

**EXPLANATORY NOTE ON THE SEASON AND CROP REPORT OF
HIMACHAL PRADESH ADMINISTRATION FOR THE YEAR
1957-58**

I. INTRODUCTION

The report under reference relates to the year 1957-58. Every item of the summary tables has been explained and discussed in the corresponding detailed tables. The agricultural year under review was only reported normal in Chamba district. In other four districts it remained below normal due to untimely rains and seasonal vagarities. The yield has also been reported less due to scarcity of rainfall at the time of maturing. The total outturn has however shown some increase which is due to more area being brought under cultivation.

II. GEOGRAPHICAL AREA

This Territory is comprised of 5 Districts having 24 Tehsils and 5 Sub-Tehsils. Total geographical area according to the Surveyor General of India is 69,90,080 acres *i.e.* 10,922 Square miles. According to village papers the area stood as 38,81,519 acres which is 56 per cent of the total geographical area. The area, which does not find entry in the Revenue Records, comes mostly under Forests, a part of which is being directly reported by the Forest Department. It also includes barren and unculturable waste, permanent pastures, and other grazing lands, a major portion of which has not been surveyed cadastrally so far.

There is an increase of 19,10,754 acres in area by village papers as compared to last year's figures. It is due to the recent Settlement in Chamba district.

The area of Chamba district according to Survey Department and by village papers is 20,06,400 and 16,94,618 acres respectively. The difference is due to the two different measurement systems conducted by Survey and Settlement Departments.

III. VILLAGES

Total number of villages in this Territory is 10,893. District-wise list is as under:—

1. Bilaspur	..	..	1,025
2. Chamba	..	..	1,696
3. Mahasu	..	..	3,254
4. Mandi	..	..	3,946
5. Sirmur	..	..	972
TOTAL	..	..	10,893

The decrease in the number of villages in Chamba district was due to the formation of new Revenue Estates under the regular Settlement recently

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IV. EXTENT OF REPORTING AND NON-REPORTING AREAS

Total area	69,90,080 acres
Reporting area	38,81,519 acres
Non-reporting area	31,08,561 acres.

V. RAINFALL

(a) *Pre-Monsoon*.—Table No. I illustrates the spread of rainfall district-wise during the different seasons. The rains were reported normal in Mandi and Chamba districts while in others the rainfall was inadequate. The shortage at the time of maturing of *Rabi* Crops slightly damaged the crops.

(b) *Monsoon*.—The average rainfall for the season is given below district-wise:—

Bilaspur	1104.9 millimetres
Chamba	950.3 millimetres
Mahasu	692.4 millimetres
Mandi	1132.3 millimetres
Sirmur	1185.3 millimetres.

Rains were reported a bit excessive in Mahasu and Sirmur districts and in other three Districts these were reported sufficient and fairly distributed.

(c) *Post Monsoon*.—The rains were normal in Chamba and Mandi districts while in other three districts some scarcity was reported. The condition of crops therefore was not satisfactory in these Districts.

(d) *Winter*.—The rains during this season were insufficient in Bilaspur, Mahasu and Sirmur districts which damaged the *Rabi* Crops to some extent in these Districts. In other two Districts the rainfall was reported normal.

NUMBER OF RAINY DAYS

Rain fell for 80 days during the year. The following details will show the spread of rainfall:—

Name of Seasons	1956-57	1957-58
1. Pre-monsoon	14.44 days	17 days
2. Monsoon	51.18 days	42 days
3. Post-monsoon	11.01 days	10 days
4. Winter	6.61 days	11 days
TOTAL	83.24 days	80 days

The rains were reported to be sufficient and more or less evenly distributed in Chamba district. In other Districts the rains were not well distributed and damage was caused to the crops. The yield in them therefore was below the mark.

VI. CLASSIFICATION OF AREA

Table No. II illustrates the utilization of land during the year.

Out of the total reporting area 31 per cent constitutes forests, 2 per cent

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lands, 2 per cent land under tree crops and groves, 1 per cent fallow lands and 17 per cent net area sown. The difference in figures reported last year under the various heads of classification and during the current year is due to the recent settlement in Chamba district. Previously most of the area was unmeasured and not taken into account in that District.

VII. SOURCES OF WATER SUPPLY AND AREA AND CROPS IRRIGATED THEREFROM

The sources of water supply for irrigation purposes are generally inadequate. Private owned *Kuhls*, i.e. small water channels drawn from the springs and streams, are the only sources of irrigation throughout the Territory. The Irrigation Department Himachal Pradesh, Public Works Department and Extension Service Blocks (Development) are contributing for the construction of *kuhls* in their respective areas and Blocks with the co-operation of public but so far there has been no appreciable increase in area irrigated as the *Kuhls* are still incomplete. It is hoped that improvement will be effected after the constructions are completed. The area irrigated by *Kuhls* during the year under report was 14 per cent of the net area sown. There is a slight decrease in net irrigated area under crops while there is an increase in total gross irrigated area which calls for no remarks.

VIII. CROP ACREAGE

Total cropped area was 10,63,437 acres during the year as compared to 10,46,767 acres in the previous year. Net area sown came to 6,68,549 acres as against 6,78,498 acres during the preceding year. Area sown more than once was 3,94,888 acres during the year as compared to 3,68,269 acres last year. The increase in total cropped area and area sown more than once and decrease in net area sown in is nominal and calls for no remarks.

IX. YIELD PER ACRE OF CROPS

Table No. V-A illustrates the average yield of the principal crops per acre. Generally the yield has shown some decrease in the case of some crops which was due to adverse conditions at the time of maturing and harvesting. Though the Zamindars adopted improved methods of cultivation and good manuring during the year yet the adverse season effected the yield and better results did not come out.

The average yield obtained through crop cutting experiments by random sampling method in respect of rice and wheat have been utilized in working out the outturn of the crops concerned. By utilizing the average yield in the Territory, the outturn of rice and wheat increased to some extent as compared to last year.

X. TOTAL OUTTURN OF CROPS

The following details will show the total outturn of food and non-food crops:—

	1956-57	1957-58
1. Food crops	2,83,842-1/2 tons	2,82,260 tons
2. Non-Food crops	1,483 tons	1,828 tons

XI. FARM HARVEST PRICES

There is a slight increase in the farm harvest prices of Principal Crops which is due to the increase of prices of other necessities of life. The average has been calculated on weighted averages this year.

XII. AGRICULTURAL WAGES

The majority of the peasants in this Territory generally work on mutual co-operation basis in their fields and hardly employ any labour. Labour is engaged by a few peasants at the time of harvesting and sowing of crops only. Normal working hours are eight.

There was a slight increase in the wages of skilled and unskilled labourers due to general rise in prices of foodgrains. Generally the skilled labourers are customary and paid in kind at harvest time but in some cases are paid on monthly basis also. Therefore there is an increase in the rates of wages in terms of cash when compared to those of last year.

XIII. NUMBER OF LIVESTOCK, POULTRY, ETC.

The figures shown in Table No. VIII of the report are according to Cattle Census held in 1956. During the year under report as many as 97,046 cattle including sheep and goats were effected by various diseases as against 1,77,324 cattle during the last year. The main disease that occurred was of foot and mouth in all the Districts. Out of the cattle effected by the diseases, 307 cattle died as compared to 3,225 during the last year. The total number of cattle treated during the year under report was 2,31,087 as against 1,74,099 during the preceding year. The increase in the number of cattle treated as compared to the effected is due to the reason that other cattle who were not effected were also treated to further check the infection of the disease. The Veterinary Department provided necessary medical aid to the ailing animals. Infectants, tetmosol dressing, sub-cut injection and serum and vaccin injections were applied to the animals. The prompt and adequate supply of medicines and other measures taken in this regard decreased the mortality to a large extent. The Veterinary Department also distributed antiseptic medicines among Zamindars as a preventive measure.

The number of animals castrated during the year by the Veterinary Department stood at 22,464 as compared to 20,494 during the last year.

For the improvement of cattle and grading thereof, pedigree bull cows and buffalo bulls were kept at various places in the Territory. Stud bulls of improved breeds have been supplied to Hospitals and Panchayats in the Pradesh. As regards the improvement of cattle in the Tribal areas of backward classes of Pangi, Bharmour and Chini Tehsils, some Hissar dale, Polworth, Corridale and Rampur rams were distributed in these areas. Poultry birds of R.I.R. breed were also distributed in the Territory.

Key Village Centres under the Key Village Scheme sponsored by the Government of India are working in Mahasu and Bilaspur districts at various places.

XIV. GENERAL

The general condition of the agriculturists remained normal. Though the condition of the agriculturists is improving as a result of the implementation of the Development Plans in the Territory yet it cannot be regarded as satisfactory. There is a great disparity in the living standard of the agriculturists of this Territory as compared to that of the agriculturists in the adjoining areas. Economically the agriculturists are not so better as they would be in the near future at the completion of Development Schemes and of new links of motorable roads connecting the remotest corners of the Pradesh. Commodities of daily consumption will reach the destinations with least cost and the peasants will be able to export their surplus produce to the markets cheaply.

Zamindars are much interested in the expansion of orchards and in the improvement of their small holdings. For this purpose Agriculture and Development Departments are advancing large amounts to the Zamindars. Taccavi loans are liberally granted to bring more land under plough and for the general improvement thereof. Co-operative Societies and Panchayats are also taking much interest in the improvement of the economic condition of the people. Improved seeds and artificial manures are being distributed by the Agriculture and Development Departments.

The general standard of the health of cattle is still poor and requires much improvement.

