

INTRODUCTION

With the issue of the present volume of "Tea Statistics" published by the Statistics Branch of the Tea Board of India, it steps into the third year of its existence and we hope that economists and research workers interested in the study of the Tea Industry as well as persons and organizations directly and actively connected with Tea Industry and trade will find it more interesting and informative than its predecessors. As before, this volume incorporates the latest statistical information relating to different aspects of the Tea Industry and Trade available at the time of going to Press. Some of the figures are, therefore, necessarily incomplete or provisional. Figures have in most cases been taken from sources which are generally regarded as authentic although in some cases less dependable sources have also been resorted to because information from the strictly authentic sources were not readily available. It is, however, hoped that the errors involved in the figures due to this or any other limitation are not of a significant nature and would not vitiate, to any considerable extent, the picture brought out by the figures that have been obtained and incorporated in the publication. Nevertheless, suitable indications have been given, as far as possible, in respect of such figures that have to be treated as provisional.

The object of this publication remains, as before, not to be a comprehensive volume on the Tea Industry all over the world in all its aspects but to present within a relatively small compass detailed information regarding various aspects of the Indian Tea Industry and Trade together with some essential statistics relating to Tea in respect of the major producing and consuming countries of the world so as to enable a proper assessment of the position and the prospects of the Indian Tea Industry and Trade in the context of the international situation as may come to prevail from time to time.

The present issue includes a larger number of tables than the previous two issues. Part I (India) which contained 36 tables in the last issue now contains 54 tables. The additional tables incorporated are table No. 1 (ii) giving district-wise production of North and South Indian teas, table No. 1 (iv) giving the number of estates, acreages and production in different tea-growing districts according to sizes of estates, table Nos. 16 & 17 giving quantities and values of Indian exports to leading markets from 1933-34 to 1955-56, table No. 25 giving inter-state movement of tea by rail and river, table No. 30 giving minimum rates of daily wages for tea plantation workers in different States and table Nos. 31 to 37 giving statistics relating to capital employed, profits earned, gross sales, net worth, etc. of tea companies in comparison with companies engaged in other industries. Of these, table No. 31 gives statistics relating to production, capital employed, profits, dividends, etc. in respect of selected Tea Companies in North and South India. Table Nos. 32 to 36 owe their origin to a recent enquiry conducted by the Reserve Bank of India into the finances and working of Joint Stock Companies in India including Tea Companies during the five years 1950-54. The figures in respect of Tea Companies shown in the above tables are based on an analysis of the balance sheets of 113 Companies for the five years. The next table giving index numbers of industrial profits for 1940-54 owes its origin to the Ministry of Finance, Government of India.

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1. (i) Production of Tea in India (excluding Kangra & Mandi) by months.
 (figures in thousand lbs.)

Month	1950			1951			1952			1953		
	N. India	S. India	Total	N. India	S. India	Total	N. India	S. India	Total	N. India	S. India	Total
(1)	(2·1)	(2·2)	(2·3)	(3·1)	(3·2)	(3·3)	(4·1)	(4·2)	(4·3)	(5·1)	(5·2)	(5·3)
January		3,909	3,909		6,150	6,150		6,226	6,226		7,301	7,301
February		3,702	3,702		5,328	5,328		6,955	6,955		5,931	5,931
March		10,271	10,271		7,061	7,061		10,939	10,939		7,666	7,666
April	46,500	13,830	69,517	13,708	13,453	27,161	25,711	15,043	40,754	21,690	12,609	34,299
May		9,187		29,052	19,092	48,144	38,967	14,606	53,573	30,283	20,286	50,569
June	66,000	8,335	74,335	56,043	9,822	65,865	63,838	9,270	73,108	59,131	11,200	70,331
July	71,500	7,494	78,994	71,005	6,679	77,684	83,906	7,098	91,004	79,016	7,384	86,400
August	88,750	4,315	93,065	92,453	7,309	99,762	87,495	5,223	92,718	76,110	6,954	83,064
September	83,000	8,934	91,934	85,178	11,577	96,755	72,219	7,166	79,385	81,844	10,109	91,953
October	82,750	9,453	92,203	84,752	11,710	96,462	79,096	14,862	93,958	78,755	14,289	93,044
November	54,500	10,543	65,043	62,164	10,294	72,458	47,426	9,357	56,783	45,783	9,256	55,039
December	15,000	8,051	23,051	15,383	6,461	21,844	8,352	7,211	15,563	12,274	7,882	20,156
TOTAL	508,000	98,024	606,024	509,738	114,936	624,674	507,010	112,956	619,966	484,886	120,867	605,753

Month	1954			1955			1956 *		
	N. India	S. India	Total	N. India	S. India	Total	N. India	S. India	Total
(1)	(6·1)	(6·2)	(6·3)	(7·1)	(7·2)	(7·3)	(8·1)	(8·2)	(8·3)
January		6,401	6,401		8,268	8,268		7,073	7,073
February		5,749	5,749		7,835	7,835		6,668	6,668
March		10,081	10,081		9,214	9,214		9,062	9,062
April	15,961	18,968	34,929	19,181	11,023	30,204	19,475	10,083	29,558
May	38,830	17,556	56,386	33,194	17,208	50,402	34,504	20,222	54,726
June	58,468	11,434	69,902	64,101	14,501	78,602	71,088	12,116	83,204
July	77,735	8,494	86,229	80,263	7,724	87,987	80,573	7,494	88,067
August	87,152	5,303	92,455	88,267	11,296	99,563	99,703	8,877	108,580
September	89,929	11,319	101,248	93,204	9,105	102,309	94,276	9,623	103,899
October	82,435	13,119	95,554	84,867	14,187	99,054	86,975	12,597	99,572
November	51,994	9,348	61,342	62,736	10,932	73,668	47,160	12,441	59,601
December	11,060	10,758	21,818	13,236	7,659	20,895	2,904	10,681	13,585
TOTAL	513,564	128,530	642,094	539,049	128,952	668,001	536,658	126,937	663,595

Note : Actual monthly production figures are not available. The above figures give the production in North India and South India as estimated by I. T. A. and U. P. A. S. I. respectively. Similar estimates of monthly production are not available for KANGRA & MANDI. The figures shown in this table will, therefore, not tally with those shown in the next table. 1 (iii.)

* Provisional.

1. (ii) Estimated Production of Tea in North and South India for 1956 by Districts.
 (figures in lbs.)

Month	NORTH INDIA						South India			Grand total (North & South India)
	Assam Valley	Cachar	Darjeeling	Doobs	Terai	Bihar	All other places	All districts total	All districts total	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
January										7,072,807
February										6,668,295
March	3,359,912	3,007,342	3,259,841	8,843,675	617,627	170,293	216,965	19,475,655	9,062,166	9,062,166
April	19,582,866	3,007,468	921,170	9,685,369	852,788	70,561	384,392	34,504,614	20,221,759	29,558,410
May										54,726,373
June	43,107,566	5,060,886	2,696,894	17,594,157	1,589,979	246,438	791,941	71,087,861	12,116,138	83,203,999
July	50,585,980	5,738,341	2,636,933	18,494,614	1,971,590	247,588	897,605	80,572,651	7,494,255	88,066,906
August	62,660,458	7,001,416	2,759,893	23,154,434	2,625,729	390,050	1,110,720	99,702,700	8,876,969	108,579,669
September	60,281,066	7,108,565	1,802,487	21,290,365	2,402,487	340,269	1,050,258	94,275,497	9,632,200	103,898,697
October	54,850,379	6,472,376	1,400,170	20,471,880	2,416,370	395,465	968,936	86,975,576	12,596,460	99,572,036
November	28,878,241	4,013,522	499,025	11,393,287	1,597,604	252,492	525,373	47,159,544	12,441,197	59,600,741
December	572,982	1,122,930	32,987	979,849	159,367	4,007	32,357	2,904,479	10,681,671	13,585,550
Total :-	323,879,450	42,532,846	16,009,400	131,907,630	14,233,541	2,117,163	5,978,547	536,658,577	126,937,072	663,595,649

Note : The above figures give the production in North and South India as estimated by I. T. A. and U. P. A. S. I. respectively. Similar figures are not available for Kangra and Mandi.

1. (iii) Production of Tea in India by States.
 (figures in thousand lbs.)

States	† 1938	† 1939	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956*
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Assam	256,886	269,267	325,409	331,510	335,152	321,661	345,307	363,736	366,412
West Bengal	109,283	112,232	179,597	172,308	158,649	160,458	167,019	164,097	162,151
Bihar	291	267	2,426	2,420	2,191	2,388	2,298	2,334	2,117
Tripura	3,187	2,954	4,402	4,129	3,284	3,800	4,544	4,658	{ 5,978
Uttar Pradesh	1,862	1,718	1,796	1,987	1,726	1,384	2,028	2,131	
Punjab (Kangra)	2,779	2,807	1,992	2,228	2,460	1,737	2,003	2,036	2,426
Himachal Pradesh (Mandi)	101	99	219	251	229	231	283	292	237
Madras & Coorg	37,653	36,950	46,835	55,612	54,679	64,154	61,807	64,613	67,868
Mysore	1,045	991	1,519	1,927	1,933	2,014	1,892	2,488	2,856
Travancore-Cochin	36,494	38,819	49,159	56,825	54,062	56,751	57,256	56,296	56,213
TOTAL :	449,581	466,104	613,354	629,197	614,365	614,598	644,437	662,681	666,258

The figures upto 1955 are actual production figures based on the reports received from the gardens registered with the Licensing Committee. Figures for 1956 are however based on estimates of the I. T. A. and the U. P. A. S. I. with the addition of figures in respect of Kangra and Mandi as received from the local authorities.

† Includes Pakistan.

* Provisional.

**1. (iv) Acreage and production of tea in the tea growing districts of North India
classified according to the sizes of the estates.**

Districts	Upto 10 acres			11 to 150 acres			151 to 300 acres		
	No. of estates	Acreage	Production (in lbs.)	No. of estates	Acreage	Production (in lbs.)	No. of estates	Acreage	Production (in lbs.)
Darrang	—	—	—	11	654.30	116,574	12	2,636.56	1,677,255
Goalpara	—	—	—	2	150.00	39,920	2	488.35	199,576
Kamrup	2	9.42	—	7	589.20	83,583	4	976.93	315,999
Lakhimpur	13	78.79	30,150	38	2,558.47	1,616,083	39	8,753.68	8,124,246
Nowgong	—	—	—	5	434.08	229,410	3	784.96	343,556
Sibsagar	32	167.44	106,531	100	7,317.87	4,241,386	38	8,248.52	6,274,245
Cachar	—	—	—	9	840.91	231,251	5	1,627.76	346,271
Sylhet	—	—	—	11	917.72	176,646	5	1,050.73	393,321
Total Assam	47	255.65	136,681	183	13,462.55	6,734,853	108	24,567.49	17,674,469
Darjeeling	6	33.00	16,985	10	893.94	181,396	15	3,521.95	1,272,900
Dooars	—	—	—	2	120.04	67,170	10	2,642.34	1,655,117
Terai	—	—	—	1	60.00	28,445	10	2,230.17	1,339,781
Total West Bengal	6	33.00	16,985	13	1,073.98	277,011	35	8,394.46	4,267,798
Tripura	1	9.00	2,710	12	1,414.25	456,037	32	7,008.19	2,762,935
Bihar	—	—	—	1	107.00	8,902	—	—	—
Uttar Pradesh	—	—	—	33	1,965.37	348,924	6	1,230.23	598,020
Punjab (Kangra)*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Himachal Pradesh (Mandi)*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	55	303.65	156,376	242	18,023.15	7,825,727	181	41,200.37	25,303,222

Districts	301 to 500 acres			Above 500 acres			Total.		
	No. of estates	Acreage	Production (in lbs.)	No. of estates	Acreage	Production (in lbs.)	No. of estates	Acreage	Production (in lbs.)
Darrang	19	7,676.24	6,798,781	62	52,884.49	56,817,294	104	63,851.59	65,409,904
Goalpara	4	1,425.90	1,085,786	3	1,655.31	2,220,349	11	3,719.56	3,545,631
Kamrup	4	1,626.78	1,208,008	2	1,543.81	1,226,367	19	4,746.14	2,833,957
Lakhimpur	40	15,375.13	19,118,059	104	90,263.17	109,651,838	234	117,029.24	138,540,376
Nowgong	3	1,279.57	1,331,574	10	10,412.35	9,781,657	21	12,910.96	11,686,197
Sibsagar	20	8,355.75	7,088,093	93	87,074.04	80,885,198	283	111,163.62	98,595,453
Cachar	20	8,406.00	4,985,674	48	40,764.58	25,812,646	82	51,639.25	31,375,842
Sylhet	5	2,218.75	686,286	13	17,334.28	10,492,947	34	21,521.48	11,749,200
Total Assam	115	46,364.12	42,302,261	335	301,932.03	296,888,296	788	386,581.84	363,736,560
Darjeeling	33	13,116.00	4,859,195	29	23,361.79	9,546,305	93	40,926.68	15,876,781
Dooars	14	5,788.52	4,519,202	133	124,588.36	126,971,550	159	133,139.26	133,213,039
Terai	15	5,891.98	5,254,463	18	12,966.39	8,116,250	44	21,148.54	14,738,939
Cooch Bihar	1	405.26	268,389	—	—	—	1	405.26	268,389
Total West Bengal	63	25,201.76	14,901,249	180	160,916.54	144,634,105	297	195,619.74	164,097,148
Tripura	10	3,565.30	1,436,692	—	—	—	55	11,996.74	4,658,374
Bihar	5	2,207.32	1,020,058	3	1,849.67	1,305,069	9	4,163.99	2,334,029
Uttar Pradesh	3	1,254.05	252,956	3	1,850.00	930,852	46	6,305.65	2,130,752
Punjab (Kangra)*	—	—	—	—	—	—	1155	9,606.92	2,035,810
Himachal Pradesh (Mandi)*	—	—	—	—	—	—	225	1,045.76	292,031
Total	196	78,592.55	59,913,216	521	466,548.24	443,758,322	2575	615,320.64	539,284,704

Note : (i) Number of estates and acreages relate to those on 31st, March, 1956.

(ii) Production figures shown relate to the Calender year 1955.

* Total figures for Kangra and Mandi of which the detailed break down is not available.

2. Area under tea in India as on the 31st March of each year.
 (Acres)

States	* 1938-39	1949-50	1950-51	1951-52	1952-53	1953-54	1954-55	1955-56 *
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Assam	442,656.61	383,276.38	384,678.04	384,992.98	385,459.36	386,996.94	387,277.47	386,581.84
West Bengal	202,922.18	196,655.83	196,644.17	196,647.68	196,339.73	196,303.64	196,405.79	195,619.74
Bihar	3,820.24	4,009.93	4,063.18	4,075.78	4,137.38	4,161.44	4,163.99	4,196.74
Tripura	11,071.82	11,724.51	11,794.93	11,742.67	11,905.36	12,021.74	12,021.74	11,905.36
Uttar Pradesh	6,461.55	6,576.85	6,436.35	6,436.35	6,436.35	6,318.65	6,318.65	6,305.65
Punjab (Kangra)	9,601.62	9,606.92	9,606.92	9,606.92	9,606.92	9,606.92	9,606.92	9,606.92
Himachal Pradesh (Mandi)	1,059.73	1,059.73	1,059.73	1,059.73	1,059.73	1,059.73	1,059.73	1,045.76
Madras & Coorg	78,198.85	81,721.54	82,470.58	83,941.09	84,917.59	85,367.92	86,673.22	87,547.93
Mysore	4,196.57	4,198.57	4,198.57	4,208.62	4,224.64	4,224.64	4,211.76	4,211.76
Travancore-Cochin	80,312.54	81,170.16	82,405.66	82,885.02	83,358.81	83,514.11	83,584.69	84,121.73
Total :-	844,313.71	779,998.42	782,998.13	785,584.24	787,378.27	789,441.67	791,321.41	791,202.06

† Includes Pakistan

* Provisional

3. No. of Tea Estates in India (Registered with the Licensing Committee) as on the 31st March of each year.

States	* 1938-39	1949-50	1950-51	1951-52	1952-53	1953-54	1954-55	† 1955-56
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Assam	872	788	785	787	789	788	788	788
West Bengal	316	297	296	296	296	296	296	297
Bihar	4	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
Tripura	54	55	55	55	55	55	55	55
Uttar Pradesh	41	45	45	45	45	45	46	46
Punjab (Kangra)	776	863	918	927	912	1,135	1,125	1,155
Himachal Pradesh (Mandi)	201	175	197	189	184	226	226	225
Madras & Coorg	2,348	2,684	2,772	2,794	2,829	2,872	2,901	3,095
Mysore	1	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
Travancore-Cochin	1,234	1,117	1,125	1,126	1,131	1,136	1,146	1,158
TOTAL :-	5,857	6,045	6,214	6,240	6,262	6,574	6,604	6,840

* Including 134 tea estates now in Pakistan.

† Provisional.

4. Arrival of North Indian Tea in Calcutta Port.

(figures in chests)

Month*	1951-52				1952-53				1953-54			
	Rail	River	Air	Total	Rail	River	Air	Total	Rail	River	Air	Total
	(1)	(2)			(3)			(4)				
April	4,330	21,697	4,440	30,467	4,732	15,637	2,851	23,220	23,391	25,033	7,859	56,283
May	9,064	27,160	21,793	58,017	41,544	69,834	11,577	122,955	48,608	39,791	5,744	94,143
June	30,590	111,687	35,510	177,787	74,945	147,288	9,380	231,613	39,150	115,755	6,022	160,927
July	52,334	290,233	38,497	381,064	64,178	282,870	12,803	359,851	76,594	290,894	9,331	376,819
August	93,975	479,999	30,682	604,656	139,271	479,777	19,908	638,956	156,873	405,942	12,468	575,283
September	99,633	442,518	15,747	557,998	105,153	398,448	13,607	517,208	105,037	538,674	9,715	653,426
October	94,075	391,254	16,845	502,174	110,524	367,500	12,820	490,844	168,889	540,086	12,063	721,038
November	111,644	537,751	17,261	666,656	159,105	214,732	14,664	388,501	118,179	443,679	7,862	569,720
December	115,911	298,731	14,717	429,359	117,023	368,573	9,072	494,668	111,974	489,259	7,486	608,719
January	81,619	361,537	13,771	546,927	101,768	459,649	8,336	569,753	89,856	316,890	7,511	414,257
February	39,412	380,870	15,565	435,847	47,724	258,583	7,663	313,970	29,137	65,359	3,958	98,454
March	10,350	242,463	6,070	258,883	13,107	186,714	5,033	204,854	1,314	8,487	1,086	10,887
TOTAL:—	742,937	3,585,900	230,898	4,559,735	979,074	3,249,605	127,714	4,356,393	969,002	3,279,849	91,105	4,339,956

Month*	1954-55				1955-56				1956-57			
	Rail	River	Air	Total	Rail	River	Air	Total	Rail	River	Air	Total
	(1)	(2)			(3)			(4)				
April	5,233	3,876	3,036	12,145	7,967	1,903	4,434	14,304	15,615	13,788	5,910	35,313
May	24,130	36,751	14,114	74,995	27,600	34,793	11,158	73,551	31,100	27,570	9,287	67,957
June	61,909	146,498	10,946	219,353	38,322	172,685	16,556	227,563	43,880	151,256	7,807	202,943
July	98,543	443,696	16,696	558,935	69,532	285,542	16,421	371,495	57,451	243,859	16,528	317,838
August	32,997	424,360	20,357	477,714	98,846	442,000	34,176	575,022	93,543	575,989	22,430	691,962
September	68,196	439,550	21,283	529,029	101,831	433,260	27,499	562,590	93,639	529,384	19,195	642,218
October	104,966	658,057	24,800	787,823	102,300	541,504	19,434	663,238	213,339	404,031	22,117	639,487
November	117,940	406,823	15,733	540,496	159,026	454,871	18,812	632,709	200,246	403,970	18,814	623,030
December	199,932	398,855	23,814	622,601	134,280	334,374	18,826	487,480	140,678	364,426	19,880	524,984
January	95,933	205,271	15,663	316,867	82,075	222,685	12,493	317,253	138,929	482,573	17,661	639,163
February	52,541	146,908	8,825	208,274	71,077	365,532	17,989	454,598	18,574	162,043	7,557	188,174
March	9,206	101,427	2,277	112,910	59,503	116,536	8,889	184,928	4,866	6,176	3,126	14,168
TOTAL:—	871,526	3,412,072	177,544	4,461,142	952,359	3,405,685	206,687	4,564,731	1,051,860	3,365,065	170,312	4,587,237

* Based on weekly returns

**5. Stocks of tea held in Calcutta Warehouses and tea transit sheds on
last Saturday of each month.
(figures in chests)**

Month	1951-52	1952-53	1953-54	1954-55	1955-56	1956-57
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
April	205,480	412,207	250,135	85,605	103,498	453,058
May	143,419	256,034	194,217	60,791	100,008	244,025
June	193,782	233,728	187,763	159,147	173,469	202,639
July	332,898	353,364	284,048	330,506	279,567	259,784
August	515,957	512,478	378,480	392,032	395,395	370,872
September	598,390	540,477	544,231	496,216	534,322	560,281
October	679,431	510,175	647,670	720,462	731,999	655,830
November	670,793	489,786	638,605	701,619	924,471	748,559
December	600,759	653,851	648,844	678,575	1,014,294	749,555
January	710,982	737,844	592,771	543,928	973,836	846,751
February	714,468	638,847	332,022	352,944	910,678	608,218
March	584,114	437,253	188,613	192,170	728,895	334,349

6. Quantities of Indian Tea sold at different auctions.

(thousand lbs.)

(a) CALCUTTA.

YEAR	EXPORT	CONSUMPTION IN INDIA	TOTAL
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1938-39	69,100	66,300	135,400
1948-49	97,009	88,823	185,832
1949-50	118,145	87,128	205,273
1950-51	152,083	82,884	244,967
1951-52	207,128	68,880	276,008
1952-53	217,618	68,505	286,123
1953-54	188,468	84,471	272,939
1954-55	166,086	108,848	274,934
1955-56	219,658	78,056	297,714
1956-57	243,656	78,963	322,619

6. (b) Cochin

Year (1)	Export (2)	Consumption in India (3)	Total (4)
1948	4,251	524	4,775
1949	4,458	782	5,240
1950	5,652	1,242	6,894
1951	17,717	2,506	20,223
1952	22,082	3,116	25,198
1953	28,960	4,349	33,309
1954	22,139	7,099	29,238
1955	24,923	9,614	34,537
1956	30,563	10,337	40,900

6. (c) L O N D O N .

Year (1)	North India (2)	South India (3)	Total (4)
1951	41,359	12,211	53,570
1952	165,673	22,249	187,922
1953	187,386	25,383	212,769
1954	164,659	24,564	189,223
1955	157,850	27,129	184,979
1956	153,225	26,375	179,600

N B.—The London auctions were resumed after war on 16th April 1951.

Source :—1951 to 54—International Tea Committee.

„ 1955 and 1956—London Tea Market Reports.

7. Annual average price per lb. of Indian tea at different auctions.

(a) Calcutta
(i) For Export

Season (1)	Assam		Cachar	Darjeeling	Dooars	Tera	Tripura	Other Places	Total (9)
	Rs. As. P. (2)	Rs. As. P. (3)	Rs. As. P. (4)	Rs. As. P. (5)	Rs. As. P. (6)	Rs. As. P. (7)	Rs. As. P. (8)	Rs. As. P. (9)	
1938—39	0 10 0	0 8 9	0 12 9	0 9 2	0 8 9	Nil	Nil	0 9 7	
1949—50	1 15 9	1 10 7	2 5 6	1 11 1	1 11 2	1 8 8	Nil	1 14 10	
1950—51	2 1 10	1 11 9	2 10 2	1 12 8	1 12 11	1 10 10	1 11 3	2 0 9	
1951—52	1 13 4	1 6 6	2 1 8	1 8 4	1 7 11	1 4 2	Nil	1 11 7	
1952—53	1 9 3	0 14 9	1 13 1	1 2 7	1 2 4	1 0 3	0 14 9	1 6 6	
1953—54	2 0 9	1 13 6	2 6 5	1 14 1	1 14 11	1 13 8	2 4 0	1 15 10	
1954—55	3 2 11	2 12 10	3 8 4	2 15 4	3 3 5	2 15 10	Nil	3 1 6	
1955—56	2 2 6	1 10 11	2 7 6	1 12 4	1 11 3	1 8 2	1 3 4	2 0 4	
1956—57	2 9 4	1 14 8	2 15 11	2 1 11	2 1 5	1 13 2	1 13 3	2 6 3	

(Upto March 57)

7. (a) (ii) For Consumption in India (Dust).

Season	Assam		Cachar		Darjeeling		Doors		Terai		Tripura		Green Tea		Other Places		Total Dust	
	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
(1)	(2)		(3)		(4)		(5)		(6)		(7)		(8)		(9)		(10)	
1948-49																		
1949-50																		
1950-51																		
1951-52																		
1952-53																		
1953-54																		
1954-55																		
1955-56																		
1956-57																		
(Upto March 57)																		

7. (a) (iii) For Consumption in India (Leaf)

Season	Assam		Cachar		Darjeeling		Doors		Terai		Tripura		Green Tea		Other Places		Total Leaf	
	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
(1)	(2)		(3)		(4)		(5)		(6)		(7)		(8)		(9)		(10)	
1938-39	0	4	1	0	3	11	0	5	4	0	4	0	0	3	3	0	3	0
1948-49	-1	3	0	-1	15	3	-1	1	2	-1	1	0	-1	0	0	-1	3	3
1949-50	-1	7	3	-1	5	0	-1	10	6	-1	6	-1	-1	5	4	-1	6	7
1950-51	-1	7	10	-1	6	6	-1	11	3	-1	7	0	-1	7	7	-1	7	8
1951-52	-1	1	9	-1	0	6	-1	15	10	-1	0	15	0	0	10	-1	7	6
1952-53	0	15	1	0	11	9	2	0	0	0	15	2	0	14	5	1	7	7
1953-54	-1	13	2	-1	12	2	-1	15	9	-1	11	6	-1	12	11	-1	12	5
1954-55	2	2	4	11	2	0	8	2	4	11	2	4	2	2	5	9	2	3
1955-56	1	3	1	-1	1	0	2	3	6	1	0	7	1	0	9	1	3	3
1956-57	1	9	9	1	5	1	2	4	9	1	8	3	1	5	11	1	8	9
(Upto March)																		

7. (b) COCHIN.

Year	Export Rs. As. P.	Consumption in India					
		Leaf			Dust		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
(1)	(2)	(3)			(4)		
1948	1 7 2	1	10	3	1	9	2
1949	1 12 0	1	10	11	1	8	3
1950	2 1 4	1	11	10	1	10	3
1951	1 15 6	1	13	8	1	12	8
1952	1 9 8	1	5	8	1	4	11
1953	1 14 6	1	10	6	1	7	10
1954	2 13 2	2	4	5	2	2	2
1955	2 4 9	2	2	6	1	15	4
1956	2 3 8	1	15	4	1	11	11

7. (c) LONDON.

YEAR	NORTH INDIA		SOUTH INDIA		TOTAL		
	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.	
(1)	(2)	(3)		(4)			
1951 *	3	7.90	3	6.44	3	7.54	
1952	2	11.94	2	9.11	2	11.58	
1953	3	7.42	3	5.30	3	7.14	
1954	5	4.03	5	2.43	5	3.79	
1955	5	3.59	4	5.63	5	1.96	
1956	5	1.05	4	3.11	4	7.11	

Source—I. T. C. and London Tea Market Reports.

* Figures for 1951 relate to the period from 16th April to 31st December.

