



PADDY STATISTICS

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Preface

The Agriculture and Environment Statistics Division of the Department of Census and Statistics (DCS) is responsible for the collection, compilation and dissemination of agricultural related information of the country. This division collects data through economic census including agricultural activities, sample surveys and administrative records. The publication “Paddy Statistics” provides information on paddy during 2019 Yala season.

The field work of the survey covered the whole country. A sample of 4000 paddy parcels has been selected for the 2019 Yala season representation of all paddy parcels in Sri Lanka.

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Paddy Statistics –2019 Yala Season

The total paddy production in the country is estimated as a product of the average yield that is estimated through a sample survey and the extent harvested, which is based on a complete enumeration of all paddy parcels. Paddy is not cultivated in Jaffna District in Yala season.

In order to estimate the average yield, 1,714 experiments were conducted during the season.

Paddy statistics at block level for Mahaweli areas namely Mahaweli ‘B’, ‘C’, ’G’ and ‘H’ and ‘Udawalawe’ area are also published in this report.

Distribution of sown extent by various aspects of paddy cultivation such as method of land preparation, application of fertilizer, use of insecticides, etc. are included in table 18 through table 27. These statistics have been compiled based on the data collected from 4,093 paddy growing parcels.

**Table 1: GROSS HARVESTED AREA, AVERAGE YIELD AND PRODUCTION OF PADDY
2013 –2019 YALA SEASONS**

YALA SEASON	GROSS HARVESTED EXTENT		AVERAGE YIELD		PRODUCTION	
	'000 ACRES	'000 HECTARES	BUSHELS PER NET ACRE	KG PER NET HECTARE	MILLION BUSHELS	'000 MT
2013	1,104	447	85.50	4,408	85.04	1,774
2014	743	301	81.54	4,204	54.87	1,145
2015	1,176	476	87.80	4,527	93.09	1,942
2016	939	380	85.67	4,417	72.72	1,517
2017	584	236	83.23	4,291	43.58	909
2018	897	363	90.83	4,683	73.47	1,533
2019	855	346	94.96	4,896	72.82	1,519

The sown extent under paddy cultivation during 2019 Yala season was 368,906 hectares. Out of which 256,582 hectares (69.6%) was reported under major irrigation schemes, 76,496 hectares (20.7%) under minor schemes and 35,828 hectares (9.7%) under rainfed. The largest extent of paddy cultivated was reported in Polonnaruwa District, (61,624 hectares) which is 16.7% of the total extent of paddy cultivated in the country.

The extent harvested during this season was estimated to be 346,010 hectares and it is about 94% of the sown extent.

Average Yield

The average yield of paddy estimated for 2019 Yala season was 4,896 Kg. per net hectare. The highest average yield of 5,726 kg per net hectare was reported during this season from Hambantota District. The average yields of Mannar, Polonnaruwa, Ampara districts are 5,514, 5,511, and 5,377 kg per net hectare respectively.

Production

The estimated paddy production for 2019 Yala season was 1,519,475 metric tons. The highest production of 299,468 metric tons of paddy was estimated from Polonnaruwa District.

Paddy production in Polonnaruwa District was accounted for 20% of paddy production of the country. The contribution to the total paddy production of the country from Ampara, Hambantota, Anuradhapura and Kurunegala Districts were estimated 19%, 11% , 9% and 8% respectively during the 2019 Yala season.

Seed Variety

Long grain white varieties were cultivated nearly across 37% of the total sown extent. Short grain white, long grain red and short grain red varieties have been reported to be 34%, 24%, 4% of the total sown extent respectively.

Ownership

Nearly 82% of the sown extent during 2019 Yaha season was under the ‘Singly Owned’ category of ownership. Another 10% and 4% were under ‘Ande’, ‘Joint’ ownership categories respectively.

Method of Land Preparation

Nearly 97% of the sown extent has been prepared for cultivation by using tractors. Sown extent that had been prepared for cultivation using buffaloes and using mamoties were about 2% and 1% respectively of the total sown extent.

Method of Sowing

Broadcasting is the most popular method of sowing and that has been used in 98% of the sown extent. The percentage of sown extent under the method of parachute, method of transplanting not in rows and method of transplanting in rows in Nuwara Eliya district was estimated to be 20%, 38% and 35% respectively.

Use of Fertilizer

Only chemical fertilizers have been applied in about 65% of the sown extent. The use of both chemical and organic fertilizers was 34 % and the use of only organic fertilizers was 0.2% of the sown extent.

Use of Insecticides and Weedicides

Insecticides had been applied in about 59% of the total sown extent and weedicides had been applied was about 89%. The corresponding percentage for ‘Hand weeding’ was 9%.

Use of Straw

Applying straw directly to the paddy field was about 9.6% of the total sown extent. The corresponding percentages for firing and animal feed were 8% and 1.7% respectively.

FIGURE 1 : PADDY PRODUCTION BY DISTRICT- 2019 YALA

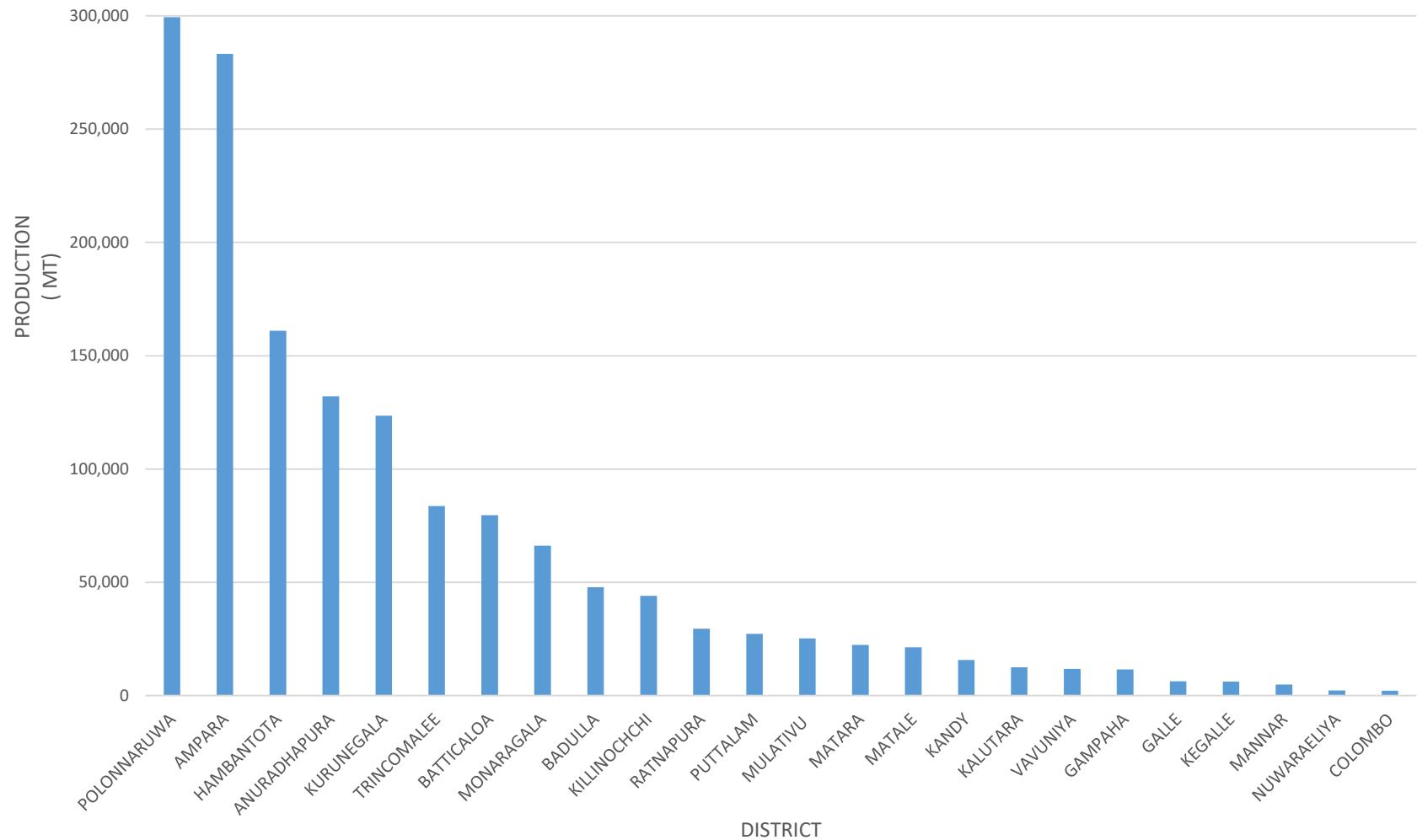


FIGURE 2 : SOWN & HARVESTED EXTENT -YALA SEASON (1980-2019)

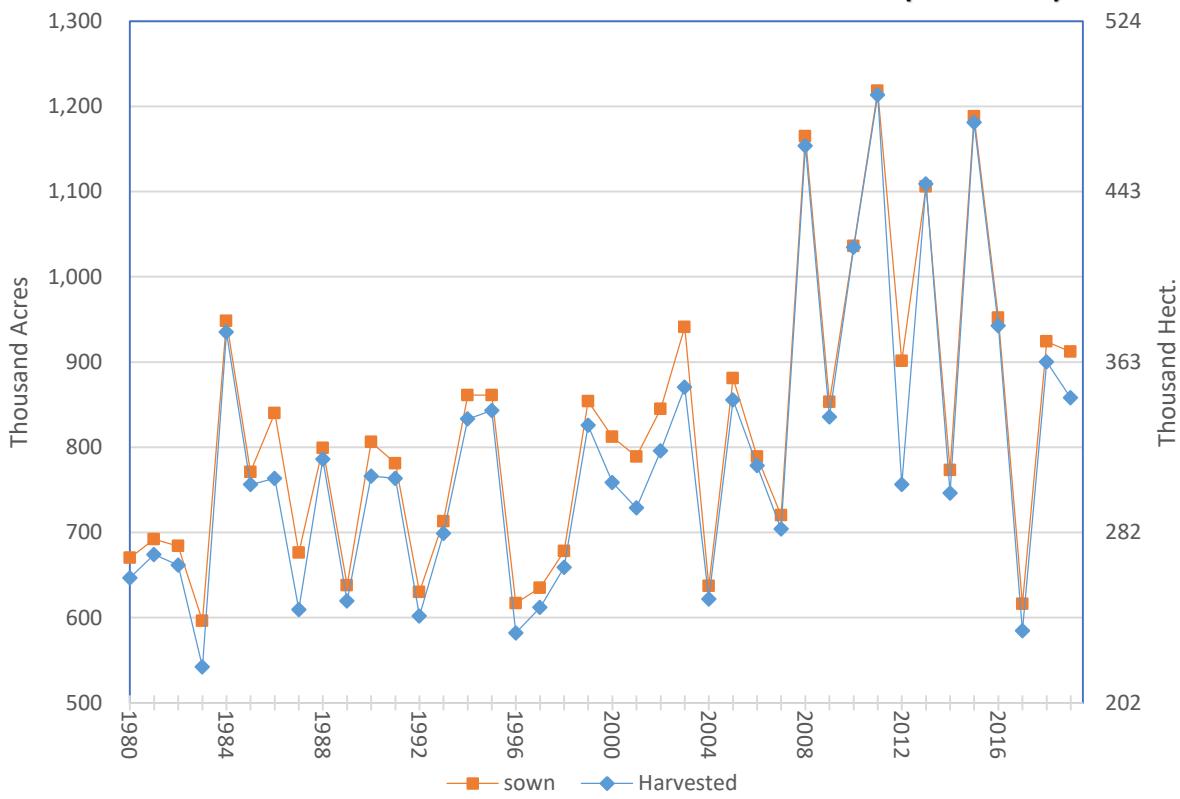


FIGURE 3 : AVERAGE YIELDS OF PADDY - YALA SEASON (1980-2019)

