



VII.3. Area and Production

TABLE VII.3.1: District-wise Area under Crops and Production of Cereals and Pulses

| Districts | Cereals | | | | | | Pulses | | | | | |
|-------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|----------------------|--------------|--------------|
| | Area ('000 ha) | | | Production ('000 MT) | | | Area ('000 ha) | | | Production ('000 MT) | | |
| | *2004-10 | 2011-12 | 2012-13 | *2004-10 | 2011-12 | 2012-13 | *2004-10 | 2011-12 | 2012-13 | *2004-10 | 2011-12 | 2012-13 |
| TAMIL NADU | 2,613.8 | 2,541.7 | 2,134.9 | 6,831.6 | 9,779.0 | 5,392.9 | 567.1 | 666.9 | 512.7 | 212.3 | 332.4 | 212.6 |
| Ariyalur | 45.6 | 38.8 | 34.0 | 104.4 | 164.9 | 74.2 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 1.8 | 0.7 | 1.3 | 1.0 |
| Coimbatore | 42.8 | 30.3 | 28.9 | 36.0 | 62.6 | 37.1 | 11.9 | 12.2 | 9.9 | 4.4 | 3.2 | 4.1 |
| Cuddalore | 126.2 | 138.1 | 131.5 | 330.8 | 281.2 | 371.2 | 41.8 | 55.0 | 43.1 | 15.9 | 31.4 | 23.8 |
| Dharmapuri | 67.5 | 69.4 | 41.8 | 138.9 | 229.5 | 103.1 | 20.0 | 46.4 | 33.7 | 9.5 | 22.1 | 18.7 |
| Dindigul | 97.4 | 91.0 | 67.7 | 295.5 | 416.8 | 179.0 | 24.1 | 26.2 | 21.0 | 8.3 | 7.4 | 6.5 |
| Erode | 64.9 | 51.9 | 25.7 | 270.2 | 226.4 | 102.7 | 14.4 | 4.2 | 3.4 | 6.3 | 2.1 | 1.2 |
| Kancheepuram | 98.7 | 90.6 | 77.9 | 340.8 | 396.1 | 345.1 | 2.0 | 1.2 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 0.7 | 0.3 |
| Kanniyakumari | 19.7 | 16.6 | 12.4 | 84.8 | 90.1 | 57.9 | 1.3 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.2 |
| Karur | 44.4 | 36.1 | 20.9 | 67.1 | 91.0 | 57.6 | 6.0 | 11.8 | 7.3 | 2.3 | 7.7 | 3.9 |
| Krishnagiri | 72.5 | 71.3 | 69.5 | 142.7 | 228.8 | 161.6 | 24.8 | 35.8 | 46.9 | 10.2 | 19.1 | 25.0 |
| Madurai | 85.2 | 87.2 | 34.9 | 264.8 | 355.7 | 91.1 | 8.9 | 7.5 | 6.3 | 3.1 | 4.2 | 3.0 |
| Nagapattinam | 159.4 | 170.1 | 142.3 | 310.9 | 577.1 | 201.7 | 81.4 | 82.3 | 53.5 | 20.4 | 27.7 | 15.9 |
