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Subj: Release of First Quarter Cocoa Grindings for 2022

	In Metric Tons		Increase (Decrease)	
	2022	2021	Amount	%
Cocoa Beans Ground	114,694	117,956	-3,262	-2.77%
Aggregate Number of Plants Reporting	16	17	-1	-5.88%

The Cocoa Grinds Report supplied by The National Confectioners Association has changed. Beginning with the report for the First Quarter 2009, the report will cover grinds for North America, including Canada, Mexico and the USA. In addition, the reports will no longer include Liquor and Butter Melted. New reporting companies and plants have been added (see attached).

Attached is a list of companies who responded to the survey this quarter.

Quarterly Grindings Report Release Date Schedule for 2022:
 Second Quarter 2022: Report Release Date is July 21, 2022
 Third Quarter 2022: Report Release Date is October 20, 2022
 Fourth Quarter 2022: Report Release Date is January 19, 2023





LIST OF COMPANIES

**RESPONDING TO FIRST QUARTER OF 2022
COCOA PRODUCTS SURVEY**

Barry Callebaut

Guittard Chocolate Co.

The Blommer Chocolate Co.

The Hershey Company

Cargill Cocoa & Chocolate Co.

Mars Wrigley Confectionery

ECOM

Nestlé

Ghirardelli Chocolate Co.

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