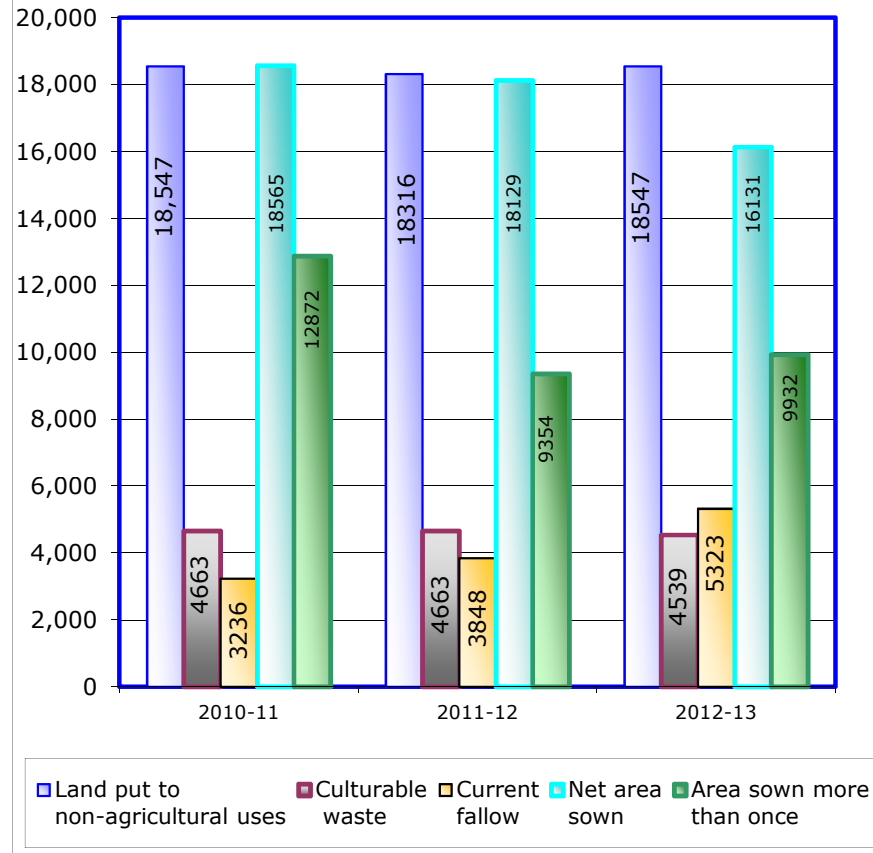


**II. AGRICULTURE**  
**1. Classification of Area**

Sl. No.	Head of Classification	2008-09		2009-10	
		Area	% to Total	Area	% to Total
1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>1</b>	<b>Total area according to Village papers</b>	<b>48651</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>48651</b>	<b>100.00</b>
2	Forests	-	-	-	-
3	Land put to non-agricultural uses	18283	37.58	18466	37.96
4	Barren & unculturable land	72	0.15	72	0.15
5	Permanent pastures & other grazing lands	0	0.00	0	0.00
6	Land under miscellaneous tree crops & groves not included in the net area sown	1212	2.49	1131	2.32
7	Culturable waste	4390	9.02	4433	9.11
8	Other fallow lands	2454	5.04	2526	5.19
9	Current fallow	3035	6.24	3289	6.76
10	<b>Net area sown</b>	<b>19205</b>	<b>39.48</b>	<b>18734</b>	<b>38.51</b>
11	<b>Total cropped area</b>	<b>32768</b>	-	<b>31910</b>	-
12	Area sown more than once	<b>13563</b>	-	<b>13176</b>	-

Source : Directorate of Economics & Statistics, Puducherry.

### Classification Area



**II AGRICULTURE**  
**2. Sources of Water Supply and Area Irrigated**

Sl. No.	Sources	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Net Area Irrigated by Canals	5707	5755	4558	5761
2	Net Area Irrigated by Tanks	0	0	0	0
3	Net Area Irrigated by Tube Wells	10443	10187	10164	9563
4	Net Area Irrigated by Other Sources +	52	49	47	45
	<b>Total</b>	<b>16202</b>	<b>15991</b>	<b>14769</b>	<b>15369</b>
5	% of Net Area Irrigated to Net Area Sown	84.36	85.36	79.55	84.78
6	Area irrigated more than once	10566	10512	10703	6471
7	Gross area irrigated	<b>26768</b>	<b>26503</b>	<b>25472</b>	<b>21840</b>
8	% of Total irrigated area (Gross) to total cropped area	81.69	83.06	81.03	79.47

+ spring, channels, ponds etc.,

Source : Directorate of Economics & Statistics, Puducherry.

