872
Belgium-Luxembourg	752,174	712,246	8,662	17,070	556,850	387,496	6,211	8,248
Germany	1,425,377	18,480	15,194	244	980,757	2,960	10,762	57
Spain	10,000	2,011	98	38	10,000	2,011	98	38
Portugal	0	1,000	0	11	0	0	0	0
United Kingdom	40	693	8	13	0	0	0	0
Denmark	0	513	0	10	0	0	0	0
Austria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Finland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
France	4,245	0	80	0	0	0	0	0
Greece	16,258	0	307	0	0	0	0	0
Ireland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Italy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweden	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total EU</b>	<b>2,217,414</b>	<b>1,468,253</b>	<b>24,594</b>	<b>25,492</b>	<b>1,547,607</b>	<b>742,467</b>	<b>17,071</b>	<b>12,215</b>
<b>Other Markets</b>								
Japan	10,950,175	11,625,213	297,048	245,311	6,090,548	6,698,216	164,132	133,636
Saudi Arabia	1,808,854	1,866,270	46,182	46,620	1,677,240	957,170	42,919	24,083
Korea; Republic of	699,924	1,022,364	15,973	24,420	319,021	510,643	7,689	12,012
Lebanon	402,314	968,480	5,811	17,822	80,000	528,510	1,072	10,156
Cyprus	355,330	925,165	4,141	14,090	36,400	616,130	686	8,941
United Arab Emirates	81,695	683,840	2,033	12,837	79,244	266,440	2,008	4,193
Israel	640,465	621,398	14,946	15,252	450,254	276,751	10,632	6,550
Singapore	189,014	619,946	3,597	13,029	149,540	131,565	3,090	2,509
Hong Kong	389,378	516,594	9,852	11,808	202,790	212,505	4,976	4,617
Taiwan	245,926	371,210	6,273	9,223	76,580	177,110	1,848	4,478
Australia	81,800	262,891	1,786	5,092	45,710	262,891	891	5,092
Kuwait	308,020	176,090	7,912	4,368	191,280	120,290	4,847	3,100
Syria	90,440	140,870	2,374	1,694	90,440	140,870	2,374	1,694
Turkey	104,764	129,000	836	1,055	19,964	0	209	0
Panama	33,038	112,976	348	1,129	22,500	97,700	237	924
Canada	96,560	103,712	2,422	2,648	31,911	94,710	943	2,475
Chile	7,432	88,187	94	970	7,432	48,039	94	566
Other	1,709,722	580,208	29,928	11,827	1,221,653	312,682	19,548	6,326
<b>Total Other Markets</b>	<b>18,194,851</b>	<b>20,814,414</b>	<b>451,556</b>	<b>439,195</b>	<b>10,792,507</b>	<b>11,452,222</b>	<b>268,195</b>	<b>231,352</b>
<b>World Total</b>	<b>20,412,265</b>	<b>22,282,667</b>	<b>476,150</b>	<b>464,687</b>	<b>12,340,114</b>	<b>12,194,689</b>	<b>285,266</b>	<b>243,567</b>

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**TABLE 13**  
**U.S. IMPORTS OF UNMANUFACTURED TOBACCO**  
**FOR CONSUMPTION BY TOBACCO TYPE**  
**(METRIC TONS AND \$1000)**

Tobacco Type	January - February				February			
	Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
Flue-cured								
Unstemmed	1,368	3,129	2,649	6,160	655	1,398	1,291	2,859
Stemmed	3,241	4,977	11,948	15,446	1,223	2,625	3,902	7,305
Total Flue-cured	4,609	8,106	14,597	21,606	1,878	4,023	5,193	10,164
Burley								
Unstemmed	17	19	32	34	6	6	10	11
Stemmed	7,907	9,119	26,413	28,725	3,657	4,913	11,335	14,805
Total Burley	7,924	9,138	26,445	28,759	3,663	4,919	11,345	14,816
Turkish, Unst	13,582	15,191	66,725	69,601	9,993	8,140	50,507	37,077
Other Tobacco								
Unstemmed	3,558	3,747	5,850	6,705	1,952	1,167	3,214	1,737
Stemmed	2,265	1,569	3,674	2,778	852	916	1,750	1,602
Total Cigarette Leaf	31,938	37,751	117,291	129,449	18,338	19,165	72,009	65,396
Cigar Wrapper								
Unstemmed	105	181	1,212	8,225	44	77	412	2,491
Stemmed	17	62	547	1,922	12	12	377	298
Total Wrapper	123	242	1,759	10,147	56	89	789	2,789
Stems	3,841	1,970	1,225	695	2,994	1,249	945	494
Scraps	1,407	1,716	1,064	1,902	1,305	259	979	216
Total Unmanufactured	37,282	41,410	121,209	141,908	22,665	20,690	74,590	68,834

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**TABLE 14**  
**U.S. IMPORTS OF UNMANUFACTURED TOBACCO**  
**GENERAL IMPORTS BY TYPE**  
**(METRIC TONS AND \$1000)**

