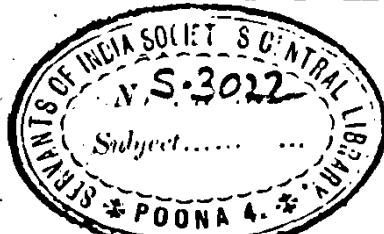


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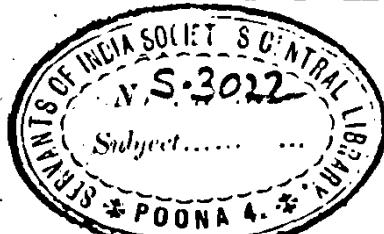
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The Average Yield per Acre of Principal Crops in India.

I.—MEMORANDUM.

A provisional return of the yield per acre of principal crops cultivated in India was first compiled in 1892 from various statistical publications available at the time, such as agricultural and settlement reports, crop forecasts, gazetteers, replies to the enquiries of the Famine Commission, etc. To provide for the periodical revision of the estimates, a system of experimental crop cuttings was prescribed in 1893 by the Government of India, the results of which are reported by Local Governments and Administrations at the close of each quinquennium. The returns for the last quinquennium ending 1926-27 have been received and scrutinised, and tabulated in the appended tables.* These outturns per acre are of extreme importance since these will generally be used during the present quinquennium (ending 1931-32) in estimating the production of crops for which forecasts are prepared.

2. The estimate of standard yield should represent the average outturn on average soil in a year of average character, as deduced from the information obtained from experiments made up to the period under review. When, therefore, this average is multiplied by the average area sown, the result should give as near an approximation as possible to the outturn of the crop in an average year. The Departments of Agriculture or Land Records of each province maintain standard estimates of the average yield of land of average quality (usually under the two major heads of irrigated and unirrigated land) for several crops in each district. The object of the experiments or investigations annually made is to test the accuracy of these estimates and to enable the head of the Department in each province to revise his provincial estimates, when necessary. Should it happen that the period has been one of exceptionally favourable or unfavourable conditions which have affected the experiments reported, this would not necessarily involve a change in the standard estimates for the district or for the province, unless there were other reasons for believing that, as estimates of average yield in an average year, they have been pitched too high or too low.

3. On an examination of the returns for the quinquennium ending 1911-12 it was recognised that the results of the experiments as conducted by the district revenue staff were generally unreliable. A change in the system was therefore considered necessary; and in 1915 the Government of India, with a view to improve the returns, issued instructions to employ as far as possible expert officers of the Agricultural Department to carry out experiments for the investigation of the average crop outturns in each province. The new system was, however, introduced only in some provinces, and that only to a limited extent, due mainly to paucity of staff in the Agricultural Department. The provincial reports for the period under review indicate that at present there are differences as between the different provinces in the methods of conducting crop experiments and of estimating the standard yield. Thus in Bihar and Orissa the practice of selecting an average field by the eye has been abandoned as importing a personal factor into the estimates, and a system of random sampling has been introduced, but the new method seems still to be in an experimental stage. The same method is proposed to be given a trial during the present rice harvest in the Central Provinces and Berar. In the Madras Report for the quinquennium ending 1921-22 it was stated that it was impossible to select an average plot to represent soils of varying conditions over any considerable area. During the quinquennium under review, no crop-cutting experiments were made at all in that Presidency and the revision of the standard yield appears to have been made on miscellaneous data such as trade statistics, local knowledge of officers of the Agricultural Department, etc. In the case of certain other provinces, such as Sind, Ajmer-Merwara, Delhi, Coorg and the Mysore State the standard yields appear to have been worked out on the actual results of the experiments made in the last quinquennium alone without considering whether the character of the seasons included in the period were such as would justify the results to be regarded as normal or standard.

4. As a result of the experiments conducted or investigations made during the quinquennium under review, several changes have been made in the averages previously adopted in all provinces except the United Provinces and Bihar and Orissa. The chief variations in the yields of crops are noted below. The yield of rice shows an increase in the Punjab (from 777 to 1,178 lbs), Burma (from 970 to 1,000 lbs), the Central Provinces and Berar (from 624 to 647 lbs) and Sind (from 1,341 to 1,364 lbs), while the outturn of the

* The return for the previous quinquennium ending 1921-22 was published in 1924.

main (winter) variety of the crop has been lowered from 1,029 to 1,022 lbs in Bengal. The standard yield of wheat has been lowered in the Punjab from 856 to 795 lbs and in the Central Provinces and Berar from 600 to 577 lbs, while it has been raised in the provinces of Bengal and Delhi from 688 lbs and 792 lbs to 721 and 828 lbs, respectively. The yield of barley shows generally a lower trend, the standard for Ajmer-Merwara being lowered from 1,396 to 1,160 lbs, for Delhi from 830 to 769 lbs, for the North-West Frontier Province from 880 to 828 lbs, and for the Punjab from 825 to 805 lbs. The yield of jowar has been increased in Ajmer-Merwara and Burma from 252 lbs and 430 lbs to 310 lbs and 450 lbs, respectively, but has been lowered in Delhi from 588 to 523 lbs and in the Punjab from 434 to 417 lbs. The yield of bajra has been lowered in the Punjab from 425 to 419 lbs. In the case of maize, the yield in the Punjab shows a decrease from 962 to 916 lbs and in Burma from 700 to 680 lbs, while it has been substantially raised in Ajmer-Merwara from 917 to 1,040 lbs. The yield of gram is reduced in the Punjab from 671 to 616 lbs. As regards oilseeds, the chief feature is a reduction in the yields of both linseed and sesamum in the Central Provinces and Berar from 226 lbs and 224 lbs to 212 and 210 lbs, respectively. In the case of sugarcane, the average yield in the Central Provinces and Assam increased from 2,569 lbs and 2,128 lbs to 3,186 lbs and 2,576 lbs, respectively, while in the North-West Frontier Province and the Punjab there was a decrease from 2,721 lbs and 2,191 lbs to 1,892 and 1,953 lbs, respectively. In the case of cotton, there seems to be an all-round increase except in the North-West Frontier Province and Sind. The largest increases occur in the Central Provinces and Berar, where the average yield is now placed at 102 lbs against 86 lbs and in the comparatively unimportant tracts of Ajmer-Merwara, Delhi, Assam and Burma.

5. The statement below compares the average outturns of the major crops in the different provinces. The relative importance of each province in respect of each crop has also been shown by percentages representing the proportion of the total area under each crop in British India cultivated in each province. Tea has been included in this statement, although this crop is not dealt with in the quinquennial returns, the average outturns having been calculated from the special tea returns for the five calendar years ending 1926.

Province	RICE		WHEAT		BARLEY		JOWAR		BAJRA	
	Percentage area to total area.	Outturn per acre.	Percentage area to total area.	Outturn per acre.	Percentage area to total area.	Outturn per acre.	Percentage area to total area.	Outturn per acre.	Percentage area to total area.	Outturn per acre.
Bengal . . .	26.2	lbs. (a) 1,029 (b) 1,142 (c) 802	0.5	721	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras . . .	13.0	1,057	...	...	...	4.	22.8	571	22.7	490
Bombay . . .	2.4	1,230	5.4	575	...	...	36.6	(d) 1,500 (e) 670	30.0	400
Sind . . .	1.5	1,384	1.9	(d) 930 (e) 780	0.2	(d) 756 (e) 963	2.4	(d) 840 (e) 966	7.8	(d) 609 (e) 320
United Provinces .	9.1	900	28.0	1,050	60.9	1,150	10.2	600	15.2	550
Bihar and Orissa .	18.2	(a) 987 (b) 900 (c) 741	5.0	(f) 984 (g) 451	19.2	881	...	...	...	...
Punjab . . .	1.1	1,178	39.4	795	14.3	805	4.5	417	21.0	419
Burma . . .	15.1	1,000	0.8	540	...	...	3.6	450	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar .	6.6	647	13.0	577	...	...	19.2	656	...	...
Assam . . .	5.8	(a) 896 (b) 1,008 (c) 706	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
North-West Frontier Province .	...	862	4.4	612	2.6	829	0.3	505	1.2	424
Ajmer-Merwara .	...	...	...	...	0.7	1,160	0.3	840	...	...
Delhi . . .	...	...	0.3	828	0.3	769	0.3	523	0.4	463
Coorg . . .	0.1	1,464	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

(a) Winter. — (b) Spring. — (c) Autumn. — (d) Irrigated. — (e) Unirrigated. — (f) Bihar. — (g) Chota Nagpur.

