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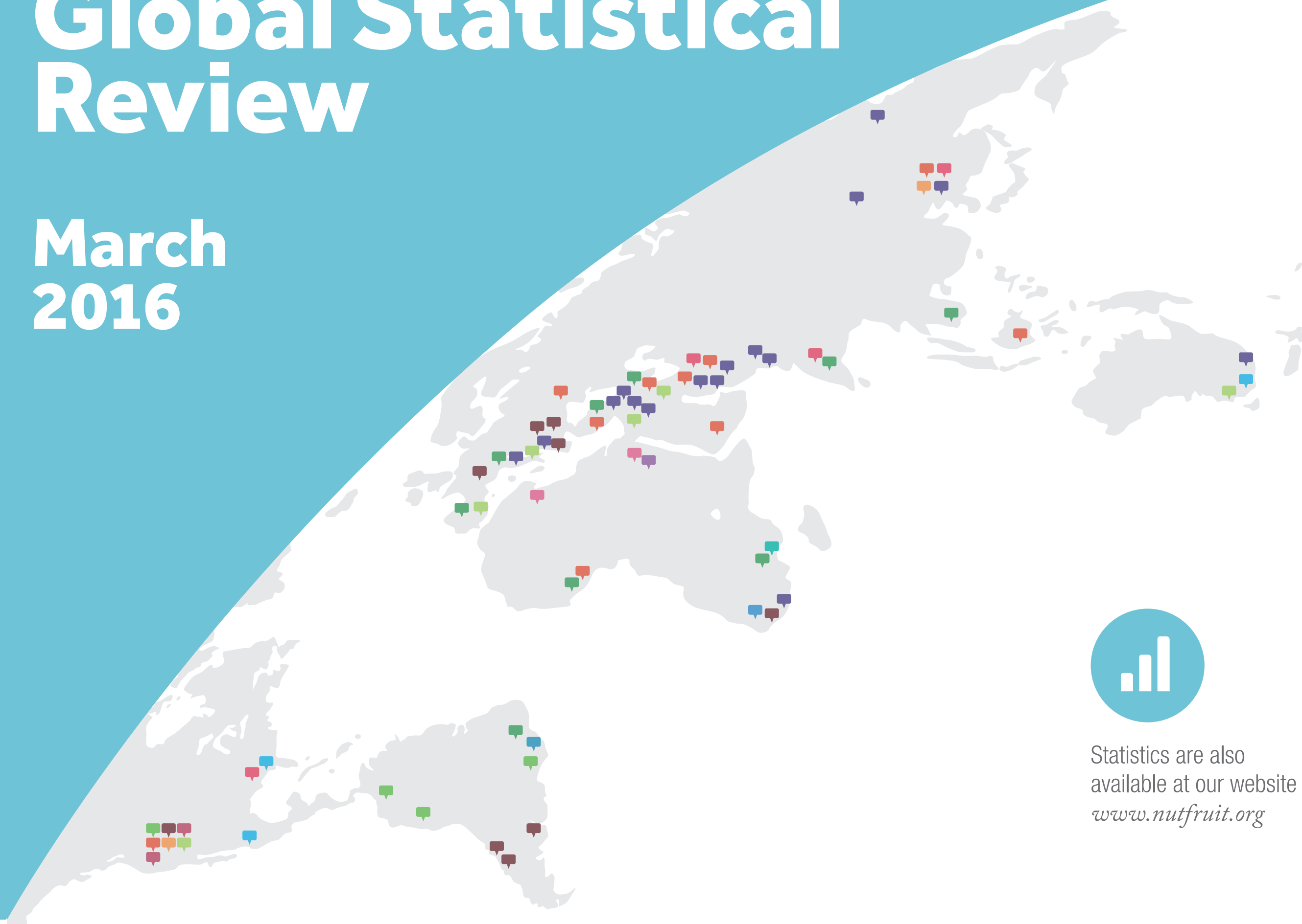

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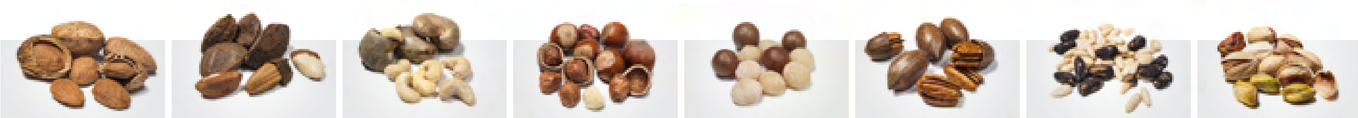
Map shows 5 top producing countries. Other major producers listed below.

Main producing countries



Almonds	USA	Greece
	Australia	Chile
	Spain	Morocco
	Iran	Italy
	Turkey	Syria
	Tunisia	
Brazil Nuts	Bolivia	
	Peru	
	Brazil	
Cashews	India	Tanzania
	Cote d'Ivoire	Benin
	Vietnam	Nigeria
	Guinea-Bissau	Indonesia
	Brazil	Cambodia
Hazelnuts	Turkey	Spain
	Italy	France
	USA	China
	Georgia	Iran
	Azerbaijan	Chile
Macadamias	South Africa	Brazil
	Australia	China
	Kenya	Colombia
	USA	New Zealand
	Guatemala	Swaziland
	Malawi	
Pecans	USA	
	Mexico	
	South Africa	
	Australia	
Pine Nuts	China	Russia
	DPR Korea	Spain
	Pakistan	Turkey
	Afghanistan	Portugal
	Mongolia	Italy
Pistachios	USA	China
	Iran	Greece
	Turkey	Italy
	Syria	Australia
	Afghanistan	

Walnuts	China	Moldava
	USA	India
	Iran	Romania
	Turkey	Hungary
	Ukraine	Italy
	Chile	Georgia
	France	Australia
Peanuts	China	Senegal
	India	Vietnam
	USA	Ghana
	Nigeria	Brazil
	Indonesia	Nicaragua
	Argentina	
Dates	Saudi Arabia	Sudan
	Egypt	Oman
	Iran	Tunisia
	UAE	Morocco
	Pakistan	Libya
	Algeria	Israel
	Iraq	USA
Dried Apricots	Turkey	
	Iran	
	China	
	USA	
	South Africa	
	Australia	
Dried Cranberries	USA	
	Canada	
	Chile	
Dried Figs	Turkey	Greece
	Egypt	Spain
	Iran	Italy
	USA	
Prunes	USA	Serbia
	Chile	Australia
	France	Italy
	Argentina	South Africa
Raisins Sultanas Currants	USA	Uzbekistan
	Turkey	Greece
	Iran	Australia
	China	Argentina
	India	South Africa
	Chile	

Listed by global production as per FAO but not necessarily meaning quantities going through commercial channels.

ALMONDS

杏仁 / ALMENDRA / AMANDE / MANDORLE / MANDEL / BADEM

USA. Almond receipts through 31 December 2015 of 839,219 metric tons (1.85 billion pounds) were 2.5% above the USDA NASS almond forecast of 816,417 MT. Huller/Sheller operations efficiencies continue to increase, resulting in shorter harvest time.

Overall shipments were down 12% according to the December 2015 Position Report. The number one export destination was China at 31,820 MT (70 million pounds), down 12% from last year, followed by India with 30,410 MT (67 million pounds; down 1% from last year) and Spain with 29,040 MT (64 million pounds, up 14% from last year). Domestic shipments were down 6.4% compared to the same time period last year.

California is looking forward to the 2016 crop with bees arriving to orchards and the bloom about to begin.

AUSTRALIA. The Australian almond industry recorded export sales of 60,593 MT for the 2015 calendar year. This tonnage delivered a value of approximately $AUD 750 million which was 74% higher than for the same period the previous year. For the Australian crop year to date –i.e. from March to December 2015– exports increased by 10,842 MT or 23%, up from 47,049 MT in 2014 to 57,891 MT in 2015.

