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Report Highlights:

This report contains official Pakistan rice export data for CY 2004-2006. Total rice exports increased 81 percent over this period reflecting a 125 percent increase in IRRI variety exports and a 13 percent rise in Basmati exports. During CY 2006, Pakistan exported more than 3.5 MMT of rice valued at a record \$ 1.158 billion. Major destinations for Pakistan's IRRI varieties include Cote d'Ivoire, Iran, Kenya, Mozambique and Afghanistan. Major destinations for Basmati rice include Dubai, the UAE and Iran.

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Provided CY Data by Federal Bureau of Statistics

Pakistan's rice exports for CY 2004-2006, as compiled by the Federal Bureau of Statistics, are indicated below. Export data has been compiled by destination (Table 1) and by month (Tables 2 and 3) for both Basmati (fine) and IRRI (coarse) varieties.

Exports on the Rise

Rice is Pakistan's second major export commodity. CY 2006 rice exports were the highest ever, registering more than 3.5 MMT valued at \$1.158 billion. Total CY 2006 rice exports increased by 81 percent compared with CY 2004. IRRI varieties registered an impressive increase of 125 percent, while Basmati varieties rose 13 percent during the same period.

The rise in IRRI exports is attributed to an expansion in domestic production and favorable international prices. Basmati, a high value product, also saw exports rise but at a lower pace due to specificity of production area and limited export markets.

Table 1. Pakistan's Rice Exports by Destination, CY 2004-2006 (Metric Tons)

Destination	Basmati Rice		IRRI Rice			
	CY- 04	CY- 05	CY - 06	CY- 04	CY- 05	CY- 06
Abu Dhabi	1,383	4,166	4,330	54	777	10,554
Afghanistan	4,609	2,423	28,047	132,298	198,109	157,775
Albania	0	0	0	0	0	300
Algeria	25	20	25	0	538	7,696
Ajman	11	145	0	0	492	0
Angola	53	42	68	100	12,532	5,107
Argentina	0	25	16	0	0	0
Armenia	0	0	48	0	1,171	731
Australia	10,149	10,906	13,419	3,088	726	1,215
Austria	61	17	188	1,575	3,000	7,124
Azerbaijan	221	398	798	1,014	423	7,764
Bahamas	0	0	0	0	60	0
Bahrain	29,970	29,994	26,743	2,599	3,055	7,291
Bangladesh	406	500	916	44	3,993	12,091
Belarus	0	0	103	42	0	0
Belgium	6,352	12,864	1,020	8,561	1,076	2,983
Benin	22	0	0	0	93,419	22,986
Bosnia & Herzegovina	23	0	0	0	21	0
Brazil	63	0	0	800	0	0
Brunei Darussalam	106	418	67	120	348	2,533
Bulgaria	34	36	20	0	0	2,760
Burundi	0	154	0	0	320	450
Cambodia Fr.Kampuche	0	0	0	0	72	0
Cameroon	0	44	152	19,948	179,474	39,571
Canada	7,264	8,052	8,392	533	440	504
Cape Verde	0	0	0	0	0	925
Chad	0	0	0	0	227	0