Province	RICE		MILLET		GRAM		LINSEED		SESAMEUM	
	Percentage area to total area.	Outturn per acre.	Percentage area to total area.	Outturn per acre.	Percentage area to total area.	Outturn per acre.	Percentage area to total area.	Outturn per acre.	Percentage area to total area.	Outturn per acre.
		lbs.		lbs.		lbs.		lbs.		lbs.
Bengal	...	...	...	...	0·9	611	4·0	473	3·8	423
Madras	60·5	837	2·4	635	0·7	(d) 500 (e) 200	...	...	19·0	303
Bombay	15·1	(d) 1,400 (e) 1,060	...	...	8·1	(d) 1,200 (e) 410	8·9	360	6·7	400
Sind	...	...	...	...	1·4	(d) 575 (e) 502	...	...	0·8	274
United Provinces	...	...	30·4	1,100	42·0	800	83·4	800	23·1	240
Bihar and Orissa	19·2	820	29·2	820	9·4	881	22·2	492	...	...
Punjab	...	...	17·7	916	30·9	616	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	8·7	680	...	...	...	...	25·0	160
Central Provinces and Berar	...	...	...	...	7·6	533	35·0	212	18·0	210
Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	330	...	...
North-West Frontier Province	...	...	7·8	1,124	1·4	421	...	...	...	...
Ajmer-Merwara	...	...	1·1	1,040	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delhi	...	...	...	716	0·4	561	...	...	...	326
Coorg	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Province	RAPE AND MUSTARD		SUGARCANE		COTTON		JUTE		TEA	
	Percentage area to total area.	Outturn per acre.	Percentage area to total area.	Outturn per acre.	Percentage area to total area.	Outturn per acre.	Percentage area to total area.	Outturn per acre.	Percentage area to total area.	Outturn per acre.
		lbs.		lbs.		lbs.		lbs.		lbs.
Bengal	12·4	483	7·6	8,054	0·4	165	85·8	1,331	23·6	454
Madras	...	...	4·8	6,883	16·1	84	...	...	6·8	474
Bombay	0·2	625	3·4	6,950	28·1	102	...	...	...	...
Sind	8·8	(d) 432 (e) 321	0·1	7,600	2·1	181	...	...	...	...
United Provinces	43·2	600	53·2	2,600	5·1	170	...	...	0·9	246
Bihar and Orissa	18·1	492	10·9	2,460	0·5	155	9·1	1,200	0·3	113
Punjab	17·9	435	16·3	1,053	13·2	(f) 130 (k) 146	...	...	1·4	130
Burma	...	...	...	...	2·3	110	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	...	...	0·8	3,186	31·5	102	...	...	...	...
Assam	5·8	604	1·5	2,578	0·2	176	5·1	1,400	57·5	677
North-West Frontier Province	2·0	314	1·6	1,892	0·2	100	...	...	...	...
Ajmer-Merwara	...	...	...	...	0·3	216	...	...	...	...
Delhi	0·1	825	0·3	2,298	...	165	...	...	...	...
Coorg	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

(d) Irrigated.
(e) Unirrigated.

(4) Bengal gram.
(5) Horse gram.

(j) Desi.
(k) American.

6. The leading features of the provincial reports are summarised below :—

Bengal.—The total number of experiments made during the quinquennium under review with staple crops (rice, wheat, gram, linseed, rape and mustard, sesamum, sugarcane, jute and tobacco) was 6,697, as against 4,567 in the previous quinquennium. The largest number of experiments was carried out in respect of jute, conducted mainly by the staff of the Agricultural Department. Next in order of importance came the winter and autumn rice crops. The number of experiments conducted on other crops did not show any marked variation as compared with the preceding quinquennium. The results of the experiments made during the quinquennium under review show that the average yields per acre in the case of almost all crops have remained almost stationary. It is therefore claimed that the present rates of yield may be regarded as fairly accurate. The standard yields of crops for the province are however fixed not only with reference to the experiments conducted during the latest quinquennium, but also with reference to the results obtained during the preceding quinquennia. On the basis of the figures for the last four quinquennia, the average yield for the province has been raised in the case of autumn rice, wheat, linseed, sugarcane and jute; while it has been lowered in the case of winter and summer rice, gram, rape and mustard and sesamum. The important changes are an increase in the yield of sugarcane from 3,004 to 3,054 lbs per acre and of wheat from 688 to 721 lbs. The average yield of tobacco for the province has for the first time been fixed at 1,007 lbs per acre on the basis of the experiments made during the quinquennium. The returns do not distinguish between irrigated and unirrigated crops, the irrigated area being comparatively small in the province. A few experiments were also made as before with certain minor crops such as barley, maize, peas, lentil, *mung*, *arhar* and *khesari*.

Madras.—It was explained in the preceding report that the standard outturns adopted in Madras are not based on crop-cutting experiments alone, but on other data as well, such as the results obtained in Government farms, trade figures, etc. It was also stated that the provincial Director of Agriculture considered the utility of crop-cutting experiments to be doubtful in view of the fact that it was not possible to select an average ten cent plot which would represent a crop spread over a considerable area on account of the great variations to be found between different tracts in a country of small holdings. During the quinquennium under review no crop-cutting experiments were conducted in the province. Certain alterations in the standard yield have, however, been made, the principal of which are, an increase in the yield of cotton from 78 to 84 lbs, of ragi from 927 to 937 lbs, and a decrease in the yield of rice from 1,065 to 1,057 lbs and of sugarcane from 6,420 to 6,383 lbs.

Bombay.—During the quinquennium under review the total number of crop tests made was 489 against 152 in the preceding quinquennium. Though the number of experiments made was larger than in the preceding period, the position is not equally satisfactory in all the areas and there are still certain districts in which the number of tests made is as yet very few. The results of the data obtained from the experiments have been closely scrutinised and as it was considered that in many cases the tests made were not sufficiently numerous or sufficiently representative either with regard to the condition of the soil or the season, only a few changes in the district standard yields have been effected. Practically no change has been made in the provincial averages previously adopted.

Sind.—The standard yields now reported for Sind appear to be based mainly on the actual results of the experiments conducted during the quinquennium under review, no regard having been apparently given to the question whether or not the period was of an average character. Thus an appreciable lowering of the standard yields of wheat and barley is explained as due mainly to the rainfall being below the average during the period and to some extent also to spells of frosts. Similarly the lower yield of the irrigated as compared with the unirrigated variety of certain crops in a district is explained by the fact that the irrigated crops generally suffered from floods during the period.

United Provinces.—In the quinquennium under review crop-cutting experiments were as usual conducted in the representative districts of the province. The results obtained from the tests have not however necessitated any revision in the standards previously adopted as the evidence accumulated during the period has not been considered sufficient to justify any change.

Bihar and Orissa.—The method of crop-cutting experiments formerly adopted by district officers and the Agricultural Department having been found to give admittedly unreliable results, the Local Government are now experimenting with new methods of statistical work on the outturn of the crop. No final results of the new method are yet available by which the normal outturn previously adopted can be modified. The standard yields in force have therefore undergone no revision during the period under review.

Punjab.—In preparing the return, the rates of yield fixed in the previous quinquennia or assumed for assessment purposes and the results of the crop experiments made from time to time have been considered along with the opinion of local officers of the Revenue and the Agricultural Departments who were consulted before the yields were finally fixed. The latest revision shows a general decrease in the provincial averages. The yield of sugarcane has fallen from 2,191 to 1,953 lbs, of wheat from 856 to 795 lbs, of gram from 671 to 616 lbs, of maize from 961 to 916 lbs, of barley from 825 to 803 lbs and of jowar from 434 to 417 lbs. The yield of rice has, however, been raised from 777 to 1,178 lbs.

Burma.—As mentioned in the preceding report, standard yields in Burma are based on crop-cuttings made by Settlement Officers. The standards adopted for the quinquennium ending 1921-22 have on a consideration of later settlement reports undergone slight alterations.

Central Provinces and Berar.—In the previous report some of the defects in the method of conducting crop-cutting experiments in vogue in these provinces were commented upon and it was stated that with a view to remedy them revised instructions to district officials were under contemplation. These instructions, however, did not issue till the hot weather of 1924. District officials were accordingly asked, in revising the standard outturns, to give special attention to the results obtained during the last three years of the period under review. In spite of the revised instructions, some of the defects noticed in the previous report seem to be still continuing in certain districts. In particular the tendency to argue in a circle still persists, the estimates of anna outturns in several cases being based on a comparison of the actual yields obtained with the standard outturns in existence. It also appears that in revising the standards no real attempt has been made to weight the results obtained on various classes of soil in a district according to the area of each class of soil in the district. Again, it is doubtful whether the experiments were evenly distributed over a district or evenly distributed in time throughout the period of harvesting. More experiments appear to have been made on easily accessible tracts and the tests generally concentrated about the middle of the period of harvesting. Again, in rice tracts, no allowance appears to have been made for the area occupied by field embankments in the various plots experimented on. The Director of Land Records of the province is of opinion that the difficulties of obtaining really satisfactory results by present methods are almost insuperable. It is therefore proposed during the present rice harvest in Chhattisgarh to make a trial of the system of random sampling which has lately been evolved in Bihar and Orissa. If the trial proves successful, the system will, it is stated, be extended to other crops. As a result of the present revision, the yield of sugarcane (*gur*) has been increased from 2,569 to 3,180 lbs, that of rice from 621 to 647 lbs, and that of cotton from 86 to 102 lbs, while there has been a decrease in the yield of wheat from 600 to 577 lbs, of linseed from 226 to 212 lbs and of sesamum from 224 to 210 lbs.

Assam.—Experiments were made during the quinquennium by revenue officers on all crops for which forecasts are prepared and on certain other crops, such as, *Malikalai* (*phaseolus radiatus*), maize, potato and tobacco. The total number of experiments made with all crops during the period under review was slightly less than in the preceding quinquennium, but a larger

number of tests were made on autumn rice, *matikalai*, rape and mustard, cotton, tobacco, potato and maize. In the case of sugarcane, systematic experiments were made during the last two years of the period by the staff of the Agricultural Department in addition to those conducted by the Revenue Officers. Only a few revisions of importance have been made in the standard outturns for the province. The yield of sugarcane (*gur*) has been increased from 2,128 to 2,576 lbs and of cotton from 153 to 176 lbs.

North-West Frontier Province.—Three representative districts, viz., Hazara, Peshawar and Dera Ismail Khan, have been selected in this province for the purpose of conducting crop-cutting experiments. The experiments in the first two districts were, according to the revised instructions, conducted by the members of the Agricultural Department, while those in the last-named district were made by the Revenue staff. Unfortunately, however, the crop returns supplied by the Agricultural Department were incomplete while the results of the experiments obtained by the Revenue staff in the Dera Ismail Khan district were considered unreliable. The averages reported in the statement showing the approximate yields per acre of the principal crops in the province for the quinquennium under report have, however, been carefully scrutinised in consultation with the local officers including the Settlement Officer, Peshawar, and are believed to be reliable.

