

TABLE 21 : AREA UNDER CULTIVATION - MAJOR COMMERCIAL CROPS

(Million hectares)

Year	Oilseeds				Sugarcane	Tea	Coffee	Cotton (Lint)	Raw Jute & Mesta	Tobacco
	Groundnut	Rapeseed & Mustard	Soyabean	Total						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1959-60	6.44	2.91	-	13.95	2.14	-	-	7.30	0.98	0.41
1960-61	6.46	2.88	-	13.77	2.42	-	-	7.61	0.90	0.40
1961-62	6.89	3.17	-	14.77	2.46	-	-	7.98	1.34	0.42
1962-63	7.28	3.13	-	15.34	2.24	-	-	7.73	1.24	0.41
1963-64	6.89	3.05	-	14.82	2.25	-	-	8.22	1.27	0.44
1964-65	7.38	2.91	-	15.26	2.60	-	-	8.37	1.21	0.41
1965-66	7.70	2.91	-	15.25	2.84	-	-	7.96	1.11	0.38
1966-67	7.30	3.01	-	15.00	2.30	-	-	7.84	1.12	0.42
1967-68	7.55	3.24	-	15.67	2.05	-	-	8.00	1.20	0.42
1968-69	7.09	2.87	-	14.47	2.53	-	-	7.60	0.81	0.44
1969-70	7.13	3.17	-	14.81	2.75	-	-	7.73	1.09	0.44
1970-71	7.33	3.32	0.03	16.64	2.62	0.35	0.14	7.61	1.08	0.45
1971-72	7.51	3.61	0.03	17.27	2.39	0.36	0.14	7.80	1.11	0.46
1972-73	6.99	3.32	0.03	15.79	2.45	0.36	0.15	7.68	0.99	0.45
1973-74	7.02	3.46	0.05	16.90	2.75	0.36	0.16	7.57	1.16	0.46
1974-75	7.06	3.68	0.07	17.31	2.89	0.36	0.16	7.56	0.98	0.38
1975-76	7.22	3.34	0.09	16.92	2.76	0.36	0.17	7.35	0.91	0.37
1976-77	7.04	3.13	0.13	16.47	2.87	0.36	0.14	6.89	1.09	0.43
1977-78	7.03	3.58	0.20	17.17	3.15	0.37	0.15	7.87	1.16	0.50
1978-79	7.43	3.54	0.31	17.71	3.09	0.37	0.16	8.12	1.27	0.41
1979-80	7.17	3.47	0.50	16.94	2.61	0.37	0.17	8.13	1.22	0.43
1980-81	6.80	4.11	0.61	17.60	2.67	0.38	0.19	7.82	1.30	0.45
1981-82	7.43	4.40	0.48	18.91	3.19	0.38	0.19	8.06	1.15	0.44
1982-83	7.22	3.83	0.77	17.76	3.36	0.39	0.21	7.87	1.02	0.50
1983-84	7.54	3.87	0.84	18.69	3.11	0.40	0.21	7.72	1.05	0.44
1984-85	7.17	3.99	1.24	18.92	2.95	0.40	0.21	7.38	1.13	0.44
1985-86	7.12	3.98	1.34	19.02	2.85	0.40	0.21	7.53	1.50	0.40
1986-87	6.98	3.72	1.53	18.63	3.08	0.41	0.22	6.95	1.07	0.39
1987-88	6.84	4.62	1.54	20.13	3.28	0.41	0.22	6.46	0.96	0.32
1988-89	8.53	4.83	1.73	21.90	3.33	0.41	0.22	7.34	0.92	0.38
1989-90	8.71	4.97	2.25	22.80	3.44	0.41	0.22	7.69	0.91	0.41
1990-91	8.31	5.78	2.56	24.15	3.69	0.42	0.22	7.44	1.02	0.41
1991-92	8.67	6.55	3.18	25.89	3.84	0.42	0.22	7.66	1.11	0.43
1992-93	8.17	6.19	3.79	25.24	3.57	0.42	0.22	7.54	0.93	0.42
1993-94	8.32	6.29	4.37	26.90	3.42	0.42	0.23	7.32	0.89	0.38
1994-95	7.85	6.01	4.32	25.30	3.87	0.43	0.23	7.87	0.93	0.38
1995-96	7.52	6.55	5.04	25.96	4.15	0.43	0.24	9.04	0.93	0.39
1996-97	7.60	6.55	5.45	26.34	4.17	0.43	0.25	9.12	1.10	0.43
1997-98	7.09	7.04	5.99	26.12	3.93	0.43	0.29	8.87	1.11	0.46
1998-99	7.40	6.51	6.49	26.23	4.05	0.47	0.30	9.34	1.03	0.51
1999-00	6.87	6.03	6.22	24.28	4.22	0.49	0.31	8.71	1.04	0.43
2000-01	6.56	4.48	6.42	22.77	4.32	0.50	0.31	8.53	1.02	0.26
2001-02	6.24	5.07	6.34	22.64	4.41	0.51	0.32	9.13	1.05	0.35
2002-03	5.94	4.54	6.11	21.49	4.52	0.52	0.33	7.67	1.04	0.33
2003-04	5.99	5.43	6.56	23.66	3.93	0.52	0.33	7.60	1.00	0.37
2004-05	6.64	7.32	7.57	27.52	3.66	0.52	0.33	8.79	0.92	0.37
2005-06	6.74	7.28	7.71	27.86	4.20	0.56	0.38	8.68	0.90	0.37
2006-07	5.62	6.79	8.33	26.51	5.15	0.57	0.38	9.14	0.94	0.37
2007-08	6.29	5.83	8.88	26.69	5.06	0.58	0.39	9.41	0.96	0.35
2008-09	6.16	6.30	9.51	27.56	4.42	0.58	0.39	9.41	0.90	0.39
2009-10	5.48	5.59	9.73	25.96	4.18	0.58	0.40	10.13	0.91	0.44
2010-11	5.86	6.90	9.60	27.22	4.88	0.56	0.40	11.24	0.87	0.49
2011-12	5.26	5.89	10.11	26.31	5.04	0.56	0.41	12.18	0.90	0.46
2012-13	4.72	6.36	10.84	26.48	5.00	0.56	0.41	11.98	0.87	0.43
2013-14	5.53	6.70	12.20	28.53	5.01	0.57	0.42	11.69	0.85	-
2014-15	4.69	5.79	11.09	25.73	5.14	0.57	0.42	13.08	0.81	-
2015-16	4.56	5.76	11.67	26.13	4.95	0.57	0.43	11.87	0.79	-

Notes : 1. Data for 2015-16 are based on Fourth Advance Estimates.

2. Data for 1959-60 to 1969-70 relate to total of five major oilseeds, viz., groundnut, castorseed, sesamum, rapeseed and mustard, and linseed.

3. Oilseed data comprises total for nine oilseeds out of the eleven in all.

4. -: Not Available.

Also see Notes on Tables.

Source : Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Government of India.