

TABLE 6.—*Indexes of world agricultural production: Total and per capita, by region, average 1935-39 and annual 1958-59 to 1960-61*¹

[Average 1952-53 to 1954-55=100]

Region or country	Total production						Per capita production					
	Average 1935- 39	1958- 59	1959- 60 ²	1960- 61 ³	Average annual percent change		Average 1935- 39	1958- 59	1959- 60 ²	1960- 61 ³	Average annual percent change	
					1935- 39 to 1960- 61	1952- 54 to 1960- 61					1935- 39 to 1960- 61	1952- 54 to 1960- 61
Southern area:												
Latin America.....	72	121	123	124	3.1	3.4	103	107	106	104	0.04	0.6
Africa and west Asia.....	77	117	118	121	2.5	3.0	100	106	105	105	.2	.7
Far East, less Japan ⁴	89	114	119	119	1.5	2.7	111	104	106	105	-.3	.7
Communist Asia.....	96	120	115	117	1.0	2.4	112	109	102	102	-.4	.3
Total.....	85	118	118	120	1.7	2.9	106	106	105	104	-.09	.6
Northern area:												
Western Europe.....	81	110	112	115	1.8	2.1	92	106	107	109	.8	1.3
Eastern Europe ⁵	108	132	130	131	.9	4.4	106	123	120	119	.5	2.7
United States and Can- ada.....	69	113	114	117	3.0	2.4	87	104	103	104	.9	.6
Japan.....	83	132	140	145	3.3	6.4	102	125	131	134	1.3	4.9
Australia and New Zea- land.....	76	120	121	124	2.7	3.4	100	107	106	107	.3	1.0
Total.....	84	118	119	122	1.9	3.1	93	111	110	111	.8	1.6
World total.....	85	118	119	121	1.8	3.0	101	108	107	107	.3	1.0

¹ Value of production at constant prices. Revised. Crops included in the index are harvested mainly between July 1 of the first year shown and June of the following year. For a few crops and most livestock production, estimates are for the calendar year of the 1st year shown.

² Preliminary.

³ Estimated.

⁴ Includes Pacific islands.

⁵ Includes Soviet Union.

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture.

TABLE 7.—*Protein content of selected foodstuffs (dry basis)*

Animal origin	Percent protein (N×6.25)	Plant origin	Percent protein (N×6.25)
Milk:		Rice, whole.....	7.5-9
Whole, dried.....	22-25	Rice, polished.....	5.2-7.6
Skimmed, dried.....	34-38	Wheat, flour.....	9.3-13.5
Beef:		Corn, meal.....	7-9.4
Dried.....	81-90	Chick pea.....	22-28
Roasted.....	72	Soybean.....	33-42
Egg:		Peanut (groundnut).....	25-28
Whole, dried.....	35	Walnut.....	15-21
Whole, dried, defatted.....	77	Potato.....	10-13
Herring.....	81	Tapioca.....	1.3
Salmon.....	69	Alfalfa.....	18-23
		Chlorella.....	23-44
		Torula yeast.....	38-55

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