8. Monthly offerings and sales of Indian teas at Calcutta Auctions. (in Packages)

(i) Season 1953—54

Months	Quantity Offered				Quantity Sold			
	Export	Internal consumption		Total	Export	Internal consumption		Total
		Leaf	Dust			Leaf	Dust	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
June 1953	114,261	2,368	71,144	187,773	65,606	477	18,746	82,829
July "	93,827	956	35,724	130,507	85,312	750	33,965	120,027
August "	180,122	2,562	70,676	253,360	164,994	1,766	68,372	235,132
September "	264,244	2,574	74,817	341,635	248,981	2,385	72,381	323,747
October "	181,286	1,967	52,802	236,055	167,835	1,866	51,865	221,566
November "	237,830	3,475	62,682	303,987	229,992	3,265	60,940	294,197
December "	233,795	6,291	77,504	317,590	228,656	6,956	74,924	310,536
January 1954	176,737	26,420	85,138	288,295	170,395	22,774	84,461	277,630
February "	151,503	35,786	69,506	256,795	143,938	32,755	65,510	242,203
March "	22,423	15,524	84,038	121,985	21,545	15,142	83,579	120,266
April "	No Sale	1,985	82,102	84,087	No Sale	1,961	81,644	83,605
May "	No Sale	1,756	30,882	32,638	No Sale	1,263	30,177	31,440
Total :	1,656,028	101,664	797,015	2,554,707	1,525,254	91,360	726,564	2,343,178

(ii) Season 1954—55

Months	Quantity Offered				Quantity Sold			
	Export	Internal consumption		Total	Export	Internal consumption		Total
		Leaf	Dust			Leaf	Dust	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
May 1954	28,328	1,207	3,442	32,977	26,646	238	2,953	29,837
June "	45,658	2,973	10,898	59,529	40,739	2,483	10,529	53,751
July "	117,815	15,563	40,974	174,352	112,690	14,871	40,401	167,962
August "	154,496	48,924	75,417	278,837	148,710	45,691	75,008	269,409
September "	152,452	63,210	76,246	291,908	145,571	53,983	75,603	275,157
October "	89,754	37,799	51,365	178,918	87,615	35,854	49,811	173,280
November "	273,533	88,279	92,044	453,856	267,799	69,410	86,056	423,265
December "	122,471	30,456	53,046	205,973	120,485	26,212	49,649	196,346
January 1955	177,577	58,060	75,737	311,374	170,070	55,185	75,339	300,594
February "	90,319	33,641	76,512	200,472	79,112	28,184	73,521	180,817
March "	61,344	37,402	76,294	175,040	47,814	34,196	71,663	153,673
April "	21,247	21,039	76,561	118,847	18,871	17,467	66,336	102,674
May "	No Sale	2,369	47,348	49,717	No Sale	1,861	41,844	43,705
Total	T.334,994	440,922	755,884	2,531,800	1,266,122	385,635	718,731	2,370,470

Continued

(iii) Season : 1955-56

Months	Export	Quantity Offered			Quantity Sold				
		Internal consumption		Total	Export	Internal consumption			
		Leaf	Dust			Leaf	Dust		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	
June 1955	76,566	3,936	12,059	92,561	68,710	2,233	9,862	80,805	
July "	134,406	3,444	31,768	169,618	124,223	2,558	28,989	155,770	
August "	238,197	12,445	61,650	312,292	193,714	9,116	58,501	261,331	
September "	252,096	15,888	70,441	338,425	198,129	11,426	61,110	270,665	
October "	149,551	6,932	46,852	203,335	133,598	6,317	44,586	184,501	
November "	224,918	10,088	70,061	305,067	188,250	8,047	62,084	258,381	
December "	233,263	12,140	79,427	324,830	174,652	9,894	61,663	246,209	
January 1956	286,935	9,954	96,402	393,291	265,516	9,524	90,755	365,795	
February "	181,597	12,788	57,097	251,482	148,585	10,395	50,691	209,671	
March "	153,710	9,890	57,624	221,224	148,759	8,959	55,621	213,339	
April "	230,320	17,844	79,897	328,061	189,608	14,279	70,334	274,221	
May "	179,275	23,288	105,809	308,372	165,438	21,680	96,321	283,439	
June "	5,343	145	21,105	26,593	5,209	145	18,854	24,208	
Total (Upto March)	2,346,177	138,782	790,192	3,275,151	2,004,391	114,573	709,371	2,828,335	

(iv) Season : 1956-57

Months	Export	Quantity Offered			Quantity Sold				
		Internal consumption		Total	Export	Internal consumption			
		Leaf	Dust			Leaf	Dust		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	
June 1956	69,666	1,380	62,715	133,761	39,814	283	156	40,253	
July "	137,172	2,489	68,754	208,415	119,208	1,392	40,154	160,754	
August "	202,912	4,259	61,150	268,321	177,341	3,114	58,132	238,587	
September "	208,569	3,833	64,539	276,941	195,257	3,429	63,362	262,048	
October "	170,932	4,189	54,265	229,386	162,451	3,600	52,181	218,232	
November "	233,219	5,746	88,829	327,794	225,799	5,264	80,894	311,957	
December "	194,532	7,315	74,817	276,664	183,803	6,281	70,103	260,187	
January 1957	354,121	15,506	120,792	490,419	319,301	14,465	111,420	445,186	
February "	257,244	9,142	72,042	338,428	227,947	8,467	67,950	304,364	
March "	227,096	19,465	72,711	319,272	203,874	17,037	68,007	288,918	
Total (Upto March) '57	2,055,463	73,324	740,614	2,869,401	1,854,795	63,332	612,359	2,530,486	

9. Weekly average prices of tea sold at Calcutta auctions.

(i) For Export
SEASON—1955-56

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam Rs. as. p.	Cachar Rs. as. p.	Darjeeling Rs. as. p.	Dooars Rs. as. p.	Terai Rs. as. p.	Tripura Rs. as. p.	All other places Rs. as. p.	Total Rs. as. P.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
(1)	6th June, 1955	2 1 0	1 12 5	2 12 9	1 14 0	2 1 9	2 5 0	—	2 1 5
(2)	13th „ „	2 0 10	1 13 2	2 8 8	1 13 3	1 14 9	1 12 10	—	2 0 5
(3)	20th „ „	2 2 10	1 14 10	2 9 0	1 14 0	1 14 9	1 13 7	—	2 1 2
(4)	27th „ „	2 8 3	2 1 0	2 9 0	2 1 11	2 5 3	2 1 5	—	2 5 6
(5)	4th & 5th July 1955	2 12 5	2 4 2	2 14 8	2 5 6	2 6 6	2 4 9	—	2 9 6
(6)	11th „ 1955	3 0 1	2 6 10	3 0 11	2 8 10	2 9 3	2 6 7	—	2 13 8
(7)	18th „ „	3 0 5	2 6 5	3 3 2	2 9 10	2 11 7	2 7 3	—	2 13 4
(8)	25th „ „	3 1 10	2 7 3	3 5 0	2 9 10	2 11 8	2 7 6	—	2 15 1
(9)	1st August „	3 0 3	2 5 4	3 11 9	2 7 3	2 5 6	2 4 1	—	2 13 5
(10)	8th & 9th „ „	3 0 6	2 1 0	3 4 1	2 3 11	2 3 1	2 4 0	—	2 11 10
(11)	16th „ „	2 13 0	2 0 5	3 2 6	2 2 7	2 1 5	1 14 6	—	2 7 8
(12)	22nd „ „	2 12 3	2 0 10	3 3 7	2 2 6	2 2 10	1 15 3	—	2 7 6
(13)	30th „ „	2 13 10	1 15 10	2 14 7	2 2 3	2 1 0	1 15 6	—	2 7 7
(14)	5th & 6th Sept. „	2 14 3	1 15 4	3 0 6	2 1 5	2 1 1	1 13 1	—	2 10 3
(15)	12th & 13th „ „	2 13 5	1 14 4	2 14 0	2 1 3	1 15 5	1 12 5	—	2 9 5
(16)	19th & 20th „ „	2 11 4	1 11 1	2 14 1	1 13 2	1 12 3	1 10 0	—	2 6 1
(17)	26th Sept. „	2 8 5	1 10 5	2 6 11	1 11 11	1 11 0	1 8 0	—	2 2 1
(18)	3rd. & 4th. Oct. „	2 6 9	1 9 6	2 5 1	1 12 3	1 11 4	1 8 3	—	2 1 11
(19)	10th Oct. „ „	2 8 2	1 11 5	2 3 11	1 14 1	1 12 8	1 10 10	—	2 2 6
(20)	17th & 18th Oct '55	2 10 5	1 13 6	2 5 2	1 15 8	1 14 11	1 12 4	—	2 5 2
(21)	7th Nov '55	2 7 9	1 14 2	2 5 10	2 0 5	2 0 3	1 13 1	—	2 5 10
(22)	15th & 16th Nov '55	2 4 6	1 10 6	2 6 3	1 12 8	1 13 10	1 11 3	—	2 2 1
(23)	21st & 22nd „ „	2 1 7	1 10 7	2 7 0	1 12 8	1 11 8	1 7 7	—	1 15 6
(24)	28th Nov „ „	2 2 8	1 12 0	2 6 6	1 14 0	1 11 5	1 11 5	—	2 0 10
(25)	5th & 6th Dec „ „	2 3 2	1 12 4	2 6 10	1 14 2	1 13 8	1 10 3	—	2 1 6
(26)	12th & 13th „ „	1 15 2	1 8 8	2 3 11	1 10 11	1 11 4	1 9 8	—	1 13 9
(27)	19th & 20th „ „	1 13 4	1 6 11	2 3 3	1 8 1	1 6 8	1 5 11	—	1 11 9
(28)	27th „ „	1 11 11	1 7 4	2 3 1	1 7 7	1 7 5	1 4 7	—	1 10 5

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(i) For Export

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam Rs. As. P.	Cachar Rs. As. P.	Darjeeling Rs. As. P.	Dooars Rs. As. P.	Terai Rs. As. P.	Tripura Rs. As. P.	All other places Rs. As. P.	TOTAL Rs. As. P.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
(29)	3rd Jan '56	1 11 11	1 5 5	2 2 2	1 7 4	1 7 2	1 4 10	—	1 10 6
(30)	9th & 10th Jan ,,	1 12 9	1 6 4	2 1 6	1 7 4	1 8 11	1 4 10	—	1 10 11
(31)	16th & 17th ,,	1 13 8	1 6 11	2 0 10	1 8 11	1 8 11	1 4 7	—	1 11 4
(32)	24th Jan ,,	1 13 11	1 7 11	2 3 9	1 9 6	1 8 5	1 6 8	1 8 2	1 11 11
(33)	30th & 31st Jan ,,	1 14 2	1 7 6	1 15 8	1 8 9	1 8 5	1 4 6	—	1 11 7
(34)	6th & 7th Feb ,,	1 13 6	1 8 0	2 2 9	1 8 7	1 6 7	1 3 7	—	1 11 7
(35)	13th Feb ,,	1 11 9	1 6 1	2 3 8	1 7 5	1 5 9	1 2 6	—	1 10 2
(36)	20th ,,	1 11 1	1 5 9	2 0 5	1 7 6	1 5 9	1 1 11	—	1 9 6
(37)	27th ,,	1 9 7	1 5 0	2 2 9	1 6 10	1 5 2	1 1 1	—	1 8 8
(38)	5th & 6th Mar ,,	1 9 8	1 5 0	2 3 7	1 7 11	1 5 8	1 3 0	1 3 2	1 8 9
(39)	12th Mar ,,	1 13 1	1 7 9	1 15 10	1 9 3	1 10 0	1 4 7	—	1 11 7
(40)	19th & 20th March ,,	1 14 2	1 9 11	2 3 2	1 10 11	1 9 5	1 7 3	1 10 0	1 12 4
(41)	2nd April ,,	1 14 6	1 9 11	2 2 1	1 12 1	1 1 2	1 7 10	—	1 13 4
(42)	9th April ,,	1 14 1	1 9 0	2 6 4	1 11 7	1 9 0	1 6 6	—	1 13 3
(43)	16th, 17th April ,,	1 12 3	1 7 8	1 14 11	1 9 3	1 7 4	1 3 0	—	1 10 8
(44)	23rd April ,,	1 11 0	1 6 8	1 12 0	1 7 10	1 8 2	1 2 8	—	1 9 9
(45)	30th April ,,	1 10 8	1 5 8	1 10 4	1 7 11	1 8 5	1 2 1	1 2 0	1 9 5
(46)	7th May ,,	1 10 7	1 6 2	1 10 5	1 7 9	1 7 11	1 2 8	1 3 9	1 9 0
(47)	14 May ,,	1 8 7	1 5 2	1 6 7	1 6 2	1 5 4	1 0 8	1 5 1	1 7 0
(48)	21st May ,,	1 8 6	1 4 3	1 6 5	1 6 6	1 4 1	1 1 5	1 2 5	1 6 2
(49)	29th May ,,	N O	S	A	L	E			
(50)	4th June ,,	1 6 4	1 1 10	1 3 1	1 3 7	1 2 0	1 1 2	0 15 9	1 4 2
	Total Average	2 2 9	1 10 11	2 7 6	1 12 4	1 11 3	1 8 2	1 3 4	2 0 4

(i) For Export
SEASON—1956-57

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam	Cachar	Darjeeling	Doocars	Terai	Tripura	All other places	TOTAL Rs. As. P.
		Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
(1)	11th June	'56 2 5 10	1 10 0	2 7 2	2 1 1	1 14 0	1 8 1	...	2 2 11
(2)	18th June	'56 2 8 6	1 9 2	2 9 2	1 13 8	2 1 3	1 8 3	...	2 2 3
(3)	25th June	'56 2 8 10	1 8 2	2 1 11	1 10 6	1 12 0	1 7 7	...	1 15 7
(4)	2nd July	'56 2 12 7	1 7 11	2 8 4	1 11 2	1 9 9	1 7 1	...	2 0 9
(5)	9th July	'56 3 4 8	1 8 0	2 14 3	1 11 8	1 10 2	1 6 9	...	2 9 5
(6)	16th July	'56 3 3 6	1 8 5	2 15 6	1 11 11	1 11 5	1 8 5	1 9 2	2 8 3
(7)	24th July	'56 3 8 9	1 9 5	4 5 0	1 14 1	1 14 3	1 10 1	...	2 14 2
(8)	30th July	'56 3 5 6	1 8 2	4 6 3	1 12 0	1 12 9	1 7 0	1 6 9	2 12 4
(9)	6th August	'56 3 6 9	1 8 0	4 10 8	1 13 2	1 14 2	1 9 1	1 14 10	2 11 1
(10)	13th August	'56 3 3 6	1 9 10	4 7 8	1 14 9	1 12 3	1 7 9	...	2 12 9
(11)	20th August	'56 3 3 7	1 11 5	3 5 8	1 15 4	1 13 6	1 9 7	1 7 0	2 10 6
(12)	27th August	'56 3 1 1	1 10 10	3 2 5	1 14 10	1 13 6	1 8 7	...	2 9 10
(13)	3rd Sept.	'56 2 14 5	1 11 6	2 14 9	1 14 10	1 13 8	1 9 4	...	2 8 2
(14)	10th Sept.	'56 2 12 7	1 11 8	3 0 0	1 14 8	1 15 7	1 11 5	1 7 3	2 6 11
(15)	17th Sept.	'56 2 11 5	1 10 9	2 13 2	1 14 3	1 13 3	1 10 5	1 9 1	2 5 10
(16)	24th Sept.	'56 2 13 6	1 12 2	2 11 4	1 15 7	1 15 9	1 9 5	1 9 7	2 9 1
(17)	4th Oct.	'56 2 14 1	1 14 7	2 11 5	2 1 9	2 1 8	1 12 11	...	2 10 0
(18)	22nd Oct.	'56 2 13 7	1 15 5	2 12 7	2 2 2	2 0 10	1 12 8	1 10 8	2 8 11
(19)	29th Oct.	'56 2 11 7	1 15 2	2 11 5	2 0 10	2 0 11	1 12 1	1 12 3	2 6 8
(20)	5th Nov.	'56 2 10 11	1 15 5	3 0 1	2 2 3	2 1 3	1 11 7	...	2 8 0

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(i) For Export
SEASON—1956-57

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam Rs. As. P.	Cachar Rs. As. P.	Darjeeling Rs. As. P.	Doars Rs. As. P.	Terai Rs. As. P.	Tripura Rs. As. P.	All other places Rs. As. P.	TOTAL Rs. As. P.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
(21)	12th Nov. '56	2 11 2	2 1 4	3 0 9	2 4 8	2 3 5	1 13 10	1 12 1	2 8 6
(22)	19th Nov. '56	2 12 5	2 3 10	3 1 0	2 5 8	2 5 4	2 1 2	...	2 8 2
(23)	26th & 27th Nov. '56	2 11 11	2 6 3	3 4 1	2 7 11	2 6 10	2 3 5	...	2 9 7
(24)	3rd & 4th Dec. '56	2 11 1	2 4 7	3 0 8	2 7 0	2 6 0	2 2 7	...	2 8 5
(25)	10th & 11th Dec. '56	2 11 2	2 4 5	3 2 8	2 6 11	2 5 5	2 2 7	2 12 5	2 9 1
(26)	17th & 18th Dec. '56	2 11 6	2 4 6	3 2 8	2 7 6	2 6 2	2 2 10	2 0 2	2 9 8
(27)	2nd & 3rd Jan. '57	2 9 1	2 3 4	2 11 9	2 6 10	2 5 1	2 1 0	...	2 8 1
(28)	7th & 8th Jan. '57	2 8 5	2 3 4	2 14 11	2 5 6	2 4 10	2 1 0	2 1 11	2 7 2
(29)	14th & 15th Jan. '57	2 7 9	2 3 0	2 13 10	2 5 4	2 3 8	1 15 10	1 14 0	2 6 8
(30)	21st & 22nd Jan. '57	2 4 9	2 1 2	2 13 2	2 3 7	2 2 2	1 14 0	...	2 4 1
(31)	29th Jan. '57	2 5 2	2 0 1	2 10 9	2 1 8	2 1 7	1 13 3	...	2 3 6
(32)	4th Feb. '57	2 3 5	1 15 7	2 10 10	2 1 2	2 0 11	1 13 10	...	2 2 11
(33)	11th Feb. '57	2 3 7	1 15 7	2 9 6	2 0 9	2 0 6	1 14 0	1 13 4	2 2 7
(34)	18th Feb. '57	2 1 4	1 13 2	2 7 7	1 14 10	1 15 3	1 12 0	—	2 0 7
(35)	25th Feb. '57	2 1 5	1 14 0	2 5 0	1 15 1	1 14 11	1 12 5	2 4 2	2 0 7
(36)	4th March '57	2 1 1	1 13 8	2 3 2	1 14 3	1 14 10	1 12 7	—	2 0 0
(37)	11th March '57	1 14 8	1 12 0	2 3 2	1 12 4	1 12 11	1 11 5	1 11 11	1 13 10
(38)	18th March '57	1 13 6	1 10 11	1 14 6	1 11 3	1 11 11	1 10 1	—	1 12 9
(39)	25th March '57	1 12 0	1 10 3	1 13 1	1 10 10	1 8 11	1 9 1	1 8 11	1 11 7
Average Price upto 25th March '57		2 9 4	1 14 8	2 15 11	2 1 11	2 1 5	1 13 2	1 13 3	2 6 3

9. Weekly average Prices of tea sold at Calcutta Auctions

(ii) For Consumption in India (Dust)

Season—1955-56

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam			Cachar			Darjeeling			Doors			Terai			Tripura			Green Tea			All other places			Total								
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
1	7th June 1955	2	3	7	1	12	4	2	14	6	1	12	11	1	12	8	1	8	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	14	5						
2	13th June 1955				N	O	S A L E																											
3	21st " 1955	2	5	4	1.	14	11	3	12	0	1	13	3	1	15	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	0	7							
4	27th " "				N	O	S A L E																											
5	6th July 1955	2	11	5	2	5	6	2	9	9	2	2	3	2	10	0	1	14	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	7	7						
6	12th " "	2	13	8	2	5	4	2	12	2	2	5	9	—	2	1	0	1	9	9	—	—	—	—	—	2	11	10						
7	19th " "	2	10	5	2	4	10	2	11	3	2	6	9	2	9	2	2	5	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	8	8						
8	26th " "	2	9	9	2	5	2	2	9	6	2	6	7	—	2	0	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	8	9						
9	2nd August 1955	2	7	5	2	1	4	2	5	8	2	2	5	2	2	6	1	15	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	5	7						
10	9th " 1955	2	7	9	2	1	10	2	8	7	2	3	4	2	3	8	1	15	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	6	5						
11	16th " "	2	6	10	2	2	10	2	10	8	2	2	10	2	4	0	1	13	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	5	6						
12	23rd " "	2	8	10	2	1	6	2	11	2	2	6	2	2	7	5	1	12	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	4	4						
13	31st " "	2	7	3	2	1	5	2	5	9	2	2	3	1	15	5	1	14	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	4	0						
14	6th September 1955	2	6	10	2	0	6	2	5	10	2	0	10	2	1	11	1	5	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	5	1						
15	14th " "	2	6	10	1	14	3	2	4	4	1	15	4	1	13	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	5	5							
16	21st " "	2	4	7	1	11	2	3	11	1	11	4	1	13	1	1	4	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	3	1							
17	27th " "	2	2	7	1	9	9	1	12	4	1	10	7	1	8	9	1	7	0	—	—	—	—	—	1	14	6							
18	5th October 1955	2	3	1	1	9	11	2	0	4	1	13	1	1	9	10	1	9	0	—	—	—	—	—	2	0	8							
19	11th " "	2	6	3	1	13	3	1	15	8	1	14	8	1	12	3	1	11	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	3	2							

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(ii) For Consumption in India (Dust)

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam			Cachar			Darjeeling			Doars			Terai			Tripura			Green Tea			All other places			Total			
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)
20	18th Oct.	'55	2	5	8	1	9	4	2	1	7	1	14	0	1	12	0	1	9	9	1	7	9	1	6	6	2	3	1
21	8th Nov.	'55	2	6	8	1	12	0	10	1	0	1	15	4	1	12	1	1	9	11	0	15	10	1	6	6	2	2	0
22	16th	"	2	5	2	1	10	0	1	1	5	1	15	4	1	10	6	1	9	10	0	15	10	1	6	6	2	2	0
23	22nd	"	2	4	8	1	10	1	1	1	5	1	13	5	1	11	0	1	9	6	1	0	8	1	6	6	2	2	0
24	29th	"	2	2	6	1	10	1	1	1	3	1	13	5	1	10	8	1	8	7	1	7	4	1	6	6	2	2	0
25	6th Dec.	"	2	2	2	1	15	7	5	7	1	13	5	1	10	8	1	8	4	1	15	10	1	6	6	2	2	0	
26	13th	"	1	13	1	1	13	1	5	2	1	8	9	1	8	7	1	7	6	1	3	10	1	6	6	2	2	0	
27	20th	"	1	12	2	1	12	2	4	8	1	8	6	1	8	5	1	10	0	1	10	3	1	6	6	2	2	0	
28	28th	"	1	12	4	1	12	4	4	1	11	1	12	4	1	10	8	1	5	2	1	2	8	1	6	6	2	2	0
29	4th Jan.	'56	1	12	0	1	12	0	5	7	1	11	6	1	12	0	1	5	8	1	10	0	1	6	6	2	2	0	
30	10th	"	1	13	5	1	13	5	7	8	1	11	1	13	6	1	12	5	1	7	6	1	10	5	1	6	6	2	2
31	17th	"	1	12	5	1	12	5	7	7	1	11	2	1	12	5	1	7	7	1	6	6	1	6	6	2	2	0	
32	25th	"	1	14	7	1	14	7	7	9	1	11	2	1	12	5	1	8	6	1	10	0	1	6	6	2	2	0	
33	31st	"	1	14	5	1	14	5	5	10	1	11	2	1	12	5	1	8	6	1	10	0	1	6	6	2	2	0	
34	7th Feb.	"	1	14	4	1	14	4	5	10	1	11	2	1	12	5	1	8	7	1	10	0	1	6	6	2	2	0	
35	14th	"	1	15	5	1	15	5	6	10	1	11	2	1	12	5	1	7	4	1	10	0	1	6	6	2	2	0	
36	21st	"	1	14	3	1	14	3	7	9	1	11	2	1	12	5	1	8	6	1	10	0	1	6	6	2	2	0	
37	28th	"	1	12	0	1	12	0	6	1	10	2	1	12	2	1	8	6	1	10	0	1	6	6	2	2	0		
38	6th March	"	1	12	0	1	12	0	6	1	10	2	1	12	2	1	8	6	1	10	0	1	6	6	2	2	0		
39	13th	"	1	12	0	1	12	0	6	1	10	2	1	12	2	1	8	6	1	10	0	1	6	6	2	2	0		
40	20th	"	1	12	4	1	12	4	6	1	11	1	12	2	1	12	2	1	8	6	1	10	0	1	6	6	2	2	
41	3rd April	'56	2	2	3	1	13	3	3	3	1	12	2	1	12	2	1	9	7	1	10	0	1	6	6	2	2	0	
42	10th	"	2	0	7	1	10	7	5	7	1	12	2	1	12	2	1	8	5	1	10	0	1	6	6	2	2	0	
43	18th	"	2	1	0	1	15	8	2	2	1	13	8	1	10	7	1	7	7	1	11	1	1	6	6	2	2	0	
44	24th	"	2	1	1	1	15	1	4	2	1	10	7	1	10	7	1	8	6	1	10	0	1	6	6	2	2	0	
45	1st May	"	2	1	1	1	15	1	4	2	1	10	7	1	10	7	1	7	7	1	11	1	1	6	6	2	2	0	
46	8th	"	2	1	1	1	15	1	4	2	1	10	7	1	10	7	1	8	6	1	10	0	1	6	6	2	2	0	
47	15th	"	2	1	1	1	14	1	0	1	1	10	7	1	10	7	1	8	6	1	10	0	1	6	6	2	2	0	
48	22nd	"	2	1	1	1	14	1	0	1	1	10	7	1	10	7	1	8	6	1	10	0	1	6	6	2	2	0	
49	29th	"	2	1	1	1	11	1	1	1	1	10	7	1	10	7	1	8	6	1	10	0	1	6	6	2	2	0	
50	5th June	'56	2	1	1	1	11	1	1	1	1	10	7	1	10	7	1	8	6	1	10	0	1	6	6	2	2	0	
Total			2	1	4	1	11	0	2	0	0	1	11	1	1	10	0	1	5	1	11	3	1	7	6	1	15	0	

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(ii) For consumption in India (Dust)
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Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam	Cachar	Darjeeling	Dooars	Terai	Green Tea	All other places	Total
(1)	(2)	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.
		(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
1	12th June '56		N	1	L				
2	19th " "	—	—	2 0 4	—	—	—	—	2 0 4
3	26th " "	—	—	1 13 1	—	—	—	—	1 13 1
4	3rd July '56	2 5 10	2 0 11	2 8 5	1 12 9	—	1 5 3	—	2 0 4
5	10th " "	2 10 6	1 9 10	2 8 8	1 15 3	1 12 3	—	—	2 5 11
6	17th " "	2 7 6	1 11 6	2 0 3	1 9 4	2 10 10	2 0 11	—	1 15 0
7	25th " "	2 9 5	1 12 5	2 6 6	1 9 4	2 14 6	1 6 6	—	2 3 5
8	31st " "	2 6 4	1 8 3	2 7 2	1 7 7	1 7 9	1 4 9	0 8 0	2 0 7
9	7th August '56	2 6 3	1 7 11	2 0 5	1 12 7	1 6 0	1 6 0	—	2 3 1
10	14th " "	2 5 1	1 10 7	1 15 8	1 13 2	1 13 8	1 4 10	—	—
11	21st " "	2 9 2	1 14 6	2 1 0	1 15 8	1 15 8	1 12 4	—	1 6 3
12	28th " "	2 7 10	1 13 11	2 5 2	1 14 9	—	1 10 7	—	2 2 3
13	4th Sept. '56	2 7 4	1 13 8	2 3 0	1 15 4	2 0 6	1 14 0	—	2 5 3
14	11th " "	2 7 8	1 14 3	2 8 8	2 0 4	2 0 2	2 0 0	—	2 6 5
15	18th " "	2 9 0	1 15 11	2 3 6	2 1 1	2 1 9	1 13 3	—	2 6 1
16	26th " "	2 10 3	2 1 7	2 1 11	2 3 3	2 6 8	1 12 11	—	2 8 9
17	5th Oct. '56	2 8 11	2 4 5	2 3 10	2 4 0	—	2 3 3	—	2 8 5
18	23rd " "	2 8 9	2 4 3	2 5 1	2 4 5	2 6 3	1 15 2	1 6 6	2 7 8
19	30th " "	2 7 3	2 0 9	2 7 2	2 1 10	—	1 14 4	1 2 0	2 5 2
20	6th Nov. '56	2 5 3	1 13 4	2 1 9	1 14 9	1 14 1	1 10 6	—	2 3 11

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(ii) For Consumption in India (Dust)
Season—1956-57

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam Rs. As. P.	Cachar Rs. As. P.	Darjeeling Rs. As. P.	Dooars Rs. As. P.	Terai Rs. As. P.	Tripura Rs. As. P.	Green Tea Rs. As. P.	All other places Rs. As. P.	Total (11)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
21	13th Nov.	56	2 4 10	1 13 9	2 4 10	1 15 11	1 14 11	1 5 6	0 12 2	—
22	20th "	"	2 6 7	2 1 0	2 5 1	2 2 1	2 1 1	1 12 11	0 13 6	—
23	28th "	"	2 6 5	2 0 2	2 4 0	2 1 0	2 1 5	1 12 9	—	—
24	5th Dec.	"	2 4 8	1 15 5	2 2 5	2 0 2	2 0 8	1 14 0	0 14 0	—
25	12th "	"	2 3 3	1 13 10	1 15 4	1 14 8	1 14 7	1 11 1	0 14 6	—
26	19th "	"	2 4 0	1 14 11	1 15 6	1 15 10	1 15 2	1 13 9	0 12 2	—
27	3rd Jan.	57	2 4 4	2 0 10	2 0 10	2 0 5	2 0 11	1 12 6	0 14 0	—
28	9th "	"	2 4 4	2 0 7	2 1 8	2 1 0	2 2 0	0 0 0	—	1 11 11
29	16th "	"	2 3 11	2 0 10	2 1 3	2 1 5	2 1 6	1 15 0	—	—
30	24th "	"	2 2 4	1 15 1	2 0 5	1 14 11	1 15 6	1 12 3	—	—
31	30th "	"	2 0 1	1 12 11	1 12 11	1 13 6	1 11 9	1 10 4	—	—
32	6th Feb.	"	2 0 9	1 12 10	1 13 9	1 13 1	1 13 4	1 10 7	—	—
33	12th "	"	1 15 9	1 12 10	1 13 10	1 13 6	1 12 8	1 10 2	—	—
34	19th "	"	1 15 4	1 11 9	1 12 1	1 12 10	1 12 7	1 11 1	—	—
35	26th "	"	2 0 1	1 11 8	1 14 3	1 12 2	1 12 2	1 9 8	—	—
36	5th March	"	1 15 0	1 11 0	2 0 5	1 11 8	1 11 5	1 8 6	—	—
37	12th "	"	1 15 2	1 12 3	2 0 8	1 11 9	1 12 0	1 10 10	0 8 0	—
38	19th "	"	1 15 4	1 10 11	1 15 4	1 10 6	1 11 3	1 8 11	—	1 7 11
39	26th "	"	1 14 5	1 8 6	1 12 1	1 10 1	1 11 7	1 2 9	—	—
Average price upto 26th March '57										
		2 4 8	1 14 5	2 2	1 14 9	1 14 10	1 10 11	0 11 10	1 10 0	2 2 2

9. (iii) Weekly average Prices of tea sold at Calcutta Auctions
 For Consumption in India (Leaf)
 Season 1955-56