The forecast 2016 Australian almond crop is 73,200 MT which is 9% down from the record 2015 crop of 80,500 MT. An inconsistent pollination across the production regions and crop losses to frost, hail and wind damaged trees, particularly to young trees, has reduced the forecast crop in 2016.

SPAIN. The Spanish almond crop is fully harvested and slightly reduced from the initial estimate after a very dry and hot summer. The mean size has been very nice, providing averages on the 23/35 - 27/30. Export sales (mainly to EU countries) were extremely good during the Christmas season, providing a good liquidity to the market. The remaining stocks started to be limited at end of January and offers were limited at pre-blooming. The winter has been dry with mild temperatures which are not the best conditions -an early blooming is expected.

Estimated World Almond Production. Kernel Basis · Metric Tons.

Country	2014/2015				2015/2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
USA* MM lbs	351	1,837	2,188	377	377	1,850	2,227	331
USA*	159,545	835,000	994,545	171,364	171,364	839,219	1,010,583	150,455
AUSTRALIA	1,000	66,300	67,300	1,000	1,000	80,500	81,500	1,000
SPAIN	2,000	60,750	62,750	500	500	64,500	65,000	2,000
IRAN	0	15,000	15,000	0	0	15,000	15,000	0
TUNISIA	500	14,000	14,500	0	0	15,000	15,000	0
TURKEY	0	10,000	10,000	0	0	13,000	13,000	0
CHILE	0	10,000	10,000	0	0	13,000	13,000	0
MOROCCO	0	9,000	9,000	0	0	11,000	11,000	0
ITALY	0	9,000	9,000	0	0	7,500	7,500	0
GREECE	0	5,000	5,000	0	0	4,000	4,000	0
OTHERS	0	30,000	30,000	0	0	30,000	30,000	0
WORLD TOTAL	**163,045**	**1,064,050**	**1,227,095**	**172,864**	**172,864**	**1,092,719**	**1,265,583**	**153,455**
WORLD CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**1,054,232**				**1,112,128**

*USA Crop accounts for 2.0% inedible & process loss. Source: Almond Board of California, Almond Board of Australia, Greek Nut Association and other INC sources.

California Almond Exports.
August-December 2015.
Metric Tons

	Aug-Dec 2015 (MT)	% Change from Last Year
Western Europe	**82,964**	**-7%**
Spain	29,042	14%
Germany	16,241	-34%
Italy	9,753	21%
Netherlands	6,818	-32%
UK	5,231	2%
France	3,916	-1%
Belgium	3,621	-7%
Central/E.Europe	**2,473**	**-41%**
Asia-Pacific	**91,233**	**-12%**
China	31,823	-12%
India	30,410	-1%
Japan	11,764	4%
S. Korea	6,697	-32%
Vietnam	4,545	-41%
Middle East	**17,531**	**-39%**
UAE	6,332	-61%
Turkey	5,357	-30%
Total Exports	**209,090**	**-15%**
Domestic	**111,901**	**-6%**

Source: Almond Board of California.

BRAZIL NUTS

巴西果 / COQUITO DE BRASIL / NOIX DE VRESIL / NOCE DE BRASILE / PARANUSS / BREZILYA FINGIGI

The collection and processing of Brazil nuts during 2015 had a stable year. The rains were sufficient to start the harvest but were not too heavy and did not last too long to block the roads. Although the port in Arica did close a number of times during the year due to high swells, strikes and an earthquake none of these had a dramatic effect on the shipment schedules.

The weakness of the Brazilian Real against the dollar allowed for an increase of raw material trade between Bolivia and Brazil further increasing the material available for export. The Brazilian producers found more attractive to export their material than sell it locally. In 2015, Brazil increased their exports from 800 MT in 2014 to over 3,000 MT in 2015, with the majority of this increase went to US, which increased its imports from 450 MT in 2014 to 1,500 MT in 2015.

The 2015/16 harvest started in December and although In Shell Raw Material prices started low it climbed very quickly. The increasing price of raw material coupled with a falling export price is pushing factories below the cost of production and is unsustainable.

Although traditionally Brazil Nut In shell prices do not reduce during the year some factories have stopped buying In Shell Brazil nuts as they have been out priced of the market. If this equilibrium between raw material and export prices is not found some factories will be forced to process less or not process at all which in turn will affect the total availability of material.

According to the National Institute of Statistics of Bolivia, the country exported 23,944 metric tons of Brazil nuts from January to November 2015, accounting for 179 million USD.

Estimated World Amazonia (Brazil) Nut Production. Kernel Basis · Metric Tons · Conversation rate 1:3

Country	2014/2015				2015/2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
BOLIVIA	2,550	21,450	24,000	1,500	1,500	22,000	23,500	1,500
PERU	150	4,000	4,150	150	150	4,500	4,650	150
BRAZIL	100	3,050	3,150	100	100	3,465	3,565	100
WORLD TOTAL	**2,800**	**28,500**	**31,300**	**1,750**	**1,750**	**29,965**	**31,715**	**1,750**
WORLD CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**29,550**				**29,965**

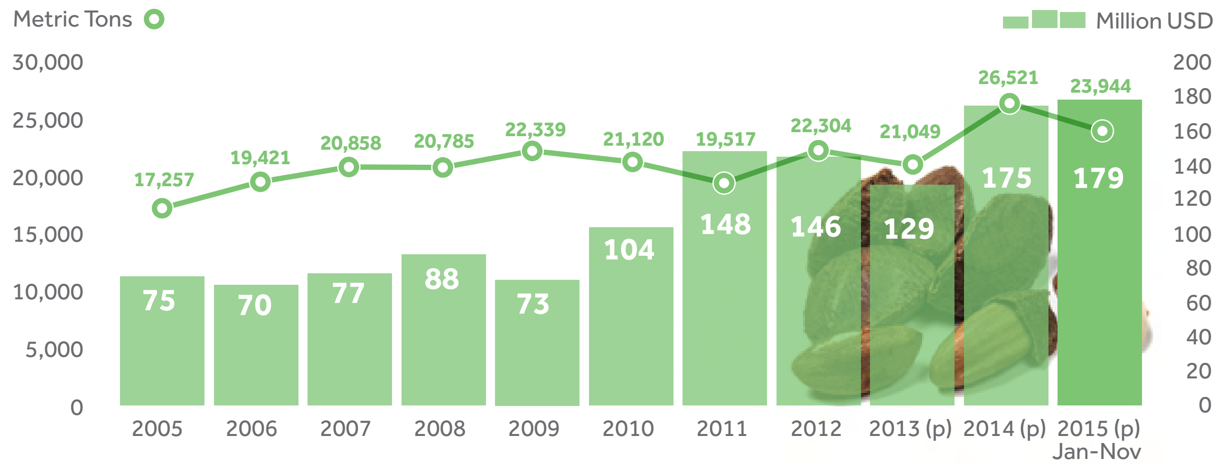
Source: INC.

In-shell Basis · Metric Tons

Country	2014/2015				2015/2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
BOLIVIA	7,650	64,350	72,000	4,500	4,500	66,000	70,500	4,500
PERU	450	12,000	12,450	450	450	13,500	13,950	450
BRAZIL	300	9,150	9,450	300	300	10,395	10,695	300
WORLD TOTAL	**8,400**	**85,500**	**93,900**	**5,250**	**5,250**	**89,895**	**95,145**	**5,250**
WORLD CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End, Stock)				**88,650**				**89,895**

Source: INC.

Bolivia's Exports of Brazil Nuts



Source: National Insitute of Statistics of Bolivia and Bolivian Institute of Foreign Trade. (p): Preliminary Data.

CASHEWS

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The cashew market remained steady over the last months. Trade volumes were very low. However, rawseed sellers were offering rawnuts from East Africa at very high levels, with very few takers. This mismatch between raw seed price expectations and kernel price levels brought the trade to a virtual stand still. The crop in the Northern Hemisphere is expected is starting in February-March. The conditions may be favorable for a normal crop. Although price expectation at origin continue to be high, it may ease when crop arrivals pick-up.