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SUMMARY TABLES

A.—Classification of Area

Heads of classification	1953-54		1954-55		1955-56
	Area	% of total	Area	% of total	Area
1	2	3	4	5	6
Total Geographical Area—					
By Professional Survey	69,77,506	100	69,79,148	100	69,90,080
By Village Papers	23,02,564	33	23,12,648	33½	23,04,597
CLASSIFICATIONS:					
Forests	3,99,748	19-1/2	3,99,601	19	4,00,544
Barren and Unculturable land ..	97,501	5	69,387	3½	71,476
Land put to non-agricultural uses ..	62,557	3	87,870	4-1/2	87,296
Culturable waste	89,836	4-1/2	90,792	5	99,369
Permanent pastures and other grazing lands	8,65,500	42	8,57,897	41	8,60,344
Land under misc. tree crops and groves not included in area sown	62,770	3	71,518	4	61,973
Current fallows	39,291	3	39,634	3-1/2	36,274
Other fallow land	18,105		17,386		8,432
Net area sown	6,67,256	34	6,78,563	35	6,78,889
Area sown more than once	3,51,952	..	3,61,944	..	3,68,437
Total, cropped area	10,19,208	..	10,40,507	..	10,47,326

Heads of classification	1955-56	1956-57		1957-58	
	% of total	Area	% of total	Area	% of total
1	7	8	9	10	11
Total Geographical Area—					
By Professional Survey	100	69,90,080	100	69,90,080	100
By Village Papers	33	29,70,765	42	38,81,519	56
CLASSIFICATIONS:					
Forests	18	5,22,015	18	12,09,552	31
Barren and Unculturable land ..	3-1/2	78,228	3	77,042	2
Land put to non-agricultural uses	4	1,01,313	3	1,16,822	3
Culturable waste	4-1/2	1,08,037	4	1,16,057	3
Permanent pastures and other grazing lands	37-1/2	13,72,097	46	15,81,575	40
Land under misc. tree crops and groves not included in area sown	3	62,747	2	64,911	2
Current fallows	2	38,829	2	40,034	1
Other fallow land		9,001		6,977	
Net area sown	29	6,78,498	23	6,68,549	17
Area sown more than once .. ..	..	3,68,269	..	3,94,888	..
Total, cropped area .. ..	..	10,46,767	..	10,63,437	..

TABLE
Area of crops irrigated in each District of

District	Rice			Total
	Food			
	Autumn (Aus)	Winter (Aman)	Summer (Boro)	
1	2	3	4	5
Bilaspur	3,502	3,502
Chamba	5,853	5,853
Mahasu	10,322	10,322
Mandi	25,324	25,324
Sirmur	6,373	6,373
Total	51,374	51,374

District	Food			
	Italian Millets	Kodo or Varagu	Little Millets or Kutki etc.	Common Millet
	14	15	16	17
1				
Bilaspur
Chamba	1,494
Mahasu	6,667
Mandi	11
Sirmur	743
Total	8,915

District	Non-food					
	Cotton			Jute	San Hemp	Ground-nut
	Desi	American	Total	29	30	31
1	26	27	28			
Bilaspur	9	..	5	..
Chamba	1	..
Mahasu
Mandi
Sirmur	2	..	..	..
Total	11	..	6	..

NO. III-B
Himachal Pradesh Territory in 1957-58

(in acres)

Crops	Jowar or Cholam			Bajra or Cumbu	Barley	Maize	Ragi or Marua	
	Wheat	Rabi	Kharif					Total
	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	3,296	..	..	..	27	854	1
	6,048	..	..	..	946	1,700	21
	10,234	..	..	..	6,215	4,661	821
	21,099	..	..	..	432	3,490	369
	13,170	..	..	..	2	2,446	1,107
	53,847	2	10,066	20,123	2,319

Crops—concl'd.

Crops	Green gram or mung red gram or tur (Arhar)	Black gram and other pulses	Masur	Sugarcane	Potatoes	Misc. Food Crops	Total Food Crops	
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
		118	47	15	16	277
	..	80	..	15	..	216	926	17,305
	168	..	..	115	3	921	2,007	42,275
	346	1	..	112	183	67	693	52,156
	438	..	..	195	173	823	1,328	38,079
	1,070	81	..	484	374	2,043	5,231	1,58,061*

Crops

Crops	Coconut	Sesamum	Rape	Mustard	Linseed	Castor	Indigo	Rubber
	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39
		..	1	..	23
	..	3	..	26	105	..	..	..
	..	3	11	26	..	..	..	..
	..	1	7	40	1,641	..	..	..
	..	15	..	316	2	..	..	..
	..	23	18	431	1,748	..	..	..

*Area includes "Condiments and Spices"

TABLE
Area of Crops irrigated in each District of

District	No-food					
	Tobacco	Coffee	Tea	Indian hemp	Opium	Cinchona
1	40	41	42	43	44	45
Bilaspur ..	171	..	..	..	..	..
Chamba ..	30	..	..	..	..	..
Mahasu ..	172	..	..	..	..	..
Mandi ..	185	..	75	..	..	..
Sirmur ..	326	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	884	..	75	..	..	..

NO. III-B—concl'd.
Himachal Pradesh Territory in 1957-58

(In acres)

Crops—concl'd.								
Carda- moms	Chillies	Ginger	Pepper	Turme- ric	Fodder crops	Miscella- neous non- food crops	Total non- food crops	Total area under irrigated crops
46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54
..	3	84	..	6	7	..	216	8,462
..	1	5	..	..	2	3	170	17,475
..	75	59	..	7	7	..	219	42,494
..	26	2	..	1	3	6	1,958	54,114
..	364	1,499	..	..	158	..	819	38,898
..	469	1,649	..	14	177	9	3,382	1,61,443

TABLE
Area under Non-Food Crops in each District of

District	Fib-			
	Cot-			
	Desi		American	
1	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	2	3	4	5
Bilaspur	595	626	..	..
Chamba	7	4	..	..
Mahasu	82	82	..	..
Mandi	5	24	..	..
Sirmur	353	378	..	..
Total	1,042	1,114	..	..

District	Oil			
	Edi			
	Groundnut		Coconut	
1	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	16	17	18	19
Bilaspur	1	2	..	..
Chamba .. .. .	..	..	..	..
Mahasu .. .. .	..	..	..	..
Mandi .. .. .	..	..	..	..
Sirmur	10	12	..	..
Total	11	14	..	..

District	Oil			
	Edible-concl'd.		Non-	
	Total Edible oilseeds		Linseed	
1	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	28	29	30	31
Bilaspur	1,008	1,165	4	6
Chamba	5,153	5,693	108	142
Mahasu	623	477	44	10
Mandi	676	1,001	1,865	1,748
Sirmur	2,055	2,243	126	115

NO. IV-B
Himachal Pradesh Territory in 1957-58 (in Acres)

res	ton									
	Total		Jute		Sann/Hemp		Other fibres		Total fibres	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
.. .. .	595	626	..	..	31	18	..	..	626	644
.. .. .	7	4	5	..	1	5	..	..	13	9
.. .. .	82	82	38	15	66	47	..	..	186	145
.. .. .	5	24	..	..	9	..	402	377	416	401
.. .. .	353	378	..	..	80	56	..	..	433	434
Total	1,042	1,114	43	15	187	126	402	377	1,674	1,633

seeds	ble							
	Sesamum		Rape		Mustard		Others including Safflower seed, Sunflower etc.	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
.. .. .	452	553	..	..	555	610	..	..
.. .. .	193	225	..	..	4,960	5,468	..	..
.. .. .	129	137	..	..	494	340	..	..
.. .. .	79	95	..	..	597	906	..	..
.. .. .	816	724	..	..	1,229	1,507	..	..
Total	1,669	1,734	..	..	7,835	8,881	..	..

seeds—concl'd.	Edible							
	Castor		Others including dill or sowa mast-wood, neerali and niger-seeds		Total Non-Edible oil seeds		Total oilseeds	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39
..	21	..	25	6	1,033	1,171
..	108	142	5,261	2,835
..	4	16	48	26	671	503
..	1,865	1,748	2,541	2,749
..	327	427	453	542	2,508	2,785

TABLE

Area under Non-Food Crops in each District of

District	Dyes and Tanning Materials					
	Indigo		Other Dyes & Tanning Materials		Total Dyes and Tanning Materials	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	40	41	42	43	44	45
Bilaspur
Chamba
Mahasu
Mandi
Sirmur
Total

District	Drugs and					
	Indian Hemp		Opium		Cinchona	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	54	55	56	57	58	59
Bilaspur
Chamba
Mahasu
Mandi
Sirmur
Total

District	Condiments					
	Ginger		Pepper		Turmeric	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	70	71	72	73	74	75
Bilaspur	122	159	..	..	54	38
Chamba	6	7	..	..	..	..
Mahasu	275	286	..	..	9	7
Mandi	2	2	..	..	4	2
Sirmur	2,836	2,207	..	..	48	34
Total	3,241	2,661	..	..	115	81

NO. IV-B—contd.

Jhimachal Pradesh Territory in 1957-58 (in Acres)

	Drugs and Narcotics							
	Rubber		Tobacco		Coffee		Tea	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53
..	577	423	..	..	..	..
..	251	228	..	..	..	..
..	356	308	..	..	..	..
..	384	338	..	..	1,957	1,957
..	628	478	..	..	..	..
..	2,196	1,775	..	..	1,957	1,957

	Narcotics—concl'd.										Condiments and Spices					
	Other Drugs & Narcotics		Total Drugs & Narcotics		Betelnuts		Cardamoms		Chillies							
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75
..	577	423	..	..	..	..	7	10	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	251	228	..	..	..	..	41	103	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	356	308	..	..	..	..	105	67	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	2,341	2,295	..	..	..	..	132	123	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	628	478	..	..	..	..	307	290	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	4,153	3,732	..	..	..	..	592	593	..	..	..	..	..	..

	and Spices—concl'd.										Other Miscellaneous					
	Other condiments and spices		Total condiments and spices		Fodder crops		Non-food crops		Total non-food crops excluding condiments and spices							
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90	91
.. ..	26	47	209	254	646	673	..	..	2,882	2,911	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. ..	6	6	53	116	63	7	6	..	5,594	6,079	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. ..	106	70	495	430	636	626	..	..	1,849	1,582	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. ..	17	10	155	137	5	8	..	..	5,303	5,453	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. ..	235	196	3,426	2,727	4,555	2,814	39	50	8,163	6,561	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. ..	390	329	4,338	3,664	5,905	4,128	45	50	23,791	22,586	..	..	..	..	..	..

