

U.S. Sugar Monthly Import and Re-Exports

Fiscal Year (FY) 2018 Report

July 2018

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The fifth and last tranche of the FY 2018 specialty sugar TRQ of 32,000 metric tons raw value will open on July 17, 2018. A valid specialty sugar certificate must accompany the imported sugar.

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Table 1 -- U.S. Monthly Sugar Imports, Fiscal Year (FY) 2018

Reference	2017			2018									Entries	WASDE Projection ^{1/} 12-Jul-18	Percent of WASDE Projection
	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September			
	<i>Metric Tons, Raw Value</i>												<i>MTRV</i>	<i>Percent</i>	
Total Quota (Sum of tables 3-5)													1,244,913	1,621,968	77%
Table 3 WTO raw sugar TRQ	200,607	196,277	141,077	97,511	25,553	72,587	42,877	107,244	79,080				962,813	1,240,881	78%
Table 4 WTO refined sugar TRQ	57,157	1,232	1,885	49,286	1,942	1,847	32,545	468	514				146,876	179,046	82%
Table 5 FTA sugar TRQs	13,787	8,708	2,804	11,845	12,325	9,454	14,793	19,337	42,171				135,224	202,041	67%
Table 7 Re-export program imports	57,557	1,288	27,846	6,840	56,401	10,977	0	16,234	19,509				196,652	272,155	72%
Table 2 Mexico	12,251	19,952	20,298	64,713	59,279	217,438	205,842	125,000	100,000				824,775	1,151,656	72%
High-duty sugar ^{2/}	1,178	1,085	1,314	1,073	976	1,053	1,266	1,000	16,000				24,945	40,823	61%
Total	342,537	228,542	195,224	231,268	156,476	313,356	297,323	269,283	257,274				2,291,285	3,086,602	74%
	<i>Short Tons, Raw Value</i>												<i>STRV</i>	<i>Percent</i>	
Total Quota (Sum of tables 3-5)													1,372,282	1,787,914	77%
Table 3 WTO raw sugar TRQ	221,131	216,358	155,511	107,487	28,167	80,013	47,264	118,216	87,171				1,061,320	1,367,837	78%
Table 4 WTO refined sugar TRQ	63,005	1,358	2,078	54,329	2,141	2,036	35,875	516	567				161,903	197,364	82%
Table 5 FTA sugar TRQs	15,198	9,599	3,091	13,057	13,586	10,421	16,306	21,315	46,486				149,059	222,712	67%
Table 7 Re-export program imports	63,446	1,420	30,695	7,540	62,171	12,100	0	17,895	21,505				216,772	300,000	72%
Table 2 Mexico	13,505	21,994	22,375	71,334	65,344	239,684	226,902	137,789	110,232				909,159	1,269,483	72%
High-duty sugar ^{2/}	1,299	1,196	1,448	1,183	1,076	1,161	1,396	1,102	17,637				27,497	45,000	61%
Total	377,583	251,925	215,198	254,929	172,486	345,416	327,743	296,834	283,596				2,525,709	3,402,397	74%

Source: See individual reference tables for sources.

^{1/} USDA World Agricultural Supply and Demand Estimates (WASDE) report for month indicated.

^{2/} The current and previous months are forecasts. Sources: U.S. Census and FAS.