| Namakkal | 38.2 | 25.2 | 68.8 | 95.4 | 86.0 | 91.9 | 7.4 | 6.6 | 12.6 | 4.3 | 4.2 | 2.3 |
| Perambalur | 60.1 | 55.5 | 54.6 | 112.6 | 295.9 | 111.1 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.2 |
| Pudukkottai | 96.7 | 97.9 | 87.9 | 232.8 | 371.2 | 263.8 | 2.5 | 4.5 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 2.8 | 1.1 |
| Ramanathapuram | 133.8 | 132.6 | 122.3 | 212.1 | 443.8 | 74.9 | 3.6 | 4.0 | 3.2 | 1.2 | 1.7 | 1.0 |
| Salem | 76.3 | 89.4 | 68.5 | 211.6 | 364.1 | 248.7 | 18.7 | 41.7 | 39.3 | 8.1 | 13.0 | 14.6 |
| Sivaganga | 82.5 | 84.1 | 70.8 | 146.2 | 311.4 | 130.6 | 0.9 | 1.7 | 1.3 | 0.3 | 1.0 | 0.7 |
| Thanjavur | 163.5 | 182.2 | 147.9 | 459.5 | 730.3 | 434.4 | 24.8 | 32.7 | 17.2 | 8.8 | 22.8 | 9.3 |
| The Nilgiris | 1.0 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 3.4 | 1.6 | 1.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Theni | 40.7 | 39.6 | 28.7 | 153.5 | 195.6 | 128.7 | 7.7 | 11.1 | 7.5 | 3.8 | 4.5 | 3.5 |
| Tirunelveli | 97.4 | 98.6 | 59.4 | 379.5 | 528.4 | 220.5 | 24.2 | 16.4 | 15.1 | 10.5 | 13.9 | 5.8 |
| Tiruppur | 64.4 | 49.3 | 22.1 | 141.4 | 276.5 | 113.0 | 19.1 | 22.3 | 16.4 | 7.0 | 6.3 | 5.3 |
| Thiruvallur | 83.9 | 79.6 | 79.1 | 273.8 | 313.9 | 301.7 | 8.3 | 10.7 | 8.8 | 4.3 | 5.3 | 5.8 |
| Tiruvannamalai | 129.6 | 114.7 | 101.4 | 370.2 | 378.8 | 340.4 | 9.5 | 19.4 | 12.7 | 4.2 | 11.2 | 7.1 |
| Thiruvarur | 162.5 | 186.3 | 158.9 | 336.6 | 790.0 | 192.8 | 78.4 | 80.0 | 24.8 | 19.8 | 30.6 | 12.1 |
| Thoothukkudi | 53.4 | 53.3 | 57.0 | 160.9 | 239.6 | 69.1 | 57.2 | 65.6 | 60.4 | 23.0 | 45.4 | 9.9 |
| Tiruchirappalli | 107.7 | 96.3 | 75.1 | 287.7 | 350.2 | 169.0 | 8.9 | 6.4 | 3.6 | 4.2 | 4.3 | 1.5 |
| Vellore | 64.7 | 54.3 | 50.7 | 172.5 | 187.5 | 179.7 | 19.6 | 20.3 | 25.9 | 9.3 | 12.7 | 16.5 |
| Villupuram | 174.7 | 150.9 | 132.4 | 524.8 | 544.8 | 431.8 | 20.9 | 24.1 | 24.3 | 11.7 | 16.3 | 10.1 |
| Virudhunagar | 58.2 | 60.1 | 61.6 | 170.0 | 248.9 | 107.4 | 16.9 | 13.5 | 8.6 | 7.9 | 9.1 | 2.2 |