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam		Cachar		Darjeeling		Doobars		Terai		Tripura		Green Tea		All other places		Total	
		Rs. As. P.	(1)	(11)															
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	
1	7th June, 1955	1	10 8	—	1	14 3	1	10 5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2	14th " "	1	9 6	1	6 7	1	14 4	1	2 3	1	8 11	1	6 3	1	3 0	—	—	—	—
3	21st " "	1	9 1	1	2 9	1	13 3	1	4 10	1	6 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4	28th " "	1	8 4	1	10 3	1	10 5	1	11 7	1	10 2	1	10 4	—	—	—	—	—	—
5	6th July, 1955	1	15 5	1	9 10	1	15 7	1	8 5	1	14 0	1	10 7	2	7 9	—	—	—	—
6	12th " "	1	15 10	1	14 2	2	7 10	1	10 6	1	15 1	1	9 2	1	12 4	—	—	—	—
7	19th " "	1	13 1	1	5 8	2	1 0	1	9 9	2	0 0	1	8 4	1	15 0	—	—	—	—
8	26th " "	1	11 8	1	11 9	1	8 3	1	9 2	—	1	5 2	2	2 1	5	—	—	—	—
9	2nd August, 1955	1	10 7	1	5 0	1	13 1	1	10 0	1	10 1	—	2 0	3 9	—	—	—	—	—
10	9th " "	1	5 9	1	3 11	2	4 5	1	6 6	1	12 9	1	1 3	2 4	0	—	—	—	—
11	16th " "	1	6 9	1	0 10	1	5 10	1	6 2	1	7 0	1	5 10	2	0 0	—	—	—	—
12	23rd " "	1	7 3	1	1 4	1	3 6	1	3 2	1	9 10	1	2 11	2	0 9	2 0	5 1	5 6	—
13	31st " "	1	6 0	1	5 4	—	1	4 4	1	15 0	1	5 1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
14	6th Sept., 1955	1	6 10	1	1 7	1	2 10	1	1 7	1	9 7	1	2 1	6	—	—	—	—	—
15	13th " "	1	4 10	0	15 7	2	6 0	1	4 7	1	1 1	1	4 5	1	1 11	—	—	—	—
16	20th " "	1	3 3	0	13 3	1	6 4	1	1 0	1	4 5	1	2 9	—	—	—	—	—	—
17	27th " "	1	3 1	0	15 2	1	5 9	0	15 6	0	14 1	1	3 6	0	15 0	—	—	—	—
18	4th Oct., 1955	1	2 11	0	15 6	1	5 8	0	14 7	0	13 0	0	13 2	2	3 7	—	—	—	—
19	11th " "	1	4 8	1	1 4	2	0 0	1	4 4	0	14 9	1	4 4	—	—	—	—	—	—

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(iii) For Consumption in India (Leaf)

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam			Cachar			Darjeeling			Dooars			Terra			Tripura			Green Tea			All other places			Total				
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	(II)				
(I)	(2)	(3)	(4)		(5)	(6)		(7)	(8)		(9)	(10)		(11)		(12)	(13)	(14)		(15)	(16)		(17)	(18)		(19)	(20)		(21)	
20	18th Oct.	'55	4	1	0	9	1	12	6	0	1	0	13	10	1	3	7	2	11									4	11	
21	8th Nov.	'55	5	1	7	0	12	0	0	5	1	2	0	14	8	1	1	9									3	10		
22	16th "	"	8	2	2	0	0	3	7	6	0	15	5	1	5	5	1	1	6							0	3			
23	22nd "	"	4	2	4	0	0	2	4	1	0	1	4	2	2	2	3	1	1							0	10			
24	29th "	"	4	4	4	0	0	15	1	0	0	0	15	3	0	0	13	9	1	3	2	5				2	11			
25	6th Dec.	"	4	4	11	4	0	15	1	0	0	0	14	5	0	0	13	0	1	3	0	2				2	9			
26	13th "	"	0	6	0	0	15	1	0	0	0	15	1	1	0	14	7	1	3	3	0	15				0	11			
27	20th "	"	0	1	9	0	11	0	1	0	0	15	1	1	0	14	7	1	3	3	0	15				0	9			
28	28th "	"	2	2	4	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	14	0	0	14	7	1	3	3	0	15				0	9			
29	4th Jan.	'56	2	3	7	0	12	8	1	4	1	1	14	4	1	1	14	7	1	3	3	0	15				2	9		
30	10th "	"	2	3	10	5	10	5	1	5	0	15	0	1	2	15	6	2	1	3	0	15				3	11			
31	17th "	"	2	5	4	3	3	1	1	1	1	15	9	0	0	14	8	2	1	3	0	15				6	2			
32	25th "	"	2	5	5	4	3	1	1	1	1	15	9	0	0	14	8	2	1	3	0	15				3	11			
33	31st "	"	2	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	15	9	0	0	14	8	2	1	3	0	15				6	2			
34	7th Feb.	"	2	2	2	9	0	15	9	0	1	1	15	10	0	0	14	8	2	1	3	0	15				3	11		
35	14th "	"	0	0	4	0	0	8	0	1	0	0	14	9	1	1	14	9	1	1	6	4				0	10			
36	21st "	"	1	1	1	3	0	13	9	1	6	10	1	1	14	9	1	1	11	9						7	1			
37	28th "	"	1	2	2	0	15	6	1	1	1	15	0	1	0	14	9	1	1	11	9						5	2		
38	6th Mar.	"	1	1	1	0	0	15	0	1	0	0	15	0	1	0	14	6	1	1	11	9						4	4	
39	13th "	"	1	3	9	2	8	0	1	0	0	15	1	0	0	14	6	1	1	11	9						3	4		
40	20th "	"	1	6	9	1	2	9	1	0	0	15	1	0	0	14	6	1	1	11	9						6	4		
41	3rd April	"	2	5	5	5	1	8	2	7	7	7	10	1	1	14	6	1	1	11	7						5	4		
42	10th "	"	4	4	6	6	5	5	10	0	1	9	6	1	1	14	6	1	1	11	7						6	4		
43	17th "	"	2	2	1	7	1	7	10	1	1	3	1	1	0	14	8	1	1	11	7						5	4		
44	24th "	"	2	1	1	2	3	0	14	7	1	7	10	1	1	13	4	1	1	11	7						0	5		
45	1st May	"	1	1	2	1	2	3	0	14	7	1	10	1	1	13	4	1	1	11	7						0	5		
46	8th "	"	0	0	2	0	14	7	1	0	0	14	8	1	1	14	8	1	1	11	8						7	1		
47	15th "	"	0	0	15	0	15	0	14	7	1	0	10	2	0	13	5	0	12	0	13	4						5	5	
48	21st "	"	0	0	15	3	0	12	0	1	7	1	3	6	0	12	2	0	13	4						0	4			
49	28th "	"	0	1	1	3	0	10	1	7	1	4	0	10	8	0	12	0	13	7						0	3			
50	4th June	"	0	0	10	0	10	0	10	0	1	0	10	0	1	1	2	6	0	8	0	10				3	10			
	Total average :-		1	3	1	1	1	0	2	3	6	1	0	7	1	1	4	1	0	9	2	4	6	1	9	3	1	3	3	

(iii) For Consumption in India (Leaf)
Season—1956-57

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam		Cachar		Darjeeling		Dooars		Terai		Tripura		Green Tea		All other places		Total	
		Rs.	As. P.	Rs.	As. P.	Rs.	As. P.	Rs.	As. P.	Rs.	As. P.	Rs.	As. P.	Rs.	As. P.	Rs.	As. P.	Rs.	As. P.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)
(1)	12th June	'56	1 12 0	1 6 0	1 12 4	1 4 6	—	0 7 9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 4 9	
(2)	19th "	'56	1 6 1	1 0 2	1 8 4	1 6 7	1 7 9	1 3 1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 5 11	
(3)	28th "	'56	1 9 7	0 10 9	1 4 4	1 3 11	—	—	—	1 1 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 4 7	
(4)	3rd July	'56	1 8 0	0 15 10	1 1 0	1 0 5	1 6 2	1 2 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 3 7	
(5)	10th "	'56	1 4 7	0 12 6	1 3 11	1 5 10	—	1 2 0	1 8 2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 3 1	
(6)	17th "	'56	1 4 11	1 7 4	1 12 5	1 12 1	1 8 4	1 8 6	0 13 1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 5 2	
(7)	25th "	'56	1 5 6	1 4 9	—	1 5 1	1 3 9	0 15 2	1 10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 5 7	
(8)	31st "	'56	1 3 3	1 2 8	1 10 11	1 6 4	1 10 9	1 1 4	1 4 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 4 4	
(9)	7th Aug	'56	1 6 0	1 0 6	1 13 10	1 3 8	1 4 0	1 0 5	1 13 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 7 4	
(10)	14th "	'56	1 14 6	1 3 1	1 9 4	1 1 0	1 9 6	1 1 3	1 12 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 10 7	
(11)	21st "	'56	1 7 5	1 0 10	2 1 6	1 4 9	1 5 3	1 3 6	1 3 9	1 9 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 5 1	
(12)	28th "	'56	1 3 2	0 15 4	—	1 4 10	1 9 0	1 1 1	1 8 2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 3 9	
(13)	4th Sept	'56	1 6 2	1 1 5	1 11 0	1 3 1	—	1 5 3	1 4 1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 4 11	
(14)	11th "	'56	1 3 5	1 1 6	1 11 1	1 2 7	2 0 6	1 9 10	1 6 9	1 7 3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 3 6	
(15)	18th "	'56	1 7 6	0 15 4	1 6 3	1 3 11	1 9 5	1 4 0	1 10 2	1 10 9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 7 2	
(16)	26th "	'56	1 5 9	1 6 6	1 10 2	1 8 2	—	1 8 0	1 8 11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 7 0	
(17)	5th Oct	'56	1 6 11	1 9 6	1 12 3	1 14 4	1 13 1	1 2 8	1 8 4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 7 3	
(18)	23rd "	'56	1 7 11	1 5 3	1 13 10	1 5 7	1 8 3	1 5 6	1 6 2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 7 8	
(19)	30th "	'56	1 6 1	1 2 10	1 9 1	1 4 3	1 8 9	1 9 11	1 5 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 5 8	
(20)	6th Nov	'56	1 6 6	1 8 6	1 9 5	1 8 1	1 9 4	1 5 4	1 2 1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 6 11	

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(iii) For Consumption in India (Leaf)
Season—1956-57

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam Rs. As. P. (1)	Cachar Rs. As. P. (2)	Darjeeling Rs. As. P. (3)	Doobars Rs. As. P. (4)	Terai Rs. As. P. (5)	Tripura Rs. As. P. (6)	Green Tea Rs. As. P. (7)	All other places Rs. As. P. (8)	Total (9)	Average Price upto 26th March (10)
(21)	13th Nov	'56	1 12 2	1 10 3	2 2 0	1 10 11	1 12 0	1 7 4	1 4 1	—	1 11 0
(22)	20th "	'56	1 13 1	1 10 4	1 13 11	1 11 10	—	1 10 1	1 5 11	—	1 11 4
(23)	27th "	'56	1 11 2	1 11 5	1 15 1	1 12 11	1 12 6	1 9 10	1 9 5	—	1 11 4
(24)	4th Dec	'56	1 8 6	1 7 1	1 14 2	1 6 1	1 12 5	1 7 8	1 6 0	—	1 7 2
(25)	11th "	'56	1 10 1	1 7 1	1 9 0	1 12 11	1 15 8	1 9 0	1 9 3	—	1 11 6
(26)	18th "	'56	1 12 1	1 9 1	1 14 10	1 14 4	1 13 8	1 8 2	1 8 1	—	1 12 4
(27)	3rd Jan	'57	1 11 8	1 11 1	1 14 4	1 10 2	1 10 3	1 10 10	1 3 5	—	1 11 5
(28)	8th "	'57	1 12 8	1 7 9	1 13 0	1 12 8	1 12 8	1 9 6	1 9 7	—	1 12 4
(29)	15th "	'57	1 14 5	1 10 7	1 13 1	1 11 6	1 11 5	1 13 8	1 9 2	—	1 13 3
(30)	22nd "	'57	1 10 10	1 5 6	1 13 10	1 8 6	1 14 0	1 8 6	1 7 5	—	1 9 6
(31)	30th "	'57	1 10 10	1 9 4	1 12 4	1 8 3	1 10 6	1 6 3	1 9 2	—	1 10 0
(32)	6th Feb	'57	1 8 6	1 8 6	1 13 1	1 8 4	1 9 4	1 8 8	1 9 0	—	1 8 7
(33)	12th "	'57	1 9 3	1 0 11	1 8 6	1 8 7	1 9 10	1 8 4	0 13 0	—	1 9 0
(34)	19th "	'57	1 7 4	1 5 7	1 13 3	1 6 0	1 9 0	1 3 7	1 8 6	—	1 6 8
(35)	26th "	'57	1 7 10	1 2 2	1 8 5	1 5 11	1 7 9	1 1 8	—	—	1 6 11
(36)	5th March	'57	1 6 3	1 3 7	1 5 10	1 5 3	1 5 8	1 10 9	—	—	1 5 8
(37)	12th "	'57	1 5 6	1 3 7	1 9 1	1 5 2	1 5 8	1 12 7	1 7 6	1 5 6	1 5 6
(38)	19th "	'57	1 4 5	1 3 7	1 4 9	1 5 0	1 5 9	1 3 9	1 6 4	—	1 4 4
(39)	26th "	'57	1 3 10	1 2 10	1 1 5	1 3 5	1 2 2	1 3 8	—	—	1 3 7

10. (i) Average Prices of tea sold at Cochin Auctions during 1955.

EXPORT		CONSUMPTION						INDIA		
		L E A F T E A			D U S T E A			T E A		
Sale No.	Date of Sale	Average price per lb. Rs. As. P.	Sale No.	Date of sale	Average price per lb. Rs. As. P.	Sale No.	Date of sale	Average price per lb. Rs. As. P.	Date of sale	Average price per lb. Rs. As. P.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)		
1	4th Jan. '55	3 14 0	1	4th Jan. '55	2 10 7	'A'	11th Jan. '55	2 7 8		
2	18th " "	3 14 1	2	18th " "	2 15 11	'B'	25th " "	2 8 6		
3	1st Feb. "	3 13 0	3	1st Feb. "	2 13 11	'C'	8th Feb. "	2 7 11		
4	15th " "	3 9 2	4	15th " "	2 10 2	'D'	22nd " "	2 7 8		
5	1st March "	3 5 0	5	1st March "	2 2 1	'E'	8th March "	2 6 10		
6	15th " "	2 12 1	6	15th " "	2 3 0	'F'	22nd " "	2 6 3		
7	29th " "	2 11 8	7	29th " "	2 5 10	'G'	5th April "	2 6 8		
8	19th April "	2 7 8	8	19th April "	1 15 9	'H'	19th " "	2 2 8		
9	26th " "	2 3 2	9	26th " "	1 13 3	'I'	3rd May "	2 0 2		
10	10th May "	1 13 3	10	10th May "	1 6 2	'J'	17th " "	1 12 1		
11	31st " "	1 14 10	11	31st " "	1 6 10	'K'	7th June "	2 3 10		
12	14th June "	1 13 9	12	14th June "	1 9 11	'L'	21st " "	1 12 11		
13	28th " "	1 13 8	13	28th " "	1 14 4	'M'	5th July "	1 14 2		
14	12th July "	2 0 10	14	12th July "	1 12 11	'N'	19th " "	1 15 1		
15	26th " "	2 3 1	15	26th " "	1 11 7	'O'	2nd Aug. "	1 12 9		
16	9th Aug. "	2 1 5	16	9th Aug. "	2 1 8	'P'	16th " "	1 10 6		
17	19th " "	2 1 10	17	19th " "	1 14 6	'Q'	2nd Sept. "	1 10 2		
18	6th Sept. "	2 1 8	18	6th Sept. "	1 11 5	'R'	13th " "	1 9 4		
19	20th " "	2 1 0	19	20th " "	1 8 10	'S'	27th " "	1 9 2		
20	4th Oct. "	1 14 8	20	4th Oct. "	1 9 4	'T'	11th Oct. "	1 10 3		
21	18th " "	2 0 11	21	18th " "	1 5 11	'U'	24th " "	1 10 0		
22	1st Nov. "	2 2 3	22	1st Nov. "	1 12 11	'V'	8th Nov. "	1 11 6		
23	16th " "	2 0 6	23	16th " "	1 13 10	'W'	22nd " "	1 12 4		
24	29th " "	2 1 1	24	29th " "	1 15 9	'X'	6th Dec. "	1 10 7		
25	13th Dec. "	1 14 11	25	13th Dec. "	1 10 4	'Y'	20th " "	1 8 1		
	Average	2 4 9		Average	2 2 6		Average	1 15 4		

10. (ii) Average Prices of tea sold at Cochin Auctions during 1956.

EXPORT		CONSUMPTION IN INDIA						AVERAGE PRICE PER LB.	
Sale No.	Date of Sale	Average price per lb. Rs. As. P.	Sale No.	Date of Sale	Average price per lb. Rs. As. P.	Sale No.	Date of Sale	Rs. As. P.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	
1	3rd Jan. '56	2	0	5	1	12	10th Jan. '56	7	9
2	17th "	2	0	3	1	13	24th "	9	8
3	31st "	2	2	3	1	11	7th Feb. "	9	9
4	14th Feb.	2	3	4	2	1	21st "	11	0
5	28th "	2	7	8	5	2	6th Mar. "	11	6
6	13th Mar.	2	5	10	6	2	20th "	12	4
7	27th "	2	7	8	7	2	3rd Apr. "	14	6
8	10th Apr.	2	2	5	8	2	17th "	14	9
9	24th "	2	6	3	9	3	3rd May "	14	4
10	1st May	2	5	10	10	2	17th "	11	9
11	15th "	2	2	4	9	5	17th "	12	1
12	22nd "	2	2	3	7	4	31st "	11	0
13	29th "	2	2	8	13	2	14th Jun. "	11	0
14	5th Jun.	2	2	1	5	2	28th "	8	8
15	12th "	2	1	15	6	2	12th July "	9	2
16	19th "	2	1	14	16	1	26th "	8	2
17	26th "	2	1	13	9	0	9th Aug. "	9	9
18	3rd July	2	1	12	0	1	23rd "	10	5
19	10th "	2	1	12	0	1	11th Sep. "	13	2
20	17th "	2	1	10	19	1	25th "	14	6
21	24th "	2	1	10	20	1	9th Oct. "	13	1
22	31st "	2	1	11	7	1	23rd "	13	7
23	7th Aug.	2	1	13	10	1	6th Nov. "	13	7
24	22nd "	2	1	15	4	1	20th "	15	2
25	4th Sep.	2	2	2	2	1	4th Dec. "	2	1
26	18th "	2	2	4	1	2	20th "	15	0
27	3rd Oct.	2	2	7	2	1	20th "	11	0
28	16th "	2	2	8	2	2	6th "	12	1
29	30th "	2	2	10	0	1	30th "	10	0
30	13th Nov.	2	2	10	6	2	13th Nov. "	9	4
31	27th "	2	2	12	9	1	27th "	10	1
32	18th Dec.	2	2	9	4	2	18th Dec. "	3	1

11. Monthly weighted average prices of Tea sold at Calcutta Auctions.

Months	1951			1952			1953			1954			1955			1956		
	Export	Internal	Export	Internal	Export	Internal	Export	Internal	Export	Internal	Export	Internal	Export	Internal	Export	Internal		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)						
January	2 2 2	1 9 11	1 9 6	1 9 6	1 4 8	1 5 8	2 6 10	2 0 6	3 11 7	2 10 7	1 11 3	1 10 5						
February	2 1 5	1 10 4	1 8 2	1 8 0	1 6 0	1 7 0	2 3 9	1 3 0	3 6 4	2 8 10	1 10 0	1 9 9						
March	1 14 6	1 8 6	1 6 4	1 6 9	1 9 8	1 7 11	2 5 2	2 0	2 12 9	2 4 11	1 10 10	1 13 10						
April	1 13 1	1 8 6	0 15 11	1 4 3	1 9 7	1 7 11	No sale	2 11	2 5 11	1 15 5	1 11 10	1 12 6						
May	No sale	No sale	No sale	0 13 1	0 2	No sale	1 13 10	2 15 9	2 0	No sale	1 13 7	1 8 2	1 15 9	1 11 10	1 9 9	1 9 9		
June	2 2 0	1 12 1	1 7 2	1 5 2	1 13 10	1 13 10	2 15 5	2 0	2 12 3	2 10 3	1 14 2	1 15 7	1 15 9	1 11 10	1 6 9	1 6 9		
July	2 2 8	1 14 10	8 3	5 10	1 14 6	10 3	2 12 5	2 3 0	2 12 5	2 10 3	2 12 8	3 2 3	2 9 5	2 11 1	2 1 5			
August	2 3 6	1 13 10	8 2	7 9	1 15 1	11 5	3 3 2	2 4 6	2 9 5	2 3 5	2 11 1	2 0 4	2 7 6	2 6 1	2 3 9			
September	1 15 0	1 13 3	6 0	4 0	1 13 8	10 7	3 3 7	2 2 9	2 6 0	2 6 1	2 0 4	2 1 1	2 8 6	2 6 1	2 5 4			
October	1 13 10	1 13 1	3 8	4 6	1 13 8	10 7	3 3 7	2 2 9	2 6 0	2 6 1	2 0 4	2 1 1	2 8 7	2 2 6	2 5 4			
November	1 11 6	1 10 11	2 10	4 6	1 13 8	10 7	3 3 8	2 2 9	2 6 0	2 6 1	2 0 4	2 1 1	2 8 7	2 2 6	2 5 4			
December	1 10 9	1 8 10	0 4	2 3	2 1	4 6	1 13 8	10 7	3 3 5	2 4 2	2 1 1	1 15 11	2 8 7	2 2 6	2 3 7			

12. Monthly Average Prices * of Tea sold at Cochin Auctions.

Months	1951			1952			1953			1954			1955			1956		
	Export	Internal	Export	Internal	Export	Internal	Export	Internal	Export	Internal	Export	Internal	Export	Internal	Export	Internal		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)						
January	—	1 13 8	1 10 1	1 13 8	1 6 2	1 9 2	2 7 1	2 2 5	3 14 4	2 10 0	2 1 0	1 9 1						
February	2 8 5	2 0 11	1 13 0	1 10 2	2 0 2	1 9 2	2 8 8	2 1 9	3 11 1	2 10 0	2 5 4	1 10 10						
March	2 4 10	2 2 4	1 15 11	1 15 8	1 12 8	2 3 9	10 0	2 12 9	2 5 4	2 14 11	2 4 5	2 6 7	1 12 2					
April	2 0 0	1 13 5	1 7 11	1 5 3	1 12 7	1 15 2	10 2	2 12 4	2 5 5	2 14 11	2 4 5	2 6 7	1 12 2					
May	1 13 9	1 12 6	5 6	4 7	1 12 0	1 12 0	8 10	2 19 11	2 2 2	1 14 9	1 10 9	2 4 3	1 12 4					
June	1 11 10	1 10 5	7 0	4 1	1 11 1	1 11 1	8 10	2 8 8	2 1 1	1 13 4	1 15 6	1 15 2	1 9 11					
July	1 12 1	1 9 5	8 1	2 10	1 12 5	1 12 5	8 8	2 8 8	2 1 1	1 15 1	1 15 0	1 12 0	1 8 7					
August	1 12 10	1 5 10	10 1	1 5 3	1 13 10	1 13 10	9 7	3 2 0	2 8 5	2 1 2	1 10 0	1 10 0	1 12 3	1 8 7				
September	1 12 9	1 12 1	11 10	5 5	1 14 11	10 10	3 4 8	2 8 10	2 1 2	1 15 8	1 10 0	1 10 0	2 8 1					
October	1 13 5	1 11 0	6 1	2 1	1 11 1	1 11 1	10 10	3 9 4	2 5 11	2 1 4	1 11 8	1 11 7	1 14 8					
November	1 13 6	1 10 11	7 10	0 8	1 12 2	2 2 4	12 2	3 13 11	2 1 1	1 15 1	1 15 0	1 15 9	2 9 4					
December													2 0 6					

* Ordinary averages of weekly prices upto 1954 and weighted averages from January 1955.

13. Monthly average prices[†] of North and South Indian Teas sold at London auctions.

(In Rupees, Annas & Pies per lb.)

Months	1951		1952		1953		1954		1955		1956	
	N. India Rs. As. P.	S. India Rs. As. P.	N. India Rs. As. P.	S. India Rs. As. P.	N. India Rs. As. P.	S. India Rs. As. P.	N. India Rs. As. P.	S. India Rs. As. P.	N. India Rs. As. P.	S. India Rs. As. P.	N. India Rs. As. P.	S. India Rs. As. P.
			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
January	*	*	2	3	2	3	2	0	9	2	12	8
February	*	*	2	2	2	3	1	2	2	0	2	13
March	*	*	2	2	3	2	5	0	2	3	1	10
April	2	6	1	2	13	1	2	0	6	1	2	6
May	2	2	7	2	8	1	13	6	2	6	0	7
June	2	3	11	2	8	9	1	14	11	1	15	11
July	2	6	8	2	6	8	1	11	7	1	13	0
August	2	5	6	2	5	1	11	3	1	12	8	2
September	2	6	11	2	4	6	1	15	5	1	10	7
October	2	7	3	2	5	11	2	4	8	1	2	9
November	2	7	10	2	6	5	1	12	4	1	2	7
December	2	6	6	2	5	5	1	12	2	1	8	6

* London auctions were resumed on the 16th April, 1951

† Ordinary averages of weekly prices upto December 1954 and weighed averages from January '55 onwards.

Source : London Tea Market Report.

14. Monthly average wholesale and retail prices of loose and packet tea per lb in Calcutta.
 (Rs.)

Month	1953				1954				1955				1956											
	Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail									
	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet																				
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)								
January	1 13	9	2 2	3	1 15	8	2 6	9	2 2	7	2 11	4	2 6	3	2 12	0	2 0	9	2 14	9	2 6	3	3 4	3
February	1 14	5	2 3	1	2 0	6	2 6	11	2 4	6	2 11	4	2 6	1	2 15	2	2 12	8	3 5	9	2 14	9	2 5	9
March	2 0	0	2 3	2	2 1	6	2 7	2	2 5	5	2 14	7	2 8	0	3 1	0	2 12	0	3 5	8	2 15	1	2 7	3
April	2 0	0	2 3	8	2 1	9	2 7	4	2 6	5	2 14	7	2 9	0	3 1	0	2 9	9	3 5	8	2 12	10	3 8	2
May	2 0	6	2 3	10	2 2	3	2 9	7	2 7	10	2 14	7	2 9	11	3 1	0	2 7	7	3 4	6	2 9	3	2 6	3
June	2 1	3	2 4	4	2 2	11	2 9	9	2 9	0	2 14	7	2 9	11	3 1	2	2 5	9	3 4	6	2 8	4	3 7	8
July	2 1	6	2 5	0	2 3	8	2 9	9	2 9	11	2 14	7	2 10	11	3 1	5	2 6	11	3 4	6	2 9	7	3 7	8
August	2 1	6	2 5	0	2 5	0	2 10	11	2 12	2	3 0	2	2 13	7	3 2	5	2 6	5	3 4	6	2 9	11	3 7	7
September	2 1	11	2 6	3	2 5	0	2 11	1	2 13	5	3 3	2	2 15	6	3 5	11	2 5	7	3 1	8	2 8	4	3 7	0
October	2 2	1	2 6	3	2 5	2	2 11	1	2 11	2	3 3	2	2 14	9	3 5	7	2 4	2	3 1	8	2 7	3	3 6	11
November	2 2	1	2 7	3	2 5	2	2 11	3	2 9	2	3 6	1	2 12	6	3 8	8	2 1	9	2 14	9	2 7	0	2 7	9
December	2 2	7	2 7	3	2 5	3	2 12	0	2 10	6	3 6	1	2 13	6	3 8	8	2 1	1	2 14	9	2 6	9	3 5	0
																						2 7	9	
																						2 8	6	
																						2 15	6	

Note : The prices shown are exclusive of sale tax.

15. Exports of Indian tea to different Countries during the years 1950 to 1956.

Countries of Destination.	Quantity (in thousand lbs.)						Value (In thousand Rs.)							
	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)
Aden	1,019	1,345	1,012	1,192	689	503	559	1,372	1,982	1,072	1,312	2,034	1,371	1,106
Anglo-Egyptian Sudan	3,705	1,486	8,075	5,453	6,217	3,264	6,700	4,674	2,280	8,301	19,397	15,325	7,778	11,790
Argentine Republic	81	1,242	570	—	—	—	—	173	2,549	1,109	—	—	—	—
Australia	15,355	9,324	11,333	6,312	6,048	6,133	9,396	27,802	18,801	18,295	11,734	19,931	18,351	23,149
Baherin Islands	1,442	1,642	2,307	4,804	3,285	3,045	1,852	2,795	5,692	3,591	8,756	8,746	9,551	4,079
Burma	611	897	1,051	612	566	302	234	1,178	2,098	2,427	1,585	2,051	1,323	779
Ceylon	272	311	50	—	—	—	—	622	729	123	—	—	—	4
Canada	23,870	20,204	20,565	22,427	19,247	16,285	22,588	47,698	44,932	39,263	48,832	63,021	53,801	65,196
Chile	1,483	3,439	5,542	5,578	5,99	1,208	141	2,312	5,233	8,904	2,567	173	5,169	389
Egypt	4,001	3,633	5,161	18,145	6,910	12,796	23,113	7,631	7,460	8,368	35,209	21,416	42,080	63,435
Germany Western	2,266	2,820	2,225	4,036	2,613	3,063	6,281	6,360	6,980	5,301	10,387	10,301	10,291	21,093
Irish Republic	21,132	30,458	13,549	20,934	22,009	17,973	16,742	41,456	70,217	25,898	44,647	65,614	58,099	44,188
Iraq	2,236	1,483	801	3,199	908	155	155	4,511	3,154	1,106	5,956	2,811	538	420
Iran	8,315	14,241	1,987	1,151	5,061	10,709	8,306	22,007	46,669	6,050	3,501	21,673	55,200	28,837
Kuwait	5,504	5,467	9,722	5,135	1,954	3,762	2,871	10,570	11,670	17,749	9,162	6,144	13,169	6,462
Muskat & Oman	1,393	893	700	635	162	46	46	3,035	2,305	1,248	1,424	527	146	114
Netherlands	5,305	5,243	7,562	6,324	4,294	3,045	4,871	11,107	11,471	12,052	13,581	14,221	10,174	12,857
New Zealand	1,474	2,041	1,031	1,631	1,51	1,046	1,453	3,479	4,664	2,063	3,534	4,909	3,521	4,013
Pakistan Western	18	245	459	22	77	169	87	41	625	1,178	55	213	615	274
Qtr. & Tructial Oman	357	915	883	605	796	1,284	903	2,665	1,881	1,274	2,618	4,758	3,904	3,904
Saudi Arabia	183	491	472	599	443	661	428	409	1,232	905	1,196	1,574	2,644	1,223
Turkey	3,473	4,998	3,913	4,565	3,531	2,972	5,823	8,140	12,505	8,378	10,739	11,573	11,459	15,754
Tunis	724	1,136	1,379	662	320	36	14	1,278	2,556	2,195	1,281	924	92	32
United Kingdom	254,495	300,418	276,122	354,923	324,550	251,029	365,395	421,004	606,806	555,307	730,796	923,233	739,619	988,858
U. S. A.	34,733	31,546	29,427	29,179	32,021	24,111	28,355	72,317	71,197	62,064	64,362	97,095	77,280	78,407
U. S. S. R.	3,067	2,266	2,857	2,217	1,688	13,645	5,013	4,683	6,191	4,141	6,022	4,903	4,162	4,162
Other Counts. by Sea	3,138	2,834	2,217	2,360	1,035	6,264	1,584	3,744	4,141	6,472	6,341	5,404	4,200	6,249
Other Counts. by Land	3,384	3,090	3,864	4,172	2,955	2,342	2,117	5,263	4,504	6,341	6,472	5,404	4,016	4,016
TOTAL :—	403,236	454,108	414,836	500,655	447,960	367,523	523,557	719,084	960,130	809,104	1,042,173	1,307,523	1,428,249	

Source—D. G. C. I. & S.