Factor for Metric tons to Short Tons: 1.10231125

Table 2 -- U.S. Imports of Sugar from Mexico, Fiscal Year (FY) 2018 ^{1/}

	Oct-17 Final	Nov-17 Final	Dec-17 Final	Jan-18 Final	Feb-18 Final	Mar-18 Final	Apr-18 Final	May-18 Forecast	Jun-18 Forecast	Jul-18	Aug-18	Sep-18	FY 2018 Entries
	<i>Metric Tons</i>												
District Port Name													
Baltimore, MD	0	0	0	38,400	0	51,000	53,560	45,000					187,960
Detroit, MI	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					0
El Paso, TX	201	376	2,020	4,178	3,279	8,555	4,809	1,803					25,221
Honolulu, HI	0	0	152	19	0	0	136	0					307
Houston-Galveston, TX	375	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					375
Laredo, TX	3,683	9,419	10,574	13,832	16,007	23,185	31,827	12,017					120,544
Los Angeles, CA	0	0	0	0	0	0	438	867					1,305
Mobile, AL	420	0	0	0	1,270	735	1,562	1,330					5,317
New Orleans, LA	0	0	0	0	0	5,000	15,000	0					20,000
New York, NY	0	0	0	0	0	382	539	23					944
Nogales, AZ	5,965	7,505	4,158	3,877	3,332	4,346	3,104	3,716					36,003
Philadelphia, PA	0	0	625	0	2,650	26,200	2,300	1,945					33,720
San Diego, CA	390	748	1,029	744	880	332	364	113					4,600
San Francisco, CA	0	0	0	0	0	19,110	14,000	25,000					58,110
San Juan, PR	524	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					524
Savannah, GA	0	0	0	0	28,167	65,000	64,768	25,000					182,935
Seattle, WA	0	0	391	0	0	30	271	0					692
Tampa, FL	0	775	200	0	339	1,255	1,513	1,164					5,246
Total	11,558	18,823	19,149	61,050	55,924	205,130	194,191	117,925	94,340				778,090
<i>Total raw value ^{2/}</i>	<i>12,251</i>	<i>19,952</i>	<i>20,298</i>	<i>64,713</i>	<i>59,279</i>	<i>217,438</i>	<i>205,842</i>	<i>125,000</i>	<i>100,000</i>				<i>824,775</i>

Source: U.S. Census Bureau Trade Data, except forecast is FAS.

1/ Includes all entries under U.S. Harmonized Tariff Schedule (HTS) lines 1701.12.10, 1701.12.50, 1701.13.10, 1701.13.50, 1701.14.10, 1701.14.50, 1701.91.10, 1701.91.30, 1701.99.10, and 1701.99.50 (and all associated 10-digit HTS lines).

2/ Raw value is commercial weight multiplied by a factor of 1.06.

Totals may not add due to rounding.

Table 3 -- U.S. Raw Sugar Tariff-Rate Quota (TRQ) WTO Allocations and Entries By Month, Fiscal Year (FY) 2018

	FY 2017 TRQ		Oct-17	Nov-17	Dec-17	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18	Jul-18	Aug-18	Sep-18	FY 2018				FY 2018 Entries YTD
	Entered in October 2017	Entered in November 2017	10/30/2017	12/4/2017	1/2/2018	1/29/2018	3/5/2018	4/2/2018	4/30/2018	6/4/2018	7/2/2018	7/30/2018	9/4/2018	9/30/2018	FY 2018 TRQ Entries YTD	TRQ ^{1/}	Not entered to date	Entries as Percent of TRQ	
			<i>Metric Tons, Raw Value</i>																
Argentina	1,091	16,226	847	9,474	207	21,778	0	0	103	992	8,488				41,889	45,281	3,392	92.5%	59,206
Australia	6,321		0	22,945	60,415	0	0	0	0	0	0				83,360	87,402	4,042	95.4%	89,681
Barbados	0		0	576	2	0	0	0	0	0	0				578	7,371	6,793	7.8%	578
Belize	5,201		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	11,584	11,584	0.0%	5,201
Bolivia	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	8,424	8,424	0.0%	0
Brazil	0		10,574	41,034	49,309	32,866	8,334	0	0	3	0				142,120	152,691	10,571	93.1%	142,120
Colombia	4,773		1,242	3,778	2,412	2,254	3,086	3,909	3,805	2,972	-9,823				13,635	25,273	11,638	54.0%	18,408
Congo	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	7,258	7,258	0.0%	0
Costa Rica	6,876		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15,754	18				15,772	15,796	24	99.8%	22,648
Cote d'Ivoire	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	7,258	7,258	0.0%	0
Dominican Republic	0		235	471	0	0	470	12,161	31,499	71,067	38,140				154,043	185,335	31,292	83.1%	154,043
Ecuador	0	5,176	0	11,528	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				11,528	11,584	56	99.5%	16,704
El Salvador	6,426		0	0	0	26,150	0	0	0	0	1,229				27,379	27,379	0	100.0%	33,805
Fiji	3,923		9,034	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				9,034	9,477	443	95.3%	12,957
Gabon	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	7,258	7,258	0.0%	0
Guatemala	0		0	0	0	0	10,471	0	0	0	2,902				13,373	50,546	37,173	26.5%	13,373
Guyana	5,489		0	0	0	0	0	6,316	0	0	0				6,316	12,636	6,320	50.0%	11,805
Haiti	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	7,258	7,258	0.0%	0
Honduras	4,747		0	0	0	0	0	0	5,921	0	0				5,921	10,530	4,609	56.2%	10,668
India	208		1	0	5	27	7	3	2	123	125				293	8,424	8,131	3.5%	501
Jamaica	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,722	4,856				11,578	11,584	6	99.9%	11,578
Madagascar	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	7,258	7,258	0.0%	0
Malawi	5,431		5,010	71	555	177	225	235	419	140	0				6,832	10,530	3,698	64.9%	12,263
Mauritius	133	2,908	939	-613	2,365	1,201	2,430	1,379	830	700	1,013				10,244	12,636	2,392	81.1%	13,285
Mexico ^{2/}	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	7,258	7,258	0.0%	0
Mozambique	6,147		0	0	13,165	0	0	0	0	0	0				13,165	13,690	525	96.2%	19,312
Nicaragua	0		0	0	0	0	0	10,378	0	0	1,358				11,736	22,114	10,378	53.1%	11,736
Panama	0		0	0	0	0	0	7,334	298	8,771	2,913				19,316	30,538	11,222	63.3%	19,316
Papua New Guinea	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	7,258	7,258	0.0%	0
Paraguay	1,391		0	0	0	254	530	0	0	0	0				784	7,258	6,474	10.8%	2,175
Peru	32,444		0	24,984	6	12,804	0	2	0	0	78				37,874	43,175	5,301	87.7%	70,318
Philippines	0	57,719	0	0	0	0	0	30,870	0	0	27,783				58,653	142,160	83,507	41.3%	116,372
South Africa	6,450		24,220	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				24,220	24,220	0	100.0%	30,670
St. Kitts and Nevis	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	7,258	7,258	0.0%	0
Swaziland	7,565		16,848	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				16,848	16,849	1	100.0%	24,413
Taiwan	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	12,636	12,636	0.0%	0
Thailand	21,362		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	14,743	14,743	0.0%	21,362
Trinidad-Tobago	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	7,371	7,371	0.0%	0
Uruguay	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	7,258	7,258	0.0%	0
Zimbabwe	5,679		0	0	12,636	0	0	0	0	0	0				12,636	12,636	0	100.0%	18,315
Total	131,657	82,029	68,950	114,248	141,077	97,511	25,553	72,587	42,877	107,244	79,080				749,127	1,117,195	368,068	67.1%	962,813

