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## **Thailand**

### **Grain and Feed**

### **Weekly Rice Price Update**

## **2000**

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#### **Report Highlights:**

**Weekly rice price and trade update.**

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Includes PSD changes: No

Includes Trade Matrix: No

Unscheduled Report

Bangkok [TH1], TH

## INDICATIVE PRICES (WEEK ENDING SEP 4):

THAILAND: EXPORT(FOB)PRICES FOR VARIOUS GRADES OF RICE (USD/M.T.)									
	EXPORTER OBSERVATIONS							PERIOD AVG.	
	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6	#7	CUR.	PRV.
F WR 100 B	560	525	510	540	510	520	520	526	531
WR 100 B	182	181	186	190	192	182	188	186	192
PB 5%	185	192	190	200	199	195	190	193	205
WR 5%	178	176	180	180	188	176	183	180	186
WR 15%	170	166	170	170	175	166	170	170	175
WR 25%	162	159	162	165	165	160	162	162	166
WR 35%	157	154	157	160	160	158	158	158	162
A 1 SUP	148	147	152	150	152	145	148	149	154
A 1 SPEC	146	146	150	148	150	142	146	147	152
SOURCE: AVERAGE ACTUAL PRICES ARE RECEIVED FROM IMPORTERS.									

## MARKET TONE

EXPORT PRICES FOR ALL GRADES OF RICE DECLINED SLIGHTLY IN RESPONSE TO WEAKENED INTERNATIONAL MARKET DEMAND.

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

			YEAR	
WEEK	QUANTITY	4-WK AVG	TO DATE	YR AGO
ENDING	(MT)	(MT)	(TMT)	(TMT)
AUG 12	98,107	128,380	3,553	3,714
AUG 19	131,649	130,938	3,685	3,883
AUG 26	103,762	113,049	3,789	4,034
SEP 2	99,914	108,358	3,889	4,189

UNOFFICIAL EXPORTS FOR AUG 27 - SEP 2 AMOUNTED TO 99,914 TONS, DOWN 3,848 TONS FROM THE PREVIOUS WEEK AND 8,444 TONS FROM THE FOUR WEEK MOVING AVERAGE OF 108,358 TONS. EXPORTS FOR JAN 1 - SEP 3 TOTALED 3,891,470 TONS, COMPARED WITH 4,189,275 TONS DURING THE SAME PERIOD IN 1999.

## WEEKLY RICE SALES

PRIVATE REGISTERED RICE SALES WHICH WE WERE ABLE TO TRACK FOR THE PERIOD AUG 7-11, AUG 14-18 AND AUG 21-25 ARE AS FOLLOWS:

MOVEMENT DATA	AUG 7-11	AUG 14-18	AUG 21-25
WEEKLY SALES	39,665	58,500	57,550
4 WK SUM	259,325	256,485	228,095
4 WK MOV. AVER.	64,831	64,121	57,024
CUM. WEEKLY SALES	1,655,145	1,713,645	1,771,195