Overall, the African continent has seen an increase in cashew production from 1.2 million metric tons to 1.8 million MT in the 2015/16 season. According to the African Cashew Alliance, West Africa registered an increment of 175,000 MT. Meanwhile, Guinea-Bissau –the second largest producer of raw cashew nut (RCN) in Africa– saw an increase in production by 60,000 MT.

In contrast, Nigeria and Benin only witnessed a slight increase in their production by 30,000 MT and 10,000 MT respectively. On the contrary, in East Africa, Kenya's crop suffered a decrease from 15,000 MT to 6,000 MT due to unfavorable weather conditions and lack of access to agricultural inputs.

Approximately 90% of African RCN (about 1.5 million MT) supplies processors in India, Vietnam, and Brazil. In turn, 10% (about 27,000 MT) of this processed cashew kernel is supplied to consumers in Europe and North America.

Meanwhile, in Brazil, the estimate for the current crop has been slightly reduced to 30,000 MT (kernel basis) slightly better than last year, although still very low. The industry saw certain improvements in arrivals, mainly from the Southern states, whose crop arrived in January –the last month of the harvest. In Ceará the rains started well, but the sector needs a lot of rain after four long years of drought. The peak month of the rainy season is usually April.

There are now only four shellers still active in Brazil; the economic and political situation has led to a large devaluation of the local currency, which has brought operating costs down considerably in USD terms. Despite that, the local market continues strong –especially the chocolate market.

Estimated World Cashew Production. Kernel Basis · Metric Tons.

Country	2014/2015				2015/2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
INDIA	n/a	175,476	175,476	n/a	n/a	172,719	172,719	n/a
COTE D'IVOIRE	n/a	161,111	161,111	n/a	n/a	171,111	171,111	n/a
VIETNAM	n/a	119,048	119,048	n/a	n/a	113,095	113,095	n/a
GUINEA-BISSAU	n/a	48,889	48,889	n/a	n/a	52,889	52,889	n/a
NIGERIA	n/a	34,444	34,444	n/a	n/a	36,889	36,889	n/a
BRAZIL	n/a	25,000	25,000	n/a	n/a	33,000	33,000	n/a
BENIN	n/a	30,000	30,000	n/a	n/a	32,000	32,000	n/a
TANZANIA	n/a	32,222	32,222	n/a	n/a	31,111	31,111	n/a
CAMBODIA	n/a	19,048	19,048	n/a	n/a	19,048	19,048	n/a
BURKINA FASO	n/a	16,667	16,667	n/a	n/a	18,222	18,222	n/a
GHANA	n/a	13,333	13,333	n/a	n/a	15,333	15,333	n/a
INDONESIA	n/a	12,000	12,000	n/a	n/a	12,000	12,000	n/a
SENEGAL	n/a	10,444	10,444	n/a	n/a	11,778	11,778	n/a
MOZAMBIQUE	n/a	7,778	7,778	n/a	n/a	7,778	7,778	n/a
GAMBIA	n/a	1,778	1,778	n/a	n/a	2,444	2,444	n/a
KENYA	n/a	1,111	1,111	n/a	n/a	1,111	1,111	n/a
OTHERS	n/a	8,333	8,333	n/a	n/a	8,333	8,333	n/a
WORLD TOTAL	**n/a**	**716,682**	**716,682**	**n/a**	**n/a**	**738,861**	**738,861**	**n/a**
WORLD CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**716,682**				**738,861**

Source: Global Cashew Council and INC.

India. Cashew Data

Exports (kernels)	2015
Quantity (MT)	99,867
Value (Million US$)	771
Imports (rawnuts)	
Quantity (MT)	961,930
Value (Million US$)	1,304

Major Destinations

Kernel Exports (%)	2015
USA	26
UAE	14
Japan	9.2
Netherlands	6
UK	2.1

Source: Cashew Export Promotion Council of India.

HAZELNUTS

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TURKEY: After an expected reluctant release from farmer's side, TL based prices climbed from 22.50 to 28.00 TL in the first 3 months of the season. However, due to the disciplined procurement activity by mostly European based confectionary sector, prices started a smooth landing first to 24 TL in the holiday season and later to the season start levels in the first half of January. Export performance indicates that the expected carry over levels will be realized by the end of the season, so the crop will be sufficient, if there is no severe damage to the next crop year until April.

Cold weather front and snow in the first half of January also satisfied the orchards in terms of the water supply and cold period requirement for the hazelnut trees.

The market estimates that farmers are still holding significant quantities, which are expected to be released depending on the projected performance of the next crop.

Estimated World Hazelnut Production. Kernel Basis · Metric Tons.

Country	2014/2015				2015/2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
TURKEY	32,500	250,000	282,500	15,000	15,000	342,500	357,500	37,500
ITALY	2,250	36,000	38,250	450	450	58,500	58,950	1,350
GEORGIA	800	15,200	16,000	0	0	24,000	24,000	400
AZERBAIJAN	1,200	12,000	13,200	0	0	16,000	16,000	400
USA	2,115	15,750	17,865	220	220	11,500	11,720	450
SPAIN	480	8,640	9,120	240	240	10,560	10,800	240
CHILE	0	5,850	5,850	0	0	6,750	6,750	0
FRANCE	480	4,800	5,280	240	240	4,800	5,040	0
IRAN	0	4,500	4,500	0	0	4,500	4,500	0
CHINA	0	2,250	2,250	0	0	2,250	2,250	0
OTHERS	0	2,250	2,250	0	0	6,750	6,750	0
WORLD TOTAL	**39,825**	**357,240**	**397,065**	**16,150**	**16,150**	**488,110**	**504,260**	**40,340**
WORLD CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**380,915**				**463,920**

Source: INC.

In-shell Basis · Metric Tons.

Country	2014/2015				2015/2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
TURKEY	65,000	500,000	565,000	30,000	30,000	685,000	715,000	75,000
ITALY	5,000	80,000	85,000	1,000	1,000	130,000	131,000	3,000
GEORGIA	2,000	38,000	40,000	0	0	60,000	60,000	1,000
AZERBAIJAN	3,000	30,000	33,000	0	0	40,000	40,000	1,000
USA	4,700	35,000	39,700	500	500	27,850	28,350	1,000
SPAIN	1,000	18,000	19,000	500	500	22,000	22,500	500
CHILE	0	13,000	13,000	0	0	15,000	15,000	0
FRANCE	1,000	10,000	11,000	500	500	10,000	10,500	0
IRAN	0	10,000	10,000	0	0	10,000	10,000	0
CHINA	0	5,000	5,000	0	0	5,000	5,000	0
OTHERS	0	5,000	5,000	0	0	15,000	15,000	0
WORLD TOTAL	**81,700**	**744,000**	**825,700**	**32,500**	**32,500**	**1,019,850**	**1,052,350**	**81,500**
WORLD CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**793,200**				**970,850**

Source: INC.

MACADAMIAS

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AUSTRALIA. The season has had a sound start with a strong flowering, a good nut set and follow-up rains. However some localised severe weather in the northern rivers and recent dry conditions in south east Queensland are likely to have some effect on the final crop. There has also been significant insect pressure through much of the northern rivers of NSW, particularly Sigastus weevil. It is not possible to accurately estimate the impact of this across the national crop but yield loss has been significant in some cases.

Early indications are that the 2016 crop will be similar to 2015. Exports are anticipated to account for over 70% of the crop with an expected 25% of the crop exported as in-shell. Demand remains strong across all major markets both for kernel and in-shell with Asia continuing to show the strongest growth.

SOUTH AFRICA. The South African macadamia industry's crop forecast for 2016 is 43,000 MT in-shell (1.5% kernel moisture) according to the Southern African Macadamia Growers' Association. This figure is 7% down on the 2015 crop due to unusually hot and dry weather conditions, as well as hail in some production regions. At least 1,000 ha of new plantings are expected in 2016 to add to the existing 20,000.

