

**TABLE 1 Food Balance Sheet for 2001/2002, based on the 2001 Crop Forecast (Worked in Metric Tonnes)**

<b>POPULATION 10.3 MILLION</b>	<b>Maize</b>	<b>Sorghum/ millet</b>	<b>Cassava</b>	<b>Other tubers</b>	<b>Rice</b>	<b>Wheat</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
<b>A. Opening stocks (1st May 2001) 1/</b>	60,541	-		-	2,000	5,000	67,541
<b>B. Production (CFS, 2000/2001) 2/</b>	801,877	95,224	815,301	245,161	12,387	74,527	2,044,477
<b>C. Total availability (A+B)</b>	<b>862,418</b>	<b>95,224</b>	<b>815,301</b>	<b>245,161</b>	<b>14,387</b>	<b>79,527</b>	<b>2,112,018</b>
<b>D. Staple food requirements:</b>							
(i) Human consumption 3/	1,060,720	83,487	581,978	370,472	16,763	110,757	2,224,176
(ii) Food Reserve Stocks (net) 4/	20,000	-	-	-	-	-	20,000
(iii) Stockfeed 5/	35,000	-	-	-	-	-	35,000
(iv) Breweries 6/	65,000	-	-	-	-	-	65,000
(v) Seed 7/	10,000	1,000	-	-	-	1,500	12,500
(vi) Export/cross-border trade 8/	50,000	-	-	-	-	-	50,000
(vii) Losses 9/	80,188	4,761	16,306	12,258	619	3,726	117,859
<b>Total requirements</b>	<b>1,320,908</b>	<b>89,248</b>	<b>598,284</b>	<b>382,730</b>	<b>17,382</b>	<b>115,983</b>	<b>2,524,535</b>
<b>E. Surplus/deficit (C-D)</b>	<b>(458,490)</b>	<b>5,976</b>	<b>217,017</b>	<b>(137,569)</b>	<b>(2,995)</b>	<b>(36,456)</b>	<b>(412,517)</b>
<b>D. Food relief requirements</b>							
<b>E. Food aid import requirements</b>	<b>98000</b>						<b>98,000</b>
<b>F. Commercial import requirements</b>	<b>360,490</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,995</b>	<b>36,456</b>	<b>314,517</b>

**Notes**

- 1/ Stocks expected to be held by commodity traders, millers and commercial farmers as at May 2001, not including stocks held by small-scale farmers in rural areas.
- 2/ Production estimates from the Crop Forecast prepared by MAFF-NEWU & CSO.
- 3/ Staple food representing 70% (1,421 kCal/person/day) of total diet (2,030 kCal/person/day), converted to crop requirements over an estimated population from the 2000 census of 10,285,361 people.  
The yield rates for cassava and other tubers are estimated at 7mt/ha and are worked on area to be harvested this consumption year.
- 4/ Stocks expected to be purchased by the Food Reserve Agency on the local market and carried over to the next season.
- 5/ Requirements by all major stockfeed producers, including large farms. This figure is a gross under-estimation based on an old survey.  
Current stock feed requirements are as high as 150,000 MT per year. However this will be compensated for by below normal consumption under item 3.
- 6/ Requirements by all known breweries. Half of the sorghum/millet requirement is estimated for use in local brewing.  
This figure is based on an old survey. The actual figure should be higher than the given estimate.
- 7/ Estimated seed crop grown for the seed companies.
- 8/ Total net exports (mostly unofficial) expected on the basis of the demand for food crops in neighbouring countries.  
Maize producers near border areas have easier access to markets across borders.
- 9/ Losses are estimated at 10% of production for maize, and 5% for sorghum, millet, rice and wheat losses for cassava and other tubers are put at 2% and 5% respectively.