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This is the sixth issue of the Bulletin on Food Statistics. In the previous issues, the Bulletin presented within a brief compass an integrated picture of the production, procurement, imports, distribution, rationing and prices of cereals in India. After the decontrol of foodgrains, procurement, rationing and price control have come to an end and the necessity for publishing these data in the present form is not so great now. It is, therefore, proposed to merge this publication in future with the other publication, 'Food Situation in India' brought out by the Directorate of Economics and Statistics. This is, therefore, the last issue of this publication.

In this issue information has been given for the last three years only; at the end of important tables, however, a summary has been given showing the all-India position for earlier years. Certain tables, e. g., Rationed Population, Size and Composition of Rations, Issue Rates, Incidental Charges from Procurement to Wholesale Issue Stage, etc., which have very little relevance now, have been dropped, while some other tables relating to Inland Rail and River Borne Trade, Purchases made under the Price Support Scheme, etc., have been added.

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TABLE No. 1  
POPULATION

(Million persons)

| States                              | March<br>1931 | March<br>1941 | March<br>1951 |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| (1)                                 | (2)           | (3)           | (4)           |
| Andhra . . . . .                    | ..            | ..            | 20·51         |
| Assam (a) . . . . .                 | 6·43          | 7·59          | 9·04          |
| Bihar . . . . .                     | 32·56         | 36·53         | 40·23         |
| Bombay . . . . .                    | 25·32         | 29·18         | 35·96         |
| Madhya Pradesh . . . . .            | 17·81         | 19·63         | 21·25         |
| Madras . . . . .                    | (b)44·66      | (b)49·83      | 35·73         |
| Orissa . . . . .                    | 12·49         | 13·77         | 14·65         |
| Punjab . . . . .                    | 10·77         | 12·70         | 12·64         |
| Uttar Pradesh . . . . .             | 49·61         | 56·53         | 63·22         |
| West Bengal . . . . .               | 17·66         | 21·84         | 24·81         |
| Hyderabad . . . . .                 | 14·44         | 16·33         | 18·65         |
| Jammu & Kashmir . . . . .           | 3·65          | 4·02          | (c)4·41       |
| Madhya Bharat . . . . .             | 6·28          | 7·17          | 7·95          |
| Mysore . . . . .                    | 6·56          | 7·34          | 9·85          |
| P. E. P. S. U. . . . .              | 2·91          | 3·40          | 3·49          |
| Rajasthan . . . . .                 | 11·06         | 13·31         | 15·29         |
| Saurashtra . . . . .                | 3·06          | 3·56          | 4·14          |
| Travancore-Cochin . . . . .         | 6·30          | 7·50          | 9·28          |
| Ajmer . . . . .                     | 0·51          | 0·58          | 0·69          |
| Bhopal . . . . .                    | 0·73          | 0·78          | 0·84          |
| Coorg . . . . .                     | 0·16          | 0·17          | 0·23          |
| Delhi . . . . .                     | 0·64          | 0·92          | 1·74          |
| Himachal Pradesh . . . . .          | 0·94          | 1·06          | 1·11          |
| Kutch . . . . .                     | 0·51          | 0·51          | 0·57          |
| Manipur . . . . .                   | 0·45          | 0·51          | 0·58          |
| Tripura . . . . .                   | 0·38          | 0·51          | 0·64          |
| Vindhya Pradesh . . . . .           | 3·15          | 3·37          | 3·57          |
| Andaman & Nicobar Islands . . . . . | 0·03          | 0·03          | 0·03          |
| Sikkim . . . . .                    | 0·11          | 0·12          | 0·14          |
| INDIA . . . . .                     | 279·07        | (d)316·67     | 361·10        |
| GRAND TOTAL . . . . .               | 279·18        | (d)316·79     | 361·24        |

(a) Excludes part ' B' Tribal Areas of Assam.

(b) Includes figures for Andhra.

(c) No census was conducted in Jammu and Kashmir in 1951. The figure for the State for the year represents the estimate framed by the Registrar General's Office, Ministry of Home Affairs.

**TABLE No. 2**  
**POPULATION OF CITIES**

(Thousand persons)

| States                | Cities            | Population |       |
|-----------------------|-------------------|------------|-------|
|                       |                   | 1941       | 1951  |
| (1)                   | (2)               | (3)        | (4)   |
| <b>Andhra</b>         | 1. Vijayavada     | 86         | 161   |
|                       | 2. Guntur         | 84         | 125   |
|                       | 3. Visakhapatnam  | 70         | 108   |
|                       | 4. Rajahmundry    | 75         | 105   |
|                       | TOTAL             | 315        | 499   |
| <b>Bihar</b>          | 1. Patna          | 196        | 283   |
|                       | 2. Jamshedpur     | 165        | 218   |
|                       | 3. Gaya           | 105        | 134   |
|                       | 4. Bhagalpur      | 93         | 115   |
|                       | 5. Ranchi         | 63         | 107   |
| TOTAL                 | 622               | 857        |       |
| <b>Bombay</b>         | 1. Bombay         | 1,695      | 2,839 |
|                       | 2. Ahmedabad      | 595        | 788   |
|                       | 3. Poona          | 345        | 481   |
|                       | 4. Sholapur       | 213        | 277   |
|                       | 5. Surat          | 171        | 223   |
|                       | 6. Baroda         | 153        | 211   |
|                       | 7. Kolhapur       | 93         | 137   |
|                       | 8. Hubli          | 96         | 130   |
| TOTAL                 | 3,361             | 5,086      |       |
| <b>Madhya Pradesh</b> | 1. Nagpur         | 302        | 449   |
|                       | 2. Jabalpur       | 178        | 204   |
| TOTAL                 | 480               | 653        |       |
| <b>Madras</b>         | 1. Madras         | 777        | 1,416 |
|                       | 2. Madurai        | 239        | 362   |
|                       | 3. Tiruchirapalli | 186        | 219   |
|                       | 4. Salem          | 130        | 202   |
|                       | 5. Coimbatore     | 130        | 198   |
|                       | 6. Kozhikode      | 126        | 159   |
|                       | 7. Mangalore      | 81         | 117   |
|                       | 8. Vellore        | 72         | 106   |
|                       | 9. Tanjore        | 69         | 101   |
| TOTAL                 | 1,810             | 2,880      |       |
| <b>Orissa</b>         | 1. Cuttack        | 74         | 103   |
| <b>Punjab</b>         | 1. Amritsar       | 391        | 326   |
|                       | 2. Jullundur      | 111        | 169   |
|                       | 3. Ludhiana       | 112        | 154   |
| TOTAL                 | 614               | 649        |       |

TABLE No. 2—contd.

(Thousand persons)

| States        | Cities                               | Population      |       |
|---------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------|-------|
|               |                                      | 1941            | 1951  |
| (1)           | (2)                                  | (3)             | (4)   |
| Uttar Pradesh | 1. Kanpur . . . . .                  | 487             | 636   |
|               | 2. Lucknow . . . . .                 | 387             | 445   |
|               | 3. Agra . . . . .                    | 284             | 334   |
|               | 4. Banaras . . . . .                 | 263             | 342   |
|               | 5. Allahabad . . . . .               | 261             | 312   |
|               | 6. Meerut . . . . .                  | 169             | 158   |
|               | 7. Bareilly . . . . .                | 193             | 195   |
|               | 8. Moradabad . . . . .               | 142             | 154   |
|               | 9. Saharanpur . . . . .              | 108             | 143   |
|               | 10. Dehra Dun . . . . .              | 78              | 116   |
|               | 11. Aligarh . . . . .                | 113             | 142   |
|               | 12. Rampur . . . . .                 | 89              | 134   |
|               | 13. Gorakhpur . . . . .              | 99              | 124   |
|               | 14. Jhansi . . . . .                 | 103             | 106   |
|               |                                      | TOTAL . . . . . | 2,776 |
| West Bengal   | 1. Calcutta . . . . .                | 2,109           | 2,549 |
|               | 2. Howrah . . . . .                  | 379             | 434   |
|               | 3. Tollyganj . . . . .               | 59              | 150   |
|               | 4. Bhatpara . . . . .                | 117             | 135   |
|               | 5. Kharagpur . . . . .               | 87              | 130   |
|               | 6. Garden Reach . . . . .            | 85              | 109   |
|               | 7. South Suburban (Behala) . . . . . | 63              | 104   |
|               | TOTAL . . . . .                      | 2,899           | 3,611 |
| Hyderabad     | 1. Hyderabad . . . . .               | 739             | 1,086 |
|               | 2. Warrangal . . . . .               | 93              | 133   |
|               | TOTAL . . . . .                      | 832             | 1,219 |
| Madhya Bharat | 1. Indore . . . . .                  | 204             | 311   |
|               | 2. Gwalior . . . . .                 | 182             | 242   |
|               | 3. Ujjain . . . . .                  | 81              | 130   |
|               | TOTAL . . . . .                      | 467             | 683   |
| Mysore        | 1. Bangalore . . . . .               | 407             | 779   |
|               | 2. Mysore . . . . .                  | 151             | 244   |
|               | 3. Kolar Gold Fields . . . . .       | 134             | 159   |
|               | TOTAL . . . . .                      | 692             | 1,182 |
| Rajasthan     | 1. Jaipur . . . . .                  | 176             | 291   |
|               | 2. Jodhpur . . . . .                 | 127             | 181   |
|               | 3. Bikaner . . . . .                 | 127             | 117   |
|               | TOTAL . . . . .                      | 430             | 589   |



TABLE No. 2—*concl.*

(Thousand persons)

| States                   | Cities        | Population    |               |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
|                          |               | 1941          | 1951          |
| (1)                      | (2)           | (3)           | (4)           |
| <b>Saurashtra</b>        | 1. Bhavnagar  | 103           | 138           |
|                          | 2. Rajkot     | 66            | 132           |
|                          | 3. Jamnagar   | 72            | 104           |
|                          | <b>TOTAL</b>  | <b>241</b>    | <b>374</b>    |
| <b>Travancore-Cochin</b> | 1. Trivandrum | 128           | 187           |
|                          | 2. Alleppey   | 56            | 116           |
|                          | <b>TOTAL</b>  | <b>184</b>    | <b>303</b>    |
| <b>Ajmer</b>             | 1. Ajmer      | 147           | 197           |
| <b>Bhopal</b>            | 1. Bhopal     | 75            | 102           |
| <b>Delhi</b>             | 1. Delhi      | 522           | 915           |
|                          | 2. New Delhi  | 94            | 276           |
|                          | <b>TOTAL</b>  | <b>616</b>    | <b>1,191</b>  |
| <b>INDIA (73 Cities)</b> |               | <b>16,635</b> | <b>23,519</b> |

NOTE.—Cities included in the above table are those with a population of 100,000 and over in 1951.

TABLE No. 3  
PRODUCTION, PROCUREMENT AND NET IMPORTS OF CEREALS

(Thousand tons)

| States/ Cereals       | 1953       |             |             | 1954       |             |               | 1955*      |             |               |
|-----------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|---------------|------------|-------------|---------------|
|                       | Production | Procurement | Net Imports | Production | Procurement | Net Imports** | Production | Procurement | Net Imports** |
|                       | (1)        | (2)         | (3)         | (4)        | (5)         | (6)           | (7)        | (8)         | (9)           |
| <b>Andhra</b>         |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice                  | 1,783      | 109         | -91(d)      | 2,463      | 232         | -152          | 2,663      | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat                 | 1          | ..          | 15          | 1          | ..          | ..            | 1          | ..          | ..            |
| Others                | 1,487      | ..          | 13          | 1,804      | ..          | ..            | 1,741      | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL                 | 3,271      | 109         | -63         | 4,268      | 232         | -152          | 4,405      | ..          | ..            |
| <b>Assam</b>          |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice                  | 1,654      | 143         | -11         | 1,646      | 93          | ..            | 1,674      | ..          | 1             |
| Wheat                 | 2          | ..          | 18          | 2          | ..          | 6             | 2          | ..          | ..            |
| Others                | 11         | ..          | ..          | 11         | ..          | ..            | 11         | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL                 | 1,667      | 143         | 7           | 1,659      | 93          | 6             | 1,687      | ..          | 1             |
| <b>Bihar</b>          |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice                  | 3,440      | 24          | 5           | 4,183      | 19          | 3             | 2,546      | ..          | 33            |
| Wheat                 | 369        | ..          | 106         | 392        | ..          | 15            | 304        | ..          | 13            |
| Others                | 936        | ..          | 2           | 659        | ..          | ..            | 668        | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL                 | 4,745      | 24          | 113         | 5,234      | 19          | 18            | 3,518      | ..          | 46            |
| <b>Bombay</b>         |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice                  | 960        | 207         | 117         | 1,301      | 110         | 51            | 1,287      | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat                 | 254        | 59          | 423         | 358        | ..          | 19            | 368        | ..          | ..            |
| Others                | 2,098      | 12          | 163         | 3,301      | ..          | 11            | 3,862      | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL                 | 3,312      | 278         | 703         | 4,960      | 110         | 81            | 5,517      | ..          | ..            |
| <b>Madhya Pradesh</b> |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice                  | 2,613      | 284         | -240        | 2,697      | 147         | -64           | 2,583      | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat                 | 565        | 8           | 30          | 596        | ..          | ..            | 728        | ..          | ..            |
| Others                | 1,478      | 90          | -112        | 1,757      | ..          | -4            | 1,674      | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL                 | 4,656      | 382         | -322        | 5,050      | 147         | -68           | 4,985      | ..          | ..            |
| <b>Madras</b>         |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice                  | 2,187      | 72          | 231(e)      | 3,067      | 70          | 133           | 3,096      | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat                 | (a)        | ..          | 85          | 1          | ..          | ..            | 1          | ..          | ..            |
| Others                | 1,370      | ..          | 89          | 2,129      | ..          | 3             | 2,073      | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL                 | 3,557      | 72          | 405         | 5,197      | 70          | 136           | 5,170      | ..          | ..            |
| <b>Orissa</b>         |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice                  | 2,218      | 308         | -264        | 2,263      | 258         | -177          | 2,181      | ..          | 42            |
| Wheat                 | 3          | ..          | 6           | 3          | ..          | ..            | 3          | ..          | 4             |
| Others                | 96         | ..          | ..          | 89         | ..          | ..            | 89         | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL                 | 2,317      | 308         | -258        | 2,355      | 258         | -177          | 2,273      | ..          | 46            |
| <b>Punjab</b>         |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice                  | 221        | 105(b)      | -94         | 237        | 51          | -42           | 220        | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat                 | 1,306      | 30          | -38         | 1,299      | ..          | -4            | 1,519      | ..          | 12(g)         |
| Others                | 1,097      | 1           | -9          | 1,048      | ..          | -2            | 740        | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL                 | 2,624      | 136         | -141        | 2,584      | 51          | -48           | 2,479      | ..          | 12            |

TABLE No. 3—*contd.*

(Thousand tons)

| States/Cereals             | 1953       |             |             | 1954       |             |               | 1955*      |             |               |
|----------------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|---------------|------------|-------------|---------------|
|                            | Production | Procurement | Net Imports | Production | Procurement | Net Imports** | Production | Procurement | Net Imports** |
|                            | (1)        | (2)         | (3)         | (4)        | (5)         | (6)           | (7)        | (8)         | (9)           |
| <b>Uttar Pradesh</b>       |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice . . . . .             | 1,852      | 57          | -47         | 2,255      | 1           | -17           | 2,127      | ..          | 2             |
| Wheat . . . . .            | 2,824      | ..          | 65          | 3,106      | ..          | ..            | 3,259      | ..          | 8(g)          |
| Others . . . . .           | 4,268      | 10          | -23         | 3,922      | 1           | ..            | 4,445      | ..          | 5(g)          |
| TOTAL . . . . .            | 8,944      | 67          | -5          | 9,283      | 2           | -17           | 9,831      | ..          | 15            |
| <b>West Bengal</b>         |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice . . . . .             | 3,950      | 230         | 186         | 5,225      | 302         | 43            | 3,757      | ..          | 1             |
| Wheat . . . . .            | 35         | ..          | 981         | 38         | ..          | 3             | 45         | ..          | 1             |
| Others . . . . .           | 71         | ..          | ..          | 83         | ..          | ..            | 75         | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL . . . . .            | 4,056      | 230         | 567         | 5,346      | 302         | 46            | 3,877      | ..          | 2             |
| <b>Hyderabad</b>           |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice . . . . .             | 332        | 31          | 22          | 656        | 37          | ..            | 582        | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat . . . . .            | 55         | ..          | ..          | 69         | ..          | 3             | 108        | ..          | ..            |
| Others . . . . .           | 2,206      | 38          | -34         | 1,877      | ..          | ..            | 2,182      | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL . . . . .            | 2,593      | 69          | -12         | 2,602      | 37          | 3             | 2,872      | ..          | ..            |
| <b>Jammu &amp; Kashmir</b> |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice . . . . .             | 205        | 2           | 17          | 182        | 10          | 26            | 182        | 15          | 37(f)         |
| Wheat . . . . .            | 98         | ..          | 6           | 62         | ..          | 7             | 62         | ..          | 11(f)         |
| Others . . . . .           | 144        | ..          | ..          | 199        | ..          | 3             | 199        | ..          | 1(f)          |
| TOTAL . . . . .            | 447        | 2(c)        | 23(c)       | 443        | 10          | 36            | 443        | 15          | 49            |
| <b>Madhya Bharat</b>       |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice . . . . .             | 39         | ..          | ..          | 58         | ..          | ..            | 54         | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat . . . . .            | 256        | 29          | 20          | 295        | ..          | ..            | 361        | ..          | ..            |
| Others . . . . .           | 680        | 7           | -2          | 812        | 24          | -2            | 834        | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL . . . . .            | 975        | 36          | 18          | 1,165      | 24          | -2            | 1,249      | ..          | ..            |
| <b>Mysore</b>              |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice . . . . .             | 297        | 61          | -1          | 398        | 15          | -3            | 371        | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat . . . . .            | 1          | ..          | 27          | 1          | ..          | ..            | 1          | ..          | ..            |
| Others . . . . .           | 496        | ..          | 64          | 902        | ..          | ..            | 827        | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL . . . . .            | 794        | 61          | 90          | 1,301      | 15          | -3            | 1,199      | ..          | ..            |
| <b>PEPSU</b>               |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice . . . . .             | 11         | 8           | -4          | 19         | ..          | ..            | 16         | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat . . . . .            | 404        | 69(h)       | -50         | 436        | ..          | -20           | 408        | ..          | 2             |
| Others . . . . .           | 312        | 2           | -2          | 347        | ..          | ..            | 229        | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL . . . . .            | 727        | 79          | -56         | 802        | ..          | -20           | 653        | ..          | 2             |
| <b>Rajasthan</b>           |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice . . . . .             | 45         | ..          | 1           | 80         | ..          | ..            | 71         | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat . . . . .            | 769        | 14          | 3           | 654        | ..          | ..            | 757        | ..          | ..            |
| Others . . . . .           | 1,706      | 3           | -2          | 2,666      | ..          | -4            | 1,933      | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL . . . . .            | 2,520      | 17          | 2           | 3,400      | ..          | -4            | 2,761      | ..          | ..            |

TABLE No. 3—contd.

