

**TABLE 38****WORLD RAW SILK PRODUCTION**

(Tonnes)

<b>Country</b>	<b>1998</b>	<b>1999</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2001</b>	<b>2002</b>	<b>2003</b>	<b>2004 (P)</b>
China	57500	56959	61648	64567	68600	94600	102560
India	15544	15214	15857	17351	16319	15742	16500
Japan	1080	650	557	431	394	287	263
Brazil	1821	1554	1389	1485	1607	1563	1512
Korea Republic	210	200	165	157	154	150	150
Uzbekistan	1500	923	1100	1260	1260	950	950
Thailand	900	1000	955	1510	1510	1500	1420
Vietnam	862	780	780	2035	2200	750	750
Others	1572	1250	1952	1692	3814	1500	1500
<b>Total</b>	<b>80989</b>	<b>78530</b>	<b>84403</b>	<b>90488</b>	<b>95858</b>	<b>117042</b>	<b>125605</b>

Note : Figures of India is for Finanacial year April to March, P : Provisional  
Source : 2004 -Sericologia 44 (3) & ISCC - 2005