Fifty-two percent of the 2015 crop was exported as in-shell; the rest was processed to kernel. The international kernel market remains strong and demand is expected to increase due to persistent coordinated marketing strategies, implemented by many processors during the 2015 season. The additional NIS processed to kernel after the sudden drop in demand from China for NIS drove the kernel market to expand. The demand for NIS recovered and the Chinese market is expected to absorb a large portion of the South African product.

South Africa is implementing a minimum standard for the export of NIS in the 2016 season, which is expected to have a positive impact on the quality of products reaching the markets.

Estimated World Macadamia Production. Kernel Basis · Metric Tons.

Country	2015				2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
AUSTRALIA	0	13,500	13,500	0	0	13,200	13,200	n/a
SOUTH AFRICA	50	12,900	12,950	115	115	12,000	12,115	n/a
KENYA	0	8,846	8,846	0	0	7,372	7,372	n/a
USA	0	3,600	3,600	0	0	3,600	3,600	n/a
GUATEMALA	0	1,800	1,800	0	0	1,800	1,800	n/a
MALAWI	0	1,839	1,839	0	0	1,781	1,781	n/a
CHINA	0	1,540	1,540	0	0	1,540	1,540	n/a
BRAZIL	0	1,250	1,250	0	0	1,500	1,500	n/a
COLOMBIA	0	250	250	0	0	250	250	n/a
NEW ZEALAND	0	150	150	0	0	150	150	n/a
SWAZILAND	0	7	7	0	0	7	7	n/a
OTHERS	0	1,000	1,000	0	0	1,000	1,000	n/a
WORLD TOTAL	**50**	**46,682**	**46,732**	**115**	**115**	**44,200**	**44,315**	**n/a**
WORLD CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**46,617**				

In-shell Basis · Metric Tons.

Country	2015				2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
AUSTRALIA	0	45,100	45,100	0	0	44,000	44,000	n/a
SOUTH AFRICA	178	46,000	46,178	412	412	43,000	43,412	n/a
KENYA	0	33,000	33,000	0	0	27,500	27,500	n/a
USA	0	15,668	15,668	0	0	15,668	15,668	n/a
GUATEMALA	0	8,867	8,867	0	0	9,050	9,050	n/a
MALAWI	0	7,401	7,401	0	0	7,304	7,304	n/a
CHINA	0	5,000	5,000	0	0	5,000	5,000	n/a
BRAZIL	0	5,167	5,167	0	0	5,596	5,596	n/a
COLOMBIA	0	1,000	1,000	0	0	1,000	1,000	n/a
NEW ZEALAND	0	600	600	0	0	600	600	n/a
SWAZILAND	0	110	110	0	0	110	110	n/a
OTHERS	0	4,000	4,000	0	0	4,000	4,000	n/a
WORLD TOTAL	**178**	**171,913**	**172,091**	**412**	**412**	**162,828**	**163,240**	**n/a**
WORLD CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**171,679**				

Reported at 3.5% NIS moisture content. Source: Australian Macadamia Society, Southern African Macadamia Growers' Association, Tree Nut Growers Association of Malawi, China Chamber of Commerce for Imports and Exports of Foodstuffs, and other INC Sources.

PECANS

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USA AND MEXICO. Weather continues to create problems for the pecan harvest. Continuous rain and snow throughout the USA and Mexican growing regions have caused severe flooding and have made harvesting a real challenge for most growers. What many had projected to be a strong quantity and quality crop has turned into a short crop with many quality issues in parts of the growing regions. As a result, field prices continue to climb and are closing in on the record high levels experienced during the 2010 and 2011 growing seasons.

Worldwide pecan consumption continued to be strong through November, with 2015 export shipments at record levels. Early shipments from Mexico and USA to China and Hong Kong have been on par with the past several years but with very little in shell remaining available to purchase at grower level, the industry anticipates a decline in total crop year shipments to this area. It could be down 30-40% for the entire crop year.

The smaller than anticipated crop size and high field prices have led to higher kernel prices for both halves and pieces. Kernel prices have been 35-50% higher than the same period a year ago. The price gap between halves and pieces has narrowed considerably, reflecting low inventories for both halves and pieces.

SOUTH AFRICA. South Africa had a disappointing crop in 2015 despite earlier expectations of a crop in the region of 15,000 metric tons. The main cause for this is that many of the new plantings coming into production were not productive as expected in 2015 due to the abnormally dry weather and substantial farm theft. The smaller crop however did result in larger inshell sizes and therefore most of the crop was exported to China on an inshell basis. Considering the tightening in the market there was also strong interest from the USA for both inshell and pecan kernel. The result was a climb in prices at farm gate level as the season progressed to near record highs. The outlook for the 2016 crop remains positive but could well be influenced by the continuing drought.

Estimated World Pecan Production. Kernel Basis. Metric Tons.

Country	2014/2015				2015/2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
USA	34,250	53,155	87,406	21,954	21,954	52,889	74,844	16,965
MEXICO	2,000	61,463	63,463	1,250	1,250	40,824	42,074	1,500
SOUTH AFRICA	16	5,724	5,740	0	0	5,380	5,380	0
AUSTRALIA	104	1,248	1,352	0	0	1,716	1,716	104
OTHERS	0	750	750	0	0	900	900	0
WORLD TOTAL	**36,370**	**122,340**	**158,710**	**23,204**	**23,204**	**101,708**	**124,913**	**18,569**
WORLD CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**135,506**				**106,344**

Source: INC.

In-shell Basis. Metric Tons.

Country	2014/2015				2015/2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
USA	77,842	120,807	198,649	49,896	49,896	120,203	170,099	38,556
MEXICO	4,000	122,925	126,925	2,500	2,500	81,647	84,147	3,000
SOUTH AFRICA	30	10,800	10,830	0	0	10,150	10,150	0
AUSTRALIA	200	2,400	2,600	0	0	3,300	3,300	200
OTHERS	0	1,500	1,500	0	0	1,800	1,800	0
WORLD TOTAL	**82,072**	**258,432**	**340,504**	**52,396**	**52,396**	**217,100**	**269,496**	**41,756**
WORLD CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**288,108**				**227,740**

Source: INC.

PINE NUTS

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CHINA. Pine nut production in China in 2015 is unchanged at 5,000 metric tons -a small crop as forecasted in the Pine Nut Seminar held in Guangzhou, last August. Exports preformed well in September and October, but remained flat in November and December. With the Chinese New Year and Spring Festival approaching, a thin market is expected.

According to the China Chamber of Commerce for Imports and Exports of Foodstuffs, China is expected to witness a slight devaluation of its currency this year, which would be favorable for the EU market. Pine nut prices from China are expected to be normal.

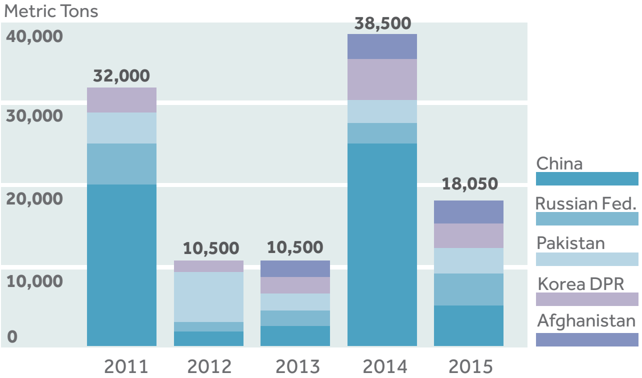
MEDITERRANEAN BASIN. Turkey's pine nut production has been revised lower 130 MT to 280, off from the 400 MT recorded in 2014. Despite that, overall production in the Mediterranean Basin remained steady at 1,525 MT, with significant increases in Portugal and Spain.

Estimated World Pine Nut Production. Kernel Basis · Metric Tons.

