

BUFFER STOCK

Farm output according to the third advanced estimate (in million tonnes)

Crops	2010-2011	2011-2012	% Change	0
Foodgrains	244.78	252.56	3.17	
Wheat	86.87	90.23	3.80	
Rice	95.98	103.41	7.74	
Pulses	18.24	17.02	-6.60	
Oilseeds	32.4	30.0	-8.00	
Mustard seed	8.17	6.96	-14.80	
Coarse cereals	43.68	41.91	-4.00	
Cotton*	33.0	35.2	6.60	
Jute**	10.00	10.89	8.80	
Sugarcane	342.38	351.19	2.57	

*In million bales of 170 kilograms each **In million bales of 180 kilograms each

NOTE: The crop year runs from June to July in most cases, barring cotton and sugarcane.

SOURCE: Department of Agriculture