Ajmer-Merwara.—The experiments were conducted by the three Sub-Divisional Officers and the Tahsildar in Todgarh-tahsil in respect of jowar, maize, cotton and barley. On the basis of the results of these experiments, the yield has been substantially increased in the case of the first three while it has been lowered in the case of the last named crop. The changes are a decrease in the yield of barley from 1,396 to 1,160 lbs, and an increase in the yields of jowar, maize and cotton, from 252 to 340 lbs, 917 to 1,040 lbs, and 136 to 216 lbs, respectively. It appears that the provincial figures now reported are merely arithmetic averages of the district figures.

Delhi.—The yields of the crops are generally based on rates fixed at the time of the last settlement. As compared with the figures for the preceding quinquennium the important changes are an increase in the yield of tobacco from 2,304 to 2,524 lbs, and of cotton from 100 to 165 lbs, and a decrease in the yield of sugarcane from 2,391 to 2,296 lbs, of barley from 830 to 769 lbs, of jowar from 58 to 523 lbs and of bajra from 529 to 463 lbs. The increase in the yield of cotton (cleaned) is attributed to the fact that while the yield in the present return has been calculated at the ratio of 1 lb cleaned cotton to 3 lbs uncleaned cotton, the figure in the preceding quinquennium was calculated on the ratio 1 : 5.

Coorg.—The only experiments made in Coorg have, as usual, been on rice. During the period under review 97 experiments were carried out and on the results of these experiments the average yield of rice has been raised from 1,420 to 1,464 lbs.

Mysore.—As a result of the experiments conducted during the quinquennium under review, the yields of rice, ragi and horse-gram have been lowered and those of scamum and sugarcane raised. The important change is an increase in the yield per acre of sugarcane from 2,621 to 3,847 lbs.

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II.—TABLES.

PROVINCIAL AVERAGES.

No. 1.—AVERAGE YIELD (lb per acre) of PRINCIPAL CROPS in each PROVINCE of BRITISH

Province	Quinquennium ending	RICE (BROWNED) (Oryza sativa)			WHEAT (Triticum sativum)			BARLEY (Hordeum vulgare)			JOWAR (Sorghum vulgare)		
		Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both
		(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(j)	(k)	(l)	(m)	(n)
Bengal	1906-07(b)	...	...	...	(c) 1,234	...	...	...	...	881	...	...	...
	1911-12	...	...	...	(e) 800	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1916-17	...	...	...	(c) 983	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1921-22	...	...	...	(d) 1,104	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1926-27	...	...	...	(c) 972	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1928-29	...	...	...	(c) 1,039	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	1916-17	...	...	...	(d) 1,179	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1921-22	...	...	...	(d) 671	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1926-27	...	...	...	(c) 1,029	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1928-29	...	...	...	(d) 1,148	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1928-29	...	...	...	(e) 858	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	1906-07	1,118	926	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,118	647	...
	1911-12	1,198	857	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,379	721	...
	1916-17	...	...	...	1,047	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	606
	1921-22	1,100	804	1,006	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,241	493	500
	1926-27	1,170	774	1,057	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,285	471	...
Sind	1906-07	...	...	...	1,280	...	1,250	610	578	...	1,550	670	...
	1911-12	...	...	...	1,280	...	1,250	610	575	...	1,550	670	...
	1916-17	...	...	...	1,230	...	1,250	610	575	...	1,550	670	...
	1921-22	...	...	...	1,230	...	1,250	610	575	...	1,550	670	...
	1926-27	...	...	...	1,230	...	1,250	610	575	...	1,550	670	...
United Provinces	1906-07	1,050	800	850	1,250	850	1,050	1,300	900	1,100	...	650	...
	1911-12	1,100	850	900	1,250	850	1,050	1,350	900	1,100	...	650	...
	1916-17	1,100	850	900	1,250	850	1,050	1,350	900	1,150	...	600	...
	1921-22	1,100	850	900	1,350	650	1,050	1,350	900	1,150	...	600	...
	1926-27	1,100	850	900	1,250	850	1,050	1,350	900	1,150	...	600	...
Bihar and Orissa	1911-12	...	...	...	(c) 1,234	...	(f) 954	...	...	881	...	...	...
	1916-17	...	...	...	(d) 900	...	(g) 964	...	...	881	...	...	...
	1921-22	...	...	...	(e) 900	...	(h) 964	...	...	881	...	...	...
	1926-27	...	...	...	(f) 900	...	(i) 964	...	...	881	...	...	...
	1928-29	...	...	...	(g) 741	...	(j) 954	...	...	881	...	...	...
Punjab	1906-07(b)	1,189	771	1,060	904	619	618	1,053	652	786	647	479	...
	1911-12(b)	758	476	668	678	555	726	1,018	592	716	498	381	406
	1916-17	841	515	783	904	608	791	1,058	729	809	561	440	470
	1921-22	869	508	777	1,020	640	658	1,058	634	828	645	402	434
	1926-27	1,300	753	1,178	997	758	795	1,004	626	805	514	392	417
Upper Burma†	1906-07	1,117	998	1,026	...	675	...	...	...	...	...	800	...
	1911-12	1,004	601	907	...	832	...	...	...	...	...	204	...
	1916-17	...	...	1,036	...	...	546	...	...	...	...	443	...
Lower Burma†	1906-07	...	...	1,176	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1911-12	...	...	1,140	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1916-17	...	...	1,083	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	1921-22	...	...	970	...	...	540	...	...	...	...	...	430
	1926-27	...	...	1,000	...	...	540	...	...	...	...	...	450
Central Provinces and Berar	1906-07	...	...	590	...	...	600	...	...	...	...	638	...
	1911-12	...	...	634	...	...	600	...	...	...	...	664	...
	1916-17	...	...	634	...	...	600	...	...	...	...	664	...
	1921-22	...	...	634	...	...	600	...	...	...	...	656	...
	1926-27	...	...	647	...	...	677	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam	1906-07(a)	...	...	1,064	...	...	784	...	...	673	...	...	...
	1906-07(b)	...	...	(d) 1,190	...	...	784	...	...	673	...	...	...
	1911-12	...	...	(e) 673	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1916-17	...	...	(d) 1,008	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1921-22	...	...	(e) 706	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
North-West Frontier Province	1906-07	...	...	(c) 1,048	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1911-12	1,105	...	842	540	618	1,214	660	818	823	326	478	...
	1916-17	1,303	...	874	559	633	1,159	736	876	...	436	...	...
	1921-22	869	...	914	589	676	1,141	743	917	...	399	...	...
	1926-27	868	...	863	793	633	1,140	688	890	663	509	500	...
Ajmer-Merwara	1906-07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1911-12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1916-17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1921-22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delhi	1906-07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1911-12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1916-17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coorg	1906-07	...	...	1,507	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1911-12	...	...	1,483	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1916-17	...	...	1,428	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Average for British India	1906-07	...	...	1,420	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1911-12	...	...	1,464	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mysore	1906-07	...	...	969	...	...	816	...	...	1,037	...	...	630
	1911-12	879	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1916-17	841	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1921-22	1,146	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1926-27	1,353	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1928-29	1,071	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Note.—(1) Average yield of both irrigated and unirrigated land is ascertained by multiplying the yield of irrigated land by the irrigated area cropped, and the yield of unirrigated land multiplied by the unirrigated area cropped, and dividing the sum of these products by the total area cropped.

(2) The superseded figures of the previous four quinquennia have been inserted merely to show the trend of the revision made in each period.

(3) The variations in the figures of yield of crops now reported as compared with previous ones are due to the fact that the averages have been worked out not approximately as before, but accurately.

† The averages for Burma for 1916-17 are based on the normal culturas per acre given in the Season and Crop Report of Burma for 1916-17.

(a) Relates to Eastern Bengal and Assam.

(d) Spring.

(g) Bengal

(b) As constituted before 1912.

(e) Autumn.

(h) Chota Nagpur.

(c) Winter.

(f) B. bar.

(i) Includes Delhi.

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(D) Please continue.

(1) *Phaeocystis jamaicensis* (red).

(1) Dolichos lablab (Linné) Willd.

(a) Phasor has length (mag.) = 1.0.

PROVINCIAL AVERAGES—continued.

