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## **Japan**

### **Grain and Feed**

# **MAFF Announces 2<sup>nd</sup> SBS Rice Tender for JFY2001 2001**

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#### **Report Highlights:**

**The Food Agency of the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries announced it will conduct the second Minimum Access, Simultaneous Buy and Sell rice tender for Japan Fiscal Year 2001. The FA will tender 25,000 metric tons of rice on August 31, 2001.**

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The Food Agency (FA) of the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (MAFF) announced it will conduct the second Minimum Access (MA), Simultaneous Buy and Sell (SBS) rice tender for Japan Fiscal Year 2001 (April 2001 - March 2002) as follows.

**Tender Date: August 31, 2001**

**Volume: 25,000 metric tons**

**Participants: FA-registered importers and end-users.**

On May 30, 2001, the FA held the 1<sup>st</sup> (SBS) rice tender for JFY2001, and a total of 25,000 metric tons of foreign rice was contracted (22,500 tons for table rice and 2,500 tons of broken rice for processing). Contracted U.S. rice totaled 8,985 metric tons, or a 35.9 percent market share, and China accounted for 11,262 metric tons, or a 45.0 percent market share.

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