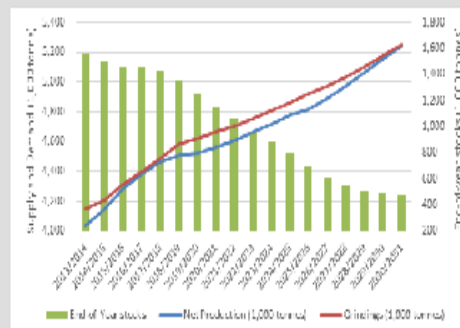


# ECONOMICS COMMITTEE

25-26 March 2015

## Report of the 22nd meeting of the Expert Working Group on stocks





<i>Location of cocoa bean stocks</i>	<b>30 Sep 2013</b>	<b>30 Sep 2014</b>	<b>Difference year-on-year</b>
<b>STOCKS IN COCOA IMPORTING COUNTRIES</b>	<b>1121</b>	<b>1020</b>	<b>-101</b>
<b>STOCKS IN COCOA PRODUCING COUNTRIES</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>+77</b>
<b>COCOA BEANS IN TRANSIT</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>+4</b>
<b>TOTAL ESTIMATED WORLD COCOA BEAN STOCKS</b>	<b>1527</b>	<b>1508</b>	<b>- 19</b>
<i>Of which, total identified world cocoa bean stocks</i>	<i>1358</i>	<i>1341</i>	<i>- 17</i>
<b>Total identified world stocks as % of total estimated world stocks</b>	<b>89%</b>	<b>89%</b>	
<b>Total world stocks (statistically-derived)</b>	<b>1596</b>	<b>1626</b>	<b>+ 30</b>