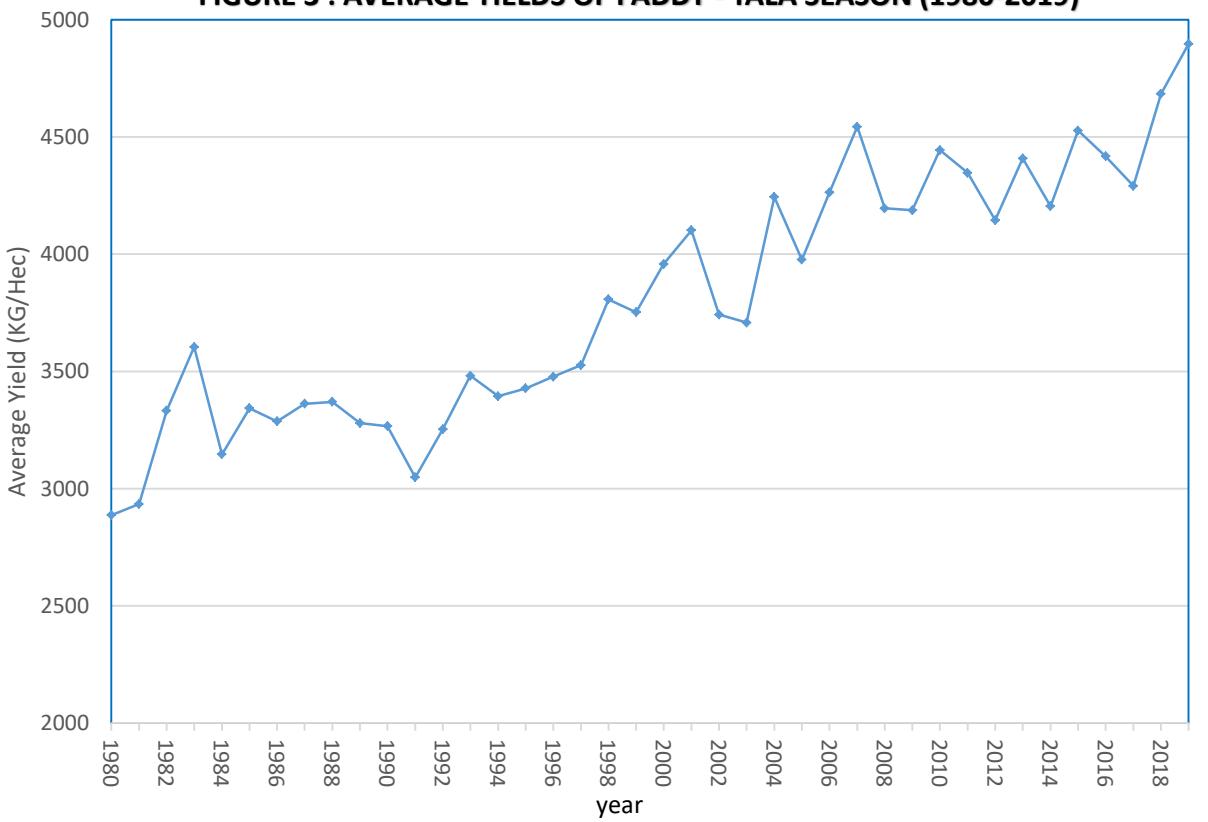
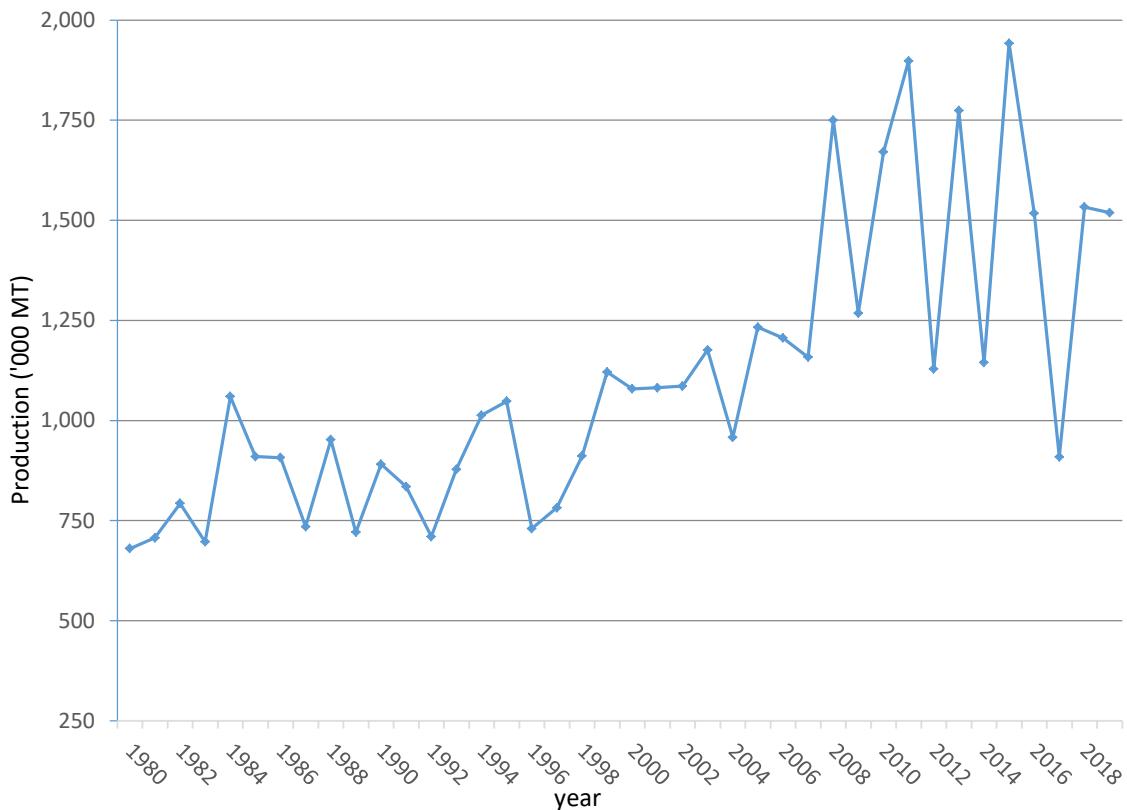
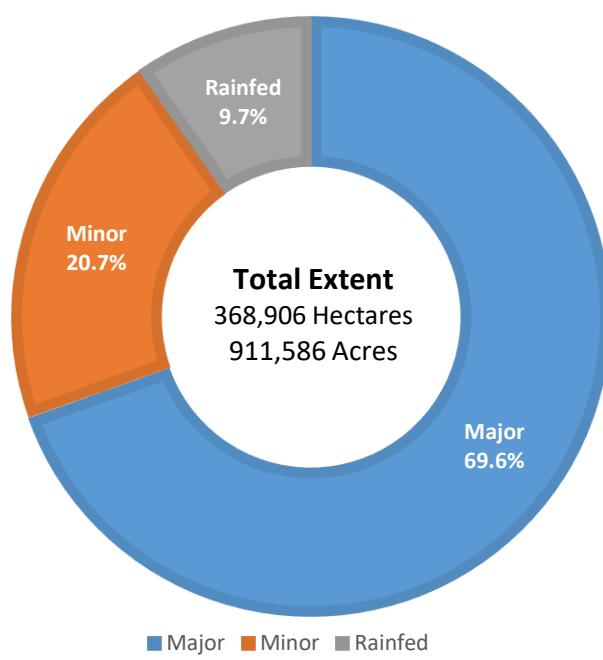


FIGURE 4 : PADDY PRODUCTION - YALA SEASON (1980-2019)



**FIGURE 5 :SOWN EXTENT UNDER PADDY :
2019 YALA SEASON**



**TABLE 2 : PADDY STATISTICS - EXTENT, SOWN, HARVESTED (GROSS & NET), AVERAGE YIELD AND PRODUCTION BY DISTRICT - 2019 YALA SEASON
(IMPERIAL UNITS)**

