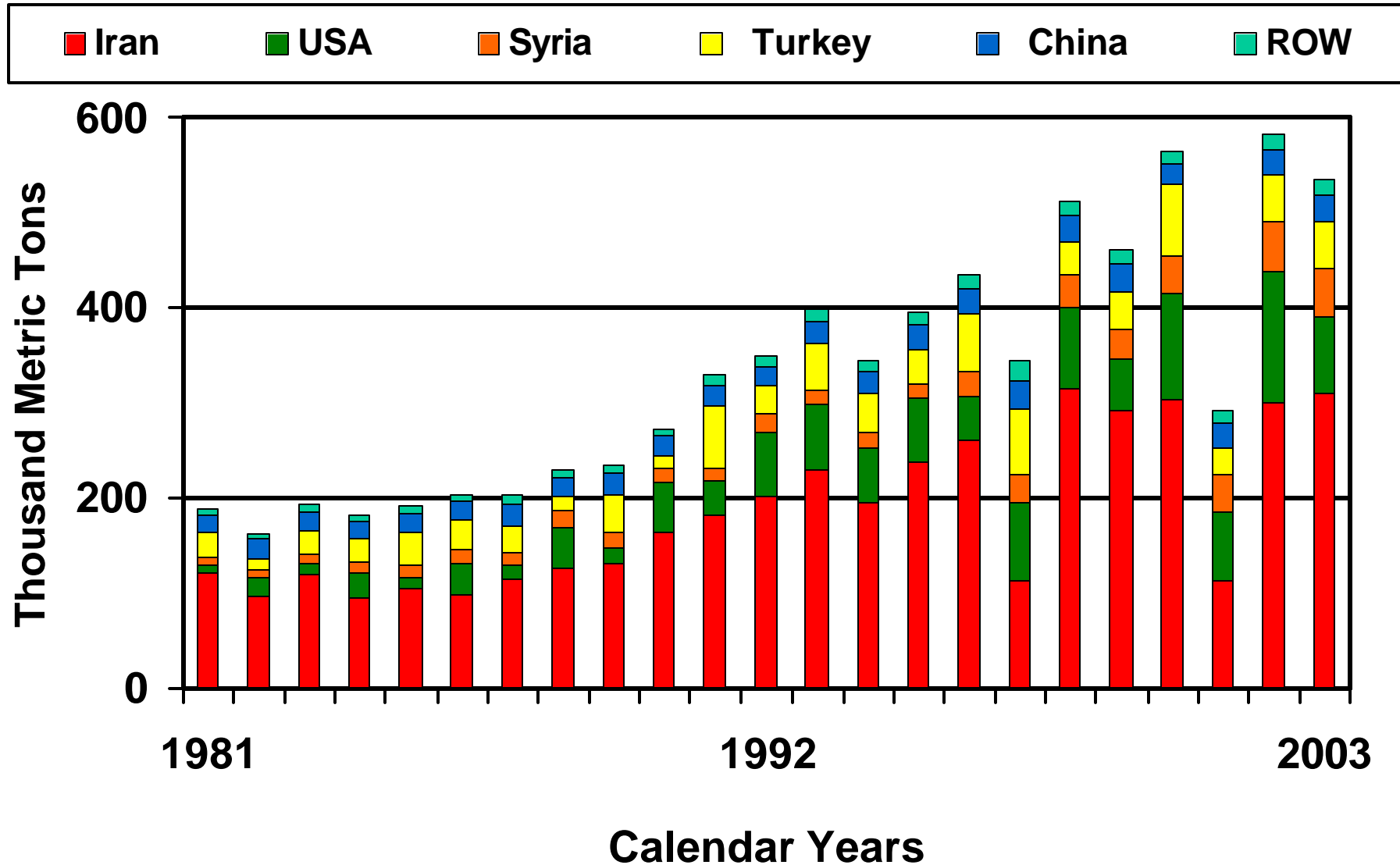


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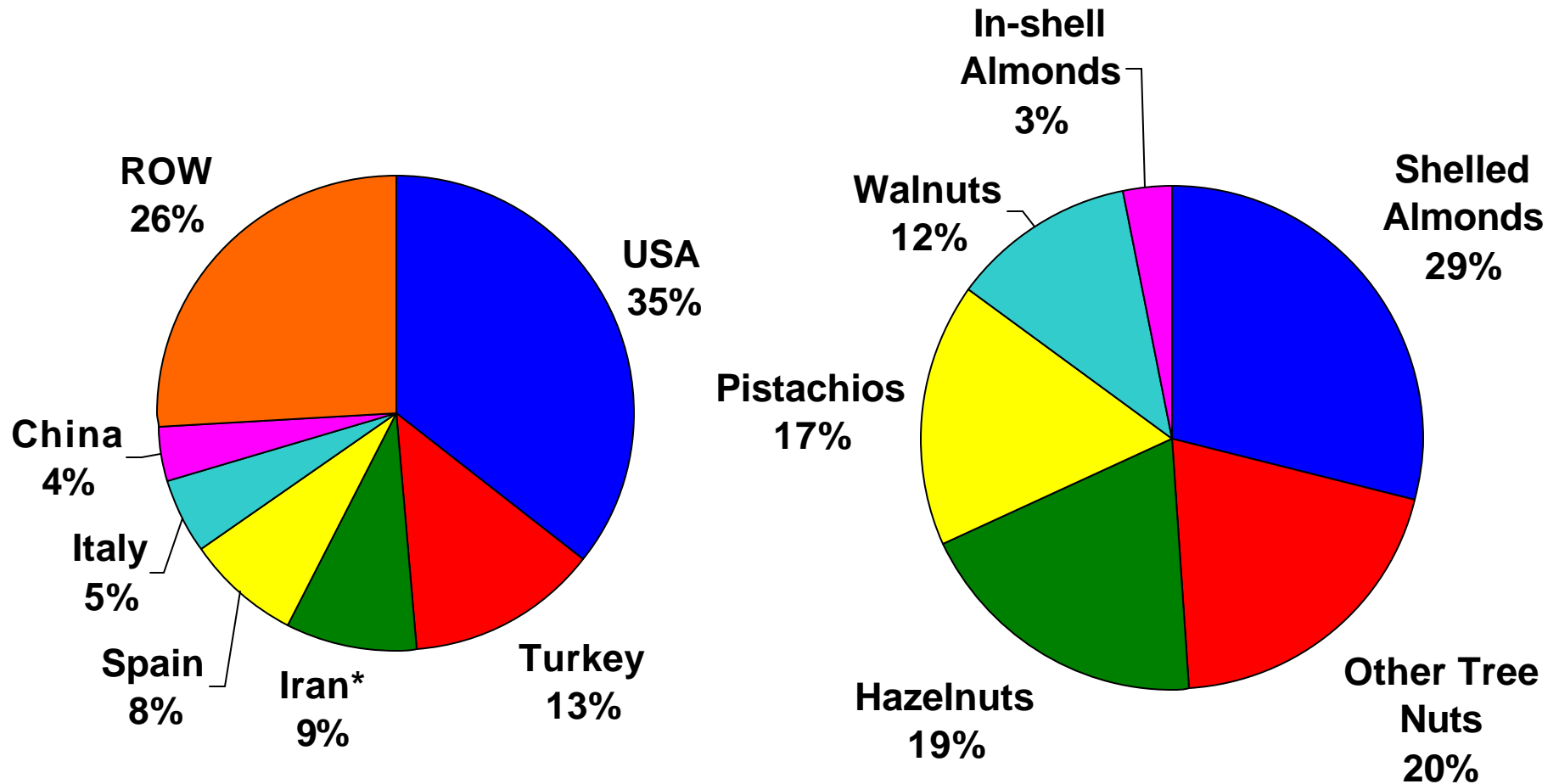
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Global Pistachio Production



