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# estimates of area of principal Crops 

## UNDER TIMELY REPORTING SCHEME

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## PREFACE

The centrally sponsored "Timely Reporting Scheme" is being implemented in the State since 1969-70 which aims to arrive at quick and reliable estimates of area under principal crops. Districtwise area under selected principal crops has been estimated based on the data from sample villages for all the three seasons during 2017-18 which constitute 20 percent of total villages. This report is based on the second set of $20 \%$ villages selected among the five sets of villages commencing from 2016-17 to 2020-21 covering 15 crops. While estimating area, classification of crops as traditional and high yielding variety and also status of irrigation are taken into account.

This report is prepared in the Agricultural Statistics Division of the Directorate of Economics and Statistics. Suggestions for improvement of this report are most welcome.

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## TIMELY REPORTING OF ESTIMATES OF AREA OF PRINCIPAL CROPS IN KARNATAKA 2017-18

### 1.1 Introduction

The "Timely Reporting Scheme" sponsored by Government of India is being implemented in the State since 1969-70, with an objective to arrive at quick, reliable and accurate estimates of area under selected principal crops soon after the end of each season. These estimates of area are worked out on the basis of the actual enumeration in $20 \%$ of total villages selected in the State every year. The area estimates under this scheme will help the Government in assessing agricultural prospects during the year and to take quick policy measures relating to agricultural output, imports, minimum support price and exports of the agricultural commodities etc.

### 1.2 Objective

The main objective of the scheme is to obtain reliable and statistically precise area estimates under selected principal crops soon after the end of each season. The area is estimated separately for irrigated and unirrigated category crops for both traditional and high yielding varieties.

### 1.3 Coverage

The time schedule of timely reporting scheme of the State covering the period from $1^{\text {st }}$ April 2017 to $31^{\text {th }}$ March 2018 is divided into three seasons viz., kharif, rabi and summer (see para 1.4). Totally 15 major crops are covered under the scheme but the number of crop coverage varies from season to season. However, Paddy, Maize, Ragi and Sunflower crops are common for all the three seasons. Crop coverage in each season is as follows:-

a) Kharif: 1. Paddy 2. Jowar 3. Maize. 4. Ragi 5. Bajra 6. Tur<br>7. Groundnut 8. Sesamum 9. Sunflower<br>b) Rabi: 1. Paddy 2. Jowar 3. Maize 4. Ragi 5. Wheat 6. Cotton 7. Gram<br>8. Sugarcane 9. Sunflower 10. Safflower 11. Linseed<br>c) Summer: 1. Paddy 2. Maize 3. Ragi 4. Groundnut 5. Sunflower.

### 1.4 Time Schedule

The time schedule for crop area enumeration was as follows:

| $\begin{gathered} \text { Sl. } \\ \text { No. } \end{gathered}$ | Agricultural Season | Sowing period | Crop enumeration period |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. | Kharif - Early <br> - Late | $\begin{aligned} & 1^{\text {st }} \text { April } 2017 \text { to } 30^{\text {th }} \text { June } 2017 \\ & 1^{\text {st }} \text { July } 2017 \text { to } 31^{\text {st }} \text { August } 2017 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1^{\text {st }} \text { July } 2017 \text { to } 9^{\text {th }} \text { July } 2017 \\ & 1^{\text {st }} \text { Sept } 2017 \text { to } 9^{\text {th }} \text { Sept } 2017 \end{aligned}$ |
| 2. | Rabi | $1^{\text {st }}$ Sept. 2017 to 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Dec. 2017 | $1^{\text {st }}$ Jan 2018 to $9^{\text {th }}$ Jan 2018 |
| 3. | Summer | $1^{\text {st }}$ Jan. 2018 to $31{ }^{\text {st }}$ March 2018 | $1^{\text {st }}$ April 2018 to $9^{\text {th }}$ April 2018 |

### 1.5 Sampling design

1) Linear systematic sampling method, suggested by the Directorate of Economics and Statistics, Government of India, New Delhi, is adopted, treating each taluk as a stratum. $20 \%$ of total villages in each taluk are selected every year. All the village accountant circles in each taluk and all the villages in each village accountant circle are arranged in random order for preparing a sample frame to select the sampling unit.
2) The selection of $20 \%$ sample villages in each taluk is done as per systematic sampling technique from the sampling frame stated above, with an interval of five sample units with a different random strata adopting non-overlapping sampling procedure.
3) Commencing the year 2016-17, $20 \%$ of villages are selected every year under the scheme so that $100 \%$ villages are covered in five years i.e. by $2020-21$. This report is based on the data collected from the second set of villages selected for the year 2017-18.

### 1.6 Organisation of field work

1) The Directorate of Economics and Statistics was entrusted with the responsibility of implementation of the scheme and the field work was assigned to the Village Accountants of the Revenue Department.
2) To improve the quality of field work and to point out different kinds of mistakes committed by the Village Accountants in recording the crop area, supervision is essential. The supervision of field work was entrusted to Tahsildars and Revenue Inspectors of the Revenue Department, Assistant Directors of Agriculture, Assistant Agricultural Officers and the Agricultural Officers of the Department of Agriculture. The District Statistical Officers and their staff from the Economics \& Statistics Department were also involved in the supervision work.
3) The District Statistical Officers were assigned with the overall responsibility of implementation of the scheme in their jurisdiction.

### 1.7 Training

The District Statistical Officers impart training to the field staff with regard to the procedure to be followed in the area enumeration and in recording the crop acreage in the prescribed crop abstracts from the RTC. Supervisory staff of the Revenue, Agriculture and Statistics Departments were also trained during kharif season, well before the commencement of the area enumeration work.

### 1.8 Sample size and receipt position of crop abstracts

During the year under review, in all 5888 villages were selected under the scheme. The details of number of villages selected and the number of the crop abstracts received in each season and other such particulars are given in Table-1.

Table - 1

## Seasonwise receipt position of crop abstracts

| Sl. <br> No. | Particulars | Kharif | Rabi | Summer |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. | No. of villages selected | 5888 | 5888 | 5888 |
| 2 | No. of villages from which crop abstracts <br> received <br> a By cut off date |  |  |  |
| A Total | 4593 | 4668 | 4347 |  |
|  | b After cut off date | 1295 | 1220 | 1541 |
|  | Percentage response | 5888 | 5888 | 5888 |

(Figures in the bracket indicates percentage of last year)

### 1.9 Supervision

Out of the $20 \%$ of the villages selected under the scheme during the year under review, the percentage fixed for supervision is $10 \%, 5 \%$ and $5 \%$ for Statistics, Revenue and Agriculture Departments respectively. The details of supervision conducted are given in Table- 2.

Table - 2
No. of villages supervised

|  |  | No. of villages (Kharif+Rabi+Summer) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sl. <br> No. | Agency |  | Allotted | Supervised | Percentage of <br> supervision |
|  |  |  |  | $2017-18$ | 2016-17 |
| 1. | Statistics | 1794 | 1794 | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| 2. | Agriculture | 882 | 882 | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| 3. | Revenue | 957 | 957 | 100.00 | 100.00 |

### 1.10 Procedure for Estimating Area of Crops:

The formula adopted for estimating the area under selected crops and working out the sampling error of such estimates by the ratio and unbiased method are as follows :

## A. Ratio Method:

1. Let k be the number of taluks in a district.
2. Yij be the area under a crop in the $\mathrm{j}^{\text {th }}$ village of the $\mathrm{i}^{\text {th }}$ taluk in the current year.
3. $\mathrm{X}_{\mathrm{ij}}$ be the area under that crop in the $\mathrm{j}^{\text {th }}$ village of the $\mathrm{i}^{\text {th }}$ taluk during the previous year.
4. ni be the total number of villages selected in the $\mathrm{i}^{\text {th }}$ taluk.
5. Ni be the total number of villages in the $i^{\text {th }}$ taluk.
6. Rc be the combined ratio estimates of the given crop in the district.
7. X is the area under that crop during previous ASCR report.
$\wedge$
8. $\mathrm{Y}_{\mathrm{Rc}}$ be the estimates of the area of the crop in the district.
a) Area Estimates by Ratio Method

$$
\hat{Y_{R c}}=\left[\begin{array}{cc}
\sum_{i=1}^{k} & N_{i} \bar{Y}_{i} \\
\sum_{i=1}^{K} & N_{i} \bar{X}_{i}
\end{array}\right]
$$

b) Area Estimates by Unbiased Method

$$
\begin{aligned}
& Y[\hat{R c}]=\sum_{i=1}^{k} N i \bar{Y}_{i}
\end{aligned}
$$

Where $\mathrm{X}=$ the total area under the crop in the district during the previous year.

