

**U.S. Exports of Hazelnuts to Principal Markets 1/
Marketing Years 1994/95 - 1997/98
(metric tons, in-shell equivalent)**

Destination	1994/95	1995/96	1996/97	1997/98
Australia	747	835	795	969
Brazil	649	777	1,095	729
Canada	1,603	1,098	1,467	1,918
China	0	60	2,656	1,443
Egypt	357	334	128	382
European Union	5,356	7,738	5,963	11,759
Hong Kong	122	78	1,744	3,714
Israel	832	1,302	823	1,670
Mexico	1,048	848	873	1,140
Saudi Arabia	132	183	0	93
Taiwan	81	7	5	0
United Arab Emirates	85	275	39	20
Venezuela	106	274	184	207
Other Countries	700	693	626	1,321
Grand Total	11,818	14,502	16,398	25,365

1/ Marketing years, July - June. Note: All data from the Bureau of Census. Shelling ratios for hazelnuts were .4002 , .467, .385, and .363 for 1994/95, 1995/96, 1996/97, 1997/98 respectively. Computations originate from data published by the USDA/National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS) in "Non Citrus Fruits and Nuts: 1999 Preliminary Survey" and "Noncitrus Fruits and Nuts: Final Estimates: 1992-1997".