INTRODUCTION

This is the twenty third issue of Tea Statistics. Statistical information relating to various aspects of the industry and trade in India as well as the world as a whole available at the time of going to press have been incorporated in this issue. Some of the figures, are, however, unavoidably of a provisional nature.

Research workers, Economists, Statisticians, as well as individuals and institutions—both in India and abroad—have in the past found this publication very useful and have provided us the encouragement for expanding the scope and coverage of the publication and make it as comprehensive as possible so as to enable a scientific and systematic study of the multifarious problems relating to production, export and marketing of tea. It is our earnest hope that the present issue of the publication will carry this objective a step further.

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Review of the Year 1976-77

International Scene

1. The year 1976-77 witnessed unprecedented developments in the history of the tea industry and trade. The year under review constitutes a turning point in the history of the world tea economy which has faced depression for nearly two decades since 1954. In contrast to the low world prices obtained for over 20 years the pendulum swung to the other extreme in the first quarter of 1977. The high tea prices were triggered off by an overall shortage of tea in 1976 arising out of production not keeping pace with increased demand for tea consequent upon a shortage in the supply of coffee and the consequent high coffee prices. Prices at London tea auctions, which set the trend for prices at all other auctions, reached the peak level of 270 pence per kg. in March, 1977 from 108 pence in the first week of January 1977. Calcutta touched the peak of Rs. 29.14 in the first week of April compared to Rs. 12.88 in the first week of January 1977. Cochin reached the record figure of Rs. 28.19 per kg. in the third week of March 1977 from Rs. 12.83 per kg. in the first week of January of the same year. At Colombo, the average price reached the level of Rs. 30.67 in April 1977 from Rs. 11.40 in the first sale of the year.

1.1. The abnormal price increases at all auction centres during the first quarter of 1977 have been due to the cumulative effect of a number of factors, Sri Lanka's production substantially declined by about 17 m. kgs. in 1976 as compared to 1975 due to prolonged drought in that country. Sri Lanka's production at 197 m. kgs. in 1976 was the lowest during the last 15 years. Uganda also registered a decline of 3 m. kgs. in 1976 compared to the previous year as a result of drought in that country. Although Kenya, Malawi, Mozambique, Bangladesh and Indonesia showed a combined increase of 16 m. kgs. it just offset the decline in Sri Lanka. In fact, the increase in world production of tea has been slowing down from 1974. The average annual increase in world production during 1974-76 came down to 21 m. kgs. compared to 36 m. kgs. during 1969-73. Inspite of the fact that in 1976 India's production showed an increase of about 25 m. kgs., the average net global increase of crop in the major tea exporting countries in 1976 was in the region of only 20 m. kgs. which was not adequate to meet the global import demand after satisfying the domestic requirements in the producing countries. In early 1977, there developed a shortage which gave rise in turn to a 'psychology of shortage' in the context of increased global demand for tea in some major importing countries consequent upon shortage in the world supply of coffee and its ruling high prices. The sharp decline in the world supply of coffee was the result of frost in Brazil, earthquake in Guatemala, Civil War in Angola etc. and this led to an escalation of coffee prices. The quantities sold at auctions were lower by 9.3 m. kgs. at London, by 22 m. kgs. at Calcutta and by 11 m. kgs. at Colombo. The lesser availability of teas at the important auction centres in the face of increased demand affected market sentiment and apprehensions about future shortage resulted in panic buying by the buyers who were ready to pay 'any' price for the 'spot teas'.

1.2. Apart from the developments mentioned above which led to sudden and abnormal price increases in the first quarter of the year 1977, the slump of the pound sterling in the exchange market also helped in pushing up the prices of tea in terms of sterling.

1.3. The abnormal price increase experienced by the major producing countries prompted them to adopt suitable fiscal measures with a view to mopping up the windfall profits on the one hand and bringing down the prices for domestic consumption on the other. In India, export duty on tea was imposed with effect from 9th April 1977 and the rebate of excise duty and drawback were withdrawn. The Sri Lanka Tea Board imposed a cess of Rs. 41.90 per 100 kgs. of tea with effect from 23.12.76 and from the 3rd week of March 1977 rebate on tea export has been suspended. Sri Lanka already levies export duty on bulk tea and packet tea separately. Sri Lanka also revised the price ranges for levy of the advalorem sales tax together with revision of the ceiling from Rs. 2.20 per kg. to Rs. 4.40 per kg. with effect from 3rd week of May 1977. Bangladesh

imposed export duty on tea at the rate of Taka 2.20 per kg. Kenya also imposed an export duty at the rate of 15% of the difference between the f.o.b. price and the K £ 1. per kg.

1.4. Total world exports in 1976, estimated at around 687 m. kgs. were higher by about 30 m. kgs. over 1975. This was mainly due to increase in India's exports by 16 m. kgs., Bangladesh's exports by 7 m. kgs, Kenya's exports by 7 m. kgs. and Malawi's exports by 6 m. kgs. Exports from Sri Lanka were lower by as much as 13 m. kgs. due to lower production. Exports from Ugands showed a substantial decline of 5 m. kgs.

1.5. The U.K. Government had, in July, 1974 announced a subsidy for tea at the rate of 2 pence per quarter lb. (17.64 pence per kg.) at the retail level to offset the increase in retail price recommended by the Prices Commission and to protect the domestic consumers from the increase in prices since the latter part of 1973. In September, 1976 this subsidy was abolished and a price code providing greater flexibility in fixing the retail prices was adopted. The packers were, therefore, in a position to effect increase in the retail prices of tea packs in U.K. to offset the increase in their costs.

Meetings of F.A.O. & UNCTAD

1.6. In a meeting of the Inter-governmental Group on tea of the F.A.O. in April, 1976 it was agreed that a draft of the economic provisions of a long term agreement on tea between exporting and importing countries will be examined in a subsequent meeting of the Inter-governmental Group. The meeting was subsequently convened at London in February 1977 at which an International Programme for Tea was adopted by the Group which also set up an Ad-hoc Working Party composed of 14 countries including India, Sri Lanka, Kenya, Indonesia and Bangladesh to consider in depth the techniques and measures required for the achievement of the objectives of the Programme. The High:Powered Indian Delegation with Sri S. G. Bose Mullick, Secretary, Ministry of Commerce, Govt. of India as leader and Shri T. S. Broca, Chairman, Tea Board as Alternate Leader played an important role in suggesting the various elements of the Action Programme for Tea as also in getting it accepted by the Sub-Group of Exporters and later on by the Inter-Governmental Group on Tea. The first meeting of the Sub-Group on Statistics set up in pursuance of the recommendation of the Inter-governmental Group in its meeting held in April 1976 was also held at London in February 1977 and recommended various measures for improvement of Tea Statistics so as to enable more scientific study on various aspects of the world tea situation. Sri P. R. Sengupta of India was elected as the Chairman for this session.

In May 1976, the UNCTAD—IV which met in Nairobi discussed an integrated programme of commodities and adopted Resolution No. 93(IV) indicating the main objectives of the integrated programme for commodities which largely formed the basis for the Action Programme on Tea referred to above. Another important element of these discussions was the proposal for the creation of an International buffer stock of a few commodities of strategic importance to developing exporting countries (including tea) which are susceptible to price fluctuations.

In September, 1976 in a meeting held in Geneva under the auspices of UNCTAD/GATT the tea producing countries approved the constitution of an International Tea Promotion Association (ITPA).

International Programme for Tea

After considering the subject further, the Sub-Group adopted the following resolution on the International Programme for Tea :

"Recognising the importance of tea for their economic development, production and diversification programmes, foreign exchange earnings and incomes of growers and workers, the tea producing and exporting countries reiterated the following basic objectives of an international programme for tea:"

(i) to improve, in real terms, export earnings from tea and returns to growers;

(ii) to cater and provide for the special needs of smallholder tea growers ;

(iii) to create stable conditions in the international tea trade, while avoiding excessive price fluctuations by promoting and maintaining equilibrium between supply and demand within an expanding world tea trade ;

(iv) to ensure that the prices of tea in international trade are just and remunerative to producers and equitable to consumers;

(v) to take account, in establishing price objectives for tea, of changes in the world monetary system and the rate of world inflation;

(vi) while avoiding excessive accumulation of stocks in importing countries, to assure them of regular supplies of tea ;

(vii) to improve access to tea markets by the removal of tariff and non-tariff barriers, as well as internal and transit taxes, and to expand demand for tea in both traditional and new markets by removing all obstacles to tea consumption ;

(viii) to provide and strengthen statistical and market intelligence on tea;

(ix) to provide a framework for improvements, wherever feasible, in the marketing, distribution, transport and transit systems for tea, including an increase in the participation of developing countries in these activities, such as blending, packaging, and the manufacture of tea products, and earnings from them.

The Indian scene

1.7. The year under review was a record year of production, exports and prices for the Indian tea industry. Tea production in India crossed the 500 m. kgs. mark in 1976 and reached an all time record of 512 m. kgs. which was 25 m. kgs. higher as compared to the previous year. On financial-year basis, the production for 1976-77 is still higher at 38 m. kgs.

The financial year 1976-77 set an all time record for exports both in terms of quantity and value. Exports during the year were 242 m. kgs. valued at Rs. 295·3 crores with a unit value of Rs. 12·18 per kg. While the increase in the quantum was of the order of 31 m. kgs., the increase in value was as much as Rs. 57 crores as compared to the previous year which has been due to an increase in unit price of export by 91 paise per kg. Exports were facilitated by the smooth functioning of the ports as well as speedy movement of tea from estates by rail and road. During the year under review, total export earnings from non-traditional items viz., packet tea, tea bags and instant tea also showed an aggregate increase of Rs. 3 crores over the last year and stood at Rs. 23·0 crores. The overall increase in export earnings was also made possible by an increased quantum of exports of these items. While the unit price of instant tea increased by Rs. 2·63 per kg., that of packet tea and tea bags showed a marginal decline of 63 paise and 60 paise per kg. respectively.

As has been stated earlier, a price boom developed in the tea market in the beginning of 1977. Prices reached dizzy heights in March and April. Following the increase in auction prices the retail prices all over the country also went up. As tea production in India was substantially higher in 1976 there was statistically no shortage of tea for domestic consumption after meeting the export demand.

The rise in prices was largely due to international developments as ennumerated earlier. As a result of these developments the export demand for 'Indian tea' had gone up and there was severe competition between

export and domestic buyers at the auctions. It was, therefore, felt necessary to create a barrier between the domestic and export markets with a view to protecting the consumers at home. With this end in view and with a view to mop up the windfall profits, an export duty on bulk tea at the rate of Rs. 5/- per kg. was imposed with effect from 9.4.77. The rebate of excise duty granted at the point of export was also withdrawn.

During the year under review, the country witnessed another major stride in its efforts to introduce orderly marketing at the primary level. This was the opening of the country's sixth Auction Centre at Siliguri on 29th October, 1976 in order to provide the producers of North Bengal with the facility of bringing more of their tea under hammer rather than being sold ex-garden under private negotiations. A total quantity of 5·5 m. kgs. was sold at Siliguri during 1976-77 season.

An important development in exports was the resumption of trade with Pakistan from July, 1976. Pakistan has, in fact, turned out to be the fourth biggest tea importer in the world and first in Asia.

The details regarding production, internal consumption, exports, sales at auctions etc. are given below :—

Production :

1.8. The production of tea in India has been continuously increasing since 1970 except for a marginal decline in 1975 due to drought. The year 1976 turned out again to be a record year. All India production crossed the 500 m. kgs. mark and stood at 512 m. kgs. which was ahead by 24·7 m. kgs. as compared to the previous year. Production figures for the last three years are given below :

(Figures in m. kgs.)

	1974	1975	1976
North India	389·81	380·58	400·64
South India	99·67	106·56	111·18
TOTAL	489·48	487·14	511·82

Internal consumption

1.9. During the last few years domestic consumption of tea in the country has been increasing at the rate of 5 to 6 % a year which has made the country the world's top ranking tea consumer. About 60 % of the production is now retained in the country for domestic consumption.

The table below indicates the consumption in India during the last five years :

Years	*Qty. (M.KGS.)*
1971-72	225·0
1972-73	237·0
1973-74	248·0
1974-75	260·0
1975-76	272·0*

*Provisional.

Exports

1.10. Exports during the financial year 1976-77 turned out to be an all time record both in quantity and value. Exports during the year reached a massive 242 m.kgs. valued Rs. 295 crores.

The higher export earnings have been not only due to an increase in quantum but also due to an increase in the unit price to the extent of 91 paise per kg. The comparative position is given below :

Period	*Qty. (m. kgs.)*	*Value (Rs./Cr.)*	*Unit Price (Rs./kg.)*
April '76 to March'77	242·42	295·26	12·18
April '75 to March '76	211·41	238·29	11·27
Increase (+) or Decrease (—)	(+)31·01	(+)56·97	(+) 0·91

The export performance of tea in the major markets during the year 1976-77 is briefly reviewed in the following paragraphs :

(a) U.K. and Netherlands

1.11. U.K. continued to be the major market for Indian tea and about 36% of the exports were directed to this country. Since 1972 large quantities of teas used to be shipped to Netherlands for eventual re-exports to U.K., but by now the volume of such transhipment trade has considerably reduced. Exports to U.K. are estimated to be 86 m. kgs. in 1976-77 against 61 m. kgs. in 1975-76. The higher exports were largely due to panic buying by U.K. blenders in the first quarter of 1977 which was of the order of 29 m. kgs. as against 16 m. kgs. in the corresponding period of the previous year in view of the accumulated shortage resulting from lower world crop and apprehended future shortages which did not materialise. Besides, apparent consumption of tea in U.K. staged a recovery to the pre-1973 level and was higher by 13 m. kgs. in 1976 as compared to 1975.

(b) Ireland

1.12. Ireland's total imports of tea are about 12 m. kgs. a year. India's exports in 1976-77 were 5.4 m. kgs. which were marginally higher than the normal exports of 5 m. kgs.

(c) U.S.S.R.

1.13. U.S.S.R is a deficit tea producing country. Exports from India at 39·6 m. kgs. during 1976-77 show an apparent steep decline of 19 m. kgs. as compared to 1975-76. This decline was due mainly to lower exports (by 12 m. kgs.) during the three months of January to March, 1977. Export performance of this country, has however, to be looked at on the calendar year-wise which is the basis for trade plan agreements. In the calendar year 1976, USSR purchased from India 51·4 m. kgs.

(d) Poland

1.14. The purchase by Poland from India during 1971-72 to 1973-74 were of the order of 5 to 6 m. kgs. Since 1974-75 her purchases have almost doubled and have been at the level of around 9 to 10 m. kgs. During the year under review exports to this country declined by 1·5 m. kgs from 9·6 m. kgs. in 1975-76 to 8·1 m. kgs. 1976-77.

(e) Others in East Europe

1.15 Exports to other East European countries were higher by 1.5 m.kgs. during 1976-77.

(f) U.S.A.

1.16 The strong consumer reaction to the spurt in coffee prices appears to have strenghtened the import demand for tea in U.S.A. which is the second biggest buyer of tea in the world. Total tea imports by this country have increased by 8 m.kgs. during 1976. India's exports to this country used to be of the order of 7 m.kgs. During the year, this figure went up to 12 m.kg. showing an increase of 70%. The substantial increase in the purchases was partly the result of the threatened strike by the U.S. dock workers for a new wage agreement at the end of September, 1977, leading the U.S. tea importers to resort to stockpiling.

(g) A.R.E.

1.17 Trade with A.R.E. used to be governed by Bi-lateral Agreement until 1976. Since 1977, the trade is in convertible currency. A.R.E. is the largest tea importing country in North Africa. Purchases during the year under review were higher by 4.7 m.kgs. as compared to 11.3 m.kgs. in the previous year.

(h) Sudan

1.18 Sudan, like A.R.E., has switched over to convertible currency from 1977. Exports to this country were higher by 2.4 m.kgs. during the year.

(i) Iran

1.19. Iran, like U.S.S.R., is another deficit tea producing country and has a long and popular tradition of tea drinking. India has a share of about 40% in this market as connoisseurs appreciate and like Indian tea. During the year India's exports to this country increased by 2.4 m.kgs. to reach 7.5 m.kgs. during 1976-77.

(j) Afghanistan

1.20. Afghanistan is another traditional market which usually takes about 10 m.kgs. of tea annually from India-both black and green. Exports to this country were maintained at the same level during the year under review.

(k) Iraq

1.21. Iraq is the second largest tea importing country in Asia after Pakistan. Sri Lanka followed by India are the major suppliers. India's exports to this market declined marginally by 0.7 m.kgs. during the year under review.

(l) Pakistan

1.22. With the resumption of the country's trade with Pakistan from July, 1976 a potential large tea market for India has been opened up. With a level of imports at 52 m.kgs. in 1975, Pakistan, has, emerged as the fourth largest tea importer in the world next to U.K., U.S.A. and U.S.S.R. and the first in Asia. Sri Lanka, followed by Kanya and Indonesia are the major sources of supplies. During the year under review, India exported tea for the first time to this country to the tune of 4.82 m.kgs.

(m) Others

1.23. U.A.E., Qatar, Kuwait, Australia and New Zealand were some of the other markets which took larger quantities of tea from India during 1976-77. In the case of Saudi Arabia exports slightly declined but in respect of countries like Behrain, Muscat, Jordan etc. exports were maintained at more or less the previous year's level.

Bi-lateral Trade

1.24 Due to substantially higher purchases by U.S.S.R. and Poland, exports under Bi-lateral Trade Agreement went up as high as 49% during 1975. In 1976, however, such exports were back to normal. Bi-lateral trade continues to play an important role in India's international trade in tea and came to 43% in the year under review.

		(Quantity in million kgs.)		
Countries	..	1974	1975	1976
U.S.S.R.	—	42.11	56.47	51.42
Other E. Europe*	..	7.85	13.49	8.20
Iraq	—	3.38	6.71	7.12
A.R.E.@	—	12.40	11.35	14.63
Sudan @	—	8.36	5.89	7.04
Afghanistan	—	11.15	12.94	11.86
Total bi-lateral countries	—	85.25	106.85	100.27
Others	—	125.33	110.40	133.34
GRAND TOTAL	—	210.58	217.25	233.61
Percentage of exports under bi-lateral countries		40.48	49.18	42.92

*Poland, Czechoslovakia, E. Germany, Hungary Romania and Bulgaria
@ Free convertible currency from 1977.

Packet tea. tea bags and instant tea

1.25. Total export earnings from these items imporved to Rs. 23 crores from Rs. 20 crores in the previous year.

Exports of packet teas increased by 1.8 m.kgs. in quantity and about Rs. 2 crores in value. The WANA region continued to be the major market for our packet tea and absorbed about 90% of our exports of packet tea.

Export earnings from tea bags have nearly doubled to Rs. 106 Lakhs from Rs. 59 lakhs in the previous year. The quantum of exports increased by 130 thousand kgs. Tea bags were mainly exported to countries in the WANA region, East Europe and also to few Asian countries.

Instant tea exports reached an all time record during the year and U.S.A. and U.K. continued to be the main markets. Export earnings from Instant tea increased by Rs. 0.59 crores during 1976-77.

Green Tea

Exports of green tea improved during the year by 0.8 m.kgs. in quantity and Rs. 1.31 crores in value. Afghanistan continued to be the main buyer. Small quantities were also exported to markets like U.S.A. and Pakistan. India is yet to explore the potential market for green teas in Japan and Morocco and to a certain extent in countries like U.S.A., Canada, Algeria and Libya.

The following table shows the exports of these items during the last three years :

Quantity : Million Kgs.
Value : Rs. Crores

Years	Packet tea		Tea Bags		Instant tea		Green tea	
	Qty.	Value	Qty.	Value	Qty.	Value	Qty.	Value
1974-75	6.10	8.39	0.11	0.28	0.25	0.86	3.26	2.51
1975-76	10.79	17.25	0.16	0.59	0.48	1.92	'2.41	2.53
1976-77	12.60	19.35	0.29	1.06	0.58	2.51	3.16	3.84

Sales at auction

1.26. About 65% of the total production of tea in India is usually sold through auctions at Calcutta, Gauhati, Amritsar, Cochin, Coonoor and London. During 1976-77 season, the proportion was about 61.4% A table showing the disposal pattern during the last three years is given below :

Years	Percentage of production sold through Auctions			Percentage of production sold against private sales and forward contracts	Percentage of production sold ex-garden
	Indian	London	Total		
1974	55.6	8.4	64.0	6.1	29.9
1975	58.7	7.8	66.5	4.1	29.4
1976	54.3	7.5	61.8	7.2	31.0

The total sales at Calcutta auctions during 1976-77 season were only about 154 m.kgs. compared to 175 m.kgs. in the previous season. The lower sales at Calcutta auctions are only be partly attributable to higher sales at Gauhati (by about 7 m.kgs.) and sales at the new auction centre at Siliguri (5 m.kgs.) The total quantity of crop disposed through Indian auctions were about 278 m.kgs. in 1976-77 season compared to 286 m.kgs. last year—a decrease of 8 m.kgs. Although the quantum despatched for sale at London auctions was the same as last year, exports under forward contracts and private sales have risen to the level of 37 m.kgs. compared to 20 m.kgs. last year. There has also been an increase in ex-garden sale in the domestic market by 15 m.kgs.

The table below gives the quantity and price of leaf and dust teas sold during the 1976-77 season at Calcutta.

Quantity M. Kgs.
Price Rs. Kg.

Calcutta auctions

Year	LEAF		DUST		TOTAL	
	Qty.	Price	Qty.	Price	Qty.	Price
1975-76	128·42	11·94	46·56	10·37	174·98	11·52
1976-77	108·97	13·40	45·51	12·98	154·48	13·28

Considering teas by different methods of manufacture, C.T.C. teas have gained by 20 % and Orthodox teas 12% in price in 1976-77 as compared to 1975-76. Sales of CTC teas declined by 2·4 m. kgs. during 1976-77 season and in the case of Orthodox teas the decline in sales was as much as 18·3 m. kgs.

The table below gives the quantity and price of dust teas sold at Cochin during the year 1976 along with the corresponding figures for 1975 :

Cochin Auction

Quantity M. Kgs.
Price Rs. Kg.

	LEAF		*DUST*		*TOTAL*	
Year	*Qty.*	*Price*	*Qty.*	*Price*	*Qty.*	*Price*
1975	38·95	9·88	28·25	9·48	67·20	9·71
1976	37·40	11·25	29·10	11·07	66·50	11·17

Sales at Gauhati auctions increased from 28·31 m. kgs. in 1975-76 to 35·21 m. kgs. in 1976-77. The average price increased considerably from Rs. 9·84 to Rs. 11·51 per kg.

Sales at *Siliguri* auctions were 5·5 m. kgs. and the average prices were Rs. 12·29 per kg.

At *Coonoor* auctions 15·74 m. kgs. of tea were sold in 1976 against 15·81 m. kgs. in the previous year. The price increased substantially from Rs. 8·26 per kg. to Rs. 10·17 per kg.

At *Amritsar* auctions, 0·68 m. kgs. were sold during 1976-77 season against 0·59 m. kgs. the previous year. Average price increased substantially from Rs. 5·66 per kg. to Rs. 7·60 per kg.

While London continued to be the major international centre for auction of teas outside the exporting countries, sales at London declined by 9·3 m. kgs. and stood at 89·4 m. kgs. in 1976 against 98·7 m. kgs. in 1975. The overall average price for all teas' stood at 84·1 pence per kg. which was about 36% higher than the price fetched in 1975. In the case of Indian teas the price improved by 21·41 pence although the quantity sold was lower by 4·8 m. kgs. Similarly sales of Sri Lanka teas declined by 6·71 m. kgs. but their price improved by 25 pence per kg. Kenya which makes it a point of selling better teas in London secured the highest average price of 89·3 pence per kg. While London stocks were lower almost throughout the year, the substantial improvement in price has resulted partly from the reduced offerings from Sri Lanka and India and partly from the fluctuations in exchange ratio of the Pound sterling. The following table gives the details :—

Quantity : M. Kgs.
Price : Pence/Kg.

Countries	1976		1975	
	Quantity	*Price*	*Quantity*	*Price*
North India	34·54	84·9	38·75	63·5
South India	1·44	81·8	2·06	58·0
Total India	35·98	84·7	40·31	63·3

Sri Lanka	12·67	88·1	19·33	63·1
Kenya	15·25	89·3	14·77	65·8
Uganda	2·20	86·6	1·98	61·6
Tanzania	3·83	88·9	4·11	64·5
Others	19·44	94·9	17·70	56·1
Grand Total	89·37	84·1	98·70	62·7

Developments in the world market like high coffee prices, lesser production in Sri Lanka and lower inventories in London gave rise to a price boom which started since January, 1977. Prices started firming up from week to week and from month to month. The highest peak in prices was reached when the overall average for 'all teas' reached 269·86 pence per kg. in March 1977. However, following prospects of large increase in world crop and the various fiscal measures adopted in the producing countries to contain price increases, the buoyant trend was arrested in the month of May, 1977 when the overall average price for 'all teas' came down to 174 pence/kg. The declining trend has since continued.

Direct Export

1.27. The total quantity of tea exported direct to U.K. for London auctions as well as against private sales and forward contracts was 58 m. kgs. compared to 46 m. kgs. in 1975. Break up of figures under direct export of tea from India to U.K. during 1974 to 1976 is indicated in the table below :

(Figures in M. Kgs.)

	For London Auctions			*Against Pvt. Sales & forward contract*			*Total*		
	1974	1975	1976	1974	1975	1976	1974	1975	1976
North India	40·22	37·46	37·67	8·60	8·26	19·08	48·82	45·72	56·75
South India	1·03	0·74	0·95	0·14	0·03	0·20	1·17	0·77	1·15
Total India	41·25	38·20	38·62	8·75	8·29	19·28	50·00	46·49	57·90

DUTIES AND TAXES

With the changes introduced in early April, 1977, the following are now the duties/taxes on tea in India.

Zones	
1. Zonal Excise duty	Varying from 0·40 paise to Rs. 1·30 per kg.
2. Cess	Re. 0·06 per kg.
3. Excise duty on packet tea.	(a) Re. 0·40 per kg. for smaller packets (upto 25 grams). (b) Re 1·00 per kg for packets for 25 grm and above but upto 20 kgs.
4. Export duty	Rs. 5·00 per kg, on tea exported in bulk.

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1. No. of tea estates in India.

(a) NORTH INDIA

District/States	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	*1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Darrang		98	98	97	95	94	93	93	93	94	93
Goalpara		10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Kamrup		15	14	15	15	14	14	14	14	14	15
Lakhimpur		229	235	235	232	233	235	234	235	235	235
Nowgong		22	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23
Sibsagar (a)		254	257	265	263	262	262	264	266	267	265
Cachar		116	114	113	113	114	114	113	113	113	112
TOTAL ASSAM	785	744	751	758	751	750	751	751	754	756	753
Darjeeling		99	98	98	97	97	97	97	97	97	100
Terai (b)		47	47	48	48	48	48	48	48	48	45
Dooars (c)		155	150	151	151	151	152	152	152	152	152
TOTAL W. BENGAL	296	301	295	297	296	296	297	297	297	297	297
Tripura	55	55	55	55	54	53	54	54	54	54	56
Bihar	9	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Uttar Pradesh	45	33	32	31	30	30	30	30	31	31	31
Himachal Pradesh	1,115	1,385	1,385	1,385	1,385	1,385	1,385	1,385	1,385	1,385	1,385
TOTAL NORTH INDIA	2,305	2,521	2,521	2,529	2,529	2,517	2,520	2,520	2,524	2,526	2,525

(b) SOUTH INDIA

District/States	1951 †	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	*1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Kanyakumari		6	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
Tirunelveli		3	3	3	3	3	4	4	4	4	4
Madurai		4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Coimbatore		34	33	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31
Nilgiris		4,942	5,703	6,357	6,394	6,405	6,417	6,475	6,489	6,474	6,475
TOTAL TAMIL NADU	2,772	4,989	5,750	6,402	6,439	6,450	6,463	6,521	6,535	6,520	6,521
Cannanore		8	10	11	11	11	11	11	12	12	13
Palghat		5	5	5	5	5	5	5	32	32	32
Kozhikode		22	22	21	19	19	18	17	17	18	18
Malapuram (d)		—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Trichur		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Trivandrum		6	7	7	7	6	6	6	6	6	6
Quilon		28	106	107	107	110	110	113	116	115	115
Ernakulam		4	15	16	16	16	3	3	3	3	3
Kottayam		1,902	2,370	2,386	2,462	2,863	3,708	3,756	3,815	3,839	3,742
Idukki (e)		—	—	—	—	—	137	148	170	176	174
TOTAL KERALA	1,125	1,976	2,536	2,554	2,629	3,032	4,000	4,061	4,173	4,203	4,105
Chickmagalur		11	13	14	14	14	14	13	13	13	13
Coorg		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Hassan		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
TOTAL KARNATAKA	12	13	15	16	16	16	16	15	15	15	15
TOTAL SOUTH INDIA	3,909	6,978	8,301	8,972	9,084	9,498	10,479	10,597	10,723	10,738	10,641
TOTAL ALL INDIA	6,214	9,499	10,822	11,501	11,603	12,015	12,999	13,117	13,247	13,264	13,166

*Provisional.

Note : Figures refer to No. of tea estates registered with Tea Board as on 31st March of each year.
(a) Including Mikir Hills and North Cachar (b) Including West Dinajpur (c) Including Coochbehar.
(d) New district since 1969 formed out of Kozhikode dist.
(e) New district since 1972 formed out of Kottayam & Ernakulam districts.
† Break-down by districts not available.

2. (i) Area under tea in India.

(a) NORTH INDIA

(Figures in hectares)

District/States	1951	1961	1966	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	*1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
Darrang ..	25,320	26,509	28,707	30,331	30,897	31,037	31,303	31,743	32,403	32,831
Goalpara ..	1,467	1,603	1,941	2,085	2,098	2,125	2,172	2,182	2,223	2,281
Kamrup ..	1,881	2,074	2,480	2,648	2,713	2,750	2,721	2,775	2,781	2,873
Lakhimpur ..	46,926	50,243	53,607	57,140	57,297	57,934	58,467	59,040	59,553	59,893
Nowgong ..	5,064	5,577	6,105	6,323	6,372	6,503	6,520	6,575	6,584	6,625
Sibsagar (a) ..	44,571	46,433	49,284	50,684	51,930	52,636	52,699	53,671	53,754	53,982
Cachar ..	30,445	29,928	30,180	30,854	31,018	31,259	31,231	31,422	31,496	30,853
TOTAL ASSAM	155,674	162,367	172,304	180,065	182,325	184,244	185,113	187,408	188,794	189,338
Darjeeling ..	16,569	18,605	18,357	18,067	18,245	18,204	18,173	17,679	17,940	17,958
Terai (b) ..	8,402	9,344	10,021	10,712	10,769	10,822	10,864	10,893	10,983	11,040
Dooars (c) ..	54,609	54,756	57,270	59,210	59,485	59,530	59,988	59,652	59,861	59,801
TOTAL W. BENGAL ..	79,580	82,705	85,648	87,989	88,499	88,556	89,025	88,224	88,784	88,799
Tripura ..	4,773	5,055	5,537	5,526	5,444	5,446	5,463	5,421	5,467	5,527
Bihar ..	1,644	534	476	460	460	459	469	459	459	459
Uttar Pradesh ..	2,605	2,084	1,972	1,903	1,818	1,818	1,810	1,817	1,816	1,799
Himachal Pradesh	4,317	4,183	4,183	4,183	4,183	4,183	4,183	4,183	4,183	4,183
TOTAL NORTH INDIA	248,593	256,928	270,120	280,126	282,729	284,706	286,053	287,512	289,503	290,105

* Provisional.

Note : Figures are as on 31st March each year

(a) Including Mikir Hills & North Cachar (b) Including West Dinajpur.

(c) Including Coochbehar

(b) SOUTH INDIA

(Figures in hectares)

Districts	1951 +	1961	1966	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	*1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
Kanyakumari ..		451	471	481	484	484	484	484	484	484
Tirunelveli ..		449	439	487	509	604	663	729	739	739
Madurai ..		734	873	929	944	961	975	974	974	972
Coimbatore ..		10,249	10,134	10,065	10,058	9,984	9,940	10,001	10,019	10,005
Nilgiris ..		20,840	21,776	22,895	22,651	22,715	22,982	23,182	23,395	23,879
TOTAL TAMIL NADU ..	33,375	32,723	33,693	34,587	34,646	34,748	35,044	35,370	35,611	36,079
Cannanore ..		1,448	1,514	1,502	1,505	1,507	1,513	1,513	1,513	1,513
Palghat ..		574	576	611	635	639	642	662	662	662
Kozhikode ..		4,014	4,025	3,867	3874	3,380	3,884	3,891	3,891	3,891
Malapuram (d) ..		—	—	—	174	174	174	174	174	174
Trichur ..		401	453	459	459	436	436	436	436	437
Trivandrum ..		1,082	1,056	1,079	1,057	1,070	1,070	1,069	1,069	1,069
Quilon ..		3,006	3,034	2,785	2,673	2,629	2,535	2,388	2,216	2,140
Kottayam ..		29,098	28,567	27,104	26,747	2,699	2,596	2,492	2,352	2,333
Ernakulam ..		161	173	147	147	30	830	30	30	30
Idukki (e) ..		—	—	—	—	24,284	24,266	24,252	24,069	24,078
TOTAL KERALA ..	33,203	39,784	39,398	37,554	37,271	37,348	37,146	36,907	36,412	36,327
Chickmagalur ..		1,168	1,181	1,218	1,222	1,225	1,217	1,226	1,232	1,232
Coorg ..		178	178	205	205	205	205	205	202	189
Hassan ..		448	448	443	443	443	443	443	343	343
TOTAL KARNATAKA	1,669	1,794	1,807	1,866	1,870	1,873	1,865	1,874	1,777	1,764
TOTAL SOUTH INDIA	68,277	74,301	74,898	74,007	73,787	73,969	74,055	74,151	73,800	74,170
TOTAL ALL INDIA ..	316,870	331,229	345,018	354,133	356,516	358,675	360,108	361,663	363,303	364,275

* Provisional.
+Breakdown by districts not available.
(d) New district since 1969 formed out of Kozhikode district.
(e) New district since 1972 formed out of Kottayam & Ernakulam districts.

2. (ii) Extensions, replacements and replantings of tea.

(Figures in hectares)

Year	North India			South India			All India		
	Extensions	Replacements	Replantings	Extensions	Replacements	Replantings	Extensions	Replacements	Replantings
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
1950-51	892·49	272·91	1,484·91	678·78	29·44	24·10	1,571·27	302·35	1,509·01
1952-53	1,503·09	172·28	1,182·82	663·74	7·72	6·88	1,116·83	180·00	1,189·70
1953-54	899·58	206·87	818·51	447·20	32·85	25·89	1,346·78	239·72	844·40
1954-55	1,791·88	529·92	1,403·72	530·23	19·93	14·33	2,322·41	549·85	1,418·05
1955-56	251·98	239·03	1,974·87	403·03	25·00	23·85	655·01	264·03	2,004·72
1956-57	679·57	473·31	2,385·69	274·72	7·49	14·77	954·29	480·80	2,400·46
1957-58	1,621·05	749·19	2,372·72	331·23	6·10	27·25	1,952·28	755·29	2,399·97
1958-59	1,835·09	580·08	2,374·64	274·23	Nil	59·69	2,109·32	580·08	2,434·33
1959-60	2,009·52	488·34	1,878·36	307·31	37·66	8·50	2,316·83	526·00	1,886·86
1960-61	1,626·73	345·99	1,769·40	86·74	6·78	12·47	1,713·47	352·77	1,781·87
1961-62	1,738·96	389·09	1,601·14	113·24	4·09	6·34	1,852·20	393·18	1,607·48
1962-63	2,009·45	399·31	1,548·19	215·43	1·82	22·97	2,224·88	401·13	1,571·16
1963-64	2,915·96	377·22	1,738·04	219·42	34·40	20·80	3,135·38	411·62	1,758·84
1964-65	3,612·57	540·50	1,957·84	247·58	10·64	66·42	3,860·15	551·14	2,024·26
1965-66	3,245·13	509·35	1,866·01	249·60	1·10	71·35	3,494·43	510·45	1,937·36
1966-67	2,965·07	436·76	1,606·77	363·81	23·07	21·30	3,328·88	459·83	1,628·07
1967-68	2,637·97	460·78	1,290·49	322·84	13·85	16·62	2,960·81	474·63	1,307·11
1968-69	2,453·95	364·87	1,150·93	181·24	8·33	37·75	2,635·19	373·20	1,188·68
1969-70	1,985·82	277·20	955·12	188·86	0·78	32·30	2,174·68	277·98	987·42
1970-71	2,151·04	195·57	1,076·51	204·31	5·55	42·45	2,355·35	201·12	1,118·96
1971-72	1,557·86	176·61	1,258·73	273·77	18·05	63·48	1,831·63	194·66	1,322·21
1972-73	1,390·59	173·20	1,046·42	242·39	7·16	62·80	1,632·98	180·36	1,109·22
1973-74	1,516·66	307·61	1,015·98	284·95	14·87	74·37	1,801·01	322·48	1,090·35
1974-75	1,487·23	315·94	1,139·69	275·06	3·89	80·38	1,762·29	319·83	1,220·07
1975-76*	1,421·60	354·50	1,117·40	237·29	7·72	60·43	1,658·89	362·22	1,177·83

* Provisional

3. (i) (a) Monthwise production of tea in India.

(Quantity in thousand kg.)

Month	1973			1974			1975			*1976		
	North India	South India	Total	North India	South India	Total	North India	South India	Total	North India	South India	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
January ..	520	4,988	5,508	509	6,754	7,263	963	6,377	7,340	845	7,093	7,938
February ..	197	6,437	6,634	152	4,890	5,042	325	5,581	5,906	311	4,307	4,618
March ..	7,884	6,714	14,598	5,770	6,689	12,459	5,657	10,501	16,158	7,482	5,248	12,730
April ..	12,082	5,859	17,941	18,038	8,223	26,261	15,196	10,379	25,575	17,292	8,869	26,161
May ..	34,725	11,115	45,840	39,539	14,945	54,484	32,955	11,228	44,183	39,655	18,269	57,924
June ..	39,762	15,151	54,913	46,185	9,763	55,948	39,296	11,044	50,340	46,492	7,919	54,411
July ..	50,571	7,134	57,705	58,661	6,983	65,644	58,255	7,412	65,667	61,461	9,125	70,586
August ..	63,019	7,662	70,681	58,266	3,328	61,594	57,306	6,955	64,261	63,061	6,814	69,875
September ..	57,072	9,891	66,963	57,303	9,847	67,150	63,688	8,455	72,143	60,484	9,813	70,297
October ..	51,148	10,645	61,793	52,888	9,984	62,872	56,053	11,317	67,370	58,016	13,613	71,629
November ..	37,467	10,237	47,704	40,749	9,302	50,051	38,347	7,691	46,038	34,378	10,673	45,057
December ..	13,714	7,958	21,672	11,748	8,959	20,707	12,537	9,619	22,156	11,162	9,435	20,597
Total ..	368,161	103,791	471,952	389,808	99,667	489,475	380,578	106,559	487,137	400,639	111,178	511,817

* Provisional

(b) Cumulative total.

(Quantity in thousand kg.)

*Period	1973			1974			1975			*1976		
	North India	South India	Total	North India	South India	Total	North India	South India	Total	North India	South India	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
January ..	520	4,988	5,508	509	6,754	7,263	963	6,377	7,340	845	7,093	7,938
Up to February	717	11,425	12,142	661	11,644	12,305	1,288	11,958	13,246	1,156	11,400	12,556
" March ..	8,601	18,139	26,740	6,431	18,333	24,764	6,945	22,459	29,404	8,638	16,648	25,286
" April ..	20,683	23,998	44,681	24,469	26,556	51,025	22,141	32,838	54,979	25,930	25,517	51,447
" May ..	55,408	35,113	90,521	64,008	41,501	105,509	55,096	44,066	99,162	65,585	43,786	109,371
" June ..	95,170	50,264	145,434	110,193	51,264	161,457	94,392	55,110	149,502	112,077	57,705	169,782
" July ..	145,741	57,398	203,139	168,854	58,247	227,101	152,647	62,522	215,169	173,538	60,830	234,368
" August ..	208,760	65,060	273,820	227,120	61,575	291,695	209,953	69,477	279,430	236,599	67,644	304,243
" September	265,832	74,951	340,783	284,423	71,422	355,845	273,641	77,932	351,573	297,083	77,457	374,540
" October ..	316,980	85,596	402,576	337,311	81,406	418,717	329,694	89,249	418,943	355,099	91,070	446,169
" November	354,447	95,833	450,280	378,060	90,708	468,768	368,041	96,940	464,981	389,477	101,743	491,220
" December	368,161	103,791	471,952	389,808	99,667	489,475	380,578	106,559	487,137	400,639	111,178	511,817

* Provisional.

NOTE :—(i) Production figures based on R. T. 12 returns. (ii) Figures include both black and green tea.

3. (ii) Monthwise and Districtwise Production of Tea in India during 1976

(Provisional)

(Quantity in thousand kg).

Months	North India										South India				
	Assam Valley	Cachar	Darjeeling	Terai *(b)*	Dooars *(c)*	Bihar	Tripura	Uttar Pradesh	Himachal Pradesh	Total North India	Tamil Nadu	Kerala	Karnataka	South India	Total All India
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)
January ..	219	336	3	71	179	—	14	4	19	845	3,475	3,423	195	7,093	7,938
February ..	90	122	4	13	77	—	1	—	4	311	2,341	1,830	136	4,307	4,618
March ..	4,020	6 15	456	242	2,104	1	21	7	16	7,482	2,756	2,237	255	5,248	12,730
April ..	8,898	1,779	1,146	515	4,788	1	92	52	21	17,292	5,027	3,504	338	8,869	26,161
May ..	23,210	3,547	945	1,338	9,941	1	313	133	227	39,655	10,324	7,590	355	18,269	57,924
June ..	27,572	3,519	1,850	1,396	11,565	2	456	25	107	46,492	4,258	3,419	242	7,919	54,411
July ..	38,465	3,665	1,872	2,193	14,440	7	616	94	109	61,461	4,475	4,217	433	9,125	70,586
August ..	40,273	4,906	2,075	1,635	13,326	4	512	69	261	63,061	3,502	3,097	215	6,814	69,875
September	39,705	3,705	1,156	1,959	13,137	4	526	127	165	60,484	5,068	4,467	278	9,813	70,297
October ..	34,826	4,975	805	2,079	13,945	6	905	160	315	58,016	7,671	5,578	364	13,613	71,629
November ..	21,957	2,888	833	1,762	5,915	2	707	150	164	34,378	5,580	4,761	332	10,673	45,051
December	5,566	1,450	199	454	3,305	1	129	33	25	11,162	5,348	3,790	297	9,435	20,597
Total ..	244,801	31,507	11,344	13,657	92,722	29	4,292	854	1,433	400,639	59,825	47,913	3,440	111,178	511,817

(b) Including West Dinajpur (c) Including Cooch Behar.

3. (iii) Districtwise Production of tea in India

(a) NORTH INDIA

(Quantity in thousand kg.)

Districts/States	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	*1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Darrang ..	26,909	31,194	35,045	35,906	37,841	41,283	44,559	48,129	50,727	49,850	47,131
Goalpara ..	1,616	1,717	1,871	1,926	2,149	2,428	2,629	3,032	3,037	3,023	2,733
Kamrup ..	1,157	1,668	1,872	2,220	2,314	2,557	2,824	3,463	3,470	3,392	3,715
Lakhimpur ..	55,996	73,339	74,432	85,437	86,133	91,949	95,618	102,056	103,884	104,820	113,807
Nowgong ..	3,691	5,643	7,139	6,557	7,747	7,423	8,732	7,650	9,456	8,981	6,082
Sibsagar (a) ..	41,174	48,569	49,284	51,332	53,025	55,289	60,028	61,744	66,421	65,415	71,333
Cachar ..	19,827	20,181	19,578	21,360	22,818	22,736	24,816	25,751	28,286	27,574	31,507
TOTAL ASSAM ..	150,370	182,311	189,221	204,738	212,027	223,665	239,206	251,825	265,281	263,055	276,308
Darjeeling ..	7,838	10,107	8,716	9,530	10,058	10,293	11,477	11,414	11,453	10,687	11,344
Terai (b) ..	6,376	9,253	9,076	10,205	11,970	12,954	12,740	13,521	14,329	13,148	13,657
Dooars (c) ..	63,944	66,898	69,223	68,856	79,169	80,840	84,359	85,554	92,246	88,025	92,722
TOTAL W. BENGAL ..	78,158	86,258	87,015	88,591	101,197	104,087	108,576	110,489	118,028	111,860	117,723
Tripura ..	1,873	2,689	2,634	2,824	2,547	2,960	3,011	3,857	4,166	3,674	4,292
Bihar ..	1,098	55	55	41	36	41	23	23	37	18	29
Uttar Pradesh ..	901	804	451	450	566	690	613	840	908	580	854
Himachal Pradesh ..	1,125	1,188	1,011	919	975	888	1,258	1,127	1,388	1,391	1,433
TOTAL NORTH INDIA ..	233,525	273,305	280,387	297,563	317,348	332,331	352,687	368,161	389,808	380,578	400,639

* Provisional

NOTE :—*(a)* Including Mikir Hills and North Cachar.

(b) Including West Dinajpur.
(c) Including Cooch-Behar.

(b) SOUTH INDIA

(Quantity in thousand kg.)

Districts/States	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	*1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Kanyakumari ..	—	267	267	234	219	247	262	207	193	200	208
Tirunelveli ..	—	444	544	821	768	858	720	1,087	1,041	1,406	1,132
Madurai ..	—	1,062	1,268	1,643	1,716	1,738	1,805	1,994	1,966	1,858	2,367
Coimbatore ..	—	13,913	16,504	17,544	18,040	18,434	17,947	18,481	18,497	18,096	20,826
Nilgiris ..	—	24,082	29,872	31,866	34,814	36,254	34,365	34,251	32,979	38,892	35,292
TOTAL TAMIL NADU ..	25,225	39,768	48,455	52,108	55,557	57,531	55,099	56,020	54,676	60,452	59,825
Cannanore ..	—	1,175	1,510	975	1,382	1,441	1,561	1,302	1,124	1,177	1,450
Palghat ..	—	720	848	967	1,147	975	1,337	1,122	987	1,175	1,275
Kozhikode ..	—	4,827	6,679	5,564	6,061	6,140	6,558	6,856	5,568	6,347	7,027
Malapuran (d) ..	—	—	—	—	136	138	128	18	70	148	133
Trichur ..	—	669	818	745	796	674	795	839	794	871	913
Ernakulam ..	—	46	60	51	72	67	—	—	—	—	—
Trivandrum ..	—	1,058	1,146	985	922	940	953	952	935	826	804
Quilon ..	—	1,878	2,360	1,697	1,662	1,648	1,221	1,262	1,083	1,128	851
Kottayam ..	—	29,172	31,461	29,946	30,586	30,706	645	494	319	527	664
Idukki (e) ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	31,705	32,053	31,281	31,016	34,796
TOTAL KERALA ..	25,775	39,545	44,882	41,360	42,764	42,729	44,903	44,898	42,161	43,215	47,913
Chickmagalur ..	—	1,157	1,528	1,807	1,938	2,022	2,263	2,008	2,107	2,097	2,465
Coorg ..	—	192	238	257	268	273	340	324	314	270	362
Hassan ..	—	430	493	493	642	582	704	541	409	525	613
TOTAL KARNATAKA ..	874	1,779	2,259	2,557	2,848	2,877	3,307	2,873	2,830	2,892	3,440
TOTAL SOUTH INDIA ..	51,874	81,092	95,596	96,025	101,169	103,137	103,309	103,791	99,667	106,559	111,178
TOTAL ALL INDIA ..	285,399	354,397	375,983	393,588	418,516	435,468	455,996	471,952	489,475	487,137	511,817

* Provisional.

NOTE :—(d) New district formed since 1969 out of Kozhikode district.

(e) New district formed since 1972 out of Kottayam & Ernakulam districts.

Figures include both black and Green tea.

3. (iv) Production of Green tea in India.

(Quantity in thousand kg.)

Districts/States	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	*1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
Darrang ..	314	186	371	568	528	526	548	406	556	805
Goalpara ..	—	—	77	79	—	65	841	220	149	393
Kamrup ..	176	240	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lakhimpur ..	—	—	8	—	10	16	146	163	185	344
Nowgong ..	—	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sibsagar (a) ..	43	53	81	57	62	65	108	113	91	62
Cachar ..	—	30	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL ASSAM ..	533	523	537	705	600	672	1,643	902	981	1,604
Darjeeling ..	69	45	58	88	—	—	—	—	—	34
Terai (b) ..	984	1,256	1,468	1,945	1,117	1,807	1,158	1,146	1,616	1,215
Dooars (c) ..	2,086	3,451	4,798	4,286	4,110	4,913	5,476	3,179	3,424	3,358
TOTAL W. BENGAL ..	3,139	4,752	6,324	6,319	5,227	6,720	6,634	4,325	5,040	4,607
Tripura ..	273	268	129	89	103	160	66	26	53	53
Bihar ..	51	54	40	36	40	22	22	1	1	15
Uttar Pradesh ..	632	357	396	355	420	227	333	181	193	71
Himachal Pradesh ..	934	696	785	517	274	475	763	800	800	867
TOTAL NORTH INDIA ..	5,552	6,650	8,211	8,021	6,664	8,276	9,461	6,235	7,068	7,217
Tirunelveli ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—
Nilgiris ..	—	—	97	411	683	496	621	615	191	96
TOTAL TAMIL NADU ..	—	—	97	411	683	496	626	615	191	96
TOTAL SOUTH INDIA ..	—	—	97	411	683	496	626	615	191	96
TOTAL ALL INDIA ..	5,562	6,650	8,308	8,432	7,347	8,772	10,087	6,850	7,259	7,313

* Provisional.

(*a*) Including Mikir Hills and North Cachar.

(*b*) Including West Dinajpur.

(*c*) Including Cooch Bihar.

3. (v) Production of tea in India by different methods of manufacture.

(a) NORTH INDIA

(Quantity in m. kg.)

Year	C. T. C.		Orthodox		Legg-cut		Green Tea		Total	
	Quantity	Per cent	Quantity	Per cent	Quantity	Per cent	Quantity	Per cent	Quantity	Per cent
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
1961	117·6	43·2	125·2	46·0	24·6	9·1	4·7	1·7	272·1	100·0
1966	168·5	60·3	85·6	30·6	19·3	6·9	6·0	2·2	279·4	100·0
1969	195·2	65·8	79·0	26·6	15·0	5·1	7·4	2·5	296·6	100·0
1970	222·6	70·4	72·6	22·9	13·6	4·3	7·5	2·4	316·3	100·0
1971	210·2	63·4	103·5	31·2	11·3	3·4	6·4	2·0	331·4	100·0
1972	235·1	66·9	98·6	28·1	9·8	2·8	7·8	2·2	351·3	100·0
1973	254·3	69·3	102·5	27·9	1·5	0·4	8·7	2·4	367·0	100·0
1974	277·1	71·3	105·3	27·1	0·6	0·2	5·4	1·4	388·4	100·0
1975	241·3	63·6	131·0	34·5	0·6	0·2	6·3	1·7	379·2	100·0
(b) SOUTH INDIA										
1961	3·3	4·1	76·2	93·9	1·6	2·0	—	—	81·1	100·0
1966	13·2	13·8	79·8	83·5	2·6	2·7	—	—	95·6	100·0
1969	22·3	23·2	72·0	75·0	1·6	1·7	0·1	0·1	96·0	100·0
1970	26·5	26·2	72·3	71·4	2·0	2·0	0·4	0·4	101·2	100·0
1971	28·9	28·0	71·4	69·3	2·1	2·0	0·7	0·7	103·1	100·0
1972	33·5	32·4	67·8	65·6	1·5	1·5	0·5	0·5	103·3	100·0
1973	34·8	33·5	67·1	64·7	1·2	1·2	0·7	0·6	103·8	100·0
1974	35·4	35·5	62·6	62·8	1·1	1·1	0·6	0·6	99·7	100·0
1975	38·9	36·5	66·5	62·3	1·0	1·0	0·2	0·2	106·6	100·0
(c) ALL INDIA										
1961	120·9	34·2	201·4	57·0	26·2	7·4	4·7	1·4	353·2	100·0
1966	181·7	48·5	165·4	44·1	21·9	5·8	6·0	1·6	375·0	100·0
1969	217·5	55·4	150·8	38·5	16·6	4·2	7·5	1·9	392·6	100·0
1970	249·1	59·7	144·9	34·7	15·6	3·7	7·9	1·9	417·5	100·0
1971	239·1	55·0	174·9	40·3	13·4	3·1	7·1	1·6	434·5	100·0
1972	268·6	59·1	166·4	36·6	11·3	2·5	8·3	1·8	454·6	100·0
1973	289·1	61·4	169·6	36·0	2·7	0·6	9·4	2·0	470·8	100·0
1974	312·5	64·0	167·9	34·4	1·7	0·4	6·0	1·2	488·1	100·0
1975	280·2	57·7	197·5	40·7	1·6	0·3	6·5	1·3	485·8	100·0

NOTE:—Production in Himachal Pradesh is excluded from the above table.

