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TABLE 210: AGRICULTURAL LOAN - AMOUNT DISBURSED BY PURPOSE OF LOAN, AND % OF TOTAL LOAN DISBURSED FOR AGRICULTURE

	Amount (T\$'000)												
	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Squash	3,002.2	4,830.0	8,680.0	5,980.0	3,600.0	5,800.0	3,664.0	1,861.0	1,340.0	1,277.0	2,124.0	2,657.0	5,102.0
Vanilla & Kava	3,281.7	1,834.0	3,197.0	2,703.0	1,485.0	2,150.0	727.0	490.0	926.0	581.0	753.0	781.0	429.0
Fruits & Vegetables	502.7	7,773.0	9,401.0	6,311.0	4,311.0	2,759.0	218.0	67.0	134.0	1,143.0	833.0	703.0	182.0
Root Crops	1,514.3	2,540.0	2,987.0	2,570.0	2,251.0	1,578.0	1,032.0	514.0	639.0	204.0	419.0	452.0	223.0
Fishing	678.4	727.0	904.0	410.0	299.0	249.0	154.0	126.0	1,488.0	941.0	1,204.0	1,332.0	742.0
Tree Bark	42.3	57.0	61.0	158.0	86.0	69.0	48.0	31.0	33.0	749.0	340.0	158.0	89.0
Livestock	204.2	490.0	460.0	320.0	266.0	394.0	173.0	306.0	51.0	31.0	262.0	368.0	99.0
Agricultural Land	0.7	630.0	1,483.0	1,125.0	521.0	516.0	8.0	-	-	141.0	65.0	361.0	76.0
Other	160.4	-	30.0	9.0	21.0	9.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	47.0
TOTAL	9,386.9	18,881.0	27,203.0	19,586.0	12,840.0	13,524.0	6,224.0	3,395.0	4,611.0	5,067.0	6,000.0	6,812.0	6,989.0
	% of Total												
Squash	32.0	25.6	31.9	30.5	28.0	42.9	62.1	54.8	29.1	25.2	35.4	39.0	73.0
Vanilla & Kava	35.0	9.7	11.8	13.8	11.6	15.9	11.7	14.4	20.1	11.5	12.6	11.5	6.1
Fruits & Vegetables	5.4	41.2	34.6	32.2	33.6	20.4	3.5	2.0	2.9	22.6	13.9	10.3	2.6
Root Crops	16.1	13.5	11.0	13.1	17.5	11.7	16.6	15.1	13.9	4.0	7.0	6.6	3.2
Fishing	7.2	3.9	3.3	2.1	2.3	1.8	2.5	3.7	32.3	18.6	20.1	19.6	10.6
Tree Bark	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.8	0.7	0.5	0.8	0.9	0.7	14.8	5.7	2.3	1.3
Livestock	2.2	2.6	1.7	1.6	2.1	2.9	2.8	9.0	1.1	0.6	4.4	5.4	1.4
Agricultural Land	0.0	3.3	5.5	5.7	4.1	3.8	0.1	-	-	2.8	1.1	5.3	1.1
Other	1.7	-	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Total Loan Disbursed T\$('000)	13,412.0	22,282.0	23,842.0	23,000.0	n.a	n.a	100,78.0	169,93.0	125,48.0	152,80.0	169,93.0	175,69.0	146,42.0
% of Total Loan Disbursed on Agricultural Loan	70.0	84.7	114.1	85.2	n.a	n.a	61.8	20.0	36.7	33.2	35.3	38.8	47.7

SOURCE: Annual Reports of the Tonga Development Bank

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TABLE 211: NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS KEEPING LIVESTOCK AND NUMBER OF LIVESTOCK KEPT AS OF THE TIME OF ENUMERATION, BY KIND OF LIVESTOCK, KINGDOM OF TONGA: 2001