Country	2014/2015				2015/2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
FAR EAST								
CHINA	500	25,000	25,500	12,000	12,000	5,000	17,000	1,650
RUSSIA	100	2,500	2,600	50	50	4,050	4,100	50
NORTH KOREA	100	5,000	5,100	200	200	3,000	3,200	200
PAKISTAN	100	3,000	3,100	100	100	3,000	3,100	100
AFGHANISTAN	100	3,000	3,100	100	100	3,000	3,100	100
SUBTOTAL	**900**	**38,500**	**39,400**	**12,450**	**12,450**	**18,050**	**30,500**	**2,100**
MEDITERRANEAN (Pinus pinea)								
PORTUGAL	0	360	360	55	55	485	540	250
ITALY	0	350	350	150	150	360	510	150
TURKEY	0	400	400	100	100	280	380	100
SPAIN	0	300	300	0	0	350	350	0
OTHERS	0	40	40	0	0	50	50	0
SUBTOTAL	**0**	**1,450**	**1,450**	**305**	**305**	**1,525**	**1,830**	**500**
WORLD TOTAL	**900**	**39,950**	**40,850**	**12,755**	**12,755**	**19,575**	**32,330**	**2,600**
WORLD CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**28,095**				**29,730**

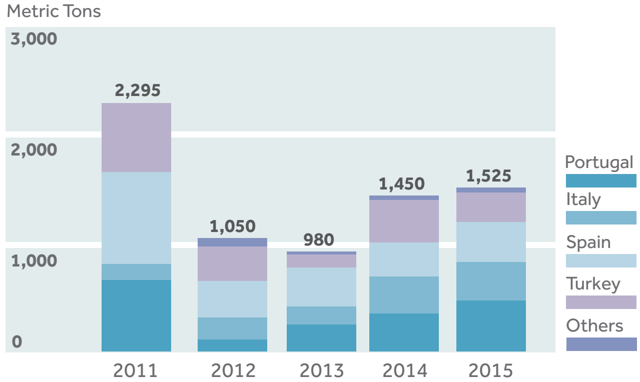
Source: China Chamber of Commerce for Imports and Exports and Foodstuffs (CCCFNA) and other INC sources.

Pine Nut Production. Far East.
Kernel Basis. Metric Tons



Source: CCCFNA and other INC sources.

Pine Nut Production. Mediterranean Basin.
Kernel Basis. Metric Tons



Source: INC.

PISTACHIOS

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USA. Although pistachio prices were at all-time highs at the time of writing this report, shipments and overall global demand were in balance with the total supply. Due to the impact of drought and low chill hours, CY15 crop came in at a much lower than estimated crop size. The crop is revised down from 136,100 metric tons (in-shell basis) previously estimated to 127,000 MT. Even with a higher carry-in, CY15 saleable supply is expected to be less than last year.

IRAN. According to the Iran Pistachio Association (IPA) final update on 2014 crop figures, the Iranian production has been revised up by 10,000 MT to 230,000. Likewise, the 2015/16 crop estimate has been revised up 20,000 MT to 210,000. IPA estimates that about 80% of Iran's annual production is exported, and so about 170,000 MT of Iranian pistachios (in-shell basis) will be available for export during the current marketing crop-year.

Estimated World Pistachio Production. In-shell Basis · Metric Tons.

Country	2014/2015				2015/2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
IRAN	4,400	230,000	234,400	4,000	4,000	210,000	214,000	n/a
USA	40,000	235,000	275,000	81,000	81,000	127,000	208,000	42,000
TURKEY	20,000	60,000	80,000	10,000	10,000	145,000	155,000	40,000
SYRIA	0	20,000	20,000	0	0	25,000	25,000	n/a
AFGHANISTAN	0	10,000	10,000	0	0	5,000	5,000	n/a
CHINA	0	4,200	4,200	0	0	4,200	4,200	n/a
GREECE	0	5,000	5,000	0	0	4,000	4,000	n/a
ITALY	0	2,500	2,500	0	0	2,500	2,500	n/a
AUSTRALIA	0	1,150	1,150	0	0	1,150	1,150	n/a
TOTAL	**64,400**	**567,850**	**632,250**	**95,000**	**95,000**	**523,850**	**618,850**	**82,000**
CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**537,250**				**536,850**

Source: Iran Pistachio Association, China Chamber of Commerce for Imports and Exports of Foodstuffs, Greek Nut Association and other INC sources.

WALNUTS

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USA. Handler receipts indicate the 2015/16 California walnut crop exceeded the USDA Objective Measurement for walnuts, to reach 546,125 metric tons (1.2 billion pounds) up 5.6% from 2014's production of 517,095 MT. Final inventory projections remained unchanged at the time of writing this report.

Weather during the growing season was mild with excellent quality being found in USDA's survey sample. Bearing acreage has continued to rise, reaching 300,000 acres, up 3.5% from 290,000 acres in 2014 with average trees per acre rising to 72.

Global demand for California walnuts remains strong due to solid marketing programs, handler efforts and growing consumer awareness of walnuts health and versatility attributes. Shipments through December 2015 had been strong in the export markets in the Middle East and Europe.

CHINA. The initial forecast for 2015's crop at the beginning of the season was 600,000 MT, 13% above the last season. However final receipts after harvest were not as big as expected -the yield was lower due to shrivel damage in major origins. The industry presumes that a 10% increase is more objective. Price have dropped compared with the previous season, but still not competitive with other producing countries. Imports have been down by nearly 20% due to heavy inventory, slow consumption and an optimistic forecast. Prices were firm at the end of January, waiting for the potential impact of the Chinese New Year.

Estimated World Walnut Production. Kernel Basis · Metric Tons.

Country	2014/2015				2015/2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
USA	16,970	227,522	244,492	32,354	32,354	240,295	272,649	34,800
CHINA	4,000	212,000	216,000	8,000	8,000	232,000	240,000	16,000
UKRAINE	0	32,400	32,400	0	0	44,600	44,600	0
IRAN	0	39,600	39,600	0	0	42,680	42,680	0
CHILE	250	32,500	32,750	1,000	1,000	39,000	40,000	1,500
TURKEY	0	30,000	30,000	1,600	1,600	30,400	32,000	1,200
FRANCE	0	16,720	16,720	440	440	17,600	18,040	0
MOLDOVA	0	14,000	14,000	0	0	17,000	17,000	0
INDIA	0	15,505	15,505	0	0	15,062	15,062	0
ROMANIA	0	10,800	10,800	0	0	11,600	11,600	0
HUNGARY	0	6,400	6,400	0	0	7,600	7,600	0
ITALY	0	6,000	6,000	0	0	7,310	7,310	0
AUSTRALIA	0	4,500	4,500	0	0	4,500	4,500	0
GEORGIA	0	3,500	3,500	0	0	2,763	2,763	0
TOTAL	**21,220**	**651,447**	**672,667**	**43,394**	**43,394**	**712,410**	**755,804**	**53,500**
CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**629,273**				**702,304**

Estimated World Walnut Production. In-shell Basis · Metric Tons.

Country	2014/2015				2015/2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
USA	38,568	517,095	555,663	73,531	73,531	546,125	619,656	79,089
CHINA	10,000	530,000	540,000	20,000	20,000	580,000	600,000	40,000
UKRAINE	0	108,000	108,000	0	0	116,000	116,000	0
IRAN	0	90,000	90,000	0	0	97,000	97,000	0
CHILE	500	65,000	65,500	2,000	2,000	78,000	80,000	3,000
TURKEY	4,000	75,000	79,000	4,000	4,000	76,000	80,000	3,000
FRANCE	1,000	38,000	39,000	1,000	1,000	40,000	41,000	0
MOLDOVA	0	38,000	38,000	0	0	46,000	46,000	0
INDIA	0	35,000	35,000	0	0	34,000	34,000	0
ROMANIA	0	27,000	27,000	0	0	29,000	29,000	0
HUNGARY	0	16,000	16,000	0	0	19,000	19,000	0
ITALY	0	14,000	14,000	0	0	17,000	17,000	0
AUSTRALIA	0	10,000	10,000	0	0	10,000	10,000	0
GEORGIA	0	9,500	9,500	0	0	7,500	7,500	0
TOTAL	**54,068**	**1,572,595**	**1,626,663**	**100,531**	**100,531**	**1,695,625**	**1,796,156**	**125,089**
CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**1,526,132**				**1,671,067**

Source: California Walnut Board and Comission, China Chamber of Commerce for Imports and Exports of Foodstuffs, Ukranian Nut Growers Association, ChileNut and other INC sources.