Source: U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Weekly Quota Status Report.

^{1/} On June 30, 2017, USDA set the raw sugar TRQ at the minimum level to which the United States is committed in the Uruguay Round Agreement on Agriculture.

^{2/} For all sugar imports from Mexico, see Table 2, U.S. Imports of Sugar from Mexico.

Table 4 -- U.S. Refined Sugar Tariff-Rate Quota (TRQ) WTO Allocations and Entries By Month, Fiscal Year (FY) 2018

	Oct-17	Nov-17	Dec-17	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18	Jul-18	Aug-18	Sep-18	Fiscal Year 2018		
	10/30/2017	12/4/2017	1/2/2018	1/29/2018	3/5/2018	4/2/2018	4/30/2018	6/4/2018	7/2/2018	7/30/2018	9/4/2018	9/30/2018	Entries YTD	TRQ	Entries as Percent of TRQ
	<i>Metric Tons, Raw Value</i>														
Global Minimum	7,090	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			7,090	7,090	100%
Canada	411	1,232	1,885	1,286	1,942	1,847	545	468	514				10,130	10,300	98%
Mexico ^{1/}														2,954	0%
Specialty, WTO minimum ^{2/}	1,656	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				1,656	1,656	100%
Specialty, Additional ^{2/}	48,000	0	0	48,000	0	0	32,000	0	0				128,000	160,000	80%
Total	57,157	1,232	1,885	49,286	1,942	1,847	32,545	468	514				146,876	182,000	81%

Source: U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Weekly Quota Status Report.

1/ For all sugar imports from Mexico, see Table 2, U.S. Imports of Sugar from Mexico.

2/ The tranches of the FY 2018 specialty sugar TRQ open as follows in MTRV. See Federal Register notice of June 30, 2017, Vol. 82, No. 125, Page 29822.