DISTRICT	GROSS EXTENT S OWN(ACRES)				GROSS EXTENT HARVESTED(ACRES)				AVERAGE YIELD (BUSHELS PER NETT ACRE)						TOTAL PRODUCTION ('000 Bushels)
	MAJOR SCHEMES	MINOR SCHEMES	RAINFED	ALL SCHEMES	MAJOR SCHEMES	MINOR SCHEMES	RAINFED	ALL SCHEMES	MAJOR SCHEMES	MINOR SCHEMES	RAINFED	AVERAGE YIELD	NETT EXTENT HARVESTED (ACRES)		
COLOMBO	255	319	1,630	2,204	225	297	1,427	1,949	68.55	70.37	55.70	59.42	1,657	98	
GAMPAHA	3,314	4,737	5,541	13,592	1,824	3,696	4,817	10,337	78.19	57.35	61.64	63.03	8,786	554	
KALUTARA	243	2,020	10,281	12,544	243	1,884	9,593	11,720	59.63	56.74	55.05	55.42	10,812	599	
KANDY	9,012	3,678	1,787	14,477	9,012	3,619	1,741	14,372	66.48	59.34	76.66	65.92	11,365	749	
MATALE	8,377	2,446	595	11,418	8,317	2,279	505	11,101	107.14	88.68	77.50	102.00	9,983	1,018	
NUWARAELIYA	649	3,024	-	3,673	649	3,024	-	3,673	46.35	54.00	-	52.65	2,070	109	
GALLE	49	1,327	6,859	8,235	38	940	5,621	6,599	51.83	62.05	57.85	58.41	5,164	302	
MATARA	9,578	6,928	11,432	27,938	6,933	5,185	9,503	21,621	69.37	59.11	60.12	62.84	17,070	1,073	
HAMBANTOTA	69,079	9,820	1,910	80,809	68,312	9,534	1,709	79,555	113.99	97.34	70.44	111.06	69,507	7,719	
JAFFNA	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
MANNAR	2,246	39	-	2,285	2,228	32	-	2,260	107.19	89.88	-	106.94	2,158	231	
VAVUNIYA	3,740	2,100	-	5,840	3,728	2,000	-	5,728	109.81	93.24	-	104.02	5,404	562	
MULATIVU	11,320	1,762	-	13,082	11,320	1,684	-	13,004	99.22	93.99	-	98.54	12,269	1,209	
KILLINOCHCHI	23,398	277	-	23,675	23,398	277	-	23,675	100.52	100.06	-	100.51	21,009	2,112	
BATTICALOA	51,330	11,546	4,938	67,814	46,571	9,468	4,512	60,551	69.21	88.02	59.49	71.43	53,442	3,817	
AMPARA	133,308	4,584	623	138,515	131,827	3,766	603	136,196	104.86	88.42	77.37	104.28	130,163	13,574	
TRINCOMALEE	37,689	7,718	-	45,407	37,689	7,034	-	44,723	100.73	74.15	-	96.55	41,548	4,011	
KURUNEGALA	23,701	39,045	33,991	96,737	22,861	31,503	21,654	76,018	91.47	78.99	61.89	77.87	76,018	5,920	
PUTTALAM	12,360	7,077	1,467	20,904	11,427	5,166	1,103	17,696	109.23	44.46	53.74	86.86	15,042	1,307	
ANURADHAPURA	46,793	35,726	45	82,564	45,063	34,192	45	79,300	102.24	95.43	75.06	99.29	63,765	6,331	
POLONNARUWA	139,542	12,734	-	152,276	139,415	12,380	-	151,795	107.09	104.57	-	106.88	134,278	14,352	
BADULLA	19,947	7,835	66	27,848	19,386	7,700	66	27,152	106.10	82.66	41.74	99.30	23,079	2,292	
MONARAGALA	19,239	14,679	1,037	34,955	18,479	13,235	873	32,587	107.63	90.58	56.95	99.35	31,935	3,173	
RATNAPURA	8,859	7,807	1,494	18,160	8,815	7,573	1,363	17,751	109.87	81.02	60.25	93.75	15,088	1,415	
KEGALLE	-	1,800	4,834	6,634	-	1,576	4,069	5,645	-	58.47	54.90	55.90	5,288	296	
SRI LANKA	634,028	189,028	88,530	911,586	617,760	168,044	69,204	855,008	101.69	83.86	60.25	94.96	766,900	72,822	

**TABLE 3 : PADDY STATISTICS - EXTENT, SOWN, HARVESTED (GROSS & NET), AVERAGE YIELD AND PRODUCTION BY DISTRICT - 2019 YALA SEASON
(METRIC UNITS)**

DISTRICT	GROSS EXTENT SOWN(Hectares)				GROSS EXTENT HARVESTED(Hectares)				AVERAGE YIELD (KILOGRAM PER NETT HECTARE)				NETT EXTENT HARVESTED (Hectares)	TOTAL PRODUCTION (MT.)
	MAJOR SCHEMES	MINOR SCHEMES	RAINFED	ALL SCHEMES	MAJOR SCHEMES	MINOR SCHEMES	RAINFED	ALL SCHEMES	MAJOR SCHEMES	MINOR SCHEMES	RAINFED	AVERAGE YIELD		
COLOMBO	103	129	660	892	91	120	577	788	3534	3628	2872	3064	670	2,054
GAMPAHA	1,341	1,917	2,242	5,500	738	1,496	1,949	4,183	4031	2957	3178	3250	3,556	11,555
KALUTARA	98	817	4,161	5,076	98	762	3,882	4,742	3075	2926	2838	2857	4,375	12,502
KANDY	3,647	1,488	723	5,858	3,647	1,465	705	5,817	3428	3060	3953	3399	4,599	15,632
MATALE	3,390	990	241	4,621	3,366	922	204	4,492	5524	4572	3996	5259	4,040	21,247
NUWARAELIYA	263	1,224	-	1,487	263	1,224	-	1,487	2390	2784	-	2715	838	2,274
GALLE	20	537	2,776	3,333	15	380	2,275	2,670	2672	3199	2983	3012	2,090	6,295
MATARA	3,876	2,804	4,626	11,306	2,806	2,098	3,846	8,750	3577	3048	3100	3240	6,908	22,383
HAMBANTOTA	27,955	3,974	773	32,702	27,645	3,858	692	32,195	5877	5019	3632	5726	28,129	161,070
JAFFNA	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MANNAR	909	16	-	925	902	13	-	915	5527	4634	-	5514	873	4,815
VAVUNIYA	1,514	850	-	2,364	1,509	809	-	2,318	5662	4807	-	5363	2,187	11,730
MULATIVU	4,581	713	-	5,294	4,581	681	-	5,262	5116	4846	-	5081	4,965	25,228
KILLINOCHCHI	9,469	112	-	9,581	9,469	112	-	9,581	5183	5159	-	5183	8,502	44,063
BATTICALOA	20,773	4,673	1,998	27,444	18,847	3,832	1,826	24,505	3568	4538	3067	3683	21,627	79,649
AMPARA	53,948	1,855	252	56,055	53,349	1,524	244	55,117	5407	4559	3989	5377	52,675	283,226
TRINCOMALEE	15,252	3,123	-	18,375	15,252	2,847	-	18,099	5194	3823	-	4978	16,814	83,700
KURUNEGALA	9,591	15,801	13,756	39,148	9,252	12,749	8,763	30,764	4716	4073	3191	4015	30,763	123,518
PUTTALAM	5,002	2,864	594	8,460	4,624	2,091	446	7,161	5632	2292	2771	4479	6,087	27,262
ANURADHAPURA	18,936	14,458	18	33,412	18,236	13,837	18	32,091	5271	4920	3870	5119	25,805	132,103
POLONNARUWA	56,471	5,153	-	61,624	56,419	5,010	-	61,429	5522	5392	-	5511	54,340	299,468
BADULLA	8,072	3,171	27	11,270	7,845	3,116	27	10,988	5471	4262	2152	5120	9,340	47,817
MONARAGALA	7,786	5,940	420	14,146	7,478	5,356	353	13,187	5549	4670	2936	5122	12,924	66,200
RATNAPURA	3,585	3,159	605	7,349	3,567	3,065	552	7,184	5665	4177	3106	4834	6,106	29,516
KEGALLE	-	728	1,956	2,684	-	638	1,647	2,285	-	3015	2831	2882	2,140	6,168
SRI LANKA	256,582	76,496	35,828	368,906	249,999	68,005	28,006	346,010	5243	4324	3107	4896	310,353	1,519,475

TABLE 4: ESTIMATION OF STANDARD ERRORS OF AVERAGE YIELDS - 2019 YALA (IMPERIAL UNITS)

DISTRICT	MAJOR SCHEMES					MINOR SCHEMES					RAINFED SCHEMES					DISTRICT AVERAGE													
	YIELD BU/NET AC.	STD ERROR BU/ NET AC.	% of STD. BU/ NET AC.	CONFIDENCE LIMIT		YIELD BU/ NET AC.	STD ERROR BU/ NET AC.	% of STD. BU/ NET AC.	CONFIDENCE LIMIT		YIELD BU/ NET AC.	STD ERROR BU/ NET AC.	% of STD. BU/ NET AC.	CONFIDENCE LIMIT		YIELD BU/ NET AC.	STD ERROR BU/ NET AC.	% of STD. BU/ NET AC.	CONFIDENCE LIMIT										
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				LOWER	UPPER				LOWER	UPPER				LOWER	UPPER				LOWER	UPPER									
COLOMBO	68.55	10.44	15.23	48.09	89.01	70.37	3.98	5.66	62.57	78.17	55.70	1.09	1.96	53.56	57.84	59.42	1.57	2.64	56.34	62.50									
GAMPAHA	78.19	6.26	8.01	65.92	90.46	57.35	1.93	3.37	53.57	61.13	61.64	1.71	2.77	58.29	64.99	63.03	1.53	2.43	60.03	66.03									
KALUTARA	59.63	4.72	7.92	50.38	68.88	56.74	0.73	1.29	55.31	58.17	55.05	0.62	1.13	53.83	56.27	55.42	0.53	0.96	54.38	56.46									
KANDY	66.48	1.98	2.98	62.60	70.36	59.34	2.92	4.92	53.62	65.06	76.66	4.94	6.44	66.98	86.34	65.92	1.56	2.37	62.86	68.97									
MATALE	107.14	2.17	2.03	102.89	111.39	88.68	3.68	4.15	81.47	95.89	77.50	6.77	8.74	64.23	90.77	102.00	1.82	1.78	98.43	105.57									
NUWARAELIYA	46.35	3.71	8.00	39.08	53.62	54.00	0.18	0.33	53.65	54.35	-	-	0.00	0.00	0.00	52.65	0.67	1.27	51.34	53.96									
GALLE	51.83	2.13	4.11	47.66	56.00	62.05	1.31	2.11	59.48	64.62	57.85	8.56	14.80	41.07	74.63	58.41	7.30	12.50	44.11	72.72									
MATARA	69.37	3.37	4.86	62.76	75.98	59.11	4.02	6.80	51.23	66.99	60.12	1.62	2.69	56.94	63.30	62.84	1.61	2.56	59.69	66.00									
HAMBANTOTA	113.99	1.46	1.28	111.13	116.85	97.34	3.27	3.36	90.93	103.75	70.44	1.57	2.23	67.36	73.52	111.06	1.31	1.18	108.49	113.63									
JAFFNA	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-									
MANNAR	107.19	6.93	6.47	93.61	120.77	89.88	6.09	6.78	77.94	101.82	-	-	-	-	-	106.94	6.83	6.39	93.56	120.33									
VAVUNIYA	109.81	2.68	2.44	104.56	115.06	93.24	25.52	27.37	43.22	143.26	-	-	-	-	-	104.02	9.08	8.73	86.23	121.82									
MULATIVU	99.22	2.23	2.25	94.85	103.59	93.99	0.36	0.38	93.28	94.70	-	-	-	-	-	98.54	1.94	1.97	94.74	102.35									
KILLINOCHCHI	100.52	5.49	5.46	89.76	111.28	100.06	2.98	2.98	94.22	105.90	-	-	-	-	-	100.51	5.43	5.40	89.87	111.16									
BATTICALOA	69.21	3.14	4.54	63.06	75.36	88.02	2.56	2.91	83.00	93.04	59.49	2.16	3.63	55.26	63.72	71.43	2.45	3.43	66.62	76.23									
AMPARA	104.86	1.56	1.49	101.80	107.92	88.42	3.33	3.77	81.89	94.95	77.37	16.29	21.05	45.44	109.30	104.28	1.51	1.45	101.32	107.24									
TRINCOMALEE	100.73	0.97	0.96	98.83	102.63	74.15	2.37	3.20	69.50	78.80	-	-	-	-	-	96.55	0.90	0.93	94.79	98.31									
KURUNEGALA	91.47	1.94	2.12	87.67	95.27	78.99	4.60	5.82	69.97	88.01	61.89	3.25	5.25	55.52	68.26	77.87	2.20	2.83	73.56	82.18									
PUTTALAM	109.23	3.08	2.82	103.19	115.27	44.46	6.29	14.15	32.13	56.79	53.74	0.12	0.22	53.50	53.98	86.86	2.71	3.12	81.55	92.17									
ANURADHAPURA	102.24	3.58	3.50	95.22	109.26	95.43	1.53	1.60	92.43	98.43	75.06	3.87	5.16	67.47	82.65	99.29	2.14	2.16	95.09	103.48									
POLONNARUWA	107.09	1.17	1.09	104.80	109.38	104.57	4.29	4.10	96.16	112.98	-	-	-	-	-	106.88	1.13	1.06	104.67	109.10									
BADULLA	106.10	3.06	2.88	100.10	112.10	82.66	5.20	6.29	72.47	92.85	41.74	7.02	16.82	27.98	55.50	99.30	2.64	2.66	94.12	104.47									
MONARAGALA	107.63	21.78	20.24	64.94	150.32	90.58	12.67	13.99	65.75	115.41	56.95	2.23	3.92	52.58	61.32	99.35	13.38	13.47	73.12	125.57									
RATNAPURA	109.87	4.66	4.24	100.74	119.00	81.02	3.31	4.09	74.53	87.51	60.25	4.58	7.60	51.27	69.23	93.75	2.73	2.91	88.40	99.10									
KEGALLE	-	-	-	-	-	58.47	2.93	5.01	52.73	64.21	54.90	0.44	0.80	54.04	55.76	55.90	0.88	1.57	54.17	57.62									