PEANUTS

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CHINA. With the Chinese Spring Festival approaching, domestic peanut demand was rising up by the end of January. The price was overall steady with a slight increase in some parts of China, which encouraged dealers to buy more peanuts. The Spring Festival also brings the peak season for selling peanut oil and processors, especially main oil crushing companies, were crushing more peanuts for oil. The rapid growth of peanut consumption caused the market to purchase more peanuts than in previous months. China's domestic peanut market is partly driven by a rigid demand.

Recently, China's peanut exports have been rather low, since prices have been relatively high compared to US and Argentina. The Large Chinese peanut still dominates China's export market. Although affected by depreciation, China plans to improve its competitiveness on peanut exports according to the China Chamber of Commerce for Imports and Exports of Foodstuffs.

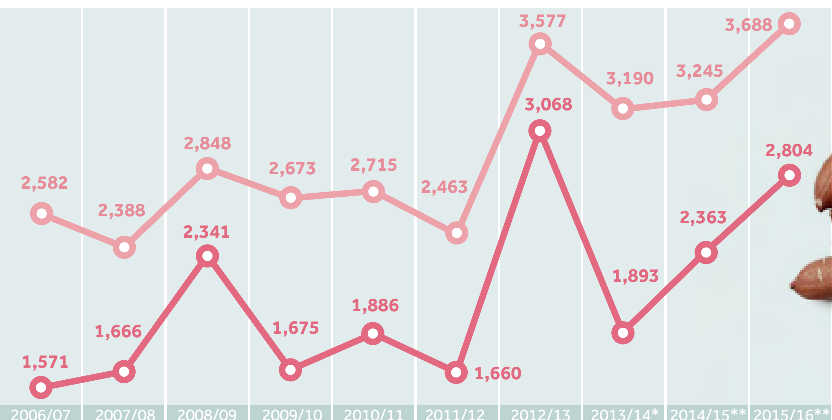
Estimated World Peanut Production. In-shell Basis · 1000 Metric Tons.

Country	2014/2015				2015/2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
CHINA	500	16,500	17,000	300	300	16,700	17,000	600
INDIA	141	4,800	4,941	51	51	4,700	4,751	52
USA	843	2,363	3,206	845	845	2,804	3,649	1,159
NIGERIA	n/a	3,000	3,000	n/a	n/a	3,000	3,000	n/a
ARGENTINA	598	1,188	1,786	670	670	1,170	1,840	745
INDONESIA	28	1,150	1,178	16	16	1,130	1,146	14
SENEGAL	73	669	742	13	13	725	738	43
VIETNAM	46	473	519	39	39	485	524	54
GHANA	n/a	440	440	n/a	n/a	440	440	n/a
BRAZIL	36	346	382	31	31	330	361	18
NICARAGUA	59	197	256	38	38	215	253	28
MEXICO	23	101	124	19	19	105	124	23
COTE D'IVOIRE	n/a	90	90	n/a	n/a	90	90	n/a
SOUTH AFRICA	40	75	115	17	17	55	72	0
OTHERS	256	7,500	7,756	352	352	7,500	7,852	350
WORLD TOTAL	**2,643**	**38,892**	**41,535**	**2,391**	**2,391**	**39,449**	**41,840**	**3,086**
WORLD CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**39,144**				**38,754**

Source: China Chamber of Commerce for Imports and Exports of Foodstuffs, United States Department of Agriculture, and other INC sources.

US Peanut Supply and Disappearance. 1000 Metric Tons

	Supply				Disappearance					
Year Beg. Aug. 1	Beg Stocks	Production	Imports	Total	Domestic Food	Crush	Seed & Residual	Exports	Total	Ending Stock
2013/14*	1,257	1,893	40	3,190	1,309	301	240	497	2,347	843
2014/15**	843	2,363	39	3,245	1,351	300	244	503	2,399	845
2015/16**	845	2,804	39	3,688	1,390	351	273	515	2,528	1,159



(*) Estimated (**) Forecast. Last update: January 27, 2016.
Source: US Department of Agriculture and US Department of Commerce.

DATES

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Global table date production for 2015/16 has been revised up from the November estimate by 25,000 metric tons to 836,500 MT, which is explained by Egypt's estimate rise from 40,000 to 65,000 MT.

Estimated World Table Date Production. Metric Tons.

Country	2014/2015				2015/2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
SAUDI ARABIA	17,000	185,000	202,000	18,000	18,000	190,000	208,000	17,000
UAE	7,000	115,000	122,000	8,000	8,000	120,000	128,000	8,500
TUNISIA	8,000	85,000	93,000	7,000	7,000	95,000	102,000	6,500
IRAN	5,000	80,000	85,000	4,000	4,000	85,000	89,000	4,500
ALGERIA	4,500	75,000	79,500	5,000	5,000	80,000	85,000	5,500
EGYPT	2,000	40,000	42,000	2,500	2,500	65,000	67,500	2,000
IRAQ	3,000	70,000	73,000	2,000	2,000	60,000	62,000	1,500
PAKISTAN	1,500	25,000	26,500	1,000	1,000	28,000	29,000	1,500
ISRAEL	3,000	20,000	23,000	2,500	2,500	25,000	27,500	2,500
USA	2,000	15,000	17,000	3,000	3,000	16,000	19,000	3,500
OMAN	500	10,000	10,500	1,000	1,000	15,000	16,000	1,500
MOROCCO	1,500	10,000	11,500	1,000	1,000	12,000	13,000	1,000
SUDAN	1,000	15,000	16,000	1,000	1,000	10,000	11,000	1,000
LIBYA	100	1,000	1,100	50	50	500	550	100
OTHERS	3,500	35,000	38,500	4,000	4,000	35,000	39,000	4,000
WORLD TOTAL	**59,600**	**781,000**	**840,600**	**60,050**	**60,050**	**836,500**	**896,550**	**60,600**
WORLD CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**780,550**				**835,950**

Source: INC. The data in this chart concern only dates that have undergone a conditioning and are presented for sale as such. They do not include dates for industrial or artisanal processing. Dates consumed in bulk without conditioning are excluded. Therefore, these data represent only about 12% of world gross production.

DRIED APRICOTS

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TURKEY. According to the Aegean Exporters' Association, Turkish dried apricot exports reached 65,000 metric tons (including whole, diced, industrial apricots) in 2015, down 17% from the previous year. The top three export markets of Turkish dried apricots were the United States, the Russian Federation and the United Kingdom.

Estimated World Dried Apricot Production. Metric Tons.

Country	2014/2015				2015/2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
TURKEY	50,000	10,000	60,000	5,000	5,000	84,500	89,500	10,000
IRAN	0	25,000	25,000	0	0	25,000	25,000	0
UZBEKISTAN	0	9,000	9,000	0	0	8,500	8,500	n/a
CHINA	500	5,500	6,000	300	300	5,000	5,300	n/a
AFGHANISTAN	0	4,583	4,583	0	0	4,000	4,000	n/a
USA	0	2,000	2,000	0	0	2,000	2,000	n/a
SOUTH AFRICA	220	1,446	1,666	0	0	1,446	1,446	n/a
OTHERS	0	30,300	30,300	0	0	30,300	30,300	n/a
WORLD TOTAL	**50,720**	**87,829**	**138,549**	**5,300**	**5,300**	**160,746**	**166,046**	**10,000**
WORLD CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**133,249**				**156,046**

Source: Aegean Exporters' Association and other INC sources.