3. (vi) Average yield rate in India.

(a) NORTH INDIA

(Figures in Kg/Hectare.)

Districts/States	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	*1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Darrang ..	1,063	1,177	1,221	1,196	1,248	1,336	1,436	1,551	1,598	1,538	1,436
Goalpara ..	1,102	1,071	964	934	1,031	1,158	1,237	1,396	1,392	1,360	1,198
Kamrup ..	615	804	755	843	874	942	1,027	1,273	1,250	1,220	1,293
Lakhimpur ..	1,193	1,460	1,388	1,513	1,507	1,605	1,650	1,746	1,760	1,760	1,900
Nowgong ..	729	1,012	1,169	1,043	1,225	1,165	1,343	1,173	1,438	1,364	918
Sibsagar (a) ..	924	1,046	1,000	999	1,046	1,065	1,140	1,172	1,238	1,217	1,321
Cachar ..	651	674	649	700	740	733	794	825	900	875	1,021
TOTAL ASSAM ..	966	1,123	1,098	1,141	1,178	1,227	1,298	1,360	1,416	1,393	1,459
Darjeeling ..	473	543	475	522	557	564	630	628	648	596	632
Terai (b) ..	759	990	906	964	1,117	1,203	1,177	1,245	1,315	1,197	1,237
Dooars (c) ..	1,171	1,222	1,209	1,173	1,337	1,359	1,417	1,426	1,546	1,470	1,551
TOTAL W. BENGAL ..	982	1,043	1,016	1,012	1,150	1,176	1,226	1,241	1,338	1,260	1,326
Tripura ..	392	532	476	514	461	544	553	706	768	672	777
Bihar ..	668	103	116	89	78	89	50	50	81	39	63
Uttar Pradesh ..	346	386	229	232	297	380	337	464	500	319	475
Himachal Pradesh ..	261	284	239	220	233	212	301	269	332	333	343
TOTAL NORTH INDIA ..	939	1,064	1,038	1,066	1,133	1,175	1,239	1,287	1,356	1,315	1,381

(b) SOUTH INDIA

(Figures in Kg/Hectare.)

Districts	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	*1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Kanyakumari ..		592	567	486	455	510	541	428	399	413	430
Tirunelveli ..		989	1,239	1,739	1,577	1,686	1,192	1,640	1,428	1,903	1,532
Madurai ..		1,449	1,452	1,802	1,847	1,841	1,878	2,045	2,018	1,908	2,435
Coimbatore ..		1,357	1,628	1,722	1,792	1,833	1,798	1,859	1,850	1,806	2,082
Nilgiris ..		1,156	1,371	1,426	1,521	1,601	1,513	1,490	1,423	1,662	1,478
TOTAL TAMIL NADU ..	756	1,215	1,437	1,515	1,606	1,661	1,586	1,599	1,546	1,698	1,658
Cannanore ..		811	997	649	920	957	1,036	861	743	779	958
Palghat ..		1,254	1,472	1,612	1,877	1,535	2,092	1,748	1,491	1,775	1,926
Kozhikode ..		1,203	1,659	1,382	1,561	1,585	1,690	1,765	1,431	1,631	1,806
Malapuram (d) ..		—	—	—	782	793	736	103	402	851	764
Trichur ..		1,668	1,806	1,621	1,734	1,468	1,823	1,924	1,821	1,998	2,089
Ernakulam ..		286	347	347	490	456	—	—	—	—	—
Trivandrum ..		978	1,085	913	854	889	891	890	875	773	752
Quilon ..		626	778	589	597	617	464	498	454	509	398
Kottayam ..		1,002	1,093	1,095	1,136	1,148	239	190	128	224	285
Idikki (e) ..		—	—	—	—	—	1,306	1,321	1,290	1,289	1,445
TOTAL KERALA ..	776	994	1,133	1,087	1,139	1,146	1,202	1,209	1,142	1,187	1,319
Chickmagalur ..		991	1,294	1,488	1,591	1,655	1,847	1,650	1,719	1,702	2,001
Coorg ..		1,079	1,337	1,266	1,307	1,332	1,659	1,580	1,532	1,337	1,915
Hassan ..		960	1,091	1,113	1,449	1,314	1,589	1,221	923	1,531	1,787
TOTAL KARNATAKA ..	514	992	1,247	1,375	1,526	1,539	1,766	1,540	1,510	1,627	1,950
TOTAL SOUTH INDIA ..	760	1,091	1,272	1,292	1,367	1,398	1,397	1,402	1,344	1,444	1,499
TOTAL ALL INDIA ..	901	1,070	1,089	1,114	1,182	1,221	1,271	1,311	1,353	1,341	1,405

* Provisional.

Note : —(a) Including Mikir Hills and North Cachar.
(b) Including West Dinajpur.
(c) Including Cooch Bihar.
(d) New dist. formed out of Kozhikode dist.
(e) New dist. formed out of Kottayam & Ernakulam dist.

3. (vii) Excise Zonewise Area, Production and yield rate of Tea in India.

(a) NORTH INDIA

Revenue Units	Area in hectare as on			Production in thousand kg.			Yield in kg/Hectare		
	31.3.74	31.3.75	31.3.76	1974	1975	1976	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Goalpara ..	2,182	2,223	2,281	3,037	3,023	2,733	1,392	1,360	1,198
Cachar ..	31,422	31,496	30,853	28,286	27,574	31,507	900	875	1,021
Tripura ..	5,421	5,467	5,527	4,166	3,674	4,292	768	672	777
United mikir hills & North Cachar ..	1,361	1,365	1,365	1,080	998	1,100	794	731	806
Siliguri Sub-division of Darjeeling districts ..	10,105	10,195	10,254	13,528	12,477	13,370	1,339	1,224	1,304
West Dinajpur ..	273	273	273	275	254	287	1,007	930	1,051
Cooch Behar ..	199	199	199	360	312	257	1,809	1,568	1,291
Simulbari & Marionbari T.E. in Kurseong Subdivision of Darjeeling district ..	515	515	513	526	417	362	1,021	810	706
Kalinpong Sub-division of Darjeeling District ..	1,155	1,155	1,155	534	526	708	462	455	613
Bihar ..	459	459	459	37	18	29	81	39	63
Uttar Pradesh ..	1,817	1,816	1,799	908	580	854	500	319	475
Himachal Pradesh ..	4,183	4,183	4,183	1,388	1,391	1,433	332	333	343
TOTAL ZONE—I ..	59,092	59,346	58,861	54,125	51,244	56,932	916	863	967
Nowgong ..	6,575	6,584	6,625	9,456	8,981	6,082	1,438	1,364	918
Kamrup ..	2,775	2,781	2,873	3,470	3,392	3,715	1,250	1,220	1,293
Mangaldai Sub-division of Darrang District ..	9,097	9,236	9,417	15,746	16,849	16,854	1,731	1,824	1,790
Jalpaiguri ..	59,452	59,662	59,602	91,886	87,713	92,465	1,546	1,470	1,551
TOTAL ZONE—II ..	77,899	78,263	75,517	120,558	116,935	119,116	1,548	1,494	1,517
Kurseong Sub-Division of Darjeeling District (Excluding Simulbari & Marionbari T.E. and Sadar Sub-Division of Darjeeling District. ..	16,525	16,785	16,803	10,919	10,161	10,274	661	605	611
TOTAL ZONE—III ..	16,525	16,785	16,803	10,919	10,161	10,274	661	605	611
Darrang (Excluding Mangaldai Sub-Division) ..	22,646	23,167	23,417	34,981	33,001	30,277	1,545	1,424	1,293
Lakhimpur ..	59,040	59,553	59,893	103,884	104,820	113,807	1,760	1,760	1,900
Sibsagar ..	52,310	52,389	52,617	65,341	64,417	70,233	1,249	1,230	1,335
TOTAL OF ZONE—V ..	133,996	135,109	135,924	204,206	202,238	214,317	1,524	1,497	,1577
TOTAL ALL INDIA ..	287,512	289,503	290,105	389,808	380,578	400,639	1,356	1,315	1,381

3. vii (b) Excise Zonewise Area, Production and yield rate of the Tea in India

(b) SOUTH INDIA

Revenue Units	Area in hectares as on			Production in thousand kg.			Yield in kg/Hectare		
	31.3.74	31.3.75	31.3.76	1974	1975	1976	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Gudalur Taluk in Nilgiris ..	5,228	5,219	5,693	7,656	8,878	9,482	1,464	1,701	1,666
Kanyakumari District ..	484	484	484	193	201	205	399	415	430
Tirunelveli District ..	729	738	739	1,041	1,406	1,132	1,428	1,905	1,532
Peermade Taluk of Idduki District ..	12,471	12,443	12,420	15,821	16,157	18,037	1,269	1,299	1,452
Thodupuja Taluk of Idduki District ..	120	121	121	62	53	62	517	438	512
Meenachal, Kanjirapally and Charganasserry Taluk of Kottayam District. ..	2,492	2,352	2,333	319	527	664	128	224	285
Ernakulam District ..	30	30	30	—	—	—	—	—	—
Trivandrum District ..	1,069	1,070	1,069	935	826	804	875	772	752
Quilon District ..	2,388	2,216	2,140	1,083	1,128	851	454	509	398
Cannanore District ..	1,513	1,513	1,513	1,124	1,177	1,450	743	778	958
Kozikode District ..	3,891	3,891	3,891	5,568	6,346	7,027	1,431	1,631	1,806
Trichur District ..	436	436	437	794	871	913	1,821	1,998	2,089
Palghat District ..	662	662	662	987	1,175	1,275	1,491	1,775	1,926
Malapuram District ..	174	174	174	70	148	133	402	851	764
TOTAL OF ZONE I ..	31,687	31,349	31,706	35,653	38,893	42,038	1,125	1,241	1,326
Devikulam Taluk Idduki District ..	10,046	9,921	9,921	12,863	12,285	13,833	1,280	1,238	1,394
Udumbancholai Taluk in Idduki District ..	1,615	1,585	1,616	2,535	2,522	2,864	1,570	1,591	1,772
Hassan District ..	443	343	343	409	525	613	923	1,531	1,787
Chickmagalur District ..	1,226	1,232	1,232	2,107	2,096	2,465	1,719	1,701	2,001
Coimbatore District ..	10,002	10,019	10,005	18,497	18,096	20,826	1,849	1,806	2,082
Coorg District ..	205	202	189	314	270	362	1,532	1,337	1,915
Madurai District ..	973	974	972	1,966	1,858	2,367	2,021	1,908	2,435
TOTAL OF ZONE II ..	24,510	24,275	24,278	38,691	37,652	43,330	1,579	1,551	1,785
Nilgiri District. (Excluding Gudalur Taluk ..	17,954	18,176	18,186	25,323	30,014	25,510	1,410	1,651	1,419
TOTAL OF ZONE IV ..	17,954	18,176	18,186	25,323	30,014	25,810	1,410	1,651	1,419
TOTAL SOUTH INDIA ..	74,151	73,800	74,170	99,667	106,559	111,178	1,344	1,444	1,499
TOTAL ALL INDIA ..	361,663	363,303	364,275	489,475	437,137	511,317	1,353	1,341	1,405

* Provisional.

Note : —Devikulam, Udumbancholai and Peermade Taluk were formerly in Kottyam District now changed to Idduki District from 1972; Thodupuzha Taluk formerly in Ernakulam District now changed to Idduki District from 1972.

3. (viii). Sizewise Area and production of Tea in India.

(a) NORTH INDIA

(Area as on 31st March, 1975 and Production during 1975)

District	Up to 5 Hectares (1)			Above 5 Hectares and Below 50 Hectares (2)			Above 50 Hectares and Below 100 Hectares (3)			Above 100 Hectares and Below 200 Hectares (4)		
	No of Estates	Area in Hectares	Production in. th. kg.	No.of Estates	Area in Hectares	Production in. th. kg.	No.of Estates	Area in Hectares	Production in. th. kg.	No.of Estates	Area in Hectares	Production in. th. kg.
Darrang ..	—	—	—	4	87	191	5	304	307	14	1,943	2,509
Goalpara ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	683	885
Kamrup ..	—	—	—	3	90	62	1	62	2	5	767	289
Lakhimpur ..	6	16	113	28	667	1,799	27	1,930	3,163	57	8,272	14,508
Nowgong ..	—	—	—	5	205	56	2	160	232	2	321	272
Sibsagar ...	7	22	—	56	1,476	1,732	51	3,717	4,413	46	6,014	5,886
Cachar ..	—	—	—	9	334	55	11	645	389	22	3,009	2,207
TOTAL ASSAM ..	13	38	113	105	2,859	3,895	97	6,818	8,506	151	21,009	26,556
Darjeeling ..	6	11	11	7	216	70	10	746	416	34	5,147	3,029
Terai ..	—	—	—	1	17	12	3	250	255	19	2,875	2,828
Dooars ..	—	—	—	2	45	11	2	143	309	18	2,860	2,725
TOTAL W. BENGAL ..	6	11	11	10	278	93	15	1,139	980	71	10,882	8,582
Tripura ..	1	4	—	7	207	114	20	1,396	869	24	3,454	2,129
Bihar ..	—	—	—	1	38	2	—	—	—	1	134	1
U. P. ..	2	6	—	17	304	8	7	554	50	3	446	180
TOTAL OTHERS ..	3	10	—	25	549	124	27	1,950	919	28	4,054	2,310
INDIA* ..	22	59	124	140	3,686	4,112	139	9,907	10,405	250	35,945	37,448

* Excluding Himachal Pradesh.

(a) North India (Continued)

(Area as on 31st March, 1975 and Production during 1975)

Districts	Above 200 Hectares and below 400 Hectares (5)			Area above 400 Hectares (6)			Total North India (7)		
	No. of Estates	Area in Hectares	Production in th. kg.	No. of Estates	A(ea in Hectares	Production in th. kg.	No. of Estates	Area in Hectares	Production in th. kg.
Darrang ..	40	12,514	17,266	31	17,553	37,360	94	32,402	47,633
Goalpara ..	4	1,125	1,740	1	415	600	10	2,223	3,226
Kamrup ..	3	752	765	2	1,110	1,639	14	2,781	2,756
Lakhimpur ..	63	17,992	34,048	54	30,675	54,418	235	59,552	108,049
Nowgong ..	8	2,228	2,376	6	3,670	4,271	23	6,584	7,207
Sibsagar ..	61	18,132	20,512	46	24,392	30,189	267	53,754	62,732
Cachar ..	49	13,647	12,132	22	13,863	11,371	113	31,496	26,154
TOTAL ASSAM ..	228	66,390	88,839	162	91,678	129,848	756	188,792	257,757
Darjeeling ..	33	8,729	6,153	7	3,091	1,249	97	17,940	10,928
Terai ..	21	5,966	6,454	4	1,875	2,550	48	10,983	12,099
Dooars ..	60	17,713	23,952	70	39,101	59,690	152	59,862	86,687
TOTAL W. BENGAL ..	114	32,408	36,559	81	44,067	63,489	297	88,785	109,714
Tripura ..	2	406	173	—	—	—	54	5,467	3,295
Bihar ..	1	287	15	—	—	—	3	459	18
U.P. ..	2	487	438	—	—	—	31	1,817	676
TOTAL OTHERS ..	5	1,180	626	—	—	—	88	7,743	3,979
TOTAL NORTH INDIA	347	99,978	126,024	243	135,745	193,337	1,141	285,320	371,450

* Excluding Himachal Pradesh

(b) SOUTH INDIA

State and Districts	Up to 5 Hectares (1)			Above 5 and below 50 Hectares (2)			Above 5 and below 100 hectares (3)			Above 100 and below 200 hectares (4)		
	No. of Estates	Area in Hectares	Production in. th. kg.	No. of. Estates	Area in Hectores	Production in th. kg.	No.of Estates	Area in Hectare	Production in. th. kg.	No. of Estates	Area in Hectares	Production in. th. kg.
Cannanore ..	—	—	N.A.	5	138	20	2	111	30	1	176	36
Ernakulam ..	2	3	N.A.	1	27	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Idduki ..	59	98	N.A.	32	611	281	9	701	216	19	2,823	3,419
Kottayam ..	3,776	1,592	N.A.	61	621	37	2	139	10	—	—	—
Khozhikode ..	1	1	N.A.	5	94	66	1	52	53	4	560	907
Malapuram ..	—	—	N.A.	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	174	148
Palghat ..	28	21	N.A.	1	10	1	—	—	—	2	310	366
Quilon ..	86	115	N.A.	18	265	65	5	395	169	4	542	171
Trichur ..	—	—	N.A.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Trivandrum ..	1	3	N.A.	—	—	—	1	95	63	1	157	40
TOTAL KERALA ..	3,953	1,833	N.A.	123	1,766	470	20	1,493	541	32	4,742	5,087
Coimbatore ..	—	—	N.A.	—	—	—	1	92	67	2	332	567
Kanyakumari ..	1	2	N.A.	3	86	28	2	183	128	—	—	—
Madurai ..	—	—	N.A.	—	—	—	1	87	66	—	—	—
Nilgiris ..	6,063	5,872	N.A.	344	3,818	1,768	20	1,475	1,447	25	3,853	5,771
Tirunelveli ..	1	4	N.A.	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	184	—
TOTAL TAMIL NADU ..	6,065	5,878	N.A.	347	3,904	1,796	24	1,837	1,870	28	4,369	6,338
Chickmagalur ..	2	5	N.A.	4	73	28	1	65	62	4	627	1,108
Coorg ..	—	—	N.A.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hassan ..	—	—	N.A.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL KARNATAKA ..	2	5	N.A.	4	73	28	1	65	62	4	627	1,108
TOTAL SOUTH INDIA ..	10,020	7,714	N.A.	474	5,743	2,294	45	3,397	2,311	64	9,737	12,533

(b) SOUTH INDIA (Continued)

(Area as on 31st March, 1975 and production during 1975)

District	Above 200 below 400 Hectares (5)			Above 400 Hectares (6)			Total South india (7)		
	No. of Estates	Area in Hectares	Production in. th. kg.	No. of Estates	Area in Hectares	Production in. th. kg.	No. of Estates	Area in Hectares	Production in. th. kg.
Cannanore ..	4	1,088	970	—	—	—	12	1,513	1,056
Ernakulam ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	30	—
Idduki ..	45	13,118	17,097	12	6,718	9,565	176	24,069	30,578
Kottayam ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,839	2,352	47
Khozhikode ..	3	847	1,513	4	2,337	4,028	18	3,891	6,567
Malapuram ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	174	148
Palghat ..	1	321	807	—	—	—	32	662	1,174
Quilon ..	1	312	269	1	587	446	115	2,216	1,120
Trichur ..	—	—	—	1	436	871	1	436	871
Trivandrum ..	3	814	753	—	—	—	6	1,069	856
TOTAL KERALA ..	57	16,500	21,409	18	10,078	14,910	4,203	36,412	42,417
Coimbatore ..	19	5,747	10,674	9	3,848	6,839	31	10,019	18,147
Kanyakumari ..	1	213	44	—	—	—	7	484	200
Madurai ..	3	887	1,792	—	—	—	4	974	1,858
Nilgiris ..	14	4,148	7,399	8	4,229	7,665	6,474	23,395	24,050
Tirunelveli ..	2	551	1,412	—	—	—	4	739	1,412
TOTAL TAMIL NADU ..	39	11,546	21,321	17	8,077	14,504	6,520	35,611	45,667
Chickmagalur ..	2	462	868	—	—	—	13	1,232	2,066
Coorg ..	1	202	290	—	—	—	1	202	290
Hassan ..	1	343	555	—	—	—	1	343	555
TOTAL KARNATAKA ..	4	1,007	1,713	—	—	—	15	1,777	2,911
TOTAL SOUTH INDIA ..	100	29,053	44,443	35	18,155	29,414	10,738	73,800	90,995

Note : —(i) No. of tea estates and area relate to 31st March, 1974.
(ii) Production in th. kg. relates to Calendar Year, 1974.
(iii) Areas on 31st March, 1975 as well as production during 1975 classified according to the Size of the estates do not agree with the actual figures in Table No. 2 (i) and 3(iii) because of difference in coverage.

3. (ix) Area Under Different Age Group of Bushes as on 31.3.76

(a) NORTH INDIA

(Figures in hectares).

Districts	Below 5 years	5 to 10 years	11 to 20 years	21 to 30 years	31 to 40 years	41 to 50 years	Over 50 years	Total years
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Darrang ..	2,776	3,808	5,306	3,373	2,057	3,513	11,206	3,203
Goalpara ..	245	264	327	79	121	831	384	2,25
Kamrup ..	229	485	295	298	337	410	791	2,84
Lakhimpur ..	119	344	515	231	83	195	1,860	3,34
Dibrugarh ..	4,035	6,329	10,173	6,880	5,661	7,733	14,425	55,23
Nowgong ..	312	608	1,257	1,175	990	490	1,715	6,54
Sibsagar united Mikir Hills ..	4,478	6,782	8,687	5,802	6,116	5,394	14,060	51,319
Cachar ..	1,886	2,517	3,241	2,282	3,061	3,192	13,460	29,639
TOTAL ASSAM ..	14,080	21,137	29,801	20,120	18,426	21,758	57,901	183,223
Terai ..	577	965	1,772	775	850	1,715	4,077	10,731
Darjeeling ..	260	560	491	517	1,220	1,022	13,732	17,802
Dooars ..	1,998	5,625	9,835	3,534	4,075	5,943	27,646	58,656
Coochbihar ..	—	—	—	—	199	—	—	199
TOTAL W. BENGAL ..	2,835	7,150	12,098	4,826	6,344	8,680	45,455	87,388
Tripura ..	192	595	857	1,133	1,061	1,149	533	5,520
Uttar Pradesh ..	—	—	—	11	35	102	1,609	1,757
Bihar ..	1	4	45	70	60	77	203	460
TOTAL OTHERS ..	193	599	902	1,214	1,156	1,328	2,345	7,737
TOTAL NORTH INDIA* ..	17,108	28,886	42,801	26,160	25,926	31,766	105,701	278,348

(b) SOUTH INDIA

State/District	Below 5 years	5 to 10 years	10 to 20 years	21 to 30 years	31 to 40 years	41 to 50 years	Over 50 years	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Cannanore ..	—	23	103	32	111	918	325	1,572
Ernakulam ..	—	—	6	4	21	—	—	31
Idduki ..	130	355	869	1,107	1,456	7,909	12,210	24,036
Kottayam ..	198	871	704	254	237	67	—	2,331
Khozhikode ..	20	95	92	160	478	416	2,630	3,891
Malapuram ..	—	—	—	—	—	174	—	174
Palghat ..	34	34	55	36	27	451	25	662
Quilon ..	1	5	74	164	491	587	812	2,134
Trichur ..	—	6	50	15	—	163	204	438
Trivandrum ..	—	6	20	173	12	183	675	1,069
TOTAL KERALA ..	383	1,395	1,973	1,945	2,833	10,868	16,881	36,278
Coimbatore ..	295	362	335	344	548	3,258	4,854	9,996
Kanyakumari ..	10	3	14	—	43	152	263	485
Madurai ..	92	232	282	54	264	49	—	973
Nilgiris ..	1,951	3,435	2,707	1,886	3,169	4,339	6,297	23,784
Tirunelveli ..	204	122	35	187	139	52	—	739
TOTAL TAMIL NADU ..	2,552	4,154	3,373	2,471	4,163	7,850	11,414	35,977
Chickmagalur ..	14	10	45	28	317	814	—	1,228
Coorg ..	5	23	—	7	—	—	155	190
Hassan ..	12	1	—	6	5	319	—	343
TOTAL KARNATAKA ..	31	34	45	41	322	1,133	155	1,761
TOTAL SOUTH INDIA ..	2,966	5,583	5,391	4,457	7,318	19,851	28,450	74,016
TOTAL ALL INDIA ..	20,074	34,469	48,192	30,617	33,244	51,617	134,151	352,364

Note : —Total area shown in the above table may not tally with the figures shown in table No. 2(i) on pages 5 & 6 due to incomplete coverage.
* Excluding HP

3. (x) Area, production and yield rate of Indian tea

Year	Area in hectares	Production in. th. kgs	Avg. yield in kg/hectare	Year	Area in hectares	Production in th. kgs	Avg. yield in kg/hectare
1915 ..	256,951	168,830	657	1945	308,922	229,038	741
1916 ..	262,353	167,973	640	1946	309,256	246,068	796
1917 ..	269,960	168,419	624	1947	309,986	227,328	822
1918 ..	274,592	172,575	629	1948	310,798	262,092	843
1919 ..	279,948	171,031	611	1949	312,398	236,753	850
1920 ..	284,922	165,645	549	1950	315,656	278,212	881
1921 ..	286,924	124,405	434	1951	316,870	285,399	901
1922 ..	286,597	141,359	493	1952	317,916	278,671	877
1923 ..	287,816	170,260	592	1953	318,642	278,777	875
1924 ..	289,232	170,215	588	1954	319,478	295,519	925
1925 ..	294,474	164,886	559	1955	320,238	307,704	961
1926 ..	299,233	178,233	595	1956	320,588	308,719	963
1927 ..	305,939	177,320	579	1957	323,285	310,802	961
1928 ..	313,994	183,322	584	1958	325,357	325,225	1000
1929 ..	318,892	196,336	615	1959	326,494	325,955	998
1930 ..	325,177	177,393	546	1960	330,738	321,077	961
1931 ..	326,512	178,755	547	1961	331,229	354,397	1,070
1932 ..	327,574	196,711	601	1962	332,524	346,735	1,043
1933 ..	331,000	174,033	526	1963	334,036	346,413	1,037
1934 ..	334,406	181,099	541	1964	337,874	372,485	1,102
1935 ..	336,572	178,912	531	1965	341,762	366,374	1,072
1936 ..	337,553	179,252	531	1966	345,256	375,983	1,089
1937 ..	337,630	195,160	578	1967	347,653	384,759	1,107
1938 ..	337,414	204,963	608	1968	351,065	402,489	1,146
1939 ..	336,901	205,296	610	1969	353,359	393,588	1,114
1940 ..	337,034	210,415	624	1970	354,133	418,517	1,182
1941 ..	339,832	226,844	688	1971	356,516	435,468	1,221
1942 ..	310,081	233,502	752	1972	358,675	455,996	1,271
1943 ..	309,919	237,834	768	1973	360,108	471,952	1,311
1944 ..	308,518	213,856	693	1974	361,663	489,475	1,353
				1975	363,303	487,137	1,341
				1976 *	364,275	511,817	1,405

* Provisional

Note : Figures prior to 1947 relate to combined figures of India and present Bangladesh.

4. (i) (A) Districtwise sales at Calcutta auctions.

(a) LEAF (Quantity in thousand kg.)

Years	Assam	Cachar	Darjeeling	Dooars	Terai	Tripura	Green tea	Others	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
1950-51	52,786	4,299	2,538	13,295	1,976	307	—	6	75,207
1960-61	49,469	7,698	7,870	27,238	4,809	1,228	—	3	98,315
1966-67	59,519	6,401	6,896	24,861	4,008	1,233	44	—	102,962
1970-71	65,471	3,095	8,243	20,802	3,657	1,504	14	—	102,786
1971-72	69,193	1,656	8,141	22,803	3,680	1,300	41	—	106,814
1972-73	79,192	2,064	8,724	23,227	3,210	1,336	22	26	117,801
1973-74	70,923	1,126	8,950	19,138	3,440	1,446	23	109	105,155
1974-75	79,228	1,376	9,310	24,090	3,736	1,426	4	84	119,254
1975-76	87,986	1,408	8,472	25,973	3,290	1,101	—	185	128,415
1976-77	74,996	702	8,734	21,007	2,440	843	2	249	108,973
(b) DUST									
1950-51	12,263	2,511	386	8,078	723	122	4	—	24,087
1960-61	24,007	2,976	409	9,293	853	273	—	—	37,811
1966-67	34,116	4,366	326	15,396	1,587	255	—	—	56,046
1970-71	31,131	2,783	457	14,355	1,283	257	*	—	50,266
1971-72	47,420	1,231	447	12,655	1,084	239	1	—	43,077
1972-73	35,726	1,936	571	17,678	1,368	307	—	—	57,586
1973-74	34,633	1,392	465	13,752	1,404	315	—	2	51,963
1974-75	31,953	1,517	455	14,364	1,296	365	—	57	50,007
1975-76	30,475	701	413	13,443	1,185	273	—	74	46,564
1976-77	31,192	729	459	11,810	918	279	—	119	45,506
(c) COMBINED									
1950-51	65,049	6,810	2,924	21,373	2,699	429	4	6	99,294
1960-61	73,476	10,674	8,279	36,531	5,662	1,501	—	3	136·126
1966-67	93,635	10,767	7,222	40,257	5,595	1,488	44	—	159,008
1970-71	96,602	5,878	8,700	35,157	4,940	1,761	14	—	153,052
1971-72	96,613	2,887	8,588	35,458	4,764	1,539	42	—	149,891
1972-73	114,918	4,000	9,295	40,905	4,578	1,643	22	26	175,387
1973-74	105,556	2,518	9,415	32,890	4,844	1,761	23	111	157,118
1974-75	111,181	2,893	9,765	38,454	5,032	1,791	4	141	169,261
1975-76	118,461	2,109	8,885	39,416	4,475	1,374	—	259	174,979
1976-77	106,188	1,431	9,193	32,817	3,358	1,122	2	368	154,479

* Denotes below 500 kg.

(B) Districtwise prices at Calcutta auctions.

(RS/Kg)

Years	Assam	Cachar	Darjeeling	Dooars	Terai	Tripura	Green tea	Others	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
(a) LEAF									
1950-51	4·65	3·81	5·82	3·95	3·99	3·70	—	3·75	4·52
1960-61	5·79	4·70	6·98	4·96	4·86	4·66	—	5·35	5·51
1966-67	6·27	5·04	9·92	5·32	5·19	4·51	6·98	—	6·15
1970-71	7·21	5·54	12·55	5·99	5·91	5·17	5·50	—	7·27
1971-72	7·35	5·86	12·00	6·19	6·24	5·75	5·65	—	7·38
1972-73	7·03	5·22	12·58	5·93	5·74	4·95	8·33	5·23	7·14
1973-74	7·69	5·77	14·23	6·37	6·28	5·47	5·63	4·53	7·91
1974-75	11·87	8·84	17·37	9·49	9·52	8·42	8·25	7·17	11·67
1975-76	12·03	9·61	17·54	10·31	10·14	8·80	—	8·20	11·94
1976-77	13·27	13·08	18·64	11·95	11·86	11·80	12·61	12·55	13·40
(b) DUST									
1950-51	N.A.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	3·73
1960-61	5·56	4·52	5·16	4·88	4·60	4·37	—	—	5·28
1966-67	5·91	5·12	5·92	5·31	5·13	4·33	—	—	5·65
1970-71	6·50	5·43	6·50	5·73	5·63	4·85	2·45	—	6·20
1971-72	6·80	5·74	6·59	6·00	5·94	5·29	3·24	—	6·51
1972-73	6·51	5·04	6·40	5·67	5·33	4·46	—	—	6·17
1973-74	7·02	6·16	7·36	6·29	6·09	5·39	—	4·86	6·77
1974-75	9·66	8·62	9·49	8·90	8·81	7·90	—	6·96	9·37
1975-76	10·65	9·51	10·70	9·88	9·62	8·80	—	7·83	10·37
1976-77	13·14	13·12	12·28	12·67	12·56	11·92	—	10·68	12·98
(c) COMBINED									
1950-51	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	4·32
1960-61	5·71	4·65	6·89	4·94	4·82	4·61	—	5·35	5·45
1966-67	6·14	5·07	9·74	5·32	5·17	4·48	6·98	—	5·97
1970-71	6·98	5·49	12·23	5·89	5·84	5·12	5·49	—	6·92
1971-72	7·19	5·81	11·72	6·12	6·17	5·68	5·60	—	7·13
1972-73	6·87	5·13	12·20	5·82	5·62	4·86	8·33	5·23	6·82
1973-74	7·47	5·99	13·89	6·34	6·22	5·46	5·63	4·54	7·53
1974-75	11·23	8·72	17·00	9·27	9·34	8·31	8·25	7·08	10·99
1975-76	11·68	9·58	17·22	10·16	10·00	8·80	—	8·09	11·52
1976-77	13·23	13·10	18·32	12·21	12·05	11·83	12·61	11·94	13·28

NOTE :—From 1950-51 figures include private sales. From 1960-61 the averages are inclusive of Excise duty.

4 (ii). Calcutta Sales—

(a) DISTRICT-WISE SALE AVERAGES
LEAF AND DUST COMBINED

(Seasonal years) **(Quantity sold and average price Rs./kg)**

District	1972-73		1973-74		1974-75		1975-76		1976-77	
	Tonnes	Average Rs. P.	Tonnes	Averages Rs. P.	Tonnes	Average Rs. P.	Tonnes	Average Rs. P.	Tonnes	Average Rs. P.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
ASSAM :										
C.T.C. ..	62,683	6·57	55,822	7·12	57,066	9·82	52,117	10·88	52,274	12·97
Orthodox ..	52,235	7·23	49,734	7·85	54,114	12·72	66,344	12·29	53,914	13·47
TOTAL ..	114,918	6·87	105,556	7·47	111,180	11·23	118,461	11·68	106,188	13·23
CACHAR :										
C.T.C. ..	3,036	5·20	1,745	6·18	2,528	8·71	1,543	9·69	1,304	13·20
Orthodox ..	953	4·93	772	5·84	335	8·78	566	9·25	127	12·13
Legg-cut ..	11	3·31	1	5·11	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL ..	4,000	5·13	2,518	5·99	2,893	8·72	2,109	9·58	1,431	13·10
DARJEELING ..	9,295	12·20	9,415	13·89	9,765	17·00	8,885	17·22	9,193	18·32
DOOARS :										
C.T.C. ..	27,964	5·81	22,979	6·39	29,675	9·06	28,300	10·11	26,515	12·23
Orthodox ..	9,136	5·93	8,909	6·22	8,444	10·00	10,787	13·31	6,302	12·12
Legg-cut ..	3,805	5·56	1,001	6·15	336	9·08	329	9·75	—	—
TOTAL ..	40,905	5·82	32,889	6·34	38,455	9·27	39,416	10·16	32,817	12·21
TERAI :										
C.T.C. ..	2,629	5·46	2,717	6·25	3,023	9·05	2,379	9·90	1,869	12·13
Orthodox ..	1,949	5·82	2,127	6·19	2,009	9·77	2,096	10·12	1,489	11·97
Legg-cut ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL ..	4,578	5·62	4,844	6·22	5,032	9·34	4,475	10·00	3,358	12·05
TRIPURA ..	1,643	4·86	1,761	5·46	1,791	8·31	1,374	8·80	1,122	11·83
GREEN TEA ..	22	8·33	23	5·63	4	8·25	—	—	2	12·61
OTHERS ..	26	5·23	111	4·54	141	7·08	259	8·09	369	11·94
GRAND TOTAL ..	175,387	6·82	157,117	7·53	169,261	10·99	174,979	11·52	154,479	13·28

Source : Calcutta Tea Market Report.

4 (ii). Calcutta Sales—

(b) ACCORDING TO TYPE OF MANUFACTURE (LEAF AND DUST COMBINED)

(Seasonal years) **(Quantity sold and average price Rs/kg.)**

	1972-73		1973-74		1974-75		1975-76		1976-77	
	Tonnes	Average Rs, P.	Tonnes	Average Rs. P.	Tonnes	Tonnes Rs. P.	Tonnes	Average Rs. P.	Tonnes	Average Rs. P.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
C.T.C. ..	96,312	6·27	83,263	6·87	92,322	9·52	84,649	10·57	82,453	12·71
ORTHODOX ..	65,942	6·92	63,414	7·47	66,833	12·14	81,116	11·89	62,831	13·27
LEGG-CUT ..	3,816	5·55	1,002	6·15	336	9·08	329	9·75	—	—
DARJEELING ..	9,295	12·20	9,415	13·89	9,765	17·00	8,885	17·22	9,193	18·32
GREEN TEA ..	22	8·33	23	5·63	4	8·25	—	—	2	12·61
TOTAL ..	175,387	6·82	157,117	7·53	169,261	10·99	174,979	11·52	154,479	13·28

Source : Calcutta Tea Market Report.

4 (iii). Excise Zonewise sales at Calcutta auctions.

(a) LEAF

Excise Zone	1972-73		1973-74		1974-75		1975-76		1976-77	
	Quantity (th. kg.)	Price (Rs./kg.)	Quantity (th. kg.)	Price (Rs./kg.)	Quantity (th. kg.)	Price (Rs./kg.)	Quantity (th. kg.)	Price (Rs./kg.)	Quantity (th. kg.)	Price (Rs./kg.)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
I	8,979	5·60	7,987	6·09	9,144	9·46	8,519	10·01	6,008	12·23
II	35,010	6·27	29,249	6·69	35·780	10·21	37,216	10·72	31,093	12·25
III	8,611	12·67	8,910	14·27	9,166	17·48	8,308	17·67	8,636	18·72
V	65,201	7·08	59,009	7·79	65,164	11·95	74,372	12·12	63,236	13·35
TOTAL ..	117,801	7·14	105,155	7·91	119,254	11·67	128,415	11·94	108,973	13·40
(b) DUST										
I	4,396	5·13	3,648	6·06	4,092	8·61	2,918	9·44	3,006	12·53
II	21,294	5·74	16,894	6·37	17,455	8·99	16,036	9·97	14,817	12·81
III	474	6·76	439	7·48	390	9·73	356	10·92	371	12·36
V	31,422	6·58	30,982	7·06	28,070	9·71	27,254	10·69	27,312	13·13
TOTAL ..	57,586	6·17	51,963	6·77	50,007	9·37	46,564	10·37	45,506	12·98
(c) COMBINED										
I	13,375	5·45	11,635	6·08	13,236	9·20	11,437	9·86	9,014	12·33
II	56,305	6·07	46,143	6·57	53,235	9·81	53,252	10·49	45,910	12,43
III	9,085	12·36	9,349	13·95	9,556	17·16	8,664	17·39	9,006	18·46
V	96,622	6·92	89,991	7·54	93,234	11·28	101,626	11·74	90,648	13·28
TOTAL ..	175,387	6·82	157,118	7·53	169,261	10·99	174,979	11·52	154,479	13·28

4 (iv). Monthly sales at Calcutta auctions.

(a) LEAF

Months	Quantity (th. kg.)			Price(Rs./kg.)		
	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
April ..	2,325	1,917	3,280	12·52	15·38	14·58
May ..	5,519	5,663	7,773	11·21	12·09	12·27
June ..	7,130	8,718	8,611	13·34	13·87	14·48
July ..	12,000	12,476	11,131	15·54	14·75	14·57
August ..	11,001	10,363	14,547	12·40	13·47	13·11
September ..	14,138	15,619	10,585	11·26	12·28	12·73
October ..	6,546	8,559	13,340	10·87	12·28	12·66
November ..	11,616	8,385	14,707	11·09	11·31	12·71
December ..	12,106	11,608	10,167	11·91	10·78	13·00
January ..	11,341	13,038	10,234	11·05	10·76	13·65
February ..	12,223	12,770	3,097	10·23	10·56	16·17
March ..	10,176	14,614	848	9·62	10·26	18·09
April ..	2,563	4,392	307	9·26	10·28	17·86
May ..	570	293	231	9·02	10·05	17·65
June ..	—	—	114	—	—	16·81
Total Season ..	119,254	128,415	108,973	11·67	11·94	13·40

(b) DUST

April ..	209	—	103	8·24	—	11·21
May ..	1,202	1,127	2,154	7·85	10·17	11·10
June ..	2,267	1,715	1,764	9·00	10·71	11·87
July ..	4,318	4,815	3,773	10·48	10·63	12·42
August ..	4,232	3,324	5,414	9·82	10·33	11·96
September ..	6,003	4,259	3,549	9·25	9·97	11·94
October ..	3,124	3,851	4,311	8·83	10·37	11·75
November ..	3,022	5,224	5,227	8·88	10·43	11·52
December ..	3,215	5,202	4804	9·53	10·41	12·06
January ..	5,984	4,422	5,264	9·45	10·17	12·85
February ..	5,086	4,385	4,215	9·32	10·33	16·22
March ..	5,730	5,200	3,874	9·29	10·53	17·90
April ..	4,642	2,710	893	9·22	10·18	15·68
May ..	973	330	94	8·44	9·62	14·42
June ..	—	—	62	—	—	15·15
Total Season ..	50,007	46,564	45,506	9·37	10·37	12·98

(c) COMBINED

Months	Quantity (th. kg.)			Price (Rs./kg.)		
	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
April ..	2,534	1,917	3,383	12·17	15·38	14·48
May ..	6,721	6,790	9,927	10·61	11·77	12·02
June ..	9,397	10,433	10,375	12·29	13·35	14·04
July ..	16,318	17,291	14,904	14·20	13·60	14·03
August ..	15,233	13,687	19,966	11·68	12·71	12·80
September ..	20,141	19,878	14,134	10·66	11·79	12·53
October ..	9,670	12,410	17,651	10·21	11·69	12·44
November ..	14,638	13,609	19,934	10·63	10·97	12·40
December ..	15,321	16,810	14,972	11·41	10·67	12·70
January ..	17,325	17,460	15,498	10·50	10·61	13·38
February ..	17,309	17,155	7,312	9·96	10·50	16·20
March ..	15,906	19,813	4,722	9·50	10·33	17·94
April ..	7,205	7,103	1,200	9·23	10·24	16·24
May ..	1,543	623	325	8·63	9·82	16·72
June ..	—	—	176	—	—	16·22
Total Season ..	169,261	174,979	154,479	10·99	11·52	13·28

5 (i) (A) Districtwise sales at Gauhati auctions.

(a) LEAF

(Quantity in thousand Kg.)

Season	Assam	Cachar	Darjeeling	Dooars	Terai	Tripura	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1971-72	9,105	1,314	12	1,044	245	51	11,771
1972-73	8,612	997	9	449	6	30	10,103
1973-74	10,237	1,454	—	1,656	112	61	13,520
1974-75	12,633	2,168	2	789	35	63	15,690
1975-76	11,602	3,378	—	1,318	81	304	16,683
1976-77	14,754	3,539	—	2,048	112	469	20,923
(b) DUST							
1971-72	8,639	671	26	686	52	8	10,082
1972-73	8,186	468	3	102	—	4	8,763
1973-74	9,747	694	—	546	76	13	11,076
1974-75	9,167	971	—	745	36	17	10,936
1975-76	9,783	1,257	—	493	46	49	11,628
1976-77	12,037	1,507	—	582	34	128	14,288
(c) COMBINED							
1971-72	17,744	1,985	38	1,730	297	59	21,853
1972-73	16,798	1,465	12	551	6	34	18,866
1973-74	19,984	2,148	—	2,202	188	74	24,596
1974-75	21,800	3,139	2	1,534	71	80	26,626
1975-76	21,385	4,635	—	1,811	127	353	28,311
1976-77	26,791	5,046	—	2,630	146	597	35,211

5 (i) (B) Districtwise prices at Gauhati auctions.

(a) Leaf

(Rs./Kg.)

Season	Assam	Cachar	Darjeeling	Dooars	Terai	Tripura	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1971-72	5·93	5·49	4·98	5·76	5·83	4·97	5·86
1972-73	5·77	5·03	4·14	5·38	5·13	4·74	5·67
1973-74	6·11	5·41	—	5·75	5·95	5·26	6·00
1974-75	9·19	8·32	12·02	8·89	8·59	8·41	9·05
1975-76	10·14	9·39	—	9·88	10·21	8·37	9·94
1976-77	11·55	11·21	—	11·08	11·03	10·86	11·23
(b) Dust							
1971-72	5·99	5·36	4·97	5·58	5·66	5·09	5·92
1972-73	5·67	5·11	4·94	5·11	—	4·78	5·63
1973-74	5·88	5·35	—	5·62	5·77	4·74	5·84
1974-75	8·77	8·01	—	7·99	8·01	7·95	8·65
1975-76	9·80	9·17	—	9·33	9·03	8·07	9·70
1976-77	11·67	11·35	—	11·56	11·17	10·75	11·62
(c) Combined							
1971-72	5·96	5·45	4·97	5·69	5·84	4·99	5·89
1972-73	5·72	5·06	4·33	5·33	5·13	4·74	5·65
1973-74	6·00	5·39	—	5·72	5·88	5·17	5·93
1974-75	9·01	8·22	12·02	8·45	8·29	8·31	8·89
1975-76	9·98	9·33	—	9·73	9·78	8·33	9·84
1976-77	11·60	11·25	—	11·19	11·06	10·84	11·51

5 (ii). Excise Zonewise sales at Gauhati auctions.

(a) Leaf

Zone	1972-73		1974-75		1974-75		1975-76		1976-77	
	Qty (Th. kg.)	Price (Rs/kg)	Qty (Th. kg.)	Price Rs/kg.)	Qty (Th. kg.)	Price (Rs/kg.)	Qty (Th. kg.)	Price (Rs/kg)	Qty (Th. kg.)	Price (Rs/kg)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
I	1,154	5·03	1,761	5·44	2,485	8·33	4,005	9·31	4,375	11·19
II	1,677	5·51	3,384	5 86	3,134	9·27	3,249	10·01	5,026	11·47
III	9	4·14	—	—	2	12·02	—	—	—	—
V	7,263	5·81	8,375	6·18	10,069	9·16	9,429	10·18	11,522	11·51
Total	10,103	5·67	13,520	6·00	15,690	9·05	16,683	9·94	20,923	11·43
(b) Dust										
I	604	5·10	911	5·39	1,158	8·01	1,467	9·09	1,929	11·33
II	1,154	5·42	2,031	5·69	2,478	8·46	1,899	9·53	2,396	11·66
III	3	4·94	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
V	7,002	5·72	8,134	6·06	7,300	8·82	8,262	9·85	9,962	11·67
Total	8,763	5·63	11,076	5·84	10,936	8·65	11,628	9·70	14,287	11·62
(c) Combined										
I	1,758	5·05	2,672	5·42	3,643	8·23	5,472	9·25	6,304	11·23
II	2,831	5·47	5,415	5·80	5,612	8·91	5,148	9·83	7,422	11·53
III	12	4·34	—	—	2	12·02	—	—	—	—
V	14,265	5·77	16,509	6·12	17,369	9·02	17,691	10·03	21,484	11·58
Total	18,866	5·65	24,596	5·93	26,626	8·89	28,311	9·84	35,210	11·51

5 (iii) Monthly sales at Gauhati auctions.

(a) LEAF

Months	Qty (th. Kgs)			Price (Rs. per Kg.)		
	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
April ..	90	—	535	7·85	—	11·01
May ..	308	429	1,157	7·97	10·43	10·73
June ..	458	608	1,051	8·95	10·65	11·19
July ..	762	751	1,814	10·35	9·94	11·61
August ..	1,645	1,313	2,013	9·34	9·95	11·09
September ..	802	1,887	2,845	8·84	9·86	11·05
October ..	1,880	2,606	2,671	8·62	10·16	10·87
November ..	2,087	2,536	2,886	8·86	10·08	10·77
December ..	1,624	2,449	4,144	9·95	9·77	11·71
January ..	3,270	2,432	1,351	9·16	9·77	13·29
February ..	2,764	1,672	456	8·54	9·58	16·82
March ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL SEASON ..	15,690	16,683	20,923	9·05	9·94	11·43

(b) DUST

April ..	73	—	98	8·26	—	11·22
May ..	124	215	477	7·88	10·39	10·93
June ..	332	304	449	8·34	10·85	11·30
July ..	535	563	1,036	9·91	10·16	12·00
August ..	1,101	789	1,222	9·31	9·78	11·37
September ..	531	1,009	1,767	8·89	9·48	11·40
October ..	1,392	1,646	1,886	8·48	9·77	11·02
November ..	1,130	1,542	1,991	8·31	9·94	10·80
December ..	1,127	1,563	3,420	9·12	9·78	11·58
January ..	2,054	1,772	1,405	8·72	9·54	12·20
February ..	2,537	2,225	536	8·12	9·28	17·01
March ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL SEASON ..	10,936	11,628	14,287	8·65	9·70	11·62

(c) COMBINED

April ..	163	—	633	8·03	—	11·04
May ..	432	644	1,634	7·95	10·42	10·79
June ..	790	912	1,500	8·69	10·72	11·22
July ..	1,297	1,314	2,850	10·18	10·03	11·75
August ..	2,746	2,102	3,285	9·33	9·89	11·20
September ..	1,333	2,896	4,612	8·83	9·73	11·18
October ..	3,272	4,252	4,557	8·56	10·01	10·93
November ..	3,217	4,078	4,877	8·66	10·03	10·78
December ..	2,751	4,012	7,564	9·61	9·77	11·65
January ..	5,324	4,204	2,756	8·99	9·67	12·73
February ..	5,301	3,897	992	8·37	9·41	16·92
March ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL SEASON ..	26,626	28,311	35,210	8·89	9·84	11·51

6 (i). Districtwise price at Siliguri Auctions.

Season : 1976-77

	Leaf		Dust		Combined	
	Tonnes	Avg. Rs. P.	Tonnes	Avg. Rs. P.	Tonnes	Avg. Rs. P.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Assam ..	31	14·26	31	13·57	62	13·91
Cachar ..	16	11·14	15	12·19	31	11·65
Darjeeling ..	181	14·43	82	12·81	263	13·93
Dooars ..	1935	12·02	1,956	12·41	3,891	12·22
Terai ..	9698	12·24	515	11·86	1,213	12·08
Tripura ..	5	15·07	—	—	5	15·07
Green Tea ..	17	14·70	—	—	17	14·70
Grand Total ..	2,883	12·27	2,599	12·32	5,482	12·29

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6 (ii) According to type of Manufacture

Season : 1976-77

	Leaf		Dust		Combined	
	Tonnes	Avg. Rs. P.	Tonnes Rs. P.	Avg.	Tonnes	Avg. Es. P.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
C. T. C. ..	2,340	11·98	2,352	12·28	4,692	12·13
Orthodox ..	345	12·99	165	12·68	510	12·89
Darjeeling ..	181	14·43	82	12·81	263	13·93
Green Tea ..	17	14·70	—	—	17	14·70
Total ..	2,883	12·27	2,599	12·32	5,482	12·29

6 (iii) Excise Zonewise Sales at Siliguri Auction

Season : 1976-77

	Leaf		Dust		Combined	
	Tonnes	Avg. Rs. P.	Tonnes	Avg. Rs. P.	Tonnes	Avg. Rs. P.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
I ..	763	12·28	559	11·85	1,322	12·10
II ..	1,914	12·02	1,936	12·41	3,850	12·22
III ..	176	14·53	73	13·00	249	14·08
V ..	30	14·26	31	13·57	61	13·91
Total ..	2,883	12·27	2,599	12·32	5,482	12·29

6 (iv) Monthly Sale at Siliguri Auction for the year 1976-77

	Leaf		Dust		Combined	
	Quantity th. Kg.	Price Rs/Kg.	Quantity th. Kg.	Price Rs/Kg.	Quantity th. Kg.	Price Rs/Kg.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
October ..	256	10·73	120	10·75	376	10·74
November ..	742	10·58	325	10·61	1,067	10·59
December ..	708	11·73	537	11·31	1,245	11·55
January ..	686	12·86	869	11·90	1,555	12·32
February ..	220	15·40	312	14·55	532	14·90
March ..	271	15·74	436	14·50	707	14·98
Total ..	2,883	12·27	2,599	12·32	5,482	12·29

7 (i) Sales at Amritsar auctions.

	Quantity (Thousand Kg)			Price (Rs./Kg.)		
Season	Black Tea	Green Tea	Total	Black Tea	Green Tea	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1966-67	166	408	574	2·58	3·57	3·28
1969-70	64	319	383	2·14	3·46	3·24
1970-71	255	218	473	2·89	4·41	3·60
1971-72	620	173	793	3·83	5·30	4·15
1972-73	279	350	629	2·91	4·28	3·67
1973-74	210	362	572	2·52	3·45	3·11
1974-75	254	310	564	3·30	4·92	4·19
1975-76	248	338	586	4·23	6·70	5·66
1976-77	324	356	680	5·49	9·51	7·60

7 (ii) Monthly sales at Amritsar auctions.