TABLE 5: ESTIMATION OF STANDARD ERRORS OF AVERAGE YIELDS - 2019 YALA (METRIC UNITS)

DISTRICT	MAJOR SCHEMES						MINOR SCHEMES						RAINFED SCHEMES						DISTRICT AVERAGE																	
	YIELD KG/ NET HEC.	STD ERROR KG/ NET HEC.	% of STD. ERROR	CONFIDENCE LIMIT KG/ NET HEC.		YIELD KG/ NET HEC.	STD ERROR KG/ NET HEC.	% of STD. ERROR	CONFIDENCE LIMIT KG/ NET HEC.		YIELD KG/ NET HEC.	STD ERROR KG/ NET HEC.	% of STD. ERROR	CONFIDENCE LIMIT KG/ NET HEC.		YIELD KG/ NET HEC.	STD ERROR KG/ NET HEC.	% of STD. ERROR	CONFIDENCE LIMIT KG/ NET HEC.		YIELD KG/ NET HEC.	STD ERROR KG/ NET HEC.	% of STD. ERROR	CONFIDENCE LIMIT KG/ NET HEC.												
				KG/ NET HEC.					KG/ NET HEC.					KG/ NET HEC.						KG/ NET HEC.																
				LOWER	UPPER	LOWER			UPPER																											
COLOMBO	3,534	538	15.23	2,479	4,589	3,628	205	5.66	3,226	4,030	2,872	56	1.96	2,762	2,982	3,064	81	2.64	2,905	3,222																
GAMPAHA	4,031	323	8.01	3,399	4,664	2,957	100	3.37	2,762	3,152	3,178	88	2.77	3,005	3,351	3,250	79	2.43	3,095	3,404																
KALUTARA	3,075	243	7.92	2,598	3,552	2,926	38	1.29	2,852	2,999	2,838	32	1.13	2,776	2,901	2,857	27	0.96	2,804	2,911																
KANDY	3,428	102	2.98	3,228	3,628	3,060	151	4.92	2,764	3,355	3,953	255	6.44	3,453	4,452	3,399	80	2.37	3,241	3,556																
MATALE	5,524	112	2.03	5,305	5,743	4,572	190	4.15	4,200	4,944	3,996	349	8.74	3,312	4,680	5,259	94	1.78	5,075	5,443																
NUWARAELIYA	2,390	191	8.00	2,015	2,765	2,784	9	0.33	2,766	2,802	-	-	-	-	-	2,715	35	1.27	2,647	2,782																
GALLE	2,672	110	4.11	2,457	2,888	3,199	68	2.11	3,067	3,332	2,983	441	14.80	2,118	3,848	3,012	376	12.50	2,274	3,750																
MATARA	3,577	174	4.86	3,236	3,917	3,048	207	6.80	2,641	3,454	3,100	84	2.69	2,936	3,264	3,240	83	2.56	3,078	3,403																
HAMBANTOTA	5,877	75	1.28	5,730	6,025	5,019	169	3.36	4,688	5,349	3,632	81	2.23	3,473	3,791	5,726	68	1.18	5,594	65																
JAFFNA	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-												
MANNAR	5,527	357	6.47	4,826	6,227	4,634	314	6.78	4,019	5,250	-	-	-	-	-	5,514	352	6.39	4,824	6,204																
VAVUNIYA	5,662	138	2.44	5,391	5,933	4,807	1,316	27.37	2,228	7,386	-	-	-	-	-	5,363	468	8.73	4,446	6,281																
MULATIVU	5,116	115	2.25	4,890	5,341	4,846	19	0.38	4,810	4,883	-	-	-	-	-	5,081	100	1.97	4,885	5,277																
KILLINOCHCHI	5,183	283	5.46	4,628	5,738	5,159	154	2.98	4,858	5,460	-	-	-	-	-	5,183	280	5.40	4,634	5,731																
BATTICALOA	3,568	162	4.54	3,251	3,886	4,538	132	2.91	4,280	4,797	3,067	111	3.63	2,849	3,286	3,683	126	3.43	3,435	3,930																
AMPARA	5,407	80	1.49	5,249	5,564	4,559	172	3.77	4,222	4,895	3,989	840	21.05	2,343	5,635	5,377	78	1.45	5,224	5,529																
TRINCOMALEE	5,194	50	0.96	5,096	5,292	3,823	122	3.20	3,584	4,063	-	-	-	-	-	4,978	46	0.93	4,887	5,069																
KURUNEGALA	4,716	100	2.12	4,520	4,912	4,073	237	5.82	3,608	4,538	3,191	168	5.25	2,863	3,519	4,015	113	2.83	3,793	4,237																
PUTTALAM	5,632	159	2.82	5,321	5,943	2,292	324	14.15	1,657	2,928	2,771	6	0.22	2,759	2,783	4,479	140	3.12	4,205	4,753																
ANURADHAPURA	5,271	185	3.50	4,910	5,633	4,920	79	1.60	4,766	5,075	3,870	200	5.16	3,479	4,261	5,119	110	2.16	4,903	5,336																
POLONNARUWA	5,522	60	1.09	5,403	5,640	5,392	221	4.10	4,958	5,825	-	-	-	-	-	5,511	58	1.06	5,397	5,625																
BADULLA	5,471	158	2.88	5,161	5,780	4,262	268	6.29	3,736	4,787	2,152	362	16.82	1,443	2,862	5,120	136	2.66	4,853	5,387																
MONARAGALA	5,549	1,123	20.24	3,348	7,750	4,670	653	13.99	3,390	5,951	2,936	115	3.92	2,711	3,162	5,122	690	13.47	3,770	6,475																
RATNAPURA	5,665	240	4.24	5,194	6,136	4,177	171	4.09	3,843	4,512	3,106	236	7.60	2,644	3,569	4,834	141	2.91	4,558	5,110																
KEGALLE	-	-	-	-	-	3,015	151	5.01	2,719	3,311	2,831	23	0.80	2,786	2,875	2,882	45	1.57	2,793	2,971																

TABLE 6 : HARVESTED EXTENT, AVERAGE YIELD AND PRODUCTION OF PADDY BY SEASON (1994-2019)