## II. AGRICULTURE

### 3. Area under crops irrigated

(in Hectare)

CROPS	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13
1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>FOOD CROPS - CEREALS</b>					
Paddy I Crop	4493	4650	4384	4237	3559
II crop	11306	11178	10920	10324	8979
III crop	4981	5098	4710	2015	3743
<b>Total</b>	<b>20780</b>	<b>20926</b>	<b>20014</b>	<b>16576</b>	<b>16281</b>
Ragi	39	34	23	32	33
Cumbu	45	50	24	21	21
Cholam	2	6	0	1	3
Other millets (Thenai)	1	1	0	0	1
<b>Total Cereals</b>	<b>20867</b>	<b>21017</b>	<b>20061</b>	<b>16630</b>	<b>16339</b>
<b>PULSES</b>					
Blackgram	188	138	262	227	240
Greengram	4	2	30	1	2
Other Pulses	12	6	23	21	13
<b>Total Pulses</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>255</b>
<b>Total Food Grains</b>	<b>21071</b>	<b>21163</b>	<b>20376</b>	<b>16879</b>	<b>16594</b>
Sugarcane	1945	1785	1765	1949	2027
<b>FRUITS AND VEGETABLES</b>					
Banana	285	285	266	266	289
Citrus	1	1	1	1	1
Mangoes	2	4	10	9	9
Guava	24	21	24	24	25
Water melon	30	15	11	9	11
Other fresh fruits	15	17	17	13	12
Tapioca	301	245	259	246	188
Sweet Potatoes	1	0	1	1	4
Onion	0	0	1	1	2
Brinjal	65	81	53	52	56
Tomato	1	0	1	0	0
Yam ( Karunai )	7	6	9	8	15
Lady's finger	46	43	29	24	33
Cucumber	2	3	5	3	8
Pumpkin	16	14	11	9	16
Other Guard	5	19	18	12	28
Other Vegetables	74	62	55	41	38
<b>Total Fruits and Vegetables</b>	<b>875</b>	<b>816</b>	<b>771</b>	<b>719</b>	<b>735</b>

## II. AGRICULTURE

### 3. Area under crops irrigated

(in Hectare)

CROPS	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13
<b>CONDIMENTS AND SPICES</b>					
Chillies	3	6	6	5	4
Coriander	0	0	0	0	0
Turmeric	3	3	4	6	5
<b>Total Condiments &amp; Spices</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Total Food Crops</b>	<b>23897</b>	<b>23773</b>	<b>22922</b>	<b>19558</b>	<b>19365</b>
<b>NON-FOOD CROPS</b>					
Cotton	48	10	5	8	12
<b>OIL SEEDS</b>					
Groundnut	703	429	411	306	364
Coconut	626	687	695	679	635
Sesamum	171	228	129	119	111
Sunflower	3	0	0	0	0
Other Oil seeds	0	1	1	0	0
<b>Total Oil Seeds</b>	<b>1503</b>	<b>1345</b>	<b>1236</b>	<b>1104</b>	<b>1110</b>
<b>DRUGS AND NARCOTICS</b>					
Betal vines	7	7	9	6	5
<b>OTHER NON-FOOD CROPS</b>					
Fodder crops	44	44	34	35	36
Flower garden	66	59	36	35	58
Other Medicinal Plant	1	1	1	6	2
Casuarina	1202	1264	1229	1088	916
<b>Total Non-Food crops</b>	<b>2871</b>	<b>2730</b>	<b>2550</b>	<b>2282</b>	<b>2139</b>
<b>GROSS IRRIGATED AREA</b>					
<b>Total Food Crops</b>	<b>23897</b>	<b>23773</b>	<b>22922</b>	<b>19558</b>	<b>19365</b>
<b>Total Non-Food Crops</b>	<b>2871</b>	<b>2730</b>	<b>2550</b>	<b>2282</b>	<b>2139</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>26768</b>	<b>26503</b>	<b>25472</b>	<b>21840</b>	<b>21504</b>
<b>Area Irrigaated more than once</b>	<b>10566</b>	<b>10512</b>	<b>10703</b>	<b>6471</b>	<b>7674</b>
<b>Net area Irrigated</b>	<b>16202</b>	<b>15991</b>	<b>14769</b>	<b>15369</b>	<b>13830</b>

Source: Directorate of Economics and Statistics, Puducherry.