Source: Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) of the United Nations

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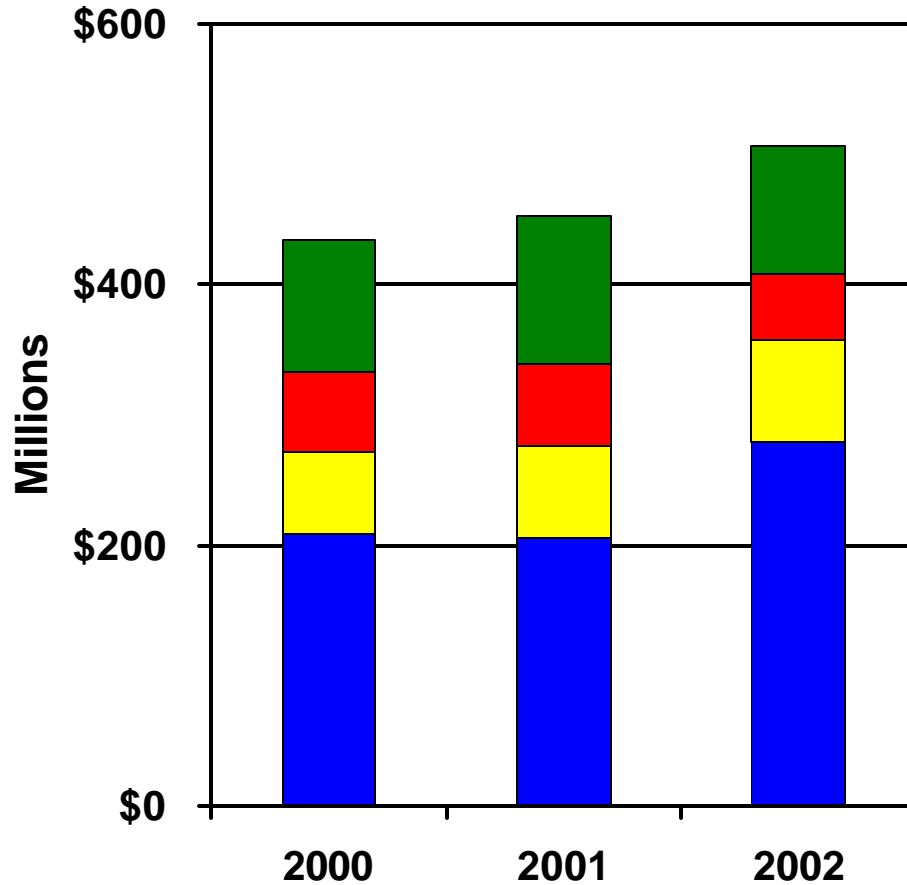


