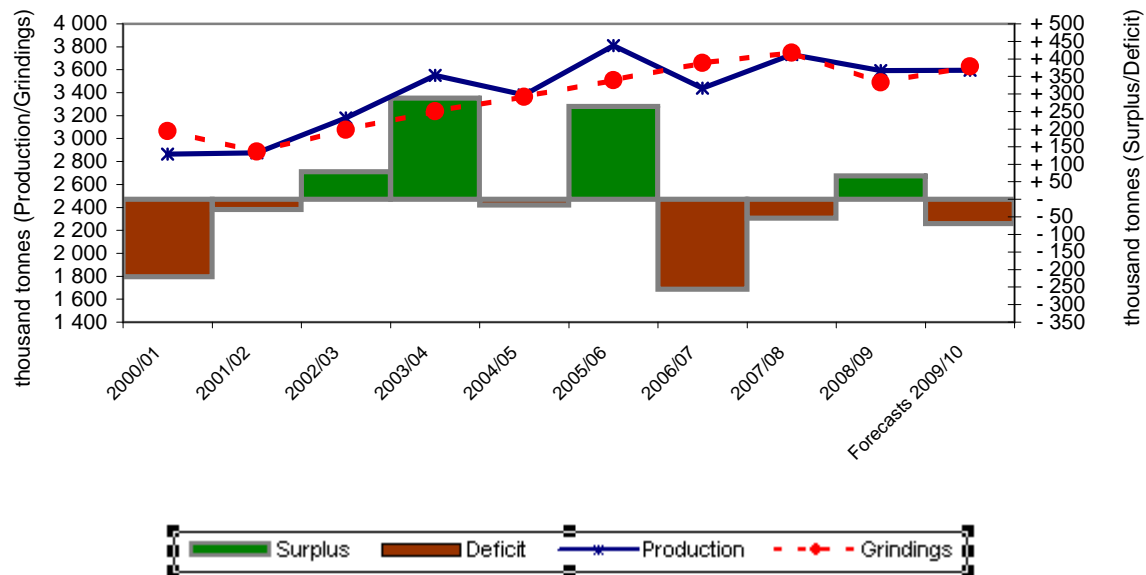


World cocoa bean production, grindings and stocks							
Crop Year (Oct-Sep)	Gross crop		Grindings		Surplus/deficit	Total end-of-season stocks	Stocks to grindings ratio
	<i>in thousand tonnes</i>						
		(Year on year change)		(Year on year change)			(Percent)
2000/01	2 865	-6.9%	3 065	3.5%	- 220	1 344	43.9
2001/02	2 877	0.4%	2 886	-5.8%	- 29	1 315	45.6
2002/03	3 179	10.5%	3 078	6.7%	+ 79	1 394	45.3
2003/04	3 551	11.7%	3 238	5.2%	+ 288	1 682	51.9
2004/05	3 381	-4.8%	3 363	3.9%	- 16	1 666	49.5
2005/06	3 811	12.7%	3 508	4.3%	+ 265	1 931	55.0
2006/07	3 439	-9.8%	3 661	4.4%	- 256	1 675	45.8
2007/08	3 732	8.5%	3 749	2.4%	- 54	1 621	43.2
2008/09	3 593	-3.7%	3 490	-6.9%	+ 67	1 688	48.4
Forecasts							
2009/10	3 596	0.1%	3 629	4.0%	- 69	1 619	44.6



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