

**TABLE 25 : PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM - PROCUREMENT,
OFF-TAKE AND STOCKS**

(Million tonnes)

Year	Procurement			Off-take			Stocks *		
	Rice	Wheat	Total	Rice	Wheat	Total@	Rice	Wheat	Total@
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1972-73	2.51	5.00	7.51	3.69	7.24	11.38	1.64	0.72	2.60
1973-74	3.93	4.53	8.46	3.23	6.90	11.43	2.06	0.91	3.54
1974-75	3.58	1.96	5.54	3.78	6.15	11.11	1.89	1.23	3.34
1975-76	5.96	4.05	10.01	3.00	6.92	10.27	4.74	5.09	10.76
1976-77	5.23	6.59	11.82	4.06	5.53	10.18	6.36	11.17	18.27
1977-78	4.57	5.16	9.73	4.32	7.06	12.02	6.68	8.65	15.44
1978-79	6.15	5.47	11.62	3.20	6.75	10.02	9.71	6.31	16.17
1979-80	4.43	7.99	12.42	4.88	8.04	13.04	8.44	5.32	13.91
1980-81	5.34	5.86	11.20	5.88	7.51	13.54	6.69	3.07	9.87
1981-82	7.02	6.59	13.61	6.74	6.69	13.59	6.36	4.55	11.07
1982-83	7.14	7.71	14.85	7.69	7.90	15.73	5.24	5.64	11.10
1983-84	7.58	8.29	15.87	7.67	7.45	15.34	5.24	9.62	14.92
1984-85	9.82	9.30	19.12	6.61	6.72	13.40	8.58	12.47	21.20
1985-86	9.62	10.35	19.97	7.40	11.72	19.28	10.34	10.21	20.75
1986-87	9.36	10.54	19.90	9.03	10.35	19.61	10.04	9.44	19.53
1987-88	7.04	7.88	14.92	10.11	12.78	23.00	5.91	3.34	9.43
1988-89	7.64	6.53	14.17	9.08	8.66	17.97	3.86	2.31	6.18
1989-90	11.17	9.00	20.17	7.48	7.51	14.99	7.06	3.46	10.52
1990-91	12.92	11.07	24.16	7.91	8.58	16.49	10.21	5.60	15.81
1991-92	9.41	7.75	17.16	10.26	10.48	20.74	8.86	2.21	11.07
1992-93	12.72	6.38	19.78	9.89	8.06	17.96	9.93	2.74	12.67
1993-94	13.56	12.84	26.40	9.46	9.14	18.61	13.55	7.00	20.54
1994-95	13.12	11.87	24.99	8.85	10.59	19.44	18.08	8.72	26.80
1995-96	9.91	12.33	22.24	11.63	12.72	24.35	13.06	7.76	20.82
1996-97	11.86	8.16	20.03	12.31	13.32	25.63	13.17	3.24	16.41
1997-98	14.52	9.30	23.82	11.20	7.76	18.96	13.05	5.08	18.12
1998-99	11.56	12.65	24.22	11.83	8.90	20.73	12.16	9.66	21.82
1999-00 P	17.28	14.14	31.43	12.42	10.63	23.05	15.72	13.19	28.91
2000-01 P	20.10	16.35	36.46	10.42	7.79	18.21	23.19	21.50	44.98
2001-02 P	20.88	20.63	41.51	15.32	15.99	31.30	24.91	26.04	51.02
2002-03 P	19.16	19.02	38.18	24.64	24.99	49.63	17.16	15.65	32.81
2003-04 P	21.02	15.80	36.83	23.74	24.19	47.93	13.07	6.93	20.65

P Provisional.

@ Includes coarse cereals.

* Stocks are as at end-March.

Note : Procurement data relate to marketing years - Rice (October-September) and Wheat (April-March).
Also see Notes on Tables.

Source : Ministry of Food, Consumer Affairs and Public Distribution, Government of India.