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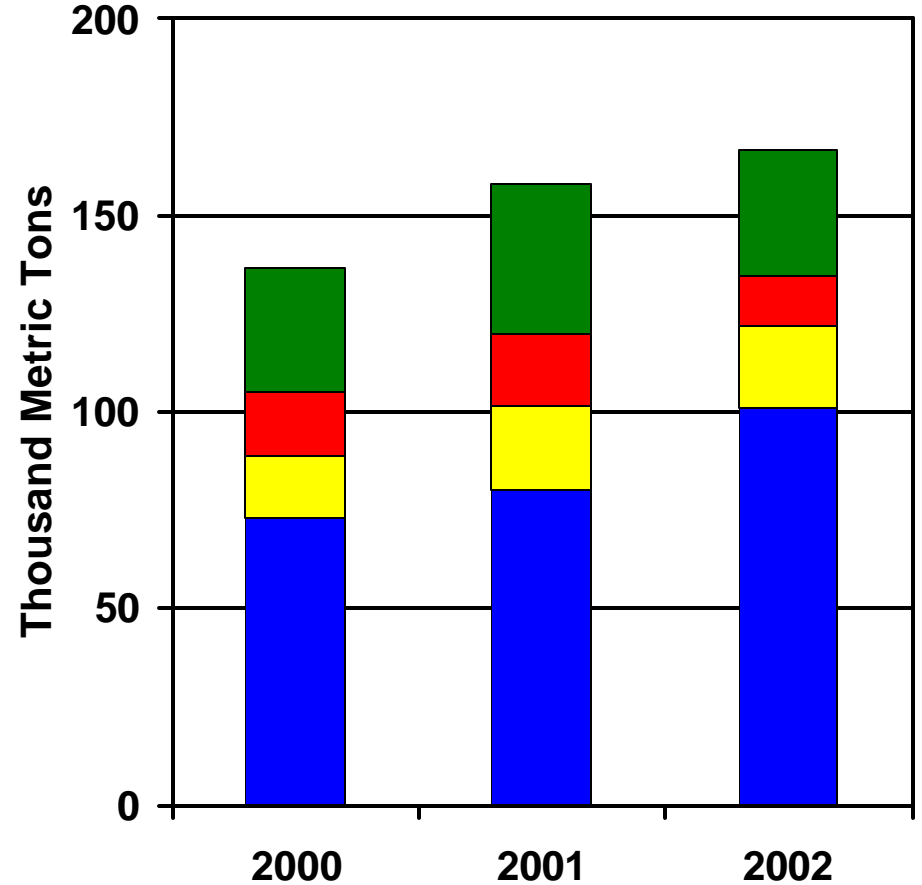
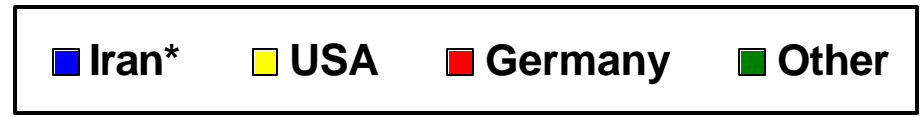
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Top Exporters of Pistachios

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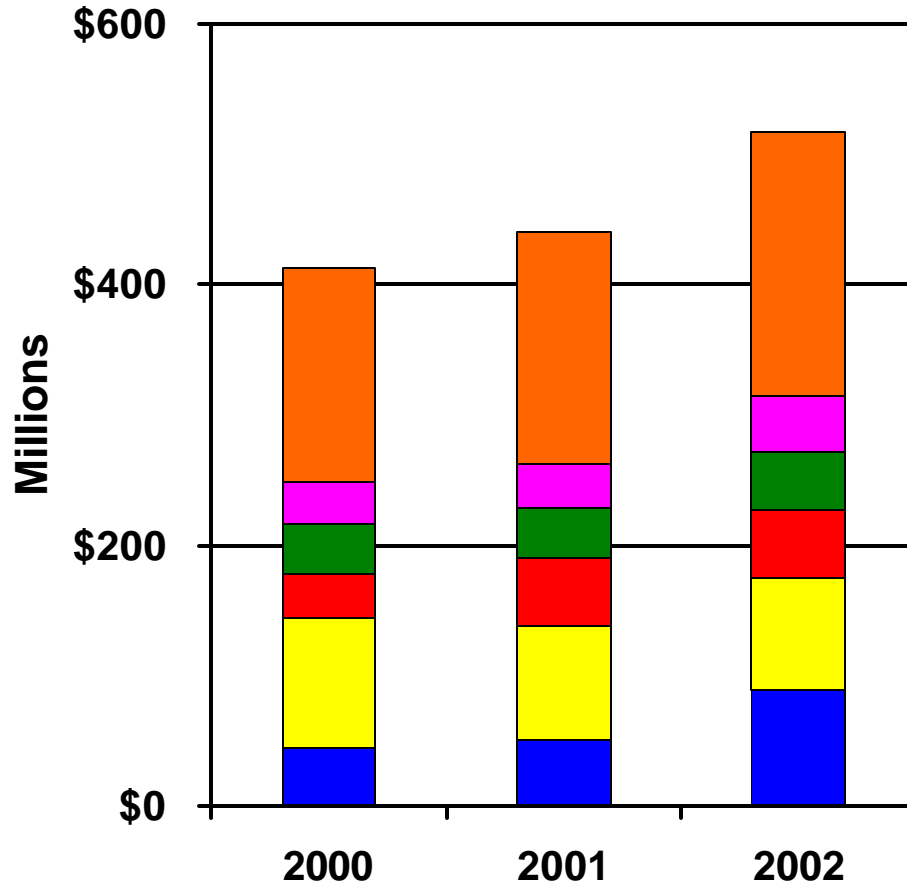