Tranche 1	1,656	10/2/2017
Tranche 2	48,000	10/18/2017
Tranche 3	48,000	1/23/2018
Tranche 4	32,000	4/17/2018
Tranche 5	32,000	7/17/2018

Table 5 -- U.S. Sugar and Sugar-Containing Product Tariff-Rate Quotas (TRQs) Allocations and Entries by Month Under Other Free Trade Agreements^{1/}

	Oct-17	Nov-17	Dec-17	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18	Jul-18	Aug-18	Sep-18	FY 2018 Entries	CY 2018 Entries	CY 2018 TRQ
	10/30/2017	12/4/2017	1/2/2018	1/29/2018	3/5/2018	4/2/2018	4/30/2018	6/4/2018	7/2/2018	7/30/2018	9/4/2018	9/30/2018			
	<i>Metric Tons, Raw Value</i>														
CAFTA-DR, Total	3,519	120	1,669	10,417	9,846	6,729	10,697	14,973	34,516				92,486	84,651	135,460
Costa Rica	0	0	0	14	42	83	138	951	267				1,495	1,495	13,640
Costa Rica special ^{2/}	200	120	0	20	20	20	20	14	0				414	94	2,000
Dominican Republic ^{2/}	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0	0
El Salvador	334	0	0	2,480	4,452	1,956	1,441	3,388	12,757				26,808	26,474	34,680
Guatemala ^{3/}	2,485	0	1,309	7,563	4,852	4,550	3,992	9,415	7,345				41,511	35,190	47,940
Honduras	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,586	325	727				5,638	5,638	9,920
Nicaragua	500	0	360	340	480	120	520	880	13,420				16,620	15,760	27,280
Colombia	10,268	8,588	1,135	1,428	1,863	2,441	3,954	2,864	8,247				40,788	20,797	54,500
Panama, Total	0	0	0	0	616	284	142	1,500	-592				1,950	1,950	6,920
Panama, General ^{2/}	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0	0
Panama, Raw Sugar	0	0	0	0	616	284	142	1,500	-592				1,950	1,950	6,420
Panama, Specialty	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0	500
Peru, Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0	2,000
Peru ^{2/}	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0	0
Peru special	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0	2,000
Total	13,787	8,708	2,804	11,845	12,325	9,454	14,793	19,337	42,171				135,224	107,398	198,880

Source: U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Weekly Quota Status Report.

1/ These TRQs are established on a calendar year basis. See Federal Register Notice of December 28, 2017 for CY 2018.

2/ Determined not to have a trade surplus as defined under the Free Trade Agreements, and thus the CY 2018 TRQs are zero. See Federal Register Notice of December 28, 2017.

3/ Guatemala's January amount of 7,563 tons is the sum of the following: 5,036 tons for CY 2018 FTA sugar TRQ, and 2,527 tons granted a waiver to permit entry in January 2018.

Additional countries with which the United States has Free Trade Agreements covering sugar:

1) Singapore has unlimited access for originating sugar, but does not produce sugar.

2) Bahrain has unlimited access for originating sugar, but does not produce sugar.

3) Oman has unlimited access for originating sugar, but does not produce sugar.

4) Chile was determined to have no trade surplus as defined under the Free Trade Agreement, and thus the CY 2018 TRQ is zero. See Federal Register Notice of December 28, 2017.

5) Morocco was determined to have no trade surplus as defined under the Free Trade Agreement, and thus the CY 2018 TRQ is zero. See Federal Register Notice of December 28, 2017.

Table 6 -- U.S. Refined Sugar Reported for Export Credit Under the U.S. Refined Sugar Re-Export Program, Fiscal Year (FY) 2018 ^{1/}

	Oct-17	Nov-17	Dec-17	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18	Jul-18	Aug-18	Sep-18	Entries YTD
	<i>Metric Tons, Raw Value</i>												
Mexico	1,457	5,179	823	1,162	1,694	5,616	15,569	1,384	10,843				43,727
Canada	110	105	29	170	82	131	149	120	32				928
All Other Countries	1,486	1,267	1,525	1,339	1,229	1,694	1,502	1,234	924				12,200
Total	3,053	6,551	2,377	2,671	3,005	7,441	17,220	2,738	11,799				56,855

Source: USDA Foreign Agricultural Service.

1/ Reporting deadline is the end of the calendar quarter following the quarter in which the transaction occurs. Monthly totals are preliminary until after reporting deadline.

Table 7 -- U.S. Raw Sugar Imports Under the U.S. Sugar Re-Export Program, Fiscal Year (FY) 2018

	Oct-17	Nov-17	Dec-17	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18	Jul-18	Aug-18	Sep-18	Entries YTD
	<i>Metric Tons, Raw Value</i>												
Re-export sugar	57,557	1,288	27,846	6,840	56,401	10,977	0	16,234	19,509				196,652

Source: U.S. Customs and Border Protection.

