

TABLE 1.1
LAND USE CLASSIFICATION - ALL INDIA

(Thousand Hectares)									
	Fallow Lands						Agri. Land	Culti-	
	Fallow	Current	Total				Cultivable	vated	
Year	lands	fallows	(Col.12+				land/	Land	
	other		13)	Net area	Total	Area sown	Culturable	(col.13+	Cropping
	than			sown	cropped	more	land/	15)	Intensity
	current				area	than	Arable	(% of Col.16 to Col.15)	
	fallows					once	land/		
	(Old fallow					(col.16-15)	(col.9+10		
	lands)						(+14+15)		
(1)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)
1950-51	17445	10679	28124	118746	131893	13147	189641	129425	111.1
1951-52	15154	13808	28962	119400	133234	13834	180172	133208	111.6
1952-53	13480	12899	26379	123442	137675	14233	181258	136341	111.5
1953-54	12750	12025	24775	126806	142480	15674	180279	138831	112.4
1954-55	13045	11963	25008	127845	144087	16242	181428	139808	112.7
1955-56	12544	11583	24127	129156	147311	18155	180705	140739	114.1
1956-57	11968	11358	23326	130848	149492	18644	181234	142206	114.2
1957-58	12620	12700	25320	129080	145832	16752	181089	141780	113.0
1958-59	12255	11452	23707	131828	151629	19801	181710	143280	115.0
1959-60	11076	11925	23001	132939	152824	19885	181221	144864	115.0
1960-61	11180	11639	22819	133199	152772	19573	179689	144838	114.7
1961-62	10478	11155	21633	135399	156209	20810	180164	146554	115.4
1962-63	10195	11058	21253	136341	156760	20419	180060	147399	115.0
1963-64	10059	11229	21288	136483	156963	20480	179802	147712	115.0
1964-65	9166	11156	20322	138120	159229	21109	179921	149276	115.3
1965-66	9262	13184	22446	136198	155276	19078	179685	149382	114.0
1966-67	9046	13529	22575	137232	157355	20123	180496	150761	114.7
1967-68	8800	11924	20724	139876	163736	23860	180804	151800	117.1
1968-69	9189	14096	23285	137313	159529	22216	180540	151409	116.2
1969-70	9483	12323	21806	138772	162265	23493	180745	151095	116.9
1970-71	8759	11116	19875	140267	165791	25524	181941	151383	118.2
1971-72	8312	12669	20981	139721	165186	25465	182442	152390	118.2
1972-73	9193	15176	24369	137144	162150	25006	183376	152320	118.2
1973-74	8655	11292	19947	142416	169872	27456	183567	153708	119.3
1974-75	8969	16307	25276	137791	164191	26400	183870	154098	119.2
1975-76	9229	12546	21775	141652	171296	29644	184800	154198	120.9
1976-77	9385	14570	23955	139476	167334	27858	184533	154046	120.0
1977-78	9567	13028	22595	141953	172232	30279	185422	154981	121.3
1978-79	9366	12470	21836	142981	174802	31821	185736	155451	122.3
1979-80	10026	15698	25724	138903	169589	30686	184812	154601	122.1
1980-81	9916	14832	24748	140002	172630	32628	185104	154834	123.3
1981-82	9862	13173	23035	141928	176750	34822	185153	155101	124.5
1982-83	10116	14511	24627	140220	172748	32528	184884	154731	123.2
1983-84	9772	13065	22837	142841	179560	36719	185082	155906	125.7
1984-85	9907	15007	24914	140892	176330	35438	185352	155899	125.2
1985-86	10051	14894	24945	140901	178464	37563	185127	155795	126.7
1986-87	10255	16240	26495	139578	176405	36827	185253	155818	126.4
1987-88	10862	20912	31774	134085	170738	36653	184898	154997	127.3

1988-89	10247	14323	24570	141891	182277	40386	185142	156214	128.5
1989-90	10273	13694	23967	142339	182269	39930	185211	156033	128.1
1990-91	9662	13703	23365	142999	185742	42743	185177	156702	129.9
1991-92	9941	14672	24613	141632	182242	40610	185000	156304	128.7
1992-93	9675	14155	23830	142717	185700	42983	184875	156872	130.1
1993-94	9832	14381	24213	142335	186580	44245	184665	156716	131.1
1994-95	9969	13250	23219	142960	188053	45093	184173	156210	131.5
1995-96	10016	13831	23847	142197	187471	45274	183623	156028	131.8
1996-97	10192	13323	23515	142931	189502	46571	184121	156254	132.6
1997-98	10080	14275	24355	141950	190020	48069	183950	156226	133.9
1998-99	10107	13587	23694	142763	191688	48925	184028	156350	134.3
1999-00	10302	15048	25350	141058	188428	47371	183886	156106	133.6
2000-01	10309	14770	25079	141403	185373	43970	183528	156174	131.1
2001-02 (p)	10319	14636	24955	141451	189708	48257	183183	156087	134.1
2002-03# (p)	11777	21694	33471	132692	175618	42926	183061	154386	132.4
2003-04 (p)	11214	14277	25491	140971	190200	49228	182994	155248	134.9
2004-05 (p)	10715	14428	25143	141139	190422	49283	182824	155567	134.9
2005-06 (p)	10504	13672	24176	141891	192796	50904	182566	155563	135.9

(p) : Provisional

In 2002-03 there is significant decline in Total Cropped Area and Net Area Sown due to decline in net area sown in the States of Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh Maharashtra, Orissa, Rajasthan, Tamil Nadu, West Bengal and Haryana. This was mainly due to deficient rainfall.