The variance of the Ratio estimates of the crop is given by :

$$
\hat{\mathrm{V}(\mathrm{YRc})}=\sum_{\mathrm{i}=1}^{\mathrm{k}} \stackrel{\mathrm{Ni}(\mathrm{Ni}-\mathrm{ni})}{---------} \hat{\mathrm{ni}} \quad \hat{\left(\mathrm{~S}^{2} \mathrm{iy}+\mathrm{Rc}^{2} \mathrm{~S}^{2} \mathrm{ix}-2 \mathrm{Rc} \text { Sixy }\right)}
$$

Where $\mathrm{K}=$ The number of taluks in a district

$$
\hat{\mathrm{Rc}=}=\frac{\mathrm{Ni} \overline{\mathrm{Y}}_{\mathrm{i}}}{-------\overline{\mathrm{X}}_{\mathrm{i}}}
$$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { And } \mathrm{S}^{2} \mathrm{ix}=\stackrel{1}{------{ }_{\mathrm{ni}}-1} \sum_{\mathrm{j}=1}^{\mathrm{ni}}\left(\mathrm{x}_{\mathrm{ij}}-\overline{\mathrm{x}}_{\mathrm{i}}\right)^{2} \\
& S^{2} \mathrm{iy}=\stackrel{1}{\mathrm{n}-\mathrm{-}--\mathrm{ni}} \sum_{\mathrm{j}=1}^{\mathrm{ni}}\left(\mathrm{yij}-\overline{\mathrm{y}_{\mathrm{i}}}\right)^{2}
\end{aligned}
$$

## B. Unbiased Method:

Where $\mathrm{Yij}=$ Area of crop in " $\mathrm{j}^{\text {th }}$ " village of " $\mathrm{i}^{\text {th } " ~ t a l u k ~}$
$\mathrm{ni}=$ Number of villages considered
$\mathrm{Ni}=$ Total no. if villages in the " i " taluk

Where $\mathrm{K}=$ No. of taluks in the District.

## Percentage of Standard error (S.E)

$$
\begin{aligned}
\% \text { S.E }= & \sqrt{V} \\
& -----\times 100 \\
& \text { A }
\end{aligned}
$$

Where $\mathrm{V}=$ Variance
A = Estimated area (Ratio method)

## CHAPTER - 2

## 2. Results of the scheme

Area estimates have been worked out by using both ratio and unbiased methods, comparing the same with reconciled area. Cropwise details of the estimates are presented in the ensuing paragraphs.

### 2.1 Paddy

It is an important cereal crop grown in 9.9 lakh hectares of area during 2017-18. The area covered under the crop was more in Raichur followed by Yadgiri and Ballari districts. About 74.24 \% of the area under the crop was covered in Kharif season alone.

Seasonwise estimates of area as per ratio and unbiased methods along with reconciled area under paddy are given below in Table-3.

Table - 3
Seasonwise estimated and reconciled area under Paddy

| Season | Estimated area <br> as per |  | Recon <br> ciled area | \% variation over <br> reconciled area |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Ratio | Unbiased |  | Ratio | Unbiased |
| $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ | $\mathbf{4}$ | $\mathbf{5}$ | $\mathbf{6}$ |
| Kharif | 693321 | 701978 | 736292 | -5.8 | -4.7 |
| Rabi | 30689 | 30865 | 30634 | 0.2 | 0.8 |
| Summer | 224200 | 227067 | 224744 | -0.2 | 1.0 |
| Total | 948210 | 959910 | 991670 | -4.4 | -3.2 |

Compared to reconciled total area, the estimated area of Paddy under ratio and unbiased methods were lower. During Kharif season, percentage of variation under both the methods lower. In Rabi season, percentage of variation under both the methods was less than one percent. In summer season, percentage of variation under ratio method was marginally less and in unbiased method it was one percent.

Estimated area under irrigated/unirrigated category as per ratio method and the reconciled area are given in Table-4.

Table-4
Season and varietywise area estimated by ratio method under Paddy
Area in hectares

| Variety | Irrigated / <br> Unirrigated | Estimated area as per ratio method |  |  |  | Reconciled area | ```% variation (col. 6- 7/7)``` |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Kharif | Rabi | Summer | Total |  |  |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Traditional | Irrigated | 14838 | 159 | 196 | 15193 | 13965 | 8.8 |
|  | Unirrigated | 76618 | - | - | 76618 | 73935 | 3.6 |
|  | Total | 91456 | 159 | 196 | 91811 | 87900 | 4.4 |
| High <br> Yielding <br> Variety | Irrigated | 407958 | 30530 | 224004 | 662492 | 678913 | -2.4 |
|  | Unirrigated | 193907 | - | - | 193907 | 224857 | -13.8 |
|  | Total | 601865 | 30530 | 224004 | 856399 | 903770 | -5.2 |
| Total | Irrigated | 422796 | 30689 | 224200 | 677685 | 692878 | -2.2 |
|  | Unirrigated | 270525 | - | - | 270525 | 298792 | -9.5 |
|  | Total | 693321 | 30689 | 224200 | 948210 | 991670 | -4.4 |

As per the reconciled area, the irrigated area under paddy crop was $69.9 \%$ and unirrigated was $30.1 \%$, whereas under estimated area it was $71.5 \%$ and $28.5 \%$ respectively. In case of high yielding and traditional varieties the percentage of area under reconciled area was $91.1 \%$ and $8.9 \%$ as against the estimated area of $90.3 \%$ and $9.7 \%$ respectively. The percentage variation of estimated area under ratio method over reconciled area was -2.2 \% under irrigated category, $-9.5 \%$ under unirrigated category and $-4.4 \%$ to the total during 2017-18. Districtwise details are given in Appendix-2.1.

### 2.2 Jowar

Jowar is another important cereal crop with 10.9 lakh hectares of area in the State of which $91.5 \%$ of area was cultivated during rabi season alone. Kalaburagi stands first in the area coverage i.e., 19.0 \% followed by Vijayapura (13.4 \%) and Belagavi (13.3\%). Seasonwise estimated area under jowar is given in Table-5.

## Table - 5

## Seasonwise estimated and reconciled area under Jowar

| Season | Estimated area <br> as per |  |  | Reconciled | Area in hectares <br> area variation over |  | reconciled area |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Ratio | Unbiased |  |  | Unbiased |  |  |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |  |  |
| Kharif | 93505 | 93148 | 92443 | 1.1 | 0.8 |  |  |
| Rabi | 1002094 | 997116 | 993591 | 0.9 | 0.4 |  |  |
| Total | 1095599 | 1090264 | 1086034 | 0.9 | 0.4 |  |  |

It is clear from the above table that compared to reconciled area, the variation of area under ratio and unbiased methods was $1.1 \%$ and $0.8 \%$ during kharif season and it was $0.9 \%$ and $0.4 \%$ under rabi season respectively.

Area by varieties and status of irrigation worked out by ratio method and the reconciled area are given in Table-6.