(Thousand tons)

| States/Cereals           | 1953       |             |             | 1954       |             |               | 1955*      |             |               |
|--------------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|---------------|------------|-------------|---------------|
|                          | Production | Procurement | Net Imports | Production | Procurement | Net Imports** | Production | Procurement | Net Imports** |
|                          | (1)        | (2)         | (3)         | (4)        | (5)         | (6)           | (7)        | (8)         | (9)           |
| <b>Saurashtra</b>        |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice . . . . .           | 21         | ..          | -3          | 31         | ..          | ..            | 27         | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat . . . . .          | 62         | ..          | -13         | 76         | ..          | ..            | 84         | ..          | ..            |
| Others . . . . .         | 226        | ..          | -8          | 291        | ..          | ..            | 237        | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL . . . . .          | 309        | ..          | -24         | 398        | ..          | ..            | 348        | ..          | ..            |
| <b>Travancore-Cochin</b> |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice . . . . .           | 236        | 27          | 340         | 472        | 11          | 290           | 273        | ..          | 30(h)         |
| Wheat . . . . .          | (a)        | ..          | 26          | (a)        | ..          | ..            | (a)        | ..          | ..            |
| Others . . . . .         | 6          | ..          | ..          | 6          | ..          | ..            | 6          | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL . . . . .          | 242        | 27          | 366         | 478        | 11          | 290           | 279        | ..          | 30            |
| <b>Ajmer</b>             |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice . . . . .           | (a)        | ..          | 1           | (a)        | ..          | ..            | (a)        | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat . . . . .          | 17         | ..          | ..          | 15         | ..          | ..            | 16         | ..          | ..            |
| Others . . . . .         | 41         | ..          | -4          | 60         | ..          | ..            | 58         | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL . . . . .          | 58         | ..          | -3          | 75         | ..          | ..            | 74         | ..          | ..            |
| <b>Bhopal</b>            |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice . . . . .           | 5          | ..          | ..          | 4          | ..          | ..            | 6          | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat . . . . .          | 103        | ..          | 2           | 138        | ..          | ..            | 147        | ..          | ..            |
| Others . . . . .         | 81         | 1           | -1          | 93         | ..          | ..            | 54         | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL . . . . .          | 189        | 1           | 1           | 235        | ..          | ..            | 207        | ..          | ..            |
| <b>Coorg</b>             |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice . . . . .           | 57         | 11          | -7          | 73         | 15          | -12           | 66         | ..          | ..            |
| Others . . . . .         | 1          | ..          | ..          | 1          | ..          | ..            | 1          | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL . . . . .          | 58         | 11          | -7          | 74         | 15          | -12           | 67         | ..          | ..            |
| <b>Delhi</b>             |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice . . . . .           | (a)        | ..          | 6           | (a)        | ..          | ..            | (a)        | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat . . . . .          | 26         | ..          | 141         | 28         | ..          | 28            | 28         | ..          | ..            |
| Others . . . . .         | 12         | ..          | ..          | 27         | ..          | ..            | 11         | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL . . . . .          | 38         | ..          | 147         | 55         | ..          | 28            | 39         | ..          | ..            |
| <b>Himachal Pradesh</b>  |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice . . . . .           | 22         | ..          | ..          | 29         | ..          | ..            | 36         | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat . . . . .          | 37         | ..          | 4           | 91         | ..          | 1             | 105        | ..          | ..            |
| Others . . . . .         | 96         | ..          | ..          | 94         | ..          | ..            | 101        | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL . . . . .          | 155        | ..          | 4           | 214        | ..          | 1             | 242        | ..          | ..            |
| <b>Kutch</b>             |            |             |             |            |             |               |            |             |               |
| Rice . . . . .           | ..         | ..          | 3           | ..         | ..          | ..            | ..         | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat . . . . .          | 11         | ..          | ..          | 13         | ..          | ..            | 12         | ..          | ..            |
| Others . . . . .         | 39         | ..          | 4           | 45         | ..          | ..            | 65         | ..          | ..            |
| TOTAL . . . . .          | 50         | ..          | 7           | 58         | ..          | ..            | 77         | ..          | ..            |

TABLE No. 3—*contd.*

(Thousand tons)

| States/Cereals                       | 1953          |              |                         | 1954          |              |                     | 1955*         |             |               |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|-------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|
|                                      | Production    | Procurement  | Net Imports             | Production    | Procurement  | Net Imports**       | Production    | Procurement | Net Imports** |
|                                      | (1)           | (2)          | (3)                     | (4)           | (5)          | (6)                 | (7)           | (8)         | (9)           |
| <b>Manipur</b>                       |               |              |                         |               |              |                     |               |             |               |
| Rice . . . .                         | 71            | 1            | 1                       | 66            | ..           | ..                  | 66            | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat . . . .                        | (a)           | ..           | ..                      | (a)           | ..           | ..                  | (a)           | ..          | ..            |
| <b>TOTAL</b> . . .                   | <b>71</b>     | <b>1</b>     | <b>1</b>                | <b>66</b>     | <b>..</b>    | <b>..</b>           | <b>66</b>     | <b>..</b>   | <b>..</b>     |
| <b>Tripura</b>                       |               |              |                         |               |              |                     |               |             |               |
| Rice . . . .                         | 137           | 4            | ..                      | 136           | 5            | ..                  | 147           | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat . . . .                        | ..            | ..           | ..                      | ..            | ..           | ..                  | ..            | ..          | ..            |
| <b>TOTAL</b> . . .                   | <b>137</b>    | <b>4</b>     | <b>..</b>               | <b>136</b>    | <b>5</b>     | <b>..</b>           | <b>147</b>    | <b>..</b>   | <b>..</b>     |
| <b>Vindhya Pradesh</b>               |               |              |                         |               |              |                     |               |             |               |
| Rice . . . .                         | 179           | 4            | -3                      | 226           | 6            | -3                  | 176           | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat . . . .                        | 184           | ..           | ..                      | 216           | ..           | ..                  | 220           | ..          | ..            |
| Others . . . .                       | 345           | ..           | ..                      | 364           | ..           | ..                  | 464           | ..          | ..            |
| <b>TOTAL</b> . . .                   | <b>708</b>    | <b>4</b>     | <b>-3</b>               | <b>828</b>    | <b>6</b>     | <b>-3</b>           | <b>860</b>    | <b>..</b>   | <b>..</b>     |
| <b>Andaman &amp; Nicobar Islands</b> |               |              |                         |               |              |                     |               |             |               |
| Rice . . . .                         | 2             | ..           | 1                       | 2             | ..           | 1                   | 2             | ..          | ..            |
| Wheat . . . .                        | ..            | ..           | 1                       | ..            | ..           | 1                   | ..            | ..          | 1             |
| <b>TOTAL</b> . . .                   | <b>2</b>      | <b>..</b>    | <b>2</b>                | <b>2</b>      | <b>..</b>    | <b>2</b>            | <b>2</b>      | <b>..</b>   | <b>1</b>      |
| <b>Defence, Collieries, etc.</b>     |               |              |                         |               |              |                     |               |             |               |
| Rice . . . .                         | ..            | ..           | 43                      | ..            | ..           | 43                  | ..            | ..          | 24            |
| Wheat . . . .                        | ..            | ..           | 84                      | ..            | ..           | 62                  | ..            | ..          | 4             |
| Others . . . .                       | ..            | ..           | 9                       | ..            | ..           | 2                   | ..            | ..          | ..            |
| <b>TOTAL</b> . . .                   | <b>..</b>     | <b>..</b>    | <b>136</b>              | <b>..</b>     | <b>..</b>    | <b>107</b>          | <b>..</b>     | <b>..</b>   | <b>28</b>     |
| <b>GRAND TOTAL</b>                   |               |              |                         |               |              |                     |               |             |               |
| Rice . . . .                         | 22,537        | 1,688        | 974<br>-765             | 27,769        | 1,382        | 590<br>-470         | 24,209        | 15          | 170           |
| Wheat . . . .                        | 7,382         | 209          | 1,443<br>-101           | 7,890         | ..           | 145<br>-24          | 8,539         | ..          | 56            |
| Others . . . .                       | 19,303        | 164          | 311<br>-197             | 22,609        | 25           | 19<br>-12           | 22,579        | ..          | 6             |
| <b>TOTAL</b> . . .                   | <b>49,222</b> | <b>2,061</b> | <b>2,761<br/>-1,063</b> | <b>58,268</b> | <b>1,407</b> | <b>754<br/>-506</b> | <b>55,327</b> | <b>15</b>   | <b>232</b>    |

TABLE No. 3—*contd.**All-India Summary*

(Thousand tons)

| Year | Cereals | Production | Procurement | Net imports |
|------|---------|------------|-------------|-------------|
| (1)  | (2)     | (3)        | (4)         | (5)         |
| 1946 | Rice    | 19,892     | 2,959       | 678         |
|      | Wheat   | 6,134      | 494         | 1,616       |
|      | Others  | 15,873     | 538         | 582         |
|      | TOTAL   | 41,899     | 3,991       | 2,876       |
| 1947 | Rice    | 21,669     | 3,146       | 692         |
|      | Wheat   | 4,971      | 315         | 840         |
|      | Others  | 15,904     | 618         | 837         |
|      | TOTAL   | 42,544     | 4,079       | 2,369       |
| 1948 | Rice    | 21,247     | 2,367       | 851         |
|      | Wheat   | 5,570      | 60          | 1,270       |
|      | Others  | 16,924     | 223         | 631         |
|      | TOTAL   | 43,741     | 2,650       | 2,752       |
| 1949 | Rice    | 22,597     | 3,074       | 739         |
|      | Wheat   | 5,650      | 557         | 2,150       |
|      | Others  | 15,067     | 747         | 713         |
|      | TOTAL   | 43,314     | 4,378       | 3,602       |
| 1950 | Rice    | 23,170     | 2,707       | 342         |
|      | Wheat   | 6,290      | 1,115       | 1,412       |
|      | Others  | 16,558     | 795         | 331         |
|      | TOTAL   | 46,018     | 4,617       | 2,085       |
| 1951 | Rice    | 20,251     | 2,376       | 756         |
|      | Wheat   | 6,360      | 787         | 2,966       |
|      | Others  | 15,133     | 603         | 957         |
|      | TOTAL   | 41,744     | 3,766       | 4,679       |
| 1952 | Rice    | 20,964     | 1,987       | 660         |
|      | Wheat   | 6,085      | 780         | 2,170       |
|      | Others  | 15,839     | 655         | 639         |
|      | TOTAL   | 42,888     | 3,422       | 3,469       |

TABLE No. 3—*contd.*

(Thousand tons)

| Year | Cereals                | Production    | Procurement  | Net imports  |
|------|------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|
| (1)  | (2)                    | (3)           | (4)          | (5)          |
| 1953 | Rice . . . . .         | 22,537        | 1,688        | 209          |
|      | Wheat . . . . .        | 7,382         | 209          | 1,342        |
|      | Others . . . . .       | 19,303        | 164          | 147          |
|      | <b>TOTAL . . . . .</b> | <b>49,222</b> | <b>2,061</b> | <b>1,698</b> |
| 1954 | Rice . . . . .         | 27,769        | 1,382        | 120          |
|      | Wheat . . . . .        | 7,890         | ..           | 121          |
|      | Others . . . . .       | 22,609        | 25           | 7            |
|      | <b>TOTAL . . . . .</b> | <b>58,268</b> | <b>1,407</b> | <b>248</b>   |
| 1955 | Rice . . . . .         | 24,209        | 15           | 170          |
|      | Wheat . . . . .        | 8,539         | ..           | 56           |
|      | Others . . . . .       | 22,579        | ..           | 6            |
|      | <b>TOTAL . . . . .</b> | <b>55,327</b> | <b>15</b>    | <b>232</b>   |

\* Figures for 1955 are provisional and subject to revision.

\*\* Excludes quantities taken over from the State Governments towards Central Reserve.

(a) Less than 500 tons.

(b) Excludes quantity procured but lying with agents and mills.

(c) For Jammu only.

(d) Includes estimated supplies made by the surplus districts of Andhra to Madras before 1-10-53.

(e) Includes estimated quantities received from the surplus districts of Andhra before 1-10-53.

(f) Includes quantities purchased by the State Government direct from outside the State.

(g) Includes releases out of purchases made within the State under Price Support Scheme on Central Government Account.

(h) Represents Pakistan rice.

NOTES.—1. Production figures refer to the agricultural year, July-June, for example, the production shown under 1953 relates to the agricultural year 1952-53.

2. Figures of production in respect of certain States affected by merger etc. are not strictly comparable with those of earlier years due to the coverage for these years being different from that for previous years.

3. "Others" include Jowar, Bajra, Maize, Ragi, Barley and Small Millets. Gram is not included in the figures in this table.

4. Local procurement was suspended in some States during 1952; in Madras for all cereals from 7th June, in U.P. for all cereals other than rice from 1st July, in Mysore for millets, in Madhya Bharat for rice and millets and in Saurashtra for all the kharif cereals from November, 1952. During 1953, monopoly procurement of rice was replaced by levy system in West Bengal from 1st January; the levy system was given up from 14th October and purchases were made on a voluntary basis thereafter. In Andhra, the levy system of procurement was given up in mid-December and purchases were made on a voluntary basis at village site at prices fixed by the Government. In Uttar Pradesh procurement of rice was given up in December 1953, though collection of the quantity procured earlier continued thereafter. Procurement of wheat and coarse grains was given up after the decontrol of these cereals in November. Small quantities of coarse grains were, however, procured during 1954 from the eastern districts of U.P. Some quantity of coarse grains was also procured by Madhya Bharat in 1954. Procurement of rice was resumed in surplus districts of Madras in 1953. In Assam, Bombay, Punjab and Travancore-Cochin procurement of rice was stopped from 14th March 1954, 21st March 1954, 20th February 1954, and 7th April 1954 respectively, and in other States procurement of rice was stopped completely from 10th July, 1954 consequent upon complete decontrol of rice from that date.

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5. The figures with minus sign under the column "Net Imports" represent net exports from the State concerned to deficit areas.

6. In the Grand Total figures under the column "Net Imports" are given in two rows; the first shows the total supplies out of both the imported cereals and internal surpluses; the second row with minus sign gives separately the supplies out of internal surpluses already included in the first row.

7. "Net Imports" in the summary table represent net supplies received by the States.

8. Procurement figures in 1955 exclude purchases of foodgrains on Government account which are given in table No. 7.

9. The figures under the column "net imports" for 1954 and 1955 include only supplies from the Government of India to the State Governments and from one State to another on Government account. The removal of inter-State restrictions on movement of cereals started with coarse grains on 1st January, 1954.



