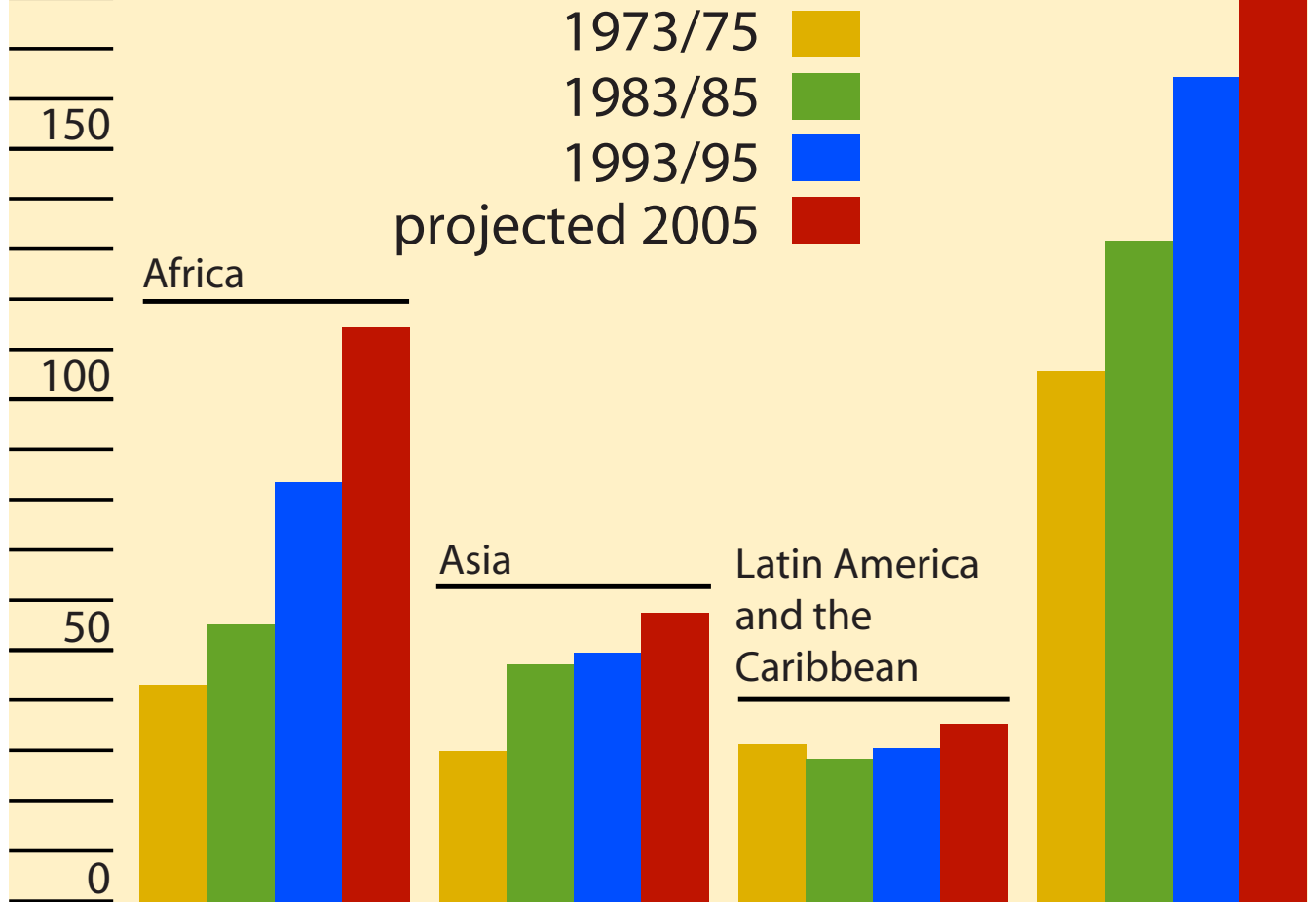


250 million tonnes

Trends in cassava production

World total

1973/75
1983/85
1993/95
projected 2005



Global cassava production is expected to show continued growth over the next five years, with Africa leading the way. Five countries, Brazil, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Indonesia, Nigeria and Thailand account for almost 70 percent of the world's cassava production.

Source: FAO