INTRODUCTION

'Tea Statistics' published by the Statistics Branch of the Tea Board has already npleted three years of useful existence and with the publication of the present issue it will nbark on the fourth year of its life. It is our earnest hope that it will be received with the ame enthusiasm and cordiality as in the past. Economists, research workers as well as individuals and organizations interested in the study of conditions in the Tea Industry and Trade may, find the present issue more useful than its predecessors. The object of the publication remains, as before, to present in a concise form detailed information regarding different aspects of the Tea Industry and Trade in India as well as the more important basic information regarding the position of tea in other important producing and consuming countries of the world.

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 generally regarded as authentic although in some cases less dependable sources also have had to be drawn upon. It is, however, hoped that the errors due to such limitations will not vitiate to any considerable extent, the picture brought out by the figures incorporated in the publication. Nevertheless, suitable indications have been given, as far as possible, in respect of figures that have to be treated as provisional.

It has been our sincere endeavour to maintain the process of gradual growth so that every issue is more useful and informative than the preceding issue. The present issue includes 81 tables against 75 tables included in the last issue. Of the six additional tables, five are in Part I (India) viz. table 1 (iv) showing tea produced in North India in 1955 and 1956 classified as black tea and green tea, table No. 1 (vi) giving tea area as percentage of total area under cultivation and the average size of holdings in each tea-growing State of India, table No. 14 (b) showing weekly average retail prices of loose and packet teas at Calcutta during 1956 and 1957, table No. 31 showing consumer price index numbers for plantation workers and table No. 32 showing index numbers of wholesale prices of tea and other important commodities. Table No. 22 in Part II (international) showing acreage under tea in India and Ceylon classified by sizes of estates is also a new feature.

Besides these additional tables, a number of tables which were included in the last issue have been enlarged so as to give a greater amount of information or information for a larger number of years.

Ever since the inception of this publication, we have been receiving suggestions from different quarters for further enlargement of its scope and coverage. Some of these suggestions have already been accepted and implemented. Some others have had to be kept in abeyance either because their acceptance would make the publication too bulky or because the information required was not readily available or the suggestions could not immediately be given effect to due to paucity of staff. However, all the usefull suggestions that we have not yet been able to give effect to are constantly before our mind and we hope to be in a position to do better justice to them when we are properly equipped for the purpose.

The separate publication containing results of sample surveys conducted by us promised in the introduction to the last issue of 'Tea Statistics' has already been brought out in August 1957. The second issue of that publication entitled 'Tea Surveys' is expected to be available by the end of August this year. Nevertheless, a table containing the most important items of information collected through these surveys has been included in the present issue of the 'Tea Statistics' as before.

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(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	7,982	20,256
TOTAL	508,000	98,024	606,024	509,738	114,936	624,674	507,010	112,956	619,966	484,886	120,967	605,763

Month	1954			1955			1956			1957 *		
	N. India	S. India	Total	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)	(9·1)	(9·2)	(9·3)
January		6,401	6,401		8,268	8,268		7,073	7,073		8,139	8,139
February		5,749	5,749		7,835	7,835		6,668	6,668		7,573	7,573
March		10,081	10,081		9,214	9,214		9,062	9,062		11,611	11,611
April	15,961	18,968	34,929	19,181	11,023	30,204	19,791	10,083	29,874	19,559	13,404	32,963
May	38,830	17,556	56,386	33,194	17,208	50,402	34,973	20,222	55,195	26,646	16,746	43,392
June	58,468	11,434	69,902	64,101	14,501	78,602	71,601	12,116	83,717	65,197	15,313	80,510
July	77,735	8,494	86,229	80,263	7,724	87,987	81,277	7,494	88,771	80,612	9,534	90,146
August	87,152	5,303	92,455	88,267	11,296	99,563	100,586	8,877	109,463	92,132	9,718	101,850
September	89,929	11,319	101,248	93,204	9,105	102,309	95,083	9,623	104,706	93,893	12,219	106,112
October	82,435	13,119	95,554	84,867	14,187	99,054	87,732	12,597	100,329	90,604	16,512	107,116
November	51,994	9,348	61,342	62,736	10,932	73,668	47,583	12,441	60,024	47,906	13,268	61,174
December	11,060	10,758	21,818	13,236	7,659	20,895	1,428	10,681	12,109	11,809	10,655	22,464
TOTAL	513,564	128,530	642,094	539,049	128,952	668,001	540,054	126,937	666,991	528,358	144,692	673,050

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.

* Provisional.

1. (ii) Estimated Production of Tea in North and South India for 1957 by Districts.

(Figures in lbs.)

Month	NORTH INDIA								SOUTH INDIA	Grand total (North & South India)
	Assam Valley	Cachar	Darjeeling	Dooars	Terai	Bihar	All other places	All districts	All districts total	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
January									8,138,631	8,138,631
February									7,572,964	7,572,964
March									11,610,686	11,610,686
April	3,138,261	2,381,284	3,652,606	8,947,250	1,125,819	55,845	257,839	19,558,904	13,404,447	32,963,351
May	15,935,809	3,721,405	590,354	5,851,233	193,178	2,344	351,261	26,645,584	16,745,911	43,391,495
June	37,531,699	3,955,728	1,969,569	18,856,780	2,021,844	2,094	859,474	65,197,188	15,313,143	80,510,331
July	51,023,633	6,164,247	2,629,798	17,530,992	2,155,845	45,044	1,062,687	80,612,246	9,533,554	90,145,800
August	58,445,936	6,265,118	2,590,279	20,564,398	3,014,880	36,421	1,214,542	92,131,574	9,718,163	101,849,737
September	58,010,193	5,803,643	2,750,626	22,913,488	3,143,470	33,406	1,237,758	93,892,584	12,219,080	106,111,664
October	57,023,475	6,201,131	1,321,742	21,656,327	3,178,954	28,132	1,194,407	90,604,168	16,512,047	107,116,215
November	28,990,706	3,274,843	392,083	12,772,495	1,835,441	9,210	631,534	47,906,312	13,268,057	61,174,369
December	5,027,696	1,643,813	86,918	4,234,943	659,019	1,256	155,679	11,809,324	10,655,362	22,464,686
Total :	315,127,408	39,411,212	15,983,975	133,327,906	17,328,450	213,752	6,965,181	528,357,884	144,692,045	673,049,929

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	1957 *
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
Assam	256,886	269,267	325,409	331,510	335,152	321,661	345,307	367,379	369,770	354,539
West Bengal	109,283	112,232	179,597	172,308	158,649	160,458	167,019	164,097	166,559	166,640
Bihar	291	267	2,426	2,420	2,191	2,388	2,297	2,334	2,051	214
Tripura	3,187	2,954	4,402	4,129	3,284	3,800	4,544	4,658	4,730	6,965
Uttar Pradesh	1,862	1,718	1,796	1,987	1,726	1,384	2,028	2,131	1,865	
Punjab (Kangra)	2,779	2,807	1,992	2,228	2,460	1,757	2,003	2,036	2,426	2,426
Himachal Pradesh (Mandi)	101	99	219	251	229	231	283	292	237	155
Madras & Coorg	37,653	36,950	46,835	55,612	54,679	64,154	66,382	74,226	62,164 (a)	64,466 (a)
Mysore	1,045	991	1,519	1,927	1,933	2,014	2,151	2,543	3,047 (b)	3,532 (b)
Travancore-Cochin	36,494	38,819	49,159	56,825	54,062	56,751	59,464	58,675	67,761 (c)	76,694 (c)
TOTAL :	449,581	466,104	613,354	629,197	614,365	614,598	651,478	678,371	680,610	675,631

The figures upto 1956 are actual production based on the reports received from the gardens registered with the Licensing Committee. Figures for 1957 are however based on estimates of the I. T. A and U. P. A. S. I with addition of figures in respect of Kangra and Mandi as received from local authorities.

a) The figures relate to the reorganised State of Madras.
b) Includes Coorg.
c) Relates to the new State of Kerala.

† Includes Pakistan.
* Provisional.

1. (iv) Statement Showing the Production of Green and Black Tea in North India during the Years 1955 & 1956.

(Quantity in lbs.)

Districts.	1955			1956		
	Black	Green	Total	Black	Green	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Darrang	65,024,861	184,308	65,209,169	66,075,972	567,615	66,643,587
Goalpara	3,480,951	64,680	3,545,631	3,095,028	203,053	3,298,081
Kamrup	2,411,756	422,201	2,833,957	2,590,450	386,584	2,977,034
Lakhimpur	138,322,944	—	138,322,944	141,335,288	9,742	141,345,030
Nowgong	11,986,197	—	11,986,197	11,142,498	—	11,142,498
Sibsagar	102,364,603	—	102,364,603	100,855,103	380,009	101,235,112
Cachar	43,115,764	378	43,116,142	42,989,739	139,258	43,128,997
Total Assam	366,707,076	671,567	367,378,643	368,084,078	1,686,261	369,770,339
Darjeeling	15,743,053	133,728	15,876,781	16,416,505	44,670	16,461,175
Dooars	132,353,146	859,893	133,213,039	133,104,308	1,232,309	134,336,617
Terai	13,486,128	1,252,811	14,738,939	13,578,583	1,953,527	15,532,110
Cooch Bihar	268,389	—	268,389	229,299	—	229,299
Total West Bengal	161,850,716	2,246,432	164,097,148	163,328,695	3,230,506	166,559,201
Tripura	4,042,952	615,442	4,658,394	3,968,061	761,973	4,730,034
Bihar	1,956,870	377,159	2,334,029	1,792,335	258,265	2,050,600
Uttar Pradesh	208,061	1,923,133	2,131,194	174,369	1,690,800	1,865,169
Punjab (Kangra Valley)	381,594	1,654,216	2,035,810	280,299	2,145,997	2,426,296
Himachal Pradesh (Mandi)	292	291,739	292,031	386	236,235	236,621
TOTAL	535,147,561	7,779,688	542,927,249	537,628,223	10,010,037	547,638,260

1. (v) Acreage and production of Tea in the Tea growing districts of North India and South India classified according to the sizes of the estates for 1956.

(a) NORTH INDIA

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	—	—	—	10	654·30	152,163	12	2,649·99	1,884,939
Goalpara	—	—	—	2	150·00	—	2	488·35	215,745
Kamrup	2	9·42	—	7	610·25	87,335	4	1,006·60	331,589
Lakhimpur	14	88·23	37,388	40	2,788·59	1,895,622	38	8,336·24	9,079,869
Nowgong	—	—	—	6	366·08	226,628	3	834·34	629,208
Sibsagar	32	145·51	47,213	100	7,242·32	4,234,483	41	8,695·02	4,639,885
Cachar				18	1,605·88	389,296	12	3,112·79	1,013,676
Total Assam	48	243·16	84,601	183	13,417·42	6,985,527	112	25,123·33	17,794,911
Darjeeling	6	33·00	17,248	10	893·94	193,265	15	3,528·52	1,402,398
Dooars	—	—	—	1	22·50	4,999	10	2,633·75	2,162,423
Terai	—	—	—	1	60·00	27,347	10	2,185·68	1,307,092
Cooch Bihar	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total West Bengal	6	33·00	17,248	12	976·44	225,611	35	8,347·95	4,871,913
Tripura	1	9·00	1,701	12	1,275·57	290,109	33	7,103·87	2,930,875
Bihar	—	—	—	1	105·00	14,289	—	—	—
Uttar Pradesh	1	6·00	622	33	1,939·37	382,134	6	1,230·23	400,386
Punjab (Kangra)*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—
Himachal Pradesh (Mandi)*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—
Grand Total	56	291·16	104,172	241	17,713·80	7,897,670	186	41,805·38	25,998,085

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	7,720·74	6,896,826	62	52,751·20	57,709,659	103	63,676·23	66,643,587
Goalpara	4	1,425·90	1,052,760	3	1,682·35	2,029,576	11	3,746·60	3,298,081
Kamrup	4	1,626·78	1,132,048	2	1,543·81	1,426,062	19	4,796·86	2,977,034
Lakhimpur	39	15,331·99	19,227,654	105	90,817·69	111,104,497	236	117,362·74	141,345,030
Nawgong	3	1,279·57	1,094,896	10	10,433·67	9,191,766	22	12,913·66	11,142,498
Sibsagar	17	7,093·65	5,772,092	95	88,299·66	86,541,439	285	111,476·16	101,235,112
Cachar	22	9,389·07	5,007,741	63	58,911·95	36,718,284	115	73,019·69	43,128,997
Total Assam	108	43,867·70	40,184,017	340	304,440·33	304,721;283	791	387,091·94	369,770,339
Darjeeling	33	13,116·00	4,571,063	29	23,378·75	10,277,201	93	40,950·21	16,461,175
Dooars	15	5,870·55	4,652,519	133	124.637·65	127,516,676	159	134,164·45	134,336,617
Terai	16	6,411·56	4,493,669	18	12,958·69	9,704,002	45	21,615·93	15,532,110
Cooch Bihar	1	405·26	229,299	—	—	—	1	405·26	229,299
Total West Bengal	65	25,803·37	13,946,550	180	160,975·09	147,497,879	298	196,135·85	166,559,201
Tripura	10	3,566·11	1,507,349	—	—	—	56	11,954·55	4,730,034
Bihar	4	1,727·52	619,750	3	1,849·67	1,416,561	8	3,682·19	2,050,600
Uttar Pradesh	3	1,254·05	238,862	3	1,850·00	843,165	46	6,279·65	1,865,169
Punjab (Kangra)*	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,157	9,606·92	2,426,296
Himachal Pradesh (Mandi)*	—	—	—	—	—	—	226	1,045·76	236,621
Grand Total	190	76,218·75	56,496,528	526	469,115·09	454,478,888	2,582	615,796·86	547,638,260

Note : (1) Numbers of estates and acreges relate to those on 31st March, 1957.
(2) Production figures shown relates to Calender year 1956.
* Break down figures for Kangra and Mandi according to the size of the estates are not available.

(Continued)

(b) SOUTH INDIA

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)
Kanyakumari	1	4·97	4,211	2	164·67	104,235	2	439·95	200,314
Tinnevelly	—	—	—	1	22·00	246	—	—	—
Madurai	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	443·11	103,840
Coimbatore	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nilgires	20	114·84	298,793	137	6,551,92	562,699	28	6,122·85	4,607,516
Nilgires small growers	2,969	6,919·38	4,102,711	128	1,910·14	853,786	—	—	—
Total of Madras State	2,990	7,039·19	4,405,715	268	8,648·73	1,520,966	32	7,005·91	4,911,670
Kadur	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Coorg	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chickmaglur	—	—	—	3	237·60	37,218	2	474·28	162,607
Total of Mysore State	—	—	—	3	237·60	37,218	2	474·28	162,607
Trichur	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	300·00	256,800
Trivandrum	—	—	—	1	120·97	27,765	1	238·54	148,877
Quilon	4	26·12	2,327	11	884·11	132,166	7	1,547·31	549,013
Malabar	—	—	—	12	676·11	259,391	4	1,000·91	806,702
Kottayam	20	127·29	47,514	64	2,893·54	867,128	26	5,872·24	3,253,083
Travancore small growers	902	908·66	208,435	16	253·33	30,078	—	—	—
Total of Kerala State	926	1,062·07	258,276	104	4,828·06	1,316,528	39	8,959·00	5,014,475
Grand Total	3,916	8,101·26	4,663,991	375	13,714·39	2,874,712	73	16,439·19	10,088,752

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)
Kanyakumari	1	500·00	188,585	—	—	—	6	1,109·59	497,345
Tinnevelly	1	315·00	91,830	1	563·00	488,273	3	900·00	580,799
Madurai	2	651·27	716,829	—	—	—	4	1,094·38	820,669
Coimbatore	4	1,673·06	1,581,490	30	23,737·25	24,525,150	34	25,410·31	26,106,640
Nilgiris	20	7,520·86	4,959,531	18	17,325·03	14,219,816	223	37,635·50	24,648,355
Nilgiris small growers	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,097	8,829·52	4,956,497
Total of Madras State	28	10,660·19	7,538,265	49	41,625·28	39,233,689	3,367	74,979·30	57,610,305
Kadur	—	—	—	1	1,107·20	924,981	1	1,107·20	924,981
Coorg	1	432·08	319,229	—	—	—	1	432·08	319,229
Chickmaglur	4	1,747·07	1,224,455	1	579·00	378,317	10	3,037·95	1,802,597
Total of Mysore State	5	2,179·15	1,543,684	2	1,686·20	1,303,298	12	4,577·23	3,046,807
Trichur	—	—	—	2	1,672·90	2,215,267	3	1,972·90	2,472,067
Trivandrum	1	338·18	184,926	3	2,122·53	1,523,338	6	2,820·22	1,884,906
Quilon	3	1,109·90	636,866	6	5,204·26	3,621,825	31	8,771·70	4,582,197
Malabar	5	2,208·69	1,410,228	12	10,004·41	8,693,870	33	13,890·12	11,170,191
Kottayam	17	6,983·83	5,463,551	65	52,685·34	37,293,199	192	68,562·24	46,924,475
Travancore small growers	—	—	—	—	—	—	918	1,161·99	238,513
Total of Kerala State	26	10,640·60	7,695,571	88	71,689·44	52,987,499	1,183	97,179·17	67,272,349
Grand Total	59	23,479·94	16,777,520	139	115,000·92	93,524,486	4,562	176,735·70	127,929,461

Note : (1) Number of estates and acreage relate to those on 31st March, 1957.

(2) Production figures shown relate to Calender year 1956 classified by estates of different sizes. The actual production of tea according to the R. T. 3 returns submitted by the factories during 1956 is 132,971,814 lbs for which no detailed statement according to the sizes of estates is now available.

1. (vi) Area under cultivation of Tea, average size of holdings and average yield per acre in each State for 1956.

States	Area under tea as on 31.3.57 (Acres)	No of estates	Average size of holdings (Acres)	Production of tea during 1956 in thousand lbs.	Average yield per acre in lb.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Assam	387,091·94	791	489·37	369,770	955·25
West Bengal	196,135·85	298	658·17	166,559	849·20
Bihar	3,682·19	8	460·27	2,051	557·01
Tripura	11,954·55	56	213·47	4,730	395·67
Uttar Pradesh	6,279·65	46	136·51	1,865	296·99
Punjab (Kangra)	9,606·92	1,157	8·30	2,426	252·53
Himachal Pradesh (Mandi)	1,045·76	226	4·63	237	266·29
Madras	74,979·30	3,367	22·27	62,164	829·08
Mysore	4,577·23	12	381·44	3,047	665·69
Kerala	97,179·17	1,183	82·15	67,761	697·28
Total :	792,532·56	7,144	110·94	680,610	858·78

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	1956-57*
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Assam	442,656·61	383,276·38	384,678·04	384,992·98	385,459·36	386,096·94	387,277·47	387,335·60	387,091·94
West Bengal	202,922·18	196,655·83	196,644·17	196,647·68	196,339·73	196,603·64	196,405·79	195,791·73	196,135·85
Bihar	3,820·24	4,009·93	4,063·18	4,063·18	4,075·78	4,137·38	4,161·44	4,163·99	3,682·19
Tripura	11,071·82	11,724·51	11,794·93	11,742·67	11,905·36	12,011·74	12,021·74	12,053·55	11,954·55
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	6,279·65
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	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	1,045·76
Madras & Coorg	78,198·85	81,721·54	82,470·58	83,941·09	84,917·59	85,867·92	86,673·22	87,115·85 (a)	74,979·30 (a)
Mysore	4,208·57	4,196·57	4,198·57	4,208·62	4,218·64	4,224·64	4,211·76	4,643·84 (b)	4,577·23 (b)
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 (c)	97,179·17 (c)
Total :	844,313·71	779,998·42	782,998·13	785,584·24	787,378·27	789,441·67	791,321·41	792,184·62	792,532·56

(a) The figures relate to the reorganised State of Madras. (b) Includes Coorg. (c) Relates to the new State of Kerala.
† 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	1956-57†
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Assam	872	788	785	787	789	788	788	788	791
West Bengal	316	297	296	296	296	296	296	297	298
Bihar	4	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	8
Tripura	54	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	56
Uttar Pradesh	41	45	45	45	45	45	46	46	46
Punjab (Kangra)	776	863	918	927	912	1,135	1,125	1,155	1,157
Himachal Pradesh (Mandi)	201	175	197	189	184	226	226	225	226
Madras & Coorg	2,348	2,684	2,772	2,794	2,829	2,872	2,901	3,094 (a)	3,367 (a)
Mysore	11	12	12	12	12	12	12	13 (b)	12 (b)
Travancore-Cochin	1,234	1,117	1,125	1,126	1,131	1,136	1,146	1,158 (c)	1,183 (c)
Total :	5,857	6,045	6,214	6,240	6,262	6,574	6,604	6,840	7,144

(a) The figures relate to the reorganised State of Madras. (b) Includes Coorg. (c) Relates to the new State of Kerala.
* Including 134 tea estates now in Pakistan. † Provisional.

4. Arrival of North Indian Tea in Calcutta Port.

(Figures in chests)

Month*	1952-53				1953-54				1954-55			
	Rail	River	Air	Total	Rail	River	Air	Total	Rail	River	Air	Total
(1)	(2)				(3)				(4)			
April	4,732	15,637	2,851	23,220	23,391	25,033	7,859	56,283	5,233	3,876	3,036	12,145
May	41,544	69,834	11,577	122,955	48,608	39,791	5,744	94,143	24,130	36,751	14,114	74,995
June	74,945	147,288	9,380	231,613	39,150	115,755	6,022	160,927	61,909	146,498	10,946	219,353
July	64,178	282,870	12,803	359,851	76,594	290,894	9,331	376,819	98,543	443,696	16,696	558,935
August	139,271	479,777	19,908	638,956	156,873	405,942	12,468	575,283	32,997	424,360	20,357	477,714
September	105,153	398,448	13,607	517,208	105,037	538,674	9,715	653,426	68,196	439,550	21,283	529,029
October	110,524	367,500	12,820	490,844	168,889	540,086	12,063	721,038	104,966	658,057	24,800	787,823
November	159,105	214,732	14,664	388,501	118,179	443,679	7,862	569,720	117,940	406,823	15,733	540,496
December	117,023	368,573	9,072	494,668	111,974	489,259	7,486	608,719	199,932	398,855	23,814	622,601
January	101,768	459,649	8,336	569,753	89,856	316,890	7,511	414,257	95,933	205,271	15,663	316,867
February	47,724	258,583	7,663	313,970	29,137	65,359	3,958	98,454	52,541	146,908	8,825	208,274
March	13,107	186,714	5,033	204,854	1,314	8,487	1,086	10,887	9,206	101,427	2,277	112,910
TOTAL :—	979,074	3,249,605	127,714	4,356,393	969,002	3,279,849	91,105	4,339,956	871,526	3,412,072	177,544	4,461,142

Month*	1955-56				1956-57				1957-58			
	Rail	River	Air	Total	Rail	River	Air	Total	Rail	River	Air	Total
(1)	(2)				(3)				(4)			
April	7,967	1,903	4,434	14,304	15,615	13,788	5,910	35,313	3,304	3,059	3,968	10,331
May	27,600	34,793	11,158	73,551	31,100	27,570	9,287	67,957	31,880	14,397	10,169	56,446
June	38,322	172,685	16,556	227,563	43,880	151,256	7,807	202,943	28,110	109,311	8,223	145,644
July	69,532	285,542	16,421	371,495	57,451	243,859	16,528	317,838	133,315	376,974	27,577	537,866
August	98,846	442,000	34,176	575,022	93,543	575,989	22,430	691,962	99,992	351,584	31,823	483,399
September	101,831	433,260	27,499	562,590	93,639	529,384	19,195	642,218	144,209	434,492	26,025	604,726
October	102,300	541,504	19,434	663,238	213,339	404,031	22,117	639,487	127,986	585,548	20,709	734,243
November	159,026	454,871	18,812	632,709	200,246	403,970	18,814	623,030	156,186	477,237	14,903	648,326
December	134,280	334,374	18,826	487,480	140,678	364,426	19,880	524,984	161,381	283,974	13,275	458,630
January	82,075	222,685	12,493	317,253	138,929	482,573	17,661	639,163	148,853	365,856	11,666	526,375
February	71,077	365,532	17,989	454,598	18,574	162,043	7,557	188,174	28,571	84,210	8,028	120,809
March	59,503	116,536	8,889	184,928	4,166	6,176	3,126	14,168	10,229	12,302	1,846	24,377
TOTAL :—	952,359	3,405,685	206,687	4,564,731	1,051,860	3,365,065	170,312	4,587,237	1,074,016	3,098,944	178,212	4,351,172

* 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	1957-58
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
April	205,480	412,207	250,135	85,605	103,498	453,058	173,365
May	143,419	256,034	194,217	60,791	100,008	244,025	119,213
June	193,782	233,728	187,763	159,147	173,469	202,639	121,404
July	332,898	353,364	284,048	330,506	279,567	259,784	286,748
August	515,957	512,478	378,480	392,032	395,395	370,872	340,762
September	598,390	540,477	544,231	496,216	534,322	560,281	449,524
October	679,431	510,175	647,670	720,462	731,999	655,830	642,735
November	670,793	489,786	638,605	701,619	924,471	748,559	812,307
December	600,759	653,851	648,844	678,575	1,014,294	749,555	827,163
January	710,982	737,844	592,771	543,928	973,836	846,751	946,552
February	714,468	638,847	332,022	352,944	910,678	608,218	769,516
March	584,114	437,253	188,613	192,170	728,895	334,349	493,401

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
1957-58	223,384	85,819	309,203

6. (b) COCHIN

Year	Export	Consumption in India	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(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
1957	37,872	14,345	52,217

6. (c) LONDON

Year	North India	South India	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(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
1957	159,003	34,627	193,630

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

Source :—1951 to 1954—International Tea Committee.