SUMMARY TABLES—*contd.*

B.—Sources of Water Supply and Area Irrigated therefrom

	1953-54	1954-55	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58
1	2	3	4	5	6
(i) Specification of sources:					
Private canals—					
Number .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Mileage .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Government canals—					
Number .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Mileage .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Tube wells—					
Government .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Private .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Total .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
No. of other Government wells used for irrigation purposes only—					
Masonry .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Non-masonry .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
No. of other private wells used for irrigation purposes only—					
Masonry	20	20	24	24	12
Non-masonry	36	36	47	53	65
No. of total wells in use for irrigation purposes	56	56	71	77	77
No. of wells used for domestic purposes only	355	342	298	395	395
No. of wells not in use	13	13	57	..	..
No. of reservoirs .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
No. of tanks—					
With Ayacut 100 acres or more .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
With Ayacut less than 100 acres .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Total .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
No. of oil engines .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
(ii) Net Area irrigated by:					
Government canals .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Private canals .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Tanks .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Wells	25	41	62	63	73
Other sources	92,479	94,894	94,908	93,453	93,424
Total	92,504	94,935	94,970	93,516	93,497

SUMMARY TABLES—*contd.*B.—Sources of Water Supply and Area Irrigated therefrom—*concl'd.*

	1953-54	1954-55	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58
1	2	3	4	5	6
(ii) Net Area irrigated by—<i>concl'd.</i>					
Percentage of net area irrigated to net area sown	14%	14%	14%	14%	14%
Area irrigated more than once in the same year (in acres)	67,800	69,016	67,478	66,588	68,016
Total gross area of crops irrigated (in acres)	1,60,304	1,63,951	1,62,448	1,60,104	1,61,443
Percentage of total irrigated area to total sown area	15.5%	16%	16%	15%	15%
No. of wells having independent ayacuts	46	46	71	71	77
No. of wells supplementary recognised sources of irrigation .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Percentage of area irrigated by wells having independent ayacuts to the total area irrigated .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..

TABLE
Total outturn of Principal Crops in each District of

District	Food			
	Ri-			
	Autumn (Aus)		Winter (Aman)	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
1	2	3	4	5
Bilaspur
Chamba
Mahasu
Mandi
Sirmur
Total

District	Food			
	Jowar or Cholam		Bajra or Cumbu	
	Total		Current	Normal
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
1	16	17	18	19
Bilaspur	..	..	..	..
Chamba	..	..	..	..
Mahasu	10	2	3	4
Mandi	..	..	..	..
Sirmur	..	..	17	25
Total	10	2	20	29

District	Food	
	Kodo or Varagu	
	Current	Normal
	28	29
Bilaspur
Chamba
Mahasu
Mandi
Sirmur
Total

SNO. V-B
Himachal Pradesh Territory in 1957-58 (in Tons)

Crops	Food									
	Summer (Soro)				Total		Wheat		Jowar or Cholam	
	Current		Normal		Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	4,225	3,756	4,225	3,756	12,978	8,228	..	..	..	..
	2,997	1,615	2,997	1,615	9,336	6,989	..	..	..	..
	7,753	6,280	7,753	6,280	26,238	19,220	..	..	10	2
	23,266	21,472	23,266	21,472	31,545	21,026	..	..	..	..
	5,117	2,829	5,117	2,829	15,499	11,560	..	..	..	..
	43,358	35,952	43,358	35,952	95,596	67,023	..	..	10	2

Crops - contd.

Crops	Barley		Maize		Ragi or Marua		Italian Millets	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
		97	151	10,853	16,901	70	101	..
	2,583	2,134	11,680	12,870	188	230	..	..
	8,062	7,262	17,615	15,848	2,669	2,700	..	..
	3,262	2,854	17,451	14,789	4,230	3,775	..	..
	1,851	1,631	12,390	12,230	1,042	1,026	..	..
	15,855	14,032	69,989	72,638	8,199	7,932	..	..

Crops - contd.

Crops	Little Millets		Common Millets		Kuthi or Gram	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	30	31	32	33	34	35
		1,976	1,459
	..	..	600	753	1	1
	..	..	9,067	9,701	129	99
	..	..	589	716	186	123
	541	539	..	..	499	550
	541	539	10,256	11,170	2,791	2,232

TABLE
Total outturn of Principal Crops in each District of

District	Food			
	Green Gram or Mung		Red Gram (Tur) or Arhar	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
1	36	37	38	39
Bilaspur	1/2	1	..	..
Chamba	2	25	..	..
Mahasu .. .. .	..	..	..	..
Mandi	1	1	..	..
Sirmur	9	1	3	..
Total	12-1/2	28	3	..

District	Food Crops—concl'd.			
	Sugarcane		Potatoes	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
1	48	49	50	51
Bilaspur	296	147	30	19
Chamba .. .. .	..	..	837	903
Mahasu	15	10	20,918	12,279
Mandi	330	298	2,188	1,654
Sirmur	1,317	1,092	3,188	2,411
Total	1,958	1,547	27,161	17,266

District	Non-food			
	Hemp/San		Groundnut	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
1	60	61	62	63
Bilaspur	1	1	..	..
Chamba .. .. .	..	..	..	..
Mahasu	9	7	..	..
Mandi	1	..	..	..
Sirmur	10	7	3	3
Total	21	15	3	3

N. V. B.—cont'd.
Himachal Pradesh Territory in 1957-58 (in Tons)

Crops—cont'd.	Black Gram (Urd) or Mash		Other Pulses		Masur		Total Foodgrains	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47
	84	79	457	N.A.	21	13	30,791-3/4	30,689
	608	567	76	97	48	44	28,121	25,325
	..	..	2,029	1,781	192	52	73,851	63,049
	922	850	556	586	283	190	82,310-1/2	66,382
	333	423	190	180	108	74	38,067	31,088
	1,947	1,919	3,308	2,644	652	373	2,53,141-1/4	2,21,386-1/2

Crops—cont'd.	Non-food Crops							
	Cotton						Jute	
	American		Desi		Total		Current	Normal
Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	
52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	
	29.5	31.1	29.5	31.1	..	..
	6	6	6	6	54	24
	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	..	..
	14.8	15.8	14.8	15.8	..	..
	50.8	53.4	50.8	53.4	54	24

Crops—cont'd.	Coconut		Sesamum		Rape and		Mustard	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71
	32	44	..	..	79	110
	14	..	..	..	355	391
	8	8	..	..	23	24
	128	177	..	..	48	65
	89	68	..	..	173	155
	271	297	..	..	678	745

TABLE
Total outturn of Principal Crops in each District of

District	Non-food					
	Linseed		Castor		Indigo	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
1	72	73	74	75	76	77
Bilaspur	1	1	..	..	..	..
Chamba	8	..	..	..	..	..
Mahasu	1/2	1/2	..	..	..	..
Mandi	125	125	..	..	..	..
Sirmur	17	13	..	..	..	..
Total	151-1/2	139-1/2	..	..	..	..

District	Non-food					
	Cinchona		Rubber		Betelnuts	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
1	88	89	90	91	92	93
Bilaspur
Chamba
Mandi
Mahasu
Sirmur
Total

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(In Tons)

Crops—contd.

	Tobacco		Coffee		Tea		Indian Hemp		Opium	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87
99	76	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
36	25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
57	47	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
83	49	..	..	78	85	..	..	..	..	..
92	69	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
367	266	..	..	78	85	..	..	..	..	..

Crops—concl.

	Cardamoms		Chillies		Ginger		Pepper		Turmeric	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103
..	..	1/4	1/2	22	28	..	..	8	6	..
..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	15	5	54	62	..	..	15	13	..
..	..	19	18	..	..	..	..	1/2	3	..
..	..	55	52	405	421	..	..	8	7	..
..	..	91-1/4	75-1/2	481	511	..	..	31-1/2	29	..

SUMMARY TABLES—contd.

C.—Area of Crops Irrigated

(In Acres)

Crops	1953-54	1954-55	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58
1	2	3	4	5	6
(i) Food Crops:					
Rice—					
Autumn .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Winter .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Summer	53,830	54,227	52,469	51,820	51,374
Total	53,830	54,227	52,469	51,820	51,374
Wheat	55,118	55,729	54,072	53,301	53,847
Jowar—					
Rabi .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Kharif	52	..	..	..	..
Total	52	..	..	..	..
Bajra .. .. .	..	..	2	8	2
Barley	9,926	10,880	10,852	11,129	10,066
Maize	18,121	19,133	19,258	19,444	20,123
Ragi	2,294	2,482	2,337	2,289	2,319
Italian millets .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Kodo	1	..	..	..	..
Little millets .. .. .	..	4	..	7,588	..
Common millets	7,992	8,344	9,027	1,382	8,915
Gram	764	1,141	814	753	1,078
Green gram	15	..	658	38	81
Red gram .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Black gram	543	606	84	138	..
Horse gram .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Masur	227	325	377	355	484
Sugarcane	264	285	286	365	374
Potatoes	1,781	1,475	1,744	1,603	2,043
Miscellaneous food crops	4,414	5,387	5,483	4,708	5,231
Total, food crops	1,55,342	1,60,018	1,57,463	1,56,596*	1,58,061
(ii) Non-food Crops:					
Cotton—					
Desi	19	22	20	17	11
American .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Total	19	22	20	17	11
Jute .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
San Hemp	3	4	..	..	..
Groundnut .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..
Coconut .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Sesamum	23	26	35	36	2
Rape	14	6	9	15	18
Mustard	585	562	1,722	524	43

SUMMARY TABLES—contd.

C.—Area of Crops Irrigated—concl'd.

Crops	1953-54	1954-55	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58
1	2	3	4	5	6
(ii) Non-food Crops—concl'd.					
Linseed	1,718	1,685	1,790	1,700	1,748
Castor .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Indigo .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Rubber .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Tobacco	754	814	749	791	884
Coffee .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Tea	243	166	97	123	75
Indian hemp .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Opium	658	32	..	..	..
Cardamoms .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Chillies	179	75	77	275	469
Ginger	1,577	192	153	1,394	1,649
Pepper .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Turmeric	29	2	6	6	14
Fodder crops	207	276	190	235	177
Miscellaneous non-food crops	368	70	137	67	9
Total, non-food crops	4,962†	3,933	4,985	3,508‡	3,382‡
Total, irrigated crops	1,60,304	1,63,951	1,62,448	1,60,104	1,61,443

*Only those crops for which details of area irrigated are available need be included in this list.

†Total does not include 1415 acres of area under "Condiments and spices" in Sirmur District which is included under Food Crops by that District.

‡Excludes 1675 and 2132 Acres of area under "Condiments and spices".