Chile	933	0	23	0	0	450
China	51	178	95	0	490	35
Co, te d, Ivoire	0	0	34,138	30,329	180,000	315,929
Comoros	145	45	1,284	17,380	25,850	31,723
Congo	0	13	43	24,138	31,886	14,982
Croatia	0	24	0	192	1,338	352
Cyprus	189	285	472	3	280	352
Czech Republic	27	43	67	4,173	50	0
D.R. of Congo	0	0	27	0	5,000	0
Denmark	361	345	435	0	0	559
Djibouti	651	261	92	994	2,209	4,859
Dubai	151,437	287,679	218,328	126,324	62,628	75,879
Egypt (UAR)	1,047	1,657	24,580	25	25	740
Eritrea	0	30	96	0	149	0
El Salvador	40	0	0	50	0	0
Equatorial G. (Ri.Mi)	0	0	0	0	1,000	2,000
Estonia	0	36	60	193	125	0
Ethiopia	308	330	593	0	20	104
Falkland. Is. Malvinas	0	120	0	0	0	0
Fiji	0	41	21	0	0	0
Finland	43	22	69	0	0	92
France	821	6,152	1,375	25,601	18,908	4,221
French West Indies	0	40	0	0	50	0
Fujrah	168	0	0	0	0	0
Gabon	20	24	0	0	0	0
Gambia	0	0	0	0	32,848	12,145
Germany	7,130	7,018	4,978	2,598	135	623
Ghana	0	0	0	0	101,102	16,739
Greece	994	829	1,079	610	501	847
Guadeloupe	0	68	0	0	0	0
Guinea	0	0	27	33,900	44,588	121,389
Guinea-Bissau	0	0	0	13,000	26,750	500
Haiti	0	78	0	15,086	3,047	6,505
Honduras	0	0	0	0	0	3,900
Hong Kong	142	615	695	98	6,547	728
Hungary	23	0	0	100	0	0
Iceland	98	22	19	0	0	0
India	0	86	66	20	3,193	5,315
Indonesia	269	127	0	900	0	5,450
Iran (Islamic R.)	45,279	40,471	72,663	71,804	208,258	254,478
Iraq	1,542	2,157	3,490	1,478	9,311	41,904
Ireland	46	236	557	2,153	46	118
Italy	5,915	11,594	5,114	8,651	33,867	9,639
Jamaica	59	68	20	0	0	0
Japan	848	427	159	2,200	213	4,500
Jordan	1,480	1,944	1,579	1,352	369	5,359
Kazakistan	18	2	0	0	19	480

Kenya	1,741	2,179	2,273	126,306	151,709	216,993
Korea	383	0	0	5,000	2,400	0
Korea Republic of	0	23	251	19,600	28,725	0
Kuwait	29,618	28,761	34,013	6,815	13,741	11,819
Latvia	1,752	48	120	750	288	48
Lebanon	1,939	1,750	1,207	63	20,847	197
Lesotho	0	0	0	0	22,199	13,475
Liberia	19	0	0	6,000	7,496	611
Libyan Arab Jamuhir	169	275	202	0	0	66
Lithuania	24	49	113	490	6,091	14,414
Luxembourg	37	0	0	0	100	250
Malawi	72	29	22	169	3,302	324
Madagascar	0	0	0	23,342	78,858	79,387
Malaysia	11,851	6,083	5,863	31,933	26,619	20,914
Maldives	1,328	2,136	2,063	101	264	132
Mali	1,437	55	0	0	0	104
Mauritania	74	20	311	0	3,679	2,021
Mauritius	20,387	20,725	22,388	29,820	28,566	29,591
Mexico	73	94	0	225	0	0
Morocco	217	136	73	1,407	4,120	2,725
Mozambique	69	238	1,050	50,935	171,465	197,378
Myanmar	21	0	0	20	0	24
Nauru	22	0	0	0	0	0
Nepal	0	0	17	0	224	0
Netherlands	13,658	15,474	6,388	1,351	2,239	54,225
New Caledonia	21	23	0	0	0	0
New Zealand	2,400	2,710	3,312	89	71	127
Nicaragua	23	0	0	0	0	1,375
Niger	22	0	47	5,350	7,375	3,923
Nigeria	209	168	40	1,240	19,943	213
Norway	1,317	1,038	1,187	91	24	103
O. Asia (Tai.For.Pe.Ki)	256	419	397	492	2,018	1,004
Oman	66,799	53,960	57,903	13,518	18,338	18,653
Palau (Fr.pacific Is)	0	0	0	0	3,000	0
Panama	24	0	0	125	50	204
Paraguay	0	4	22	0	0	0
Philippines	22	44	72	0	15,125	60,125
Poland	210	44	195	8,814	250	5,859
Portugal	0	376	229	2,000	42	2,525
Qatar	32,877	28,039	31,801	9,958	25,851	21,917
Reunion	1,455	1,589	841	73	510	1,259
Romania	88	129	0	22	22	1,655
Russian Federation	725	559	981	19,802	18,309	41,739
Rwanda	0	0	0	1,020	1,770	2,297
Saudi Arabia	57,738	50,982	42,274	27,763	49,085	46,076
Senegal	39	108	23	7,125	1,799	21,770
Seychelles	0	0	0	0	0	2,322

