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SUMMARY TABLES showing the TOTAL AREA, AREA CULTIVATED and UNCULTIVATED, AREA UNDER IRRIGATION, AREAS UNDER DIFFERENT CROPS, LIVE-STOCK, TRANSFERS of LAND, and LAND REVENUE ASSESSMENT in BRITISH INDIA in the year 1915-16.

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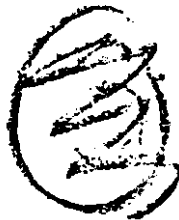
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## NOTE

The main idea in issuing these summary tables is to make available in abstract form the Agricultural Statistics of British India for the year 1915-16. They would not, otherwise, be published until Volume I of the Agricultural Statistics of India is issued later in the year. Special arrangements were made, as last year, to secure and tabulate the data, in order to publish these statistics several months before the customary date.

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# Summary Tables of the Agricultural Statistics of British India

No. 1—GENERAL SUMMARY, 1906-07 TO 1915-16

## Classification of area

[Thousand acres]

	1906-07 (a)	1907-08	1908-09	1909-10	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16
Area by professional survey . . . . .	583,739	619,458	623,135	624,359	618,581	618,608	618,927	619,594	619,311	619,52
Area under forest . . . . .	81,748	83,426	82,489	81,189	80,613	80,851	82,400	82,623	82,935	85,07
Area not available for cultivation . . . . .	137,164	153,527	157,637	157,627	149,994	149,605	146,387	147,169	145,427	143,93
Culturable waste other than fallow . . . . .	106,696	113,288	113,066	114,665	115,097	114,813	115,025	115,587	115,080	113,82
Fallow land . . . . .	39,935	54,209	50,153	45,335	46,949	54,869	48,760	52,620	45,897	51,73
Net area cropped . . . . .	214,226	210,893	218,040	222,912	223,065	215,982	224,166	219,192	227,611	221,77
Irrigated area . . . . .	36,654	39,914	42,487	41,581	40,896	40,679	45,539	46,836	47,194	46,88

## Area under food crops

[Thousand acres]

Rice . . . . .	73,541	75,981	72,801	78,731	78,524	76,837	78,752	76,908	77,669	78,68
Wheat . . . . .	25,137	18,424	21,199	22,770	24,398	25,025	23,861	22,685	25,451	23,97
Barley . . . . .	7,700	7,630	8,003	8,105	7,840	8,433	7,420	7,206	7,905	8,01
Jawar . . . . .	20,781	21,964	24,760	21,802	21,184	19,386	20,968	21,405	21,223	23,06
Bajra . . . . .	15,084	15,133	16,008	16,303	15,540	13,093	16,269	15,385	16,042	14,34
Ragi . . . . .	3,568	4,539	4,464	4,545	4,289	4,296	4,456	4,371	4,251	4,33
Maize . . . . .	6,172	6,296	6,784	6,858	6,312	5,591	6,316	6,167	6,188	6,73
Gram . . . . .	13,412	6,817	11,264	13,153	13,948	14,129	12,423	9,297	14,364	13,55
Other food grains and pulses . . . . .	29,772	29,586	31,534	31,397	32,070	29,507	30,908	28,149	31,413	31,14
<b>Total food grains</b> . . . . .	<b>195,117</b>	<b>186,370</b>	<b>196,837</b>	<b>203,664</b>	<b>204,103</b>	<b>195,097</b>	<b>201,373</b>	<b>191,573</b>	<b>204,505</b>	<b>203,73</b>
Sugar . . . . .	2,634	2,877	2,408	2,442	2,540	2,568	2,712	2,708	2,459	2,55
Other food crops (b) . . . . .	7,274	7,493	7,193	7,447	7,467	7,582	8,188	8,125	8,200	8,80
<b>Total food crops (c)</b> . . . . .	<b>205,015</b>	<b>196,740</b>	<b>206,438</b>	<b>213,553</b>	<b>214,110</b>	<b>205,245</b>	<b>212,273</b>	<b>202,408</b>	<b>215,164</b>	<b>214,69</b>

## Area under non-food crops

[Thousand acres]

Linseed . . . . .	2,515	1,401	1,982	2,116	2,512	3,763	3,125	2,269	2,526	2,45
Sesamum (til or jiojili) . . . . .	3,908	4,268	4,232	4,740	4,312	4,174	4,164	4,279	4,478	4,13
Rape and Mustard . . . . .	4,231	3,297	3,887	4,094	3,899	4,235	3,555	4,083	4,144	4,07
Groundnut (c) . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	394	463	2,379	1,63
Other oilseeds . . . . .	3,311	3,500	4,004	3,675	3,911	4,333	3,698	3,564	1,806	1,94
<b>Total oilseeds</b> . . . . .	<b>13,965</b>	<b>12,486</b>	<b>14,105</b>	<b>14,628</b>	<b>14,534</b>	<b>16,495</b>	<b>14,936</b>	<b>14,658</b>	<b>15,333</b>	<b>14,23</b>
Cotton . . . . .	13,771	13,909	13,959	13,172	14,448	14,568	14,138	15,844	15,222	11,436
Jute . . . . .	3,523	3,943	2,835	2,757	2,829	3,091	3,324	3,136	3,309	2,348
Other fibres . . . . .	692	747	723	825	769	689	806	915	976	788
Indigo . . . . .	449	406	286	295	282	274	227	169	146	351
Opium . . . . .	615	539	416	374	388	230	197	170	179	182
Coffee . . . . .	48	99	97	94	93	95	92	83	87	91
Tea . . . . .	505	513	520	526	533	544	558	572	584	593
Tobacco . . . . .	1,009	974	954	1,013	1,088	999	965	1,002	1,056	1,027
Fodder crops . . . . .	4,548	4,908	4,628	4,749	4,882	4,978	5,770	5,910	6,363	7,076
Other non-food crops (d) . . . . .	1,875	1,721	1,750	1,465	1,477	1,333	1,600	1,651	1,752	1,690
<b>Total non-food crops (e)</b> . . . . .	<b>41,048</b>	<b>40,244</b>	<b>39,273</b>	<b>39,895</b>	<b>41,298</b>	<b>43,286</b>	<b>42,613</b>	<b>44,113</b>	<b>45,007</b>	<b>39,818</b>