TABLE
Details of Cropped Area in each District of

District	Gross Cropped Area							Grand Total
	Kharif*		Rabi*		Total			
	Food Crops	Non-food Crops	Food Crops	Non-food Crops	Food Crops	Non-food Crops		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
Bilaspur ..	69,547	1,725	59,353	1,157	1,26,900	2,882	1,29,782	
Chamba ..	81,979	557	53,929	5,090	1,35,961	5,594	1,41,555	
Mahasu ..	1,75,470	1,049	1,36,930	800	3,12,400	1,849	3,14,249	
Mandi ..	1,73,470	1,460	1,33,402	3,843	3,06,872	5,303	3,12,175	
Sirmur ..	83,133	5,648	74,380	2,915	1,57,513	8,163	1,65,676	
Total ..	5,83,599	10,493	4,55,994	13,805	10,39,646	23,791	10,63,437	

*The season may be according to the recognised customs of the Territory.

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Himachal Pradesh Territory in 1957-58 (in Acres)

Area cropped more than once	Net cropped area	Cropped Area of Forecast Crops		Area under mixed Sowing						
		Matured	Failed	Wheat-Barley (Crop Mixture)		(Crop ‡ Mixture)		Total unad-justed area under mixture		
				Gross area (un-adjusted)	Net Area under	Gross area (un-adjusted)	Net area under			
		13	14	15	16	17	18	19		
54,244	75,538	1,29,782	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
47,515	94,040	1,40,049	1,506	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1,06,914	2,07,335	3,09,290	4,959	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1,19,066	1,93,109	3,11,847	328	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
67,149	98,527	1,65,676	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
3,94,888	6,68,549	10,56,644	6,793	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

‡One separate column may be given for each crop mixture.

SUMMARY TABLES—contd.

D.—Area under all Crops

Crops	1953-54	1954-55	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58
1	2	3	4	5	6
Paddy Rice—					
Autumn .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Winter .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Summer	1,12,490	1,12,077	1,11,465	1,11,130	1,11,132
Total	1,12,490	1,12,077	1,11,465	1,11,130	1,11,132
Wheat	3,24,758	3,31,418	3,33,561	3,39,755	3,46,835
Jowar—					
Rabi .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Kharif	2,691	38	1	9	45
Total	2,691	38	1	9	45
Bajra	68	131	135	112	94
Barley	72,534	74,995	79,987	78,080	77,323
Maize	2,70,861	2,77,061	2,78,454	2,78,762	2,85,429
Ragi	42,983	42,926	41,848	39,494	38,338
Italian millets .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Kodo	496	..	..	..	..
Little millets .. .. .	..	4,758	..	..	3,022
Common millets	64,171	59,919	64,804	65,137	60,567
Other cereals—					
Kharif .. .. .	..	..	2	3	3
Rabi	17	31	..	..	..
Total	17	31	2	3	3
Total cereals	8,91,069	9,03,354	9,10,257	9,12,482	9,22,794
Gram	15,031	22,309	18,624	17,024	19,086
Green gram	391	323	174	88	110
Red gram	4,627	5	..	..	588
Black gram	29,112	28,494	21,889	27,927	18,138
Horse gram .. .. .	..	..	..	..	3,898
Masur & Mattar	2,352	3,064	3,868	4,429	5,114
Other pulses—					
Kharif	16,967	22,956	30,988	20,576	23,346
Rabi	1,860	1,951	2,192	3,540	2,249
Total	18,827	24,907	33,183	24,116	25,595
Total, pulses	70,340	79,102	77,738	73,584	72,529
Total, foodgrains	9,61,409	9,82,456	9,87,995	9,86,066	9,95,323

SUMMARY TABLES—contd.

D.—Area under all Crops—contd.

Crops	1953-54	1954-55	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58
1	2	3	4	5	6
Sugar crops—					
Sugarcane	2,588	2,537	2,948	3,409	3,418
Other Sugar crops .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Total	2,588	2,537	2,948	3,409	3,418
Fresh fruits—					
Apples	381	401	362	370	538
Grapes	38	37	37	40	37
Bananas	45	54	79	106	96
Citrus fruits	100	..	140	336	352
Mangoes	90	208	189	434	378
Peaches and pears	383	..	13	14	10
Other fresh fruits	523	1,743	1,706	1,412	1,212
Total, fresh fruits	1,560	2,443	2,526	2,712	2,623
Dry fruits—					
Cashew nuts .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..
Other dry fruits	288	298	297	307	568
Total, dry fruits	288	298	298	307	568
Vegetables—					
Potatoes	21,929	21,237	21,299	22,444	27,608
Tapioca .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Sweet Potatoes .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Onions	725	590	579	435	602
Others—					
Winter	384	179	223	306	262
Summer	3,237	2,986	3,408	3,305	3,613
Total others	3,621	3,165	3,631	3,611	3,875
Total, vegetables	26,275	24,992	25,509	26,190	32,035
Total, fruits and vegetables	28,123	27,733	28,333	29,209	35,276
Other miscellaneous food crops	2,508	14	202	16	1,291
Total, food crops*	9,94,628	10,16,105	10,23,222	10,22,752	10,39,646
Fibres:					
Cotton—					
Desi	1,275	1,169	1,314	1,124	1,042
American .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Total	1,275	1,169	1,314	1,124	1,042

SUMMARY TABLES—contd.
D.—Area under all Crops—contd.

Crops	1953-54	1954-55	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58
1	2	3	4	5	6
Fibres—conold.					
Jute	14	12	12	24	43
Sun Hemp	153	141	131	127	187
Other fibres .. ..	..	343	384	469	402
Total, fibres	1,442	1,665	1,841	1,744	1,674
Edible oilseeds—					
Groundnut	9	8	19	26	11
Coconut .. ..	..	..	..	..	..
Sesamum	1,732	1,700	1,987	1,772	1,669
Rape	77	5	154	..	57
Mustard	8,072	9,159	8,387	8,343	7,778
Other edible oilseeds	165	76	99	..	..
Total, edible oilseeds	10,055	10,948	10,646	10,141	9,515
Non-edible oilseeds—					
Linseed	1,980	1,870	2,138	2,079	2,147
Castor .. ..	..	..	..	..	..
Other non-edible oilseeds	889	528	314	401	352
Total, non-edible oilseeds	2,869	2,398	2,452	2,480	2,499
Total, oilseeds	12,924	13,346	13,098	12,621	12,014
Dyes and tanning materials—					
Indigo .. ..	..	..	..	..	..
Other dyes and tanning materials .. ..	..	..	6	3	..
Total, dyes and tanning materials .. ..	..	..	6	3	..
Rubber .. ..	..	..	..	..	..
Drugs and narcotics—					
Tobacco	1,601	1,889	1,932	2,097	2,196
Coffee .. ..	..	..	..	..	..
Tea	1,828	2,036	2,053	2,034	1,957
Indian Hemp .. ..	..	46	..	..	..
Opium	3,324	164	8	..	..
Cinchona .. ..	..	..	..	..	..
Other drugs and narcotics	6	..	3	1	..
Total, drugs and narcotics	6,759	4,135	3,996	4,132	4,153

SUMMARY TABLES—contd.
D.—Area under all Crops—conold.

Crops	1953-54	1954-55	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58
1	2	3	4	5	6
Condiments and spices—					
Beteinuts .. ..	..	..	..	..	..
Cardamoms .. ..	..	..	..	..	..
Chillies	452	530	540	700	592
Ginger	2,508	2,525	2,699	2,849	3,241
Pepper .. ..	..	..	..	..	..
Turmeric	91	76	61	84	115
Other condiments and spices	203	234	444	419	390
Total, condiments and spices	3,254	3,365	3,744	4,052	4,338
Fodder crops	2,621	5,050	5,087	5,439	5,965
Other miscellaneous non-food crops	81	206	76	76	45
Total, non-food crops*	23,827	24,402	24,104	24,015	23,791
Gross cropped area—					
Kharif—					
Food crops	5,76,485	5,59,957	5,80,071	5,78,818	5,83,599
Non-food crops	6,384	9,042	9,146	9,374	10,439
Rabi—					
Food crops	4,18,896	4,56,148	4,43,151	4,43,934	4,55,994
Non-food crops	17,443	15,360	14,958	14,641	13,805
Total, food crops	9,95,381	10,16,105	10,23,222	10,22,752	10,39,646
Total, non-food crops	23,827	24,402	24,104	24,015	23,791
Grand total	10,19,208	10,40,507	10,47,326	10,46,767	10,63,437
Area cropped more than once	3,51,952	3,61,944	3,68,437	3,68,269	3,94,888
Net cropped area	6,67,256	6,78,563	6,78,889	6,78,498	6,68,549
Cropped area of forecast crops—					
Failed	29,233	18,780	20,965	10,937	6,793
Matured	9,89,975	10,21,727	10,26,361	10,35,830	10,56,644
Total, gross unadjusted area under various crop mixtures .. ..	..	..	..	..	..

*Excluding area under "Condiments and spices".

SUMMARY

E.—Average yield per acre, condition of the

Crops	Standard yield	1953-54			1954-55			Total outturn
		Average yield	Cond. factor%	Total outturn	Average yield	Cond. factor%	Total outturn	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
	Md. Sr.	Md. Sr.		Tons	Md. Sr.		Tons	
Rice:								
Winter	
Summer	6-36	..	28,514	6-36	27,621	
Total	6-36	..	28,514	6-36	27,621	
Wheat	7-24	..	90,673	7-24	89,959	
Jowar—								
Rabi	
Kharif	..	6-0	1-0	17	96	8-34	147	
Total	..	6-0	1-0	17	96	8-34	147	
Bajra	..	6-0	6-0	100	14	6-0	100	
Barley	..	5-15	5-12	97	13,414	5-25	105	
Maize	..	7-10	6-25	97	64,370	6-30	97	
Ragi	..	5-20	5-4	93	8,017	5-30	105	
Italian millets	
Kodo	8-0	114	142	..	..
Little millets	4-14	67	8,759	..	..
Common millets	1,138	..	..
Total	1,34,430	..	..
Gram	..	3-0	4-11	118	2,774	6-15	212	
Green gram	..	3-25	3-28	102	47	3-10	95	
Red gram	..	3-30	4-20	150	825	3-10	94	
Black gram	..	3-30	3-28	99	3,362	2-30	73	
Other pulses	..	3-30	..	..	..	..	..
Masur	..	2-10	2-30	110	251	2-5	94	
Sugarcane	..	15-20	11-10	66	1,469	16-0	102	
Potatoes	..	22-20	24-5	107	26,864	22-35	105	
Total, food crops	2,51,796*	..	..