TABLE No. 4

## DETAILS OF ALL-INDIA PRODUCTION OF CEREALS AND GRAM

(Thousand tons)

| Cereals                       | 1946          | 1947          | 1948          | 1949          | 1950          | 1951          | 1952          | 1953          | 1954          | 1955*         |
|-------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| (1)                           | (2)           | (3)           | (4)           | (5)           | (6)           | (7)           | (8)           | (9)           | (10)          | (11)          |
| Rice . . .                    | 19,892        | 21,669        | 21,247        | 22,597        | 23,170        | 20,251        | 20,964        | 22,537        | 27,769        | 24,209        |
| Jowar . . .                   | 5,539         | 5,295         | 5,971         | 5,022         | 5,777         | 5,408         | 5,981         | 7,243         | 7,954         | 9,092         |
| Bajra . . .                   | 2,855         | 2,716         | 2,813         | 2,171         | 2,790         | 2,554         | 2,309         | 3,142         | 4,475         | 3,555         |
| Maize . . .                   | 2,383         | 2,349         | 2,431         | 2,072         | 2,014         | 1,702         | 2,043         | 2,825         | 2,991         | 2,944         |
| Ragi . . .                    | 1,229         | 1,480         | 1,455         | 1,465         | 1,500         | 1,407         | 1,291         | 1,316         | 1,846         | 1,778         |
| Small Millets .               | 1,614         | 1,614         | 1,614         | 2,131         | 2,242         | 1,722         | 1,885         | 1,895         | 2,438         | 2,424         |
| <b>TOTAL KHARIF CEREALS</b>   | <b>33,512</b> | <b>35,123</b> | <b>35,531</b> | <b>35,458</b> | <b>37,513</b> | <b>33,044</b> | <b>34,473</b> | <b>38,958</b> | <b>47,473</b> | <b>44,002</b> |
| Wheat . . .                   | 6,134         | 4,971         | 5,570         | 5,650         | 6,290         | 6,360         | 6,085         | 7,382         | 7,890         | 8,539         |
| Barley . . .                  | 2,253         | 2,450         | 2,640         | 2,205         | 2,215         | 2,340         | 2,330         | 2,882         | 2,905         | 2,786         |
| <b>TOTAL RABI CEREALS</b>     | <b>8,387</b>  | <b>7,421</b>  | <b>8,210</b>  | <b>7,856</b>  | <b>8,505</b>  | <b>8,700</b>  | <b>8,415</b>  | <b>10,264</b> | <b>10,795</b> | <b>11,325</b> |
| <b>TOTAL CEREALS</b>          | <b>41,899</b> | <b>42,544</b> | <b>43,741</b> | <b>43,314</b> | <b>46,018</b> | <b>41,744</b> | <b>42,888</b> | <b>49,222</b> | <b>58,268</b> | <b>55,327</b> |
| Gram . . .                    | 3,837         | 3,599         | 4,503         | 4,535         | 3,667         | 3,593         | 3,334         | 4,142         | 4,756         | 5,125         |
| <b>TOTAL CEREALS AND GRAM</b> | <b>45,736</b> | <b>46,143</b> | <b>48,244</b> | <b>47,849</b> | <b>49,685</b> | <b>45,337</b> | <b>46,222</b> | <b>53,364</b> | <b>63,024</b> | <b>60,452</b> |

\* Provisional.

NOTE.—See Footnotes No. 1 and 2 to Table No. 3.

TABLE No. 5  
INTER-STATE MOVEMENT OF FOODGRAINS BY RAIL AND RIVER

(In tons)

| State          | Grain                  | 1953-1954*        |                  |                                | 1954-55*           |                     |                                  |
|----------------|------------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------|
|                |                        | Import            | Export           | Net import(+) or Net Export(-) | Import             | Export              | Net Import (+) or Net Export (-) |
| (1)            | (2)                    | (3)               | (4)              | (5)                            | (6)                | (7)                 | (8)                              |
| Assam**        | Rice (not in the husk) | 598<br>(319)      | 9,118<br>(205)   | -8,520<br>+(114)               | 3,836<br>(300)     | 1,066<br>(270)      | +3,730<br>+(30)                  |
|                | Rice (in the husk)     | 479               | 308              | +171                           | 451                | 404                 | +47                              |
|                | Wheat                  | 213               | 92               | +121                           | 1,823              | 67                  | +1,756                           |
|                | Jowar                  | 7                 | ..               | +7                             | 21                 | ..                  | +21                              |
|                | Bajra                  | 1                 | 1                | ..                             | 2                  | ..                  | +2                               |
|                | Maize                  | 31                | 1,612            | -1,581                         | ..                 | 46                  | -46                              |
|                | TOTAL                  | 1,169             | 11,028           | -9,859                         | 5,982              | 489                 | +5,493                           |
| Bihar **       | Rice (not in the husk) | 21,614<br>(1,047) | 5,727<br>(1,007) | +15,887<br>+(40)               | 74,454<br>(3,986)  | 14,626<br>(11,630)  | +59,828<br>-(7,644)              |
|                | Rice (in the husk)     | 1,570             | 1,510            | +60                            | 5,978              | 17,446              | +11,466                          |
|                | Wheat                  | 107,337           | 5,742            | +101,595                       | 32,824             | 4,254               | +28,570                          |
|                | Jowar                  | 1,165             | 434              | +731                           | 1,809              | 413                 | +1,396                           |
|                | Bajra                  | 326               | 54               | +272                           | 431                | 241                 | +190                             |
|                | Maize                  | 9,322             | 533              | +8,789                         | 19,186             | 526                 | +18,660                          |
|                | TOTAL                  | 140,811           | 13,497           | +127,314                       | 132,690            | 31,690              | +101,000                         |
| Bombay         | Rice (not in the husk) | 26,586<br>(110)   | 18,480<br>(194)  | +8,106<br>-(84)                | 142,385<br>(1,529) | 9,217<br>(954)      | +133,168<br>+(575)               |
|                | Rice (In the husk)     | 166               | 291              | -125                           | 2,293              | 1,431               | +862                             |
|                | Wheat                  | 158,207           | 58,230           | +99,977                        | 69,965             | 45,444              | +24,521                          |
|                | Jowar                  | 118,008           | 3,484            | +114,524                       | 118,178            | 10,762              | +107,416                         |
|                | Bajra                  | 21,709            | 3,193            | +18,516                        | 70,385             | 3,289               | +67,096                          |
|                | Maize                  | 38,631            | 1,685            | +36,946                        | 20,433             | 4,524               | +15,909                          |
|                | TOTAL                  | 363,251           | 85,266           | +277,985                       | 422,875            | 74,190              | +348,685                         |
| Bombay Port    | Rice (not in husk)     | 149,588<br>(1)    | 12,260<br>(54)   | +137,328<br>-(53)              | 121,858<br>(269)   | 55,260<br>(14)      | +66,598<br>+(255)                |
|                | Rice (In the husk)     | 1                 | 81               | -80                            | 404                | 21                  | +383                             |
|                | Wheat                  | 68,771            | 308,167          | -239,396                       | 69,629             | 9,898               | +59,731                          |
|                | Jowar                  | 35,803            | 34,422           | +1,381                         | 41,344             | 8,329               | +33,015                          |
|                | Bajra                  | 25,432            | 1,646            | +23,786                        | 22,162             | 562                 | +21,600                          |
|                | Maize                  | 600               | 32,792           | -32,192                        | 1,692              | 185                 | +1,507                           |
|                | TOTAL                  | 280,195           | 389,341          | -109,146                       | 256,954            | 74,248              | +182,706                         |
| Madhya Pradesh | Rice (not in the husk) | 688<br>(53)       | 151,423<br>(109) | -150,735<br>-(56)              | 7,281<br>(814)     | 155,370<br>(11,024) | -148,189<br>-(10,210)            |
|                | Rice (in the husk)     | 80                | 164              | -84                            | 1,220              | 16,535              | -15,315                          |
|                | Wheat                  | 12,186            | 2,041            | +10,145                        | 6,628              | 22,202              | -15,574                          |
|                | Jowar                  | 375               | 124,947          | -124,572                       | 780                | 80,619              | -79,839                          |
|                | Bajra                  | 547               | 3,047            | -2,500                         | 135                | 3,630               | -3,495                           |
|                | Maize                  | 114               | 2,375            | -2,261                         | 137                | 1,557               | -1,420                           |
|                | TOTAL                  | 13,963            | 283,942          | -269,979                       | 15,675             | 274,402             | -258,727                         |

TABLE No. 5—contd.

|                    |                        | 1953-1954*          |                     |                                 | 1954-55*            |                     |                                 |
|--------------------|------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|
| State              | Crops                  | Import              | Export              | Net Import(+) or Net Export (-) | Import              | Export              | Net Import(+) or Net Export (-) |
| (1)                | (2)                    | (3)                 | (4)                 | (5)                             | (6)                 | (7)                 | (8)                             |
| Madras             | Rice (not in the husk) | 177,515<br>(47,34)  | 255,806<br>23,819   | -78,081<br>-(19,085)            | 144,240<br>(19,723) | 429,443<br>(22,929) | -285,203<br>-(3,206)            |
|                    | Rice (in the husk)     | 7,101               | 35,729              | -28,628                         | 29,585              | 34,394              | -4,809                          |
|                    | Wheat                  | 102,293             | 54,371              | +47,922                         | 10,321              | 11,935              | -1,614                          |
|                    | Jowar                  | 84,959              | 1,230               | +83,729                         | 32,445              | 1,738               | +31,207                         |
|                    | Bajra                  | 240                 | 218                 | +22                             | 169                 | 208                 | -39                             |
|                    | Maize                  | 1                   | 148                 | -147                            | 13                  | 32                  | -19                             |
|                    | TOTAL                  |                     | 370,042             | 335,682                         | +34,360             | 207,411             | 466,285                         |
| Madras chief Port. | Rice (not in the husk) | 154,495<br>(10,116) | 17,788<br>(45)      | -136,707<br>+(10,071)           | 96,323<br>(8,134)   | 46,886<br>(3,192)   | +49,437<br>+(4,942)             |
|                    | Rice (in the husk)     | 15,174              | 67                  | +15,107                         | 12,201              | 4,788               | +7,413                          |
|                    | Wheat                  | 22,669              | 112,455             | -89,786                         | 3,385               | 4,979               | -1,594                          |
|                    | Jowar                  | 1,117               | 51,457              | -50,340                         | 2,558               | 1,300               | +1,258                          |
|                    | Bajra                  | 413                 | 5                   | +408                            | 114                 |                     | +114                            |
|                    | Maize                  | 68                  | 1                   | +67                             |                     |                     |                                 |
|                    | TOTAL                  |                     | 188,878             | 181,751                         | +7,127              | 110,514             | 56,357                          |
| Madras Ports       | Rice (not in the husk) | 267,274<br>(13,954) | 123,028<br>(3,119)  | +144,246<br>+(10,835)           | 284,645<br>(12,997) | 125,460<br>(2,326)  | +159,185<br>+(10,671)           |
|                    | Rice (in the husk)     | 20,932              | 4,679               | +16,253                         | 19,496              | 3,489               | +16,007                         |
|                    | Wheat                  | 9,203               | 79,150              | -69,947                         | 2,161               | 27,256              | -25,095                         |
|                    | Jowar                  | 2,416               | 14,200              | -11,784                         | 503                 | 199                 | +304                            |
|                    | Bajra                  |                     |                     |                                 | 1                   | 3                   | -2                              |
|                    | Maize                  |                     |                     |                                 | 2                   |                     | +2                              |
|                    | TOTAL                  |                     | 292,847             | 219,497                         | +73,350             | 300,309             | 155,244                         |
| Orissa             | Rice (not in the husk) | 132<br>(22)         | 197,835<br>(26,750) | -197,603<br>-(26,728)           | 2,855<br>(532)      | 127,952<br>(64,410) | -125,097<br>-(63,878)           |
|                    | Rice (in the husk)     | 33                  | 40,125              | -40,092                         | 798                 | 96,614              | -95,816                         |
|                    | Wheat                  | 7,619               | 36                  | +7,583                          | 8,065               | 43                  | +8,022                          |
|                    | Jowar                  |                     | 555                 | -555                            | 11                  | 987                 | -976                            |
|                    | Bajra                  | 2                   | 2                   |                                 | 124                 | 44                  | +80                             |
|                    | Maize                  |                     | 12                  | -12                             | 1                   | 11                  | -10                             |
|                    | TOTAL                  |                     | 7,875               | 225,190                         | -217,315            | 11,588              | 193,447                         |
| Punjab             | Rice (not in the husk) | 342<br>(1)          | 59,786<br>(1,029)   | -59,444<br>-(1,028)             | 6,206<br>(60)       | 31,789<br>(950)     | -25,583<br>-(890)               |
|                    | Rice (in the husk)     | 1                   | 1,544               | -1,543                          | 90                  | 1,426               | -1,336                          |
|                    | Wheat                  | 7,835               | 53,182              | -45,347                         | 2,429               | 79,683              | -77,154                         |
|                    | Jowar                  | 442                 | 6,512               | -6,070                          | 3,190               | 5,026               | -1,836                          |
|                    | Bajra                  | 204                 | 16,956              | -16,752                         | 16,087              | 16,478              | -391                            |
|                    | Maize                  | 15,327              | 1,384               | +13,943                         | 46,125              | 1,728               | +44,397                         |
|                    | TOTAL                  |                     | 24,151              | 138,849                         | -114,698            | 74,197              | 135,654                         |

TABLE No. 5—concl'd.

(In tons)

| State         | Grain                  | 1953-1954*           |                     |                                | 1954-55*            |                     |                                |
|---------------|------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|
|               |                        | Import               | Export              | Net Import(+) or Net Export(-) | Import              | Export              | Net Import(+) or Net Export(-) |
| (1)           | (2)                    | (3)                  | (4)                 | (5)                            | (6)                 | (7)                 | (8)                            |
| U.P.**        | Rice (not in the husk) | 2,096<br>(506)       | 39,741<br>(1,467)   | -37,645<br>-(961)              | 79,015<br>(1,304)   | 62,060<br>(2,903)   | +16,955<br>-(1,698)            |
|               | Rice (in the husk)     | 759                  | 2,201               | -1,442                         | 1,807               | 4,353               | -2,546                         |
|               | Wheat                  | 147,805              | 33,125              | +114,680                       | 3,578               | 113,982             | -110,404                       |
|               | Jowar                  | 5,752                | 1,957               | +3,795                         | 7,491               | 14,263              | -6,772                         |
|               | Bajra                  | 3,030                | 11,289              | -8,259                         | 3,088               | 66,235              | -63,147                        |
|               | Maize                  | 6,649                | 5,477               | +1,172                         | 3,283               | 27,937              | -24,654                        |
|               | TOTAL                  | 165,838              | 93,056              | +72,782                        | 97,659              | 287,379             | -189,720                       |
| West Bengal** | Rice (not in the husk) | 46,238<br>(4,365)    | -78,453<br>(97,110) | -32,215<br>-(92,745)           | 32,501<br>(43,054)  | 138,864<br>(63,367) | -106,363<br>-(30,333)          |
|               | Rice (in the husk)     | 6,544                | 145,665             | -139,121                       | 64,581              | 95,080              | -30,499                        |
|               | Wheat                  | 91,378               | 3,148               | +88,230                        | 34,233              | 3,199               | +31,034                        |
|               | Jowar                  | 110                  | 62                  | +48                            | 150                 | 87                  | +63                            |
|               | Bajra                  | 3                    | 461                 | -458                           | 46                  | 166                 | -120                           |
|               | Maize                  | 437                  | 671                 | -234                           | 302                 | 313                 | -11                            |
|               | TOTAL                  | 142,531              | 179,905             | -37,374                        | 119,286             | 205,016             | -95,730                        |
| Calcutta**    | Rice (not in the husk) | 155,964<br>(116,135) | 34,231<br>(3,604)   | +121,733<br>+(112,531)         | 145,999<br>(77,836) | 70,611<br>(1,730)   | -75,388<br>+(76,106)           |
|               | Rice (in the husk)     | 174,203              | 5,406               | +168,797                       | 116,754             | 2,505               | +114,159                       |
|               | Wheat                  | 8,852                | 260,293             | -251,441                       | 125,934             | 53,621              | +72,313                        |
|               | Jowar                  | 243                  | 151                 | +92                            | 359                 | 87                  | +272                           |
|               | Bajra                  | 713                  | ..                  | +713                           | 442                 | 439                 | +3                             |
|               | Maize                  | 1,006                | 7,286               | -6,280                         | 959                 | 456                 | +503                           |
|               | TOTAL                  | 282,913              | 305,565             | -22,652                        | 352,529             | 126,944             | +224,585                       |
| Hyderabad     | Rice (not in the husk) | 9,936<br>(7,155)     | 711<br>(19)         | +9,225<br>+(7,136)             | 55,390<br>(17,550)  | 25,723<br>(3,052)   | -29,667<br>-(14,498)           |
|               | Rice (in the husk)     | 10,733               | 28                  | +10,705                        | 26,325              | 4,577               | +21,748                        |
|               | Wheat                  | 84,443               | 6,022               | +78,421                        | 9,099               | 33,571              | -24,472                        |
|               | Jowar                  | 5,772                | 26,175              | -20,403                        | 37,169              | 989                 | +36,180                        |
|               | Bajra                  | 45                   | 370                 | -325                           | 6                   | 688                 | -682                           |
|               | Maize                  | ..                   | 155                 | -155                           | 76                  | 189                 | -113                           |
|               | TOTAL                  | 107,551              | 33,452              | +73,899                        | 119,290             | 64,212              | +55,078                        |
| Madhya Bharat | Rice (not in the husk) | 885<br>(28)          | 3,483<br>(519)      | -2,598<br>-(491)               | 18,983<br>(110)     | 4,810<br>(658)      | +14,173<br>-(548)              |
|               | Rice (in the husk)     | 42                   | 779                 | -737                           | 164                 | 988                 | -824                           |
|               | Wheat                  | 25,617               | 9,679               | +15,938                        | 9,581               | 31,840              | -22,259                        |
|               | Jowar                  | 5,500                | 19,123              | -13,623                        | 873                 | 70,911              | -70,038                        |
|               | Bajra                  | 107                  | 1,145               | -1,038                         | 64                  | 7,676               | -7,612                         |
|               | Maize                  | 1,114                | 3,796               | -2,682                         | 111                 | 19,939              | -19,828                        |
|               | TOTAL                  | 33,311               | 37,745              | -4,434                         | 29,722              | 135,834             | -106,112                       |

TABLE No. 5—concl'd.