Table - 6
Season and varietywise area estimated by ratio method under Jowar

| Variety | Irrigated/ <br> Unirrigated | Estimated area as per ratio method |  |  | Reconciled area | $\%$variation(col. 5-6/6) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Kharif | Rabi | Total |  |  |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| Traditional | Irrigated | 1 | 18891 | 18892 | 15298 | 23.5 |
|  | Unirrigated | 15323 | 130374 | 145697 | 164015 | -11.2 |
|  | Total | 15324 | 149265 | 164589 | 179313 | -8.2 |
| Hybrid Variety | Irrigated | 14186 | 101944 | 116130 | 89396 | 29.9 |
|  | Unirrigated | 63995 | 750885 | 814880 | 817325 | -0.3 |
|  | Total | 78181 | 852829 | 931010 | 906721 | 2.7 |
| Total | Irrigated | 14187 | 120835 | 135022 | 104694 | 29.0 |
|  | Unirrigated | 79318 | 881259 | 960577 | 981340 | -2.1 |
|  | Total | 93505 | 1002094 | 1095599 | 1086034 | 0.9 |

15.0 \% of estimated jowar area was under traditional variety and the remaining $85.0 \%$ under hybrid variety as against $16.5 \%$ and $83.5 \%$ of reconciled area respectively. Districtwise details are given in Appendix - 2.2

### 2.3 Ragi

Ragi is the third most important cereal crop largely grown in southern districts with 7.8 lakh hectares of area during 2017-18. The major ragi growing districts are Tumakuru (18.6\%), Hassan (12.2\%), Mandya (10.8\%), and Ramanagara (9.5\%) which account for $51.1 \%$ of the total ragi area of the State. About $93.5 \%$ of the area was covered under kharif season itself. Season wise area estimated as per ratio and unbiased methods are given in Table-7.

Table - 7

## Seasonwise estimated and reconciled area under Ragi

## Area in hectares

| Season | Estimated area as per |  | Reconciled <br> area | \% variation over <br> reconciled area |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Ratio | Unbiased |  | Ratio | Unbiased |
| $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ | $\mathbf{4}$ | $\mathbf{5}$ | $\mathbf{6}$ |
| Kharif | 733484 | 733103 | 726937 | 0.9 | 0.8 |
| Rabi | 42315 | 40937 | 42291 | 0.1 | -3.2 |
| Summer | 7980 | 8212 | 7902 | 1.0 | 3.9 |
| Total | 783779 | 782252 | 777130 | 0.9 | 0.7 |

The percentage variation of area estimated by ratio and unbiased methods over reconciled area was 0.9 and 0.7 respectively. Compared to reconciled area, estimated area under both the methods were higher in Kharif and Summer seasons. In rabi season, the area estimated under ratio method is marginally higher and lower in unbiased method when compared to reconciled area.

Table- 8 depicts estimated area by status of irrigation.

Table - 8
Season and varietywise area estimated under ratio method under Ragi

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Variety | Irrigated/ Unirrigated | Estimated area as per ratio method |  |  |  | Reconciled area | $\%$variation(col. 6-$7 / 7$ ) |
|  |  | Kharif | Rabi | Summer | Total |  |  |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Traditional | Irrigated | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | -100.0 |
|  | Unirrigated | 36 | 0 | 0 | 36 | 589 | -93.9 |
|  | Total | 36 | 0 | 0 | 36 | 591 | -93.9 |
| High | Irrigated | 162416 | 18397 | 7965 | 188778 | 62304 | 203.0 |
| Yielding | Unirrigated | 571032 | 23918 | 15 | 594965 | 714235 | -16.7 |
| Variety | Total | 733448 | 42315 | 7980 | 783743 | 776539 | 0.9 |
| Total | Irrigated | 162416 | 18397 | 7965 | 188778 | 62306 | 203.0 |
|  | Unirrigated | 571068 | 23918 | 15 | 595001 | 714824 | -16.8 |
|  | Total | 733484 | 42315 | 7980 | 783779 | 777130 | 0.9 |

783743 hectares of reconciled area ( 99.9 \%) was covered by high yielding varieties of which $92.0 \%$ was unirrigated. Estimated area was lower under traditional variety and higher under high yielding variety when compared to reconciled area. The area estimated under ratio method in case of irrigated area is significantly higher when compared to reconciled area. Districtwise details are given in Appendix- 2.3

### 2.4 Maize

Maize is yet another cereal crop grown in more than 12.9 lakh hectares in the State. Important Maize growing districts are Davanagere (14.7 \%), Haveri (14.3 \%), and Belagavi ( $10.9 \%$ ). $90.4 \%$ of the area was covered under kharif season alone.

Seasonwise estimated area as per ratio and unbiased methods are given in Table - 9

Table - 9
Seasonwise estimated and reconciled area under Maize
Area in hectares

| Season | Estimated area as per |  | Reconciled area | \% variation over reconciled area |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Ratio | Unbiased |  | Ratio | Unbiased |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| Kharif | 1168700 | 1165796 | 1168939 | -0.0 | -0.3 |
| Rabi | 96128 | 95994 | 100156 | -4.0 | -4.2 |
| Summer | 23852 | 23672 | 23408 | 1.9 | 1.1 |
| Total | 1288680 | 1285462 | 1292503 | -0.3 | -0.5 |

Variation of area under ratio and unbiased methods over reconciled area was -0.0 \% (Negligible) and $-0.3 \%$ in kharif season, $-4.0 \%$ and $-4.2 \%$ in rabi season and $1.9 \%$ and 1.1 $\%$ in summer season. The total estimated area was lower under both the methods compared to the reconciled area.

Estimated area by variety and irrigated / unirrigated as per ratio method and the reconciled area are given in Table - 10 .

Table - 10
Season and varietywise area estimated under ratio method under Maize

| Variety | Irrigated/ <br> Unirrigated |  |  |  |  | Area in hectares |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Estimated area as per ratio method |  |  |  | Reconciled area | $\begin{gathered} \% \\ \text { variation } \\ \text { (col.6-7/7) } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
|  |  | Kharif | Rabi | Summer | Total |  |  |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Traditional | Irrigated | 1537 | 487 | 0 | 2024 | 178 | 1037.1 |
|  | Unirrigated | 89 | 129 | 0 | 218 | 489 | -55.4 |
|  | Total | 1626 | 616 | 0 | 2242 | 667 | 236.1 |
| Hybrid <br> Variety | Irrigated | 360924 | 87241 | 23848 | 472013 | 396020 | 19.2 |
|  | Unirrigated | 806150 | 8271 | 4 | 814425 | 895816 | -9.1 |
|  | Total | 1167074 | 95512 | 23852 | 1286438 | 1291836 | -0.4 |
| Total | Irrigated | 362461 | 87728 | 23848 | 474037 | 396198 | 19.6 |
|  | Unirrigated | 806239 | 8400 | 4 | 814643 | 896305 | -9.1 |
|  | Total | 1168700 | 96128 | 23852 | 1288680 | 1292503 | -0.3 |

It is clear from the above table that, under ratio method, it was estimated that totally $36.8 \%$ of area was irrigated out of which $99.6 \%$ of area sown with hybrid variety. As per reconciled area, $30.7 \%$ of area was irrigated of which the area sown with hybrid variety was 99.9\% Under ratio method irrigated area was high and unirrigated area was low i.e 19.6 \% and $-9.1 \%$ respectively compared to reconciled area. Districtwise details are given in Appendix-2.4

### 2.5 Bajra

Bajra was grown in 2.3 lakh hectares in the State during the year under report. It is largely grown in Koppal (35.0\%), Raichur (17.5 \%), Vijayapura (11.4 \%), Ballari (10.7 \%) and Bagalkot ( $9.6 \%$ ) districts in the State. These 5 districts alone contribute $84.2 \%$ of cropped area of the crop. Area estimated under the crop by ratio and Unbiased methods were higher compared to the reconciled area. Only $2.0 \%$ of area estimated had traditional variety and the remaining $98.0 \%$ of the area was sown with high yielding variety as per ratio estimates where as under reconciled area $1.0 \%$ area was covered under traditional variety and $99.0 \%$ under hybrid variety.

Estimates of area of Bajra crop varietywise and irrigated / unirrigated category by ratio and unbiased methods and reconciled area are given in Table-11.

