

TABLE 2.2

IRRIGATED AREA UNDER CROPS - ALL INDIA

(Thousand Hectares)

YEAR		COTTON	TOBACCO	FODDER	OTHER	TOTAL	TOTAL/
				CROPS	NON-	NON-	GROSS
					FOOD	FOOD	IRRIGATED
					CROPS	CROPS	AREA
(1)		(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)
1950-51		465	N.A.S.	N.A.S.	N.A.S.	2174	22563
1951-52		576	N.A.S.	N.A.S.	N.A.S.	2205	23180
1952-53		531	40	7	1366	2038	23305
1953-54		593	39	8	1452	2198	24363
1954-55		765	40	12	1484	2440	24948 (42)
1955-56		834	70	789	596	2577	25642
1956-57		899	85	936	391	2664	25707
1957-58		1018	81	960	350	2853	26628
1958-59		998	80	1035	355	2890	26948
1959-60		938	79	982	376	2780	27454
1960-61		967	88	937	475	2888	27980
1961-62		1039	75	1046	341	2997	28460
1962-63		1089	74	1081	346	3066	29453
1963-64		1261	68	1164	308	3310	29707
1964-65		1292	69	1202	289	3334	30705
1965-66		1265	63	1205	284	3348	30901
1966-67		1242	72	1266	315	3621	32683
1967-68		1287	76	1246	352	3714	33207
1968-69		1247	93	1233	370	3602	35483
1969-70		1282	86	1341	439	3987	36974 (59)
1970-71		1358	102	1347	361	4256	38195 (59)
1971-72		1699	111	1237	388	4659	38430 (96)
1972-73		1720	118	1352	276	4531	39055 (59)
1973-74		1730	109	1373	256	4827	40283 (138)
1974-75		1775	73	1446	277	5052	41741
1975-76		1762	112	1458	290	4825	43363
1976-77		1762	140	1399	300	4705	43552
1977-78		2096	129	1371	335	5518	46080
1978-79		2222	139	1424	329	5818	48307
1979-80		2218	141	1569	307	6161	49214
1980-81		2115	155	1699	317	6555	49775 (289)
1981-82		2190	150	1698	429	7097	51412 (381)
1982-83		2269	147	1741	452	7244	51830 (133)
1983-84		2243	159	1687	378	7488	53824 (87)
1984-85		2067	174	1734	421	8179	54528 (87)
1985-86		2278	168	1820	520	8154	54282
1986-87		2154	161	1861	509	8036	55759
1987-88		2079	163	2144	510	9210	56036
1988-89		2442	178	2112	588	10317	61125
1989-90		2644	190	1967	571	10539	61852
1990-91		2487	190	1993	639	11070	63204
1991-92		2591	186	2025	611	12248	65680

1992-93		2674	184	2076	640	12016	66760
1993-94		2557	187	2220	638	12120	68255
1994-95		2727	185	2255	632	12611	70646
1995-96		3196	189	2026	623	13290	71352
1996-97		3312	210	2110	1649	14616	76025
1997-98		3299	205	2052	1590	13880	75423
1998-99		3191	217	2241	1597	13827	78373
1999-00		2878	219	2291	1589	13463	78794
2000-01		2765	163	2401	1713	12510	76574
2001-02	(p)	3088	172	2551	1670	13445	78732
2002-03	(p)	2567	185	2542	1672	12388	73545
2003-04	(p)	2601	224	2750	1689	13668	77998
2004-05	(p)	3054	156	2551	1668	15550	79997
2005-06	(p)	3105	153	2455	1663	16041	82625

Note: Figures in parenthesis give area in thousand hectares for which crop-wise details are not available but has been included in Total Irrigated Area. NAS :Not Available Separately.