,, 1955 to 1957—London Tea Market Reports.

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

(a) Calcutta

(i) For Export

Season	Assam	Cachar	Darjeeling	Dooars	Terai	Tripura	Other places	Total
	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
1938—39	0·62	0·55	0·80	0·57	0·55	Nil	Nil	0·60
1949—50	1·98	1·66	2·34	1·69	1·70	1·54	Nil	1·93
1950—51	2·11	1·73	2·64	1·79	1·81	1·68	1·70	2·05
1951—52	1·83	1·41	2·10	1·52	1·49	1·26	Ni	1·72
1952—53	1·58	0·92	1·82	1·16	1·14	1·02	0·92	1·41
1953—54	2·05	1·84	2·40	1·88	1·93	1·85	2·25	1·99
1954—55	3·18	2·80	3·52	2·96	3·21	2·99	Nil	3·09
1955—56	2·16	1·68	2·47	1·77	1·70	1·51	1·21	2·02
1956—57	2·55	1·91	2·99	2·12	2·08	1·80	1·82	2·37
1957—58	2·30	1·72	2·91	1·82	1·74	1·67	1·83	2·10

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

Season	Assam	Cachar	Darjeeling	Dooars	Terai	Tripura	Green Teas	Other places	Total Dust
	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
1948—49									1·39
1949—50									1·49
1950—51									1·69
1951—52									1·61
1952—53	1·52	1·14	1·58	1·21	1·21	0·94	0·43	0·55	1·38
1953—54	1·92	1·77	1·91	1·76	1·80	1·68	1·03	1·78	1·84
1954—55	2·47	2·20	2·45	2·24	2·27	2·02	1·45	1·45	2·38
1955—56	2·08	1·74	2·00	1·69	1·62	1·32	1·70	1·47	1·94
1956—57	2·12	1·75	2·04	1·88	1·78	1·50	0·59	1·57	2·03
1957—58	1·97	1·60	2·03	1·64	1·58	1·55	0·59	1·60	1·86

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

Season	Assam	Cachar	Darjeeling	Dooars	Teral	Tripura	Green Tea	Other places	Total leaf
	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
1938—39	0·26	0·24	0·33	0·25	0·23	0·20		0·21	0·25
1948—49	1·19	0·95	1·70	1·07	1·06	1·00		1·33	1·20
1949—50	1·45	1·31	1·66	1·38	1·38	1·33		1·38	1·41
1950—51	1·49	1·41	1·70	1·44	1·47	1·43		1·73	1·46
1951—52	1·11	1·03	1·99	0·95	0·98	1·05		1·47	1·10
1952—53	0·94	0·73	2·00	0·94	1·16	0·90	1·47	0·73	1·10
1953—54	1·82	1·76	1·98	1·72	1·74	1·81	1·86	—	1·78
1954—55	2·31	2·04	2·31	2·14	2·14	2·05	2·36	2·30	2·23
1955—56	1·19	1·06	2·22	1·04	1·08	1·05	2·28	1·58	1·20
1956—57	1·57	1·31	2·29	1·46	1·45	1·31	1·48	1·54	1·57
1957—58	1·42	1·30	2·40	1·24	1·30	1·29	1·68	1·40	1·42

7. (b) COCHIN

Year	Export Rs. nP.	Consumption in India	
		Leaf Rs. nP.	Dust Rs. nP.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1948	1·45	1·64	1·57
1949	1·75	1·68	1·52
1950	2·08	1·74	1·64
1951	1·97	1·85	1·79
1952	1·60	1·35	1·31
1953	1·91	1·66	1·49
1954	2·82	2·28	2·14
1955	2·30	2·16	1·96
1956	2·23	1·96	1·74
1957	1·93	1·65	1·61

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
1957	4	8·57	3	9·07	4	7·00

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		1,334,994	440,922	755,884	2,531,800	1,266,122	385,635	718,731	2,370,470

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(iii) Season : 1955-56

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	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		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		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	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
April	,,	54,598	12,654	94,999	162,251	52,787	12,514	87,666	152,967
May	,,	—	1,492	80,778	82,270	—	1,441	73,962	75,403
June	,,	—	—	20,389	20,389	—	—	19,614	19,614
Total		2,110,061	87,470	936,780	3,134,311	1,907,582	77,287	793,601	2,778,470

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

(v) Season : 1957-58

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	1957	60,257	498	29,873	90,628	47,731	257	11,865	59,853
July	,,	141,612	1,885	49,979	193,476	120,322	1,417	42,284	164,023
August	,,	223,971	4,434	71,429	299,834	202,896	3,991	67,438	274,325
September	,,	249,089	7,457	79,611	336,157	215,264	6,332	75,399	296,995
October	,,	178,597	8,298	58,322	245,217	158,868	8,074	56,672	223,614
November	,,	221,103	12,604	70,811	304,518	198,194	11,642	65,772	275,608
December	,,	188,205	6,492	59,975	254,672	146,159	6,194	54,565	206,918
January	1958	239,215	8,756	77,874	325,845	217,494	8,453	74,051	299,998
February	,,	241,354	12,124	77,731	331,209	223,433	11,406	71,737	306,576
March	,,	289,800	24,127	98,727	412,654	265,698	22,038	92,685	380,421
April	,,	206,883	21,202	99,598	327,683	213,739	22,271	101,530	337,540
May	,,	—	1,729	79,047	80,776	—	1,646	80,530	82,176
June	,,	—	414	21,173	21,587	—	414	19,184	19,598
Total		2,240,086	110,020	874,150	3,224,256	2,009,798	104,135	813,712	2,927,645

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

(i) For Export

SEASON—1956-57

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam Rs. nP.	Cachar Rs. nP.	Darjeeling Rs. nP.	Dooars Rs. nP.	Terai Rs. nP.	Tripura Rs. nP.	All other places Rs. nP.	Total Rs. nP.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
1	11th June ... ... '56	2·36	1·63	2·45	2·07	1·88	1·51	—	2·18
2	18th June ... ... '56	2·53	1·57	2·57	1·85	2·08	1·52	—	2·14
3	25th June ... ... '56	2·55	1·51	2·12	1·66	1·75	1·47	—	1·97
4	2nd July ... ... '56	2·79	1·49	2·52	1·70	1·61	1·44	—	2·05
5	9th July ... ... '56	3·29	1·50	2·89	1·73	1·64	1·42	—	2·59
6	16th July ... ... '56	3·22	1·53	2·97	1·74	1·71	1·53	1·57	2·52
7	24th July ... ... '56	3·55	1·59	4·31	1·88	1·89	1·63	—	2·89
8	30th July ... ... '56	3·34	1·51	4·39	1·75	1·80	1·44	1·42	2·77
9	6th August ... ... '56	3·42	1·50	4·67	1·82	1·89	1·57	1·93	2·69
10	13th August ... '56	3·22	1·61	4·48	1·92	1·77	1·48	—	2·80
11	20th August ... '56	3·22	1·71	3·35	1·96	1·84	1·60	1·44	2·66
12	27th August ... '56	3·07	1·68	3·15	1·93	1·84	1·54	—	2·61
13	3rd September ... '56	2·90	1·72	2·92	1·93	1·85	1·58	—	2·51
14	10th September... '56	2·79	1·73	3·00	1·92	1·97	1·71	1·45	2·43
15	17th September... '56	2·71	1·67	2·82	1·89	1·83	1·65	1·57	2·36
16	24th September... '56	2·84	1·76	2·71	1·97	1·98	1·59	1·60	2·57
17	4th October ... '56	2·88	1·91	2·71	2·11	2·10	1·81	—	2·63
18	22nd October ... '56	2·85	1·96	2·79	2·14	2·05	1·79	1·67	2·56
19	29th October ... '56	2·72	1·95	2·71	2·05	2·06	1·76	1·77	2·42
20	5th November ... '56	2·68	1·96	3·01	2·14	2·08	1·72	—	2·50
21	12th November... '56	2·70	2·08	3·05	2·29	2·21	1·86	1·76	2·53
22	19th November... '56	2·78	2·24	3·06	2·35	2·33	2·07	—	2·51
23	26th & 27th Nov. '56	2·74	2·39	3·26	2·49	2·43	2·21	—	2·60
24	3rd & 4th Dec. ... '56	2·69	2·29	3·04	2·44	2·38	2·16	—	2·53
25	10th & 11th Dec. '56	2·70	2·28	3·17	2·43	2·34	2·16	2·77	2·57
26	17th & 18th Dec. '56	2·72	2·28	3·17	2·47	2·39	2·18	2·01	2·60
27	2nd & 3rd Jan, ... '57	2·57	2·21	2·73	2·43	2·32	2·06	—	2·51
28	7th & 8th Jan. ... '57	2·53	2·21	2·93	2·34	2·30	2·06	2·12	2·45

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(i) For Export

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam Rs. nP.	Cachar Rs. nP.	Darjeeling Rs. nP.	Dooars Rs. nP.	Terai Rs. nP.	Tripura Rs. nP.	All other places Rs. nP.	Total Rs. nP.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
29	14th & 15th Jan. ... '57	2·48	2·19	2·86	2·33	2·23	1·99	1·88	2·42
30	21st & 22nd Jan. ... '57	2·30	2·07	2·82	2·22	2·14	1·88	—	2·26
31	29th January ... '57	2·32	2·01	2·67	2·10	2·10	1·83	—	2·22
32	4th February ... '57	2·21	1·97	2·68	2·07	2·05	1·86	—	2·18
33	11th February ... '57	2·22	1·91	2·59	2·05	2·03	1·88	1·83	2·16
34	18th February ... '57	2·08	1·82	2·47	1·93	1·95	1·75	—	2·04
35	25th February ... '57	2·09	1·88	2·31	1·94	1·93	1·78	2·26	2·04
36	4th March ... ... '57	2·07	1·85	2·20	1·89	1·93	1·79	—	2·00
37	11th March ... ... '57	1·92	1·75	2·20	1·77	1·81	1·71	1·74	1·86
38	18th March ... ... '57	1·84	1·68	1·91	1·70	1·74	1·63	—	1·80
39	25th March ... ... '57	1·75	1·64	1·82	1·68	1·56	1·57	1·56	1·72
40	2nd April ... ... '57		No	Sale					
41	8th & 9th April ... '57	1·60	1·52	1·88	1·51	1·45	1·31	—	1·58
42	16th April ... ... '57		No	Sale					
43	23rd April ... ... '57		,,	,,					
44	30th April ... ... '57		,,	,,					
45	7th May ... ... '57		,,	,,					
46	14th May ... ... '57		,,	,,					
47	21st May ... ... '57		,,	,,					
48	28th May ... ... '57		,,	,,					
49	4th June ... ... '57		,,	,,					
	Total Average	2·55	1·91	2·99	2·12	2·08	1·80	1·82	2·37

(i) For Export

SEASON—1957-58

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam Rs. nP.	Cachar Rs. nP.	Darjeeling Rs. nP.	Doors Rs. nP.	Terai Rs. nP.	Tripura Rs. nP.	All other places Rs. nP.	Total Rs. nP.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
1	10th June '57	2·08	1·65	2·40	1·91	1·84	1·76	2·48	2·00
2	17th June '57	2·14	1·71	2·50	1·85	1·84	1·53	1·65	2·06
3	24th June '57	2·58	1·67	2·42	1·84	1·70	1·72	2·23	2·10
4	1st July '57	3·01	1·86	3·33	2·12	1·96	1·96	—	2·57
5	8th July '57	3·10	1·92	4·55	2·27	2·07	1·90	—	2·65
6	15th July '57	3·46	1·92	4·68	2·18	2·04	2·01	—	2·98
7	22nd July '57	3·39	1·88	5·51	2·19	2·10	1·94	—	2·86
8	29th July '57	3·31	1·76	4·16	2·05	2·04	1·83	2·37	2·88
9	5th & 6th August '57	3·09	1·70	3·97	1·89	1·81	1·71	—	2·60
10	12th & 13th August '57	2·81	1·72	3·73	1·91	1·88	1·69	1·60	2·37
11	19th August '57	2·84	1·77	3·34	1·92	1·81	1.78	2·19	2·51
12	26th & 27th August '57	3·08	1·80	3·32	1·94	1·90	1·82	—	2·48
13	2nd & 3rd September '57	2·82	1·74	3·30	1·93	1·79	1·68	1·81	2·45
14	9th & 10th September '57	2·95	1·71	3·25	1·86	1·80	1·70	—	2·59
15	16th & 17th Sept. '57	2·60	1·71	2·81	1·83	1·79	1·74	1·54	2·24
16	24th & 25th Sept. '57	2·49	1·66	2·74	1·79	1·77	1·66	—	2·13
17	14th & 15th October '57	2·47	1·71	2·95	1·82	1·79	1·81	—	2·21
18	21st October '57	2·47	1·64	3·03	1·77	1·77	1·72	1·83	2·18
19	28th & 29th October '57	2·36	1·60	2·78	1·76	1·86	1·61	1·79	2·10
20	4th & 5th November '57	2·49	1·71	2·86	1·82	1·79	1·70	—	2·27

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(i) For Export

SEASON—1957-58

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam Rs. nP.	Cachar Rs. nP.	Darjeeling Rs. nP.	Dooars Rs. nP.	Terai Rs. nP.	Tripura Rs. nP.	All other places Rs. nP.	Total Rs. nP.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
21	11th November '57	2·34	1·80	2·64	1·84	1·88	1·75	—	2·11
22	18th November '57	2·44	1·76	2·80	1·91	1·93	1·82	—	2·19
23	25th & 26th Nov. '57	2·24	1·75	2·66	1·88	1·96	1·89	—	2·09
24	2nd & 3rd Dec. '57	2·17	1·65	2·55	1·83	1·86	1·67	1·80	2·05
25	9th & 10th Dec. '57	2·03	1·57	2·31	1·69	1·69	1·66	—	1·92
26	16th & 17th Dec. '57	1·96	1·58	2·32	1·63	1·62	1·63	2·04	1·85
27	6th & 7th January '58	1·96	1·64	2·35	1·71	1·75	1·63	1·78	1·89
28	13th & 14th January '58	1·95	1·69	2·44	1·75	1·76	1·68	—	1·89
29	20th January '58	2·00	1·68	2·36	1·74	1·77	1·66	1·57	1·90
30	27th & 28th January '58	1·97	1·65	2·51	1·73	1·69	1·67	—	1·86
31	3rd & 4th February '58	1·98	1·65	2·41	1·71	1·66	1·59	—	1·85
32	10th & 11th February '58	1·96	1·66	2·49	1·73	1·73	1·60	—	1·89
33	17th & 18th Feb. '58	1·99	1·62	2·75	1·73	1·71	1·65	—	1·91
34	24th & 25th Feb. '58	1·96	1·60	2·88	1·70	1·69	1·57	—	1·88
35	3rd & 4th March '58	1·90	1·62	2·69	1·70	1·65	1·61	—	1·80
36	10th & 11th March '58	1·93	1·60	2·30	1·66	1·57	1·44	—	1·78
37	17th & 18th March '58	1·86	1·54	2·40	1·65	1·59	1·51	—	1·77
38	24th & 25th March '58	1·92	1·56	2·21	1·68	1·59	1·51	—	1·80
39	31st March '58	1·95	1·57	1·95	1·65	1·53	1·40	1·71	1·78
40	7th & 8th April '58	1·93	1·61	1·83	1·66	1·61	1·54	1·78	1·81
41	15th & 16th April '58	1·92	1·64	1·90	1·69	1·62	1·57	1·45	1·82
42	22nd April '58	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
43	28th & 29th '58	1·83	1·66	2·14	1·64	1·60	1·62	1·73	1·72
44	6th May '58	—	No	—	Sale		—	—	—
45	13th May '58	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
46	20th May '58	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
47	27th May '58	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
48	3rd June '58	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Total average	2·30	1·72	2·91	1·82	1·74	1·67	1·83	2·10

9. Weekly average Prices of tea sold at Calcutta Auctions

(ii) For Consumption in India (Dust)

SEASON—1956-57

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam	Cachar	Darjeeling	Dooars	Terai	Tripura	Green Tea	All other places	Total
		Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs nP.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
1	12th June ... ... '56		N	I	L					
2	19th ,, ... '56	—	—	—	2·02	—	—	—	—	2·02
3	26th ,, ... '56	—	—	—	1·82	—	—	—	—	1·82
4	3rd July ... ... '56	2·36	2·06	2·53	1·80	—	1·33	—	—	2·02
5	10th ,, ... '56	2·66	1·55	2·54	1·95	1·76	—	—	—	2·37
6	17th ,, ... '56	2·47	1·72	2·02	1·58	2·68	2·06	—	—	1·94
7	25th ,, ... '56	2·59	1·78	2·41	1·58	2·91	1·41	—	—	2·21
8	31st ,, ... '56	2·40	1·52	2·45	1·47	1·48	1·30	0·50	—	2·04
9	7th August ... ... '56	2·39	1·49	2·03	1·79	1·38	1·38	—	—	2·19
10	14th ,, ... '56	2·32	1·66	1·98	1·82	1·85	1·30	—	—	2·14
11	21st ,, ... '56	2·57	1·91	2·06	1·98	1·98	1·77	—	1·39	2·40
12	28th ,, ... '56	2·49	1·87	2·32	1·92	—	1·66	—	—	2·34
13	4th Sept. ... ... '56	2·46	1·85	2·19	1·96	2·03	1·88	—	—	2·33
14	11th ,, ... '56	2·48	1·89	2·54	2·02	2·01	2·00	—	1·67	2·30
15	18th ,, ... '56	2·56	1·99	2·22	2·07	2·11	1·83	—	—	2·38
16	26th ,, ... '56	2·64	2·10	2·12	2·20	2·42	1·81	—	—	2·55
17	5th Oct. ... ... '56	2·56	2·28	2·24	2·25	—	2·20	—	—	2·53
18	23rd ,, ... '56	2·55	2·26	2·32	2·28	2·39	1·95	1·41	—	2·48
19	30th ,, ... '56	2·45	2·05	2·45	2·11	—	1·90	1·12	—	2·32
20	6th Nov. ... ... '56	2·33	1·83	2·11	1·92	1·88	1·66	—	—	2·24
21	13th ,, ... '56	2·30	1·86	2·30	1·99	1·93	1·34	0·76	—	2·24
22	20th ,, ... '56	2·41	2·06	2·32	2·13	2·07	1·81	0·84	—	2·31
23	28th ,, ... '56	2·40	2·01	2·25	2·06	2·09	1·80	—	—	2·24
24	5th Dec. ... ... '56	2·29	1·96	2·15	2·12	2·04	1·88	0·88	—	2·10

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

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Aassam	Cachar	Darjeeling	Dooars	Terai	Tripura	Green Tea	All other places	Total
		Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
25	12th Dec. ... ... '56	2·20	1·86	1·96	1·92	1·91	1·69	0·91	—	2·04
26	19th ,, ... '56	2·25	1·93	1·97	1·99	1·95	1·86	0·76	—	2·16
27	3rd Jan. ... ... '57	2·27	2·05	2·05	2·03	2·06	1·78	0·88	—	2·19
28	9th ,, ... '57	2·27	2·04	2·10	2·06	2·12	2·00	—	1·74	2·20
29	16th ,, ... '57	2·24	2·05	2·08	2·09	2·09	1·94	—	—	2·20
30	24th ,, ... '57	2·14	1·94	2·03	1·93	1·97	1·76	—	—	2·05
31	30th ,, ... '57	2·06	1·81	1·81	1·84	1·73	1·64	—	—	1·92
32	6th Feb. ... ... '57	2·05	1·80	1·86	1·82	1·83	1·66	—	—	1·95
33	12th ,, ... '57	1·98	1·80	1·86	1·84	1·79	1·64	—	—	1·93
34	19th ,, ... '57	1·96	1·73	1·76	1·80	1·79	1·69	—	—	1·90
35	26th ,, ... '57	2·01	1·73	1·89	1·76	1·76	1·60	—	—	1·88
36	5th March ... ... '57	1·94	1·69	2·03	1·73	1·71	1·53	—	—	1·87
37	12th ,, ... '57	1·95	1·76	2·04	1·73	1·75	1·68	0·50	—	1·88
38	19th ,, ... '57	1·96	1·68	1·96	1·66	1·70	1·56	—	1·49	1·86
39	26th ,, ... '57	1·90	1·53	1·76	1·63	1·72	1·17	—	—	1·82
40	3rd April ... ... '57	1·83	1·59	1·72	1·63	1·60	1·48	—	—	1·74
41	9th ,, ... '57	1·79	1·60	1·76	1·59	1·59	1·54	—	—	1·74
42	16th ,, ... '57	1·72	1·59	1·54	1·55	1·60	1·47	—	—	1·66
43	23rd ,, ... '57	1·71	1·57	1·59	1·58	1·61	1·43	—	—	1·66
44	30th ,, ... '57	1·70	1·53	1·70	1·58	1·60	1·49	—	—	1·65
45	7th May ... ... '57	1·65	1·46	1·52	1·52	1·50	1·44	—	—	1·62
46	14th ,, ... '57	1·59	1·55	1·50	1·54	1·50	—	0·58	1·38	1·58
47	21st ,, ... '57	1·46	1·34	1·53	1·31	1·30	1·24	0·44	—	1·42
48	28th ,, ... '57	1·52	1·36	1·46	1·38	1·22	1·33	—	—	1·48
49	4th June ... ... '57	1·50	1·31	1·25	1·29	1·37	1·20	—	1·20	1·46
	Total Average	1·57	1·31	2·29	1·46	1·45	1·31	1·48	1·54	1·57

(ii) For consumption in India (Dust)

Season—1957-58

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam Rs. nP.	Cachar Rs. nP.	Darjeeling Rs. nP.	Dooars Rs. nP.	Terai Rs. nP.	Tripura Rs. nP.	Green Tea Rs. nP.	All other places Rs. nP.	Total Rs. nP.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
1	11th June ... ... '57	2·01	1·39	2·74	1·42	1·39	1·34	—	—	1·55
2	18th June ... ... '57	1·74	1·40	2·64	1·40	1·42	—	—	1·69	1·51
3	25th June ... ... '57	2·16	1·51	2·50	1·52	1·49	1·34	—	—	1·74
4	2nd July ... ... '57	2·35	1·58	2·13	1·80	1·58	1·53	—	—	2·02
5	10th July ... ... '57	2·28	1·67	2·47	1·75	1·71	1·67	—	—	1·99
6	16th July ... ... '57	2·53	1·67	2·28	1·70	1·68	1·55	—	—	2·20
7	23rd July ... ... '57	2·27	1·59	2·07	1·76	—	1·57	—	—	2·08
8	30th July ... ... '57	2·16	1·54	2·21	1·60	—	1·52	—	—	2·00
9	6th & 8th August '57	2·04	1·51	1·94	1·59	1·44	1·45	—	—	1·90
10	13th August ... ... '57	2·08	1·53	2·09	1·58	1·55	1·48	—	—	1·89
11	20th August ... ... '57	2·04	1·56	2·08	1·64	1·52	1·44	0·50	1·56	1·92
12	27th August ... ... '57	2·12	1·57	2·14	1·62	1·58	1·53	—	—	1·91
13	3rd September ... '57	2·06	1·57	2·33	1·58	—	1·49	0·40	—	1·92
14	10th & 11th Sept. '57	2·01	1·55	2·21	1·59	1·56	1·48	—	—	1·86
15	17th & 18th Sept. '57	2·02	1·55	2·11	1·61	—	1·53	—	—	1·89
16	25th & 26th Sept. '57	1·97	1·54	1·93	1·60	1·56	1·48	—	—	1·85
17	15th & 16th October '57	2·04	1·60	2·09	1·62	1·60	1·58	—	—	1·94
18	23rd October ... '57	2·07	1·60	2·10	1·68	1·62	1·63	—	—	1·98
19	29th October ... '57	2·05	1·63	2·11	1·67	1·65	1·56	...	1·62	1·89
20	5th November ... '57	2·10	1·72	2·03	1·74	1·72	1·49	...	—	2·00

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(ii) For Consumption in India (Dust)
Season—1957-58

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam Rs. nP.	Cachar Rs. nP.	Darjeeling Rs. nP.	Dooars Rs. nP.	Terai Rs. nP.	Tripura Rs. nP.	Green Tea Rs. nP.	All other places Rs. nP.	Total Rs. nP.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
21	12th November ... '57	2·07	1·76	2·05	1·79	1·76	1·76	0·70	—	2·02
22	19th November ... '57	2·10	1·78	1·99	1·78	1·75	1·77	—	—	2·01
23	26th November ... '57	1·98	1·76	2·09	1·77	1·77	1·70	—	—	1·90
24	3rd December ... '57	1·90	1·68	1·86	1·71	1·67	1·59	—	—	1·84
25	10th December ... '57	1·87	1·62	1·80	1·62	1·61	1·53	—	—	1·84
26	17th December ... '57	1·83	1·61	1·28	1·69	1·63	1·61	—	—	1·81
27	7th January ... ... '58	1·86	1·62	1·92	1·63	1·63	1·61	—	1·56	1·82
28	14th January ... ... '58	1·94	1·62	2·13	1·65	1·63	1·59	—	—	1·86
29	21st January ... ... '58	1·98	1·59	2·04	1·64	1·60	1·62	—	—	1·88
30	28th January ... ... '58	1·86	1·56	2·15	1·59	1·56	1·51	0·60	1·56	1·77
31	4th February ... ... '58	1·84	1·53	1·81	1·56	1·55	1·49	—	—	1·72
32	11th February ... '58	1·97	1·53	2·16	1·54	1·65	1·49	—	—	1·86
33	18th February ... '58	1·83	1·58	1·74	1·59	1·57	1·50	—	—	1·75
34	25th February ... '58	1·88	1·60	1·81	1·63	1·60	1·55	—	—	1·81
35	4th March ... ... '58	1·84	1·47	2·43	1·55	1·51	1·53	—	—	1·78
36	11th March ... ... '58	1·79	1·47	1·89	1·51	1·53	1·46	—	—	1·69
37	18th March ... ... '58	1·84	1·53	1·86	1·54	1·54	1·52	—	—	1·76
38	25th March ... ... '58	1·84	1·53	2·01	1·58	1·56	1·54	—	—	1·77
39	31st March ... ... '58	1·85	1·55	1·91	1·55	1·54	1·54	—	1·52	1·76
40	8th April ... ... '58	1·85	1·57	1·72	1·58	1·54	1·49	—	—	1·73
41	16th April ... ... '58	1·83	1·55	1·72	1·55	1·54	1·48	—	—	1·68
42	22nd April ... ... '58	1·92	1·66	1·67	1·63	1·64	1·58	—	—	1·80
43	29th April ... ... '58	1·92	1·69	1·85	1·67	1·70	1·66	0·64	—	1·81
44	6th May ... ... '58	2·03	1·64	1·65	1·66	1·65	1·61	—	—	1·88
45	13th May ... ... '58	2·04	1·65	1·68	1·66	1·67	1·50	—	—	1·90
46	20th May ... ... '58	1·89	1·63	1·62	1·63	1·64	1·58	—	—	1·82
47	27th May ... ... '58	1·68	1·50	1·62	1·51	1·46	1·45	—	—	1·63
48	3rd June ... ... '58	1·64	1·42	—	1·45	1·34	1·46	—	—	1·59
	Total average	1·97	1·60	2·03	1·64	1·58	1·55	0·59	1·60	1·86