(In tons)

| State       | Grain                  | 1953-54*       |                |                                | 1954-55*        |                |                                |
|-------------|------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------------------------|
|             |                        | Import         | Export         | Net Import(+) Or Net Export(-) | Import          | Export         | Net Import(+) Or Net Export(-) |
| (1)         | (2)                    | (3)            | (4)            | (5)                            | (6)             | (7)            | (8)                            |
| Mysore      | Rice (not in the husk) | 4,804<br>(42)  | 18,405<br>(15) | -13,601<br>+(27)               | 46,745<br>(750) | 3,652<br>(382) | +43,093<br>+(368)              |
|             | Rice (in the husk)     | 63             | 22             | +41                            | 1,125           | 572            | +553                           |
|             | Wheat                  | 16,875         | 16             | +16,859                        | 21,252          | 306            | +20,946                        |
|             | Jowar                  | 48,808         | 222            | +48,586                        | 4,599           | 3,301          | +1,298                         |
|             | Bajra                  | 2              | 306            | -304                           | 4               | 171            | -167                           |
|             | Maize                  | ..             | ..             | ..                             | 63              | ..             | +63                            |
|             | TOTAL                  |                | 70,531         | 18,964                         | +51,567         | 73,413         | 7,812                          |
| Rajasthan   | Rice (not in the husk) | 1,877<br>(476) | 829<br>(55)    | +1,048<br>+(421)               | 16,940<br>(974) | 1,527<br>(74)  | +15,413<br>+(900)              |
|             | Rice (in the husk)     | 714            | 82             | +632                           | 1,460           | 110            | +1,350                         |
|             | Wheat                  | 16,536         | 10,498         | +6,038                         | 991             | 54,762         | -53,7 I                        |
|             | Jowar                  | 321            | 25,844         | -25,523                        | 437             | 55,291         | -54,854                        |
|             | Bajra                  | 348            | 13,809         | -13,461                        | 7,750           | 23,754         | -16,004                        |
|             | Maize                  | 185            | 15,663         | -15,478                        | 318             | 41,532         | -41,214                        |
|             | TOTAL                  |                | 19,743         | 66,698                         | -46,955         | 27,410         | 176,940                        |
| Delhi       | Rice (not in the husk) | 6,274<br>(65)  | 293<br>(9)     | +5,981<br>+(56)                | 27,401<br>(62)  | 3,737<br>(1)   | +23,664<br>+(61)               |
|             | Rice (in the husk)     | 98             | 13             | +85                            | 92              | 3              | +89                            |
|             | Wheat                  | 109,557        | 1,394          | +108,163                       | 93,373          | 8,509          | +84,864                        |
|             | Jowar                  | 123            | 206            | -83                            | 2,133           | 248            | +1,885                         |
|             | Bajra                  | 392            | 1,012          | -620                           | 3,594           | 977            | +2,617                         |
|             | Maize                  | 1,930          | 1,825          | +105                           | 8,865           | 2,590          | +6,275                         |
|             | TOTAL                  |                | 118,341        | 4,739                          | +113,602        | 135,428        | 16,062                         |
| Others      | Rice (not in the husk) | 181            | ..             | +181                           | 138             | ..             | +138                           |
|             | Rice (in the husk)     | ..             | ..             | ..                             | ..              | ..             | ..                             |
|             | Wheat                  | 245            | ..             | +245                           | 180             | ..             | +180                           |
|             | Jowar                  | ..             | ..             | ..                             | ..              | ..             | ..                             |
|             | Bajra                  | ..             | ..             | ..                             | ..              | 45             | -45                            |
|             | Maize                  | ..             | ..             | ..                             | ..              | ..             | ..                             |
|             | TOTAL                  |                | 426            | ..                             | +426            | 318            | 45                             |
| GRAND TOTAL |                        | 2,624,167      | 2,624,167      | 0                              | 2,483,250       | 2,483,250      | 0                              |

\* Relates to financial year—April to March. The figures are provisional.

\*\* Figures for 1954-55 are incomplete and subject to revision for want of returns from the North Eastern Railway for the period July, 1954 to March, 1955.

NOTE.—The figures in brackets indicate rice equivalent of paddy (rice in the husk). These figures have been taken into account in arriving at the total movement (Imports, Exports) of all cereals for a particular State.

TABLE No. 6

## FOOD BALANCE SHEET

(In thousand tons)

| States          | 1953  |             |                            |                           | 1954  |                                |                            |                              | 1955*                           |   |             |         |                              |                                 |   |
|-----------------|---|-------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|---|--------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|-------------|---------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
|                 | (2)   | (3)         | (4)                        | (5)                       | (6)   | (7)                            | (8)                        | (9)                          | (10)                            | (11)  | (12)        | (13)    | (14)                         | (15)                            | (16)  |
|                 | Closing Stocks of 1952 and Opening Stocks of 1953 | Procurement | Imports (+) or Exports (-) | Offtake from Govt. stocks | Closing Stocks of 1953 and Opening Stocks of 1954 | Procurement (+) or Exports (-) | Imports (+) or Exports (-) | Taken over by Govt. of India | Offtake from Government Godowns | Closing Stocks of 1954 and Opening Stocks of 1955 | Procurement | Imports | Taken over by Govt. of India | Offtake from Government Godowns | Closing Stocks of 1955 and Opening Stocks of 1956 |
| Andhra          | 40  | 109         | (+) 28<br>(-) 91(e)        | 62                        | 24  | 232                            | (-) 152                    | 41                           | 11                              | 52  | →           | ..      | ..                           | 52                              | ..  |
| Assam           | 13  | 143         | (+) 18<br>(-) 11           | 153                       | 10  | 93                             | (+) 6                      | ..                           | 84                              | 25  | ..          | ..      | ..                           | 11                              | 3   |
| Bihar           | 62  | 24          | (+) 113                    | 160                       | 39  | 19                             | (+) 18                     | ..                           | 63                              | 13  | ..          | ..      | ..                           | ..                              | 43  |
| Bombay          | 271   | 278         | (+) 703                    | 1,033                     | 219   | 110                            | (+) 81                     | 88                           | 263                             | 59  | ..          | ..      | ..                           | 47                              | 12  |
| Madhya Pradesh  | 124   | 382         | (+) 30<br>(-) 352          | 124                       | 60  | 147                            | (-) 68                     | 48                           | 49                              | 42  | ..          | ..      | ..                           | 31                              | 2   |
| Madras          | 117(e)  | 72          | (+) 405(a)                 | 532                       | 62  | 70                             | (+) 136                    | 40                           | 148                             | 80  | ..          | ..      | ..                           | 79                              | 1   |
| Orissa          | 42  | 308         | (+) 6<br>(-) 264           | 30                        | 62  | 258                            | (-) 177                    | 60                           | 23                              | 60  | ..          | ..      | ..                           | 1                               | 90  |
| Punjab          | 157   | 136(b)      | (-) 141                    | 91                        | 61(b)   | 51                             | (-) 48                     | 5                            | 53                              | 6   | ..          | ..      | 12(e)                        | 2                               | 16(f)   |
| Uttar Pradesh   | 246   | 67          | (+) 65<br>(-) 70           | 217                       | 91  | 2                              | (-) 17                     | 3                            | 56                              | 17  | ..          | ..      | 15(e)                        | ..                              | 27(f)   |
| West Bengal     | 58  | 230         | (+) 567                    | 797                       | 58  | 302                            | (+) 46                     | 1                            | 210                             | 195   | ..          | ..      | 2                            | 77                              | 113(f)  |
| Hyderabad       | 80  | 69          | (+) 22<br>(-) 34           | 97                        | 40  | 37                             | (+) 3                      | ..                           | 12                              | 68  | ..          | ..      | ..                           | 24                              | ..  |
| Jammu & Kashmir | 7   | 2           | (+) 23                     | 28                        | 30(p)   | 10                             | (+) 36                     | ..                           | 52                              | 24  | 15          | 49(j)   | ..                           | 66                              | 22  |

TABLE No. 6

## FOOD BALANCE SHEET

(In thousand tons)

| States  | 1955*       |                          |                           |   |             |                          |                              |                               |   |             |                          |                              |                             |                               |   |        |
|---|-------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|---|-------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|---|-------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|---|--------|
|   | 1953        |                          |                           |   |             | 1954                     |                              |                               |   |             |                          |                              |                             |                               |   |        |
|   | (2)         | (3)                      | (4)                       | (5)                                       | (6)         | (7)                      | (8)                          | (9)                           | (10)                                      | (11)        | (12)                     | (13)                         | (14)                        | (15)                          | (16)                                      |        |
| Closing Stocks of 1952 and Opening Stocks of 1953 | Procurement | Imports or Exports (+/-) | Offtake from Govt. stocks | Closing Stocks and Opening Stocks of 1953 | Procurement | Imports or Exports (+/-) | Taken over by Govt. of India | Offtake from Govt. of Godowns | Closing Stocks and Opening Stocks of 1954 | Procurement | Imports or Exports (+/-) | Taken over by Govt. of India | Offtake from Govt. of India | Offtake from Govt. of Godowns | Closing Stocks and Opening Stocks of 1955 |        |
| Madhya Bharat                                     | 32          | 36 (+)                   | 20 (-)                    | 74  | 12          | 24 (-)                   | 6                            | 8(f)                          | 20  | ..          | ..                       | ..                           | ..                          | 17 (f)                        | 3   |        |
| Mysore  | 51          | 61 (+)                   | 91 (-)                    | 161                                       | 41          | 15 (-)                   | 4                            | 29                            | 20  | ..          | ..                       | ..                           | 17                          | 3                             | ..  |        |
| PEPSU   | 22          | 79(b) (-)                | 56                        | 14  | 31 (b)      | .. (-)                   | 3                            | 8                             | ..  | ..          | ..                       | 2                            | ..                          | 2                             | ..  |        |
| Rajasthan   | 49          | 17 (+)                   | 4 (-)                     | 30  | 38          | .. (-)                   | 4                            | 16 (f)                        | 10  | ..          | ..                       | ..                           | 1                           | 9 (f)                         | ..  |        |
| Saurashtra  | 34          | .. (-)                   | 24                        | 8   | 2           | ..                       | ..                           | 1                             | 1   | ..          | ..                       | ..                           | 1                           | ..                            | ..  |        |
| Travancore-Cochin                                 | 44          | 27 (+)                   | 366                       | 406                                       | 31          | 11 (+)                   | 3                            | 253                           | 76  | ..          | 30                       | 68                           | 8                           | 30                            | ..  |        |
| Ajmer   | 16          | .. (+)                   | 4                         | 8   | 5           | ..                       | ..                           | 2                             | 2   | 1           | ..                       | 1                            | ..                          | ..                            | ..  |        |
| Coorg   | Neg.        | 11 (-)                   | 7                         | 3   | 1           | 15 (-)                   | 2                            | 1                             | 1   | ..          | ..                       | ..                           | 1                           | ..                            | ..  |        |
| Delhi   | 26          | .. (+)                   | 147                       | 154                                       | 19          | .. (-)                   | 1                            | 46                            | ..  | ..          | ..                       | ..                           | ..                          | ..                            | ..  |        |
| Himachal Pradesh                                  | ..          | .. (+)                   | 4                         | 4   | ..          | .. (+)                   | 1                            | 1                             | ..  | ..          | ..                       | ..                           | ..                          | ..                            | ..  |        |
| Kerch   | 6           | .. (+)                   | 7                         | 7   | 6           | ..                       | 2                            | 1                             | 3   | ..          | ..                       | 1                            | 2 (f)                       | ..                            | ..  |        |
| Vindhya Pradesh                                   | 2           | 4 (-)                    | 3                         | 3   | ..          | 6 (-)                    | ..                           | 2                             | 1   | ..          | ..                       | 1                            | ..                          | ..                            | ..  |        |
| Andaman & Nicobar Islands                         | ..          | .. (+)                   | 2                         | 2   | ..          | .. (+)                   | ..                           | ..                            | ..  | ..          | ..                       | ..                           | ..                          | 1                             | ..  |        |
| Others  | 8(d)        | 6                        | 139 (-)                   | 144                                       | 8 (d)       | 5 (+)                    | 107                          | 110                           | 10  | ..          | 28                       | ..                           | ..                          | 33 (f)                        | 5   |        |
| TOTAL   | 1,507(k)    | 2,061 (+)                | 2,761 (-)                 | 4,342 (g)                                 | 950 (j)(p)  | 1,407 (-)                | 1,754 (-)                    | 506                           | 317                                       | 1,504(h)    | 784(m)                   | 15                           | 232                         | 414                           | 449 (i)                                   | 168(n) |

TABLE No. 6—concl'd.

## Summary

(In thousand tons)

| Years | Opening Stocks with the State Govt. | Procurement | Imports into (+) and Exports by (—) States | Offtake from State Govts. Closures | Taken over by the Government of India | Closing stocks with the State Governments |
|-------|-------------------------------------|-------------|--|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| (1)   | (2)                                 | (3)         | (4)  | (5)                                | (6)                                   | (7)                                       |
| 1947  | 1,132                               | 4,211       | (+) 2,653<br>(—) 284                       | 7,067                              | ..                                    | 645                                       |
| 1948  | 645                                 | 2,693       | (+) 3,202<br>(—) 366                       | 5,130                              | ..                                    | 1,044                                     |
| 1949  | 1,044                               | 4,610       | (+) 4,003<br>(—) 384                       | 7,692                              | ..                                    | 1,581                                     |
| 1950  | 1,581                               | 4,617       | (+) 2,870<br>(—) 785                       | 7,554                              | ..                                    | 729                                       |
| 1951  | 729                                 | 3,766       | (+) 4,849<br>(—) 170                       | 7,865                              | ..                                    | 1,309                                     |
| 1952  | 1,309                               | 3,422       | (+) 3,924<br>(—) 455                       | 6,693                              | ..                                    | (k) 1,507                                 |
| 1953  | (k) 1,507                           | 2,061       | (+) 2,761<br>(—) 1,063                     | (g) 4,342                          | ..                                    | (l) 924                                   |
| 1954  | (p) (l) 950                         | 1,407       | (+) 754<br>(—) 506                         | (h) 1,504                          | 317                                   | (m) 784                                   |
| 1955  | (m) 784                             | 15          | 232  | (f) 449                            | 414                                   | (n) 168                                   |

\*Provisional.

Neg. Negligible.

- (a) Includes estimated quantities received from the surplus districts of Andhra before 1-10-53.  
 (b) Do not include the quantities procured but lying with agents and mills.  
 (c) Includes estimated supplies made by the surplus districts of Andhra to Madras before 1-10-53.  
 (d) Incomplete.  
 (e) This excludes 40 thousand tons which have been shown against the opening stock of the Andhra State.  
 (f) Includes sales to local dealers.  
 (g) Excludes Central sales of about 1,83,000 tons of wheat.  
 (h) Excludes Central sales of about 5,82,000 tons of wheat and 34,000 tons of rice.  
 (i) Excludes Central sales of about 2,89,000 tons of wheat, 8,32,000 tons of rice and 40,000 tons of coarse grains.  
 (j) 31,000 tons supplied by the Centre and 18,000 tons purchased by the State Government direct.  
 (k) Relates to closing stocks with the State Governments. Besides, the Central Government held a reserve of 4,10,000 tons at the end of the year.  
 (l) Relates to closing stocks with the State Governments. Besides, the Central Government held a reserve of 5,18,000 tons at the end of the year.  
 (m) Relates to closing stocks with State Governments. Besides, the Central Government held a reserve of about 8,56,000 tons at the end of the year.  
 (n) Relates to closing stocks with State Governments. Besides, the Central Government held a reserve of about 7,50,000 tons at the end of the year.  
 (o) Includes releases out of purchases made within the State under price support scheme on Central Government Account.  
 (p) Includes figures for Kashmir Valley also.