## Land Revenue assessment and Transfers of property in land

Total revenue from land excluding cesses . . . . . (Rs. 1,000)	30,31,31	29,94,08	31,18,71	31,39,00	31,71,95	31,82,09	32,57,57	33,30,83	33,37,44	34,19,38
Land transferred—										
By order of court . . . . . (1,000 acres)	693	548	694	665	801	643	629	422	450	636
By private contract or gift . . . . . " "	4,356	4,477	6,446	5,419	4,926	5,174	5,046	4,760	4,415	4,270

(a) Excluding areas for which no returns were available

(b) Condiments and spices, fruits and vegetables, and miscellaneous food crops

(c) Figures for years prior to 1912-13, and for certain provinces for 1912-13 and 1913-14, are included under "other oilseeds"

(d) Cinchona, Indian hemp, other dyes, other drugs and narcotics, and miscellaneous non-food crops

(e) The total of food crops and non-food crops shown here does not agree with the total cropped area shown in table No. 4 for reasons stated in foot notes (b) and (c) to that table (page 7)

## No. 2—AREA CULTIVATED AND UNCULTIVATED IN 1915-16 IN EACH PROVINCE

Provinces	Area according to Survey.	Deduct Feudatory and Tributary States	NET AREA		CULTIVATED		UNCULTIVATED		Forests	
			According to Survey	According to village papers	Net area actually cropped	Current fallows	Culturable waste other than fallow.	Not available for cultivation		
	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	
Bengal . . . . .	53,931,504	3,451,520	50,479,984	50,479,984	24,454,200	5,393,604	5,140,657	11,233,069	4,253,454	
Madras . . . . .	97,837,380	6,790,552	91,046,728	89,534,674	34,448,793	8,443,525	11,039,617	22,599,192	13,013,547	
Bombay . . . . .	Presidency . . . . .	85,647,509	37,004,800	48,642,709	48,642,709	27,058,324	6,176,749	1,362,041	5,623,350	8,523,345
	Sind . . . . .	33,970,076	3,872,000	30,098,076	30,098,076	3,254,495	5,872,490	6,228,667	13,931,083	811,341
United Provinces . . . . .	Agra . . . . .	57,842,219	4,345,232	52,996,987	52,781,853	26,892,596	2,052,172	7,402,159	7,704,748	8,730,173
	Oudh . . . . .	15,306,720	...	15,306,720	15,480,063	9,356,120	457,813	2,836,335	2,316,244	613,551
Bihar and Orissa . . . . .	71,532,847	18,334,720	53,198,127	53,198,127	25,947,900	4,647,417	6,888,576	9,769,330	5,944,904	
Punjab . . . . .	86,867,319	24,511,384	61,855,935	60,088,237	22,348,689	6,331,928	16,706,444	12,297,147	2,404,629	
Burma . . . . .	Upper . . . . .	57,178,033	3,375,130	53,802,903	53,802,903	4,976,084	4,383,179	10,521,817	21,028,342	12,893,481
	Lower . . . . .	55,201,786	...	55,201,786	55,201,786	9,239,880	780,859	14,904,615	23,150,409	7,176,023
Central Provinces . . . . .	72,552,316	19,960,343	52,591,873	52,597,491	18,390,296	2,187,235	13,295,207	4,047,992	14,676,711	
Berar . . . . .	11,374,577	...	11,374,577	11,374,577	7,029,906	1,110,504	142,846	953,694	2,138,627	
Assam . . . . .	39,275,494	7,969,920	31,305,574	31,305,574	5,815,393	3,491,647	14,436,209	5,510,500	3,051,825	
North-West Frontier Province . . . . .	8,578,533	140,800	8,437,733	8,571,401	1,924,388	968,427	2,895,777	2,615,905	366,904	
Ajmer-Merwara . . . . .	1,770,921	...	1,770,921	1,770,921	291,313	266,104	247,885	848,837	96,789	
Delhi . . . . .	366,565	...	366,565	366,565	202,379	27,408	63,593	66,424	6,761	
Coorg . . . . .	1,012,260	...	1,012,260	1,012,260	140,157	170,163	10,297	334,225	357,418	
Manpur Pargana . . . . .	31,346	...	31,346	31,346	7,254	328	7,207	869	15,688	
TOTAL	749,277,205	199,756,401	619,520,804	618,338,547	231,778,167	51,781,002	113,819,949	143,930,260	85,079,169	