Table 8A -- Fiscal Year 2018 Sugar Import Forecast ^{1/}

	TRQ	June	July	Change in Forecast, July vs June	June	July	Change in Forecast, July vs June
	MTRV	MTRV			STRV		
FY 2018 WTO Raw sugar TRQ:							
WTO Minimum Quantity	1,117,195	1,117,195	1,117,195	0	1,231,497	1,231,497	0
Shortfall (of FY 2018 sugar only)		-90,000	-90,000	0	-99,208	-99,208	0
FY 2017 TRQ Entered in FY 2018		213,686	213,686	0	235,548	235,548	0
Sub-Total WTO Raw Sugar TRQ	1,117,195	1,240,881	1,240,881	0	1,367,837	1,367,837	0
FY 2018 WTO Refined sugar TRQ:							
Canada Quantity	10,300	10,300	10,300	0	11,354	11,354	0
Mexico Quantity	2,954	0	0	0	0	0	0
Global Quantity	7,090	7,090	7,090	0	7,815	7,815	0
Specialty Sugar							
WTO Minimum Quantity	1,656	1,656	1,656	0	1,825	1,825	0
Additional Quantity	160,000	160,000	160,000	0	176,370	176,370	0
Sub-Total WTO Refined Sugar TRQ	182,000	179,046	179,046	0	197,364	197,364	0
Free Trade Agreements (Calendar Year TRQs):							
CAFTA/DR CY 2018	135,460						
Oct-Dec 2017		5,308	5,308	0	5,851	5,851	0
Jan-Sep 2018		121,914	121,914	0	134,387	134,387	0
Peru CY 2018	2,000						
Oct-Dec 2017		0	0	0	0	0	0
Jan-Sep 2018		0	0	0	0	0	0
Colombia CY 2018	54,500						
Oct-Dec 2017		19,991	19,991	0	22,036	22,036	0
Jan-Sep 2018		49,050	49,050	0	54,068	54,068	0
Panama CY 2018	6,920						
Oct-Dec 2017		0	0	0	0	0	0
Jan-Sep 2018		5,778	5,778	0	6,369	6,369	0
Sub-Total Free Trade Agreements	198,880	202,041	202,041	0	222,712	222,712	0
Total TRQ	1,498,075	1,621,968	1,621,968	0	1,787,914	1,787,914	0
Mexico ^{2/}		1,151,656	1,151,656	0	1,269,483	1,269,483	0
Re-export Program Imports ^{3/}		272,155	272,155	0	300,000	300,000	0
Sugar syrups, High-Tier		27,216	40,823	13,608	30,000	45,000	15,000
Total Projected Imports ^{4/}		3,072,995	3,086,602	13,608	3,387,397	3,402,397	15,000

Sources: US Census, US Customs and Border Protection.

1/ October 1, 2017 - September 30, 2018.

2/ All sugar covered by the scope of the U.S.-Mexico suspension agreement.

The projection of Mexico sugar exports to the United States includes 1,043 MTRV, reflecting sugar that was exported under a 2016/17 export license but recorded by the U.S. Census as imported in 2017/18.

3/ Includes sugar from Mexico imported for the U.S. sugar re-export program (HTS 1701.14.20), which is not covered by the scope of the suspension agreements.

4/ Totals may not add due to rounding.

Table 8B -- USDA Estimate of FY 2019 Sugar Imports (October 1, 2018 - September 30, 2019) ^{1/}