16. Exports of Indian Tea to leading markets from 1933-34 to 1955-56.

(Quantities in thousand lbs.)

Principal Countries	1933-34	1934-35	1935-36	1936-37	1937-38	1938-39	1939-40	1940-41	1941-42	1942-43	1943-44	1944-45
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
1 United Kingdom	276,262	288,518	275,605	256,171	287,689	303,731	289,650	315,145	288,222	254,842	278,261	252,524
2 Irish Republic	2,448	1,807	3,026	2,141	3,498	3,361	2,125	59	4,781	...	...	...
3 Netherlands	87	109	63	77	73	70	219	109	1,806	8,015	1,805	3,685
4 Iraq	506	487	641	462	42	99	6,136	1,300	1,441	5,695	4,614	11,779
5 Iran	1,075	325	1,811	10,963	4,449	5,111	356	244	4,108	1,860	932	1,857
6 Egypt	1,267	685	474	276	66	8,096	13,416	9,313	23,608	19,29	59,966	51,433
7 U. S. A.	8,317	8,003	6,886	7,868	6,295	886	1,344	3,678	649	7,950	13,359	19,981
8 Australia	1,987	1,586	1,866	1,034	181	266	287	775	398	1,111	29	15,825
9 New Zealand	2,497	1,116	407	15,471	14,928	15,369	14,504	14,504	30,544	9,153	1,837	1,134
10 Canada	15,129	12,815	12,782	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	32,322	41,281
11 Other Countries												
(a) By Sea	8,541	9,382	9,145	7,737	15,592	10,024	15,667	7,828	18,470	13,820	13,372	26,204
(b) By Land	N. A.	N. A.	N. A.	N. A.	N. A.	N. A.	N. A.	N. A.	N. A.	N. A.	N. A.	N. A.
Total	317,816	324,833	312,706	301,838	334,225	348,050	359,394	349,490	382,041	325,902	413,090	405,722

Principal Countries	1945-46	1946-47	1947-48	1948-49	1949-50	1950-51	1951-52	1952-53	1953-54	1954-55	1955-56
(1)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)
1 United Kingdom	240,191	225,486	244,504	314,782	276,265	286,974	288,041	281,141	341,509	330,016	280,870
2 Irish Republic	...	...	24,552	21,380	12,870	28,044	24,051	12,441	21,072	23,240	19,717
3 Netherlands	1,575	1,320	4,519	3,456	8,025	3,900	5,866	7,638	5,661	4,012	4,012
4 Iraq	5,792	5,015	7,913	8,151	2,383	1,904	741	2,099	1,909	910	239
5 Iran	4,734	3,459	2,527	790	12,025	11,430	10,930	1,114	1,372	8,539	8,267
6 Egypt	51,318	39,036	30,966	23,219	37,479	37,598	26,671	13,057	10,022	9,249	14,678
7 U. S. A.	15,751	11,379	18,166	6,992	16,850	16,941	6,497	12,630	3,471	30,274	25,435
8 Australia	1,814	796	1,786	1,546	1,233	2,254	1,302	1,384	1,685	7,838	6,226
9 New Zealand	19,780	23,999	13,521	13,978	26,850	20,979	19,178	22,572	20,194	20,275	17,266
10 Canada	22,964	16,875	32,990	44,900	41,294	25,671	25,019	39,960	30,054	21,070	22,997
11 Other Countries											
(a) By Sea	N. A.	N. A.	N. A.	4,432	3,274	3,404	3,334	4,290	3,526	2,825	2,482
Total	363,919	327,365	383,985	443,810	447,781	442,644	429,206	427,386	470,680	459,573	403,583

... = Nil or Negligible
N. A. = Not Available
Source—D. G. C. I. & S.

17. Value of Indian Tea exported to leading markets from 1933-34 to 1955-56.

(Value in thousand rupees)

Principal countries	1933-34	1934-35	1935-36	1936-37	1937-38	1938-39	1939-40	1940-41	1941-42	1942-43	1943-44	1944-45
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
I. United Kingdom	1,75,643	1,81,464	1,77,513	1,71,593	2,13,308	2,03,648	2,13,329	2,54,122	3,02,130	2,46,127	2,55,788	2,27,772
2. Irish Republic	1,500	1,066	1,709	1,249	2,479	1,972	1,380	5,153	5,153	...	...	...
3. Netherlands	50	59	32	53	34	49	49	105	1,814	1,148	1,548	3,069
4. Iraq	266	252	447	329	434	164	153	1,168	1,723	7,180	5,310	11,865
5. Iran	558	195	1,423	9,240	4,360	4,684	5,788	4,322	4,383	1,912	1,935	705
6. Egypt	735	384	274	185	49	299	4,747	8,169	6,912	23,501	18,644	59,331
7. U.S.A.	4,615	4,395	3,694	4,311	3,798	4,747	6,169	6,912	7,344	11,009	16,566	54,405
8. Australia	1,073	813	953	532	616	922	2,389	450	7,344	15	1,317	13,808
9. New Zealand	1,322	656	210	96	153	175	477	248	1,052	15	1,317	771
10. Canada	7,757	6,525	6,424	7,512	9,987	9,792	18,158	10,682	29,917	8,405	28,129	38,027
II. Other countries												
(a) By sea	4,931	5,510	5,562	5,281	9,022	6,453	12,750	3,984	18,800	24,681	9,888	22,810
(b) By land	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
Total	1,98,450	2,01,319	1,98,241	2,00,381	2,43,869	2,32,905	2,63,060	2,77,861	3,95,817	3,19,144	3,78,582	3,73,456

Principal countries	1945-46	1946-47	1947-48	1948-49	1949-50	1950-51	1951-52	1952-53	1953-54	1954-55	1955-56
(1)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)
I. United Kingdom	2,29,915	2,37,993	3,22,893	4,62,412	4,22,612	4,84,205	6,09,658	5,52,071	7,29,373	10,22,208	7,39,470
2. Irish Republic	...	...	42,438	37,955	26,924	53,262	60,087	21,703	47,519	73,434	56,135
3. Netherlands	...	...	7,742	6,511	14,96	8,118	12,195	12,412	13,235	13,838	10,362
4. Iraq	1,559	1,457	4,553	355	4,769	3,843	1,606	3,058	4,043	2,866	654
5. Iran	6,631	5,99	16,912	19,261	29,87	31,802	37,131	3,276	4,603	34,768	39,745
6. Egypt	3,535	3,588	4,196	1,422	17,048	6,670	7,04	22,434	21,601	35,138	41,210
7. U.S.A.	53,426	41,531	47,976	37,496	68,078	79,474	63,104	58,680	72,063	1,04,093	67,821
8. Australia	15,130	10,488	25,808	11,329	28,161	32,122	13,369	19,583	7,822	27,651	15,065
9. New Zealand	1,498	517	3,303	2,570	2,201	5,225	3,057	2,703	3,906	5,070	3,773
10. Canada	19,690	23,923	21,658	22,101	47,047	42,871	43,133	42,419	47,280	73,879	47,747
II. Other countries											
(a) By sea	25,068	20,128	51,536	85,728	62,666	50,831	83,984	63,743	63,491	84,360	85,464
(b) By land	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	5,281	4,704	5,491	5,006	6,814	5,663	5,211	4,467
Total	3,56,452	3,45,621	5,49,015	6,92,421	7,29,083	8,04,214	9,39,434	8,08,801	10,20,599	14,82,516	11,11,413

... = Nil or negligible.

N.A. = Not available.

Source—D. G. C. I & S.

18. Imports of tea into India during the years 1950—1956.

Types of tea	Quantity in lbs.						Value in Rs.								
	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	
Tea Black	76,178	146	247	9,780	9,473	145,152	75,859	69,666	422	1,236	12,624	21,390	298,461	191,920	
Tea Green	523	—	523	369	305	30,700	482	768	—	1,139	1,940	1,616	82,464	1,222	
Tea Brick	142,320	1,230,988	1,041,982	1,190,262	33,000	704,345	412,442	117,469	1,000,182	910,425	1,057,943	25,125	1,413,250	836,775	
Total	219,021	1,231,134	1,042,752	1,200,411	42,778	880,197	488,783	187,903	1,000,634	912,800	1,072,507	48,131	1,794,175	1,029,917	

**19. Imports of Indian tea into U. K. for the years 1950—1956.
(in thousand lbs.)**

MONTHS	1950			1951			1952			1953			1954			1955			1956		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)			
January	17,514	38,960	42,532	22,797	56,156	36,613	39,270	34,841	38,865	39,270	16,536	16,536	17,981	17,981	5,300	10,551	10,551	27,917			
February	31,931	31,536	39,933	26,606	25,978	25,978	25,978	25,978	25,978	25,978	16,536	16,536	16,536	16,536	5,300	10,551	10,551	23,612			
March	15,868	24,373	27,076	25,156	24,782	24,782	24,782	24,782	24,782	24,782	16,536	16,536	16,536	16,536	5,300	10,551	10,551	27,389			
April	6,072	25,443	16,443	11,466	11,466	11,466	11,466	11,466	11,466	11,466	9,214	9,214	9,214	9,214	5,300	10,551	10,551	28,896			
May	16,273	14,601	10,200	4,990	8,862	8,862	8,862	8,862	8,862	8,862	7,427	7,427	7,427	7,427	5,300	10,551	10,551	23,408			
June	10,304	7,197	7,971	14,344	14,344	14,344	14,344	14,344	14,344	14,344	14,242	14,242	14,242	14,242	5,300	10,551	10,551	20,875			
July	13,295	11,697	29,000	21,366	19,612	19,612	19,612	19,612	19,612	19,612	35,226	35,226	35,226	35,226	5,300	10,551	10,551	22,157			
August	18,174	19,857	23,730	23,730	35,986	35,986	35,986	35,986	35,986	35,986	11,914	11,914	11,914	11,914	5,300	10,551	10,551	20,089			
September	39,765	29,286	32,808	43,179	25,813	25,813	25,813	25,813	25,813	25,813	40,915	40,915	40,915	40,915	5,300	10,551	10,551	28,506			
October	31,248	30,488	29,423	35,377	26,797	26,797	26,797	26,797	26,797	26,797	54,306	54,306	54,306	54,306	5,300	10,551	10,551	22,791			
November	28,335	39,765	35,957	40,496	37,519	37,519	37,519	37,519	37,519	37,519	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	27,687			
TOTAL :	239,979	278,493	304,799	315,415	321,677	321,677	321,677	321,677	321,677	321,677	283,124	299,934									
Revised Cumulative Total :	239,112	276,071	304,381	315,331	321,492	321,492	321,492	321,492	321,492	321,492	283,394	283,394	283,394	283,394	283,394	283,394	283,394	283,394	299,673		

20. Indian tea passed for entry into U. S. A. for the years 1950—1956.
(In thousand lbs.)

MONTHS	1950*	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
January	4,528	3,719	3,068	3,781	4,048	3,188	3,537
February	4,764	2,894	2,918	3,246	4,045	5,067	3,259
March	4,290	4,000	2,579	4,933	5,878	7,203	3,937
April	3,850	4,092	4,645	3,921	6,432	3,162	4,264
May	3,710	5,888	3,300	3,262	3,945	3,333	2,572
June	2,967	2,233	1,667	2,524	3,167	955	1,989
July	1,300	909	1,746	2,591	1,588	647	1,566
August	1,178	930	1,982	1,424	1,545	1,416	1,751
September	2,906	1,613	4,316	2,334	2,144	2,015	1,546
October	3,840	2,173	3,152	3,806	2,283	3,192	2,988
November	5,119	1,422	2,719	2,335	2,410	2,217	1,738
December	3,228	3,059	3,584	3,106	3,385	4,166	2,572
Total	41,680	32,932	35,676	37,263	40,870	36,561	31,719
Revised Cumulative Total	41,678	32,688	35,676	37,264	40,871	36,561	31,719

* Include Pakistan tea.
Source : International Tea Committee.

21. Re-Exports of Indian Tea from U. K. to different Countries.
(In thousand lbs.)

Countries of Destination	1938 †	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	6	(7)	(8)
Belgium	110	45	64	116	166	138	172
British West Indies	101	199	230	438	491	498	562
Channel Islands	1,112	415	707	1,226	1,109	971	1,515
Canada	1,411	86	1,417	2,396	1,406	1,485	823
Denmark	397	108	156	260	361	230	383
Egypt	100	*	*	*	27	105	1
Finland	*	76	*	54	152	140	163
Germany Western	7,262	750	655	1,484	1,254	2,543	1,913
Ireland	14,610	●	1,435	*	—	—	182
Netherlands	662	55	2,228	3,517	2,626	3,192	2,145
Norway	38	56	72	109	200	101	155
Sweden	152	217	277	395	654	454	666
Switzerland	151	85	143	172	180	223	180
U. S. A.	4,005	52	1,924	4,402	6,422	3,892	3,056
Other Countries.	5,690	913	1,534	2,374	1,803	2,329	1,957
TOTAL †	35,801	3,057	10,842	16,944	16,851	16,301	13,873

Notes :—† Includes 32(000) lbs in 1951, 1423(000) lbs in 1952 & 798 (000) lbs in 1953 of Pakistan teas.

† Figs. for undivided India.

● Included in other Commonwealth Countries.

Below 500 lbs.

— Denotes Nil.

22. Direct exports of Indian Tea to the United kingdom.
 (figures in thousand lbs.)

Year	North India			South India			Total		
	For London Auction	Forward contracts and private sales	Total	For London Auction	Forward contracts and private sales	Total	For London Auction	Forward contracts and private sales	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
1951	118,500	61,437	179,937	18,270	15,049	33,319	136,770	76,486	213,256
1952	158,570	11,200	169,770	23,401	13,014	36,415	181,971	24,214	206,485
1953	208,848	10,769	219,617	22,700	14,435	37,135	231,548	25,204	256,752
1954	166,801	18,813	185,614	23,215	17,436	40,651	190,016	36,249	226,265
1955	157,069	5,330	162,399	25,107	11,754	36,861	182,176	17,084	199,260
1956	156,902	14,546	171,448	25,700	7,846	33,546	182,602	22,392	204,994

23. Indian Tea Exports and Export Quota position.
 (figures in thousand lbs.)

YEAR	Permissible maximum exports under International agreement			Exports allotted by Government of India			Balance of export quota carried forward from previous year and utilised during the year		Actual exports under licence	Export quota unused at the end of the financial year
	% of standard export	Quantity	%	Quantity	Total	Export Quota				
(1)	(2.1)	(2.2)	(3.1)	(3.2)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
1950—51	130	452,720	130	452,720	60,340	513,060	516,157	444,520	68,540	
1951—52	135	470,132	130	452,720	63,437	516,157	516,157	418,675	97,482	
1952—53	135	470,132	130	452,720	90,431	543,151	422,916	422,916	120,215	
1953—54	135	470,132	125.5	437,049	43,480	480,529	467,183	467,183	13,346	
1954—55	135	470,132	133.5	464,909	9,660	474,569	449,696	449,696	24,873	
1955—56	†	†	†	480,000	18,851	498,951	401,101	401,101	97,750	
1956—57	†	†	†	453,300	85,530	538,830	423,411 *	423,411 *	15,419 *	

† International agreement not yet finalised
 * Provisional figures upto the end of January '57

24. Monthly averages of Export quota prices in pies per lb.

Month	1953	1954	1955	1956
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
January	12	43	146	21
February	12	50	136	10
March	13	33	79	6
April	13	41	63	45
May	13	52	21	36
June	21	52	72	33
July	20	72	87	32
August	16	118	72	24
September	15	111	63	23
October	16	147	66	31
November	20	215	66	58
December	35	305	39	72

25. Inter-States Movement of Tea by Rail and Inland Steamer.

For 1955-56

(figures in maund of 82½ lbs.)

Serial No.	IMPORTED FROM ↓	Assam (including Manipur)	West Bengal (including Tripura)	Bihar	Orissa	U. P.	M. P.	Punjab, Himachal & P.E.P.S.U.	Delhi	Rajasthan & Ajmir Vindhya Pradesh	Madhya Pradesh Bharat, Bhopal & Vindhya Pradesh	Bombay, Saurashtra & Kutch	Madras	Andhra	Travancore & Cochin	Mysore & Coorg	Hyde- rabad	Total
1	Assam (including Manipur)	—	3,961,870	121	—	19	—	6,746	—	4	—	28	—	—	—	—	—	3,968,788
2	West Bengal (including Tripura)	2,075	5,387	41,520 10,310 75,194	144	76	—	179,345	51,836 23,676 10,985	499,258	41,674	24,558	5	518	51,851 11,135,909	—	—	
3	Bihar	—	14	—	—	—	—	2,775	188	67	38,49	—	314	—	—	—	—	12,486
4	Orissa	—	1,077	155	—	—	—	333	14,810	1,426	207	613	—	—	—	—	—	596
5	U. P.	—	41	—	—	—	41	—	6	2,701	3,298	9,471	29,913	—	—	—	—	19,502
6	M. P.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8 45,479
7	Punjab, Himachal Pradesh & P.E.P.S.U.	—	1,021	—	—	—	—	3,237	4	34	1,735	43	178	—	—	—	—	6,252
8	Delhi	—	120	—	—	—	—	2,256	9	5,453	—	105	—	—	—	—	—	10,460
9	Rajasthan & Ajmir	—	—	—	—	—	517	15	21	63	—	70	2,738	1	—	—	—	3,425
10	Madhya Bharat, Bho- pat & Vindhya Pradesh	—	—	—	—	75	1,016	5	2	229	—	1,514	—	—	—	—	—	12 2,853
11	Bombay, Saurashtra & Kutch	—	—	—	—	635	452	1,648	12	5,293	2,930	—	924	494	74	431	1,397	14,290
12	Madras	—	1,486	8	—	6,580	486	238	367	16	115	99,897	—	63	5,119	443,574	3,070	29,758 590,694
13	Andhra	—	—	—	—	1,004	3	2	42	—	335	29	67,352	54,634	78	175	5	2,161
14	Travancore-Cochin	—	7	—	—	—	—	20	—	2	—	3	10,925	5,288	11	2,551	2,964	128,155
15	Mysore & Coorg	—	—	—	—	—	—	20	12	—	—	3,019	25,508	2,579	6,878	—	3,358	25,526
16	Hyderabad	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	42,327
TOTAL		2,075	3,971,023	41,804 11,458 88,633	125,442	211,324	56,671 37,049 27,333	742,935	105,431	43,301	443,742	11,323 89,359 6,008,903	—	—	—	—	—	—

Note : (i) Figures for Jammu & Kashmir and Pandicherry & Karikal are not taken into account in this Statement.

(ii) Figures for ports are included in the respective states.

Source : Accounts relating to inland (Rail and River-borne) trade of India for 12 months ending March, 1956 published by D. G. C. I & S.

**26. Internal consumption of tea in different States of India
during 1954-55 and 1955-56.**

STATES	Population according to 1951 census (in lakhs)	1954-55 (Revised)			1955-56 (Provisional)		
		Estimated population in 1955 (in lakhs)	Total consumption in 1954-55 (In lbs.)	Consumption per lakh in 1954-55 (in lbs.)	Estimated population in 1956 (in lakhs)	Total consumption in 1955-1956 (In lbs.)	Consumption per lakh in 1955-56 (in lbs.)
(I)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1. Andhra Pradesh	322	335	12,579,402	37,550	338	17,293,530	51,164
2. Assam (Including Manipur)	96	100	9,448,800	94,488	101	13,632,462	134,975
3. Bihar	389	405	5,200,682	12,841	409	7,714,617	18,862
4. Bombay	478	497	38,413,161	77,290	502	48,059,160	95,735
5. Kerala	136	142	5,704,708	40,174	143	8,415,550	58,850
6. Madhya Pradesh	261	272	8,142,379	29,935	274	8,016,968	29,259
7. Madras	300	312	12,534,288	40,174	315	18,550,350	58,890
8. Mysore	190	198	8,165,931	41,242	200	11,530,047	57,650
9. Orissa	146	152	1,188,633	7,820	153	1,514,718	9,900
10. Punjab	160	166	16,348,344	98,484	168	20,940,648	124,647
11. Rajasthan	160	166	1,839,759	11,083	168	2,090,737	12,445
12. Uttar Pradesh	632	658	5,864,117	8,912	664	5,653,525	8,514
13. West Bengal (including Tripura)	268	279	38,990,145	139,750	282	46,217,876	163,893
14. Delhi	17	18	1,786,852	99,269	18	2,240,076	124,449
15. Himachal Pradesh	10	10	984,840	98,484	11	1,353,440	123,040
TOTAL :—	3,565	3,710	167,192,041	45,065	3,746	213,223,704	56,920

27. Rates of Duties on Tea.

Year	Export duty in annas per lb.	Central Excise duty in annas per lb.	Export cess in Rs. per 100 lbs.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1949—50	4	3	2
1950—51	4	3	2
1951—52	4	3	2
1952—53	4	3	2
1953—54	4	1 & 4 *	2
1954—55			
upto 2nd Oct. '54	4	& 4	2 & 4 **
from 3rd Oct. '54	7	1 & 4	"
from 7th Jan. '55	10	1 & 4	4
to the end of Feb. '55			
March '55	10	1 & 4	"
1955—56			
April, May, 1955	8	1 & 4	4
June, July, 1955	4	"	"
August, Sept., 1955	6	"	"
Oct., to Dec., 1955	8	"	"
Jan. to March, 1956	6	"	"
1956—57			
April 1956	6	1 & 4	4
May "	6	"	"
June "	6	"	"
July "	6	"	"
August "	6	"	"
September "	6	"	"
October "	6	"	"
November "	6	"	"
December "	8	"	"
January 1957	8	"	"
February "	6	"	"
March "	6	"	"

The slab system of export duties effective from 1st March, 1955.

Price per lb.	Duty per lb.
Upto Rs. 2/8	4 as.
Rs. 2/8 to Rs. 3/4	6 as.
Rs. 3/4 to Rs. 4/0	8 as.
Rs. 4/0 to Rs. 4/12	10 as.
Above Rs. 4/12	12 as.

N. B.:—In the Finance Act of 1956-57, the slabs Rs. 2/8 to Rs. 3/4 and Rs. 3/4 to Rs. 4/- have been amalgamated with the result that the duty applicable to teas whose price falls in the revised slab of Rs. 2/8 to Rs. 4/- would be 6 annas only. This revision took effect from 1st April, 1956.

* 1 anna for internal loose tea and 4 annas for packet tea upto 60 lbs packet with effect from 15-4-53. Excise duties collected on teas which are eventually exported out of India are credited to customs.

** From 25th Nov. '54 cess on tea has been increased from Rs. 2/- to Rs. 4/- per 100 lbs. of tea.

28. Revenue earned through Customs and Central Excise Duties on tea.
 (in thousand Rs.)

Year (1)	Export duty (2)	Central Excise duty (3)
1949—50	10,98,66	2,56,71
1950—51	11,20,27	3,36,24
1951—52	10,20,87	4,36,28
1952—53	10,61,78	3,40,41
1953—54	11,61,90	2,07,14
1954—55	19,78,02*	3,22,30*
1955—56	17,56,82*	3,48,41*
1956—57 (1)	19,00,00	3,50,00
1957—58 (2)	19,00,00	4,00,00

* Subject to re-adjustment.

(1) Revised Budget estimates.

(2) Budget estimates.

29. Labour employed (daily average) in tea industry.

Name of States	1950 (2)	1951 (3)	1952 (4)	1953 (5)	1954 * (6)
Assam	515,422	538,863	524,899	554,715	561,003
Bihar	2,999	3,183	3,132	3,326	3,325
Madhya Pradesh	—	—	—	565	594
Madras	89,949	91,358	91,903	96,079	96,948
Punjab	8,348	8,313	8,545	7,665	6,841
Uttar Pradesh	3,152	2,886	2,984	3,594	4,320
West Bengal	329,034	265,064	322,679	291,315	307,424
Mysore	5,463	5,476	5,154	5,992	4,800
Travancore and Cochin	70,054	94,528	88,163	82,964	88,655
Coorg	513	519	501	536	554
Himachal Pradesh	100	89	88	189	104
Tripura	8,056	7,710	6,247	7,162	8,924
Total :	1,033,090	1,017,989	1,054,295	1,054,102	1,083,492

* Provisional

30. Minimum Rates of daily wages for tea Plantation Labour in Force during the year 1956 in various states.

State	District (s)	Category of workers	Basic			Hari or Hazira			Dublie			D. A.			Food Allowance			Total Wages			Remarks.		
			Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	(4)	(5)	(6)	Rs.	As.	P.	(7)	(8)	(9)	Rs.	As.	P.	(9)	(10)	
Assam	Kamrup, North Lakshimpur, Now Gong & Derrang Cachar	Men	0	12	0							0	5	0	0	8	0	1	9	0			
		Women	0	11	0							0	5	0	0	8	0	1	8	0			
		Children	0	6	0							0	2	6	0	4	0	0	12	6			
		Men	0	10	0							0	5	0	0	7	0	0	1	6	0		
		Women	0	9	0							0	5	0	0	7	0	0	1	5	0		
	Rest of Assam Valley, Ranchi	Men	0	10	0							0	2	6	0	3	6	0	12	0			
		Women	0	9	0							0	2	6	0	3	6	0	12	0			
		Children	0	6	0							0	2	6	0	4	0	0	12	6			
		All workers																					
		Purnea																					
Bihar		Men	0	6	0							0	10	0	0	14	0	1	2	9			
		Women	0	5	0							0	7	6	0	11	6	0	1	1	6		
		All workers										0	5	0	0	9	3	0	9	0			
		Purnea																					
Coorg		Men	0	8	9							0	10	0	0	14	0	1	2	9			
		Women	0	6	6							0	7	6	0	11	6	0	1	1	6		
		Adolescents	0	5	6							0	6	0	0	9	3	0	9	0			
Madras		Children	0	4	3							0	5	0	0	10	6	0	1	0	0		
		Grade I																					
		Grade II																					
Mysore		Children																					
		Men	0	10	0							0	6	0	0	13	0	1	0	0			
		Women	0	9	0							0	4	0	0	10	0	0	1	0			
		Adolescents	0	7	0							0	3	0	0	9	0	0	9	0			
		Children	0	6	0							0	3	0	0	9	0	0	9	0			
		All workers																					

Constitutes wages for full day's work of 5 to 8 hours. If the worker completes only one task, namely Hazri, he shall receive only annas 5/- as D. A. + his hazard wages.

Classification into grades I and II is based on physical capacity, skill, efficiency and out-turn of work. No distinction is made on grounds of sex.

For every rise or fall in the cost of living index, the enhancement or reduction in D.A. is as follows : Men—6 pies ; Women—4 pies ; Adolescents—4 pies ; Children—3 pies.

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30. Minimum Rates of daily wages for tea Plantation Labour in Force during the year 1956 in various states.

