

TABLE 16 -- SELECTED OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS AVERAGE EXPORT AND IMPORT UNIT VALUES

COMMODITY	UNITS	JANUARY 1999	JANUARY 2000	OCTOBER- JANUARY 1998/99	OCTOBER- JANUARY 1999/2000
OILSEED EXPORTS:					
SOYBEANS	\$/MT	218	189	216	188
	\$/BU	5.94	5.14	5.87	5.12
PEANUTS ₁	\$/MT	964	902	964	932
	¢/LB	43.73	40.92	43.73	42.29
SUNFLOWERSEED ₂	\$/MT	513	530	350	382
VEGETABLE OIL EXPORTS:					
SOYBEAN	\$/MT	614	442	622	438
	¢/LB	27.85	20.03	28.23	19.88
COTTONSEED	\$/MT	665	580	652	551
	¢/LB	30.15	26.32	29.57	25.00
MEAL EXPORTS:					
SOYBEAN	\$/MT	173	178	171	180
VEGETABLE OIL IMPORTS:					
PALM	\$/MT	527	312	533	338
	¢/LB	23.90	14.15	24.17	15.34
PALM KERNEL	\$/MT	701	665	716	683
	¢/LB	31.80	30.15	32.49	30.99
COCONUT	\$/MT	658	675	664	703
	¢/LB	29.84	30.62	30.11	31.88
RAPESEED	\$/MT	647	460	645	473
	¢/LB	29.33	20.87	29.27	21.43
OLIVE	\$/MT	2,161	2,343	2,037	2,383
FISHMEAL IMPORTS:	\$/MT	633	448	622	491

SOURCE: MARCH 2000 U.S. BUREAU OF THE CENSUS DATA.

1 INCLUDES UNSHELLED CONVERTED TO SHELLED BASIS

2 INCLUDES SHELLED CONVERTED TO AN INSHELL BASIS

NOTE: U.S. EXPORT VALUE IS THE VALUE AT THE PORT OF EXPORTATION AND IS BASED ON THE SELLING PRICE

(OR COST IF NOT SOLD), INCLUDING INLAND FREIGHT, INSURANCE, AND OTHER CHARGES TO THE PORT

U.S. IMPORT VALUE IS GENERALLY THE MARKET VALUE IN THE FOREIGN COUNTRY, AND EXCLUDES IMPORT DUTIES,

OCEAN FREIGHT, AND MARINE INSURANCE.