## No. 3—AREA UNDER IRRIGATION IN 1915-16 IN EACH PROVINCE

Provinces	AREA IRRIGATED						CROPS IRRIGATED*				
	By canals		By tanks	By wells	Other sources	Total area irrigated	Wheat	Other cereals and pulses	Miscellaneous food crops	Non-food crops	
	Government	Private									
	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres		
Bengal . . . . .	108,315	179,133	870,525	13,407	1,038,556	2,209,936	26,637	1,525,345	705,775	333,523	
Madras . . . . .	3,513,981	217,556	3,837,683	1,560,379	844,538	9,974,131	5,357	10,042,689	1,186,828	457,318	
Bombay . . . . .	Presidency . . . . .	141,956	71,733	126,151	593,902	46,470	980,312	210,436	524,247	209,733	164,453
	Sind . . . . .	2,935,438	22,437	...	39,002	209,248	3,206,125	544,479	2,541,747	56,676	414,572
United Provinces . . . . .	Agra . . . . .	2,508,470	30,125	55,081	4,287,978	1,624,098	8,485,752	2,606,572	5,128,613	224,582	1,398,748
	Oudh . . . . .	...	...	...	1,507,597	1,201,626	2,709,223	1,158,883	1,269,510	67,655	260,448
Bihar and Orissa . . . . .	896,650	527,094	1,402,491	639,421	1,032,231	4,497,887	58,245	3,362,194	691,784	148,797	
Punjab . . . . .	7,444,317	482,755	10,966	3,605,404	133,442	11,876,884	4,773,581	3,392,574	471,243	3,512,903	
Burma . . . . .	Upper . . . . .	487,873	204,534	155,974	14,519	133,065	995,965	...	982,832	39,945	842
	Lower . . . . .	297	23,029	3,016	2,608	134,162	163,112	...	150,983	8,012	3,721
Central Provinces . . . . .	8,562	2,490	380,343	95,074	26,895	513,364	43,896	396,485	69,722	3,261	
Berar . . . . .	...	...	271	36,582	650	37,503	7,771	697	25,781	3,254	
Assam . . . . .	130	139,356	...	...	244,676	384,152	20	372,537	9,225	2,370	
North-West Frontier Province . . . . .	298,341	453,334	...	94,553	85,034	931,262	293,526	478,740	57,320	106,969	
Ajmer-Merwara . . . . .	...	...	15,355	54,240	48	69,643	5,420	38,985	25,394	13,437	
Delhi . . . . .	31,563	...	1,110	25,616	...	58,289	22,635	18,875	9,414	7,637	
Coorg . . . . .	2,535	...	1,599	...	...	4,134	...	4,184	...	...	
Manpur Pargana . . . . .	...	...	...	141	...	141	109	31	1	...	
TOTAL	18,378,418	2,353,575	6,860,665	12,550,423	6,754,734	46,897,715	9,756,867	80,131,221	3,859,988	6,830,252	

\* Includes the area irrigated at both harvests.

## No. 4—AREAS UNDER DIFFERENT CROPS

Provinces	Rice	Wheat	Barley	Jawar or cholam (great millet)	Bajra or cumbu (spiked millet)	Ragi or marua (millet)	Maize	Gram (pulse)	Other food grains and pulses	
	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	
Bengal . . . . .	20,945,400	133,800	93,900	2,700	6,100	11,300	95,600	177,400	1,282,10	
Madras . . . . .	11,229,635	20,403	3,419	5,524,733	3,673,416	2,529,009	123,373	150,048	7,718,89	
Bombay . . . . .	1,718,066	1,708,677	41,544	7,671,726	4,992,633	647,249	173,418	594,039	2,929,94	
	{ Sind . . . . .	1,186,658	564,353	25,674	430,420	537,640	1,050	1,374	144,329	226,92
United Provinces . . . . .	{ Agra . . . . .	4,092,690	4,805,166	3,686,946	2,182,750	2,337,066	175,191	1,722,344	4,227,708	4,835,88
	{ Oudh . . . . .	2,339,282	1,858,021	1,405,147	364,160	470,916	60,350	899,477	1,901,829	2,493,33
Bihar and Orissa . . . . .	16,108,000	1,829,800	1,313,800	99,800	73,400	870,000	1,678,600	1,401,900	4,451,70	
Punjab . . . . .	746,499	8,991,542	1,040,040	1,001,387	1,937,553	23,014	1,183,622	3,665,408	1,261,07	
Burma . . . . .	{ Upper . . . . .	2,073,830	42,141	...	655,843	...	...	154,355	61,522	166,81
	{ Lower . . . . .	8,403,614	...	...	54	...	...	24,498	2,343	1,73
Central Provinces . . . . .	5,023,230	3,101,567	18,755	2,410,313	53,907	14,619	154,091	937,510	4,915,31	
Berar . . . . .	28,992	402,603	89	2,545,239	131,307	486	882	107,699	649,83	
Assam . . . . .	4,658,380	2	25	...	...	1,928	18,654	•	110,99	
North-West Frontier Province . . . . .	43,914	887,950	314,339	39,803	72,130	...	430,668	142,773	69,75	
Ajmer-Merwara . . . . .	110	11,710	48,152	90,819	32,881	105	70,364	10,839	22,43	
Delhi . . . . .	140	31,917	21,156	27,971	54,402	5	2,002	32,216	16,35	
Coorg . . . . .	82,993	...	...	...	...	4,074	...	276	1,53	
Manpur Pargana . . . . .	55	1,914	1	3,203	27	...	1,103	694	11	
<b>TOTAL</b> . . . . .	<b>78,679,425</b>	<b>23,871,366</b>	<b>8,012,987</b>	<b>23,050,921</b>	<b>14,343,377</b>	<b>4,338,380</b>	<b>6,735,325</b>	<b>13,553,533</b>	<b>31,144,72</b>	