State	District(s)	Category of workers	Basic	Harri or Hazira	Dublie	D. A.	Food Allowance	Total Wages	Remarks.		
									Rs. As. P. (4)	Rs. As. P. (5)	
Punjab	(2)	(3)	Rs. As. P. (4)	Rs. As. P. (5)	Rs. As. P. (6)	Rs. As. P. (7)	Rs. As. P. (8)	Rs. As. P. (9)	0 11 0	Only all inclusive wages were fixed.	
Travancore —Cochin	Malabar	Men Women Children							0 8 6		
		Grade I Grade II Children							0 6 0		
Tripura	Rest of T.C.	Men : Field Factory Women : Field Factory Children : Field	0 15 0 1 1 0 0 11 3 0 13 0 0 7 6	0 7 0 0 6 0 0 6 0 0 5 3	0 7 0 0 6 0 0 6 0 0 5 3	0 6 0 0 6 0 0 6 0 0 5 3	0 10 6 0 12 0 0 8 0 0 9 0	0 12 0	1 9 6	Adolescents are given an adult's wage or a child's wage according to the number of hours he or she works.	
		Men : Field Factory Women : Field Factory Children : Field	0 12 0 0 10 0 0 10 0 0 6 0	0 7 0 0 6 0 0 4 0 0 4 0	0 7 0 0 6 0 0 4 0 0 3 0	0 6 0 0 6 0 0 2 0 0 3 0	0 13 0 0 9 0 0 9 0 0 9 0	1 3 0 1 3 0 1 2 0 1 2 0	1 3 0	Classification into grades I and II based on physical capacity, skill, efficiency and out-turn of work. No distinction is made on grounds of sex.	
U. P.		Adults above 18 yrs									
West Bengal	Darjeeling	Men Women Children	0 11 6 0 10 6 0 5 9				0 7 0 0 7 0 0 4 0	0 3 6 0 3 6 0 2 3	1 6 0 1 5 0 0 12 0	The basic and total wages are inclusive of ad-hoc increases.	
	Doobs & Terai	Men Women Children	0 9 0 0 8 0 0 5 0				0 9 0 0 8 0 0 5 0	0 9 6 0 9 6 0 5 0	1 1 6 1 9 6 0 15 0		

31. Statistics Relating to selected tea producing companies.

(i) North India

Serial No.	Name of Companies	Paid up Capital ordinary	Net Block Account	Liquid Assets	Reserve and other funds	Planted acreage	Crop (1955)	Average price per lb. for the season 1955-56	Net Profit including taxation	Market Quotation as on 31st March or thereabout			
		(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	1953	1954	1955
		(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	Rs. (Rs. 000)	Rs. (Rs. 000)	Rs. (Rs. 000)
1	Amiluxie	P (3)	4.46	4.81	11.82	6.12	625	7.80*	2	2	2	2	2
2	Bishnathari	P (3)	5.50	10.48	14.23	11.22	573	7.32	2	4	5	1.08	1.08
3	Banarhat	P (2)	27.00	19.11	86.21	24.25	2,540	30.69	1	2	1	1.24	1.24
4	Betoli	P (4)	3.31	4.55	10.28	5.10	569	5.64	1	2	4	45	45
5	Bejan	(1)	3.20	7.18	10.28	8.70	590	7.04	2	2	4	3.57	40
6	Bhat Kara	(3)	9.00	9.80	13.14	16.53	1,112	14.18	2	4	4	2.44	20
7	Birpara	P (1)	9.00	14.53	25.48	1.61	1,367	11.05	1	4	0	3.78	30
8	Bishnath	P (4)	16.50	31.58	..	30.25	4,002	37.66	7	1	1	1.68	Nil
9	Bokakhat	P (7)	6.00	8.72	4.08	2.50	493	3.72	2	4	2	6.45	35
10	Brooke Bond	P (12)	35.00	52.37	45.74	1.79	2,833	36.07	2	4	9	6.67	Nil
11	Central Cachar	P (5)	10.00	18.23	8.63	5.89	443	8.40	2	1	6	7.44	124
12	Choonabhatti	P (2)	6.00	6.92	33.79	10.50	1,480	2	0	4	—	2.28	Nil
13	Deeo Valley	P (3)	1.20	4.27	3.10	4.25	903	10.83	1	2	4	3.98	74
14	Dhelakhat	(3)	17.53	19.49	18.17	8.75	264	3.39	2	6	1	25	90
15	Dhunseri	(6)	4.69	7.59	..	3.95	620	7.21	2	1	2	9.55	15
16	Dibrugarh	(3)	4.50	7.73	2.50	7.25	633	5.86	1	3	1	6.1	20
17	Dimekusi	P (4)	2.37	5.70	14.11	6.72	623	6.95	2	5	10	2.86	10
18	Dilaram	(2)	2.00	1.84	1.99	1.62	188	1.28	2	1	3	1.62	45
19	Durgahure	(4)	5.61	6.97	22.84	9.57	615	8.92	2	6	0	—	28
20	East India	(4)	10.00	14.64	23.52	6.40	1,151	11.54	2	6	8	3.81	40
21	Engo	(2)	1.20	1.95	6.40	2.64	265	2.13	1	3	4	1.65	25
22	Ertelbari	(7)	3.50	5.70	3.00	3.00	447	4.65	1	1	1	—	48
23	Gelle	P (8)	2.00	5.08	5.12	5.14	500	2.36	1	1	5	60	Nil
24	Golpur	(4)	3.38	9.13	12.50	7.63	546	6.13	2	5	6	2.14	30
25	Grob	(7)	7.42 (A)	3.61 (B)	27.20	17.33	1,910	19.64	2	0	0	9.51	30
26	Hansqua	P (1)	5.00	8.69	1.68	9.99	524	4.16	1	2	1	1.43	25
27	Hantapara	P (1)	24.00	37.96	94.93	49.08	2,427	27.91	1	1	0	2.36	25
28	Hasimara	P (8)	32.00	53.66	94.14	64.68	4,236.5	60.73	2	4	2	5.25	60
29	Hatikhira	(7)	12.60	17.92	21.48	11.50	2,153	16.36	1	1	1	2.46	25
30	Hogorajuli	(2)	5.00	6.30	15.45	5.75	476	4.67	1	1	5	—	58
31	Hoolungoojee	(2)	8.70	6.78	33.32	12.8	1,310	9.70*	2	3	7	1.61	124
32	Hulidibari	(8)	8.25	10.98	35.86	17.15	1,452	17.67	1	2	8	2.77	30
33	Jyotipara	(2)	7.00	5.19	88	5.15	607	4.62	1	9	10	—	2.13

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(ii) North India.

Serial No.	Name of Companies	Paid up Capital or ordinary	Net Block Account	Liquid Assets	Reserve and other funds	Planted acreage	Crop (1955) per lb for the season 1955-56	Average price per lb for the season 1955-56	Net Profit including taxation (Rs. 000)	Dividend per cent				Market Quotation as on 31st March or thereabout
										(000 lbs)		Rs. As. P.	(10)	
										(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(11)
34	Ledo	(1)	6.50	6.60	13.73	11.84	635.9	4.58	—	1.37	20	27 ¹	10	30 ²
35	Longview	(14)	0.32	15.58	6.90	11.18	761	5.26*	3	0	8	8.05	10	14 ¹
36	Milm	(2)	1.59	2.07	7.00	3.50	463	1.65	3	2	7	6.65	10	33 ²
37	Naga Hills	(9)	4.00	2.77	6.71	7.84	542	6.68	—	1	0	6.68	30	100
38	Namburnadi	P(2)	5.35	5.82	2.95	1.75	810	3.48*	2	0	4	4.55	Nil	30
39	New Doars	P(1)	14.00	8.82	55.12	18.45	1,163	16.36	—	12	8	6.83	45	100
40	New Terai	P(5)	4.50	4.50	8.51	8.51	972	—	—	14	6	19	—	—
41	Okayati	P(1)	1.00	2.24	2.55	98	505	1.68	—	10	5	—	56	Nil
42	Pashok	(15)	3.30	3.03	2.61	7.76	7.76	—	2	2	9	(c)	10	30
43	Putinbarree	(1)	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.85	263	1.35*	—	1	10	2.09	10	—
44	Rajibhat	(3)	6.00	6.29	13.14	8.01	764	—	—	1	4	4.70	15	—
45	Roopchera	(3)	2.60	4.34	9.26	3.56	618	6.76	—	12	10	1.17	Nil	10
46	Rungli Rungliot	(1)	1.40	1.69	7.84	4.65	341	1.68	—	2	0	3.33	17 ¹	50
47	Sapoi	(6)	6.00	10.35	11.92	7.16	932.4	11.38	2	2	3	94	25	100
48	Singhom	P(10)	9.00	9.08	4.38	1.54	683	2.64*	2	5	6	3.9	5	14
49	Sonai River	P(8)	4.00	6.88	5.09	5.52	662	4.89*	2	4	7	3.74	Nil	12 ¹
50	Sungma	(3)	6.25	12.37	5.07	5.74	382	3.75	2	7	7	—	58	Nil
51	Teanali	(7)	4.50	8.02	13.90	7.75	515	4.53	2	3	5	2.20	30	60
52	Teesta Valley	(8)	3.20	4.70	11.54	10.86	718.5	3.70	2	1	5	99	15	40
53	Tengpani	(1)	4.00	7.50	16.87	7.85	516	5.97	2	6	0	6.56	25	71
54	Tezpur	P(9)	19.83	21.71	28.77	11.25	2,143	25.63	2	2	2	6.56	50	15
55	Tukvar	(4)	8.01	11.54	8.92	2.62	1,666	7.09	2	6	0	—	3,07	Nil

N.B.—(a) Capital paid up figures are mostly for ordinary shares, except where the notation 'P' which means that this Company has also preference shares.

(b) Figures in the brackets after the names of the Companies refer to Managing Agents as follows : (1) Duncan Brothers & Co. Ltd. (2) Andrew Yule & Co. Ltd. (3) Mcleod & Co. Ltd. (4) Williamson Major & Co. (5) Jardin Henderson Ltd. (6) James Finley & Co. Ltd. (7) Octavius Steel & Co. Ltd. (8) Devanport & Co. Ltd. (9) Shaw Wallace & Co. Ltd. (10) Goenka & Co. (11) Gillanders Arbutnott & Co. (12) Brooke Bond (India) Ltd. (13) James Warren & Co. Ltd. (14) Daga & Co. Ltd. (15) Kilburn & Co. Ltd.

Quotations are for ordinary shares.

(c) Figures indicate below thousand rupees.

* Figures relate to 1954.
Source : Capital?

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(ii) South India

Serial No.	Name of Companies	Paid up Capital Ordinary (in Rs 000)	Net Block Account (Rs. 000)	Liquid Assets (Rs. 000)	Reserve & other Funds (Rs. 000)	Acreage under Tea (1955) lb (1955)	Crop (000 lbs.)	Average price per lb (1955)	Net profits including Taxation (Rs. 000)	Dividend per cent	Paid up per share (Rs.)	Market Quotation as on 31st March or thereabout					
		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)
1	Balanoor P (16)	5.50	10.37	N. A.	7.73	5.83	12.94 *	2 * 9	2.54	12.1	18.1	24	181	54.5	54.5		
2	Blue Mountain (17)	37.50	45.20	"	38.06	1.282	10.73 *	2 3 10 *	16.74	12.1	20	2	34.5	41.6	53.8		
3	Chembra Peak (18)	9.33	15.21	"	11.27	1.336	2.60	2.70 *	3.00	Nil	10	20	2	52.5	33.4		
4	Coonoor P (19)	2.50	0.97	"	0.97	1.336	3.93	3.32 *	2 12 *	1.40	35	25	10	34.5	28.5	23.1	
5	Devashola (Nilgiris) (20)	6.00	7.94	"	2.00	2.78	4.08	4.79	4.95	45	40	40	10	25.5	28	21.1	
6	Devon P (16)	2.00	6.34	"	2.00	3.45	3.32 *	3.32 *	3.32 *	1.48	12.1	18.1	10	17.1	22.4	17.8	
7	Highland Produce P (21)	8.00	15.08	"	17.14	8.96	...	...	...	1.48	12.1	18.1	10	17.1	22.4	17.8
8	Kalava tea Produce (16)	5.40	10.67	"	8.31	5.39	9.75 *	9.75 *	9.75 *	4.44	10	10	10	16.15	17.1	15	
9	Mamallay P (22)	3.00	4.90	"	1.23	7.80	...	...	...	4.71	10	10	15	9	13.5	14.7
10	Nelliampathy P (21)	12.00	14.65	"	2.17	6.47	3.82	5.77	5.77	2.12	20	20	25	65	65	45.5	
11	Nilgiri Neerugundi (18)	1.00	14.34	"	11.00	11.46	32.65	32.65	32.65	1.09	Nil	75	2	3.5	3.5	3.3	
12	Nonuch (23)	19.46	29.15	"	13.53	12.32	63.1	80.4	80.4	1.16	20	20	10	5.6	14.8	10.1	
13	Ouchterlony (18)	17.00	16.01	"	34.77	59.55	50.61	3.482	3.482	4.35	10	30	10	35.1	35.1	22.1	
14	Parkside Neigherry (19)	34.77	13.71	"	13.71	18.12	20.05	1.059	1.059	8.00	10	20	2	64.5	53.5	43.3	
15	Peermade P (24)	21.00	47.75	"	21.00	20.06	1.557	5.92 *	5.92 *	5.74	15	25	10	24.5	20	16.5	
16	Peral Karamala (18)	34.77	59.55	"	59.55	50.61	36.26	39.48 *	39.48 *	12.35	37.5	55	10	45.5	38.1	27.1	
17	United Nilgiri (25)	13.71	18.12	"	18.12	20.05	26.75	9.743	11.0 *	11.25 *	2 6 10 *	35	45	2	81.1	81.1	71.6
18	Waterfall Estates (26)	21.00	47.75	"	47.75	26.75	9.743	11.0 *	11.0 *	1.24	1.24	1.24	20	2	53.5	7	17.1

N.B. (1) 'P' next to the name of the Company indicates that the Company also has preference shares.

- (2) The figures in the brackets after the names of the Companies refer to Managing Agents as follows : (16) Young India Agencies Ltd. (17) Kotharsons. (18) Peirce, Leslie Co. Ltd. (19) Matheson Botanquiet & Co. (20) R. A. Jenkins (21) A. V. Thomas & Ltd. (22) V. C. John. (23) Anglo Oriental & General Investment Trust Ltd. (London) (24) Aspinwall & Co. (Travancore) Ltd. (25) T. Stanes & Co. (26) Kothari, Mehta & Co. Ltd.

* Figures relate to 1954.

N. A.—Not available.

32. Gross Profits* as percentage of total Capital employed† in different industries.

Industry	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	Average
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1. Cotton Textiles	8·4	11·9	5·1	6·6	6·6	7·7
2. Jute Textiles	11·2	13·3	8·2	8·1	8·1	10·0
3. Other Textiles	5·2	2·8	2·7	4·9	7·0	4·6
4. Iron and Steel	10·6	15·0	14·5	13·9	15·3	14·0
5. Engineering ‡	6·5	6·7	6·4	5·6	7·1	6·5
6. Cement	10·9	13·7	13·0	11·7	13·8	12·7
7. Sugar	8·0	10·5	8·5	11·0	9·1	9·4
8. Paper	11·2	14·0	12·8	12·5	10·0	12·1
9. Vegetable Oil	2·7	1·2	1·2	4·2	—	1·6
10. Chemicals §	5·0	5·5	2·9	3·5	4·4	4·2
11. Matches	17·2	16·2	16·2	13·6	13·1	15·1
12. Coal	9·2	8·8	9·7	6·6	7·1	8·2
13. Electricity Generation and Supply	8·4	8·1	8·4	7·9	7·8	8·1
14. Shipping	2·5	8·2	7·4	3·5	2·5	4·7
15. Tea	<u>18·4</u>	<u>10·7</u>	<u>1·4</u>	<u>23·7</u>	<u>33·7</u>	<u>18·9</u>
16. Other Plantations	14·7	17·5	13·3	14·8	16·5	15·4
17. Trading	8·1	8·3	4·9	3·9	2·9	5·7
18. Land & Estate	3·8	4·7	4·0	4·6	4·5	4·3
Total (Including others)	9·0	10·6	7·6	8·4	9·1	8·9

Note :—

* Includes Managing Agents' remuneration, interest charges and provision for tax, but excludes depreciation
 † Net fixed assets and circulating Capital.

‡ (1) Non-Ferrous Metals, (2) Transport Equipment, (3) Electrical Machinery, (4) Machinery (other than transport and Electrical)

§ (1) Basic Industrial Chemicals, (2) Medicines and Pharmaceuticals (3) Other Chemicals,
 Source :—Reserve Bank of India Bulletin.

33. Gross Profits* as percentage of gross sales in different industries.

Industry	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	Average
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
I. Cotton Textiles	7.7	9.1	4.0	5.6	5.3	6.3
2. Jute Textiles	8.1	7.6	4.1	6.2	5.9	6.4
3. Other Textiles	13.6	5.4	5.5	9.2	13.0	9.2
4. Iron & Steel	14.0	17.9	17.2	18.7	21.5	18.1
5. Engineering †	8.9	8.6	8.1	7.5	7.7	8.1
6. Cement	19.2	21.4	19.0	17.9	19.5	19.4
7. Sugar	9.4	12.0	8.8	9.2	10.6	9.9
8. Paper	16.1	19.3	18.3	18.4	16.3	17.8
9. Vegetable Oil	1.7	0.6	0.6	2.1	—	0.9
10. Chemicals ‡	8.3	8.2	4.5	4.9	5.0	6.2
11. Matches	7.4	6.9	7.8	7.2	8.0	7.5
12. Coal	10.6	8.8	8.7	7.7	8.6	8.8
13. Electricity Generation & Supply	38.8	36.7	36.0	33.1	32.4	35.0
14. Shipping	5.0	15.5	13.7	7.9	6.2	9.9
15. Tea	33.5	17.2	2.6	35.0	48.9	30.5
16. Other Plantations	40.0	42.6	35.7	38.5	37.5	38.8
17. Trading	3.0	2.5	1.8	1.8	1.3	2.1
18. Land & Estate	33.0	40.0	39.7	43.8	43.9	40.0
Total (Including others)	9.5	9.6	7.1	8.8	9.6	8.9

Note :-

* Including Managing Agent's remuneration, Interest Charges and Provision for tax, but excluding depreciation.

† (1) Non-ferrous Metals, (2) Transport Equipment, (3) Electrical Machinery and (4) Machinery (Other than

Transport and Electrical).

‡ (1) Basic Industrial Chemicals, (2) Medicines and Pharmaceuticals, and (3) Other Chemicals.

Source :—Reserve Bank of India Bulletin.

34. Profits after tax as percentage of net worth* in different industries.

Serial No.	Industry	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	Average
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1.	Cotton Textiles	6·5	9·5	2·2	4·0	3·9	5·2
2.	Jute Textiles	9·2	12·6	2·5	5·6	5·1	7·0
3.	Other Textiles	3·4	1·9	1·3	3·0	5·4	3·0
4.	Iron & Steel	10·3	15·2	15·3	14·4	18·6	15·0
5.	Engineering †	4·8	5·2	4·9	4·4	6·4	5·2
6.	Cement	9·8	11·0	11·0	9·5	10·1	10·1
7.	Sugar	7·6	11·9	8·3	9·9	9·3	9·4
8.	Paper	9·9	13·3	11·6	10·1	8·3	10·5
9.	Vegetable Oil	2·0	—	—	3·5	—	—
10.	Chemicals ‡	3·8	3·7	0·1	0·9	3·0	2·3
11.	Matches	13·3	12·3	13·0	10·3	10·2	11·7
12.	Coal	6·7	6·2	7·9	4·7	5·6	6·2
13.	Electricity Generation & Supply	7·1	7·4	7·6	6·9	7·1	7·2
14.	Shipping	1·7	9·9	7·9	1·9	2·0	4·6
15.	Tea	16·5	8·6	—	21·5	30·6	16·0
16.	Other Plantation	13·3	17·1	12·3	13·8	13·0	13·9
17.	Trading	10·5	10·4	5·1	3·4	1·6	6·1
18.	Land & Estate	2·3	2·5	2·2	2·4	1·9	2·3
	Total (including others)	7·7	9·6	5·6	6·8	7·8	7·5

Note : '—' Indicates that numerator or denominator is zero or negative.

* Paid-up Capital plus all reserves (other than taxation and depreciation reserves) and balance of profit.

† (1) Non-ferrous Metals, (2) Transport Equipment, (3) Electrical Machinery and (4) Machinery (other than transport or Electrical)

‡ (1) Basic Industrial Chemicals, (2) Medicines and Pharmaceuticals, and (3) other Chemicals.

Source : Reserve Bank of India Bulletin.

35. Dividend as percentage of Paid up Capital* in different industries.

Serial No.	Industry	Ordinary Shares						Preference Shares					
		1950			1951			1952			1953		
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
1. Cotton Textiles		8.3	9.4	7.4	8.1	8.2	8.3	4.3	4.2	3.8	3.9	3.8	4.0
2. Jute Textiles		11.0	15.2	11.2	8.4	7.6	10.6	6.2	6.2	5.8	6.9	6.4	6.3
3. Other Textiles		2.5	0.4	1.5	3.9	4.4	2.6	0.3	3.0	8.9	5.6	2.8	4.5
4. Iron & Steel		12.9	14.2	16.9	12.6	12.6	13.5	6.3	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.6
5. Engineering †		2.8	2.9	2.9	3.5	4.3	3.3	3.1	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.8	2.6
6. Cement		7.1	8.6	8.6	9.0	8.4	8.3	9.8	8.8	5.5	5.5	5.5	7.0
7. Sugar		8.3	10.1	9.9	10.9	11.4	10.2	5.7	5.6	5.1	5.7	4.7	5.4
8. Paper		9.1	12.3	10.5	10.4	10.1	10.5	4.9	5.9	5.8	4.5	5.4	5.3
9. Vegetable Oil		2.5	2.6	2.7	2.5	2.2	2.5	3.1	2.4	2.1	2.8	1.4	2.4
10. Chemicals ‡		3.0	2.5	2.1	2.2	2.5	2.5	4.6	5.4	4.9	8.6	10.6	6.8
11. Matches		10.7	10.3	10.8	10.9	10.7	10.7	...	...	...	...	...	...
12. Coal		7.8	7.1	7.4	6.0	6.8	7.0	4.3	3.9	4.8	5.6	7.2	5.2
13. Electricity Generations supply		4.6	7.2	6.9	6.3	7.2	6.5	3.9	6.8	7.2	6.7	6.6	6.3
14. Shipping		0.8	3.9	5.2	2.4	1.9	2.6	2.0	9.4	5.1	5.3	5.4	5.5
15. Tea		18.6	12.0	6.9	16.7	34.1	17.9	5.3	5.5	4.6	6.0	7.5	5.8
16. Other Plantations		11.6	14.9	12.8	15.8	17.3	14.6	6.2	6.8	7.4	6.6	6.3	6.6
17. Trading		9.7	9.8	6.6	5.6	5.5	7.4	3.7	4.1	2.4	2.5	2.9	3.1
18. Land & Estate		1.3	2.1	1.6	2.2	1.9	1.8	3.5	4.7	6.0	3.8	2.1	4.0
Total (including others)		7.5	8.2	7.2	7.5	8.3	7.8	4.7	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.0

Note : '...' Indicate that Paidup Capital is Nil.
* Including Capitalised Reserves. † (1) Non-ferrous Metals, (2) Transport Equipment, (3) Electrical Machinery and (4) Machinery (other than transport and Electrical)
‡ (1) Basic Industrial Chemicals, (2) Medicines & Pharmaceuticals & Other Chemicals.

36. Allocation of Profits in Selected Industries During the five years 1950-54.

(Amount in Lakhs of Rupees)

Serial No.	Industry	Profits before tax	Tax Provision	Profits after tax (1) — (2)	Distributed Profits	Retained Profits	(2) as Percentage of (1)	(4) as Percentage of (1)	(5) as Percentage of (1)	(4) as Percentage of (3)	(5) as Percentage of (3)
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
1	Cotton Textiles	62.81	27.83	34.99	27.98	7.01	44.3	44.5	11.2	80.0	20.0
2	Jute Textiles	25.85	10.59	15.26	11.30	3.96	41.0	43.7	15.3	74.0	26.0
3	Other Textiles	2.13	8.1	1.33	1.42	—	37.8	66.7	—	107.2	—
4	Iron & Steel	47.74	18.73	9.34	29.01	12.38	16.63	39.2	25.9	34.8	42.7
5	Engineering *	19.31	—	9.96	4.96	5.00	48.4	25.7	25.9	49.8	57.3
6	Cement	8.49	—	7.94	10.55	6.64	43.0	35.9	35.9	21.2	50.2
7	Sugar	21.76	8.19	13.56	7.99	5.57	37.7	36.7	25.6	62.9	37.1
8	Paper	11.51	4.37	7.14	3.10	4.04	38.0	26.9	35.1	58.9	41.1
9	Vegetable oil	—	—	1.3	—	5.3	—	—	—	43.4	56.6
10	Chemicals †	3.06	1.43	1.63	2.07	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	Matches	4.02	1.82	2.20	1.47	7.3	45.2	36.6	18.3	127.0	—
12	Coal	9.12	3.98	5.14	3.60	1.54	43.6	39.5	16.9	66.8	33.2
13	Electricity Generation & Supply	13.76	3.81	9.95	7.43	2.53	27.7	54.0	18.4	70.0	30.0
14	Shipping	7.60	1.53	6.07	2.43	3.60	20.1	32.6	47.3	74.6	25.4
15	Tea	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	40.8	59.2
16	Other Plantations	28.02	10.40	17.62	10.37	7.25	37.1	37.6	25.9	58.8	41.2
17	Trading	5.70	4.18	3.90	3.62	1.05	23.5	45.1	31.4	59.0	41.0
	Total (including others)	347.11	142.34	204.77	129.73	75.04	41.0	37.4	21.6	63.4	36.6

Note :- '—' Indicates that the numerator or denominator is zero or negative.

* (1) Non-ferrous Metals; (2) Transport Equipments, (3) Electrical Machinery (4) Machinery (other than transport or Electrical)

† (1) Basic Industrial Chemicals (2) Medicines and Pharmaceuticals, and (3) other chemicals.

Source :— Reserve Bank of India Bulletin.

37. Index numbers of industrial profits.

(Base : 1939 = 100)

YEAR	Tea	Jute	Cotton	Iron and Steel	Sugar	Paper	Coal	Cement	All Industries
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
1940	99·1	359·1	142·5	103·8	100·3	236·3	100·8	102·8	138·0
1941	146·8	344·4	316·6	133·7	137·8	284·7	82·6	128·8	187·0
1942	228·1	351·1	491·3	110·1	126·7	321·7	80·5	169·1	221·8
1943	142·3	376·3	640·0	111·8	157·8	352·8	95·6	147·9	245·0
1944	110·5	310·6	492·1	117·8	133·5	271·5	237·0	214·4	238·9
1945	150·7	327·6	423·3	120·2	108·9	279·5	258·3	211·6	233·6
1946	198·8	415·4	408·9	101·3	122·4	266·4	198·5	194·1	229·2
1947	216·3	313·2	317·7	86·1	171·5	167·6	171·8	142·5	191·6
1948	127·9	361·2	548·1	96·3	381·3	257·0	201·0	252·6	259·9
1949	138·4	— 89·3	292·0	116·0	216·4	316·7	287·2	295·0	181·5
1950	271·2	456·9	356·6	134·2	262·4	479·0	209·2	333·4	246·6
1951	103·9	679·1	551·1	157·7	420·8	604·1	178·4	419·7	310·5
1952	— 88·8	183·4	262·8	162·6	409·1	566·8	220·4	293·4	190·6
1953	391·4	326·2	379·4	179·4	419·8	512·7	145·5	279·0	261·2
1954	712·3	356·4	387·2	222·9	334·9	666·1	153·0	341·4	314·2

Source : Ministry of Finance (Published in the Eastern Economist)

PART—1. INDIA

(b) SAMPLE SURVEYS & PROPAGANDA

38. Results of Random Sample Surveys conducted during the year 1956.

Serial No. within Zone.	Zone.	State	Name of Town	Period of Survey	Proportion of families drinking tea %		Annual consumption of dry tea in lbs. per family		Avg. annual consumption per head in lbs. per family		
					Home only.	Shop only	Avg. for tea-drinking families		For tea-drinking individuals only		
							(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	
1	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	
1	2	South	Andhra Andhra	Oct/Dec '56	1.00,051	900	89.4	25.1	16.5	10.3	
2	2		Kerala	July/Sept '56	81,467	900	83.2	6.6	4.9	1.5	
3	3		Alleppey	Feb/March '56	16,278	1300	79.0	19.0	26.6	13.0	
4	4		Kozhikode	April/June '56	58,000	1400	82.1	55.1	1.1	28.1	
5	5		Kerala	Jan/March '56	69,515	660	74.1	38.2	8.4	13.1	
6	6		Kerala	Jan/May '56	1,86,931	2300	79.2	34.0	12.9	17.5	
7	7		Madras	May/July '56	94,555	1325	86.3	13.9	41.0	9.3	
8	8		Madras	Oct/Nov '56	91,586	900	78.9	10.7	11.7	3.0	
9	9		Madras	July/Sept '56	1,00,680	1000	76.4	10.6	14.1	3.2	
10	10		Madras	May/June '56	1,06,603	720	83.1	20.4	13.4	2.7	
11	11		Mysore	Dec '55/Jan '56	22,517	275	97.8	8.2	13.4	20.8	
12	12		Mysore	Dec '55/Jan '56	36,085	525	87.6	24.6	5.9	6.5	
13	1	East	Orissa	Cuttack	1,02,531	1000	82.2	38.9	21.8	10.5	
14	2		W. Bengal	Pariklimedi	22,220	400	86.5	17.9	37.6	13.9	
15	3		W. Bengal	Burdwan	75,376	1000	75.1	31.3	14.8	14.2	
16	4		W. Bengal	Kanchrapara	56,538	677	92.5	28.9	14.2	43.6	
17	5		W. Bengal	Kharagpur	Oct '56/Jan '57	1,27,406	1000	90.9	35.5	9.5	39.7
18	6		W. Bengal	Krishnagar	Dec '56/Jan '57	50,042	700	81.3	40.4	12.0	33.0
19	7		W. Bengal	Serampore	Aug/Nov '56	74,324	750	82.8	46.1	14.5	32.0
20	1	Central	M. P.	Ratlam	63,403	600	80.8	28.2	9.1	3.7	
21	2		M. P.	Rewa	31,200	560	84.5	9.1	9.7	55.5	
22	3		M. P.	Satna	20,183	300	83.7	13.1	6.0	8.4	
23	4		M. P.	Sehore	21,576	500	81.0	22.2	6.7	45.7	
24	5		M. P.	Mandsaur	30,936	400	78.0	34.9	4.2	38.8	
25	6		M. P.	Mhow Cant	44,655	400	83.5	44.1	1.4	47.2	
26	1	West	Bombay	Cambay	Sept/Oct '56	39,038	500	81.6	38.7	2.0	
27	2		Bombay	Gondal	Sept/Oct '56	37,004	400	87.2	48.4	5.1	
28	3		Bombay	Nasik	Nov '56/Jan '57	97,408	1000	85.8	35.4	0.6	
29	4		Bombay	Veraval	Nov/Dec '56	40,278	550	80.9	47.6	3.2	
30	5		Rajasthan	Jaipur	Jan/March '56	51,054	500	80.6	37.5	5.0	
31	6		Rajasthan	Jodhpur	May/Sept '56	2,91,130	2400	70.7	17.0	5.7	
32	7		Rajasthan		Nov '56/Jan '57	1,80,717	1600	75.5	48.3	3.5	

39. Sale of liquid tea in campaign towns during 1955 and 1956.

(In cups.)

Months	East Zone	North Zone	Central Zone	West Zone	South Zone
Total No. of towns worked* during the period	38	43	45	41	68
January, 1955	22,721	21,245	49,287	26,473	73,764
February, 1955	17,238	22,117	47,509	27,023	77,526
March, 1955	26,092	26,439	8,912	4,147	53,418
April, 1955	23,553	25,095	23,928	18,207	35,731
May, 1955	18,697	24,292	30,046	18,991	42,847
June, 1955	16,581	24,647	29,855	20,506	43,070
July, 1955	15,638	24,714	32,636	19,027	41,606
August, 1955	17,443	24,375	27,350	17,615	42,908
September, 1955	21,221	27,517	27,790	17,857	39,648
October, 1955	12,632	24,828	23,791	20,030	31,103
November, 1955	21,903	24,254	25,142	20,359	39,571
December, 1955	26,482	27,025	32,001	22,373	40,372
Total (1955)	2,40,201	2,96,548	3,58,247	2,32,608	5,61,564
January, 1956	22,432	26,496	30,365	22,811	35,854
February, 1956	19,050	25,443	28,568	21,481	39,284
March, 1956	20,997	23,838	25,921	19,267	45,459
April, 1956	22,818	21,984	27,479	19,308	37,836
May, 1956	17,653	24,992	26,591	19,875	44,000
June, 1956	18,251	26,520	25,038	18,989	41,286
July, 1956	17,708	23,431	24,449	17,600	37,459
August, 1956	21,493	23,654	20,402	15,013	36,149
September, 1956	20,561	23,001	21,496	15,794	38,971
October, 1956	14,464	20,135	20,983	18,124	33,080
November, 1956	8,700	16,943	19,663	9,702	19,144
December, 1956	15,727	24,950	34,148	16,163	35,902
Total (1956)	2,19,854	2,81,387	3,05,103	2,14,127	4,44,424

* Some of the towns shown here are still being worked.