No. 1.—AVERAGE YIELD (lb per acre) of PRINCIPAL CROPS in each PROVINCE of BRITISH

PROVINCE	Quinquennium ending	AANAS (Cajanus indicus)			Gram (Cicer arietinum)			LINSEED (Linum usitatissimum)			TIL OR JINJILI (Sesamum)		
		Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both
Bengal	1906-07(b)	...	...	881	...	...	881	...	...	402	...	...	...
	1911-12	...	...	...	...	...	881	...	...	402	...	...	...
	1916-17	...	...	...	...	...	867	...	...	443	...	...	504
	1921-22	...	...	...	...	...	826	...	...	407	...	...	503
	1926-27	...	...	...	...	...	811	...	...	473	...	...	495
Madras	1906-07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	444	270	...
	1911-12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	373	238	...
	1916-17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	399
	1921-22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	300
	1926-27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	303
Bombay	1906-07	...	...	...	...	1,200	410	...	...	880	...	...	400
	1911-12	...	...	...	...	1,200	410	...	...	880	...	...	400
	1916-17	...	...	...	...	1,200	410	...	...	880	...	...	400
	1921-22	...	...	...	...	1,200	410	...	...	880	...	...	400
	1926-27	...	...	...	...	1,200	410	...	...	880	...	...	400
Bind	1906-07	...	...	...	...	...	408	...	...	408	...	...	...
	1911-12	...	...	...	...	...	476	...	...	476	...	...	394
	1916-17	...	...	...	...	...	604	...	...	604	...	...	422
	1921-22	...	...	...	...	683†	401	...	...	683	...	...	520
	1926-27	...	...	...	...	570	503	...	...	574	...	...	574
United Provinces	1906-07	...	750	...	950	800	800	...	...	500	...	...	380
	1911-12	...	750	...	950	800	800	...	...	500	...	...	280
	1916-17	...	800	...	950	800	800	...	...	500	...	...	280
	1921-22	...	600	...	950	800	800	...	...	500	...	...	280
	1926-27	...	800	...	950	800	800	...	...	500	...	...	280
Bihar and Orissa	1911-12	...	...	881	...	...	881	...	...	402	...	...	...
	1916-17	...	...	881	...	...	881	...	...	402	...	...	...
	1921-22	...	...	881	...	...	881	...	...	402	...	...	...
	1926-27	...	...	881	...	...	881	...	...	402	...	...	...
	1906-07(c)	...	...	...	884	658	701	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	1911-12(a)	...	...	...	626	534	549	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1916-17	...	...	...	726	588	615	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1921-22	...	...	...	708	644	671	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1926-27	...	...	...	763	578	616	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1906-07	...	...	...	...	778	414	...	...	...	...	...	324
Upper Burma	1911-12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	320
	1916-17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(e) 325
Lower Burma	1906-07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1911-12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	1921-22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	180
	1926-27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	180
Central Provinces and Berar	1906-07	...	...	...	...	...	626	...	...	208	...	...	280
	1911-12	...	...	...	...	...	592	...	...	226	...	...	224
	1916-17	...	...	...	...	...	592	...	...	226	...	...	224
	1921-22	...	...	...	...	...	592	...	...	218	...	...	226
	1926-27	...	...	...	...	...	583	...	...	218	...	...	210
Assam	1906-07(a)	...	...	...	...	840	...	...	448	...	...	448	...
	1911-12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	448	...	...	448	...
	1916-17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	448	...	...	448	...
	1921-22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	448	...	...	448	...
	1926-27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	448	...	...	448	...
North-West Frontier Province	1906-07	...	...	...	884	438	430	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1911-12	...	...	...	750	410	410	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1916-17	...	...	...	726	488	480	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1921-22	...	...	...	626	417	420	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1926-27	...	...	...	628	411	421	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ajmer-Merwara	1906-07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1911-12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1916-17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1921-22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1926-27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delhi	1916-17	...	...	...	...	...	650	523	555	...	...	...	...
	1921-22	...	...	...	...	720	523	555	...	...	...	...	317
	1926-27	...	...	...	739	549	551	...	...	...	325	325	326
	1906-07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coorg	1911-12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1916-17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1921-22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1926-27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1906-07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Average for British India	1926-27	...	...	840	...	...	717	...	...	359	...	...	256
	1906-07	...	...	...	...	...	220*	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mysore	1911-12	...	...	...	...	...	257*	...	...	...	...	215	...
	1916-17	...	...	...	...	...	260*	...	...	...	...	199	...
	1921-22	...	...	...	...	...	289*	...	...	...	...	262	...
	1926-27	...	...	...	...	...	306*	...	...	...	...	288	...
	1906-07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	281	...

(a) Relates to horse gram.

(b) Relates to Eastern Bengal and Assam.

(c) As constituted before 1912.

(d) Includes Delhi.

† Revised.

(d) Relates to Bengal gram.

(e) Average of both Upper and Lower Burma.

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BAPU AND MUSTARD (Brassica sp.)			SUGARCANE (CUB) (Saccharum officinarum)			COTTON (CLEARED) (Gossypium sp.)			JUTE (Corchorus sp.)			Tobacco (Nicotiana) Tobacco com. N. Bastical	Quinque- nium ending	Provinces
Irrig- ated	Unirrig- ated	Both	Irrig- ated	Unirrig- ated	Both	Irrig- ated	Unirrig- ated	Both	Irrig- ated	Unirrig- ated	Both			
...	...	402	2,400	125	1906-07	Bengal
...	...	403	...	...	2,006	...	...	155	...	...	1,571	...	1911-12
...	...	4-0	...	...	2,103	...	...	155	...	...	1,540	...	1916-17
...	...	4-5	...	...	5,004	...	...	155	...	...	1,630	...	1921-22
...	...	453	...	...	8,054	...	...	165	...	...	1,431	1,007	1926-27
...	6,089	65	44	1916-07	Madras
...	...	6,701	...	...	...	57	55	...	...	...	...	...	1911-12
...	...	6,040	...	...	...	...	...	65	...	...	...	...	1916-17
...	...	6,430	...	...	...	250	65	75	...	...	...	...	1921-22
...	...	6,383	250	71	84	1,163	1926-27	
...	...	626	...	6,960	100	1906-07	Bombay
...	...	626	...	6,960	...	...	...	100	...	...	...	...	1911-12
...	...	626	...	6,960	...	...	...	101	...	...	...	...	1916-17
...	...	625	...	6,960	...	...	...	102	...	...	...	...	1921-22
...	...	625	...	6,960	104	1926-27	
500	4,333	102	1906-07	Sind
600	4,333	...	...	125	...	...	...	...	...	...	1911-12	
500	...	520	...	8,148	...	...	170	...	...	...	...	...	1916-17
543	...	375	...	(f)	...	...	100	...	...	...	...	...	1921-22
432	...	321	...	7,000	...	...	181	...	...	...	...	...	1926-27
...	...	600	...	3,600	220	180	100	1906-07	United Provinces
...	...	600	...	3,600	...	...	220	180	160	...	...	...	1911-12
...	...	600	...	3,600	...	...	250	180	170	...	...	...	1916-17
...	...	600	...	3,600	...	...	250	180	170	...	...	...	1921-22
...	...	600	...	3,600	...	...	230	180	170	...	...	...	1926-27
...	...	492	3,400	185	1,200	...	1911-12	Bihar and Orissa
...	...	492	...	...	3,400	...	...	185	...	...	1,200	...	1916-17
...	...	492	...	...	3,400	...	...	185	...	...	1,200	...	1921-22
...	...	492	...	...	3,400	...	...	185	...	...	1,200	...	1926-27
...	...	406	205	254	1,807	1,268	1,534	78	64	74	1906-07	Punjab
...	...	390	306	1,748	1,407	1,086	126	98	118	...	...	...	1911-12
...	...	389	420	2,058	1,520	1,038	148	104	135	...	...	...	1916-17
...	...	550	354	2,344	1,639	1,211	144	108	138	...	...	...	1921-22
...	...	532	336	435	2,045	1,583	1,953	(g)128	(g)104	(g)130	1926-27	
...	(A)140	(B) 81	(A)140	Upper Burma
...	88	
...	132	
...	84	
...	Lower Burma
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...	829	2,782	116	1,823	1,803	Average for United India
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(7) No experiments were conducted during the quiescent period.
(8) Yes. (4) American.

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DISTRICT AVERAGES.

No. 2.—AVERAGE YIELD (lb per acre) of PRINCIPAL CROPS in each DISTRICT of BENGAL.

DISTRICT	Winter rice (husked)	Autumn rice (husked)	Summer rice (husked)	Wheat	Gram	Rape and mustard	Linseed	Sesamum (Til)	Sugarcane (gdr)	Jute	Tobacco
Burdwan	1,198	1,121	..	1,260	902	800	..	..	8,287	1,179	..
Birbhum	995	1,163	..	820	728	870	..	..	5,184	..	..
Fakura	1,228	996	..	660	703	613	..	..	3,263	..	..
Midnapore	965	838	761	..	..	460	..	547	3,689	1,344	..
Hooghly	997	922	..	..	..	..	495	..	4,241	1,213	..
Howrah	970	940	..	..	620	660	..	..	3,820	1,026	..
24-Parganas	1,055	980	..	710	867	650	452	480	2,492	1,105	..
Nadia	830	917	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,901	1,031	..
Murshidabad	971	968	1,004	905	941	591	616	630	3,043	1,278	1,200
Jessore	906	828	..	880	856	482	557	730	..	..	..
Khubna	1,102	916	1,200	..	..	482	..	..	..	1,353	..
Eschahal	1,037	868	1,341	977	913	680	547	..	2,607	1,270	687
Dinajpur	1,081	838	..	..	..	480	..	..	2,852	1,837	..
Jalpaiguri	1,088	813	..	750	..	561	..	..	3,403	1,170	920
Darjeeling	1,038	840	..	515	..	415	..	..	3,506	1,300	..
Rangpur	996	858	..	..	..	460	..	..	2,344	1,284	3,045
Bogra	985	758	..	..	666	647	660	680	3,582	1,141	..
Pabna	980	867	..	..	699	420	875	867	..	1,378	..
Maita	948	761	897	801	669	577	394	..	3,126	1,127	..
Dacca	923	831	803	670	930	413	..	..	3,482	1,396	..
Mymensingh	900	1,036	1,217	..	..	440	..	432	..	1,381	769
Faridpur	1,039	840	1,187	692	815	608	495	647	2,740	1,388	666
Bakarganj	950	954	746	..	..	819	..	390	2,186	1,387	..
Chittagong	1,060	938	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,395	..	..
Tippera	923	940	1,023	..	..	416	..	720	3,900	1,424	1,140
Noakhali	874	833	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,750	1,806	..
Chittagong Hill Tracts	1,058	901	..	..	..	620	..	450	8,550	..	1,000
Average for the Province (a)	1,000	906	1,098	821	768	477	494	472	8,205	1,334	1,007

(a) These figures are averages of the experiments made during the quinquennium ending 1926-27. The standards for the province adopted on the basis of all experiments made during the last four quinquennial periods are stated in Table No. 1.