YEAR	GROSS EXTENT HARVESTED ('000 ACRES)		AVERAGE YIELD (BUSHELS/NETT ACRE)		TOTAL PRODUCTION ('000 BUSHELS)			GROSS EXTENT HARVESTED ('000 Hectares)		AVERAGE YIELD		TOTAL PRODUCTION ('000MT)		
	MAHA	YALA	MAHA	YALA	MAHA	YALA	Total	MAHA	YALA	MAHA	YALA	MAHA	YALA	Total
1994	1,385	830	64.9	65.8	80,054	48,576	128,630	561	336	3,345	3,394	1,670	1,013	2,683
1995	1,357	841	69.9	66.5	84,407	50,271	134,678	549	340	3,604	3,427	1,761	1,049	2,810
1996	1,051	580	68.5	67.4	63,807	35,000	98,807	425	235	3,534	3,477	1,331	730	2,061
1997	1,095	610	71.2	68.4	69,837	37,496	107,333	443	247	3,671	3,526	1,457	782	2,239
1998	1,391	657	69.0	73.8	85,366	43,678	129,044	563	266	3,555	3,807	1,781	911	2,692
1999	1,331	823	70.1	72.8	83,196	53,746	136,942	539	333	3,612	3,752	1,736	1,121	2,857
2000	1,300	756	73.7	76.8	85,374	51,701	137,075	526	306	3,798	3,958	1,781	1,079	2,860
2001	1,163	727	74.9	79.6	77,304	51,858	129,162	471	294	3,860	4,102	1,613	1,082	2,695
2002	1,232	793	77.4	72.6	85,002	52,027	137,029	499	321	3,990	3,742	1,774	1,086	2,860
2003	1,383	870	73.6	71.9	90,806	56,385	147,191	560	351	3,794	3,708	1,895	1,172	3,067
2004	1,158	620	77.6	82.3	80,022	45,921	125,943	469	251	4,002	4,244	1,670	958	2,628
2005	1,408	853	76.7	77.1	96,461	59,116	155,577	570	345	3,955	3,976	2,013	1,233	3,246
2006	1,447	776	78.9	82.7	102,349	57,814	160,163	586	314	4,069	4,263	2,135	1,206	3,341
2007	1,265	701	83.4	88.1	94,554	55,505	150,059	512	284	4,299	4,543	1,973	1,158	3,131
2008	1,404	1,148	81.1	81.4	101,852	83,871	185,723	568	464	4,175	4,195	2,125	1,750	3,875
2009	1,494	834	85.7	81.2	114,254	60,755	175,009	605	337	4,421	4,187	2,384	1,268	3,652
2010	1,590	1,031	88.9	86.2	126,024	80,087	206,111	643	417	4,583	4,444	2,630	1,671	4,301
2011	1,516	1,209	71.1	84.3	95,655	90,965	186,620	613	489	3,668	4,347	1,996	1,898	3,894
2012	1,692	754	86.2	80.4	130,212	54,107	184,319	685	305	4,444	4,145	2,717	1,129	3,846
2013	1,833	1,104	83.0	86.0	136,410	85,042	221,452	742	447	4,281	4,408	2,846	1,774	4,620
2014	1,433	743	83.3	81.5	107,155	54,872	162,027	580	301	4,222	4,204	2,236	1,145	3,381
2015	1,816	1,176	84.6	87.8	137,882	93,091	230,973	735	476	4,364	4,527	2,877	1,942	4,819
2016	1,835	939	84.34	85.67	139,114	72,722	211,836	743	380	4,349	4,417	2,903	1,517	4,420
2017	946	584	83.41	83.23	70,674	43,580	114,254	383	236	4,301	4,291	1,474	909	2,383
2018	1,532	897	83.43	90.83	114,874	73,466	118,340	620	363	4,302	4,683	2,397	1,533	3,930
2019	1,789	855	92.1	94.96	147,256	72,822	220,078	724	346	4,747	4,896	3,073	1,519	4,592

TABLE 7 : PADDY STATISTICS - MAHAWELI SPECIAL AREAS - 2019 YALA (IMPERIAL UNITS)

BLOCK	GROSS SOWN EXTENT (ACRES)	GROSS HARVESTED EXTENT (ACRES)	AVERAGE YIELD (Bu/Ac)	STANDARD ERROR (BU/AC)	CONFIDENCE INTERVAL (BU/AC) AT 95%		NETT HARVESTED EXTENT (ACRES)	TOTAL PRODUCTION ('000 BUSHELS)
					LOWER LIMIT	UPPER LIMIT		
SYSTEM 'B'	48,423	48,386	100.81	2.01	96.87	104.75	42,802	4,315
SYSTEM 'C'	51,768	51,768	109.81	1.12	107.61	112.00	46,736	5,132
SYSTEM 'G'	11,602	11,602	107.44	5.18	97.29	117.59	10,263	1,103
SYSTEM 'H'	6,799	6,726	97.64	2.93	91.90	103.39	6,032	589
UDAWALAWE	26,329	26,329	122.95	1.56	119.89	126.00	25,802	3,172

TABLE 8 : PADDY STATISTICS - MAHAWELI SPECIAL AREAS - 2019 YALA (METRIC UNITS)

BLOCK	GROSS SOWN EXTENT(HEC.)	GROSS HARVESTED EXTENT (HEC.)	AVERAGE YIELD (KG/HEC.)	STANDARD ERROR (KG/HEC.)	CONFIDENCE INTERVAL (KG/HEC) AT 95%		NETT HARVESTED EXTENT (HEC.)	TOTAL PRODUCTION (MEIRC TONS)
					LOWER LIMIT	UPPER LIMIT		
SYSTEM 'B'	19,596	19,581	5,198	104	4,995	5,401	17,321	90,032
SYSTEM 'C'	20,950	20,950	5,662	58	5,548	5,775	18,913	107,080
SYSTEM 'G'	4,695	4,695	5,540	267	5,016	6,063	4,153	23,008
SYSTEM 'H'	2,751	2,722	5,035	151	4,738	5,331	2,441	12,289
UDAWALAWE	10,655	10,655	6,339	80	6,181	6,497	10,442	66,193

**TABLE 9 : PADDY STATISTICS AT BLOCK LEVEL - MAHAWELI SYSTEM 'B' - 2019 YALA
(IMPERIAL UNITS)**

BLOCK	GROSS SOWN EXTENT (ACRES)	GROSS HARVESTED EXTENT (ACRES)	AVERAGE YIELD (BU/AC)	STANDARD ERROR (BU/AC)	CONFIDENCE INTERVAL (BU/AC) AT 95%		NETT HARVESTED EXTENT (ACRES)	TOTAL PRODUCTION ('000 BUSHELS)
					LOWER LIMIT	UPPER LIMIT		
ASELAPURA	7,248	7,248	94.35	4.60	85.33	103.37	6,412	605
DAMMINNA	4,517	4,517	103.09	12.77	78.06	128.12	3,996	412
DIMBULAGALA	5,868	5,868	98.49	2.51	93.57	103.41	5,191	511
ELLEWEWA	6,103	6,103	105.44	6.59	92.52	118.36	5,399	569
SENAPURA	5,144	5,144	100.96	2.58	95.90	106.02	4,550	459
SEVANAPITIYA	7,190	7,190	105.65	2.57	100.61	110.69	6,360	672
SINGHAPURA	4,758	4,721	82.81	8.30	66.54	99.08	4,176	346
WIJAYABAPURA	7,595	7,595	110.19	4.48	101.41	118.97	6,719	740
SYSTEM	48,423	48,386	100.81	2.01	96.87	104.75	42,802	4,315

**TABLE 10 : PADDY STATISTICS AT BLOCK LEVEL - MAHAWELI SYSTEM 'B' - 2019 YALA
(METRIC UNITS)**

BLOCK	GROSS SOWN EXTENT (HECT)	GROSS HARVESTED EXTENT (HEC.)	AVERAGE YIELD (KG/HEC.)	STANDARD ERROR (KG/HEC.)	CONFIDENCE INTERVAL (KG/HEC) AT 95%		NETT HARVESTED EXTENT (HEC.)	TOTAL PRODUCTION (MEIRC TONS)
					LOWER LIMIT	UPPER LIMIT		
ASELAPURA	2,933	2,933	4,865	237	4,400	5,330	2,595	12,622
DAMMINNA	1,828	1,828	5,315	658	4,025	6,606	1,617	8,595
DIMBULAGALA	2,375	2,375	5,078	129	4,824	5,332	2,101	10,667
ELLEWEWA	2,470	2,470	5,436	340	4,771	6,102	2,185	11,878
SENAPURA	2,082	2,082	5,205	133	4,945	5,466	1,841	9,586
SEVANAPITIYA	2,910	2,910	5,447	133	5,188	5,707	2,574	14,021
SINHAPURA	1,925	1,911	4,270	428	3,431	5,108	1,690	7,216
WIJAYABAPURA	3,074	3,074	5,681	231	5,229	6,134	2,719	15,447
SYSTEM	19,596	19,581	5,198	104	4,995	5,401	17,321	90,032

**TABLE11 : PADDY STATISTICS AT BLOCK LEVEL - MAHAWELI SYSTEM 'C' - 2019 YALA
(IMPERIAL UNITS)**

BLOCK	GROSS SOWN EXTENT(ACRES)	GROSS HARVESTED EXTENT (ACRES)	AVERAGE YIELD (BU/AC)	STANDARD ERROR (BU/AC)	CONFIDENCE INTERVAL (BU/AC) AT 95%		NETT HARVESTED EXTENT (ACRES)	TOTAL PRODUCTION ('000 BUSHELS)
					LOWER LIMIT	UPPER LIMIT		
MAHIYANGANAYA	11,243	11,243	111.23	3.07	105.21	117.25	10,150	1,129
MAHAWANAWELA	5,840	5,840	107.12	2.10	103.00	111.24	5,272	565
MEDAGAMA	5,712	5,712	117.48	4.53	108.60	126.36	5,157	606
SADUNPURA	11,221	11,221	101.78	2.07	97.72	105.84	10,130	1,031
SIRIPURA	7,347	7,347	111.30	1.74	107.89	114.71	6,633	738
NUWARAGALA	5,505	5,505	117.03	4.40	108.41	125.65	4,970	582
WEHERAGALA	4,900	4,900	108.81	1.57	105.73	111.89	4,424	481
SYSTEM	51,768	51,768	109.81	1.12	107.61	112.00	46,736	5,132

**TABLE 12 : PADDY STATISTICS AT BLOCK LEVEL - MAHAWELI SYSTEM 'C' -2019 YALA
(METRIC UNITS)**

BLOCK	GROSS SOWN EXTENT(HEC.)	GROSS HARVESTED EXTENT (HEC.)	AVERAGE YIELD (KG/HEC.)	STANDARD ERROR (KG/HEC.)	CONFIDENCE INTERVAL (KG/HECT) AT 95%		NETT HARVESTED EXTENT (HEC.)	TOTAL PRODUCTION (METRIC TONS)
					LOWER LIMIT	UPPER LIMIT		
MAHIYANGANAYA	4,550	4,550	5,735	158	5,425	6,045	4,108	23,557
MAHAWANAWELA	2,363	2,363	5,523	108	5,311	5,735	2,134	11,784
MEDAGAMA	2,312	2,312	6,057	234	5,599	6,515	2,087	12,641
SADUNPURA	4,541	4,541	5,248	107	5,039	5,457	4,100	21,514
SIRIPURA	2,973	2,973	5,739	90	5,563	5,914	2,684	15,404
NUWARAGALA	2,228	2,228	6,034	227	5,589	6,479	2,011	12,136
WEHERAGALA	1,983	1,983	5,610	81	5,452	5,769	1,790	10,044
SYSTEM	20,950	20,950	5,662	58	5,548	5,775	18,913	107,080