Table - 11
Varietywise estimated and reconciled area under Bajra
Area in hectares

| Variety | Irrigated/ <br> Unirrigated | Estimated area as per |  | Reconciled area | \% variation over reconciled area |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Ratio | Unbiased |  | Ratio | Unbiased |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| Traditional | Irrigated | 111 | 136 | 22 | 404.5 | 518.2 |
|  | Unirrigated | 4395 | 4377 | 2212 | 98.7 | 97.9 |
|  | Total | 4506 | 4513 | 2234 | 101.7 | 102.0 |
| Hybrid <br> Variety | Irrigated | 24296 | 25534 | 17638 | 37.7 | 44.8 |
|  | Unirrigated | 201057 | 206208 | 206517 | -2.6 | -0.1 |
|  | Total | 225353 | 231742 | 224155 | 0.5 | 3.4 |
| Total | Irrigated | 24407 | 25670 | 17660 | 38.2 | 45.4 |
|  | Unirrigated | 205452 | 210585 | 208729 | -1.6 | 0.9 |
|  | Total | 229859 | 236255 | 226389 | 1.5 | 4.4 |

It is observed from the above table that, there was $38.2 \%$ variation under irrigated area and- $1.6 \%$ variation under unirrigated area under ratio method whereas it was $45.4 \%$ and $0.9 \%$ under unbiased method respectively when compared to reconciled area. Under ratio method the variation under hybrid and traditional variety is $0.5 \%$ and $101.7 \%$ respectively when compared to reconciled area. Similarly under unbiased estimate the variation under traditional variety and hybrid variety is $102 \%$ and $3.4 \%$ respectively.

### 2.6 Wheat

Wheat crop is grown only rabi season nearly in 1.9 lakh hectares. About 46347 hectares of area is covered by Belagavi district ( 24.0 \%) followed by Vijayapura ( $23.8 \%$ ). The estimated area for this crop was less under Ratio method and high under Unbiased method compared to reconciled area. However the variation is negligible. Details are given in Table- 12

Table - 12
Varietywise estimated and reconciled area under Wheat

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Variety | Irrigated/ <br> Unirrigated | Estimated area as per |  | Reconciled area | \% variation over reconciled area |  |
|  |  | Ratio | Unbiased |  | Ratio | Unbiased |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| Traditional | Irrigated | 8254 | 7923 | 6838 | 20.7 | 15.9 |
|  | Unirrigated | 37820 | 37533 | 37775 | 0.1 | -0.6 |
|  | Total | 46074 | 45456 | 44613 | 3.3 | 1.9 |
| High <br> Yielding <br> Variety | Irrigated | 103399 | 102540 | 112721 | -8.3 | -9.0 |
|  | Unirrigated | 43801 | 45973 | 35984 | 21.7 | 27.8 |
|  | Total | 147200 | 148513 | 148705 | -1.0 | -0.1 |
| Total | Irrigated | 111653 | 110463 | 119559 | -6.6 | -7.6 |
|  | Unirrigated | 81621 | 83506 | 73759 | 10.7 | 13.2 |
|  | Total | 193274 | 193969 | 193318 | -0.0 | 0.3 |

It can be seen from the above table that, under ratio method the estimated area under irrigation was 111653 hectares ( $57.8 \%$ ) of which the area under high yielding variety was $92.6 \%$. Under reconciled area, the area under irrigation was 119559 hectares (61.8\%) of which area under high yielding varieties was $94.28 \%$. The estimated total area was less in Ratio method and it is high in unbiased method when compared to the reconciled area. Districtwise details are given in Appendix- 2.5

Estimated area for cereal crops under ratio method and reconciled area is graphically presented in chart -1 .

## Chart - 1 <br> Estimated (Ratio Method) and Reconciled Area under Cereal Crops (Hectares)



Tur crop is one of the important long duration pulse crops grown only in the kharif season. About 8.8 lakh hectares of area was under this crop during 2017-18 of which 3.3 lakh hectares grown in Kalaburagi and 2.6 lakh hecatres in Vijayapura districts alone which constitutes $66.8 \%$ of the total area of the crop in the state. It is observed that the variation in estimated area by ratio method was only $0.2 \%$ when compared to the reconciled area. However, the variation in unbiased method is negligible.

### 2.8 Bengalgram

Bengalgram is also an important pulse crop of the State grown in nearly 12.6 lakh hectares in rabi season. Vijayapura district is covered with 2.5 lakh hectares of area which works out to $19.7 \%$ of the total State area. The estimated area by ratio and unbiased methods were higher to the extent of $7.5 \%$ and $4.1 \%$ respectively, when compared the reconciled area.

Estimated area under Tur crop and Gram is given in Table - 13 and districtwise details are given in Appendix - 2.5.

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\text { Table - } 13
$$

## Estimated and reconciled area under Tur and Bengalgram

|  |  |  |  | Area in hectares |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Crop | Estimated area as per |  | Reconciled area | \% variation over reconciled area |  |
|  | Ratio | Unbiased |  | Ratio | Unbiased |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| Tur | 886293 | 884825 | 884741 | 0.2 | 0.0 |
| Bengal gram | 1359991 | 1317165 | 1264761 | 7.5 | 4.1 |

Estimated area for pulse crops under ratio method and reconciled area is graphically presented in chart - 2 .

Chart - 2
Estimated (Ratio Method ) and Reconciled Area under Pulse Crops (Hectares)


### 2.9 Groundnut

Groundnut is an important oilseed crop grown in about 5.6 lakh hectares in the State. Though it is grown in Kharif, Rabi and Summer seasons, about $69.3 \%$ of the area is cultivated during kharif season alone. Predominant groundnut growing districts are Chitradurga ( 0.92 lakh hectares) and Ballari ( 0.60 lakh hectares), which accounted for 27.1 \% of the total area of the State. Seasonwise ratio and unbiased estimates of area are given in Table-14.

Table-14
Seasonwise estimated and reconciled area under Groundnut

| Crop | Estimated area as per |  | Reconciled area | Area \% va recon | hectares <br> tion over <br> led area |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Ratio | Unbiased |  | Ratio | Unbiased |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| Kharif | 389182 | 393073 | 389994 | -0.2 | 0.8 |
| Rabi \& Summer | 174322 | 173013 | 172377 | 1.1 | 0.4 |
| Total | 563504 | 566086 | 562371 | 0.2 | 0.7 |

The estimated area under ratio and unbiased method were higher side to the extent of $0.2 \%$ and $0.7 \%$ when compared with Reconciliation area. Variety wise and irrigated / un irrigated details are given in Table-15.

Table - 15
Season and varietywise estimated area under ratio method under Groundnut

| Variety | Irrigated/ Unirrigated | Estimated area as per ratio method |  |  | Reconciled area | $\begin{gathered} \hline \% \\ \text { variation } \\ \text { (col.5-6/6) } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Kharif | Summer | Total |  |  |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| Traditional | Irrigated | 1531 | 2828 | 4359 | 5354 | -18.6 |
|  | Unirrigated | 28017 | 1560 | 29577 | 36686 | -19.4 |
|  | Total | 29548 | 4388 | 33936 | 42040 | -19.3 |
| High <br> Yielding <br> Variety | Irrigated | 28759 | 169934 | 198693 | 167599 | 18.6 |
|  | Unirrigated | 330875 | 0 | 330875 | 352732 | -6.2 |
|  | Total | 359634 | 169934 | 529568 | 520331 | 1.8 |
| Total | Irrigated | 30290 | 172762 | 203052 | 172953 | 17.4 |
|  | Unirrigated | 358892 | 1560 | 360452 | 389418 | -7.4 |
|  | Total | 389182 | 174322 | 563504 | 562371 | 0.2 |

It is seen from the above table that, the estimated area under irrigation as per ratio method was on higer side to the extent of $17.4 \%$. The total area under high yielding variety was also on higer side to the extent of $1.8 \%$ when compared with reconciled area. Districtwise details are given in Appendix - 2.6

### 2.10 Sunflower

Sunflower is another important oilseed crop grown in about 1.7 lakh hectares in all three seasons in the State. During the year under report, Bagalkot had the largest area ( 0.34 lakh hectares) followed by Gadag ( 0.31 lakh hectares), Koppal ( 0.28 lakh hectares) and Raichur ( 0.17 lakh hectatres). Total area in these four districts alone constitute $63.8 \%$ sunflower area of the State.