40. Canteens organised by the Tea Board during the period 1st April 1954 to 31st March, 1957.

Zones	1954-55	1955-56	1956-57
East Zone	39	19	8
North Zone	31	12	9
Central Zone	14	4	3
West Zone	29	2	2
South Zone	10	3	4
Total	123	42	26

41. Sale of Liquid Tea and Screening of Films from Mobile Vans during 1955 and 1956.

(i) 1955.

Month	East Zone		Mobile Van Assam		North Zone		Central Zone		West Zone		South Zone	
	Mobile Van Calcutta	Mobile Van Assam	No. of Demonstration	Cinema Shows	No. of Cups of Tea sold	No. of Demonstration	Cinema Shows	No. of Cups of Tea Sold	No. of Demonstration	Cinema Shows	No. of Cups of Tea Sold	No. of Demonstration
Jan. 1955	—	2,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feb. " "	—	1,781	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
March " "	—	3,945	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
April " "	—	1,944	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
May " "	—	2,136	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
June " "	—	3,960	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
July " "	—	3,381	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Aug. " "	—	4,020	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sept. " "	—	7,020	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oct. " "	—	304	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nov. " "	—	301	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dec. " "	—	308	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	1,552	49,533	—	178	2,267	—	2,459	114,311	492	1,672	36,635	153

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41. (ii) 1956.

MONTH	East Zone			North Zone			Central Zone			West Zone			South Zone					
	Mobile Van, Calcutta			Mobile Van, Assam														
	No. of Days of Shows in Z	No. of Cups of Tea sold	No. of Shows in Z	No. of Days of Shows in Z	No. of Cups of Tea sold	No. of Shows in Z	No. of Days of Shows in Z	No. of Cups of Tea sold	No. of Shows in Z	No. of Days of Shows in Z	No. of Cups of Tea sold	No. of Shows in Z	No. of Days of Shows in Z	No. of Cups of Tea sold	No. of Shows in Z			
January 1956	128	2,539	1	277	6,500	6	26	2,038	10	195	2,831	34	—	1,728	4	—	7,840	7
February "	56	842	—	262	4,179	18	208	10,096	69	138	3,549	31	—	2,357	3	—	2,220	22
March "	118	1,527	7	248	2,813	7	168	2,931	23	199	2,479	32	—	1,959	14	—	7,747	24
April "	193	2,268	25	256	3,104	3	188	4,119	9	75	732	—	—	1,856	2	—	6,514	12
May "	153	1,931	14	250	2,934	2	150	2,102	10	98	722	—	—	1,504	—	—	8,822	12
June "	286	3,752	—	253	2,974	—	229	3,919	26	138	1,043	—	—	3,708	—	326	8,159	16
July "	160	2,012	4	247	2,879	3	240	4,847	16	163	1,461	—	—	591	9	271	7,972	5
August "	188	3,838	21	245	2,930	5	233	4,682	12	69	667	—	—	1,424	3	203	4,774	12
September "	159	3,161	18	210	2,498	26	214	4,305	20	176	2,271	6	—	1,897	11	240	6,275	18
October "	123	2,044	6	116	1,287	4	203	3,340	24	156	2,160	6	—	1,435	7	—	—	21
November "	133	4,492	19	121	1,312	21	245	5,029	27	228	2,891	2	—	679	—	224	6,088	—
December "	133	5,511	2	129	1,440	17	295	9,178	47	207	2,236	8	—	3,024	—	277	8,622	13
Total :-	1,830	33,917	117	2,614	34,850	112	2,399	56,586	293	1,824	23,042	119	—	22,172	53	1,541	74,133	162

42. Drive against Tea adulteration in India during the year 1955 and 1956.

Month	Total No. of Samples drawn	Total quantity of tea involved in lbs.	Total quantity of tea seized	Analysis			Court Proceedings			Nature of punishment	
				No. of samples analysed	No. found Genuine	No. found adulterated	No. of prosecutions	No. of convictions	No. of Acquittals	Fine in Rs.	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
January 1955	102	114,474	63,632	63	29	34	8	12	2	195	12
February "	105	54,783	24,877½	98	52	46	35	13	7	2,784	10
March "	74	53,678	34,156	95	49	46	25	18	—	1,000	20
April "	98	95,121	76,018	49	31	18	26	24	—	350	3
May "	75	39,994	24,078	61	34	27	7	12	1	500	10
June "	100	8,711	1,155	76	45	31	15	5	—	120	—
July "	68	3,656	206	67	39	28	4	3	—	75	25
August "	50	25,834	4,595	54	29	25	73	17	—	200	15
September "	51	8,861	742	31	12	19	6	7	2	6 month R.I. } 125	15
October "	40	2,889½	½	31	12	19	6	9	—	200	10
November "	26	1,184	39 chests	19	8	11	3	4	—	100-12-0	25
December "	24	4,085½	3,047	14	8	6	—	2	1	125	—
Total 1955	813	413,271 1 Doz. Pkts 39 chests	232,507 39 chests	658	348	310	208	126	13		
January 1956	34	19,506½	2,513	52	14	38	4	16	—	150	10
February "	22	28,650	13,635	27	11	16	2	8	—	25	20
March "	57	14,979	8,638	21	4	17	24	11	3	200	25
April "	79	15,836½	3,019	41	14	27	11	7	—	120	56
May "	54	8,428	5,054	66	26	40	19	3	4	9 months R.I. } 125	50
June "	56	19,709	14,076	20	10	10	4	16	—	700	10
July "	45	36,631	70 chests	25	12	13	20	4	—	200	10
August "	73	18,602½	12,172	68	21	47	25	30	—	100	50
September "	62	13,235	5,912½	46	33	13	20	10	1	100	40
October "	38	2,857	251	28	10	18	13	5	—	500	25
November "	54	25,748	16,064	24	13	11	7	5	—	75	25
December "	61	13,864	1,321	25	17	8	7	4	—	100	10
Total 1956	635	218,045½ 238 chests 39 bags 52 Pkts.	113,611½ 70 chests	443	185	258	156	119	8		

PART-II. INTERNATIONAL

1. Area under tea in Principal Producing Countries of the World
(figures in acres)

Countries	1938	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
India (a)	840,314	779,998	782,998	785,584	787,376	789,442	791,321	791,202
Pakistan (a)		75,760	73,201	73,467	73,376	74,362	74,777	75,052
Ceylon (a)	555,452	562,894	567,003	570,322	572,736	574,250	575,504	565,518
Indonesia (b)	511,381	185,255	201,913	200,620	193,528	193,400	200,509	197,961
Kenya	13,681	17,765	18,883	19,873	21,021	21,753	23,415	25,073
Uganda	2,966	6,157	6,406	7,321	7,901	8,397	9,323	10,059
Tanganyika	5,265	8,650	9,022	9,973	10,493	10,518	10,894	11,587
Nyasaland	17,519	22,661	23,500	23,657	23,179	24,726	25,718	26,186

(a) Figures relate to 31st March of the year following that indicated. For Nyasaland 1953 onwards.

(b) Estates only.

Source :—International Tea Committee for countries other than India.

2. Production of Tea in Principal Producing Countries of the World.
(figures in thousand lbs.)

Countries	1938	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	** 1956
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
India	449,581	584,565	613,354	629,197	614,365	614,598	644,437	662,681	666,238
Pakistan		46,193	52,019	52,095	51,538	54,151	54,677	53,756	56,204
Ceylon	246,931	298,559	306,215	326,279	316,842	343,034	366,738	380,013	375,578
Indonesia	177,794	60,118	78,009	102,543	82,181	81,658	103,463	95,751	93,851
Kenya	10,856	11,458	14,938	15,326	14,789	12,928	17,490	19,058	21,269
Uganda	490	3,360	4,143	4,297	3,822	4,794	6,265	6,960	6,801
Tanganyika	522	1,453	1,749	2,383	2,463	2,821	3,584	4,521	5,453
Nyasaland	10,858	12,516	15,407	14,895	15,578	13,386	17,183	17,300(e)	

** Provisional

(e) Estimated

Source—International Tea Committee for Countries other than India.

3. Exports of Tea from different producing countries of the world.

(figures in thousand lbs.)

Countries	1938	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956 *
(I)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
India	353,873 }	490,508	399,839	454,218	414,836	500,655	444,888	366,781	523,557
Pakistan (a)	27,245	16,246	47,171	23,971	25,090	22,334	11,907	21,828	
Ceylon	235,739	297,573	298,099	305,171	314,495	335,555	361,262	362,235	357,780
Indonesia	158,558	48,350	62,850	88,387	70,268	63,713	88,686	64,127	75,994
Kenya	9,432	6,969	10,370	10,376	10,667	7,827	12,034	12,944	15,582
Uganda	137	2,332	2,202	1,994	2,285	2,852	4,929	5,051	5,383
Tanganyika	315	967	1,106	1,958	2,279	2,535	3,517	3,784	4,434
Nyasaland (b)	10,219	12,770	15,157	15,725	14,655	13,127	17,112	16,886	19,759

* Provisional.

(a) Excluding trade between India & Pakistan, and exports by land.

(b) Figures for 1954 onwards relate to the Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland.

Source : I. T. C. for Countries other than India.

4. World Supply and Absorption of Tea.

(figures in million lbs.)

Year	S U P P L Y			A B S O R P T I O N				Excess of Supply over Absorption
	Production in Countries as at (a)	Exports from Countries as at (b)	Total	U. K.	other Importing Countries (c)	Producing Countries (d)	Total	
	(0)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1951	1,147	78	1,225	446	515	231	1,192	+ 33
1952	1,102	62	1,164	471	487	298	1,256	- 92
1953	1,127	83	1,211	461	522	246	1,229	- 18
1954	1,218	130	1,348	504	544	230	1,278	+ 70
1955	1,241	117	1,358	464	556	300	1,320	+ 38
1956 *	1,221	124	1,345	490	556	293	1,339	+ 6

Notes : * Estimated.

(a) India, Pakistan, Ceylon, Indonesia, Kenya, Uganda, Tanganyika and Nyasaland.

(b) China, Formosa, Japan, Mozambique, etc. excluding exports from China to the U. S. S. R & Eastern Europe.

(c) Excluding imports from China into the U. S. S. R & Eastern Europe.

(d) Consumption in Countries (a) and imports into Countries (b)

Source—International Tea Committee.

5. Imports into U. K. from principal producing countries.
 (figures in thousand lbs.)

Countries	1938	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
(I)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
India	291,513	318,523	239,112	276,071	304,381	315,331	321,492	283,394	299,673
Pakistan		19,994	18,039	34,733	26,941	23,533	18,459	17,067	13,974
Ceylon	167,071	118,704	93,756	110,201	117,256	116,137	134,316	121,970	125,815
Indonesia	30,199	953	3,788	16,892	16,293	10,662	12,301	7,029	8,149
Nyasaland (a)	10,226	11,481	7,939	12,704	13,093	13,237	14,733	17,115	18,290
Kenya	8,342	1,355	2,330	3,554	8,013	3,006	5,153	8,959	10,670
Uganda	125	5	41	517	699	1,140	2,738	3,628	4,055
Tanganyika	288	83	121	632	1,080	889	2,287	2,072	2,964
Others	18,950	2,969	3,446	8,811	9,150	8,848	30,679	38,070	29,043
Total :—	526,714	474,067	368,572	464,115	496,906	492,783	542,157	499,303	512,634

(a) Figures for 1954 onwards relate to the federation of Rhodesia & Nyasaland.

Source—International Tea Committee.

6. U. K. Re-exports showing countries from which consigned.

(figures in thousand lbs.)

Countries	1938	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	* 1956
(I)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
India	35,799	3,025	9,418	16,146	16,854	17,600	
Pakistan		32	1,423	798	83	227	
Ceylon	18,760	6,505	8,952	14,227	11,733	10,622	
Nyasaland	120	509	1,012	1,246	675	612	
Kenya	88	1,042	948	528	144	217	
Indonesia	9,722	534	853	1,068	573	814	
China	991	631	847	445	370	537	
Formosa	483	596	204	126	214	283	
Japan		0	38	62	59	340	
Other Countries	130	303	388	1,197	743	1,605	
Total :	66,093	13,177	23,584	35,843	31,448	32,857	31,669

* Detailed break down not available.

(a) Figures for 1954 onwards relate to the Federation of Rhodesia & Nyasaland.

Source : International Tea Committee.

7. U. K. Re-exports of tea, showing countries of destination.

(figures in thousand lbs.)

Countries	1938	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Ireland (Republic)	18,273	—	1,503	2	7	7	(X)
Channel Islands	2,052	963	1,541	1,976	1,967	1,606	2,509
Canada	4,108	365	2,281	5,173	3,199	3,027	1,842
Br. West Indies (a)	246	993	881	903	1,031	1,006	(X)
Other Commonwealth Countries	638	1,316	2,046	1,906	1,525	1,975	2,666(c)
Belgium	395	233	339	338	436	327	(Y)
Denmark (b)	954	560	577	855	1,111	703	(Y)
Finland	105	334	26	106	276	301	(Y)
Germany (Western)	8,018 *	2,579	2,053	2,408	2,064	3,633	2,976
Netherlands	2,063	524	3,082	5,834	3,980	6,294	6,467
Norway	160	271	290	351	565	336	(Y)
Sweden	587	886	986	1,206	1,765	1,252	1,650
Switzerland	539	334	314	423	428	529	(Y)
U. S. A.	13,146	377	4,400	10,346	9,780	7,256	6,898
Egypt	256	291	376	322	212	758	(Y)
Other Foreign Countries	14,553	3,151	2,889	3,694	3,102	3,846	6,661(d)
Total :-	66,093	13,177	23,584	35,843	31,448	32,857	31,669

(a) Including Bermuda and British Honduras.

(b) Including Faroe Islands.

(c) Includes Ireland and Br. West Indies not yet available separately.

(d) Includes countries against which (y) is inserted below.

(x) Included in "other Commonwealth countries".

(y) Included in "other foreign countries".

* Including E. Germany.

Source—International Tea Committee.

8. Exports of Tea from Ceylon (figures in lbs.)

Countries of destination	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956*
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
United kingdom	111,177,134	113,357,845	117,781,816	137,114,773	121,463,216	135,903,726
Irish Republic (Eire)	1,627,542	726,733	NIL	1,962,022	3,772,320	680,347
Europe (Continental) (a)	9,343,241	12,363,603	13,000,880	13,932,427	12,936,467	15,224,573
Canada	15,937,810	20,205,661	17,599,609	16,560,274	17,756,828	19,527,279
United States	28,143,440	34,900,122	34,215,510	29,726,601	35,006,000	35,212,852
South America & W. Indies	3,225,534	3,650,152	992,254	1,243,310	912,155	1,226,942
China & Hongkong	663,747	604,652	694,019	983,608	1,008,754	942,669
India	44,333	56,451	18,243	31,551	23,116	1,405
Iraq & Iran	17,109,566	15,288,019	21,478,104	23,883,367	36,485,559	29,163,182
Malaya (Incl. Singapur) (b)	2,263,108	2,606,839	2,278,272	1,783,650	2,084,883	2,194,140
Pakistan	355,621	561,210	223,620	184,807	261,593	168,631
Egypt	23,803,086	23,217,900	23,070,513	26,029,909	25,017,192	7,978,087
Mauritius, etc. (c)	47,368	115,844	126,160	25,073	59,766	40,917
Other Africa	27,707,460	31,036,130	30,234,219	33,877,425	37,710,725	37,948,094
Australia	43,462,810	39,626,216	52,079,874	51,635,802	40,536,326	32,906,340
New Zealand	13,491,882	8,218,841	13,320,521	13,034,244	11,772,165	14,141,758
All other places (d)	10,163,002	8,535,159	8,479,474	9,253,487	15,428,125	14,849,518
Total :—	308,566,684	315,071,377	335,593,088	361,262,330	362,235,190	348,129,460*

Source :—International Tea Committee.

(a) Includes Turkey but excludes Malta.

(b) Includes British North Borneo, Sarawak & Philippines.

(c) Includes Madagascar (but not Seychelles)

(d) Includes Ships' Stores.

* Figures relate to 1956 derived from the returns of the Ceylon Chamber of Commerce.

The quantity of Ceylon tea actually exported during 1956 was 357,779,803 lb, the break up figures of which are not available in this office at the time of going to the press.

9. Exports of Tea from Indonesia

(figures in lbs.)

Countries	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
United Kingdom	16,850,425	10,219,546	7,540,199	10,819,896	9,265,479	13,041,327
Netherlands	32,463,693	29,218,524	28,463,750	30,750,257	25,367,004	30,736,680
Irish Republic	2,258,758	1,877,012	434,473	851,403	866,172	Nil
Rest of Europe	726,477	907,513	1,465,160	2,383,222	2,794,526	2,923,589
Canada	357,969	211,477	391,681	97,294	28,373	36,942
United States	5,487,832	5,804,515	7,060,244	8,482,108	5,951,144	6,244,111
South and Central America	1,112,163	478,434	181,487	7,352	19,379	Nil
China & Hong Kong	Nil	11,000	216,091	2,633,097	139,187	44,095
Iran and Iraq	4,813,745	2,435,109	2,731,762	1,756,184	618,101	439,144
Malaya (including Singapore)	3,235,170	2,229,049	3,424,005	20,349,940	10,592,008	5,722,743
Egypt and Sudan	15,038,593	9,574,547	6,905,895	4,998,284	3,543,341	2,424,312
Rest of Africa	923,173	898,016	428,223	895,932	767,434	1,898,565
Australia	2,936,327	4,557,667	2,253,480	3,329,379	3,684,400	11,789,866
Newzealand	619,372	393,369	357,317	75,319	16,850	102,500
All other places	1,400,949	1,383,186	1,766,310	1,256,422	473,397	503,987
Total :-	88,234,646	70,198,964	63,620,077	88,686,089	64,126,795	75,907,861

Source—International Tea Committee derived from statements provided
by Biro Pusat Statistik, Djakarta.

10. Exports of Pakistan teas from Chittagong.

(figures in lbs.)

Countries of destination	1951-52	1952-53	1953-54	1954-55	1955-56	1956-57 *
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Britain	35,865,736	20,971,292	21,237,761	22,387,902	9,238,100	21,385,300
Canada	146,676	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	6,000
United States	902,694	136,160	10,272	Nil	Nil	251,400
South America	1,529,267	120,500	87,200	Nil	Nil	Nil
Continent of Europe	221,265	10,080	40,000	802,500	71,000	92,300
All other places	331,388	201,007	429,659	214,400	392,618	511,700
Total exports	38,997,026	21,439,039	21,804,892	23,404,802	9,701,718	22,246,700
Shipments to Karachi	16,708,673	26,764,723	28,140,178	29,191,392	34,397,810	28,531,000
Total :-	55,705,699	48,203,762	50,215,070	52,596,194	44,099,528	50,777,700

* Upto February, 1957.

11. Tea imports for consumption in various countries.

(figures in 000' lbs.)

Countries	1938	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	Upto
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	
United Kingdom	431,799	447,954	472,854	463,706	503,719	463,622	506,200	(Dec)
Ireland (Republic)	22,588	36,873	17,241	16,419	25,773	26,082	13,003	(Dec)
Netherlands	24,052	15,238	16,186	17,123	17,941	16,222	21,104	(Dec)
Belgium & Luxembourg	646	629	785	772	915	687		
Germany (Western)	† 11,785	4,678	6,058	8,088	10,543	12,001	13,263	(Dec)
Italy	285	1,018	1,500	1,761	2,163	2,309	2,936	(Dec)
Sweden	1,092	1,870	2,086	2,222	2,930	2,147	2,941	(Dec)
Switzerland	1,758	1,990	2,051	2,279	2,472	2,158	2,676	(Dec)
U. S. S. R. (a)	36,914	1,300	3,800	...	0	3	10,227	(Dec)
Turkey	2,077	3,956	4,910	5,539	5,671	4,713	5,535	(Sep)
Iran	16,309	24,062	5,644	7,328	10,216	22,291		
Iraq	7,012	20,911	18,761	26,974	27,924	36,339	26,960	(Sep)
Arabia & Bahrein Is. (b)	882	10,200	15,490	14,110	10,480	14,160	13,360	(Nov)
United States	80,731	86,134	92,749	107,635	113,955	104,171	100,099	(Dec)
Canada	37,176	42,087	45,308	45,501	44,396	42,140	45,620	(Dec)
Chile	3,909	9,802	11,126	7,273	4,957			
Egypt	17,292	35,338	35,765	44,429	35,932	37,945	31,206	(Dec)
Union of South Africa	15,351	21,243	23,529	25,293	26,241	23,136 (c)	24,267	(Nov)
Australia	48,346	58,565	52,947	59,732	60,365	53,635	53,377	(Dec)
New Zealand	11,024	24,430	9,922	14,850	15,284	12,850	12,104	((Sep))

NOTE :—(a) Estimated figures Excluding Imports from China.

(b) Estimated figures based on reported Exports to Arabia and Bahrein islands.

(c) Including South West Africa Territory

† Includes Eastern Germany.

Source :—International Tea Committee

12. Quantities of tea sold at London auctions.

(figures in thousand lbs.)

Countries	1938	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
North India	220,400	41,359	165,673	187,386	164,659	157,850	153,225
South India	37,300	12,211	22,249	25,383	24,564	27,129	26,375
Pakistan	—	7,747	22,831	16,070	9,935	9,495	11,387
Ceylon	118,700	38,067	59,505	69,514	70,214	72,066	67,125
Indonesia	17,500	955	4,079	2,528	1,068	1,358	973
Africa (a)	14,100	8,078	13,503	15,509	15,358	23,963	35,44
Malaya	510	80	196	367	635	695	705
Total :—	408,510	108,497	288,036	316,757	286,433	292,556	295,232

Source : International Tea Committee.

Note :—

(a) Includes Mauritius.

13. Annual average prices of tea sold at London auctions.

(figures in thousand lbs.)

Countries	1938	† 1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
	s d	s d	s d	s d	s d	s d	s d
North India	1 2·22	3 7·90	2 11·94	3 7·42	5 4·03	5 3·59	5 1·05
South India	4 1·84	3 6·44	2 9·11	3 5·30	5 2·43	4 5·63	4 3·11
Pakistan	* —	3 5·09	2 3·87	3 2·96	5 3·82	4 7·49	3 11·77
Ceylon	1 3·34	3 10·05	3 10·16	4 0·09	5 3·51	5 4·33	5 6·22
Indonesia	1 0·60	3 3·97	2 10·74	3 3·24	4 10·57	3 10·30	4 0·51
Africa (a)	1 0·35	3 3·05	1 10·00	3 2·97	4 8·50	3 8·82	3 2·08
Malaya	— —	3 5·72	2 4·77	3 4·86	5 1·72	4 6·44	4 2·72

* Included in N. India

† Auction started from 16th April after war.

Source :—International Tea Committee

Note :—

(a) Not including Mauritius.

14. Weekly average prices of Tea of different countries sold at London auctions during 1956.

Week commencing	Northern India		Southern India		Pakistan		Ceylon		Indonesia		Africa		Mauritius		Malayan		Total	
	1956		Corresponding week 1955		1956		Corresponding week 1955		1956		Corresponding week 1955		1956		Corresponding week 1955		1956	
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	(18)	(19)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)
2nd Jan. '56	4 4·13	6 11·30	4 0·73	6 10·90	3 10·56	6 9·62	5 2·23	7 2·14	Nil	6 3·44	3 5·23	6 6·10	3 7·27	Nil	4 2·02	6 7·62	4 4·96	6 11·56
9th Jan. '56	4 4·81	7 0·06	4 1·09	6 11·88	3 8·71	6 10·09	5 1·01	7 2·64	3 11·05	Nil	3 5·64	6 9·89	Nil	Nil	3 9·24	7 0·56	4 5·31	7 0·42
16th Jan. '56	4 4·77	7 1·09	4 0·90	7 0·53	3 9·51	7 0·10	5 0·43	7 3·95	3 10·35	Nil	3 9·01	6 9·95	Nil	Nil	4 3·81	6 11·05	4 5·38	7 1·29
23rd Jan. '56	4 3·67	6 11·42	4 1·75	6 11·35	3 9·27	9 8·95	4 11·53	7 2·77	2 10·57	6 5·89	3 2·43	6 8·69	Nil	Nil	3 8·44	6 10·29	4 4·40	6 11·88
30th Jan. '56	4 3·33	6 10·69	4 0·54	6 9·97	3 7·90	6 8·94	4 10·86	7 2·13	Nil	3 1·43	6 9·37	Nil	Nil	4 10·16	7 0·98	4 4·85	6 11·05	
6th Feb. '56	4 0·93	6 8·20	3 10·25	6 9·39	3 4·82	6 7·51	4 7·86	6 1·32	3 7·76	Nil	2 10·48	6 5·80	Nil	Nil	3 8·83	6 6·24	4 1·61	6 8·95
13th Feb. '56	4 0·82	6 0·39	3 9·05	5 11·74	3 3·97	5 10·85	4 6·87	6 7·73	3 8·21	Nil	2 10·56	5 3·45	3 5·44	Nil	4 1·54	6 4·87	4 0·60	6 1·56
20th Feb. '56	3 11·49	5 9·39	3 8·68	5 11·13	3 2·32	5 8·45	4 7·50	6 2·79	Nil	5 7·39	2 8·79	5 7·44	Nil	Nil	4 10·14	5 9·26	3 11·86	5 10·31
27th Feb. '56	4 0·58	5 6·80	3 8·85	5 5·72	3 2·71	5 6·32	4 9·15	5 10·44	3 6·92	5 3·90	2 11·14	5 5·46	Nil	Nil	3 7·30	Nil	4 0·74	5 7·28
5th March '56	4 1·11	5 5·00	3 11·11	5 3·89	3 2·49	5 0·93	5 0·98	5 5·59	3 5·56	4 9·00	2 11·18	5 1·75	Nil	5 0·00	4 37·5	5 9·86	4 2·39	5 4·46
12th March '56	4 4·35	5 1·59	4 2·90	5 2·42	3 4·68	5 0·41	5 5·89	5 3·84	3 8·50	4 7·83	3 2·29	4 10·35	3 6·93	Nil	3 4·11	4 9·32	4 4·94	5 1·44
19th March '56	4 7·31	5 1·78	4 2·82	5 1·99	3 6·05	5 0·12	5 9·23	5 4·38	3 9·02	4 10·04	3 2·94	4 9·64	Nil	Nil	3 3·53	5 1·97	4 5·29	5 1·57
26th March '56	4 8·23	5 1·05	4 4·73	5 2·49	3 10·69	4 11·34	5 11·32	5 3·85	3 9·34	4 10·34	3 4·48	4 9·48	Nil	Nil	5 0·68	4 8·63	5 1·25	a
9th April '56	4 10·66	a 4 5·00	a 3 10·77	a 5·11·87	a 4 7·17	6 1·84	5 2·24	4 5·75	4 8·48	3 3·00	4 4·96	Nil	Nil	a 3 8·74	a 4 9·58	a		
16th April '56	4 11·51	4 10·21	4 11·08	4 10·31	3 9·61	4 7·17	6 1·84	5 2·24	4 5·75	4 8·48	3 3·00	4 4·96	Nil	Nil	3 8·70	4 6·43	4 10·62	4 10·77
23rd April '56	5 1·23	a 4 9·81	a 3 8·95	a 6 2·89	a 6 2·89	a 6 2·89	a 6 2·89	a 6 2·89	a 6 2·89	a 3·96	a 3·96	a 3·96	a 3·96	a 3·96	a 3·96	a 3·96	a 4 1·95	a
30th April '56	5 1·71	3 10·85	4 10·04	3 10·03	3 9·66	3 9·35	6 2·87	4 10·17	4 4·74	3 6·52	3 4·59	3 3·98	Nil	3 7·44	3 10·97	4 8·06	5 0·24	4 1·69
7th May '56	4 11·75	Nil	4 10·14	3 6·52	3 10·34	Nil	6 2·67	4 8·99	4 1·53	Nil	3 2·67	Nil	Nil	6 9·10	Nil	4 11·42	4 6·44	
14th May '56	4 9·59	3 6·43	4 11·79	3 5·99	3 9·85	3 1·60	5 11·83	4 6·08	3 10·17	3 4·81	3 3·16	3 2·15	Nil	4 3·28	Nil	4 9·62	3 9·72	
28th May '56	4 5·30	3 7·32	4 7·71	3 6·71	3 4·72	3 2·92	5 7·13	4 4·89	4 0·29	3 4·04	3 3·68*	3 1·83	Nil	Nil	4 0·39	3 4·34	4 5·96	3 9·15
4th June '56	4 3·58	3 7·61	4 5·10	3 6·67	3 3·65	3 2·58	5 2·85	4 4·77	3 11·85	3 3·98	3 2·47	3 1·91	Nil	3 2·25	3 7·77	4 2·24	4 3·87	3 9·38
11th June '56	4 2·66	3 7·94	4 8·49	3 7·14	3 3·11	3 2·07	5 1·52	4 3·69	3 11·77	3 3·39	3 2·32	3 1·50	Nil	3 0·00	4 11·75	3 3·63	4 2·95	3 9·02
18th June '56	4 1·88	3 7·24	4 11·47	3 6·13	3 2·21	3 2·31	5 0·38	4 0·98	4 1·98	3 2·88	2 11·81	3 0·50	Nil	Nil	4 0·15	3 2·72	4 1·11	3 7·70
25th June '56	3 10·32	3 6·85	4 0·99	3 5·66	2 11·47	3 1·02	4 11·75	4 0·99	3 6·83	3 3·87	2 0·78	3 0·72	3 4·79	2 10·91	3 8·41	3 2·60	3 11·38	3 7·61
2nd July '56	3 10·73	3 7·31	3 11·86	3 6·85	Nil	3 1·61	4 9·97	4 2·45	4 2·87	3 5·89	2 9·51	3 1·28	Nil	Nil	4 2·25	3 6·58	3 10·68	3 8·36

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NOTE :—(a) No Sale.