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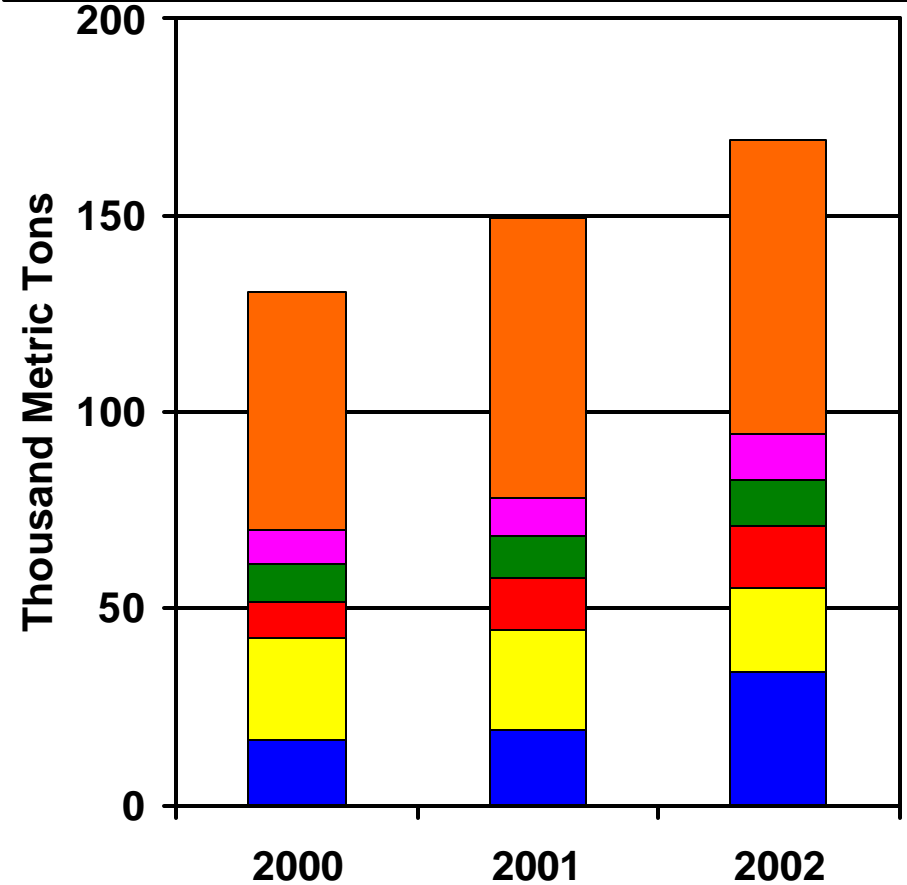
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Top Importers of Pistachios

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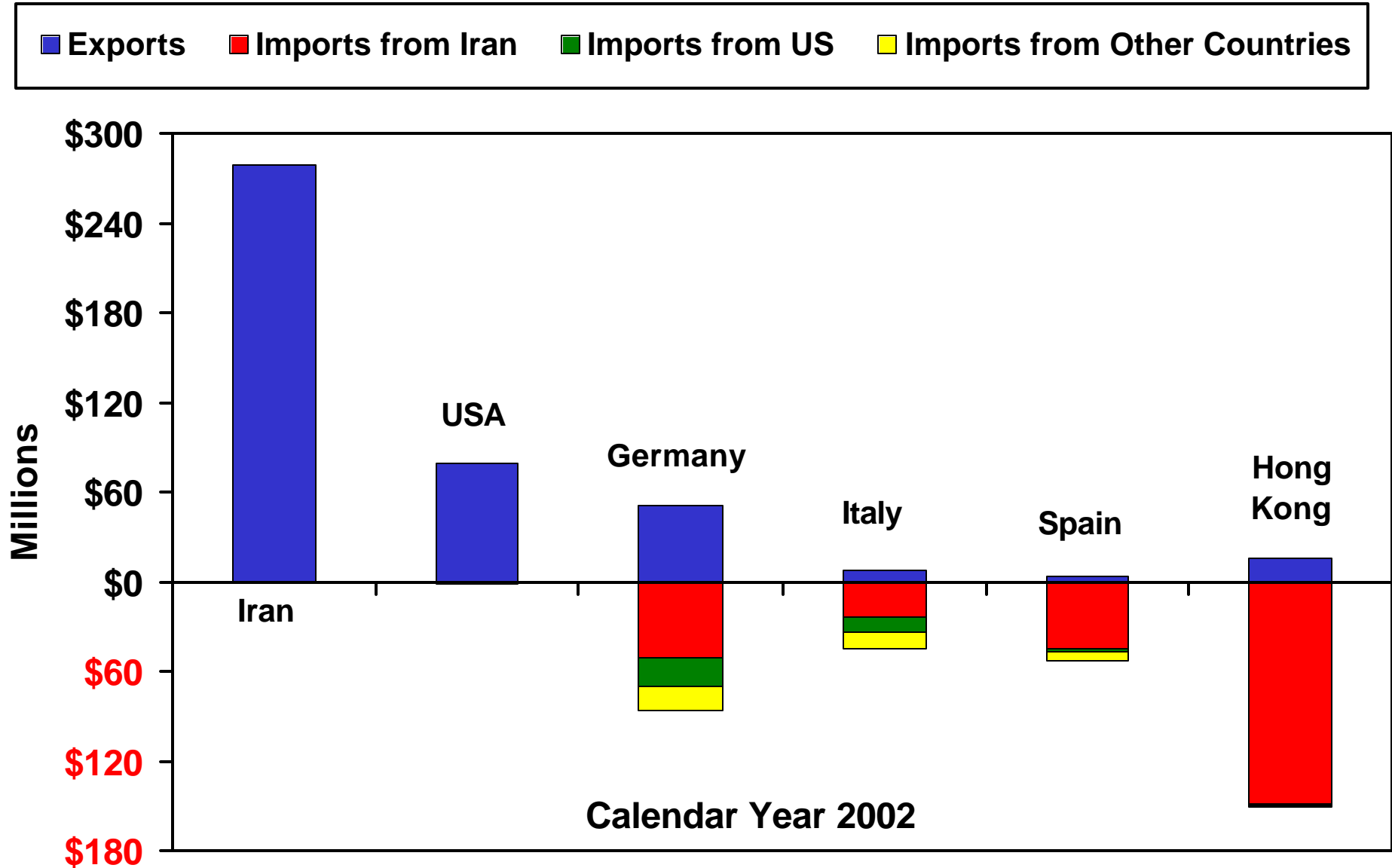
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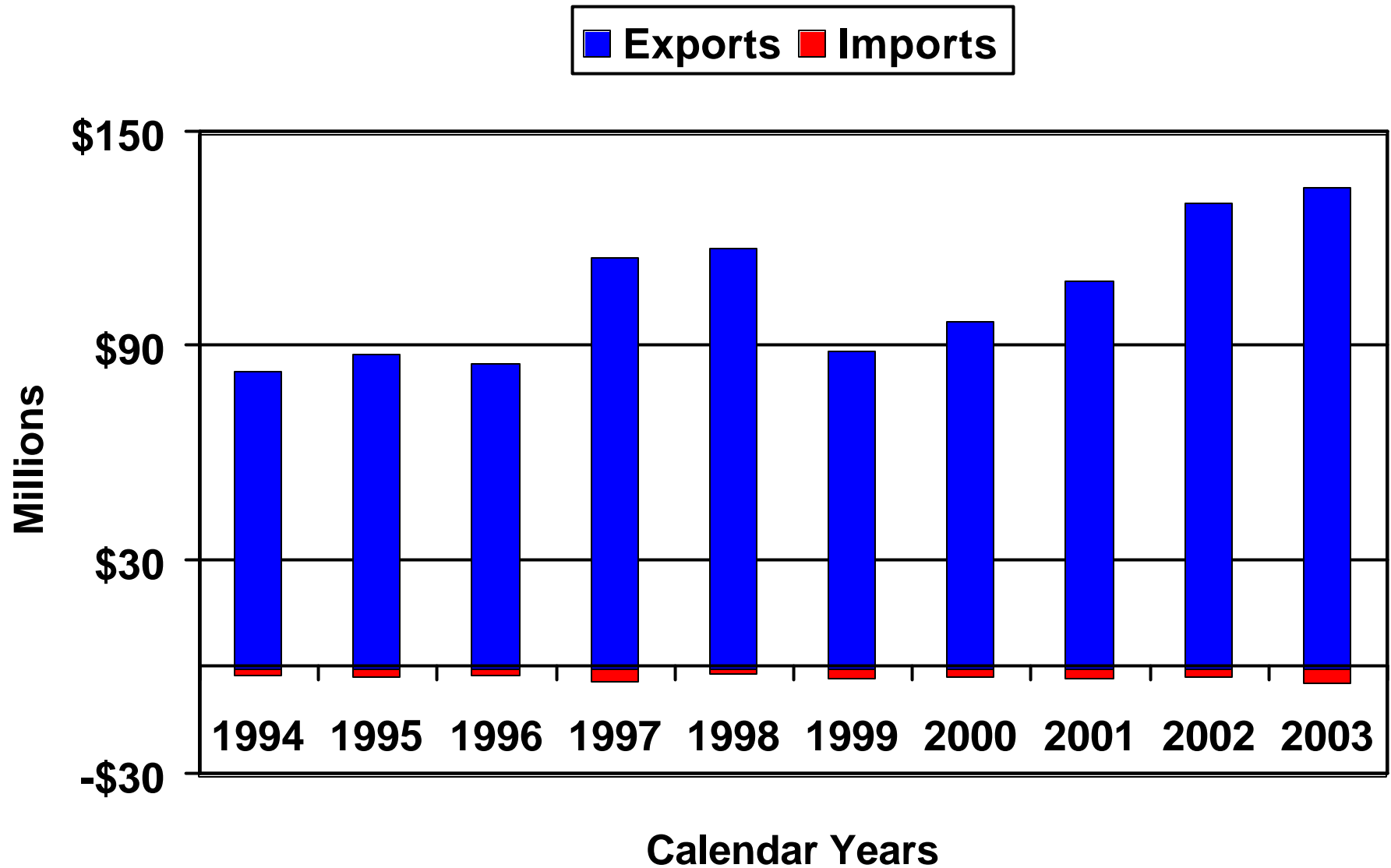
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Key Pistachio Traders