Figures of average yield per acre of irrigated and unirrigated crops may be given separately
*Including condiments and spices.

TABLES—contd.

Crop and the total outturn of Crops in tons

1955-56			1956-57			1957-58		
Average yield	Cond. factor%	Total outturn	Average yield	Cond. factor%	Total outturn	Average yield	Cond. factor%	Total outturn
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Md. Sr.		Tons	Md. Sr.		Tons	Md. Sr.		Tons
..
7-31	..	33,992	10.27	100	39,115	11-32	..	43,358
7-31	..	33,992	10.27	100	39,115	11-32	..	43,358
6-28	..	78,213	9.10	100	1,03,473	8-13	..	95,596
..	..	..	..	..	..	9-0	100	10
..	..	..	..	..	..	9-15	..	10
5-28	95	28	6-0	100	22	6-0	100	20
5-10	99	14,745	5-12	99	15,017	5-12	99	15,855
7-6	99	70,630	7-24	105	73,854	6-38	97	69,989
5-20	100	8,580	5-28	104	8,240	6-4	105	8,199
..
..
..	..	10,286	..	..	10,193	..	..	541
3-29	62	1,107	6-0	60	1,073	3-6	54	10,256
..	..	2,19,117	..	..	2,50,987	..	..	2,43,824
3-18	115	2,638	3-14-1/2	112	2,410	3-10	108	2,791
2-25	62	12-1/2	2-15	63	8	3-15	73	12-1/2
..	..	..	..	..	..	3-0	80	3
2-30	73	3,288	2-20	67	2,946	3-15	74	1,947
..	..	476	..	..	2,452	..	..	3,308
3-5	139	251	3-10	130	334	2-15	139	652
13-6	78	1,700	12-11	79	1,908	15-26	101	1,958
27-30	123	21,943	23-37	106	21,973	22-14	99	27,161
..	..	2,49,114-1/2*	..	..	2,83,842-1/2*	..	..	2,82,260*

wherever available, for other crops also as shown for Rice (First crop) Autumn.

SUMMARY

E.—Average yield per acre, condition of the

Crops	Standard yield	1953-54			1954-55				
		Average yield		Condn. factor%	Total outturn	Average yield		Condn. factor%	Total outturn
		Mds.	Sr.		Tons.	Mds.	Sr.	Tons.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		
Cotton—									
Desi	3—0	2—7	73	527	7—12	230	305		
American .. ..	..	..	..	..	3—25	..	..
Total	3—0	2—7	73	527	7—12	230	305		
Jute .. ..	..	..	..	3	3—25	..	4
San Hemp	4—0	..	..	3	..	..	9
Groundnut	15—0	..	..	1	..	..	3
Coconut .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sesamum	2—13	2—1	87	141	2—24	105	190		
Rape	2—10	2—29	109	72	..	..	..
Mustard	2—10	2—12	102	575	2—35	110	772		
Linseed	2—10	2—28	116	147	2—10	100	148		
Castor .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Indigo .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rubber .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tobacco	4—30	4—11	90	242	5—18	120	367		
Coffee .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tea .. ..	..	..	..	100	..	..	97
Indian hemp .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
Opium .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cinchona .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cardamoms .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Chillies	4—0	..	..	63-1/2	..	..	80-1/2
Ginger 5 mds. dry	20—0	13—32	69	976	17—13	88	998		
Pepper .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Turmeric	4—16	..	..	28	..	..	41
Total non-Food crop*	..	..	..	1,811	..	..	1,900

*Excluding condiments and spices.

TABLES—contd.

Crops and the total outturn of Crops in tons—concld.

	1955-56			1956-57			1957-58				
	Average yield		Condn. factor%	Total outturn	Average yield		Condn. factor%	Total outturn	Average yield	Condn. factor%	Total outturn in tons
	Mds.	Sr.		Tons.	Mds.	Sr.		Tons.	Mds.	Sr.	Tons.
	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17		
..	1—39	66	79-1/2	2—4	70	35	1—19	49	61.5		
..		
..	1—39	66	79-1/2	2—4	70	35	1—19	49	61.5		
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	54
..	..	..	6	3—0	75	11	1—0	..	21
..	..	..	7	7—20	50	8-1/2	6—0	40	3
..		
..	2—15	102	191	2—8	95	153	2—8	95	271		
..	2—13	100	6	2—10	97	682	2—28	129	678		
..	2—36	128	715	2—32	124	..	..	..	..
..	2—30	122	167-1/2	3—2-1/2	136	168-1/2	2—26	118	151-1/2		
..		
..		
..	4—25	97	331	4—14	92	325	4—14	92	367		
..		
..	..	..	100	1—20	..	100	1—20	..	78
..		
..		
..	..	..	72	2-38	74	100-1/2	2—10	..	91-1/4
..	11—38	60	1,143	17—0	86	710	4—5	..	481		
..		
..	..	..	10	4—0	91	14	4—20	..	31-1/2
..		
..	..	..	1,603	..	..	1,483	..	..	1,828

†Included in food crops.

SUMMARY TABLES—*contd.*
F.—Farm prices of Principal Crops

	1953-54	1954-55	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58
	1	2	3	4	5
Rice ..	26 2 3	22 11 1	20 14 6	20.95	21.80
Wheat ..	16 5 3	12 9 4	14 5 5	17.04	18.00
Jowar ..	..	..	..	..	..
Bajra ..	..	..	..	9.50	10.00
Barley ..	11 11 6	9 0 5	10 5 6	11.10	10.96
Gram ..	16 5 1	9 9 10	12 11 4	13.02	13.05
Maize ..	14 6 9	12 4 8	10 5 10	11.08	12.22
Cotton ..	50 0 0	55 0 0	60 0 0	65.00	66.17
Jute ..	..	..	..	..	..
Sugar raw ..	24 2 6	18 11 0	19 8 6	15.04	13.34
Groundnut ..	..	..	..	..	..
Castorseed ..	..	..	..	..	..
Linseed ..	20 6 0	22 8 0	21 9 4	23.62	18.18
Rape ..	26 11 1	17 8 0	23 9 6	25.38	24.23
Mustard ..	25 5 0	19 0 8	23 9 6	25.39	
Sesamum ..	30 0 0	24 8 0	24 0 0	25.86	24.27
Tobacco ..	69 9 7	59 0 7	55 3 0	58.38	59.63
Ginger ..	60 0 0	120 0 0	110 0 0	120.00	160.00
Pepper ..	..	..	..	..	..

SUMMARY TABLES—*contd.*

G.—Agricultural Wages

Months and year	Skilled Labour			Field Labour	Other Agrl. Labour	Herds men
	Carpenters	Black-smiths	Cobblers			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1956-57						
July 56	3.60	3.01	3.33	2.00	1.44	1.19
August	3.61	2.98	3.39	1.98	1.50	1.20
September	3.61	2.97	3.40	1.98	1.44	1.18
October	3.61	2.95	3.37	1.99	1.47	1.19
November	3.61	2.95	3.37	1.97	1.45	1.17
December	3.61	2.95	3.37	1.99	1.43	1.17
January 1957	3.48	2.84	3.18	1.69	1.37	1.09
February	3.50	2.95	3.28	1.70	1.45	1.09
March	3.47	2.84	3.28	1.75	1.48	1.10
April	3.53	2.95	3.29	1.78	1.51	1.14
May	3.60	2.98	3.31	1.86	1.51	1.21
June	3.60	2.98	3.32	1.81	1.50	1.21
Average for the year	3.57	2.96	3.32	1.84	1.46	1.16
1957-58						
July 57	3.73	3.07	3.64	2.23	1.77	1.21
August	3.73	3.07	3.64	2.28	1.77	1.21
September	3.73	3.06	3.60	2.23	1.77	1.23
October	3.67	3.04	3.57	2.15	1.77	1.19
November	3.67	3.04	3.57	2.15	1.77	1.19
December	3.67	3.03	3.59	2.15	1.77	1.19
January 1958	3.69	3.07	3.57	2.14	1.61	1.22
February	3.63	3.07	3.57	2.11	1.61	1.23
March	3.69	3.08	3.54	2.14	1.63	1.22
April	3.70	3.06	3.54	2.21	1.68	1.21
May	3.70	3.10	3.54	2.21	1.61	1.21
June	3.73	3.07	3.53	2.27	1.69	1.31
Average for the year	3.70	3.06	3.58	2.19	1.70	1.22

SUMMARY TABLES—*concl.*

H.—Number of Livestock, Poultry and Agricultural Machinery

	1951	1956
Cattle:		
Males over 3 years—		
Breeding bulls	1,571	1,490
Other males over 3 years	3,68,917	3,79,753
Females over 3 years—		
Breeding cows	3,59,649	3,99,978
Other cows over 3 years	10,399	1,754
Young stock	3,74,905	3,87,786
Total Cattle	11,15,441	11,70,761
Buffaloes:		
Males over 3 years—		
Breeding bulls	2,449	3,710
Other males over 3 years	753	937
Females over 3 years—		
Breeding cows	1,18,712	1,41,818
Other cows over 3 years	1,403	694
Young stock	51,819	58,805
Total Buffaloes	1,75,136	2,05,964
Total Sheep	6,26,925	6,97,176
Total Goats	5,71,697	6,51,623
Horses and ponies:		
Males over 3 years	2,630	2,366
Females over 3 years	1,613	1,955
Young stock	945	1,199
Total Horses and Ponies	5,188	5,520
Mules	4,191	3,446
Donkeys	2,493	2,378
Camels	84	100
Pig	3,678	2,204
Total Livestock	25,04,833	27,39,172
Poultry:		
Fowls	35,727	55,651
Ducks	21	37
Others .. .. .	..	8
Total Poultry	35,748	55,696
Agricultural Machinery and Implements:		
Plough	1,92,419	2,19,932
Carts	1,154	1,318
Sugarcane crushers	497	506
Tractors	1	3
Oil Engines	15	6
Electric Pumps	1	2
Ghanis	1,048	810

