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FOREWORD

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Directorate of Economics & Statistics, Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare has been periodically bringing out "Farm Harvest Prices of Principal Crops in India". This issue contains data on farm harvest prices of principal crops for the year 2012-2013. The data are based on the returns received from the State Governments and Union Territories. A note on the methodology for collection of data on farm harvest prices and the particulars of harvesting seasons of Principal crops in the major growing States has been included at the end of the statistical tables. The data presented in this publication are also made available on the website: http://eands.dacnet.nic.in/ of the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare.

Publication of this volume has involved meticulous attention to detail. This detailed work was carried out by the Price and Market Division, Directorate of Economics & Statistics, Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare under the overall guidance and supervision of Shri B.L. Meena, Additional Economic Adviser. We are grateful to the States who have given us timely information for inclusion in this volume and would solicit the continued cooperation of all States for further publications also.

It is hoped that the publication would be useful for a wide range of researchers and policy makers. We would welcome suggestions for improvement of this publication.

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