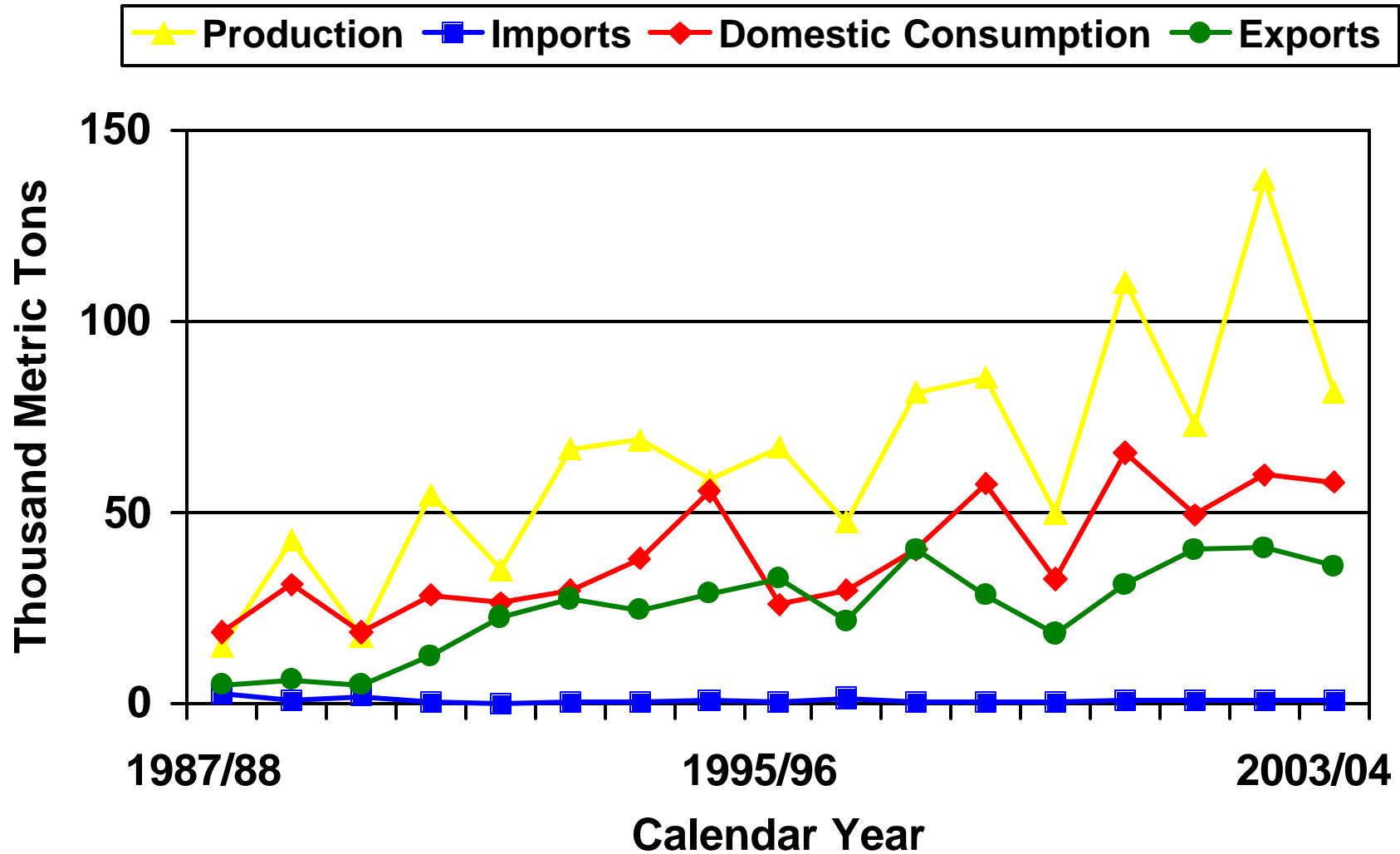
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U.S. Pistachio Trade Balance