NOTES.—1. Figures given in the table relate to cereals, i.e. rice, jowar, bajra, maize, ragi, small millets, wheat and barley.

2. For procurement in 1953 and 1954 please see footnote No. 4 to Table No. 3.

3. For 1953 figures shown against Jammu & Kashmir relate to Jammu only.



TABLE No. 7

## PURCHASE OF FOODGRAINS ON GOVERNMENT OF INDIA'S ACCOUNT

(In tons)

| State                     | Quantity Purchased | Period of Purchase  |
|---------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| (1)                       | (2)                | (3)                 |
| <b>WHEAT</b>              |                    |                     |
| Madhya Pradesh . . . . .  | 183.9              | May—June, 1955.     |
| Punjab . . . . .          | 19,270.8           | Do.                 |
| Uttar Pradesh . . . . .   | 52,755.0           | May—July, 1955.     |
| Madhya Bharat . . . . .   | 4,201.6            | May—June, 1955.     |
| Bhopal . . . . .          | 6.8                | Do.                 |
| Vindhya Pradesh . . . . . | 4.3                | Do.                 |
| TOTAL . . . . .           | <u>76,422.4</u>    |                     |
| <b>JOWAR</b>              |                    |                     |
| Bombay . . . . .          | 114.0              | May—June, 1955.     |
| Madhya Pradesh . . . . .  | 13,095.2           | March—June, 1955.   |
| Uttar Pradesh . . . . .   | 14,919.0           | April—June, 1955.   |
| Madhya Bharat . . . . .   | 3,059.7            | March—June, 1955.   |
| Rajasthan . . . . .       | 5,974.2            | March—June, 1955.   |
| Vindhya Pradesh . . . . . | 652.8              | January—June, 1955. |
| Bhopal . . . . .          | 2.0                | June, 1955.         |
| TOTAL . . . . .           | <u>37,816.9</u>    |                     |
| <b>MAIZE</b>              |                    |                     |
| Bombay . . . . .          | 0.4                | June, 1955.         |
| <b>GRAM</b>               |                    |                     |
| Uttar Pradesh . . . . .   | 83.0               | June, 1955.         |
| Punjab . . . . .          | 1,194.93           | June, 1955.         |
| TOTAL . . . . .           | <u>1,277.93</u>    |                     |

NOTE.—In December 1954, the Government of India announced that in view of the fall in prices of some foodgrains to unduly low levels in some isolated areas, they would be prepared to purchase from cultivators, as a measure of relief, jowar at Rs. 8/- per maund, bajra at Rs. 6/- per maund and maize at Rs. 5/8/- per maund at certain specified mandis where the prices fell below these levels. The policy of limited price support was extended to wheat in March, 1955 when the Government announced that they would make purchases of F. A. Q. Wheat at rail-head mandis at Rs. 10/- per maund where its price fell below that level. In June 1956, a minimum purchase price of Rs. 6/- per maund was announced for gram, the machinery for the purchase of gram being the same as that for wheat. In August 1955, the Government announced its decision to make purchases of coarse rice, as a measure of price support, at selected mandis, if the price of that quality fell below Rs. 11/- per maund.

The limited price support policy for jowar, bajra and maize was extended in September 1955 to the 1955-56 kharif crop when the Government of India announced the same minimum prices for these grains as were in force in 1954-55.

No purchases of bajra and coarse rice were made during 1955 as the market prices of these cereals did not fall below the minimum prices announced by the Government.

TABLE No. 8

## IMPORTS OF CEREALS ON GOVERNMENT ACCOUNT INTO INDIA

(Quantity—Thousand tons)  
(C. & F. Value—Lakhs of rupees)

| Cereals             | Country      | 1953          |              | 1954*         |              | 1955*      |              |
|---------------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|------------|--------------|
|                     |              | Quantity      | Value        | Quantity      | Value        | Quantity   | Value        |
| (1)                 | (2)          | (3)           | (4)          | (5)           | (6)          | (7)        | (8)          |
| Rice                | Burma        | 150           | ..           | 603           | ..           | 265        | ..           |
|                     | Thailand     | 2             | ..           | ..            | ..           | ..         | ..           |
|                     | Pakistan     | 23            | ..           | ..            | ..           | ..         | ..           |
|                     | <b>TOTAL</b> | <b>175(a)</b> | <b>14,23</b> | <b>603(b)</b> | <b>..</b>    | <b>265</b> | <b>..</b>    |
| Wheat               | Canada       | 416           | ..           | ..            | ..           | ..         | ..           |
|                     | U. S. A.     | 577           | ..           | ..            | ..           | 129        | ..           |
|                     | Australia    | 374           | ..           | 197           | ..           | 306        | ..           |
|                     | Argentina    | 245           | ..           | ..            | ..           | ..         | ..           |
|                     | <b>TOTAL</b> | <b>1,612</b>  | <b>62,31</b> | <b>197</b>    | <b>..</b>    | <b>435</b> | <b>..</b>    |
| Wheat flour         | Australia    | 72            | ..           | ..            | ..           | ..         | ..           |
|                     | <b>TOTAL</b> | <b>72</b>     | <b>..</b>    | <b>..</b>     | <b>..</b>    | <b>..</b>  | <b>..</b>    |
| Millets and Sorghum | Australia    | 33            | ..           | ..            | ..           | ..         | ..           |
|                     | <b>TOTAL</b> | <b>33</b>     | <b>..</b>    | <b>..</b>     | <b>..</b>    | <b>..</b>  | <b>..</b>    |
| Milo                |              | 111           | ..           | 8             | ..           | ..         | ..           |
|                     | <b>TOTAL</b> | <b>111</b>    | <b>..</b>    | <b>8</b>      | <b>..</b>    | <b>..</b>  | <b>..</b>    |
| <b>GRAND TOTAL</b>  |              | <b>2,003</b>  | <b>85,95</b> | <b>808</b>    | <b>4,702</b> | <b>700</b> | <b>33,11</b> |

*Summary*(Quantity—Thousand tons)  
(C. & F. Value—Lakhs of rupees)

| Year  | Quantity | Value   |
|-------|----------|---------|
| (1)   | (2)      | (3)     |
| 1946  | 2,249    | 76,11   |
| 1947  | 2,334    | 93,99   |
| 1948  | 2,841    | 1,29,72 |
| 1949  | 3,706    | 1,44,60 |
| 1950  | 2,125    | 80,60   |
| 1951  | 4,725    | 2,16,79 |
| 1952  | 3,864    | 2,09,07 |
| 1953  | 2,003    | 85,95   |
| 1954* | 808      | 47,02   |
| 1955* | 700      | 33,11   |

\*Provisional.

(a) This excludes 7,564 tons of China Rice and 7,363 tons of Burma Rice received on replacement basis from Ceylon Government.

(b) This excludes about 22,300 tons of Burma Rice supplied by the Government of Ceylon on replacement basis.

TABLE No. 9  
EXPORTS OF CEREALS FROM INDIA

(Quantity in tons)  
(Value in '000 rupees)

| Countries to which exported | 1954     |       | 1955 (Jan.—Nov.) |       |
|-----------------------------|----------|-------|------------------|-------|
|                             | Quantity | Value | Quantity         | Value |
| (1)                         | (2)      | (3)   | (4)              | (5)   |
| <b>RICE</b>                 |          |       |                  |       |
| Aden . . . . .              | 280      | 165   | 6,970            | 3,991 |
| A. E. Sudan . . . . .       | 30       | 21    | 539              | 294   |
| Australia . . . . .         | ..       | ..    | 11               | 8     |
| Belgium . . . . .           | ..       | ..    | 45               | 26    |
| Belgian Congo . . . . .     | ..       | ..    | 2                | 2     |
| Bahrein Islands . . . . .   | ..       | ..    | 2,314            | 1,417 |
| Ceylon . . . . .            | 4        | 5     | 12,346           | 5,655 |
| Cambodia . . . . .          | ..       | ..    | 4,036            | 2,733 |
| Ethiopia . . . . .          | ..       | ..    | 336              | 190   |
| Fed.[of ]Malaya . . . . .   | ..       | ..    | 6,612            | 3,356 |
| Fiji Islands . . . . .      | 72       | 62    | 6,060            | 3,117 |
| France . . . . .            | ..       | ..    | 10               | 6     |
| French Somaliland . . . . . | ..       | ..    | 204              | 109   |
| Germany Western . . . . .   | ..       | ..    | 60               | 30    |
| Greece . . . . .            | ..       | ..    | 250              | 154   |
| Gold Coast . . . . .        | 25       | 16    | 94               | 51    |
| Hong Kong . . . . .         | ..       | ..    | 1                | 1     |
| Iraq . . . . .              | ..       | ..    | 1,340            | 667   |
| Irish Republic . . . . .    | ..       | ..    | 25               | 16    |
| Jamaica . . . . .           | ..       | ..    | 100              | 67    |
| Kenya . . . . .             | 65       | 36    | 729              | 439   |
| Kuwait . . . . .            | ..       | ..    | 597              | 338   |
| Muscat and Oman . . . . .   | ..       | ..    | 124              | 84    |
| Mauritius . . . . .         | 2,387    | 1,727 | 12,920           | 6,606 |
| Mozambique . . . . .        | ..       | ..    | 31               | 38    |
| Newzealand . . . . .        | ..       | ..    | 40               | 22    |
| Nyasaland . . . . .         | ..       | ..    | 26               | 23    |
| Netherlands . . . . .       | ..       | ..    | 260              | 158   |
| Nigeria . . . . .           | ..       | ..    | 1                | 1     |
| Qatar & T. Oman . . . . .   | 77       | 58    | 524              | 377   |

TABLE No. 9—contd.

| Countries to which exported      | (Quantity in tons)<br>(Value in '000 rupees) |              |                |               |
|----------------------------------|--|--------------|----------------|---------------|
|                                  | 1954   |              | 1955 (Jan—Nov) |               |
|                                  | Quantity                                     | Value        | Quantity       | Value         |
| (1)                              | (2)  | (3)          | (4)            | (5)           |
| <b>RICE—contd.</b>               |  |              |                |               |
| Rhodesia . . . . .               | ..   | ..           | 101            | 77            |
| Singapore . . . . .              | 67   | 46           | 1,958          | 1,041         |
| Saudi Arabia . . . . .           | 3,568  | 2,704        | 20,071         | 12,598        |
| Seychelles . . . . .             | ..   | ..           | 63             | 28            |
| Somaliland . . . . .             | ..   | ..           | 214            | 1             |
| Somalia . . . . .                | ..   | ..           | 51             | 33            |
| St. Helena & Ascension . . . . . | ..   | —            | 6              | 4             |
| Sierra Leone . . . . .           | ..   | —            | 2,747          | 1,236         |
| Tanganyika . . . . .             | ..   | ..           | 27             | 19            |
| United Kingdom . . . . .         | 354  | 270          | 5,050          | 2,690         |
| Uganda . . . . .                 | ..   | ..           | 1,195          | 932           |
| West Samoa . . . . .             | ..   | ..           | 10             | 6             |
| Yemen . . . . .                  | ..   | ..           | 48             | 27            |
| Zanzibar and Pemba . . . . .     | 2  | 1            | 2,699          | 1,484         |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                     | <b>6,931</b>                                 | <b>5,111</b> | <b>90,847</b>  | <b>50,252</b> |
| <b>JOWAR &amp; BAJRA</b>         |  |              |                |               |
| Aden . . . . .                   | ..   | ..           | 3,274          | 849           |
| Ethiopia . . . . .               | ..   | ..           | 1,022          | 173           |
| Fiji Islands . . . . .           | ..   | ..           | 2              | @             |
| French Somaliland . . . . .      | ..   | ..           | 1,078          | 310           |
| Somaliland Port . . . . .        | ..   | ..           | 20             | 5             |
| Singapore . . . . .              | ..   | ..           | 45             | 7             |
| Saudi Arabia . . . . .           | ..   | ..           | 665            | 266           |
| U. K.† . . . . .                 | ..   | ..           | 250            | 47            |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                     | <b>..</b>                                    | <b>..</b>    | <b>6,356</b>   | <b>1,657</b>  |
| <b>MAIZE</b>                     |  |              |                |               |
| Aden . . . . .                   | ..   | ..           | 20             | 4             |
| Ceylon . . . . .                 | ..   | ..           | 15             | 4             |
| Denmark . . . . .                | —  | —            | 45             | 16            |
| Netherlands . . . . .            | ..   | ..           | 50             | 14            |
| U. K. . . . .                    | ..   | ..           | 358            | 113           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                     | <b>..</b>                                    | <b>..</b>    | <b>488</b>     | <b>151</b>    |

TABLE No. 9—*contd.*

| Countries to which exported | (Quantity in tons)<br>(Value in '000 rupees) |       |                  |        |
|-----------------------------|--|-------|------------------|--------|
|                             | 1954   |       | 1955 (Jan.—Nov.) |        |
|                             | Quantity                                     | Value | Quantity         | Value  |
| (1)                         | (2)  | (3)   | (4)              | (5)    |
| <b>WHEAT FLOUR</b>          |  |       |                  |        |
| Aden . . . . .              | ..   | ..    | 157              | 80     |
| A. E. Sudan . . . . .       | ..   | ..    | 7                | 3      |
| Burma . . . . .             | 922  | 461   | ..               | ..     |
| Behrein . . . . .           | 67   | 30    | 20               | 9      |
| Indonesia . . . . .         | 20   | 11    | ..               | ..     |
| Japan . . . . .             | ..   | ..    | 1,225            | 264    |
| Kuwait . . . . .            | ..   | ..    | 20               | 7      |
| Muskat & Oman . . . . .     | 313  | 148   | 60               | 25     |
| Mozambique . . . . .        | ..   | ..    | 3                | 3      |
| Nyasaland . . . . .         | ..   | ..    | 2                | @      |
| Qatar & T. Oman . . . . .   | 71   | 28    | 75               | 34     |
| Singapore . . . . .         | 18   | 7     | ..               | ..     |
| Saudi Arabia . . . . .      | 123  | 71    | 242              | 89     |
| Zanzibar & Pemba . . . . .  | ..   | ..    | 95               | 59     |
| TOTAL . . . . .             | 1,534  | 756   | 1,906            | 573    |
| GRAND TOTAL . . . . .       | 8,465  | 5,867 | 99,597           | 52,633 |

@ Negligible.

NOTE.—Exports of husked rice within a ceiling of 2 lakh tons were allowed from the port of Bombay and Calcutta in June 1954. At the same time the export duty on husked rice was raised from 2 as. 3 pies per maund to 20 per cent. *ad valorem*. In February 1955 exports of rice were allowed from all ports and the export duty reduced to the original level of 2 as. 3 pies per maund.

Exports of jowar within a ceiling of 50 thousand tons and of maize within a ceiling of 30 thousand tons were allowed in June 1955 and August 1955 respectively.

Exports of wheat products were allowed from February, 1954.

TABLE No. 10

## SUBSIDY BORNE BY GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ON IMPORTED CEREALS

(Based on Audited Accounts)

(Lakh rupees)

| States                 | 1951-52 | 1952-53 | 1953-54  |
|------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| (1)                    | (2)     | (3)     | (4)      |
| Assam                  | ..      | ..      | ..       |
| Bihar                  | 16.0    | ..      | ..       |
| Bombay                 | 498.7   | ..      | 0.21     |
| Madhya Pradesh         | 13.0    | ..      | ..       |
| Madras                 | 153.2   | ..      | (—)18.42 |
| Orissa                 | ..      | ..      | ..       |
| Punjab                 | 21.6    | ..      | (—)0.05  |
| Uttar Pradesh          | 41.5    | ..      | (—)1.38  |
| West Bengal            | 197.4   | ..      | (—)0.12  |
| Hyderabad              | 37.0    | ..      | (—)0.03  |
| Madhya Bharat          | ..      | ..      | 0.01     |
| Mysore                 | 67.3    | ..      | (—)0.56  |
| P.E.P.S.U.             | ..      | ..      | ..       |
| Rajasthan              | ..      | ..      | ..       |
| Tripura                | ..      | ..      | ..       |
| Saurashtra             | ..      | ..      | ..       |
| Travancore-Cochin      | 307.2   | 225.0   | 160.09   |
| Ajmer                  | 26.5    | ..      | ..       |
| Delhi                  | 198.4   | ..      | (—)1.03  |
| Himachal Pradesh       | ..      | ..      | ..       |
| Kutch                  | ..      | ..      | ..       |
| Defence                | ..      | ..      | ..       |
| Baluchistan            | ..      | ..      | ..       |
| N. W. F. P.            | ..      | ..      | ..       |
| Sind                   | ..      | ..      | ..       |
| Baroda                 | ..      | ..      | (—)0.05  |
| Junagadh               | ..      | ..      | ..       |
| Kolhapur               | ..      | ..      | ..       |
| Siroh                  | ..      | ..      | ..       |
| Bilaspur               | ..      | ..      | ..       |
| Rampur                 | ..      | ..      | ..       |
| Matsya Union           | ..      | ..      | ..       |
| TOTAL                  | 1577.8  | 225.0   | 138.67   |
| Subsidy paid at source | 2881.2  | 2053.7  | ..       |
| GRAND TOTAL            | 4459.0  | 2278.7  | 138.67   |

TABLE No. 10—*contd.**Summary*

(Lakh rupees)

| (1)     | (2)         |
|---------|-------------|
| 1946-47 | 2064.9      |
| 1947-48 | 2351.4      |
| 1948-49 | 4366.3      |
| 1949-50 | 884.1       |
| 1950-51 | 1593.4 + 6  |
| 1951-52 | 4459.0 + 28 |
| 1952-53 | 2278.7      |
| 1953-54 | 138.67      |

(Based on Departmental figures)

(—) Indicates Recoveries.