Provinces	Cotton	Jute	Other fibres	Total fibres	Indigo	Other dyes	Opium	Tea	Coffee	
	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	
Bengal . . . . .	66,900	2,086,300	40,900	2,194,100	1,800	...	...	161,300	...	
Madras . . . . .	2,060,376	...	269,454	2,329,830	221,974	4,932	...	26,225	48,44	
Bombay . . . . .	{ Presidency . . . . .	3,197,297	...	151,754	3,349,051	141	466,798	17	5	
	{ Sind . . . . .	158,494	...	677	159,171	1,613	722	...	...	
United Provinces . . . . .	{ Agra . . . . .	794,927	...	98,242	893,169	40,432	954	90,705	7,647	
	{ Oudh . . . . .	26,132	...	27,249	53,381	2,816	21	88,830	...	
Bihar and Orissa . . . . .	67,200	189,000	29,900	286,100	60,800	9,200	...	2,200	...	
Punjab . . . . .	826,604	...	28,999	855,503	21,422	3,982	2,295	9,739	...	
Burma . . . . .	{ Upper . . . . .	167,864	...	221	168,085	353	...	200	2,124	7
	{ Lower . . . . .	21,449	...	446	21,895	...	...	...	...	
Central Provinces . . . . .	1,116,054	...	65,121	1,180,175	48	67	...	...	...	
Berar . . . . .	2,849,680	...	72,914	2,922,594	21	...	...	...	...	
Assam . . . . .	32,508	74,081	260	106,849	...	...	...	383,952	...	
North-West Frontier Province . . . . .	26,294	...	760	27,054	1	39	...	...	...	
Ajmer-Merwara . . . . .	23,092	...	35	23,127	26	...	...	...	...	
Delhi . . . . .	1,295	...	267	1,562	18	...	...	...	...	
Coorg . . . . .	3	...	119	122	...	...	...	160	42,42	
Manpur Pargana . . . . .	66	...	33	99	...	...	...	...	...	
<b>TOTAL</b> . . . . .	<b>11,435,136</b>	<b>2,349,381</b>	<b>787,351</b>	<b>14,571,867</b>	<b>351,265</b>	<b>486,715</b>	<b>182,030</b>	<b>593,364</b>	<b>91,00</b>	

\*Included under "other food grains and pulses"

CULTIVATED IN 1915-16 IN EACH PROVINCE

Total food grains and pulses	Linseed	Sesamum. (til or jinjili)	Rape and mustard	Groundnut	Other oil-seeds	Total oilseeds	Condiments and spices	Sugarcane	Sugar—others†	Provinces
Acres 22,748,100	Acres 181,300	Acres 248,200	Acres 1,822,000	Acres ...	Acres 42,900	Acres 1,794,400	Acres 162,600	Acres 233,500	Acres 49,900	Bengal
30,973,426	16,094	823,011	19,118	1,136,142	736,912	2,731,277	749,089	94,623	96,375	Madras
20,477,234	162,613	295,159	9,833	212,657	373,634	1,053,896	200,957	65,478	828	Presidency } Bombay
3,118,923	6	14,438	192,111	21	3,286	209,912	7,934	9,749	2,253	Sind } Bombay
28,065,683	238,849	288,750	111,522	3,858	18,570	661,549	86,077	1,033,781	...	Agra } United Provinces
11,782,517	66,534	10,153	72,125	4,879	944	144,635	16,955	237,133	...	Oudh } United Provinces
27,324,900	702,800	199,500	725,100	2,000	304,000	1,938,400	77,900	262,200	300	Bihar and Orissa
19,820,144	82,499	127,042	1,129,220	...	769	1,289,530	34,554	347,428	...	Punjab
3,154,502	77	1,185,883	223	257,584	20	1,393,787	60,503	3,178	21,837	Upper } Burma
8,432,243	193	67,611	3,283	4,180	1	75,288	20,807	12,613	926	Lower } Burma
16,629,304	1,001,336	813,087	47,168	6,500	393,262	2,261,353	60,745	19,592	...	Central Provinces
3,867,131	47,018	95,098	951	4,472	66,057	218,596	28,930	1,733	...	Berar
4,789,986	11,471	7,485	325,724	...	140	344,620	2,634	37,023	...	Assam
1,981,390	79	3,963	110,182	...	40	114,264	3,852	30,936	...	North-West Frontier Province
287,410	120	5,123	2,093	...	693	8,039	3,908	97	17	Ajmer-Merwara
186,162	...	5	4,911	...	65	4,981	875	5,020	...	Delhi
88,874	...	358	6	...	13	377	3,514	33	...	Coorg
7,108	60	170	...	...	275	505	...	11	...	Manpur Pargana
203,735,037	2,451,048	4,135,086	4,075,575	1,632,293	1,941,566	14,235,589	1,521,834	2,378,122	172,486	TOTAL

