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Results of the Third Ordinary Minimum Access

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Report Highlights:

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Results of Third Ordinary Rice Tender
(Metric Ton)

Country	Type	Quantity
United States	California Medium Grain (Brown)	24,000
	California Medium Grain (Milled)	29,800
	Broken Rice (Milled)	6,200
	TOTAL	60,000
Australia	Medium Grain (Milled)	17,400
	Broken Rice (Milled)	2,600
	TOTAL	20,000
Thailand	Long Grain (Milled)	15,000
	Broken Rice (Milled)	5,000
	TOTAL	20,000
Vietnam	Long Grain (Milled)	10,000
	TOTAL	10,000
	GRAND TOTAL	110,000