TABLE
Rainfall in each District of

District	Winter 1st January to 28th February							
	January		February		Total for the season			No. of rainy days
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Total rainfall	Corresponding normal		
	2	3	4	5	6	7		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
Bilaspur	137.2	..	2.8	..	140.0	..	10	
Chamba	165.3	..	52.9	..	218.2	..	11	
Mahasu	135.6	..	28.1	..	163.7	..	13	
Mandi	114.6	..	16.2	..	130.8	..	10	
Sirmur	177.3	..	0.4	..	177.7	..	10	
Average .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11

District	Monsoon 1st June to 30th September										
	June		July		August		September		Total for the season		
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Total rainfall	Corresponding normal	No. of rainy days
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
Bilaspur	70.1	..	410.5	..	365.1	..	259.2	..	1104.9	..	45
Chamba	61.0	..	362.2	..	346.8	..	180.3	..	950.3	..	41
Mahasu	90.4	..	299.3	..	149.5	..	153.2	..	692.4	..	36
Mandi	146.9	..	561.3	..	216.2	..	207.9	..	1132.3	..	45
Sirmur	61.8	..	504.8	..	361.7	..	257.0	..	1185.3	..	43
Average	42

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Himachal Pradesh Territory in 1957

District	Pre-Monsoon 1st March to 31st May								
	March		April		May		Total for the season		
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Total rainfall	Corresponding normal	No. of rainy days
	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Bilaspur	82.5	..	26.7	..	29.4	..	138.6	..	10
Chamba	201.6	..	145.6	..	123.9	..	471.1	..	28
Mahasu	77.4	..	92.6	..	168.1	..	338.1	..	24
Mandi	11.1	..	70.5	..	94.4	..	176.0	..	18
Sirmur	19.1	..	32.1	..	41.1	..	92.3	..	9
Average .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17

District	Post-Monsoon 1st October to 31st December											
	October		November		December		Total for the season			Total for the year		
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Total rainfall	Corresponding normal	No. of rainy days	Total rainfall	Corresponding normal	Total number of rainy days
	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
Bilaspur	54.4	..	34.8	..	65.4	..	154.6	..	10	1538.1	..	75
Chamba	134.7	..	90.6	..	140.9	..	366.2	..	14	1964.0	..	92
Mahasu	73.6	..	20.5	..	38.1	..	132.2	..	10	1376.4	..	83
Mandi	54.7	..	27.5	..	113.9	..	196.1	..	10	1738.8	..	84
Sirmur	53.1	..	24.6	..	86.3	..	164.0	..	6	1619.4	..	66
Average .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	80

TABLE
Classification of area in each District of

District	Total geographical area		Forests	Barren and unculturable land	Land put to non-agricultural uses
	By Professional Survey	By Village Papers			
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bilaspur	2,86,720	2,85,306	31,558	9,209	25,537
Chamba	20,06,400	16,94,618	8,09,803	3,150	35,984
Mahasu	30,21,440	8,67,380	1,43,696	26,772	26,627
Mandi	9,74,720	4,79,023	94,813	23,104	14,437
Sirmur	7,00,800	5,55,192	1,29,682	14,807	14,237
Total	69,90,080	38,81,519	12,09,552	77,042	1,16,822

NO. II
Himachal Pradesh Territory in 1957-58

(In Acres)

Classification	Culturable waste	Permanent pastures and other grazing lands	Land under misc. tree crops and groves not included in area sown	Current fallows	Other fallow lands	Net area sown	Area sown more than once	Total cropped Area
	10,115	1,27,620	..	4,444	1,285	75,538	54,244	1,29,782
	18,425	7,26,437	17	5,670	1,092	94,040	47,515	1,41,555
	42,005	3,98,063	292	19,694	2,896	2,07,335	1,06,914	3,14,249
	8,531	1,38,353	..	6,085	591	1,93,109	1,19,066	3,12,175
	36,981	1,91,102	64,602	4,141	1,113	98,527	67,149	1,65,676
	1,16,057	15,81,575	64,911	40,034	6,977	6,68,549	3,94,888	10,63,437

TABLE
Sources of Water Supply and Area Irrigated therefrom

District	Canals			
	Government		Private	
	Number	Mileage	Number	Mileage
1	2	3	4	5
Bilaspur
Chamba
Mahasu
Mandi
Sirmur
Total

District	Reser-voirs	Tanks			No. of oil en-gines	Net area irrigated by		
		With ayacut 100 acres or more	With ayacut less than 100 acre	Total		Government canals	Private canals	Tanks
1	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Bilaspur
Chamba
Mahasu
Mandi
Sirmur
Total

NO. III-A
in each District of Himachal Pradesh Territory in 1957-58

District	Wells									
	Tube wells			No. of other wells used for irrigation purposes only					No. of wells used for domestic purposes only	No. of wells not in use
	Government	Private	Total	Government		Private		Total		
				Maso-nry-	Non-maso-nry	Maso-nry	Non-maso-nry			
6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14			15
Bilaspur	24	24	..	..
Chamba
Mahasu
Mandi	359	..
Sirmur	12	41	53	36	..
Total	12	65	77	395	..

District	(In acres)			% of net area irrigated to net area sown	Area irrigated more than once in the same year (in acres)	Total gross area of crops irrigated (in acres)	% of total irrigated area to total soyn area	No. of wells having independent ayacuts	No. of wells supplementary recognised sources of irrigation	% of area irrigated by wells having independent ayacuts to the total area irrigated
	Wells	Other sources (Kahls)	Total							
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	
Bilaspur	24	4,483	4,507	6	3,955	8,462	6	24	..	..
Chamba .. .. .	..	9,476	9,476	10	7,999	17,475	12	..	..	..
Mahasu .. .. .	..	26,740	26,740	13	15,754	42,494	13	..	..	..
Mandi .. .. .	..	30,669	30,669	16	23,445	54,114	17	..	..	..
Sirmur	49	22,056	22,105	22	16,793	38,898	23	53	..	..
Total	73	93,424	93,497	14	67,946	1,61,443	15	77	..	..

TABLE
Area under Food Crops in each District of

District	Cereals					
	Rice					
	Autumn (Aus)		Winter (Aman)		Summer (Boro)	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Bilaspur	10,829	11,040
Chamba	7,682	8,299
Mahasu	19,871	20,231
Mandi	59,636	58,099
Sirmur	13,114	13,246
Total	1,11,132	1,10,915

District	Cereals						
	Bajra or Cambu		Barley		Maize		
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	
	18	19	20	21	22	23	
1	18	19	20	21	22	23	
Bilaspur	1	..	624	703	50,666	48,858
Chamba	18,079	14,935	54,931	60,056
Mahasu	15	24	35,343	36,356	59,615	56,190
Mandi	14,897	14,348	69,846	65,015
Sirmur	78	117	8,380	8,469	50,371	47,880
Total	..	94	141	77,323	74,811	2,85,429	2,77,999

District	Cereals—concl.								
	Other Cereals								
	Kharif		Rabi		Total				
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	
1	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	
Bilaspur	3	3	..	..	3	3	..	..
Chamba
Mahasu
Mandi
Sirmur
Total	..	3	3	..	..	3	3	..	..

NO. IV-A
Himachal Pradesh Territory in 1957-58 (in acres)

Cereals	Jowar or Cholam									
	Total		Wheat		Rabi		Kharif		Total	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
..	10,829	11,040	47,087	46,077	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	7,682	8,299	33,870	35,261	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	19,871	20,231	95,193	90,351	..	..	45	4	45	4
..	59,636	58,099	1,14,452	97,179	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	13,114	13,246	56,233	55,785	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	1,11,132	1,10,915	3,46,835	3,24,653	..	..	45	4	45	4

Cereals—contd.	Ragi or Marua									
	Italian millets		Kodo or Varagu		Little millets		Common millets			
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33
..	217	286	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	1,757	2,089	..	..	..	..	..	..	9,269	10,543
..	12,454	14,157	..	..	..	..	..	..	43,051	45,097
..	19,746	20,627	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,247	8,244
..	4,164	4,044	..	..	..	..	3,028	3,362	..	..
..	38,338	41,203	..	..	..	..	3,028	3,362	60,567	63,884

Total Cereals	Pulses							
	Gram		Green Gram or Mung		Red Gram or Tur (Arhar)			
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47
..	1,09,427	1,06,967	9,222	8,824	12	25	564	500
..	1,25,588	1,31,183	4	4	20	238	..	..
..	2,65,587	2,62,410	2,007	1,466	..	..	4	..
..	2,86,824	2,63,512	1,726	1,628	10	9	..	..
..	1,35,368	1,32,903	6,127	4,651	68	20	20	..
..	9,22,794	8,96,975	19,086	16,573	110	292	588	500

TABLE
Area under Food Crops in each District of

District	Pul-					
	Black Gram or Urd (Mash)		Horse Gram		Masur	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
1	48	49	50	51	52	53
Bilaspur	2,353	2,228	3,898	4,553	145	63
Chamba	5,712	5,696	..	..	677	305
Mahasu .. ..	..	..	..	..	1,535	1,029
Mandi	6,968	7,522	..	..	1,353	1,202
Sirmur	3,105	4,795	..	..	1,404	691
Total	18,138	20,241	3,898	4,553	5,114	3,290

Sugar

District	Total Foodgrains, Cereals & Pulses		Sugarcane	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	62	63	64	65
Bilaspur	1,25,644	1,23,160	517	355
Chamba	1,33,059	1,38,209	..	..
Mahasu	2,87,453	2,81,251	71	46
Mandi	3,01,622	2,78,817	661	596
Sirmur	1,47,545	1,44,457	2,169	1,947
Total	9,95,323	9,65,894	3,418	2,944

Fruits and

Fru-

Fresh

District	Citrus fruits		Mangoes	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	76	77	78	79
Bilaspur .. ..	..	..	..	..
Chamba .. ..	..	..	..	..
Mahasu .. ..	..	..	3	12
Mandi	89	83	214	196
Sirmur	263	274	161	100

NO. IV-A—contd.
Himachal Pradesh Territory in 1957-58 (in Acres)

Pulses—concl.

