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**Organic coffee export statistics  
based on Certificates of Origin  
and Monthly Reports  
October to June: 2005/06 to 2009/10**

## Background

1. Data on exports of organic coffee are based on information received from exporting Members in compliance with the Rules for the application of a system of Certificates of Origin, contained in document EB-3775/01, which came into effect on 1 October 2001. Data may be incomplete or partial for some exporting countries for the period covered by this report and excludes exports from Peru.
2. The tables in this document show exports of coffee labelled as 'organic'<sup>1</sup>, by origin, for the first nine months of coffee years 2005/06 to 2009/10. Table 1 shows the information on organic coffee extracted from Certificates of Origin (volumes) by form of coffee (green, roasted and soluble) and by origin. Table 2 shows data by type of coffee (Arabica and Robusta) and by origin.
3. Similar information on organic coffee extracted from Monthly Reports is given in Tables 3 and 4. The volume of exports of organic coffee based on this source amounts to 36% of the average total volume exported in the same period based on Certificates of Origin.
4. From the Monthly Reports, it is also possible to extract information on the value of exports. In the nine months (October to June) 2005/06 to 2009/10 the total value of organic coffee exports averaged US\$32 million. There was a 51.6% increase in value from 2008/09 to 2009/10 and, from 2005/06 to 2009/10 this increase was 325.6%.
5. Information on the main destinations of the organic coffee exported was extracted from Certificates of Origin and is summarized in Table 5. From the data presented therein, the EU and the USA together account for 80.5% of all destinations for the organic coffee market followed by Japan and Canada. Within the EU, Germany, Belgium, Sweden and the UK are the main destinations of the organic coffee exported. On average, green organic coffee accounts for 98.6% of the exports.
6. The new Rules on Statistics, which will come into effect together with the ICA 2007, make it compulsory for exporting Members to provide their Monthly Reports with detailed information on organic coffee exports so that more comprehensive reports will be made available in the future.

## Action

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

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<sup>1</sup> In accordance with the Rules contained in document EB-3775/01, exporting Members are to take full responsibility for ensuring that the certification of organic coffee complies with the specifications set out in ISO Guide 65 – General Requirements for bodies operating products certification.

**Table 1**  
**Exporting Members**  
**Exports of organic coffee by form and by origin**  
**(Source: Certificates of Origin)**  
**October to June: 2005/06 to 2009/10**  
**(60-kg bags)**

Country of origin	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10
<b>Green</b>					
Brazil	6 425	4 005	8 056	16 123	13 843
Colombia	64 454	56 038	65 972	71 438	63 086
Costa Rica	0	0	345	408	0
Cuba	1 500	0	600	600	300
Dominican Republic	4 277	5 097	3 587	4 668	2 744
Ecuador	4 817	4 950	4 880	7 163	4 403
El Salvador	12 531	18 954	36 202	34 019	24 110
Ethiopia	112 825	82 704	75 039	54 045	101 236
Honduras	21 788	37 191	68 733	100 674	120 038
Indonesia	0	0	0	300	0
Mexico	41 117	57 353	75 722	93 108	112 612
Nicaragua	43 119	60 389	61 149	70 837	69 683
Papua New Guinea	10 787	10 759	22 235	22 338	19 835
Uganda	0	16 910	25 823	12 078	17 324
<b>Total Green</b>	<b>323 640</b>	<b>354 350</b>	<b>448 343</b>	<b>487 798</b>	<b>549 214</b>
<b>Roasted</b>					
Brazil	448	0	56	342	217
Colombia	1	0	1 063	0	0
Dominican Republic	225	39	123	295	321
Mexico	0	0	0	2	11
Papua New Guinea	307	493	499	290	150
<b>Total Roasted</b>	<b>981</b>	<b>533</b>	<b>1 741</b>	<b>929</b>	<b>699</b>
<b>Soluble</b>					
Brazil	0	701	0	67	1 229
Colombia	2 642	2 346	12 497	3 540	2 079
Mexico	0	0	233	89	0
<b>Total Soluble</b>	<b>2 642</b>	<b>3 047</b>	<b>12 730</b>	<b>3 696</b>	<b>3 309</b>
<b>All forms</b>					
Brazil	6 874	4 706	8 112	16 532	15 289
Colombia	67 096	58 383	79 532	74 978	65 165
Costa Rica	0	0	345	408	0
Cuba	1 500	0	600	600	300
Dominican Republic	4 502	5 136	3 710	4 963	3 065
Ecuador	4 817	4 950	4 880	7 163	4 403
El Salvador	12 531	18 954	36 202	34 019	24 110
Ethiopia	112 825	82 704	75 039	54 045	101 236
Honduras	21 788	37 191	68 733	100 674	120 038
Indonesia	0	0	0	300	0
Mexico	41 117	57 353	75 955	93 198	112 623
Nicaragua	43 119	60 389	61 149	70 837	69 683
Papua New Guinea	11 094	11 252	22 734	22 628	19 986
Uganda	0	16 910	25 823	12 078	17 324
<b>Total All forms</b>	<b>327 262</b>	<b>357 929</b>	<b>462 814</b>	<b>492 423</b>	<b>553 222</b>
<b>Share of Green coffee</b>	<b>98.9%</b>	<b>99.0%</b>	<b>96.9%</b>	<b>99.1%</b>	<b>99.3%</b>
<b>Share of Roasted coffee</b>	<b>0.3%</b>	<b>0.1%</b>	<b>0.4%</b>	<b>0.2%</b>	<b>0.1%</b>
<b>Share of Soluble coffee</b>	<b>0.8%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>2.8%</b>	<b>0.8%</b>	<b>0.6%</b>