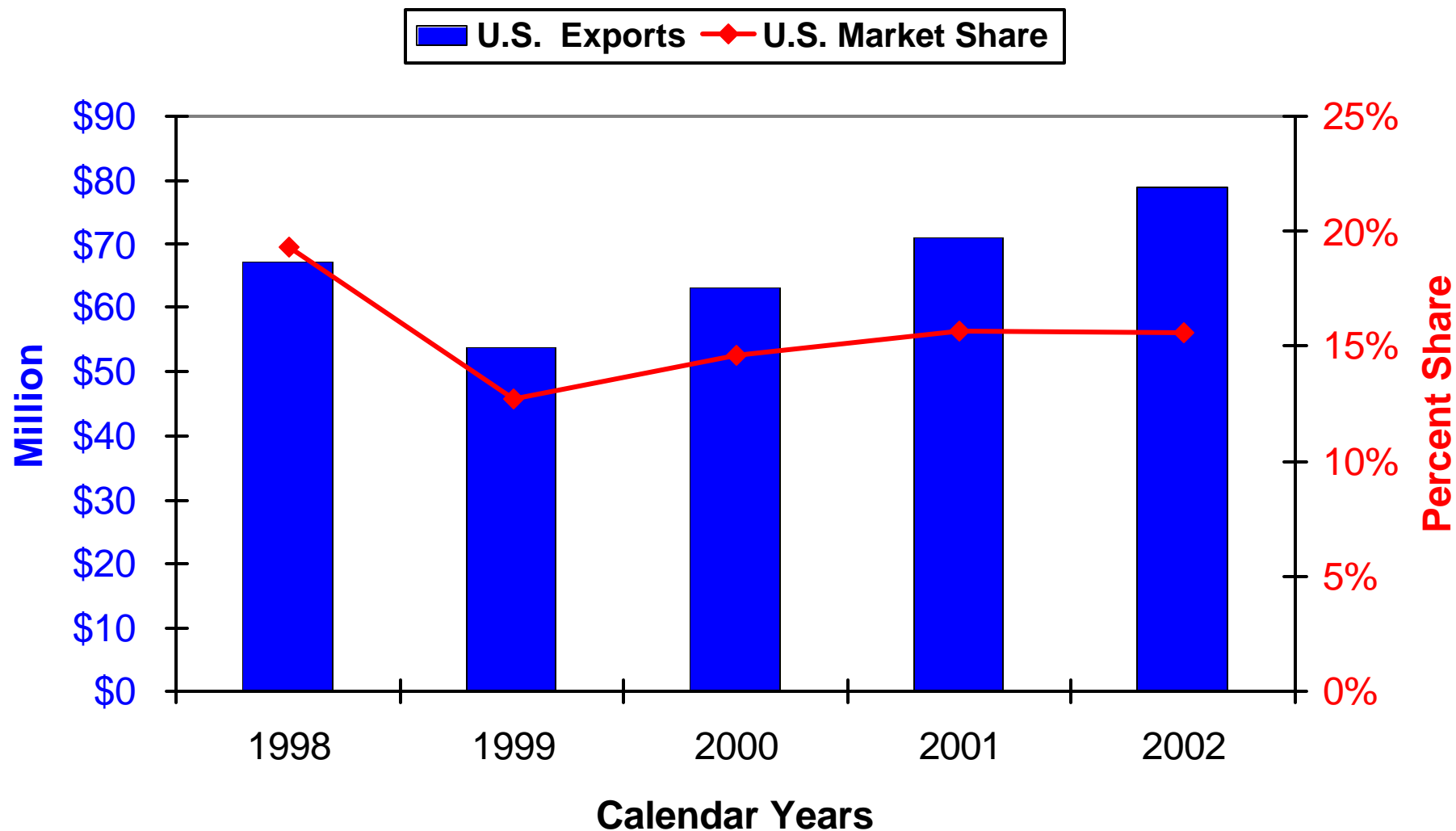
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U.S. Pistachio Production, Consumption and Trade: In-shell Basis