Tobacco	Other drugs and narcotics	Fodder crops	Fruits and vegetables, including root crops	MISCELLANEOUS CROPS		Total area cropped	Deduct area cropped more than once	Net area cropped	Provinces
				Food	Non-food				
Acres 819,300	Acres 4,000	Acres 109,600	Acres 658,500	Acres 320,700	Acres 276,800	Acres 29,084,900	Acres 4,580,700	Acres 24,454,200	Bengal
216,416	122,392	380,401	1,120,478	12,320	125,812	39,204,011	4,755,218	34,448,793	Madras
91,513	27,822	1,616,338	601,047	3,288	16,077	27,969,602	911,278	27,058,324	Presidency } Bombay
10,980	143	9,698	44,242	80	37,398	3,606,823	352,328	3,254,495	Sind } Bombay
68,648	1,370	1,036,154	392,172	101,579	8,295	32,830,918	5,938,317	26,892,596	Agra } United Provinces
16,102	1,460	176,254	155,630	1,697	574	12,668,005	8,311,885	9,356,120	Oudh } United Provinces
118,400	...	39,500	885,400	558,700	239,800	31,748,800	5,800,900	25,947,900	Bihar and Orissa
55,832	777	3,177,314	233,409	40,580	11,274	25,903,777	3,555,088	22,348,689	Punjab
25,320	1,107	44,960	638,037	2,307	4,872	5,521,298	545,214	4,976,084	Upper } Burma
53,323	97,238	2,608	454,440	14,179	141,570	9,267,614	27,734	9,239,880	Lower } Burma
17,642	105	445,647	99,464	1,499	887	20,716,523	2,326,232	18,390,296	Central Provinces
14,414	...	302	14,986	1,695	386	7,065,788	35,882	7,029,906	Berar
8,514	...	...	420,767	(a)	138,949	6,360,895	545,502	5,815,393	Assam
8,566	40	68,344	17,726	24,643	1,098	2,277,953	353,565	1,924,388	North-West Frontier Province
24	...	735	478	4,215	2,439	330,515	39,202	291,313	Ajmer-Merwara
1,015	...	19,348	5,069	815	448	225,313	22,934	202,379	Delhi
19	237	...	5,741	...	...	141,501	1,344	140,157	Coorg
...	...	...	8	(a)	19	7,750	496	7,254	Manpur Pargana
1,027,038	197,191	7,076,258	5,697,594	1,088,297	1,006,098	254,881,986	33,103,819	221,778,167	TOTAL

† Area under sugar-yielding plants other than sugarcane

(b) Includes 342,198 acres for which details are not available

(a) Included under non-food crops

(c) " 128,000 " " " " " " " " " " "

## No. 5—NUMBER OF LIVE-STOCK, PLOUGHS, AND CARTS IN EACH PROVINCE

PROVINCE AND YEAR OF ENUMERATION	Bulls and bullocks	Cows	BUFFALOES		Young stock (calves and buffalo calves)	Sheep	Goats	Horses and ponies	Mules	Donkeys	Camels	Ploughs	Carts	
			Bull	Cow										
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
Bengal (1912-13)	8,902,404	7,095,699	668,658	274,000	8,388,168	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	
Madras (1914-15)	6,748,684	5,861,525	1,370,540	2,380,846	5,878,807	10,765,543	7,426,828	49,339	1,161	138,123	...	4,291,300	996,302	
Bombay (1915-16)	Presidency	3,208,354	1,950,854	253,319	1,051,442	2,742,641	1,699,196	2,338,478	129,707	11	79,910	2,343	1,121,244	618,349
	Sind	619,754	704,739	5,204	283,812	565,468	514,468	1,101,487	80,948	549	120,568	116,841	278,284	55,898
United Provinces (1914-15)	Agra	7,264,501	4,712,898	532,904	2,790,138	6,920,566	2,077,209	6,302,641	368,019	15,939	246,630	17,601	3,476,569	684,019
	Oudh	8,849,199	2,140,721	301,164	1,046,280	2,682,523	717,896	3,578,970	147,678	1,316	43,864	4,520	1,634,346	175,365
Bihar and Orissa (1913-14)	6,519,190	5,819,338	782,395	1,496,308	5,479,237	1,168,709	5,972,656	168,241	467	34,189	230	3,220,839	457,539	
Punjab (1913-14)	4,589,061	3,669,089	562,601	2,627,082	4,041,250	4,676,899	4,431,887	427,515	94,001	701,620	808,679	2,313,511	294,992	
Burma (1915-16)	Upper	1,060,188	1,008,774	104,439	132,136	837,285	35,586	114,263	74,342	1,192	14	...	173,295	352,152
	Lower	993,512	518,044	276,218	282,301	638,116	1,449	82,478	27,343	132	11	...	451,827	303,918
Central Provinces (1915-16)	3,245,023	2,672,645	484,577	624,795	2,657,056	286,768	1,134,010	116,305	654	19,629	201	1,292,909	698,779	
Berar (1915-16)	801,495	600,866	23,074	241,869	539,014	145,482	452,643	30,064	39	20,404	234	132,749	202,143	
Assam (1914-15)	1,167,136	975,340	160,298	187,022	1,086,390	11,650	509,742	14,982	10	12	...	593,625	39,388	
North-West Frontier Province (1913-14)	437,819	357,768	14,400	160,615	300,958	604,004	543,308	30,986	18,958	118,760	47,522	228,427	5,128	
Ajmer-Merwara (1915-16)	93,592	98,974	10,779	32,288	43,817	256,465	190,886	1,987	...	(c)6,466	1,414	40,356	11,454	
Delhi (1914-15)	37,978	32,777	675	21,189	55,018	9,504	22,129	4,879	...	(c)7,717	349	15,626	8,102	
Coorg (1914-15)	45,556	35,644	12,727	6,950	33,147	110	3,929	189	6	96	...	34,809	979	
Munpur (1915-16) Pargana	2,225	1,850	125	1,050	1,150	...	1,050	50	...	...	...	800	400	
TOTAL (b)	49,065,108	37,771,536	5,564,095	13,642,122	42,885,596	22,970,403	33,607,335	1,672,524	69,435	1,538,263	499,933	19,297,916	4,906,896	