	TRQ	June	July	Change in Forecast July vs June	June	July	Change in Forecast July vs June
	<i>MTRV</i>	<i>MTRV</i>			<i>STRV</i>		
FY 2019 WTO Raw sugar TRQ:							
WTO Minimum Quantity	1,117,195	1,117,195	1,117,195	0	1,231,497	1,231,497	0
Shortfall		-90,000	-90,000	0	-99,208	-99,208	0
Sub-Total WTO Raw Sugar TRQ	1,117,195	1,027,195	1,027,195	0	1,132,289	1,132,289	0
FY 2019 WTO Refined sugar TRQ:							
Canada Quantity	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Mexico Quantity	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Global Quantity	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Specialty Sugar							
WTO Minimum Quantity	1,656	1,656	1,656	0	1,825	1,825	0
Additional Quantity	170,000	n/a	170,000	170,000	n/a	187,393	187,393
Sub-Total WTO Refined Sugar TRQ	192,000	22,000	189,046	167,046	24,251	208,388	184,137
Free Trade Agreements (Calendar Year TRQs):							
CAFTA/DR CY 2019	137,900						
Oct-Dec 2018		13,546	13,546	0	14,932	14,932	0
Jan-Sep 2019		117,790	117,790	0	129,841	129,841	0
Peru CY 2019	2,000						
Oct-Dec 2018		0	0	0	0	0	0
Jan-Sep 2019		0	0	0	0	0	0
Colombia CY 2019	55,250						
Oct-Dec 2018		5,450	5,450	0	6,008	6,008	0
Jan-Sep 2019		37,103	37,103	0	40,899	40,899	0
Panama CY 2019	6,980						
Oct-Dec 2018		642	642	0	708	708	0
Jan-Sep 2019		5,696	5,696	0	6,279	6,279	0
Sub-Total Free Trade Agreements	202,130	180,227	180,227	0	198,666	198,666	0
Total TRQ	1,511,325	1,229,422	1,396,468	167,046	1,355,206	1,539,343	184,137
Mexico ^{2/}		1,492,319	1,501,754	9,435	1,645,000	1,655,400	10,400
Re-export Program Imports ^{3/}		317,515	317,515	0	350,000	350,000	0
Sugar syrups, High-Tier		13,608	13,608	0	15,000	15,000	0
Total Projected Imports ^{4/}		3,052,864	3,229,345	176,481	3,365,206	3,559,743	194,537

Source:

1/ October 1, 2018 - September 30, 2019.

2/ All sugar covered by the scope of the U.S.-Mexico suspension agreement.

3/ Includes sugar from Mexico imported for the U.S. sugar re-export program (HTS 1701.14.20), which is not covered by the scope of the suspension agreements.

4/ Totals may not add due to rounding.

Table 9 -- U.S. Sugar Re-Export Program License Balances and Transactions, Fiscal Years (October 1 - September 30)

Fiscal Year by Quarter ^{5/}	Refiners				Sugar-Containing Product			Polyhydric Alcohol		
	Metric tons raw value				Short tons, refined sugar			Short tons, refined sugar		
	Refiner Beginning Balances ^{1/}	Imports	Export Credits	Transfers to SCP and Poly Licenses	SCP Beginning Balances ^{3/}	Transfers from Licensed Refiners	Export Credits	POLY Beginning Balances ^{4/}	Transfers from Licensed Refiners	Used to make Polyhydric Alcohols
FY 2014:										
October-December	135,542	15	48,936	22,486	-156,052	19,480	53,708	-3,271	3,688	6,632
January-March	64,135	32,582	128,062	51,048	-190,280	48,395	53,746	-6,216	4,211	3,267
April-June	-82,392	91,432	56,216	78,109	-195,631	75,006	53,378	-5,271	5,487	5,241
July-September	-125,286	154,970	33,620	84,510	-174,004	79,538	59,615	-5,026	7,574	6,273
Total		278,999	266,834	236,153		222,418	220,446		20,959	21,414
FY 2015:										
October-December	-88,447	84,433	23,374	72,892	-154,080	69,685	61,808	-3,726	5,440	5,286
January-March	-100,280	193,809	44,476	75,023	-146,202	72,482	64,798	-3,572	4,903	4,819
April-June	-25,970	44,820	37,566	74,274	-138,519	70,783	67,644	-3,488	5,861	6,282
July-September	-92,990	104,841	37,207	67,843	-135,379	63,721	68,672	-3,909	6,317	5,689
Total		427,903	142,624	290,031		276,672	262,923		22,521	22,076
FY 2016:										
October-December	-93,199	86,329	36,104	61,723	-140,331	58,073	67,244	-3,281	5,622	5,965
January-March	-104,697	56,298	21,049	75,977	-149,502	72,097	60,613	-3,624	5,972	7,347
April-June	-145,425	104,756	12,803	65,253	-138,017	61,014	62,952	-4,999	6,306	6,890
July-September	-118,725	113,245	5,019	63,939	-139,956	59,805	64,980	-5,584	6,161	8,210
Total		360,628	74,976	266,892		250,989	255,790		24,061	28,412
FY 2017:										
October-December	-74,439	99,208	9,330	67,354	-145,131	63,799	70,406	-7,632	5,630	7,339
January-March	-51,915	21,320	9,196	81,047	-151,738	77,280	66,155	-9,341	6,338	9,314
April-June	-120,838	122,343	11,741	113,114	-140,614	111,345	66,758	-12,317	6,026	5,325
July-September	-123,350	138,952	34,229	91,309	-96,026	87,145	67,186	-11,616	7,122	6,551
Total		381,824	64,496	352,824		339,569	270,504		25,116	28,528
FY 2018:										
October-December	-109,936	86,691	11,981	55,354	-76,066	51,513	69,137	-11,045	5,695	5,580
January-March	-90,579	67,377	13,117	56,391	-93,690	52,368	61,033	-10,931	5,907	5,454
April-June	-92,709	NA	NA	NA	-102,355	NA	NA	-10,477	NA	NA
Summary by Fiscal Year:										
FY 2009	-35,172	282,237	138,228	136,097	-119,832	124,042	172,227	-7,774	16,409	15,557
FY 2010	-27,260	410,358	188,227	240,645	-168,069	229,528	192,834	-6,922	18,550	17,560
FY 2011	-45,775	264,093	199,195	212,326	-131,375	199,167	198,973	-5,931	20,451	13,821
FY 2012	-193,203	610,930	263,208	178,584	-131,230	162,998	200,271	699	21,613	32,572
FY 2013 ^{2/}	-24,065	654,401	244,646	250,148	-169,810	217,165	203,406	-10,260	27,146	20,158
FY 2014	135,542	278,999	266,834	236,153	-156,052	222,418	220,446	-3,271	20,959	21,414
FY 2015	-88,447	427,903	142,624	290,031	-154,080	276,672	262,923	-3,726	22,521	22,076
FY 2016	-93,199	360,628	74,976	266,892	-140,331	250,989	255,790	-3,281	24,061	28,412
FY 2017	-74,439	381,824	64,496	352,824	-145,131	339,569	270,504	-7,632	25,116	28,528
FY 2018 ^{6/}	-109,936	NA	NA	230,000	-76,066	NA	NA	-11,045	NA	NA
FY 2019 ^{7/}				314,212						