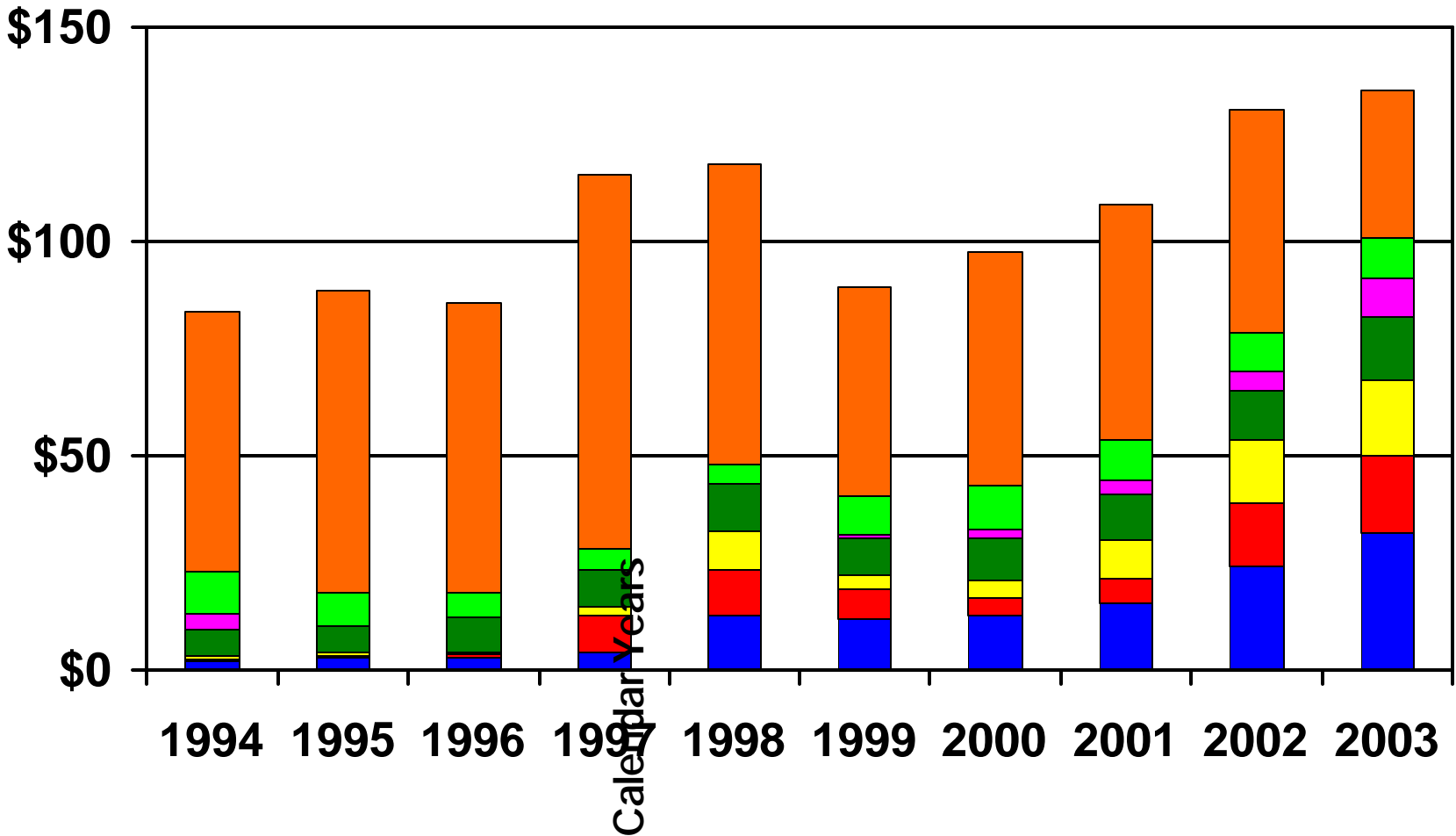
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U.S. Pistachio Exports and Global Market Share



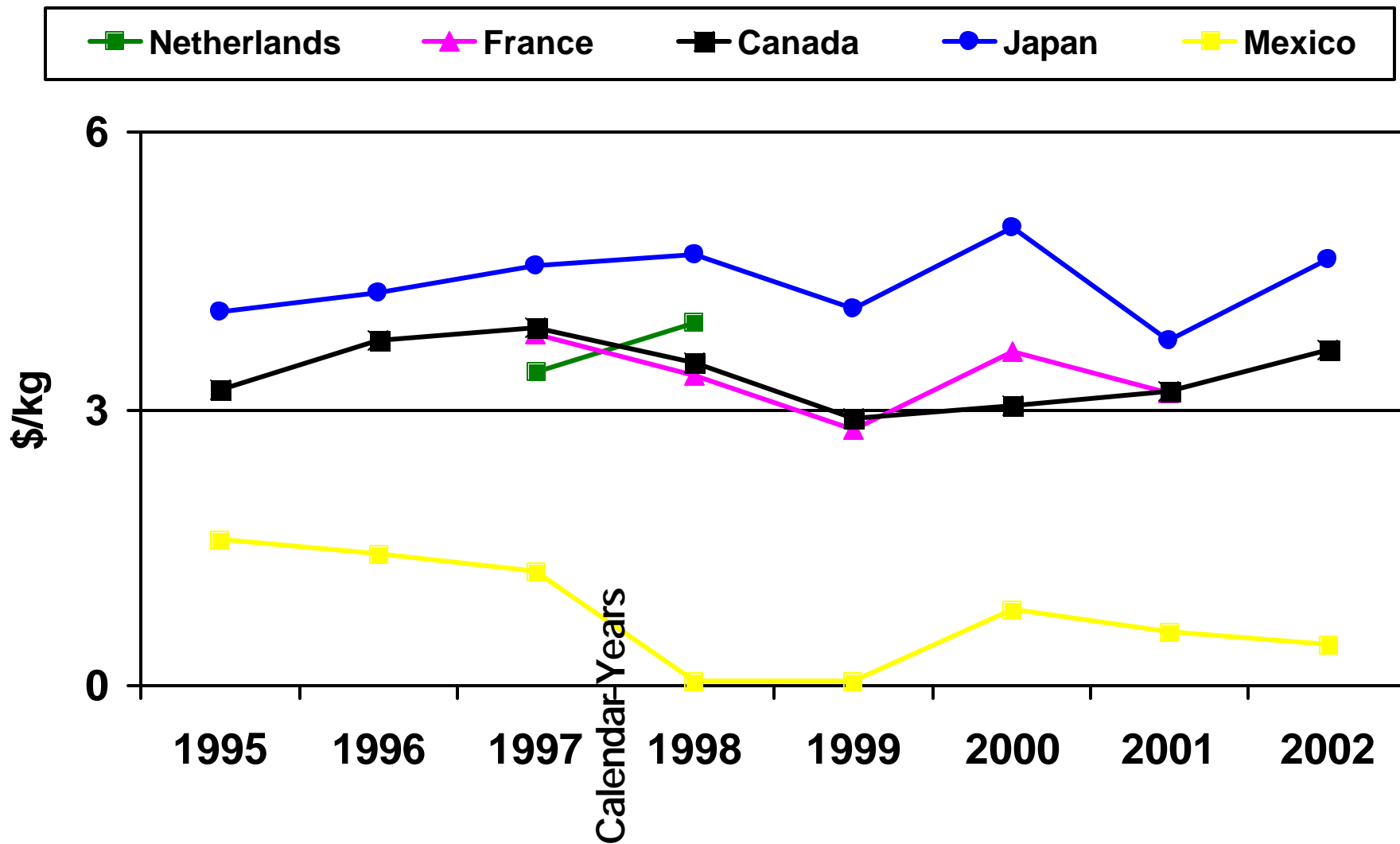
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Top U.S. Pistachio Export Markets