NOTES.—1. The subsidy scheme was introduced from 1st April 1946. A revised scheme was enforced from 1-1-1951, according to which the Central Government subsidised specified quantities of imported cereals in selected industrial towns and deficit areas. With effect from 1-3-1952 the subsidy scheme was abolished but imported rice (coarse and broken) and milo continued to be supplied by the Centre to the recipient States at reduced pool prices (i.e., at prices lower than their actual landed costs), resulting losses being borne (exclusively) by the Government of India.

2. These figures represent the amount of subsidy which accrued to the State Governments on the cereals supplied to them during the specified period and do not represent the amount as adjusted in the accounts.

3. In addition to these amounts, subsidy was also paid as shown below :—

|   | Rs.<br>(lakhs) |
|---|----------------|
| 1950-51—(a) Enhanced Export duty on jute goods bartered for cereals . . . . .   | 265.6          |
| (b) Subsidy in the shape of reduced pool prices on imported cereals . . . . .   | 350.0          |
|   | <hr/> 615.6    |
| 1951-52—(a) Enhanced export duty on jute goods bartered for cereals . . . . .   | 692.2          |
| (b) Subsidy incurred in the shape of reduced pool prices on imported cereals    | 926.0          |
| (c) Losses on American wheat . . . . .  | 1144.0         |
| (d) Loss on account of higher freight on loan wheat . . . . .                   | 119.0          |
|   | <hr/> 2881.2   |
| 1952-53—(a) Lump sum subsidy to Government of Travancore-Cochin . . . . .       | 225.0          |
| (b) Total loss in the shape of reduced pool price on imported cereals . . . . . | 1498.70        |
| (c) Losses on American loan wheat . . . . .                                     | 555.0          |
|   | <hr/> 2278.7   |
| 1953-54—Lump sum subsidy to Government of Travancore-Cochin . . . . .           | 160.0          |

TABLE No. 11  
FOOD PROCUREMENT AND EXPORT BONUS  
*Summary*

| Year     | (Thousand rupees) |              |         |
|----------|-------------------|--------------|---------|
|          | Procurement Bonus | Export Bonus | Total   |
| (1)      | (2)               | (3)          | (4)     |
| 1948-49  | 4,36.49           | 34.95        | 4,71.44 |
| 1949-50  | 4,80.10           | 86.34        | 5,66.44 |
| 1950-51  | ..                | ..           | 8,27.71 |
| 1951-52* | ..                | ..           | 1,62.37 |

\*Provisional.

NOTE.—The Bonus Scheme was introduced with effect from the 1st January, 1948, bonus being allowed at the rate of eight annas per maund for all cereals procured in a State and another eight annas per maund on exports made to other States under the Basic Plan. A Revised Bonus Scheme was introduced from the 1st January, 1951, the main points of which were :—

- No bonus was payable on cereals procured by a State for its internal consumption, and
- Net export and import quotas were fixed for each State for the year and bonus was paid to the importing and exporting States on a graded scale for exports and imports beyond a prescribed minimum.

The Bonus Scheme was abolished with effect from 1st January 1952.

*Arrears of Bonus paid during 1952-53, 1953-54 and 1954-55*

(Thousand rupees)

| States            | 1952-53 | 1953-54 | 1954-55 |
|-------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Assam             | 6.72    | ..      | ..      |
| Bihar             | ..      | 20.27   | ..      |
| Madhya Pradesh    | ..      | 94      | ..      |
| Punjab            | 2       | ..      | ..      |
| Uttar Pradesh     | (—)11   | ..      | ..      |
| West Bengal       | 1       | ..      | ..      |
| Madhya Bharat     | ..      | 1.72    | ..      |
| Rajasthan         | ..      | 4.04    | 30.32   |
| Travancore-Cochin | ..      | (—)0.4  | ..      |
| Ajmer             | ..      | 75      | ..      |
| Bhopal            | ..      | 87      | ..      |
| Coorg             | ..      | (—)1    | ..      |
| Delhi             | ..      | 1.30    | 3.2     |
| Kutch             | 40      | 40      | 23.74   |
| Hyderabad         | ..      | ..      | 35.71   |



TABLE No. 12  
PROCUREMENT PRICES  
(Wholesale)

(Rupees per maund)

| States                   | Cereals                 | PROCUREMENT PRICES              |                                       |                          |
|--------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|
|                          |                         | 1951-52                         | 1952-53                               | 1953-54                  |
| (1)                      | (2)                     | (3)                             | (4)                                   | (5)                      |
|                          |                         | Rs. A. P.                       | Rs. A. P.                             | Rs. A. P.                |
| Assam . . . . .          | Rice (Winter) . . . . . | 17 2 0<br>to<br>20 0 0          | 17 2 0<br>to<br>20 0 0                | 17 2 0<br>to<br>20 0 0   |
| Bihar . . . . .          | Rice . . . . .          | 15 4 0                          | 15 4 0                                | 15 4 0                   |
|                          | Wheat . . . . .         | 15 0 0                          | 15 0 0                                | 15 0 0                   |
| Bombay—                  |                         |                                 |                                       |                          |
| Gujarat Distt. . . . .   | Rice . . . . .          | 11 0 0<br>to<br>28 10 0         | 11 8 8<br>to<br>29 14 0               | 11 8 0<br>to<br>29 14 0  |
| Other Distts. . . . .    | Rice (Medium) . . . . . | 15 4 0                          | 18 10 0                               | 18 10 0                  |
| Gujarat Distt. . . . .   | Jowar . . . . .         | 11 0 0                          | 11 0 0                                | 11 0 0                   |
| Other Distts. . . . .    | Jowar . . . . .         | 9 4 0                           | 11 0 0                                | 11 0 0                   |
| Gujarat Distts. . . . .  | Bajra . . . . .         | 12 0 0                          | 12 0 0                                | 12 0 0                   |
| Other Distts. . . . .    | Bajra . . . . .         | 10 2 0                          | 12 0 0                                | 12 0 0                   |
| Gujarat Distt. . . . .   | Maize . . . . .         | 9 4 0                           | 9 4 0                                 | 9 4 0                    |
| Other Distts. . . . .    | Maize . . . . .         | 8 4 0                           | 9 4 0                                 | 9 4 0                    |
| Gujarat Distt. . . . .   | Wheat . . . . .         | 16 4 0                          | 16 4 0                                | 16 4 0                   |
| Other Distts. . . . .    | Wheat . . . . .         | 14 6 0                          | 14 6 0                                | 14 6 0                   |
| Gujarat Distt. . . . .   | Barley . . . . .        | 10 12 0                         | 10 12 0                               | 10 12 0                  |
| Other Distts. . . . .    | Barley . . . . .        | 9 8 0                           | 9 8 0                                 | 9 8 0                    |
| Madhya Pradesh . . . . . | Rice . . . . .          | 12 0 0<br>(Coarse)<br>I         | 14 0 0 (h)<br>(Coarse)<br>I           | 12 0 0<br>(Coarse)       |
|                          | Jowar . . . . .         | 10 0 0 (h)<br>8 6 0 (m)         | 12 0 0 (m)<br>10 0 0 (h)<br>8 6 0 (m) | No Procurement           |
|                          | Wheat . . . . .         | 14 0 0 (j)<br>13 4 0 (k)        | 14 0 0 (j)<br>13 4 0 (m)              | 14 0 0 (j)<br>13 4 0 (m) |
| Madras . . . . .         | Paddy . . . . .         | 7 10 6 to<br>9 7 3<br>(II Sort) | 9 2 3 to<br>9 6 3<br>(II Sort)        | 9 2 3<br>(II Sort)       |
|                          | Jowar . . . . .         | 7 4 9 to<br>8 7 9 (l)           | No procure-<br>ment.                  | ..                       |
|                          | Bajra . . . . .         | 7 8 9 to<br>8 12 9              | No procure-<br>ment.                  | ..                       |

TABLE No. 12—*contd.*

(Rupees per maund)

| States        | Cereals   | PROCUREMENT PRICES                                     |  |                                   |
|---------------|-----------|--|--|-----------------------------------|
|               |           | 1951-52  | 1952-53  | 1953-54                           |
| (1)           | (2)       | (3)  | (4)  | (5)                               |
|               |           | Rs. A. P.  | Rs. A. P.  | Rs. A. P.                         |
| Orissa        | Rice      | 11 2 0 (e)<br>(Common)<br>11 6 6 (f)                   | 11 6 6<br>(Common)   | 11 6 6<br>(Common)                |
|               | Jowar     | 7 8 0 to<br>10 0 0<br>(CP)                             | 7 8 0 to<br>10 0 0<br>(CP)                                       | 7 8 0 to<br>10 0 0<br>(CP)        |
|               | Bajra     | 7 8 0 to<br>9 0 0<br>(CP)                              | 7 8 0 to<br>9 0 0<br>(CP)  | 7 8 0 to<br>9 0 0<br>(CP)         |
| Punjab        | Rice      | 16 0 0 (l)<br>(Ex-mill)<br>16 2 0<br>(from<br>10-3-52) | 16 2 0<br>(Ex-mill)  | 16 2 0<br>(Ex-mill)               |
|               | Jowar     | 8 0 0 (l)  | 8 8 0<br>(Basic)   | Decontrolled                      |
|               | Bajra     | 8 2 0 (l)  | 8 12 0<br>(Basic)  | Decontrolled                      |
|               | Maize     | 10 8 0 (a)<br>10 0 0 (b)                               | 10 0 0<br>(Basic)  | Decontrolled                      |
|               | Wheat     | 13 0 0<br>(upto<br>15-7-51)<br>12 12 0<br>(Basic) (m)  | 13 0 0<br>(upto<br>15-7-52)<br>12 12 0<br>(m)                    | Decontrolled                      |
|               | Barley    | 8 6 0  | 8 6 0  | Decontrolled                      |
| Uttar Pradesh | Rice (IV) | 14 8 0   | 14 8 0   | 14 8 0<br>(IV)<br>17 8 0<br>(III) |
|               | Jowar     | 10 0 0 (c)<br>8 0 0 (d)                                | 10 0 0 (g)<br>8 0 0 (m)  | Decontrolled                      |
|               | Bajra     | 11 0 0 (c)<br>9 0 0 (d)                                | 11 0 0 (g)<br>9 0 0 (m)  | Do.                               |
|               | Maize     | 10 0 0 (c)<br>8 0 0 (d)                                | 10 0 0 (g)<br>8 0 0 (m)  | Do.                               |
|               | Wheat     | 14 0 0 to<br>16 0 0                                    | 14 8 0 to<br>16 0 0<br>(upto 19-6-52)<br>14 0 0 to<br>15 0 0 (m) | Do.                               |
|               | Barley    | 11 0 0   | 11 0 0<br>(upto 19-6-52)<br>10 0 0 (m)                           | Do.                               |
| West Bengal   | Rice      | 14 4 0<br>(Aman)                                       | 14 4 0<br>(Aman)   | 14 4 0<br>(Aman)                  |

TABLE No. 12—*contd.*

(Rupees per maund)

| States            | Cereals     | PROCUREMENT PRICES                      |   |  |
|-------------------|-------------|---|---|--|
|                   |             | 1951-52                                 | 1952-53                                 | 1953-54                                    |
| (1)               | (2)         | (3)                                     | (4)                                     | (5)  |
|                   |             | Rs. A. P.                               | Rs. A. P.                               | Rs. A. P.                                  |
| Hyderabad         | Rice        | 12 14 0                                 | 14 2 7                                  | 13 11 3<br>(Coarse)                        |
|                   | Jowar White | 9 0 0                                   | 9 0 0                                   | 9 0 0                                      |
|                   | Bajra       | 8 0 0                                   | 8 0 0                                   | No procure-<br>ment.                       |
|                   | Maize       | 7 0 0                                   | 7 0 0                                   | Do.  |
| Jammu and Kashmir | Rice        | 7 0 0<br>to<br>10 0 0<br>(Paddy)        | 8 0 0<br>to<br>10 0 0<br>(Paddy)        | 6 0 0<br>to<br>7 0 0<br>(Paddy)            |
|                   | Maize       | 6 0 0<br>to<br>9 8 0                    | 8 0 0                                   | ..   |
|                   | Wheat       | 12 8 0                                  | 10 0 0<br>to<br>10 8 0                  | No procure-<br>ment.                       |
|                   |             |   |   |  |
| Madhya Bharat     | Jowar       | 8 0 0                                   | 8 4 0 (a)<br>8 0 0 (m)                  | 8 4 0 (a)<br>8 0 0 (m)                     |
|                   | Bajra       | 8 8 0                                   | 8 4 0 (a)<br>8 0 0 (m)                  | No procure-<br>ment.                       |
|                   | Maize       | 7 12 0                                  | 8 4 0 (a)<br>8 0 0 (m)                  | Do.  |
|                   | Wheat       | 12 0 0<br>(upto 15-6-51)<br>12 8 0 (m)  | 13 0 0 (i)<br>12 8 0 (m)                | 14 0 0 (i)<br>13 8 0 (m)                   |
|                   |             |   |   |  |
| Mysore            | Paddy I     | 10 0 0                                  | 11 15 0                                 | 10 8 0                                     |
|                   | Paddy II    | 9 0 0                                   | 10 15 0                                 | 9 8 0                                      |
|                   | Jowar       | 7 2 0                                   | 7 2 0                                   | No procure-<br>ment.                       |
| PEPSU             | Rice        | 16 9 0<br>to<br>18 2 0                  | 16 9 0<br>to<br>18 2 0                  | 16 9 0<br>to<br>18 2 0                     |
|                   | Jowar       | 8 0 0                                   | 8 8 0<br>(Basic)                        | Decontrolled                               |
|                   | Bajra       | 8 2 0                                   | 8 12 0<br>(Basic)                       | Do.  |
|                   | Maize       | 10 8 0 (a)<br>10 0 0 (b)                | 10 0 0<br>(Basic)                       | Do.  |
|                   | Wheat       | 13 0 0<br>(upto 15-7-51)<br>12 12 0 (m) | 13 0 0<br>(upto 15-7-52)<br>12 12 0 (m) | 13 0 0 @<br>(upto 15-7-53)<br>12 12 0 (m)@ |
|                   | Barley      | 8 6 0                                   | 8 6 0<br>(Basic)                        | Decontrolled                               |
|                   |             |   |   |  |