(a) BLACK TEA

Months	Qty (Th. kg)			Price (Rs/kg.)		
	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
May ..	4	1	—	3·24	4·76	—
June ..	26	1	19	2·21	4·85	5·52
July ..	26	—	41	3·20	—	5·55
August ..	—	12	13	—	5·37	5·54
September ..	—	11	16	—	5·61	4·56
October ..	—	5	—	—	3·82	—
November ..	18	39	—	2·93	4·40	—
December ..	31	45	195	3·37	4·39	5·58
January ..	60	53	11	3·58	3·92	5·51
February ..	39	30	22	3·51	3·68	5·51
March ..	33	22	7	3·77	4·00	4·62
April ..	17	29	—	3·09	4·10	—
TOTAL ..	254	248	324	3·31	4·23	5·49

(b) GREEN TEA

May ..	41	57	44	6·34	10·00	14·07
June ..	47	61	72	4·69	8·35	11·14
July ..	41	26	81	4·25	5·77	7·94
August ..	—	—	14	—	—	5·49
September ..	—	—	9	—	—	7·23
October ..	—	47	—	—	6·20	—
November ..	35	38	—	5.66	4.71	—
December ..	48	38	63	5·43	5·18	7·88
January ..	59	36	31	4·38	5·58	9·14
February ..	19	19	33	3·46	5·10	9·81
March ..	12	16	9	5·23	4·45	8·75
April ..	8	—	—	2·79	—	—
Total ..	310	338	356	4·91	6·70	9·51

(c) COMBINED

May ..	45	58	44	6·07	9·91	14·07
June ..	73	62	91	3·81	8·29	9·96
July ..	67	26	122	3·84	5·77	7·13
August ..	—	12	27	—	5·37	5·51
September ..	—	11	25	—	5·61	5·51
October ..	—	52	—	—	5·97	—
November ..	53	77	—	4·73	4·55	—
December ..	79	83	258	4·62	4·75	6·14
January ..	119	89	42	3·98	4·59	8·22
February ..	58	49	55	3·49	4·23	8·13
March ..	45	38	16	4·16	4·19	6·92
April ..	25	29	—	2·99	4·10	—
TOTAL ..	564	586	680	4·19	5·66	7·60

8 (i) (A) Districtwise sales at Cochin auctions.

(a) LEAF

(Quantity in thousand kg.)

Year	Coimbatore	Gudalur	Kozhikode	Nilgiris	Peermade	Udumancholai & Devikulam	Others	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
1969	6,345	3,251	2,930	10,686	7,275	5,135	3,971	39,593
1970	6,480	3,026	3,127	11,817	7,497	5,913	4,614	42,474
1971	6,091	2,713	3,096	11,703	8,236	5,957	4,437	42,238
1972	5,480	3,127	3,102	8,991	8,725	6,954	3,880	40,259
1973	5,891	3,058	2,979	9,294	7,769	7,926	3,444	40,361
1974	5,252	3,085	2,246	8,602	7,002	7,854	3,002	37,043
1975	5,559	3,220	2,713	9,905	7,255	7,448	2,854	38,954
1976	5,037	3,140	2,933	7,801	8,387	7,333	2,774	37,405
(b) DUST								
1969	5,366	2,296	2,222	2,839	7,448	1,083	3,623	24,877
1970	5,679	2,764	2,091	2,381	7,526	1,057	3,958	25,456
1971	5,313	2,827	2,130	1,992	6,238	1,167	3,686	23,353
1972	5,228	3,091	2,434	1,642	6,977	1,554	4,361	25,287
1973	6,138	2,875	2,780	1,733	8,147	1,627	4,485	27,785
1974	5,948	2,465	2,348	1,672	7,489	1,616	4,199	25,737
1975	6,134	2,994	2,851	1,934	8,290	1,375	4,671	28,249
1976	6,496	3,429	2,862	1,654	8,865	1,060	4,732	29,098
(c) COMBINED								
1969	11,711	5,547	5,152	13,525	14,723	6,218	7,594	64,470
1970	12,159	5,790	5,218	14,198	15,023	6,970	8,572	67,930
1971	11,404	5,540	5,226	13,700	14,474	7,124	8,123	65,591
1972	10,708	6,218	5,536	10,633	15,702	8,508	8,241	65,546
1973	12,029	5,933	5,759	11,027	15,916	9,553	7,929	68,146
1974	11,200	5,550	4,594	10,274	14,491	9,470	7,201	62,780
1975	11,693	6,214	5,564	11,339	15,545	8,823	7,525	67,203
1976	11,533	6,569	5,795	9,455	17,252	8,393	7,506	66,503

(B) Districtwise prices at Cochin auctions.

(a) LEAF

(Average price Rs./Kg.)

Year	Coimbatore	Gudalur	Kozhikode	Nilgiris	Peermade	Udumancholai & Devikulam	Others	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
1969	5·42	5·07	4·99	6·43	4·90	5·29	5·17	5·50
1970	6·09	5·71	5·66	7·18	5·61	6·06	5·79	6·21
1971	6·73	6·33	6·21	7·59	6·19	6·71	6·33	6·75
1972	6·42	6·02	5·93	7·23	5·83	6·35	6·05	6·36
1973	5·87	5·76	5·36	7·06	5·43	6·01	5·72	6·03
1974	8·42	8·29	7·77	10·03	8·09	8·64	8·19	8·71
1975	9·93	9·56	9·20	10·87	9·25	9·68	9·39	9·88
1976	11·15	10·88	10·67	12·40	10·74	11·27	10·77	11·25
(b) DUST								
1969	5·50	4·98	4·62	5·21	4·50	4·92	5·18	4·96
1970	6·12	5·65	5·58	6·07	5·35	5·61	5·71	5·70
1971	6·49	6·24	5·94	6·48	5·61	5·87	6·10	6·08
1972	6·70	6·28	5·95	6·53	5·55	5·74	6·22	6·10
1973	6·51	6·12	5·99	6·31	5·35	5·46	6·14	5·93
1974	8·77	8·81	8·11	8·76	7·66	7·71	8·45	8·25
1975	10·46	9·94	9·26	9·67	8·63	8·69	9·66	9·48
1976	11·72	11·45	10·89	11·06	10·52	10·62	11·16	11·07
(c) COMBINED								
1969	5·46	5·03	4·83	6·17	4·70	5·23	5·17	5·29
1970	6·10	5·68	5·63	6·99	5·48	5·99	5·75	6·02
1971	6·62	6·28	6·10	7·43	5·94	6·57	6·23	6·51
1972	6·56	6·15	5·94	7·12	5·71	6·24	6·14	6·26
1973	6·20	5·93	5·66	6·94	5·39	5·92	5·96	5·99
1974	8·61	8·52	7·94	9·82	7·87	8·48	8·34	8·53
1975	10·21	9·74	9·23	10·67	8·94	9·53	9·56	9·71
1976	11·47	11·18	10·78	12·17	10·63	11·19	11·00	11·17

8 (ii) Cochin Sales

According to type of manufacture—

(a) LEAF

	1971		1972		1973		1974		1975		1976	
	Tonnes	Avg. Rs. P.	Tonnes	Avg. Rs. P.	Tonnes	Avg. Rs. P.	Tonnes	Avg. Rs. P.	Tonnes	Avg. Rs. P.	Tonnes	Avg. Rs. P.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
C.T.C. ..	8,064	6·03	7,272	6·01	7,093	5·78	6,952	8·12	7,085	9·60	7,996	10·71
Orthodox ..	34,103	6·92	32,589	6·45	33,268	6·08	30,091	8·85	31,869	9·94	29,409	11·40
Legg-cut ..	71	5·74	398	5·38	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total ..	42,238	6·75	40,259	6·36	40,361	6·03	37,043	8·71	38,954	9·88	37,405	11·25

(b) DUST

C.T.C. ..	12,994	6·29	14,222	6·44	17,259	6·30	16,662	8·62	18,545	10·02	20,911	11·37
Orthodox ..	10,359	5·82	11,065	5·66	10,526	5·36	9,075	7·60	9,704	8·45	8,187	10·28
Legg-cut ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total ..	23,353	6·08	25,287	6·10	27,785	5·93	25,737	8·26	28,249	9·48	29,098	11·07

(c) COMBINED

C.T.C. ..	21,058	6·20	21,494	6·30	24,325	6·15	23,614	8·47	25,630	9·91	28,907	11·19
Orthodox ..	44,462	6·66	43,654	6·25	43,794	5·90	39,166	8·57	41,573	9·59	37,596	11·16
Legg-cut ..	71	5·74	398	5·38	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total ..	65,591	6·51	65,546	6·26	68,146	5·99	62,780	8·53	67,203	9·71	66,503	11·17

8 (iii) Excise Zonewise sales at Cochin auctions.

(a) LEAF

Zone	1972		1973		1974		1975		1976	
	Qty	Price	Qty	Price	Qty	Price	Qty	Price	Qty	Price
	(th. kg.)	(Rs/kg.)	(th. kg.)	(Rs/kg.)	(th. kg.)	(Rs/kg.)	(th. kg.)	(Rs/kg.)	(th. kg.)	(Rs/kg.)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
I	18,000	5·91	16,503	5·52	14,659	8·10	15,438	9·34	16,645	10·75
II	13,268	6·37	14,564	5·95	13,782	8·53	13,611	9·78	12,959	11·21
IV	8,991	7·23	9,294	7·06	8,602	10·03	9,905	10·88	7,801	12·40
TOTAL	40,259	6·36	40,361	6·03	37,043	8·71	38,954	9·88	37,405	11·25
(b) DUST										
I	14,950	5·81	16,291	5·67	14,648	8·00	17,009	9·07	18,202	10·80
II	8,695	6·52	9,761	6·34	9,414	8·60	9,290	10·17	9,241	11·60
IV	1,642	6·53	1,733	6·31	1,672	8·76	1,934	9·67	1,655	11·06
V	—	—	—	—	3	12·99	16	10·62	—	—
TOTAL	25,287	6·10	27,785	5·93	25,737	8·26	28,249	9·48	29,098	11·07
(c) COMBINED										
I	32,950	5·86	32,794	5·59	29,307	8·05	32,447	9·20	34,847	10·78
II	21,963	6·43	24,325	6·11	23,196	8·56	22,901	9·94	22,200	11·37
IV	10,633	7·12	11,027	6·94	10,274	9·82	11,839	10·68	9,456	12·17
V	—	—	—	—	3	12·99	16	10·62	—	—
TOTAL	65,546	6·26	68,146	5·99	62,780	8·53	67,203	9·71	66,503	11·17

8 (iv) Monthly sales at Cochin auctions.

(a) LEAF

Month	Qty (th. kg)			Price (Rs/Kg.)		
	1974	1975	1976	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
January ..	4,150	3,524	3,376	6·87	10·94	10·66
February ..	2,442	2,555	2,537	7·81	10·80	11·03
March ..	1,946	2,542	2,386	8·92	10·74	11·31
April ..	2,623	3,874	1,348	8·47	9·61	11·17
May ..	2,551	3,396	2,557	8·21	9·10	10·85
June ..	4,019	3,370	5,773	8·42	9·11	10·37
July ..	4,986	4,930	2,861	8·61	8·99	10·84
August ..	2,998	2,229	3,941	8·75	9·30	11·53
September ..	1,551	3,170	1,888	9·98	10·38	11·89
October ..	3,395	2,711	2,800	9·22	10·87	11·92
November ..	3,475	3,304	5,113	9·70	9·78	11·74
December ..	2,907	3,349	2,825	10·59	9·88	12·36
TOTAL ..	37,043	38,954	37,405	8·71	9·88	11·25

(b) DUST

January ..	3,185	3,003	2,648	6·36	9·24	9·95
February ..	2,058	2,034	1,980	6·91	9·59	10·28
March ..	1,496	1,674	1,662	7·62	9·82	11·19
April ..	1,723	2,462	1,216	7·64	9·86	11·80
May ..	1,788	2,581	2,051	7·76	9·74	11·36
June ..	2,767	2,557	3,132	7·84	9·48	10·53
July ..	3,212	3,400	3,076	8·77	9·04	11·22
August ..	1,954	1,728	3,287	9·51	9·03	11·18
September ..	1,191	2,656	2,082	10·05	9·29	11·64
October ..	2,356	1,813	2,424	9·57	9·78	11·53
November ..	2,121	2,472	3,202	9·10	9·56	11·19
December ..	1,886	1,869	2,338	9·29	9·76	11·39
TOTAL ..	25,737	28,249	29,098	8·26	9·48	11·07

(c) COMBINED

January ..	7,335	6,527	6,024	6·65	10·16	10·34
February ..	4,500	4,589	4,517	7·40	10·26	10·70
March ..	3,442	4,216	4,048	8·35	10·37	11·26
April ..	4,346	6,336	2,564	8·14	9·71	11·47
May ..	4,339	5,977	4,608	8·02	9·38	11·08
June ..	6,786	5,927	8,905	8·18	9·27	10·43
July ..	8,198	8,330	5,937	8·67	9·01	11·04
August ..	4,952	3,957	7,228	9·05	9·18	11·37
September ..	2,742	5,826	3,970	10·01	9·88	11·76
October ..	5,751	4,524	5,224	9·36	10·43	11·74
November ..	5,596	5,776	8,315	9·47	9·69	11·53
December ..	4,793	5,218	5,163	10·08	9·84	11·92
TOTAL ..	62,780	67,203	66,503	8·53	9·71	11·17

9 (i) Sales at Coonoor auctions.

Year	Quantity (thousand kg.)			Avg. price (Rs/kg.)		
	Leaf	Dust	Total	Leaf	Dust	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1965	—	—	4,634	—	—	3·82
1968	—	—	5,993	—	—	4·15
1969	—	—	5,803	—	—	4·29
1970	—	—	7,744	—	—	5·17
1971	—	—	9,065	—	—	5·57
1972	3,368	6,284	9,652	5·03	5·36	5·24
1973	3,454	7,912	11,366	4·42	4·81	4·69
1974	3,931	9,000	12,931	7·42	7·60	7·55
1975	5,168	10,645	15,813	7·99	8·39	8·26
1976	4,702	11,039	15,741	9·95	10·26	10·17

Note :—Prior to 1972 break-down of Leaf & Dust is not available.

9 (ii) Excise Zonewise sales at Coonoor auctions.

(a) Estate

Zone	Quantity in (th.) kgs.				Average Price (per kg. in Rs)			
	1973	1974	1975	1976	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
I ..	2,385	2,231	2,810	3,131	5·08	7·60	8·47	10·22
II ..	1,070	2,106	2,467	2,605	4·80	7·83	8·84	10·78
IV ..	2,354	2,575	3,343	3,225	5·23	7·92	8·64	10·25
TOTAL ..	5,809	6,912	8,620	8,961	5·09	7·80	8·64	10·40
(b) Factory								
I ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
II ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
IV ..	5,557	6,019	7,193	6,779	4·27	7·26	7·79	9·87
TOTAL ..	5,557	6,019	7,193	6,779	4·27	7·26	7·79	9·87
(c) COMBINED								
I ..	2,385	2,231	2,810	3,131	5·08	7·60	8·47	10·22
II ..	1,070	2,106	2,467	2,605	4·80	7·83	8·84	10·78
IV ..	7,911	8,594	10,536	10,004	4·56	7·46	8·06	10·00
GRAND TOTAL ..	11,366	12,931	15,813	15,740	4·69	7·55	8·26	10·17

9 (iii) Monthly sales at Coonoor auctions.

(a) LEAF

Months	Qty (thousand kg.)			Price (Rs/kg.)		
	1974	1975	1976	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
January ..	252	314	425	5·47	8·91	8·71
February ..	237	379	240	6·05	8·91	8·96
March ..	326	342	206	6·98	9·10	9·53
April ..	270	507	229	7·07	8·33	9·96
May ..	336	648	377	6·84	7·50	9·70
June ..	567	410	474	7·30	7·69	9·56
July ..	387	404	969	7·73	7·37	10·12
August ..	254	436	260	7·97	7·18	10·34
September ..	244	313	407	8·29	7·67	10·54
October ..	278	466	455	7·78	7·49	10·32
November ..	454	566	515	7·91	7·92	10·20
December ..	326	383	645	8·91	8·57	10·61
TOTAL ..	3,931	5,168	4,702	7·42	7·99	9·95

(b) DUST

January ..	623	647	954	5·62	8·67	8·96
February ..	642	641	614	6·25	8·63	9·38
March ..	710	514	477	6·87	8·89	10·39
April ..	514	864	581	6·90	9·38	10·74
May ..	670	1,352	913	6·67	7·32	10·26
June ..	1,031	1,124	1,379	7·34	9·21	9·87
July ..	836	1,000	1,443	8·11	7·95	10·47
August ..	741	1,071	776	8·48	7·76	10·54
September ..	547	768	915	9·05	8·56	10·94
October ..	697	843	824	8·21	7·81	10·74
November ..	1,214	1,055	941	8·29	8·44	10·32
December ..	775	766	1,222	8·60	8·97	10·61
TOTAL ..	9,000	10,645	11,039	7·60	8·39	10·26

(c) COMBINED

January ..	875	961	1,379	5·58	8·75	8·88
February ..	879	1,020	854	6·20	8·73	9·26
March ..	1,036	856	683	6·90	8·97	10·13
April ..	784	1,371	810	6·96	8·99	10·52
May ..	1,006	2,000	1,290	6·73	7·38	10·10
June ..	1,598	1,534	1,853	7·32	8·80	9·79
July ..	1,223	1,404	1,912	7·99	7·78	10·38
August ..	995	1,507	1,036	8·34	7·59	10·49
September ..	791	1,081	1,322	8·82	8·30	10·82
October ..	975	1,309	1,279	8·09	7·70	10·59
November ..	1,663	1,621	1,456	8·19	8·26	10·28
December ..	1,101	1,149	1,867	8·69	8·84	10·61
TOTAL ..	12,931	15,813	15,741	7·55	8·26	10·17

10 (i) Sales of Indian tea at London auctions.

Year	Quantity (thousand Kg.)			Average price (pence per kg)		
	North India	South India	Total	North India	South India	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1951*	18,760	5,539	24,299	40·3	39·0	40·0
1961	75,701	15,627	91,328	51·4	42·6	49·9
1964	75,273	11,398	86,671	50·1	42·1	49·0
1966	65,623	8,828	74,451	47·9	37·7	46·7
1967	52,024	5,277	57,301	49·3	39·0	48·4
1968	60,663	6,621	67,284	44·7	38·8	44·1
1969	61,471	4,608	66,079	41·5	31·6	40·8
1970	30,282	2,387	32,669	46·7	40·4	46·2
1971	53,074	1,884	54,958	42·1	39·9	42·0
1972	39,453	1,380	40,833	42·9	37·9	42·7
1973	36,157	1,049	37,206	45·7	38·0	45·5
1974	33,281	1,581	34,862	60·5	55·3	60·3
1975	38,746	2,060	40,806	63·6	58·0	63·3
1976	34,536	1,441	35,977	84·96	81·87	84·74

* Figures relate to the period from 16th April to 31st December.

10 (ii) Monthly sales of Indian tea at London auctions.

(a) NORTH INDIA

Months	Qty (th. Kg.)			Avg. Price (pence per Kg.)		
	1974	1975	1976	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
January ..	5,240	4,343	4,561	49·6	65·0	67·0
February ..	4,303	4,321	4,659	55·0	65·1	66·7
March ..	4,132	4,251	5,325	65·4	63·4	67·4
April ..	2,717	3,051	3,179	60·2	59·1	73·1
May ..	1,189	2,555	3,794	58·5	57·0	75·4
June ..	860	4,071	789	58·4	60·8	84·8
July ..	807	3,033	—	54·5	58·4	---
August ..	328	617	924	54·6	66·4	94·6
September ..	3,148	2,672	921	61·4	68·5	111·6
October ..	2,561	2,931	2,492	66·5	65·3	117·8
November ..	3,442	3,290	4,804	68·9	67·1	115·4
December ..	4,554	3,611	3,088	65·9	67·2	107·3
Total ..	33,281	38,746	34,536	60·5	63·6	84·9

(b) SOUTH INDIA

January ..	164	207	95	42·9	63·5	61·2
February ..	91	53	57	48·4	63·4	62·4
March ..	60	102	127	57·2	61·7	65·5
April ..	37	70	144	56·5	57·3	69·9
May ..	—	92	100	—	55·0	75·4
June ..	232	192	66	56·9	59·2	90·0
July ..	101	207	62	56·6	56·7	92·6
August ..	102	256	150	52·8	57·7	85·2
September ..	183	336	193	52·4	57·4	87·7
October ..	41	215	184	51·7	53·8	90·6
November ..	240	168	207	59·6	56·5	93·1
December ..	330	162	56	61·0	57·6	93·8
TOTAL ..	1,581	2,060	1,441	55·3	58·0	81·8

(c) COMBINED

January ..	5,404	4,550	4,656	49·4	64·9	66·9
February ..	4,394	4,374	4,716	54·9	65·1	66·7
March ..	4,192	4,353	5,452	65·3	63·4	67·4
April ..	2,754	3,121	3,323	60·2	59·1	73·0
May ..	1,189	2,647	3,894	58·5	56·9	75·4
June ..	1,092	4,263	855	58·1	60·7	85·2
July ..	908	3,240	62	54·7	58·3	92·6
August ..	430	873	1,074	54·2	63·8	93·3
September ..	3,331	3,008	1,114	60·9	67·3	107·5
October ..	2,602	3,146	2,676	66·3	64·5	115·9
November ..	3,682	3,458	5,071	68·3	66·6	114·5
December ..	4,884	3,773	3,144	65·6	66·8	107·0
TOTAL ..	34,862	40,806	35,977	60·3	63·3	84·74

10 (iii) District-wise average prices of North Indian tea sold at London auctions.

(Quantity in thousand kgs & average price in new pence per kg.)

Season	Assam		Cachar		Darjeeling		Dooars & Terai		Total	
	Qty.	Average Price	Qty.	Average Price	Qty.	Average Price	Qty.	Average price	Qty.	Average Price
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
1960-61	49,581	58·0	1,100	46·4	9	68·2	15,232	48·9	65,922	55·4
1961-62	53,148	55·9	1,482	37·9	12	54·4	14,370	41·1	69,012	52·3
1962-63	57,305	55·5	742	41·3	45	61·3	15,700	41·8	73,792	52·7
1963-64	54,726	53·1	430	39·2	—	—	16,067	40·4	71,223	50·0
1964-65	60,039	51·3	243	42·1	—	—	15,080	42·7	75,362	49·5
1965-66	53,482	50·9	380	42·0	—	—	16,107	41·6	69,969	48·7
1966-67	50,578	49·0	163	36·0	—	—	9,3661	39·0	60,107	47·4
1967-68	49,728	49·1	490	41·2	10	70·3	11,033	43·7	61,261	48·1
1968-69	50,383	43·2	328	31·9	—	—	12,158	34·4	62,869	41·4
1969-70	30,171	49·3	—	—	—	—	4,871	38·2	35,042	47·6
1970-71	44,859	43·8	—	—	6	71·6	7,054	39·4	51,919	43·2
1971-72	38,691	42·7	—	—	—	—	5,695	38·1	44,386	42·1
1972-73	33,567	45·6	1	34·0	—	—	2,939	39·2	36,507	45·1
1973-74	34,657	53·5	1	36·8	—	—	1,801	46·4	36,459	53·2
1974-75	38,279	63·4	—	—	—	—	2,193	59·5	40,472	61·5
1975-76	33,717	67·5	—	—	33	87·4	3,750	60·0	37,500	66·5
1976-77*	26,557	136·3	—	—	—	—	1,993	107·4	88,550	134·2

* Upto March & Provisional.

10 (iv) Excise Zonewise Indian tea sold at London auctions.

(Qnty in thousand kg.)
(Price in new pence per kg.)

Zone	1972		1973		1974		1975		1976	
	Qty	Price	Qty	Price	Qty	Price	Qty	Price	Qty	Price
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
(a) NORTH INDIA										
I	—	—	2	35·0	5	61·9	26	55·8	73	69·1
II	6,610	39·6	3,765	42·8	4,029	58·6	5,200	60·8	5,694	77·8
III	—	—	—	—	—	—	20	96·5	17	76·8
V	32,843	43·6	32,390	46·0	29,247	60·7	33,500	63·9	28,752	86·3
Total	39,453	42·9	36,157	45·7	33,281	60·5	38,746	63·6	34,536	84·9
(b) SOUTH INDIA										
I	794	36·5	687	36·7	426	52·7	626	58·0	637	81·5
II	507	38·9	336	40·0	773	56·9	915	59·2	694	83·0
IV	79	45·6	26	44·3	382	55·1	519	55·9	110	75·4
Total	1,380	37·9	1,049	38·0	1,581	55·3	2,060	58·0	1,441	81·8
(c) ALL INDIA										
I	794	36·5	689	36·7	431	52·8	652	57·9	710	80·2
II	7,117	39·5	4,101	42·6	4,802	58·3	6,115	60·6	6,388	78·4
III	—	—	—	—	—	—	20	96·5	17	76·8
IV	79	45·6	26	44·3	382	55·1	519	55·9	110	75·4
V	32,843	43·6	32,390	46·0	29,247	60·7	33,500	63·9	28,752	86·3
Total	40,833	42.7	37,206	45·5	34,862	60·3	40,806	63·3	35,977	84·7

11. Calcutta and Cochin average prices for Indian tea compared to London prices

(i) CALCUTTA AUCTION

Month	North Indian tea sold per Kg. in Rs.						North Indian tea sold (London auction-equivalent Calcutta)					
	Calcutta auction (Leaf)			London auction			London auction (per Kg. in pence)			London on Calcutta basis (per Kg. in Rs.)		
	1974	1975	1976	1974	1975	1976	1974	1975	1976	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
January ..	7·07	11·05	10·76	8·82	12·22	12·15	49·6	65·0	67·0	8·68	11·23	11·34
February ..	7·48	10·23	10·56	9·90	12·24	12·09	55·0	65·1	66·7	9·66	11·24	11·28
March ..	7·56	9·62	10·26	11·70	11·92	11·80	65·4	63·4	67·4	11·53	10·94	11·41
April ..	12·52	15·38	14·58	10·80	11·11	12·35	60·2	59·1	73·1	10·58	9·88	12·45
May ..	11·21	12·09	12·27	10·44	10·72	12·44	58·5	57·0	75·4	10·29	9·50	12·87
June ..	13·34	13·87	14·48	10·44	11·43	13·57	58·4	60·8	84·8	10·02	10·20	14·59
July ..	15·54	14·75	14·57	9·72	10·86	—	54·5	58·4	—	9·30	9·75	—
August ..	12·40	13·47	13·11	9·72	12·35	15·14	54·6	66·4	94·6	9·32	11·22	16·38
September ..	11·26	12·28	12·73	10·98	12·74	17·20	61·4	68·5	111·6	10·57	11·61	19·47
October ..	10·87	12·28	12·66	11·88	11·96	17·33	66·5	65·3	117·8	11·51	11·02	20·60
November ..	11·09	11·31	12·71	12·24	12·29	16·98	68·9	67·1	115·4	11·95	11·36	16·14
December ..	11·91	10·78	13·00	11·70	12·18	15·78	65·9	67·2	107·3	11·04	11·38	15·00

(ii) COCHIN AUCTION

Month	South Indian tea sold per kg. in Rs.						South Indian tea sold (London auction-equivalent Cochin)					
	Cochin auction (Leaf)			London auction			London auction (per kg. in pence)			London on Cochin basis (per kg. in Rs.)		
	1974	1975	1976	1974	1975	1976	1974	1975	1976	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
January ..	6·87	10·94	10·66	7·56	11·94	11·10	42·9	63·5	61·2	7·11	10·96	10·43
February ..	7·81	10·80	11·03	8·64	11·92	11·31	48·4	63·4	62·4	8·44	10·94	10·48
March ..	8·92	10·74	11·31	10·26	11·60	11·46	57·2	61·7	65·5	10·05	10·65	11·05
April ..	8·47	9·61	11·17	10·08	10·77	11·81	56·5	57·3	69·9	9·93	9·56	11·86
May ..	8·21	9·10	10·85	—	10·34	12·44	—	55·0	75·4	—	9·13	12·87
June ..	8·42	9·11	10·37	10·08	11·13	14·40	56·9	59·2	9·00	9·75	9·90	15·54
July ..	8·61	8·99	10·84	10·08	10·55	14·82	56·6	56·7	92·6	9·69	9·44	16·01
August ..	8·75	9·30	11·53	9·36	10·73	13·63	52·8	57·7	85·2	9·34	9·63	14·67
September ..	9·98	10·38	11·89	9·36	10·68	13·51	52·4	57·4	87·7	8·93	9·57	15·12
October ..	9·22	10·87	11·92	9·18	9·85	13·33	51·7	53·8	90·6	8·79	8·90	15·65
November ..	9·70	9·78	11·74	10·62	10·35	13·70	59·6	56·5	93·1	10·24	9·40	12·76
December ..	10·59	9·88	12·36	10·98	10·44	13·80	61·0	57·6	93·8	10·51	9·61	12·86

12. Disposal of Indian tea.

	1973		1974		1975		1976*	
	Quantity (N. Kg.)	% to Production	Quantity (M. Kg.)	% to Production	Quantity (M. Kg.)	% to Production	Quantity (M. Kg.)	% to Production
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
A. NORTH INDIA								
Calcutta Auction ..	157.12	42·68	169·26	43·42	174·24	45·78	154·48	38·56
Gauhati Auction ..	24·60	6·68	26·63	6·83	28·31	7·44	35·21	8·79
Siliguri Auction ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	5·48	1·37
Amritsar Auction ..	0·57	0·15	0·56	0·14	0·59	0·16	0·68	0·17
Sub-Total ..	182·29	49·51	196·45	50·39	203·14	53·38	195·85	48·89
London Auction ..	34.90	9·48	40·22	10·32	37·46	9·84	37·67	9·40
Total Auction ..	217·19	58·99	236·67	60·71	240·60	63·22	233·52	58·29
Export Under F/c ..	19·88	5·40	27·19	6·98	18·90	4·97	34·97	8·73
Ex-Garden Sales ..	131·09	35·61	125·95	32·31	121·08	31·81	132·15	32·98
Production ..	368·16	100·00	389·81	100·00	380·58	100·00	400·64	100·00
(B) SOUTH INDIA								
Cochin Auction ..	68·15	65·66	62·78	62·99	67·20	63·06	66·50	59·82
Coonoor Auction ..	11·37	10·95	12·93	12·97	15·81	14·84	15·74	14·16
Sub-Total ..	79,52	76·61	75·71	75·96	83·01	77·90	82·24	73·97
London Auction ..	0·91	0·88	1·03	1·03	0·74	0·70	0·95	0·85
Total Auctions ..	80·43	77·49	76·74	76·99	83·75	78·60	83·19	74·82
Export Under F/C ..	2·42	2·33	2·70	2·71	1·07	1·00	1·67	1·50
Ex-Garden Sales. ..	20·94	20·18	20·23	20·30	21·74	20·40	26·32	23·68
Production ..	103·79	100·00	99·67	100·00	106·56	100·00	111·18	100·00
(C) ALL INDIA								
Indian Auction ..	261·81	55·48	272·16	55·60	286·15	58·74	278·09	54·33
London Auctions ..	35·81	7·59	41·25	8·43	38·20	7·84	38·62	7·55
Total Auctions ..	297·62	63·07	313·41	64·03	324·35	66·58	316·71	61·88
Export Under F/C ..	22·30	4·72	29·89	6·11	19·97	4·10	36·64	7·16
Ex-Garden Sales ..	152·03	32·21	146·18	29·86	142·82	29·32	158·47	30·96
Production ..	471·95	100·00	489·48	100·00	487·14	100·00	511·82	100·00

13 (i) Wholesale and retail prices of tea at Calcutta.

(Figures in Rs./kg.)

Months	1973				1974				1975				1976			
	Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail	
	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)
January ..	8·54	11·53	10·53	13·08	8·26	11·53	10·08	13·20	9·46	14·84	11·46	18·00	13·78	16.19	14·26	19·32
February ..	8·43	11·53	10·27	13·07	8·23	11·88	10·21	13·20	11·18	16·19	12·59	18·78	13·56	16·19	14·45	18·84
March ..	8·46	11·53	10·28	13·04	8·34	11·99	10·10	13·20	10·72	16·19	12·47	18·86	13·24	17·04	14·71	19·86
April ..	8·44	11·53	10·13	13·05	8·96	11·99	10·32	13·49	10·94	16·19	12·54	18·96	13·15	17·04	14·92	19·88
May ..	8·45	11·53	10·12	13·05	8·25	12·08	10·15	13·51	10·94	16·19	12·56	18·94	14·04	17·04	14·50	20·15
June ..	8·46	11·53	10·52	13·20	10·29	12·21	10·02	13·50	N.A.	16·19	N.A.	N.A.	14·08	17·04	14·80	20·01
July ..	8·50	11·53	10·18	13·05	9·36	12·48	10·16	14·25	15·99	16·19	14·60	18·67	13·87	17·04	14·24	20·10
August ..	8·49	11·53	10·00	13·07	9·44	12·67	10·17	14·12	13·74	16·19	14·17	18·84	14·10	17·04	14·74	19·95
September ..	8·30	11·53	10·02	13·04	8·86	12·67	10·33	15·61	15·26	16·19	13·77	18·76	14·60	17·04	15·01	19·91
October ..	8·29	11·53	10·19	13·53	9·42	12·67	10·17	15·72	16·69	16·19	15·01	18·79	14·31	17·04	15·36	20·45
November ..	8·23	11·55	9·97	12·99	8·53	12·67	10·17	15·56	15·78	16·19	15·56	18·92	15·09	17·04	16·34	20·29
December ..	8·46	11·55	10·10	13·04	9·35	12·67	10·17	16·36	14·21	16·19	15·23	19·10	15·00	17·04	16·12	20·30
Annual Average ..	8·42	11·53	10·19	13·10	8·94	12·29	10·17	13·23	13·15	16·08	13·63	18·78	14·07	16·90	14·95	19·92

Note :—Prices are subject to sales-tax ..@ 6 per cent.

13 (ii) Wholesale and retail prices of tea at Bombay.

(Figures in Rs./kg)

Months	1973				1974				1975				1976			
	Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail	
	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)
January ..	7·71	11·53	8·90	12·40	N.A.	11·53	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	14·84	12·45	18·73	N.A.	16·19	13·51	N.A.
February ..	8·18	11·53	8·90	12·44	N.A.	11·88	N.A.	N.A.	11·57	16·19	12·91	18·82	N.A.	16·19	N.A.	18·69
March ..	7·86	11·53	8·87	12·31	N.A.	11·99	N.A.	N.A.	11·57	16·19	12·90	18·91	N.A.	17·04	13·23	N.A.
April ..	8·08	11·53	9·04	12·42	N.A.	11·99	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	16·19	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	17·04	13·16	N.A.
May ..	8·78	11·53	9·01	12·28	N.A.	12·08	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	16·19	13·37	N.A.	N.A.	17·04	N.A.	18·95
June ..	8·04	11·53	9·00	12·19	N.A.	12·21	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	16·19	13·51	N.A.	N.A.	17·04	13·37	N.A.
July ..	N.A.	11·53	N A	N A	10·71	12·48	11·75	13·67	N.A.	16·19	N A	18·87	N A	17·04	N.A	18·81
August ..	8·12	11·53	8·79	12·29	11·51	12·67	11·40	13·80	11.76	16·19	12·67	N.A.	N.A.	17·04	14·45	N.A.
September ..	N A	11·53	N A	N A	N A	12·67	11·30	14·18	N A.	16·19	N.A.	19·02	N.A.	17·04	14·20	N.A.
October ..	N A	11·53	N A	N A	N A	12·67	12·67	14·55	N A	16·19	13·09	N.A.	N.A.	17·04	N.A.	18·96
November ..	N.A.	11·55	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	12·67	12·58	14·38	11·99	16·19	13·00	N.A.	N.A.	17·04	N.A.	19·03
December ..	N.A.	11·55	N.A.	N.A.	11·02	12·67	12·59	14·19	N.A.	16·19	N.A.	19·13	N.A.	17·04	14·25	N.A.
Annual Average ..	8·11	11·53	8·93	12·33	11·08	12·29	12·05	14·13	11·72	16·08	12·99	18·91	N.A.	16·90	13·74	18·89

Note :—Prices are subject to sales-tax @ 6 per cent. N.A.—Not available

13 (iii) Wholesale and retail prices of tea at Madras.

(Figures in Rs./kg.)

Months	1973				1974				1975				1976			
	Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail	
	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt	Loose	Pkt
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)
January ..	7·56	11·53	8·56	12·45	7·81	11·53	8·75	13·00	11·35	14·84	13·18	17·58	13·10	16·19	14·59	18·50
February ..	7·57	11·53	8·54	12·94	7·90	11·88	8·79	13·02	11·66	16·19	13·29	18·38	13·16	16·19	14·81	18·50
March ..	7·61	11·53	8·56	12·95	8·38	11·99	9·12	13·61	11·35	16·19	13·18	17·58	12·94	17·04	14·84	18·91
April ..	7·61	11·53	8·62	12·91	N.A.	11·99	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	16·19	N.A.	N.A.	12·88	17·04	15·20	19·11
May ..	7·56	11·53	8·58	12·94	8·50	12·03	9·31	13·71	11·14	16·19	13·85	18·46	N.A.	17·04	N.A.	N.A.
June ..	7·58	11·53	8·59	12·90	8·63	12·21	10·10	14·01	11·49	16·19	13·82	18·52	13·09	17·04	15·23	19·12
July ..	7·54	11·53	8·55	12·94	9·55	12·48	10·45	15·46	12·63	16·19	14·01	18·47	13·14	17·04	15·26	19·04
August ..	7·65	11·53	8·63	12·97	10·44	12·67	11·19	14·96	12·49	16·19	14·22	18·40	13·41	17·04	15·47	19·20
September ..	7·62	11·53	8·69	12·96	10·70	12·67	11·34	16·01	12·50	16·19	13·99	18·32	13·51	17·04	15·46	19·10
October ..	7·64	11·53	8·69	12·99	11·14	12·67	11·96	15·96	N.A.	16·19	N.A.	N.A.	14·23	17·04	15·61	19·09
November ..	7·78	11·55	8·72	12·84	N.A.	12·67	N.A.	N.A.	12·98	16·19	14·43	18·34	14·05	17·04	15·63	19·03
December ..	7·84	11·55	8·78	12·84	11·14	12·67	11·96	16·03	12·50	16·19	14·07	18·34	14·10	17·04	15·72	19·12
Annual Average ..	7·63	11·53	8·63	12·89	9·42	12·29	10·34	14·58	12·01	16·08	13·80	18·24	13·42	16·90	15·26	18·97

Note :—Prices are subject to sales-tax @ 5·50 per cent. N.A.—Not available.

13 (iv) Wholesale and retail prices of tea at Hyderabad.

(Figures in Rs./kg.)

Months	1974				1975				1976			
	Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail	
	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12	(13)
January ..	9·01	11·53	9·88	12·74	14·47	14·84	12·14	18·23	12·98	16·19	15·04	18·45
February ..	9·08	11·88	10·20	13·22	13·88	16·19	12·35	18·25	13·16	16·19	15·18	18·57
March ..	9·52	11·99	10·67	13·70	13·91	16·19	12·22	18·35	13·26	17·04	15·22	18·91
April ..	9·59	11·99	12·22	13·63	14·20	16·19	12·74	18·34	13·65	17·04	15·23	18·98
May ..	9·12	12·08	12·08	13·72	14·35	16·19	12·29	18·38	13·51	17·04	15·28	19·13
June ..	9·93	12·21	13·06	14·33	14·50	16·19	12·43	18·36	13·45	17·04	15·52	19·08
July ..	9·87	12·48	13·01	14·21	14·74	16·19	12·36	18·35	13·64	17·04	15·55	19·14
August ..	9·99	12·67	13·09	14·62	14·75	16·19	12·46	18·29	13·84	17·04	15·78	19·10
September ..	10·01	12·67	13·11	15·33	14·64	16·19	12·92	18·31	14·15	17·04	15·96	19·07
October ..	10·01	12·67	13·31	15·07	14·96	16·19	13·44	18·33	14·46	17·04	15·97	19·19
November ..	9·97	12·67	13·01	15·41	14·94	16·19	13·09	18·31	14·18	17·04	15·88	19·15
December ..	10·03	12·67	13·97	15·66	15·07	16·19	13·07	18·34	14·35	17·04	15·85	19·15
Annual Average ..	9·63	12·29	12·30	14·30	14·53	16·08	12·63	18·33	13·71	16·90	15·54	18·99

Note :—Prices are Subjected to sales tax.

13 (v) Wholesale and retail prices of tea at Bangalore.

(Figures in Rs./kg.)

Months	1974				1975				1976			
	Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail	
	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
January ..	8·90	11·53	9·53	13·17	13·09	14·84	13·99	17·76	12·95	16·19	14·52	18·49
February ..	8·94	11·88	9·58	13·17	13·22	16·19	14·04	18·35	14·00	16·19	14·76	18·38
March ..	9·40	11·99	9·66	13·94	13·55	16·19	14·55	18·36	14·78	17·04	15·13	18·70
April ..	9·20	11·99	9·74	13·87	13·66	16·19	14·70	18·63	14·60	17·04	15·42	18·94
May ..	9·19	12·08	9·90	13·88	18·35	16·19	15·19	18·45	14·10	17·04	15·02	19·05
June ..	10·01	12·21	10·70	14·70	14·30	16·19	15·35	18·48	15·19	17·04	15·54	19·26
July ..	11·53	12·48	12·24	13·82	14·59	16·19	15·43	18·50	14·64	17·04	15·72	19·14
August ..	12·17	12·67	13·04	16·45	N.A.	16·19	N.A.	N.A.	14·75	17·04	15·68	19·14
September ..	12·38	12·67	12·38	16·33	N.A.	16·19	N.A.	N.A.	14·72	17·04	15·49	19·15
October ..	12·61	12·67	13·71	16·04	N.A.	16·19	N.A.	N.A.	14·51	17·04	15·35	19·18
November ..	12·84	12·67	13·88	16·33	N.A.	16·19	N.A.	18·22	14·59	17·04	15·37	19·17
December ..	12·94	12·67	13·92	16·33	N.A.	16·19	13·91	18·26	14·57	17·04	15·42	19·22
Annual Average ..	10·93	12·29	11·52	14·84	13·75	16·08	14·64	18·33	14·45	16·90	15·29	18·99

N.A.—Not Available.

Note :—Prices are subject to sales tax.

13 (vi) Wholesale and retail prices of tea at Coimbatore.

(Figures in R./kg.)

Months	1974				1975				1976			
	Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail	
	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Packet	Packet
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
January ..	8·17	11·53	8·71	12·75	12·71	14·84	13·39	17·41	13·64	16·19	14·31	18·25
February ..	8·60	11·88	9·13	12·75	13·32	16·19	13·90	18·00	13·69	16·19	14·36	18·23
March ..	8·66	11·99	9·19	13·41	13·33	16·19	14·06	18·06	13·54	17·04	14·20	18·23
April ..	8·67	11·99	9·12	13·40	13·33	16·19	14·02	18·09	14·38	17·04	15·08	18·90
May ..	8·66	12·08	9·17	13·42	13·35	16·19	14·01	18·08	14·42	17·04	15·10	18·91
June ..	10·01	12·21	10·01	14·63	13·35	16·19	14·01	18·11	14·42	17·04	15·10	18·92
July ..	10·91	12·48	11·11	14·01	N.A.	16·19	N.A.	N.A.	14·38	17·04	15·08	18·88
August ..	11·11	12·67	12·13	15·01	13·34	16·19	13·99	18·09	14·38	17·04	15·07	18·25
September ..	12·13	12·67	13·17	16·34	13·33	16·19	13·97	18·09	14·41	17·04	15·11	18·82
October ..	12·43	12·67	13·77	16·04	13·56	16·19	14·26	18·10	14·44	17·04	15·17	18·82
November ..	12·80	12·67	12·91	16·41	13·63	16·19	14·31	18·09	14·46	17·04	15·17	18·82
December ..	12·80	12·67	13·19	16·51	13·64	16·19	14·31	18·09	14·54	17·04	15·26	18·83
Annual Average ..	10·41	12·29	10·97	14·56	13·45	16·08	14·02	18·02	14·22	16·90	14·91	18·70

Note :—Prices are subject to sales tax. N.A.—Not Available.

14 (i) Quantity and value of tea exports from India.

(Quantity in th. kg. : Value in th. Rs.)

Year	Financial Year			Year	Calendar Year		
	Quantity	Value	Unit Price Rs./kg.		Quantity	Value	Unit Price Rs./kg.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1951-52	194,684	93,94,34	4·83	1951	205,983	96,01,30	4·66
1952-53	193,859	80,88,01	4·17	1952	188,170	80,91,04	4·30
1953-54	213,500	102,05,99	4·78	1953	227,097	104,21,73	4·59
1954-55	208,462	148,25,16	7·11	1954	203,195	130,75,23	6·43
1955-56	183,769	109,64,48	5·97	1955	166,708	113,61,32	6·82
1956-57	233,088	145,13,47	6·23	1956	237,484	142,82,49	6·01
1957-58	191,755	113,64,35	5·93	1957	200,786	123,38,59	6·15
1958-59	217,322	129,69,53	5·97	1958	229,503	136,58,59	5·95
1959-60	215,459	129,08,46	5·99	1959	213,680	126,01,35	5·90
1960-61	196,473	122,25,49	6·22	1960	193,063	119,98,83	6·21
1961-62	205,329	122,16,80	5·95	1961	206,292	124,25,13	6·02
1962-63	220,800	129,60,00	5·87	1962	211,826	123,53,39	5·83
1963-64	209,328	123,18,85	5·88	1963	223,542	132,37,10	5·92
1964-65	212,225	124,66,57	5·87	1964	210,523	124,90,12	5·93
1965-66	197,385	114,83,74	5·82	1965	199,365	114,97,47	5·77
1966-67	190,383	156,21,89	8·21	1966	179,205	156,59,21	8·74
1967-68	203,333	180,19,74	8·86	1967	213,676	189,03,84	8·85
1968-69	200,824	156,50,92	7·79	1968	208,440	166,48,25	7·99
1969-70	174,112	124,50,29	7·15	1969	168,709	120,53,71	7·14
1970-71	199,139	148,24,70	7·44	1970	202,016	148,75,33	7·36
1971-72	214,317	160,92,04	7·51	1971	202,052	153,66,78	7·61
1972-73	193,228	147,29,35	7·62	1972	198,195	151,14,39	7·63
1973-74	190,268	144,84,90	7·61	1973	188,192	142,70,72	7·58
1974-75	225,057	223,53,55	9·93	1974	210,583	192,79,72	9·16
1975-76	211,409	238,29,48	11·27	1975	218,128	244,65,92	11·22
1976-77*	242,418	295,25,77	12·18	1976*	233,611	273,13,64	11·69

* Provisional.

Note : The above figures exclude instant tea.

14 (ii) Month-wise Tea exports from India.

Months	Quantity in thousand kg.			Value in thousand Rs.			Unit Price (Rs. Kg.)		
	1974-75	1975-76	*1976-77	1974-75	1975-76	*1976-77	1974-75	1975-76	*1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
April ..	13,150	10,919	10,629	10,15,42	11,97,84	13,17,56	7·52	10·97	12·40
May ..	14,462	9,093	8,022	11,87,89	10,58,21	9,83,24	8·21	11·64	12·27
June ..	14,298	10,902	13,874	12,73,43	11,49,89	16,54,55	8·91	10·55	11·93
Total of 1st Quarter ..	42,270	30,914	32,525	34,76,74	34,05,94	39,55,35	8·23	11·02	12·16
July ..	14,728	16,879	15,164	15,34,22	20,64,60	19,22,55	10·42	12·23	12·68
August ..	23,508	24,585	22,738	27,04,24	28,31,22	29,08,34	11·51	11·52	12·79
September ..	14,095	24,762	23,699	12,90,65	29,24,45	28,73,55	9·16	11·81	12·13
Total of 2nd Quarter ..	52,331	66,226	61,601	55,29,11	78,20,27	77,04,44	10·57	11·81	12·51
October ..	28,519	22,565	31,357	28,01,32	22,98,55	35,15,99	9·82	10·19	11·21
November ..	20,283	23,865	26,362	18,97,60	28,10,34	28,94,96	9·36	11·78	10·98
December ..	28,413	21.482	35,409	27,79,25	23,05,49	40,54,03	9·78	10·73	11·45
Total of 3rd Quarter ..	77,215	67,912	93,128	74,78,17	74,14,38	104,64,98	9·68	10·92	11·24
January ..	20,071	13,300	26,392	22,18,04	15,28,03	31,09,49	11·05	11·49	11·78
February ..	15,095	17,969	13,770	16,56,43	19,70,55	18,86,59	10·97	10·97	13·70
March ..	18,075	15,088	15,002	19,95,06	16,90,31	24,04,92	11·04	11·20	16·03
Total of 4th Quarter ..	53,241	46,357	55,164	58,69,53	51,88,89	74,01,00	11·02	11·19	13·41
Grand Total ..	225,057	211,409	242,418	223,53,55	238,29,48	295,25,77	9·93	11·27	12·18

* Provisional

14 (iii) (a) Tea exports from India to major countries. (Financial year)

(Quantity in thousand kg.)

Countries of Destination	1951-52	1961-62	1966-67	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76	*1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
United Kingdom ..	130,655	121.255	95,935	87,591	71,214	50,582	51,010	68,557	54,410	84,841
Ireland ..	10,909	5,735	5,105	5,194	5,173	5,844	5,199	5,286	4,186	5,354
West Germany ..	(a)	1,520	1,176	3,385	3,358	4,837	5,098	5,204	4,103	5,410
Netherlands ..	2,661	1,657	2,667	2,407	2,324	13,266	14,503	19,463	8,247	3,548
U. S. S. R. ..	(a)	11,896	17,742	31,934	42,655	39,602	37,446	46,741	58,636	39,641
Poland	(a)	(a)	1,251	2,311	6,127	5,050	5,396	9,019	9,616	8,075
Yugoslavia ..	(a)	(a)	1,074	765	1,343	1,808	1,728	770	1,310	2,362
Other East Europe ..	(a)	(a)	2,551	1,527	1,501	1,176	1,406	1,203	1,233	1,482
U. S. A. ..	12,098	10,946	7,869	7,064	8,511	6,895	7,822	6,442	6,112	12,110
Canada ..	8,699	6,421	4,034	3,029	3,688	2,512	2,440	3,797	3,255	3,011
A. R. E. ..	1,622	16,996	18,570	12,125	11,196	13,460	10,023	11,726	11,301	15,996
Sudan ..	(a)	6,483	7,143	10,645	18,786	12,806	8,049	8,619	5,889	8,298
Iraq ..	336	2,358	1,716	901	5,908	5,485	8,514	4,742	6,256	5,575
Iran ..	4,958	3,484	1,928	2,491	3,372	3,324	4,083	8,154	5,373	7,526
Qatar, Dubai & Abu Dhabi ..	(a)	(a)	1,807	2,550	2,452	2,704	3,115	3,696	5,668	6,158
Kuwait ..	(a)	981	502	257	338	670	542	1,041	566	2,147
Saudi Arabia ..	(a)	112	59	42	99	222	265	118	625	555
Bahrain ..	(a)	475	322	454	806	506	971	583	667	709
Muscat ..	(a)	(a)	39	177	128	99	306	392	434	490
Jordan ..	(a)	(a)	1,424	2,250	3,014	1,978	2,002	1,999	1,432	2,131
Afghanistan ..	(a)	3,609	6,546	13,035	12,618	10,878	10,243	8,530	15,376	10,126
Japan ..	(a)	(a)	252	731	1,094	1,221	1,252	828	612	791
Tunisia ..	(a)	(a)	2,730	1,472	3,037	2,752	2,044	1,000	350	450
Morocco ..	(a)	(a)	—	1,881	192	—	—	2	—	—
Australia ..	2,947	2,526	6,047	3,143	2,772	3,069	3,574	3,774	3,156	5,906
Newzealand ..	591	505	583	275	667	302	358	330	603	938
Other Countries ..	19,208	8,370	1,311	1,503	1,944	2,180	2,879	3,041	1,990	8,788
TOTAL ..	194,684	205,329	190,383	199,139	214,317	193,228	190,268	225,057	211,406	242,418

* Provisional

(a) Included in other countries, break-down is not available

14 (iii) (b) Value of Tea exports from India to major countries. (Financial year)

(Value in thousand Rs.)