Tobacco Type	January - February				February			
	Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
Flue-cured								
Unstemmed	1,554	3,129	3,400	6,160	655	1,398	1,291	2,859
Stemmed	7,482	6,993	23,961	23,499	1,674	2,370	5,511	8,265
Total Flue-cured	9,036	10,122	27,361	29,659	2,329	3,768	6,802	11,124
Burley								
Unstemmed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stemmed	6,606	6,134	20,212	18,693	3,345	2,092	9,398	6,272
Total Burley	6,606	6,134	20,212	18,693	3,345	2,092	9,398	6,272
Turkish, Unst	8,570	14,521	42,872	67,613	4,720	7,065	24,197	35,719
Other Tobacco								
Unstemmed	3,410	3,957	5,416	6,902	1,824	1,153	2,867	1,686
Stemmed	2,142	1,814	3,303	2,633	785	1,187	1,538	1,506
<b>Total Cigarette Leaf</b>	<b>29,764</b>	<b>36,548</b>	<b>99,164</b>	<b>125,500</b>	<b>13,003</b>	<b>15,265</b>	<b>44,802</b>	<b>56,307</b>
Cigar Wrapper								
Unstemmed	105	181	1,212	8,225	44	77	412	2,491
Stemmed	17	62	547	1,922	12	12	377	298
Total Wrapper	123	242	1,759	10,147	56	89	789	2,789
Stems	3,205	2,207	1,181	661	1,281	221	519	61
Scraps	1,383	1,640	1,020	1,557	1,271	99	919	116
<b>Total Unmanufactured</b>	<b>34,460</b>	<b>40,368</b>	<b>103,029</b>	<b>137,579</b>	<b>15,597</b>	<b>15,603</b>	<b>46,935</b>	<b>59,213</b>

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**TABLE 15**  
**U.S. IMPORTS OF MANUFACTURED TOBACCO**  
**FOR CONSUMPTION BY TOBACCO TYPE**  
**(PIECES, METRIC TONS AND \$1000)**

Manufactured Products	January - February				February			
	Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
Cigarettes (1000 pcs.)	1,406,571	1,511,883	22,953	19,500	856,489	811,720	15,894	10,704
Cigars & Cheroots (MT)	641	542	33,306	26,156	408	327	22,569	17,315
Other Mfg. Products (MT)	398	420	2,625	2,791	68	72	1,255	986
<b>Total Manufactured</b>	--	--	58,885	48,448	--	--	39,718	29,005

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**TABLE 16**  
**U.S. TOBACCO TRADE BALANCE**  
**UNMANUFACTURED AND MANUFACTURED**  
**(\$1,000)**

Tobacco Type	January - February					
	2000			2001		
	Imports	Exports	Trade Balance	Imports	Exports	Trade Balance
<b>Unmanufactured Tobacco</b>						
Flue-cured	14,597	186,954	172,357	21,606	172,034	150,428
Burley	26,445	30,603	4,158	28,759	31,156	2,397
Oriental	66,725	0	(66,725)	69,601	0	(69,601)
Other	13,442	33,342	19,900	21,942	52,472	30,530
<b>Total Unman.</b>	<b>121,209</b>	<b>250,899</b>	<b>129,690</b>	<b>141,908</b>	<b>255,662</b>	<b>113,754</b>
<b>Manufactured Tobacco</b>						
Cigarettes	22,953	476,150	453,197	19,500	464,687	445,187
Other	35,931	66,365	30,434	28,947	161,858	132,911
<b>Total Manuf.</b>	<b>58,884</b>	<b>542,515</b>	<b>483,631</b>	<b>48,447</b>	<b>626,545</b>	<b>578,098</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>180,093</b>	<b>793,414</b>	<b>613,321</b>	<b>190,355</b>	<b>882,207</b>	<b>691,852</b>

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**Table 17**

**TARIFF-RATE-QUOTA UPDATE**  
**September 13, 2000 through April 24, 2001**  
 U.S. Tobacco Imports Subject to Tariff-Rate-Quota 1/

<i>Quota Recipients</i>	<i>2000/2001 Quota, Metric Tons</i>	<i>2000/2001 Imports, Metric Tons</i>	<i>Percent of TRQ Used</i>
Argentina	10,750	5,272	49.0%
Brazil	80,200	24,621	30.7%
Chile	2,750	0	0.0%
European Union	10,000	1,439	14.4%
Guatemala	10,000	669	6.7%
Malawi	12,000	6,282	52.4%
Philippines	3,000	372	12.4%
Thailand	7,000	1,303	18.6%
Zimbabwe	12,000	1,311	10.9%
Residual 2/	3,000	2,348	78.3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>150,700</b>	<b>43,617</b>	<b>28.9%</b>

1/ U.S. Tariff Schedule line items subject to the tariff-rate quota (TRQ) include flue-cured and light air-cured tobacco, including burley, which are used in the manufacture of cigarettes for consumption in the United States.

2/ A TRQ of 3,000 metric tons is available to all countries, other than the 9 designated quota recipient countries, and is allocated on a first- come/first- served basis.

NOTE: The TRQ is administered on a September 13 - September 12 trade year.

SOURCE: U.S. Customs Service.

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