No. 3.—AVERAGE YIELD (lb per acre) of PRINCIPAL CROPS in each DISTRICT of MADRAS.

DISTRICT	KITCHEN (Husked) (a)		JOWAR (a)		BAJRA (a)		BAGI (a)		Maize (a)	Til or Jilajili (Sesamum)	COTTON* (cleaned)		Ground-nut	Castor	To-bacco (in dry leaf)	
	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated			Irrigated	Unirrigated				
Ganjam	871	636	1,020	656	950	620	690	680	600	280	5,000	(b)	50	250	1,000	
Vizagapatam	938	636	1,106	605	960	560	1,080	630	600	336	6,500	(b)	50	250	1,000	
Godavari, East.	1,340	608	1,106	595	960	504	1,080	720	600	336	7,500	(b)	75	250	1,300	
Godavari, West.	1,310	670	1,105	585	900	504	1,170	710	600	336	7,500	(b)	75	250	1,303	
Khina	1,008	670	1,105	603	960	504	1,440	720	660	336	7,500	(b)	75	250	1,300	
Guntur	1,206	737	1,106	835	960	504	1,710	720	660	290	7,500	(b)	75	250	1,360	
Nellore	1,038	787	1,106	510	1,040	560	1,435	540	600	280	6,000	(b)	75	250	1,300	
Kurukkal	1,072	670	1,100	635	960	440	1,440	585	600	224	4,500	(b)	50	150	1,000	
Ellary	1,139	609	1,276	382	1,040	860	900	405	600	224	6,000	(b)	50	150	1,000	
Abantapur	1,139	836	1,190	368	960	820	1,305	540	600	224	4,800	(b)	50	150	1,000	
Cuddapah	1,206	603	1,274	425	1,040	560	1,485	540	600	226	6,000	(b)	50	150	1,000	
Chittoor	1,273	670	1,273	610	800	520	1,520	630	600	280	7,800	250	65	250	1,000	
North Arcot	1,273	737	1,273	510	960	520	1,835	720	600	230	6,000	250	50	250	1,000	
Chingleput	1,038	737	1,190	510	800	520	990	540	600	280	6,000	250	50	250	1,000	
South Arcot	1,239	737	1,273	510	800	560	1,350	720	600	230	6,500	250	65	250	1,000	
Salem	1,273	836	1,273	510	1,040	480	1,305	675	603	230	6,000	250	54	400	1,200	
Coimbatore	1,273	636	1,275	510	960	320	1,530	720	600	280	7,500	250	71	400	1,200	
Trichinopoly	1,273	670	1,275	425	960	400	1,260	685	600	336	5,000	250	71	400	1,200	
Tanjore	1,172	737	1,105	425	960	500	930	450	600	333	6,000	250	58	400	1,200	
Madura	1,806	603	1,100	510	800	360	1,200	585	600	280	6,000	250	65	400	1,200	
Ramnad	1,206	737	1,190	340	800	820	1,350	360	600	280	4,500	250	107	400	1,200	
Tinnevelly	1,340	670	1,275	297	800	800	1,410	650	600	230	4,500	250	109	400	1,200	
Nilgiris	...	1,206	...	425	...	800	...	900	600	280	6,000	...	50	400	1,200	
Malabar	...	933	...	595	...	630	...	1,350	600	224	6,000	...	50	400	1,200	
South Canara	...	1,005	...	...	...	...	...	900	600	230	6,400	...	50	400	1,200
Average for the Province (a)	1,170	774	1,235	480	961	438	1,331	635	635	363	6,383	250	71	1,120	229	1,165
Total	1,057	671	401	937												

NOTE.—The figures of yield are taken from the Season and Crop Report of Madras for 1925-26.

* The figures of normal yield per acre in the South have been arrived at with reference to the distribution of the several varieties and hence they vary from 1.0 lbs. in Madura, Ramnad, and Tinnevelly; 50 lbs. elsewhere; Uppam 68 lbs., dry Karurgani in Coimbatore 85 lbs., Nadam 20 lbs., and Tinnevelly 110 lbs.

(a) The yield reported in unhusked grain has been reduced by 25 per cent in the case of rice, 15 per cent in the case of jowar, 20 per cent in the case of bajra, 10 per cent in the case of ragi and 40 per cent in the case of maize.

(b) There is a small area under irrigation in these districts but the yield thereof does not differ much from that of unirrigated variety.

DISTRICT AVERAGES—continued.

No. 4.—AVERAGE YIELD (lb per acre) of PRINCIPAL CROPS in each DISTRICT of BOMBAY.

DISTRICT	RICE (HUSKED)	WHEAT		JOWAR		BAJRA	BET		GRAM	
	Un- irrigated	Irrigated	Un- irrigated	Irrigated (a)	Un- irrigated	Un- irrigated	Irrigated	Un- irrigated	Irrigated	Un- irrigated
Ahmedabad	1,440	1,300	560	..	(b) 1,080	840	..	1,440	..	500
Kaira	1,320	1,300	600	..	(b) 1,060	970	..	1,440	..	500
Panch Mahals	1,200	1,300	700	..	(b) 1,190	820	..	1,420	..	600
Brocach	900	..	600	..	(a) 820	700	..	1,300	..	600
Surat	1,560	..	600	..	(b) 760	610	..	1,210	..	600
West Khandesh	1,080	1,280	600	..	(b) 720	550	..	940	1,200	500
East Khandesh	1,080	1,280	610	..	(b) 720	530	..	940	1,200	500
Nasik	1,080	1,320	460	..	1,400 (a) 520	860	1,400	850	1,200	500
Ahmednagar	1,040	1,180	460	..	1,500 (a) 400	840	1,400	970	1,100	540
Poona	1,120	1,080	350	..	1,500 (a) 500	840	..	900	1,200	570
Sholapur	900	1,080	400	..	1,500 (a) 540	820	..	..	1,200	500
Satara	1,120	1,350	480	..	1,500 (a) 720	830	..	940	1,200	540
Belgaum	1,140	1,200	560	..	1,500 (a) 800	840	..	900	..	600
Bijapur	800	1,080	400	..	(d) 540	520	..	..	..	340
Dharwar	1,140	..	500	..	(a) 1,000	450	..	1,200	..	600
Thana	1,200	..	..	..	..	..	..	770	..	400
Kolaba	1,200	..	..	..	..	..	..	800	..	340
Ratnagiri	1,020	..	..	..	..	..	..	640	..	320
Kanara	1,320	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,470	..	480
Average for the Province	1,230	1,230	510	..	1,500	870	600	1,400	1,200	610
				675						

DISTRICT	LINSEED	SESAMUM (til or jinjilli)	SUGARCANE (gur)	COTTON (cleared)	RAPS AND MUSTARD	SPELT	KODRA (<i>Paspalum Scrobicula- tum</i>)	GROUNDNUT	
	Unirrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated
Ahmedabad	350	400	6,000	125	640	..	1,320	..	500
Kaira	..	400	6,000	115	675	..	1,275	..	..
Panch Mahals	..	400	5,000	120	600	..	1,130	..	1,000
Broach	..	400	7,000	130	..	..	1,050	..	..
Surat	..	400	7,000	120	..	..	1,120	2,500	1,000
West Khandesh	360	600	7,000	110	..	1,500	900	2,500	1,250
East Khandesh	360	400	7,000	110	..	1,500	900	2,500	1,250
Nasik	380	400	7,000	100	..	1,600	..	2,500	1,250
Ahmednagar	360	400	7,000	90	..	1,500	..	2,500	1,250
Poona	360	400	8,000	90	..	1,500	..	2,500	1,250
Sholapur	360	400	7,000	90	..	1,500	..	2,500	1,250
Satara	360	400	7,000	90	..	1,500	..	2,500	1,250
Belgaum	360	400	7,000	100	..	1,500	..	2,500	1,500
Bijapur	360	400	7,000	90	..	1,500	..	2,500	1,500
Dharwar	360	400	7,000	120	..	1,500	..	2,500	1,250
Thana	..	300	7,000	..	..	..	610	..	1,250
Kolaba	300	4,000	..	..	..	..	800	..	1,250
Ratnagiri	360	4,000	..	..	..	..	870	..	..
Kanara	360	4,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Average for the Province	360	400	6,050	102	625	1,500	1,100	2,500	1,150

(a) Rabi.

(b) Kharif.

No. 5.—AVERAGE YIELD (lb per acre) of PRINCIPAL CROPS in each DISTRICT of SIND.

