

**Table 1.17**  
**TOTAL IMPORT OF PEPPER BY CONSUMING COUNTRIES**

| Countries                | 2015           |                  | 2016           |                  | 2017           |                  | 2018           |                  | 2019           |                  |
|--------------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                          | MT             | \$'000           | MT             | \$'000           | MT             | \$'000           | MT             | \$'000           | MT             | \$'000           |
| United States of America | 80,359         | 751,646          | 75,009         | 634,040          | 78,272         | 486,143          | 74,923         | 304,979          | 84,312         | 269,344          |
| Germany                  | 29,260         | 289,679          | 29,706         | 273,504          | 32,299         | 212,322          | 30,562         | 124,396          | 33,548         | 109,339          |
| Egypt                    | 7,287          | 64,626           | 5,469          | 55,412           | 7,123          | 56,720           | 6,870          | 37,978           | 13,783         | 46,372           |
| Pakistan                 | 7,119          | 20,911           | 10,161         | 41,622           | 8,932          | 37,403           | 8,239          | 30,184           | 11,287         | 26,629           |
| Netherlands              | 13,563         | 134,738          | 12,521         | 117,757          | 13,151         | 92,931           | 10,770         | 50,647           | 15,196         | 57,347           |
| Russia                   | 6,922          | 21,338           | 7,699          | 26,465           | 8,205          | 36,477           | 8,048          | 26,285           | 10,306         | 25,482           |
| France                   | 10,226         | 103,094          | 11,508         | 110,736          | 10,811         | 82,173           | 11,371         | 57,828           | 11,263         | 47,262           |
| Poland                   | 5,819          | 52,483           | 6,036          | 52,912           | 5,905          | 40,494           | 7,253          | 33,839           | 8,484          | 28,342           |
| Korea, South             | 5,397          | 53,676           | 5,470          | 47,769           | 6,152          | 39,541           | 5,607          | 23,091           | 6,567          | 21,082           |
| Turkey                   | 3,127          | 5,658            | 4,186          | 7,831            | 6,288          | 15,088           | 3,678          | 7,313            | 6,248          | 11,362           |
| Japan                    | 9,068          | 115,818          | 8,741          | 106,039          | 8,194          | 73,601           | 9,489          | 55,230           | 9,714          | 45,063           |
| Philippines              | 3,978          | 20,972           | 4,393          | 20,258           | 5,444          | 20,109           | 5,794          | 19,049           | 6,441          | 19,159           |
| Spain                    | 11,214         | 83,960           | 10,387         | 82,214           | 9,848          | 57,089           | 5,276          | 21,268           | 6,077          | 18,819           |
| United Kingdom           | 13,146         | 124,989          | 15,087         | 113,904          | 13,725         | 96,821           | 12,100         | 68,513           | 13,100         | 60,973           |
| Saudi Arabia             | 8,890          | 32,158           | 10,639         | 29,132           | 10,597         | 27,088           | 7,688          | 17,364           | 9,405          | 18,078           |
| Taiwan                   | 2,974          | 24,293           | 2,980          | 24,832           | 3,315          | 21,983           | 3,354          | 15,115           | 4,406          | 15,894           |
| United Arab Emirates     | 18,364         | 119,569          | 14,970         | 84,399           | 14,000         | 68,000           | 14,689         | 37,398           | 3,996          | 8,654            |
| Italy                    | 4,321          | 44,421           | 4,533          | 41,173           | 4,809          | 33,204           | 4,477          | 23,279           | 4,509          | 17,941           |
| Canada                   | 6,285          | 66,422           | 6,338          | 63,714           | 7,120          | 60,390           | 7,064          | 44,891           | 7,385          | 39,066           |
| Austria                  | 3,178          | 34,516           | 2,849          | 28,785           | 3,817          | 28,053           | 3,565          | 18,199           | 3,748          | 15,305           |
| South Africa             | 4,063          | 37,308           | 3,780          | 32,786           | 4,995          | 25,576           | 3,730          | 17,434           | 4,297          | 14,894           |
| Singapore                | 20,177         | 201,793          | 6,452          | 60,572           | 5,583          | 34,216           | 5,781          | 22,514           | 2,753          | 9,323            |
| Australia                | 3,321          | 32,779           | 3,689          | 36,058           | 4,012          | 27,586           | 3,828          | 21,096           | 3,580          | 17,718           |