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

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam Rs. nP.	Cachar Rs. nP.	Darjeeling Rs. nP.	Dooars Rs. nP.	Terai Rs. nP.	Tripura Rs. nP.	Green Tea Rs. nP.	All other places Rs. nP.	Total Rs. nP.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
1	12th June ... '56	1·75	1·38	1·77	1·28	—	0·48	—	—	1·30
2	19th ,, ... '56	1·38	1·01	1·52	1·41	1·48	1·19	—	—	1·37
3	28th ,, ... '56	1·60	0·67	1·27	1·24	—	—	1·06	—	1·29
4	3rd July ... '56	1·50	0·99	1·06	1·65	1·39	1·18	—	—	1·22
5	10th ,, ... '56	1·29	0·78	1·24	1·36	—	1·13	1·51	—	1·19
6	17th ,, ... '56	1·31	1·46	1·78	1·76	1·52	1·53	0·82	—	1·32
7	25th ,, ... '56	1·34	1·30	—	1·32	1·23	0·95	1·63	—	1·35
8	31st ,, ... '56	1·20	1·17	1·68	1·40	1·67	1·08	1·25	—	1·27
9	7th Aug. ... '56	1·38	1·03	1·86	1·23	1·25	1·03	1·84	—	1·46
10	14th ,, ... '56	1·91	1·19	1·58	1·06	1·59	1·08	1·78	—	1·66
11	21st ,, ... '56	1·46	1·05	2·09	1·30	1·33	1·22	1·23	1·56	1·32
12	28th ,, ... '56	1·20	0·96	—	1·30	1·56	1·12	1·51	—	1·23
13	4th Sept. ... '56	1·39	1·09	1·69	1·19	—	1·33	1·26	—	1·31
14	11th ,, ... '56	1·21	1·09	1·69	1·16	2·03	1·61	1·42	1·45	1·22
15	18th ,, ... '56	1·47	0·96	1·39	1·24	1·59	1·25	1·64	1·67	1·45
16	26th ,, ... '56	1·36	1·41	1·64	1·51	—	1·50	1·56	—	1·44
17	5th Oct. ... '56	1·43	1·59	1·77	1·90	1·82	1·17	1·52	—	1·45
18	23rd ,, '56	1·49	1·33	1·86	1·35	1·52	1·34	1·39	—	1·48
19	30th ,, ... '56	1·38	1·18	1·57	1·27	1·55	1·62	1·31	—	1·35
20	6th Nov. ... '56	1·41	1·53	1·59	1·51	1·58	1·33	1·13	—	1·43
21	13th ,, ... '56	1·76	1·64	2·18	1·68	1·80	1·46	1·26	—	1·69
22	20th ,, ... '56	1·82	1·65	1·87	1·74	—	1·63	1·37	—	1·71
23	27th ,, ... '56	1·70	1·71	1·94	1·81	1·78	1·61	1·59	—	1·71
24	4th Dec. ... '56	1·53	1·44	1·89	1·38	1·78	1·48	1·38	—	1·45
25	11th ,, ... '56	1·63	1·44	1·56	1·81	1·98	1·56	1·58	—	1·72

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(iii) For Consumption in India (Leaf)

Season : 1956-57

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam Rs. nP.	Cachar Rs. nP.	Darjeeling Rs. nP.	Dooars Rs. nP.	Terai Rs. nP.	Tripura Rs. nP.	Green Tea Rs. nP.	All other places Rs. nP.	Total Rs. nP.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
26	18th Dec. ... '56	1·76	1·57	1·93	1·90	1·85	1·51	1·51	—	1·77
27	3rd Jan. ... '57	1·73	1·69	1·90	1·64	1·64	1·68	1·21	—	1·71
28	8th ,, ... '57	1·79	1·48	1·81	1·79	1·79	1·59	1·60	—	1·77
29	15th ,, ... '57	1·90	1·66	1·82	1·72	1·71	1·85	1·57	—	1·83
30	22nd ,, ... '57	1·68	1·34	1·86	1·53	1·88	1·53	1·46	—	1·59
31	30th ,, ... '57	1·68	1·58	1·77	1·52	1·66	1·39	1·57	—	1·63
32	6th Feb. ... '57	1·53	1·53	1·82	1·52	1·58	1·54	1·56	—	1·54
33	12th ,, ... '57	1·58	1·06	1·53	1·54	1·61	1·52	0·81	—	1·56
34	19th ,, ... '57	1·46	1·35	1·83	1·38	1·56	1·22	1·53	—	1·42
35	26th ,, ... '57	1·49	1·14	1·53	1·37	1·48	1·10	—	—	1·43
36	5th Mar. ... '57	1·39	1·22	1·36	1·33	1·35	1·67	—	—	1·35
37	12th ,, ... '57	1·34	1·22	1·57	1·32	1·35	1·34	1·79	1·47	1·34
38	19th ,, ... '57	1·28	1·22	1·30	1·31	1·36	1·23	1·40	—	1·27
39	26th ,, ... '57	1·24	1·18	1·09	1·21	1·14	1·23	—	—	1·22
40	3rd April ... '57	1·20	1·27	1·43	1·29	1·29	1·35	0·94	—	1·24
41	9th ,, ... '57	1·25	1·04	1·08	1·06	1·19	0·98	1·82	—	1·17
42	16th ,, ... '57	1·60	1·86	—	1·33	—	1·14	—	—	1·64
43	23rd ,, ... '57	1·40	1·39	0·50	1·29	1·25	1·23	—	—	1·38
44	30th ,, ... '57	1·35	—	—	1·24	—	0·79	—	—	1·02
45	7th May ... '57	1·46	1·11	2·56	1·39	—	1·39	0·22	—	1·35
46	14th ,, ... '57	1·18	1·49	—	—	—	—	—	—	1·38
47	21st ,, ... '57	1·34	—	—	1·48	—	—	—	—	1·44
48	28th ,, ... '57	1·45	1·46		1·44	—	—	—	—	1·46
49	4th June ... '57			NO	SALE					
	Total average	2·12	1·75	2·04	1·88	1·78	1·50	0·59	1·57	2·03

(iii) For Consumption in India (Leaf)

Season—1957-58

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam Rs. nP.	Cachar Rs. nP.	Darjeeling Rs. nP.	Doors Rs. nP.	Terai Rs. nP.	Tripura Rs. nP.	Green Tea Rs. nP.	All other places Rs. nP.	Total Rs. nP.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
1	11th June '57	—	—	—	1·30	—	—	—	1·63	1·31
2	18th June '57	1·42	—	—	1·32	—	1·30	—	1·37	1·37
3	25th June '57	1·72	1·16	2·26	1·39	1·38	—	—	1·31	1·48
4	2nd July '57	1·75	1·52	—	1·81	1·89	1·54	—	—	1·73
5	10th July '57	1·83	2·13	—	1·68	1·67	—	—	—	1·75
6	16th July '57	1·59	1·58	—	1·55	—	1·55	2·25	—	1·61
7	23rd July '57	1·56	1·54	3·23	1·44	—	1·50	—	—	1·53
8	30th July '57	1·74	—	1·77	1·37	1·55	1·71	—	—	1·69
9	6th & 8th August '57	1·48	1·30	1·72	1·49	1·51	1·24	—	—	1·49
10	13th. August '57	1·41	1·30	1·54	1·38	2·10	1·38	1·58	—	1·41
11	20th. August '57	1·42	1·36	1·77	1·39	—	1·44	1·78	—	1·44
12	27th August '57	1·70	1·22	1·59	1·36	2·00	1·24	1·59	—	1·53
13	3rd September '57	1.42	1·20	1·88	1·40	1·47	1·17	1·28	—	1·40
14	10th & 11th Sept. '57	1·33	1·14	2·00	1·38	—	1·26	0·76	—	1·32
15	17th & 18th Sept. '57	1·31	1·20	1·51	1·22	1·40	1·38	1·58	—	1·27
16	25th & 26th Sept. '57	1·40	1·07	1·76	1·18	1·22	1·21	—	—	1·27
17	15th & 16th Oct. '57	1·30	1·55	1·59	1·32	1·59	1·57	—	—	1·32
18	23rd October '57	1·37	1·22	1·72	1·26	1·47	1·34	1·55	—	1·35
19	29th October '57	1·37	1·16	2·65	1·21	1·51	1·31	—	—	1·32
20	5th November '57	1·45	1·30	1·49	1·32	1·27	1·28	1·67	—	1·43

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(iii) For Consumption in India (Leaf)

Season—1957-58

Sale No.	Date of Sale	Assam Rs. nP.	Cachar Rs. nP.	Darjeeling Rs. nP.	Dooars Rs. nP.	Terai Rs. nP.	Tripura Rs. nP.	Green Tea Rs. nP.	All other places Rs. nP.	Total Rs. nP.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
21	12th November '57	1·50	1·33	1·62	1·40	—	1·14	—	—	1·48
22	19th November '57	1·58	1·27	2·53	1·34	1·56	1·35	—	—	1·51
23	26th November '57	1·57	1·40	1·74	1·43	1·49	1·33	—	—	1·54
24	3rd December '57	1·46	1·32	1·59	1·20	1·21	1·42	1·55	—	1·42
25	10th December '57	1·36	1·19	1·75	1·26	1·41	1·20	—	—	1·36
26	17th December '57	1·34	1·27	2·07	1·12	1·26	1·16	—	—	1·31
27	7th January '58	1·37	1·33	1·61	1·30	—	1·27	1·70	1·29	1·38
28	14th January '58	1·43	1·27	1·88	1·33	1·32	1·26	—	—	1·41
29	21st January '58	1·41	1·24	1·88	1·29	1·34	1·22	—	—	1·40
30	28th January '58	1·41	1·22	2·58	1·23	1·37	1·38	—	—	1·37
31	4th February '58	1·33	1·20	1·52	1·25	1·35	1·18	1·80	—	1·32
32	11th February '58	1·32	1·36	2·18	1·24	1·27	1·20	1·32	—	1·33
33	18th February '58	1·34	0·82	2·35	1·34	1·30	1·21	—	—	1·34
34	25th February '58	1·42	1·14	2·26	1·24	1·36	1·27	1·68	—	1·40
35	4th March '58	1·39	1·11	1·66	1·16	1·24	1·35	2·00	—	1·30
36	11th March '58	1·37	1·26	1·49	1·21	1·29	1·15	1·81	—	1·32
37	18th March '58	1·37	1·29	1·23	1·21	1·19	1·19	1·28	—	1·29
38	25th March '58	1·40	1·18	2·09	1·18	1·21	1·25	1·86	—	1·35
39	31st March '58	1·43	1·13	1·54	1·14	1·15	1·07	—	—	1·33
40	8th April '58	1·42	1·33	1·49	1·27	1·36	1·31	1·71	—	1·39
41	16th April '58	1·47	1·44	1·89	1·35	1·36	1·37	1·71	—	1·45
42	22nd April '58	1·41	1·40	1·45	1·33	1·42	1·29	—	—	1·39
43	29th April '58	1·43	1·30	1·88	1·31	1·29	1·20	—	—	1·35
44	6th May '58	1·49	1·40	—	1·74	—	1·12	—	—	1·32
45	13th May '58	1·44	1·23	1·16	1·26	—	1·63	—	—	1·33
46	20th May '58	1·34	1·35	—	1·35	1·74	1·30	—	—	1·34
47	27th May '58	1·44	1·48	1·30	1·57	1·29	1·35	—	—	1·43
48	3rd June '58	1·58	1·19	—	—	—	1·20	—	—	1·24
	Total average	1·42	1·30	2·40	1·24	1·30	1·29	1·68	1·40	1·42

10. (i) Average Prices of tea sold at Cochin auctions during 1956.

EXPORT			CONSUMPTION IN INDIA					
			LEAF TEA			DUST TEA		
Sale No.	Date of Sale	Average price per lb. Rs. nP.	Sale No.	Date of sale	Average price per lb. Rs. nP.	Sale No.	Date of sale	Average price per lb Rs. nP.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
1	3rd Jan. '56	2·03	1	3rd Jan. '56	1·76	'A'	10th Jan. '56	1·48
2	17th Jan. ,,	2·02	2	17th Jan. ,,	1·82	'B'	24th Jan. ,,	1·60
3	31st Jan. ,,	2·18	3	31st Jan. ,,	2·12	'C'	7th Feb. ,,	1·61
4	14th Feb. ,,	2·20	4	14th Feb. ,,	1·85	'D'	21st Feb. ,,	1·69
5	28th Feb. ,,	2·48	5	28th Feb. ,,	2·17	'E'	6th March ,,	1·72
6	13th March ,,	2·36	6	13th March ,,	2·13	'F'	20th March ,,	1·77
7	27th March ,,	2·48	7	27th March ,,	2·01	'G'	3rd April ,,	1·91
8	10th April ,,	2·46	8	10th April ,,	2·14	'H'	17th April ,,	1·92
9	24th April ,,	2·39	9	24th April ,,	2·21	'I'	3rd May ,,	1·71
10	1st May ,,	2·36	10	1st May ,,	2·33	'J'	17th May ,,	1·73
11	15th May ,,	2·30	11	15th May ,,	2·59	'K'	31st May ,,	1·81
12	22nd May ,,	2·22	12	22nd May ,,	1·97	'L'	14th June ,,	1·69
13	29th May ,,	2·17	13	29th May ,,	2·25	'M'	28th June ,,	1·56
14	5th June ,,	2·09	14	5th June ,,	2·16	'N'	12th July ,,	1·57
15	12th June ,,	1·97	15	12th June ,,	1·68	'O'	26th July ,,	1·51
16	19th June ,,	1·89	16	19th June ,,	2·03	'P'	9th Aug. ,,	1·61
17	26th June ,,	1·86	17	26th June ,,	2·63	'Q'	23rd Aug. ,,	1·65
18	3rd July ,,	1·75	18	3rd July ,,	1·50	'R'	11th Sept. ,,	1·82
19	10th July ,,	1·75	19	10th July ,,	1·24	'S'	25th Sept. ,,	1·93
20	17th July ,,	1·68	20	17th July ,,	1·45	'T'	9th Oct. ,,	1·91
21	24th July ,,	1·72	21	24th July ,,	1·61	'U'	23rd Oct. ,,	1·87
22	31st July ,,	1·86	22	31st July ,,	1·63	'V'	6th Nov. ,,	1·85
23	7th Aug. ,,	1·87	23	7th Aug. ,,	1·16	'W'	20th Nov. ,,	1·95
24	22nd Aug. ,,	1·96	24	22nd Aug. ,,	1·59	'X'	4th Dec. ,,	2·06
25	4th Sept. ,,	2·14	25	4th Sept. ,,	1·77	'Y'	20th Dec. ,,	1·99
26	18th Sept. ,,	2·31	26	18th Sept. ,,	2·38			
27	3rd Oct. ,,	2·45	27	3rd Oct. ,,	2·34			
28	16th Oct. ,,	2·51	28	16th Oct. ,,	2·38			
29	30th Oct. ,,	2·63	29	30th Oct. ,,	2·68			
30	13th Nov. ,,	2·66	30	13th Nov. ,,	2·58			
31	27th Nov. ,,	2·80	31	27th Nov. ,,	2·11			
32	18th Dec.	2·58	32	18th Dec.	2·19			
Total	Average	2·23	Total	Average	1·96	Total	Average	1·74

10. (ii) Average Prices of tea sold at Cochin auctions during 1957.

EXPORT			CONSUMPTION IN INDIA					
			LEAF TEA			DUST TEA		
Sale No.	Date of Sale	Average price per lb. Rs. nP.	Sale No.	Date of Sale	Average price per lb. Rs. nP.	Sale No.	Date of Sale	Average price per lb. Rs. nP.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
1	8th Jan. '57	2·42	1	8th Jan. '57	2·03	'A'	3rd Jan. '57	1·94
2	22nd Jan. ,,	2·41	2	22nd Jan. ,,	2·02	'B'	15th Jan. ,,	1·97
3	5th Feb. ,,	2·52	3	5th Feb. ,,	2·14	'C'	29th Jan ,,	1·96
4	19th Feb. ,,	2·59	4	19th Feb. ,,	2·11	'D'	12th Feb ,,	1·95
5	5th March ,,	2·43	5	5th March ,,	2·24	'E'	26th Feb ,,	2·02
6	19th March ,,	2·14	6	19th March ,,	1·92	'F'	12th March ,,	1·90
7	2nd April ,,	1·92	7	2nd April ,,	1·60	'H'	26th March ,,	1·91
8	16th April ,,	1·82	8	16th April ,,	1·72	'G'	9th April ,,	1·88
9	30th April ,,	1·74	9	30th April ,,	1·51	'I'	23rd April ,,	1·76
10	14th May ,,	1·74	10	14th May ,,	1·43	'J'	7th May ,,	1·62
11	21st May ,,	1·72	11	21st May ,,	1·29	'K'	23rd May ,,	1·55
12	28th May ,,	1·73	12	28th May ,,	1·41	'L'	6th June, ,,	1·54
13	4th June ,,	1·71	13	4th June ,,	1·94	'M'	20th June ,,	1·50
14	11th June ,,	1·65	14	11th June ,,	1·35	'N'	4th July ,,	1·46
15	18th June ,,	1·59	15	18th June ,,	1·23	'O'	18th July ,,	1·50
16	25th June ,,	1·71	16	25th June ,,	1·29	'P'	1st August ,,	1·38
17	2nd July ,,	1·70	17	2nd July ,,	1·49	'Q'	20th Aug. ,,	1·43
18	16th July ,,	1·82	18	16th July ,,	1·44	'R'	4th Sept. ,,	1·45
19	23rd July ,,	1·74	19	23rd July ,,	2·37	'S'	17th Sept. ,,	1·56
20	30th July ,,	1·72	20	30th July ,,	1·61	'T'	30th Sept. ,,	1·61
21	6th Aug. ,,	1·69	21	6th August ,,	1·39	'U'	15th Oct. ,,	1·62
22	13th Aug. ,,	1·61	22	13th ,, ,,	1·43	'V'	29th Oct. ,,	1·56
23	26th Aug. ,,	1·73	23	26th ,, ,,	1·29	'W'	12th Nov. ,,	1·48
24	3rd Sept. ,,	1·75	24	3rd Sept. ,,	1·52	'X'	26th Nov. ,,	1·55
25	10th Sept. ,,	1·85	25	10th Sept. ,,	1·73	'Y'	10th Dec. ,,	1·49
26	24th Sept. ,,	1·87	26	24th Sept. ,,	1·72			
27	8th Oct. ,,	1·91	27	8th Oct. ,,	1·81			
28	21th Oct. ,,	1·86	28	21st Oct. ,,	1·70			
29	5th Nov. ,,	1·82	29	5th Nov. ,,	1·32			
30	19th Nov. ,,	1·82	30	19th Nov. ,,	1·51			
31	3rd Dec. ,,	1·80	31	3rd Dec. ,,	1·34			
32	17th Dec. ,,	1·76	32	17th Dec. ,,	1·89			
Total	Average	1·93		Average	1·65	Total	Average	1·61

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

(In Rupees and nP. per lb.)

Months	1951		1952		1953		1954		1955		1956		1957	
	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)	(14)	(15)
January	2·14	1·62	1·59	1·59	1·29	1·35	2·43	2·03	3·72	2·66	1·70	1·65	2·41	2·07
February	2·09	1·64	1·51	1·50	1·38	1·44	2·23	1·81	3·40	2·55	1·62	1·61	2·11	1·87
March	1·91	1·53	1·40	1·42	1·60	1·49	2·32	2·06	2·80	2·31	1·68	1·86	1·85	1·75
April	1·82	1·53	0·99	1·26	1·60	1·49	No Sale	2·12	2·37	1·96	1·74	1·78	1·58	1·64
May	No Sale	No Sale	0·82	1·01	No Sale	1·46	2·98	2·03	No Sale	1·85	1·51	1·61	No Sale	1·52
June	2·12	1·81	1·45	1·31	1·86	1·48	2·65	2·10	2·14	1·88	1·98	1·42	2·05	1·51
July	2·17	1·93	1·52	1·36	1·91	1·64	2·78	2·19	2·80	2·52	2·59	2·09	2·82	2·04
August	2·22	1·86	1·51	1·48	1·94	1·71	3·20	2·28	2·59	2·21	2·69	2·23	2·49	1·88
September	1·94	1·83	1·38	1·25	1·85	1·66	3·22	2·56	2·43	2·02	2·47	2·33	2·33	1·84
October	1·86	1·87	1·23	1·28	1·85	1·67	3·26	2·42	2·20	2·03	2·53	2·38	2·16	1·86
November	1·72	1·68	1·18	1·28	1·85	1·66	3·35	2·26	2·12	1·99	2·54	2·22	2·17	1·90
December	1·67	1·55	1·02	1·14	2·08	1·80	3·64	1·97	1·83	1·71	2·57	2·07	1·93	1·78

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

(In Rupees and nP. per lb.)

Months	1951		1952		1953		1954		1955		1956		1957	
	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)	(14)	(15)
January	—	—	1·85	1·63	1·85	1·41	2·44	2·15	3·90	2·62	2·06	1·57	2·42	1·96
February	—	2·06	1·81	1·64	2·01	1·57	2·54	2·11	3·69	2·62	2·33	1·68	2·55	1·98
March	2·53	2·14	1·98	1·79	2·23	1·62	2·80	2·33	2·93	2·28	2·41	1·76	2·27	1·92
April	2·30	1·99	1·82	1·54	1·95	1·64	2·77	2·34	2·34	2·17	2·43	1·94	1·82	1·78
May	2·00	1·84	1·49	1·33	1·80	1·55	2·62	2·18	1·92	1·67	2·26	1·77	1·73	1·56
June	1·86	1·78	1·34	1·29	1·75	1·55	2·54	2·07	1·83	1·97	1·95	1·62	1·67	1·52
July	1·74	1·65	1·44	1·26	1·74	1·54	2·49	1·94	2·12	1·94	1·75	1·54	1·75	1·49
August	1·76	1·59	1·50	1·18	1·78	1·50	2·81	2·07	1·11	1·76	1·93	1·62	1·68	1·41
September	1·80	1·36	1·63	1·33	1·86	1·60	3·12	2·53	2·04	1·62	2·23	1·88	1·81	1·53
October	1·80	1·76	1·74	1·34	1·93	1·68	3·29	2·55	1·98	1·62	2·50	1·91	1·88	1·60
November	1·84	1·69	1·74	1·43	2·00	1·68	3·58	2·37	2·08	1·73	2·72	1·92	1·82	1·51
December	1·84	1·68	1·49	1·04	2·14	1·76	3·87	2·12	1·94	1·56	2·58	2·03	1·78	1·50

* 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 & Naya Paise)

Months	1951		1952		1953		1954		1955		1956		1957	
	N. India	S. India	N. India	S. India	N. India	S. India	N. India	S. India	N. India	S. India	N. India	S. India	N. India	S. India
	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)
January	*	*	2·20	2·21	2·05	2·07	2·79	2·81	4·66	4·63	2·90	2·72	3·92	3·91
February	*	*	2·16	2·19	2·12	2·12	2·84	2·84	3·98	3·95	2·69	2·51	3·18	3·12
March	*	*	2·14	2·19	2·31	2·22	3·10	3·11	3·47	3·49	2·94	2·80	2·62	2·61
April	2·38	2·82	2·00	2·03	2·38	2·38	3·15	3·22	3·23	3·24	3·32	3·10	2·40	2·38
May	2·16	2·51	1·85	1·84	2·37	2·45	3·19	3·19	2·46	2·40	3·22	3·22	2·46	2·42
June	2·24	2·55	1·93	1·99	2·42	2·45	3·39	3·15	2·41	2·35	2·76	2·90	2·48	2·30
July	2·42	2·42	1·72	1·81	2·32	2·26	3·18	3·02	2·59	2·54	2·44	2·58	2·63	2·33
August	2·34	2·32	1·70	1·79	2·31	2·20	3·40	3·28	3·05	2·68	3·30	2·41	3·38	2·37
September	2·43	2·28	1·96	1·67	2·69	2·29	4·07	3·73	3·98	2·65	4·24	2·52	3·96	2·23
October	2·45	2·37	2·29	1·66	2·63	2·38	4·41	4·17	3·63	2·66	4·36	3·02	3·51	2·15
November	2·49	2·40	2·14	1·72	2·56	2·44	4·50	4·34	3·39	2·88	4·26	3·55	3·53	2·33
December	2·41	2·34	1·76	1·53	2·60	2·59	4·59	4·58	3·08	2·81	4·23	3·95	3·08	2·35

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

(in Rs.)