NA = data not available.

1/ A negative balance indicates that cumulative exports and transfers exceed cumulative imports. A positive balance indicates that cumulative imports exceed cumulative exports and transfers.

2/ The July-Sept. amount of 536,285 in "Refiners Imports" is the sum of the following: imports, 6,175 MTRV; exchange of CCC-owned sugar for credits, 516,981 MTRV; transfers between refiners, 13,129 MTRV.

3/ A negative balance indicates that cumulative exports exceed cumulative transfers from refiners. A positive balance indicates that cumulative transfers from refiners exceed cumulative exports.

4/ A negative balance indicates that cumulative use exceeds cumulative transfers from refiners. A positive balance indicates that cumulative transfers from refiners exceed cumulative use.

5/ Balances may vary slightly from previously published figures due to corrections or adjustments to reported transactions.

6/ Forecast for refiner transfers is based on FY 2018 pace to date.

7/ Forecast for refiner transfers is based on a linear trend of FY 2009-2017 of combined SCP exports and Polyhydric use.

Table 10 -- U.S. Sugar-Containing Products^{1/} Tariff-Rate Quota (TRQ) Allocations and Entries By Month, Fiscal Year (FY) 2018

	Oct-17	Nov-17	Dec-17	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18	Jul-18	Aug-18	Sep-18	-----Fiscal Year 2018-----		
	10/30/2017	12/4/2017	1/2/2018	#####	3/5/2018	4/2/2018	4/30/2018	6/4/2018	7/2/2018	7/30/2018	9/4/2018	9/30/2018	Entries YTD	TRQ	Entries as percent of TRQ
	<i>Metric Tons</i>														
Canada	327	1,291	4,903	3,268	840	4,369	5,077	6,615	5,147				31,837	59,250	54%
Other Countries	623	883	966	718	162	623	697	787	0				5,459	5,459	100%
Total	950	2,174	5,869	3,986	1,002	4,992	5,774	7,402	5,147				37,296	64,709	58%

Source: U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Weekly Quota Status Report.

1/ Authorized under Additional U.S. Note 8 of Chapter 17 of the U.S. Harmonized Tariff Schedule: 59,250 MT to Canada, and 5,459 MT to other countries on a first-come, first-served basis.