**Table 2**  
**Exporting Members**  
**Exports of organic coffee by type and by origin**  
**(Source: Certificates of Origin)**  
**October to June: 2005/06 to 2009/10**  
**(60-kg bags)**

Country of origin	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10
<b>Arabica</b>					
Brazil	6 649	4 355	8 084	16 327	14 566
Colombia	67 096	58 383	79 532	74 978	65 165
Costa Rica	0	0	345	408	0
Cuba	1 500	0	600	600	300
Dominican Republic	4 502	5 136	3 710	4 963	3 065
Ecuador	4 817	4 950	4 880	7 163	4 403
El Salvador	12 531	18 954	36 202	34 019	24 110
Ethiopia	112 825	82 704	75 039	54 045	101 236
Honduras	21 788	37 191	68 733	100 674	120 038
Indonesia	0	0	0	300	0
Mexico	41 117	57 353	75 495	93 198	112 623
Nicaragua	43 119	60 389	61 149	70 837	69 683
Papua New Guinea	10 940	11 006	22 485	22 483	19 890
Uganda	0	13 350	23 888	11 388	14 894
<b>Total Arabica</b>	<b>326 885</b>	<b>353 772</b>	<b>460 141</b>	<b>491 384</b>	<b>549 973</b>
<b>Robusta</b>					
Brazil	224	351	28	205	723
Mexico	0	0	460	0	0
Papua New Guinea	153	247	250	145	95
Uganda	0	3 560	1 935	690	2 430
<b>Total Robusta</b>	<b>378</b>	<b>4 157</b>	<b>2 673</b>	<b>1 040</b>	<b>3 249</b>
<b>All types</b>					
Brazil	6 874	4 706	8 112	16 532	15 289
Colombia	67 096	58 383	79 532	74 978	65 165
Costa Rica	0	0	345	408	0
Cuba	1 500	0	600	600	300
Dominican Republic	4 502	5 136	3 710	4 963	3 065
Ecuador	4 817	4 950	4 880	7 163	4 403
El Salvador	12 531	18 954	36 202	34 019	24 110
Ethiopia	112 825	82 704	75 039	54 045	101 236
Honduras	21 788	37 191	68 733	100 674	120 038
Indonesia	0	0	0	300	0
Mexico	41 117	57 353	75 955	93 198	112 623
Nicaragua	43 119	60 389	61 149	70 837	69 683
Papua New Guinea	11 094	11 252	22 734	22 628	19 986
Uganda	0	16 910	25 823	12 078	17 324
<b>Total</b>	<b>327 262</b>	<b>357 929</b>	<b>462 814</b>	<b>492 423</b>	<b>553 222</b>
<b>Share of Arabica</b>	<b>99.9%</b>	<b>98.8%</b>	<b>99.4%</b>	<b>99.8%</b>	<b>99.4%</b>
<b>Share of Robusta</b>	<b>0.1%</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>0.6%</b>	<b>0.2%</b>	<b>0.6%</b>