Countries of Destination	1951-52	1961-62	1966-67	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76	*1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
United Kingdom ..	60,96,58	73,21,56	82,02,72	64,87,35	53,94,38	39,41,63	35,61,02	52,41,08	45,91,39	85,78,87
Ireland ..	6,00,87	3,45,44	4,40,05	4,06,12	4,09,07	5,21,34	3,96,24	5,18,94	4,65,12	6,04,30
West Germany ..	(a)	1,14,04	1,36,86	3,70,02	3,63,27	5,03,96	6,08,89	7,73,27	7,54,80	8,64,24
Netherlands ..	1,21,95	94,26	2,51,84	2,02,98	1,97,65	9,27,72	10,07,23	16,32,79	8,20,31	4,69,90
U.S.S.R. ..	(a)	8,68,57	16,34,67	26,38,82	33,93,36	32,42,03	32,63,59	57,52,67	72,47,26	53,34,20
Poland ..	(a)	(a)	1,03,09	1,58,16	4,47,13	3,40,09	3,33,86	9,36,10	11,32,42	10,93,17
Yugoslavia ..	(a)	(a)	90·81	48,54	96,20	1,26,81	1,27,14	72,23	1,36,98	3,60,95
Other East Europe ..	(a)	(a)	2,31,71	1,31,23	1,18,86	1,06,63	1,30,43	1,30,65	1,50,34	1,94,62
U.S.A. ..	6,31,04	6,35,59	6,51.27	5,47,56	6,48,12	4,89,39	5,77,53	6,23,53	8,05,18	17,09,21
Canada ..	4,31,33	3,70,26	3,42,85	2,27,50	2,70,25	1,83,96	1,80,12	3,82,68	3,39,61	3,98,87
A. R. E. ..	71,04	8,51,54	11,89,44	7,66,95	7,22,96	8,56,33	6,40,97	10,98,26	11,07,18	18,76,55
Sudan ..	(a)	3,12,49	4,47,12	5,63,59	12,06,18	8,56,39	5,52,05	7,00,62	6,46,81	8,75,69
Iraq ..	16,06	1,30,26	1,09,88	54,20	4,28,51	3,74,44	5,33,56	4,55,13	6,77,51	6,73,13
Iran ..	3,71,31	2,61,55	2,54,26	3,47,15	4,09,69	3,73,69	4,59,93	13,59,27	9,28,80	13,14,23
Qater, Dubai & Abu Dhabi ..	(a)	(a)	1,48,89	2,14,43	1,99,20	2,26,46	3,13,06	5,32,73	9,22,06	9,67,14
Kuwait ..	(a)	52,93	39,87	19,52	28,64	53,08	49,94	1,11,17	80,44	2,44,89
Saudi Arabia ..	(a)	8,55	8,97	5,83	10,66	21,96	29,24	22,83	89,34	1,03,38
Bahrain ..	(a)	22,06	24,83	36,04	66,01	41,06	90,36	75,76	95,26	97,04
Muscat ..	(a)	(a)	2,96	13,13	10,35	7,06	27,82	45,69	62,64	77,51
Jordan ..	(a)	(a)	94,36	1,25,62	1,49,12	1,31,10	1,26,21	1,82,03	1,44,36	2,46,95
Afghanistan ..	(a)	1,84,57	4,04,86	8,25,68	8,40,53	7,25,33	7,21,21	8,42,25	18,21,95	13,89,65
Japan ..	(a)	(a)	21,73	63,04	93,30	1,18,71	1,47,79	98,00	85,62	1,21,52
Tunisia ..	(a)	(a)	1,85,21	71,46	1,60,89	1,59,38	1,10,55	74,09	30,16	40,90
Morocco ..	(a)	(a)	—	1,43,84	12,49	—	—	89	—	—
Australia ..	1,33,69	1,23,28	4,35,28	2,06,50	1,90,90	2,07,46	2,35,79	3,49,21	3,17,55	7,62,71
Newzealand ..	30,57	38,28	49,08	20,93	46,35	21,12	25,24	31,26	64,72	1,04,43
Other Countries ..	8,89,90	4,91,59	1,19,28	1,28,51	1,36,97	1,72,22	2,35,14	3,10,42	3,11,65	10,21,72
TOTAL ..	93,94,34	122,16,80	156,21,89	148,24,70	160,92,04	147,29,35	144,84,90	223,53,55	238,29,48	295,25,77

* Provisional.

(a) Included in other countries, break-down is not available.

14 (iv) (a) Tea exports from India to major countries. (Calendar year)

(Quantity in thousand kg.)

Countries of Destination	1951	1961	1966	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	*1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
United Kingdom ..	136,270	123,215	87,243	96,619	68,852	56,427	48,840	62,080	59,639	72,590
Ireland ..	13,816	6,499	4,973	4,841	5,396	5,500	4,611	6,122	4,645	4,252
West Germany ..	1,279	1,583	1,242	3,255	3,341	4,709	5,107	5,493	4,472	4,884
Netherlands ..	2,378	1,601	2,540	2,416	2,273	11,775	14,364	16,332	9,807	4,369
U.S.S.R. ..	1,028	11,874	16,943	28,763	40,935	39,947	37,321	42,109	56,469	51,421
Poland ..	*(a)*	*(a)*	2,057	1,899	3,542	6,610	6,143	6,768	12,096	6,962
Yugoslovia ..	*(a)*	*(a)*	708	851	795	1,826	2,186	804	1,267	1,272
Other East Europe ..	*(a)*	*(a)*	2,321	1,282	1,436	1,474	1,296	1,078	1,398	1,236
U.S.A. ..	14,309	10,767	7,346	7,116	8,840	6,240	7,436	6,980	5,887	8,757
Canada ..	9,165	6,374	4,112	3,280	3,813	2,773	2,278	3,520	3,702	3,009
A.R.E, ..	1,648	15,612	18,821	11,587	9,169	13,189	11,698	12,395	11,352	14,634
Sudan ..	674	6,709	6,431	11,953	12,664	13,953	12,183	8,357	5,892	7,040
Iraq ..	673	2,116	1,713	843	5,911	4,963	7,189	3,381	6,709	7,120
Iran ..	6,460	3,853	1,773	2,274	3,158	3,225	3,709	6,454	6,876	6,758
Qatar, Dubai and Abu Dhabi ..	415	*(a)*	1,447	2,270	2,340	3,062	2,770	3,472	4,457	7,075
Kuwait ..	2,480	938	621	235	248	819	437	878	465	1,582
Saudi Arabia ..	190	*(a)*	78	63	74	171	269	177	588	602
Bahrain ..	745	*(a)*	332	501	505	793	748	722	586	831
Muscat ..	406	*(a)*	39	86	161	105	276	402	366	534
Jordan ..	*(a)*	*(a)*	17,15	1,968	3,191	1,780	1,496	2,389	1,451	2,184
Afghanistan ..	*(a)*	3,313	6,729	10,732	15,947	8,668	8,588	11,151	12,941	11,863
Japan ..	*(a)*	*(a)*	231	807	1,074	1,037	1,274	1,084	579	685
Tunisia ..	515	*(a)*	2,706	2,189	1,786	3,917	1,744	1,300	—	800
Morocco ..	*(a)*	*(a)*	—	812	1,260	1	—	—	2	—
Australia ..	4,229	1,876	5,282	3,688	3,021	2,964	3,355	3,921	3,770	4,415
New Zealand ..	926	527	569	285	302	313	339	266	637	845
Other Countries ..	8,377	4,071	1,233	1,401	2,018	1,954	2,530	2,948	2,074	7,891
TOTAL ..	205,983	206,292	179,205	202,016	202,052	198,195	188,192	210,583	218,128	233,611

* Provisional. *(a)* Included in other countries, break-down is not available.

14 (iv) (b) Value of Tea exports from India to major countries (Calendar year)

(Value in thousand Rupees)

Countries of Destination	1951	1961	1966	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	*1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
United Kingdom ..	60,68,06	75,09,47	70,42,30	70,46,92	52,64,61	43,90,40	34,10,45	46,31,76	50,17,36	70,43,58
Ireland ..	7,02,17	3,59,37	3,94,10	3,82,30	4,22,32	4,71,29	3,80,60	5,63,79	5,12,31	4,79,86
West Germany ..	69,80	1,20,96	1,35,01	3,68,09	3,54,50	4,91,56	6,06,39	7,77,66	7,91,97	7,78,67
Netherlands ..	1,14,71	95,83	2,30,21	2,05,50	1,93,27	8,28,36	9,93,99	13,55,00	9,47,88	4,98,44
U.S.S.R. ..	50,13	8,60,23	15,06,03	23,95,92	33,54,44	32,44,79	32,35,19	48,00,45	72,40,74	63,60,50
Poland ..	(a)	(a)	1,29,78	1,26,51	2,52,88	4,93,42	3,77,51	5,81,41	14,34,97	8,62,51
Yugoslavia ..	(a)	(a)	58,00	54,15	76·59	1,28,83	1,60,39	69,19	1,26,89	1,24,74
Other East Europe ..	(a)	(a)	2,04,19	1,13,11	1,15,25	1,25,06	1,22,80	87,91	1,66,99	1,63,42
U.S.A. ..	7,11,97	6,27,79	5,76,65	5,44,86	6,84,46	4,39,76	5,43,21	6,09,08	7,00,91	12,07,21
Canada ..	4,49,32	3,87,68	3,08,92	2,48,41	2,80,40	2,00,20	1,70,13	3,33,76	3,78,66	3,68,24
A.R.E. ..	74,60	8,02,78	11,09,77	7,28,09	5,81,72	8,43,64	7,54,95	9,76,15	10,99,80	16,27,93
Sudan ..	22,80	3,33,78	3,82,41	6,26,32	7,70,14	9,70,49	8,16,78	6,28,42	6,47,08	6,80,22
Iraq ..	31,54	1,21,85	97,03	44,60	4,20,32	3,43,24	4,48,57	2,39,27	7,30,48	7,89,82
Iran ..	4,66,69	2,82,45	2,19,18	3,22,03	4,01,50	3,59,22	4,25,79	10,33,33	11,44,45	11,76,63
Qatar, Dubai & Abu Dhabi ..	26,65	(a)	1,12,88	1,89,00	1,89,97	2,45,45	2,71,28	4,50,57	7,46,61	10,84,43
Kuwait ..	1,16,70	52,03	45,15	19,39	19,58	65,37	37,14	97,00	68,63	2,14,99
Saudi Arabia ..	12,32	(a)	11,38	7,97	7,80	18,58	26,38	30,16	82,33	1,11,42
Bahrain ..	56,92	(a)	24,24	40,96	40,48	65,16	69,88	82,69	89,06	1,04,44
Muscat ..	23,05	(a)	2,62	6,38	14,02	8,38	24,82	42,22	52,16	81,77
Jordan ..	(a)	(a)	1,01,93	1,09,76	1,96,33	1,19,24	94,54	1,77,42	1,53,98	2,34,99
Afghanistan ..	(a)	1,76,07	3,98,85	6,71,35	10,66,66	5,56,05	6,06,02	8,30,38	15,56,00	16,32,24
Japan ..	(a)	(a)	19,40	66,96	91,70	1,00,81	1,47,58	1,25,57	80,31	1,02,23
Tunisia ..	25,56	(a)	1,52,49	1,05,65	90,09	2,24,85	98,72	85,93	—	71,05
Morocco ..	(a)	(a)	—	61,96	94,30	6	—	—	89	—
Australia ..	1,88,01	93,11	3,37,10	2,42,88	2,07,89	2,01,35	2,17,03	3,29,90	3,70,67	5,22,84
Newzeland ..	46,64	30,52	44,61	21,25	21,76	22,05	23,72	23,37	66,24	90,42
Other Countries ..	3,43,66	2,45,12	1,08,21	1,25,01	1,53,80	1,56,78	2,06,86	3,17,33	2,58,54	9,01,05
TOTAL ..	96,01,30	124,25,13	137,51,84	148,75,33	153,66,78	151,14,39	142,70,72	192,7 9,72	244,65,92	273,13,64

* Provisional.

(a) Included in other countries, break-down is not available.

12 (v) Monthwise tea exports from North & South India.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Month	1973-74			1974-75			1975-76			1976-77		
	North India	South India	Total	North India	South India	Total	North India	South India	Total	North India	South India	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
April ..	4,870	3,507	8,377	9,698	3,812	13,510	7,374	3,545	10,919	7,770	2,859	10,629
May ..	6,096	3,160	9,256	10,439	4,023	14,462	4,855	4,238	9,093	6,016	2,006	8,022
June ..	5,045	2,105	7,150	10,474	3,824	14,298	7,438	3,463	10,901	9,951	3,923	13,874
July ..	13,546	3,444	16,990	9,848	4,880	14,728	12,695	4,184	16,879	10,376	4,788	15,164
August ..	13,874	3,284	17,158	20,342	3,166	23,508	21,397	3,188	24,585	19,020	3,718	22,738
September ..	13,405	3,006	16,411	10,486	3,609	14,095	22,274	2,487	24,761	19,308	4,391	23,699
October ..	26,774	3,401	30,175	25,531	2,988	28,519	20,011	2,554	22,565	28,539	2,818	31,357
November ..	16,540	4,463	21,003	16,588	3,695	20,283	21,675	2,190	23,865	22,629	3,733	26,362
December ..	18,407	4,463	22,870	25,022	3,391	28,413	18,436	3,046	21,482	28,733	6,676	35,409
January ..	12,061	4,393	16,454	17,215	2,856	20,071	9,371	3,929	13,300	22,845	3,547	26,392
February ..	6,226	2,304	8,530	11,277	3,818	15,095	13,663	4,307	17,970	8,522	5,248	13,770
March ..	10,496	5,398	15,894	13,478	4,597	18,075	12,637	2,449	15,086	9,468	5,534	15,002
Total ..	147,340	42,928	190,268	180,398	44,659	225,057	171,826	39,580	211,406	193,177	49,241	242,418

14 (vi) Country-wise tea exports from North and South India.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries of Destination	1973			1974			1975			*1976		
	North India	South India	Total	North India	South India	Total	North India	South India	Total	North India	South India	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
United Kingdom ..	45,646	3,194	48,840	57,175	4,905	62,080	55,982	3,657	59,639	68,164	4,426	72,590
Ireland ..	4,519	92	4,611	6,022	100	6,122	4,446	200	4,646	3,834	418	4,252
West Germany ..	4,445	662	5,107	4,818	675	5,493	4,123	349	4,472	4,530	354	4,884
Netherlands ..	13,616	748	14,364	15,140	1,192	16,332	9,637	170	9,807	4,119	250	4,369
U.S.S.R. ..	29,174	8,147	37,321	31,933	10,176	42,109	42,465	14,004	56,469	37,445	13,976	51,421
U.S.A. ..	3,344	4,092	7,436	2,354	4,626	6,980	2,632	3,255	5,887	3,710	5,047	8,757
Canada ..	998	1,280	2,278	1,345	2,176	3,521	1,522	2,180	3,702	1,395	1,614	3,009
A. R. E. ..	6,193	5,505	11,698	7,509	4,886	12,395	5,304	6,048	11,352	9,113	5,521	14,634
Sudan ..	4,761	7,422	12,183	1,824	6,533	8,357	2,477	3,415	5,892	2,026	5,014	7,040
Iran ..	3,629	80	3,709	6,359	95	6,454	6,743	133	6,876	6,573	185	6,758
Iraq ..	4,864	2,325	7,189	2,349	1,032	3,381	5,405	1,304	6,709	4,615	2,505	7,120
Australia ..	1,336	2,019	3,355	986	2,934	3,920	1,473	2,297	3,770	2,103	2,312	4,415
Newzealand ..	212	127	339	200	66	266	616	20	636	845	—	845
Other Countries ..	23,605	6,157	29,762	27,085	6,088	33,173	35,138	3,133	38,271	39,541	3,976	43,517
Total ..	146,342	41,850	188,192	165,099	45,484	210,583	177,963	40,165	218,128	188,013	45,598	233,611

* Provisional

14 (vii) Portwise exports of tea from India.

(Quantity in thousand kg.)

Name of the port	April	May	June	July	August	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)
Calcutta ..	3,804	4,886	3,872	12,623	12,836	12,074	25,659	13,781	17,474	10,252	4,770	9,330	131,361
Kandla ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,263	—	—	—	—	1,263
Bombay ..	1,066	1,210	1,173	923	1,038	1,331	1,115	1,496	933	1,809	1,456	1,166	14,716
Cochin ..	3,507	3,160	2,105	3,444	3,284	3,006	3,401	4,463	4,463	4,393	2,304	5,398	42,928
Total (1973-74) ..	8,377	9,256	7,150	16,990	17,158	16,411	30,175	21,003	22,870	16,454	8,530	15,894	190,268
Calcutta ..	8,705	9,977	9,587	8,719	18,392	7,461	22,791	14,206	22,763	15,803	10,122	12,636	161,162
Kandla ..	—	—	—	—	497	1,936	1,757	1,317	732	52	—	—	6,291
Bombay ..	993	462	887	1,129	1,453	1,089	983	1,065	1,527	1,360	1,155	842	12,945
Cochin ..	3,812	4,023	3,824	4,880	3,166	3,609	2,988	3,695	3,391	2,856	3,818	4,597	44,659
Total (1974-75) ..	13,510	14,462	14,298	14,728	23,508	14,095	28,519	20,283	28,413	20,071	15,095	18,075	225,057
Calcutta ..	6,738	3,475	6,112	10,965	19,204	19,715	16,214	19,682	15,335	7,470	11,402	11,034	147,346
Kandla ..	—	—	—	—	—	799	2,058	500	835	—	—	—	4,192
Bombay ..	636	1,380	1,326	1,730	2,193	1,760	1,739	1,493	2,266	1,901	2,261	1,603	20,288
Cochin ..	3,545	4,238	3,463	4,184	3,188	2,487	2,554	2,190	3,046	3,929	4,307	2,449	39,590
Total (1975-76) ..	10,919	9,093	10,901	16,879	24,585	24,761	22,565	23,865	21,482	13,300	17,970	15,086	211,406
Calcutta ..	6,290	4,420	8,937	9,333	17,413	17,238	26,642	16,629	27,160	21,145	7,752	7,975	173,934
Kandla ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	597	1,454	7	—	—	—	2,058
Bombay ..	1,480	1,596	1,014	1,043	1,607	2,070	1,300	1,546	1,566	1,700	770	1,493	17,185
Cochin ..	2,859	2,006	3,923	4,788	3,718	4,391	2,818	3,733	6,676	3,547	5,248	5,534	49,241
Total (1976-77) ..	10,629	8,022	13,874	15,164	22,738	23,699	31,357	26,362	35,409	26,392	13,770	15,002	242,418

14 (viii) Countrywise & Regionwise exports of tea (Financial year.)

Serial No.	Name of the Countries	Quantity in thousand kgs.			Value in thousand Rs.		
		1974-75	1975-76	1976-77	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
	I. WEST EUROPE :						
	(a) E. E. C. :						
1.	**United Kingdom** ..	68,557	54,410	84,841	52,41,08	45,91,39	85,78,87
2.	**Irish Republic** ..	5,286	4,186	5,354	5,18,94	4,65,13	6,04,30
3.	**Denmark** ..	134	53	114	12,65	6,30	16,72
4.	**Netherlands** ..	19,463	8,247	3,548	16,32,79	8,20,31	4,69,90
5.	**West Germany** ..	5,204	4,103	5,410	7,73,27	7,54,81	8,64,24
6.	**Belgium and Luxemburg** ..	247	220	279	20,32	21,20	32,20
7.	**Italy** ..	390	246	381	42,26	25,48	46,27
8.	**France** ..	377	243	491	33,90	25,63	60,32
	Sub-Total (a) ..	99,658	71,708	100,418	82,75,21	67,10,25	106,72,82
	(b) OTHER WEST EUROPE :						
9.	**Austria** ..	18	1	13	2,96	28	1,96
10.	**Greece** ..	5	3	2	47	42	20
11.	**Finland** ..	—	O	—	—	8	—
12.	**Norway** ..	O	O	O	3	OO	O
13.	**Spain** ..	—	O	O	—	OO	O
14.	**Sweden** ..	1	1	6	8	17	88
15.	**Switzerland** ..	11	232	39	1,89	26,98	5,89
	Sub-Total (b) ..	35	237	60	5,43	27,93	8,93
	Sub-Total—I ..	99,693	71,945	100,478	82,80,64	67,38,18	106,81,75

Serial No.	Name of the Countries	Quantity in thousand kgs.			Value in thousand Rs.		
		1974-75	1975-76	1976-77	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
	II. EAST EUROPE :						
1.	**U.S.S.R.** ..	46,741	58,636	39,641	57,52,67	72,47,26	53,34,20
2.	**Bulgaria** ..	63	56	23	10,27	19,47	8,25
3.	**Czechoslovakia** ..	460	506	755	54,84	55,65	98,76
4.	**East Germany** ..	374	380	480	36,74	43,33	60,57
5.	**Hungary** ..	305	285	224	28,80	30,92	27,04
6.	**Poland** ..	9,019	9,616	8,075	9,36,10	11,32,42	10,93,17
7.	**Rumania** ..	—	6	—	—	97	—
8.	**Yugoslavia** ..	770	1,310	2,362	72,23	1,36,98	3,60,95
	Sub-Total—II ..	57,732	70,795	51,560	68,91,65	86,67,00	69,82,94
	III. AMERICA :						
	(a) NORTH AMERICA & WEST INDIES:						
1.	**U.S.A.** ..	6,442	6,112		6,23,53	8,05,18	17,09,21
2.	**Canada** ..	3,797	3,255		3,82,68	3,39,61	3,98,87
3.	**Dominican Republic** ..	—	—		—	—	
4.	**Fr. West Indies** ..	—	—		—	—	
5.	**Guyana** ..	31	48		3,59	6,85	6,88
6.	**Netherlands-Antilles** ..	204	—		14,47	—	—
7.	**Trinidad & Tobago** ..	12	9		1,24	1,22	O
	Sub-Total (a) ..	10,486	9,424		10,25,51	11,52,86	21,14,96

Serial No.	Name of Countries	Quantity in thousand kg.			Value in thousand Rs.		
		1974-75	1975-76	1976-77	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
	(b) LATIN AMERICA						
9.	**Argentina** ..	O	—	O	2	—	O
10.	**Brazil** ..	—	O	—	—	O	—
11.	**Central America** ..	—	O	—	—	O	—
12.	**Chile** ..	2	1	22	18	18	3,11
13.	**Mexico** ..	1	1	1	17	19	21
14.	**Venezuala** ..	—	O	—	—	O	—
	Sub-Total (b) ..	3	2	23	37	37	3,32
	Sub-Total (III) ..	10,489	9,426	15,188	10,25,88	11,53,23	21,18,28
	IV. WEST ASIA & NORTH AFRICA						
	(a) WEST ASIA :						
1.	**Iran** ..	8,154	5,373	7,526	13,59,27	9,28,80	13,14,23
2.	**Israel** ..	152	—	—	12,58	—	—
3.	**U. A. E.** ..	2,720	4,969	5,252	4,06,38	8,21,38	8,37,24
4.	**Qatar** ..	976	699	906	1,26,35	1,00,68	1,29,90
5.	**Kuwait** ..	1,041	566	2,147	1,11,17	80,44	2,44,89
6.	**Iraq** ..	4,742	6,256	5,575	4,55,13	6,77,51	6,73,13
7.	**Saudi Arabia** ..	118	625	555	22,83	89,34	1,03,38
8.	**Bahrain** ..	583	667	709	75,76	95,26	97,04
9.	**Muscat** ..	392	434	490	45,69	62,64	77,51
10.	**Jordan** ..	1,999	1,432	2,131	1,82,03	1,44,36	2,46,95
11.	**Yemen** ..	9	—	21	95	—	3,61
12.	**Lebanon** ..	1	—	—	7	—	—
13.	**Syria** ..	443	180	298	43,94	19,45	46,75
	Sub-Total (a) ..	21,330	21,201	25,610	28,42,15	30,19,86	37,74,63

Serial	Name of the Countries	Quantity in thousand kg.			Value in thousand Rs.		
		1974-75	1975-76	1976-77	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
	(b) NORTH AFRICA						
16.	**A. R. E.** ..	11,726	11,301	15,996	10,98,26	11,07,18	18,76,55
17.	**Libya** ..	O	502	1,481	O	51,46	1,25,25
18.	**Morocco** ..	2	—	—	89	—	—
19.	**Sudan** ..	8,619	5,889	8,298	7,00,62	6,46,81	8,75,69
20.	**Tunisia** ..	1,000	350	450	74,09	30,16	40,90
	Sub-Total (b) ..	21,347	18,042	26,225	18,73,86	18,35,61	29,18,39
	Sub Total—IV ..	42,677	39,243	51,835	47,16,01	48,55,47	66,93,02
	V. ASIA OTHER THAN WEST						
1.	**Afghanistan** ..	8,530	14,637	10,126	8,42,25	18,21,95	13,89,65
2.	**Bangladesh** ..	O	O	O	7	O	O
3.	**Burma** ..	O	—	O	6	—	9
4.	**Hongkong** ..	8	—	3	69	—	49
5.	**Japan** ..	828	612	791	98,00	85,62	1,21,52
6.	**Malaya** ..	1	O	—	11	O	—
7.	**Singapore** ..	88	91	23	11,93	10,38	2,50
8.	**Nepal** ..	760	752	533	91,46	95,62	64,22
9.	**Philipines** ..	O	O	1	11	O	38
10.	**Pakistan** ..	—	—	4,816	—	—	5,73,77
11.	**Korea** ..	7	—	—	96	—	—
12.	**Thailand** ..	6	3	5	66	51	81
13.	**Turkey** ..	O	—	O	4	—	3
14.	**Cyprus** ..	—	—	O	..	—	7
	Sub-Total—V ..	10,228	6,095	16,298	10,46,34	20,14,08	21,53,53

Serial No.	Name of the Countries	Quantity in thousand kg.			Value in thousand Rs.		
		1974-75	1975-76	1976-77	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
	VI. AFRICA OTHER THAN NORTH :						
1.	**Ethiopia** ..	49	140	116	5,64	18,70	16,33
2.	**Ghana** ..	10	O	O	1,15	4	3
3.	**Mauritius** ..	1	—	O	8	—	3
4.	**Nigeria** ..	8	2	—	61	20	—
5.	**Seychells** ..	—	O	6	—	5	87
6.	**Somalia** ..	2	—	93	24	—	11,85
7.	**Zambia** ..	O	1	—	2	26	—
	Sub-total—VI ..	70	143	215	774	19,25	29,11
	VII. AUSTRALIA & OCEANIA :						
1.	**Australia** ..	3,774	3,156	5,906	3,49,21	3,17,55	7,62,71
2.	**Fiji** ..	64	—	O	4,82	—	O
3.	**Newzealand** ..	330	603	938	31,26	64,72	1,04,43
	Sub-Total—VII ..	4,168	3,759	6,844	3,85,29	3,82,27	8,67,14
	GRAND TOTAL ..	225,057	211,406	242,418	223,53,55	238,29,48	295,25,77

* Provisional.

14 (ix) Country-wise and Regionwise exports of tea (Calendar year).

Name of the Countries		Quantity in thousand kg.			Value in thousand Rs.		
		1974	1975	*1976	1974	1975	*1976
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
I. WEST EUROPE :							
(a) E. E. C.							
1. U. K.	..	62,080	59,639	72,590	46,31,76	50,17,36	70,43,58
2. Irish Republic	..	6,122	4,646	4,252	5,63,79	5,12,31	4,79,86
3. Denmark	..	82	76	111	7,36	8,24	14,33
4. Netherlands	..	16,332	9,807	4,369	13,55,00	9,47,88	4,98,44
5. West Germany	..	5,493	4,472	4,884	7,77,66	7,91,97	7,78,67
6. Bengium & Luxemburg	..	264	176	372	20,01	17,11	39,98
7. Italy	..	426	155	399	43,43	16,10	45,76
8. France	..	373	97	593	32,32	9,93	70,17
Sub-Total (a)	..	91,172	79,068	27,570	74,31,34	73,20,90	89,70,19
(b) OTHER WEST EUROPE :							
9. Austria	..	20	4	13	2,73	83	1,93
10. Finland	..	..	O	—	—	8	—
11. Greece	..	10	3	2	1,24	42	20
12. Norway	..	O	O	—	3	O	—
13. Spain	..	—	O	—	—	O	—
14. Sweden	..	1	1	6	8	18	80
15. Switzerland	..	11	2	266	1,800	37	31,99
Sub-Total (b)	..	42	10	287	5,88	1,88	34,92
Sub-Total—I	..	91,214	7,90,78	87,857	74,37,22	73,22,78	90,05,71

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Name of the Countries	Quantity in thousand kg.			Value in thousand Rs.		
	1974	1975	*1976	1974	1975	*1975
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
II. EAST EUROPE :						
1. U.S.S.R. ..	42,109	56,4 69	51,421	48,00,45	72,40,74	63,60,50
2. Bulgaria ..	46	41	45	8,71	13,41	16,47
3. Czechoslovakia ..	284	646	647	30,79	73,13,	82,89
4. East Germany ..	424	405	330	38,95	47,00	39,20
5. Hungary ..	324	300	214	29,85	32,48	24,86
6. Poland ..	6,768	12,096	6,962	5,81,41	14,34,97	8,62,51
7. Romania ..	—	6	—	—	97	—
8. Yugoslavia ..	804	1,267	1,272	69,19	1,26,89	1,24,74
Sub-Total—II ..	50,759	71,230	60,891	55,59,35	89,69,59	75,11,17
III. AMERICA :						
(a) NORTH AMERICA & WEST INDIES :						
1. U. S. A. ..	6,980	5,887	8,757	6,09,08	7,00,91	12,07,21
2. Canada ..	3,521	3,702	3,009	3,33,76	3,78,66	3,68,24
3. Guyana ..	18	45	48	2,14	5,63	7,31
4. Netherlands Antilles ..	205	—	—	14,47	—	—
5. Trinidad & Tobago ..	—	21	—	—	2,46	—
Sub-Total (a) ..	10,724	9,655	11,814	9,59,45	10,87,66	15,82,76

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Name of the Countries	Quantity in thousand kg.			Value in thousandk Rs.		
	1974	1975	*1976	1974	1975	*1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
(b) LATIN AMERICA :						
12. Argentina ..	O	—	—	2	—	—
13. Chile ..	2	1	12	18	18	150
14. Mexico ..	1	1	2	15	15	40
Sub-Total (b) ..	3	2	14	35	34	190
Sub-Total—III ..	10,727	9,657	11,828	9,59,80	10,88,00	15,84,66
IV. WEST ASIA & NORTH AFRICA :						
(a) WEST ASIA						
1. Qatar ..	867	674	8,46	98,06	94,55	1,17,45
2. U. A. E. ..	2,605	3,783	6,229	3,53,51	6,52,06	9,66,98
3. Oman ..	402	366	534	42,22	52,16	81,77
4. Yemen ..	14	—	5	1,40	—	87
5. Bahrain ..	722	586	831	82,69	89,06	1,04,44
6. Kuwait ..	878	465	1,582	97,00	68,63	2,14,99
7. Iran ..	6,454	6,876	6,758	10,33,33	11,44,45	11,76,63
8. Iraq ..	3,381	6,709	7,120	2,39,27	7,30,48	7,89,82
9. Israel ..	284	—	—	22,61	—	—
10. Jordan ..	2,389	1,451	2,184	1,77,42	1,53,98	2,34,99
11. Lebanon ..	1		—	7	—	—
12. Saudi Arabia ..	177	588	602	30,16	82,33	1,11,42
13. Syria ..	347	20[illegible]	478	27,97	22,88	66,20
Sub-Total (a) ..	18,521	21,698	27,169	22,05,71	30,90,58	38,65,56

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Name of the Countries	Quantity in thousand kg.			Value in thousand Rs.		
	1974	1975	*1974	1974	1975	*1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
(b) NORTH AFRICA :						
16. A.R.E. ..	12,395	11,352	14,638	9,76,15	10,99,80	16,27,93
17. Libya ..	O	143	1,590	O	17,22	1,32,80
18. Morocco ..	—	2	—	—	89	—
19. Sudan ..	8,357	5,892	7,040	6,28,42	6,47,08	6,80,22
20. Tunisia ..	1,300	—	800	85,93	—	71,05
SUB-TOTAL (b) ..	22,052	17,389	24,064	16,90,50	17,64,99	25,12,00
SUB-TOTAL—IV ..	40,573	39,087	51,233	38,96,21	48,55,57	63,77,56
V. ASIA OTHER THAN WEST :						
1. Afghanistan ..	11,151	12,941	11,863	8,59,83	15,56,00	16,32,24
2. Bangladesh ..	10	O	—	1,03	O	—
3. Burma ..	O	—	O	2	—	10
4. Hongkong ..	8	—	—	71	—	—
5. Japan ..	1,084	579	685	1,28,21	80,31	1,02,23
6. Malaya ..	1	—	—	19	—	—
7. Singapore ..	83	124	23	10,31	14,60	250
8. Nepal ..	683	879	507	63,97	1,23,11	65,49
9. Philipines ..	O	—	1	11	—	16
10. Thailand ..	6	4	5	61	60	79
11. Turkey ..	O	—	O	4	—	3
12. Korea Republic ..	7	1	—	96	3	—
13. Pakistan ..			3,270			3,92,69
SUB-TOTAL—V ..	13,033	14,528	16,354	10,65,99	17,74,65	21,96,23

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Name of the Countries	Quantity in thousand kg.			Value in thousand Rs.		
	1974	1975	*1976	1974	1975	*1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
VI. AFRICA OTHER THAN NORTH :						
1. Ethiopia ..	27	138	125	2,68	17,91	16,80
2. Ghana ..	10	—	O	1,13	—	3
3. Mauritius ..	O	—	O	2	—	3
4. Nigeria ..	—	2	—	—	20	—
5. Mali Republic ..	O	—	—	2	—	—
1. Somalia ..	1	—	63	14	—	8,19
7. Zambia ..	—	1	—	—	30	—
SUB-TOTAL—VI ..	38	141	188	3,99	18,41	25,05
VII. AUSTRALIA & OCEANIA :						
1. Australia ..	3,920	3,770	4,415	3,29,90	3,70,68	5,22,84
2. Fizi ..	53	—	—	3,89	—	—
3. New Zealand ..	266	637	845	23,37	66,24	90,42
SUB-TOTAL—VII ..	4,239	4,407	5,260	3,57,16	4,36,92	6,13,26
GRAND TOTAL ..	210,583	218,128	2,33,611	1,92,79,72	2,44,65,92	2,73,13,64

* Provisional.

15. Exports of Green Tea from India.

Countries	Quantity in thousand kg.								Value in thousand Rs.							
	1960-61	1966-67	1970-71	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77	1960-61	1966-67	1970-70	1972-78	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)
Afghanistan ..	1,823	2,267	3,157	2,471	3,360	2,797	2,175	3,029	96,10	1,33,94	1,72,69	1,47,79	2,07,31	1,94,38	2,19,99	3,67,21
Japan ..	—	—	20	402	474	300	115	—	—	—	1,77	41,96	60,16	39,74	19,73	—
Morocco ..	—	—	1,760	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,36,21	—	—	—	—	—
Muscat ..	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	46	—	—	—	—
U. S. A. ..	—	—	28	119	143	162	117	118	—	—	247	10,61	12,81	16,09	13,47	5,47
Canada ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	O	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
France ..	—	—	—	—	O	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
West Germany	—	—	—	—	45	—	—	O	—	—	—	—	2,92	—	—	2
Switzerland ..	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	—	—
Cameroon ..	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	23	—	—	—	—
Dubai ..	—	—	—	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	75	—	-	—	—
Bahrain ..	—	1	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	9	—	—	—	16	—	—
Kuwait ..	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—
United Kingdom ..	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	19	—	31
Pakistan ..	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	77	—	—	—	—	—	—	143
Others ..	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	9	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL ..	1,840	2,270	4,996	3,010	4,022	3,263	2,407	3,157	96,99	1,34,18	3,13,21	2,01,80	2,83,22	2,50,56	2,53,19	3,84,48

16. Exports of Instant tea from India

	Quantity in Kg.			Value in Rs.			Unit Value in Rs. per Kg.		
Countries	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
U. S. A, ..	130,228	425,724	502,849	43,59,396	1,70,85,845	2,14,94,745	33·48	10·13	42·75
U. K. ..	105,581	20,206	35,423	34,75,485	8,79,087	15,28,697	32·92	43·51	43·16
Australia ..	15,572	27,678	28,261	5,62,592	10,11,618	11,87,022	36·13	36·55	42·00
Netherlands ..	2,030	1,450	11,050	93,653	12,72,773	5,57,031	46·13	50·19	50·41
West Germany ..	1,015	2,450	—	52,824	1,08,540	—	52·04	44·30	—
France ..	—	100	190	—	3,800	8,550	—	38·00	45·00
Newzealand ..	502	—	—	19,086	—	—	38·02	—	—
Japan ..	—	10	3,620	—	380	1,49,520	—	38·00	41·3
Italy ..	—	—	2,268	—	—	1,40,431	—	—	61·92
TOTAL ..	254,928	477,618	583,661	85,63,036	1,91,62,043	2,50,65,996	33·59	40·12	42·95

17. Exports of Tea Bags from India.

Countries	Quantity in Kg.			Value in Rupees		
	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
I. WEST EUROPE :						
(a) E.E.C.						
1. United Kingdom ..	—	—	488	—	—	24,365
2. Netherlands ..	150	—	—	3,750	—	—
3. West Germany ..	—	—	98	—	—	941
4. Italy ..	3,498	—	2,501	1,03,582	—	99,016
5. France ..	792	—	192	37,000	—	8,953
Sub-Total (a) ..	4,440	—	3,279	1,44,332	—	1,33,275
(b) OTHER WEST EUROPE :						
1. Austria ..	345	312	846	11,395	12,515	30,831
Sub-Total (b) ..	345	312	846	11,395	12,515	30,831
Sub-Total (I) ..	4,785	312	4,125	1,55,727	12,515	1,64,106
II. EAST EUROPE :						
1. Bulgaria ..	39,900	55,500	22,500	9,99,207	19,47,250	8,25,000
2. Czechoslovakia ..	—	—	16,150	—	—	36,19,000
3. Poland ..	—	11,775	21,225	—	5,11,950	9,48,050
4. Yugoslavia ..	15,900	—	—	3,97,500	—	—
Sub-Total (II) ..	55,800	67,275	59,875	13,96,707	24,59,200	23,92,050
III. AMERICA : NORTH AMERICA & WEST INDIES						
1. U.S.A. ..	—	—	55	—	—	2,424
2. Guyana ..	440	1,692	2,124	14,903	67,759	75,457
Sub-Total (III) ..	440	1,692	2,179	14,903	67,759	77,881
IV. WEST ASIA & NORTH AFRICA						
(a) WEST ASIA :						
1. Iran ..	2,106	3,283	50,770	46,844	1,29,088	18,45,847
2. U.A.E. ..	23,237	11,404	58,097	5,87,050	4,82,735	22,34,148
3. Qatar ..	—	2,600	3,696	—	1,05,571	1,34,930
4. Kuwait ..	10,832	6,370	49,460	2,77,612	2,15,892	17,20,254
5. Saudi Arabia ..	—	—	1,440	—	—	47,106
6. Bahrain ..	900	2,160	1,670	24,466	95,040	57,948
7. Muscat ..	—	2,106	16,560	—	77,640	5,84,566
8. Jordan ..	—	216	720	—	7,563	21,643
9. Syria ..	—	500	5,000	—	18,500	1,77,500
Sub-total (a) ..	37,075	28,639	187,413	9,35,972	11,32,029	68,23,942

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Countries	Quantity in Kgs.			Value in Rupees		
	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
(b) NORTH AFRICA						
10. A.R.E. ..	—	8,598	12,000	—	2,95,490	3,95,278
11. Morocco ..	152	—	—	3,800	—	—
12. Sudan ..	6,000	46,086	7,360	1,50,000	17,78,879	2,59,883
Sub-Total (b) ..	6,152	54,684	19,360	1,53,800	20,74,369	6,55,161
Sub-Total (IV) ..	43,227	83,323	206,773	10,89,772	32,06,398	74,79,103
V. ASIA OTHER THAN WEST						
1. Afghanistan ..	—	3,655	5,250	—	1,31,733	2,05,459
2. Hongkong ..	480	—	—	10,810	—	—
3. Malaysia ..	480	420	216	12,000	17,160	9,142
4. Phillipines ..	388	532	1,238	11,924	18,235	37,995
Sub-Total (V) ..	1,348	4,607	6,704	34,734	1,67,128	2,52,596
VI. AFRICA OTHER THAN NORTH						
1. Ethiopia ..	2,364	—	4,700	59,100	—	1,52,447
2. Somalia ..	60	—	—	1,500	—	—
Sub-Total (VI) ..	2,424	—	4,700	60,600	—	1,52,447
VII. AUSTRALIA & OCEANIA						
1. Australia ..	—	—	908	—	—	41,506
2. Others ..	—	9	—	—	1,009	—
Sub-Total (VII) ..	—	9	908	—	1,009	41,506
GRAND TOTAL (I—VII) ..	108,024	157,218	285,264	27,52,443	59,14,009	1,05,59,689
UNIT PRICE ..				25·48	37·62	37·02

18. Exports of Packet tea (up to 1 kg.) from India.

(Excluding Tea Bags)

Sl.No.	Name of the Countries	Quantity in thousand Kgs.			Value in thousand Rs.		
		1974-75	1975-76	1976-77	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
	I. WEST EUROPE :						
	(a) E.E.C. :						
1.	**U.K.** ..	1	5	4	32	1,75	1,57
2.	**Denmark** ..	—	—	24	—	—	5,27
3.	**Netherlands** ..	O	O	—	1	2	—
4.	**West Germany** ..	2	2	1	52	57	61
5.	**Belgium & Luxemburg** ..	—	1	4	—	11	1,74
6.	**Italy** ..	—	—	O	—	—	2
7.	**France** ..	3	1	2	67	19	55
	SUB-TOTAL (a) ..	6	9	35	1,52	2,64	9,76
	(b) OTHER WEST EUROPE :						
8.	**Austria** ..	2	1	3	21	23	53
9.	**Norway** ..	O	—	—	3	—	—
10.	**Sweden** ..	—	O	O	—	8	14
11.	**Switzerland** ..	O	1	O	3	13	5
	SUB-TOTAL (b) ..	2	2	3	27	44	72
	SUB-TOTAL—I ..	8	11	38	1,79	3,08	10,48
	II. EAST EUROPE :						
1.	**U.S.S.R.** ..	20	25	200	6,05	7,57	65,65
2.	**Bulgaria** ..	10	—	—	1,26	—	—
3.	**Czechoslovakia** ..	4	O	—	99	4	—
4.	**East Germany** ..	—	10	—	—	1,52	—
5.	**Hungary** ..	60	20	—	6,42	3,34	—
6.	**Poland** ..	6	303	572	85	57,60	91,48
7.	**Yugoslavia** ..	40	12	48	5,07	2,31	9,54
	SUB-TOTAL—II ..	140	370	820	20,64	72,38	1,66,67
	III. AMERICA :						
	(a) NORTH AMERICA & WEST INDIES :						
1.	**U.S.A.** ..	—	3	5	—	79	1,29
2.	**Canada** ..	1	—	7	11	—	3,13
3.	**Guyana** ..	18	19	6	2,12	3,26	98
	SUB-TOTAL (a) ..	19	22	18	2,23	4,05	5,40
	(b) LATIN AMERICA :						
4.	**Argentina** ..	O	O	—	2	4	—
5.	**Mexico** ..	—	1	1	—	18	22
	SUB-TOTAL (b) ..	O	1	1	2	22	22
	SUB-TOTAL—III ..	19	23	19	2,25	4,27	5,62

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Sl.No.	Name of the Country	Quantity in thousand Kgs.			Value in thousand Rs.		
		1974-75	1975-76	1976-77	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
	IV WEST ASIA & NORTH AFRICA :						
	(a) WEST ASIA :						
1	**Qatar** ..	190	298	475	24,08	47,64	72,89
2	**Muscat** ..	300	324	350	33,49	53,55	60,07
3	**U A E** ..	2,426	4,987	4,075	3,49,01	7,92,93	6,26,37
4	**Yemen** ..	2	3	3	21	44	59
5	**Iran** ..	2	301	408	38	72,02	75,99
6	**Bahrain** ..	186	287	428	23,59	49,33	68,38
7	**Kuwait** ..	84	123	508	11,11	18,58	74,11
8	**Iraq** ..	—	—	20	—	—	2,43
9	**Jordan** ..	308	142	363	46,63	18,95	46,44
10	**Lebanon** ..	O	—	—	8	—	—
11	**Saudi Arabia** ..	130	123	469	23,58	30,86	1,08,13
12	**Syria** ..	—	—	15	—	—	3,16
	SUB-TOTAL (a) ..	3,628	6,588	7,114	5,12,16	10,84,30	11,38,56
	(b) NORTH AFRICA :						
13	**A R E** ..	1,102	184	1,171	1,45,40	28,75	1,69,34
14	**Libya** ..	—	413	1,221	—	39,09	1,25,39
15	**Sudan** ..	662	1,717	1,600	79,80	2,44,42	2,16,75
16	**Tunisia** ..	—	—	100	—	—	16,60
	SUB-TOTAL (b) ..	1,764	2,314	4,092	2,25,20	3,12,26	5,28,08
	SUB-TOTAL (IV) ..	5,392	8,902	11,206	7,37,36	13,96,56	16,66,64
	V ASIA OTHER THAN WEST :						
1	**Afganistan** ..	30	1,091	96	3,96	1,84,98	15,39
2.	**Bangladesh** ..	O	—	—	2	—	—
3.	**Burma** ..	O	O	O	5	3	7
4.	**Japan** ..	1	O	O	12	8	9
5.	**Singapore** ..	65	49	—	10,11	8,30	—
6.	**Nepal** ..	419	265	306	59,48	43,01	51,90
7.	**Brunei** ..	O	—	—	3	—	—
8.	**Thailand** ..	4	3	5	49	47	81
9.	**Turkey** ..	O	O	—	3	O	—
10.	**Cyprus** ..	—	—	1	—	—	6
	SUB-TOTAL—(V) ..	519	1,408	408	74,29	2,36,87	68,32
	VI. AFRICA OTHER THAN NORTH :						
1.	**Ethiopia** ..	1	12	38	11	1,71	5,22
2.	**Fr. Equitorial Africa** ..	—	56	60	—	7,98	8,19
3.	**Ghana** ..	10	O	O	1,11	4	3
4.	**Mauritius** ..	1	—	O	6	—	3
5.	**Somalia** ..	2	O	—	27	3	—
6.	**Zambia** ..	—	1	—	—	27	—
7.	**Madagascar** ..	O	O	O	2	7	5
	SUB-TOTAL—(VI) ..	14	69	98	1,57	10,10	13,52
	VII AUSTRALIA & OCANIA :						
1.	**Aistralia** ..	1	2	11	27	80	3,35
2.	**New Zealand** ..	—	O	—	—	10	—
	SUB-TOTAL (VII) ..	1	2	11	27	90	3,35
	OTHERS ..	2	2	1	34	41	28
	GRAND TOTAL ..	6,095	10,787	12,601	8,38,51	17,24,57	19,34,88
	UNIT PRICE ..				13·76	15·99	15·36

Note : (i) 'Packet Tea' means teas in any kind of Container upto 1 kg of tea.
(ii) The above figures exclude Tea Bags.

19 (i) Direct exports of Indian tea to the United Kingdom.

(Figures in thousand kg)

Year	North India			South India			Total		
	For London auction	Forward contracts and private sales	Total	For London auction	Forward contracts and private sales	Total	For London auction	Forward contracts and private sales	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
1951	53,751	27,867	81,618	8,287	6,826	15,113	62,038	34,693	96,731
1952	71,926	5,080	77,006	10,615	5,903	16,518	82,541	10,983	93,524
1953	94,732	4,885	99,617	10,297	6,548	16,845	105,029	11,433	116,462
1954	75,660	8,533	84,193	10,530	7,909	18,439	86,190	16,442	102,632
1955	71,246	2,418	73,664	11,388	5,332	16,720	82,634	7,750	90,384
1956	71,170	6,598	77,768	11,657	3,559	15,216	82,827	10,157	92,984
1957	70,474	7,750	78,224	13,246	4,098	17,344	83,720	11,848	95,568
1958	77,174	4,967	82,141	14,907	5,537	20,444	92,081	10,504	102,585
1959	72,952	4,785	77,737	13,487	2,191	15,678	86,439	6,976	93,415
1960	60,038	5,195	65,233	14,617	98	14,715	74,655	5,293	79,948
1961	70,485	6,624	77,109	14,788	267	15,055	85,273	6,891	92,164
1962	63,281	6,404	69,685	14,890	315	15,205	78,171	6,719	84,890
1963	80,711	4,769	85,480	15,018	66	15,084	95,729	4,835	100,564
1964	75,156	3,421	78,577	10,360	114	10,474	85,516	3,535	89,051
1965	66,311	2,728	69,039	12,563	305	12,868	78,874	3,033	81,907
1966	59,787	4,347	64,134	6,894	251	7,145	66,681	4,598	71,279
1967	75,606	5,141	80,747	5,789	680	6,469	81,395	5,821	87,216
1968	69,472	3,677	73,149	7,184	138	7,322	76,656	3,815	80,471
1969	37,839	3,998	41,837	3,003	41	3,044	40,842	4,039	44,881
1970	49,250	7,439	56,689	2,018	276	2,294	51,268	7,715	58,983
1971	41,086	9,318	50,404	1,738	147	1,885	42,824	9,465	52,289
1972	44,458	7,108	51,566	941	183	1,124	45,399	7,291	52,690
1973	34,895	6,276	41,171	904	23	927	35,799	6,299	42,098
1974	40,217	8,610	48,827	1,026	141	1,167	41,243	8,751	49,994
1975	37,456	8,255	45,711	735	25	760	38,191	8,280	46,471
1976	37,667	19,085	56,752	950	200	1,150	38,617	19,285	57,902

* Provisional.

19 (ii) Direct exports of North and South Indian Tea to London Auctions and against Private Sales and Forward Contracts (Financial years).

(Figures in thousand kg)

Months	1975-76				1976-77				Total direct exports to U.K. (including Private sales and forward contracts)	
	Exports to London auctions		Exports against private sales and forward contracts		Exports to London auctions		Exports against private sales and forward contracts			
	North India	South India	North India	South India	North India	South India	North India	South India	1975-76	*1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
April ..	—	—	246	—	53	13	136	6	246	208
May ..	87	104	193	—	258	31	122	22	384	433
June ..	2,005	40	18	—	1,286	86	323	3	2,063	1,698
July ..	3,984	34	277	9	1,949	8	438	1	4,304	2,396
August ..	5,734	64	200	—	4,163	203	796	103	5,998	5,265
September ..	4,427	113	905	16	5,477	65	1,919	6	5,461	7,467
October ..	6,828	18	1,161	—	8,222	71	4,789	30	8,007	13,112
November ..	4,439	53	1,007	—	8,351	75	4,114	13	5,499	12,553
December ..	4,138	112	568	—	5,826	210	4,079	4	4,818	10,119
January ..	754	111	833	10	5,082	75	2,647	61	1,708	7,865
February ..	1,328	75	1,106	2	767	66	327	30	2,511	1,190
March ..	—	2	430	—	126	—	1,165	21	432	1,312
Total ..	33,724	726	6,944	37	41,560	903	20,855	300	41,431	63,618

20. Estimate of Internal Consumption of Tea in India.

(Figures in thousand kg)

Year	Opening Stock as on 1st April	Production during the year	Export during the year	Stock at the end of financial year	Closing Apparent consumption cols (2 3) —col (4 5)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1951-52	21,792	285,879	194,864	40,000	72,807
1952-53	40,000	279,750	193,859	49,15	76,776
1953-54	49,115	278,777	213,500	31,727	82,665
1954-55	31,727	295,519	208,462	39,922	78,862
1955-56	39,922	307,704	183,769	63,367	100,490
1956-57	63,367	308,719	223,088	51,554	97,444
1957-58	51,554	310,802	191,755	58,104	112,497
1958-59	58,104	325,225	217,322	57,132	108,875
1959-60	57,132	328,011	215,459	60,559	109,125
1960-61	60,559	332,429	196,573	59,709	126,806
1961-62	59,709	355,493	205,329	70,231	139,642
1962-63	70,321	344,551	220,800	58,268	135,714
1963-64	58,268	344,705	209,328	52,978	140,667
1964-65	52,978	372,984	212,255	64,701	149,006
1965-66	64,701	375,885	197,385	77,185	166,016
1966-67	77,185	368,907	190,383	70,323	184,237
1967-68	70,323	386,652	203,333	74,105	179,537
1968-69	74,105	397,953	200,824	85,346	185,888
1969-70	85,346	400,931	174,112	108,855	203,310
1970-71	108,855	421,030	199,139	117,755	212,991
1971-72	117,755	431,105	214,317	109,841	224,702
1972-73	109,841	455,641	193,228	135,393	236,861
1973-74	135,393	469,976	190,268	167,088	248,013
1974-75	167,088	494,115	225,057	176,146	260,000
1975-76*	176,146	483,019	211,406	175,795	272,000

* Provisional.