Crops	Other Pulses						Total	
	Kharif		Rabi		Total		Total	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61
..	23	..	..	23	..	16,217	16,193
..	1,017	783	41	..	1,058	783	7,471	
..	16,520	14,612	1,800	1,734	18,320	16,346	21,866	
..	4,388	4,716	353	228	4,741	4,944	14,798	
..	1,398	1,369	55	28	1,453	1,397	12,177	
..	23,346	21,480	2,249	1,990	25,595	23,470	72,529	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	68,919

Crops

Fruits and Vegetables

Crops	Other Sugar Crops		Total Sugar Crops		Fresh Fruits					
					Apples		Grapes		Bananas	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75
	517	355	..	..	..	..	2	36
..	59	24	..	..	19	14	
..	..	71	46	162	218	37	38	5	6	
..	..	661	596	317	265	..	..	27	21	
..	..	2,169	1,947	..	..	..	..	43	36	
..	..	3,418	2,944	538	507	37	38	96	113	

Vegetables—contd.

Fruits—contd.

Fruits—concl.

Crops	Peaches and Pears		Other fresh fruits		Total fresh fruits		Dry Fruits	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87
..	..	15	31	17	67	..	..
..	..	57	93	135	131	..	..
..	..	943	768	1,150	1,042	..	..
..	7	62	68	716	638	..	..
..	3	135	329	605	739	..	..

TABLE

Area under Food Crops in each District of

District	Fruits and					
	Fruits—contd.				Total Fruits (Fresh and Dry)	
	Dry Fruits— contd.					
	Other Dry Fruits		Total Dry Fruits		Current 92 Normal 93	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal		
1	88	89	90	91	92	93
Bilaspur	17	67
Chamba	135	131
Mahasu	566	293	566	293	1,716
Mandi	716	638
Sirmur	2	3	2	3	607
Total	..	568	296	568	296	3,191

District	Fruits and					
	Vege-					
	Other Vegetables					
	Winter		Summer		Total other Vegetables	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
1	102	103	104	105	106	107
Bilaspur	22	31	223	230	245
Chamba	44	49	61	68	105
Mahasu	64	64	3,025	2,659	3,089
Mandi	72	69	289	282	361
Sirmur	60	43	15	28	75
Total	..	262	256	3,613	3,267	3,875

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Himachal Pradesh Territory in 1957-58

Vegetables—contd.

	Vegetables							
	Potatoes		Tapioca		Sweet Potatoes		Onions	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	42	15	..	..	..	..	226	165
	1,264	1,054	..	..	..	..	54	85
	19,523	15,036	..	..	..	..	53	48
	3,192	2,564	..	..	..	..	165	145
	3,587	2,827	..	..	..	..	104	117
Total	27,608	21,496	..	..	..	..	602	560

Vegetables—concl'd.

tables—concl'd.

	Total Vegetables		Total Fruits & Vegetables		Other Miscellaneous Food Crops		Total Food Crops	
	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal	Current	Normal
	108	109	110	111	112	113	114	115
	513	441	530	508	..	..	1,26,900	1,24,277
	1,423	1,256	1,558	1,387	1,291	75	1,35,961	1,39,789
	22,665	17,807	24,381	19,142	..	..	3,12,400	3,00,869
	3,718	3,060	4,434	3,698	..	..	3,06,872	2,83,248
	3,766	3,015	4,373	3,757	..	..	1,57,513	1,52,888
Total	32,085	2,5579	35,276	28,492	1,291	75	10,39,646	10,01,069

TABLE
Standard yield per acre and the yield per acre in maunds in 1957-58

District	Rice								
	Autumn (Aus)			Winter (Aman)			Summer (Boro)		
	Standard	Condition factor	Current	Standard	Condition factor	Current	Standard	Condition factor	Current
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Mds.	%	Mds.	Mds.	%	Mds.	Mds.	%	Mds.
Bilaspur	11-32
Chamba	-do-
Mahasu	-do-
Mandi	-do-
Sirmur	-do-
Average	11-32

*Average per acre has been calculated by the Directorate of N.S.S. for the whole State

District	Barley			Maize		
	Standard	Condition factor	Current	Standard	Condition factor	Current
	23	24	25	26	27	28
	Mds.	%	Mds.	Mds.	%	Mds.
Bilaspur	..	..	4-20	..	..	6-0
Chamba	4-0	100	4-0	6-0	100	6-0
Mahasu	5-20	119	6-0	8-0	100	8-0
Mandi	6-0	67	4-30	7-0	91	6-30
Sirmur	6-0	100	6-0	8-0	100	8-0
Average	5-15	95	5-2	7-10	98	6-38

District	Gram			Green Gram or Moong		
	Standard	Condition factor	Current	Standard	Condition factor	Current
	41	42	43	44	45	46
	Mds.	%	Mds.	Mds.	%	Mds.
Bilaspur	..	..	5-0	..	..	1-0
Chamba	3-0	100	3-0	3-30	80	3-0
Mahasu	3-0	100	3-0	..	..	..
Mandi	3-0	92	2-30	3-30	84	2-20
Sirmur	3-0	83	2-20	4-0	75	3-0

NO. V-A
of the Principal Crops in each District of Himachal Pradesh Territory

Crops	Jowar or Cholam											
	Wheat			Rabi			Kharif			Bajra or Cumbu		
	Standard	Condition factor	Current	Standard	Condition factor	Current	Standard	Condition factor	Current	Standard	Condition factor	
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	Mds.	%	Mds.	Mds.	%	Mds.	Mds.	%	Mds.	Mds.	%	Mds.
Bilaspur	8-13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Chamba	-do-	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mahasu	-do-	..	..	..	6-0	150	9-0	..	..	..
Mandi	-do-	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sirmur	-do-	..	..	..	..	..	..	6-0	100	6-0
Average	8-13	..	..	..	6-0	150	9-0	6-0	100	6-0

and not on District basis.

Crops—contd.	Ragi or Marua			Italian Millets			Kodo or Varagu			Common Millets		
	Standard	Condition factor	Current	Standard	Condition factor	Current	Standard	Condition factor	Current	Standard	Condition factor	Current
	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
	Mds.	%	Mds.	Mds.	%	Mds.	Mds.	%	Mds.	Mds.	%	Mds.
Bilaspur	..	..	9-0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Chamba	3-0	100	3-0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2-0
Mahasu	6-0	100	6-0	..	..	..	..	..	..	6-0	100	6-0
Mandi	6-0	89	5-20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1-20
Sirmur	7-0	100	7-0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Average	5-20	105	6-4	..	..	..	..	..	..	6-0	52	3-6

Crops—contd.	Red Gram or Tur (Arhar)			Black Gram or Urd (Mash)			Horse Gram			Masur		
	Standard	Condition factor	Current	Standard	Condition factor	Current	Standard	Condition factor	Current	Standard	Condition factor	Current
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58
	Mds.	%	Mds.	Mds.	%	Mds.	Mds.	%	Mds.	Mds.	%	Mds.
Bilaspur	3-0	..	..	1-0	..	..	2-0	..	..	..
Chamba	3-30	80	3-0	..	..	..	2-0	100	2-0
Mahasu	2-20	100	2-20
Mandi	3-30	84	3-0	..	..	..	2-20	87	2-0
Sirmur	4-0	75	3-0	..	..	..	3-0	100	3-0

TABLE
Farm prices during 1957-58 of Principal Crops at certain

District or Centre	Rice		Wheat	
	Current year	Last year	Current year	Last year
1	2	3	4	5
Bilaspur	21.81	20.40	15.60	15.68
Chamba	26.40	23.98	16.99	18.79
Mahasu	24.07	20.58	18.22	20.01
Mandi	21.07	21.56	21.56	17.49
Sirmur	23.00	18.25	15.00	13.18
Average	21.80	20.95	18.00	17.04

District or Centre	Maize		Cotton	
	Current year	Last year	Current year	Last year
1	14	15	16	17
Bilaspur	10.78	11.50	65.00	65.00
Chamba	13.97	11.59	..	..
Mahasu	14.22	12.33	62.50	..
Mandi	10.81	10.61	..	..
Sirmur	11.00	9.37	70.00	65.00
Average	12.22	11.08	66.17	65.00

District or Centre	Linseed		Rape and Mustard	
	Current year	Last year	Current year	Last year
1	26	27	28	29
Bilaspur .. .. .	..	29.00	..	32.00
Chamba .. .. .	..	..	..	21.80
Mahasu	21.25	21.62	..	21.25
Mandi	18.17	20.25	..	24.42
Sirmur .. .. .	..	..	..	26.00
Average	18.18	23.62	..	24.23

NO. VI
Centres in Himachal Pradesh Territory

Current year	Last year	Bajra		Barley		Gram	
		Current year	Last year	Current year	Last year	Current year	Last year
6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
..	10.00	12.88	12.72	13.54
..	9.45	10.47	..	10.66
..	11.66	11.10	15.30	16.50
..	10.98	11.06	15.67	15.14
..	..	10.00	9.50	10.00	10.00	12.50	9.25
..	..	10.00	9.50	10.96	11.10	13.05	13.02

Current year	Last year	Sugar raw		Groundnut		Castorseed	
		Current year	Last year	Current year	Last year	Current year	Last year
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
..	13.00	..	..	..	..
..
..
..	..	18.70	20.62	..	..	..	..
..	..	12.00	11.50	..	..	..	..
..	..	13.34	15.04	..	..	..	..

Current year	Last year	Tobacco		Ginger		Pepper	
		Current year	Last year	Current year	Last year	Current year	Last year
32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39
35.00	..	60.00	60.00	160.00	120.00	..	..
..	..	..	75.00	..	..	..	..
23.23	17.72	61.36	60.00	..	..	..	..
..	..	39.85	40.22	..	..	..	..
35.00	34.00	70.00	56.66	..	..	..	..
34.27	25.86	59.63	58.38	160.00	120.00	..	..