Seasonwise estimated area under ratio and unbiased methods are given in Table - 16
Table - 16

## Seasonwise estimated and reconciled area under Sunflower

Area in hectares

| Crop | Estimated area as per |  | Reconciled area | \% variation over reconciled area |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Ratio | Unbiased |  | Ratio | Unbiased |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| Kharif | 102917 | 104492 | 111323 | -7.6 | -6.1 |
| Rabi | 57542 | 56803 | 57696 | -0.3 | -1.5 |
| Summer | 4149 | 4029 | 3909 | 6.1 | 3.1 |
| Total | 164608 | 165324 | 172928 | -4.8 | -4.4 |

It is seen from the above table that, the area estimated under ratio and unbiased methods was lower side when compared with reconciled area. Comparative information showing the seasonwise and varietywise estimates of area irrigated and high yielding variety by ratio method and reconciled area are given in Table - 17 .

Table - 17

## Season and varietywise area estimated under ratio method under Sunflower

Area in hectares

| Variety | Irrigated/ <br> Unirrigated | Estimated area as per ratio method |  |  |  | Reconciled <br> Area | $\%$variation(col.6-7/7) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Kharif | Rabi | Summer | Total |  |  |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Traditional | Irrigated | 7 | 14 | 0 | 21 | 0 | 0 |
|  | Unirrigated | 13 | 354 | 0 | 367 | 5 | 7240 |
|  | Total | 20 | 368 | 0 | 388 | 5 | 7660 |
| Hybrid Variety | Irrigated | 19921 | 8126 | 4149 | 32196 | 31405 | 2.5 |
|  | Unirrigated | 82976 | 49048 | 0 | 132024 | 141518 | -6.7 |
|  | Total | 102897 | 57174 | 4149 | 164220 | 172923 | -5.0 |
| Total | Irrigated | 19928 | 8140 | 4149 | 32217 | 31405 | 2.6 |
|  | Unirrigated | 82989 | 49402 | 0 | 132391 | 141523 | -6.5 |
|  | Total | 102917 | 57542 | 4149 | 164608 | 172928 | -4.8 |

It is clear from the above table that, in the ratio method area under traditional variety was higher and the area under hybrid variety was lower when compared to the reconciled area. The percentage variation of area estimated under ratio method over reconciled area was -4.8. Districtwise details are given in Appendix -2.7

### 2.11 Sesamum

Sesamum crop is grown in 0.35 lakh hectares, mainly in rainfed areas during kharif season only. It is largely grown in Mandya 0.07 lakh hectares, Mysuru 0.07 lakh hectares and Kalaburagi 0.06 lakh hectares. Percentage variation of estimated area over reconciled area under ratio and unbiased methods were lower to the extent of $-5.9 \%$ and $-4.6 \%$ respectively. Districtwise area details are given in Appendix -2.8

### 2.12 Safflower

Safflower is an important oilseed crop grown during rabi season only. About 0.34 lakh hectares of area was under the crop during 2017-18. It is largely grown in Bidar district( 0.13 lakh hectares ) followed by Dharwad( 0.08 lakh hectares) and Gadag ( 0.03 lakh hectares). Estimated area by ratio method was $-1.3 \%$ and under unbiased method was $0.8 \%$ when compared to reconciled area. Districtwise area details are given in Appendix 2.8.

### 2.13 Linseed

Linseed is another oilseed crop grown in the State during rabi season only. Out of 0.02 lakh hectares of area under the crop, about 49.3 \% of area was sown in Bagalkot district. The estimated area as per ratio method was 1958 hectares and as per unbiased method it was 2091 hectares. Estimated area by ratio method was lower to the extent of $-4.9 \%$ and unbiased method it was higher to the extent of $1.5 \%$ when compared with reconciled area. The entire area under the crop was grown as traditional variety under unirrigated condition. Districtwise area sown details are given in Appendix - 2.8.

Estimated area for oilseed crops under ratio method and reconciled area is graphically presented in chart - 3 .

Chart - 3
Estimated (Ratio Method) and Reconciled Area under Oilseed Crops (Hectares)


### 2.14 Cotton

Cotton is an important cash crop largely grown in Raichur, Haveri, Kalaburagi, Yadgiri, and Ballari districts. 5.5 lakh hectares of area was covered under the crop during 2017-18. Estimated area by ratio and unbiased methods was 5.5 lakh hectares and 5.4 lakh hectares respectively. The variation of estimated area over reconciled area as per ratio and unbiased methods was $0.1 \%$ and -0.6 respectively. The districtwise area details are given in Appendix - 2.9

### 2.15 Sugarcane

Sugarcane is an irrigated crop, which is grown in all the seasons. Out of 5.3 lakh hectares of area under the crop $41.5 \%$ of cropped area is found in Belagavi district alone followed by Bagalkot ( 20.6 \%) , Vijayapura ( 9.2 \%) and Kalaburagi ( 8.2 \%). Estimated area by Ratio and Unbiased methods were lower to the extent of $-16.6 \%$ and $-15.9 \%$ when compared to reconciled area. Districtwise details of estimates are given in Appendix - 2.9.

Graphical representation of estimated area under ratio method and reconciled area under cotton and Sugarcane crops are presented in chart - 4 .


## 3. SUMMARY OF THE FINDINGS:

3.1 The area estimated under ratio method on the basis of the $20 \%$ of villages selected is almost nearer to the reconciled area figures, which helps to frame some important agriculture policies at national and state level.
3.2 The Timely Reporting Scheme was implemented in 5888 villages of the State, during 2017-18 which belong to the second set of villages selected under the scheme for the years 2016-17 to 2020-21.
3.3 During the year under report the crop abstracts were received from all the villages in respect of Kharif, Rabi and Summer seasons.
3.4 The percentage of supervision undertaken by Statistics, Agriculture and Revenue Department personnel was $100 \%$.
3.5 The estimated area under ratio method in respect of Jowar, Ragi, Bajra, Tur, Gram, Cotton and Groundnut crops was high and low in case of Paddy, Maize, Wheat, Sugarcane, Sunfiower, Sesamum, Safflower and Linseed crops when compared to the reconciled area. Under unbiased method the estimated area in respect of Jowar, Ragi, Bajra, Gram, Tur, Wheat, Groundnut, Safflower and Linseed crops was on higher side and on lower side for the remaining crops.

## Districtwise, Seasonwise receipt position of <br> village crop abstracts during 2017-18

| Sl.No. | District | No. of villages selected | No. of villages from which crop abstracts received |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Kharif | \% | Rabi | \% | Summer | \% |
| 1 | Bagalkot | 121 | 121 | 100.00 | 121 | 100.00 | 121 | 100.00 |
| 2 | Bengaluru Urban | 121 | 121 | 100.00 | 121 | 100.00 | 121 | 100.00 |
| 3 | Bengaluru Rural | 215 | 215 | 100.00 | 215 | 100.00 | 215 | 100.00 |
| 4 | Belagavi | 237 | 237 | 100.00 | 237 | 100.00 | 237 | 100.00 |
| 5 | Ballari | 111 | 111 | 100.00 | 111 | 100.00 | 111 | 100.00 |
| 6 | Bidar | 128 | 128 | 100.00 | 128 | 100.00 | 128 | 100.00 |
| 7 | Vijayapura | 129 | 129 | 100.00 | 129 | 100.00 | 129 | 100.00 |
| 8 | Chamarajanagar | 93 | 93 | 100.00 | 93 | 100.00 | 93 | 100.00 |
| 9 | Chikkaballapura | 303 | 303 | 100.00 | 303 | 100.00 | 303 | 100.00 |
| 10 | Chikkamagaluru | 224 | 224 | 100.00 | 224 | 100.00 | 224 | 100.00 |
| 11 | Chitradurga | 210 | 210 | 100.00 | 210 | 100.00 | 210 | 100.00 |
| 12 | D. Kannada | 75 | 75 | 100.00 | 75 | 100.00 | 75 | 100.00 |
| 13 | Davanagere | 185 | 185 | 100.00 | 185 | 100.00 | 185 | 100.00 |
| 14 | Dharwad | 81 | 81 | 100.00 | 81 | 100.00 | 81 | 100.00 |
| 15 | Gadag | 67 | 67 | 100.00 | 67 | 100.00 | 67 | 100.00 |
| 16 | Kalaburagi | 185 | 185 | 100.00 | 185 | 100.00 | 185 | 100.00 |
| 17 | Hassan | 518 | 518 | 100.00 | 518 | 100.00 | 518 | 100.00 |
| 18 | Haveri | 140 | 140 | 100.00 | 140 | 100.00 | 140 | 100.00 |
| 19 | Kodagu | 56 | 56 | 100.00 | 56 | 100.00 | 56 | 100.00 |
| 20 | Kolar | 361 | 361 | 100.00 | 361 | 100.00 | 361 | 100.00 |
| 21 | Koppal | 127 | 127 | 100.00 | 127 | 100.00 | 127 | 100.00 |
| 22 | Mandya | 296 | 296 | 100.00 | 296 | 100.00 | 296 | 100.00 |
| 23 | Mysuru | 272 | 272 | 100.00 | 272 | 100.00 | 272 | 100.00 |
| 24 | Raichuru | 178 | 178 | 100.00 | 178 | 100.00 | 178 | 100.00 |
| 25 | Ramanagara | 167 | 167 | 100.00 | 167 | 100.00 | 167 | 100.00 |
| 26 | Shivamogga | 320 | 320 | 100.00 | 320 | 100.00 | 320 | 100.00 |
| 27 | Tumakuru | 542 | 542 | 100.00 | 542 | 100.00 | 542 | 100.00 |
| 28 | Udupi | 53 | 53 | 100.00 | 53 | 100.00 | 53 | 100.00 |
| 29 | U.Kannada | 271 | 271 | 100.00 | 271 | 100.00 | 271 | 100.00 |
| 30 | Yadgiri | 102 | 102 | 100.00 | 102 | 100.00 | 102 | 100.00 |
|  | TOTAL | 5888 | 5888 | 100.00 | 5888 | 100.00 | 5888 | 100.00 |