21. (a) Cess, Excise Duty and Rebate. (Prior to 1. 3. 1975)

(a) THE RATE OF CESS ON TEAS PRODUCED IN THE COUNTRY IS 4 PAISE/KG.

(b) EXCISE DUTY AND REBATE

(i) LOOSE TEA		*Duty (Rs, kg.)*	*Rebate allowed on export*
Green Tea	..	0·10	Nil
Black Tea			
Zone I	..	0·25	*(a) Export on outright sale*
Zone II	..	0·50	30 per cent of f.a.s. price in excess of Rs. 5·25 per kg. or the actual excise duty paid, whichever is less subject to the overall ceiling of 75 paise/kg.
Zone III	..	1·50	
Zone IV	..	1·00	*(b) Export on consignment account*
Zone V	..	1·15	30 per cent of sale price in excess of Rs. 6·70 per kg. or the actual excise duty paid, whichever is less subject to the overall ceiling of 75 paise/kg.

NOTE :—See Table No. 3(vii) for description of the zones.

CONCESSIONS TO CERTAIN SECTIONS OF THE INDUSTRY

(A) Concessions to Co-operative Factories and Bought leaf factories

In respect of Co-operative factories and bought leaf factories, the excise duty leviable in any zone will be reduced by 10 per cent of the general rates, provided the following conditions are satisfied :..

(i) no member of the Co-operative Society owns a holding exceeding 10 hectares under tea cultivation;

(ii) the green leaf used is not purchased by such co-operative society from any grower who has a holding exceeding 10 hectares under tea cultivation ;

(iii) "bought-leaf factory" means a tea factory which has purchased not less than two-thirds of its green-leaf from outside sellers during the financial year 1963-64 and in the financial year immediately preceeding that in which the duty is levied.

(B) General concessions available to all the factories from time to time

(a) Factories satisfying the *following conditions* used to pay a maximum excise duty of 70 paise/kg. upto 3 0.6.75 in any zone :—

(i) The quantity sold at the Public Auctions held at Calcutta, Amritsar, Cochin, Coonoor and London during 1.4.1967 to 31.3.1970 should not be less than 50% of the quantum of teas manufactured during the same period.

(ii) the average price realised at the auctions during the above period should be less than Rs. 5·00 per kg. (the method of calculating the average price is explained below) ;

(iii) the condition relating to sale of 50 per cent or more at public auctions is not applicable in the case of Bought-leaf factories (defined below) and in case of such factories, the average price of less than Rs. 5·00 shall be calculated on the basis of total sales of loose tea either in public auctions or in private transaction or both;

(iv) in respect of co-operative factories, the above mentioned concessional rate of 70 paise/kg. will further be reduced by 10 per cent ;

(v) for the purposes of above mentioned concessions.

(a) if the auction sale was held at Calcutta, Amritsar, Cochin or Coonoor, the average price aforesaid shall be calculated after deducting from the gross auction sale proceeds the excise duty, cess and local taxes, if any;

(b) if the auction was held at London, the average price aforesaid shall be calculated after deducting from the gross sale the duty of excise, cess and local taxes if any, paid in India and the amount at the rate of one rupee and twenty five paise per kg. of loose tea and

(vi) 'bought-leaf' factory means a tea factory which has purchased not less than two-thirds of its green leaf from outside sellers during the financial year 1963-64 and in the financial year immediately preceding that in which the duty is levied.

(ii) PACKAGE TEA	*Duty (Rs. kg.)*	*Rebate*
(a) Packed in any kind of container containing 25 gms. or less net of tea.	0·40 *plus* loose tea duty, if not already paid.	The additional excise duty of Re. 0·40/1·00 is refundable on export. In addition to this, the following rebates are also allowed on export :
(b) Packed in any kind of container containing more than 25 gms. but not more than 20 kgs. net of tea	1·00 *plus* loose tea duty, if not already paid.	

	Export on outright sales	*Export on consignment account*
(i) Tea packed in metal container containing not more than 1 kg. net of tea.	30 per cent of f.a.s. price in excess of Rs. 9·75 per kg. or the actual duty paid on loose tea whichever is less subject to the overall ceiling of 75 paise per kg.	30 per cent of f.a.s. price in excess of Rs. 11·20 per kg. or the actual excise duty paid on loose tea whichever is less subject to the overall ceiling of 75 paise per kg.

	Export on outright sale	*Export on consignment account*
(ii) Tea packed in any container other than metal container containing not more than 1 kg. net of tea.	30 per cent of f.a.s. price in excess of Rs. 6·25 per kg. or the actual excise duty paid on loose tea whichever is less subject to the overall ceiling of 75 paise per kg.	30 per cent of f.a.s. price in excess of Rs. 7·70 per kg. or the actual excise duty paid on loose tea whichever is less subject to the overall ceiling of 75 paise per kg.
(iii) All other types of package tea.	Same rebate as applicable in the case of loose tea.	Same rebate as applicable in the case of loose tea.

(iii) INSTANT TEA	*Duty*	*Rebate*
	10 per cent *ad valorem plus* loose tea duty if not already paid and if such tea is used in the manufacture of instant tea.	Instant tea if exported is exempted from excise duty.

21 (b) Cess, Exicse Duty and Rebate (w. e. f. 1. 3. 1975)

(a) THE RATE OF CESS ON TEAS PRODUCED HAS BEEN ENHANCED FROM 4 TO 6 PAISE/KG. W.E.F. 27TH NOVEMBER, 1975.

(b) EXCISE DUTY AND REBATE

(i) LOOSE TEA

		Duty (Rs. kg.)	*Rebate allowed on export*
Green Tea Black Tea	..	0·10	Nil
Zone I	..	0·40	*(a) Export on outright sale*
Zone II	..	0·60	30 per cent of f.a.s. price in excess of Rs. 5·25 per kg. or the actual excise duty paid, whichever is less subject to the overall ceilling of 85 paise/kg.
Zone III	..	1·40	
Zone IV	..	1·10	*(b) Export on consignment account*
Zone V	..	1·30	30 per cent of sale price in excess of Rs. 6·70 per kg. or the actual excise duty paid whichever is less subject to the overall ceilling of 85 paise/kg.

NOTE :—See Table No. 3(vii) for description of the zones.

CONCESSIONS TO CERTAIN SECTIONS OF THE INDUSTRY.

(A) Concessions to Co-operative Factories and Bought leaf factories.

In respect of Co-operative factories and bought leaf factories, the excise duty leviable in any zone will be reduced by 10 per cent of the general rates, provided the following conditions are satisfied :..

(i) no member of the Co-operative Society owns a holding exceeding 10 hectares under tea cultivation;

(ii) the green leaf used is not purchased by such co-operative society from any grower who has a holding exceeding 10 hectares under tea cultivation ;

(iii) "bought-leaf factory" means a tea factory which has purchased not less than two-thirds of its green-leaf from outside sellers during the financial year 1963-64 and in the financial year immediately preceeding that in which the duty is levied.

(B) General concessions available to all the factories from time to time.

(a) Factories satisfying the *following conditions* used to pay a maximum excise duty of 80 paise/kg. from 1.7.75 in any zone :—

(i) The quantity sold at the Public Auctions held at Calcutta, Amritsar, Cochin, Coonoor and London during 1.4.1972 to 31.3.1975 should not be less than 50% of the quantum of teas manufactured during the same period.

(ii) the average price realised at the auctions during the above period should be less than Rs. 6·60 per kg. (the method of calculating the average price is explained below) ;

(iii) the condition relating to sale of 50 per cent or more at public auctions is not applicable in the case of Bought-leaf factories (defined below) and in case of such factories, the average price of less than Rs. 6·60 shall be calculated on the basis of total sales of loose tea either in public auctions or in private transaction or both;

(iv) in respect of co-operative factories, the above mentioned concessional rate of 80 paise/kg. will further be reduced by 10 per cent ;

(v) for the purposes of above mentioned concessions.

(a) if the auction sale was held at Calcutta, Amritsar, Cochin or Coonoor, the average price aforesaid shall be calculated after deducting from the gross auction sale proceeds the excise duty, cess and local taxes, if any;

(b) if the auction was held at London, the average aforesaid shall be calculated after deducting from the gross sale the duty of excise, cess and local taxes if any, paid in India and the amount at the rate of one rupee and twenty five paise per kg. of loose tea and

(vi) 'bought-leaf' factory means a tea factory which has purchased not less than two-thirds of its green leaf from outside sellers during the financial year 1963-64 and in the financial year immediately preceding that in which the duty is levied.

(ii) PACKAGE TEA

	Duty (Rs. kg.)	*Rebate*
(a) Packed in any kind of container containing 25 gms. or less net of tea.	0·40 *plus* loose tea duty, if not already paid.	The additional excise duty of Re. 0·40/1·00 is refundable on export. In addition to this, the following rebates are also allowed on export :
(b) Packed in any kind of container containing more than 25 gms. but not more than 20 kgs. net of tea	1·00 *plus* loose tea duty, if not already paid.	

	Export on outright sales	*Export on consignment account*
(i) Tea packed in metal container containing not more than 1 kg. net of tea.	30 per cent of f.a.s. price in excess of Rs. 9·75 per kg. or the actual duty paid on loose tea whichever is less subject to the overall ceiling of 85 paise per kg.	30 per cent of f.a.s. price in excess of Rs. 11·20 per kg. or the actual excise duty paid on loose tea whichever is less subject to the overall ceiling of 85 paise per kg.

	Export on outright sale	*Export on consignment account*
(ii) Tea packed in any container other than metal container containing not more than 1 kg. net of tea.	30 per cent of f.a.s. price in excess of Rs. 6·25 per kg. or the actual excise duty paid on loose tea whichever is less subject to the overall ceiling of 85 paise per kg.	30 per cent of f.a.s. price in excess of Rs. 7·70 per kg. or the actual excise duty paid on loose tea whichever is less subject to the overall ceiling of 85 paise per kg.
(iii) All other types of package tea.	Same rebate as applicable in the case of loose tea.	Same rebate as applicable in the case of loose tea.

(iii) INSTANT TEA

Duty	*Rebate*
10 per cent *ad valorem plus* loose tea duty if not already paid and if such tea is used in the manufacture of instant tea.	Instant tea if exported is exempted from excise duty.

21. (c) With effect from 16.3.76 the following changes have been made in the excise duty and rebate on exports of tea.

(i) EXCISE DUTY

On teas produced in Zone III, the excise duty has been, reduced from Rs. 1.40 per kg. to Rs. 1.25 per kg.

(II) REBATE ON EXPORT

DESCRIPTION	EXTENT OF REBATE ON EXPORT ON OUT RIGHT SALE	EXTENT OF REBATE ON EXPORT ON CONSIGNMENT ACCOUNT
(1)	(2)	(3)
(a) Tea packed in metal container containing not more than 1 kg. net of tea	30% of the f.a.s. price in excess of Rs. 11.00 per kg. or the actual duty paid on loose tea whichever is less subject to a maximum of Re. 1.00 per kg.	30% of the sale price in excess of Rs. 12.50 per kg. or the actual duty paid on loose tea whichever is less subject to a maximum of Re. 1.00 per kg.
(b) Tea packed in any container other than metal container not more than 1 kg. net of tea	30% of the f.a.s. price in excess of Rs. 7·50 per kg. or the actual excise duty paid on loose tea whichever is less subject to a maximum of Re. 1.00 per kg.	30% of the sale price in excess of Rs. 9.00 per kg. or the actual excise duty paid on loose tea whichever is less subject to a maximum of Re. 1.00 per kg.
(c) Others	30% of f.a.s. price in excess of Rs. 6.50 per kg. or the actual excise duty paid whichever is less subject to a maximum of Re. 1.00 per kg.	30% of the sale price in exeess of Rs. 8.00 per kg. or the actual excise duty paid whichever is less subject to a maximum of Re. 1.00 per kg.

21. (d) Fiscal Levies for Export of Tea (w.e.f. 9.4.77)

1. Export of loose tea is subject to export duty at the rate of Rs. 5·00 per kg.
2. Tea in consumer packs upto 1 kg. tea bags and instant tea are exempted from the payment of export duty.
3. Instant tea is also exempted from 10% excise duty, if exported.
4. The rebate previously granted for tea exports has been withdrawn.
5. The refund of additional excise duty on packet teas (40 ps/Kg for packs upto 25 gms and Re. 1/- per kg for packs above 25 gms) has been with drawn.

22. Revenue through Customs and Central Excise duties on tea.

(In lakhs of Rupees)

Year	Export duty*	Central Excise duty (a)
(1)	(2)	(3)
1959-60	12,27	8,38
1960-61	11,17	8,20
1961-62	9,83	10,78
1962-63	6,60	13,65
1963-64	Nil	15,80
1964-65	Nil	17,17
1965-66	Nil	17,01
1966-67	31,51	15,65
1967-68	28,28	24,82
1968-69	21,07	25,12
1969-70	7,86	23,17
1970-71	40	37,16
1971-72	—	34,35
1972-73	—	29,61
1973-74	—	30,30
1974-75	—	40,06
1975-76	—	56,62
1976-77	—	N.A.

*Represents the sum of export duty and cess upto 1962-63.

(a) Statistics and Intelligence Branch. (Central excise) Ministry of Finance.

23. Average Zonal production and excise duty.

Excise duty Zones	1972		1973		1974		1975		**1976	
	Production in th kg.	Excise duty per kg. in paise	Production in th. kg.	Excise duty per kg. in paise	Production in th. kg.	Excise duty per kg. in paise	Production in th. kg.	Excise duty per kg. in paise	Production in th. kg.	Excise duty per kg. in paise
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
NORTH INDIA										
ZONE I ..	*2,756	10	*3,183	10	*2,374	10	*2,812	10	*2,614	10
	43,484	25	45,828	25	51,751	25	48,432	40	54,318	40
II ..	*4,913	10	*5,476	10	*3,179	10	*3,424	10	*3,392	10
..	104,982	50	105,801	50	117,379	50	113,511	60	115,724	60
III ..										
	10,662	150	10,882	150	10,919	150	10,161	140	10,274	125
V ..	*607	10	*802	10	*682	10	*832	10	*1,211	10
	185,283	115	196,199	155	203,524	115	201,406	130	213,106	130
Total North India ..	352,687	83·15	368,161	83·47	389,808	82·78	380,578	95·71	400,639	95·29
SOUTH INDIA										
ZONE I ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	39,949	25	41,112	25	35,653	25	38,893	40	42,038	40
II ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	37,381	50	37,852	50	38,691	50	37,652	60	43,330	60
IV ..	*496	10	*626	10	*615	10	*191	10	*96	10
	25,483	—	24,201	100	24,708	100	29,823	110	25,714	110
Total South India ..	103,309	52·47	103,791	51·52	99,667	53·22	106,559	66·60	111,178	63·96
Total All India ..	455,996	76·20	471,952	76·44	489,475	76·76	487,137	89·34	511,817	88·49

* Indicate production of Green Tea in respective Zones.

** Provisional.

24 (i) Total number of Labour on roll as on 31st December of each year.

(a) NORTH INDIA

State	District	Total number of labour on roll as on 31st December of the year												No. of bonafide dependents of resident workers on roll as on 31st December of the year		
		Resident			Out side						Total					
					Permanent			Temporary								
		1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)
Assam	**Darrang** ..	66,359	64,888	66,009	1,657	1,661	1,661	9,119	7,678	9,953	77,135	74,227	77,623	109,586	111,283	111,063
	Goalpara ..	3,847	3,838	3,734	7	13	14	2,033	2,460	2,084	5,887	6,311	5,832	6,081	6,261	6,895
	Kamrup ..	5,626	4,860	4,579	430	156	266	819	1,194	1,289	6,875	6,210	6,134	8,524	7,940	3,462
	Lakhimpur ..	126,380	122,186	118,739	18,611	14,565	15,586	21,804	21,952	20,712	166,795	158,703	155,037	206,454	206,483	206,619
	Nowgong ..	11,821	11,807	11,908	1,746	468	686	1,801	2,383	1,867	15,368	14,658	14,461	14,748	16,375	20,049
	Sibsagar ..	102,389	103,217	104,834	12,228	9,388	11,275	12,106	14,573	14,661	126,723	127,178	130,770	152,192	153,678	155,922
	Cachar ..	47,977	48,570	48,067	1,175	580	1,339	7,545	9,597	9,305	56,697	58,747	58,711	98,985	97,862	93,768
	United Mikir Hill & North Cachar ..	1,411	1,453	1,576	324	320	254	611	690	821	2,346	2,463	2,651	572	973	757
	Total ..	365,810	360,819	359,446	36,178	27,151	31,081	55,838	60,527	60,692	457,826	448,497	451,219	597,142	600,855	598,535
West Bengal	**Darjeeling** ..	45,614	44,703	47,259	1,184	997	1,394	2,371	2,473	1,790	49,169	48,173	50,443	78,991	77,983	75,176
	Terai ..	18,263	17,968	17,712	141	314	364	2,189	2,673	3,362	20,593	20,955	21,438	26,986	28,228	35,717
	Dooars ..	139,170	139,631	141,003	3,596	3,626	2,289	3,306	6,117	5,040	146,072	149,374	148,332	203,169	214,393	206,305
	West Dinajpur	378	388	390	—	—	—	—	165	167	378	553	557	812	800	887
	Cooch Behar	363	363	370	—	—	—	—	—	—	363	363	370	953	953	918
	Total ..	203,788	203,053	206,734	4,921	4,937	4,047	7,866	11,428	10,359	216,575	219,418	221,140	310,911	322,357	319,003
Tripura		5,519	5,757	6,620	432	198	229	2,226	1,989	2,109	8,177	7,944	8,958	7,262	7,103	8,147
Bihar		13	2	13	—	27	31	123	2	138	136	31	182	—	—	—
Uttar uradesh		1,840	2,004	1,300	701	772	574	402	192	108	2,943	2,968	1,982	3,619	4,192	2,873
Himachal Pradesh	**Kangra** ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Mandi ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Total ..	7,372	7,763	7,933	1,133	997	834	2,751	2,183	2,355	11,256	10,943	11,122	10,881	11,295	11,020
North India	**Total** ..	576,970	571,635	574,113	42,232	33,085	35,962	66,455	74,138	73,406	685,657	678,858	683,481	918,934	934,507	928,558

(b) SOUTH INDIA

State	District	Total number of labour on roll as on 31st December of the year												No. of bonafide dependens of residential workers on roll as on 31st December of the year.		
		Resident			Out side						Total					
					Permanent			Temporary								
		1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)
Tamil Nadu	**Coimbatore** ..	22,928	22,656	22,403	126	37	904	1,437	2,731	3,437	24,491	25,424	26,744	37,331	29,813	29,664
	Kannyakumari	635	439	251	—	—	—	93	66	99	728	505	350	148	124	81
	Madurai ..	2,349	2,549	2,821	—	—	—	497	568	772	2,846	3,117	3,593	5,396	4,549	5,074
	Nilgiris ..	48,132	48,815	44,916	4,364	4,161	2,566	8,413	9,820	9,466	60,909	62,796	56,948	59,185	58,835	57,542
	Tirunelveli ..	1,699	1,654	1,628	—	—	—	444	476	204	2,143	2,130	1,832	2,927	3,443	3,569
	Total ..	75,743	76,113	72,019	4,490	4,198	3,470	10,884	13,661	13,978	91,117	93,972	89,467	104,987	96,766	95,930
Karnataka	**Coorg** ..	446	467	472	443	—	—	3	—	—	892	467	472	—	—	—
	Chickmagalur	6,819	6,403	5,844	—	—	357	83	147	131	6,902	6,555	6,332	3,603	3,007	2,930
	Hassan ..	787	906	1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	787	906	1,000	1,050	974	870
	Total ..	8,052	7,781	7,316	443	—	357	86	147	131	8,581	7,928	7,804	4,653	3,981	3,800
Kerala	**Cannanore** ..	2,125	2,154	2,250	198	304	343	556	520	385	2,879	2,978	2,978	4,942	4,346	6,413
	Ernakulam ..	107	—	—	—	—	—	12	—	—	119	—	—	113	—	—
	Kozhikode ..	13,082	15,546	11,959	1,160	1,428	1,077	1,210	1,408	1,181	15,452	18,382	14,217	15,862	19,975	15,670
	Kottayam ..	952	952	932	—	—	34	380	14	36	1,332	966	1,002	1,257	1,367	1,252
	Idikki ..	53,447	*52,756	*56,507	957	*1,290	*351	1,367	*1,167	*1,669	55,771	*55,213	*58,527	*61,582	*66,133	*93,075
	Palghat ..	1,643	1,526	1,431	—	27	27	172	220	262	1,815	1,773	1,720	772	644	627
	Quilon ..	4,997	4,631	3,404	312	219	209	242	185	111	5,551	5,035	3,724	7,489	7,826	4,791
	Trichur ..	98	1,025	1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	98	1,025	1,000	—	—	—
	Trivandrum ..	1,919	1,771	1,711	—	—	—	290	277	140	2,209	2,048	1,851	1,523	1,285	1,667
	Total ..	78,370	80,361	79,194	2,627	3,268	2,041	4,229	3,791	3,784	85,226	87,420	85,019	93,540	101,576	123,495
South India	**Total** ..	162,165	164,255	158,529	7,560	7,466	5,868	15,199	17,599	17,893	184,924	189,320	182,290	203,180	202,323	223,225
All India	**Total** ..	739,135	735,890	732,642	49,792	40,551	41,830	81,654	91,737	91,299	870,581	868,178	865,771	1122,114	1136,830	1151,783

*Includes Ernakulam

24. (ii) Districtwise Average Labour Employed in Tea Industry in India.

(a) NORTH INDIA

State	District	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Assam	**Darrang** ..	73,197	71,643	69,231	68,935	71,340	71,315	70,107	71,807	67,882	71,506
	Goalpara ..	3,014	3,353	3,414	3,345	3,640	4,018	3,874	4,616	5,197	4,970
	Kamrup ..	6,556	6,589	6,103	5,426	6,024	5,816	5,207	5,218	5,229	5,411
	Lakhimpur ..	153,965	146,901	139,006	139,756	143,965	145,147	146,897	147,643	143,558	138,608
	Nowgong ..	12,692	12,666	12,602	12,391	12,140	13,237	12,551	12,585	13,727	13,914
	Sibsagar (a) ..	119,864	113,530	110,432	108,041	107,937	111,199	108,864	109,810	116,971	119,841
	Cachar ..	52,573	49,330	48,027	48,457	49,364	46,638	47,816	47,046	48,575	47,945
	Total ..	421,861	404,012	388,842	386,351	394,410	397,370	396,316	389,725	401,169	402,195
West Bengal	**Darjeeling** ..	45,166	38,969	40,654	39,908	45,549	42,763	44,394	43,948	43,935	44,021
	Terai (b) ..	17,688	20,130	18,837	19,376	19,177	19,714	18,295	19,195	20,153	20,050
	Dooars (c) ..	128,739	128,513	130,254	128,556	135,554	135,597	132,212	133,016	135,705	136,059
	Total ..	191,593	187,612	189,745	187,840	200,280	198,074	194,901	196,159	199,793	200,130
Tripura	..	7,903	7,259	8,063	7,421	7,550	7,839	6,292	6,961	7,038	8,064
Bihar	..	111	79	209	114	301	299	188	200	66	184
Uttar Pradesh	..	2,426	2,358	1,739	1,847	2,585	3,100	3,222	3,130	3,196	2,197
Himachal Pradesh	**Kangra** ..	7,699	7,699	7,699	7,699	7,699	7,699	7,699	7,699	7,699	7,699
	Mandi ..	440	440	440	440	440	440	440	440	440	440
	Total ..	18,579	17,835	18,150	17,521	18,575	19,377	17,841	18,430	18,439	18,584
NORTH INDIA	**Total** ..	632,033	609,459	596,737	591,712	613,265	614,821	609,058	613,314	619,401	620,909

(a) Including Mikir Hills and North Cachar. (b) Including West Dinajpur. (c) Including Cooch Behar

(b) SOUTH INDIA

State	District	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Tamil Nadu	**Coimbatore** ..	29,820	29,002	28,314	27,782	23,857	24,250	23,126	22,160	22,446	23,083
	Kanya Kumari ..	622	666	761	665	644	624	623	639	491	320
	Madurai ..	1,692	1,705	1,998	1,569	2,171	2,379	2,112	2,282	2,596	3,025
	Nilgiris ..	49,316	47,707	47,819	46,360	43,584	46,878	46,546	46,746	46,889	44,315
	Tirunelveli ..	1,353	1,497	1,839	1,607	1,534	1,590	1,759	1,667	1,639	1,508
	Total ..	82,803	80,577	80,731	77,983	71,790	75,721	74,166	73,494	74,061	72,251
Karnataka	**Coorg** ..	342	461	348	324	337	337	452	448	358	323
	Chikmagalur ..	2,386	2,307	2,381	2,172	2,340	2,190	2,642	2,599	2,504	2,001
	Hassan ..	764	683	761	743	749	779	715	664	717	814
	Total ..	3,492	3,451	3,490	3,239	3,426	3,306	3,809	3,711	3,579	3,138
Kerala	**Cannanore** ..	2,273	2,669	2,649	2,484	2,447	2,811	2,934	2,844	2,714	3,071
	Ernakulam ..	106	93	67	120	253	255	110	103	—	—
	Kozhikode ..	10,862	10,331	10,277	9,988	10,308	11,164	12,024	13,973	14,679	13,514
	Kottayam ..	61,842	58,597	51,873	53,203	50,962	49,399	2,295	1,118	691	672
	Iddiki ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	49,152	48,839	*48,547	*54,010
	Palghat ..	1,685	1,758	1,791	1,687	1,733	1,594	1,623	1,596	1,996	1,899
	Quilon ..	5,393	4,734	4,653	4,171	1,999	4,404	3,877	4,276	3,548	2,791
	Trichur ..	1,329	1,173	1,157	981	1,097	1,109	882	839	704	879
	Trivandrum ..	2,317	2,341	2,304	2,267	2,366	2,009	1,989	1,924	1,797	1,763
	Total ..	85,807	81,696	74,771	74,901	71,165	72,745	74,886	75,517	74,676	78,599
South India	**Total** ..	172,102	165,724	158,992	156,123	146,381	151,772	152,861	152,722	152,316	153,988
All India	**Total** ..	804,135	775,184	755,729	747,835	759,646	766,593	761,919	766,036	771,717	774,897

* Including Ernakulam

24. (iii) Districtwise and Categorywise Average Labour Employed in Tea Industry During the Year 1975.

(A) NORTH INDIA

State	District	Average Daily Number of Labour Employed									
		FIELD									
		Resident					Outside				
		Male	Female	Adolescent	Children	Total	Male	Female	Adolescent	Children	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Assam	**Darrang** ..	22,060	23,095	1,366	2,338	48,859	4,148	5,763	1,431	3,192	14,534
	Goalpara ..	1,248	1,292	—	125	2,665	735	850	147	41	1,773
	Kamrup ..	1,458	1,771	60	221	3,510	410	472	46	305	1,233
	Lakhimpur ..	37,411	45,262	1,799	4,894	89,366	7,956	14,596	2,177	6,829	31,558
	Nowgong ..	4,095	4,162	213	346	8,816	971	1,942	208	224	3,345
	Sibsagar ..	35,878	39,183	2,624	4,795	82,480	6,134	11,159	1,612	4,638	23,543
	Cachar ..	16,821	15,833	272	1,404	34,330	2,074	4,487	507	1,554	8,622
	United Mikir & North Cachar ..	429	508	14	24	975	241	409	8	92	750
	Total ..	119,400	131,106	6,348	14,147	271,001	22,669	39,678	6,136	16,875	85,358
West Bengal	**Darjeeling** ..	11,819	22,774	1,989	1,338	37,920	383	1740	49	1,095	3,267
	Terai ..	5,548	6,987	128	486	13,149	1,353	2,396	36	898	4,683
	Dooars ..	46,829	52,668	4,598	5,127	109,222	2,761	6,364	540	4,110	13,775
	West Dinajpur ..	170	140	—	—	310	90	108	—	—	198
	Cooch Bihar ..	156	140	14	—	310	—	—	—	—	—
	Total ..	64,522	82,709	6,729	6,951	160,911	4,587	10,608	625	6,103	21,923
Tripura		2,183	2,302	123	222	4,830	387	902	26	311	1,626
Bihar		6	11	—	—	17	52	89	—	—	141
Uttar Pradesh		251	1,001	—	23	1,275	101	374	—	12	487
Himachal Pradesh	**Kangra** ..	948	1,011	73	74	2,106	1,797	2,646	250	300	4,993
	Mandi ..	121	185	—	134	440	—	—	—	—	—
	Total ..	3,509	4,510	196	453	8,668	2,337	4,011	276	623	7,247
North India	**Total** ..	187,431	218,325	13,273	21,551	440,580	29,593	54,297	7,037	23,601	114,528

(A) NORTH INDIA (Continued)

State	District	Average Daily Number of Labour Employed									
		FACTORY									
		Resident					Outside				
		Male	Female	Adolescent	Children	Total	Male	Female	Adolescent	Children	Total
(1)	(2)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)
Assam	**Darrang** ..	6,156	590	47	28	6,821	888	139	49	216	1,292
	Goalpara ..	328	56	—	—	384	122	26	—	—	148
	Kamrup ..	358	163	11	14	546	102	16	—	4	122
	Lakhimpur ..	12,958	974	76	102	14,110	2,971	398	46	159	3,574
	Nowgong ..	850	193	—	—	1,043	613	91	—	6	710
	Sibsagar ..	8,467	1,147	131	147	9,892	1,321	341	93	148	1,903
	Cachar ..	3,846	615	1	92	4,554	311	64	48	16	439
	United Mikir & North Cachar ..	141	42	—	—	183	22	28	65	—	115
	Total ..	33,104	3,780	266	383	37,533	6,350	1,103	301	549	8,303
West Bengal	**Darjeeling** ..	1,918	618	200	98	2,834	..	—	—	—	—
	Terai ..	1,006	136	—	—	1,142	479	89	—	—	568
	Dooars ..	9,438	670	36	—	10,144	2,226	158	26	173	2,583
	West Dinajpur ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Coochbehar ..	25	—	—	—	25	—	—	—	—	—
	Total ..	12,387	1,424	236	98	14,145	2,705	247	26	173	3,151
Tripura		694	556	13	15	1,278	140	142	20	28	330
Bihar		4	6	—	—	10	13	3	—	—	16
Uttar Pradesh		176	78	—	—	254	57	124	—	—	181
Himachal Pradesh	**Kangra** ..	515	85	—	—	600	—	—	—	—	—
	Mandi ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Total ..	1,389	725	13	15	2,142	210	269	20	28	527
North India	**Total** ..	46,880	5,929	515	496	53,820	9,265	1,619	347	750	11,981

(A) NORTH INDIA (Continued).

State	District	Average Daily Number of Labour Employed				
		TOTAL				
		Male	Female	Adolescent	Children	Total
(1)	(2)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)
Assam	**Darrang** ..	33,252	29,587	2,893	5,774	71,506
	Goalpara ..	2,433	2,224	147	166	4,970
	Kamrup ..	2,328	2,422	117	544	5,411
	Lakhimpur ..	61,296	61,230	4,098	11,984	138,608
	Nowgong ..	6,529	6,388	421	576	13,914
	Sibsagar ..	51,800	51,830	4,460	9,728	117,818
	Cachar ..	23,052	20,999	828	3,066	47,945
	United Mikir & North Cachar ..	833	987	87	116	2,023
	Total ..	181,523	175,667	13,051	31,954	402,195
West Bengal	**Darjeeling** ..	14,120	25,132	2,238	2,531	44,021
	Terai ..	8,386	9,608	164	1,384	19,542
	Dooars ..	61,254	59,860	5,200	9,410	135,724
	West Dinajpur ..	260	248	—	—	508
	Cooch Bugar ..	181	140	14	—	335
	Total ..	84,201	94,988	7,616	13,325	200,130
Tripura		3,404	3,902	182	576	8,064
Bihar		75	109	—	—	184
Uttar Pradesh	..	585	1,577	—	35	2,197
Himachal Pradesh	**Kangra** ..	3,260	3,742	323	374	7,699
	Mandi ..	121	185	—	134	440
	Total ..	7,445	9,515	505	1,119	18,584
North India	**Total** ..	273,169	280,170	21,172	46,398	620,909

(B) SOUTH INDIA

State	District	Average Daily Number of Labour Employed									
		FIELD									
		Resident					Outside				
		Male	Female	Adolescent	Children	Total	Male	Female	Adolescent	Children	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Tamil Nadu	**Coimbatore** ..	7,959	10,812	54	—	18,825	880	1,556	183	—	2,619
	Kanyakumari ..	104	101	7	—	212	46	16	24	—	86
	Madurai ..	1,153	1,171	2	—	2,326	260	239	—	—	499
	Nilgiris ..	14,078	22,439	220	93	36,830	1,328	2,892	80	78	4,378
	Tirunelveli ..	580	718	—	—	1,298	41	55	—	—	96
	Total ..	23,874	35,241	283	93	59,491	2,555	4,758	287	78	7,678
Karnataka	**Coorg** ..	140	126	31	—	297	—	—	—	—	—
	Chickmagalur ..	670	938	110	46	1,764	38	33	13	—	84
	Hassan ..	341	419	—	—	760	—	—	—	—	—
	Total ..	1,151	1,483	141	46	2,821	38	33	13	—	84
Kerala	**Cannanore** ..	910	1,342	—	—	2,252	223	416	9	—	648
	Iddiki (a) ..	19,324	27,256	1,404	412	48,396	787	689	160	171	1,807
	Kozhikode (b) ..	3,930	6,678	195	—	10,803	680	1,068	174	—	1,922
	Kottayam ..	229	400	1	—	630	7	11	—	—	18
	Palghat ..	665	779	31	25	1,500	104	81	24	30	239
	Quilon ..	776	1,350	6	354	2,486	38	79	4	46	167
	Trichur ..	301	432	91	—	824	—	—	—	—	—
	Trivandrum ..	660	846	—	—	1,506	30	68	13	9	12
	Total ..	26,795	39,083	1,728	791	68,397	1,869	2,412	384	256	4,921
South India	**Total** ..	51,820	75,807	2,152	930	130,709	4,462	7,203	684	334	12,683
All India	**Total** ..	239,251	294,132	15,425	22,481	571,289	34,055	61,500	7,721	23,935	127,211

(a) Including Ernakulum. (b) Including Malapurum.

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SOUTH INDIA (Continued)

State	District	Average Daily Number of Labour Employed									
		FACTORY									
		Resident					Outside				
		Male	Female	Adolescent	Children	Total	Male	Female	Adolescent	Children	Total
(1)	(2)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)
Tamil Nadu	**Coimbatore** ..	1,332	28	—	—	1,360	279	—	—	—	279
	Kanyakumari ..	18	—	—	—	18	4	—	—	—	4
	Madurai ..	111	3	—	—	114	86	—	—	—	86
	Nilgiris ..	2,459	273	83	—	2,815	255	37	—	—	292
	Tirunelveli ..	84	10	—	—	94	19	1	—	—	20
	Total ..	4,004	314	83	—	4,401	643	38	—	—	681
Karnataka	**Coorg** ..	21	5	—	—	26	—	—	—	—	—
	Chickmagalur ..	147	6	—	—	153	—	—	—	—	—
	Hassan ..	53	1	—	—	54	—	—	—	—	—
	Total ..	221	12	—	—	233	—	—	—	—	—
Kerala	**Cannanore** ..	88	10	—	—	98	67	6	—	—	73
	Iddiki (a) ..	3,322	307	—	—	3,629	175	3	—	—	178
	Kozhikode (b) ..	688	41	—	—	729	53	7	—	—	60
	Kottayam ..	18	6	—	—	24	—	—	—	—	—
	Palghat ..	105	47	—	—	152	8	—	—	—	8
	Quilon ..	108	22	—	—	130	7	1	—	—	8
	Trichur ..	55	—	—	—	55	—	—	—	—	—
	Trivandrum ..	117	7	—	—	124	12	1	—	—	13
	Total ..	4,501	440	—	—	4,941	322	18	—	—	340
South India	**Total** ..	8,726	766	83	—	9,575	965	56	—	—	1,021
All India	**Total** ..	55,606	6,695	598	496	63,395	10,230	1,675	347	750	13,002

(a) Including Ernaculam. (b) Including Malapuram.

(B) SOUTH INDIA (Continued)

State	District	Average Number of Labour Employed				
		TOTAL				
		Male	Female	Adolescent	Children	Total
(1)	(2)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)
Tamil Nadu	**Coimbatore** ..	10,450	12,396	237	—	23,083
	Kanyakumari ..	172	117	31	—	320
	Madurai ..	1,610	1,413	2	—	3,025
	Nilgiris ..	18,120	25,641	383	171	44,315
	Tirunelveli ..	724	784	—	—	1,508
	Total ..	31,076	40,351	653	171	72,251
Karnataka	**Coorg** ..	161	131	31	—	323
	Chickmagalur ..	855	977	123	46	2,001
	Hassan ..	394	420	—	—	814
	Total ..	1,410	1,528	154	46	3,138
Kerala	**Cannanore** ..	1,288	1,774	9	—	3,071
	Iddiki (a) ..	23,608	28,255	1,564	583	54,010
	Kozhikode (b) ..	5,351	7,794	369	—	13,514
	Kottayam ..	254	417	1	—	672
	Palghat ..	882	907	55	55	1,899
	Quilon ..	929	1,452	10	400	2,791
	Trichur ..	356	432	91	—	879
	Trivandrum ..	819	922	13	9	1,763
	Total ..	33,487	41,953	2,112	1,047	78,599
South India	**Total** ..	65,973	83,832	2,919	1,264	153,988
All India	**Total** ..	339,142	364,002	24,091	47,662	774,897

(a) Including Ernakulam. (b) Including Malapuram.

24. (iv) Details of Productivity and labour per hectare during 1975.

(a) NORTH INDIA

State	District	Number of estate	Area in hectare	Production in thousand kg.	Average Daily number of labour	Labour per hectare	Production per hectare in kg.	Production per labour in kg.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Assam	**Darrang** ..	94	32,403	49,850	71,506	2·21	1,538	697
	Goalpara ..	10	2,223	3,023	4,970	2·24	1,360	608
	Kamrup ..	14	2,781	3,392	5,411	1·95	1,220	627
	Lakhimpur ..	235	59,553	104,820	138,608	2·33	1,760	756
	Nowgong ..	23	6,584	8,981	13,914	2·11	1,364	645
	Sibsagar* ..	267	53,754	65,415	119,841	2·23	1,217	546
	Cachar ..	113	31,496	27,574	47,945	1·52	875	575
	Total ..	756	188,794	263,055	402,195	2·13	1,393	654
West Bengal	**Darjeeling (Hills)** ..	97	17,940	10,687	44,021	2·45	596	243
	Terai ..	47	10,710	12,894	19,542	1·82	1,204	660
	Dooars ..	151	59,662	87,992	135,724	2·27	1,470	646
	West Dinajpur ..	1	273	254	508	1·86	930	500
	Cooch Bihar ..	1	199	312	335	1·68	1,568	931
	Total ..	297	88,784	111,860	200,130	2·25	1,260	559
Tripura		54	5,467	3,674	8,064	1·48	672	456
Bihar		3	459	18	184	0·40	39	98
Uttar Pradesh		31	1,816	580	2,197	1/21	319	264
Himachal Pradesh		1,385	4,183	1,391	8,139	1·95	333	171
	Total ..	1,473	11,925	5,663	18,584	1·56	475	305
North India	**Total** ..	2,526	289,503	380,578	620,909	2·14	1,315	613

* Including Mikir Hills and North Cachar.

(b) SOUTH INDIA

State	District	Number of estate	Area in hectare	Production in thousand kg.	Average daily number of labour	Labour per hectare	Production per hectare in kg.	Production per labour in kg.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Tamil Nadu	**Coimbatore** ..	31	10,019	18,096	23,083	2·30	1,806	784
	Kanyakumari ..	7	484	200	320	0·66	413	625
	Madurai ..	4	974	1,858	3,025	3·11	1,908	614
	Nilgiris ..	6474	23,395	38,892	44,315	1·89	1,662	878
	Tirunelveli ..	4	739	1,406	1,508	2·04	1,903	932
	Total ..	[illegible],520	35,611	60,452	72,251	2·03	1,698	837
Karnataka	**Coorg** ..	1	202	270	323	1·60	1,337	836
	Chickmagalur ..	13	1,232	2,097	2,001	1·62	1,702	1,048
	Hassan ..	1	343	525	814	2·37	1,531	645
	Total ..	15	1,777	2,892	3,138	1·77	1,627	922
Kerala	**Cannanore** ..	12	1,513	1,177	3,071	2·03	778	383
	Kozhikode (a) ..	19	4,065	6,495	13,514	3·32	1,598	481
	Kottayam ..	3,839	2,352	527	672	0·29	224	784
	Iddiki (b) ..	179	24,099	31,016	54,010	2·24	1,287	574
	Palghat ..	32	662	1,175	1,899	2·87	1,775	619
	Quilon ..	115	2,216	1,128	2,791	1·26	509	404
	Trichur ..	1	436	871	879	2·02	1,998	991
	Trivandrum ..	6	1,069	826	1,763	1·65	773	469
	Total ..	4,203	36,412	43,215	78,599	2·16	1,187	550
South India	**Total** ..	10,738	73,800	106,559	153,988	2·09	1,444	692
All India	**Total** ..	13,264	363,303	487,137	774,897	2·13	1,341	629

(a) Including Malapuram
(b) Including Ernakulam

24. (v) Rates of daily wages for tea plantation labour

(a) North India

Region	Basic wages as as on 7-2-76 (Rs.)			Dearness Allowance effective from 7-2-76 in Paise			Total wages (Rs.)			Concessional foodstuff
	Men	Women	Children	Men	Women	Children	Men	Women	Children	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
1. Assam										
(i) Assam Valley										**Assam Valley Zone 'A'**
Dibrugarh Sub-division of Lakhimpur district and Sibsagar District.										Cereals are made available at Rs. 53·58 per quintal (Rs. 20/- per mound).
(i) Tea plantations of 150 acres and above	3·66	3·48	1·79	34	34	17	4·00	3·82	1·96	
(ii) Other Plantations	3·63	3·45	1·78	34	34	17	3·97	3·79	1·95	**Assam Valley Zone 'B'**
Darrang district (except Mangaldai) and North Lakhimpur district.										Cereals are made available at Rs. 46·89 per quintal (Rs. 17·50 per maund).
(i) Tea Plantations of 150 acres and above	3·59	3·42	1·76	34	34	17	3·93	3·76	1·93	**Assam Valley Zone 'C'**
(ii) Other Plantations	3·56	3·39	1·75	34	34	17	3·90	3·73	1·92	Cereals are made available at Rs. 46·89 per quintal (Rs. 17·50 per maund).
Mangaldai in Darrang Dist.	3·56	3·39	1·75	34	34	17	3·90	3·73	1·92	
United North Cachar and Mikir Hills Nowgong and Kamrup	3·49	3·38	1·75	34	34	17	3·83	3·72	1·92	—Do—
Goalpara district	3·43	8·32	1·71	34	34	17	3·77	3·66	1·88	
(ii) Cachar										**Cachar**
Cachar and tea plantations within 10 miles area of Dimapur.	3·08	2·98	1·60	34	34	17	3·42	3·32	1·77	Cereals are made available at Rs. 53·58 per quintal (Rs. 20/- per maund).

Note :—(1) The settlement arrived at, on 10th February, 1977 provided for increase in daily wages in Assam Valley and Cachar :—

	w.e.f. 1.3.77	w.e.f. 1-2-78	w.e.f. 1-2-79
Adults ..	80 P.	50 P.	50 P.
Children ..	40 P.	25 P.	25 P.

(2) This agreement cover the Period upto 31-1-1980

(Continued)

Region	Basic wages as on 1-4-76			Dearness Allowance effective from 1-4-76 in Paise			Total wages (Rs.)			Concessional foodstuff
	Men	Women	Children	Men	Women	Children	Men	Women	Children	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
2. West Bengal										**Dooars & Terai**
Dooars For tea plantations of 500 acres and above	4·12	3·95	2·14½	18	18	9	4·30	4·13	2·23½	Cereals are made available at Rs. 40·19 per quintal (Rs. 15/- per maund).
For tea plantations below 500 acres	4·09	3·92	2·14½	18	18	9	4·27	4·10	2·23½	
Terai Cooch Behar	4·06	3·89	2·12½	18	18	9	4·24	4·07	2·21½	
Darjeeling	3·74	3·63	1·94½	18	18	9	3·92	3·81	2·03½	**Darjeeling**
3. Tripura										Cereals are made available at Rs. 47/- per quintal (Rs. 17·50 per maund).
From 1-4-1976	—	—	—	—	—	—	2·70	2·70	1·36	
From 1-4-1977	—	—	—	—	—	—	2·90	2·90	1·36	
From 15-7-1977	—	—	—	—	—	—	3·15	3·15	1·36	
4. Bihar										
Ranchi	1·55	1·55	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	**Tripura**
5. Uttar Pradesh	3·00	3·00	2·00	—	—	—	—	—	—	Cereals are made available at Rs. 53·58 per quintal (Rs. 20/- per maund).
6. Himachal Pradesh										
Kangra	—	—	—	—	—	—	1·40	1·12	1·00	
Mandi	—	—	—	—	—	—	3·00	2·00	1·00	
Factory	—	—	—	—	—	—	3·00	2·00	1·00	

Note :(1) Difference in daily rates of wages for field workers and factory workers in North East India will continue. The differentials are 3 P. per day for gardens in Terai & Cooch Behar and at 5 P. for gardens in Darjeeling.

(2) The settlement arrived at, on 3rd August 1977 provided for increase in daily wages in West Bengal :—

	w.e.f. 1.7.77	w.e.f. 1.7.78
Adults ..	Re. 1·00	Re. 1·00
Children ..	Rs. 0·50½	Rs. 0·50½

(3) This agreement will cover the period upto 30-6-1979.

(b) SOUTH INDIA

KERALA

From :—1.4.1976. **(Irrespective of acreage)**

		Basic	D.A.	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Field	Men	2·61	3·40	6·01
	Women	2·12	3·40	5·52
	Adoles ent	1·57	2·86	4·43
	Children	1·32	2·86	4·78
Factory	Men	2·88	3·40	6·28
	Women	2·32	3·40	5 ·72
	Adolescent	1·72	2·86	4·58

Note :— (i) D.A. will be subject to adjustment to the consumer price Index number for Ernakulam on the following scale for points over 632 :—

Men and women : 1·9 p. for 5 points
Adolescent and Children : 1·6 p. for 5 points

Adjustment of D.A. on the above scale will be made every quarter taking into account the increase in cost of living Index for the period 3 months prior to the date of revision. The settlement is effective from 1.4.1974.

(ii) Guaranted time rates in the case of price rated workers are revised and fixed as shown below w.e.f. 1.4.1974.

	Rs.
Men	1·39
Women	1·19
Adolescent	0·87
Children	0·73

(iii) **Minimum piece rates for out-put :**

(1) Re. 0. Ps. 14·72 per kg. of leaves for the first 7 Kgs. of leaves plucked during a day in the months of January, February and August.

(2) Re. 0 Ps. 10·3 per Kg. of leaves for the first 10 Kgs. of leaves plucked during a day in the other months of the year.

(iv) **Over Pound rates for out-put above standard :—**

The rate for he payment of over-pounds for the first slab (i.e. 10 Kgs.) above the standard out-put is @ 7 p. per Kg. and also for plucking over and above this 10 Kgs. the rate will be 10 p. per Kg. The agreement was arrive on 23.10.1970.

KARNATAKA

Field Workers : **(Irrespective of acreage)**

	Male	Female	Adolescent	Children
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
From 1.1.1975	4·20	3·60	2·52	2·10
„ 1.4.1975 to 31.3.1976	4·80	4·20	2·90	2·40
„ 1.4.1976 to 31.3.1977	5·00	4·40	3·00	2·50
„ 1.4.1977 to 31.3.1978	5·65	5·25	3·39	2·82

Factory Workers :

From 1.1.1975	4·40	3·75	2·52	—
„ 1.4.1975 to 31.3.1976	5·00	4·35	2·90	—
„ 1.4.1976 to 31.3.1977	5·20	4·55	3·00	—
„ 1.4.1977 to 31.3.1978	5·85	5·45	3·39	—

Note :— (i) The above wage rate is consolidated wages inclusive of D.A. No separate D.A. shall be pyable whatever be the increase or decrease in the cost of living index.

(ii) Plucking Incentives :—

District	**Base Output — 12 kgs. Incentives rates above base out-put per Kg. (in paise)**
Chickmagalur & Hassan	9
Coorg	8·5

TAMIL NADU

Field Workers :

(Figures in Rs. and P.)

	Male	Female	Adolescent	Children
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Estates Above 100 acres :				
From 1.1.76 to 30. 4.76	6·36	5·86	3·80	3·16
„ 1.5.76 to 31. 8.76	6·07	5·57	3·64	3·03
„ 1.9.76 to 31.12.76	5·58	5·08	3·35	2·79
„ 1.1.77 to 30. 4.77	5·66	5·16	3·39	2·83
„ 1.5.77 to 31. 8.77	5·98	5·48	3·59	2·99
„ 1.9.77 to 31.12.77	5·94	5·44	3·57	2·97
Estates Below 100 Acres :				
From 1.1.76 to 30. 4.76	6·22	5·71	3·74	3·16
„ 1.5.76 to 31. 8.76	5·93	5·42	3·58	3·03
„ 1.9.76 to 31.12.76	5·44	4·93	3·29	2·79
„ 1.1.77 to 30. 4.77	5·52	5·01	2·22	2·83
„ 1.5.77 to 31. 8.77	5·84	5·33	3·51	2·97
„ 1.9.77 to 31.12.77	5·80	5·29	3·49	2·95

Factory Workers :

Estates Above 100 Acres :				
From 1.1.76 to 30. 4.76	6·61	6·06	3·80	—
„ 1.5.77 to 31. 8.76	6·32	5·77	3·64	—
„ 1.9.76 to 31.12.76	5·83	5·28	3·35	—
„ 1.1.77 to 30. 4.77	5·91	5·41	3·39	—
„ 1.5.77 to 31. 8.77	6·23	5·73	3·59	—
„ 1.9.77 to 31.12.77	6·19	5·69	3·57	—
Estates Below 100 Acres :				
From 1.1.76 to 30. 4.76	6·47	5·91	3·74	—
„ 1.5.76 to 31. 8.76	6·18	5·62	3·58	—
„ 1.9.76 to 31.12.76	5·69	5·13	3·29	—
„ 1.1.77 to 30. 4.77	5·77	5·26	2·22	—
„ 1.5.77 to 31. 8.77	6·09	5·58	3·51	—
„ 1.9.77 to 31.12.77	6·05	5·54	3·49	—

Note :— (i) Above rates of wages are inclusive of D.A. D.A. is subject to four monthly adjustment for variations in the average Consumer Price Index Number from 1536 points for Coimbatore (1936—100) for every 5 points at the rate of 1.8 p. for adults, 1.1p. for adolescents and 0.9 p. for children. Adjustments are made on 1st January, 1st May and 1st September.

(ii) In addition to the above, from 1.4.1977 workers are paid the following *ad-hoc* payments as per a settlement dated 18th May 1977. The *ad-hoc* ayments will be continued until 31.12.1977 :—

Adults	80 p.	
Adols.	60 p.	Per day.
Children	40 p.	

(iii) Equal Remuneration Act :—As required by this Act, men and women engaged in the same work are paid at Grade I rates.

(iv) The incentive rates to tea pluckers are asfollows :—

District	The above out-put in Kg. above which incentives given		Rate per kg. in Paise plucked above base out-put
	Women	Men	
Annamollais, Madurai and Tirunelveli	12 Kgs.		9
Nilgiris	12 Kgs.		11
Nilgiris-Wynaad	12-15 Kgs.		10

25. (i) All India Consumer price Index Numbers

(a) Annual Figures for 1965 to 1976

(Base : 1949—100)

Years	Index numbers	years	Index numbers	Years	Index numbers	Years	Index numbers
1965	116 (137)	1968	215 (177)	1971	230 (190)	1974	369 (304)
1966	184 (151)	1969	213 (175)	1972	245 (202)	1975	390 (321)
1967	209 (172)	1970	224 (184)	1973	287 (236)	1976	360 (296)

Note :—The figures in the bracket represent Index number with Base 1960—100.