Sharjah	11,392	22,162	11,587	0	904	293
Sierra Leone	14	25	2,476	7,525	36,897	55,325
Singapore	2,565	2,887	2,700	4,161	517	47,146
Slovakia/Slovak R.	21	0	0	0	0	0
Slovenia	23	0	0	1,021	48	100
Somalia	625	0	84	1,250	1,975	4,806
South Africa	1,936	3,245	2,478	24,132	141,186	135,605
Spain	380	621	796	104	48	5,501
Sri Lanka	5,785	1,875	2,611	73,865	20,990	7,776
St. Kitts and Nevis	0	0	0	0	13,465	12,122
Sudan	151	546	504	0	241	279
Suriname	23	0	0	0	0	0
Sweden	2,510	3,321	2,200	609	7,894	32,398
Switzerland	1,015	1,362	1,342	2,150	21,600	24,567
Swaziland	0	0	68	0	0	2,625
Syrian Arab Republic	811	1,268	1,606	0	1,662	3,161
Tajikistan	0	0	0	855	490	475
Thailand	108	163	91	125	3,650	46
Togo	43	0	0	16,785	23,5567	130,201
Tunisia	24	24	105	1,562	250	6,000
Turkey	309	299	249	29	2,534	387
Turkmenistan	0	11	21	50	25	186
U.R. of Tanzania	962	717	1,977	8,154	16,883	29,290
U.S. America	16,467	20,966	19,203	17,468	11,778	1,401
Uganda	188	129	91	17,470	2,959	5,893
Ukraine	96	204	349	13,480	21,804	10,298
Um-ul-Qaiwan	0	240	0	0	0	23
United Arab Emirates	132,982	58,975	91,771	26,713	9,174	32,007
United Kingdom	26,239	44,315	41,416	700	1,824	3,826
Uzbekistan	297	33	3,590	0	0	0
Viet Nam	0	138	0	0	0	0
Yemen	44,240	21,820	21,556	8,534	30,067	30,011
Zambia	154	72	68	650	351	1,778
Zimbabwe	43	62	0	2,022	1,356	1,154
TOTAL	779,355	837,105	881,624	1,199,080	2,628,613	2,696,641

BASMATI RICE EXPORTS BY MONTH (in metric tons)

MONTH / YEAR	2004	2005	2006
JANUARY	65,223	63,590	50,070
FEBRUARY	56,008	76,448	61,986
MARCH	72,769	75,032	83,251
APRIL	66,251	67,357	108,641
MAY	68,148	74,777	68,796
JUNE	65,010	69,746	90,036
JULY	64,043	61,004	64,923
AUGUST	66,681	76,317	79,709
SEPTEMBER	61,514	75,707	97,952
OCTOBER	72,826	85,279	60,641
NOVEMBER	51,588	48,273	56,219
DECEMBER	69,583	63,575	59,400
TOTAL	779,355	837,105	881,624

IRRI RICE EXPORTS BY MONTH (in metric tons)

MONTH / YEAR	2004	2005	2006
JANUARY	66,959	106,744	295,119
FEBRUARY	71,899	199,373	244,973
MARCH	81,474	330,415	341,420
APRIL	133,814	355,282	325,777
MAY	90,593	257,790	297,827
JUNE	158,523	167,804	124,513
JULY	63,537	102,535	140,187
AUGUST	47,959	119,281	141,657
SEPTEMBER	74,638	131,043	70,935
OCTOBER	81,008	173,355	216,061
NOVEMBER	129,829	254,631	238,561
DECEMBER	198,847	430,360	259,611
TOTAL	1,199,080	2,628,613	2,696,641