

**Table A.16**  
**Principal Export Markets for Palm Oil**

Country	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007 <sup>p</sup>	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007 <sup>p</sup>
	'000 tonnes					% share				
The People's Republic of China	2,502	2,827	2,885	3,532	3,786	20.0	23.1	22.1	25.2	28.0
European Union <sup>1</sup>	1,647	1,862	2,135	2,586	2,097	13.2	15.2	16.3	18.4	15.5
<i>Netherlands</i>	974	1,135	1,364	1,703	1,527	7.8	9.3	10.4	12.1	11.3
<i>Germany</i>	185	149	180	190	30	1.5	1.2	1.4	1.4	0.2
<i>Italy</i>	98	119	155	165	126	0.8	1.0	1.2	1.2	0.9
<i>Sweden</i>	106	114	103	220	134	0.8	0.9	0.8	1.6	1.0
<i>Others</i>	284	345	333	308	280	2.3	2.8	2.5	2.1	2.1
Middle East <sup>2</sup>	1,683	1,143	1,496	1,177	1,212	13.5	9.3	11.4	8.4	9.0
Pakistan	1,098	838	928	855	1,062	8.8	6.9	7.1	6.1	7.9
United States	231	298	534	696	516	1.9	2.4	4.1	5.0	3.8
Japan	430	458	438	498	516	3.4	3.7	3.4	3.6	3.8
India	1,650	925	676	657	515	13.2	7.6	5.2	4.7	3.8
Korea	208	228	223	207	225	1.7	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.7
Bangladesh	272	353	485	413	170	2.2	2.9	3.7	2.9	1.3
Chinese Taipei	103	120	246	148	129	0.8	1.0	1.9	1.1	1.0
Australia	97	96	105	121	121	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9
Others	2,566	3,075	2,922	3,127	3,156	20.5	25.2	22.3	22.2	23.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,487</b>	<b>12,223</b>	<b>13,073</b>	<b>14,017</b>	<b>13,505</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes 10 new member states since 2004

<sup>2</sup> Beginning 2004, Cyprus has been excluded from Middle East and included in the European Union

<sup>p</sup> Preliminary

Source: Department of Statistics, Malaysia