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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

SUBJECT: Soviet Grain Consumption and Imports

On 4 June 1976, DIA briefed you on the development of Soviet underground grain storage facilities. During the discussion period, I indicated that DIA would furnish you with details concerning Soviet grain consumption and imports. This information has been obtained and is enclosed.

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Soviet Grain
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**Soviet Annual Grain Consumption
(1976 estimate)**

	<u>Amount consumed*</u>
Processed for human consumption	70,000,000
Animal feed	74,000,000
Seed	28,000,000
Industry	3,000,000
Total	<u>75,000,000</u>

**Soviet Grain Imports
(July '75 to date)**

<u>Source</u>	<u>Amount contracted*</u>
us	19,062,000
Canada	8,189,000
Australia	3,660,000
Brazil	1,965,000 (est)
Argentina	1,625,000
East Europe	1,200,000 (est)
West Europe (France, Spain, Belgium, West Germany)	730,000 (est)
Africa (South Africa, Kenya)	340,000
Other	224,000
Total	<u>36,995,000</u>

* In metric tons

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