Week commen- cing on	Northern India		Southern India		Pakistan		Ceylon		Indonesia		Africa		Mauritius		Malayan		Total																			
	1956		1956		1956		1956		1955		1956		1955		1956		Corre- sponding week 1955																			
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.																		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)																		
9th July '56	3	8.02	3	9.22	3	11.64	3	7.44	Nil	3	2.86	4	7.94	4	5.29	3	9.28	3	6.68	2	9.11	3	2.56	Nil	3	8.23	3	10.49	3	9.53	3	10.42				
16th July '56	3	4.35	3	11.55	4	4.41	3	11.11	2	8.76	3	5.27	4	7.27	4	8.04	3	10.00	3	5.96	2	9.45	3	4.90	Nil	4	9.90	3	8.10	4	1.19					
23rd July '56	3	11.90	4	3.06	4	2.78	4	0.72	Nil	3	7.37	4	6.63	4	7.71	4	4.67	3	6.42	2	10.23	3	5.84	Nil	3	6.11	3	11.56	3	11.78	4	2.66				
30th July '56	3	8.29	4	3.40	3	8.54	4	1.16	3	7.47	3	10.51	4	8.84	4	9.42	4	2.22	3	8.83	2	9.39	3	7.16	3	0.25	Nil	4	5.50	3	9.59	4	0.29			
13th Aug. '56	3	10.25	4	3.29	3	10.20	4	0.92	2	9.98	3	8.98	4	11.23	4	8.86	3	11.48	3	6.98	2	10.84	3	7.15	Nil	3	8.21	4	4.13	4	2.41	3	11.77	4	3.96	
20th Aug. '56	5	3.42	4	4.69	3	6.91	4	0.72	2	10.65	Nil	5	1.39	4	8.52	Nil	3	6.17	2	9.68	3	6.49	3	2.30	Nil	3	5.22	4	5.65	4	4.22	4	4.51			
27th Aug. '56	5	3.01	5	5.05	3	5.29	3	10.27	Nil	3	7.34	5	5.03	4	9.24	3	7.90	2	5.75	2	8.20	3	3.16	Nil	Nil	4	3.36	3	5.04	4	6.31	4	5.24			
3rd Sept. '56	5	8.94	5	7.17	3	4.26	3	11.14	Nil	3	5.79	5	7.06	5	0.41	Nil	2	8.83	3	3.29	Nil	Nil	4	9.50	4	10.75	4	7.74	4	7.67						
10th Sept. '56	6	2.71	5	7.64	3	6.50	3	11.24	Nil	4	2.03	5	11.19	5	4.85	4	3.23	3	6.00	2	9.46	3	4.85	Nil	Nil	4	10.50	4	4.79	5	0.46	5	0.41			
17th Sept. '56	5	11.52	6	0.53	3	9.78	4	0.76	2	10.23	3	11.32	6	7.06	5	11.78	4	0.05	3	5.25	2	9.54	3	5.57	Nil	Nil	4	8.86	4	0.91	5	2.77	5	5.85		
24th Sept. '56	7	2.43	6	5.26	4	4.49	3	11.92	4	2.10	4	1.57	6	11.82	6	0.23	4	8.71	Nil	3	1.19	3	4.32	Nil	Nil	3	8.52	4	3.81	6	0.21	5	5.03			
1st Oct. '56	7	4.07	5	10.25	4	5.91	3	11.78	4	2.61	3	10.56	7	2.57	6	0.26	4	5.58	3	6.42	3	3.31	3	3.99	Nil	4	1.25	4	5.89	Nil	6	0.15	5	3.59		
8th Oct. '56	6	8.52	5	8.09	4	7.25	3	11.19	4	1.62	3	10.60	7	3.39	5	10.29	4	9.73	3	10.07	3	2.41	3	1.37	Nil	Nil	5	3.06	3	7.75	5	9.75	5	2.56		
15th Oct. '56	6	4.73	5	4.59	4	6.05	3	10.54	3	11.93	3	10.37	7	0.61	5	9.93	4	10.38	3	10.17	3	4.92	3	2.47	Nil	Nil	4	4.44	4	9.02	5	10.75	5	0.61		
22nd Oct. '56	6	3.75	5	4.08	4	4.22	4	0.48	4	0.21	4	3.46	6	7.98	5	8.78	4	3.91	3	8.52	3	3.65	3	3.39	Nil	Nil	4	9.18	4	2.03	5	10.45	5	1.01		
29th Oct. '56	6	4.15	5	1.11	4	9.66	4	1.34	4	0.91	Nil	6	5.93	5	8.50	Nil	3	10.18	3	8.35	3	2.75	4	4.59	Nil	Nil	5	1.75	6	1.28	6	2.09	4	11.32		
5th Nov. '56	6	5.60	4	11.89	4	11.30	4	1.13	4	5.21	Nil	6	7.13	5	7.57	5	5.48	4	0.60	4	5.69	3	1.27	4	6.50	Nil	5	0.20	Nil	6	0.37	4	10.48			
12th Nov. '56	6	3.94	5	2.17	5	3.51	4	2.71	5	3.78	4	2.93	6	8.19	5	8.35	5	3.55	2	10.64	4	8.52	3	3.65	Nil	Nil	4	2.63	6	1.96	4	11.57				
19th Nov. '56	6	4.95	5	1.48	5	8.81	4	5.20	5	4.70	4	1.56	6	9.17	5	7.87	Nil	4	7.19	3	4.19	Nil	Nil	5	5.01	4	0.21	6	3.43	5	0.69					
26th Nov. '56	6	3.93	5	0.42	5	9.55	4	7.43	5	8.91	4	0.10	6	8.26	5	8.28	Nil	5	2.74	3	3.70	Nil	Nil	5	5.01	4	0.21	6	3.43	5	0.69					
3rd Dec. '56	6	4.35	5	0.59	5	9.53	4	7.46	5	9.17	4	0.63	6	7.53	5	7.93	Nil	4	3.87	5	5.46	3	6.89	Nil	5	7.76	4	4.04	6	3.61	4	11.00				
10th Dec. '56	6	4.65	4	7.91	6	0.48	4	1.12	5	10.33	3	10.80	6	7.70	5	6.35	5	9.27	3	9.31	5	8.49	3	4.32	5	11.34	3	10.60	6	7.54	5	3.66	6	4.13	4	7.21
17th Dec. '56	6	2.64	4	4.86	6	0.09	4	1.34	5	0.11	3	7.99	6	8.08	5	4.48	Nil	3	10.24	5	8.26	3	1.40	Nil	Nil	5	8.07	3	11.49	6	1.63	4	5.82			
Average for the year	5	1.05	5	3.59	4	3.11	4	5.63	3	11.77	4	7.49	5	6.22	5	4.33	4	0.51	3	10.30	3	2.08	3	8.82	3	8.38	3	7.67	4	2.72	4	6.44	4	10.03	5	0.90

Source : London Tea Market Report.

15. Monthly Retail Prices of tea per lb. in the United Kingdom Year : 1954

Year : 1955

Packet	A	6	8	6	8	6	8	6	4	6	0	6	0	6	0
"	B	7	8	7	8	7	8	7	4	7	4	6	8	6	8
"	C	7	8	7	8	7	8	7	4	7	4	7	0	7	0
"	D	8	4	8	4	7	8	7	4	7	4	7	0	7	0

Year : 1956

Note : The above tables show the prices of four popular brands having a wide sale in the United Kingdom. The prices of these four brands can be taken as a guide to retail price movements in the country. The tables are based on information supplied by the Tea Bureau, London to the International Tea Committee.

16. Deliveries of tea from bonded warehouses in U. K.
 (figures in lbs.)

Months	1953	1954	1955	1956
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
January	36,395,310	48,472,404	48,339,830	53,287,080
February	40,132,155	43,813,764	43,805,410	44,020,350
March	48,388,095	55,269,648	34,456,070	42,334,710
April	39,579,855	38,346,156	43,185,450	40,489,460
May	37,168,350	40,430,772	36,925,020	49,391,650
June	45,148,320	47,860,054	37,097,610	41,166,950
July	35,925,768	37,730,000	52,374,080	48,637,160
August	34,818,120	42,940,150	40,616,510	38,047,900
September	45,577,510	41,272,110	50,899,420	43,009,780
October	42,166,872	24,839,100	40,835,630	53,840,490
November	42,299,744	61,870,710	52,174,210	47,936,680
December	47,699,712	41,047,160	37,352,150	41,751,930
Total :	495,299,811	523,892,028	517,061,390	543,914,140

Note : Based on weekly figures of deliveries from bonded warehouses published in the London Tea Market report.

17. Stock of tea in bonded Warehouses in the United Kingdom on the last Friday of each month.
 (figures in thousand lbs.)

Months	1938*	1952*	1953	1954	1955	1956
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
January	227,534	93,150	135,922	123,729	108,195	99,197
February	218,292	119,354	128,687	131,483	127,445	98,991
March	187,645	140,449	121,268	132,886	149,968	96,108
April	167,667	148,425	120,283	115,928	163,851	103,802
May	161,981	149,425	111,588	96,446	152,648	103,132
June	164,816	138,132	106,948	84,453	137,124	107,335
July	169,251	125,745	94,052	76,031	119,131	110,701
August	181,524	113,892	93,039	76,547	110,737	115,288
September	187,177	106,691	91,194	81,337	102,585	103,680
October	212,217	98,377	92,494	68,644	97,116	98,120
November	229,412	114,405	98,115	69,074	88,485	86,420
December	242,773	127,854	103,421	91,261	101,236	62,448

Source—International tea Committee.

* The Weight of Packaged tea has taken as equivalent to 108 lbs. up to December, 1952 and 110 lbs there after.

18. Stock of tea in wholesale distribution channels in the U. S. A.
 (figures in thousand lbs.)

Periods	1938	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
31st March		45,432	42,668	43,822	46,124	45,082
30th June		38,177	40,243	49,354	35,897	
30th September		39,847	35,814	42,675	38,109	
31st December	37,493	42,592	43,823	46,803	44,691	

Source—International Tea Committee.

19. Tea passed for entry into U. S. A.
 (figures in thousand lbs.)

Countries	1938	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
BLACK TEA							
India	14,402	32,688	35,676	37,264	40,871	36,561	31,719
Pakistan		640	128	269	10	71	53
Ceylon	20,544	29,394	42,188	45,675	39,856	38,564	42,871
Indonesia	20,816	8,585	10,031	11,172	14,695	13,264	12,492
British Africa	47	2,475	1,512	1,842	3,146	2,711	3,076
Other Africa		3,431	102	1,938	2,579	1,912	1,395
Formosa	1,837	2,587	1,581	1,874	4,799	3,630	4,179
Other	4,080	612	404	1,417	5,436	6,306	2,250
Total	61,726	80,412	91,622	101,457	111,392	103,019	98,034
GREEN TEA							
Japan	10,608	3,088	2,600	2,999	3,609	1,871	3,096
Other	3,069	110	1	11	38	1	5
Total	13,677	3,198	2,601	3,010	3,647	1,872	3,101
Colong & Misc. Tea	4,331	536	336	532	675	590	558
Total tea passed for entry	79,734	84,146	94,559	104,998	115,714	105,481	101,692

Source—International Tea Committee.

20. Tea consumption in the U. S. A.

Year	(1)		(3)	
			Per Capita Consumption	
	Tea Sales to Groceries (m. lbs.)	Tea sales to Groceries & Institutions (m. lbs.)	population 15 years & over (lbs.)	Total population (lbs.)
1	2	3	4·1	4·2
1950	69·3	96·0	·86	·63
1951	68·3	97·0	·87	·63
1952	72·6	98·7	·87	·63
1953	77·6	103·3	·90	·65
1954 (est)	85·0	113·0	·98	·69
1955				* ·64
1956				* ·64

Source,

Col. (2) A. C. Nielsen

Cols. (3 & 4) Tea Council of the U. S. A.
* Provisional estimate.

21. Area planted with tea production and yield per acre.

I. India

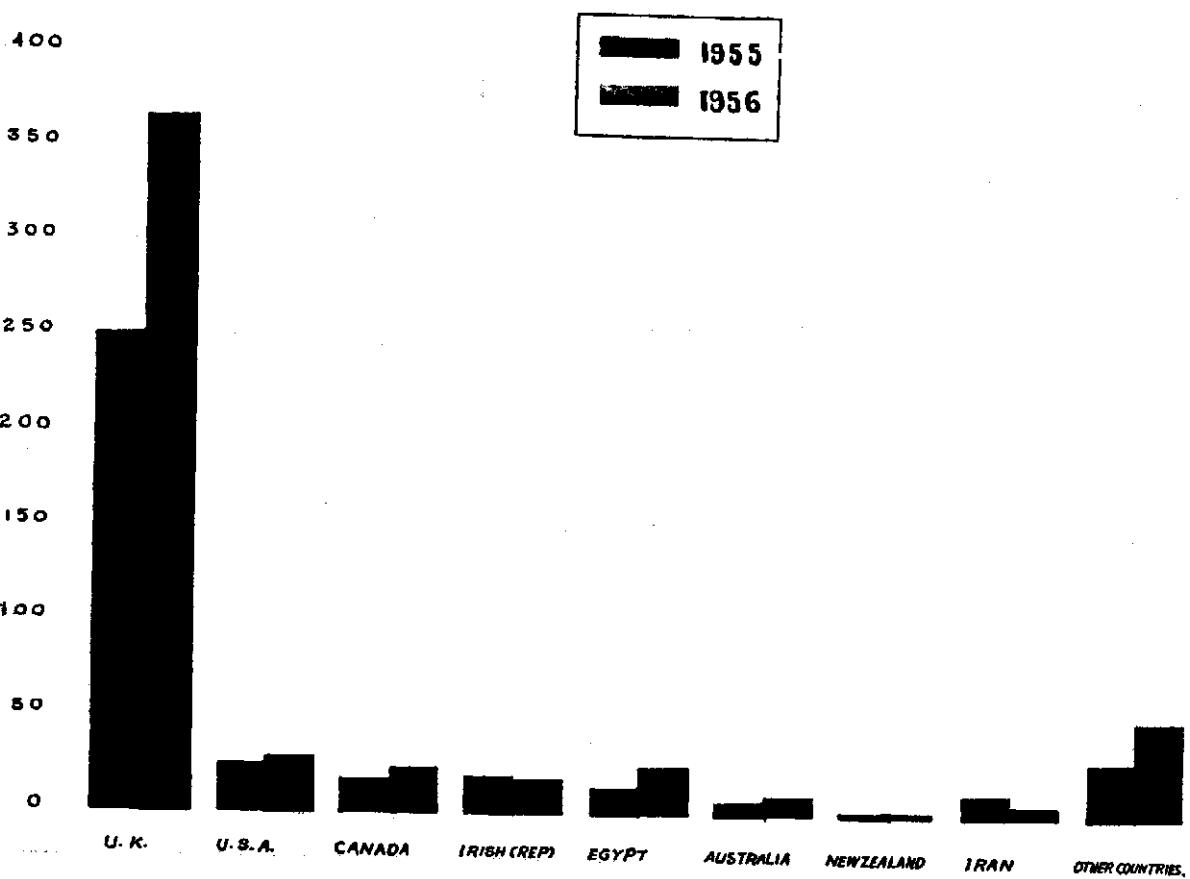
Year	Area in Acres			Total Production in (000) lbs.			Yield per acre in lbs.		
	North India	South India	Total	North India	South India	Total	North India	South India	Total
1951-52	614,549	171,035	785,584	514,833	114,364	629,197	838	669	801
1952-53	614,883	172,495	787,378	503,691	110,674	614,365	819	642	780
1953-54	615,835	173,607	789,442	491,679	122,919	614,598	798	708	778
1954-55	617,152	174,485	791,637	527,486	120,956	648,442	855	693	819
1955-56	615,321	175,881	791,202	542,918	123,397	666,315	882	702	842

II. Ceylon

Year	Area in acres	Production in (000) lbs.	Yield per acre in lbs.
1951-52	567,288	329,252	580
1952-53	572,008	316,758	554
1953-54	574,250	353,816	616
1954-55	575,504	377,468	656
1956-56	565,518	360,921	638

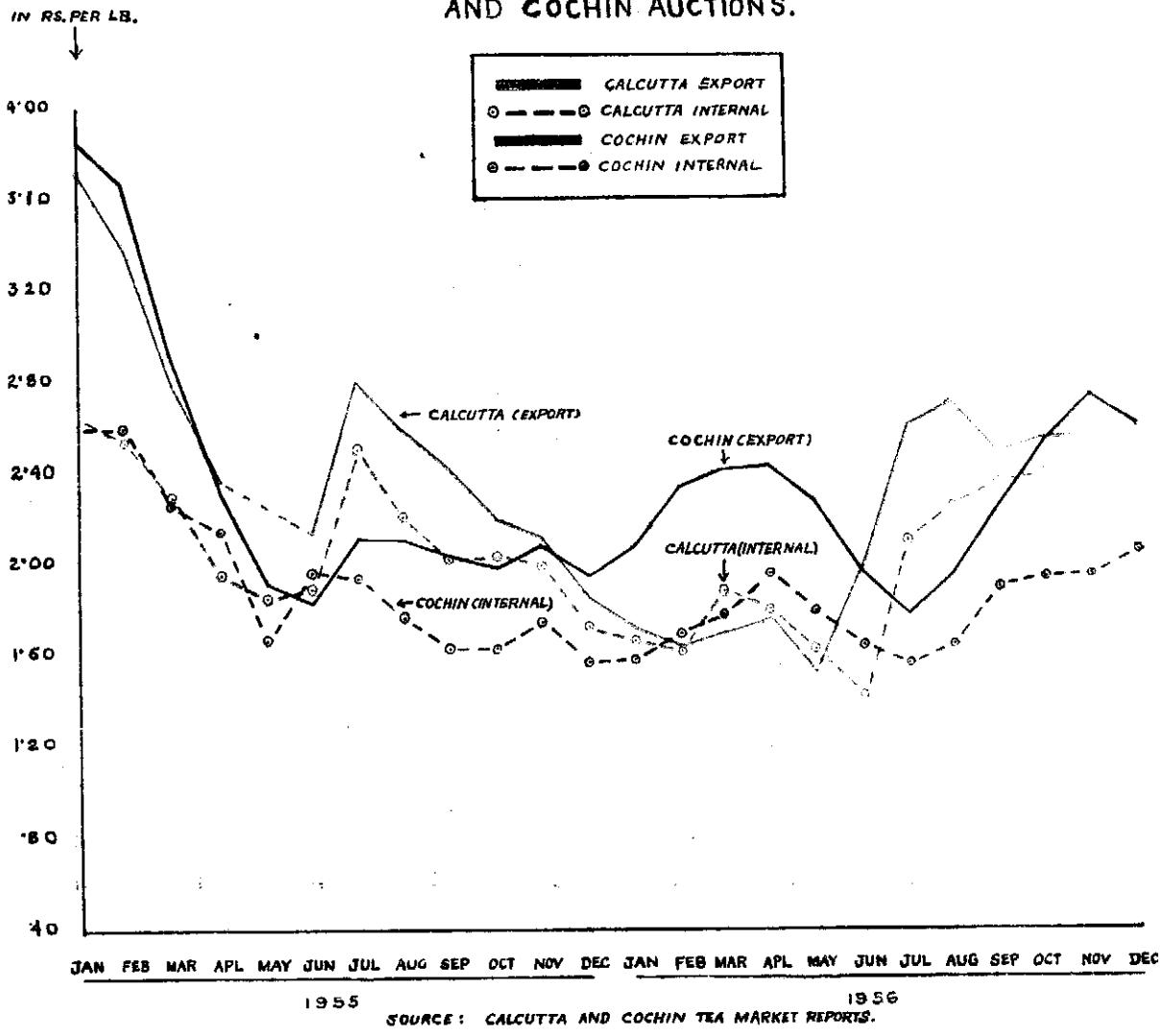
PART III.
GRAPHS AND CHARTS

1. EXPORTS OF INDIAN TEA TO DIFFERENT COUNTRIES DURING
IN MILLION LBS.

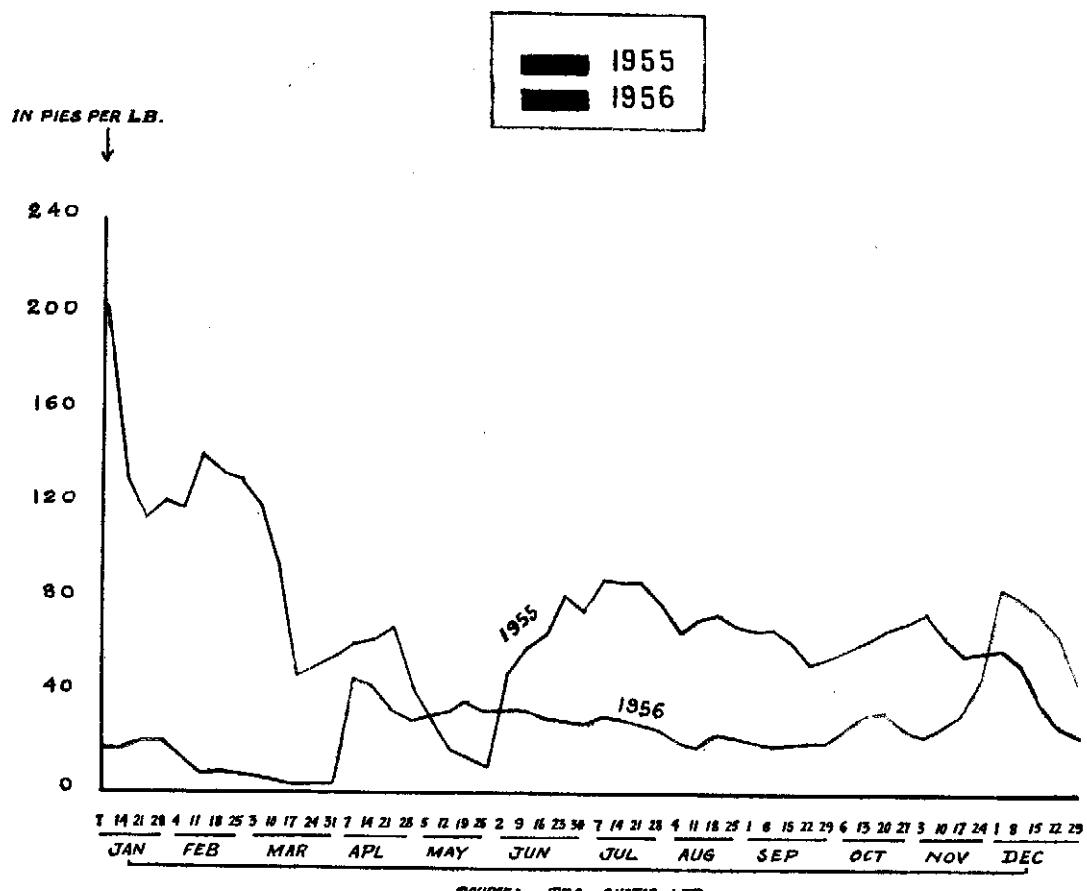


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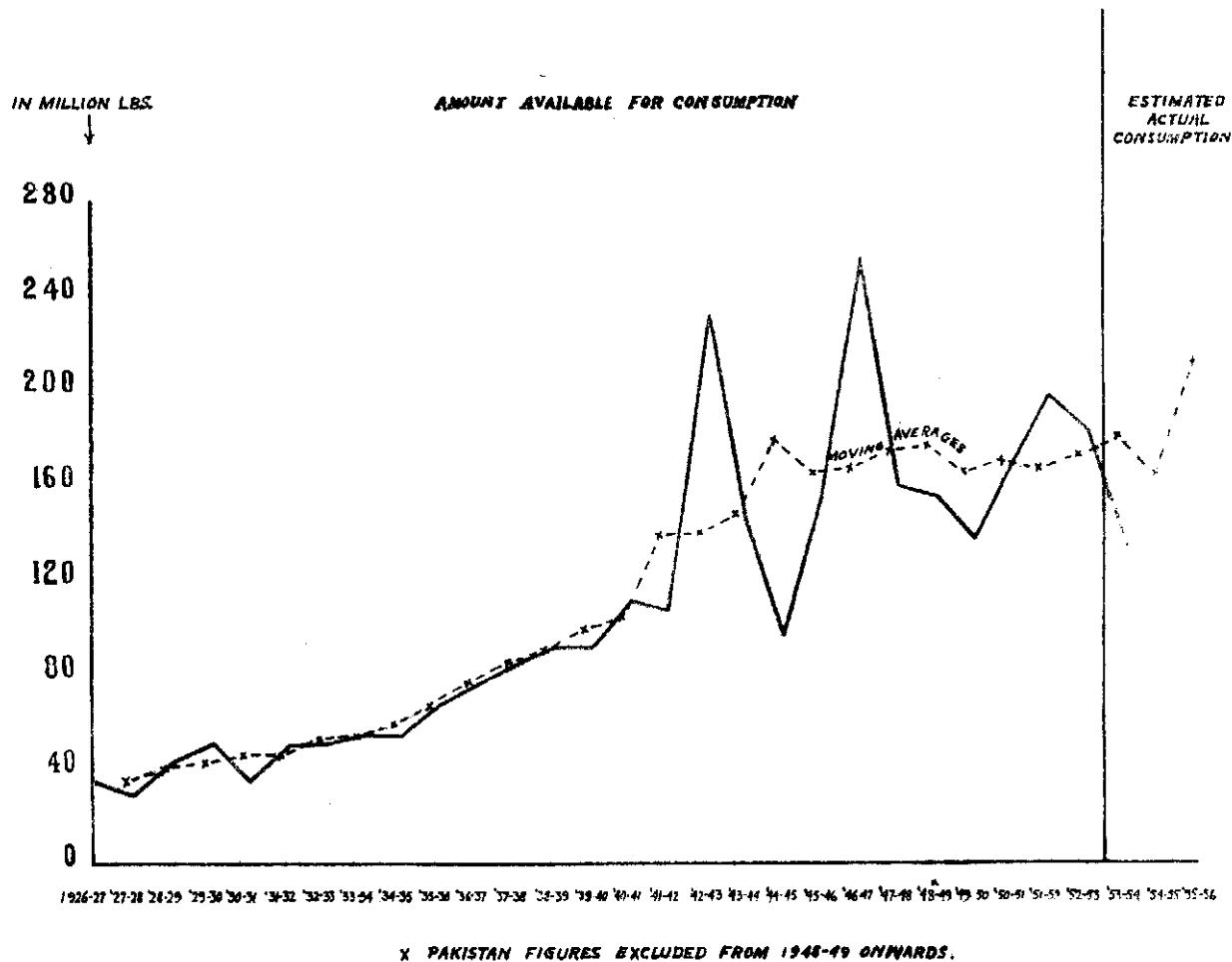
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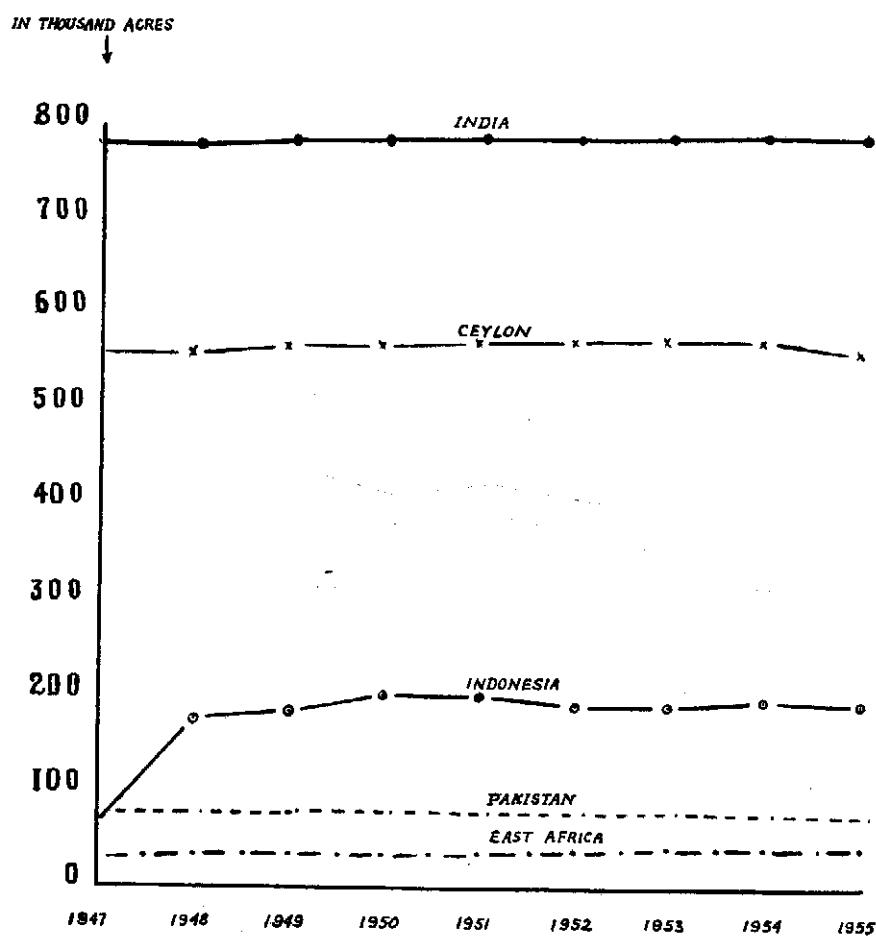
3. WEEKLY AVERAGES OF TEA QUOTA PRICES.



