

Table A.17
Principal Export Markets for Rubber

Country	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007 ^p	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007 ^p
	'000 tonnes					% share				
The People's Republic of China	207	289	386	406	371	21.9	26.1	34.2	35.5	36.4
European Union ¹	295	346	313	316	294	31.2	31.2	27.7	27.6	28.9
<i>Germany</i>	129	149	132	144	136	13.6	13.4	11.7	12.6	13.3
<i>France</i>	40	53	46	41	43	4.2	4.8	4.1	3.6	4.3
<i>Netherlands</i>	12	20	28	21	17	1.3	1.8	2.5	1.9	1.6
<i>Italy</i>	29	29	24	22	20	3.0	2.6	2.1	1.9	1.9
<i>United Kingdom</i>	22	24	21	18	16	2.4	2.2	1.9	1.6	1.5
<i>Spain</i>	17	24	13	11	9	1.8	2.2	1.2	0.9	0.9
<i>Others</i>	46	47	49	59	53	4.9	4.2	4.2	5.1	5.4
Korea	69	64	74	67	61	7.3	5.7	6.6	5.8	6.0
Middle East ²	83	89	74	71	54	8.8	8.1	6.6	6.2	5.3
<i>Iran</i>	48	55	40	45	27	5.1	4.9	3.6	3.9	2.7
<i>Turkey</i>	25	25	24	20	21	2.7	2.2	2.2	1.7	2.1
<i>Others</i>	10	9	10	6	6	1.0	1.0	0.8	0.6	0.5
United States	77	74	67	64	53	8.1	6.7	6.0	5.6	5.2
Brazil	29	37	31	32	38	3.1	3.3	2.7	2.8	3.8
Canada	14	19	17	15	19	1.4	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.9
Singapore	9	22	10	3	2	0.9	2.0	0.9	0.3	0.2
Others	163	168	156	169	126	17.3	15.2	13.8	14.8	12.3
Total	946	1,108	1,128	1,143	1,018	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

¹ Includes 10 new member states since 2004

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

^p Preliminary

Source: Department of Statistics, Malaysia