

Exports of seed for sowing by country – Calendar year 2014

Source: ISF compilation based on official statistics and international seed trade reports

Country	Quantity (Metric Tonnes)				Value (USD Million)			
	Vegetable crops	Flower seed	Field crops	Total	Vegetable crops	Flower seed	Field crops	Total
Argentina	367		75'233	75'600	17		284	301
Australia	1'440		11'554	12'994	27		89	116
Austria	68		59'837	59'905	2		232	234
Azerbaijan			7'600	7'600			7	7
Bangladesh			4'323	4'323			5	5
Belgium	759	4	141'370	142'133	3	2	240	245
Bolivia			10'867	10'867			23	23
Bosnia & H.			19'555	19'555			20	20
Brazil	146		49'985	50'131	14		145	159
Bulgaria	2'019		9'379	11'398	7		27	34
Canada	224		199'787	200'011	5		298	303
Chile	1'082	16	102'557	103'655	125	15	324	464
China	4'251	453	35'500	40'204	176	9	77	262
China, Hong-Kong	1'790			1'790	37			37
China, Taiwan				0	8			8
Colombia			1'975	1'975			12	12
Costa Rica		8	1'200	1'208		8	2	10
Croatia			18'348	18'348			25	25
Czech Rep.	1'103	20	85'539	86'662	8	1	78	87
Denmark	10'465	1'020	115'578	127'063	63	3	310	376
Ecuador			600	600			2	2
Egypt	1'027		2'200	3'227	1		2	3
Estonia			1'437	1'437			1	1
Finland			2'532	2'532			1	1
France	8'696	125	477'503	486'324	436	16	1'408	1'860
Georgia			53	53			1	1
Germany	1'789	354	122'346	124'489	79	34	665	778

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Greece			33'126	33'126			16	16
Guatemala	30	4	180	214	6	12	3	21
Honduras	13		48	61	4		1	5
Hungary	2'045	36	103'137	105'218	18	1	416	435
India	5'709	175	23'310	29'194	44	2	30	76
Indonesia	4'788	40	4'966	9'794	9	2	9	20
Iran			5'900	5'900			3	3
Ireland			8'366	8'366			5	5
Israel				0	112		22	134
Italy	11'000	188	73'718	84'906	128	2	206	336
Japan	1'100	51	7'645	8'796	94	23	40	157
Jordan	13			13	3			3
Kenya			700	700			5	5
Korea, Rep.	545		3'900	4'445	39		12	51
Latvia	9		13'601	13'610	1		4	5
Lithuania	201	55	6'191	6'447	3	2	12	17
Luxemburg			16'971	16'971			13	13
Malawi			1'772	1'772			1	1
Mexico	1'614	43	88'025	89'682	33	1	148	182
Moldova			1'250	1'250			2	2
Morocco	31			31	3			3
Netherlands	13'178	1'180	109'723	124'081	1'361	89	358	1'808
New Zealand	8'683		15'430	24'113	51		64	115
Nicaragua			238	238			1	1
Nigeria			120	120			6	6
Paraguay				0			6	6
Peru	259		6'000	6'259	35		15	50
Philippines	308		2'225	2'533	11		2	13
Poland	189	37	94'169	94'395	2	2	63	67
Portugal	49		5'245	5'294	1		11	12

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Romania	189		137'180	137'369	1		331	332
Russian Fed.	58			58	2		11	13
Serbia	95		32'644	32'739	2		31	33
Singapore	154	1	44	199	11	1	3	15
Slovakia			103'191	103'191			68	68
Slovenia	89		849	938	2		3	5
South Africa	1'502		123'777	125'279	22		71	93
Spain	2'379		91'430	93'809	59		167	226
Sweden	2'088	223	31'160	33'471	2	1	34	37
Switzerland	26		21'188	21'214	3		23	26
Tanzania	12		3'230	3'242	5		5	10
Thailand	2'198		20'100	22'298	71		59	130
Turkey	1'174	1	24'005	25'180	18	2	62	82
Uganda			68'776	68'776			15	15
Ukraine	7'226		88'600	95'826	18		23	41
United Kingdom	1'148	1'322	104'846	107'316	28	10	159	197
Uruguay			1'400	1'400			6	6
USA	14'526	728	320'545	335'799	581	70	981	1'632
Vietnam			3'500	3'500			10	10
Zambia			25'556	25'556			32	32
Zimbabwe			1'390	1'390			2	2
TOTAL	117'854	6'084	3'386'225	3'510'163	3'791	308	7'848	11'947

Notes

- Only seed exports with a value greater than USD 1 million have been reported
- Flower seed includes seed of herbaceous and non-herbaceous plants cultivated mainly for flowers
- Field crops seed includes seed of pulses, cereals, industrial crops and forages
- Vegetable crops seed includes seed of all vegetable crops
- Potato seed and mushrooms are not included