(b) Monthly price index-working class for 1968-69 to 1976-77

(Base : 1949—100)
(Figures in the bracket relate to Base 1960—100)

Year	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Whole year
1968-69	214	212	214	213	216 (178)	218 (179)	219 (180)	214 (176)	208 (171)	207 (170)	205 (169)	207 (170)	212 (174)
1969-70	208 (171)	210 (173)	216 (178)	218 (170)	218 (179)	218 (179)	216 (178)	215 (177)	215 (177)	215 (177)	215 (177)	218 (179)	215 (177)
1970-71	220 (181)	222 (183)	225 (185)	226 (186)	227 (187)	228 (188)	230 (189)	230 (189)	226 (186)	224 (184)	224 (184)	224 (184)	226 (186)
1971-72	224 (184)	224 (184)	227 (187)	230 (190)	235 (194)	238 (196)	238 (196)	239 (197)	237 (195)	236 (194)	235 (193)	236 (194)	233 (192)
1972-73	237 (195)	238 (196)	244 (201)	249 (205)	252 (207)	253 (208)	254 (209)	255 (210)	255 (210)	255 (210)	259 (213)	263 (216)	251 (207)
1973-74	269 (221)	277 (228)	283 (233)	295 (243)	300 (247)	301 (248)	309 (254)	315 (259)	316 (260)	321 (264)	325 (267)	334 (275)	304 (250)
1974-75	344 (283)	357 (294)	366 (301)	378 (311)	390 (321)	406 (334)	407 (335)	402 (331)	396 (326)	396 (326)	395 (325)	390 (321)	386 (317)
1975-76	393 (323)	397 (327)	399 (328)	394 (324)	390 (321)	388 (319)	384 (316)	383 (315)	372 (306)	362 (298)	352 (290)	348 (286)	380 (313)
1976-77	351 (289)	352 (290)	354 (291)	361 (297)	362 (298)	367 (302)	369 (304)	372 (306)	372 (306)	373 (307)	377 (310)	379 (312)	366 (301)

Note : (i) New Series of all India has been introduced on base 1960—100 w.e.f. August 1968 and are shown in bracket. The all India Index of interim series on base 1949—100 have simultaneously discontinued.

(ii) Estimated on the basis that 100 of the 1960 based series equals 121·54 of the 1949 based series

Source : Labour Bureau, Ministry of Labour, Govt. of India.

25. (ii) Consumer Price Index Numbers for Plantation Workers

Month	West Bengal				Assam Valley*		Cachar	
	Darjeeling		Dooars					
	Base : 1960—100		Base : 1960—100		Base : 1960—100		Base : 1960—100	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
January ..	259	240	254	240	284	241	282	235
February ..	259	238	255	237	282	237	281	244
March ..	255	235	252	236	273	235	288	237
April ..	257	239	264	248	279	237	310	245
May ..	263	243	267	251	286	240	317	247
June ..	264	243	265	250	285	242	324	257
July ..	259	251	263	259	278	247	308	252
August ..	265	253	273	265	270	249	269	249
September ..	267	255	279	268	263	247	260	245
October ..	269	256	266	267	261	245	220	249
November ..	260	257	252	263	255	249	216	255
December ..	247	256	238	257	248	249	231	237

Source : Labour Buerau, Ministry of Labour, Govt. of India.

* The index number is the average of 3 centres viz. Doom Dooma, Mariani & Rangapara.

25. (iii) Index number of whole sale prices of some important commodities.

Base (1961-62—100)

Period / Commodities	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76	April '76	May '76	June '76	July '76	August '76	Sept. '76	Oct. '76	Nov. '76	Dec. '76
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)
1. **Tea**	117	139	130	133	198	228	224	225	240	253	236	236	233	231	244
2. **Rice**	201	204	231	283	366	354	290	296	300	316	319	315	311	312	309
3. **Wheat**	209	208	222	226	380	334	319	304	307	312	313	311	311	316	323
4. **Jowar**	190	210	242	300	394	345	302	324	336	351	338	332	331	316	304
5. **Gram**	229	236	302	463	566	470	342	291	277	304	303	298	294	299	305
6. **Ghee**	202	204	211	286	310	303	293	297	297	304	314	332	336	330	307
7. **Gur**	195	292	383	392	399	453	415	448	473	533	536	551	512	445	432
8. **Spices & condiments**	338	247	264	384	504	583	585	577	565	506	522	533	520	559	573
9. **Cotton Raw**	209	222	176	277	343	277	313	350	381	414	404	416	431	432	428
10. **Jute Raw**	145	139	158	142	149	169	192	191	186	175	169	165	164	170	180
11. **Groundnuts**	215	197	242	388	396	306	224	228	261	324	348	398	334	305	322
12. **Cotton Mfgs.**	146	162	166	183	223	222	224	227	227	229	231	234	239	236	236
13. **Jute Mfgs.**	171	194	189	202	268	223	220	209	201	206	205	205	205	206	213
14. **Machinery (other than Elec.)**	149	160	169	190	251	275	280	278	276	277	277	276	274	273	272

Estimated.

Source : Reserve Bank of India Bulletin.

26. (i) Gross profits as percentage of total net assets (excluding intangible and misc. non-current assets).

Industry Group	No. of Companies	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1. **Tea Plantation*** ..	123	11·7	10·0	9·5	10·1	18·8	14·6
2. **Coffee Plantations** ..	15	12·7	16·8	9·9	14·9	21·1	20·8
3. **Rubber Plantations** ..	18	13·0	12·0	9·7	10·1	16·3	13·1
4. **Edible vegetable & Hydrogenated oils** ..	14	9·3	3·0	7·4	16·2	14·0	10·4
5. **Sugar** ..	70	4·9	8·9	15·6	10·0	9·6	6·2
6. **Tobacco** ..	6	17·4	17·1	11·2	14·0	11·4	8·8
7. **Cotton textiles** ..	271	7·7	6·3	9·8	15·1	11·0	4·0
8. **Jute textiles** ..	44	5·7	10·6	4·6	0·8	9·4	4·6
9. **Silk & rayon textiles** ..	18	20·7	17·7	17·4	21·0	24·0	13·0
10. **Woolen textiles** ..	10	12·0	13·4	12·4	10·7	9·3	14·9
11. **Breweries and distilleries** ..	8	12·8	13·6	17·0	19·2	18·1	12·3
12. **Iron and steel** ..	2	7·4	5·6	1·8	5·4	9·3	4·2
13. **Aluminium** ..	4	13·1	10·6	8·9	5·2	2·4	6·9
14. **Other non-ferrous metals (basic)** ..	8	11·0	11·8	16·6	13·1	22·8	11·2
15. **Engineering** ..	408	10·5	11·2	10·6	11·1	12·4	11·5
16. **Chemicals** ..	176	13·6	14·8	15·0	15·0	18·1	17·5
17. **Matches** ..	2	23·8	20·7	16·6	—	N.A.	N.A.
18. **Mineral oils** ..	5	21·5	15·2	6·3	—	N.A.	N.A.
19. **Cement** ..	18	9·8	9·6	6·3	2·8	3·2	8·7
20. **Rubber & Rubber Products** ..	17	13·0	11·7	11·6	10·4	13·1	12·5
21. **Paper & paper products** ..	37	12·3	12·8	10·2	11·1	22·6	17·7
22. **Glass and glass-ware** ..	12	12·1	12·9	14·2	4·9	16·2	3·0
23. **Printing & publishing** ..	22	10·6	10·3	11·3	9·5	7·4	10·7
24. **Electricity generation and supply** ..	23	8·7	9·8	9·3	9·0	10·3	11·5
25. **Trading** ..	86	8·0	8·7	9·6	8·1	9·7	8·3
26. **Shipping** ..	16	7·1	6·2	5·1	7·8	12·5	7·9
TOTAL (Including others) ..	1,650	10·4	10·5	10·4	11·2	12·8	10·4

Source : Reserve Bank of India Bulletin, September, 1977.

* No. of Companies for Tea would be 127 for the Years 1973-74 and 131 for the year 1974-75 and 1975-76

26. (ii) Gross profits as percentage of sales net of rebates and discounts and excise duty and cess.

Industry Group		No of. Companies	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1. **Tea Plantation**	..	123	10·2	8·2	7·7	8·4	14·6	10·5
2. **Coffee plantation**	..	15	30·9	35·1	21·3	34·7	39·3	42·8
3. **Rubber plantation**	..	18	24·8	24·9	19·9	19·6	28·0	22·8
4. **Edible vegetable & Hydrogenated oils**	..	14	2·1	0·8	2·0	4·5	3·7	2·8
5. **Sugar**	..	70	6·4	9·4	12·2	9·6	8·8	5·7
6. **Tobacco**	..	6	11·0	11·1	7·3	10·1	8·3	6·2
7. **Cotton textiles**	..	271	6·1	4·9	7·0	11·2	7·7	2·7
8. **Jute textiles**	..	44	4·0	6·2	2·5	0·5	6·1	2·6
9. **Silk & rayon textiles**	..	18	18·4	15·9	15·2	18·7	22·8	13·1
10. **Woolen textiles**	..	10	11·2	12·5	10·6	10·0	7·3	9·6
11. **Breweries and distilleries**	..	8	19·4	18·6	17·3	18·5	17·8	12·0
12. **Iron and steel**	..	2	11·0	8·6	2·9	9·5	13·6	6·4
13. **Aluminium**	..	4	22·6	19·7	17·0	11·0	4·4	11·4
14. **Other non-ferrous metals (basic)**	..	8	8·2	10·5	12·8	10·0	14·9	8·6
15. **Engineering**	..	408	11·1	11·3	10·4	10·9	11·5	10·4
16. **Chemicals**	..	176	15·6	15·7	15·4	15·2	16·6	14·8
17. **Matches**	..	2	16·0	13·5	10·2	—	N.A.	N.A.
18. **Mineral oils**	..	5	41·2	31·3	15·8	—	N.A.	N.A.
19. **Cement**	..	18	12·9	12·3	8·0	3·7	3·8	8·6
20. **Rubber & rubber products**	..	17	9·8	9·4	8·2	7·7	9·2	8·5
21. **Paper & paper products**	..	37	16·6	16·6	13·6	14·4	24·4	19·6
22. **Glass and glass-ware**	..	12	13·9	14·3	15·8	17·1	17·5	3·0
23. **Printing & publishing**	..	22	8·0	7·7	8·6	6·7	5·9	7·0
24. **Electricity generation and supply**	..	23	16·4	17·6	15·8	14·0	13·0	13·5
25. **Trading**	..	86	3·9	4·1	4·2	4·0	4·5	3·7
26. **Shipping**	..	16	15·4	14·4	13·3	20·0	30·8	2·27
TOTAL (Including others)	..	1,650	10·3	10·0	9·5	10·7	11·4	9·1

Source : Reserve Bank of India.

26. (iii) Profit after tax as percentage of net worth.

Industry Group	No. of Companies	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1. **Tea plantation** ..	123	9·8	7·7	6·3	8·7	16·3	13·0
2. **Coffee plantation** ..	15	10·1	13·1	8·8	11·6	15·2	13·1
3. **Rubber plantation** ..	18	9·6	8·5	8·1	7·1	9·0	11·1
4. **Edible vegetable & Hydrogenated oils** ..	14	8	†	6·7	21·7	19·2	8·5
5. **Sugar** ..	70	3·6	9·5	16·9	10·8	9·6	†
6. **Tobacco** ..	6	10·9	11·8	7·8	8·8	7·8	7·8
7. **Cotton textiles** ..	271	5·8	0·9	10·8	21·8	12·3	†
8. **Jute textiles** ..	44	4·6	15·2	2·9	†	12·0	†
9. **Silk & rayon textiles** ..	18	16·2	14·9	13·9	15·7	20·1	9·7
10. **Woolen textiles** ..	10	12·3	13·4	9·9	13·1	4·8	11·7
11. **Breweries and distilleries** ..	8	7·8	10·1	13·8	41·2	12·8	6·3
12. **Iron and steel** ..	2	6·4	3·2	†	3·7	9·1	3·1
13. **Aluminium** ..	4	19·4	13·9	7·9	2·6	†	5·7
14. **Other non-ferrous metals (basic)** ..	8	12·5	22·0	17·4	11·6	21·6	4·2
15. **Engineering** ..	408	11·5	11·3	9·8	10·9	12·1	9·5
16. **Chemicals** ..	176	15·5	16·5	16·3	14·9	19·2	15·2
17. **Matches** ..	2	14·4	13·4	11·1	—	N.A.	N.A.
18. **Mineral oils** ..	5	17·8	15·3	7·5	—	N.A.	N.A.
19. **Cement** ..	18	11·8	9·4	4·7	†	†	12·4
20. **Rubber & rubber products** ..	17	12·5	12·3	10·6	9·2	13·7	9·9
21. **Paper & paper products** ..	37	14·5	15·6	12·0	12·1	21·6	15·0
22. **Glass and glass-ware** ..	12	11·7	10·5	14·0	14·3	19·5	†
23. **Printing & publishing** ..	22	11·8	6·9	14·8	7·0	6·3	10·0
24. **Electricity generation and supply** ..	23	9·0	9·0	7·9	7·3	8·3	11·1
25. **Trading** ..	86	8·3	10·1	10·8	9·4	13·5	9·6
26. **Shipping** ..	16	12·5	12·8	12·7	18·6	29·6	18·3
TOTAL (Including others) ..	1,650	11·2	10·5	10·3	11·6	13·7	8·2

† Numerator is negative.

Source ; Reserve Bank of India

26. (iv) Ratio of current assets to current liabilities

Industry group	No. of Companies	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1. **Tea plantation** ..	123	1·21	1·21	1·17	1·19	1·23	1·25
2. **Coffee plantation** ..	13	1·59	1·49	1·62	1·67	1·85	1·76
3. **Rubber plantation** ..	18	1·06	1·08	1·07	1·21	1·28	1·23
4. **Edible vegetable & Hydrogenated oils** ..	14	1·13	1·06	1·07	1·24	1·26	1·20
5. **Sugar** ..	70	1·04	1·06	1·15	1·18	1·16	1·10
6. **Tobacco** ..	6	2·08	1·88	1·89	2·17	1·71	1·52
7. **Cotton textiles** ..	271	1·16	1·17	1·23	1·47	1·45	1·27
8. **Jute textiles** ..	44	1·05	1·21	1·08	1·01	1·03	0·97
9. **Silk & rayon textiles** ..	18	1·50	1·69	1·74	1·93	1·86	1·84
10. **Woolen textiles** ..	10	1·44	1·40	1·40	1·58	1·38	1·39
11. **Breweries and distillers** ..	8	1·27	1·18	1·20	1·45	1·27	1·22
12. **Iron & steel** ..	2	1·13	1·04	1·04	1·19	1·21	1·11
13. **Aluminium** ..	4	1·82	1·52	1·37	1·49	1·46	1·37
14. **Other non-ferrous metals (basic)** ..	8	1·25	1·27	1·36	1·48	1·64	1·59
15. **Engineering** ..	408	1·22	1·25	1·26	1·31	1·28	1·24
16. **Chemicals** ..	176	1·31	1·37	1·39	1·52	1·58	1·59
17. **Matches** ..	2	1·91	1·80	1·69	—	N.A.	N.A.
18. **Mineral oils** ..	5	1·24	1·30	1·32	—	N.A.	N.A.
19. **Cement** ..	18	1·27	1·26	1·25	1·34	1·26	1·22
20. **Rubber & Rubber products** ..	17	1·54	1·42	1·46	1·51	1·42	1·35
21. **Paper & paper products** ..	37	1·28	1·27	1·18	1·47	1·40	1·33
22. **Glass and glass-ware** ..	12	1·24	1·16	1·21	1·39	1·37	1·22
23. **Printing & publishing** ..	22	1·05	1·07	1·07	1·24	1·18	1·25
24. **Electricity generation & supply** ..	23	0·93	0·94	0·89	1·06	1·08	1·01
25. **Trading** ..	86	1·23	1·23	1·24	1·27	1·26	1·26
26. **Shipping** ..	16	0·98	0·92	0·90	0·78	0·79	0·63
TOTAL (including others) ..	1,650	1·22	1·23	1·24	1·32	1·31	1·25

Source : Reserve Bank of India

26. (v) Current assets as percentage of total net assets.

Industry group	No. of Companies	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1. **Tea plantation** ..	123	54·9	55·8	54·3	55·7	61·5	62·0
2. **Coffee plantation** ..	15	52·1	56·4	52·7	56·6	58·1	59·2
3. **Rubber plantation** ..	18	32·3	33·4	32·9	34·0	37·7	38·1
4. **Edible vegetable & Hydrogenated oils** ..	14	67·9	68·2	72·1	73·3	70·6	66·7
5. **Sugar** ..	70	72·0	71·4	86·9	69·2	68·1	59·2
6. **Tobacco** ..	6	80·1	79·7	80·5	79·2	79·4	79·2
7. **Cotton textiles** ..	271	61·2	64·0	63·8	66·0	66·5	64·7
8. **Jute textiles** ..	44	66·9	70·3	68·6	72·0	71·7	71·0
9. **Silk & rayon textiles** ..	18	54·0	53·4	53·3	52·8	48·5	51·1
10. **Woolen textiles** ..	10	69·9	73·2	70·5	73·7	72·6	72·6
11. **Breweries and distilleries** ..	8	54·9	52·7	51·4	54·0	55·9	54·7
12. **Iron and steel** ..	2	40·1	42·9	43·9	47·6	51·3	52·4
13. **Aluminium** ..	4	34·1	34·3	36·2	35·3	36·9	44·9
14. **Other non-ferrous metals (basic)** ..	8	68·5	65·4	68·6	71·4	80·8	81·2
15. **Engineering** ..	408	65·0	67·5	67·9	69·8	71·9	70·5
16. **Chemicals** ..	176	51·4	51·5	52·0	53·6	60·2	62·8
17. **Matches** ..	2	57·7	60·3	62·4	—	N.A.	N.A.
18. **Minerals oils** ..	5	39·6	41·6	43·4	—	N.A.	N.A.
19. **Cement** ..	18	42·3	45·2	46·3	49·5	50·0	53·1
20. **Rubber & rubber products** ..	17	63·2	63·2	61·8	62·4	69·2	71·2
21. **Paper & paper products** ..	37	40·7	42·9	42·8	44·1	48·1	48·3
22. **Glass and glass-ware** ..	12	50·5	53·4	55·7	53·4	58·3	58·4
23. **Printing & publishing** ..	22	61·0	63·5	60·6	60·3	64·2	63·7
24. **Electricity generation and supply** ..	23	21·8	23·2	24·4	28·0	31·1	32·5
25. **Trading** ..	86	88·1	88·7	88·7	90·1	89·7	88·3
26. **Shipping** ..	16	34·7	32·7	32·3	29·2	28·4	23·8
TOTAL (Including others) ..	1,650	57·3	58·9	58·7	60·3	62·5	62·0

Source : Reserve Bank of India.

Current assets :—Comprise (1) inventories (2) loans and advances and other debtor balances (3) book value of quoted investments (4) cash and bank balances and (5) advance of income tax in excess of tax provision.

26. (vi) Debt as percentage of equity.

Industry group	No. of Companies	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1. **Tea plantation** ..	123	7·7	7·8	8·4	9·3	8·0	9·3
2. **Coffee plantation** ..	15	1·1	1·3	0·5	1·5	1·3	1·3
3. **Rubber plantation** ..	18	4·3	5·8	4·6	5·5	8·5	8·1
4. **Edible vegetable & Hydrogenated oils** ..	14	21·7	22·6	20·1	29·2	24·8	22·0
5. **Sugar** ..	70	25·7	21·8	20·3	30·4	34·9	39·6
6. **Tobacco** ..	6	5·2	5·0	5·4	21·9	16·7	17·7
7. **Cotton textiles** ..	271	50·7	57·5	60·7	49·7	53·2	59·7
8. **Jute textiles** ..	44	32·7	24·5	30·6	25·4	19·3	22·0
9. **Silk & rayon textiles** ..	18	18·2	22·4	22·5	33·0	19·0	20·3
10. **Woolen textiles** ..	10	14·8	14·7	23·0	49·2	29·3	25·8
11. **Breweries and distillers** ..	8	16·2	16·2	11·8	22·5	19·5	18·7
12. **Iron & steel** ..	2	13·8	8·8	14·9	31·5	38·2	46·0
13. **Aluminium** ..	4	45·8	39·6	38·5	44·2	37·4	31·2
14. **Other non-ferrous metals (basic)** ..	8	46·5	34·9	27·1	25·7	18·5	15·0
15. **Engineering** ..	408	35·0	34·5	33·5	39·7	39·3	39·5
16. **Chemicals** ..	176	56·0	49·3	40·5	39·1	32·1	29·5
17. **Matches** ..	2	2·5	2·5	2·4	—	N.A.	N.A.
18. **Mineral oils** ..	5	12·9	10·6	8·6	—	N.A.	N.A.
19. **Cement** ..	18	46·3	41·7	40·0	52·8	58·0	53·5
20. **Rubber & rubber products** ..	17	35·7	38·4	36·5	34·0	27·7	29·9
21. **Paper & paper products** ..	37	47·5	41·6	39·4	46·7	37·9	35·7
22. **Glass & glass-ware** ..	12	24·7	16·4	17·9	34·7	32·3	52·6
23. **Printing & publishing** ..	22	26·7	28·9	28·6	31·3	28·5	36·3
24. **Electricity generation & supply** ..	23	74·5	67·5	57·5	61·8	59·1	59·0
25. **Trading** ..	86	13·2	13·2	12·0	23·0	27·4	33·6
26. **Shipping** ..	16	99·3	97·4	113·1	123·8	118·1	144·0
TOTAL (including others). ..	1,650	38·2	36·6	35·7	41·4	38·7	40·8

Note :—:(a) Debt: comprises (1) all borrowings from Government and Semi Government, Statutory Financial Corporations and other institutional agencies, (2) borrowings from banks against own debentures and other mortgages and (3) "other borrowings" against own debenturess and other mortgages and also deffered payment liabilities.

(b) Equity: comprises paid up capital (ordinary, preference, deffered, etc. shares), forfeited shares and all reserves.

Source : Reserve Bank of India.

26. (vii) Profit allocation ratios—Industry groupwise.

Industry group	No. of companies	Tax provision as percentage of profit before tax					Dividends as percentage of Net worth	
		1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
1. **Tea plantations** * ..	123	55·1	61·3	50·4	57·0	56·0	4·3	5·4
2. **Coffee plantation** ..	15	55·5	43·5	44·2	51·1	59·8	6·1	8·3
3. **Rubber plantation** ..	18	55·4	52·1	56·4	66·9	54·0	6·4	5·6
4. **Edible vegetable & Hydrogenated oils** ..	14	*	50·6	43·9	37·6	51·6	2·8	2·1
5. **Sugar** ..	70	39·1	49·2	53·2	56·0	131·5	3·1	2·6
6. **Tobacco** ..	6	54·1	60·7	59·6	57·7	62·1	5·3	5·7
7. **Cotton texto'es** ..	271	84·5	33·6	33·5	42·5	*	3·7	3·8
8. **Jute textiles** ..	44	32·6	46·2	*	45·0	*	1·7	2·7
9. **Silk & rayon textiles** ..	18	48·0	50·2	58·0	53·9	52·2	3·7	3·4
10. **Woolen textiles** ..	10	41·0	49·7	33·4	47·3	58·9	1·9	3·1
11. **Breweries and distilleries** ..	8	58·3	51·1	55·0	59·3	65·1	4·8	4·0
12. **Iron and steel** ..	2	52·1	*	41·4	44·1	36·4	2·9	2·7
13. **Aluminium** ..	4	13·3	36·9	51·8	*	38·5	2·1	3·6
14. **Other non-ferrous metals (basic)** ..	8	35·2	42·0	40·6	51·3	78·0	3·0	2·8
15. **Engineering** ..	408	50·4	54·6	55·3	57·6	60·2	4·4	4·7
16. **Chemicals** ..	176	41·8	40·5	45·6	42·8	52·8	4·8	6·2
17. **Matches** ..	2	56·1	55·3	—	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
18. **Mineral oils** ..	5	32·0	31·4	—	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
19. **Cement** ..	18	35·8	40·3	*	550·1	36·8	1·1	6·4
20. **Rubber & rubber products** ..	17	43·1	44·1	45·0	48·3	59·0	5·8	7·1
21. **Paper & paper products** ..	37	24·2	25·8	32·2	47·8	51·9	4·2	4·9
22. **Glass and glass-ware** ..	12	49·4	42·7	46·3	33·9	*	3·9	5·2
23. **Printing publishing** ..	22	65·3	54·3	62·4	57·6	56·5	1·8	2·0
24. **Electricity generation and supply** ..	23	40·8	43·1	48·1	52·0	45·1	4·4	4·5
25. **Trading** ..	86	57·2	59·5	63·5	61·5	60·1	4·0	4·5
26. **Shipping** ..	16	7·0	9·2	6·9	5·6	20·3	6·5	4·6
TOTAL (Including others) ..	1,650	45·4	46·2	47·9	48·9	59·0	4·1	4·7

* Denominator is negative. Numerator is negative.

26. (vii) Profit allocation ratios—Industry groupwise.

Industry group	Profits after tax less preference dividents as percentage of Ordinary Paid-up Capital		Ordinary Dividends as percentage of Ordinary Paid-up Capital		Profits retained as percentage of profits after tax			
	1974-75	1975-76	1974-75	1975-76	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)
1. **Tea plantation** ..	34·7	29·8	9·0	12·3	7·1	42·7	73·4	58·2
2. **Coffee plantation** ..	28·2	25·2	11·0	15·8	13·8	34·6	59·9	36·6
3. **Rubber plantation** ..	20·2	25·6	14·1	12·6	28·5	32·9	28·6	49·7
4. **Edible vegetable & Hydrogenated** ..	51·6	24·7	5·7	5·9	70·3	88·0	85·5	75·2
5. **Sugar** ..	23·2	@	6·9	5·1	66·4	53·3	67·4	**
6. **Tobacco** ..	17·2	16·8	11·6	12·1	9·7	62·6	32·6	27·6
7. **Cotton textiles** ..	33·0	@	9·4	8·2	50·9	78·8	69·7	**
8. **Jute textiles** ..	26·7	@	3·1	3·7	@	*	85·9	**
9. **Silk & rayon textiles** ..	85·6	43·2	13·3	13·7	48·0	60·6	81·7	65·4
10. **Woolen textiles** ..	11·6	30·2	4·4	7·8	45·7	81·2	60·1	73·2
11. **Breweries and distilleries** ..	26·2	13·1	9·8	8·4	65·9	76·1	62·7	36·1
12. **Iron and steel** ..	24·2	7·6	6·7	6·3	*	45·0	68·5	14·8
13. **Aluminium** ..	@	15·0	5·5	9·5	42·5	*	**	36·7
14. **Other non-ferrous metals (basic)** ..	53·0	9·8	6·8	6·5	76·7	82·3	86·2	33·8
15. **Engineering** ..	22·5	17·8	7·8	8·5	45·0	55·6	63·8	50·3
16. **Che wicals** ..	44·9	36·2	11·0	14·5	58·9	59·6	74·7	59·0
17. **Matches** ..	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	26·9	—	N.A.	N.A.
18. **Minerals oils** ..	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	@	—	N.A.	N.A.
19. **Cement** ..	@	21·6	1·5	10·9	@	*	**	48·1
20. **Rubber & rubber products** ..	30·8	22·2	12·9	16·0	34·8	37·6	57·7	27·5
21. **Paper & paper products** ..	58·1	37·9	10·1	11·7	53·6	64·9	80·5	67·0
22. **Glass and glass-ware** ..	37·3	@	7·4	7·0	72·0	77·8	79·8	**
23. **Printing & publishing** ..	15·4	27·2	3·9	5·2	74·1	59·6	70·9	79·7
24. **Electricity generation and supply** ..	21·4	31·2	10·6	11·9	42·7	69·1	47·4	59·8
25. **Trading** ..	27·4	20·6	7·7	9·3	50·4	46·6	70·5	53·7
26. **Shipping** ..	104·2	75·6	22·7	19·0	63·4	77·6	78·2	74·8
TOTAL (Including others) ..	31·3	18·4	8·8	10·3	47·1	59·2	70·3	42·6

* Denominator is negative. @ Numerator is negative.

Source : Reserve Bank of India

** Both Numerator & Denominator negative.

26. (viii) Inventories as percentage of Sales* and Short term Bank borrowing as percentage of inventories—Industry group wise.

Industry group	No. of companies	Inventories as percentage of sales*						Short-term bank borrowing as percentage of inventories					
		1970-71	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)
1. Tea plantation ..	123	32·8	29·6	29·1	29·9	32·9	29·6	28·5	38·1	41·9	42·0	31·6	32·7
2. Coffee plantation ..	15	39·3	30·6	33·4	58·2	38·1	49·4	30·8	49·4	16·4	31·2	28·8	14·5
3. Rubber plantation ..	18	19·9	25·6	22·0	25·3	24·8	26·7	16·4	29·2	45·1	32·1	19·4	23·2
4. Edible vegetable & Hydrogenated oils	14	11·1	12·8	13·8	12·4	13·1	12·2	45·3	54·7	51·7	52·6	46·3	46·1
5. Sugar ..	70	76·9	58·5	34·5	44·9	42·8	44·4	71·3	66·2	47·7	56·9	48·5	52·7
6. Tobacco ..	6	35·9	44·2	42·8	43·7	42·6	40·6	37·0	27·0	34·4	28·2	41·1	46·3
7. Cotton textiles ..	271	30·8	31·6	30·5	32·5	31·0	28·9	62·6	61·3	53·6	45·4	45·8	54·8
8. Jute textiles ..	44	32·4	28·3	25·6	35·8	33·3	27·3	73·7	64·3	64·4	64·8	60·2	60·9
9. Silk & rayon textiles ..	18	23·5	24·5	24·8	25·9	24·7	27·6	47·5	36·1	20·2	21·0	14·7	23·4
10. Woolen textiles ..	10	36·5	34·6	34·2	44·7	35·4	26·1	56·5	62·0	58·2	52·5	60·6	52·1
11. Breweries and distillers ..	8	45·6	40·2	29·0	27·7	32·9	32·1	64·4	62·4	48·9	51·4	46·7	49·7
12. Iron & steel ..	2	32·4	37·8	39·0	48·9	46·4	57·2	59·3	65·8	65·0	46·9	44·0	55·6
13. Aluminium ..	4	30·6	37·1	40·0	41·8	44·4	50·3	39·7	42·5	55·6	54·9	35·4	35·8
14. Other non-ferrous metals (basic) ..	8	33·2	40·5	36·3	36·7	33·0	44·1	82·3	72·3	72·6	60·9	37·4	39·3
15. Engineering ..	408	39·2	39·8	38·6	39·8	40·6	36·8	58·5	55·3	53·0	51·1	49·1	52·8
16. Chemicals ..	176	29·5	28·9	28·1	28·1	32·1	28·4	50·6	44·8	39·8	39·4	32·9	36·2
17. Matches ..	2	19·9	20·0	22·6	14·3	N.A.	N.A.	15·6	27·9	32·5	0·5	N.A.	N.A.
18. Mineral oils ..	5	29·4	40·0	59·7	41·7	N.A.	N.A.	38·5	25·6	20·4	15·8	N.A.	N.A.
19. Cement ..	18	31·9	32·6	34·9	38·0	36·6	30·2	42·2	39·9	35·6	39·6	31·8	31·4
20. Rubber & Rubber products ..	17	25·7	26·4	26·5	26·3	29·2	28·0	44·6	47·7	30·3	19·5	40·2	45·6
21. Paper & paper products ..	37	29·2	30·3	32·8	32·9	30·2	31·1	51·9	48·2	53·0	51·5	36·0	37·8
22. Glass and glass-ware ..	12	33·5	34·5	35·7	33·8	37·2	36·3	56·6	61·3	56·4	59·7	59·7	60·0
23. Printing & publishing ..	22	14·1	16·4	15·1	13·2	22·6	16·1	98·2	96·9	93·6	56·0	66·5	65·8
24. Electricity generation & supply ..	23	14·1	13·8	12·9	12·4	11·8	11·1	8·9	11·9	20·3	17·5	25·2	27·8
25. Trading ..	86	12·4	13·3	13·2	13·0	17·4	16·4	18·8	68·1	56·1	50·2	34·5	42·5
TOTAL (Including others) ..	1,650	32·0	32·4	30·9	32·8	33·2	31·1	57·4	53·8	49·1	47·2	44·4	49·5

* Sales net of rebates and discounts and excise duty and cess
Source : Reserve Bank of India.

PART-II. INTERNATIONAL

27. Area under Tea in different countries.

(Figures in hectares)

Name of the countries	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976*
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
India ..	316,870	331,229	345,256	353,959	354,133	356,516	358,675	360,108	361,663	363,303	364,275
Srilanka ..	230,983	237,713	241,373	241,401	241,799	241,667	241,858	242,302	242,191	241,877	240,578
Indonesia ..	146,301	136,827	125,498	110,805	110,407	98,027	96,124	94,800	94,300	N.A.	N.A.
Bangladesh ..	29,623	31,688	37,858	41,917	42,709	42,637	42,928	42,649	42,866	42,603	N.A.
China ..	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	303,000	317,500	328,000	340,000	352,000	N.A.
Taiwan ..	42,703	47,632	37,420	35,685	34,400	34,200	33,500	33,000	33,000	32,900	32,300
Japan ..	28,304	48,790	48,400	49,700	51,600	53,900	55,500	57,200	58,400	59,200	59,600
Malaya ..	3,490	3,521	3,223	2,999	2,978	2,968	2,986	2,977	2,870	2,815	2,755
Vietnam (South) ..	8,000	9,140	8,150	8,270	8,215	8,460	7,960	7,360	7,500	8,000	N.A.
Papua & New Guinea ..	—	—	243	2,271	2,957	3,353	3,766	3,706	3,970	3,909	N.A.
U.S.S.R. ..	68,800	63,400	71,300	72,500	74,400	75,500	74,700	73,900	75,500	76,000	N.A.
Iran ..	10,481	20,400	25,100	30,200	30,200	30,200	30,200	30,200	30,200	30,200	N.A.
Turkey ..	3,005	13,500	21,720	27,309	25,900	28,351	28,782	40,487	40,567	50,288	52,005
Kenya ..	8,042	17,756	27,339	36,524	40,278	43,836	49,763	54,818	58,563	61,511	65,951
Uganda ..	2,962	7,659	12,421	16,407	17,455	18,508	19,085	20,426	20,778	20,894	20,896
Tanzania ..	4,035	7,797	10,024	11,250	11,949	12,403	14,012	14,840	16,756	17,764	18,367
Malawi ..	9,573	12,037	13,970	14,888	15,200	15,455	15,842	16,205	16,541	16,906	17,231
Total East Africa ..	24,612	45,249	63,754	79,069	84,882	90,202	98,702	106,289	112,638	117,075	122,445
Mozambique ..	10,028	15,128	14,872	15,112	15,141	15,406	15,605	15,642	15,749	15,754	N.A.
Zaire ..	1,530.	8,653	8,400	8,766	12,652	10,481	10,052	9,936	10,400	10,900	N.A,
Mauritius ..	894	1,612	2,844	3,581	3,801	4,028	4,841	5,089	5,458	5,540	5,850
Rwanda ..	200	400	680	2,360	2,724	3,076	3,657	4,122	4,902	5,519	6,159
Burundi ..	—	..	310	887	1,137	1,319	1,650	1,901	2,245	3,000	N.A.
Southern Rhodesia ..	615	1,803	2,938	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
Cameroom ..	100	744	725	789	730	737	747	747	747	753	N.A.
Argentina ..	2,770	29,700	31,200	32,300	33,600	34,300	35,000	38,730	41,000	35,500	N.A.
Brazil ..	5,035	4,133	4,428	4,452	4,452	4,458	4,450	4,475	4,461	N.A.	N.A.
Peru ..	1,392	2,600	2,480	2,922	3,146	3,457	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.

* Provisional

N.A.—Not Available.

28. (i) Production of Tea in different countries.

(Figures in thousand kgs.)

Name of the Countries	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976*
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
India ..	285,399	354,397	375,983	393,588	418,517	435,468	455,996	471,952	489,475	487,137	511,817
Sri Lanka ..	147,997	206,488	222,312	219,639	212,210	217,773	213,475	211,271	204,038	213,679	196,606
Indonesia ..	47,900	73,900	86,000	81,000	67,000	71,800	60,000	67,000	66,000	70,000	73,000
Bangladesh (b) ..	23,630	26,542	28,272	29,999	31,381	12,449	23,836	27,550	32,159	29,009	33,267
China ..	65,000	156,500	158,000	169,000	176,000	180,000	185,000	189,000	190,000	194,000	198,000
Taiwan ..	10,503	18,064	21,510	26,248	27,648	26,924	26,229	28,639	24,173	26,092	24,758
Japan ..	44,011	81,392	83,150	89,604	91,198	92,911	94,832	100,968	95,238	105,448	100,097
Malaya ..	1,671	2,635	3,446	3,482	3,381	3,321	3,364	3,462	3,237	3,060	3,113
Vietnam (South) ..	3,000	4,860	5,210	4,900	5,545	5,800	5,100	6,250	6,000	6,000	6,000
Vietnam (North) ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Papua & New Guinea (a) ..	—	—	—	365	971	1,402	2,689	3,577	4,083	4,310	4,500
U.S.S.R. ..	23,500	39,600	58,400	59,900	66,800	68,600	71,300	74,800	80,800	86,300	90,000
Iran ..	5,216	10,200	18,008	18,700	19,800	16,000	22,000	21,000	21,000	23,000	23,000
Turkey ..	332	5,450	23,000	34,373	33,431	32,260	46,500	43,202	42,781	45,000	45,000
Kenya ..	6,952	12,641	25,418	36,060	41,077	36,290	53,322	56,578	53,440	56,730	61,984
Uganda ..	1,949	5,116	11,215	17,627	18,217	17,966	23,376	21,944	21,688	18,374	15,387
Tanzania ..	1,081	4,459	6,800	8,777	8,492	10,457	12,706	12,658	12,974	13,733	14,074
Malawi ..	6,756	14,296	15,367	16,916	18,731	18,615	20,682	23,553	23,318	26,256	28,322
Total East Africa ..	16,738	36,512	58,800	79,380	86,517	83,328	109,986	114,733	111,420	115,093	119,767
Mazambique ..	3,111	10,600	13,983	16,034	16,974	16,538	18,678	18,795	17,639	13,143	13,825
Ziare ..	320	5,502	5,734	7,859	8,759	8,757	8,000	9,000	9,285	10,100	11,200
Mauritius ..	384	1,274	1,974	3,191	3,258	4,089	4,678	4,079	3,984	3,139	4,334
Rwanda ..	—	2,200	348	976	1,245	1,819	2,522	2,741	3,433	3,995	4,932
Burundi ..	—	—	—	92	146	322	485	657	906	787	800
Southern Rhodesia (a) ..	352	1,079	2,268	3,000	3,000	2,500	4,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000
Cameroon ..	—	83	650	978	1,179	1,222	1,438	1,478	1,597	1,794	1,977
Argentina ..	204	9,030	15,750	23,310	27,090	27,510	27,010	29,400	34,650	39,000	40,000
Brazil ..	800	1,700	6,518	4,568	5,848	6,547	6,500	6,471	6,444	6,000	6,500
Peru ..	635	1,140	1,430	1,830	1,520	2,020	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,500
Total (c) ..	681,703	1049,648	1192,746	1275,906	1308,918	1328,048	1414,915	1443,510	1458,209	1500,239	1526,080

* Provisional

Note :— (a) Figures for these countries relate to years, than Calender years, ending of the following dates—
Southern Rhodesia—30th September, Iran 20th or 21st March of the year following that indicated Argentina—30th April of the year following that indicated and Papua & New Guinea—30th June.

(b) Prior 1972 figures relate to Pakistan.

(c) The totals includes estimates for the countries for which figures are not available.

Source : International Tea Committee and F.A.O.

28. (ii) Share of major Countries in total world Production.

Name of the Countries	1951	1961	1965	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
India ..	41·87	33·76	31·52	30·85	31·97	32·79	32·23	32·69	33·47	32·57	33·54
Sri Lanka ..	21·71	19·67	18·64	17·21	16·21	16·40	15·09	14·64	13·99	14·24	12·88
Indonesia ..	7·03	7·04	7·21	6·35	5·12	5·41	4·24	4·64	4·53	4·67	4·78
Bangladesh (a) ..	3·47	2·53	2·37	2·35	2·40	0·94	1·68	1·91	2·21	1·93	2·18
China ..	9·53	14·91	13·25	13·25	13·45	13·55	13·07	13·09	13·03	12·93	12·97
Taiwan ..	1·54	1·72	1·80	2·06	2·11	2·03	1·85	1·98	1·66	1·74	1·62
Japan ..	6·46	7·75	6·97	7·02	6·97	7·00	6·70	6·99	6·53	7·03	6·56
U.S.S.R. ..	3·45	3·77	4·90	4·69	5·10	5·17	5·04	5·18	5·54	5·75	5·90
Iran ..	0·77	0·97	1·51	1·47	1·51	1·20	1·55	1·45	1·44	1·53	1·51
Turkey ..	0·05	0·52	1·93	2·69	2·55	2·43	3·29	2·99	2·93	3·00	2·95
Kenya ..	1·02	1·20	2·13	2·83	3·14	2·73	3·77	3·92	3·66	3·78	4·06
Uganda ..	0·29	0·49	0·94	1·38	1·39	1·35	1·65	1·52	1·49	1·22	1·01
Tanzania ..	0·16	0·42	0·57	0·69	0·65	0·79	0·90	0·88	0·89	0·92	0·92
Malawi ..	0·99	1·36	1·29	1·33	1·43	1·40	1·46	1·63	1·60	1·75	1·86
Total East Africa ..	2·46	3·47	4·93	6·23	6·61	6·27	7·78	7·95	7·64	7·67	7·85
Mozambique ..	0·46	1·01	1·17	1·26	1·30	1·25	1·32	1·30	1·21	0·88	0·87
Zaire ..	0·05	0·52	0·48	0·62	0·67	0·66	0·57	0·62	0·64	0·67	0·73
Mauritius ..	0·06	0·12	0·17	0·25	0·25	0·31	0·33	0·28	0·27	0·21	0·28
Argentina ..	0·03	0·86	1·32	1·83	2·07	2·07	1·91	2·04	2·38	2·60	2·62
Other Countries ..	1·06	1·38	1·83	1·87	1·71	2·52	3·35	2·25	2·43	2·68	2·76
Total ..	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00

(a) Prior 1972 figures relate to Pakistan

28. (iii) Area planted with tea, production and yield per hectare in principal producing countries.

(i) INDIA

Year	Area in hectares			Production in thousand kg.			Yield per hectaer in kg.		
	North India	South India	Total	North India	South India	Total	North India	South India	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
1951	248,593	68,277	316,870	233,525	51,874	285,399	939	760	901
1961	256,928	74,301	331,229	273,305	81,092	354,397	1,064	1,091	1,070
1966	270,121	75,135	345,256	280,387	95,596	375,983	1,038	1,272	1,089
1968	276,380	74,685	351,065	305,257	97,232	402,189	1,104	1,302	1,146
1969	279,064	74,295	353,359	297,563	96,025	393,588	1,066	1,292	1,114
1970	280,126	74,007	354,133	317,348	101,168	418,516	1,133	1,367	1,182
1971	282,729	73,787	356,516	332,331	103,137	435,468	1,175	1,398	1,221
1972	284,705	73,969	358,765	352,687	103,309	455,996	1,239	1,397	1,271
1973	286,053	74,055	360,108	368,161	103,791	471,952	1,271	1,102	1,311
1974	287,512	74,151	361,663	389,088	99,667	489,475	1,356	1,344	1,353
1975*	289,503	73,800	363,303	380,578	106,559	487,137	1,315	1,444	1,341
1976	290,105	74,170	364,275	400,639	111,178	511,817	1,381	1,499	1,405

Note :—Area relates to the 31st March of each year and production relates to the Calendar year. *Provisional.

(ii) SRI LANKA

Year	Area in hectares	Production in thousand kg.	Yield per hectare in kg.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1951	230,983	147,997	641
1961	237,713	206,488	869
1966	241,373	222,312	921
1968	241,795	224,803	930
1969	241,401	219,639	910
1970	241,799	212,210	878
1971	241,667	217,773	901
1972	241,858	213,475	883
1973	242,302	211,271	872
1974	242,191	204,038	843
1975	241,877	213,679	883
1976	240,578	196,606	817

Note :— (i) Area for 1951 relates to the 31st March of 1952 and for others 31st December of each year.
(ii) Production relates to the Calendar year.

(iii) BANGLADESH

Year	Area in hectares	Production in thousand kg.	Yield per hectare in kg.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1951	29,623	23,630	798
1961	31,688	26,542	838
1966	37,858	28,772	760
1968	40,603	28,302	697
1969	41,917	29,999	716
1970	42,709	31,381	735
1971	42,637	12,449	290
1972	42.928	23,836	672
1973	42,649	27,550	646
1974	42,866	32,159	750
1975	42,603	29,343	689
1976	N.A.	33,267	—

Note :—Area relates to the 31st March of the year.
(i) Production relates to the Calendar Year.
(ii) Prior 1972 figures relate to Pakistan.

(iv) INDONESIA

Year	Area in hectares	Production in thousand kg.	Year per hectare in kg.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1951	146,301	47,900	327
1961	136,827	73,900	540
1966	125,498	86,000	685
1968	111,578	81,000	726
1969	110,471	81,000	733
1970	110,407	67,000	607
1971	98,306	71,800	730
1972	96,124	60,000	624
1973	94,800	67,000	706
1974	94,300	66,000	700
1975	—	70,000	—
1976	—	73,000	—

(v) KENYA

Year	Area in hectares	Production in thousand kg.	Yield per hectare in kg.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1951	8,042	6,952	865
1961	17,756	12,641	712
1966	27,339	25,418	930
1968	33,561	29,762	887
1969	36,524	36,060	987
1970	40,278	41,077	1,020
1971	43,836	36,290	828
1972	49,763	53,322	1,072
1973	54,818	56,578	1,032
1974	58,563	53,440	913
1975	61,511	56,256	915
1976	65,951	61,984	940

(vi) OTHER EAST AFRICA (UGANDA, TANZANIA & MALAWI)

Year	Area in hectares	Production in thousand kg.	Yield per hectare in kg.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1951	16,570	9,786	591
1961	27,493	23,871	868
1966	36,415	33,332	917
1968	40,211	38,898	967
1969	42,545	43,770	1,029
1970	44,604	45,400	1,018
1971	46,366	46,938	1,012
1972	48,939	56,764	1,160
1973	51,471	58,155	1,130
1974	54,090	57,980	1,072
1975	55,564	58,363	1,050
1976	56,494	57,783	1,023

(vii) OTHER COUNTRIES

	Area in hectares during 1976	Production in thousand kg. during 1976	Yield per hetare in kg.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Japan ..	59,600	100,097	1,680
Taiwan ..	32,300	24,758	767
Malaya ..	2,755	3,113	1,130
Mozambique ..	*15,754	13,825	878
Mauritius ..	5,850	4,334	741
Zaire ..	*10,900	11,200	1,028
U.S.S.R. ..	*76,000	*86,300	1,136
Turkey ..	52,005	*55,272	1,063
Argentina ..	*35,500	*38,000	1,071
Brazil ..	**4,461	**6,444	1,445

* Figures relate to 1975
** ,, ,, ,, 1974

29. (i) Exports of tea from producing countries.

(Figs. in th. Kgs.)

Name of the Countries	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	*1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
India	205,983	206,202	179,205	168,709	202,016	202,052	198,195	188,192	210,583	218,128	233,611
Sri Lanka	138,425	193,104	200,048	201,394	208,277	200,798	190,088	205,515	185,066	212,433	199,738
Indonesia	40,630	33,393	33,244	32,472	36,897	40,202	38,529	35,576	50,230	45,961	47,492
Bangladesh (a)	21,906	2,580	2,308	2	O	O	13,186	20,311	21,167	24,104	30,725
China	†12,701	31,000	34,000	31,000	30,000	41,000	42,000	37,000	54,000	55,000	62,000
Taiwan	11,323	14,603	19,645	21,271	20,389	22,807	21,301	21,114	17,219	20,116	21,112
Japan	8,700	7,719	1,900	1,614	1,498	1,424	1,883	2,170	1,833	2,210	3,241
Malaya	785	1,787	1,659	1,256	976	810	900	1,000	1,100	1,200	1,300
Vietnam (South)	504	1,656	1,863	187	109	134	601	700	800	900	1,000
Vietnam (North)	N.A.	N.A.	1,330	1,540	1,680	1,650	1,750	1,590	2,210	2,400	2,500
Papua &New Guinea	—	—	4	692	1,169	1,803	2,792	3,965	4,465	4,856	5,300
Iran	48	367	160	225	1,780	644	507	588	2,106	1,742	2,000
Turkey	N.A.	N.A.	1,535	8,301	7,843	17,497	14,881	18,807	11,485	25	56
Kenya	4,888	11,202	23,668	33,828	36,099	34,281	47,297	51,479	49,599	52,630	59,436
Uganda	1,085	4,215	8,943	15,927	15,052	15,265	20,678	19,160	16,662	16,964	11,652
Tanzania	888	3,392	6,460	7,699	7,054	8,411	9,203	9,494	9,677	10,367	11,849
Malawai	7,133	13,631	15,223	17,287	17,709	18,157	19,855	22,148	23,778	24,151	29,630
Total East Africa	13,994	32,440	54,294	74,741	75,914	76,114	97,033	102,281	99,716	104,112	112,567
Mozambique	2,762	9,905	12,995	15,439	16,653	17,502	18,351	17,879	17,210	12,216	12,863
Zaire	2	3,175	5,585	4,051	5,983	6,000	7,061	4,911	4,741	4,037	3,582
Mauritius	41	792	1,295	2,574	2,647	3,118	3,931	3,700	3,035	2,061	3,351
Rwanda	—	—	341	958	1,270	1,717	2,319	2,653	3,103	3,848	4,537
Burundi	—	—	—	99	112	260	486	599	689	800	1,200
Argentina	—	5,352	13,291	14,633	19,114	22,441	18,894	18,046	24,100	17,434	25,138
Brazil	282	1,176	2,477	2,807	3,966	5,330	4,247	5,684	5,211	4,496	5,471
Peru	O	38	98	82	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Equador	—	—	—	105	270	373	442	831	885	900	900
Other Countries	13	127	320	770	715	708	382	449	308	300	300
Total	458,133	546,000	568,600	589,400	644,000	669,900	685,500	695,800	723,800	744,800	784,000

* Provisional.

† excludes exports to the U.S.S.R. and Eastern Europe other than Poland

(a) Prior 1972, figures relate to Pakistan '—' Denotes nil. N.A.—Included in other Countries break-down are not available.

Source—International Tea Committee

29. (ii) Share of major countries in total world exports.

Name of the Countries	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
India ..	44·96	37·78	31·52	28·62	31·37	30·16	28·91	27·05	29·09	29·29	29·80
Sri Lanka ..	30·22	35·37	35·19	34·17	32·34	29·97	27·73	29·54	25·57	28·52	25·48
Indonesia ..	8·87	6·12	5·85	5·51	5·73	6·00	5·62	5·11	6·94	6·17	6·06
Bangladesh ..	4·78	0·47	0·41	0·00	O	O	1·92	2·92	2·92	3·24	3·92
China ..	2·77	5·68	5·98	5·26	4·66	6·12	6·13	5·32	7·46	7·38	7·91
Taiwan ..	2·47	2·67	3·46	3·61	3·17	3·40	3·11	3·03	2·38	2·70	2·69
Japan ..	1·90	1·41	0·33	0·27	0·23	0·21	0·27	0·31	0·25	0·30	0·41
Malaya ..	0·17	0·33	0·29	0·21	0·15	0·12	0 13	0 14	0 15	0 16	0·17
Iran ..	0·01	0·07	0·03	0·04	0·28	0·10	0·07	0·08	0·29	0·23	0·26
Turkey ..	—	—	0·27	1·41	1·22	2·61	2·17	2·70	1·59	—	0·01
Kenya ..	1·07	2·05	4·16	5·74	5·61	5·12	6·90	7·40	6·85	7·07	7·58
Uganda ..	0·24	0·77	1·57	2·70	2·34	2·28	3·02	2·75	2·30	2·28	1·40
Tanzania ..	0·19	0·62	1·14	1·31	1·09	1·26	1·34	1·36	1·34	1·39	1·51
Malawi ..	1·56	2·50	2·68	2·93	2·75	2·71	2·90	3·18	3·29	3·24	3·78
Total East Africa ..	3·06	5·94	9·55	12·68	11·79	11·37	14·16	14·69	13·78	13·98	14·36
Mozambique ..	0·60	1·81	2·29	2·62	2·59	2·61	2·68	2·57	2·38	1·64	1·64
Zaire ..	0·00	0·58	0·98	0·69	0·93	0·90	1·03	0·71	0·66	0·54	0·46
Maritius ..	0·01	0·15	0·23	0·44	0·41	0·47	0·57	0·53	0·42	0·28	0·43
Argentina ..	—	0·98	2·34	2·48	2·97	3·35	2·76	2·59	3·33	2·34	3·21
Other Countries ..	0·18	0·64	1·28	1·99	2·16	2·61	2·74	2·71	2·79	3·23	3·19
Total ..	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00

* Provisional.