## Cropwise and Seasonwise, ratio and unbiased estimates and

 reconciled area for the year 2017--18| Crop : : Paddy |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Area in hectares |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sl. | District | Kharif |  |  | Rabi |  |  | Summer |  |  | Total |  |  |
| No. |  | Ratio | Unbiased | RCA | Ratio | Unbiased | RCA | Ratio | Unbiased | RCA | Ratio | Unbiased | RCA |
| 1 | Bagalkot | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 | Bengaluru Urban | 248 | 175 | 226 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 35 | 248 | 175 | 270 |
| 3 | Bengaluru Rural | 594 | 607 | 532 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 144 | 594 | 610 | 676 |
| 4 | Belagavi | 65772 | 65447 | 64555 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 30 | 65772 | 65447 | 64585 |
| 5 | Ballari | 53984 | 50348 | 55561 | 6870 | 6500 | 6619 | 40762 | 41461 | 39753 | 101616 | 98309 | 101933 |
| 6 | Bidar | 1192 | 1240 | 1018 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1192 | 1240 | 1018 |
| 7 | Vijayapura | 0 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 30 |
| 8 | Chamarajanagar | 3456 | 3696 | 2648 | 155 | 151 | 185 | 123 | 231 | 178 | 3734 | 4078 | 3011 |
| 9 | Chikkaballapura | 750 | 594 | 243 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 188 | 750 | 594 | 431 |
| 10 | Chikkamagaluru | 26089 | 26651 | 24094 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3282 | 3332 | 2804 | 29371 | 29983 | 26898 |
| 11 | Chitradurga | 351 | 157 | 355 | 526 | 580 | 529 | 641 | 761 | 700 | 1518 | 1498 | 1584 |
| 12 | D. Kannada | 24834 | 25783 | 23343 | 9418 | 9509 | 9606 | 192 | 153 | 213 | 34444 | 35445 | 33162 |
| 13 | Davanagere | 13185 | 15293 | 15875 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 47719 | 48127 | 48528 | 60904 | 63420 | 64403 |
| 14 | Dharwad | 21394 | 21810 | 22416 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 21394 | 21810 | 22421 |
| 15 | Gadag | 1262 | 1679 | 1321 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 916 | 920 | 1116 | 2178 | 2599 | 2437 |
| 16 | Kalaburagi | 3100 | 2753 | 2800 | 2066 | 2198 | 1628 | 3223 | 3150 | 3405 | 8389 | 8101 | 7833 |
| 17 | Hassan | 21465 | 22317 | 21016 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 661 | 679 | 609 | 22126 | 22996 | 21625 |
| 18 | Haveri | 27348 | 26817 | 23672 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4113 | 4207 | 4058 | 31461 | 31024 | 27730 |
| 19 | Kodagu | 27528 | 28706 | 27154 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 27528 | 28706 | 27171 |
| 20 | Kolar | 1265 | 1166 | 753 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 250 | 294 | 503 | 1515 | 1460 | 1256 |
| 21 | Koppal | 35371 | 40562 | 36285 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 16800 | 17283 | 17654 | 52171 | 57845 | 53939 |
| 22 | Mandya | 15390 | 14817 | 12366 | 6110 | 6112 | 6150 | 14766 | 15222 | 15337 | 36266 | 36151 | 33853 |
| 23 | Mysuru | 56763 | 58100 | 57177 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8016 | 7834 | 7951 | 64779 | 65934 | 65128 |
| 24 | Raichuru | 90024 | 89677 | 90242 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 23900 | 23059 | 23215 | 113924 | 112736 | 113457 |
| 25 | Ramanagara | 5008 | 4157 | 4028 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 177 | 228 | 261 | 5185 | 4385 | 4294 |
| 26 | Shivamogga | 85721 | 85230 | 84105 | 15 | 67 | 40 | 11148 | 11184 | 9371 | 96884 | 96481 | 93516 |
| 27 | Tumakuru | 4012 | 4301 | 4289 | 0 | 0 | 32 | 340 | 416 | 537 | 4352 | 4717 | 4858 |
| 28 | Udupi | 18633 | 19505 | 42553 | 4388 | 4808 | 4471 | 65 | 100 | 71 | 23086 | 24413 | 47095 |
| 29 | U.Kannada | 59902 | 60728 | 59680 | 1141 | 937 | 1355 | 641 | 519 | 578 | 61684 | 62184 | 61613 |
| 30 | Yadgiri | 28680 | 29662 | 57955 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 46465 | 47907 | 47488 | 75145 | 77569 | 105443 |
| STATE TOTAL |  | 693321 | 701978 | 736292 | 30689 | 30865 | 30634 | 224200 | 227067 | 224744 | 948210 | 959910 | 991670 |

RCA - Reconciled Crop Area

APPENDIX - 2.2

Cropwise and Seasonwise estimated area under
ratio \& unbiased methods and reconciled area during 2017-18

