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**Imports of soluble coffee classified under
specific Harmonized System codes
Coffee year 2003/04**

Background

1. At the meeting of the Statistics Committee in September 2004, the Secretariat was requested to prepare a table showing imports of soluble coffee classified under two specific Harmonized System (HS) codes (210.112.92 and 210.112.98) during coffee year 2003/04, by importing country. This exercise would enable the comparison of the data with those presented in document WP-Statistics No. 79/04 which contains similar information for coffee year 2002/03.
2. It should be noted that the Rules on Statistics contained in document EB-3830/02 specify that importing Members should provide information on total imports by month, by form of coffee and by origin.
3. The attached table shows data for coffee year 2003/04 on total imports of soluble coffee by origin for all importing Members that provide monthly returns giving a breakdown of imports by HS codes. The table also gives the total imports of all soluble coffee for each country together with the percentage of soluble coffee imports classified under these two codes. In 2003/04, 16 importing Members imported 1,050,513 bags of soluble coffee classified under these two specific HS codes. This indicates that just over 11% of all soluble coffee imported in 2003/04 was under this classification. In addition, it also represents an increase of over 52% in comparison with data for coffee year 2002/03 whereas the total volume of soluble coffee imported increased by just over 7.5%.
5. Monthly reports showing total imports with the breakdown by HS codes are not provided for the following importing Members: Germany, Japan, Luxembourg, Slovenia and Spain. However, it should be noted that the reports provided by these five Members fully comply with the statistical rules of the Organization. No information has been received from Hungary, Malta and Poland. Information from Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania is partial.

Action

The Statistics Committee is requested to take note of this document.

year 2003/04 Importing Members: Total imports of soluble coffee classified under HS codes 210.112.92 and 210.112.98 by origin in 60 kg-bags of Green Bean Equivalent

Sum of 60-kg bags GBE	importing Member																Grand Total
origin	Austria	Belgium	Czech Republic	Denmark	Finland	France	Greece	Ireland	Italy	Netherlands	Portugal	Slovakia	Sweden	Switzerland	United Kingdom	USA	Grand Total
Argentina	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	52	52
Austria	0	0	41	481	0	4	2 718	15	5 830	2 538	0	0	0	93	170	0	11 891
Belgium	87	0	73	571	22	3 449	2	0	17	134	17	65	0	11	72	0	4 521
Brazil	303	70	2	0	0	108	0	0	1	0	0	313	9	0	0	247	1 054
Bulgaria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	9
Canada	0	0	0	0	0	160	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	103 406	103 573
China	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	281	3 410	3 702
Colombia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	69	75
Cyprus	0	0	0	0	0	13	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
Czech Republic	6 240	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9 107	0	0	3 142	0	18 489
Denmark	0	5 299	398	0	1 317	48	0	0	0	2 806	0	13	0	61	472	0	10 413
Ecuador	910	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	65	0	0	0	0	975
Egypt	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	9
Finland	0	0	0	22	0	0	0	0	0	148	0	0	0	0	0	0	169
France	0	21 297	359	0	5	0	0	390	17 704	26 548	10 131	19	0	1 036	3 550	48	81 087
Germany	75 660	32 904	1 285	2 981	2 643	149 088	9 076	901	5 246	74 622	11 210	17	0	6 610	54 226	30	426 499
Greece	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	325	0	0	0	1	0	0	326
Hungary	43	0	43 880	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8 571	0	0	0	0	52 494
India	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	463	0	4	0	0	467
Indonesia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	217	13	0	0	0	0	0	238	468
Ireland	0	20	0	0	0	0	20 272	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	20 296
Israel	0	15	2	0	0	82	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	100
Italy	1 344	4 127	111	3 509	751	6 240	10 341	0	0	995	13	61	0	831	200	108	28 631
Japan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	6	0	0	191	210
Korea, Rep. of	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8 576	8 578
Lebanon	43	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43
Luxembourg	0	715	0	0	0	30	0	0	0	133	0	0	0	0	0	0	878
Malaysia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	884	0	0	0	0	36	0	5 707	6 627
Mexico	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9 061	9 061
Netherlands	0	1 191	176	276	103	8 801	4 199	0	37	0	0	480	0	258	20 019	0	35 539
Netherlands Antilles	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Norway	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	66	19	0	0	86
Philippines	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	598	0	598
Poland	0	0	32 150	0	20	1 005	41	10	69	10 271	0	24 446	677	0	34	520	69 244
Portugal	0	53	0	0	0	52	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	110
Russian Federation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Saudi Arabia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6

year **2003/04** Importing Members: Total imports of soluble coffee classified under HS codes 210.112.92 and 210.112.98 by origin in 60 kg-bags of Green Bean Equivalent

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origin	Austria	Belgium	Czech Republic	Denmark	Finland	France	Greece	Ireland	Italy	Netherlands	Portugal	Slovakia	Sweden	Switzerland	United Kingdom	USA	Grand Total
Singapore	0	0	35	0	0	0	0	0	3	14	0	389	0	0	0	5 443	5 884
Slovakia	0	0	616	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	616
South Africa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	9
Spain	130	31	2 359	259	0	21 246	178	0	246	1 600	2 856	0	0	0	1	0	28 905
Sri Lanka	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	20
Sweden	0	0	222	2 591	316	633	225	0	0	993	26	20	0	0	3 365	0	8 391
Switzerland	87	30	751	0	106	1 083	3	0	3	0	0	333	38	0	3 641	82	6 157
Syrian Arab Republic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3
Taiwan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	182	182
Tanzania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	155	0	0	155
Thailand	0	0	0	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	44	0	1 140	1 229
Turkey	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	0	0	21
United Kingdom	1 343	4 635	289	5 302	1 580	7 869	12 147	300	93	56 924	459	0	0	4 523	0	342	95 807
Unspecified	0	0	0	0	0	4 745	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	165	0	4 910
USA	0	117	0	0	0	65	1	9	2	51	0	0	8	4	1 376	0	1 632
Vietnam	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	290	291
Grand Total	86 191	70 503	82 752	16 019	6 862	204 724	59 203	1 639	30 371	178 129	24 722	44 371	824	13 735	91 326	139 143	1 050 513
Total soluble imports	217 054	382 596	432 064	118 554	30 279	811 905	449 722	133 922	189 139	505 982	53 575	113 531	33 993	59 101	818 948	1 811 925	6 162 290
% of Grand Total in total soluble imports	39.71	18.43	19.15	13.51	22.66	25.22	13.16	1.22	16.06	35.20	46.14	39.08	2.42	23.24	11.15	7.68	17.05