Months	1953				1954				1955				1956				1957			
	Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail		Wholesale		Retail	
	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet	Loose	Packet
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)
January	1·86	2·14	1·98	2·42	2·16	2·71	2·39	2·87	2·75	3·36	2·77	3·50	2·05	2·92	2·39	3·26	2·55	2·86	2·59	3·05
February	1·90	2·19	2·03	2·43	2·28	2·71	2·38	2·94	2·79	3·36	2·92	3·55	2·00	2·68	2·36	2·95	2·43	2·86	2·52	3·08
March	2·00	2·20	2·09	2·45	2·34	2·91	2·50	3·06	2·75	3·35	2·94	3·52	2·08	2·68	2·45	2·92	2·29	2·86	2·46	3·06
April	2·00	2·23	2·11	2·46	2·40	2·91	2·56	3·06	2·61	3·35	2·80	3·51	2·14	2·63	2·44	2·84	2·28	2·82	2·45	3·02
May	2·03	2·24	2·14	2·60	2·49	2·91	2·62	3·06	2·47	3·28	2·58	3·48	2·17	2·51	2·39	2·79	2·07	2·82	2·46	3·02
June	2·08	2·27	2·18	2·61	2·56	2·91	2·62	3·07	2·36	3·28	2·52	3·48	2·24	2·51	2·38	2·72	2·17	2·82	2·44	2·98
July	2·09	2·31	2·23	2·61	2·62	2·91	2·68	3·09	2·43	3·28	2·60	3·48	2·28	2·51	2·45	2·68	2·24	2·87	2·46	3·01
August	2·09	2·31	2·31	2·68	2·76	3·01	2·85	3·15	2·40	3·28	2·62	3·47	2·28	2·51	2·41	2·67	2·22	2·87	2·47	3·07
September	2·12	2·39	2·31	2·69	2·84	3·20	2·97	3·37	2·35	3·10	2·52	3·44	2·31	2·61	2·44	2·81	2·24	2·87	2·44	3·06
October	2·13	2·39	2·32	2·69	2·70	3·20	2·92	3·35	2·26	3·10	2·45	3·43	2·42	2·61	2·52	2·87	2·20	2·85	2·45	3·06
November	2·13	2·45	2·32	2·70	2·57	3·38	2·78	3·54	2·11	2·92	2·44	3·35	2·48	2·80	2·56	2·96	2·20	2·85	2·48	3·07
December	2·16	2·45	2·33	2·75	2·66	3·38	2·84	3·54	2·07	2·92	2·42	3·31	2·47	2·80	2·53	2·97	2·34	2·85	2·48	3·17

Note : The prices shown are exclusive of sale tax.

14. (b) Weekly Average retail prices of Packet and Loose Tea at Calcutta per lb. for the year 1957 with comparative figure of 1956.

(Rs.)

Months	Week-Ending	Packet Tea		Loose Tea	
		1957	Corresponding week 1956	1957	Corresponding week 1956
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
January	5. 1. 57	3·09	3·27	2·50	2·53
	12. 1. 57	3·08	3·28	2·62	2·50
	19. 1. 57	3·05	3·34	2·53	2·36
	31. 1. 57	3·06	3·17	2·57	2·53
	Monthly Avg.	3·05	3·26	2·59	2·39
February	9. 2. 57	3·08	2·94	2·53	2·66
	16. 2. 57	3·05	2·97	2·57	2·42
	23. 2. 57	3·10	2·94	2·50	2·31
	28. 2. 57	3·06	3·00	2·53	2·42
	Monthly Avg.	3·08	2·95	2·52	2·36
March	9. 3. 57	3·05	2·97	2·52	2·58
	16. 3. 57	3·04	2·92	2·50	2·44
	23. 3. 57	3·05	2·92	2·44	2·39
	31. 3. 57	3·06	2·89	2·47	2·53
	Monthly Avg.	3·06	2·92	2·46	2·45
April	6. 4. 57	3·03	2·81	2·53	2·53
	13. 4. 57	3·02	2·86	2·45	2·53
	20. 4. 57	3·01	2·86	2·46	2·42
	30. 4. 57	3·02	2·84	2·45	2·42
	Monthly Avg.	3·02	2·84	2·45	2·44
May	11. 5. 57	3·03	2·83	2·59	2·36
	18. 5. 57	3·02	2·86	2·53	2·48
	25. 5. 57	3·01	2·81	2·50	2·50
	31. 5. 57	3·00	2·68	2·45	2·45
	Monthly Avg.	3·02	2·79	2·46	2·39
June	8. 6. 57	2·99	2·73	2·53	2·33
	15. 6. 57	2·98	2·73	2·46	2·53
	22. 6. 57	2·98	2·71	2·47	2·25
	30. 6. 57	2·96	2·71	2·46	2·50
	Monthly Avg.	2·98	2·72	2·44	2·38

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Months	Week-Ending	Packet Tea		Loose Tea	
		1957	Corresponding week 1956	1957	Corresponding week 1956
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
July	6. 7. 57	2·97	2·67	2·46	2·50
	13. 7. 57	2·98	2·68	2·52	2·45
	20. 7. 57	2·99	2·69	2·51	2·42
	31. 7. 57	3·04	2·67	2·45	2·50
	Monthly Avg.	3·01	2·68	2·46	2·45
August	10. 8. 57	3·07	2·62	2·53	2·44
	17. 8. 57	3·03	2·66	2·53	2·42
	24. 8. 57	3·05	2·70	2·44	2·33
	31. 8. 57	3·06	2·70	2·64	2·44
	Monthly Avg.	3·07	2·67	2·47	2·41
September	7. 9. 57	3·06	2·71	2·45	2·47
	14. 9. 57	3·08	2·86	2·53	2·39
	21. 9. 57	3·06	2·88	2·57	2·45
	30. 9. 57	3·06	2·93	2·58	2·42
	Monthly Avg.	3·06	2·81	2·44	2·44
October	12. 10. 57	3·05	2·87	2·52	2·52
	19. 10. 57	3·06	2·89	2·51	2·49
	26. 10. 57	3·06	2·89	2·52	2·49
	31. 10. 57	3·08	2·82	2·52	2·59
	Monthly Avg.	3·06	2·87	2·45	2·52
November	9. 11. 57	3·06	2·97	2·53	2·48
	16. 11. 57	3·03	2·98	2·51	2·52
	23. 11. 57	3·08	2·98	2·52	2·60
	30. 11. 57	3·10	2·94	2·53	2·62
	Monthly Avg.	3·07	2·96	2·48	2·56
December	7. 12. 57	3·08	2·97	2·52	2·53
	14. 12. 57	3·14	3·02	2·53	2·52
	21. 12. 57	3·10	2·94	2·58	2·48
	31. 12. 57	3·10	2·97	2·47	2·54
	Monthly Avg.	3·17	2·97	2·48	2·53

Note : Weekly average (retail) prices are based on the market survey reports collected by our staff from different areas in Calcutta.

15. Exports of Indian tea to different Countries during the years 1950 to 1957.

Countries of Destination.	Quantity (in thousand lbs.)								Value (in thousand Rs.)							
	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)
Aden	1,019	1,345	1,012	1,192	689	503	559	380	1,372	1,982	1,072	1,312	2,034	1,371	1,106	796
Anglo-Egyptian Sudan	3,705	1,486	8,075	5,453	6,217	3,264	6,700	4,364	4,674	2,280	8,301	19,397	15,325	7,778	11,790	8,851
Argentine Republic	81	1,242	570	—	—	—	—	1	173	2,549	1,109	—	—	—	—	2
Australia	15,355	9,324	11,333	6,312	6,048	6,133	9,396	7,896	27,802	18,801	18,295	11,734	19,931	18,351	23,149	17,613
Baherin Islands	1,642	1,642	2,307	4,804	3,285	3,045	1,852	1,665	2,795	5,692	3,591	8,756	8,746	9,551	4,079	4,195
Burma	611	897	1,051	612	566	302	234	155	1,178	2,098	2,427	1,585	2,051	1,323	779	490
Ceylon	272	311	50	—	—	—	1	22	622	729	123	—	—	—	4	46
Canada	23,870	20,204	20,565	22,427	19,247	16,285	22,588	16,883	47,698	44,932	39,263	48,832	63,021	53,801	65,196	46,860
Chile	1,483	3,439	5,542	1,578	99	1,208	141	972	2,312	5,233	8,904	2,567	173	5,169	389	2,594
Egypt	4,001	3,633	5,161	18,145	6,910	12,796	23,113	16,821	7,631	7,460	8,368	35,209	21,416	42,080	63,435	41,435
Germany Western	2,266	2,820	2,225	4,036	2,613	3,063	6,281	4,128	6,360	6,980	5,301	10,387	10,301	10,291	21,093	14,022
Irish Republic	21,132	30,458	13,549	20,934	22,009	17,973	16,742	19,455	41,456	70,217	25,898	44,647	65,614	58,099	44,188	55,055
Iraq	2,236	1,483	801	3,199	908	155	155	48	4,511	3,154	1,106	5,956	2,811	538	420	160
Iran	8,315	14,241	1,987	1,151	5,061	10,709	8,306	9,944	22,007	46,669	6,050	3,501	21,693	55,200	28,837	48,433
Kuwait	5,504	5,467	9,722	5,135	1,954	3,762	2,871	3,203	10,570	11,670	17,749	9,162	6,144	13,169	6,462	7,863
Muskat & Oman	1,393	893	700	635	162	46	46	64	3,035	2,305	1,248	1,424	527	146	114	198
Netherlands	5,305	5,243	7,562	6,324	4,294	3,045	4,871	1,893	11,107	11,471	12,052	13,581	14,221	10,174	12,857	5,430
New Zealand	1,474	2,041	1,031	1,631	1,517	1,046	1,453	1,622	3,479	4,664	2,063	3,534	4,909	3,521	4,013	4,257
Pakistan Western	18	245	459	22	77	169	87	13	41	625	1,178	55	213	615	274	30
Qtr. & Trucial Oman	357	915	883	605	796	1,284	1,348	946	903	2,665	1,881	1,274	2,618	4,758	3,904	2,734
Saudi Arabia	183	491	472	599	443	661	428	362	409	1,232	905	1,196	1,524	2,644	1,223	989
Turkey	3,473	4,998	3,913	4,565	3,531	2,972	5,823	7,117	8,140	12,505	8,378	10,739	11,573	11,459	15,754	21,431
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	301,717	421,004	606,806	553,307	730,796	923,233	739,619	988,858	823,595
U. S. A.	34,733	31,546	29,427	29,179	32,021	24,111	28,355	23,339	72,317	71,197	62,064	64,362	97,095	77,280	78,407	64,050
U. S. S. R.	3,067	2,266	2,857	—	—	—	13,645	15,948	4,683	5,013	6,191	—	—	—	41,621	53,847
Other Counts. by. Sea	3,138	2,834	2,217	2,360	1,688	1,584	1,035	2,180	6,264	4,141	3,744	4,414	6,022	4,903	6,249	5,997
Other Counts. by Land	3,384	3,090	3,864	4,172	2,955	2,342	2,117	1,513	5,263	4,504	6,341	6,472	5,404	4,200	4,016	2,885
TOTAL :—	403,236	454,108	414,836	500,655	447,960	367,523	523,557	442,651	719,084	960,130	809,104	1,042,173	1,307,523	1,136,132	1,428,249	1,233,858

Source—D. G. C. I. & S.

16. Exports of Indian Tea to leading markets from 1933-34 to 1956-57.

(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	207,689	303,731	289,650	315,145	288,222	254,842	278,261	252,524
2 Irish Republic	2,148	1,807	3,026	2,141	3,498	3,361	2,125	...	4,781	...	...	...
3 Netherlands	87	109	63	77	73	70	59	...	...	...	...	...
4 Iraq	506	487	641	462	42	199	219	109	1,806	8,015	1,805	3,685
5 Iran	1,075	325	1,811	10,963	4,449	5,111	6,136	1,300	1,441	5,695	4,614	11,779
6 Egypt	1,267	685	474	276	66	356	525	244	4,108	1,860	932	1,857
7 U. S. A.	8,317	8,003	6,886	7,868	6,295	8,096	13,416	9,313	23,608	19,129	59,966	51,433
8 Australia	1,987	1,586	1,866	1,034	886	1,344	3,678	649	7,950	13,359	19,981	15,825
9 Newzealand	2,497	1,116	407	181	266	287	775	398	1,111	29	1,837	1,134
10 Canada	15,129	12,815	12,782	14,928	15,369	15,471	27,144	14,504	30,544	9,153	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	1956-57
(1)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)
1 United Kingdom	240,191	225,486	244,504	314,782	276,265	286,974	288,041	281,141	341,509	330,016	282,416	354,902
2 Irish Republic	...	...	24,552	21,380	12,870	28,044	24,051	12,441	21,072	23,240	19,730	18,218
3 Netherlands	...	...	4,519	3,456	8,025	3,900	5,866	7,638	5,661	4,012	4,061	3,582
4 Iraq	1,575	1,320	2,541	184	2,383	1,904	741	2,099	1,909	910	239	33
5 Iran	5,792	5,015	7,913	8,151	12,025	11,430	10,930	1,114	1,372	8,539	8,306	8,579
6 Egypt	4,734	3,459	2,527	790	9,233	3,545	3,576	13,057	10,022	9,249	14,616	22,722
7 U. S. A.	51,318	39,036	30,966	23,219	37,479	37,598	26,671	29,060	30,205	30,274	25,433	26,273
8 Australia	15,751	11,379	18,166	6,992	16,850	16,941	6,497	12,630	3,471	7,838	6,226	8,188
9 Newzealand	1,814	796	1,786	1,546	1,233	2,254	1,302	1,384	1,685	1,325	1,354	1,402
10 Canada	19,780	23,999	13,521	13,978	26,850	20,979	19,178	22,572	20,194	20,275	17,231	21,629
11 Other Countries												
(a) By Sea	22,964	16,875	32,990	44,900	41,294	25,671	39,019	39,960	30,054	21,070	23,040	46,848
(b) By land	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	4,432	3,274	3,404	3,334	4,290	3,526	2,825	2,482	1,487
Total	363,919	327,365	383,985	443,810	447,781	442,644	429,206	427,386	470,680	459,573	405,134	513,863

... 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 1956-57.

(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)
1. 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	...	...	...
3. Netherlands	50	59	32	53	43	49	35	...	...	...	...	...
4. Iraq	266	252	447	329	34	164	153	105	1,814	1,148	1,548	3,069
5. Iran	558	195	1,423	9,240	4,360	4,684	5,788	1,168	1,723	7,180	5,310	11,865
6. Egypt	735	384	274	185	49	299	432	190	4,383	1,935	705	928
7. U. S. A.	4,615	4,395	3,694	4,311	3,798	4,747	8,169	6,912	23,501	18,644	59,331	54,406
8. Australia	1,073	813	953	532	636	922	2,389	450	7,344	11,009	16,566	13,808
9. Newzealand	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
11. 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	1956-57
(1)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)
1. 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	7,44,283	9,98,234
2. Irish Republic	...	...	42,438	37,955	26,924	53,262	60,087	21,703	47,519	73,434	56,201	50,856
3. Netherlands	...	...	7,742	6,511	14,996	8,418	12,195	12,412	13,235	13,838	10,392	10,515
4. Iraq	1,559	1,457	4,553	355	4,769	3,843	1,606	3,058	4,043	2,866	654	147
5. Iran	6,631	5,991	16,912	19,261	29,877	31,802	37,131	3,276	4,603	34,768	39,919	28,375
6. Egypt	3,535	3,588	4,196	1,422	17,048	6,670	7,104	22,434	21,601	35,138	41,047	63,525
7. U. S. A.	53,426	41,531	47,976	37,496	68,078	79,474	63,104	58,600	72,063	1,04,093	67,815	77,412
8. Australia	15,130	10,488	25,808	11,329	28,161	32,122	13,369	19,568	7,822	27,651	15,066	20,786
9. Newzealand	1,498	517	3,303	2,570	2,201	5,225	3,057	2,703	3,906	5,070	3,769	4,048
10. Canada	19,690	23,928	21,658	22,101	47,047	42,871	43,133	42,419	47,280	73,879	47,151	65,380
11. Other countries												
(a) By sea	25,068	20,128	51,536	85,728	62,666	50,131	83,984	63,743	63,491	84,360	65,684	1,29,067
(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	3,002
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	10,96,448	14,51,347

.. Nil or negligible.

N.A. Not available.

Source—D. G. C. I & S.

18. Imports of tea into India during the years 1950-1957.

Types of tea	Quantity in lbs.								Value in Rs.							
	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957*	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957*
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)
Tea Black	76,178	146	247	9,780	9,473	145,152	75,859	230,710	69,666	422	1,236	12,624	21,390	298,461	191,920	532,464
Tea Green	523	—	523	369	305	30,700	482	133	768	—	1,139	1,940	1,616	82,464	1,222	769
Tea Brick	142,320	1,230,988	1,041,982	1,190,262	33,000	704,345	412,442	791,232	117,469	1,000,182	910,425	1,057,943	25,125	1,413,250	836,775	1,857,376
Total	219,021	1,231,134	1,042,752	1,200,411	42,778	880,197	488,783	1,022,075	187,903	1,000,604	912,800	1,072,507	48,131	1,794,175	1,029,917	2,309,609

* Provisional

19. Imports of Indian tea into U. K. for the years 1950-1957.

(in thousand lbs.)

MONTHS	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
January	17,514	38,960	42,532	22,797	56,156	36,613	27,914	61,952
February	31,931	31,536	39,953	26,606	34,841	38,865	23,601	31,114
March	15,868	24,373	27,076	25,156	25,978	39,270	27,379	37,393
April	6,072	25,443	16,011	24,782	13,983	16,536	28,874	27,385
May	16,273	14,601	11,466	16,812	6,317	7,981	26,549	22,571
June	10,200	4,990	8,862	9,274	7,427	5,300	23,316	13,302
July	11,304	7,497	7,971	14,344	14,242	10,551	20,873	9,492
August	13,295	11,697	29,000	21,366	19,612	17,670	22,156	17,728
September	18,174	19,857	23,730	35,226	35,986	20,209	20,089	26,675
October	39,765	29,286	32,808	43,179	11,914	25,813	28,444	34,880
November	31,248	30,488	29,423	35,377	40,915	26,797	22,792	30,759
December	28,335	39,765	35,957	40,496	54,306	37,519	27,687	36,159
TOTAL :	239,979	278,493	304,799	315,415	321,677	283,124	299,674	349,410
Revised Cumulative Total :	239,112	276,071	304,381	315,331	321,492	283,394	300,597	348,534

20. Indian tea passed for entry into U.S.A. for the years 1950-1957.

(In thousand lbs.)

MONTHS	1950*	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
January	4,528	3,719	3,068	3,781	4,048	3,188	3,537	3,909
February	4,764	2,894	2,918	3,246	4,045	5,067	3,259	2,333
March	4,290	4,000	2,579	4,933	5,878	7,203	3,937	2,208
April	3,850	4,092	4,645	3,921	6,432	3,162	4,264	2,927
May	3,710	5,888	3,300	3,262	3,945	3,333	2,572	3,139
June	2,967	2,233	1,667	2,524	3,167	955	1,988	2,730
July	1,300	909	1,746	2,591	1,588	647	1,566	1,647
August	1,178	930	1,982	1,424	1,545	1,416	1,751	1,315
September	2,906	1,613	4,316	2,334	2,144	2,015	1,546	1,352
October	3,840	2,173	3,152	3,806	2,283	3,192	2,989	2,353
November	5,119	1,422	2,719	2,335	2,410	2,217	1,738	1,914
December	3,228	3,059	3,584	3,106	3,385	4,166	2,572	2,528
Total	41,680	32,932	35,676	37,263	40,870	36,561	31,719	28,355
Revised Cumulative Total	41,678	32,688	35,676	37,264	40,871	36,561	31,719	28,355

* 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	1957
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Belgium	110	45	64	116	166	138	172	132
British West Indies	101	199	230	438	491	498	562	537
Channel Islands	1,112	415	707	1,226	1,109	971	1,515	1,311
Canada	1,411	86	1,417	2,396	1,406	1,485	823	913
Denmark	397	108	156	260	361	230	383	326
Egypt	100	*	*	*	27	105	1	0
Finland	*	76	*	54	152	140	163	159
Germany Western	7,262	750	655	1,484	1,254	2,543	1,913	1,296
Ireland	14,610	●	1,435	*	—	—	182	1,988
Netherlands	662	55	2,228	3,517	2,626	3,192	2,145	1,560
Norway	38	56	72	109	200	101	155	160
Sweden	152	217	277	395	654	454	666	551
Switzerland	151	85	143	172	180	223	180	107
U. S. A.	4,005	52	1,924	4,402	6,422	3,892	3,056	2,711
Other Countries.	5,690	913	1,534	2,374	1,803	2,329	1,957	2,218
TOTAL ‡	35,801	3,057	10,842	16,944	16,851	16,301	13,873	13,969

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	G. Total
(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	206,185
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
1957	155,369	17,086	172,455	29,202	9,034	38,236	184,571	26,120	210,691

23. Indian Tea Exports and Export Quota position.

(figures in thousand lbs.)

YEAR	Permissible maximum exports under International agreement		Exports allotment promulgated by Government of India		Balance of export quota carried forward from previous year and utilised during the year	Total Export Quota	Actual exports under licence	Export quota unused at the end of the financial year
	% of standard export	Quantity	%	Quantity				
(1)	(2.1)	(2.2)	(3.1)	(3.2)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1950—51	130	452,720	130	452,720	60,340	513,060	444,520	68,540
1951—52	135	470,132	130	452,720	63,437	516,157	418,675	97,482
1952—53	135	470,132	130	452,720	90,431	543,151	422,936	120,215
1953—54	135	470,132	125·5	437,049	43,480	480,529	467,183	13,346
1954—55	135	470,132	133·5	464,909	9,660	474,569	449,696	24,873
1955—56	†			480,000	18,851	498,851	401,101	97,750
1956—57	†			453,300	85,530	538,830	501,055	37,775
1957—58	†			460,960	37,197	498,157	309,344 *	188,813 *

† International agreement not yet finalised

* The figure relates to the position as at 31. 12. 57

24. Monthly averages of Export quota prices in naye paise per lb.

Month	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
January	6	22	76	11	21
February	6	26	71	5	23
March	7	17	40	3	24
April	7	21	33	23	26
May	7	27	11	19	24
June	11	27	38	17	21
July	10	38	45	17	21
August	8	61	38	12	21
September	8	58	33	12	21
October	8	77	34	16	19
November	10	112	34	30	19
December	19	159	20	38	14

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

For 1956-57

(figures in maund of 82⅔ lbs.)

Serial No.	Names of States	Assam	West Bengal (including Tripura)	Bihar	Orissa	U. P.	M. P.	Punjab, Himachal Pradesh & P.E.P.S.U.	Delhi	Rajas-than & Ajmir	Madhya Bharat, Bhopal & Vindya Pradesh	Bombay, Saurastra & Kutch	Madras	Andhra	Travan-core Cochin	Mysore & Coorg	Hyde-rabad	Total
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)
1	Assam	—	318,351	1,261	—	1,042	—	14,457	5	—	—	437	—	—	—	—	—	3,200,714
2	West Bengal (including Tripura)	383	—	42,123	15,966	88,124	161,276	156,768	53,072	28,759	13,973	482,340	59,889	25,905	—	1,244	36,297	1,166,110
3	Bihar	—	15,068	—	1	346	—	513	641	5	—	267	—	—	—	—	—	16,841
4	Orissa	—	31	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	202	62	—	—	—	297
5	U. P.	—	487	119	—	—	8	2,735	146	340	670	846	—	—	—	—	—	5,351
6	M. P.	—	122	—	—	732	—	2	3,454	—	8,404	31,628	—	—	—	—	2	44,344
7	Punjab, Himachal Pradesh & P.E.P.S.U.	—	452	2	—	3,575	12	—	54	2,133	3	409	—	—	—	—	—	6,640
8	Delhi	—	8	—	—	3,828	15	1,657	—	2,035	193	324	—	—	—	—	—	8,060
9	Rajasthan & Ajmir	—	—	—	—	21	3	65	23	—	55	1,244	—	—	—	—	—	1,411
10	Madhya Bharat, Bhopal & Vindhya Pradesh	—	—	—	—	41	862	3	2	277	—	898	2	—	—	—	—	2,085
11	Bombay, Saurasthra & Kutch	—	—	1	—	273	188	522	276	6,274	1,157	—	70	2,452	61	555	1,407	13,236
12	Madras	—	24	7	—	92	733	58	278	25	56	84,480	—	4381	409,345	4,860	13,165	517,504
13	Andhra	—	—	—	930	—	—	18	—	—	3	772	235	—	—	11	264	2,233
14	Travancore-Cochin	—	—	—	—	—	30	198	—	—	43	30,195	54,850	15	—	1,146	1,144	87,621
15	Mysore & Coorg	—	—	—	—	62	—	—	—	—	—	8,383	11	30	—	—	7,642	16,128
16	Hyderabad	—	—	—	—	245	2,978	—	210	—	3,916	23,869	1,581	11,689	—	9,359	—	53,847
	TOTAL	383	3,199,704	43,515	16,897	98,381	166,096	176,996	58,161	39,848	28,473	666,092	116,840	44,534	409,406	17,175	59,921	5,142,422

Note : (i) Figures for Jammu & Kashmir and Pandichary & 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 1957 published by D. G. C. I & S.