**TABLE 13 : PADDY STATISTICS AT BLOCK LEVEL - MAHAWELI SYSTEM 'G' - 2019 YALA
(IMPERIAL UNITS)**

BLOCK	GROSS SOWN EXIENT(ACRES)	GROSS HARVESTED EXIENT (ACRES)	AVERAGE YIELD (BU/AC)	STANDARD ERROR (BU/AC)	CONFIDENCE INTERVAL (BU/AC) AT 95%		NETT HARVESTED EXIENT (ACRES)	TOTAL PRODUCTION ('000 BUSHELS)
					LOWER LIMIT	UPPER LIMIT		
ATTANAKADAWALA	5,724	5,724	113.84	6.53	101.04	126.64	5,063	576
BAKAMOONA	5,878	5,878	101.21	8.02	85.49	116.93	5,200	526
SYSTEM	11,602	11,602	107.44	5.18	97.29	117.59	10,263	1,103

**TABLE 14 : PADDY STATISTICS AT BLOCK LEVEL - MAHAWELI SYSTEM 'G' 2019 YALA
(METRIC UNITS)**

BLOCK	GROSS SOWN EXTENT (HEC.)	GROSS HARVESTED EXTENT (HEC.)	AVERAGE YIELD (KG/HEC.)	STANDARD ERROR (KG/HEC.)	CONFIDENCE INTERVAL (KG/HEC.) AT 95%		NETT HARVESTED EXTENT (HEC.)	TOTAL PRODUCTION (METRIC TONS)
					LOWER LIMIT	UPPER LIMIT		
ATTANAKADAWALA	2,316	2,316	5,870	337	5,210	6,529	2,049	12,027
BAKAMOONA	2,379	2,379	5,218	414	4,408	6,029	2,104	10,981
SYSTEM	4,695	4,695	5,540	267	5,016	6,063	4,153	23,008

**TABLE 15 : PADDY STATISTICS AT BLOCK LEVEL - MAHAWELI SYSTEM 'H' - 2019 YALA
(IMPERIAL UNITS)**

BLOCK	GROSS SOWN EXTENT (ACRES)	GROSS HARVESTED EXTENT (ACRES)	AVERAGE YIELD (Bu/Ac)	STANDARD ERROR (Bu/Ac)	CONFIDENCE INTERVAL (BU/AC) AT 95%		NET HARVESTED EXTENT (ACRES)	TOTAL PRODUCTION ('000 BUSHELS)
					LOWER LIMIT	UPPER LIMIT		
GALNEWA	471	471	78.18	6.75	64.95	91.41	422	33
MEEGALEWA	471	461	101.42	9.55	82.70	120.14	413	42
GALKIRIYAGAMA	3,309	3,309	96.58	5.24	86.31	106.85	2,968	287
MADATUGAMA	504	500	69.42	9.64	50.53	88.31	448	31
EPPAWELA	1,246	1,223	116.13	3.75	108.78	123.48	1,097	127
TABUTTEGAMA	350	350	102.51	6.78	89.22	115.80	314	32
NOCHCHIYAGAMA	159	123	100.72	9.02	83.04	118.40	110	11
THALAWA	289	289	98.94	9.76	79.81	118.07	259	26
SYSTEM	6,799	6,726	97.64	2.93	91.90	103.39	6,032	589

**TABLE 16 : PADDY STATISTICS AT BLOCK LEVEL - MAHAWELI SYSTEM 'H' - 2019 YALA
(METRIC UNITS)**

BLOCK	GROSS SOWN EXTENT (HEC.)	GROSS HARVESTED EXTENT (HEC.)	AVERAGE YIELD (KG/HEC.)	STANDARD ERROR (KG/HEC.)	CONFIDENCE INTERVAL (KG/HECT) AT 95%		NET HARVESTED EXTENT (HEC.)	TOTAL PRODUCTION (METRIC TONS)
					LOWER LIMIT	UPPER LIMIT		
GALNEWA	191	191	4,031	348	3,349	4,713	171	689
MEEGALEWA	191	187	5,229	492	4,264	6,194	167	875
GALKIRIYAGAMA	1,339	1,339	4,980	270	4,450	5,509	1,201	5,980
MADATUGAMA	204	202	3,579	497	2,605	4,553	181	650
EPPAWELA	504	495	5,988	193	5,609	6,367	444	2,658
TABUTTEGAMA	142	142	5,285	350	4,600	5,971	127	671
NOCHCHIYAGAMA	64	50	5,193	465	4,282	6,105	45	232
THALAWA	117	117	5,101	503	4,115	6,088	105	535
SYSTEM	2,751	2,722	5,035	151	4,738	5,331	2,441	12,289

TABLE 17 : PADDY STATISTICS AT BLOCK LEVEL -UDAWALAWE - 2019 YALA (IMPERIAL UNITS)

BLOCK	GROSS SOWN EXTENT (ACRES)	GROSS HARVESTED EXTENT (ACRES)	AVERAGE YIELD (BU/AC)	STANDARD ERROR (BU/AC)	CONFIDENCE INTERVAL (BU/AC) AT 95%		NET HARVESTED EXTENT (ACRES)	TOTAL PRODUCTION ('000 BUSHELS)
					LOWER LIMIT	UPPER LIMIT		
CHANDRIKAWEWA	3,198	3,198	136.98	6.12	124.98	148.98	3,134	429
MURAWESIHENA	6,747	6,747	117.37	3.55	110.41	124.33	6,612	776
ANGUNAKOLAPELESSA	5,435	5,435	117.64	3.20	111.37	123.91	5,326	627
KIRIIBBANWEWA	3,042	3,042	136.65	3.41	129.97	143.33	2,981	407
SOORIYAWEWA	3,352	3,352	124.98	4.04	117.06	132.90	3,285	411
MAYURAPURA, TISSAPURA	4,555	4,555	117.04	2.58	111.98	122.10	4,464	522
SYSTEM	26,329	26,329	122.95	1.56	119.89	126.00	25,802	3,172

TABLE 18 : PADDY STATISTICS AT BLOCK LEVEL -UDAWALAWE - 2019 YALA (METRIC UNITS)

BLOCK	GROSS SOWN EXTENT (HEC.)	GROSS HARVESTED EXTENT (HEC.)	AVERAGE YIELD (KG/HEC.)	STANDARD ERROR (KG/HEC.)	CONFIDENCE INTERVAL (KG/HEC) AT 95%		NET HARVESTED EXTENT (HEC.)	TOTAL PRODUCTION (METRIC TONS)
					LOWER LIMIT	UPPER LIMIT		
CHANDRIKAWEWA	1,294	1,294	7,063	316	6,444	7,681	1,268	8,958
MURAWESIHENA	2,730	2,730	6,052	183	5,693	6,410	2,676	16,193
ANGUNAKOLAPELESSA	2,199	2,199	6,066	165	5,742	6,389	2,155	13,074
KIRIIBBANWEWA	1,231	1,231	7,046	176	6,701	7,390	1,206	8,500
SOORIYAWEWA	1,357	1,357	6,444	208	6,036	6,852	1,329	8,566
MAYURAPURA, TISSAPURA	1,843	1,843	6,035	133	5,774	6,295	1,806	10,901
SYSTEM	10,655	10,655	6,339	80	6,181	6,497	10,442	66,193

TABLE 19 : SOWN AREA UNDER PADDY BY SYSTEM OF TENURE AND DISTRICT - 2019 YALA

DISTRICT	TOTAL SOWN AREA (HEC)	SINGLY OWNED		JOINTLY OWNED		ANDE		OTHER	
		AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%
COLOMBO	892	706	79.2	-	-	152	17	34	3.8
GAMPAHA	5,500	4,449	80.9	28	0.5	1,012	18.4	11	0.2
KALUTARA	5,076	3,122	61.5	782	15.4	1,132	22.3	40	0.8
KANDY	5,858	5,477	93.5	47	0.8	275	4.7	59	1
MATALE	4,621	4,237	91.7	139	3	217	4.7	28	0.6
NUWARAELIYA	1,487	1,200	80.7	6	0.4	281	18.9	-	-
GALLE	3,333	3,126	93.8	-	-	150	4.5	57	1.7
MATARA	11,306	7,484	66.2	701	6.2	3,098	27.4	23	0.2
HAMBANTOTA	32,702	19,916	60.9	1,079	3.3	8,764	26.8	2,943	9
MANNAR	925	591	63.9	-	-	199	21.5	135	14.6
VAVUNIYA	2,364	2,161	91.4	-	-	118	5	85	3.6
MULLAITIVU	5,294	4,881	92.2	-	-	0	0	413	7.8
KILINOCHCHI	9,581	7,215	75.3	134	1.4	2,213	23.1	19	0.2
BATTICALOA	27,444	26,154	95.3	1,290	4.7	-	-	-	-
AMPARA	56,055	46,189	82.4	4,036	7.2	2,747	4.9	3,083	5.5
TRINCOMALEE	18,375	18,081	98.4	0	0	-	-	294	1.6
KURUNAGALA	39,148	31,240	79.8	1,292	3.3	6,225	15.9	391	1
PUTTALAM	8,460	7,699	91	8	0.1	702	8.3	51	0.6
ANURADHAPURA	33,412	27,364	81.9	1,470	4.4	3,609	10.8	969	2.9
POLONNURUWA	61,624	53,921	87.5	616	1	4,129	6.7	2,958	4.8
BADULLA	11,270	10,278	91.2	226	2	507	4.5	259	2.3
MONARAGALA	14,146	11,416	80.7	976	6.9	594	4.2	1,160	8.2
RATNAPURA	7,349	5,100	69.4	831	11.3	1,095	14.9	323	4.4
KEGALLE	2,684	2,013	75	333	12.4	338	12.6	-	-
SRI LANKA	368,906	304,020	82.4	13,994	3.8	37,557	10.2	13,335	3.6