**Table 3**

**Exporting Members**  
**Exports of organic coffee by form and by origin**  
**(Source: Monthly Reports)**  
**October to June: 2005/06 to 2009/10**  
**(60-kg bags)**

Country of origin	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10
<b>Green</b>					
Brazil	6 425	4 005	8 056	16 123	13 843
Colombia	8 396	0	0	0	0
Cuba	0	0	0	600	0
Dominican Republic	4 277	5 097	3 587	4 668	2 744
Ecuador	4 817	4 950	4 880	7 163	5 638
El Salvador	9 340	18 954	0	0	24 110
Honduras	0	4 868	72 923	100 674	120 038
Indonesia	0	0	0	300	0
Mexico	41 117	57 353	65 178	59 066	73 612
Uganda	0	0	0	0	29 339
<b>Total Green</b>	<b>74 372</b>	<b>95 227</b>	<b>154 624</b>	<b>188 594</b>	<b>269 325</b>
<b>Roasted</b>					
Brazil	448	0	56	342	217
Colombia	177	28	65	374	336
Dominican Republic	225	39	119	295	321
Nicaragua	0	0	0	14	0
<b>Total Roasted</b>	<b>850</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>1 025</b>	<b>874</b>
<b>Soluble</b>					
Brazil	0	972	96	67	1 229
Colombia	303	0	0	0	0
<b>Total Soluble</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>972</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>1 229</b>
<b>All forms</b>					
Brazil	6 874	4 977	8 209	16 532	15 289
Colombia	8 877	28	65	374	336
Cuba	0	0	0	600	0
Dominican Republic	4 502	5 136	3 706	4 963	3 065
Ecuador	4 817	4 950	4 880	7 163	5 638
El Salvador	9 340	18 954	0	0	24 110
Honduras	0	4 868	72 923	100 674	120 038
Indonesia	0	0	0	300	0
Mexico	41 117	57 353	65 178	59 066	73 612
Nicaragua	0	0	0	14	0
Uganda	0	0	0	0	29 339
<b>Total All forms</b>	<b>75 525</b>	<b>96 266</b>	<b>154 961</b>	<b>189 686</b>	<b>271 429</b>
<b>Share of Green coffee</b>	<b>98.5%</b>	<b>98.9%</b>	<b>99.8%</b>	<b>99.4%</b>	<b>99.2%</b>
<b>Share of Roasted coffee</b>	<b>1.1%</b>	<b>0.1%</b>	<b>0.2%</b>	<b>0.5%</b>	<b>0.3%</b>
<b>Share of Soluble coffee</b>	<b>0.4%</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	<b>0.1%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>0.5%</b>
<b>Value of exports (000 US\$)</b>					
<b>Total Green</b>	<b>13 290</b>	<b>17 352</b>	<b>31 824</b>	<b>38 066</b>	<b>57 302</b>
<b>Total Roasted</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>474</b>
<b>Total Soluble</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>526</b>
<b>Total All forms</b>	<b>13 697</b>	<b>17 584</b>	<b>31 961</b>	<b>38 454</b>	<b>58 302</b>

**Table 4**  
**Exporting Members**  
**Exports of organic coffee by type and by origin**  
**(Source: Monthly Reports)**  
**October to June: 2005/06 to 2009/10**  
**(60-kg bags)**