29. (iii) Value of exports of tea from major producing countries.

(Figures in 1000 U.S. Dollars)

Countries		1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
India	..	195,702	208,565	212,500	189,801	233,059	291,729	304,858
Bangladesh	..	O	O	7,672	11,025	19,000	21,000	29,000
Sri Lanka	..	187,543	190,321	187,900	194,549	203,542	272,972	247,399
Indonesia	..	18,299	28,881	29,763	26,079	46,278	51,543	N.A.
Kenya	..	36,910	34,086	46,230	48,194	54,258	61,977	76,242
Uganda	..	13,292	13,400	17,635	15,614	15,345	16,307	10,660
Tanzania	..	5,988	6,942	7,544	7,706	9,707	10,960	13,370
Malawi	..	13,099	1,447	15,148	16,879	20,504	24,399	29,136
Mauritius	..	2,530	3,083	3,921	3,586	3,465	2,652	4,394
Mozambique	..	8,142	9,756	11,610	11,300	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
Taiwan	..	12,668	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	18,515	17,677
Japan	..	1,063	1,126	1,234	1,460	1,435	1,521	2,124
Turkey	..	1,710	3,873	3,805	3,647	4,794	N.A.	247
Vietnam (South)	..	71	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
Argentina	..	9,454	11,736	11,219	9,688	N.A.	15,066	N.A.
Brazil	..	2,796	3,973	3,100	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
Papua & New Guinea	..	N.A.	1,713	2,406	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.

N.A.—Not available

Source : International Tea Committee.

30. (i) Exports of tea from Sri Lanka to different countries.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Country of destination	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976**
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
United Kingdom ..	50,429	72,385	70,295	59,437	70,735	46,731	33,605	32,649	30,395	25,625	27,410
Ireland ..	738	2,411	1,821	2,111	2,728	1,586	1,426	1,134	864	1,213	970
West Germany ..	361	1,258	1,553	2,439	2,345	2,948	2,781	3,186	3,081	2,348	2,878
France ..	481	656	579	697	731	531	779	778	743	625	961
Netherlands ..	1,640	3,489	3,521	3,355	3,454	3,204	4,321	5,169	5,329	3,574	5,354
Italy ..	347	806	1,322	1,329	1,508	1,296	1,331	1,810	1,380	744	1,348
Denmark ..	188	463	450	408	420	496	476	434	350	462	437
Poland ..	*	11	222	1,429	1,461	1,203	339	—	180	300	659
U.S.S.R. ..	—	145	3,202	2,006	2,496	2,002	2,002	O	1,001	1,816	2,599
Aden (Den. Rep. Yemen) ..	*	1,372	2,470	3,290	3,120	3,037	2,860	3,235	1,490	4,295	3,331
Bahrain ..	*	367	341	577	1,059	490	530	873	1,186	317	583
Kuwait ..	*	1,197	3,512	5,201	4,961	2,341	4,256	4,534	4,595	3,887	6,123
Saudi Arabia ..	N.A.	N.A.	5,628	6,059	5,693	4,512	7,323	7,548	5,576	6,933	8,840
Iran ..	1,541	1,622	4,066	3,893	3,967	4,280	3,939	4,312	6,081	8,028	6,048
Iraq ..	6,221	15,607	21,651	15,051	12,825	18,736	14,365	20,158	15,602	21,632	15,248
Jordon ..	*	702	479	727	572	548	442	570	747	844	1,405
Japan ..	*	1,786	2,215	2,238	3,157	2,900	2,475	2,491	2,047	1,948	2,110
Pakistan ..		88	397	2,084	312	12,798	22,621	30,316	27,452	34,366	29,280
Lebanon ..	397	500	952	2,136	4,099	4,100	1,616	2,202	1,381	913	966
Syria ..		1,252	3,391	3,699	2,363	3,588	4,732	5,973	4,667	7,153	7,394
A.R.E. ..	10,797	1,585	1,383	7,011	8,195	9,683	10,346	9,327	1,969	13,694	8,818
Libya ..	1,562	2,904	2,308	7,618	6,802	9,054	12,347	8,834	5,691	11,468	143
Sudan ..	271	O	O	O	2,312	O	O	47	853	O	1
Tunisia ..	2,010	1,346	O	3	—	—	406	799	1,963	4,342	5,615
South Africa ..	8,347	13,155	13,487	12,378	11,740	10,832	10,147	10,693	9,818	10,766	15,491
Canada ..	7,229	8,788	7,379	6,830	6,796	6,035	6,484	5,593	4,674	6,049	6,406
U.S.A. ..	12,765	19,029	20,212	20,580	18,019	20,182	16,944	17,675	15,951	16,605	20,421
Chile ..	355	5,824	239	781	783	977	766	1,044	713	445	465
Australia ..	19,714	19,557	14,721	15,419	13,045	14,692	11,638	11,059	9,768	10,693	10,916
New Zealand ..	6,120	6,760	6,594	6,691	6,434	6,287	4,743	5,680	4,583	3,523	4,129
Other Countries ..	6,912	5,980	5,658	5,917	6,145	5,729	6,050	6,391	14,121	7,291	3,389
Total ..	138,425	193,104	200,048	201,394	208,277	200,798	190,088	205,515	185,066	212,433	199,738

* Included in other Countries. 'O' below 500 kgs. '—'indicates nil. **Provisional.

Source : International Tea Committee and Ceylon Chamber of Commerce.

30. (ii) Quantity and value of tea exported from Sri Lanka.

Country of destination	Quantity in thousand kg.			Value in thousand Rs.		
	1974	1975	@ 1976	1974	1975	@ 1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
United Kingdom ..	30,395	25,625	27,437	211,512		266,253
Ireland ..	864	1,213	971	6,694		9,367
West Germany ..	3,081	2,348	3,245	28,728		38,248
France ..	743	625	961	6,105		11,446
Netherlands ..	5,329	3,574	5,376	41,861		55,816
Italy ..	1,380	744	1,369	12,331		16,155
Denmark ..	350	462	437	3,606		5,225
Poland ..	180	300	650	1,395		8,248
U.S.S.R. ..	1,816	2,350	2,599	16,474		30,915
Aden (Den. Rep. Yemen) ..	1,490	4,295	2,932	163		31,964
Bahrain Island ..	1,186	317	583	8,274		6,543
Kuwait ..	4,595	3,887	6,123	35,066		71,986
Saudi Arabia ..	35,576	6,933	8,840	48,702		111,662
Iran ..	6,081	8,028	6,219	68,422		91,915
Iraq ..	15,602	21,632	15,077	107,601		135,275
Jordon ..	747	844	2,048	5,687		25,695
Japan ..	2,047	1,948	2,137	20,552		29,238
Pakistan ..	27,452	34,366	29,280	202,245		285,138
Lebanon ..	1,381	913	416	9,598		4,563
Syria ..	4,667	7,153	7,113	33,116		75,051
A.R.E. ..	1,969	13,694	8,818	12,054		91,026
Libya ..	5,691	11,468	3,310	35,179		34,368
Sudan ..	853	O	O	5,028		O
Tunisia ..	1,963	4,342	5,315	1[illegible],337		51,075
South Africa ..	9,818	10,766	10,580	89,798		121,330
Canada ..	4,674	6,049	6,464	35,517		62,876
U.S.A. ..	15,951	16,605	20,421	124,382		192,548
Chile ..	713	445	456	7,539		5,254
Australia ..	9,768	10,693	10,914	83,660		115,888
New Zealand ..	4,583	3,523	4,129	34,814		39,966
Other Countries ..	14,121	7,291	5,576	44,806		67,588
Total ..	185,066	212,433	199,738	13,53,246	192,42,67	20,92,622

* Provisional.

N.B.: Value of exports during 1975 was 192,42,67 thousand Sri Lanka Rupees breakdown of which is not available.

@ To accomodate value of exports, quantity for 1976 teken from sources other than I. T. C.

30. (iii) Production and export of instant tea of Sri Lanka.

Year	Production in kg.	Export in kg.
(1)	(2)	(3)
1967	42,495	40,824
1968	134,729	127,817
1969	136,339	131,602
1970	112,899	114,043
1971	N.A.	N.A.
1972	N.A.	101,297
1973	N.A.	227,231
1974	N.A.	278,614
1975	233,000	251,804
1976	N.A.	223,063

30. (iv) Exports of packet tea from Sri Lanka.

Countries	1972		1973		1974		1975	1976	
	Quantity in kg.	Value in Rs.	Quantity in kg.	Value in Rs.	Quantity in kg.	Value in Rs.	Quantity in kg.	Quantity in kg.	Value in Rs.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
United Kingdom ..	88,189	637,355	84,319	646,747	125,135	1,091,692	75,344	72,847	997,910
West Germany ..	33,725	240,417	26,346	208,475	89,368	595,285	40,368	367,491	588,009
Belgium ..	18,070	165,047	12,869	110,117	23,262	224,476	19,756	19,151	349,723
France ..	15,304	132,631	4,526	43,761	8,174	95,489	16,405	92,672	1346,633
Netherlands ..	25,593	174,606	30,129	233,465	19,473	171,768	9,589	22,476	384,809
Denmark ..	141,234	1,118,036	177,934	1,478,729	103,336	1,752,388	123,319	68,113	1,004,626
Irish Republic ..	1,034	11,226	612	7,311	1,982	28,188	—	887	14,167
Italy ..	2,010	19,137	6,508	49,237	19,092	331,479	1,531	22,449	356,093
Poland ..	7,432	197,153	—	—	10	84	7	15	77
U.S.S.R. ..	76	415	20	263	71	408	123	230	1,921
Japan ..	18,290	209,771	24,859	342,496	17,204	272,946	26,156	49,114	955,530
Hong Kong ..	248,752	2,554,162	264,326	2,367,352	274,145	3,058,317	201,639	269,155	3,442,906
Singapore ..	20,928	225,142	41,151	418,590	43,874	763,386	14,934	19,943	376,996
Pakistan ..	104,976	725,359	174,394	1,203,296	79,410	591,308	381,929	668,329	7,410,213
Iran ..	4,679	73,308	2,467	37,251	33,443	405,001	5,432	170,859	2,687,711
Iraq ..	214	2,455	265,040	1,531,664	94,252	806,505	178,954	17	136
Aden ..	1	4	—	—	14	62	—	34,389	520,282
Bahrin ..	812	13,642	14,814	117,998	15,989	116,564	4,765	73,545	934,841
Kuwait ..	391,846	2,775,777	603,853	4,102,868	771,692	5,981,297	929,210	3,033,980	37,369,586
Saudi Arabia ..	953,377	6,965,494	1,170,773	8,001,855	1,756,168	15,778,282	3,301,567	4,911,293	65,548,103
Muscat-Oman ..	2,268	17,926	13,042	98,386	7,535	46,091	241	11	80
Jordan ..	7,090	54,529	41,716	288,204	81,345	675,011	224,296	692,014	8,885,667
A.R.E. ..	9,368	97,818	603,187	5,399,512	90,234	1,128,752	110,697	2,175,104	28,856,169
Ethiopia ..	120,333	906,383	126,682	1,025,602	21,473	198,198	35,113	11,341	113,280
Libya ..	11,289,947	76,812,151	8,818,891	54,477,816	4,457,749	27,716,730	10,205,622	3,310,010	34,367,678
Lebanon ..	289,287	2,215,405	244,669	1,767,245	219,860	1,851,871	174,610	142,484	1,789,539
South Africa ..	1,240	5,603	6,235	39,693	82,017	837,623	1,324	57	330
U.S.A. ..	13,368	93,598	10,544	69,156	27,368	248,412	76,852	4,934	98,553
Canada ..	17,499	140,589	98,136	796,478	36,547	363,985	46,407	36,570	390,897
Australia ..	122,630	830,775	114,042	999,934	95,349	1,026,881	116,054	97,546	1,275,604
New Zealand ..	3,500	22,123	3,509	22,015	2,210	24,505	117	22	147
Other Countries ..	621,048	4,970,811	932,605	7,479,361	598,193	5,670,756	710,383	843,375	14,883,477
Total ..	14,574,120	102,408,848	13,918,198	93,374,877	9,195,974	71,853,740	17,032,744	17,210,423	214,951,693

(a) Countrywise break-down not available.

Note : Total value of Exports of Packe. Tea in 1975 was Rs. 181,321,988/- the country-wise break-down not available.

30. (v) Share of tea in total export earnings in India and Sri Lanka.

Year	INDIA			SRI LANKA		
	Total Export earning (all commodities) In Rs. Cr.	Earning from Tea exports In Rs. Cr.	Share of tea (in percentage)	Total Export earning (all commodities) In Rs. Cr.	Earning from Tea exports In Rs. Cr.	Share of tea (in percentage)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1960-61 ..	642·07	122·25	19·04	183·16	109·57	59·82
1961-62 ..	660·58	122·17	18·49	173·28	111·40	64·29
1962-63 ..	685·32	129·60	18·91	180·84	114·79	63·48
1963-64 ..	793·24	121·34	15·30	173·06	113·98	65·86
1964-65 ..	816·30	127·11	15·57	187·58	114·09	60·82
1965-66 ..	805·64	117·10	14·54	194·86	120·96	62·08
1966-67 ..	1156·56	156·22	13·51	170·00	102·63	60·38
1967-68 ..	1198·69	180·20	15·03	169·00	106·02	62·73
1968-69 ..	1,357·87	200·82	14·79	203·50	116·09	57·05
1969-70 ..	1413·27	174·11	12·32	191·61	105·72	55·17
1970-71 ..	1535·16	199·14	12·97	203·32	111·63	54·90
1971-72 ..	1608·22	214·32	13·33	194·01	113·29	58·39
1972-73 ..	1970·83	193·23	9·80	193·87	115·99	59·83
1973-74 ..	2523·40	190·27	7·54	259·56	125·52	48·35
1974-75 ..	3323·31	223·54	6·73	347·19	135·32	38·98
1975-76 ..	3931·28	238·39	6·06	393·30	192·43	48·93
1976-77 ..	4981·01	295·26	5·93	481·49	209·26	43·46

* Provisional.

Note :—Sri Lanka's figures relate to calendar year and in Sri Lanka's Rupees.

31. Exports of tea from Indonesia.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1972	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
United Kingdom ..	7,763	10,083	398	2,100	5,797	5,273	3,258	4,366	7,962	7,370	6,475
Belgium ..	2	5,683	1,847	3,151	1,651	1,548	869	—	O	18	57
France ..	73	7	6	16	3	4	10	8	21	30	25
Germany ..	173	3,607	474	4,992	4,445	3,409	3,071	2,389	2,290	2,713	2,501
Ireland ..	1,027	89	83	133	57	256	270	311	306	748	489
Italy ..	86	138	4	8	—	—	14	97	130	155	135
Netherlands ..	14,994	—	17,460	10,035	10,644	12,653	11,820	7,765	8,317	5,523	6,034
Canada ..	163	30	—	14	86	383	738	576	1,743	1,477	2,074
U.S.A. ..	2,502	3,481	4,767	2,745	3,947	5,595	6,028	8,425	12,493	8,979	11,131
Hongkong ..	10	482	795	815	664	269	211	327	218	62	6
Malaya (a) ..	1,931	2,807	—	1,706	1,148	820	1,468	2,243	2,098	1,880	1,231
Australia ..	1,336	5,660	5,694	6,288	8,009	9,094	9,175	8,552	11,107	10,194	7,085
New Zealand ..	303	54	—	62	257	619	1,116	357	530	406	334
Other Countries ..	10,267	122	1,716	407	189	279	471	160	3,075	6,406	9,915
Total ..	40,630	32,243	33,244	32,472	36,897	40,202	38,529	35,676	50,230	45,961	47,492
Unreported export (a) ..	—	1,150	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

(a) As deduced from recorded imports from Indonesia into Malaya and Singapore.
'—' denotes nil. 'O' Included in other countries.

32. Exports of tea from Bangla Desh.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries							1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)							(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
United Kingdom ..							2,890	5,364	3,635	5,014	8,931
Germany (West) ..							123	168	265	342	1,860
Ireland ..							204	194	152	42	775
Netherlands ..							†6,496	6,283	6,117	3,117	3,716
Poland ..							610	1,[illegible]90	1,073	1,578	1,173
U.S.S.R. ..							201	1,210	1,237	1,707	1,290
Canada ..							164	147	84	276	353
United States ..							512	503	596	474	964
Singapur ..							1,181	1,109	697	1,674	563
U.A.R. ..							—	2,317	4,759	6,184	4,343
Kenya ..							249	308	87	13	—
Australia ..							390	70	383	517	—
Other Countries ..							166	748	2,082	5,166	247
Total ..							†13,186	20,311	21,167	24,104	30,725

Includes 1,674 th. kg. imported tea.

33. Exports of tea from Kenya.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
United Kingdom ..	1,788	5,735	13,994	22,026	25,128	22,320	29,794	26,975	22,966	24,716	28,200
Ireland (Republic) ..	—	87	564	843	1,246	1,033	1,469	1,373	1,752	1,672	1,885
Netherlands ..	78	492	1,442	1,205	2,006	2,657	4,331	5,141	5,109	3,545	3,146
Canada ..	714	542	1,678	1,988	1,795	1,520	2,617	4,199	3,826	5,638	4,838
U.S.A. ..	480	1,515	2,032	5,202	3,922	4,288	4,878	7,302	6,060	5,639	8,258
Somalia ..	17	183	223	343	158	178	550	552	421	362	756
Sudan ..	730	333	1,153	11	O	—	—	—	—	—	4
Australia and New Zealand ..	25	47	202	459	332	280	243	223	171	494	7
Uganda (a) ..	181	180	338	125	148	55	38	—	3	2	1
Tanganaika (a) ..	518	1,091	721	868	887	718	133	7	2	1	O
Other countries ..	342	997	1,321	758	477	1,232	3,253	5,707	9,289	—	12,341
Total ..	4,189	11,202	23,668	33,828	36,099	34,281	47,297	51,479	49,599	52,630	59,436

34. Exports of tea from Uganda.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
United Kingdom ..	264	1,670	5,058	10,613	10,130	9,989	10,023	6,984	5,739	6,360	5,156
Ireland (Republic) ..	—	182	645	817	801	703	809	367	444	342	192
Netherlands ..	O	268	1,057	732	974	1,036	4,197	6,247	5,109	1,762	742
Canada ..	3	412	613	1,104	1,393	1,239	1,528	1,066	518	546	269
U.S.A. ..	146	303	605	1,890	1,095	1,012	1,634	830	609	373	491
Somalia ..	137	131	261	336	188	377	374	667	591	1,036	739
Sudan ..	237	645	396	14	13	20	207	516	73	36	180
Australia and New Zealand ..	40	47	146	93	279	158	141	157	31	53	—
Kenya (a) ..	181	341	62	93	82	46	2	15	17	—	—
Tanganaika (a) ..	36	20	54	O	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other countries ..	176	196	46	235	96	685	1,763	2,311	3,431	6,456	3,883
Total ..	868	4,215	8,943	15,927	15,052	15,165	20,678	19,160	16,662	16,964	11,652

(a) These figures are regarded as internal trade and are included in total exports.
'O'—below 500 kg. '—' denotes nil.

35. Exports of tea from Tanzania.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(2)
United Kingdom ..	324	2,536	5,274	6,545	5,979	6,855	7,220	6,487	5,021	6,160	8,376
Ireland (Republic) ..	—	8	120	225	219	298	242	286	430	356	288
Netherlands ..	—	96	264	111	200	315	722	1,413	2,378	1,325	571
Canada ..	326	175	76	264	208	395	278	494	604	1,254	983
U.S.A. ..	154	260	214	238	147	170	80	259	580	332	472
Australia and New Zealand ..	—	1	—	4	22	8	1	9	—	—	—
Kenya and Uganda (a) ..	54	178	130	118	119	109	15	12	40	11	20
Other Countries ..	24	138	382	194	160	261	645	—	—	—	1,139
Total ..	834	3,392	6,460	7,699	7,054	8,411	9,203	9,494	9,677	10,367	11,849

(a) These figures are regarded as internal trade and are included in total exports.

36. Exports of tea from Malawi.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
United Kingdom ..	5,914	11,633	10,058	10,230	10,995	10,368	11,092	13,713	12,137	14,303	18,072
Ireland (Republic) ..	—	288	345	379	348	606	396	160	227	292	102
Netherlands ..	3	88	313	266	233	317	879	1,123	3,393	1,378	2,246
Canada ..	99	14	357	442	482	816	868	312	172	182	4
U.S.A. ..	237	533	1,249	2,472	1,953	2,926	2,881	2,302	2,590	1,841	3,010
Somalia ..	—	144	9	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
South Africa ..	538	243	562	915	997	1,714	2,130	2,149	2,202	2,644	3,069
Kenya ..	—	424	470	55	61	92	15	14	118	90	15
Australia ..	—	21	15	—	—	48	—	—	—	7	—
Other countries ..	442	243	1,845	2,514	2,640	1,260	1,594	2,375	2,938	3,414	3,112
Total ..	7,133	13,631	15,223	17,287	17,709	18,157	19,855	22,148	23,778	24,151	29,630

'—' denotes nil. 'O'—below 500 kg.
*Included in other Countries, break-down not available.

37. Exports of tea from Mozambique.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
United Kingdom ..	556	7,198	8,485	10,766	12,087	9,713	10,803	10,481	9,108	7,098	8,371
Germany ..	—	333	240	766	672	601	170	222	147	97	99
Ireland (Republic) ..	N.A.	168	115	187	597	1,268	1,010	542	443	64	63
Netherlands ..	—	167	564	677	672	2,032	2,616	1,609	3,198	1,793	3,237
Portugal ..	162	159	190	225	163	224	225	219	329	468	190
Canada ..	—	37	567	637	597	524	608	945	560	81	89
U.S.A. ..	1,300	887	969	1,001	737	1,108	1,918	3,250	2,615	1,516	720
Kenya ..	—	560	947	306	653	1,194	310	30	96	556	—
South Africa ..	542	61	612	604	284	526	3[illegible]5	181	141	54	—
Australia ..	—	127	165	7	74	141	—	12	20	—	—
New Zealand ..	N.A.	5	9	4	38	31	18	—	—	—	—
Other Countries ..	202	203	132	259	79	140	288	388	553	489	94
Total ..	2,762	9,905	12,995	15,439	16,653	17,502	18,351	17,879	17,310	12,216	12,863

'—' denotes nil.

38. Exports of tea from Mauritius.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries	1961	1966	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
United Kingdom ..	786	1,194	767	1,173	906	552	870	726	298	242	356
Germany (West) ..	—	2	1	—	*	*	*	—	—	—	—
Ireland (Republic) ..	—	14	—	33	69	98	82	30	27	—	—
Canada ..	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	4	—	—	—
U.S.A. ..	—	—	—	18	—	—	—	61	10	—	—
Kenya	5	12	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	43	—
South Africa ..	1	55	923	1,316	1,631	2,428	2,858	2,522	2,651	1,618	2,669
Australia and New Zealand ..	O	4	2	—	*	*	*	35	—	—	—
Other Countries ..	1	13	15	32	41	40	121	322	49	116	326
Total ..	792	1,295	1,710	2,573	2,647	3,118	3,931	3,700	3,035	2,019	3,351

'—denotes nil.
'O'—Below 500 kg. *Included in other Countries, break-down not available.

39. Exports of tea from Rwanda.

(Figures in thou and kg.)

Countries	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	11()	(12)
United Kingdom ..	180	110	168	184	251	572	1,237	906	1,276	1,483	476
Netherlands ..	—	—	—	132	149	—	229	397	296	—	—
U.S.A. ..	—	93	—	—	—	100	842	928	280	—	—
On Consignment (a) ..	137	77	—	41	635	1,030	—	400	1,205	2,341	4,060
Other Countries ..	24	101	444	601	235	15	11	22	46	24	1
Total ..	341	381	612	958	1,270	1,717	2,319	2,653	3,103	3,848	4,537

(a) Exports to Mombasa "On consignment", ultimate destinations not reported.

40. Exports of tea from Argentina.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries	1961	1966	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	-(12)
United Kingdom ..	2,213	3,223	3,649	2,221	4,875	7,004	2,416	2,924	9,389	7,108	11,324
Germany (West) ..	225	130	173	506	1,554	1,853	349	206	491	233	286
Ireland (Republic) ..	167	187	24	—	8	301	163	—	—	20	—
Netherlands ..	2,574	2,282	2,996	1,891	2,388	2,162	1,727	2,080	1,553	631	1,302
Canada ..	8	205	444	327	380	230	245	112	186	212	102
U.S.A. ..	72	232	778	990	1,084	1,994	1,432	865	1,824	1,768	2,534
Chile ..	—	5,938	6,099	7,855	7,437	6,217	9,886	10,878	9,124	6,483	9,115
Malaysia and Singapore ..	—	239	6	50	55	3	13	34	—	86	21
Kenya ..	*	93	192	58	477	684	219	150	291	305	—
Australia ..	2	104	10	14	221	341	202	9	—	—	—
New Zealand ..	—	7	—	3	18	20	22	—	—	—	—
Other Countries ..	91	651	322	718	617	1,632	2,220	788	1,242	588	454
Total ..	5,352	13,291	14,693	14,633	19,114	22,441	18,894	18,046	24,100	17,434	25,138

'—' denotes nil.

* This country had no separate existence in the year indicated.

41. Exports of tea from Brazil.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries	1961	1966	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
United Kingdom ..	114	230	323	100	758	994	490	762	659	448	827
Germany (West) ..	204	91	70	22	..	134	76	180	42	299	23
Ireland (Republic) ..	60	108	122	15	72	159	112	50	241	110	13
Netherlands ..	336	43	115	17	294	266	337	474	407	271	367
Canada ..	4	97	68	56	201	301	259	342	334	690	403
U.S.A. ..	243	456	301	178	746	1,528	1,722	2,797	2,388	1,517	2,233
Chile ..	30	1,176	1,819	2,092	1,536	1,400	725	227	312	275	356
Other Countries ..	135	276	216	327	359	548	526	852	828	886	1,249
Total ..	1,176	2,477	3,034	2,807	3,966	5,330	4,247	5,684	5,211	4,496	5,471

42. Exports of tea from Japan.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
United Kingdom ..	73	588	34	1	1	3	3	3	2	4	2
France ..	O	70	5	6	4	3	3	3	2	2	3
Germany	2	138	2	1	1	2	4	4	2	5	7
Netherlands ..	—	415	—	..	O	O	1	1	2	—	—
Canada ..	196	291	210	101	88	96	95	89	84	89	70
U.S.A. ..	1,504	1,023	1,471	1,366	1,348	1,214	1,745	2,050	1,723	2,079	3,131
Libya ..	64	411	66	17	10	—	—	—	—	—	—
Morocco ..	2,240	1,415	—	10	—	70	—	—	—	—	—
Tunisia ..	50	600	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Australia ..	—	49	O	O	O	1	2	1	O	2	2
Other Countries ..	4,553	2,719	112	87	46	35	30	19	18	29	26
Total ..	8,700	7,719	1,900	1,614	1,498	1,424	1,883	2,170	1,833	2,210	3,241

'O'—Below 500 kg.

'—' denotes nil.

43. Exports of tea from Taiwan (Formosa).

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
United Kingdom ..	570	1,131	1,069	459	642	677	321	252	390	652	992
France ..	28	128	60	81	96	114	135	49	96	69	53
Germany ..	—	314	306	90	54	88	52	95	138	74	91
Ireland (Republic) ..	—	98	*	—	—	*	*	*	*	*	*
Netherlands ..	128	948	656	73	77	120	46	56	536	1,134	28
Canada ..	41	64	309	54	162	160	235	124	233	156	173
U.S.A. ..	1,393	2,986	2,924	2,276	2,669	3,382	3,443	2,754	2,997	3,709	5,051
Chile ..	1,513	53	*	—	—	*	*	*	*	*	*
Afghanisthan ..	—	—	952	96	218	712	547	198	427	204	346
Hong Kong ..	4,775	1,027	1,088	3,002	1,534	938	871	703	669	590	590
Iran ..	—	—	*	7	—	80	*	*	*	*	*
Japan (a) ..	266	738	3,771	7,970	8,647	7,473	11,068	11,714	4,375	7,585	8,227
Malaya (b) ..	198	244	500	165	599	1,882	791	50	177	255	339
Thailand ..	491	616	779	876	823	*	693	572	474	380	343
Algeria ..	34	998	—	—	1,497	1,498	*	*	*	*	*
Morocco ..	1,185	4,696	2,968	4,456	2,704	2,116	50	1,651	5,393	2,376	3,922
Tunisia ..	—	—	754	750	—	289	540	600	400	500	*
Australia ..	17	73	11	54	48	*	68	79	98	74	78
Other Countries ..	684	489	3,498	862	619	3,278	2,441	2,217	816	2,358	879
Total ..	11,323	14,603	19,645	21,271	20,389	22,807	21,301	21,114	17,219	20,116	21,112

N.A.—Not Available. * Included in other Countries break-down not available.

Note :—(a) Including Okinawa (Ryukyus).

(b) Including Singapore.

44. Exports of tea from China.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
United Kingdom ..	50	3,871	1,501	1,837	2,096	3,755	2,085	1,414	6,206	6,072	7,395
France ..	N.A.	130	380	540	590	745	898	1,240	1,205	1,812	2,257
Germany (West) ..	N.A.	90	80	120	130	140	248	218	241	395	684
Netherlands ..	34	280	160	205	330	546	822	619	1,242	818	1,104
U.S.S.R. ..	—	3,000	O	—	—	1,000	820	1,300	2,000	—	*
Hong Kong ..	3,959	4,004	2,948	3,475	3,456	4,641	4,569	4,481	4,024	4,823	7,078
Pakistan ..	—	—	—	—	—	4,624	3,085	278	968	1,467	2,237
U.A.R. ..	O	5,710	9,070	N.A.	334	2,300	1,640	2,648	939	2,077	*
Libya ..	N.A.	530	1,580	1,685	1,620	2,175	1,006	1,232	3,883	*	*
Morocco ..	N.A.	5,747	8,590	8,914	6,704	9,530	9,400	6,002	9,502	10,525	*
Canada ..	—	—	65	295	270	605	637	247	342	561	282
U.S.A. ..	127	—	—	—	—	12	380	580	1,241	2,090	3,083
Australia ..	52	290	340	155	120	390	140	140	300	267	312
Other Countries ..	8,479	7,348	9,286	13,774	14,350	10,537	16,270	—	—	—	37,568
Total ..	12,701	31,000	34,000	31,000	30,000	41,000	42,000	37,000	54,000	55,000	62,000

'—' denotes nil. N.A.—Not available. *Included in other Countries.

45. Exports of tea from Turkey.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
United Kingdom ..	—	—	60	—	—	700	1,012	1,035	2,552	—	
Netherlands ..	1,506	—	6,420	6,675	6,838	15,743	10,795	17,213	8,882	—	
U.A.R. ..	—	—	850	1,626	1,000	1,000	1,200	—	—	—	
Other Countries ..	29	—	22	—	5	54	1,874	559	51	25	
Total ..	1,535	*8,567	7,352	8,301	7,843	17,497	14,881	18,807	11,985	25	*56

'—' denotes nil. *Break-down not available.

Source : International Tea Committee.

46. Country wise tea imports for consumption and export from India

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Name of the Countries	Net Imports for Consumption			Exports from India		
	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
I. WEST EUROPE :						
(a) E. E. C. :						
1. U.K. ..	185,415	208,006	193,376	48,840	62,080	59,639
2. Ireland ..	9,894	11,959	13,549	4,611	6.122	4,646
3. Denmark ..	1,790	1,981	2,070	47	82	76
4. Netherlands ..	8,920	8,952	8,763	14,364	16,332	9,807
5. West Germany ..	10,234	8,841	10,386	5,107	5,493	4,472
6. Belgium & Luxemburg ..	765	952	588	432	264	176
7. Italy ..	3,516	3,551	2,498	802	426	155
8. France ..	4,681	4,922	5,232	153	373	97
Sub-Total (a) ..	225,215	249,164	236,462	74,356	91,172	79,068
(b) OTHER WEST EUROPE :						
9. Austria ..	747	787	773	57	20	4
10. Faeroe Islands ..	108	114	120	—	—	—
11. Finland ..	655	706	699	—	—	O
12. Gibrattar ..	75	80	82	—	—	—
13. Greece ..	230	308	219	10	10	3
14. Iceland ..	38	42	63	—	—	—
15. Malta ..	506	547		—	—	—
16. Norway ..	736	819	726	7	O	O
17. Portugal ..	250	326	266	—	—	—
18. Spain ..	860	423	642	4	—	O
19. Sweden ..	2,337	2,[illegible]25	2,527	6	1	1
20. Switzerland ..	1,703	1,575	1,602	36	11	2
Sub-Total (b) ..	8,245	8,352	8,269	120	42	10
Sub-Total—I ..	233,460	257,516	244,731	74,476	91,214	79,078

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(Figures in thousand kg)

Name of the Countries	Net imports for Consumption			Export from India		
	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
II EAST EUROPE :						
1 U.S.S.R ..	30,900	41,200	55,400	37,321	42,109	56,469
2 Bulgaria ..	310	150	606	125	46	41
3 Czechoslovakia ..	2,472	1,102	1,744	658	284	646
4. East Germany ..	2,036			329	424	405
5. Hungry ..	622	1,831	1,383	174	324	300
6. Poland ..	10,692	13,811	15,150	6,148	6,768	12,096
7. Romania ..				10	—	6
8. Yugoslavia ..	2,683	1,136	1,255	2,186	804	1,267
Sub-Total—II ..	49,715	61,230	77,538	46,951	50,759	71,230
III. AMERICA :						
(a) NORTH AMERICA & WEST INDIES :						
1. U.S.A. ..	78,585	80,626	71,782	7,436	6,980	5,887
2. Canada ..	20,509	21,909	20,827	2,278	3,521	3,702
3. Bahamas ..	46		—	—	—	—
4. Barbados ..	120		—	—	—	—
5. Bermuda ..	49		46	—	—	—
6. Br. Honduras ..	60			—	—	—
7. Jamaica ..	180	197	174	—	—	—
8. Netherlands Antilles ..	85			—	205	—
9. Trinidad & Tobago ..	177	201	239	7	—	21
10. Other countries ..	360		—	29	18	45
Sub-Total (a) ..	100,171	103,663	93,800	9,750	10,724	9,655

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Name of the Countries	Net imports for Consumption			Exports from India		
	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
(b) LATIN AMERICA :						
12 Argentina ..	5		—	O	O	—
13 Bolivia ..	420		—	—	—	..
14 Brazil ..	36		—	—	—	—
15 Central America ..	160		—	—	—	—
16 Chile ..	9,456	16,601	1	—	2	1
17 Mexico ..	36		1	1	1	1
18 Peru ..	8		—	—	—	—
19 Uruguay ..	530	532	—	—	—	—
20 Other countries ..	500		—	—	..	—
Sub-Total (b) ..	11,151	18,278	19,500	1	3	2
Sub-Total—III ..	111,322	121,941	113,300	9,751	10,727	9,657
IV. WEST ASIA & NORTH AFRICA :						
(a) WEST ASIA						
1 Qatar ..	700	678	619	847	867	674
2 U.A.E. ..	3,645	7,901	5,965	1,924	2,605	3,783
3 Oman						
4 Yeman ..	4,180	5,250		276	416	366
5 D. R. Yemen						
6 Bahrain ..	545	779	614	748	722	586
7 Kuwait ..	3,168	3,079	2,736	437	878	465
8 Iran ..	8,895	12,577	12,348	3,709	6,454	6,876
9 Iraq ..	16,046	31,180	18,849	7,189	3,381	6,709
10 Israel ..	3,422	2,150		130	284	—
11 Jordan ..	2,270	2,858	2,753	1,496	2,389	1,451
12 Lebanon ..	3,167		—	3	1	—
13 Saudi Arabia ..	8,604		—	269	177	588
14 Syria ..	2,423	5,789	2,407	—	347	200
Sub-Total (a) ..	57,065	84,741	65,041	17,028	18,521	21,698

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Name of the Countries	Net imports for consumption			Export from India		
	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
(b) NORTH AFRICA :						
15. A.R.E. ..	27,151	28,951	39,924	11,698	12,395	11,352
16. Algeria ..	2,849	3,600	6,796	—	—	—
17. Libya ..	12,026			59	O	143
18. Morocco ..	10,356	15,910	13,561	—	—	2
19. Sudan ..	16,503	17,025	11,074	12,183	8,357	5,892
20. Tunisia ..	5,631	7,291	7,150	1,744	1,300	—
Sub-Total (b) ..	74,516	84,777	93,505	25,684	22,052	17,389
Sub-Total—IV ..	131,581	169,518	158,546	42,712	40,573	39,087
Vi ASIA OTHER THAN WEST :						
1. Afghanistan ..	15,000		—	8,588	11,151	12,941
2. Hongkong ..	6,793	5,961	6,204	5	8	—
3. Japan ..	21,803	15,052	16,789	1,274	1,084	579
4. Malaya ..	1,500			9	84	124
5. Singapore						
6. Nepal ..	528	683	879	528	683	879
7. Philipines ..	357	214	231	4	O	—
8. Pakistan ..	36,997	44,722	52,037	—	—	—
9. Sabah ..	177	179	—	—	—	—
10. Sarawak ..	230			..	..	..
11. Thailand ..	954	825	796	2	6	4
12. Others ..	1,000			20	17	1
Sub-Total—V ..	85,339	85,886	95,391	10,430	13,033	14,528

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Name of the Countries	Net imports for consumption			Export from India		
	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
VI. AFRICA OTHER THAN NORTH :						
1. Congo ..	O		7	—	—	—
2. Ethiopia ..	1,100		922	34	27	138
3. Fr. Equitorial Africa ..	1,430	1,500	1,500	—	—	—
4. Fr. West Africa ..	4,140	4,200	4,200	—	—	—
5. Ghana ..	253		—	11	10	—
6. Mauritius ..	5		—	—	O	—
7. Nigeria ..	671		—	O	—	2
8. Rhodesia ..	854		—	..	—	—
9. Somalia ..	3,000		—	7	1	—
10. South Africa ..	19,836	20,539	21,325	—	—	—
11. Spanish North Africa ..	222	228	262	—	—	—
12. Others ..	600		—	O	O	1
SUB-TOTAL—VI ..	32,111	32,967	31,412	52	38	141
VII. AUSTRALIA & OCEANIA :						
1. Australia ..	27,066	26,678	26,678	3,355	3,920	3,770
2. Fiji ..	734		519	126	53	—
2. New Zealand ..	7,705	7,456	7,456	339	266	637
4. Papua & New Gunica ..	300	—	—	—	—	—
5. Others ..	290		300	—	—	—
SUB-TOTAL—VII ..	36,095	35,534	35,253	3,820	4,239	4,407
GRAND TOTAL ..	679,623	764,592	769,499	188,192	210,583	218,128

* Since reliable import figures are not available, denotes total exports from different countries.

N.B. : The region-wise totals included *ad-hoc* estimates for those countries for which the figures are not available.

47. (i) Imports of tea into U. K. from principal producing countries.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	*1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
India ..	125,224	127,779	97,212	68,324	82,902	79,409	62,104	56,223	76,330	81,159	72,343
Bangladesh (a) ..	15,755	962	2,370	—	—	O	1,963	8,754	6,220	6,878	10,905
Sri Lanka ..	49,987	72,476	70,483	63,984	70,797	49,200	34,717	30,087	35,512	27,463	28,50/
Indonesia ..	7,662	5,671	2,519	3,833	6,949	6,123	6,976	4,680	9,282	8,419	8,182
Kenya ..	1,612	5,740	18,438	23,747	29,610	25,463	32,736	31,704	25,086	26,467	29,952
Uganda ..	235	1,487	2,666	8,603	8,484	7,632	9,039	7,269	11,366	6,744	6,235
Tanzania ..	287	2,667	4,917	6,322	6,988	5,848	6,555	7,095	7,248	8,275	7,349
Malawi ..	5,762	10,638	8,544	9,045	9,013	8,177	9,227	9,957	9,747	13,284	16,418
Total East Africa ..	7,896	20,532	—	47,717	54,095	47,120	57,557	56,020	53,447	54,770	
Mauritius ..	31	670	1,114	1,142	905	502	960	709	425	277	348
Mozambique ..	336	6,113	8,449	10,513	12,053	10,591	12,173	11,580	11,764	8,677	9,735
Zaire (D.R.) ..	—	1,319	1,275	1,358	1,169	1,639	1,179	688	948	1,720	1,983
Malaya (b) ..	343	1,300	1,085	624	939	315	507	111	80	49	2
China ..	72	4,336	1,682	1,757	1,971	3,639	2,233	1,472	5,594	5,648	7,969
Taiwan ..	887	1,152	1,031	441	545	707	348	235	480	637	974
Japan ..	49	552	11	1	2	18	23	6	37	31	5
Vietnam (South) ..	—	1,200	2,012	332	—	14	35	235	205	160	99
Argentina ..	—	2,236	3,412	2,172	3,886	7,963	2,983	2,314	7,992	6,753	9,584
Netherlands ..	1,361	4,638	4,367	5,386	9,397	9,826	17,532	28,302	5,694	1,733	403
Other Countries ..	918	1,064	1,073	4,574	7,117	9,224	10,514	9,701	20,013	14,005	13,719
Total ..	210,521	252,000	232,760	212,158	252,727	226,290	211,814	211,117	234,023	218,361	224,612

'—' denotes nil. 'O' Below 500 kg.

Notes :—(a) Prior 1972 figures relate to former East Pakistan.
(b) The figures relate to Malaya and Singapore from 1964.

* Provisional and figure for 1975, relate to 'U'K' imports, showing Countrie of origin.

Source : International Tea Committee.

47. (ii) Monthly imports of Indian Tea into U. K.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Month	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
January ..	17,672	20,418	20,456	12,097	6,136	10,905	4,649	9,815	5,689	9,590	7,882
February ..	14,305	14,150	9,253	5,982	13,317	12,109	10,555	3,344	4,960	9,433	4,293
March ..	11,056	9,796	1,763	3,323	3,706	4,891	4,627	2,885	2,115	7,241	4,076
April ..	10,441	4,917	3,539	3,563	2,744	2,984	1,809	886	3,038	2,122	1,338
May ..	6,623	4,478	4,479	3,283	1,922	545	715	2,257	3,711	424	785
June ..	2,263	2,763	1,019	1,149	1,935	439	472	1,971	626	1,370	637
July ..	3,401	5,607	2,061	2,373	980	2,522	613	1,428	6,531	1,696	3,353
August ..	5,306	7,729	9,128	3,271	3,903	1,860	2,866	2,912	3,507	3,500	1,038
September ..	9,007	14,491	13,890	11,106	6,336	13,287	10,913	11,011	7,819	5,633	9,502
October ..	13,284	10,595	8,007	7,054	19,273	7,154	9,600	6,822	4,691	11,843	10,598
November ..	13,829	17,814	11,324	7,561	21,585	11,875	9,153	8,671	8,144	9,934	13,979
December ..	18,037	15,021	12,293	7,562	1,035	10,838	6,132	4,218	25,799	18,283	14,862
Total ..	125,224	127,779	97,212	68,324	82,902	79,409	62,104	56,223	76,330	81,159	72,343

Source : I. T. C. Monthly Sta ie ip01 uqNN0(y.

47. (iii) Imports of instant tea into U. K. from principal countries showing countries of origins.

(Quantity in kg.)

Countries	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
India ..	914	19,915	—	31,345	85,094	84,179	62,080	39,169	113,300	62,000	30,100
Sri Lanka ..	20,727	36,425	87,329	108,615	69,802	65,383	82,147	109,835	145,900	141,900	103,400
Kenya ..	—	—	—	—	7,214	—	—	—	7,200	65,900	75,600
Uganda ..	15,139	7,773	91,038	189,290	93,070	30,897	O	—	—	—	—
West Germany ..	1,829	559	102	2,743	1,168	2,134	254	6,706	1,100	1,900	2,100
Switzerland ..	—	3,759	2,743	4,877	813	..	254	4,318	5,600	—	—
U.S.A. ..	4,318	13,056	38,000	49,839	37,137	55,425	96,220	108,971	154,600	75,000	143,300
Other Countries ..	1,881	1,073	254	1,474	1,422	2,845	26,824	22,759	8,300	9,500	32,600
Total ..	44,808	82,554	219,466	388,181	295,720	240,803	267,779	291,758	436,000	356,200	387,100

47. (iv) Exports of instant tea from U. K. showing countries of destination.

(Figures in kg.)

Countries	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Ireland ..	—	1,270	305	2,033	11,024	13,005	10,059	5,944	6,800	3,300	9,700
West Indies (a) ..	600	914	2,083	9,703	2,235	2,947	3,048	2,032	8,600	4,400	2,500
West Africa (b) ..	1,829	3,048	5,537	2,388	14,936	10,618	3,048	5,537	10,800	12,400	11,700
Australia ..	4,877	3,810	5,995	120,046	124,263	177,554	180,860	6,249	6,500	500	5,800
Other America ..	1,524	1,118	1,016	3,404	4,877	9,398	2,185	2,438	13,100	6,000	5,600
Finland ..	4,318	2,591	10,923	10,211	9,297	5,334	9,602	7,722	9,400	7,100	2,300
France ..	6,249	18,949	9,906	20,727	45,062	34,038	37,441	31,853	24,100	26,500	33,000
West Germany ..	19,915	27,636	15,292	12,040	22,556	23,369	11,989	20,626	11,600	11,200	17,600
Sweden ..	1,778	3,963	4,420	3,861	1,829	8,992	2,591	2,489	1,400	4,400	4,200
Switzerland ..	305	—	3,607	10,211	3,353	8,687	8,941	14,580	10,400	12,900	12,500
Other Europe ..	2,540	1,168	3,251	4,521	19,307	17,222	9,449	11,126	19,200	22,000	38,400
Other Countries ..	8,137	3,354	4,368	2,591	13,511	5,436	6,757	3,608	14,200	13,800	4,200
Total ..	52,072	67,821	66,703	201,736	272,250	316,600	285,916	114,204	136,100	124,500	168,500

Note :—(a) Including Bahamas, Bermudu and British Honduras.
(b) Gambia, Ghana, Nigeria, Sierra Leone.

Source : International Tea Committee.

47. (v) U. K. re-exports of tea showing countries of destination.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Austria ..	15	41	46	55	65	56	71	73	80	120	94
Belgium ..	106	196	252	502	513	274	222	141	210	171	234
Denmark ..	254	417	528	730	709	826	713	944	886	781	1,037
Finland	151	194	269	198	290	300	368	484	554	439	463
France ..	192	712	919	1,189	1,227	1,407	1,518	1,501	1,450	1,695	1,829
West Germany ..	1,170	1,379	863	1,287	1,031	1,258	1,098	1,270	1,348	1,542	1,283
Greece ..	*	*	35	52	72	68	71	98	122	103	80
Ireland ..	O	8	12	2	48	5	14	671	838	747	1,012
Italy ..	98	172	342	376	412	578	650	695	1,181	702	1,160
Netherlands ..	233	1,384	909	1,397	1,717	1,844	1,315	1,674	981	811	1,141
Norway ..	123	252	377	434	477	544	496	460	750	637	675
Poland ..	O	30	7	14	21	31	109	178	45	110	162
Spain ..	*	*	269	372	464	398	401	529	317	432	509
Sweeden ..	402	909	1,218	1,455	1,448	1,544	1,412	1,484	1,728	1,545	1,607
Switzerland ..	151	249	313	434	416	405	464	479	502	644	548
Canada ..	166	2,883	3,152	3,979	2,061	3,227	2,266	2,944	3,219	3,106	2,230
U.S.A. ..	171	2,890	4,570	2,964	1,609	2,921	1,530	2,416	1,909	1,651	999
Chile ..	49	50	42	72	85	151	20	15	33	23	38
Iran ..	*	*	42	87	55	105	75	170	279	414	298
Israel ..	183	*	103	295	222	262	223	260	364	379	693
Japan ..	*	*	870	1,960	2,614	3,377	3,829	4,855	4,973	4,850	3,980
Kuwait ..	*	*	24	43	71	43	100	138	205	103	209
Lebanon ..	*	*	68	78	68	91	77	90	127	71	31
Saudi Arabia ..	*	*	115	166	94	68	44	256	517	336	453
U.A.R. ..	132	5	2	6	5	9	3	802	79	279	906
Libya ..	*	*	44	46	46	46	53	62	32	62	—
South ..	*	38	1,598	1,539	1,019	854	367	600	214	98	72
Australia ..	*	*	118	533	258	144	155	59	188	127	135
Other Countries ..	2,376	2,578	1,881	1,893	1,972	2,053	2,041	2,355	2,887	3,007	3,061
Total ..	5,977	14,387	18,988	22,158	19,139	22,889	19,705	25,703	26,018	24,985	24,959

Note : The above exclude re-exports from the U.K. to the Channel Islands, but include direct-re-exports from the Channel Islands to countries other than the U.K.
*. Included in other countries.

Source : International Tea Committee.

48. Netherlands re-exports of tea showing countries of destination.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
U.K. ..	601	3,519	1,613	2,180	3,015	6,131	5,330	10,125	9,691	2,021	3,618
Austria ..	*	14	21	29	17	26	26	22	31	21	*
Belgium and Luxemburg ..	75	114	158	239	273	*	*	*	*	*	*
Denmark ..	45	59	55	25	43	89	102	97	122	54	38
Finland ..	26	85	61	78	67	71	71	96	87	73	121
France ..	O	24	53	69	77	116	102	296	194	153	295
West Germany ..	993	1,213	1,517	1,526	1,661	2,750	1,318	1,533	1,848	7228	817
Ireland ..	276	O	12	*	30	7	1	124	242	184	190
Italy ..	8	60	143	119	151	103	82	133	88	202	776
Poland ..	139	2	4	8	4	10	39	64	141	174	19
Sweeden ..	22	11	13	8	10	13	51	16	20	7	*
Switzerland ..	40	57	30	50	47	93	75	75	61	42	89
Israel ..	*	112	108	285	434	752	967	1,086	860	834	1,190
U.A.R. ..	88	1	—	*	*	*	557	359	1,078	2,735	85
Algeria ..	*	O	—	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tunusia ..	34	789	1,446	*	2,301	2,000	300	800	1,610	*	500
Canada ..	*	164	576	624	999	1,735	1,560	803	885	455	972
U.S.A. ..	120	3,638	7,169	9,165	9,245	11,431	8,104	12,047	13,281	5,221	5,271
Other countries ..	1,419	1,300	1,243	1,011	2,011	3,017	6,531	2,176	1,623	1,564	2,549
Total ..	3,886	11,162	14,241	15,416	20,385	28,344	25,172	29,852	31,862	14,462	16,530

* Including in other countries, separte figures not being available. '—' Denotes'. nil. 'O' below 500 Kg.

Nnot :— (i) The above figures comprise re-exports both of duty paid tea and of tea from bonded warehouse.
(ii) Figures for bonded warehouse trade are officially published only in terms of gross weight, and in the above table, the official trade allowance have been deducted to reduce the figures approximately to net weight of tea.

