PRODUCTION

TABLE 4.2
SUGAR: PRODUCTION, EXPORTS AND LOCAL SALES

ITEM	UNIT	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
CANES											
Area harvested	('000 Ha.)	49.1	48.3	41.6	45.4	43.6	40.7	45.3	42.8	44.3	37.9
Production 1/	('000 Tonnes)	2,766.5	2,766.0	2,762.3	3,195.7	2,710.0	2,461.0	2,837.0	2,816.0	2,367.0	1,859.0
Yield	(tonne cane/Ha.)	56.3	57.3	66.4	70.4	62.2	60.5	62.6	65.8	53.4	49.1
Production by private farmer	('000 Tonnes)	212.2	261.7	358.0	367.6	303.5	294.4	307.1	323.6	286.1	135.9
SUGAR											
1st. Crop	('000Tonnes)	103.3	83.3	81.9	106.9	71.1	48.0	80.0	81.1	56.6	49.6
2nd. Crop	('000Tonnes)	123.0	150.5	138.9	129.6	146.9	138.7	136.2	150.0	126.8	87.7
Production	('000Tonnes)	226.3	233.7	220.8	236.5	218.1	186.8	216.2	231.1	183.5	137.3
Yield - Cane Tonnes	(per sugar tonne)	12.2	11.8	12.5	13.5	12.4	13.2	13.1	12.2	12.9	13.5
- Sugar	(tonne per Ha.)	4.6	4.8	5.3	5.2	4.5	4.1	4.3	4.8	4.1	3.6
Contribution to G.D.P	(%)	7.0	7.1	2.9	4.3	4.8	4.1	2.8	4.2	3.4	. . .
EXPORTS											
Volume	('000 Tonnes)	205.3	217.7	196.2	211.5	196.5	163.3	189.6	212.7	158.5	107.9
Value	(G$ Mn.)	27,762.0	26,602.0	19,866.0	26,372.0	26,894.0	23,954.0	18,003.0	16,157.0	15,150.0	10,002.1
Avg. export price	(G$ per tonne)	135,200.0	121,291.0	101,278.0	124,708.0	136,499.0	146,584.0	94,972.0	75,978.0	95,641.0	87,558.0
LOCAL SALES											
Volume	('000 Tonnes)	23.3	12.2	22.3	20.0	22.4	22.1	20.8	21.8	22.8	22.7
Value	(G$ Mn.)	1,794.9	941.1	2,430.7	2,046.0	2,048.0	2,101.0	2,107.0	2,184.0	2,260.0	2.222.3
Average Price	(G$ per tonne)	77,034.3	76,857.5	108,801.2	102,143.3	91,463.0	94,872.0	101,287.0	100,332.0	97,508.1	97,739.5

Source: Guyana Sugar Corporation.

1/: Includes production by private farmers.

Note: Sugar's contribution for 2010 was recalculated based on the new base year 2006. (See Annex 3)

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