

**Appendix Table II.3 : Agricultural Production**

		(Million tonnes)			
Crop	1998-99 A	1997-98 P	1996-97	1995-96	
1	2	3	4	5	
<b>1. All Crops: Annual Growth Rate \$</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>- 5.6</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>- 2.7</b>	
i) Foodgrains	5.8	- 3.2	10.1	- 6.3	
ii) Non-foodgrains	10.2	- 9.0	8.2	2.6	
<b>2. Foodgrains (a + b)</b>	<b>202.5</b>	<b>192.4</b>	<b>199.4</b>	<b>180.4</b>	
i) Rice	84.7	82.3	81.7	77.0	
ii) Wheat	71.0	65.9	69.4	62.1	
iii) Coarse cereals	30.9	31.2	34.1	29.0	
iv) Pulses	15.9	13.1	14.2	12.3	
<b>a) Kharif</b>	<b>102.7</b>	<b>101.1</b>	<b>103.9</b>	<b>95.1</b>	
i) Rice	71.8	71.6	71.3	67.9	
ii) Coarse cereals	24.7	25.2	27.1	22.7	
iii) Pulses	6.1	4.4	5.5	4.6	
<b>b) Rabi</b>	<b>99.9</b>	<b>91.3</b>	<b>95.5</b>	<b>85.3</b>	
i) Rice	12.9	10.7	10.4	9.1	
ii) Wheat	71.0	65.9	69.4	62.1	
iii) Coarse cereals	6.2	6.0	7.0	6.4	
iv) Pulses	9.8	8.7	8.8	7.7	
<b>3. Non-foodgrains</b>					
i) Oilseeds	25.7	22.0	24.4	22.1	
ii) Sugarcane	290.7	276.3	277.6	281.1	
iii) Cotton @	12.8	11.1	14.2	12.9	

iv) Jute & Mesta +	9.8	11.1	11.1	8.8
v) Tea *	870.4	810.6	780.3	753.9
vi) Coffee *	230.0	228.0	205.0	223.0

A Advance estimate as on June 25, 1999.

P Provisional.

\$ Based on Index of Agricultural Production with base triennium ending 1981-82 = 100.

@ Million bales of 170 kg. each.

+ Million bales of 180 kg. each.

\* Million kg., and data for tea are on calendar year basis.

**Source :** Ministry of Agriculture, Government of India.