

WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION

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**Supporting Tables Relating to Commitments on Agricultural Products
in Part IV of the Schedules**

This document contains supporting material relating to commitments on agricultural products contained in Schedule LIV - Zimbabwe.

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**Tableaux explicatifs concernant les engagements relatifs aux
produits agricoles repris dans la Partie IV des Listes**

Le présent document contient les données explicatives concernant les engagements relatifs aux produits agricoles inscrits dans la Liste LIV - Zimbabwe.

Solamente inglés

**Cuadros justificantes relativos a los compromisos sobre productos
agropecuarios consignados en la Parte IV de las Listas**

En el presente documento figura la documentación justificante relativa a los compromisos sobre productos agropecuarios consignados en la Lista LIV - Zimbabwe.

Internal Support

The major support afforded farmers in Zimbabwe is through Research Extension, Veterinary Services and subsidised agricultural loans, and such support is for development purposes of the rural areas as well as the country at large.

Our calculations of the Aggregate Measure of Support (AMS) indicated negative results for all our major agricultural commodities. There has been no policy change to alter that trend.

Some price support is given to domestic consumers for essential agricultural commodities through the Public Marketing Boards. By 1995, it is targetted that all our Statutory Boards will not be getting any Subsidy.

Export Competition

Zimbabwe's agricultural sector does not receive any export subsidies. We therefore do not have any reduction commitments to make.

Agricultural Negotiations: Supporting DataDomestic Support: Name of Country: ZimbabweMeasures Exempt from the Reduction Commitment: Special and Differential Treatment

Measure Name	Measure type	Description	Monetary Value of Measure	Data Sources	Comments
1	2	3	4	5	6
Agricultural Research	Investment subsidy	Subsidised research services, but	Information not readily available	Ministry of Agriculture	Government funded for development of rural areas
Agricultural Extension	"	Subsidised extension services	as soon as it is feasible.	"	"
Veterinary Services-only applies to beef	"	Subsidised Veterinary services including pest control measures	"	"	"
Agricultural Finance Corporation loans	Input subsidies generally available to low-income producers	Subsidised agricultural loans	"	"	"
Food Security and Domestic food aid	1. Food for work programmes 2. Supplementary school & baby clinic feeding 3. Direct food distribution at household level	Infrastructure development	"	Ministry of Social Welfare	Partly Government funded, Partly Donor funded

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Environment and Regional Assistance Programmes		1. Environment Impact Assessment of major projects	Information not readily available but will be provided as soon as it is feasible	Ministry of Environment	Major thrust by Zimbabwean Government is to sustain the environment
		2. Legislative Control	"	"	
		3. Awareness programmes through the mass media	"	"	
		4. Self-help commercial projects on environment management	"	"	
		5. Research	"	"	