26. Internal consumption of tea in different States of India during 1955-56 and 1956-57.

STATES	Population according to 1951 census (in lakhs)	1955-56			1956-57		
		Estimated population in January 1956 (in lakhs)	Total consumption in 1955-56 #(in lbs.)	Consumption per lakh in population (in lbs.)	Estimated population in January 1957 (in lakhs)	Total consumption in 1956-57 (in lbs.)	Consumption per lakh of population (in lbs.)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1. Andhra Pradesh	322	338	18,931,474	56,010	341	16,518,531	48,441
2. Assam (including Manipur)	96	101	16,483,080	1,63,199	102	14,382,202	1,41,001
3. Bihar	389	409	6,110,715	14,941	413	5,331,864	12,910
4. Bombay	478	502	45,054,114	89,749	507	39,311,669	77,538
5. Kerala	136	143	7,291,443	50,989	144	6,362,100	44,181
6. Madhya Pradesh	261	274	8,222,334	30,009	277	7,174,344	25,900
7. Madras	300	315	25,085,786	79,637	318	21,888,437	68,831
8. Mysore	190	200	10,487,074	52,435	202	9,150,425	45,299
9. Orissa	146	153	1,347,812	8,809	155	1,176,025	7,587
10. Punjab	160	168	20,358,853	1,21,184	170	17,763,742	1,04,493
11. Rajasthan	160	168	2,695,624	16,045	170	2,352,049	13,836
12. Uttar Pradesh	632	664	7,313,538	11,014	671	6,381,379	9,510
13. West Bengal (including Tripura)	268	282	48,111,105	1,70,607	285	41,979,025	1,47,295
14. Delhi	17	18	2,187,433	1,21,524	18	1,908,630	1,06,035
15. Himachal Pradesh	10	11	1,272,428	1,15,675	11	1,110,488	1,00,953
TOTAL	3,565	3,746	220,952,813	58,948	3,784	192,790,910	50,949

Note : (1) Estimates of internal consumption do not take into consideration variations in stocks held in retail channels. In other words, the estimates are based on the tacit assumption that stocks in retail channels remain more or less the same in any two consecutive years. In case there is any large variation in retail stocks as between to consecutive years, the accuracy of the estimate of consumption will be vitiated to that extent. However, such unusual variations are rare and are likely to smooth out over a period of about 3 years. A 3-year moving average of the original estimates arrived at will, therefore, afford more reliable estimates of consumption of tea in India.

Note : (2) The above figures, particularly the State-wise distribution of total consumption, are subject to revision.

27. Rates of Duties on Tea.

Year	Price of London tea notified by Govt. for the purpose of fixing export duty (Rs.)	Export duty in nP. per lb.	Central Excise duty in nP. per lb.	Export cess in Rs. per 100 lbs.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1949—50		25	19	2
1950—51		25	19	2
1951—52		25	19	2
1952—53		25	19	2
1953—54		25	6 & 25*	2
1954—55				
upto 2nd Oct. '54		25	6 & 25	2 & 4**
from 3rd Oct. '54		44	6 & 25	,,
from 7th Jan. '55 to the end of Feb. '55		62	6 & 25	4
March '55		62	6 & 25	,,
1955—56				
April 1955	3·55	50	6 & 25	4
May ,,	3·34	50	,,	,,
June ,,	2·45	25	,,	,,
July ,,	2·40	25	,,	,,
August ,,	2·61	38	,,	,,
September ,,	2·79	38	,,	,,
October ,,	3·59	50	,,	,,
November ,,	3·47	50	,,	,,
December ,,	3·28	50	,,	,,
January 1956	3·09	38	,,	,,
February ,,	2·88	38	,,	,,
March ,,	2·71	38	,,	,,
1956—57				
April 1956	2·83	38	6 & 25	4
May ,,	3·27	38	,,	,,
June ,,	3·31	38	,,	,,
July ,,	2·87	38	,,	,,
August ,,	2·53	38	,,	,,
September ,,	2·71	38	,,	,,
October ,,	3·23	38	,,	,,
November ,,	4·12	38	,,	,,
December ,,	4·19	50	,,	,,
January 1957	4·19	50	,,	,,
February ,,	3·94	38	,,	,,
March ,,	3·38	38	,,	,,

Continued

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

Price per lb.	Duty per lb.
Upto Rs. 2·50	25 nP.
Rs. 2·50 to Rs. 3·25	38 nP.
Rs. 3·25 to Rs. 4·00	50 nP.
Rs. 4·00 to Rs. 4·75	62 nP.
Above Rs. 4·75	75 nP.

N. B. :—In the Finance Act of 1956-57, the slabs Rs. 2·50 to Rs. 3·25 and Rs. 3·25 to Rs. 4·00 have been amalgamated with the result that the duty applicable to teas whose price falls in the revised slab of Rs. 2·50 to Rs. 4·00 would be 38 nP. only. This revision took effect from 1st April, 1956.

(Continued)

Year	Price of London tea notified by Govt. for the purpose of fixing export duty (Rs.)	Export duty in nP. per lb.	Central Excise duty in nP. per lb.	Export cess in Rs. per 100 lbs.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1957—58				
April 1957	2·74	38	6 & 25	4
May ,,	2·41	25	,,	,,
June ,,	2·47	25	,,	,,
July ,,	2·43	25	,,	,,
August ,,	2·55	38	,,	,,
September ,,	2·74	38	,,	,,
October ,,	3·48	38	,,	,,
November ,,	3·30	38	,,	,,
December ,,	3·35	38	,,	,,
January 1958	3·02	38	,,	,,
February ,,	2·99	38	,,	,,
March ,,	2·87	38	,,	,,

* 6 nP. for internal loose tea and 25 nP. 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 teas has been increased from Rs. 2/- to Rs. 4/- per 100 lbs. of tea.

N. B. The Government of India has decided that the excise duty on teas which are not used in the manufacture of packaged tea should be reduced to half anna a pound. According to the Press note issued by the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, the Government has also decided that the cess of Rs. 4/- per 100 lb. levied on teas exported outside India under the provisions of section 25(1) of the Tea Act, 1953 should be halved.

The Concessions which are designed to provide some immediate relief to the tea industry will be effective from June, 1, 1958.

28. Revenue earned through Customs and Central Excise Duties on tea.

(In lakhs of Rupees)

Year	Export duty	Central Excise duty
(1)	(2)	(3)
1949—50	10,99	2,57
1950—51	11,20	3,36
1951—52	10,21	4,36
1952—53	10,62	3,46
1953—54	11,62	2,09
1954—55	19,74	3,19
1955—56	17,83	3,17
1956—57	20,47	3,19
1957—58 (1)	17,00	4,40
1958—59 (2)	18,00	4,40

(1) Revised Budget estimates.
(2) Budget estimates.

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

Name of States	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955 *
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Assam	515,422	538,863	524,899	554,715	561,003	570,893
Bihar	2,999	3,183	3,132	3,326	3,325	3,662
Madhya Pradesh	—	—	—	565	594	553
Madras	89,949	91,358	91,903	96,079	96,948	97,575
Punjab	8,348	8,313	8,545	7,665	6,841	6,983
Uttar Pradesh	3,152	2,886	2,984	3,594	4,320	3,825
West Bengal	329,034	265,064	322,679	291,315	307,424	229,053
Mysore	5,463	5,476	5,154	5,992	4,800	5,787
Travancore and Cochin	70,054	94,528	88,163	82,964	90,354	90,679
Coorg	513	519	501	536	554	524
Himachal Pradesh	100	89	88	189	104	114
Tripura	8,056	7,710	6,247	7,162	8,924	7,835
Total :	1,033,090	1,017,989	1,054,295	1,054,102	1,085,191	1,017,483

* Provisional

948,598 933,497 969,803 969610 993596

Pl. Consult 1960 Publication

30. Minimum Rates of daily wages for tea Plantation Labour in Force during the year 1957 in various states.

State	District	Category of Workers	Basic	Hazri or Hazira	Dublie	D. A.	Food Allowance	Total Wages	Remarks
			Rs. nP	Rs. nP	Rs. nP	Rs. nP	Rs. nP	Rs. nP	
Col—(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
1. Assam	I. Kamrup, North Lakhimpur, Nowgong & Darrang	Men	0·75			0·31	0·50	1·50	Food grain are to be made available @ Rs. 20/- per md.
		Women	0·69			0·31	0·50	1·50	
		Children	0·38			0·15	0·25	0·78	
									" " " " "
	II. Cacher	Men	0·62			0·31	0·44	1.37	
		Women	0·56			0·31	0·44	1·31	
		Children	0·38			0·15	0·22	0·75	
	III. Rest of Assam Valley.	Men	0·75			0·31	0·56	1·62	" " @Rs 17·50 per md.
		Women	0·69			0·31	0·56	1·56	
		Children	0·38			0·15	0·25	0·78	
2. Bihar	I Ranchi II Purnea	All workers						1·38	Constitutes wages for full day's work of 5 to 8 hours. If the worker complets only one task, namely Hazri. he shall receive only 0·31 nP. as D. A + his Hazri wages. Rice is sold as Rs. 5/- per md. & other food concession are also given.
		Men		0·38	0·37	0·44		1·19	
		Women		0·31	0·31	0·44		1·06	
3. Coorg		Men	0·55			0·62		1·17	
		Women	0·41			0·47		0·88	
		Adolescents	0·34			0·38		0·72	
		Children	0·27			0·31		0·58	
4. Madras		Above 200 planted aeres.—A.							Men employed in factories get an extra allowance of 6 nP. per day over the total shown in col. 9. There is no provision for such extra allowance in respect of the other Categories.
		Grade—I						1·72	
		" II						1·31	
		Adolescents						1·00	
		Children						0·72	
		200 and below planted aeres—B.							Classification into grades I & II is based on aphysical capacity, skill, efficiency and out-turn of work. No distinction is made on grounds of sex.
		Grade I						1·56	
		" II						1·16	
		Adolescents						0·97	
		Childran						0·72	
5. Mysore		Men	0·62			0·38		1·00	For every rise or fall in the cost of living Index, the enhancement or reduction in D.A. is as follows, Men—3 nP., Women—2 nP. & Children 1 nP.
		Women	0·56			0·25		0·81	
		Adolescents	0·44			0·19		0·62	
		Children	0·38			0·19		0·56	

(Contd.)

State	Districts	Category of workers	Basic	Hazri or Hazira	Dublie	D. A.	Food Allowance	Total Wages	Remarks
			Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	
Col—(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
6. Punjab		Men						0·69	Only all-inclusive wages were fixed.
		Women						0·53	
		Children						0·38	
7. Travancore —Cochin	Malabar	Grade—I						1·34	Classification into grades I & II are based on physical capacity, skill, efficiency and out-turn of work. No distinction is made on grounds of sex.
		,, —II						1·00	
		Children						0·63	
	Rest of T.C State	Men : Field	0·94			0·65		1·59	Adolescents are given an adult's or child's wage according to the number of hours he or she works. Upward or down ward adjustment in D. A are made @ 4 nP. for men, 3 nP. for women and 2 nP. for children for every 10 points of deviation of the Ernakulam cost of living index from the basic index vide 389.
		Factory	1·06			0·75		1·81	
		Women : Field	0·70			0·50		1·20	
		Factory	0·81			0·56		1·37	
		Children : Field	0·47			0·33		0·80	
		Men : Field		0·44	0·44	0·37		1·25	
8. Tripura		Factory	0·75			0·38		1·13	
		Women : Field		0·38	0·37	0·38		1·13	
		Factory	0·62			0·38		1·00	
		Children : Field		0·25	0·25	0·12		0·62	
		Foctory	0·37			0·19		0·56	
		Adults above 18 yrs						1·00	
9. U. P.									Only all—inclusive wage was fixed.
10. West Bengal	Darjeeling	Men	1·00			0·38		1·38	The basic and total wages are inclusive of ad-hoc increases. Food grains are to be made available at the concessional price of @ Rs. 17·50 per md.
		Women	0·94			0·37		1·31	
		Children	0·50			0·25		0·75	
	Dooars & Terai	Men		0·56	0·56	0·59		1·71	Food grains were to be available at the concessional price of @ Rs. 15·00 per md.
		Women		0·50	0·50	0·59		1·59	
		Children		0·31	0·31	0·31		0·94	

31. Consumer Price Index numbers for plantation workers during the years 1955 to 1957.

Months	WEST BENGAL									ASSAM VALLEY			CACHAR			MADRAS		
	Darjeeling			Terai			Dooars			(April 1951 to March 1952=100)			(April 1951 to March 1952=100)			(Jan. to June 1949=100)		
	Base : (1948=100)			Base : (1948=100)			Base : (1948=100)											
	1955	1956	1957	1955	1956	1957	1955	1956	1957	1955	1956	1957	1955	1956	1957	1955	1956	1957
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)
January	N.A	100	104	N.A	79	87	N.A	84	90	88	88	97	76	83	91	99	93	108
February	N.A	100	104	N.A	83	87	N.A	84	83	89	89	100	77	85	92	97	94	105
March	N.A	102	107	N.A	85	87	N.A	88	92	91	91	102	80	84	94	93	96	105
April	N.A	104	107	N.A	90	97	N.A	95	96	90	95	107	82	92	98	91	100	104
May	N.A	105	108	N.A	92	102	N.A	96	104	89	97	111	82	95	103	91	101	107
June	N.A	103	108	N.A	94	99	N.A	95	103	88	99	109	82	97	103	92	104	107
July	N.A	109	107	N.A	95	100	N.A	96	103	90	99	108	84	97	103	94	105	109
August	N.A	109	111	N.A	98	101	N.A	97	106	92	100	109	85	98	102	93	104	110
September	N.A	112	111	N.A	104	102	N.A	100	103	93	101	109	87	97	103	91	108	109
October	N.A	112	111	N.A	107	104	N.A	101	105	92	99	111	86	97	103	90	107	110
November	101	111	111	91	102	104	93	99	103	92	101	111	83	98	100	91	107	112
December	99	113	112	80	87	99	85	88	102	91	100	107	81	91	94	92	107	113

N. A.—Not available.

Source :—

(1) For West Bengal—Labour Commissioner, West Bengal.

(2) For other States—Indian Labour Gazette, Ministry of Labour and Employment, Govt. of India.

32. Index numbers of wholesale prices of some Important Commodities.

(1952—53=100)

Commodities ↓ / Average of Weeks ended Saturdays →	1953-54	1954-55	1955-56	1956-57	November 1956	December 1956	January 1957	February 1957	March 1957	April 1957	May 1957	June 1957	July 1957	August 1957	September 1957	October 1957	November 1957	December 1957
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)
1. Tea	174	255	170	165	185	200	198	178	160	165	153	172	194	174	156	156	167	157
2. Sugar	99	104	94	95	93	94	94	95	95	95	100	112	112	112	110	110	109	109
3. Milk	101	94	94	104	104	99	99	98	101	110	118	116	112	114	114	108	105	99
4. Rice	100	82	78	97	99	94	93	98	97	101	106	107	108	111	108	107	107	102
5. Wheat	93	75	72	88	92	94	94	97	95	93	90	89	89	89	87	88	87	86
6. Jowar	100	77	67	123	136	127	119	119	119	124	126	128	128	122	112	113	115	109
7. Bajra	103	78	84	122	136	133	132	132	130	134	137	138	142	138	125	121	121	117
8. Gram	89	54	49	71	74	77	78	79	80	75	71	71	72	71	68	67	67	65
9. Other Pulses	93	62	69	87	90	93	91	91	87	88	91	94	96	96	92	92	92	88
10. Bananas	104	98	88	103	96	98	101	107	108	111	110	115	110	108	101	98	97	99
11. Ghee	96	89	84	94	97	93	93	93	95	97	98	99	101	103	103	102	102	99
12. Groundnut oil	120	77	74	104	110	105	106	104	104	105	109	110	112	107	105	108	110	102
13. Mustared oil	137	127	104	176	195	198	189	188	165	162	168	168	177	179	177	174	173	163
14. Gur	141	122	88	100	120	106	97	97	93	96	103	109	109	109	111	112	111	110
15. Spices & Condiments	118	114	110	97	97	97	94	93	89	88	89	89	97	99	98	101	102	104
16. Tobacco Raw	100	90	77	80	84	84	85	83	83	84	87	89	91	89	91	93	95	96
17. Coal	100	100	101	116	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	128	130	130	130	130	130
18. Cotton Raw	104	102	97	111	109	109	111	113	113	111	112	112	111	112	100	97	101	105
19. Jute Raw	98	112	117	126	133	138	142	135	133	132	142	146	140	134	133	132	132	129
20. Groundnuts	127	82	79	111	109	105	111	109	112	113	116	116	117	112	105	105	104	102
21. Raye Seed	136	124	101	163	182	184	174	157	152	155	166	169	175	175	170	172	172	157
22. Sugar cane	86	91	92	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91
23. Logs & Timber	102	107	111	114	113	114	114	117	116	113	113	116	116	116	116	115	115	115
24. Cotton Manufacturers	104	107	105	116	119	117	117	116	115	116	116	116	117	117	117	117	115	115
25. Jute Manufacturers	91	102	96	95	101	104	102	98	94	95	98	100	99	97	99	100	97	93
26. Silk & Rayon Manufacturers	92	92	91	88	85	86	87	87	87	87	87	86	85	84	83	83	82	82
27. Iron & Steel Manufacturers	108	110	119	131	132	132	132	132	132	132	137	143	143	143	143	143	143	143
28. Machinery	99	99	102	104	105	105	105	106	106	106	106	107	107	107	107	108	108	108

33. Statistics Relating to selected tea producing Companies.

(i) North India

Serial No.	Name of Companies	Location of Estate	Paid up Capital ordinary	Net Block Account	Liquid Assets	Reserve and other funds	Planted acreage	Crop (1956)	Average price per lb.	Net Profit including taxation.	Dividend per cent			Paid up per share	Market Quotation as on 31st March or thereabout (Rs.)		
			(000 Rs.)	(Rs. 000)	(Rs. 000)	(Rs. 000)		(000 lbs)	Rs. nP.	(Rs. 000)	1954	1955	1956	(Rs.)	1956	1957	1958
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)
1	Amluckie (8)	Assam	445	480	2,189	611	874·0	771	2·71	280	72	18	50	100	525·00	525·00	240·00
2	Bateli (14)	Assam	230	467	1,491	640	570·0	789	2·31	26	80	50	60	5	23·00	26·75	18·50
3	Banarhat (1)	Dooars	2,700	2,545	1,583	2,925	2,540·1	3,252	2·47	2,676	120	25	40	100	368·00	310·50	302·00
4	Basmatia (1)	Assam	510	764	1,602	1,036	377·8	568	2·57	360	80	15	20	10	38·94	37·37	21·75
5	Betjan (4)	Assam	640	764	2,654	740	611·8	764	3·12	714	100	20	25	10	60·12	26·00	22·75
6	Birpara (3)	Dooars	900	1,661	1,990	825	1,367·0	1,243	2·17	472	20	5	25	100	170·00	160·00	111·00
7	Bishnath (11)	Assam	3,300	3,547	6,284	1,300	3,967·0	3,880	2·74	1,857	55	20	20	10	26·75	20·75	19·87
8	Bokakhat (9)	Assam	600	896	605	250	485·0	356	2·51	68	10	Nil	5	10	24·25	27·25	15·00
9	Borpukhuri (11)	Assam	450	722	964	251	564·0	628	2·48	222	30	10	15	10	28·62	18·75	15·25
10	Brooke Bond (12)	Assam	3,500	5,272	7,649	1,091	2,833·0	3,437	2·12	1,606	47½	12½	17½	10	25·31	19·50	16·37
11	Choonabhuti (1)	Dooars	900	905	2,943	1,394	902·9	1,044	2·40	843	90	20	35	100	217·00	301·00	271·00
12	Dhelakat (5)	Assam	1,753	426	...	425	667·3	671	3·16	187	60	30	17½	10	22·50	21·37	22·37
13	Dejoo valley (8)	Assam	120	1,949	...	1,027	264·0	359*	3·16	852	25	25	25	10	44·25	50·25	50·00
14	Dhunseri (13)	Assam	468	367	764	395	645·8	607	2·26	137	50	10	12½	10	25·37	17·42	11·50
15	Dibrugarh (8)	Assam	450	773	1,536	780	458·0	586	2·64	327	40	20	...	10	30·50	23·56	23·25
16	Dilaram (16)	Darjeeling	200	184	272	163	487·8	146	2·76	23	21	Nil	5	100	250·00	190·00	149·50
17	Dimakusi (11)	Assam	473	704	1,264	450	616·8	682	2·88	476	60	20	30	10	60·00	27·50	20·25
18	Dufflagarh (11)	Assam	700	852	2,766	975	614·6	980	2·91	993	50	40	40	10	48·25	34·37	29·25
19	East India (11)	Assam	1,000	1,702	1,868	600	1,151·0	1,046	2·72	325	35	10	10	10	26·75	28·00	18·56
20	Eastern Cachar (9)	Cachar	700	796	530	...	649·0	401	2·06	14	Nil	Nil	Nil	10	9·94	9·81	5·06
21	Eugo (1)	Dooars	120	192	305	264	264·8	196	1·96	13	110	Nil	Nil	100	577·00	527·00	400·00
22	Gairkhata (4)	Dooars	500	787	1,725	800	971·0	1,035	2·34	7	70	Nil	...	100	340·00	268·00	119·00
23	Gielle (2)	Darjeeling	200	511	239	194	507·0	228	3·01	52	25	Nil	Nil	10	43·75	25·00	9·06
24	Gohpur (11)	Assam	676	965	1,100	350	545·0	597	2·71	388	50	30	25	10	27·75	22·62	21·31
25	Grob* (9)	Assam	1,102	2,721	3,364	1,876	1,919·8	1,977	2·40	1,266	50	25	32½	A10	40·00	30·25	22·56
														B5	20·00	16·75	12·87
26	Hansqua (3)	Terai	500	894	1,191	1,043	530·0	462	1·84	108	25	10	10	10	25·00	26·75	23·75
27	Hantapara (3)	Dooars	3,600	4,286	5,992	2,877	2,416·3	2,870	2·16	960	60	6	7½	100	284·00	187·00	117·00
28	Hasimara (2)	Dooars	3,300	5,284	7,812	6,065	3,913·5	5,723	2·65	2,058	60	12½	22½	10	37·62	27·50	21·00
29	Hoograjuli (1)	Assam	500	573	1,002	614	476·4	458	2·34	176	90	5	15	10	28·00	28·00	29·00
30	Hoolungoorie (1)	Assam	870	1,146	2,467	2,467	1,320·6	1,059	2·69	527	35	7½	15	100	305·00	190·00	176·00
31	Huldibari (2)	Dooars	825	1,030	2,468	1,965	1,452·0	1,754	1·87	675	80	12½	25	10	37·25	23·00	20·87
32	Joybirpara (1)	Dooars	700	572	7,549	537	607·0	546	2·11	202	65	Nil	6	10	24·62	21·50	17·62
33	Jutlibari (4)	Assam	750	500	1,500	735	945·0	848	2·80	33	35	Nil	...	10	28·18	25·37	17·37

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(i) North India. (*Contd.*)

Serial No.	Name of Companies	Location of Estate	Paid up Capital ordinary	Net Block Account	Liquid Assets	Reserve and other funds	Planted acreage	Crop (1956)	Average price per lb. for the season	Net Profit including taxation	Divident per cent			Paid up per share	Market Quotation as on 31st March or thereabout (Rs.)		
			(000 Rs.)	(Rs. 000)	(Rs. 000)	(Rs. 000)		(000 lbs)	Rs. nP.	(Rs. 000)	1954	1955	1956	(Rs.)	1956	1957	1958
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)
34	Ledo (3)	Assam	650	732	1,527	1,215	635·9	436	2·33	284	27½	10	7½	10	24·50	21·56	16·06
35	Methoni (9)	Assam	100	1,459	1,811	1,080	612·0	846	2·67	605	45	17½	20	10	26·25	20·00	17·12
36	Mim (1)	Darjeeling	159	251	400	350	463·0	167	3·44	32	40	15	10	100	300·00	255·00	201·00
37	Mothola (7)	Assam	150	407	1,443	920	433·0	563	2·52	329	65	50	60	100	575·00	400·00	436·00
38	Murphulani (1)	Assam	175	438	1,445	694	344·1	420	3·05	443	45	17½	20	10	33·00	33·50	27·00
39	New Dooars (1)	Dooars	1,400	1,190	4,834	2,055	1,163·0	1,538	2·36	1,070	100	25	35	100	308·00	309·00	296·00
40	Okayti (3)	Darjeeling	100	224	186	108	505·0	183	3·06	23	37½	Nil	Nil	100	600·00	600·00	440·00
41	Patheueara (9)	Cachar	259	384	610	1	500·0	408	1·75	95	Nil	Nil	Nil	10	19·50	9·06	5·44
42	Phascowa (3)	Dooars	250	321	494	384	348·0	242	2·22	72	30	Nil	7½	100	245·00	245·00	95·50
43	Pussimling (2)	Darjeeling	205	454	308	206	570·0	145	2·56	4	7	Nil	Nil	10	16·00	10·00	5·75
44	Rajgarh (1)	Assam	200	452	...	852	353·5	481	2·65	324	75	25	40	10	49·50	39·50	40·12
45	Roopchera (8)	Cachar	260	434	...	356	638·0	568	1·94	116	10	16	...	10	24·50	22·00	14·50
46	Rungamatee (3)	Cachar	525	959	1,534	1,175	698·0	673	2·09	343	35	20	20	50	138·50	97·00	59·50
47	Runghe Runvloit (3)	Darjeeling	140	194	794	501	341·0	210	3·06	118	50	20	35	100	390·00	408·00	360·00
48	Rydak (15)	Dooars	1,492	2,378	...	2,668	1,766·0	198	2·38	1,158	100	50	30	10	81·50	34·50	26·87
49	Sapoi (17)	Assam	900	3,476	2,014	153	932·0	1,297	2·69	710	45	25	25	50	27·25	30·50	24·37
50	Singell (6)	Darjeeling	625	597	305	1	726·0	281	2·68	73	Nil	Nil	Nil	100	38·50	20·75	17·00
51	Soom (11)	Darjeeling	300	407	993	536	554·0	298	3·41	360	50	30	40	10	29·25	30·00	27·00
52	Teenali (9)	Assam	450	822	1,349	876	509·6	619	2·60	472	60	20	30	10	36·50	25·00	26·31
53	Teesta Valley (2)	Darjeeling	320	473	1,267	943	718·0	386	3·17	298	40	15	25	10	44·37	38·75	20·25
54	Tezpore (10)	Assam	1,932	2,439	3,982	1,276	2,219·0	2,537	2·29	971	50	15	12½	10	27·75	21·75	16·75
55	Tukvar (11)	Darjeeling	801	1,231	728	1,250	1,666·0	735	2·58	25	10	Nil	Nil	10	17·37	11·50	8·00

* Figure relates to 1955 production.