Kind of Livestock	No. of Households	No. of Livestock kept	Average No. of Livestock kept
Cattle	2311	10,354	4
Pig	11594	113,580	10
Horse	1640	3,255	2
Goat	805	2,741	3
Chicken	7729	177,829	23
Duck	126	1,119	9

Source: Agriculture Census 2001

TABLE 212: PROPORTION OF HOUSEHOLDS WITH RESPECT TO THE LEVEL OF AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITY TO THE TOTAL HOUSHOLDS, BY LOCATION OF HOUSEHOLDS: 2001

Location of Households	Total Households	Proportion of Households (%), by level of Agricultural Activity		
		Non-Agricultural	Minor Agricultural	Agriculturally Active
Tonga	15738	30.4	5.3	64.2
Tongatapu	10583	38.6	7.3	54.2
Vava'u	2625	15.4	1.4	83.2
Ha'apai	1298	15.6	1.5	82.9
'Eua	863	9.0	1.3	89.7
Niuas	369	8.9	0.5	90.5

Source: Agriculture Census 2001

TABLE 213: NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS OWNING TAX ALLOTMENT AND NUMBER AND AREA OF OWNED TAX ALLOTMENT, BY PRESENT STATUS OF TAX ALLOTMENT: 2001

Present Status of Tax Allotment	No. of Households Owning Tax Allotment	Number of Owned Tax Allotment	Area of Owned Tax Allotment
Total	6447	6577	53725
Cultivated under crops by owner/household	3695	3734	31216
Rented out to other households for pay	245	245	3769
Rented out to other households without pay	2102	2124	17881
Fallow	2311	2317	18190
Under bush/forest growth	689	701	7316
Other Status	241	243	2424

Note: the total does not add up to the details since a tax allotment may be under several present status.

Source: Agriculture Census 2001

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TABLE 214: PROPORTION OF FISHING HOUSEHOLDS TO THE TOTAL NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS BY LOCATION OF HOUSEHOLD: 2001

Location of Household	Number of Households	Number of Fishing Households	Proportion of Fishing Households
Tonga	15,738	5,130	32.6
Tongatapu	10,583	2,393	22.6
Vava'u	2,625	1,337	50.9
Ha'apai	1,298	937	72.2
'Eua	863	211	24.4
Niuas	369	252	68.3

Source: Agriculture Census 2001

TABLE 215: PROPORTION OF FISHING HOUSEHOLDS USING BOATS, BY LOCATION OF HOUSEHOLDS: 2001

Location of Household	No. of Fishing Households Using Boats	Proportion of Fishing Households Using Boats		
		Owned boats	Hired Boats	Borrowed Boats
Tonga	2044	43.4	15.4	43.7
Tongatapu	789	42.3	21.0	37.9
Vava'u	492	55.9	10.6	39.2
Ha'apai	616	35.4	12.8	51.8
'Eua	61	36.1	23.0	41.0
Niuas	86	37.2	3.5	42.8

Source: Agriculture Census 2001

TABLE 216: SUMMARY TABLE. NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS ENGAGED IN HANDICRAFT MAKING AND HOUSEHOLDS TAKING/BUYING RAW MATERIALS AND SELLING HANDICRAFTS MADE, BY LOCATION OF HOUSEHOLD: 2001

Location of Household	Number of Households Engaged in Handicraft Making	Households Taking Raw Materials From the holding	Households Buying Raw Materials	Households Selling Handicraft Made
Tonga	5,798	4,386 (75.6%)	1,894 (32.7%)	3,117 (53.8%)
Tongatapu	2,601	1,631 (62.7%)	1,181 (45.4%)	1,127 (43.3%)
Vava'u	1,468	1,280 (87.2%)	355 (27.7%)	742 (50.5%)
Ha'apai	946	824 (87.1%)	135 (14.3%)	752 (79.5%)
'Eua	531	453 (85.3%)	121 (22.6%)	328 (61.8%)
Niuas	252	198 (78.6%)	102 (40.5%)	168 (66.7%)

Source: Agriculture Census 2001