No cultivation in Jaffna District

TABLE 20 : SOWN AREA UNDER PADDY BY METHOD OF LAND PREPARATION AND DISTRICT - 2019 YALA

DISTRICT	TOTAL SOWN AREA (HEC.)	MAINLY BY TRACTOR		BUFFALO PLOUGHED		BUFFALOMUDDED		BY MAMOTEE	
		AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%
COLOMBO	892	892	100	-	-	-	-	-	-
GAMPAHA	5,500	5,500	100	-	-	-	-	-	-
KALUTARA	5,076	3,878	76.4	259	5.1	15	0.3	924	18.2
KANDY	5,858	5,307	90.6	439	7.5	47	0.8	65	1.1
MATALE	4,621	3,965	85.8	591	12.8	5	0.1	60	1.3
NUWARAELEYA	1,487	596	40.1	695	46.7	-	-	196	13.2
GALLE	3,333	3,290	98.7	-	-	-	-	43	1.3
MATARA	11,306	10,921	96.6	-	-	23	0.2	362	3.2
HAMBANTOTA	32,702	32,211	98.5	491	1.5	-	-	-	-
MANNAR	925	925	100	-	-	-	-	-	-
VAVUNIYA	2,364	2,281	96.5	83	3.5	-	-	-	-
MULLAITIVU	5,294	5,294	100	-	-	-	-	-	-
KILINOCHCHI	9,581	9,581	100	-	-	-	-	-	-
BATTICALOA	27,444	27,444	100	-	-	-	-	-	-
AMPARA	56,055	53,813	96	1,401	2.5	-	-	841	1.5
TRINCOMALEE	18,375	18,375	100	-	-	-	-	-	-
KURUNAGALA	39,148	39,070	99.8	78	0.2	-	-	-	-
PUTTALAM	8,460	8,460	100	-	-	-	-	-	-
ANURADHAPURA	33,412	33,412	100	-	-	-	-	-	-
POLONNURUWA	61,624	60,453	98.1	1,171	1.9	-	-	-	-
BADULLA	11,270	9,118	80.9	2,006	17.8	101	0.9	45	0.4
MONARAGALA	14,146	14,075	99.5	71	0.5	-	-	-	-
RATNAPURA	7,349	6,724	91.5	375	5.1	96	1.3	154	2.1
KEGALLE	2,684	2,386	88.9	99	3.7	199	7.4	-	-
SRI LANKA	368,906	357,971	97.0	7,759	2.1	486	0.1	2,690	0.7

No cultivation in Jaffna District

TABLE 21 : SOWN AREA UNDER PADDY BY METHOD OF SOWING AND DISTRICT -2019 YALA

DISTRICT	TOTAL SOWN AREA (HEC.)	BROADCASTING		TRANSPLANTING IN ROWS		TRANSPLANTING NOT IN ROWS		PARACHUTE		OTHER	
		AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%
COLOMBO	892	834	93.5	58	6.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
GAMPAHA	5,500	5,500	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
KALUTARA	5,076	5,076	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
KANDY	5,858	5,097	87	76	1.3	375	6.4	281	4.8	29	0.5
MATALE	4,621	4,288	92.8	199	4.3	51	1.1	83	1.8	-	-
NUWARAELIYA	1,487	98	6.6	520	35	567	38.1	302	20.3	-	-
GALLE	3,333	3,306	99.2	27	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
MATARA	11,306	10,696	94.6	531	4.7	79	0.7	-	-	-	-
HAMBANTOTA	32,702	32,669	99.9	33	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
MANNAR	925	925	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
VAVUNIYA	2,364	2,364	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MULLAITIVU	5,294	5,294	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
KILINOCHCHI	9,581	9,581	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BATTICALOA	27,444	27,444	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
AMPARA	56,055	54,766	97.7	1,065	1.9	224	0.4	-	-	-	-
TRINCOMALEE	18,375	18,375	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
KURUNAGALA	39,148	37,778	96.5	235	0.6	196	0.5	939	2.4	-	-
PUTTALAM	8,460	8,316	98.3	-	-	-	-	9	0.1	135	1.6
ANURADHAPURA	33,412	33,412	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
POLONNURUWA	61,624	61,624	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BADULLA	11,270	10,380	92.1	259	2.3	609	5.4	22	0.2	-	-
MONARAGALA	14,146	14,146	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
RATNAPURA	7,349	6,372	86.7	154	2.1	691	9.4	132	1.8	-	-
KEGALLE	2,684	2,000	74.5	99	3.7	35	1.3	550	20.5	-	-
SRI LANKA	368,906	360,341	97.7	3,256	0.9	2,827	0.8	2,318	0.6	164	0.0

No cultivation in Jaffna District

TABLE 22 : SOWN AREA UNDER PADDY BY APPLICATION OF FERTILIZER AND DISTRICT - 2019 YALA

DISTRICT	TOTAL SOWN AREA (HEC.)	CHEMICAL ONLY		ORGANIC ONLY		BOTH		NONE	
		AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%
COLOMBO	892	797	89.4	-	-	95	10.6	-	-
GAMPAHA	5,500	1,617	29.4	44	0.8	3,839	69.8	-	-
KALUTARA	5,076	4,436	87.4	10	0.2	630	12.4	-	-
KANDY	5,858	1,154	19.7	29	0.5	4,675	79.8	-	-
MATALE	4,621	3,840	83.1	-	-	735	15.9	46	1
NUWARAELIYA	1,487	180	12.1	11	0.7	1,274	85.7	22	1.5
GALLE	3,333	1,570	47.1	23	0.7	1,740	52.2	-	-
MATARA	11,306	6,795	60.1	203	1.8	4,240	37.5	68	0.6
HAMBANTOTA	32,702	15,697	48	360	1.1	16,645	50.9	-	-
MANNAR	925	844	91.2	-	-	81	8.8	-	-
VAVUNIYA	2,364	2,355	99.6	-	-	9	0.4	-	-
MULLAITIVU	5,294	4,828	91.2	-	-	466	8.8	-	-
KILINOCHCHI	9,581	8,585	89.6	-	-	996	10.4	-	-
BATTICALOA	27,444	15,478	56.4	-	-	11,966	43.6	-	-
AMPARA	56,055	42,826	76.4	-	-	13,229	23.6	-	-
TRINCOMALEE	18,375	18,375	100	-	-	-	-	-	-
KURUNAGALA	39,148	22,197	56.7	-	-	16,951	43.3	-	-
PUTTALAM	8,460	5,347	63.2	-	-	3,071	36.3	42	0.5
ANURADHAPURA	33,412	23,088	69.1	-	-	10,324	30.9	-	-
POLONNURUWA	61,624	41,226	66.9	-	-	20,398	33.1	-	-
BADULLA	11,270	8,960	79.5	22	0.2	2,288	20.3	-	-
MONARAGALA	14,146	6,946	49.1	-	-	6,804	48.1	396	2.8
RATNAPURA	7,349	2,271	30.9	37	0.5	5,041	68.6	-	-
KEGALLE	2,684	1,350	50.3	-	-	1,334	49.7	-	-
SRI LANKA	368,906	240,762	65.3	739	0.2	126,831	34.4	574	0.2

No cultivation in Jaffna District

TABLE 23 : SOWN AREA UNDER PADDY BY TYPE OF WEEDING AND DISTRICT - 2019 YALA

DISTRICT	TOTAL SOWN AREA (HEC.)	HAND WEEDING		USING WEEDICIDE		BY USE OF WATER		NO WEEDING	
		AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%
COLOMBO	892	99	11.1	723	81.1	70	7.8	-	-
GAMPAHA	5,500	308	5.6	4,043	73.5	682	12.4	467	8.5
KALUTARA	5,076	122	2.4	4,665	91.9	112	2.2	177	3.5
KANDY	5,858	809	13.8	4,452	76.0	35	0.6	562	9.6
MATALE	4,621	305	6.6	4,279	92.6	5	0.1	32	0.7
NUWARAELIYA	1,487	1,322	88.9	165	11.1	0	0.0	-	-
GALLE	3,333	200	6.0	3,040	91.2	47	1.4	46	1.4
MATARA	11,306	509	4.5	10,616	93.9	23	0.2	158	1.4
HAMBANTOTA	32,702	1,014	3.1	31,328	95.8	-	-	360	1.1
MANNAR	925	44	4.8	881	95.2	-	-	-	-
VAVUNIYA	2,364	47	2.0	2,317	98.0	-	-	-	-
MULLAITIVU	5,294	4,172	78.8	1,122	21.2	-	-	-	-
KILINOCHCHI	9,581	1,418	14.8	8,153	85.1	-	-	10	0.1
BATTICALOA	27,444	8,370	30.5	18,964	69.1	110	0.4	-	-
AMPARA	56,055	6,839	12.2	48,992	87.4	224	0.4	-	-
TRINCOMALEE	18,375	0	0.0	18,375	100.0	-	-	-	-
KURUNAGALA	39,148	1,645	4.2	35,272	90.1	313	0.8	1,918	4.9
PUTTALAM	8,460	17	0.2	8,257	97.6	-	-	186	2.2
ANURADHAPURA	33,412	668	2.0	32,744	98.0	-	-	-	-
POLONNURUWA	61,624	1,356	2.2	59,159	96.0	678	1.1	431	0.7
BADULLA	11,270	1,127	10.0	10,143	90.0	-	-	-	-
MONARAGALA	14,146	552	3.9	13,594	96.1	-	-	-	-
RATNAPURA	7,349	551	7.5	6,680	90.9	30	0.4	88	1.2
KEGALLE	2,684	489	18.2	1,868	69.6	252	9.4	75	2.8
SRI LANKA	368,906	31,983	8.7	329,832	89.4	2,581	0.7	4,510	1.2

No cultivation in Jaffna District

TABLE 24 : SOWN AREA UNDER PADDY BY USE OF INSECTICIDES AND DISTRICT - 2019 YALA

DISTRICT	TOTAL SOWN AREA (HEC.)	USED		NOT USED	
		AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%
COLOMBO	892	559	62.7	333	37.3
GAMPAHA	5,500	2,800	50.9	2,701	49.1
KALUTARA	5,076	863	17.0	4,213	83
KANDY	5,858	5,360	91.5	498	8.5
MATALE	4,621	3,618	78.3	1,003	21.7
NUWARAELEYA	1,487	214	14.4	1,273	85.6
GALLE	3,333	1,303	39.1	2,030	60.9
MATARA	11,306	3,177	28.1	8,129	71.9
HAMBANTOTA	32,702	13,277	40.6	19,425	59.4
MANNAR	925	779	84.2	146	15.8
VAVUNIYA	2,364	2,305	97.5	59	2.5
MULLAITIVU	5,294	5,294	100.0	-	-
KILINOCHCHI	9,581	7,914	82.6	1,667	17.4
BATTICALOA	27,444	13,036	47.5	14,408	52.5
AMPARA	56,055	44,396	79.2	11,659	20.8
TRINCOMALEE	18,375	18,375	100.0	-	-
KURUNAGALA	39,148	24,624	62.9	14,524	37.1
PUTTALAM	8,460	6,142	72.6	2,318	27.4
ANURADHAPURA	33,412	17,909	53.6	15,503	46.4
POLONNURUWA	61,624	22,678	36.8	38,946	63.2
BADULLA	11,270	9,309	82.6	1,961	17.4
MONARAGALA	14,146	9,520	67.3	4,626	32.7
RATNAPURA	7,349	4,409	60.0	2,940	40
KEGALLE	2,684	1,363	50.8	1,321	49.2
SRI LANKA	368,906	219,224	59.4	149,683	40.6