DRIED CRANBERRIES

小红莓 / ARÁNDANO / MIRTILLO ROSSO / KEÇIYEMISI

The North American Harvest met all expectations other than Wisconsin which was 10% off of a normal crop. The overall quality was excellent, with a deep red berry. The Christmas shipments were Buoyant in the US market, and stable overseas, as the currency is creating challenges. The Sweetened Dried Cranberry market is the bright spot in comparison to the Cranberry Concentrate Supply.

Estimated Sweetened Dried Cranberries Production. Metric Tons.

Country	2014/2015				2015/2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
USA	10,000	130,000	140,000	12,000	12,000	134,000	146,000	10,000
CANADA	2,000	15,000	17,000	2,000	2,000	25,000	27,000	1,000
CHILE	0	8,000	8,000	0	0	6,000	6,000	0
TOTAL	**12,000**	**153,000**	**165,000**	**14,000**	**14,000**	**165,000**	**179,000**	**11,000**
CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**151,000**				**168,000**

Source: INC.

DRIED FIGS

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TURKEY. Turkish dried fig exports reached 62,000 MT (including whole, diced, industrial figs and fig paste) in 2015, according to the Aegean Exporters' Association, which is down 3% from the previous year. The top three export markets of Turkish dried figs were France, the United States and Germany.

USA. The 4-year drought in California affected the production, resulting in 2015/16 tonnage of 9,000 MT, according to the California Fig Advisory Board and Fresh Fig Growers Association.

Estimated World Dried Fig Production. Metric Tons.

Country	2014/2015				2015/2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
TURKEY	0	69,731	69,731	0	0	63,000	63,000	0
IRAN	5,000	25,000	30,000	0	0	20,000	20,000	0
USA	0	10,000	10,000	0	0	9,000	9,000	n/a
GREECE	0	8,000	8,000	0	0	8,000	8,000	n/a
SPAIN	0	6,000	6,000	0	0	6,000	6,000	n/a
AFGHANISTAN	0	8,013	8,013	0	0	6,000	6,000	n/a
ITALY	0	4,000	4,000	0	0	4,000	4,000	n/a
OTHERS	0	5,000	5,000	0	0	5,000	5,000	n/a
WORLD TOTAL	**5,000**	**135,744**	**140,744**	**0**	**0**	**121,000**	**121,000**	**0**
WORLD CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**140,744**				**121,000**

Source: California Fig Advisory Board and other INC sources

PRUNES

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The USA, France, Chile and Argentina all had higher yielding crops in 2015, which increased the global supply of prunes. However, while the total supply is up, it is important to note that the total global supply of Large sized prunes could be well below demand. As for demand, it has yet to be fully realized. The market is still adjusting from higher priced 2014 stocks against lower priced 2015 crops. As the market settles out, it appears that larger sized fruit could be in short supply. The industry will have a better idea in March, as the total supply of the new (2016) crops from the Southern Hemisphere is known.

Estimated World Prune Production. Metric Tons.

Country	2014/2015				2015/2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
USA	29,186	97,164	126,350	41,576	41,576	91,000	132,576	n/a
CHILE	10,043	65,899	75,942	10,690	10,690	76,945	87,635	n/a
FRANCE	15,699	35,672	51,371	14,986	14,986	34,000	48,986	n/a
ARGENTINA	1,000	13,500	14,500	5,000	5,000	35,000	40,000	n/a
SERBIA	100	8,100	8,200	600	600	7,000	7,600	n/a
AUSTRALIA	850	2,275	3,125	300	300	3,600	3,900	n/a
ITALY	450	1,360	1,810	480	480	1,200	1,680	n/a
SOUTH AFRICA	0	950	950	80	80	1,000	1,080	n/a
TOTAL	**57,328**	**224,920**	**282,248**	**73,712**	**73,712**	**249,745**	**323,457**	**n/a**
CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**208,536**				

Natural condition tons. Source: International Prune Association, California Dried Plum Board, Chile Prunes Association and other INC sources.

RAISINS, SULTANA & CURRANTS

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USA. After four years of drought, California is experiencing a wet winter with El Niño-driven storms that have brought rainfall levels to about 2.5 inches ahead of the average for this time of the year and resulted in an above-average snowpack. While this is welcome news to raisin farmers, California's reservoirs and groundwater levels remain low and several additional wet winters will be needed in order for the state to fully recover.

This winter's rainfall and cold weather are beneficial for long term vine health, and while some vineyard removals continue to take place in favor of other crops, the overall prospects for the California raisin industry's future remain positive as newer raisin variety planting with higher yields continue to replace some removed acreage.

As of January 9th, 2016, total deliveries to handlers of all varieties (excluding Goldens), including raisins held in need of reconditioning and memo storage, were 250,724 packed metric tons.

TURKEY. According to the Aegean Exporters' Association, in 2015, Turkish seedless dried grapes exports reached 225,000 MT, down only 1% from the previous year. The top three export markets of Turkish dried apricots were the United Kingdom, Germany and the Netherlands.

CHINA. China's production has been slightly revised up 20,000 MT to 165,000. The crop was damaged by rain and snow; prices for high-quality goods increased while low-quality prices drop. The ending stock was revised down from 5,000 to 1,000 MT, as both export and domestic demand increased.

Estimated World Raisin/Sultana/Currant Production. Metric Tons.

Country	2014/2015				2015/2016			
	Beginning Stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock	Beginning stock	Crop	Total Supply	Ending Stock
USA	127,000	280,000	407,000	97,000	97,000	294,000	391,000	n/a
TURKEY	25,000	328,000	353,000	45,000	45,000	196,000	241,000	20,000
IRAN	10,000	180,000	190,000	15,000	15,000	190,000	205,000	n/a
CHINA	8,000	160,000	168,000	10,000	10,000	165,000	175,000	1,000
INDIA	0	135,000	135,000	0	0	135,000	135,000	n/a
CHILE	7,350	65,000	72,350	4,000	4,000	70,000	74,000	n/a
SOUTH AFRICA	3,500	46,000	49,500	3,500	3,500	56,000	59,500	n/a
UZBEKISTAN	0	34,000	34,000	0	0	50,000	50,000	n/a
ARGENTINA	0	27,250	27,250	2,000	2,000	35,000	37,000	n/a
AFGHANISTAN	0	35,594	35,594	0	0	32,000	32,000	n/a
GREECE	5,000	27,000	32,000	0	0	27,000	27,000	0
AUSTRALIA	1,450	11,000	12,450	0	0	12,000	12,000	n/a
TOTAL	**187,300**	**1,328,844**	**1,516,144**	**176,500**	**176,500**	**1,262,000**	**1,438,500**	**21,000**
CONSUMPTION (T. Supply - End. Stock)				**1,339,644**				

Source: Aegean Exporters' Association and other INC sources.

