

AGRICULTURE

Land Utilization in Andaman & Nicobar Islands

Particulars	2008-09	2009-10
Total Geographical Area	824900.00	824900.00
Reporting Area for land utilization	759280.79	757380.23
Forest area	717069.00	717069.00
Not available for Cultivation	10927.44	8819.14
Other uncultivated land excluding follow land	10956.82	10866.12
Current fallow	2812.18	2634.30
Fallow lands other than current fallows	3051.91	3281.60
Net area sown	14463.44	14710.07
Area sown more than once	1972.25	1825.15
Total cropped area	16435.69	16535.22

Note: Data for the year 2010 onwards is not received from Tehsildar offices

District-wise Area and Production of Major Produce in A&N Islands during 2011-12

Name of Crop	Area (Hect.)			Production (MT)		
	South Andaman	N & M Andaman	Nicobar	South Andaman	N & M Andaman	Nicobar
CEREALS						
Paddy	784.45	7314.05	1.5	2720	21252.25	3.75
Maize	67.5	91	4	201	136.5	2.7
Pulses						
Green Gram	25.8	824.6	-	13.37	492.46	-
Black Gram	9.5	735.4	-	3.28	407.64	-
Arhar	-	210	-	-	63.4	-
Oil Seed						
Coconut (million nuts)	3542	3668	14590	19.7	15.6	69.7
Sunflower	-		-	-	-	-
Groundnut	12.2	8.05	-	4.3	11.7	-
Mustard	1.3	20	-	0.3	5.23	-
Sugar Group						
Sugarcane	61.8	105	4.5	562	1892	10.45
Condiments & Spices						
Dry Chillies	127	246	12	232.1	332	15.9
Black pepper	407.1	169.9	23	28	2.68	1.03
Dry Ginger	92.5	110.5	7	799.6	1044.5	10.9
Turmeric	9.5	68.55	1.95	103.7	380.35	0.95
Aercanut	1925	1338	957	2450	2410	1090
Nutmug	48	20	2	2.9	0.29	0.32
Clove	123	23	10	0.6	0.14	0.36
Cinnamon	74	62	14	19.78	5.7	2.52
Fruits & Vegetables						
Banana	378.5	682	620.5	5730	9085	3720
Mango	70.8	192.2	29	927	1759.5	63.5
Cashewnut	20	153.5	1026.5	15.25	53.5	282.25
Sweet Potato	26	101	23	180	425	240
Tapioca	19.5	181.5	64	260	1280.5	505
Papaya	41.5	86	192.5	474.1	965	910.9
Citrus fruits	36.4	223.4	20.2	364	961	25
Pineapple	11.7	52.6	83.7	36.85	545	118.15
Sapota	37.5	116.5	8	675	2365	60
Other Fruits	36	234	97	362	1293	160

Distribution of Seedlings, Seeds, Pesticides & Fertilizers

Items		2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	South Andaman	N & M Andaman	Nicobar
A. Seedlings (Nos.)	Coconut	20574	31475	18573	5860	7313	5400
	Arecanut	25705	65160	38809	15525	23284	-
	Fruit Plant	20379	-	38710	15245	20368	3097
	Banana	82459	155694	21113	8446	12667	
	Pineapple	44558	-	45998	18399	26599	1000
	Ornamental	28721	-	-	-	-	
B. Seeds	Paddy (MT)	23.00	18.8	22.47	8.99	13.48	-
	Vegetables (KG)	13.85	NA	13.85	5.37	7.37	1.11
C. Pesticides	Dry Type (MT)	18.00	NA	3439.85	1375.94	2063.91	-
	Liquid Type (Litre)	2473.10	NA	4004.00	1701.6	2302.4	-
D. Fertilizers (MT)	Nitrogenous	389.47	NA	367.91	163.09	199.32	5.5
	Phosphatic	340.29	NA	369.58	163.83	200.22	5.53
	Potassic	188.30	NA	173.66	76.98	94.08	2.6

Floriculture: Area and Production during 2011-12

Name of Flowers	Area (Hect.)			Production (MT.)		
	South Andaman	N & M Andaman	Nicobar	South Andaman	N & M Andaman	Nicobar
Marigold	3.70	2.5	0.55	53.58	42.68	2.10
Rose	1.75	1.55	0.50	20.45	15.24	1.55
Jasmine	0.67	1	0.18	5	5.85	0.30
Hibiscus	5.70	4.55	0.75	68.020	59.98	1.05
Ixora	1.96	1	-	5.49	2.8	-
Muscanda	0.35	0.91	-	0.48	0.97	-
Miscellaneous	4.25	2.13	0.90	39.50	11.07	5.20
Total	18.38	13.64	2.88	192.52	138.59	10.20

District-wise machinery in Agriculture Department

Item	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	South Andaman	N & M Andaman	Nicobar
Departmental Tractor in operation	71	71	81			
(i) Transfer to PRI				28	48	5
(ii) with the department	16	10	10	3	2	5
Pump set distribute on subsidy	910	910	917	409	498	10
Pump set distribute (RGRP)	2300	2300	2300	1213	535	552
Tractor on loan cum subsidy			65	42	8	15
Power tiller transfer to PRIs			39	13	25	1
Power tiller on loan cum subsidy			186	37	148	1

No. of Organics / Non-Organic Farm / Pit compost Farm

Item	2011-12	South Andaman	N & M Andaman	Nicobar
No. of Organic farm	1	1	-	-
No. of non organic farm	28	7	17	4
No. of Pit compost	31	9	1	21
No. of Vermi-compost	627	194	425	8
No. of manure selling unit	49	20	27	2
Main Store	2	1	-	1

Note :- data pertaining to govt. dept only

Area and Production of Rubber & Red Oil Palm in A & N Islands

Year	Rubber (Rubber Board & FPDC)		Red Oil Palm	
	Area(Hect.)	Production (MT)	Area(Hect.)	Oil Production(MT)
2009-10	1525.23	305.999	1593	1082.860
2010-11	880.36	198.22	1593	702.45
2011-12*	803.68*	214.28*	1593	1570.15
Districtwise				
South Andaman	189.68	42.60	1593	1570.15
N&M Andaman	-	-	-	-
Nicobar	614.00	171.688	-	-

*Figure includes of Rubber Board & FPDC