*Average from 2004-05 to 2010-11. Zero denotes either nil or Negligible.

SOURCE: Department of Economics and Statistics, Govt. of Tamil Nadu.



VII.3. Area and Production

TABLE VII.3.2: District-wise Area under Crops and Production of Food Grains and Oilseeds

| Districts | Food Grains | | | | | | Oilseeds | | | | | |
|-------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|----------------------|----------------|--------------|
| | Area ('000 ha) | | | Production ('000 MT) | | | Area ('000 ha) | | | Production ('000 MT) | | |
| | *2004-10 | 2011-12 | 2012-13 | *2004-10 | 2011-12 | 2012-13 | *2004-10 | 2011-12 | 2012-13 | *2004-10 | 2011-12 | 2012-13 |
| TAMIL NADU | 3,180.9 | 3,208.6 | 2,647.6 | 7,043.9 | 10,111.4 | 5,605.5 | 572.2 | 428.8 | 372.5 | 1,019.1 | 1,087.1 | 802.5 |
| Ariyalur | 47.2 | 40.5 | 35.8 | 105.1 | 166.2 | 75.2 | 20.1 | 14.2 | 9.7 | 32.0 | 54.3 | 23.3 |
| Coimbatore | 54.7 | 42.5 | 38.8 | 40.4 | 65.8 | 41.2 | 8.6 | 7.7 | 5.9 | 11.6 | 18.2 | 8.6 |
| Cuddalore | 168 | 193.1 | 174.6 | 346.7 | 312.6 | 395 | 19.3 | 12.7 | 14.0 | 42.3 | 36.6 | 41.5 |
| Dharmapuri | 87.5 | 115.8 | 75.5 | 148.4 | 251.6 | 121.8 | 13.6 | 18.2 | 12.1 | 26.3 | 55.3 | 26.9 |
| Dindigul | 121.5 | 117.2 | 88.7 | 303.8 | 424.2 | 185.5 | 15.3 | 13.4 | 7.8 | 36.6 | 45.2 | 18.5 |
| Erode | 79.3 | 56.1 | 29.1 | 276.5 | 228.5 | 103.9 | 44.5 | 26.5 | 19.8 | 64.4 | 31.9 | 24.3 |
| Kancheepuram | 100.7 | 91.8 | 78.8 | 341.8 | 396.8 | 345.4 | 22.0 | 16.6 | 16.6 | 74.4 | 62.5 | 57.5 |
| Kanniyakumari | 21 | 17.3 | 12.8 | 85.2 | 90.5 | 58.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| Karur | 50.4 | 47.9 | 28.2 | 69.4 | 98.7 | 61.5 | 13.2 | 11.3 | 6.4 | 16.7 | 22.0 | 12.3 |
| Krishnagiri | 97.3 | 107.1 | 116.4 | 152.9 | 247.9 | 186.6 | 17.8 | 16.6 | 17.6 | 28.6 | 48.9 | 35.5 |
| Madurai | 94.1 | 94.7 | 41.2 | 267.9 | 359.9 | 94.1 | 6.1 | 4.2 | 3.0 | 9.2 | 6.9 | 4.9 |
| Nagapattinam | 240.8 | 252.4 | 195.8 | 331.3 | 604.8 | 217.6 | 4.4 | 3.4 | 2.8 | 8.7 | 10.2 | 5.3 |