N. B.—The figures in the brackets after the names of Companies refer to Managing agents as follows :

(1) Andrew Yule & Co. Ltd. (2) Davenport & Co. Ltd. (3) Duncan Brothers & Co. Ltd. (4) Gillanders Arbuthnot & Co. Ltd. (5) James Warren & Co. Ltd. (6) Hoare Miller & Co. Ltd. (7) Kettlewell Bullen & Co. Ltd. (8) Macleod & Co. Ltd. (9) Octavius Steel & Co. Ltd. (10) Shaw Wallace & Co. Ltd. (11) Williamson Magor & Co. Ltd. (12) Brooke Bond & Co. Ltd. (13) James Finley & Co. Ltd. (14) National Tea Corporation Ltd. (15) Jardine Henderson Ltd. (16) B. P. Dooduawala. (17) G. C. Kanoi.

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33. (ii) South India

Serial No.	Name of Companies	Location of Estate	Paid up Capital Ordinary (000 Rs.)	Net Block Account (000 Rs.)	Liquid Assets (000 Rs.)	Reserve and other Funds (000 Rs.)	Planted Acreage	Crop 1956 (000 lbs.)	Average price per lb. Rs. nP.	Net profit including Taxation (000 Rs.)	Dividend per cent 1954	1955	1956	Paid up per share (Rs.)	Market Quotation as on 31st March or thereabout 1956	1957	1958
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)
1.	Balanoor P (1)	Mysore	550	1,037	N. A.	773	583	...	...	254	18¾	...	...	10	24·00	18·50	15·00
2.	Blue Mountain (2)	Mysore	3,750	4,520	,,	1,200	1,282	...	...	1,674	2½	...	...	2	5·53	5·94	3·15
3.	Chembra Peak (3)	Kerala	933	1,596	,,	3,806	1,330	1,203*	1·60*	817	10	10	20	2	4·63	3·88	3·70
4.	Coonoor P (4)	Madras	250	1,097	,,	260	278	...	...	140	45	25	...	10	28·88	24·00	20·15
5.	Dhevasola (Nilgiri) (5)	Madras	600	794	,,	393	345	...	...	494	40	...	...	10	28·00	21·50	19·15
6.	Devon P (1)	Madras	200	634	,,	408	479	...	...	148	18¾	...	...	10	22·50	17·75	17·25
7.	Highland Produce P (6)	Kerala	800	1,508	,,	1,714	896	...	...	444	...	...	...	10	17·62	15·25	13·10
8.	Kalasa Tea Produce (3)	Kerala	540	1,067	,,	831	539	438*	1·65*	471	10	15	...	9	15·00	14·88	15·22
9.	Mlamallay P (7)	Kerala	300	490	,,	124	780	...	...	212	...	25	...	25	65·00	45·50	30·00
10.	Nelliampathy P (6)	Kerala	1,200	1,405	,,	...	577	...	...	109	75	...	...	2	3·09	3·19	2·85
11.	Nonsuch (8)	Kerala	1,100	1,434	,,	1,146	804	...	...	435	...	...	...	10	35·50	23·00	21·50
12.	Ouchterlony (3)	Kerala	1,946	2,915	,,	3,265	1,391	...	...	800	30	20	...	2	5·53	5·00	4·93
13.	Parkside Neligherry (4)	Madras	1,354	1,232	,,	310	631	...	...	574	25	25	...	10	20·00	17·50	17·25
14.	Peermade P (3)	Kerala	1,700	1,601	,,	2,006	1,557	...	...	1,235	55	...	...	10	38·25	28·25	21·50
15.	Peria Karamalai (9)	Kerala	3,477	6,955	,,	5,061	3,482	3,993*	2·30*	3,626	35	45	45	2	8·69	8·19	4·10
16.	United Nilgiri (10)	Madras	1,371	1,812	,,	2,005	1,059	...	...	1,294	18	35	...	2	7·00	16·25	15·00
17.	Waterfall Estates (11)	Madras	2,100	4,775	,,	2,675	9,743	1,125*	1·90*	941	12½	20	15	2	6·31	6·50	3·47

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

(ii) The figures in the brackets after the name of the Companies refer to Managing Agents as follows :

1. Young India Agencies.
2. Kothari & Sons.
3. Peiree Leslie & Co. Ltd.
4. Matheson, Bosanquet & Co. Ltd.
5. R. A. Jenkins.
6. Thomas A. V. Co. & Ltd.
7. John V. C.
8. Anis-oriental & General Investment Trust Ltd.
9. Haranemull Heralall.
10. T. Stakes & Co.
11. Kothari, Mehta & Co. Ltd.

(iv) N. A.—Not available.

(iii) * — Figures-relate to 1955.

Source : Capital.

34. Gross Profit* as percentage of total Capital employed † in different industries.

Serial No.	Industry	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	Average 1951-55
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1.	Tea	10·7	1·4	23·7	33·7	10·2	16·9
2.	Other Plantations	17·5	13·3	14·8	16·5	17·0	15·9
3.	Cotton Textiles	12·0	5·1	6·5	6·6	10·8	8·2
4.	Jute Textiles	13·6	8·3	8·1	8·0	6·2	9·1
5.	Other Textiles	2·6	2·1	3·4	5·8	10·1	5·1
6.	Iron and Steel	15·0	14·5	13·9	15·3	16·5	15·1
7.	Engineering ‡	6·5	6·2	5·3	6·9	10·3	7·3
8.	Cement	14·2	13·7	12·2	14·4	14·4	13·8
9.	Sugar	10·4	8·5	10·9	9·2	9·9	9·8
10.	Paper	14·0	12·8	12·5	10·0	12·2	12·2
11.	Vegetable Oil	1·0	1·3	4·3	—	7·1	2·5
12.	Chemical §	5·7	3·2	3·7	4·5	6·9	4·8
13.	Matches	16·2	16·2	13·6	13·1	12·2	14·1
14.	Coal	8·8	9·7	6·6	7·1	9·6	8·3
15.	Electricity Generation and Supply	8·1	8·4	7·9	7·8	7·4	7·9
16.	Shipping	8·2	7·4	3·5	2·5	4·9	5·1
17.	Trading	8·2	4·8	3·8	2·9	4·4	4·9
18.	Land and Estates	4·7	4·0	4·7	4·5	1·0	3·8
	Total (Including others)	10·7	7·6	8·4	9·1	10·2	9·2

Note :—

* Includes Managing Agents' remuneration, interest charges and provision for tax, but excludes depreciation.

† Next 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 :—Figures shown in the above table are based on an analysis of the working of a sample of Indian Rupee Companies engaged in different industries, the number of Tea Companies among which is 113. No information regarding the representativeness of the samples in respect of different industries is, however, available.

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

Serial No.	Industry	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	Average 1951-55
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1	Tea	17·2	2·6	35·0	48·9	16·3	26·8
2	Other Plantations	42·6	35·7	38·5	37·5	44·0	39·8
3	Cotton Textiles	9·0	4·0	5·4	5·2	8·3	6·5
4	Jute Textiles	7·7	4·2	6·1	5·9	4·0	5·7
5	Other Textiles	5·1	4·4	6·2	10·4	13·6	8·8
6	Iron & Steel	17·9	17·2	18·7	21·5	26·2	20·6
7	Engineering †	8·6	8·1	7·2	7·6	8·3	8·6
8	Cement	22·0	19·8	18·6	20·0	21·4	20·3
9	Sugar	11·9	8·8	9·1	10·6	11·7	10·4
10	Paper	19·3	18·3	18·4	16·3	18·8	18·3
11	Vegetable Oil	0·5	0·7	2·1	—	3·8	1·3
12	Chemicals ‡	8·2	5·1	5·2	5·8	8·7	6·7
13	Matches	6·9	7·8	7·2	8·0	7·9	7·6
14	Coal	8·8	8·7	7·7	8·6	11·4	9·0
15	Electricity Generation & Supply	36·7	36·0	33·1	32·4	30·0	33·2
16	Shipping	15·5	13·7	7·9	6·2	12·0	11·2
17	Trading	2·3	1·6	1·5	1·2	1·7	1·7
18	Land & Estate	40·0	39·7	43·8	43·8	15·1	38·2
	Total	9·7	7·2	8·8	9·6	10·6	9·2

Note :—

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

† (1) Non-metal, (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.

** Main income.

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36. Profits after tax as precentage of net worth* in different industries.

Serial No.	Industry	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	Average 1951-55
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1	Tea	8·6	—	21·5	30·6	8·8	14·3
2	Other Plantations	17·1	12·3	13·8	13·0	13·8	14·0
3	Cotton Textiles	9·6	2·1	3·8	3·8	8·6	5·6
4	Jute Textiles	12·9	2·5	5·5	5·1	3·6	5·9
5	Other Textiles	1·6	0·5	0·3	3·0	11·4	3·7
6	Iron & Steel	15·2	15·3	14·4	18·6	22·6	17·6
7	Engineering †	5·0	4·5	4·0	6·0	11·4	6·4
8	Cement	11·5	11·7	10·0	10·9	11·1	11·0
9	Sugar	11·8	8·3	10·1	9·4	10·3	10·0
10	Paper	13·3	11·6	10·1	8·3	10·3	10·6
11	Vegitable Oil	—	—	3·8	—	7·2	—
12	Chemicals ‡	3·8	0·4	1·2	3·1	5·9	3·0
13	Matches	12·3	13·0	10·3	10·2	9·6	11·0
14	Coal	6·2	7·9	4·7	5·6	8·0	6·5
15	Electricity Generation & Supply	7·4	7·6	6·9	7·2	7·4	7·3
16	Shipping	9·9	7·9	1·9	2·0	4·6	5·1
17	Trading	10·3	5·1	3·5	1·6	4·1	4·9
18	Land & Estate	2·6	2·3	2·4	1·9	—	1·6
	Total (Including others)	9·6	5·7	6·8	7·8	9·4	7·9

Note :'—' Indicates that numerator or dinominator 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 & Pharmaceuticals, (3) Other Chemicals.

Source : Reserve Bank of India :—Figures shown in the above table are based on an analysis of the working of a sample of Indian Rupee Companies engaged in different industries, the number of Tea Companies among which is 113. No information regarding the representativeness of the samples in respect of different industries is, however, available.

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

Serial No.	Industry	Ordinary Shares						Preference Shares					
		1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	Average 1951-55	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	Average 1951-55
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Tea	12·0	6·9	16·7	34·1	16·6	17·4	5·5	4·6	6·0	7·6	6·2	5·9
2.	Other Plantations	14·9	12·8	15·8	17·3	18·9	16·0	6·8	7·4	6·6	6·3	6·1	6·6
3.	Cotton Textiles	9·5	7·5	8·2	8·3	10·2	8·7	4·2	3·8	3·9	3·8	4·3	4·0
4.	Jute Textiles	15·4	11·3	8·5	7·6	7·5	10·0	6·6	6·1	7·1	6·4	5·5	6·3
5.	Other Textiles	0·4	1·5	4·0	4·5	4·4	3·0	3·0	8·9	5·6	2·8	2·8	4·7
6.	Iron and Steel	14·2	16·9	12·6	12·6	12·6	13·4	6·7	6·7	6·7	6·7	6·7	6·7
7.	Engineering †	2·7	2·8	3·3	3·9	6·1	3·8	2·2	2·1	2·0	2·6	0·4	3·7
8.	Cement	8·7	9·4	9·2	9·2	9·7	9·2	8·8	5·5	5·5	5·5	5·9	6·2
9.	Sugar	10·2	10·2	11·2	11·8	12·8	11·3	5·6	5·3	5·7	4·8	5·5	5·4
10.	Paper	12·3	10·5	10·4	10·1	11·0	10·8	5·9	5·8	4·5	5·4	4·6	5·2
11.	Vegetable Oil	2·6	2·8	2·6	2·3	3·4	2·7	2·4	2·1	2·8	1·4	5·3	2·8
12.	Chemicals ‡	2·6	2·1	2·3	2·6	3·4	2·6	5·7	5·2	9·0	10·0	4·1	6·7
13.	Matches	10·7	10·3	10·8	10·9	10·9	10·8	—	—	—	—	—	—
14.	Coal	7·1	7·4	6·0	6·8	8·2	7·1	3·9	4·8	5·6	7·2	5·3	5·4
15.	Electricity Generations & Supply	7·2	6·9	6·3	7·4	6·7	6·9	6·8	7·2	6·7	6·7	6·4	6·8
16.	Shipping	3·9	5·2	2·4	1·9	4·6	3·5	9·6	5·3	5·3	5·4	5·5	6·3
17.	Trading	9·8	6·7	5·4	5·6	6·4	6·7	4·2	2·4	2·4	3·0	2·9	3·0
18.	Land and Estate	2·1	1·6	2·2	1·9	1·1	1·8	4·7	6·0	3·8	2·0	3·9	4·1
	Total	8·3	7·3	7·5	8·3	8·8	8·1	5·2	4.9	5·1	5·0	5·4	5·2

Note :— '—' Indicate that paid up capital is Nil.

* Including Capitalised Reserves. "†" (1) Non-ferrous Metals, (2) Transport Equipment, (3) Electrical Machinery and (4) Machinary (other than transport and Electrical).

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

Source :—Reserve Bank of India Bulletin :—Figures shown in the above table are based on an analysis of the working of a sample of Indian Rupee Companies engaged in different industries, the number of Tea Companies among which is 113. No information regarding the representativeness of the samples in respect of different industries is, however, available.

38. Allocation of Profits in Selected Industries during the five years (1951-55)

(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.	Tea	2,671	1,014	1,658	1,039	619	37·9	38·9	23·2	62·7	37·3
2.	Other Plantations	568	154	414	261	154	27·1	45·9	27·0	62·9	37·1
3.	Cotton Textiles	6,967	3,035	3,932	3,007	925	43·6	43·2	13·0	76·5	23·5
4.	Jute Textiles	2,201	910	1,291	1,074	217	41·3	48·8	9·9	83·2	16·8
5.	Other Textiles	256	81	176	172	3	31·5	67·1	1·4	98·0	2·0
6.	Iron and Steel	5,986	2,288	3,698	1,275	2,423	38·2	21·3	40·5	34·5	65·5
7.	Engineering *	2,454	1,131	1,323	622	701	46·0	25·4	28·6	47·0	53·0
8.	Cement	2,327	1,042	1,285	780	506	44·8	33·5	21·7	60·7	39·3
9.	Sugar	2,463	987	1,482	870	612	40·0	35·2	24·8	58·7	41·3
10.	Paper	1,293	496	797	361	437	38·3	27·9	33·8	45·2	54·8
11.	Vegetable Oil	5	32	—27	58	—85	610·0	1098·3	—	—	—
12.	Chemicals †	374	160	213	211	3	42·9	56·4	0·7	98·8	1·2
13.	Matches	400	185	215	154	61	46·2	38·6	15·2	71·7	28·3
14.	Coal	952	401	551	367	184	42·1	38·5	19·4	66·6	33·4
15.	Electricity Generation & Supply	1,460	369	1,090	848	242	25·3	58·1	16·6	77·8	22·2
16.	Shipping	926	212	714	333	381	22·9	35·9	41·2	46·6	53·4
17.	Trading	730	362	368	328	40	49·6	45·0	5·4	89·2	10·8
	Total (including others)	38,231	15,578	22,653	13,896	8,757	40·7	36·3	22·9	61·3	38·7

Note :— '—' Indicates 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 :—Figures shown in the above table are based on an analysis of the working of a sample of Indian Rupee Companies engaged in different industries, the number of Tea Companies among which is 113. No information regarding the representativeness of the samples in respect of different Industries is, however, available.

39. 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	743·8	354·7	398·9	226·3	336·1	666·1	161·0	341·4	320·8
1955	183·1	277·5	535·0	307·9	413·5	747·8	200·4	409·7	334·3

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

40. Results of Random Sample Surveys conducted during 1957.

Serial No.	Serial No. within Zone.	Zone	State	Name of Town	Period of Survey	Total population as per 1951 census	Total No. of families selected for the survey.	% of families actually surveyed.	% of families drinking tea				Avg. annual consumption of dry tea (in lbs) per family.		Avg. annual consumption of dry tea (in lbs.) per capita	
									Home only	Shops only	Home & Shops	Total	For tea drinking families	For all families.	For tea drinking individuals.	For all individuals.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)
1	1	SOUTH	Andhra	Bhimavaram	Jan/Feb	30,930	550	84·7	23·2	14·6	10·9	48·7	7·01	3·41	1·85	0·64
2	2		Andhra	Muslipatnam	Dec/Feb '57	78,021	750	77·1	13·8	5·5	3·0	22·3	6·84	1·53	1·86	0·29
3	3		Andhra	Rajmundry	Feb/April	1,05,276	800	89·4	21·3	20·7	3·6	45·6	6·52	2·97	1·75	0·57
4	4		Andhra	Vijayawada	Mar/April	1,61,198	1100	76·8	16·7	23·9	9·6	50·2	6·63	3·33	2·00	0·58
5	5		Andhra	Visakhapatnam	May/June	1,07,815	1000	88·0	27·0	12·1	8·6	47·7	10·29	4·91	2·21	0·85
6	6		Andhra	Kurnool	July/Aug	60,222	1000	78·2	14·1	19·8	7·7	41·6	6·33	2·63	2·03	0·47
7	7		Andhra	Anantapur	Oct/Nov.	31,904	500	90·4	9·5	21·9	8·9	40·3	5·75	2·31	1·63	0·40
8	8		Andhra	Tirupatti	December	25,320	300	82·7	4·9	27·4	3·2	35·5	4·40	1·56	2·01	0·31
9	9		Andhra	Chittoor	Dec/Jan '58	38,817	450	85·6	11·7	15·8	7·8	35·3	8·03	2·84	2·01	0·51
10	10		Kerala	Mattancheri	August	73,904	550	80·0	44·8	6·1	33·6	84·5	13·91	11·76	2·19	1·73
11	11		Kerala	Kottayam	Oct/Nov.	44,204	550	82·2	15·7	11·5	6·9	34·1	10·80	4·17	1·74	0·56
12	12		Madras	Pudukottai	Mar/April	44,565	450	85·8	9·9	32·4	6·7	49·0	7·01	3·43	2·15	0·65
13	13		Madras	Erode	June/July	57,527	500	79·0	15·7	16·5	10·6	42·8	8·10	3·46	1·65	0·64
14	14		Mysore	Bellary	July/Sept.	70,764	900	86·9	16·9	15·9	8·8	41·6	8·14	3·38	1·88	0·62
15	15		Mysore	Mangalore	Sept/Nov.	1,19,011	1200	78·0	32·9	8·2	11·0	52·1	10·14	5·28	2·09	0·85
16	1	EAST	Assam	Dibrugarh	Oct/Dec.	37,991	550	82·9	38·4	2·2	59·0	99·6	24·76	24·65	4·10	3·61
17	2		Assam	Gauhati	Nov/Dec.	43,615	800	85·8	21·1	3·8	74·5	99·4	28·97	28·80	4·97	4·53
18	3		W. Bengal	Nabadwip	Mar/April	66,088	600	81·8	32·6	22·0	17·7	72·3	11·48	8·30	3·04	1·46
19	4		W. Bengal	Cooch Behar	May/June	33,242	400	88·5	30·2	3·4	60·5	94·1	18·68	17·57	3·14	2·37
20	5		W. Bengal	Malda	May/June	30,163	350	83·7	30·7	11·3	37·5	79·5	11·27	8·96	2·37	1·36
21	6		W. Bengal	Siliguri	May/July	46,480	560	86·6	31·4	7·4	54·2	93·0	15·37	14·30	3·33	2·46
22	7		W. Bengal	Berhampore	Aug/Oct.	55,868	700	82·1	51·8	6·5	26·6	84·9	12·79	10·85	2·46	1·67
23	8		W. Bengal	Midnapore	Aug/Nov.	45,476	500	85·2	26·8	12·0	45·5	84·3	14·89	12·54	2·85	1·72
24	1	CENTRAL	M. P.	Indore	May/July	3,10,859	2200	77·3	23·5	10·7	50·7	84·9	9·27	7·87	1·85	1·40
25	2		M. P.	Dewas	Aug/Sept.	27,879	350	87·4	27·5	2·9	52·3	82·7	8·26	6·83	1·49	1·21
26	3		M. P.	Jaora	October	29,598	500	72·2	31·6	8·6	35·7	75·9	10·73	8·15	1·98	1·38
27	1	NORTH-EAST	U. P.	Hapur	Feb/March	49,260	600	72·8	38·9	3·2	8·7	50·8	5·84	2·96	1·22	0·54
28	2		U. P.	Gazipur	Mar/April	34,072	550	86·2	16·9	8·0	4·2	29·1	4·44	1·29	1·12	0·20
29	3		U. P.	Meerut	May/Aug.	2,33,183	2000	73·7	39·4	4·9	16·0	60·3	9·24	5·57	1·93	1·00
30	4		U. P.	Banaras	Aug/Dec.	3,47,177	2500	73·0	19·9	8·7	11·2	39·8	8·48	3·37	1·82	0·62
31	5		U. P.	Jhansi	Oct/Dec.	1,29,364	1800	62·0	29·4	5·0	35·4	69·8	7·27	5·08	1·58	0·98
32	1	WEST	Bombay	Junagadh	Jan/Feb	62,581	650	84·3	63·2	0·7	29·2	93·1	15·83	14·73	3·12	2·82
33	2		Bombay	Poona	Feb/May	4,80,982	4000	80·9	48·8	0·8	42·6	92·2	16·97	15·65	3·34	2·69
34	3		Bombay	Porbandar	July	58,863	500	80·6	63·0	0·8	28·0	91·8	17·20	15·79	3·27	2·74
35	4		Bombay	Baroda	July/Sept.	2,11,413	1600	80·6	35·7	2·1	53·2	91·0	14·82	13·48	3·00	2·39
36	5		Bombay	Surat	Nov/Jan. '58	2,23,182	1600	75·0	44·1	1·1	48·6	93·8	19·17	17·99	3·04	2·68
37	6		Rajasthan	Bikaner	Mar/May	1,17,113	1200	74·2	29·1	4·6	6·4	40·1	8·31	3·33	1·69	0·58

41. (i) Sale of liquid tea in campaign towns during 1955 & 1956

(In cups.)

Months	East Zone	Noth 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

41. (ii) Sale of liquid tea in campaign towns during 1957.

(in cups)

Months	East Zone		North Zone		Central Zone		West Zone		South Zone		N. E. Zone *	
	No. of Demon-stration	Sales	No. of Demon-stration	Sales	No. of Demon-stration	Sales	No. of Demon-stration	Sales	No. of Demon-stration	Sales	No. of Demon-stration	Sales
Total No. of towns worked during the period	15		10		19		16		13		9	
January	3,631	18,759	3,731	23,604	5,240	53,290	3,056	16,624	6,468	46,383	—	—
February	3,462	17,274	3,932	23,776	4,295	32,454	2,724	14,851	7,150	55,061	—	—
March	3,773	18,864	3,765	21,569	4,268	29,973	2,757	15,555	8,146	61,046	—	—
April	3,788	17,503	3,799	22,547	3,572	23,061	2,752	15,072	7,785	61,101	—	—
May	4,092	18,134	3,790	23,277	4,154	27,977	3,005	16,837	8,543	67,465	—	—
June	3,793	16,799	3,502	21,359	3,702	26,542	2,548	13,903	7,244	51,956	—	—
July	4,145	18,292	4,462	28,781	4,177	30,194	2,725	14,874	8,285	64,065	—	—
August	3,963	16,709	3,831	26,582	3,366	24,726	2,215	12,136	7,208	60,302	—	—
September	3,759	16,553	2,017	12,270	4,091	29,966	2,545	13,454	7,256	55,550	2,226	14,967
October	2,988	13,646	1,730	10,531	2,791	20,497	2,455	12,610	6,855	51,170	1,722	12,189
November	4,364	20,667	2,072	14,839	3,937	33,124	2,763	20,108	7,559	57,586	2,101	16,107
December	4,403	19,749	2,087	14,409	4,126	31,881	2,824	16,183	7,949	61,153	2,73	16,495
TOTAL	46,161	212,949	38,718	243,544	47,719	3,63,685	32,369	181,807	90,448	6,92,918	8,222	59,758

* North East Zone Started functuning with effect from September, 1957.

42. Canteens organised by the Tea Board during the period 1st April 1954 to 31st March 1958.

Zones	1954-55	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58
East Zone	39	19	8	12
North Zone	31	12	9	11
North East Zone *	—	—	—	2
Central Zone	14	4	3	4
West Zone	29	2	2	12
South Zone	10	5	4	8
Total	123	42	26	49

* North East Zone Started functuning with effect from September, 1957.