| Crop : Jowar |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Area in hectares |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sl.No | District | Kharif |  |  | Rabi |  |  | Total |  |  |
|  |  | Ratio | Unbiased | RCA | Ratio | Unbiased | RCA | Ratio | Unbiased | RCA |
| 1 | Bagalkot | 925 | 1132 | 354 | 113796 | 113822 | 110581 | 114721 | 114954 | 110935 |
| 2 | Bengaluru Urban | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 3 | Bengaluru Rural | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 4 | Belagavi | 15651 | 13403 | 12627 | 132001 | 132969 | 132339 | 147652 | 146372 | 144966 |
| 5 | Ballari | 11066 | 11412 | 11272 | 28439 | 26927 | 27861 | 39505 | 38339 | 39133 |
| 6 | Bidar | 21045 | 20982 | 20333 | 23400 | 22810 | 22355 | 44445 | 43792 | 42688 |
| 7 | Vijayapura | 0 | 0 | 0 | 143373 | 143083 | 145997 | 143373 | 143083 | 145997 |
| 8 | Chamarajanagar | 19631 | 19652 | 24258 | 0 | 0 | 40 | 19631 | 19652 | 24298 |
| 9 | Chikkaballapura | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 10 | Chikkamagaluru | 573 | 689 | 477 | 11960 | 11697 | 12739 | 12533 | 12386 | 13216 |
| 11 | Chitradurga | 4262 | 5599 | 4479 | 7494 | 7084 | 9178 | 11756 | 12683 | 13657 |
| 12 | D. Kannada | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 13 | Davanagere | 5028 | 5991 | 5344 | 4720 | 4131 | 4296 | 9748 | 10122 | 9640 |
| 14 | Dharwad | 2576 | 2280 | 1775 | 61648 | 61607 | 59576 | 64224 | 63887 | 61351 |
| 15 | Gadag | 3211 | 2748 | 2765 | 74870 | 74746 | 74081 | 78081 | 77494 | 76846 |
| 16 | Kalaburagi | 516 | 638 | 611 | 214165 | 214093 | 206071 | 214681 | 214731 | 206682 |
| 17 | Hassan | 1240 | 1092 | 1029 | 250 | 230 | 426 | 1490 | 1322 | 1455 |
| 18 | Haveri | 688 | 670 | 403 | 31171 | 31640 | 30743 | 31859 | 32310 | 31146 |
| 19 | Kodagu | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 20 | Kolar | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 21 | Koppal | 1819 | 1962 | 1501 | 44292 | 42797 | 45345 | 46111 | 44759 | 46846 |
| 22 | Mandya | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 23 | Mysuru | 4880 | 4598 | 4988 | 100 | 80 | 250 | 4980 | 4678 | 5238 |
| 24 | Raichuru | 0 | 0 | 0 | 85997 | 85507 | 67018 | 85997 | 85507 | 67018 |
| 25 | Ramanagara | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 26 | Shivamogga | 132 | 75 | 76 | 0 | 36 | 42 | 132 | 111 | 118 |
| 27 | Tumakuru | 0 | 0 | 0 | 500 | 608 | 0 | 500 | 608 | 0 |
| 28 | Udupi | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 29 | U.Kannada | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| 30 | Yadgiri | 262 | 225 | 151 | 23918 | 23249 | 44651 | 24180 | 23474 | 44802 |
|  | STATE TOTAL | 93505 | 93148 | 92443 | 1002094 | 997116 | 993591 | 1095599 | 1090264 | 1086034 |

RCA - Reconciled Crop Area

Cropwise and Seasonwise estimated area under
ratio \& unbiased methods and reconciled area during 2017-18

| Crop : Ragi |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Area in hect |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{gathered} \text { Sl. } \\ \text { No. } \end{gathered}$ | District | Kharif |  |  | Rabi |  |  | Summer |  |  | Total |  |  |
|  |  | Ratio | Unbiased | RCA | Ratio | Unbiased | RCA | Ratio | Unbiased | RCA | Ratio | Unbiased | RCA |
| 1 | Bagalkot | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 | Bengaluru Urban | 15866 | 16611 | 14268 | 169 | 246 | 132 | 0 | 0 | 49 | 16035 | 16857 | 14449 |
| 3 | Bengaluru Rural | 39330 | 39544 | 37019 | 136 | 147 | 105 | 0 | 0 | 39 | 39466 | 39691 | 37163 |
| 4 | Belagavi | 762 | 748 | 433 | 138 | 130 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 900 | 878 | 433 |
| 5 | Ballari | 10453 | 10174 | 10039 | 260 | 277 | 281 | 511 | 602 | 682 | 11224 | 11053 | 11002 |
| 6 | Bidar | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 7 | Vijayapura | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 8 | Chamarajanagar | 19991 | 21576 | 20062 | 271 | 245 | 270 | 350 | 302 | 233 | 20612 | 22123 | 20565 |
| 9 | Chikkaballapura | 47110 | 46273 | 48262 | 140 | 169 | 53 | 0 | 0 | 383 | 47250 | 46442 | 48698 |
| 10 | Chikkamagaluru | 51818 | 53620 | 52115 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 51818 | 53620 | 52115 |
| 11 | Chitradurga | 44532 | 45169 | 45602 | 232 | 254 | 2249 | 1981 | 2089 | 1739 | 46745 | 47512 | 49590 |
| 12 | D. Kannada | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 13 | Davanagere | 17852 | 18219 | 18500 | 3992 | 3493 | 3325 | 1598 | 1421 | 1471 | 23442 | 23133 | 23296 |
| 14 | Dharwad | 7 | 46 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 46 | 6 |
| 15 | Gadag | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 16 | Kalaburagi | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 17 | Hassan | 93866 | 92941 | 91604 | 2958 | 2839 | 2945 | 69 | 149 | 78 | 96893 | 95929 | 94627 |
| 18 | Haveri | 279 | 174 | 186 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 279 | 174 | 186 |
| 19 | Kodagu | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 20 | Kolar | 68842 | 67133 | 66148 | 0 | 0 | 76 | 105 | 34 | 157 | 68947 | 67167 | 66381 |
| 21 | Koppal | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 22 | Mandya | 67892 | 66389 | 66671 | 15797 | 15118 | 15118 | 2013 | 2186 | 2003 | 85702 | 83693 | 83792 |
| 23 | Mysuru | 36765 | 38120 | 37987 | 17926 | 17712 | 17436 | 127 | 179 | 155 | 54818 | 56011 | 55578 |
| 24 | Raichuru | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 25 | Ramanagara | 73279 | 72684 | 73600 | 0 | 0 | 74 | 204 | 187 | 173 | 73483 | 72871 | 73847 |
| 26 | Shivamogga | 520 | 671 | 821 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 124 | 159 | 30 | 644 | 833 | 855 |
| 27 | Tumakuru | 144320 | 143011 | 143614 | 296 | 304 | 223 | 898 | 904 | 710 | 145514 | 144219 | 144547 |
| 28 | Udupi | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 29 | U.Kannada | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 30 | Yadgiri | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|  | TATE TOTAL | 733484 | 733103 | 726937 | 42315 | 40937 | 42291 | 7980 | 8212 | 7902 | 783779 | 782252 | 777130 |

RCA - Reconciled Crop Area

APPENDIX - 2.4
Cropwise and Seasonwise estimated area under
ratio, \& unbiased methods and reconciled area during 2017-18


RCA - Reconciled Crop Area

APPENDIX - 2.5
Cropwise estimated area under ratio \& unbiased methods
and reconciled area during 2017-18

