

2. AGRICULTURETable: 2.1- **Land Utilization in Andaman & Nicobar Islands**

Item	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

Table:2.2: **Area and Production of major produce in A&N Islands**

Name of Crop	2008-09		2009-10		2010-11	
	Area (Hect.)	Production (MT)	Area (Hect.)	Production (MT)	Area (Hect.)	Production (MT)
CEREALS						
Paddy	7990	22100.10	8139.85	24907.01	8390.00	23916.00
Maize	239.30	641.67	162.94	405.00	163.54	367.62
Pulses						
Green Gram	813.13	422.56	1382.47	886.60	1200.00	575.50
Black Gram	1174.41	638.16	1257.16	693.86	1095.00	475.00
Arhar	131.93	92.83	331.46	164.10	315.00	104.00
Oil Seed						
Coconut (mill.nuts)	21689.19	85.74	21760.22	84.97	21768.00	95.00
Sunflower	12.92	12.62	2.50	1.70	3.90	2.40
Groundnut	30.10	15.73	13.60	16.30	20.25	14.40
Mustard	11.35	6.40	30.80	11.48	21.95	8.40
Sugar Group						
Sugarcane	156.45	3001.79	141.80	2007.60	154.23	2332.95
Condiments & Spices						
Dry Chillies	382.02	538.10	392.80	573.50	394.00	575.00
Black pepper	613.83	33.24	600.40	58.31	600.00	120.00
Dry Ginger	199.08	1502.19	209.90	1575.00	211.00	1850.00
Turmeric	82.50	380.11	83.50	384.10	80.00	482.00
Aercanut	4147.50	4126.10	4152.50	5200.00	4152.00	5800.00
Nutmug	66.36	537000	69.40	523300	70.00	525000
Clove	165.90	3.83	155.90	4.82	156.00	5.00
Cinnamon	149.31	30.49	150.00	30.60	150.00	30.00
Fruits & Vegetables						
Banana	1589.64	15419.47	1596.30	14872.95	1610.00	16910.00
Mango	240.40	1899.16	286.64	2558.20	290.00	2175.00
Cashewnut	1051.20	360.80	1077.85	332.13	1100.00	310.00
Sweet Potato	118.56	711.24	161.90	912.02	163.00	923.00
Tapioca	221.29	2113.69	274.65	2120.00	278.00	2150.00
Papaya		2386.52	311.55	2104.29	315.00	2200.00
Citrus fruits	252.42	1489.27	279.61	1334.36	281.00	1340.00
Pineapple	150.18	1063.29	224.71	608.42	230.00	680.00
Sapota	126.20	995.73	156.40	2914.60	160.00	2950.00
Other Fruits	375.46	1688.05	263.30	2374.85	274.00	2517.00
Other Vegetables	390.40	899.20	541.60	1908.55	5150.00	31300.00

Table : 2.3- **Area and Production of Rubber & Red Oil Palm in A & N Islands**

Year	Rubber* (board & FPDC)		Red Oil Palm	
	Area(Hect.)	Production (MT)	Area(Hect.)	Oil Production(MT)
2007-08	1199.1	344.48	1593	845
2008-09	613.840	195.718 Only FPDC	1593	1473.673
2009-10	1525.23	305.999	1593	1082.860
2010-11	880.36	198.22	1593	702.45

Table No: 2.4- **Distribution of Seedlings, Seeds, Pesticides & Fertilizers**

Items	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
A. Seedlings (Nos.)			
Coconut	52106	20574	31475
Arecanut	28000	25705	65160
Vegetable	42650	-	
Fruit Plant	5131	20379	
Banana	80000	82459	155694
Pineapple	120000	44558	
Ornamental	-	28721	
B. Seeds			
Paddy (MT)	19.00	23.00	18.8
Vegetables (KG)	13.65	13.85	-
C. Pesticides			
Dry Type (MT)	38.09	18.00	-
Liquid Type (Litre)	2262.22	2473.10	-
D. Fertilizers (MT)			
Nitrogenous	337.30	389.47	-
Phosphatic	281.49	340.29	-
Potassic	110.44	188.30	-

Table:2.5- **Number & Area of Operational Holding(Agriculture Census 2005-06)**

Size class (Hect.)	No. of Holding	Area of holding (Ha.)
Marginal (below 1 hect.)	4823	2140.64
Small (1-2 hect.)	2118	3200.94
Semi-medium (2-4 hect.)	2953	7793.21
Medium (4-10 hect.)	1656	7199.58
Large (10 hect.& above)	40	1511.40
Total	11590	21845.77

Table:2.6 :- **Floriculture: Area and Production**

Name of flowers	2008-09		2009-10		2010-11	
	Area (Hect.)	Production (MT)	Area (Hect.)	Production (MT)	Area (Hect.)	Production (MT)
Marigold	6.57	94.38	6.40	91.90	6.85	98.36
Rose	3.80	37.24	3.65	35.77	3.50	34.30
Jasmine	1.99	11.98	1.75	10.55	1.90	11.45
Hibiscus	12.35	142.90	12.00	138.84	11.00	119.00
Ixora	2.60	4.90	1.90	3.57	2.00	5.60
Muscanda	2.00	2.90	1.76	2.60	1.00	1.47
Miscellaneous	4.89	40.86	4.74	46.89	7.35	59.10
Total	34.20	335.16	32.2	330.12	33.6	329.28

Table : 2.7 **District wise machinery in Agriculture Department**

items	2009-10			2010-11		
	South Andaman	N & M Andaman	Nicobar District	South Andaman	N & M Andaman	Nicobar District
Departmental Tractor in operation (i)	8	1*	7*	1	1	8
(ii)	27**	40**	4**	27	40	4
Departmental Pump set operated (i)	406	494	10	406	494	10
(ii)	1213***	535***	552***	1213	535	552

* Departmental, **Transferred to PRIs, *** under RGRP