43. Sale of Liquid Tea and Screening of Films from Mobile Vans during 1956 & 1957.

(i) 1956

MONTH	East Zone						North Zone			Central Zone			West Zone			South Zone		
	Mobile Van, Calcutta			Mobile Van, Assam														
	No. of Demonstration	No. of Cups of Tea sold	Cinema Shows	No. of Demonstration	No. of Cups of Tea sold	Cinema Shows	No. of Demonstration	No. of Cups of Tea sold	Cinema Shows	No. of Demonstration	No. of Cups of Tea sold	Cinema Shows	No. of Demonstration	No. of Cups of Tea sold	Cinema Shows	No. of Demonstration	No. of Cups of Tea sold	Cinema Shows
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	—	1,969	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	7,072	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

(ii) 1957

MONTH	East Zone						North Zone			Central Zone			West Zone			South Zone			N. E. Zone		
	Mobile Van, Calcutta			Mobile Van, Assam																	
	No. of Demonstration	No. of Cups of Tea sold	Cinema Shows	No. of Demonstration	No. of Cups of Tea sold	Cinema Shows	No. of Demonstration	No. of Cups of Tea sold	Cinema Shows	No. of Demonstration	No. of Cups of Tea sold	Cinema Shows	No. of Demonstration	No. of Cups of Tea sold	Cinema Shows	No. of Demonstration	No. of Cups of Tea sold	Cinema Shows	No. of Demonstration	No. of Cups of Tea sold	Cinema Shows
January 1957	206	5,846	7	181	3,072	4	233	6,152	26	375	14,043	128	301	7,088	15	—	7298	8			
February ,,	155	6,823	22	110	1,295	9	210	4,532	28	247	2,661	—	239	3,184	24	—	—	20			
March ,,	141	3,454	—	212	1,863	9	262	5,643	36	296	1,977	15	136	1,814	17	180	7,824	17			
April ,,	117	2,912	—	224	1,620	8	211	4,232	18	305	1,859	2	88	991	—	182	7,430	19			
May ,,	223	2,933	—	184	2,076	6	234	4,026	26	450	2,668	—	37	674	—	239	11,059	19	No Mobile		
June ,,	247	3,200	—	161	1,680	2	223	4,201	24	405	2,552	5	217	2,760	1	242	10,883	10	Tea Van		
July ,,	245	3,377	—	202	2,311	2	250	4,718	38	237	1,852	21	168	3,191	3	300	11,904	8			
August ,,	33	478	—	232	2,103	6	223	4,746	8	179	1,326	11	217	3,809	13	212	4,837	9			
September ,,	—	—	—	278	1,565	—	219	4,088	36	184	1,248	13	177	1,590	44	65	1,783	9			
October ,,	—	—	—	170	1,929	6	201	3,957	39	263	1,927	3	179	1,914	—	114	2,959	12			
November ,,	225	6,074	—	200	1,934	4	311	6,979	38	274	2,297	13	903	3,300	2	131	4,200	9			
December ,,	151	6,537	—	243	2,635	10	282	6,615	2	211	2,029	8	190	3,725	—	414	10,925	11			
Total :-	1743	41,634	29	2,397	24,083	66	2,859	59,889	319	3,426	35,439	219	2,152	34,040	119	2,079	81,102	151			

44. Drive against Tea adulteration in India during the years 1956 & 1957

(i) 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. of cases found Genuine	No. of cases found adulterated	No. of prosecutions	No. of convictions	No. of Aquittals	Fine in Rs. Max.	Fine in Rs. Min.
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
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 7 bags	8,638	21	4	17	24	11	3	200	25
April	,,	79	15,836½	3,019	41	14	27	11	7	—	120 9 months R.I.	56
May	,,	54	8,428	5,054	66	26	40	19	3	4	125	50
June	,,	56	19,709 2 Doz. Pkts.	14,076	20	10	10	4	16	—	700	10
July	,,	45	36,631 70 chests	30,956 70 chests 7 Pkts.	25	12	13	20	4	—	200	10
August	,,	73	18,602½ 168 chests 32 Bags	12,172	68	21	47	25	30	—	100	50
September	,,	62	13,235	5,912¾	46	33	13	20	10	1	100	40
October	,,	38	2,857	251	28	10	18	13	5	—	500	25
November	,,	54	25,748 21 Pkts	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	218,045¾ 238 chests 39 bags 52 Pkts.	113,611¼ 70 chests	443	185	258	156	119	8		

(ii) 1957

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. of cases found Genuine	No. of cases found adulterated	No. of prosecutions	No. of convictions	No. of Aquittals	Fine in Rs. Max.	Fine in Rs. Min.
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
January	1957	64	17,615	1,853	30	24	6	5	3	—	231	200
February	,,	50	17,378	86,554	27	14	13	5	6	—	220	60
March	,,	61	20,574	258	37	27	10	1	4	—	250	25
April	,,	33	16,086	5,371	56	32	24	8	4	—	42	16
May	,,	52	36,434	12,875	21	13	8	6	10	—	50	10
June	,,	49	16,169	4,305	45	20	25	7	11	—	50	16
July	,,	47	66,128	53,889	31	19	12	1	3	—	50	—
August	,,	34	15,580	7,222	34	22	12	2	4	—	100	—
September	,,	72	53,326	6,116	50	27	23	10	4	9	50	25
October	,,	41	5,561	1,272	50	36	14	6	5	2	50	25
November	,,	95	27,592	6,533	43	26	17	32	9	31	100	20
December		70	33,426	18,392	58	39	19	26	2	17	100	—
Total	1957	668	325,869	204,640	482	299	183	109	65	59		

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	1956
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
India (a)	840,314	779,998	782,998	785,584	787,378	789,442	791,321	792,185	792,532
Pakistan (a)		75,760	73,201	73,467	73,376	74,362	74,777	75,054	75,939
Ceylon (a)	555,452	562,894	567,003	570,322	572,736	574,250	577,144	565,518	570,255
Indonesia	511,381	185,255	201,913	200,820	193,528	193,400	200,509	198,401	190,123
Kenya	13,681	17,765	18,883	19,873	21,021	21,753	23,415	25,072	27,030
Uganda	2,966	6,157	6,406	7,321	7,901	8,397	9,323	10,059	11,920
Tanganyika	5,265	8,650	9,022	9,973	10,493	10,518	10,894	11,587	12,457
Nyasaland	17,519	22,661	23,500	23,657	23,179	24,726	25,718	26,186	26,822

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

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	1957 **
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
India	449,581	584,565	613,354	629,197	614,365	614,598	651,478	678,371	680,610	675,631
Pakistan		46,193	52,019	52,095	51,538	54,151	54,677	52,482	55,040	46,111
Ceylon	246,931	298,559	306,215	326,279	316,842	343,034	366,738	380,013	375,578	397,775
Indonesia	177,794	60,118	78,009	102,543	82,181	81,658	103,463	96,992	93,959	103,044
Kenya	10,856	11,458	14,938	15,326	14,789	12,928	17,490	19,058	21,269	22,025
Uganda	490	3,360	4,143	4,297	3,822	4,794	6,265	6,960	6,801	8,023
Tanganyika	522	1,453	1,749	2,383	2,463	2,821	3,584	4,521	5,453	6,126
Nyasaland	10,858	12,516	15,407	14,895	15,578	13,386	17,183	17,500	20,800	18,088

** Provisional

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

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

(Figures are in thousand lbs.)

Countries	1938	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957 *
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
India	353,873	490,508	399,839	454,218	414,836	500,655	447,960	367,523	523,557	442,650
Pakistan (a)		27,245	16,246	47,171	23,971	25,090	22,334	11,907	21,828	7,809
Ceylon	235,739	297,573	298,099	305,171	314,495	335,555	361,262	362,235	348,129	368,131
Indonesia	158,558	48,350	62,850	88,387	70,268	63,713	89,101	72,140	80,520	85,659
Kenya (a)	9,432	6,969	10,370	10,376	10,667	7,827	12,034	13,168	16,683	18,051
Uganda (a)	137	2,332	2,202	1,994	2,285	2,852	4,929	5,070	5,446	6,226
Tanganyika (c)	315	967	1,106	1,958	2,279	2,535	3,517	3,868	4,749	5,281
Nyasaland (b)	10,219	12,770	15,157	15,725	14,655	13,127	17,112	16,886	19,661	19,477

* Provisional.

(a) excluding inter-territorial trade between Kenya, Uganda but including Consignments Tanganyika.

(b) excluding trade between Nyasaland & Rhodesia.

(c) Including Consignments to Kenya and Uganda.

4. World Supply and Absorption of tea.

(Quantities in million lbs.)

Year	SUPPLY			ABSORPTION				Excess of Supply over Absorp	Cumulative from I. T. 46
	Production (a)	Exports (b)	Total	U. K.	Importing Countries (c)	Producing Countries (d)	Total		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
1951	1,147	85	1,232	413	520	230	1,163	+ 69	34
1952	1,102	65	1,167	435	491	298	1,224	— 57	— 23
1953	1,127	86	1,213	482	524	246	1,252	— 39	— 62
1954	1,221	134	1,355	507	546	233	1,286	+ 68	6
1955	1,256	122	1,378	478	557	311	1,346	+ 33	+ 39
1956	1,260	124	1,384	507	546	267	1,320	+ 64	103
1957	1,277	145	1,422	512	596	328	1,436	— 14	89

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

(b) China, Rest of Eastern Asia, Rest of Africa and other countries.

(c) U. S. S. R. Rest of Europe, America, Asia, Africa & Oceania.

(d) Countries at (a) above and others (imports only).

Source—I. T. C. Bulletin.

5. Imports into U.K. from principal producing countries.

(figures in thousand lbs.)

Countries	1938	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
India	291,513	318,523	239,112	276,071	304,381	315,331	321,492	283,394	300,597	348,534
Pakistan		19,994	18,039	34,733	26,941	23,533	18,459	17,067	13,974	13,564
Ceylon	167,071	118,704	93,756	110,201	117,256	116,137	134,316	121,970	125,832	139,751
Indonesia	30,199	953	3,788	16,892	16,293	10,662	12,301	7,029	8,161	9,600
Nyasaland (a)	10,226	11,481	7,939	12,704	13,093	13,237	14,733	17,115	18,342	19,528
Kenya	8,342	1,355	2,330	3,554	8,013	3,006	5,153	8,959	10,671	12,165
Uganda	125	5	41	517	699	1,140	2,738	3,628	4,055	4,625
Tanganyika	288	83	121	632	1,080	889	2,287	2,072	2,964	3,183
Others	18,950	2,969	3,446	8,811	9,150	8,848	30,679	38,070	28,999	43,562
Total :—	526,714	474,067	368,572	464,115	496,906	492,783	542,157	499,303	513,595	594,512

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

Source—International Tea Committee.

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

(figures in thousand lbs.)

Countries	1938	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957 *
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
India	35,799	3,025	9,418	16,146	16,854	17,600	13,860	13,969
Pakistan		32	1,423	798	83	227	145	102
Ceylon	18,760	6,505	8,952	14,227	11,733	10,622	10,522	10,786
Nyasaland	120	509	1,012	1,246	675	612	817	654
Kenya	88	1,042	948	528	144	217	507	507
Indonesia	9,722	534	853	1,068	573	814	813	385
China	991	631	847	445	370	537	661	542
Formosa	483	596	204	126	214	283	397	316
Japan		0	38	62	59	340	763	154
Other Countries	130	303	388	1,197	743	1,605	3,159	2,584
Total :	66,093	13,177	23,584	35,843	31,448	32,857	31,643	29,999

* 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	1957
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Ireland (Republic)	18,273	—	1,503	2	7	7	204	X
Channel Islands	2,052	963	1,541	1,976	1,967	1,606	2,509	2,309
Canada	4,108	365	2,281	5,173	3,199	3,027	1,842	3,411
Br. West Indies (a)	246	993	881	903	1,031	1,006	1,034	X
Other Commonwealth Countries	638	1,316	2,046	1,906	1,525	1,975	402	4,809
Belgium	395	233	339	338	436	327	479	361
Denmark (b)	954	560	577	855	1,111	703	997	831
Finland	105	334	26	106	276	301	339	343
Germany (Western)	8,018*	2,579	2,053	2,408	2,064	3,633	2,976	2,160
Netherlands	2,063	524	3,082	5,834	3,980	6,294	6,455	3,819
Norway	160	271	290	351	565	336	477	416
Sweden	587	886	986	1,206	1,765	1,252	1,650	1,274
Switzerland	539	334	314	423	428	529	468	336
U. S. A.	13,146	377	4,400	10,346	9,780	7,256	6,898	6,128
Egypt	256	291	376	322	212	758	6	0
Other Foreign Countries	14,553	3,151	2,889	3,694	3,102	3,846	4,907	3,802
Total :—	66,093	13,177	23,584	35,843	31,448	32,857	31,643	29,999

(a) Including Bermuda and British Honduras.
(b) Including Faroe Islands.
(x) Included in "other Commonwealth countries."
* Including E. Germany.
Source—International Tea Committee.

8. Exports of tea from Ceylon.

(figures in thousand lbs)

Countries of destination	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
United Kingdom	111,177	113,358	117,782	137,115	121,463	135,904	132,649
Netherlands	3,615	5,776	6,106	7,044	7,268	7,841	5,614
Irish Republic	1,628	727	—	1,962	3,772	680	1,894
Germany	795	531	1,078	1,680	1,357	1,946	1,778
Turkey	1,320	1,283	1,728	649	660	584	1,038
India	44	56	18	32	23	1	8
Pakistan	356	561	224	185	262	169	196
Hong Kong	664	605	694	984	1,009	943	1,151
Malaya (inc. Singapore)	2,085	2,422	2,124	1,688	1,878	1,977	1,452
Iraq	13,714	14,711	21,440	22,048	30,331	23,860	30,682
Iran	3,396	577	39	1,836	6,155	5,303	11,329
Arabia (a)	3,000	3,329	2,819	4,123	5,935	6,830	5,546
Egypt	23,803	23,218	23,071	26,030	25,017	7,978	9,823
Sudan	598	765	873	4,319	6,796	2,578	5,732
Tunisia	4,432	3,279	2,704	1,325	2,651	6,237	5,023
Libya	3,444	4,390	2,307	3,373	4,053	3,578	4,932
Union of S. Africa	18,402	21,219	23,186	23,735	22,845	24,678	25,435
Canada (b)	15,938	20,206	17,600	16,560	17,757	19,527	17,417
U. S. A.	28,143	34,900	34,216	29,727	35,006	35,213	39,156
Argentine (Rep.)	1,548	833	52	3	—	5	74
Chile	782	1,836	527	425	454	625	2,390
Australia	43,463	39,626	52,080	51,636	40,536	32,906	34,814
Newzealand	13,492	8,219	13,321	13,034	11,772	14,141	13,731
Other Countries	9,332	12,068	11,566	11,749	15,235	14,625	16,267
Total	305,171	314,495	335,555	361,262	362,235	348,129	368,131

Note :—(a) Including Aden and Baherin Island.
(b) ,, Newfoundland.

Source : I. T. C. Bulletin upto 1956 and 1957 from Ceylon Chamber of Commerce Report.

9. Exports of Tea from Indonesia.

(Figures in thousand lbs.)

Countries of destination	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
United Kingdom	17,114	10,219	7,590	10,823	9,265	13,069	13,890
Netherlands	33,056	29,287	28,894	30,774	25,367	30,785	32,999
Irish Republic	2,264	1,881	435	851	866	—	270
Rest of Europe	752	910	1,466	2,383	2,795	2,939	4,751(a)
Canada	359	212	393	97	28	37	27
United States	5,517	5,817	7,122	8,482	5,951	6,257	5,390
South America	1,125	479	182	7	19	—	—
Hongkong	22	11	503	2,633	139	44	—
Iran	846	212	—	323	353	288	428
Iraq	3,978	2,211	2,738	1,433	265	152	216
Malaya & Singapore	4,257	3,064	4,903	20,755	‡ 10,592	‡ 5,727	‡ 6,321
Egypt	7,672	4,297	4,662	2,122	1,823	2,392	2,085
Sudan (b)	7,467	5,317	2,267	2,876	1,720	707	500
Rest of Africa	940	905	429	895	767	1,258	861
Australia	2,945	4,475	2,258	3,329	3,684	11,814	10,514
All other countries	1,260	878	729	1,318	493	525	456
Total :-	89,574	70,175	64,571	89,101	‡ 64,127	‡ 75,994	‡ 78,708

(a) Includes 700 thousand lbs to the U. S. S. R.

(b) Port Sudan only ; other ports included with Egypt

‡ Excluding unreported exports to Malaya & Singapore as deduced from Malayan import figures.

Source : International Tea Committee Bulletin.

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	1957-58
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Britain	35,865,736	20,971,292	21,237,761	22,387,902	9,238,100	21,470,100	4,609,005
Canada	146,676	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	15,000	Nil
United States	902,694	136,160	10,272	Nil	Nil	251,400	Nil
South America	1,529,267	120,500	87,200	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Continent of Europe	221,265	10,080	40,000	802,500	71,000	92,300	467,886
All other places	331,388	201,007	429,659	214,400	392,618	511,700	332,600
Total exports	38,997,026	21,439,039	21,804,892	23,404,802	9,701,718	22,340,500	5,409,491
Shipments to Karachi	16,708,673	26,764,723	28,140,178	29,191,392	34,397,810	32,258,800	40,723,300
Total :	55,705,699	48,203,762	50,215,070	52,596,194	44,099,528	54,599,300	46,132,791

11. Tea imports for consumption in various countries.

(figures in 000' lbs.)

Countries	1938	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
United Kingdom	431,799	445,700	470,563	461,037	503,673	463,623	488,940	558,268
Ireland (Republic)	22,588	36,873	17,241	16,419	25,773	26,082	13,000	27,573
Netherlands	24,052	15,238	16,186	17,123	17,941	16,222	21,104	17,828
Denmark							3,047	2,633
Belgium & Luxembourg	646	629	785	772	915	687	1,034	
Germany (Western)	† 11,785	4,678	6,058	8,088	10,543	12,001	13,263	13,422
Italy	285	1,018	1,500	1,761	2,163	2,309	2,936	2,322
Sweden	1,092	1,870	2,086	2,222	2,930	2,147	2,921	2,370
Switzerland	1,758	1,990	2,051	2,279	2,472	2,158	2,676	2,447
U. S. S. R. (a)	36,914	1,300	3,800	...	0	3	10,200	20,300
Turkey	2,077	3,956	4,910	5,539	5,671	4,713	5,973	5,851 (Sep)
Iran	16,309	24,062	5,644	7,328	10,216	22,291	16,129	
Iraq	7,012	20,911	18,761	26,974	27,924	36,339	28,779	29,245
Arabia & Bahrein Is (b)	882	10,200	15,490	14,110	10,480	14,160	12,810	
United States	80,731	86,134	92,749	107,635	113,955	104,171	100,099	101,202
Canada	37,176	42,087	45,308	45,501	44,396	42,140	45,620	45,920
Chile	3,909	9,802	11,126	7,273	4,957	7,650	10,046	
Egypt	17,292	35,338	35,765	44,429	35,932	37,945	31,206	34,674
Union of South Africa	15,351	21,243	23,529	25,293	26,241	23,136 (c)	27,643 (c)	27,352 (c)
Australia	48,346	58,565	52,947	59,732	60,365	53,635	53,452	60,586
Newzealand	11,024	24,430	9,922	14,850	15,284	12,869	14,170	14,147 (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	1957
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
North India	220,400	41,359	165,673	187,386	164,659	157,850	153,225	162,246
South India	37,300	12,211	22,249	25,383	24,564	27,129	26,375	31,481
Pakistan	—	7,747	22,831	16,070	9,935	9,495	11,387	9,233
Ceylon	118,700	38,067	59,505	69,514	70,214	72,066	67,125	73,365
Indonesia	17,500	955	4,079	2,528	1,068	1,358	973	1,496
Africa (a)	14,100	8,078	13,503	15,509	15,358	23,963	35,443	37,678
Malaya	510	80	196	367	635	695	705	937
Total :—	408,510	108,497	288,036	316,757	286,433	292,556	295,232	316,436

Source : International Tea Committee.

Note :—

(a) Includes Mauritius.

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

(Shillings and Pence Per lb.)

Countries	1938	† 1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
	s d	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	4 8·57
South India	1 1·84	3 6·44	2 9·11	3 5·30	5 2·43	4 5·63	4 3·11	3 9·07
Pakistan	*	3 5·09	2 3·87	3 2·96	5 3·82	4 7·49	3 11·77	3 10·47
Ceylon	1 3·34	3 10·05	3 10·16	4 0·09	5 3·51	5 4·33	5 6·22	4 10·18
Indonesia	1 0·60	3 3·97	2 10·74	3 3·24	4 10·57	3 10·30	4 0·51	3 2·21
Africa (a)	1 0·35	3 3·05	1 10·00	3 2·97	4 8·50	3 8·82	3 2·08	3 2·41
Malaya	—	3 5·72	2 4·77	3 4·86	5 1·72	4 6·44	4 2·72	3 9·11

* Included in N. India,

† Auction started from 16th April after war.

Note :—

(a) Figures are not Compiled for the various African Countries individually.

Source :—International Tea Committee.

14. Weekly average prices of Tea of different countries sold at London auctions during 1957.

Week commencing on	Northern India		Southern India		Pakistan		Ceylon		Indonesia		Africa		Mauritius		Malayan		Total	
	1957	Corresponding week 1956	1957	Corresponding week 1956	1957	Corresponding week 1956	1957	Corresponding week 1956	1957	Corresponding week 1956	1957	Corresponding week 1956	1957	Corresponding week 1956	1957	Corresponding week 1956	1957	Corresponding week 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.	s. d.	s. d.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)
31st Dec. '56	6 0·60	4 4·13	6 2·83	4 0·73	5 7·57	3 10·56	6 6·59	5 2·23	5 6·04	Nil	5 4·82	3 5·23	Nil	3 7·27	6 3·00	4 2·02	6 0·73	4 4·96
7th Jan. '57	5 11·61	4 4·81	5 11·74	4 1·09	5 8·22	3 8·71	6 5·08	5 1·01	Nil	3 11·05	5 5·94	3 5·64	Nil	Nil	6 1·01	3 9·24	6 0·33	4 5·31
14th Jan. '57	5 9·15	4 4·77	5 9·39	4 0·90	5 5·93	3 9·51	6 2·29	5 0·35	Nil	3 10·35	5 2·40	3 5·01	Nil	Nil	5 4·77	4 3·81	5 9·64	4 5·36
21st Jan. '57	5 10·38	4 3·67	5 10·29	4 1·75	5 5·89	3 9·27	6 1·54	4 11·53	Nil	2 10·57	4 9·07	3 2·43	Nil	Nil	6 1·00	3 8·44	5 9·59	4 4·40
28th Jan. '57	5 9·27	4 3·33	5 9·61	4 0·54	5 3·19	3 7·90	6 0·39	4 10·86	Nil	Nil	4 11·69	3 1·43	Nil	Nil	5 7·23	4 10·16	5 8·84	4 3·85
4th Feb. '57	5 5·70	4 0·93	5 6·21	3 10·25	4 8·94	3 4·82	5 10·96	4 7·86	Nil	3 7·76	4 6·82	2 10·48	Nil	Nil	4 8·48	3 8·83	5 5·36	4 1·61
11th Feb. '57	4 8·28	4 0·82	4 9·03	3 9·05	4 2·05	3 3·97	5 3·32	4 6·87	4 2·24	3 8·21	3 10·24	2 10·56	Nil	3 5·44	4 1·10	4 1·54	4 8·84	4 0·60
18th Feb. '57	4 6·78	3 11·49	4 6·21	3 8·68	4 2·76	3 2·32	5 0·13	4 7·50	Nil	Nil	4 1·31	2 8·79	4 3·10	Nil	4 2·61	4 10·14	4 7·26	3 11·86
25th Feb. '57	4 5·77	4 0·58	4 5·15	3 8·85	4 2·15	3 2·71	4 9·00	4 9·15	Nil	3 6·92	4 1·44	2 11·14	4 2·97	Nil	4 5·80	3 7·30	4 6·33	4 0·74
4th March '57	4 0·98	4 1·11	3 11·71	3 11·11	3 10·19	3 2·49	4 3·35	5 0·98	Nil	3 5·56	3 7·80	2 11·18	3 11·41	Nil	3 8·16	4 3·75	4 1·02	4 2·39
11th March '57	3 11·80	4 4·35	3 11·89	4 2·90	3 9·24	3 4·68	4 3·33	5 5·89	3 7·73	3 8·50	3 8·72	3 2·29	Nil	3 6·93	4 0·75	3 4·11	4 0·26	4 4·94
18th March '57	3 11·04	4 7·31	3 11·17	4 2·82	3 9·03	5 6·05	4 2·94	5 9·23	3 4·51	3 9·02	3 6·77	3 2·94	Nil	Nil	3 6·96	3 3·53	3 11·56	4 5·29
25th March '57	3 8·78	4 8·23	3 9·42	4 4·73	3 5·49	3 10·69	4 2·64	5 11·32	3 3·85	3 9·34	3 3·44	3 4·48	3 5·23	Nil	3 4·37	Nil	3 9·60	4 8·63
1st April '57	3 6·45	4 10·66	3 6·78	4 5·00	3 3·84	3 10·77	4 2·04	5 11·87	3 6·07	4 2·45	3 0·49	3 3·86	3 11·00	Nil	Nil	3 8·74	3 6·74	4 9·58
8th April '57	3 6·61	4 11·51	3 7·06	4 11·08	3 3·78	3 9·61	4 2·64	6 1·84	3 2·06	4 5·75	3 0·79	3 3·00	Nil	Nil	3 2·40	3 8·70	3 7·08	4 10·62
15th April '57	3 7·24	5 1·23	3 6·46	4 9·81	3 4·13	3 8·95	4 2·55	6 2·89	3 0·97	Nil	3 1·02	3 3·96	3 4·48	Nil	Nil	3 7·48	3 8·31	4 11·95
29th April '57	3 8·74	5 1·71	3 6·93	4 10·04	3 5·15	3 9·66	4 4·85	6 2·87	3 5·55	4 4·74	3 1·69	3 4·59	Nil	Nil	3 6·43	3 10·97	3 8·70	5 0·24
6th May '57	3 8·65	4 11·75	3 8·35	4 10·14	3 5·08	3 10·34	4 5·90	6 2·67	3 3·67	4 1·53	3 2·18	3 2·67	Nil	Nil	3 4·80	6 9·10	3 9·17	4 11·42
13th May '57	3 8·83	4 9·59	3 8·20	4 11·79	3 5·02	3 9·35	4 7·78	5 11·83	3 2·92	3 10·17	3 1·17	3 3·16	Nil	Nil	4 10·42	4 3·28	3 9·54	4 9·61
20th May '57	3 7·83	4 5·30	3 6·90	4 7·71	3 3·38	3 4·72	4 7·01	5 7·13	3 1·34	4 0·29	3 0·34	3 3·68	Nil	Nil	3 6·69	4 0·39	3 8·53	4 5·96
27th May '57	3 7·65	4 3·58	3 6·85	4 5·10	3 2·35	3 3·65	4 6·07	5 2·85	3 0·47	3 11·85	2 10·75	3 2·47	Nil	Nil	3 1·24	3 7·77	3 7·87	4 3·87
3rd June '57	3 7·83	4 2·66	3 5·88	4 8·49	3 1·69	3 3·11	4 2·81	5 1·52	3 1·07	3 11·77	2 10·30	3 2·32	Nil	Nil	3 2·19	4 11·75	3 7·02	4 2·95
17th June '57	3 8·77	4 1·88	3 5·17	4 11·47	3 2·05	3 2·21	4 0·96	5 0·38	3 0·43	4 1·93	2 11·03	2 11·81	3 2·60	Nil	3 3·01	4 0·15	3 7·05	4 1·11
24th June '57	3 9·46	3 10·32	3 5·14	4 0·99	3 2·79	2 11·47	4 0·37	4 11·75	3 1·04	3 6·83	2 11·93	2 10·78	3 0·63	3 4·79	3 7·04	3 8·41	3 7·57	3 11·38
1st July '57	3 10·32	3 10·73	3 6·18	3 11·86	3 2·77	Nil	4 3·91	4 9·97	3 1·82	4 2·87	3 0·33	2 9·51	3 1·00	Nil	3 1·74	4 2·25	3 8·71	3 10·68

