

K A O L I N

	Tonnes				
	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
<u>Production</u>					
1. Kaolin (Ceramic)					
Northern Region					
Lampang	54,226	47,240	11,796	24,237	28,061
Central Region					
Phetchaburi	33,100	33,400	35,157	30,000	25,000
Prachin Buri	3,250	1,600	4,065	1,525	-
Ratchaburi	10,100	9,300	7,600	8,505	2,900
Southern Region					
Narathiwat	4,588	8,620	-	7,500	5,705
Ranong	67,878	85,585	98,235	86,133	97,520
Total Production	173,142	185,745	156,853	157,900	159,186
Value (Million Baht)	166.2	178.3	150.6	151.6	152.8
2. Kaolin (Unwashed)					
Northern Region					
Lampang	175,807	192,029	273,306	304,091	328,056
Uthai Thani	78,500	85,000	101,850	86,000	52,000
Uttaradit	-	-	-	-	1,900
Northeastern Region					
Udon Thani	2,455	1,750	-	-	-
Central Region					
Chanthaburi	92	80	440	367	290
Kanchanaburi	71,754	112,645	143,180	269,028	101,388
Lop Buri	34,500	32,350	2,500	16,400	33,000
Prachin Buri	-	-	-	-	1,509
Ratchaburi					
Rayong	-	-	59,000	-	-
Southern Region					
Nakhon Si Thammarat	7,000	6,000	-	-	-
Surat Thani	3,500	-	100	-	-
Total Production	373,608	429,854	580,376	675,886	518,143
Value (Million Baht)	143.8	165.5	223.4	260.2	199.5

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3. Kaolin (Filler)					
Northern Region					
Uttaradit	12,370	14,936	9,031	9,326	7,985
Total Production	12,370	14,936	9,031	9,326	7,985
Value (Million Baht)	23.5	28.4	17.2	17.7	15.2
Export					
1. Ceramic					
Asia					
Bangladesh	84	126	105	-	-
Indonesia	-	-	-	18	62
Japan	-	-	-	9	-
Malaysia	285	196	310	919	843
Pakistan	-	-	-	-	20
Philippines	540	820	540	602	370
Sri Lanka	-	-	-	-	4
Vietnam	3,260	603	620	2,176	1,989
Total Export	4,169	1,745	1,575	3,724	3,288
Value (Million Baht)	9.3	7.5	6.5	14.7	14.8
2. Unwashed					
Asia					
Vienam	2,500	12,500	6,000	-	11,500
Total Export	2,500	12,500	6,000	-	11,500
Value (Million Baht)	1.9	8.7	4.1	-	9.4

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<u>Consumption</u>					
Domestic					
1. Ceramic	126,703	157,862	152,623	156,401	160,070
Value (Million Baht)	121.6	151.5	146.5	150.1	153.7
2. Unwashed	289,619	398,188	569,391	567,375	475,664
Value (Million Baht)	111.5	153.3	219.2	218.4	183.1
3. Filler	13,218	13,580	9,209	9,326	8,585
Value (Million Baht)	25.1	25.8	17.5	17.7	16.3
Import					
1. Ceramic	16,127	26,451	23,033	27,764	18,061
Value (Million Baht)	155.0	172.9	165.3	248.3	169.0
2. Filler	23,265	23,479	18,133	22,942	7,202
Value (Million Baht)	201.2	193.1	161.6	187.9	63.4
3. Others	52,043	58,653	41,775	53,969	52,856
Value (Million Baht)	344.0	418.3	366.6	386.1	412.1