TABLE
Agricultural wages in each District of

January, 1958						
(Normal No. of working hours .8)						
District	Skilled labour			Field labour	Other agricultural labour	Herds-men
	Carpenters	Black-smiths	Cobblers			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bilaspur	3.25	2.25	3.50	1.50	1.25	1.00
Chamba	3.92	2.69	2.87	2.69	1.28	1.87
Mahasu	4.00	4.00	5.00	3.00	2.00	0.62
Mandi	3.27	2.42	2.49	1.53	1.50	0.62
Sirmur	4.00	4.00	4.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
Average	3.69	3.07	3.57	2.14	1.61	1.22

March, 1958						
(Normal No. of working hours .8)						
District	Skilled labour			Field labour	Other agricultural labour	Herds-men
	Carpenters	Black-smiths	Cobblers			
1	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bilaspur	3.25	2.25	3.50	1.50	1.25	1.00
Chamba	3.94	2.69	2.87	2.70	1.28	1.89
Mahasu	4.00	4.00	5.00	3.00	2.00	0.62
Mandi	3.27	2.47	2.32	1.49	1.62	0.63
Sirmur	4.00	4.00	4.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
Average	3.69	3.08	3.54	2.14	1.63	1.20

May, 1958						
(Normal No. of working hours .8)						
District	Skilled labour			Field labour	Other agricultural labour	Herds-men
	Carpenters	Black-smiths	Cobblers			
1	26	27	28	29	30	31
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bilaspur	3.25	2.25	3.50	1.50	1.25	1.00
Chamba	3.94	2.69	2.87	2.70	1.28	1.89
Mahasu	4.00	4.00	5.00	3.00	2.00	0.62
Mandi	3.33	2.57	2.54	1.73	1.50	0.58
Sirmur	4.00	4.00	4.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
Average	3.70	3.10	3.54	2.21	1.61	1.21

NO. VII
Himachal Pradesh Territory in 1957-58

February, 1958						
(Normal No. of working hours .8)						
	Skilled labour			Field labour	Other agricultural labour	Herds-men
	Carpenters	Black-smiths	Cobblers			
	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	3.25	2.25	3.50	1.50	1.25	1.00
	3.94	2.69	2.87	2.70	1.28	1.89
	4.00	4.00	5.00	3.00	2.00	0.62
	2.95	2.42	2.49	1.35	1.50	0.65
	4.00	4.00	4.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
	3.63	3.07	3.57	2.11	1.61	1.23

April, 1958						
(Normal No. of working hours .8)						
	Skilled labour			Field labour	Other agricultural labour	Herds-men
	Carpenters	Blacksmiths	Cobblers			
	20	21	22	23	24	25
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	3.25	2.25	3.50	1.50	1.25	1.00
	3.94	2.69	2.87	2.70	1.28	1.89
	4.00	4.00	5.00	3.00	2.00	0.62
	3.33	2.37	2.32	1.73	1.86	0.57
	4.00	4.00	4.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
	3.70	3.06	3.54	2.21	1.68	1.21

June 58						
(Normal No. of working hours .8)						
	Skilled labour			Field labour	Other agricultural labour	Herds-men
	Carpenters	Black-smiths	Cobblers			
	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	3.25	2.25	3.50	1.50	1.25	1.00
	4.12	2.75	2.92	2.98	1.28	2.05
	4.00	4.00	5.00	3.00	2.00	0.62
	3.33	2.34	2.54	1.73	1.88	0.88
	4.00	4.00	4.00	2.00	2.00	2.00

TABLE
Agricultural wages in each District

District	July, 1957					
	(Normal No. of working hours .8)					
	Skilled labour			Field labour	Other agricultural labour	Herds-men
Car-penters	Black-smiths	Cobblers				
1	38	39	40	41	42	43
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bilaspur	3.25	2.25	3.50	1.50	1.25	1.00
Chamba	4.12	2.75	2.92	2.98	1.28	2.08
Mahasu	4.00	4.00	5.00	3.00	2.00	0.62
Mandi	3.33	2.33	2.78	1.65	1.50	0.34
Sirmur	4.00	4.00	4.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
Average	3.73	3.07	3.64	2.23	1.77	1.21

District	September, 1957					
	(Normal No. of working hours .8)					
	Skilled labour			Field labour	Other agricultural labour	Herds-men
Car-penters	Black-smiths	Cobblers				
1	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bilaspur	3.25	2.25	3.50	1.50	1.25	1.00
Chamba	4.12	2.75	2.92	2.98	1.28	2.07
Mahasu	4.00	4.00	5.00	3.00	2.00	0.62
Mandi	3.33	2.28	2.58	1.65	1.50	0.47
Sirmur	4.00	4.00	4.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
Average	3.73	3.06	3.60	2.23	1.77	1.23

District	November, 1957					
	(Normal No. of working hours .8)					
	Skilled labour			Field labour	Other agricultural labour	Herds men
Car-penters	Black-smiths	Cobblers				
1	62	63	64	65	66	67
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bilaspur	3.25	2.25	3.50	1.50	1.25	1.00
Chamba	3.83	2.67	2.87	2.55	1.28	1.77
Mahasu	4.00	4.00	5.00	3.00	2.00	0.62
Mandi	3.33	2.24	2.50	1.65	1.50	0.54
Sirmur	4.00	4.00	4.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
Average	3.67	3.04	3.57	2.15	1.77	1.19

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of Himachal Pradesh Territory in 1957-58

District	August, 1957					
	(Normal No. of working hours .8)					
	Skilled labour			Field labour	Other agricultural labour	Herdsmen
Carpenters	Blacksmiths	Cobblers				
1	44	45	46	47	48	49
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bilaspur	3.25	2.25	3.50	1.50	1.25	1.00
Chamba	4.12	2.75	2.92	2.98	1.28	2.07
Mahasu	4.00	4.00	5.00	3.00	2.00	0.62
Mandi	3.33	2.33	2.78	1.91	1.50	0.34
Sirmur	4.00	4.00	4.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
Average	3.73	3.07	3.64	2.28	1.77	1.21

District	October, 1957					
	(Normal No. of working hours .8)					
	Skilled labour			Field labour	Other agricultural labour	Herdsmen
Carpenters	Blacksmiths	Cobblers				
1	56	57	58	59	60	61
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bilaspur	3.25	2.25	3.50	1.50	1.25	1.00
Chamba	3.83	2.67	2.87	2.55	1.28	1.77
Mahasu	4.00	4.00	5.00	3.00	2.00	0.62
Mandi	3.33	2.24	2.50	1.65	1.50	0.54
Sirmur	4.00	4.00	4.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
Average	3.67	3.04	3.57	2.15	1.77	1.19

District	December, 1957					
	(Normal No. of working hours .8)					
	Skilled labour			Field labour	Other agricultural labour	Herdsmen
Carpenters	Blacksmiths	Cobblers				
1	68	69	70	71	72	73
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bilaspur	3.25	2.25	3.50	1.50	1.25	1.00
Chamba	3.83	2.67	2.87	2.55	1.28	1.77
Mahasu	4.00	4.00	5.00	3.00	2.00	0.62
Mandi	3.33	2.28	2.62	1.64	1.50	0.56
Sirmur	4.00	4.00	4.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
Average	3.67	3.03	3.59	2.15	1.77	1.19

TABLE
Number of Livestock, Poultry and Agricultural Machinery and Implements in each District of

District	Cattle						Total cattle
	Males over 3 years		Females over 3 years		Young stock	Total cattle	
	Breeding bulls i.e. entire males over 3 years kept or used for breeding purposes only	Other males over 3 years	Breeding cows i.e. cows over 3 years kept for breeding or milk production	Other cows over 3 years			
	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Bilaspur	34	35,825	11,821	77	10,864	58,621	
Chamba	225	66,961	73,627	239	69,179	2,10,231	
Mahasu	484	1,05,579	1,29,769	624	1,22,751	3,59,207	
Mandi	599	1,09,309	1,18,461	283	1,02,623	3,31,275	
Sirmur	148	62,079	66,300	531	82,369	2,11,427	
Total	1,490	3,79,753	3,99,978	1,754	3,87,786	11,70,761	

District	Buffaloes		Total sheep	Total goats	Horses and		Young stock
	Total	Total			Males over 3 years	Females over 3 years	
	14	15	16	17	18	19	
Bilaspur	1,07,886	22,436	40,590	56	105	59	
Chamba	2,37,008	2,29,953	1,47,251	499	94	87	
Mahasu	3,90,371	2,33,563	1,81,010	797	955	465	
Mandi	4,00,373	1,60,495	1,96,873	474	471	276	
Sirmur	2,41,087	50,724	85,899	540	330	315	
Total	13,76,725	6,97,176	6,51,623	2,366	1,955	1,199	

District	Poultry				Total poultry
	Fowls (hens, cocks and chickens)	Ducks (ducks, drakes and darklings)	Others	Total poultry	
	26	27	28	29	
Bilaspur	7,915	8	..	7,923	
Chamba	10,749	10	8	10,767	
Mahasu	20,668	17	..	20,685	
Mandi	9,634	..	..	9,634
Sirmur	6,685	2	..	6,687	
Total	55,651	37	8	55,696	

NO. VIII
Himachal Pradesh Territory according to last Census in 1956

stock	Buffaloes						Total buffaloes
	Males over 3 years		Females over 3 years		Young stock	Total buffaloes	
	Breeding Bulls i.e. entire males over 3 years kept for used for breeding purposes only	Other males over 3 years	Breeding cows i.e. cows over 3 years kept for breeding or milk production	Other cows over 3 years			
	8	9	10	11	12	13	
759	61	34,629	55	13,761	49,265		
323	445	18,591	57	7,361	26,777		
626	48	23,440	90	6,960	31,164		
1,503	283	47,313	115	19,884	69,098		
499	100	17,845	377	10,839	29,660		
3,710	937	1,41,818	494	58,805	2,05,964		

stock—contd.	Ponies		Mules	Donkeys	Camels	Pigs	Total livestock
	Total horses and ponies	Total horses and ponies					
	20	21	22	23	24	25	
220	190	22	22	..	1,71,366		
680	85	45	..	11	6,15,033		
2,214	1,803	2,001	47	1,231	8,12,245		
1,221	642	134	..	48	7,59,786		
1,185	726	176	31	914	3,80,742		
5,520	3,446	2,378	100	2,204	2,739,172		

stock—concl.	Agricultural Machinery and Implements					
	Plough	Carts	Sugarcane crushers	Tractors	Oil engines	Electric pump
	30	31	32	33	34	35
30,029	15	49	..	3	..	97
37,246	..	2	..	..	..	280
62,780	5	14	..	3	2	231
60,934	1	97	..	..	..	118
28,932	1,297	344	3	..	..	83
2,19,932	1,318	506	3	6	2	819