No cultivation in Jaffna District

TABLE 25 : SOWN AREA UNDER PADDY BY METHOD OF HARVESTING AND DISTRICT - 2019 YALA

DISTRICT	TOTAL SOWN AREA (HEC.)	BY MANUALLY		BY MACHINE	
		AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%
COLOMBO	892	343	38.4	549	61.6
GAMPAHA	5,500	418	7.6	5,082	92.4
KALUTARA	5,076	3,193	62.9	1,883	37.1
KANDY	5,858	1,939	33.1	3,919	66.9
MATALE	4,621	531	11.5	4,090	88.5
NUWARAEELIYA	1,487	1,487	100	-	-
GALLE	3,333	913	27.4	2,420	72.6
MATARA	11,306	1,504	13.3	9,802	86.7
HAMBANTOTA	32,702	458	1.4	32,244	98.6
MANNAR	925	9	1	916	99
VAVUNIYA	2,364	-	-	2,364	100
MULLAITIVU	5,294	-	-	5,294	100
KILINOCHCHI	9,581	-	-	9,581	100
BATTICALOA	27,444	110	0.4	27,334	99.6
AMPARA	56,055	1,065	1.9	54,990	98.1
TRINCOMALEE	18,375	-	-	18,375	100
KURUNAGALA	39,148	5,168	13.2	33,980	86.8
PUTTALAM	8,460	102	1.2	8,358	98.8
ANURADHAPURA	33,412	1,437	4.3	31,975	95.7
POLONNURUWA	61,624	7,087	11.5	54,537	88.5
BADULLA	11,270	3,358	29.8	7,912	70.2
MONARAGALA	14,146	1,542	10.9	12,604	89.1
RATNAPURA	7,349	2,910	39.6	4,439	60.4
KEGALLE	2,684	2,230	83.1	454	16.9
SRI LANKA	368,906	35,804	9.7	333,102	90.3

No cultivation in Jaffna District

TABLE 26 : SOWN AREA UNDER PADDY BY METHOD OF THRESHING AND DISTRICT - 2019 YALA

DISTRICT	TOTAL SOWN AREA (HEC.)	BY BUFFALO		BY TRACTOR		BY AGRIMEC		BY TSUNAMI MACHINE		BY COMBINE HARVESTER		OTHER	
		AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%
COLOMBO	892	63	7.1	290	32.5	286	32.1	145	16.2	108	12.1	-	-
GAMPAHA	5,500	11	0.2	66	1.2	341	6.2	1,133	20.6	3,933	71.5	16	0.3
KALUTARA	5,076	-	-	1,056	20.8	2,492	49.1	640	12.6	863	17	25	0.5
KANDY	5,858	551	9.4	310	5.3	791	13.5	328	5.6	3,860	65.9	18	0.3
MATALE	4,621	51	1.1	83	1.8	319	6.9	670	14.5	3,484	75.4	14	0.3
NUWARAELIYA	1,487	1,310	88.1	116	7.8	61	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
GALLE	3,333	-	-	2,300	69	680	20.4	206	6.2	110	3.3	37	1.1
MATARA	11,306	-	-	1,368	12.1	622	5.5	68	0.6	8,366	74	882	7.8
HAMBANTOTA	32,702	-	-	981	3	98	0.3	164	0.5	31,296	95.7	163	0.5
MANNAR	925	-	-	-	-	27	2.9	1	0.1	897	97	-	-
VAVUNIYA	2,364	-	-	109	4.6	-	-	-	-	2,255	95.4	-	-
MULLAITIVU	5,294	196	3.7	85	1.6	-	-	-	-	5,013	94.7	-	-
KILINOCHCHI	9,581	-	-	-	-	29	0.3	230	2.4	9,322	97.3	-	-
BATTICALOA	27,444	-	-	137	0.5	2,196	8	28	0.1	24,562	89.5	521	1.9
AMPARA	56,055	-	-	841	1.5	-	-	841	1.5	54,205	96.7	168	0.3
TRINCOMALEE	18,375	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18,375	100	-	-
KURUNAGALA	39,148	-	-	196	0.5	783	2	3,876	9.9	33,393	85.3	900	2.3
PUTTALAM	8,460	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,741	91.5	719	8.5
ANURADHAPURA	33,412	-	-	-	-	835	2.5	2,673	8	29,703	88.9	201	0.6
POLONNURUWA	61,624	1,294	2.1	3,759	6.1	370	0.6	6,902	11.2	49,114	79.7	185	0.3
BADULLA	11,270	778	6.9	169	1.5	789	7	1,443	12.8	7,911	70.2	180	1.6
MONARAGALA	14,146	-	-	42	0.3	-	-	2,179	15.4	11,925	84.3	-	-
RATNAPURA	7,349	15	0.2	169	2.3	2,131	29	1,029	14	3,954	53.8	51	0.7
KEGALLE	2,684	-	-	217	8.1	577	21.5	1,761	65.6	129	4.8	-	-
SRI LANKA	368,906	4,269	1.2	12,294	3.3	13,427	3.6	24,317	6.6	310,519	84.2	4,080	1.1

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TABLE 27 : SOWN AREA UNDER PADDY BY USE OF STRAW AND DISTRICT - 2019 YALA

DISTRICT	TOTAL SOWN AREA (HEC.)	APPLY AS FERTILIZER		FIRING		FOR ANIMAL FEED		OTHER	
		AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%
COLOMBO	892	826	92.6	-	-	-	-	66	7.4
GAMPAHA	5,500	5,500	100	-	-	-	-	-	-
KALUTARA	5,076	4,233	83.4	15	0.3	711	14	117	2.3
KANDY	5,858	5,407	92.3	392	6.7	-	-	59	1
MATALE	4,621	4,501	97.4	115	2.5	-	-	5	0.1
NUWARAELIYA	1,487	1,428	96	59	4	-	-	-	-
GALLE	3,333	3,037	91.1	123	3.7	-	-	173	5.2
MATARA	11,306	11,306	100	-	-	-	-	-	-
HAMBANTOTA	32,702	31,067	95	1,570	4.8	-	-	65	0.2
MANNAR	925	843	91.1	7	0.8	49	5.3	26	2.8
VAVUNIYA	2,364	1,428	60.4	889	37.6	47	2	-	-
MULLAITIVU	5,294	4,214	79.6	1,080	20.4	-	-	-	-
KILINOCHCHI	9,581	7,617	79.5	1,475	15.4	489	5.1	-	-
BATTICALOA	27,444	25,990	94.7	933	3.4	521	1.9	-	-
AMPARA	56,055	48,936	87.3	2,242	4	4,260	7.6	617	1.1
TRINCOMALEE	18,375	18,375	100	-	-	-	-	-	-
KURUNAGALA	39,148	36,368	92.9	2,467	6.3	78	0.2	235	0.6
PUTTALAM	8,460	8,367	98.9	93	1.1	-	-	-	-
ANURADHAPURA	33,412	32,877	98.4	535	1.6	-	-	-	-
POLONNURUWA	61,624	49,546	80.4	12,078	19.6	-	-	-	-
BADULLA	11,270	10,661	94.6	192	1.7	-	-	417	3.7
MONARAGALA	14,146	9,082	64.2	4,215	29.8	-	-	849	6
RATNAPURA	7,349	6,761	92	368	5	44	0.6	176	2.4
KEGALLE	2,684	2,064	76.9	599	22.3	-	-	21	0.8
SRI LANKA	368,906	330,434	89.6	29,447	8	6,199	1.7	2,826	0.8

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TABLE 28: SOWN AREA UNDER PADDY BY TYPE OF VARIETY AND DISTRICT - 2019 YALA

DISTRICT	TOTAL SOWN AREA (HEC.)	SHORT GRAIN RED		LONG GRAIN RED		SHORT GRAIN WHITE		LONG GRAIN WHITE		OTHER	
		AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%	AREA (HEC.)	%
COLOMBO	892	511	57.3	14	1.5	338	37.9	25	2.8	4	0.5
GAMPAHA	5,500	17	0.3	-	-	3,668	66.7	1,804	32.8	11	0.2
KALUTARA	5,076	1,685	33.2	472	9.3	1,173	23.1	1,746	34.4	-	-
KANDY	5,858	-	-	41	0.7	1,570	26.8	4,247	72.5	-	-
MATALE	4,621	-	-	5	0.1	1,201	26	3,415	73.9	-	-
NUWARAELEYA	1,487	42	2.8	394	26.5	269	18.1	782	52.6	-	-
GALLE	3,333	1,000	30	2,060	61.8	273	8.2	-	-	-	-
MATARA	11,306	272	2.4	8,061	71.3	678	6	2,250	19.9	45	0.4
HAMBANTOTA	32,702	-	-	32,211	98.5	262	0.8	229	0.7	-	-
MANNAR	925	17	1.9	-	-	856	92.5	52	5.6	-	-
VAVUNIYA	2,364	-	-	132	5.6	941	39.8	1,222	51.7	69	2.9
MULLAITIVU	5,294	-	-	3,881	73.3	1,408	26.6	-	-	5	0.1
KILINOCHCHI	9,581	211	2.2	2,261	23.6	3,449	36	3,650	38.1	10	0.1
BATTICALOA	27,444	1,125	4.1	1,619	5.9	18,854	68.7	3,239	11.8	2,607	9.5
AMPARA	56,055	2,859	5.1	20,684	36.9	24,160	43.1	8,240	14.7	112	0.2
TRINCOMALEE	18,375	5,329	29	-	-	3,767	20.5	9,279	50.5	0	0
KURUNAGALA	39,148	235	0.6	313	0.8	10,570	27	27,169	69.4	861	2.2
PUTTALAM	8,460	-	-	42	0.5	3,240	38.3	5,085	60.1	93	1.1
ANURADHAPURA	33,412	-	-	-	-	8,821	26.4	24,591	73.6	-	-
POLONNURUWA	61,624	370	0.6	246	0.4	29,210	47.4	28,224	45.8	3,574	5.8
BADULLA	11,270	90	0.8	1,105	9.8	6,559	58.2	2,930	26	586	5.2
MONARAGALA	14,146	-	-	8,445	59.7	2,094	14.8	3,607	25.5	-	-
RATNAPURA	7,349	853	11.6	5,063	68.9	603	8.2	536	7.3	294	4
KEGALLE	2,684	107	4	30	1.1	301	11.2	2,246	83.7	-	-
SRI LANKA	368,906	14,723	4.0	87,079	23.6	124,265	33.7	134,568	36.5	8,271	2.2

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