**II. AGRICULTURE**  
4. Area under all crops

CROPS	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13
1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>FOOD CROPS - CEREALS</b>					
Paddy I Crop	4493	4650	4384	4237	3559
II crop	11306	11178	10920	10324	8979
III crop	4981	5098	4710	2015	3743
<b>Total</b>	<b>20780</b>	<b>20926</b>	<b>20014</b>	<b>16576</b>	<b>16281</b>
Ragi	39	34	23	22	33
Cumbu	55	60	34	31	21
Cholam	2	6	0	1	3
Other millets (Thenai)	1	1	0	0	1
<b>Total Cereals</b>	<b>20877</b>	<b>21027</b>	<b>20071</b>	<b>16630</b>	<b>16339</b>
<b>PULSES</b>					
Blackgram	1359	980	1127	1071	641
Greengram	1225	1064	1493	1314	902
Other Pulses	18	6	26	21	41
<b>Total Pulses</b>	<b>2602</b>	<b>2050</b>	<b>2646</b>	<b>2406</b>	<b>1584</b>
<b>Total Foodgrains</b>	<b>23479</b>	<b>23077</b>	<b>22717</b>	<b>19036</b>	<b>17923</b>
Sugarcane	1945	1785	1765	1949	2027
Palmyrah	74	74	73	73	72
<b>FRUITS AND VEGETABLES</b>					
Banana	285	285	266	266	289
Citrus	4	4	4	3	3
Mangoes	210	214	213	206	197
Guava	29	26	29	30	30
Jack fruit	8	8	8	8	8
Water Melon	30	15	11	9	11
Other fresh fruits	18	20	20	16	15
Cashewnut	174	171	173	159	146
Tapioca	301	245	259	246	188
Sweet Potatoes	1	0	1	1	4
Onion	0	0	1	1	2
Brinjal	65	81	53	52	56
Tomato	1	0	1	0	0
Yam ( Karunai )	7	6	9	8	15
Ladys finger'	46	43	29	24	33
Cucumber	2	3	5	3	8
Pumpkin	16	14	11	9	16
Other Guard	5	19	18	12	28
Other Vegetables	74	62	55	41	38
<b>Total Fruits and Vegetables</b>	<b>1276</b>	<b>1216</b>	<b>1166</b>	<b>1094</b>	<b>1087</b>

**II. AGRICULTURE**  
4. Area under all crops

CROPS	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13
1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>CONDIMENTS AND SPICES</b>					
Betel Nuts	61	61	60	60	59
Chillies	3	6	6	5	4
Coriander	2	6	0	0	1
Pepper	12	12	11	11	11
Tamarind	66	66	66	64	61
Turmeric	3	3	4	6	5
<b>Total Condiments &amp; Spices</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>141</b>
<b>Total food crops</b>	<b>26921</b>	<b>26306</b>	<b>25868</b>	<b>22298</b>	<b>21250</b>
<b>NON-FOOD CROPS</b>					
<b>FIBRE</b>					
Cotton	48	10	5	8	12
<b>OIL SEEDS</b>					
Groundnut	714	438	416	319	366
Sesamum	180	247	131	122	114
Coconut	2084	2138	2131	2095	2033
Sunflower	3	0	0	0	0
Other Oil seeds	0	1	1	0	0
<b>Total oil seeds</b>	<b>2981</b>	<b>2824</b>	<b>2679</b>	<b>2536</b>	<b>2513</b>
<b>DRUGS AND NARCOTICS</b>					
Betal vines	7	7	9	6	5
<b>OTHER NON-FOOD CROPS</b>					
Fodder crops	119	113	98	74	113
Flower garden	66	59	36	35	58
Green manure	985	909	1121	1093	896
Other Medicinal Plant	1	1	1	6	1
Bamboos	2	2	2	2	2
Eucalyptus	68	65	62	64	56
Casuarina	1570	1614	1556	1361	1157
<b>Total Non-food crops</b>	<b>5847</b>	<b>5604</b>	<b>5569</b>	<b>5185</b>	<b>4813</b>
<b>GROSS CROPPED AREA</b>					
<b>Total Food Crops</b>	<b>26921</b>	<b>26306</b>	<b>25868</b>	<b>22298</b>	<b>21250</b>
<b>Total Non-Food Crops</b>	<b>5847</b>	<b>5604</b>	<b>5569</b>	<b>5185</b>	<b>4813</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>32768</b>	<b>31910</b>	<b>31437</b>	<b>27483</b>	<b>26063</b>
<b>Area swon more than once</b>	<b>13563</b>	<b>13176</b>	<b>12872</b>	<b>9354</b>	<b>9932</b>
<b>Net Area Swon</b>	<b>19205</b>	<b>18734</b>	<b>18565</b>	<b>18129</b>	<b>16131</b>

Source: Directorate of Economics and Statistics, Puducherry.