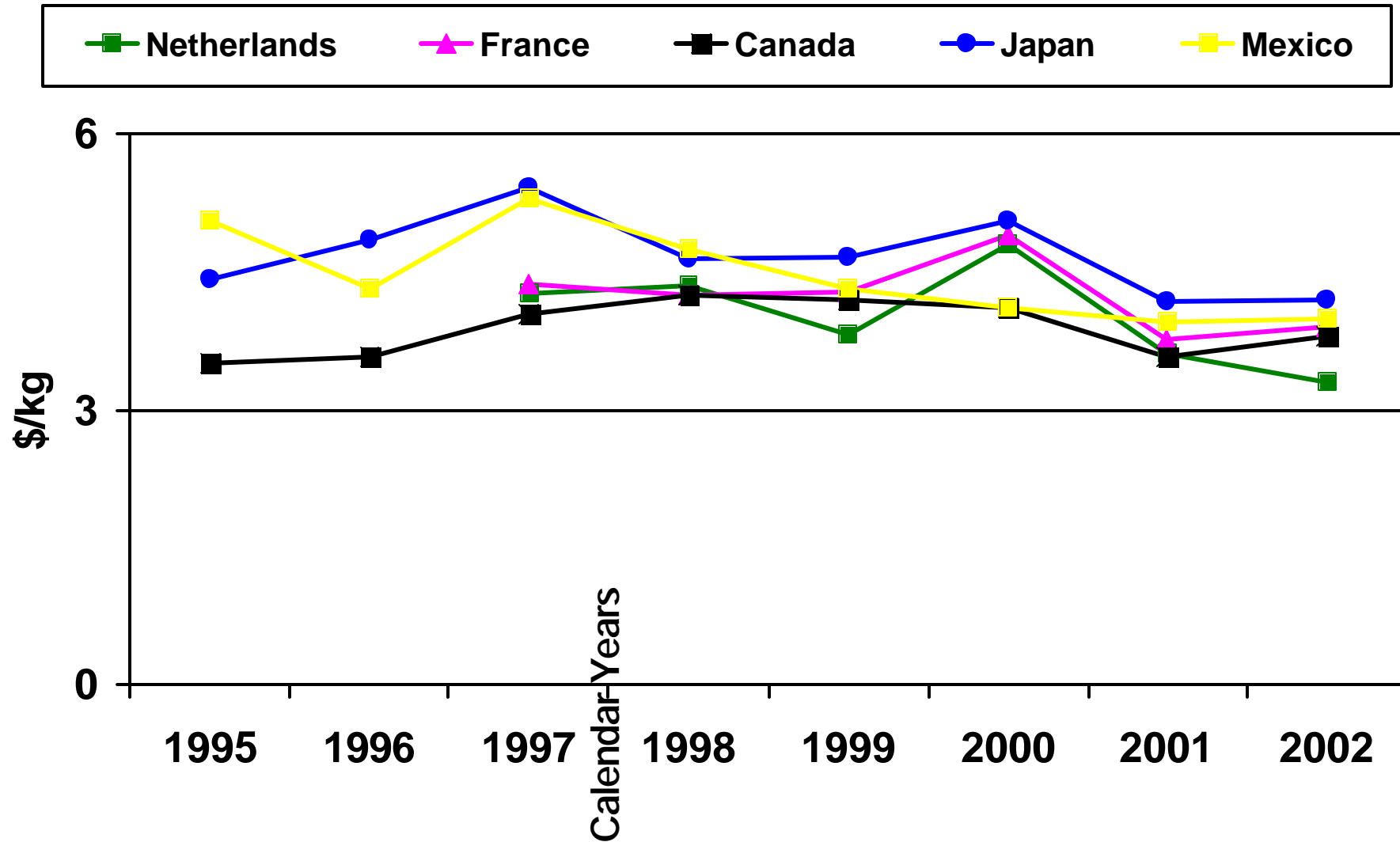
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Derived Unit Price of Iranian Pistachios in Key Markets



Source: Global Trade Atlas

Derived Unit Price of U.S. Pistachios in Key Markets



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