| Sl. | District | Bajra |  |  | Wheat |  |  | Tur |  |  | Bengalgram |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| No. |  | Ratio | Unbiased | RCA | Ratio | Unbiased | RCA | Ratio | Unbiased | RCA | Ratio | Unbiased | RCA |
| 1 | Bagalkot | 28448 | 29091 | 21826 | 22728 | 23451 | 22675 | 29862 | 28391 | 23003 | 103534 | 101751 | 105262 |
| 2 | Bengaluru Urban | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1026 | 748 | 599 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 3 | Bengaluru Rural | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2017 | 1132 | 1347 | 0 | 0 | 130 |
| 4 | Belagavi | 9009 | 8847 | 7782 | 46703 | 46944 | 46347 | 5829 | 5695 | 6278 | 113045 | 112901 | 112244 |
| 5 | Ballari | 22325 | 24577 | 24180 | 338 | 383 | 582 | 9510 | 9991 | 9360 | 27166 | 26992 | 26834 |
| 6 | Bidar | 2572 | 2241 | 2290 | 4440 | 4430 | 4657 | 79166 | 79416 | 78680 | 65553 | 66120 | 65424 |
| 7 | Vijayapura | 27709 | 28660 | 25751 | 45376 | 45792 | 46022 | 268047 | 263818 | 262563 | 296509 | 255570 | 249354 |
| 8 | Chamarajanagar | 1117 | 1902 | 1704 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1092 | 1259 | 786 | 1173 | 1145 | 2131 |
| 9 | Chikkaballapura | 0 | 0 | 106 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9430 | 9301 | 10720 | 0 | 0 | 90 |
| 10 | Chikkamagaluru | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 250 | 310 | 509 | 11230 | 12059 | 11267 |
| 11 | Chitradurga | 3520 | 3363 | 3694 | 283 | 235 | 271 | 13715 | 13707 | 13338 | 41825 | 41284 | 33665 |
| 12 | D. Kannada | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 13 | Davanagere | 1288 | 1046 | 1562 | 77 | 172 | 195 | 9456 | 8067 | 8143 | 4534 | 4490 | 4360 |
| 14 | Dharwad | 0 | 0 | 0 | 36496 | 35654 | 35874 | 799 | 860 | 881 | 103700 | 103625 | 103103 |
| 15 | Gadag | 2123 | 2420 | 2171 | 19179 | 19700 | 18042 | 3730 | 3676 | 3373 | 133075 | 133002 | 132538 |
| 16 | Kalaburagi | 8410 | 9174 | 7481 | 10342 | 9960 | 10979 | 327583 | 329931 | 328808 | 206093 | 205629 | 206309 |
| 17 | Hassan | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1694 | 1729 | 1622 | 500 | 638 | 1177 |
| 18 | Haveri | 0 | 0 | 0 | 403 | 658 | 652 | 1973 | 1292 | 1221 | 3043 | 3002 | 1937 |
| 19 | Kodagu | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 20 | Kolar | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2371 | 2538 | 2297 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 21 | Koppal | 77896 | 78703 | 79206 | 6597 | 6190 | 6536 | 17284 | 18411 | 17255 | 71829 | 71766 | 70673 |
| 22 | Mandya | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1277 | 1158 | 1040 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 23 | Mysuru | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2557 | 3018 | 2022 | 800 | 700 | 968 |
| 24 | Raichuru | 35600 | 37877 | 39708 | 280 | 310 | 391 | 26350 | 25864 | 38188 | 145306 | 145407 | 116784 |
| 25 | Ramanagara | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2909 | 3518 | 3377 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 26 | Shivamogga | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 338 | 365 | 331 | 0 | 0 | 30 |
| 27 | Tumakuru | 0 | 0 | 24 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9745 | 11440 | 10963 | 300 | 290 | 128 |
| 28 | Udupi | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 29 | U.Kannada | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| 30 | Yadgiri | 9842 | 8354 | 8891 | 32 | 90 | 95 | 58277 | 59187 | 58035 | 30776 | 30794 | 20350 |
|  | TATE TOTAL | 229859 | 236255 | 226389 | 193274 | 193969 | 193318 | 886293 | 884825 | 884741 | 1359991 | 1317165 | 1264761 |

RCA - Reconciled Crop Area

Cropwise and Seasonwise estimated area under
ratio \& unbiased methods and reconciled area during 2017-18


RCA - Reconciled Crop Area

Cropwise and Seasonwise ratio, unbiased estimates and reconciled area for the year 2017-18


RCA - Reconciled Crop Area

APPENDIX - 2.8
Cropwise and Seasonwise, ratio, unbiased estimates and reconciled area for the year 2017-18


RCA - Reconciled Crop Area

APPENDIX 2.9
Cropwise estimated area under ratio \& unbiased methods and reconciled area during 2017-18

| Sl. | District | Cotton |  |  | Sugarcane |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| No. |  | Ratio | Unbiased | RCA | Ratio | Unbiased | RCA |
| 1 | Bagalkot | 1527 | 267 | 1532 | 95115 | 97045 | 109967 |
| 2 | Bengaluru Urban | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| 3 | Bengaluru Rural | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 45 |
| 4 | Belagavi | 30942 | 31767 | 30997 | 190809 | 189606 | 221086 |
| 5 | Ballari | 59100 | 58900 | 59161 | 6546 | 6267 | 7323 |
| 6 | Bidar | 350 | 380 | 490 | 18080 | 19059 | 19178 |
| 7 | Vijayapura | 19730 | 19946 | 12120 | 41640 | 42859 | 49270 |
| 8 | Chamarajanagar | 10033 | 10111 | 10014 | 6107 | 5959 | 6788 |
| 9 | Chikkaballapura | 0 | 0 | 40 | 0 | 0 | 205 |
| 10 | Chikkamagaluru | 2115 | 2150 | 1883 | 1410 | 1499 | 1662 |
| 11 | Chitradurga | 8914 | 8413 | 10314 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| 12 | D. Kannada | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 13 | Davanagere | 4656 | 4650 | 4768 | 3811 | 3654 | 3795 |
| 14 | Dharwad | 42626 | 42166 | 42633 | 8925 | 8482 | 8748 |
| 15 | Gadag | 34511 | 33007 | 35230 | 4984 | 5153 | 6840 |
| 16 | Kalaburagi | 62604 | 62197 | 62289 | 21020 | 22088 | 43493 |
| 17 | Hassan | 0 | 0 | 125 | 2050 | 2150 | 2191 |
| 18 | Haveri | 68935 | 69101 | 70187 | 9420 | 9243 | 13347 |
| 19 | Kodagu | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 20 | Kolar | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 |
| 21 | Koppal | 3330 | 3729 | 6606 | 1491 | 1501 | 1613 |
| 22 | Mandya | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18631 | 18929 | 20941 |
| 23 | Mysuru | 48011 | 46110 | 48027 | 4132 | 4301 | 4150 |
| 24 | Raichuru | 85180 | 85290 | 85850 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 25 | Ramanagara | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 221 |
| 26 | Shivamogga | 1320 | 1450 | 1243 | 1720 | 1810 | 2348 |
| 27 | Tumakuru | 780 | 800 | 736 | 1040 | 991 | 1146 |
| 28 | Udupi | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 24 |
| 29 | U.Kannada | 802 | 706 | 1075 | 6604 | 6672 | 7064 |
| 30 | Yadgiri | 61747 | 62300 | 61479 | 860 | 973 | 1576 |
| STATE TOTAL |  | 547213 | 543440 | 546799 | 444395 | 448241 | 533038 |

RCA - Reconciled Crop Area

Cropwise Percentage variation of ratio and unbiased estimates of area over reconciled area for the years from 2016-17 to 2017-18

|  | Crop | 2016-17 |  | 2017-18 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sl. |  | \% variation over RCA |  | \% variation over RCA |  |
| No. |  | Ratio | Unbiased | Ratio | Unbiased |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 4 |
| Kharif |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 | Paddy | -1.4 | -1.7 | -5.8 | -4.7 |
| 2 | Jowar | -14.1 | -17.2 | 1.1 | 0.8 |
| 3 | Ragi | -1.9 | -3.4 | 0.9 | 0.8 |
| 4 | Bajra | 4.9 | 4.2 | 1.5 | 4.4 |
| 5 | Maize | -2.2 | -2.8 | 0 | -0.3 |
| 6 | Tur | -1.9 | -2.5 | 0.2 | 0 |
| 7 | Groundnut | -2.5 | -2.9 | -0.2 | 0.8 |
| 8 | Sesamum | -0.8 | -2.1 | -5.9 | -4.6 |
| 9 | Sunflower | -3.6 | -15 | -7.6 | -6.1 |
|  | $\underline{R a b i}$ |  |  |  |  |
| 1 | Paddy | 3.5 | 2.9 | 0.2 | 0.8 |
| 2 | Jowar | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.9 | 0.4 |
| 3 | Ragi | -6.9 | -5.7 | 0.1 | -3.2 |
| 4 | wheat | -1.9 | -0.5 | 0.0 | 0.3 |
| 5 | Maize | -7.0 | 0.4 | -4.0 | -4.2 |
| 6 | Gram | 1.0 | 1.5 | 7.5 | 4.1 |
| 7 | Sugarcane | 1.8 | 1.5 | -16.6 | -15.9 |
| 8 | Sunflower | 16.4 | 17.3 | -0.3 | -1.5 |
| 9 | Safflower | -6.2 | -8.9 | -1.3 | 0.8 |
| 10 | Cotton | -8.5 | -8.1 | 0.1 | -0.6 |
| 11 | Linseed | 10.0 | 12.2 | -4.9 | 1.5 |
|  | Summer |  |  |  |  |
| 1 | Paddy | -0.8 | 1.5 | -0.2 | 1.0 |
| 2 | Maize | 5.8 | 2.5 | 1.9 | 1.1 |
| 3 | Ragi | -8.3 | -8.7 | 1.0 | 3.9 |
| 4 | Groundnut | 3.3 | 2.9 | 1.1 | 0.4 |
| 5 | Sunflower | 74.4 | 75.4 | 6.1 | 3.1 |

RCA - Reconciled Crop Area