**II. AGRICULTURE**  
**5. Agricultural Production**

Sl. No.	Crops	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12*
1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>1</b>	<b>FOOD CROPS</b>				
	Rice	50716	52330	51960	42084
	Ragi	103	91	51	58
	Cumbu	100	111	79	80
	Other millets	4	10	-	2
	<b>Total Cereals</b>	<b>50923</b>	<b>52542</b>	<b>52090</b>	<b>42224</b>
	Redgram	-	-	-	-
	Blackgram	361	169	597	571
	Greengram	233	94	701	483
	Other pulses	17	5	22	21
	<b>Total pulses</b>	<b>611</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>1320</b>	<b>1075</b>
	<b>Total Food Grains</b>	<b>51534</b>	<b>52810</b>	<b>53410</b>	<b>43299</b>
	Sugarcane	162323	247254	277683	287785
	Tapioca	8909	6813	4840	6088
	Chillies	3	6	7	9
	Other food crops	19181	18756	12471	5815
	<b>Total Food Crops</b>	<b>241950</b>	<b>325639</b>	<b>348411</b>	<b>342996</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>NON-FOOD CROPS</b>				
	Cotton (kapas)	39	8	5	6
	Groundnut (kernals)	1565	921	816	457
	Gingelly	180	227	105	98
	Other oil seeds	2	1	1	-
	Coconut *	30721	31097	24464	17313
	<b>Total Non-Food Crops +</b>	<b>1786</b>	<b>1157</b>	<b>927</b>	<b>561</b>

\* in '000 nuts

\* affected by thane cyclon

+ except Coconut

Source : Directorate of Economics & Statistics, Puducherry



**II. AGRICULTURE**  
**6. a. Average daily wages paid to Agricultural and skilled labourers at Puducherry / Karaikal regions**

Sl. No.	Category of labour		July to June		
			2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
1	2		3	4	5
<b>I</b>	<b>PUDUCHERRY REGION</b>				
1	Ploughmen	Men	300.67	370.00	438.67
2	Sowers & Transplanters	Women	80.17	97.83	108.54
3	Weeders	Women	76.83	91.17	98.42
4	Reapers & Harvesters	Men	95.50	206.28	219.30
		Women	95.50	206.28	216.53
5	Other Agrl.Labourers	Men	151.15	147.79	236.86
6	Skilled labourers	Carpenters	247.92	320.83	358.70
		Blacksmiths	173.75	165.42	179.79
<b>II</b>	<b>KARAIKAL REGION</b>				
1	Ploughmen	Men	-	-	-
2	Sowers & Transplanters	Men	115.00	203.33	268.89
		Women	72.50	125.00	106.11
3	Weeders	Women	72.50	125.00	116.67
4	Reapers & Harvesters	Men	211.25	261.60	280.00
		Women	-	-	90.00
5	Other Agrl.Labourers	Men	150.00	158.33	252.00
		Women	88.75	91.67	147.00
6	Skilled labourers	Carpenters	213.75	265.21	305.21
		Blacksmiths	126.88	143.75	27188.00

Source : Directorate of Economics & Statistics, Puducherry  
\* Provisional

**II. AGRICULTURE**  
**6.b. Average daily wages paid to Agricultural and skilled labourers at Yanam region**

Sl. No.	Category of labour		July to June		
			2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
1	2		3	4	5
<b>I</b>	<b>Yanam Region</b>				
1	Ploughmen	Men	-	-	-
2	Sowers & Transplanters	Men	200.00	200.00	212.50
		Women	100.00	125.00	150.00
3	Weeders	Men	162.50	200.00	200.00
		Women	85.00	100.00	100.00
4	Reapers & Harvesters	Men	200.00	225.00	283.33
		Women	100.00	125.00	200.00
5	Other Agrl.Labourers	Men	187.50	204.17	212.50
		Women	93.33	108.33	120.83
6	Skilled labourers	Carpenters	182.50	208.33	235.42
		Blacksmiths	-	-	-

Source : Directorate of Economics & Statistics, Puducherry

**II. AGRICULTURE**  
**Livestock Census 2007**  
**7. Agricultural machinery and Implements.**

Sl. No.	Items	Puducherry	Karaikal	Mahe	Yanam
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	<b>PLOUGHS</b>				
	Wooden & Steel	1107	581	--	39
2	Carts	444	390	--	14
3	Oil engine with Pumps	61	201	--	19
4	Electric pumps	1977	100	54	1
5	Tractors	529	96	--	7

Source : Department of Animal Husbandry & Animal Welfare, Puducherry.

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