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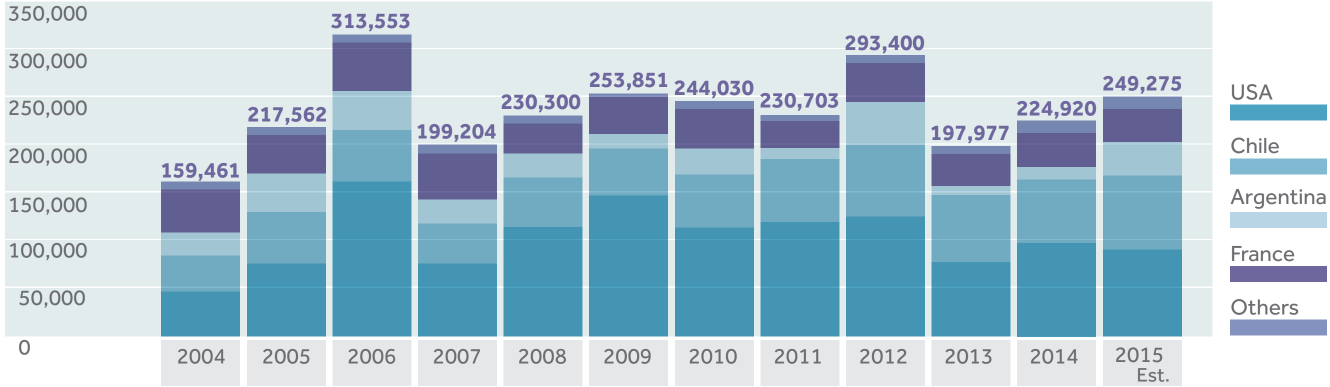
World Prune Production. Metric Tons



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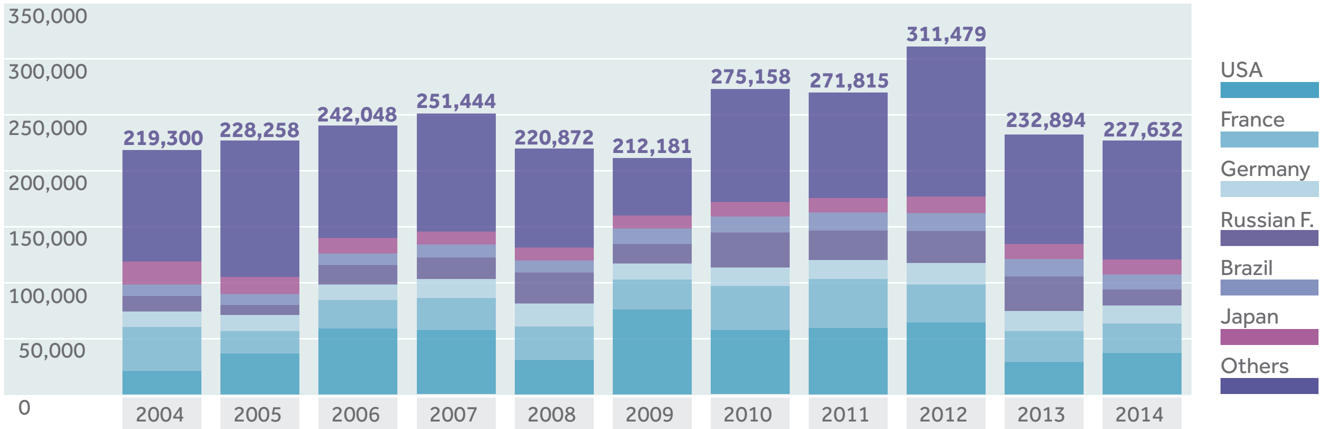

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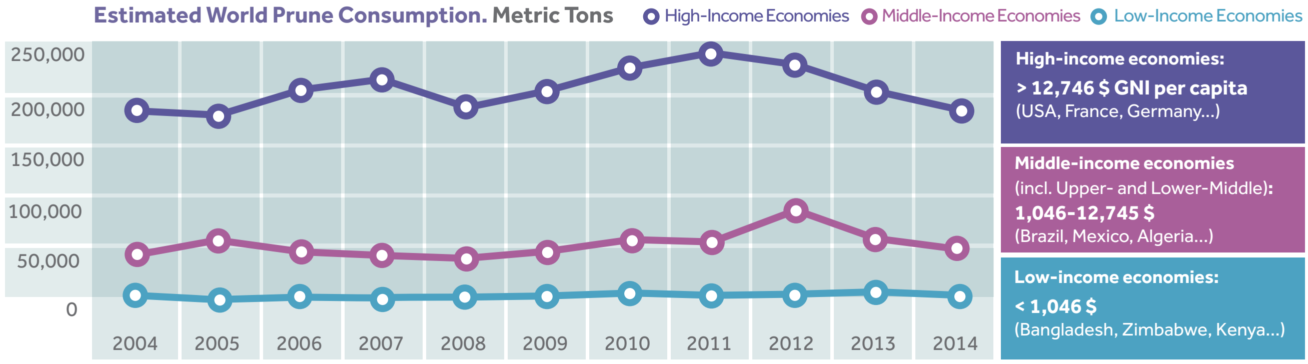


Source: The World Bank and INC.

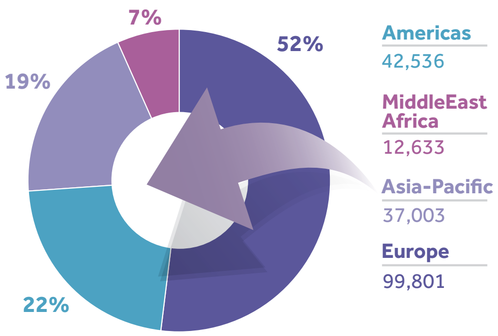
2012
World Prune Acreage
Hectares

Source: International Prune Association, 2015 Conference.

WORLD PRUNE IMPORTS. Metric Tons						
TOP IMPORTING COUNTRIES		**2010**	**2011**	**2012**	**2013**	**2014**
AMERICAS	**NORTH AMERICA**					
	USA	399	247	685	1,245	7,102
	Canada	4,969	5,325	5,602	5,633	6,358
	LATIN AMERICA/CARIBBEAN					
	Brazil	14,105	15,217	15,871	15,027	13,142
	Mexico	9,203	9,497	9,298	10,308	7,683
	Chile	1,562	1,364	735	2,231	1,678
	Peru	1,189	1,335	1,454	1,383	1,107
	Colombia	1,133	1,407	1,537	1,390	1,044
ASIA-PACIFIC	**NORTHEAST ASIA**					
	Japan	13,438	12,829	15,505	14,869	12,733
	China	5,763	7,625	10,959	3,889	6,670
	Korea Rep	983	1,888	1,795	1,413	1,471
	SOUTH/CENTRAL ASIA					
	Viet nam	33	617	2,373	4,216	5,675
	Bangladesh	826	2,624	2,918	6,322	2,352
	Malaysia	1,557	1,712	1,664	1,889	1,505
	AUSTRALIA/OCEANIA					
	Australia	2,885	3,096	2,407	2,219	3,104
	New Zealand	1,601	1,298	1,446	1,082	1,230
EUROPE	**WESTERN EUROPE**					
	Germany	20,211	18,818	21,538	20,199	18,622
	Italy	10,679	10,278	10,076	10,831	11,666
	UK	7,765	8,822	8,185	9,000	8,781
	Spain	6,564	6,296	6,248	7,116	7,027
	Netherlands	4,255	3,761	3,923	4,016	4,744
	Belgium	1,888	1,890	1,898	2,048	1,897
	Greece	2,250	2,188	1,716	2,151	1,846
	France	2,410	3,733	2,129	1,835	1,837
	Denmark	1,641	2,136	2,134	2,210	1,811
	Finland	1,403	1,563	1,578	1,737	1,722
	Switzerland	1,676	2,209	2,384	2,076	1,295
	Norway	1,026	1,124	1,386	1,523	1,041
	CENTRAL/EASTERN EUROPE					
	Russian Fed.	29,505	26,512	28,190	30,383	16,186
	Poland	6,856	9,838	9,269	9,252	7,005
	Slovakia	720	842	1,609	1,481	2,103
	Sweden	1,558	1,681	1,450	1,544	2,005
	Czech Republic	1,386	1,328	1,413	2,008	1,338
	Hungary	1,759	858	622	807	1,189
	Austria	1,606	1,316	1,397	1,033	1,049
MIDDLE EAST/ AFRICA	**MIDDLE EAST**					
	Israel	2,737	2,695	1,468	1,262	3,571
	Egypt	1,820	923	1,420	1,639	1,393
	AFRICA					
	Algeria	6,517	4,612	5,658	6,560	4,891
Others		**21,459**	**27,219**	**25,210**	**32,696**	**16,663**
World Total		**197,337**	**206,723**	**215,150**	**226,528**	**192,535**

Source: DESA/UNSD United Nations Comtrade Database.

World Prune Importers
2014. Metric Tons



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