| Namakkal | 45.6 | 31.8 | 81.4 | 99.7 | 90.2 | 94.2 | 38.5 | 26.8 | 29.4 | 63.0 | 64.8 | 39.5 |
| Perambalur | 60.5 | 56 | 55.3 | 112.9 | 296.3 | 111.3 | 3.3 | 2.5 | 1.6 | 5.1 | 4.8 | 3.8 |
| Pudukkottai | 99.2 | 102.4 | 89.9 | 233.8 | 374 | 264.9 | 22.8 | 19.1 | 13.2 | 34.6 | 39.3 | 24.8 |
| Ramanathapuram | 137.4 | 136.6 | 125.5 | 213.3 | 445.5 | 75.9 | 7.9 | 4.6 | 4.5 | 9.0 | 5.5 | 4.5 |
| Salem | 95 | 131.1 | 107.8 | 219.7 | 377.1 | 263.3 | 28.6 | 22.5 | 19.3 | 41.2 | 51.1 | 35.2 |
| Sivaganga | 83.4 | 85.8 | 72.1 | 146.5 | 312.4 | 131.3 | 5.4 | 6.3 | 3.8 | 6.8 | 16.7 | 9.1 |
| Thanjavur | 188.3 | 214.9 | 165.1 | 468.3 | 753.1 | 443.7 | 16.1 | 12.1 | 11.1 | 24.1 | 27.4 | 24.0 |
| The Nilgiris | 1 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 3.4 | 1.6 | 1.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Theni | 48.4 | 50.7 | 36.2 | 157.3 | 200.1 | 132.2 | 3.0 | 3.1 | 2.6 | 5.0 | 6.1 | 9.4 |
| Tirunelveli | 121.6 | 115 | 74.5 | 390 | 542.3 | 226.3 | 4.6 | 2.1 | 2.0 | 6.4 | 4.0 | 3.5 |
| Tiruppur | 83.5 | 71.6 | 38.5 | 148.4 | 282.8 | 118.3 | 10.4 | 9.9 | 5.4 | 17.1 | 20.9 | 6.6 |
| Thiruvallur | 92.2 | 90.3 | 87.9 | 278.1 | 319.2 | 307.5 | 16.7 | 10.5 | 10.9 | 56.2 | 40.9 | 47.2 |
| Tiruvannamalai | 139.1 | 134.1 | 114.1 | 374.4 | 390 | 347.5 | 88.9 | 57.7 | 57.6 | 144.4 | 155.0 | 120.5 |
| Thiruvarur | 240.9 | 266.3 | 183.7 | 356.4 | 820.6 | 204.9 | 4.1 | 4.9 | 4.1 | 7.8 | 23.4 | 11.0 |
| Thoothukkudi | 110.6 | 118.9 | 117.4 | 183.9 | 285 | 79 | 3.9 | 1.6 | 1.3 | 3.3 | 2.1 | 1.4 |
| Tiruchirappalli | 116.6 | 102.7 | 78.7 | 291.9 | 354.5 | 170.5 | 14.2 | 11.8 | 9.3 | 25.4 | 27.0 | 21.8 |
| Vellore | 84.3 | 74.6 | 76.6 | 181.8 | 200.2 | 196.2 | 52.5 | 43.2 | 39.5 | 89.2 | 96.4 | 82.8 |
| Villuppuram | 195.6 | 175 | 156.7 | 536.5 | 561.1 | 441.9 | 56.1 | 38.2 | 35.8 | 120.0 | 100.3 | 93.6 |
| Virudhunagar | 75.1 | 73.6 | 70.2 | 177.9 | 258 | 109.6 | 10.1 | 6.9 | 5.5 | 9.8 | 9.5 | 5.2 |