DISTRICT	RICE (livest ed)	WHEAT		BARLEY		JOWAR		BAJRA		GRAM		TIL OR JING- LI (Besa- MUM)	COTTON (CLEARED)	BAPESTED		JAMBHO (JENCA BATIVA)	SUGAR- CANE (GUR)	CAS- TA
	Irr- igated	Irr- igated	Unirri- gated	Irrig- ated	Unirri- gated	Irrig- ated	Unirri- gated	Irrig- ated	Unirri- gated									
Karachi	831	674	1,032	812	981	717	815	1,065	843	832
Hyderabad	1,032	639	513	..	..	680	..	665	..	..	..	198	..	..	..	7,600	..
Sokkur	936	709	470	..	..	685	..	425	..	..	..	236	..	..	..	..	..
Larkana	1,855	1,396	1,156	..	..	1,067	1,050	..	..	..	..	860	828	560	848	..	..
Upper Sind Frontier	1,450	819	808	..	..	728	658	661	..	620	620	820	..	628	848	..	..
Thar and Parkar.	1,760	800	..	..	..	640	820	640	820	..	..	160	..	..	480	..	228
Nawabshah	1,100	903	625	300	300	1,100	..	823	..	675	600	210	203	600	600	..	..
Average for the Province	1,364	933	780	756	963	840	966	609	220	675	602	274	181	632	821	452	847	216

DISTRICT

No. 6.—AVERAGE YIELD (lb per acre) of PRINCIPAL CROPS

CROPS & DISTRICT*	RICE (husked)		WHEAT		BARLEY		JOWAR	BAJEA	MAIZE	GRAM	
	Irrigated	Un-irrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Un-irrigated	Un-irrigated	Irrigated	Un-irrigated	
Almora . . . { Nainital Almora Garhwal Dehra Dun }	1,500	1,400	1,250	1,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Moradabad . . . { Moradabad Bijnor Bareilly }	1,050	800	1,250	800	1,800	1,000	650	500	1,000	1,000	750
Muzaffarnagar . . . { Muzaffarnagar Meerut }	1,000	800	1,300	850	1,500	1,000	650	450	1,200	1,000	800
Bulandshahr . . . { Bulandshahr Aligarh }	1,000	700	1,300	900	1,500	1,000	650	650	1,200	1,000	800
Mainpuri . . . { Mainpuri Etah Etawah Farrukhabad }	950	700	1,250	700	1,300	800	650	550	1,200	1,050	700
Muttra . . . { Muttra Agra }	850	650	1,200	700	1,400	750	650	650	800	1,000	700
Budaun . . . { Budaun Shahjahanpur }	950	750	1,250	800	1,250	1,000	650	600	1,200	1,000	800
Sikar . . . { Sikar Hardoi }	1,000	800	1,250	900	1,300	1,100	650	550	1,200	950	900
Bahraich . . . { Bahraich Pilibhit Kheri }	1,050	900	1,800	1,050	1,800	1,100	600	550	1,800	1,000	950
Unao . . . { Unao Lucknow Raor Barail }	1,000	800	1,250	650	1,400	700	650	600	1,100	1,000	900
Sultanpur . . . { Sultanpur Ilara Banki Partabgarh Fyzabad }	1,100	900	1,250	650	1,500	800	650	650	1,100	1,000	950
Fatehpur . . . { Fatehpur Cawnpore Allahabad }	1,050	800	1,250	600	1,300	700	650	550	1,000	1,000	900
Benares . . . { Benares Jaunpur Mirzapur }	1,000	700	1,100	600	1,300	800	650	500	1,000	800	650
Ballia . . . { Ballia Ghazipur Azamgarh }	1,200	900	1,250	750	1,300	800	650	700	1,000	950	900
Basti . . . { Basti Gonda Gorakhpur }	1,050	900	1,250	800	1,300	750	650	400	1,000	900	750
Jhansi . . . { Jhansi Jalaun }	800	650	1,000	650	1,000	600	550	400	650	700	550
Banda . . . { Banda Hamirpur }	800	700	900	550	1,000	500	550	400	650	800	750
Average for the Province	1,100	850	1,250	850	1,350	900	600	550	1,100	950	800
	900		1,050		1,150				800		

* The districts are grouped into agricultural regions, and the determinations made in the representative district of each region are applied to the whole of that region.

AVERAGES—continued.

in each DISTRICT of the UNITED PROVINCES.

PEAS (Pisum sativum)		ARHAR (Cicer arietinum)		LINSEED		BRAHMIN (Til or Jainjili)		RAPE AND MUSTARD		SUGAR- CANE (gdr.)		COTTON (cleaned)		INDIGO (dsr.)		GROUP & DISTRICTS	
Irrigated	Un- irrigated	Un- irrigated	Un- irrigated	Un- irrigated	Un- irrigated	Irrigated	Irrigated	Un- irrigated	Irrigated	Un- irrigated	Irrigated	Un- irrigated	Irrigated	Un- irrigated			
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Almora	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Moradabad	
750	500	..	400	320	430	2,450	..	120	18	..	..	..	..	..	Moradabad	
800	550	..	..	350	490	2,800	220	140	19	..	..	..	..	..	Musaffarnagar	
1,000	650	..	..	350	490	2,500	230	180	19	..	..	..	..	..	Bulandshahr	
800	550	..	..	410	..	2,200	230	160	18	..	..	..	..	..	Mainpuri	
650	400	..	..	410	..	2,000	230	150	15	..	..	..	..	..	Agra	
650	400	..	400	320	430	2,400	..	120	18	..	..	..	..	..	Budaun	
1,000	650	600	500	300	570	2,700	..	110	..	..	..	..	..	..	Etah	
850	600	800	500	380	700	2,000	..	110	..	..	..	..	..	..	Farrukhabad	
1,150	650	700	400	300	490	2,600	..	120	..	..	..	..	..	..	Unnao	
1,300	650	850	500	300	..	2,600	..	110	20	..	..	..	..	..	Lucknow	
800	550	550	400	320	..	2,150	..	120	17	..	..	..	..	..	Rae Bareli	
1,200	550	700	500	280	..	2,600	..	100	19	..	..	..	..	..	Fatehpur	
1,200	650	900	650	280	660	3,200	..	100	19	..	..	..	..	..	Cawnpore	
1,200	600	700	500	280	570	2,500	..	100	19	..	..	..	..	..	Allahabad	
..	..	..	450	280	..	1,800	..	120	..	..	..	..	..	..	Benares	
..	..	500	500	280	..	1,800	..	120	..	..	..	..	..	..	Jalalpur	
1,150	600	800	500	280	600	2,600	230	180	18	..	..	..	..	..	Dantia	
1,000		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Gorakhpur	
1,150	600	800	500	280	600	2,600	230	180	18	..	..	..	..	..	Jhansi	
1,150	600	800	500	280	600	2,600	230	180	18	..	..	..	..	..	Hamirpur	
1,000		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Average for the Province	

DISTRICT

No. 7.—AVERAGE YIELD (lb per acre) of PRINCIPAL

DISTRICT	WINTER RICE (HUSKED)		AUTUMN RICE (HUSKED)		SUMMER RICE (HUSKED)		WHEAT		BARLEY		MAIZE		BAGS OR MARRA	
	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated
Patna	(a) 984	(a) 806 (b) 550	..	..	..	..	688	1,108	429	1,800	1,857	..	1,170	..
Gaya	(a) 870	(a) 903 (b) 926	..	..	..	..	1,013	784	..	745	..	..	..	..
Shehpad	(a) 532	(a) 723 (b) 1,202	..	..	..	..	949	297	..	..	617	272	..	..
Bazar	(a) 436	(a) 454 (b) 636	..	..	..	..	782	808	426	584	1,131	800	..	637
Champaran	(a) 773	(a) 486 (b) 431	(a) 545 (b) 566	..	..	..	..	506	..	473	..	917	..	..
Musaffarpur	(a) 691	(a) 803 ..	..	(a) 110 (b) 483	..	..	802	564	..	746	..	1,416	..	693
Darbhanga	(a) 945	(a) 666 (b) 296	(b) 461	..	..	..	..	643	..	551	..	1,066	..	1,068
Monghyr	(a) 642	(a) 566 ..	(b) 546	..	..	..	669	548	..	836	..	..	..	..
Bhagalpur	(a) 650	(a) 787 (b) 206	(b) 824	..	(a) 881 (b) 129	..	..	402	518	378	783	..	..	1,072
Purnea	(a) 1,550	(a) 931 ..	(b) 769	..	(b) 694	..	..	544	..	..	..	..	..	..
Banthai Parganas	(a) 1,087	(a) 1,060 (b) 2,011	(a) 1,188 ..	(a) 871 (b) 447	..	..	593	1,273	..	1,924	..	1,612	..	..
Cuttack	(a) 1,043	(a) 922 (b) 994	(a) 1,061 (b) 1,081	(a) 488 (b) 1,047	(a) 1,269 (b) 979	(a) 936 (b) 811	(a) 936 (b) 736	..	1,880	..	..	..	..	..
Balasore	(a) 518	(a) 749 ..	(b) 695	(b) 675	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Angul	(a) 903	(a) 777 (b) 812	(b) 1,157	(b) 864	(a) 800 (b) 1,261	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	494
Puri	(a) 707	(a) 701 (b) 903	..	(a) 517 (b) 731	(b) 634	(b) 602	(b) 651 (b) 645	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bargarh	(a) 1,074	(a) 1,178 (b) 621	(a) 836 (b) 643	..	(b) 1,209 (b) 940	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ranchi	(a) 936	(a) 942 ..	(b) 886	(b) 851	..	..	..	464	594	520	..	..	896	..
Palamau	(a) 1,414	(a) 1,065 ..	(b) 844	..	(b) 624	..	..	1,270	1,044	..	..	..	..	752
Madhubani	(a) 610	(a) 474 (b) 586	(a) 824 (b) 709	..	(b) 701	..	..	..	668	699	..	1,100	..	..
Singhbhum	(a) 1,100	(a) 859 ..	..	(b) 276 (b) 760	(b) 691	..	..	..	..	..	..	948	..	161
Average for the Province (a)	(a) 875 (b) 914	(a) 799 (b) 745	(a) 891 (b) 660	(a) 587 (b) 645	(a) 1,269 (b) 631	(a) 986 (b) 590	758	785	490	794	1,051	889	1,170	688

(a) The provincial average stated here is merely the sum of the district averages divided by the number of districts. The standards adopted for the provinces are stated in Table No. 1.

(a) Transplanted,

(b) Broadcast,

for the standards adopted for the provinces see Table No. 1.

AVERAGES—continued.