(a) Figures not available

(b) Figures in columns 7 to 14 exclude Bengal

(c) Includes males



No. 6—NUMBER OF TRANSFERS OF PROPERTY IN LAND AND AREA TRANSFERRED IN  
1915-16 IN EACH PROVINCE

Province and Nature of Tenure	NUMBER OF TRANSFERS		AREA TRANSFERRED	
	By order of Court	By private contract or gift	By order of Court	By private contract or gift
	Number	Number	Acres	Acres
<i>Bengal*</i>				
<i>Madras†</i>				
<i>Bombay—</i>				
Proprietors { revenue-paying . . . . .	823	93,596	5,605	633,700
{ wholly or partially revenue-free . . . . .	68	11,520	314	59,083
<i>Sind—</i>				
Proprietors { revenue-paying . . . . .	29	13,135	494	143,594
{ wholly or partially revenue-free . . . . .	3	642	11	11,072
<i>United Provinces—</i>				
<i>Agra—</i>				
Proprietors { revenue-paying . . . . .	6,214	53,789	216,933	584,758
{ wholly or partially revenue-free . . . . .	184	1,690	1,749	13,804
<i>Oudh—</i>				
Proprietors { revenue-paying . . . . .	2,287	27,439	45,485	169,614
{ wholly or partially revenue-free . . . . .	19	124	169	694
<i>Bihar and Orissa—</i>				
Proprietors { revenue-paying . . . . .	1,244	11,128	77,962	151,017
{ wholly or partially revenue-free . . . . .	331	5,334	7,681	11,052
Tenants who have statutory (or otherwise recognised) powers of transfer . . . . .	20,403	325,005	126,346	546,800
<i>Punjab—</i>				
Superior ownership and talukdari . . . . .	...	317	...	43,156
Ownership . . . . .	3,639	153,453	23,470	492,353
Right of occupancy . . . . .	...	21,323	...	48,379
<i>Upper Burma—</i>				
Proprietors { revenue-paying . . . . .	465	35,019	3,155	138,960
{ wholly or partially revenue-free . . . . .	7	17	(a)	1
<i>Lower Burma—</i>				
Proprietors { revenue-paying . . . . .	1,239	44,410	13,796	429,727
{ wholly or partially revenue-free . . . . .	...	...	...	...
<i>Central Provinces—</i>				
Proprietors { revenue-paying . . . . .	355	2,533	93,325	419,304
{ wholly or partially revenue-free . . . . .	3	1	533	639
Tenants who have statutory (or otherwise recognised) powers of transfer . . . . .	203	5,355	2,465	22,839
<i>Berar—</i>				
Proprietors { revenue-paying . . . . .	459	14,862	7,461	160,670
{ wholly or partially revenue-free . . . . .	...	3	...	78
<i>Assam—</i>				
Proprietors { revenue-paying . . . . .	761	15,310	1,952	24,620
{ wholly or partially revenue-free . . . . .	4	84	26	829
<i>North-West Frontier Province—</i>				
Superior ownership and talukdari . . . . .	1	31	398	3,159
Ownership . . . . .	364	40,715	2,679	124,027
Right of occupancy . . . . .	21	3,151	1,843	13,844
<i>Ajmer-Marwara—</i>				
Proprietors { revenue-paying . . . . .	1	3,620	25	6,643
{ wholly or partially revenue-free . . . . .	...	92	...	584
<i>Delhi—</i>				
Ownership . . . . .	37	2,412	601	8,963
Right of occupancy . . . . .	1	402	1	206
<i>Coorg—</i>				
Proprietors { revenue-paying . . . . .	62	649	367	5,333
{ wholly or partially revenue-free . . . . .	18	17	85	315
<b>Total</b>	<b>39,221</b>	<b>886,693</b>	<b>635,041</b>	<b>4,289,616</b>