TABLE No. 12—*contd.*

(Rupees per maund)

| States                      | Cereals          | PROCUREMENT PRICES  |                          |                          |
|-----------------------------|------------------|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|
|                             |                  | 1951-52   | 1952-53                  | 1953-54                  |
| (1)                         | (2)              | (3)   | (4)                      | (5)                      |
|                             |                  | Rs. A. P.   | Rs. A. P.                | Rs. A. P.                |
| Rajasthan . . . . .         | Jowar . . . . .  | 8 0 0   | 8 0 0                    | 8 0 0<br>to<br>8 8 0     |
|                             | Bajra . . . . .  | 9 0 0   | 8 0 0                    | 8 0 0<br>to<br>8 8 0     |
|                             | Maize . . . . .  | 8 0 0   | 8 0 0                    | 7 8 0<br>to<br>8 0 0     |
|                             | Wheat . . . . .  | 13 0 0<br>to<br>14 8 0 (i)<br>12 12 0<br>to<br>14 0 0 (m) | 3 0 0<br>to<br>8 0       | 12 0 0                   |
|                             | Barley . . . . . | 8 6 0<br>to<br>9 8 0                                      | 8 6 0<br>to<br>9 8 0     | 7 8 0                    |
| Saurashtra . . . . .        | Jowar . . . . .  | 11 0 0  | 11 0 0                   | 9 8 0                    |
|                             | Bajra . . . . .  | 12 0 0  | 12 0 0                   | 10 8 0                   |
|                             | Wheat . . . . .  | 16 0 0  | 16 0 0<br>(Red)          | No procure-<br>ment.     |
| Travancore-Cochin . . . . . | Rice . . . . .   | 10 8 0<br>(Paddy)   | 10 8 0<br>(Paddy)        | 10 8 0<br>(Paddy)        |
| Ajmer . . . . .             | Jowar . . . . .  | Not fixed   | ..                       | No procure-<br>ment.     |
|                             | Bajra . . . . .  | Not fixed   | ..                       | Do.                      |
|                             | Maize . . . . .  | Not fixed   | ..                       | Do.                      |
|                             | Wheat . . . . .  | 14 0 0 (l)  | ..                       | Do.                      |
|                             | Barley . . . . . | 9 6 0 (l)   | ..                       | Do.                      |
| Bhopal . . . . .            | Jowar . . . . .  | 8 4 0 (a)<br>8 0 0 (m)                                    | 8 4 0 (a)<br>8 0 0 (m)   | Do.                      |
|                             | Wheat . . . . .  | 13 0 0 (h)<br>12 8 0 (m)                                  | 13 0 0 (h)<br>12 8 0 (m) | 13 0 0 (h)<br>12 8 0 (m) |
| Coorg . . . . .             | Rice . . . . .   | 9 4 0<br>(Paddy)  | 9 10 0<br>(Paddy)        | 9 10 0<br>(Paddy)        |
| Delhi . . . . .             | Rice . . . . .   | 19 8 0 (l)  | 19 0 0 (l)               | 19 0 0 (l)               |
|                             | Jowar . . . . .  | 8 8 0 (l)   | ..                       | ..                       |
|                             | Bajra . . . . .  | 8 12 0 (l)  | ..                       | ..                       |
|                             | Maize . . . . .  | 9 8 0 (l)   | ..                       | ..                       |
|                             | Wheat . . . . .  | 15 0 0 (l)  | 15 4 0 (l)               | ..                       |
|                             | Barley . . . . . | 9 8 0 (l)   | 9 8 0 (l)                | ..                       |

TABLE No. 12—*concl.*

(Rupees per maund)

| States           | Cereals | PROCUREMENT PRICES                     |  |  |
|------------------|---------|--|--|--|
|                  |         | 1951-52                                | 1952-53                                | 1953-54                                |
| (1)              | (2)     | (3)                                    | (4)                                    | (5)                                    |
|                  |         | Rs. A. P.                              | Rs. A. P.                              | Rs. A. P.                              |
| Himachal Pradesh | Rice    | 20 0 0                                 | ..                                     | 20 0 0<br>(Coarse I)                   |
|                  | Maize   | 10 0 0                                 | 9 8 0                                  | 9 8 0<br>to<br>10 0 0                  |
| Kutch            | Jowar   | 11 0 0                                 | 11 0 0                                 | 11 0 0                                 |
|                  | Bajra   | 13 0 0                                 | 13 0 0                                 | 13 0 0                                 |
|                  | Wheat   | 16 0 0                                 | 16 0 0                                 | 16 0 0                                 |
| Tripura          | Rice    | 15 0 0<br>to<br>16 8 0<br>(Coarse)     | 15 0 0<br>to<br>16 8 0<br>(Coarse)     | 15 0 0<br>to<br>16 8 0<br>(Coarse)     |
|                  |         |  |  |  |
| Vindhya Pradesh  | Rice    | 9 11 0                                 | 13 5 0<br>(Medium)                     | 13 5 0<br>(Medium)                     |
|                  | Jowar   | 8 0 0                                  | 9 0 0                                  | 9 0 0                                  |
|                  | Baira   | 8 2 0                                  | 9 2 0                                  | 9 2 0                                  |
|                  | Maize   | 8 0 0                                  | 8 0 0                                  | 8 0 0                                  |
|                  | Wheat   | 13 0 0<br>(upto 15-5-51)<br>12 8 0 (m) | 13 0 0<br>(upto 15-5-52)<br>12 8 0 (m) | 13 0 0<br>(upto 15-5-53)<br>12 8 0 (m) |
|                  | Barley  | 7 0 0                                  | 7 0 0                                  | 7 0 0                                  |

@ Since decontrolled.

(a) Upto January end.

(b) From February onwards.

(c) Upto February end.

(d) From March onwards.

(e) Upto March end.

(f) From April onwards.

(g) Upto April end.

(h) Upto May end.

(i) Upto June end.

(j) Upto July end.

(k) From August onwards.

(l) Statutory.

(m) Afterwards.

(CP) Ceiling prices in main railhead mandies.

NOTES.—1. Procurement and issue prices for Andhra upto 1952-53 are included in Madras.

Procurement price for Andhra for 1953-54 is as under :

|                 |           |
|-----------------|-----------|
|                 | Rs. A. P. |
| Paddy (II Sort) | 9 6 3     |

2. The procurement prices fixed for the 1953-54 season related to the period May, 1953 to April, 1954 in respect of Rabi cereals and November, 1953 to October, 1954 in respect of Kharif cereals. Since the fixation of these prices in the beginning of the harvest, wheat was decontrolled completely from November, 1953, coarse grains including barley from 1st January, 1954 and rice from 10th July 1954. The above prices fixed in the beginning of the year, therefore, were applicable till the time of decontrol and consequent on decontrol no prices were fixed for the 1954-55 season.

TABLE No. 13  
POOL PRICES OF CEREALS

(Rupees per maund)

| Cereals               | 1953  | 1954  | 1955   |     |
|-----------------------|---|---|--|-----|
|                       | (1)   | (2)   | (3)  | (4) |
|                       | Rs. A. P.   | Rs. A. P.   | Rs. A. P.  |     |
| Rice Fine . . . . .   | 28 5 0  | ..  | ..   |     |
| Coarse . . . . .      | 24 0 0  | ..  | ..   |     |
| Broken . . . . .      | 19 0 0  | ..  | ..   |     |
| Wheat . . . . .       | 18 8 0<br>(from 1-1-53<br>to 28-2-53)<br>17 8 0<br>(from 1-3-53<br>to 30-6-53)<br>16 8 0<br>(from 1-7-53<br>to 14-11-53)<br>15 8 0<br>(from 15-11-53<br>to 31-12-53). | 15 8 0<br>(from 1-1-54<br>to 24-6-54)<br>14 8 0<br>(from 25-6-54<br>to 14-9-54)<br>13 8 0<br>(from 15-9-54) | 13 8 0<br>(from January<br>to November)<br><br><br><br>14 0 0<br>(from Decem-<br>ber, 1955). |     |
| Wheat flour . . . . . | 24 0 0  | ..  | ..   |     |
| Barley . . . . .      | ..  | ..  | ..   |     |
| Milo . . . . .        | 11 8 0<br>(from 1-1-53<br>to 28-2-53).<br>12 0 0<br>(from 1-3-53).  | ..  | ..   |     |

NOTE.—The pool prices given above are for cereals imported by the Government of India on Central Government account from different sources. The prices are fixed at the beginning of the year on a "no profit no loss" basis, taking into account the book value of the stocks in hand and the estimated price that may be paid for future imports during the year. The prices are reviewed periodically and are revised if actuals of expenditure or other consideration justify a revision.

TABLE No. 14

## WHOLESALE MARKET PRICES OF CEREALS AT SELECTED CENTRES

(Rupees per maund)

| State          | Centre     | Variety        | 1953  |       |       | 1954  |          |            | 1955  |      |                  |                  |                  |                   |
|----------------|------------|----------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------|------------|-------|------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|
|                |            |                | March | June  | Sept. | March | June     | Septem-ber | March | June | Septem-ber       | Decem-ber        |                  |                   |
| (1)            | (2)        | (3)            | (4)   | (5)   | (6)   | (7)   | (8)      | (9)        | (10)  | (11) | (12)             | (13)             | (14)             | (15)              |
| <b>RICE</b>    |            |                |       |       |       |       |          |            |       |      |                  |                  |                  |                   |
| Andhra         | Kakinada   | Akkalu         | 21 12 | 25 4  | 21 4  | 17 3  | 17 0     | 15 0       | 15 8  | 15 0 | 13 8             | 13 8             | 14 4             | 14 12             |
|                | Nellore    | Kesari         | 22 4  | 23 1  | 21 7  | 17 6  | 17 12    | 16 4       | 13 8  | 18 8 | (H Sort)<br>15 0 | (H Sort)<br>12 5 | (H Sort)<br>12 8 | (H Sort)<br>12 12 |
|                | Vijayavada | Kusum          | 20 0  | 22 10 | 21 0  | 17 0  | 15 5     | 15 0       | 16 0  | ..   | (H Sort)<br>12 0 | (H Sort)<br>12 0 | (H Sort)<br>13 8 | (H Sort)<br>14 8  |
| Assam          | Hailkandi  | Sali           | 21 0  | 25 0  | 19 0  | 18 0  | 24 0     | 22 8       | 19 8  | 12 0 | 14 6             | 14 8             | F<br>14 8        | New F<br>14 8     |
|                | Badau      | Sali           | 18 8  | 18 12 | 19 0  | 18 4  | 17 8     | 18 0       | 18 0  | ..   | 15 0             | 17 8             | 20 0             | 12 0              |
|                | Tihu       | Aus            | 17 0  | 20 0  | 20 0  | 16 0  | 16 0     | 15 6       | 19 0  | 12 8 | 17 2             | 17 7             | 18 0             | 16 0              |
|                |            |                |       |       |       |       | (Coarse) |            |       |      |                  |                  | F                | F                 |
| Bihar          | Jaynagar   |                | 18 0  | 24 0  | 23 12 | 18 0  | 16 4     | 18 0       | 13 8  | 11 8 | 14 14            | 16 0             | 14 0             | 14 0              |
|                | Gaya       | Coarse         | 19 0  | 23 0  | 21 8  | 16 0  | 15 0     | 14 0       | 15 0  | 13 0 | (C)<br>13 8      | (C)<br>14 0      | F<br>15 0        | F<br>14 0         |
|                | Ranchi     | Coarse         | 17 8  | 19 0  | 19 0  | 12 8  | 13 4     | 13 8       | 14 0  | 14 0 | F<br>13 8        | F<br>14 8        | F<br>14 0        | F<br>13 8         |
|                | Dumka      | Coarse         | 19 0  | 20 0  | 18 0  | 14 8  | 13 4     | 12 8       | ..    | ..   | 13 12            | 16 0             | ..               | ..                |
|                | Jamshedpur | Coarse         | 21 0  | 25 8  | 26 0  | 21 8  | 17 8     | 16 0       | 16 8  | 15 8 | 16 4             | 16 0             | 17 0             | 13 8              |
| Bombay         | Chiplun    |                | 17 6  | 17 6  | 17 6  | 17 6  | 17 6     | 20 0       | 22 4  | 19 0 | 16 0             | 16 0             | 16 0             | 17 0              |
|                |            |                |       |       |       |       |          |            |       |      | (Coarse)         | (H Sort)         | F                | F                 |
|                | Kalyan     |                | 26 3  | 26 1  | 26 1  | 26 1  | 21 8     | 19 0       | 20 0  | 16 8 | 14 8             | 14 0             | 15 0             | 15 12             |
|                | Nandgaon   |                | 20 6  | 20 5  | 20 4  | 20 4  | 20 4     | 20 0       | 16 0  | ..   | 11 0             | 11 8             | 12 4             | 13 0              |
| Madhya Pradesh | Reipur     | Gurmatia       | 15 8  | 17 2  | 16 12 | 16 4  | 14 6     | 14 2       | 15 12 | 13 4 | 11 12            | 12 8             | 13 4             | 12 8              |
|                | Jagdalpur  | Coarse         | 7 0   | 8 0   | 8 0   | 8 0   | 9 0      | 10 8       | 12 8  | 9 0  | 8 8              | 11 0             | 11 0             | 9 1/2             |
|                |            | (Hand pounded) |       |       |       |       |          |            |       |      | (C)              |                  |                  |                   |
|                | Nagpur     | Coarse         | 16 0  | 17 8  | 16 0  | 18 0  | 17 0     | 15 8       | 16 8  | ..   | 12 0             | 14 0             | 14 0             | 14 0              |

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(Rupees per maund)

| State             | Centre       | Variety | 1953  |       |       | 1954  |       |       | 1955  |       |             |           |            |              |      |
|-------------------|--------------|---------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------------|-----------|------------|--------------|------|
|                   |              |         | March | June  | Sept. | March | June  | Sept. | March | June  | Sept.       | December  |            |              |      |
| (1)               | (2)          | (3)     | (4)   | (5)   | (6)   | (7)   | (8)   | (9)   | (10)  | (11)  | (12)        | (13)      | (14)       | (15)         |      |
| Madras            | Kumbakonam   | Samba   | 22 0  | 25 0  | 23 0  | 23 0  | 17 0  | 17 0  | 14 1  | ..    | 14 0        | 13 8      | 14 0       | 14 15 0 (II) |      |
|                   |              | Coarse  | 20 9  | 21 6  | 21 5  | ..    | 16 6  | 15 4  | 14 15 | ..    | 13 4        | (II) 13 6 | 11 B 14 12 | 15 0 (II)    |      |
|                   |              | Palghat | 31 8  | 33 0  | 22 0  | 24 0  | 25 0  | 18 8  | 15 8  | 15 4  | 13 8        | 13 8      | 13 8       | 13 12        | 14 8 |
|                   |              | Coarse  | 25 0  | 26 4  | 24 0  | 21 0  | 16 0  | 16 0  | ..    | ..    | 14 7        | 13 11     | 16 3       | 15 11        |      |
|                   |              | Sort II | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..          | ..        | ..         | ..           | ..   |
| Orissa            | Balasore     | Common  | 13 4  | 13 12 | 13 12 | 13 12 | 13 0  | 13 4  | 13 0  | 13 0  | ..          | ..        | ..         | ..           |      |
|                   | Sambalpur    | Mota    | 13 0  | 13 0  | 13 0  | 13 0  | 13 8  | 13 0  | 16 0  | 13 8  | ..          | 15 0      | ..         | 13 0         |      |
| Punjab            | Jeyapore     | Coarse  | 10 10 | 13 2  | 13 12 | 11 4  | 12 12 | 12 0  | 13 8  | 11 0  | 10 0        | 11 0      | 11 0       | 11 4         |      |
|                   | Cuttack      | Coarse  | 11 8  | 12 0  | 13 0  | 12 8  | 13 4  | 13 0  | 13 0  | ..    | ..          | ..        | ..         | ..           |      |
| Uttar Pradesh     | Karnal       | Jhone   | 18 7  | 18 9  | 18 14 | 19 15 | 24 0  | 19 7  | ..    | 13 8  | 13 2        | 14 4      | 14 8       | 16 8         |      |
|                   | Nowgarh      | Fine    | 24 0  | 28 0  | 26 8  | 26 12 | 22 0  | 17 0  | 16 4  | ..    | 13 0        | 14 10     | 13 4       | 13 12        |      |
| West Bengal       | Kanpur       | III-A   | 22 10 | 24 0  | 23 4  | 18 4  | 18 8  | 17 12 | 17 4  | 11 8  | 13 8        | 14 0      | 13 8       | 14 8         |      |
|                   | Sabarapur    | ..      | 25 0  | 25 8  | 21 4  | 18 8  | 22 0  | 16 2  | 17 8  | ..    | (N.A.) 13 4 | 13 12     | 13 8       | 14 8         |      |
| Hyderabad         | Banaras City | III-A   | 24 0  | 24 0  | 24 8  | 18 0  | 18 0  | 16 0  | 18 4  | 14 0  | 14 0        | 15 8      | 15 0       | 14 8         |      |
|                   | Sainthia     | ..      | 16 0  | 20 0  | 20 0  | 15 0  | 14 0  | 15 8  | 15 8  | 13 0  | 15 8        | ..        | 16 12      | 16 0         |      |
| Mysore            | Balughat     | ..      | 16 0  | 21 8  | 21 0  | 14 8  | 14 0  | 14 12 | 14 4  | 13 4  | 13 0        | 14 12     | 16 0       | 15 8         |      |
|                   | Mahabhat     | ..      | 15 4  | 20 0  | 20 8  | 20 0  | 13 12 | 16 0  | 16 8  | 16 0  | ..          | ..        | 16 8       | 13 12        |      |
| Travancore-Cochin | Contai       | Coarse  | 16 0  | 21 0  | 20 0  | 13 4  | 13 0  | 14 0  | 14 8  | 15 0  | 15 0        | 16 0      | 15 8       | 16 8         |      |
|                   | Calcutta     | Coarse  | 16 12 | 16 12 | 16 12 | 16 12 | 16 12 | 16 12 | 18 4  | 15 4  | 15 8        | 17 8      | 17 8       | 15 8         |      |
| Coorg             | Sadar        | Coarse  | 20 8  | 25 0  | 27 8  | 16 0  | 16 0  | 16 12 | 21 12 | 16 0  | 17 8        | 18 0      | 18 8       | 17 8         |      |
|                   | Nizamabad    | Mota    | 21 6  | 26 12 | 29 0  | 23 0  | 15 11 | 14 7  | 13 5  | 13 6  | 10 13       | 14 5      | 14 7       | 13 1         |      |
| Manipur           | Shimoga      | Medium  | 18 14 | 21 15 | 24 11 | 13 11 | 14 6  | 15 11 | 15 11 | 13 10 | 10 11       | 11 6      | 13 0       | 10 11        |      |
|                   | Trivandrum   | ..      | 17 0  | 36 8  | 27 8  | 25 14 | 24 12 | 23 8  | ..    | ..    | 15 2        | 15 4      | 15 4       | 18 0         |      |
| Assam             | Marcara      | Coarse  | 15 6  | 15 6  | 15 5  | 15 5  | 15 5  | 15 5  | 16 7  | 15 14 | 15 6        | 14 15     | 16 11      | 14 8         |      |
|                   | Imphal       | Coarse  | 11 0  | 14 12 | 16 8  | 11 12 | 13 12 | 14 8  | 15 8  | 6 8   | 5 0         | 5 0       | 5 0        | 5 8          |      |