CROPS in each DISTRICT of BIHAR and ORISSA

GRAM		ARBAR (Cereals Indices)		PEAS		MASUR		RAPE AND MUSTARD		LINSEED		POTATO		SUGARCANE (per acre)		JUTE		District	
Irrig- ated	Unirri- gated	Unirri- gated	Irrig- ated	Unirri- gated	Irrig- ated	Unirri- gated	Irrig- ated	Unirri- gated	Irrig- ated	Unirri- gated	Irrig- ated	Unirri- gated	Irrig- ated	Unirri- gated	Irrig- ated	Unirri- gated	Irrig- ated	Unirri- gated	
658	844	..	543	783	1,168	908	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Patna
1,054	661	..	..	..	8,172	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,937	..	..	..	..	..	..	Gaya
756	815	..	..	..	1,586	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Bhagalpur
134	111	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,512	..	..	..	..	..	..	Saran
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Champaran
401	684	800	..	..	..	..	..	297	143	13,739	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Muzaffarpur
..	820	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Darbhanga
87	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Monghyz
517	846	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,186	..	..	..	..	..	..	Bhagalpur
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	781	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Furnea
..	..	746	..	..	..	..	..	576	..	..	..	8,647	..	..	..	..	..	..	Sonthal Pargana
745	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	809	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,123	1,076	..	Cuttack	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Balasore
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	880	..	..	..	8,164	..	..	..	..	..	..	Angul
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,309	..	..	..	..	..	..	Puri
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,879	..	..	..	..	..	..	Sambalpur
250	543	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Hazaribagh
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Ranchi
..	584	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Palamu
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,225	896	..	..	..	..	..	Manbhum
..	..	151	..	..	..	..	..	90	68	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Singlbum
516	489	569	543	783	1,842	908	896	105	13,739	2,612	896	1,123	843	Average for the Province					

DISTRICT

No. 8.—AVERAGE YIELD (lb per acre) of PRINCIPAL

DISTRICT	RICE (HUSKED)		WHEAT		BARLEY		JOWAR		BAJRA		
	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	
Hissar	920	920	1,000	480	1,100	600	480	300	400	400	
Rohtak	1,000	...	1,180	610	1,200	860	800	520	470	420	
Gurgaon	...	...	1,050	600	1,300	720	600	440	520	400
Karnal	920	700	1,100	580	1,030	560	520	300	500	330	
Ambala	1,100	770	1,060	720	1,000	600	520	420	520	300	
Simla	...	...	600	400	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kangra	1,100	650	550	450	600	550	...	...	...	...
Hoshiarpur	1,500	900	900	800	1,000	750	...	...	530	350
Jullundur	1,100	780	1,215	650	1,075	595	500	420	410	330	
Ludhiana	800	600	1,160	700	1,160	520	570	530	400	370	
Ferozepore	1,000	600	900	670	1,000	600	500	400	480	400	
Multan	900	...	850	500	800	500	450	400	500	400	
Jhang	861	653	1,000	492	738	492	740	410	574	410	
Mianwali	...	...	700	570	900	580	500	450	500	450
Lyallpur	1,200	...	1,200	500	900	...	600	...	580	...	
Montgomery	1,200	1,150	1,120	600	900	620	500	420	500	400	
Lahore	1,500	630	1,000	520	1,200	600	650	420	640	400	
Amritsar	2,000	840	1,100	700	1,000	620	400	350	...	...
Gurdaspur	1,600	950	1,050	720	1,000	680	580	500	650	510	
Sialkot	1,400	1,000	1,000	600	950	720	500	420	500	400	
Gujrat	1,320	1,150	900	600	1,100	700	540	450	680	500	
Gujranwala	1,320	820	820	500	740	400	500	420	400	330	
Sheikhupura	1,700	1,100	1,200	660	900	500	500	420	480	340	
Shahpur	1,000	820	820	400	900	400	560	820	560	400	
Jhelum	...	820	890	523	1,000	620	...	...	780	517
Rawalpindi	1,000	...	710	480	1,080	600	...	420	640	400	
Attock	...	...	900	370	1,100	350	...	...	800	330
Dera Ghazi Khan	800	780	800	520	750	540	400	320	420	400	
Muzaffargarh	980	900	700	480	720	520	410	370	500	340	
Average for the Province		1,300	793	907	576	1,004	626	514	392	526	406
		1,178		793		805		417		419	

AVERAGES—continued.

CROPS in each DISTRICT of the PUNJAB.

MAIZE		GRAM		RAPESEED		SUGARCANE (GDS)		COTTON (CLEANED)				DISTRICT	
Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated		
...	...	700	600	420	400	2,400	...	150	90	...	...	Hissar
...	...	820	700	500	440	2,700	1,300	170	110	...	...	Rohtak
...	...	900	610	600	870	1,720	930	140	100	...	...	Gurgaon
1,120	640	980	540	560	860	2,800	1,800	175	98	...	...	Karnal
1,100	700	980	640	520	425	2,140	1,840	150	130	...	...	Ambala
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Simla
800	700	...	400	800	225	...	620	64	50	...	...	Kangra
1,400	800	820	750	480	360	2,000	1,800	180	150	...	...	Hoshiarpur
1,050	585	900	650	450	265	1,950	1,200	180	116	...	...	Jullundur
1,560	720	900	560	780	430	2,000	1,400	165	82	...	...	Ludhiana
...	...	1,800	600	850	500	450	800	...	100	60	120	80	Ferozepore
800	500	480	420	400	240	1,430	...	110	62	120	73	Multan	
738	492	574	451	451	243	1,300	...	80	...	100	...	Jhang	
...	...	500	480	830	830	...	...	80	70	...	...	Mianwali
1,350	...	900	500	640	800	2,000	...	144	...	103	...	Lyallpur	
900	560	650	520	480	400	...	...	160	70	100	80	Montgomery
1,100	500	900	700	500	850	1,700	1,000	135	70	140	72	Lahore	
1,200	700	740	670	720	560	2,200	1,150	170	90	...	...	Amritsar
1,200	800	700	700	630	350	2,350	1,500	150	100	...	...	Gurdaspur
1,000	700	600	500	500	320	2,000	1,200	125	90	...	...	Sialkot
1,000	750	600	600	480	320	1,300	780	124	80	144	100	Gujrat	
820	580	650	580	400	230	1,930	850	110	70	170	90	Gujranwala	
900	560	700	700	500	850	1,600	1,070	120	80	120	80	Sheikhpura	
800	640	640	400	520	240	1,600	...	100	55	133	74	Shahpur	
1,240	820	830	570	420	350	...	...	148	61	...	...	Jhelum
1,100	900	...	720	860	300	...	...	116	100	...	...	Rawalpindi
1,750	510	550	460	420	210	780	...	110	60	...	...	Attock
...	...	400	440	240	250	...	...	100	62	...	...	Dera Ghazi Khan
...	...	420	390	500	400	1,130	1,090	70	50	...	...	Mozaffargarh
1,187	720	762	578	532	338	2,043	1,538	128	104	146	61	Average for the Province	
916		616		435		1,953		130		146			

DISTRICT AVERAGES—continued.

No. 9.—AVERAGE YIELD (lb per acre) of PRINCIPAL CROPS in each DISTRICT of BURMA.

DISTRICT	Rice (cleaned) (a)	Wheat	Jowar	Maize	Sesamum (Til or Jinjili)	Ground- nut	Cotton (Cleaned)	BEANS			
								Pegyi*	Pegya†	Pebiyungale‡	
Akyab	1,030	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hill District of Arakan . . .	870	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kyaungpyu	900	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sandoway	870	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangoon	1,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Insein	1,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hanthawaddy	1,100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tirrawaddy	1,130	...	...	...	...	...	...	360	...	...
Pegu	1,100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Frome	830	...	...	...	...	...	...	550	...	...
Bassein	1,030	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Henzada	1,100	...	...	850	...	...	...	530	...	...
Myaungmya	1,130	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ma-ublu	1,070	...	...	800	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pyapon	1,130	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	930	...	...	...	200	...	...	...	...	...
Salween	870	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Thaton	870	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amherst	800	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	870	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mergui	830	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Thayetmyo	770	...	...	610	150	...	95	...	...	...
Pekokku	670	...	500	600	150	900	95	490	...	600	
Minbu	1,070	...	...	800	175	...	...	770	1,152	...
Magwe	670	...	...	850	200	1,300	95	500	...	...
Mandalay	1,000	...	...	...	200	...	...	630	...	1,140
Bhamo	870	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nyltkyina	870	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Katha	930	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shwebo	830	512	...	...	150	850	95	...	1,070	...
Sagaing	670	550	470	490	125	850	110	480	1,000	700	
Lower Chindwin	670	550	480	490	150	850	110	...	870	690	
Upper Chindwin	870	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kyaukse	970	...	...	...	200	...	...	...	...	770
Meiktila	730	...	...	610	150	850	95	...	410	700
Yamethin	830	...	...	590	175	850	95	720	...	...
Mingyan	670	...	880	660	125	850	105	...	700	640	
Average for the Province		1,000	540	450	680	160	1,000	110	560	780	750

* *Dolichos lablab* (large white). † *Phaseolus lunatus* (red). ‡ *Phaseolus lunatus* (small white).

(a) In converting paddy into "cleaned rice" 3 lbs. of paddy have been taken as equivalent to 2 lbs of cleaned rice.

DISTRICT AVERAGES—continued.

No. 10.—AVERAGE YIELD (*lb per acre*) of PRINCIPAL CROPS in each DISTRICT of the CENTRAL PROVINCES and BERAR.