Country of origin	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10
<b>Arabica</b>					
Brazil	6 649	4 491	8 132	16 327	14 566
Colombia	8 877	28	65	374	336
Cuba	0	0	0	600	0
Dominican Republic	4 502	5 136	3 706	4 963	3 065
Ecuador	4 817	4 950	4 880	7 163	5 638
El Salvador	9 340	18 954	0	0	24 110
Honduras	0	4 868	72 923	100 674	120 038
Indonesia	0	0	0	300	0
Mexico	41 117	57 353	65 178	59 066	73 612
Nicaragua	0	0	0	14	0
Uganda	0	0	0	0	22 485
<b>Total Arabica</b>	<b>75 301</b>	<b>95 780</b>	<b>154 885</b>	<b>189 482</b>	<b>263 851</b>
<b>Robusta</b>					
Brazil	224	486	76	205	723
Uganda	0	0	0	0	6 854
<b>Total Robusta</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>486</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>7 577</b>
<b>All types</b>					
Brazil	6 874	4 977	8 209	16 532	15 289
Colombia	8 877	28	65	374	336
Cuba	0	0	0	600	0
Dominican Republic	4 502	5 136	3 706	4 963	3 065
Ecuador	4 817	4 950	4 880	7 163	5 638
El Salvador	9 340	18 954	0	0	24 110
Honduras	0	4 868	72 923	100 674	120 038
Indonesia	0	0	0	300	0
Mexico	41 117	57 353	65 178	59 066	73 612
Nicaragua	0	0	0	14	0
Uganda	0	0	0	0	29 339
<b>Total</b>	<b>75 525</b>	<b>96 266</b>	<b>154 961</b>	<b>189 686</b>	<b>271 429</b>
<b>Share of Arabica</b>	<b>99.7%</b>	<b>99.5%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>99.9%</b>	<b>97.2%</b>
<b>Share of Robusta</b>	<b>0.3%</b>	<b>0.5%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>0.1%</b>	<b>2.8%</b>
<b>Value of exports (000 US\$)</b>					
<b>Total Arabica</b>	<b>13 643</b>	<b>17 479</b>	<b>31 931</b>	<b>38 377</b>	<b>57 309</b>
<b>Total Robusta</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>993</b>
<b>Total All types</b>	<b>13 697</b>	<b>17 584</b>	<b>31 961</b>	<b>38 454</b>	<b>58 302</b>

**Table 5**  
**Exporting Members**  
**Exports of organic coffee (all forms) by destination**  
**(Source: Certificates of Origin)**  
**October to June: 2005/06 to 2009/10**  
**(60-kg bags)**

Country of origin	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10
Australia	3 803	5 758	9 891	10 008	12 236
Canada	13 927	13 624	20 057	24 242	25 413
<b>European Union</b>	<b>108 372</b>	<b>156 826</b>	<b>196 978</b>	<b>217 782</b>	<b>228 425</b>
Austria	0	420	633	633	316
Belgium	11 905	14 023	22 301	27 722	44 424
Denmark	2 580	6 228	6 202	3 114	8 978
Finland	1 601	954	321	1 319	321
France	7 315	11 644	5 935	6 682	3 449
Germany	34 439	52 190	76 734	104 650	91 398
Ireland	0	0	316	633	633
Italy	3 290	3 006	4 719	6 083	5 870
Lithuania	0	0	0	320	0
Netherlands	13 694	15 965	8 991	7 450	8 121
Poland	0	0	195	547	0
Portugal	0	0	642	8	0
Slovakia	0	0	0	0	200
Slovenia	320	0	0	0	0
Spain	6 728	6 699	9 137	3 060	1 040
Sweden	15 446	28 319	36 757	35 684	40 773
United Kingdom	11 054	17 377	24 097	19 304	22 904
Unspecified	0	0	0	575	0
Japan	45 179	44 274	35 903	42 797	45 621
Korea, Republic of	744	331	941	1 750	3 298
Mexico	0	522	4 100	5 966	2 626
New Zealand	1 801	2 053	2 599	5 634	7 257
Norway	600	616	1 288	2 214	1 626
Saudi Arabia	0	0	0	3 000	6 900
USA	151 657	131 957	183 106	176 751	217 058
Others	1 179	1 967	7 950	2 280	2 763
<b>Total</b>	<b>327 262</b>	<b>357 929</b>	<b>462 814</b>	<b>492 423</b>	<b>553 222</b>
<b>Share of Green coffee</b>	<b>98.9%</b>	<b>99.1%</b>	<b>96.9%</b>	<b>99.1%</b>	<b>99.3%</b>
<b>Share of Roasted coffee</b>	<b>0.3%</b>	<b>0.1%</b>	<b>0.4%</b>	<b>0.2%</b>	<b>0.1%</b>
<b>Share of Soluble coffee</b>	<b>0.8%</b>	<b>0.8%</b>	<b>2.8%</b>	<b>0.8%</b>	<b>0.6%</b>