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Thailand Grain and Feed Weekly Rice Price Update 2001

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Report Highlights: Weekly rice price and trade update.

> Includes PSD changes: No Includes Trade Matrix: No Unscheduled Report Bangkok [TH1], TH

INDICATIVE PRICES (WEEK ENDING AUG 6):

	EXPORTER	EXPORTER OBSERVATIONS							PERIOD AVG.	
	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6	#7	CUR.	PRV.	
F WR 100 B	275	276	277	280	300	285	280	282	284	
WR 100 B	173	173	172	171	173	172	172	172	172	
PB 5%	209	203	200	200	196	192	198	200	199	
WR 5%	166	166	166	166	165	165	166	166	167	
WR 15%	159	157	159	153	153	155	157	156	157	
WR 25%	152	150	152	146	148	150	152	150	151	
WR 35%	148	146	149	141	143	145	147	146	146	
A 1 SUP	141	139	141	137	135	135	139	138	136	
A 1 SPEC	140	138	140	136	134	132	137	137	134	

MARKET TONE

EXPORT PRICES FOR MOST GRADES OF RICE CHANGED SLIGHTLY IN RESPONSE TO PURCHASED DEMAND FOR DELIVERIES. INTERNATIONAL DEMAND FOR THAI RICE REMAINED QUIET.

THE FOLLOWING ARE REPORTED RICE EXPORTS (AS IS BASIS):

			YEAR	
WEEK	QUANTITY	4-WK AVG	TO DATE	YR AGO
ENDING	(MT)	(MT)	(TMT)	(TMT)
JUL 14	139,758	145,054	3,443	3,040
JUL 21	100,088	133,337	3,543	3,161
JUL 28	111,784	120,959	3,655	3,336
AUG 4	125,022	119,163	3,780	3,455

UNOFFICIAL EXPORTS DURING JUL 29 - AUG 4 AMOUNTED TO 125,022 TONS, UP 13,238 TONS FROM LAST WEEK AND 5,859 TONS FROM THE 4 WEEK MOVING AVERAGE OF 119,163 TONS. EXPORTS FOR JAN 1 - AUG 5 TOTALED 3,784,488 TONS, COMPARED WITH 3,455,134 TONS DURING THE SAME PERIOD IN 2000.

WEEKLY RICE SALES

PRIVATE REGISTERED RICE SALES WHICH WE WERE ABLE TO TRACK FOR THE PERIOD JUL 9-13, JUL 16-20 AND JUL 23-27 ARE AS FOLLOWS:

MOVEMENT DATA	JUL 9-13	JUL 16-20	JUL 23-27
WEEKLY SALES	73,200	77,350	64,765
4 WK SUM	314,247	306,439	287,157
4 WK MOV. AVER.	78,562	76,610	71,789
CUM. WEEKLY SALES	1,772,731	1,850,081	1,914,846