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(Rupees per maund)

| State           | Centre    | Variety    | 1953  |       |       | 1954  |       |       | 1955  |       |       |       |          |       |
|-----------------|-----------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------|-------|
|                 |           |            | March | June  | Sept. | March | June  | Sept. | March | June  | Sept. |       |          |       |
| (1)             | (2)       | (3)        | (4)   | (5)   | (6)   | (7)   | (8)   | (9)   | (10)  | (11)  | (12)  | (13)  | (14)     | (15)  |
| Tripura         | Agartala  | Bora       | 23 0  | 24 8  | 21 0  | 16 0  | 14 0  | 12 0  | 11 0  | 9 4   | 11 0  | 11 0  | 13 13    | 14 8  |
| Vindhya Pradesh | Kotma     | ..         | 13 5  | 20 0  | 14 0  | 12 8  | 13 0  | 13 8  | 12 12 | ..    | 12 14 | 12 10 | 11 8     | 13 0  |
| <b>WHEAT</b>    |           |            |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |          |       |
| Bihar           | Khageria  | Red        | 25 0  | 17 0  | 19 0  | 17 0  | 15 0  | 13 0  | 14 0  | 15 0  | 13 4  | 11 0  | 12 0     | 13 4  |
| Bombay          | Bombay    | Imported   | 19 3  | 19 7  | 18 9  | 18 9  | 11 11 | 14 11 | 14 6  | 11 11 | 12 0  | 12 14 | 14 0     | 17 12 |
|                 | Dhandhuka | Red        | 19 8  | 19 8  | 19 4  | 19 8  | 14 8  | 11 8  | 13 0  | 11 0  | 10 0  | 11 0  | 12 8     | 14 3  |
| Madhya Pradesh  | Sagar     | Pissi      | 16 0  | 19 0  | 19 0  | 17 4  | 16 0  | 12 8  | 13 0  | 11 12 | 12 12 | 11 0  | 11 4     | 16 0  |
| Madras          | Madras    | ..         | 15 5  | 15 5  | 18 2  | 17 3  | 19 7  | 17 5  | 17 15 | ..    | 13 11 | 15 0  | 13 0     | 16 14 |
| Punjab          | Moga      | 591        | 12 8  | 13 8  | 13 8  | 15 3  | 16 6  | 11 8  | 14 0  | 13 12 | 13 0  | 12 6  | 12 8     | 15 4  |
|                 | Abohar    | Coarse     | 12 12 | 13 10 | 13 0  | 15 8  | 16 4  | 10 15 | 13 4  | 13 8  | 12 4  | 11 2  | 11 3     | 14 0  |
| Uttar Pradesh   | Kanpur    | Deshi      | 21 5  | 17 12 | 18 0  | 18 4  | 14 3  | 11 0  | 11 13 | 11 6  | 12 5  | 9 8   | 11 0     | 15 12 |
|                 | Hopur     | Dara       | 20 8  | 16 2  | 15 0  | 17 0  | 15 8  | 12 8  | 12 10 | 12 14 | 11 14 | 10 10 | 11 2     | 14 4  |
|                 | Chandausi | ..         | 17 8  | 16 14 | 16 0  | 17 0  | 15 8  | 13 0  | 12 10 | 12 2  | 12 0  | 10 12 | 11 4     | 14 8  |
|                 | Bahraich  | Indigenous | 20 0  | 17 0  | 16 0  | 17 0  | 14 12 | 11 4  | 12 0  | 10 0  | 13 4  | 9 14  | 10 12    | 14 0  |
| West Bengal     | Calcutta  | Red        | 18 4  | 18 4  | 18 4  | 18 4  | 18 4  | 16 8  | ..    | 17 8  | 13 12 | 12 12 | 14 8     | 16 0  |
| P.E.P.          | Barnala   | ..         | 14 6  | 12 13 | 12 9  | 12 9  | 14 13 | 9 8   | 12 4  | 12 8  | 10 12 | 10 0  | 10 8     | 13 8  |
| Rajasthan       | Kotah     | ..         | 13 0  | 14 14 | 12 8  | 12 8  | 11 2  | 10 0  | 13 8  | ..    | 10 0  | 9 0   | 10 4     | 12 12 |
| Satara/Hira     | Rajkot    | Red        | 18 0  | 19 8  | 19 8  | 20 0  | 14 0  | 12 0  | 13 0  | 14 0  | 10 0  | 12 8  | 14 8     | 19 0  |
| Bhopal          | Bhopal    | ..         | 13 6  | 15 13 | 16 10 | 13 0  | 12 15 | ..    | 12 11 | 11 5  | 12 0  | 10 2  | 11 9     | 14 10 |
| Delhi           | Delhi     | Imported   | 13 5  | 15 10 | 15 10 | 15 10 | 14 8  | 10 12 | 13 0  | 12 4  | 11 0  | 10 0  | 11 0     | 15 0  |
| Vindhya Pradesh | Rewa      | ..         | 16 8  | 20 0  | 19 0  | 18 0  | 18 0  | 12 0  | 11 0  | 10 0  | 13 6  | 10 0  | 11 7     | 14 9  |
|                 | Nandyal   | Yellow     | 11 9  | 13 8  | 12 8  | 12 0  | 11 0  | 10 0  | 10 0  | 8 0   | 6 6   | 5 12  | 6 0      | 7 0   |
| Bombay          | Hubli     | Local      | 12 10 | 11 9  | 11 9  | 11 9  | 11 9  | ..    | 11 8  | 10 0  | 7 0   | 6 0   | 7 8      | 8 0   |
|                 | Mohal     | ..         | 11 14 | 14 6  | 14 6  | 14 6  | 13 5  | 11 8  | 11 4  | 12 8  | 6 0   | 6 12  | 7 8      | 8 0   |
|                 | Surat     | ..         | 12 8  | 12 8  | 12 8  | 12 8  | 12 8  | 11 4  | 10 0  | 6 8   | 9 0   | 10 0  | 10 0     | 12 8  |
|                 |           |            |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       | (L) F    | F     |
|                 |           |            |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       | (R)      | F     |
|                 |           |            |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       | (Dara) F | F     |
|                 |           |            |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       | (C) F    | F     |

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| State            | Centre     | Variety | 1954  |       |       |          | 1955  |       |       |          |      |       |       |       |
|------------------|------------|---------|-------|-------|-------|----------|-------|-------|-------|----------|------|-------|-------|-------|
|                  |            |         | March | June  | Sept. | December | March | June  | Sept. | December |      |       |       |       |
| (1)              | (2)        | (3)     | (4)   | (5)   | (6)   | (7)      | (8)   | (9)   | (10)  | (11)     | (12) | (13)  | (14)  | (15)  |
| Madhya Pradesh   | Alola      | Yellow  | 10 0  | 11 0  | 10 8  | 9 0      | 10 4  | 8 0   | 7 8   | 7 8      | 5 4  | 6 4   | 6 0   | 7 8   |
|                  | Nagpur     | Yellow  | 9 4   | 11 0  | 10 0  | 9 8      | 11 0  | 9 4   | 8 0   | ..       | 5    | 5 0   | 5 0   | 9 0   |
| Madras           | Coimbatore | White   | 19 0  | 17 8  | 18 0  | 11 10    | 13 4  | 11 4  | ..    | ..       | 8 3  | 7     | 8 8   | 11 2  |
| Punjab           | Rohtak     | Yellow  | 7 12  | 10 8  | 7 0   | 7 0      | 7 0   | 6 4   | 6 8   | ..       | 4 0  | 6 8   | 4 0   | 7 0   |
|                  |            |         |       |       |       |          |       |       |       |          | (R)  | (W:F) | (Y):F |       |
| Uttar Pradesh    | Jhansi     | Local   | 11 7  | 13 4  | 12 9  | 11 7     | 10 0  | 8 14  | 7 7   | ..       | 4 9  | 5 6   | 6 3   | 10 10 |
| Hyderabad        | Hyderabad  | Yellow  | 9 2   | 8 10  | 11 0  | 9 10     | 9 0   | 9 6   | 9 3   | 7 6      | 5 12 | 7 3   | 6 11  | 8 0 P |
|                  |            |         |       |       |       |          |       |       |       |          |      |       |       |       |
| Madhya Bharat    | Gulbarga   | ..      | 9 0   | 11 13 | 11 3  | 13 10    | 13 8  | 14 10 | 12 0  | ..       | 13   | 7 0   | 7 10  | 9 10  |
|                  |            |         |       |       |       |          |       |       |       |          |      |       |       |       |
| Mysore           | Ujjain     | ..      | 10 0  | 11 0  | 10 0  | 9 12     | 10 8  | 7 0   | 5 8   | ..       | 5 0  | 5 0   | 6 4   | 11 0  |
|                  |            |         |       |       |       |          |       |       |       |          |      |       |       |       |
| Rajasthan        | Hosper     | Yellow  | 15 0  | 17 0  | 19 0  | ..       | 13 15 | 12 14 | 9 8   | 11 8     | 6 14 | 6 8   | 6 8   | 8 12  |
|                  |            |         |       |       |       |          |       |       |       |          |      |       |       |       |
|                  | Jhalwar    | ..      | 11 8  | 12 0  | 8 0   | 8 0      | 8 0   | 8 0   | 6 8   | 5 12     | 4 8  | 5 0   | 5 0   | 10 0  |
| Andhra           | Anakapalli | ..      | ..    | ..    | 13 8  | 13 0     | 14 0  | ..    | 9 0   | 9        | 7 0  | 6 8   | 7 0   | 7 8   |
| Bombay           | Ahmednagar | ..      | 12 13 | 12 13 | 17 0  | 15 0     | 16 0  | 10 12 | 10 0  | 10 8     | 8 8  | ..    | 11 0  | 12 0  |
| Madras           | Coimbatore | ..      | 18 12 | 17 0  | 17 5  | 10 12    | 11 8  | 9 0   | ..    | ..       | 7 3  | ..    | ..    | ..    |
| Punjab           | Hissar     | ..      | 10 8  | 13 0  | 10 8  | 10 2     | 9 7   | 7 8   | 9 4   | 8 8      | 6 8  | 9 0   | 7 0   | 10 12 |
| Uttar Pradesh    | Agra       | ..      | 11 8  | 13 12 | 12 4  | 10 4     | 10 8  | 9 0   | 4 4   | 7 8      | 6 6  | 8 8   | 7 8   | 11 12 |
| P.P.S.U.         | Farala     | ..      | 8 12  | 8 12  | 8 12  | 9 0      | 9 8   | 8 0   | 9 0   | 8 4      | 6 0  | 7 2   | 7 0   | 9 12  |
|                  |            |         |       |       |       |          |       |       |       |          |      |       |       |       |
| Rajasthan        | Jodhpur    | ..      | 12 0  | 15 3  | 11 14 | 9 14     | 8 12  | 7 2   | 8 0   | ..       | 8 0  | 7 6   | 9 3   | 13 0  |
| Saureshra        | Rajkot     | ..      | 14 8  | 16 0  | 14 8  | 17 0     | 14 0  | 12 0  | 10 8  | 10 0     | 10 8 | 12 8  | 13 14 | 15 12 |
|                  |            |         |       |       |       |          |       |       |       |          |      |       |       |       |
|                  |            |         |       |       |       |          |       |       |       |          |      |       |       |       |
|                  |            |         |       |       |       |          |       |       |       |          |      |       |       |       |
| Bihar            | Nagauchia  | ..      | 12 0  | 15 8  | 15 8  | 15 0     | 12 0  | 11 0  | 6 8   | 6 8      | 7 0  | 10 0  | 7 8   | 9 0   |
| Bombay           | Dohad      | ..      | 9 4   | 9 4   | 9 4   | 9 4      | 9 4   | 7 8   | 7 0   | 6 8      | 5 12 | 6 12  | 6 12  | 9 10  |
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| Uttar Pradesh    | Braich     | ..      | 10 4  | 13 0  | 10 10 | 12 0     | 10 10 | 10 0  | ..    | 6 8      | 7 0  | 7 0   | 8 12  | 11 8  |
|                  |            |         |       |       |       |          |       |       |       |          |      |       |       |       |
| Rajasthan        | Chandlasi  | ..      | 12 0  | 11 0  | 10 4  | 11 0     | 12 8  | ..    | 4 0   | 7 4      | 5 8  | 6 4   | 6 4   | 8 12  |
|                  |            |         |       |       |       |          |       |       |       |          |      |       |       |       |
| Rajasthan        | Bhilwara   | ..      | 11 0  | 12 0  | 8 0   | 7 12     | 8 4   | 7 4   | 6 0   | 6 0      | 5 4  | 6 4   | 6 4   | 8 12  |
| Himachal Pradesh | Mandi      | ..      | 13 0  | 10 0  | 16 0  | 15 0     | 15 4  | 14 0  | 15 8  | 11 0     | 9 0  | 9 4   | 8 8   | 11 12 |
|                  |            |         |       |       |       |          |       |       |       |          |      |       |       |       |

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(Rupees per maund)

| State         | Centre      | Variety | 1953          |       |       |          | 1954  |      |       |          | 1955  |      |       |          |
|---------------|-------------|---------|---------------|-------|-------|----------|-------|------|-------|----------|-------|------|-------|----------|
|               |             |         | March         | June  | Sept. | December | March | June | Sept. | December | March | June | Sept. | December |
| (1)           | (2)         | (3)     | (4)           | (5)   | (6)   | (7)      | (8)   | (9)  | (10)  | (11)     | (12)  | (13) | (14)  | (15)     |
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| Andhra        | Madanapalli | ..      | 14 8          | 14 8  | 15 4  | 11 0     | 12 0  | 12 0 | 12 0  | 8 0      | 8 0   | 7 0  | 7 0   | 5 0      |
| Bombay        | Ghodi       | ..      | 12 8          | 17 0  | 12 8  | 13 12    | 10 0  | 8 12 | 8 0   | 7 0      | 7 0   | 9 0  | 8 0   | 8 0      |
| Madras        | Salem       | ..      | 16 8          | 16 14 | 15 8  | 12 0     | 10 4  | ..   | 9 2   | 9 0      | 8 4   | ..   | ..    | 8 2      |
| Mysore        | Bangalore   | ..      | 12 8          | 12 8  | 11 8  | 11 8     | 10 8  | 10 6 | 10 0  | 11 8     | 7 14  | 7 0  | 6 12  | 7 2      |
|               |             |         | <b>BARLEY</b> |       |       |          |       |      |       |          |       |      |       |          |
| Bihar         | Mothihari   | ..      | 9 8           | 13 0  | 12 8  | 10 0     | 10 0  | 9 0  | 10 0  | 7 0      | 8 0   | 7 8  | 9 8   | 9 8      |
| Punjab        | Moga        | Coarse  | 8 3           | 10 2  | 9 12  | 9 8      | ..    | 6 12 | 7 13  | 6 12     | 4 8   | 6 4  | 6 0   | 9 0      |
| Uttar Pradesh | Jaunpur     | ..      | 12 0          | 13 0  | 12 4  | 13 0     | 11 0  | 9 8  | ..    | ..       | 7 0   | 7 0  | 8 8   | 9 8      |
|               | Hapur       | ..      | 10 12         | 11 12 | 10 8  | 11 0     | 9 10  | 7 4  | 7 8   | 6 6      | 5 2   | 6 4  | 6 0   | 9 4      |
| Rajasthan     | Jaipur      | ..      | 10 5          | 11 1  | 9 11  | 8 7      | 11 7  | 8 5  | 8 10  | 9 0      | 5 4   | 6 7  | 7 2   | 9 6      |

F Friday quotation.  
 C Coarse variety.  
 FAQ Fair Average Quality.  
 Av. Average.  
 R Red variety.  
 W White variety.  
 L Local.  
 Y Yellow variety.

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