Source ; International Tea Committee

49. (i) Tea passed for entry into U. S. A.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
BLACK TEA											
India ..	14,827	12,260	8,425	8,477	7,381	9,590	7,431	7,897	7,608	6,900	7,447
Bangladesh (a) ..	290	11	—	—	—	—	422	1,678	1,236	967	1,048
Sri Lanka ..	13,333	20,188	22,959	23,309	20,634	22,878	20,546	20,624	18,749	19,388	22,121
Indonesia ..	3,894	6,646	6,243	9,169	10,071	9,595	10,194	11,599	12,103	12,399	11,20
East Africa (b) ..	1,123	2,853	6,090	10,177	11,313	12,984	12,980	13,729	14,743	13,237	16,204
Other Africa ..	1,556	1,515	1,788	1,853	1,612	2,511	2,955	3,650	3,517	2,745	3,071
Taiwan ..	1,173	2,532	3,177	1,684	1,501	2,666	2,226	1,725	1,691	2,899	3,510
Other Countries ..	278	2,023	8,126	6,649	6,667	14,294	9,264	11,784	17,778	10,141	9,970
Total ..	36,475	49,028	56,808	61,318	59,179	74,518	66,018	72,686	77,155	68,676	74,574
GREEN TEA											
Japan ..	1,401	858	1,406	1,188	1,305	1,006	1,983	2,096	2,012	1,725	3,075
Other Countries ..	50	3	63	86	491	479	614	1,056	1,256	589	
Total ..	1,451	861	1,468	1,274	1,796	1,485	2,597	3,152	3,268	2,314	4,509
Oolong & Misc. Tea ..	243	382	462	574	620	577	830	829	835	862	1,034
Total tea passed for entry ..	38,169	50,271	58,738	63,166	61,595	76,581	69,445	76,667	81,258	71,852	80,117

Note :— 'O' below 500 Kg. '—' Indicates nil.
(a) Prior 1972 figures relate to Pakistan.
(b) Kenya, Uganda, Tanzania & Malawi.
Source :—International Tea Committee.

49. (ii) Indian tea passed for entry into U. S. A. by month.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Month	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
January ..	1,687	1,535	891	646	921	904	715	744	830	646	431
February ..	1,313	724	831	229	733	945	595	818	857	457	365
March ..	1,814	1,431	1,170	917	1,045	824	759	801	429	628	391
April ..	1,856	869	592	925	780	1,075	437	663	572	567	648
May ..	2,560	820	540	719	511	557	653	559	843	582	305
June ..	1,013	786	339	576	513	619	685	351	785	431	414
July ..	412	726	190	297	220	589	505	350	679	258	221
August ..	422	678	500	429	202	795	481	355	698	313	406
September ..	732	813	749	652	195	1,345	491	714	601	409	902
October ..	986	963	787	1,046	893	851	627	879	819	1,139	1,004
Novermber ..	645	1,863	783	968	640	461	865	895	199	643	1,538
December ..	1,387	1,052	1,053	1,073	728	625	618	768	296	827	822
Total ..	14,827	12,260	8,425	8,477	7,381	9,590	7,431	7,897	7,608	6,900	7,447

Source : International Tea Committee Monthly Statistical Summary.

50. Import pattern of tea in some principal countries

(i) IRELAND (REPUBLIC)

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Imports from	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
India ..	14,887	7,076	5,081	5,063	4,585	4,799	6,279	4,524	4,884	7,080	3,792
Bangladesh (a) ..	—	85	889	—	—	—	—	323	710	501	939
Sri Lanka ..	721	2,501	1,939	2,590	2,325	1,807	1,343	1,265	1,579	1,455	1,028
Indonesia ..	1,117	88	127	147	109	267	333	749	789	1,043	791
East Africa ..	—	710	1,686	2,262	3,200	2,882	3,114	2,509	3,292	3,215	3,087
China ..	—	137	132	340	45	369	242	79	53	54	281
Japan ..	—	97	23	3	—	—	O	2	O	O	O
Other Countries ..	—	767	1,231	773	1,018	1,927	1,589	1,053	1,414	1,295	966
Total ..	16,725	11,461	11,108	11,178	11,282	12,051	12,900	10,504	12,721	14,643	10,884

(a) Figures for 1961 and 1966 relate to Pakistan.
'—'Denotes nil. 'O'—Below 500 Kg.

(ii) GERMANY (WESTERN)

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Imports from	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
India ..	1,156	2,703	3,485	4,361	4,177	4,360	4,514	4,691	4,307	4,487	4,648
Srilanka ..	339	1,546	2,168	2,736	2,744	3,100	2,628	3,143	2,243	2,168	2,643
Indonesia ..	558	1,826	1,533	1,157	1,368	1,070	1,038	875	897	1,161	1,383
East Africa ..	13	49	157	202	345	262	403	521	477	421	575
Mozambique ..	—	120	64	24	65	52	131	116	51	50	65
China ..	3	84	75	116	126	140	248	218	241	394	684
Taiwan ..	7	135	80	25	40	36	34	17	29	20	21
Other Countries ..	48	237	336	584	390	749	1,011	1,152	1,235	1,601	1,418
Total ..	2,124	6,700	7,898	9,205	9,255	9,769	10,007	10,733	9,480	10,302	11,437

'—' Denotes nil.

(iii) NETHERLANDS

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Imports from	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
India ..	366	960	2,041	2,855	2,173	1,766	1,564	2,458	2,326	1,499	1,187
Sri Lanka ..	277	1,525	2,064	3,134	2,803	3,012	2,565	2,848	2,179	1,900	3,137
Indonesia ..	6,642	3,470	2,701	7,843	6,796	8,371	7,742	4,942	4,131	5,115	4,726
China ..	30	280	164	205	330	546	822	619	1,242	818	1,088
East Africa ..	12	1,092	1,868	2,763	2,943	3,126	2,958	4,210	4,777	2,991	4,638
Re-export from U.K. ..	111	419	195	1,298	1,308	1,671	1,190	1,111	697	837	751
Other Countries ..	151	2,398	1,519	11,090	9,365	21,056	17,553	15,843	18,566	11,016	8,342
Total ..	7,589	10,144	10,552	29,188	25,718	39,548	34,394	42,031	33,918	24,176	23,869

Note:—1967 onwards "ARRIVALS" showing countries of consignment.
'—' denotes nil.

(iv) CANADA

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Imports from	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
India ..	9,384	7,129	3,886	3,377	3,464	3,710	3,327	2,210	3,696	3,890	3,209
Sri Lanka ..	7,283	8,207	7,447	7,495	6,618	6,802	6,039	6,053	5,699	4,791	6,411
Indonesia ..	175	86	347	66	149	367	1,018	1,202	1,602	1,682	2,458
East Africa ..	1,310	1,060	3,089	4,220	4,104	3,773	5,413	6,624	6,218	5,503	5,892
United Kingdom ..	233	2,952	2,898	4,167	2,115	2,991	2,668	2,892	2,775	3,066	2,222
Japan ..	118	117	186	102	100	117	83	111	95	100	119
China & Hong Kong ..	125	166	114	325	291	587	591	188	294	563	350
Other Countries ..	560	853	2,628	2,684	3,975	5,165	4,701	4,287	3,990	4,053	4,019
Total ..	19,258	20,570	20,595	22,436	20,716	23,512	23,840	23,567	24,369	23,648	24,680

(v) U.S.S.R.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Imports from	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
India ..	596	11,500	17,400	25,400	25,800	38,900	45,200	33,300	42,233	62,101	50,100
Sri Lanka ..	—	—	3,200	2,007	2,496	1,997	—	1,001	2,606	1,540	2,600
China ..	N.A.	3,000	O	—	—	1,000	820	1,300	2,000	—	(c)
Vietnam (North) ..	—	420	516	541	899	670	1,242	946	1,216	1,165	(c)
Other Countries ..	—	—	184	52	5	33	238	753	1,245	2,094	4,300
Total ..	596	14,920	21,300	28,000	29,200	42,600	47,500	37,300	49,300	66,900	57,000

'—'Denotes nil. N.A.—Not available. 'O' Below 50 Kg..
(c) including in other Countries.

(viii) SUDAN

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Imports from	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
India ..	685	5,991	6,311	8,656	12,118	10,624	15,969	12,108	9,142	5,676	5,113
Sri Lanka ..	193	—	—	6	2,319	—	—	47	926	O	—
East Africa ..	823	2,210	4,422	1,215	849	20	23	545	124	155	1,037
China ..	80	1,141	1,220	35	3,883	3,767	2,041	3.803	6,832	5,239	4,612
Other Countries ..	—	35	94	98	229	4	—	—	1	4	7
Total ..	5,302	9,377	12,047	10,010	19,398	14,415	18,033	16,053	17,025	11,074	10,769

Note :—'O'—below 500 kg. '—' Denotes nil.

(ix) IRAN

(Years ending 20th or 21st March)
(Figures in thousand kg.)

Imports from	1951-52	1961-62	1965-66	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
India ..	8,589	3,940	3,211	2,411	2,205	2,050	2,820	3,631	3,502	5,161	5,077
Sri Lanka ..	340	1,475	5,496	3,593	3,852	3,895	4,001	4,459	4,669	5,912	5,166
Indonesia ..	280	32	—	—	10	5	8	13	12	189	382
China and Hong Kong	61	10	444	61	29	18	101	169	35	374	630
Other Countries ..	1,644	361	547	275	414	199	384	695	677	941	1,093
Total ..	10,914	5,816	9,698	6,340	6,510	6,167	7,314	8,967	8,895	12,577	12,348

Note :—'O'—Below 500 kg. '—' Denotes nil.

(x) IRAQ

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Imports from	1951	1961	1965	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
India ..	875	2,156	972	5,674	3,924	3,571	2,607	7,686	4,574	7,634	5,406
Sri Lanka ..	6,142	16,366	11,731	12,217	18,671	14,032	15,897	13,445	10,434	23,546	12,890
Indonesia ..	2,391	9	—	41	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Countries ..	77	4	O	227	403	1,887	1,373	849	1,038	—	553
Total ..	9,485	18,535	12,703	18,159	22,998	19,490	19,877	21,980	16,046	31,180	18,849

Note :—'O'—Below 500 kg. '—' Denotes nil,

(vi) JAPAN

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Imports from	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
India ..	209	254	581	606	1,011	1,494	1,465	1,492	1,196	1,057	779
Sri Lanka ..	2,851	3,217	2,509	2,805	3,654	3,878	2,919	3,015	2,568	2,047	2,165
Indonesia ..	—	9	*	—	—	35	38	23	9	1	—
Kenya ..	23	33	71	27	5	38	107	223	521	568	284
Uganda ..	1	—	1	—	2	O	7	1	—	—	—
Tanzania ..	3	—	*	—	4	2	48	62	85	54	45
China ..	27	38	27	22	27	119	299	643	443	422	455
Taiwan ..	3,146	1,534	1,126	6,770	8,863	6,121	10,998	11,975	4,449	7,920	7,868
United Kingdom ..	322	290	908	1,316	1,874	2,163	2,755	3,831	5,038	4,398	3,934
Other Countries ..	45	38	56	63	112	269	285	538	743	322	222
Total ..	6,627	5,413	5,279	11,609	15,552	14,119	18,921	21,803	15,052	16,789	15,752
Of which Black tea ..	3,533	3,945	4,180	4,815	6,489	7,511	7,167	8,406	8,921	7,493	7,139
Green tea ..	3,094	1,468	1,064	6,794	9,063	6,496	11,317	12,799	5,630	8,860	8,165
Other kinds ..	—	—	35	*	*	112	437	598	501	436	449

* denotes that the figure is included in another item in the same Column and cannot be given separately.

(vii) ARAB REPUBLIC OF EGUPT (A.R.E.)

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Imports from	1951	1961	1965	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
India ..	1,884	13,794	17,785	7,129	16,012	17,778	6,751	5,841	4,264	6,775	7,396
Sri Lanka ..	10,730	1,149	3,591	8,074	8,511	9,385	8,150	3,947	2,210	4,700	5,590
Indonesia ..	3,104	O	—	—	—	—	—	661	—	—	—
China & Hong Kong ..	29	6,449	7,299	7,168	—	334	100	1,640	2,648	939	2,077
Other Countries ..	337	5	54	950	374	2,347	1	1,697	680	1,997	8,589
Total ..	16,084	21,397	28,729	23,321	24,897	29,844	15,002	13,786	9,802	14,411	23,652

'O'—Below 500 Kg. '—' Denotes nil.

(xi) NEWZEALAND

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Imports from	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	19 6
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
India ..	1,577	658	605	236	301	310	402	288	326	612	1,016
Sri Lanka ..	9,220	6,785	6,632	6,841	6,297	6,368	5,581	5,431	4,836	3,892	4,009
Indonesia ..	287	47	49	62	189	716	1,477	1,625	1,619	1,243	477
East Africa ..	—	78	83	94	131	62	115	28	11	2	—
Other Countries ..	14	24	147	183	169	234	541	361	700	1,619	1,605
Total ..	11,098	7,592	7,516	7,416	7,087	7,690	8,116	7,733	7,492	7,368	7,107

'—'Denotes nil.

(xii) AUSTRALIA

(Year ending 30th June)
(Figures in thousand kg.)

Imports from	1951-52	1961-62	1965-66	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
India ..	2,029	2,866	4,776	5,559	4,001	3,375	2,932	3,114	3,733	4,032	3,034	6,429
Sri Lanka ..	20,559	18,994	17,514	17,453	13,911	14,084	13,243	12,418	10,833	10,922	10,330	10,092
Indonesia ..	,766	5,839	5,845	5,491	7,728	8,035	10,281	9,778	9,434	9,217	9,913	6,752
East Africa ..	1	242	377	756	423	642	349	397	236	14	112	11
China ..	154	574	668	409	140	381	447	217	191	392	183	N.A.
Other Countries ..	147	446	1,340	796	755	813	1,722	2,024	2,051	2,866	2,273	3,597
Total ..	24,656	28,961	30,520	30,464	26,958	27,330	28,974	27,948	26,478	27,443	25,845	26,881

'—' Denotes nil.
* Other Countries includes China.

(xiii) POLAND

Imports from	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
India ..	624	2,161	1,647	1,735	1,802	1,994	3,704	5,794	5,760	7,484	8,441
Sri Lanka ..	920	100	1,001	1,368	1,758	1,197	1,378	812	—	178	452
China ..	1,187	1,100	1,615	1,300	2,375	2,783	1,699	2,588	722	2,574	1,923
Vietnam D. R. ..	350	225	157	238	373	159	233	154	133	395	612
United Kingdom ..	—	3	12	10	10	18	12	135	206	—	—
Netherlands ..	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	98	48	116	156
U.S.S.R. ..	2,610	4,150	2,827	1,868	2,126	1,943	2,681	2,082	1,978	1,974	2,138
Other Countries ..	44	2	50	6	1	3	5	372	1,845	1,090	1,428
Total ..	5,735	7,741	7,309	6,525	8,451	8,097	9,712	12,035	10,692	13,811	15,150

(xiv) PAKISTAN

Imports from						1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)						(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
India ..						—	—	—	—	1,579
Bangladesh ..						—	—	—	2,204	2,701
Sri Lanka ..						21,164	26,513	32,748	31,708	26,196
Indonesia ..						773	627	2,280	5,887	6,416
East Africa ..						5,062	6,736	5,811	7,558	8,818
China ..						3,085	278	968	1,467	2,225
Malayasia ..						363	349	693	209	195
Turkey ..						3,151	53	315	—	—
United Kingdom ..						1,013	234	371	114	144
Netherlands ..						1,913	172	423	—	1
Argentina ..						1,054	243	320	257	65
Others ..						1,809	1,792	793	2,633	435
Total ..						39,387	36,997	44,722	52,037	49,132

51. Imports into selected countries together with exports from producing countries.

(i) EUROPEAN COUNTRIES

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries		Imports for Consumption	Exports from			Re-export from	
			India	Sri Lanka	Indonesia	U.K.	Netherlands
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
France	: **1961**	1,719	49	656	7	712	24
	1966	2,477	131	579	6	919	53
	1968	3,141	101	951	3	931	80
	1969	3,244	80	697	16	1,189	69
	1970	3,204	105	731	3	1,227	77
	1971	3,595	139	531	4	1,407	116
	1972	4,104	154	779	10	1,518	102
	1973	4,681	153	778	8	1,501	296
	1974	4,922	373	743	21	1,450	194
	1975	5,232	127	625	30	1,695	153
	1976	6,304	529	961	25	1,829	295
Italy	: **1961**	1,662	152	806	138	172	60
	1966	2,301	—	1,322	4	342	143
	1968	2,208	376	1,484	10	340	103
	1969	2,682	206	1,329	8	376	119
	1970	2,774	470	1,508	—	412	151
	1971	2,671	391	1,296	—	578	103
	1972	2,587	501	1,331	14	650	82
	1973	3,516	802	1,810	97	695	133
	1974	3,551	426	1,380	130	1,181	88
	1975	2,498	155	744	155	702	202
	1976	3,532		1,348	135	1,160	776
Belgium and Luxemberg	: **1961**	307	30	59	5,684	126	114
	1966	448	—	—	1,847	252	158
	1968	494	14	34	2,798	451	187
	1969	557	5	43	3,151	502	239
	1970	551	63	48	1,651	513	273
	1971	760	286	34	1,548	274	N.A.
	1972	683	325	124	879	222	N.A.
	1973	765	432	107	—	141	N.A.
	1974	952	264	63	O	210	N.A.
	1975	588	176	46	18	171	N.A.
	1976	1,179		45	57	234	N.A.

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Countries		Imports for consumption	Exports from			Re-export from	
			India	Sri Lanka	Indonesia	U.K.	Netherlands
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Austria	: **1961**	592	2	—	—	41	14
	1966	669	12	1		46	31
	1968	636	18	..	—	42	38
	1969	740	3	..	—	55	29
	1970	637	4	—	—	65	17
	1971	810	11	5	—	56	26
	1972	719	24	—	—	71	36
	1973	747	57	—	—	73	22
	1974	787	20	19	—	80	31
	1975	773	4	19	—	120	21
	1976	845	13	25	—	94	N.A.
Norway	: **1961**	368	4	15	—	252	—
	1966	479	6	10		377	—
	1968	498	1	5	—	401	—
	1969	563	1	6	—	434	—
	1970	560	2	2	—	477	—
	1971	649	O	3	—	544	—
	1972	711	O	11	—	496	—
	1973	736	7	52	—	460	—
	1974	819	O	57	—	750	—
	1975	726	—	5	—	637	—
	1976	831	—	5		695	—
Denmark	: **1961**	1,344	74	463	—	417	59
	1966	1,461	52	450		528	55
	1968	1,668	56	427	—	605	67
	1969	1,626	32	408	—	730	25
	1970	1,741	47	420	—	709	43
	9171	1,836	62	496	—	826	89
	1972	1,998	84	476	—	713	102
	1973	1,790	47	434	—	944	97
	1974	1,981	82	350	—	886	122
	1975	2,070	76	462	—	781	54
	1976	2,387		437		1,037	38

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(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries		Imports for Consumption	Exports from			Re-exports from	
			India	Sri Lanka	Indonesia	U.K.	Netherlands
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Sweden	: **1961**	1,095	14	41	—	909	11
	1966	1,532	79	64		1,218	13
	1968	1,826	4	112	—	1,466	5
	1969	1,786	2	121	—	1,455	8
	1970	1,946	1	98	—	1,448	10
	1971	1,975	4	103	—	1,544	13
	1972	1,986	2	94	—	1,412	51
	1973	2,337	6	176	—	1,484	16
	1974	2,625	1	290	—	1,728	20
	1975	2,527	1		—	1,545	7
	1976	2,932				1,607	N.A.
Switzerland	: **1961**	1,212	103	197	—	249	57
	1966	1,221	28	85		313	39
	1968	1,341	27	103	—	425	52
	1969	1,443	31	188	—	434	50
	1970	1,440	34	247	—	416	47
	1971	1,479	12	173	—	405	93
	1972	1,597	20	154	—	464	75
	1973	1,703	36	275	—	479	75
	1974	1,575	11	146	—	502	61
	1975	1,602	2		—	644	42
	1976	1,618				548	89
Finland	: **1961**	457	3	15	—	194	85
	1966	485				269	61
	1968	480	O	6	—	266	69
	1969	502	O	2	—	198	78
	1970	545	O	2	—	290	67
	1971	544	O	1	—	300	71
	1972	557	1	2	—	368	71
	1973	655	—	2	—	484	96
	1974	706	—	2	—	554	87
	1975	699	O		—	439	73
	1976	859				463	121

N.A.—Not available. '—' denotes nil. 'O'—below 500 kg.

(ii) AFRICAN COUNTRIES

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries		Imports for Consumption	Exports from					Re-exports from	
			India	Sri Lanka	China	Taiwan	Japan	U.K.	Nether-lands
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Tunisia	: **1961**	4,487	326	1,346	—	—	695	9	789
	1966	4,726	2,706	O	—	754	—	—	1,446
	1968	3,833	997	O	—	800	—	2	2,002
	1969	4,743	4,128	3	—	750	—	4	N.A.
	1970	5,585	2,189	—	—	—	—	2	2,301
	1971	3,360	1,786	—	—	289	—	6	2,000
	1972	5,972	4,118	406	—	540	—	10	300
	1973	5,631	1,744	799	—	600	—	—	800
	1974	7,291	1,300	1,963	—	400	—	—	1,610
	1975	7,150	—	4,342	—	500	—	—	N.A.
	1976	N.A.		5,615	—	N.A.	—	—	500
Morocco	: **1961**	13,847	—	—	5,747	4,696	1,415	20	—
	1966	10,230		—	8,590	2,968	—	17	—
	1968	15,485	79	2	7,841	5,507	—	48	—
	1969	17,459	909	N.A.	8,914	4,456	10	20	—
	1970	14,213	812	—	6,704	2,704	—	29	—
	1971	12,855	1,260	O	9,530	2,116	70	24	—
	1972	12,367	1	—	9,400	50	—	20	—
	1973	10,356	—	—	6,002	1,651	—	—	—
	1974	15,910	—	—	9,502	5,393	—	—	—
	1975	13,561	2	4	10,525	2,376	—	—	—
	1976	N.A.		—	N.A.	3,922	—	—	—
Algeria	: **1961**	2,551	—	—	—	998	1,686	—	O
	1966	969	O	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1968	3,271	O	N.A.	—	1,500	—	—	300
	1969	3,459	—	N.A.	—	—	—	—	N.A.
	1970	4,428	O	N.A.	—	1,497	—	—	N.A.
	1971	3,868	—	N.A.	—	1,498	—	—	N.A.
	1972	3,383	—	—	—	N.A.	—	—	N.A.
	1973	2,849	—	—	—	N.A.	—	—	N.A.
	1974	4,175	—	—	—	N.A.	—	—	N.A.
	1975	6,796	—	—	—	N.A.	—	—	N.A.
	1976	N.A.		—	—	N.A.	O	—	N.A.

N.A.—Not available. '— denotes nil. 'O' below 500 kg.

Note :—During 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971, 1972 and 1973 and 1974 1,502 th. kg. 2,2,97, th. kg. 3, 100 th. kg.—, 2,501,2000 and—of tea re-exported from U.S.S.R. to Morocco.

(iii) EAST EUROPEAN COUNTRIES
(Excluding U.S.S.R.)

Coqntries		Imports for consumption	Exports from			Re-exports from	
			India	Sri Lanka	U.K.	Netherlands	U.S.S.R.
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Czechoslovakia	: **1961**	1,179	73	11	—	—	59
	1966	1,867	685	50	—	—	734
	1968	1,095	217	O	—	—	500
	1969	1,053	473	50	—	—	520
	1970	1,601	327	56	—	—	470
	1971	1,379	594	54	—	—	623
	1972	1,303	752	41	—	—	561
	1973	2,472	658	—	—	—	410
	1974	1,102	284	51	—	—	402
	1975	1,744	646	—	—	—	400
	1976	N.A.		O	—	—	—
Yugoslavia	: **1961**	182	175	—	—	—	—
	1966	628	708	—	—	—	—
	1968	1,020	848	20	—	—	—
	1969	746	814	—	—	—	—
	1970	666	851	34	—	—	—
	1971	676	795	2	—	—	—
	1972	1,809	1,830	—	—	—	—
	1973	2,683	2,186	132	—	—	—
	1974	1,136	804	11	—	—	—
	1975	1,255	1,267	94	—	—	—
	1976	N.A.		214	—	—	—
East Germany	: **1961**	1,571	160	—	O	—	525
	1966	1,142	1,234	31	O	—	47
	1968	1,491	495	O	O	—	225
	1969	1,467	360	29	O	11	675
	1970	1,657	604	14	O	7	433
	1971	1,828	576	15	9	150	424
	1972	1,961	577	40	—	—	475
	1973	2,036	329	—	—	—	533
	1974	1,979	364	O	—	—	480
	1975	N.A.	405	O	—	—	329
	1976	N.A.		—	—	—	—

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(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries		Imports for Consumption	Exports			Re-exports from	
			India	Sri Lanka	Netherlands	U.K.	U.S.S.R.
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Poland	: **1961**	2,285	1	11	30		1,000
	1966	7,741	2,057	222	7	4	4,219
	1968	6,525	1,883	1,844	10	4	2,061
	1969	8,451	1,969	1,429	14	8	1,999
	1970	8,097	1,899	1,461	21	4	1,944
	1971	9,712	3,542	1,203	31	10	2,762
	1972	12,035	6,749	339	109	39	2,010
	1973	10,692	6,148	—	178	64	2,043
	1974	13,811	6,768	180	45	141	1,906
	1975	15,150	12,096	300	110	174	2,129
	1976	N.A.		659	162	19	N.A.
Hungry	: **1961**	406	50	—	—	—	—
	1966	811	136	O	—	—	—
	1968	878	57	30	—	—	—
	1969	923	136	51	—	—	—
	1970	639	351	41	—	—	—
	1971	1,047	218	59	—	—	—
	1972	964	116	—	—	—	—
	1973	622	174	—	—	—	—
	1974	1,831	324	O	—	—	—
	1975	1,383	300	O	—	—	—
	1976	N.A.	214	—	—	—	—
Rumania	: **1961**	N.A.	—	—	—	—	—
	1966	N.A.	O	—	—	—	—
	1968	N.A.	O	—	—	—	—
	1969	N.A.	O	—	—	—	—
	1970	N.A.	O	—	—	—	—
	1971	N.A.	O	—	—	—	—
	1972	N.A.	2	—	—	—	—
	1973	N.A.	10	—	—	—	—
	1974	N.A.	—	O	—	—	—
	1975	N.A.	6	—	—	—	—
	1976	N.A.	—	—	—	—	—
Bulgaria	: **1961**	73	82	—	—	—	—
	1966	298	266	—	—	—	—
	1968	35	6	O	—	—	—
	1969	68	45	—	—	—	—
	1970	94	—	50	—	—	—
	1971	116	48	894	—	—	—
	1972	76	139	—	—	—	—
	1973	310	125	—	—	—	—
	1974	745	46	—	—	—	—
	1975	606	41	—	—	—	—
	1976	N.A.	45	—	—	—	—

N.A.—Not available. 'O'—below 500 kg. '—'denotes nil.

Note :—In addition, China exported the following quantities of tea to Czechoslovakia, East Germany, Hungry and Poland:

1961—3,020 thousand kg.
1962—3,030 ,, ,,
1963—3,160 ,, ,,
1964—1,660 ,, ,,
1965—2,930 ,, ,,
1966—2,160 ,, ,,
1967—2,870 thousand kg.
1968—2,450 ,, ,,
1969—3,510 ,, ,,
1970—3,920 ,, ,,
1971—2,760 ,, ,,
1972—3,500 ,, ,,

Source : International Tea Committee.

52. (i) Quantities of tea sold at London auctions.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries	1951(a)	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
North India ..	18,760	75,701	65,623	61,471	30,282	53,074	39,453	36,157	33,281	38,746	34,536
South India ..	5,539	15,627	8,828	4,608	2,387	1,884	1,380	1,049	1,581	2,060	1,441
All India ..	24,239	91,328	74,451	66,079	32,669	54,958	40,833	37,206	34,862	40,806	35,977
Bangladesh (b) ..	3,514	10	—	—	—	—	69	1,941	799	1,890	2,114
Sri Lanka ..	17,267	39,551	48,558	42,581	36,122	34,687	23,315	21,247	20,648	19,326	12,671
Indonesia ..	433	82	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kenya ..		3,123	8,990	14,338	15,132	12,743	20,517	21,219	14,371	14,771	15,246
Uganda ..	45	1,201	1,814	5,356	3,213	3,625	4,962	2,337	2,097	1,981	2,204
Tanzania ..		1,702	3,325	4,305	4,845	4,699	5,555	6,325	3,346	4,110	3,832
Malawai ..	3,472	7,990	6,721	6,455	6,979	5,834	7,318	7,399	6,596	7,069	8,490
Total East Africa ..	3,517	14,016	20,850	30,454	30,169	26,901	38,352	37,280	26,410	27,931	29,772
Zaire ..	—	165	95	58	218	247	266	171	200	400	234
Mozambique ..	139	4,606	5,807	6,571	8,082	7,122	7,521	7,874	6,008	3,838	4,762
Mauritius ..	8	632	1,078	959	878	407	650	714	268	159	206
Malaya ..	36	819	522	435	287	148	14	33	—	—	—
Argentina ..	—	1,282	1,171	10	18	26	—	—	66	—	—
Viet-Nam (South) ..	—	1,230	1,507	457	53	11	14	235	274	178	—
Other Countries ..	—	199	397	411	725	1,216	1,642	1,136	2,302	4,170	3,632
Total ..	49,213	153,920	154,436	148,015	109,221	125,723	112,676	107,837	91,837	98,698	89,368

Note :—(a) Auctions were resumed on 16th April, 1951.
(b) Prior 1972 relates to Pakistan.

Source : International Tea Committee.

52. (ii) Proportion of tea sold at London auctions by country of orgin.

Countries	1951(a)	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
North India ..	38·12	49·18	42·49	41·53	27·85	42·21	35·01	33·53	36·24	39·26	38·65
South India ..	11·26	10·15	5·72	3·11	2·19	1·50	1·22	0·97	1·72	2·09	1·61
All India ..	49·38	59·33	48·21	44·64	30·04	43·71	36·23	34·50	37·96	41·35	40·26
Bangladesh ..	7·14	1·01	—	—	—	—	0·06	1·80	0·87	1·91	2·37
Sri Lanka ..	35·09	25·70	31·44	28·77	33·22	27·59	20·69	19·70	22·48	19·58	14·18
Indonesia ..	0·88	0·05	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kenya ..		2·03	5·82	9·69	13·91	10·14	18·21	19·68	15·65	14·97	17·06
Uganda ..		0·78	1·18	3·62	2·95	2·88	4·40	2·17	2·28	2·01	2·46
Tanzania ..	0·09	1·11	2·15	2·91	4·46	3·74	4·93	5·87	3·65	4·16	4·29
Malawi ..	7·05	5·19	4·35	4·36	6·42	4·64	6·49	6·86	7·18	7·16	9·50
Total ..	7·14	9·11	13·50	20·58	27·74	21·40	34·03	34·58	28·76	28·30	33·31
Zaire ..	—	0·11	·06	0·04	0·20	0·20	0·24	0·16	0·22	0·41	·26
Mozambique ..	0·28	2·99	3·76	4·44	7·43	5·66	6·67	7·30	6·54	3·89	5·33
Mauritius ..	0·02	0·41	·70	0·64	0·81	0·32	0·58	0·66	0·29	0·16	·23
Malaya ..	0·07	0·53	·34	0·29	0·26	0·12	0·02	0·03	—	—	—
Argentina ..	—	0·33	0·76	0·01	0·02	0·02	—	—	0·07	—	—
South Viet-nam ..	—	0·80	0·97	0·31	0·05	0·01	0·02	0·22	0·30	0·18	—
Other Countries ..	—	0·13	0·26	0·28	0·23	0·97	0·16	1·05	2·51	4·22	4·06
Total	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00

Note :— (a) Auctions were resumed on 16th April, 1951.
(b) Prior 1972 relate to Pakistan.

52. (iii) Annual average prices of tea sold at London auctions.

(New Pence per kg.)

Countries	1951(a)	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
North India ..	40·3	51·4	47·9	41·5	46·7	42·1	42·9	45·7	60·5	63·6	84·9
South India ..	39·0	42·6	37·7	31·6	40·4	39·9	37·9	38·0	53·3	58·0	81·8
All India ..	40·0	49·9	36·7	40·8	46·2	42·0	42·7	45·5	60·3	63·3	84·8
Bangladesh (b) ..	37·7	36·3	—	—	—	—	34·2	34·4	47·6	55·2	61·9
Sri Lanka ..	42·3	50·9	46·7	44·5	46·9	45·3	45·5	45·6	60·3	63·1	88·1
Indonesia ..	36·7	36·9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kenya ..		46·0	46·3	44·2	48·6	47·3	43·6	44·5	64·7	65·8	89·3
Uganda ..		43·2	41·5	36·7	46·8	43·6	41·0	42·0	60·9	61·6	86·6
Tanzania ..		45·7	45·0	39·9	48·4	45·4	47·1	42·6	6·02	64·5	88·9
Malawi ..		37·0	33·8	25·7	39·8	39·5	37·4	37·8	55·3	57·2	80·8
Total East Africa ..	35·9	40·6	41·6	38·4	46·4	44·8	42·6	42·7	61·5	63·1	86·6
Zaire ..		42·3	30·2	32·8	41·0	39·8	32·7	40·8	58·7	59·5	86·8
Mozambique ..		36·1	27·7	23·8	35·4	36·8	33·9	34·6	52·3	50·1	65·6
Mauritius ..	41·9	44·7	37·8	29·5	40·2	41·9	37·1	38·7	56·2	50·9	79·2
Malaya ..	38·3	43·0	35·7	33·1	37·9	38·1	38·1	40·9	—	—	—
Argentina ..	—	32·2	25·7	26·3	36·8	34·5	—	—	—	—	—
South Viet-Nam ..	—	38·2	31·1	26·7	30·0	38·2	31·4	35·8	51·9	56·1	—
All Tea ..	40·3	48·6	44·8	40·5	45·7	43·3	42·2	43·4	59·9	62·4	84·1

'—' denotes nil.

Note:—(a) Auction were resumed on 16th April, 1951.
(b) Prior 1972 relates to Pakistan.

Source : International Tea Committee.

53. (i) Quantities of tea sold at Mombasa auctions.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Countries	1966	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
Kenya ..	5,390	5,665	6,281	6,630	5,789	9,104	9,101	10,730	14,533	17,499
Uganda ..	3,686	4,293	4,249	4,255	4,224	3,757	4,366	8,044	9,095	5,242
Tanzania ..	926	1,076	1,086	1,255	986	697	826	1,448	1,410	1,544
Malawi ..	195	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Zaire ..	15	—	—	—	—	39	15	54	84	—
Mozambique (PEA)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other tea (a) ..	179	1	7	13	3	1	—	14	—	442
Total ..	10,391	11,050	11,573	12,153	11,002	13,598	14,308	20,290	25,122	24,727

(a) Mauritics, Rwanda and Southern Rhodesia.

53. (ii) Annual average prices of tea sold at Mombasa auctions.

(In East African Shilling per kg.)

Countries	1966	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
Kenya ..	6·99	6·28	5·67	6·61	6·69	5·95	6·13	8·45	8·55	11·00
Uganda ..	6·28	5·71	4·56	6·15	6·20	5·57	5·49	7·79	7·25	7·68
Tanzania ..	5·71	5·29	4·61	5·67	6·06	5·05	4·88	7·55	7·77	9·64
Malawi ..	4·30	4·25	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Congo ..	4·85	—	—	—	—	3·71	4·33	6·04	6·28	—
Mozambique ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
All tea (a) ..	6·53	5·97	5·14	6·34	6·44	5·79	5·86	8·12	8·03	10·17

Note :— Auction were held Nirobi upto 14th July 1969, Mombasa thereafter.
(a) Including tea of other (African) countries not shown here.

Source :—International Tea Committee.

54. (i) Quantity of tea sold at Colombo auctions.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Year	High grown	Medium grown	Low grown	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1951	—	—	—	97,273
1961	60,725	56,931	42,222	159,878
1966	55,908	54,471	49,660	160,038
1969	60,299	60,480	53,045	173,924
1970	55,858	56,205	56,087	168,150
1971	60,878	62,269	53,881	177,028
1972	61,729	62,712	52,874	177,315
1973	66,797	61,278	57,961	186,036
1974	63,550	61,212	53,015	177,777
1975	69,971	66,274	56,768	193,012
1976	66,124	61,143	54,451	181,718

54. (ii) Annual average price per kg. of Sri Lanka tea sold at Colombo auctions.

(Figures are in Sri Lanka's Rupee per kg.)

	1951	1961	1966	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
High grown ..	5·27	4·83	4·43	4·37	4·59	4·59	4·72	4·96	7·05	7·05	9·63
Medium grown ..	4·39	3·88	3·31	3·17	3·55	3·86	4·08	3·96	6·17	6·31	8·72
Low grown ..	4·43	3·92	3·04	3·06	3·06	4·01	4·39	4·03	6·68	7·21	9·27
Total ..	4·56	4·25	3·62	3·55	3·73	4·14	4·39	4·34	6·64	6·84	9·21

Source : International Tea Comittee.

55. Deliveries of tea from bonded warehouses in U. K. up to last Friday of each month.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Month	1961	1966	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
January ..	25,153	18,938	19,990	24,717	22,988	23,533	17,314	17,025	19,130	20,600	18,557
February ..	21,214	20,218	20,516	19,383	18,883	21,452	15,883	16,960	18,731	19,500	18,017
March ..	19,108	20,285	26,884	21,262	16,850	19,877	20,692	23,311	18,601	18,206	19,477
April ..	16,239	23,021	17,999	17,409	16,983	22,407	17,148	15,174	16,173	18,442	16,119
May ..	24,730	21,294	25,147	24,001	26,244	17,938	19,897	17,818	16,329	16,763	18,180
June ..	18,884	19,806	17,088	18,825	21,447	18,963	23,287	19,619	16,975	18,180	20,447
July ..	18,013	21,104	17,328	15,978	21,797	21,283	16,456	16,707	19,088	18,976	18,046
August ..	20,444	16,107	21,168	18,664	13,365	15,129	12,929	17,333	16,778	14,489	15,930
September ..	18,161	18,681	16,614	17,023	14,396	13,916	16,980	12,871	17,546	15,794	18,236
October ..	23,514	18,373	17,726	23,669	23,118	21,100	15,383	18,293	21,479	18,574	19,421
November ..	20,033	19,357	23,661	21,852	20,371	17,916	18,962	21,412	23,860	20,218	19,860
December ..	16,433	21,413	16,410	16,180	18,124	19,546	19,065	12,912	14,117	14,376	16,640
TOTAL ..	241,926	238,597	240,531	238,993	234,566	232,880	213,996	209,435	218,827	214,118	218,930

56. Stocks of tea in bonded warehouses in the United Kingdom at the end of each month.

(Figures in thousand kg.)

Month	1961	1966	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
January ..	74,448	91,406	86,717	105,393	67,696	87,799	76,590	71,767	58,608	68,211	69,916
February ..	76,945	91,828	92,244	102,884	73,579	92,782	82,413	68,263	56,251	74,833	62,857
March ..	75,712	88,317	88,762	102,835	72,724	89,598	81,572	64,838	57,283	78,082	59,112
April ..	73,493	81,602	86,311	100,145	75,088	88,574	79,575	65,856	58,054	75,752	55,640
May ..	67,931	76,851	79,889	92,992	66,538	82,962	70,831	64,155	61,252	73,992	50,828
June ..	62,528	72,019	75,162	92,415	62,372	73,550	64,331	64,849	61,160	67,606	45,681
July ..	60,005	68,879	74,714	89,815	54,956	71,527	59,521	61,367	64,935	62,257	44,488
August ..	61,150	73,559	79,114	91,080	64,936	70,931	54,520	63,877	68,359	63,877	47,804
September ..	63,398	81,150	89,378	90,242	72,507	76,452	68,550	71,080	70,388	61,492	53,976
October ..	60,255	77,340	96,803	84,965	88,437	76,161	74,787	66,235	64,494	64,676	55,385
Nobember ..	62,414	75,212	101,047	79,986	91,104	77,404	73,985	62,836	64,004	65,709	58,945
December ..	67,375	74,376	103,296	76,764	90,394	79,758	71,841	61,093	65,846	67,854	64,694

Source : International Tea Committee.

57. Apparent consumption of tea per head in various countries.

Countries	1969-71		1970-72		1971-73		1972-74		1973-75	
	Total	P.hd.	Total	P.hd.	Total	P.hd.	Total	P.hd.	Total	P.hd.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
EUROPE										
United Kingdom (a) ..	215·38	3·88	212·41	3·81	203·53	3·64	200·11	3·57	196·22	3·50
Czechoslovakia ..	1·34	0·09	1·43	0·10	1·72	0·12	1·63	·11	1·77	·12
Denmark ..	1·73	0·35	1·86	0·37	1·88	0·38	1·92	·38	1·95	·39
France ..	3·37	0·07	3·66	0·07	4·16	0·08	4·63	0·09	4·96	·09
Germany Western (b) ..	8·83	0·14	9·10	0·15	9·59	0·16	9·57	·15	9·59	·15
Germany Eastern (b) ..	1·65	0·10	1·82	0·11	1·93	0·11	2·00	·12	—	—
Irish Republic ..	11·41	3·88	11·95	4·02	11·53	3·83	11·53	3·81	11·80	3·82
Italy ..	2·71	0·05	2·68	0·05	2·93	0·05	3·22	·06	3·19	·06
Netherlands ..	8·18	0·63	8·34	0·63	8·59	0·64	8·79	·65	8·88	·66
Poland ..	8·75	0·27	9·95	0·30	10·81	0·33	12·18	·37	—	—
Sweden ..	1·90	0·24	1·97	0·24	2·10	0·26	2·32	·28	2·50	·31
Switzerland ..	1·45	0·23	1·51	0·24	1·59	0·25	1·63	·25	1·63	·25
U.S.S.R. ..	87·13	0·36	97·83	0·43	120·33	0·41	107·63	·43	117·26	·47
AMERICA										
Canada ..	20·05	0·94	20·34	0·94	21·00	0·96	21·21	·96	21·08	·94
U.S.A. ..	68·27	0·33	70·05	0·34	75·58	0·36	75·96	·36	77·00	·36
Argentina ..	7·24	0·31	7·05	0·30	N.A.	N.A.	10·01	·41	—	—
Chile ..	8·63	0·89	8·54	0·86	N.A.	N.A.	—	—	—	—
ASIA										
Afghanistan ..	14·70	0·86	14·33	0·82	N.A.	N.A.	—	—	—	—
Hong Kong ..	6·20	1·56	6·44	1·59	6·65	1·63	6·34	1·52	6·32	1·49
Iran* ..	25·61	0·89	32·84	1·10	42·48	1·39	—	—	31·46	·98
Iraq ..	20·79	2·20	20·45	2·10	19·30	1·92	23·07	2·22	22·03	2·05
Jordon ..	2·89	1·25	2·63	1·11	2·57	1·04	2·52	1·00	2·63	1·00
Syria ..	3·16	0·51	3·17	0·49	3·61	0·54	4·12	·60	—	—
Thailand ..	1·46	0·04	1·29	0·03	1·13	0·03	—	—	—	—
Turkey ..	22·14	0·62	23·99	0·67	23·59	0·65	29·81	·80	37·08	·97
Pakistan ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	40·37	·61	44·59	·65
AFRICA										
U.R.E. ..	23·25	0·70	19·54	0·57	12·86	0·37	12·67	·36	15·96	·44
Morocco ..	14·84	0·96	13·15	0·86	11·86	0·75	12·88	·79	13·28	·79
South Africa (a) ..	18·60	0·79	18·54	0·76	19·36	0·77	19·91	·75	20·57	·76
Sudan ..	14·61	0·93	17·28	1·07	4·99	0·92	17·19	1·02	14·87	·86
Tunisia ..	4·56	0·89	4·97	0·95	4·99	0·92	6·30	1·16	6·69	1·19
Algeria ..	4·20	0·29	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	3·28	·21	4·61	·28
OCEANIA										
Australia ..	26·84	2·15	26·59	2·08	27·22	2·10	26·67	2·03	26·69	2·00
New Zealand ..	7·34	2·61	7·59	2·66	7·81	2·69	7·75	2·62	7·50	2·48

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Countries	1969-71		1970-72		1971-73		1972-73		1973-75	
	Total	P.hd.	Total	P.hd.	Total	P.hd.	Total	P.hd.	Total	P.hd.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
PRODUCING COUNTRIES										
ASIA										
India* ..	212·30	0·30	221·53	0·40	236·19	0·42	248·29	0·43	260·04	·44
Sri Lanka ..	18·85	1·51	19·29	1·51	19·71	1·51	20·13	1·52	20·52	1·50
Japan ..	103·42	1·00	107·53	1·02	112·67	1·05	113·64	1·05	116·36	1·06
AFRICA										
Kenya ..	5·22	0·46	5·68	0·49	5·99	0·50	6·44	·52	6·97	·54
Uganda ..	1·30	0·13	1·27	0·13	1·57	0·15	1·69	·16	1·85	·17
Tanzania ..	2·02	0·15	2·05	0·15	2·45	0·18	2·50	·17	2·47	·17

Total—Total apparent consumption (annual average, in million Kg.).

P.hd.—Apparent consumption per head of total population in Kg.

N.A.—Not available.

Note :— (i) This table includes all countries having a total apparent consumption exceeding 1·00 million Kg. a year except China, Formosa, Vietnam, the Arabian and Persian Gulf States for which adequate consumption and/or population figures are not available.

(ii) All figures comprise both imported and (where applicable) locally produced tea.

(iii) Consumption per head is calculated on the total population as at the middle of each period, and does not take into account different composition by age and race. No allowance is made for consumption by visitors from other countries.

* Years beginning 1st April (for Iran, 21st/22nd March).

(a) Including the Channel Islands.

(b) Including the respective sectors of Berline.

(c) Including South-West Africa, Lesotho, Botswana and Swzailand throughout. Figures exclude local production, figures not available.

Source:—International Tea Committee Bulletin.

58. Duties and cesses on tea in different producing countries

Note : Every effort has been made to give accurate information but the amount of duty leviable rests with the overseas customs authorities.

BANGLADESH :

(a) Export Duty : 1 Taka per lb.
(b) Tea Cess : Taka 3·50 per 100 lbs. imposed on all teas produced.
(c) Excise Duty

(1) on teas exported : nil
(1) on teas for internal consumption : abolished.

(Imports of tea are not permitted)

SRI LANKA :

(a) Export Duty
Bulk Tea : 86·00 cents per 100 kg.
Packed Tea : 53·00 cents per 100 kg.
Instant Tea : Exempt

The Rebate of Export Duty Suspended from 22.3.77.

(b) Cess	Cents per 100 kg.
Bulk Tea & Packeted Teas :	
Medical Aid	·35 cents
Sri Lanka Tea Board cess	Rs. 41·90
Total Export Duty	Rs. 86·00
Total:	Rs. 128·25

(c) Ad Valorem Sales Tax : (with effect from sale on 22nd Match, 1977).

(a) Price up to Rs. 6·60 per kg.	No Ad-Valorem Sales Tax payable
(b) Price between Rs. 6·60 and Rs. 13·20 per kg.	Half the difference between sales Price and Rs. 6·60
(c) Price of Rs. 13·20 per kg. and above	A flat rate of Rs. 3·30 per kg.

INDONESIA :

(a) Export Duty	: Nil		
(b) Import Duty	: Tea 09·02 70% Ad Valorem C. & F.	Instant tea 21·02 50% Ad Valorem C. & F.	
(c) Aggregate Duty	: 70% Ad Valorem C. & F.	50% Ad Valorem C. & F.	
(d) Sales Tax	: 20% Ad Valorem C. & F.	20% As Valorem C. & F.	

KENYA :

(a) Export Duty : Teas upto K. £ 1,000 per tonne, i.e. Shs. 20/- per kilo. No. Duty. Teas above K. £ 1,000 per tonne—will be charged at 15% of the difference between the price and K. £ 1,000 per tonne.

Note :— There is no indication yet as to how the export duty will be charged on direct shipment teas, but discussions with the Treanery are in progress and there is a temporary ad hoc arrangement for valuiny te spending a final settlement of procedure.

(b) Production Cess (for Tea Board) : Shs. 5/50 per 100 kilos

(c) Planted Acreage Cess Shs. 2·50 per Hectare

(d) Import Duty : Tea—Shs. 2·20 per kilo
Extracts, Essences, Concentrates } 50% Ad Valorem.

UGANDA :

(a) Export Duty : Nil

(b) Production Cess : Five Cents per kilogram

(c) Import Duty (Payable after 3 months, i.e. tea imported then re-exported exempt)
: Tea—Sh. 1/- per lb.
: Extracts etc. 50% Ad valorem
: Import Licence required.

TANZANIA :

(a) Export Tea : 15-43 cents per kg. net weight, though Customs works on a flat 15 cents per kg. (Teas exported to Kenya for consumption in East Africa and Tea Samples not exceeding 22 kilos in weight are exempted)

(b) Tea Cess

(on made tea) : 20 cents per kg. made tea (levied by the Tanzania Tea Authority)

(c) Import Duty : Tea—2·20 cents per kg.
Extracts etc.—50% Ad Valorem
Import Licence required.

MALAWI :

(a) Export Duty : Nil

(b) Tea Cess : 35 tambala 100 lb. manufactures. (With an additional provision for a floating cess of up to 2t. per 100 lb. in the event of the Association's annual expenditure exceeding income 22t. go to Research Stations)

(c) Import Duty : 9t. per lb. (Standard rate)
7½ t. per lb. (Commonweallah etc.), E.E.C., G.A.T.T. and A.C.P. Countries.
Instant tea etc.—There is no special tariff.
Tea imported for blending purposes are duty free.

MAURITIUS :

(a) Export Duty : Nil

(b) Import Duty : General Rs. 2·40 per kg.
Preferential Rs. 2·10 per kg.
Fiscal Duty ·10 cents per kg.

MOZAMBIQUE :

(a) Export Duty : 1% Ad Valorem

(b) Import Duty : Esc. 36·00 per kg. net

(c) Import Licencing : Indian Tea prohibited.

TAIWAN :

(a) Export Duty : Nil

(b) Imported Duty : Tea 100% Tea Dust 78%
Import Licences are required for all imports and are issued only to registered importers and factories. Tea is permitted within the current import licencing programme.

JAPAN :

(a) Export Duty : Nil

(b) Import Duty : (i) Black Tea—2.5%
(ii) Black tea in containers—17.5%
(iii) Instant tea—10%

(c) Commodity Tax : Nil

(d) Import Licencing : Import Licence not required for import of tea.

SOUTH VIETNAM :

(a) Export Duty : Nil

(b) Import Duty :
Tea : 25%
Tea Essence etc. : 25%
Tea Imports presently banned.

ARGENTINA :

(a) Export Levy Tea : Nill

Instant Tea : Nill

(b) Import Duty Tea 09·02 : 5% Ad Valorem f.o.b.

Instant Tea 21.02 : 85% Ad Valorem c.i.f.
Imports of tea in leaf, produced within the LAFTA (Latin American Free Trade Association) area. and imported from another member country is subject to a duty of 32%

Additional Duties and Taxes :

Statistical fee	:	3%, Ad Valorem, c.i.f.
Value addes Tax levied on imported and goods	:	Free, 6%, of the landed value of the goods (i.e. value, plus the import duty unless otherwise stated).
Freight tax	:	12% of the freight charge
Postal Imports	:	A small clearance fee is charged on all goods. In addition a tax of 15% of the c.i.f. value is levied on any parcel not consigned to a regular licensed importer of the commodity in question.

The imports of tea in to Argentina is prohibited until 31.12.1977

Source : International Tea Committee, London.

59. Minimum (Daily) wages for Tea plantation workers in Sri Lanka and East African countries.

	Average daily wages (January to December)		Special allowances Payable to worker who are members of the Employees Provident Fund	
1. Sri Lanka—1972	Male	—Rs. 1·53 ..	Male Maximum Rs 1·66	Maximum 1·70
	Female	—Rs. 1·27	Female ,, Rs. 1·30	,,
	Child	—Rs. 1·02	Child ,, Rs. 1·23	,,

No. separate figure for field and factory available.

Special allowances payable to workers who are non-members of the Employees Provident Funds.

Male	—Minimum	Rs. 1·66 to	maximum	Rs. 1·72
Child	— ,,	Rs. 1·20 to	,,	Rs. 1·24
Female	— ,,	Rs. 1·13 to	,,	Rs. 1·17

2. East Afric

(i) Kenya—1971-72

Field Labour :—

African Sh. 4·40 per day w.e.f. 1·7·71 and it has been increased to Sh. 4·50 per day with effect from 1.7.72 The factory labour gets Sh. 4/55 per day. w.e.f. 1.7.71 and gets Sh. 4/65 per day w.e.f. 1.7.72.

Plucking rates are :—

	1971	1972
Fine quality per Kg.	22·85 cents	23·00 cents
Standard quality per Kg.	20·65 cents	21·00 cents

(ii) Uganda—1971

Basic Wages for Men & Women

Shs. 4/60 per day for Field labour. Factory workers receive Sh. 138/- per month.

Pluckers

Pluckers are on piece work at 21 cent per Kg. of leaf plucked.

(iii) Tanzania—1971

Person over 18 yrs.	Over 15 yrs. but below 18 yrs.
Monthly—Sh. 100/-	Sh. 66/30

Plucking rates

Fine leaf—17·7 cents per Kg.