\* No information available  
† Table discontinued from 1913-14

(a) Less than one acre

## No. 7—AREA ASSESSED AND INCIDENCE OF THE LAND REVENUE

PROVINCE, NATURE OF TENURE, AND YEAR OF COLLECTION OF STATISTICS	Total area by survey (less Feudatory States)	DEDUCT		BALANCE, THAT IS, FULLY ASSESSED AREA FOR WHICH FIGURES ARE AVAILABLE		Total revenue from land (excluding cesses)	Population of total area by survey (less Feudatories)
		Area not fully assessed	Area for which the figures required for this table are not available	Total	Cultivated		
1	2	3(a)	3(b)	4(a)	4(b)	5	6
	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Rs	No.
<i>Bengal (1912-13)—</i>							
Zamindari (permanently settled)	39,210,956	1,726,132	421,604	37,063,220	21,550,805	2,25,07,394	} 44,589,115
" (temporarily settled)	11,269,028	4,741,721	2,475,884	4,051,423	2,453,994	46,12,151 *3,47,153	
<i>Madras (1913-14)—</i>							
Raiyatwari	61,285,412	33,971,165	702,495	26,611,752	21,361,635	5,92,99,328	29,468,100
Zamindari	25,891,615	13,941,980	2,122,294	9,327,341	7,174,349	66,45,204	9,472,903
Whole inam villages	4,400,379	4,460,379	...	...	...	13,49,223	2,464,399
<i>Bombay (1915-16)—</i>							
Raiyatwari	44,732,430	21,414,876	896,572	22,420,982	19,497,315	} 3,28,51,916	} 15,133,597
Zamindari and village communities (temporarily settled)	3,910,279	1,225,105	216,096	2,469,078	1,739,880		
<i>Sind (1915-16)—</i>							
Raiyatwari	30,098,076	7,608,539	18,528,566	3,960,971	3,149,476	1,01,79,718	3,513,435
<i>United Provinces (1911-12)—</i>							
<i>Agra—</i>							
Zamindari and village communities (temporarily settled)	46,750,869	2,715,596	7,428,295	36,606,978	23,039,519	4,33,19,768	29,528,447
Zamindari (permanently settled)	6,276,836	187,701	1,098,677	4,920,456	2,986,120	45,91,082	4,866,549
<i>Oudh—</i>							
Zamindari and village communities (temporarily settled)	14,042,156	323,119	287,002	13,433,035	8,570,137	1,69,49,530	12,059,447
Zamindari (permanently settled)	1,264,564	420,241	...	844,323	629,956	9,07,845	736,326
<i>Bihar and Orissa (1911-12)—</i>							
Zamindari (permanently settled)	41,452,033	1,766,340	95,080	39,590,613	21,224,941	1,07,21,671	} 34,490,084
" (temporarily settled)	11,760,399	5,408,026	845,480	5,506,893	3,686,564	42,69,333 *7,21,540	
<i>Punjab (1915-16)—</i>							
Zamindari (temporarily settled)	61,855,935	1,967,878	14,039,081	45,848,976	21,629,256	4,23,93,185	19,545,176
<i>Upper Burma (1915-16)—</i>							
Raiyatwari	53,802,903	2,961	40,390,898	13,409,041	4,316,666	1,61,04,142	4,112,228
<i>Lower Burma (1915-16)—</i>							
Raiyatwari	55,201,786	194,961	45,200,729	9,806,096	8,897,578	3,29,97,102	6,464,703
<i>Central Provinces (1915-16)—</i>							
Raiyatwari	1,866,620	...	...	1,866,620	694,564	} 1,09,92,087	} 10,872,772
Zamindari (temporarily settled)	4,458,273	13,574,400	...	26,883,373	14,745,803		
Government Forests	10,272,598	10,272,598	...	...	...		
<i>Berar (1915-16)—</i>							
Raiyatwari	9,235,950	1,671,072	...	7,564,878	6,356,825	86,15,712	3,067,153
Government Forests	2,138,627	2,138,627	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Assam (1915-16)—</i>							
Raiyatwari	25,750,262	22,494,495	...	3,255,767	2,168,782	67,97,876	} 6,713,635
Zamindari (temporarily settled)	1,624,928	1,593,013	...	31,915	3,359	7,49,738	
" (permanently settled)	3,930,384	175	...	3,930,209	347,544	3,76,595	
<i>North-West Frontier Provinces (1915-16)—</i>							
Zamindari (temporarily settled)	8,487,733	1,012,917	369,016	7,055,800	2,503,209	25,38,031	2,255,073
<i>Ajmer-Merwara (1915-16)—</i>							
Zamindari and village communities (temporarily settled)	797,226	...	...	797,226	171,419	2,42,607	} 501,395
Zamindari (permanently settled)	973,695	154,321	...	819,374	94,959	1,18,897	
<i>Delhi (1915-16)—</i>							
Zamindari (temporarily settled)	366,565	4,878	...	361,687	229,787	3,49,282	412,621
<i>Coorg (1913-13)—</i>							
Raiyatwari	1,012,360	862,694	...	149,666	(a)	3,64,604	174,976
<i>Manpur Pargana (1915-16)—</i>							
Raiyatwari	31,946	...	21,152	10,194	7,254	15,737	6,609
<b>Total</b>	<b>619,662,123</b>	<b>155,854,913</b>	<b>135,136,921</b>	<b>328,668,289</b>	<b>199,231,095</b>	<b>34,19,28,486</b>	<b>240,446,945</b>

\* Miscellaneous revenue (a) Figures not available

**Column 5.**—Where the land revenue includes the zamindar's share, the net demand is entered, and the table states the payments after excluding arrears for past years. This column includes all the heads classed as "Land Revenue" in the Civil Accounts. The heads are:— (Bombay), surplus collections, collections from Government estates, kyan tax (Burma); (2) sale of Government estates; (3) sale proceeds of waste lands less quit rents; (7) recoveries on account of survey and settlement charge (Bengal); (8) rents, etc., of fisheries; (9) receipts for the receipts on account of Land Registration Fees, receipts from quarries and minor mineral products in forests and lands not under the management Courts (except in Bengal and Assam), receipts under Madras Act, II of 1864, capitation tax (Burma), petroleum well revenue, jade and amber India, miscellaneous receipts, rents of railway class C land, and rents of buildings situated on such lands.