4. INTERNAL CONSUMPTION OF TEA IN INDIA



5. AREA PLANTED WITH TEA IN PRINCIPAL PRODUCING COUNTRIES.

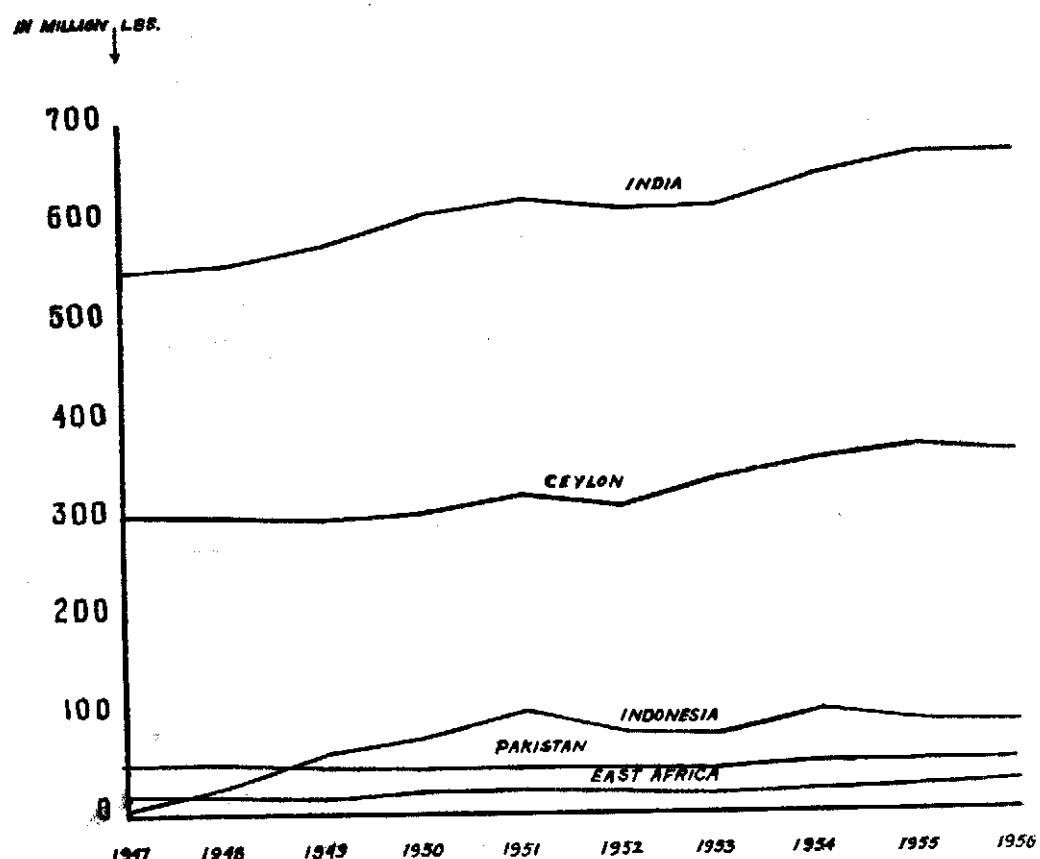


INDIA, PAKISTAN & CEYLON - 31ST MARCH OF THE YEAR FOLLOWING THAT INDICATED.

EAST AFRICA - KENYA, UGANDA AND TANGANYIKA.

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6. PRODUCTION OF TEA IN PRINCIPAL PRODUCING COUNTRIES.

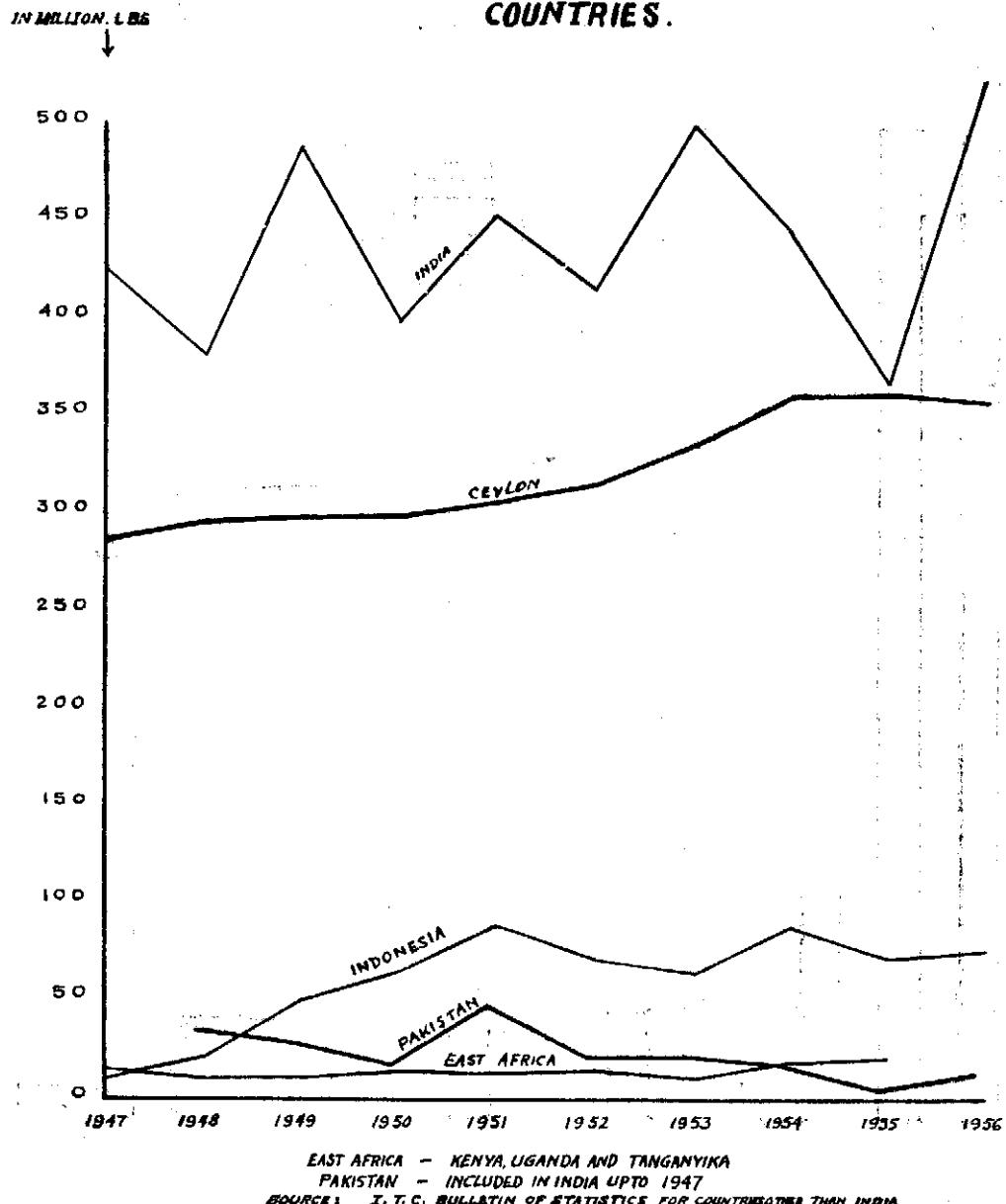


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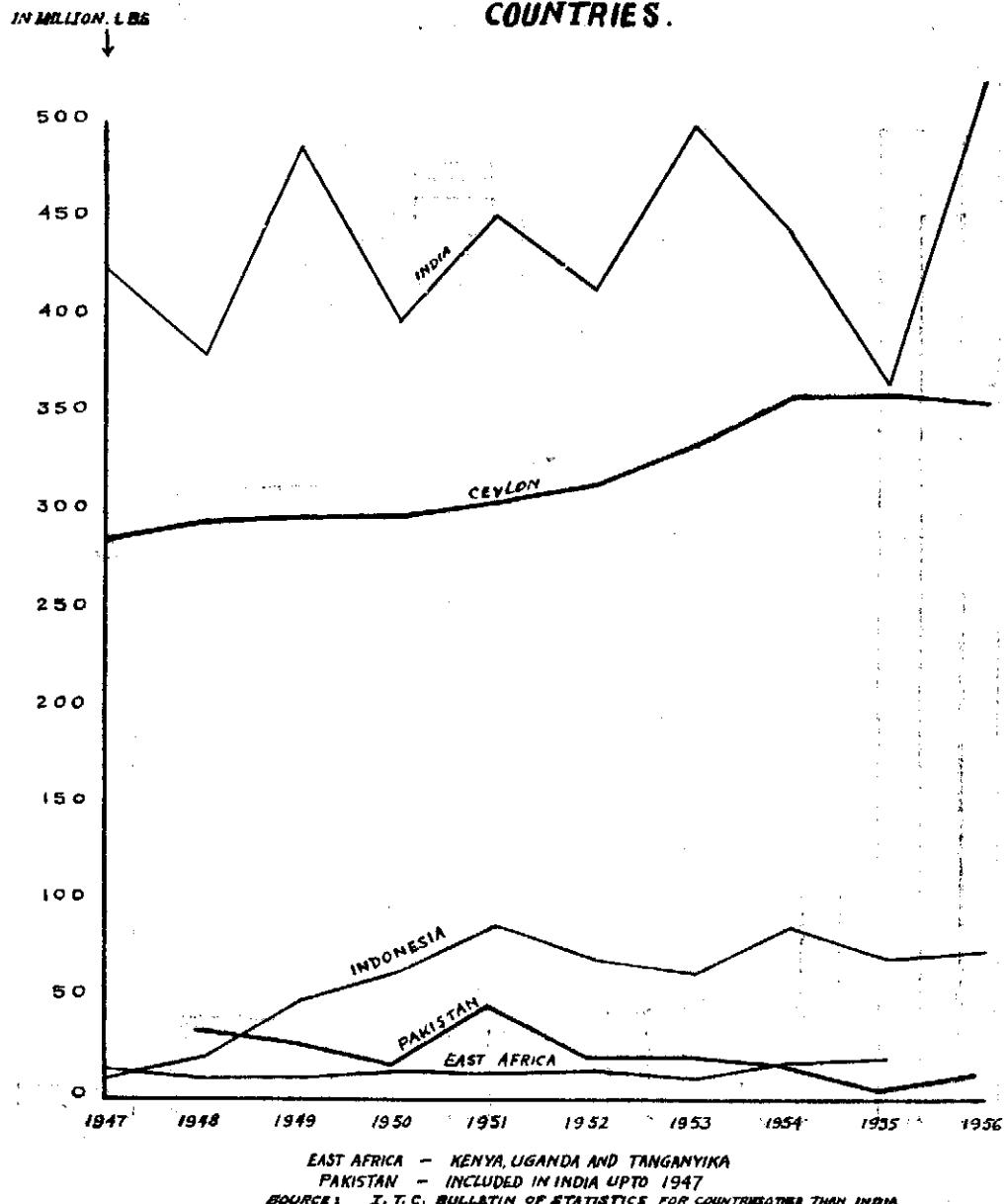
1956 - PROVISIONAL FIGURES.

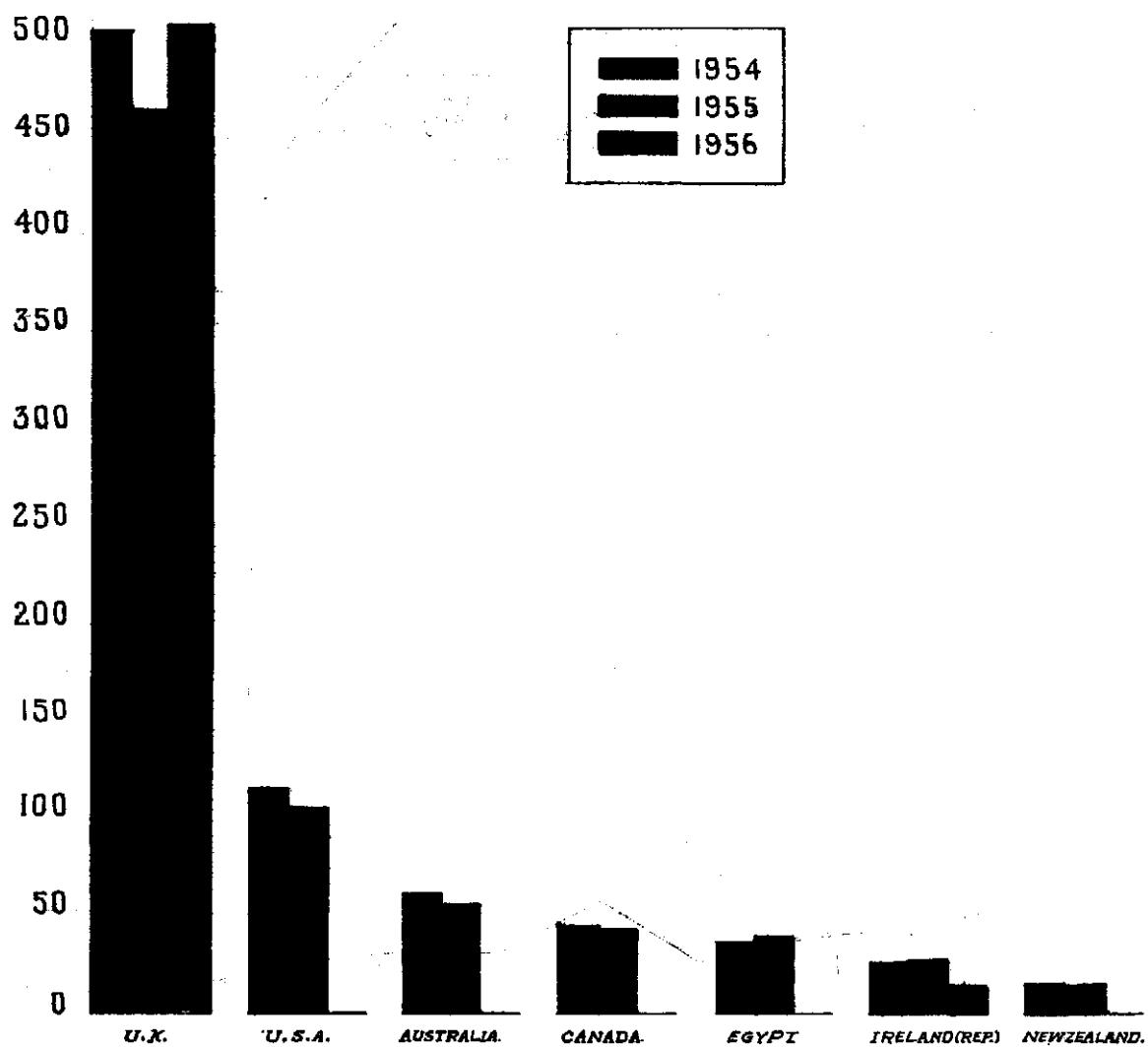
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7. TOTAL EXPORTS OF TEA FROM DIFFERENT PRODUCING COUNTRIES.



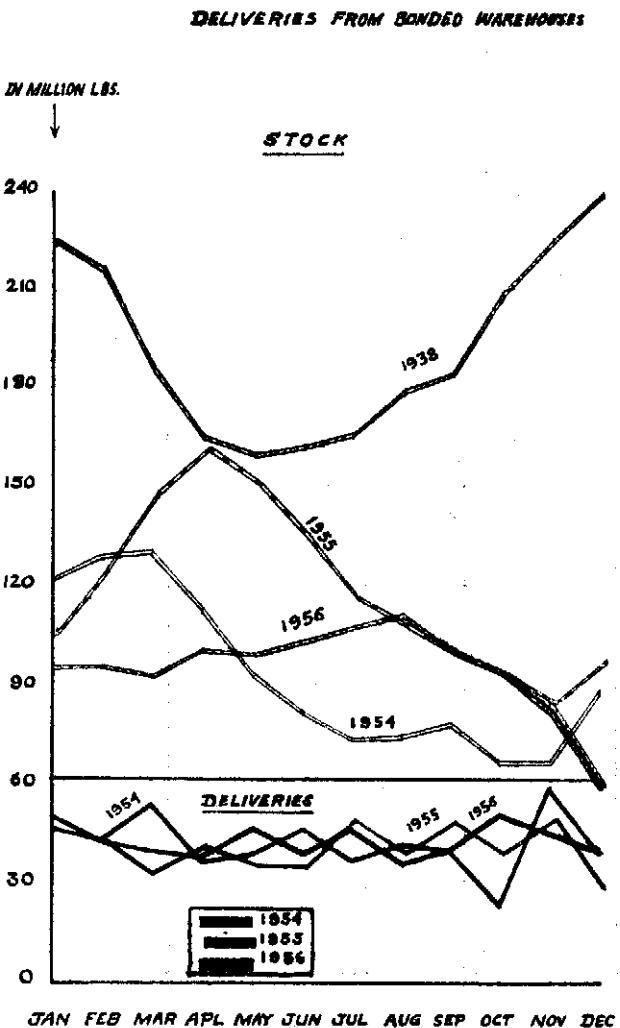
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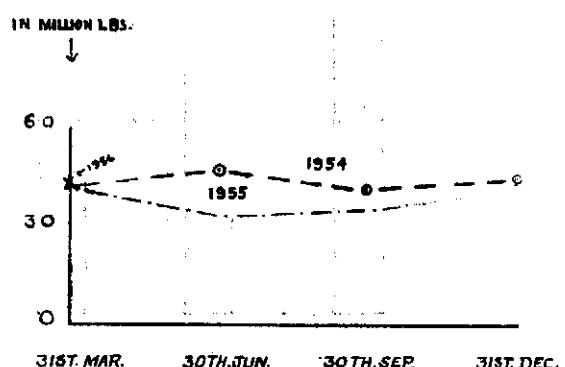
8. TEA IMPORTS FOR CONSUMPTION IN DIFFERENT COUNTRIES.IN MILLION LBS.
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9. STOCK OF TEA IN BONDED WAREHOUSES IN U.K.

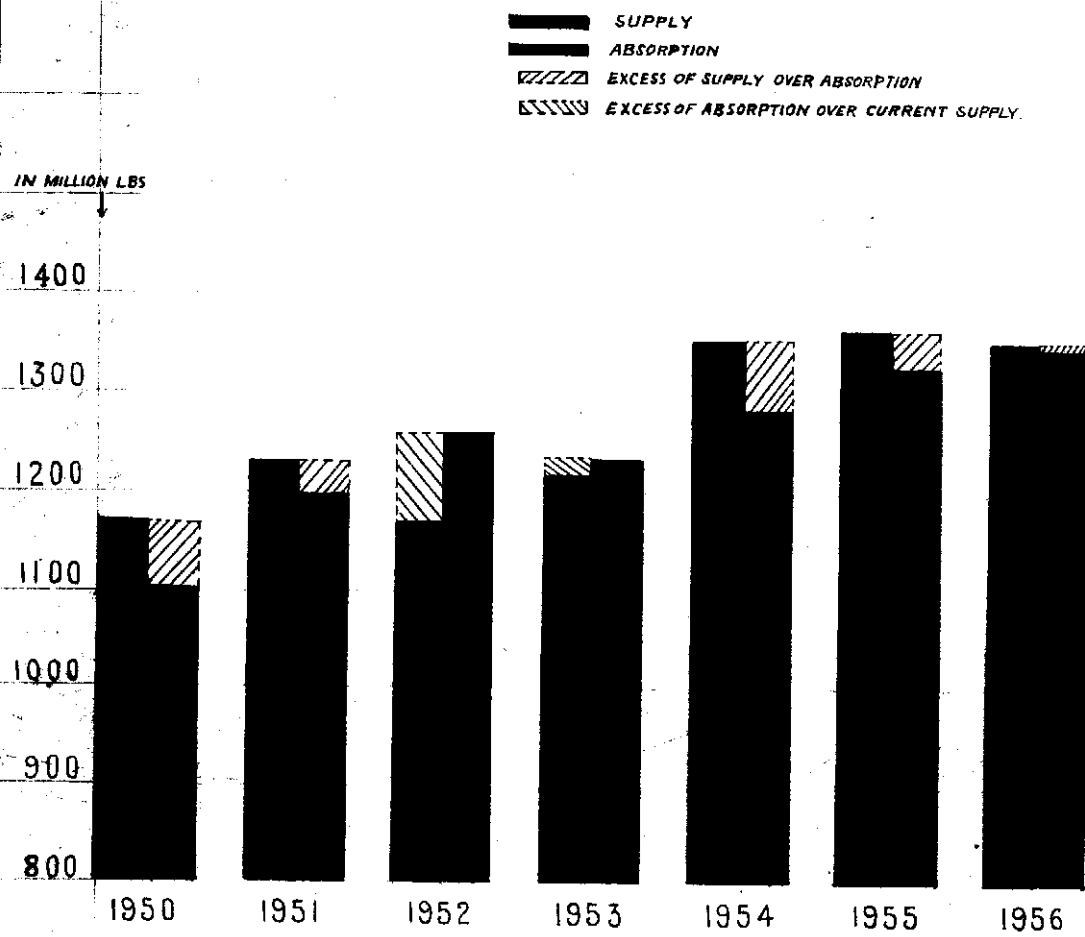


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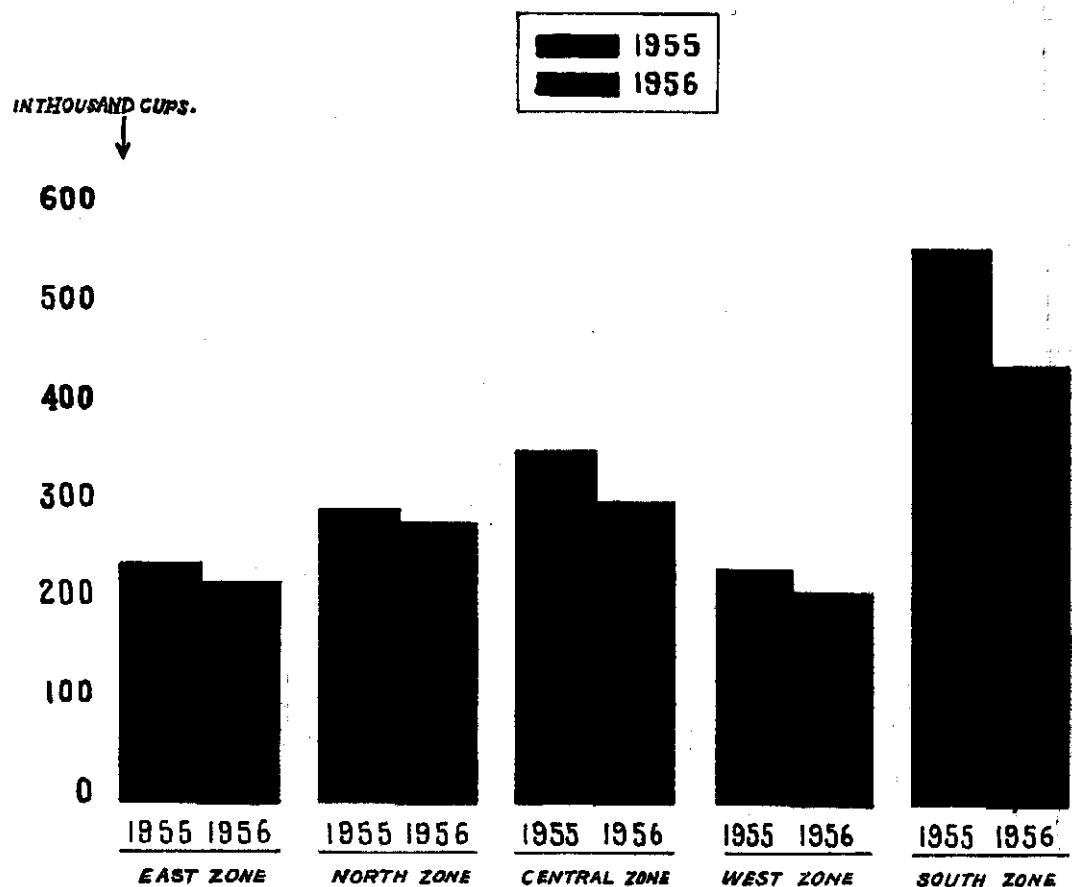


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11. TREND OF WORLD SUPPLY AND ABSORPTION.

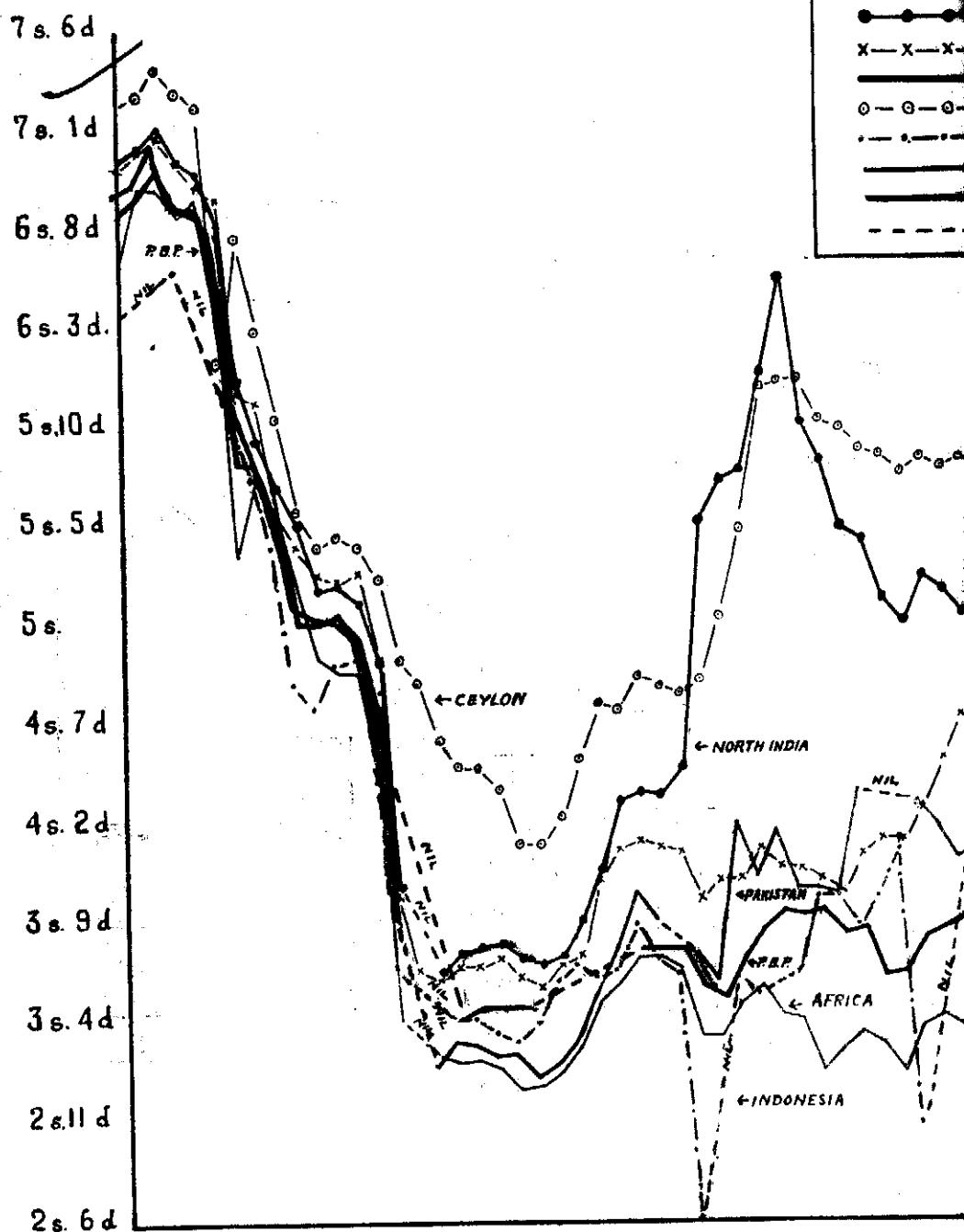


SOURCE: INTERNATIONAL TEA COMMITTEE.

12. SALE OF LIQUID TEA IN CAMPAIGN TOWNS.

13. WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES OF WITH QUOTATIONS

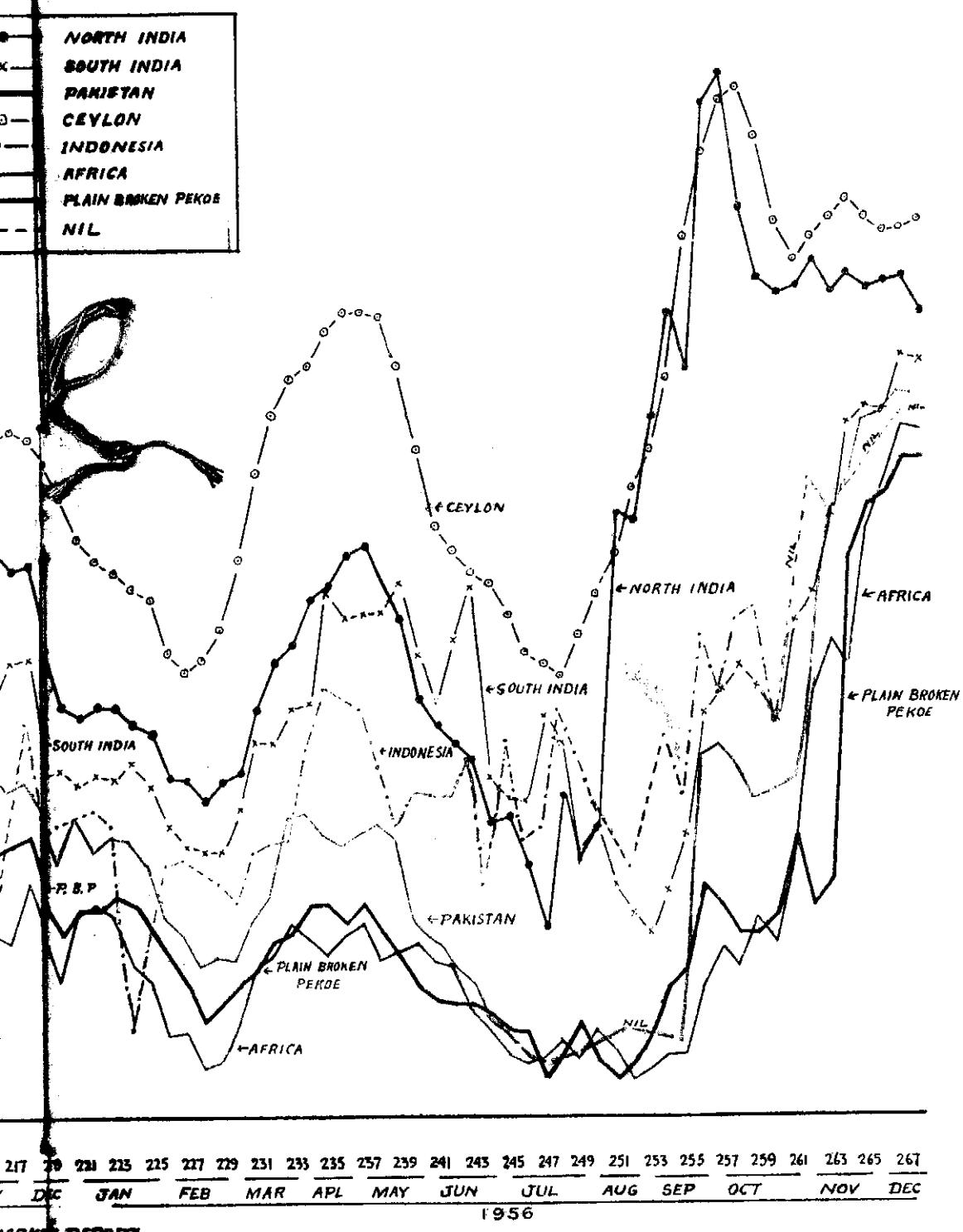
IN SHILLING & PENCE PER LB.



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TEA SOLD AT LONDON AUCTIONS FOR PLAIN BROKEN PEKOE.



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