*Average from 2004-05 to 2010-11. Zero denotes either nil or Negligible. Oilseeds includes only Groundnut and Gingely (Sesame).

SOURCE: Department of Economics and Statistics, Govt. of Tamil Nadu.



VII.3. Area and Production

TABLE VII.3.3: District-wise Area under Crops and Production of Sugarcane and Cotton

| Districts | Sugarcane | | | | | | Cotton | | | | | |
|-------------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| | Area ('000 ha) | | | Production ('Lakh MT) | | | Area ('000 ha) | | | Production ('000 bales) | | |
| | *2004-10 | 2011-12 | 2012-13 | *2004-10 | 2011-12 | 2012-13 | *2004-10 | 2011-12 | 2012-13 | *2004-10 | 2011-12 | 2012-13 |
| TAMIL NADU | 317.3 | 346.4 | 359.9 | 342.3 | 389.7 | 340.1 | 111.2 | 135.8 | 133.2 | 205.2 | 381.8 | 255.5 |
| Ariyalur | 9.4 | 8.0 | 7.8 | 9.3 | 8.8 | 7.1 | 2.5 | 7.8 | 8.6 | 5.6 | 36.6 | 15.7 |
| Coimbatore | 2.2 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.5 | 2.8 | 1.4 | 0.6 | 3.5 | 5.6 | 1.0 |
| Cuddalore | 33.6 | 31.1 | 30.7 | 37.4 | 29.5 | 34.5 | 3.2 | 5.8 | 5.1 | 2.8 | 14.5 | 12.1 |
| Dharmapuri | 16.4 | 20.3 | 16.4 | 15.0 | 22.9 | 13.0 | 6.5 | 11.0 | 13.7 | 13.3 | 34.4 | 41.6 |
| Dindigul | 5.8 | 5.7 | 5.5 | 6.8 | 7.5 | 3.0 | 1.7 | 2.8 | 2.2 | 3.8 | 10.4 | 3.6 |
| Erode | 36.2 | 31.5 | 31.2 | 43.3 | 35.5 | 28.3 | 2.8 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 8.6 | 2.7 | 1.7 |
| Kancheepuram | 3.4 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 3.2 | 2.0 | 1.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Kanniyakumari | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Karur | 5.9 | 8.1 | 6.6 | 5.7 | 11.1 | 6.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| Krishnagiri | 2.4 | 2.2 | 1.2 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 1.1 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 1.5 | 2.3 | 4.4 | 4.0 |
| Madurai | 4.6 | 4.3 | 5.1 | 4.6 | 4.9 | 4.9 | 8.5 | 6.7 | 5.2 | 11.4 | 14.0 | 6.9 |
| Nagapattinam | 4.5 | 3.1 | 3.8 | 3.7 | 2.7 | 3.2 | 1.2 | 0.3 | 0.7 | 2.2 | 0.9 | 1.7 |
| Namakkal | 17.1 | 19.7 | 20.3 | 22.1 | 26.8 | 16.1 | 3.0 | 2.9 | 2.7 | 8.3 | 11.8 | 5.3 |
| Perambalur | 4.6 | 6.7 | 6.5 | 5.2 | 8.1 | 5.7 | 14.1 | 26.2 | 24.3 | 23.1 | 69.2 | 27.7 |
| Pudukkottai | 8.3 | 9.2 | 9.3 | 9.5 | 12.2 | 8.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.0 |
| Ramanathapuram | 0.4 | 0.6 | 4.2 | 0.4 | 0.7 | 0.5 | 2.5 | 2.0 | 1.6 | 1.9 | 4.4 | 1.1 |
| Salem | 10.9 | 12.2 | 15.5 | 10.5 | 12.2 | 13.2 | 14.7 | 17.0 | 15.8 | 32.7 | 48.4 | 47.0 |
| Sivaganga | 4.8 | 6.3 | 6.1 | 4.8 | 7.8 | 5.5 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 0.3 |
| Thanjavur | 12.8 | 10.7 | 11.9 | 13.9 | 11.9 | 12.9 | 0.8 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 2.0 | 2.9 | 3.3 |
| The Nilgiris | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Theni | 6.9 | 7.1 | 6.4 | 8.6 | 9.3 | 8.1 | 2.0 | 1.6 | 1.2 | 4.7 | 6.3 | 4.8 |
| Tirunelveli | 5.0 | 5.1 | 4.7 | 4.9 | 4.4 | 2.7 | 3.8 | 2.7 | 2.5 | 9.0 | 8.5 | 5.1 |
| Tiruppur | 6.0 | 7.6 | 5.4 | 7.8 | 9.2 | 4.9 | 1.2 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 2.3 | 1.8 | 0.7 |
| Thiruvallur | 6.0 | 7.4 | 7.8 | 6.7 | 8.0 | 7.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Tiruvannamalai | 26.3 | 37.8 | 43.5 | 25.8 | 44.1 | 43.8 | 1.4 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 3.5 | 2.1 | 1.0 |
| Thiruvarur | 2.2 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 2.4 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 1.1 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.8 | 4.6 | 2.4 |
| Thoothukkudi | 0.3 | 0.6 | 3.4 | 0.3 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 4.7 | 3.6 | 3.8 | 6.3 | 9.0 | 3.8 |
| Tiruchirappalli | 5.8 | 5.2 | 4.9 | 5.8 | 5.8 | 3.5 | 7.6 | 14.4 | 16.9 | 15.0 | 37.6 | 17.5 |
| Vellore | 16.9 | 15.1 | 13.2 | 15.1 | 14.6 | 12.4 | 5.8 | 7.1 | 7.7 | 11.8 | 14.1 | 18.1 |
| Villupuram | 55.2 | 73.5 | 79.5 | 61.8 | 80.6 | 87.0 | 6.2 | 6.2 | 6.9 | 13.3 | 13.0 | 17.1 |
| Virudhunagar | 3.5 | 3.3 | 3.7 | 3.6 | 3.7 | 3.0 | 10.9 | 9.6 | 8.2 | 15.0 | 23.3 | 11.9 |

* Average from 2004-05 to 2010-11, 1 bale = 170 kg. Zero denotes either nil or Negligible.

SOURCE: Department of Economics and Statistics, Govt. of Tamil Nadu.