| Sweden                   | 1,860          | 22,519           | 1,955          | 22,340           | 1,824          | 19,774           | 2,069          | 15,728           | 2,226          | 13,492           |
| Greece                   | 1,392          | 11,148           | 1,321          | 10,268           | 1,471          | 8,359            | 1,493          | 5,487            | 1,301          | 4,279            |
| Czech                    | 1,272          | 13,342           | 1,302          | 12,824           | 1,476          | 15,489           | 1,295          | 9,106            | 1,435          | 7,232            |
| Romania                  | 1,555          | 13,699           | 2,032          | 16,423           | 1,970          | 12,651           | 2,043          | 10,307           | 2,182          | 8,294            |
| Kazakhstan               | 917            | 3,513            | 804            | 2,651            | 1,004          | 3,037            | 1,032          | 2,981            | 1,346          | 3,248            |
| Chile                    | 337            | 2,327            | 294            | 2,910            | 323            | 2,772            | 516            | 2,629            | 1,738          | 1,849            |
| Belgium                  | 2,817          | 24,096           | 2,815          | 25,301           | 2,884          | 23,874           | 2,229          | 16,393           | 1,695          | 12,412           |
| Hungary                  | 997            | 8,414            | 1,122          | 9,333            | 1,110          | 7,973            | 1,079          | 5,976            | 1,067          | 4,535            |
| Bulgaria                 | 874            | 5,126            | 737            | 4,635            | 857            | 3,087            | 885            | 2,618            | 644            | 1,698            |
| Switzerland              | 894            | 11,591           | 859            | 11,218           | 863            | 9,790            | 932            | 8,283            | 1,004          | 7,260            |
| Hong Kong, China         | 1,173          | 9,647            | 1,141          | 9,812            | 1,167          | 7,385            | 1,296          | 6,069            | 1,314          | 5,898            |
| Ireland                  | 1,019          | 6,687            | 895            | 7,454            | 1,049          | 7,663            | 1,334          | 7,991            | 1,324          | 8,821            |
| Estonia                  | 551            | 6,428            | 655            | 6,681            | 665            | 7,396            | 579            | 4,871            | 614            | 3,837            |
| Croatia                  | 563            | 5,146            | 552            | 4,981            | 478            | 4,271            | 643            | 3,380            | 669            | 2,744            |
| Denmark                  | 976            | 11,249           | 1,152          | 13,420           | 1,123          | 12,368           | 1,078          | 10,529           | 1,029          | 8,658            |
| New Zealand              | 712            | 4,854            | 757            | 4,619            | 596            | 4,043            | 571            | 4,064            | 828            | 3,703            |
| Slovakia                 | 749            | 2,456            | 611            | 2,036            | 743            | 3,168            | 525            | 3,756            | 443            | 2,450            |
| Portugal                 | 472            | 2,986            | 474            | 3,408            | 471            | 3,053            | 538            | 4,503            | 516            | 4,146            |
| Norway                   | 480            | 6,435            | 448            | 6,585            | 493            | 7,020            | 472            | 5,210            | 498            | 4,341            |
| Bosnia and Herzegovina   | 162            | 1,350            | 190            | 1,501            | 208            | 1,352            | 206            | 1,094            | 261            | 1,050            |
| Oman                     | 784            | 1,568            | 754            | 1,007            | 791            | 956              | 652            | 1,750            | 91             | 290              |
| Costa Rica               | 355            | 2,688            | 478            | 3,245            | 389            | 2,804            | 354            | 2,275            | 310            | 1,636            |
| Mexico                   | 2,672          | 26,811           | 3,156          | 27,069           | 5,022          | 27,527           | 5,002          | 19,382           | -              | 13,678           |
| Others                   | 19,393         | 120,017          | 32,493         | 228,765          | 34,176         | 205,680          | 50,320         | 159,004          | 33,878         | 96,393           |
| <b>Total</b>             | <b>321,034</b> | <b>2,760,944</b> | <b>319,600</b> | <b>2,530,400</b> | <b>333,750</b> | <b>2,074,500</b> | <b>331,299</b> | <b>1,391,276</b> | <b>336,818</b> | <b>1,165,392</b> |