DISTRICT	RICE (BUPRED)		WHEAT		JOWAR	GRAM	LUGHEDD	TIL OR JUNJILI (PRA- NUB)	SUGARCANE (per acre)		COTTON (CLEANED LB)
	Irrig- ated	Unirri- gated	Irrig- ated	Unirri- gated	Unirri- gated	Unirri- gated	Unirri- gated	Unirri- gated	Irrig- ated	Unirri- gated	Unirri- gated
Eager	..	(b)560	1,000	600	580	600	280	150	8,000	1,000	60
Damoh	..	(b)560	..	600	580	630	200	150	2,500	1,000	60
Jubbulpore	..	{ (a)620 (b)695 } ..	620	450	600	250	150	8,000	1,000	67	
Mandla	..	{ (a)650 (b)525 } ..	600	350	580	200	150	1,500	..	60	
Sonni	..	{ (a)990 (b)930 } (a)650 (b)545 ..	600	430	500	250	150	1,500	..	60	
Narsinghpur	..	(b)435 ..	660	450	600	280	200	3,000	1,000	80	
Hoshangabad	..	(b)435 ..	620	430	530	250	250	1,500	1,000	80	
Nimar	..	(b)620 ..	1,000	640	600	500	200	250	8,500	..	107
Betul	..	(b)435 ..	1,000	620	550	500	200	180	8,500	..	80
Chhindwara	..	(b)435 ..	1,000	500	600	500	220	180	8,200	..	100
Wardha	..	(b)435 ..	1,000	500	700	580	300	300	8,000	..	100
Nagpur	..	{ (a)990 (b)930 } (b)560 ..	1,000	500	600	580	280	300	8,000	..	100
Chanda	..	{ (a)990 (b)930 } (a)650 (b)560 ..	500	650	550	250	200	4,000	..	90	
Bhandara	..	{ (a)930 (b)835 } (b)560 ..	500	650	480	200	200	3,000	..	60	
Ba'aghpat	..	{ (a)990 (b)885 } (b)560 ..	500	850	550	200	200	4,000	..	50	
Rajpur	..	{ (a)990 (b)930 } (b)590 ..	500	850	430	180	150	3,500	1,000	60	
Bilaspur	..	{ (a)990 (b)930 } (b)590 ..	500	950	450	180	150	3,500	1,000	60	
Drug	..	{ (a)990 (b)930 } (b)590 ..	500	850	450	180	150	1,500	1,000	60	
Average for the Central Provinces		645	583	601	522	209	201		8,195		98
Akola	..	(b)435 ..	500	700	550	230	200	8,000	..	107	
Amravati	..	(b)435 ..	500	700	530	230	200	8,000	..	107	
Buldana	..	(b)435 ..	1,000	500	700	550	230	200	8,000	..	100
Yeotmal	..	(b)435 ..	500	700	550	230	200	8,000	..	100	
Average for Berar		636	506	700	530	230	200		8,000		104
Average for the Central Provinces and Berar		647	577	656	533	213	210		8,184		102

(a) Transplanted.

(b) Broad cast.

DISTRICT AVERAGES—continued.

No. 11.—AVERAGE YIELD (lb per acre) of PRINCIPAL CROPS in each DISTRICT of ASSAM.

DISTRICT	RICE			Mati-kalai (<i>Pithecellobium</i> <i>radiatum</i>)	Rape and Mustard	Linseed	Maize	Sugar-cane (gur)	Cotton (cleaned)	Jute	Potato	
	Winter rice	Autumn rice	Spring rice								Summer	Winter
Sylhet . .	840	672	1,008	...	392	336	...	2,800	...	...	...	..
Cachar (plains)	(a) 806				784	...	...	448	...	...	2,240	...
	(b) 952				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
	(c) 941				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Goalpara .	(a) 896				728	...	...	560	...	...	2,800	...
	(b) 1,120				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
	(c) 1,084				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Kamrup .	(a) 672				672	...	...	448	...	...	2,240	...
	(b) 840				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
	(c) 784				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Garo Hills (plains)	(a) 672				1,008	...	...	392	...	...	...	..
	(b) 1,232				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
	(c) 1,187				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Darrang .	(a) 672				840	...	...	504	...	...	2,240	...
	(b) 1,008				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
	(c) 997				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Nowrang .	(a) 840				728	...	...	560	...	...	2,240	140
	(b) 952				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
	(c) 896				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Sibsagar .	(a) 784				616	...	...	560	...	...	2,800	...
	(b) 952				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
	(c) 952				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Lakhimpur .	(a) 896				672	...	...	504	...	...	3,360	...
	(b) 1,008				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
	(c) 1,008				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Average for the Plains districts	896	706	1,008	392	504	336	...	2,576	200	1,400	...	..
Khasi and Jaintia Hills	(a) 672				728	...	...	...	...	...	160	...
	(b) 1,120				...	...	...	...	...	...	5,600	1,680
	(c) 896				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Lushai Hills .	1,232	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
North Cachar Hills	(a) 1,008				...	...	...	...	...	...	120	...
	(b) 1,232				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
	(c) 1,120				...	...	...	...	...	...	208	...
Garo Hills (hills) .	...	672	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Average for the Hill districts	1,154	672	...	...	...	...	...	2,128	...	184	...	5,600 1,680
Average for the Province	806	706	1,008	392	504	336	2,128	2,576	176	1,400	5,600	1,680

(a) Broadcast.

(b) Transplanted.

(c) Both.

No. 12.—AVERAGE YIELD (lb per acre) of PRINCIPAL CROPS in each DISTRICT of the NORTH WEST FRONTIER PROVINCE.

DISTRICT	RICE (BUSHEL)	WHEAT		BARLEY		JOWAR		BAJRA		MAIZE		GRAM		RAPSED		SUGAR-CANE (GUR)	COTTON (CLEANED)	
		Irr. gated	Irr. gated	Unirr. gated	Unirr. gated	Irr. gated	Unirr. gated											
Hazara . .	828	741	473	758	535	..	..	494	329	1,916	741	..	..	432	329	1,975	98	57
Peshawar . .	928	823	576	1,234	823	987	412	..	1,346	823	..	..	494	329	2,880	103	62	
Kohat . .	..	823	494	823	535	..	..	1,029	494	1,029	617	..	458	329	247	..	93	51
Bannu . .	..	741	514	700	453	..	..	617	412	884	..	741	612	612	288	1,975	113	67
Dera Ismail Khan . .	..	741	535	617	829	494	329	453	329	..	617	412	370	288	..	88	62	..
Tochi . .	..	823	..	1,029	..	..	..	..	..	1,481	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kurram . .	864	823	829	1,070	..	..	..	..	..	1,182	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Average for the Province	862	705	721	1,113	660	875	345	585	417	1,459	740	629	411	643	297	1,892	102	59
		613		829		505		424		1,184		421		314			90	

DISTRICT AVERAGES—concluded.

No. 13.—AVERAGE YIELD (lb per acre) of PRINCIPAL CROPS in AJMER-MERWARA.

DISTRICT	BARLEY			JOWAR			MAIZE			COTTON		
	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both	Unirrigated	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both		
Ajmer . . .	1,330	...	...	...	1,125	...	...	223	...	...
Kekri . . .	1,540	...	...	244	1,600	653	...	318	...	...
Merwara . . .	1,693	800	...	436	1,204	689	...	263	104	...		
Average for the Province.	1,521	800	1,160	340	1,309	771	1,040	269	104	216		

No. 14.—AVERAGE YIELD (lb per acre) of PRINCIPAL CROPS in DELHI.

DISTRICT	WHEAT			BARLEY			JOWAR			BASNA			MAIZE		
	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both
Delhi . . .	1,148	656	828	1,051	698	769	734	520	528	599	468	468	1,039	636	716
DISTRICT	GRAM			SUGARCANE			COTTON			RAPESEED			SESAMUM (TIL OR JINJILI)		
	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both	Irrigated	Unirrigated	Both
Delhi . . .	729	649	551	2,800	1,660	2,296	193	130	165	828	828	828	828	8,624	...

No. 15.—AVERAGE YIELD (lb per acre) of PRINCIPAL CROPS in COORG.

DISTRICT	RICE (HUSKED)			RICE STRAW (BYE-PRODUCT)		
	Unirrigated			Unirrigated		
Coorg			1,464			2,813

No. 16.—AVERAGE YIELD (lb per acre) of PRINCIPAL CROPS in each DISTRICT of the MYSORE STATE.

DISTRICT	RICE (HUSKED)		BAGI		HORSE GRAM (<i>Dolichos biflorus</i>)		SESAMUM (TIL OR JINJILI)		SUGARCANE (gur)		COTTON (CLEANED)	
	Irrigated	Unirrigated			Unirrigated		Unirrigated		Irrigated		Unirrigated	
Bangalore	1,060		620		490		270		4,957		...	
Kolar	800		650		290		160		5,500		...	
Tumkur	950		700		380		300		8,500		75	
Mysore	1,583		625		850		230		4,200		31	
Hassan	805		700		360		360		1,510		75	
Shimoga	1,092		500		300		160		8,625		24	
Kadur	1,207		650		450		220		3,000		41	
Chitaldrug	900		750		800		360		3,000		70	
Average for the State	1,071		699		360		251		8,847		47	

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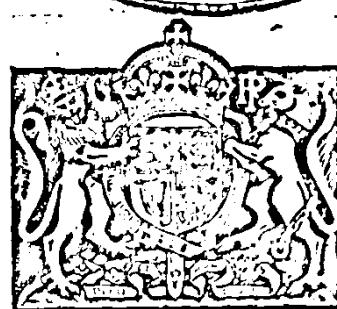
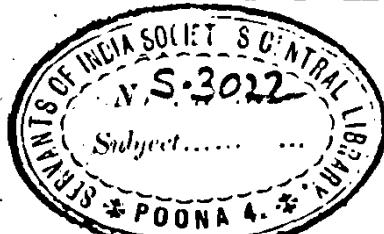
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