## ASSESSMENT ON THE AREA AND POPULATION IN EACH PROVINCE

Total revenue from land per head of population (Columns 5 and 6)	Land revenue assessed on fully assessed area	INCIDENCE OF LAND REVENUE ON FULLY ASSESSED AREA PER ACRE (COLUMNS 4 AND 8)		Population of fully assessed area	Land revenue assessment per head of population of fully assessed area (cols. 8 and 11)	PROVINCE, NATURE OF TENURE, AND YEAR OF COLLECTION OF STATISTICS
		For total area	For cultivated area			
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
R a. p.	R	R a. p.	R a. p.	No.	R a. p.	
— 9 10 {	2,13,77,484 44,95,673	— 9 8 1 1 9	— 15 10 1 13 4 }	40,285,444	— 10 11 {	Bengal (1912-13)— Zamindari (permanently settled) Zamindari (temporarily settled)
2 — 2 — 11 3 — 8 9	5,45,99,991 60,53,330 ...	2 — 10 — 10 5 ...	2 8 11 — 13 6 ...	29,469,100 9,472,905 ...	1 13 8 — 10 3 ...	Madras (1913-14)— Raiyatwari Zamindari Whole inam villages
2 2 9 {	3,62,79,914 12,58,904	1 2 9 — 8 3	1 5 7 — 11 7	12,526,444 1,109,498	2 1 7 1 2 2	Bombay (1915-16)— Raiyatwari Zamindari and village communities (temporarily settled)
2 14 4	97,04,019	2 7 2	3 1 4	(a)	(a)	Sind (1915-16)— Raiyatwari
1 7 6 — 15 1	4,26,67,020 45,77,168	1 2 8 — 14 8	1 13 8 1 8 6	27,608,203 4,342,079	1 8 9 1 — 10	United Provinces (1912-13)— Agra— Zamindari and village communities (temporarily settled) Zamindari (permanently settled)
1 6 6 1 3 9	1,70,74,632 6,88,797	1 4 4 — 13 1	1 15 11 1 1 6	11,528,262 531,150	1 7 8 1 4 9	Oudh— Zamindari and village communities (temporarily settled) Zamindari (permanently settled)
— 7 3 {	1,05,70,637 89,60,676	— 4 3 — 11 6	— 7 11 1 1 2 }	29,524,838	— 7 10 {	Bihar and Orissa (1911-12)— Zamindari (permanently settled) Zamindari (temporarily settled)
2 2 8	3,79,27,156	— 18 3	1 12 1	(a)	(a)	Punjab (1915-16)— Zamindari (temporarily settled)
3 14 9	79,08,199	— 9 5	1 13 4	3,968,319	2 — 5	Upper Burma (1915-16)— Raiyatwari
5 1 8	2,55,76,737	2 9 9	2 14 —	5,939,935	4 4 11	Lower Burma (1915-16)— Raiyatwari
1 — 2 {	4,25,070 98,02,542 ...	— 3 8 — 5 10 ...	— 9 10 — 10 6 ...	8,869,986	1 2 6 {	Central Provinces (1915-16)— Raiyatwari Zamindari (temporarily settled) Government Forests
2 12 11	82,84,185	1 1 6	1 4 10	2,825,440	2 14 11 {	Berar (1915-16)— Raiyatwari Government Forests
1 2 10 {	61,85,358 39,145 8,76,585	1 14 6 1 6 8 — 1 6	(a)	(a)	(a) {	Assam (1915-16)— Raiyatwari Zamindari (temporarily settled) Zamindari (permanently settled)
1 2 —	22,74,947	— 5 2	1 4 6	(a)	(a)	North-West Frontier Province (1915-16)— Zamindari (temporarily settled)
— 11 6 {	2,42,607 1,18,897	— 4 10 — 2 1	1 6 7 1 4 2 }	501,395	— 11 6 {	Ajmer-Merwara (1915-16)— Zamindari and village communities (temporarily settled) Zamindari (permanently settled)
— 13 6	2,49,282	— 13 6	1 2 2	419,821	— 13 6	Delhi (1915-16)— Zamindari (temporarily settled)
2 1 4	2,62,468	1 12 1	(a)	(a)	(a)	Coorg (1912-13)— Raiyatwari
2 6 1	15,737	1 8 8	2 2 9	6,470	2 7 4	Manpur Pargana (1915-16)— Raiyatwari
1 6 9	30,30,96,190	— 14 9	1 8 4	...	...	Total

(a) Figures not available

due by the zamindars to Government, not those due by raiyats to the zamindars. The actual realisable demand on account of the year is entered (1) ordinary revenue, comprising fixed collections, revenue from canals in Sind, fluctuating collections (including nazarana), over-collections lands, and redemption of land tax; (2) redemption of summary settlement cess; (3) moturpha (house tax) collections; (4) assessment of alienated improvement of Government estates; (5) 12 per cent on collections from Government estates (Bengal); and (6) miscellaneous, comprising revenue of the Forest Department, water mills rent, hukco's tax (Sind), malikana or allowances to excluded proprietors, fines and forfeitures of Revenue revenue, thatameda tax (Burma), receipts from ruby mines (Burma), recoveries in India of law charges in England on account of appeals from Column 8.—As in column 8, but only ordinary land revenue on fully assessed areas is entered.

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