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Week commencing on	Northern India		Southern India		Pakistan		Ceylon		Indonesia		Africa		Mauritius		Malayan		Total	
	1957	Corresponding week 1956	1957	Corresponding week 1956	1957	Corresponding week 1956	1957	Corresponding week 1956	1957	Corresponding week 1956	1957	Corresponding week 1956	1957	Corresponding week 1956	1957	Corresponding week 1956	1957	Corresponding week 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.	s. d.	s. d.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)
8th July '57	3 11·19	3 8·02	3 6·52	3 11·64	3 4·45	Nil	4 3·13	4 7·94	3 3·29	3 9·28	3 1·92	2 9·11	3 1·40	Nil	3 1·13	3 8·23	3 9·55	3 9·53
15th July '57	3 10·97	3 4·35	3 6·11	4 4·41	3 3·61	2 8·76	4 4·40	4 7·27	3 4·19	3 10·00	3 1·53	2 9·45	3 0·50	Nil	3 6·44	4 9·90	3 9·71	3 8·10
22nd July '57	4 0·39	3 11·90	3 6·24	4 2·78	3 3·90	Nil	4 5·37	4 6·63	2 11·55	4 4·67	3 1·12	2 10·23	Nil	Nil	3 8·60	3 6·11	3 10·60	3 11·78
29th July '57	4 3·37	3 8·29	3 4·62	3 8·54	Nil	3 7·47	4 3·68	4 8·84	2 10·13	4 2·22	3 0·24	2 9·39	Nil	3 0·25	3 5·39	4 5·50	3 10·58	4 0·29
12th Aug. '57	4 3·06	3 10·25	3 6·89	3 10·20	Nil	2 9·98	4 2·99	4 11·23	Nil	3 11·48	3 0·22	2 10·84	3 2·06	Nil	4 7·22	4 4·13	3 10·39	3 11·77
19th Aug. '57	6 2·93	5 3·42	3 6·73	3 6·91	Nil	2 10·65	4 2·74	5 1·39	2 10·29	Nil	2 11·59	2 9·68	Nil	3 2·30	3 2·61	3 5·22	4 1·52	4 4·22
26th Aug. '57	5 3·51	5 3·01	3 6·57	3 5·29	Nil	Nil	4 2·96	5 5·03	3 1·00	3 7·90	2 10·80	2 8·20	Nil	Nil	3 3·84	4 3·36	3 11·52	4 6·31
2nd Sept. '57	4 5·09	5 8·94	3 5·51	3 4·26	Nil	Nil	4 7·24	5 7·06	3 0·99	Nil	2 10·18	2 8·83	Nil	Nil	3 7·19	4 9·50	3 11·26	4 7·74
9th Sept. '57	6 7·79	6 2·71	3 4·96	3 6·50	Nil	Nil	5 2·12	5 11·19	Nil	4 3·23	2 11·20	2 9·46	Nil	Nil	3 10·47	4 10·50	5 1·59	5 0·46
16th Sept. '57	6 3·37	5 11·52	3 3·80	3 9·78	Nil	2 10·23	5 3·97	6 7·06	2 9·93	4 0·05	2 9·70	2 9·54	2 9·31	Nil	3 5·42	4 8·86	5 2·20	5 2·77
23rd Sept '57	6 0·21	7 2·43	3 3·16	4 4·49	Nil	4 2·10	5 2·94	6 11·82	2 11·23	4 8·71	2 8·35	3 1·19	Nil	Nil	3 4·25	3 8·52	5 0·43	5 2·20
30th Sept. '57	5 5·14	7 4·07	3 2·90	4 5·91	Nil	4 2·61	5 2·50	7 2·57	3 1·21	4 5·58	2 7·64	3 3·31	Nil	Nil	4 9·42	4 5·89	4 11·81	6 0·15
7th Oct. '57	5 1·19	6 8·52	3 2·13	4 7·25	Nil	4 1·62	5 0·78	7 3·39	3 1·58	4 9·73	2 7·58	3 2·41	Nil	Nil	4 2·41	5 3·06	4 8·78	5 9·75
14th Oct. '57	5 2·52	6 4·73	3 1·07	4 6·05	Nil	3 11·93	5 2·33	7 0·61	3 2·86	4 10·38	2 10·82	3 4·92	3 0·50	Nil	3 0·93	4 4·44	4 9·76	5 10·75
21st Oct. '57	5 4·46	6 3·75	3 2·34	4 4·22	Nil	4 0·21	5 4·29	6 7·98	3 3·43	4 3·91	3 0·86	3 3·65	Nil	Nil	3 5·56	4 9·18	4 11·67	5 10·45
28th Oct. '57	5 4·88	6 4·15	3 4·39	4 9·66	Nil	4 0·91	5 9·39	6 5·93	3 3·09	Nil	3 1·33	3 8·35	Nil	4 4·59	3 8·42	Nil	5 0·67	6 2·09
4th Nov. '57	5 4·46	6 5·60	3 4·24	4 11·30	Nil	4 5·21	6 0·47	6 7·13	Nil	5 5·48	3 1·53	4 4·94	Nil	4 6·50	4 6·59	5 0·20	5 1·36	6 2·67
11th Nov. '57	5 5·42	6 3·94	3 5·79	5 3·51	Nil	5 3·78	6 4·44	6 8·19	2 3·75	5 3·55	3 4·66	4 8·52	Nil	Nil	3 4·36	Nil	5 2·51	6 1·96
18th Nov. '57	5 3·89	6 4·95	3 6·61	5 8·81	Nil	5 4·70	6 2·27	6 9·17	3 5·31	Nil	3 2·22	4 7·19	Nil	Nil	4 8·00	Nil	5 1·30	6 1·15
25th Nov. '57	5 0·39	6 3·98	3 7·01	5 9·55	Nil	5 8·91	5 10·45	6 8·26	3 4·34	Nil	2 11·57	5 2·74	Nil	Nil	3 2·28	5 5·01	4 11·17	6 3·43
2nd Dec. '57	4 9·11	6 4·35	3 6·68	5 9·53	Nil	5 9·17	5 9·16	6 7·53	3 2·89	Nil	2 11·83	5 5·46	Nil	Nil	4 6·65	5 7·76	4 7·69	6 3·61
9th Dec. '57	4 6·95	6 4·65	3 5·60	6 0·48	Nil	5 10·33	5 9·10	6 7·70	Nil	5 9·27	2 10·71	5 8·49	Nil	5 11·34	Nil	6 7·54	4 6·48	6 4·13
16th Dec. '57	4 6·02	6 2·64	3 6·83	6 0·09	Nil	5 10·11	5 8·39	6 8·03	3 5·14	Nil	3 3·05	5 8·26	2 11·62	Nil	3 8·30	5 8·07	4 4·97	6 1·63
Average for the year	4 8·57	5 1·05	3 9·07	4 3·11	3 10·47	3 11·77	4 10·18	5 6·22	3 2·21	4 0·51	3 2·41	3 2·08	3 3·86	3 8·38	3 9·11	4 2·72	4 5·22	4 10·00

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

Year : 1954

Brands	January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September		October		November		December	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	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)	
Packet A	4	4	4	4	4	8	4	8	5	0	5	0	5	0	5	0	5	0	5	8	6	0	6	0
,, B	5	0	5	0	5	4	5	4	5	8	5	8	5	8	5	8	5	8	6	4	6	8	6	8
,, C	5	0	5	0	5	4	5	4	5	8	5	8	5	8	5	8	5	8	6	4	6	8	6	8
,, D	5	4	5	4	5	8	5	8	6	0	6	0	6	0	6	0	6	0	6	8	7	4	7	4

Year : 1955

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

Year : 1956

Packet A	6	0	5	8	5	8	5	8	5	8	5	8	5	4	5	4	5	4	5	4	5	4	5	4
,, B	6	8	6	4	6	4	6	4	6	4	6	4	6	0	6	0	6	0	5	8	5	8	6	0
,, C	7	0	6	8	6	8	6	8	6	8	6	8	6	4	6	4	6	4	6	4	6	4	6	8
,, D	7	0	6	8	6	8	6	8	6	8	6	8	6	8	6	8	6	8	6	8	6	8	6	8

Year : 1957

Packet A	6	0	6	0	6	0	6	0	6	0	5	8	5	8	5	8	5	8	5	8	5	8	5	8
,, B	6	8	6	8	6	4	6	4	6	4	6	0	6	0	6	0	6	0	6	0	6	0	6	0
,, C	7	4	7	4	7	0	7	0	7	0	6	8	6	8	6	8	6	8	6	8	6	8	6	8
,, D	7	8	7	8	7	4	7	4	7	4	7	0	7	0	7	0	7	0	7	0	7	0	7	0

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	1957
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
January	36,395,310	48,472,404	48,339,830	53,287,080	56,233,650
February	40,132,155	43,813,764	43,805,410	44,020,350	38,949,020
March	48,388,095	55,269,648	34,456,070	42,334,710	39,448,970
April	39,579,855	38,346,156	43,185,450	40,489,460	48,110,260
May	37,168,350	40,430,772	36,925,020	49,391,650	42,994,490
June	45,148,320	47,860,054	37,097,610	41,166,950	41,587,810
July	35,925,768	37,730,000	52,374,080	48,637,160	53,026,930
August	34,818,120	42,940,150	40,616,510	38,047,900	37,008,400
September	45,577,510	41,272,110	50,899,420	43,009,780	40,923,520
October	42,166,872	24,839,100	40,835,630	53,840,490	55,062,480
November	42,299,744	61,870,710	52,174,210	47,936,680	46,529,010
December	47,699,712	41,047,160	37,352,150	41,751,930	49,677,650
Total	495,299,811	523,892,028	517,061,390	543,914,140	549,552,190

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	1957
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
January	227,534	93,150	135,922	123,729	108,195	99,197	64,646
February	218,292	119,354	128,687	131,483	127,445	98,991	98,033
March	187,645	140,449	121,268	132,886	149,968	96,108	133,077
April	167,667	148,425	120,283	115,928	163,851	103,802	151,731
May	161,981	149,425	111,588	96,446	152,648	103,132	156,350
June	164,816	138,132	106,948	84,453	137,124	107,335	145,951
July	169,251	125,745	94,052	76,031	119,131	110,701	137,539
August	181,524	113,892	93,039	76,547	110,737	115,288	126,028
September	187,177	106,691	91,194	81,337	102,585	103,680	128,312
October	212,217	98,377	92,494	68,644	97,116	98,120	127,665
November	229,412	114,405	98,115	69,074	88,485	86,420	128,444
December	242,773	127,854	103,421	91,261	101,236	62,448	124,129

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	40,041

Note : These figures are no longer Compiled quarterly by I. T. C. and no figure is yet available after 31st December, 1956.

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	1957
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
BLACK TEA								
India	14,402	32,688	35,676	37,264	40,871	36,561	31,719	28,355
Pakistan		640	128	269	10	71	53	317
Ceylon	20,544	29,394	42,188	45,675	39,856	38,564	42,871	48,044
Indonesia	20,816	8,585	10,031	11,172	14,695	13,264	12,492	15,267
British Africa	47	2,475	1,512	1,842	3,146	2,711	3,076	2,705
Other Africa		3,431	102	1,938	2,579	1,912	1,395	1,607
Formosa	1,837	2,587	1,581	1,874	4,799	3,630	4,179	4,813
Other	4,080	612	404	1,417	5,436	6,306	2,250	3,277
Total	61,726	80,412	91,622	101,457	111,392	103,019	98,034	104,386
GREEN TEA								
Japan	10,608	3,088	2,600	2,999	3,609	1,871	3,096	2,195
Other	3,069	110	1	11	38	1	5	2
Total	13,677	3,198	2,601	3,010	3,647	1,872	3,101	2,197
Oolong & Misc. Tea	4,331	536	336	532	675	590	558	547
Total tea passed for entry	79,734	84,146	94,559	104,998	115,714	105,481	101,692	107,130

Source—International Tea Committee.

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

Year	(1) Tea sales to Groceries (m. lbs.)	(2) Tea sales to Groceries & Institutions (m. lbs.)	(3) Per Capita Consumption	
			Population 15 yrs & 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	85·0	113·0	·98	·69
1955	80·0	106·6	·87	·64
1956	N.A.	101·7 *	·83 *	·60*
1957	N.A.	107·1 *	·86	·62*

Source :—Col. 2 :—A. C Nielsen.
Col. 3 & 4 :—Tea Council of the U. S. A.
N. A. :—Not available
* :—Estimated.

21. Area planted with tea production and yield per acre in Principal Producing Countries during 1951-1956.

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	614,549	171,035	785,584	514,833	114,364	629,197	838	669	801
1952	614,883	172,495	787,378	503,691	110,674	614,365	819	642	780
1953	615,835	173,607	789,442	491,679	122,919	614,598	798	708	778
1954	616,851	174,470	791,321	523,481	127,997	651,478	849	734	823
1955	616,303	175,882	792,185	542,927	135,444	678,371	881	770	856
1956	615,797	176,736	792,533	547,638	132,972	680,610	889	752	859

1. Area relates to 31st March of the year following that indicated.
2. Production relates to Calendar year.

II. Ceylon

Year	Area in acres	Production in (000) lbs.	Yield per acre in lbs.
1951	570,773	326,279	572
1952	573,187	316,842	553
1953	575,451	343,034	596
1954	577,144	366,738	635
1955	565,518	380,013	672
1956	570,255	375,578	659

1. Area relates to the 31st March of the year following that indicated.
2. Production relates to Calendar year.

III. Pakistan.

Year	Area in acres	Production in (000) lbs.	Yield per acre in lbs.
1951	73,467	52,095	709
1952	73,376	51,538	702
1953	74,362	54,151	738
1954	74,777	54,677	731
1955	75,054	52,482	699
1956	75,054	55,040	733

1. Area relates to the 31st March of the year following that indicated
2. Production relates to Calendar Year.

IV. Indonesia.

Year	Area in acres	Production in (000) lbs.	Yield per acre in lbs.
1951	200,820	102,543	511
1952	193,528	82,181	424
1953	193,400	81,658	422
1954	200,509	103,463	516
1955	198,401	96,992	489
1956	190,123	93,959	494

1. Area relates to the 31st March of the year.
2. Production relates to the Calendar year.

V. East Africa (Kenya, Uganda, Tanganyika & Nyasaland).

Year	Area in acres	Production in (000) lbs.	Yield per acre in lbs.
1951	60,824	36,901	607
1952	62,594	36,652	585
1953	65,394	33,929	519
1954	69,350	44,522	642
1955	72,904	48,039	659
1956	78,229	54,323	694

22. Acreage under tea in India and Ceylon classified by sizes of holdings.

I : INDIA

Size of Estates	North India			South India		
(1)	No of Estates	Acreage	% of Total acreage	No of Estates	Acreage	% of Total acreage
	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Small-Holdings (up to 10 acres)	1,277	3,507·70	0·57	3,916	8,101·26	4·58
Estates 11 Acres to 150 Acres	394	21,758·74	3·53	375	13,714·39	7·76
Estates 151 Acres to 300 Acres	191	42,798·48	6·95	73	16,439·19	9·30
Estates 301 Acres to 500 Acres	193	77,225·75	12·54	59	23,479·94	13·29
Estates Above 500 Acres	527	470,506·19	76·41	139	115,000·92	65·07
Total	2,582	615,796·86	100·00	4,562	176,735·70	100·00

N. B. Figures relate to 31st March, 1957.

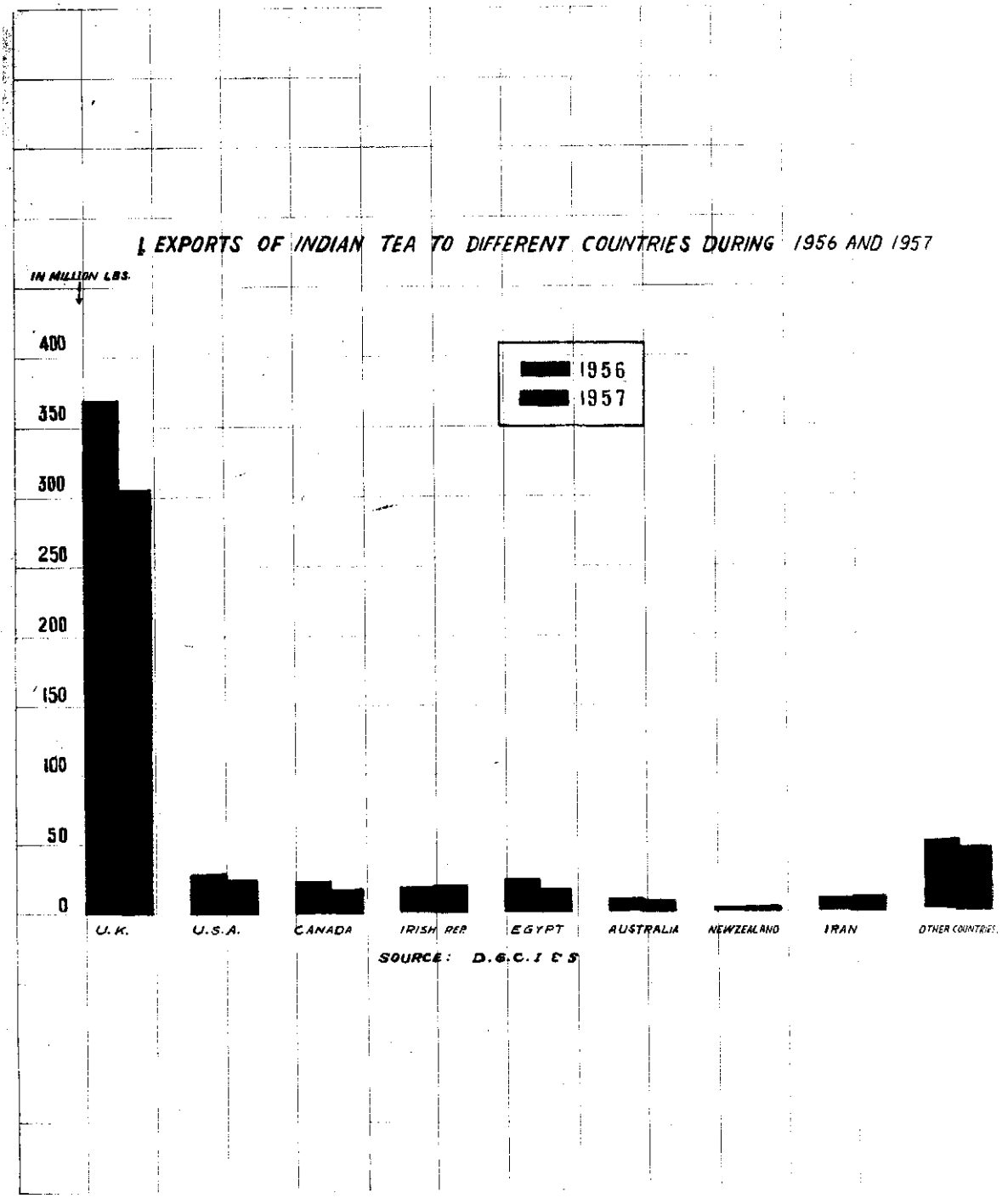
II : CEYLON

Size of Estates	No of Estates	Acreage	Percentage of Total acreage
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Small-Holdings (below 10 acres)	89,124	72,580	12·74
Estates 10 acres and above but below 100 acres	1,736	48,170	8·46
Estates 100 acres and above but below 500 acres	568	159,423	28·00
Estates of 500 acres and above	339	289,287	50·80
Total	91,767	569,460	100·00

N. B. Figures relate to 31st December, 1956.

PART III.

GRAPHS AND CHARTS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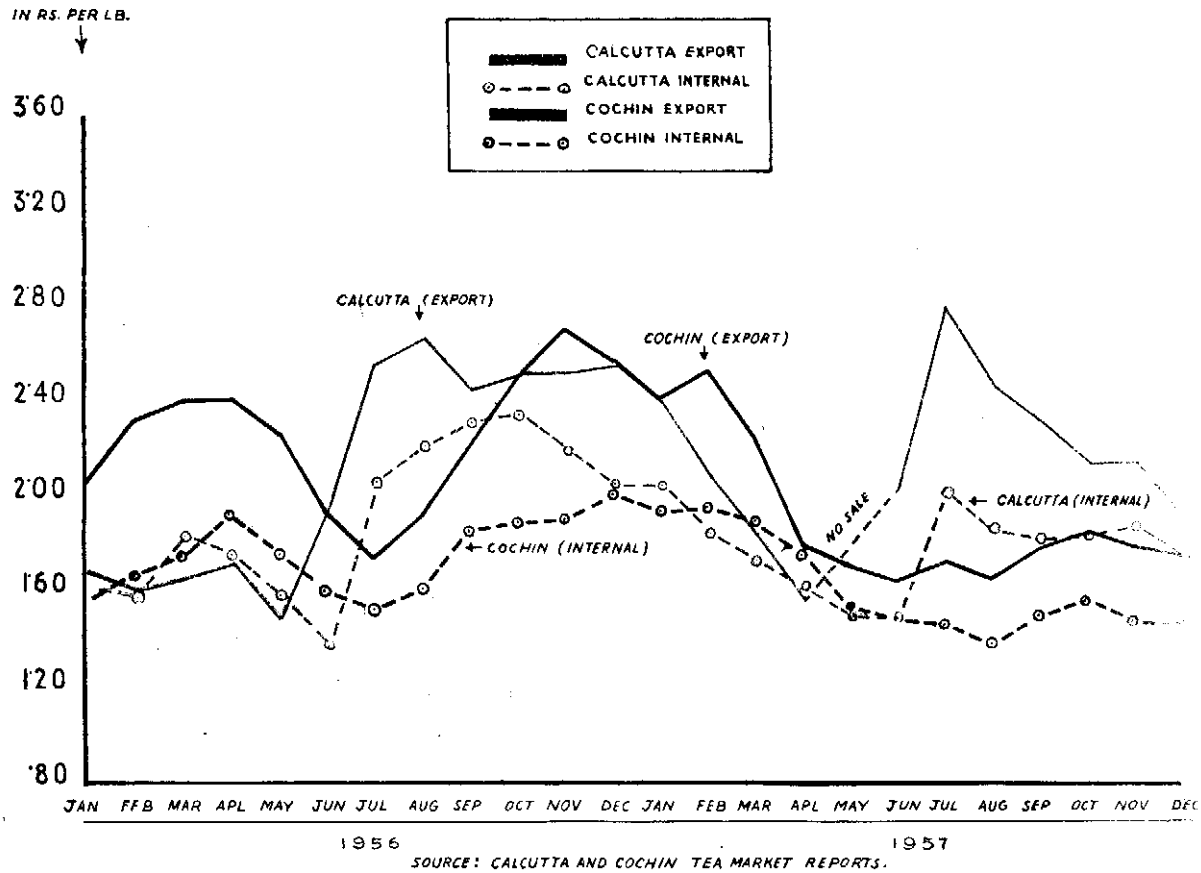
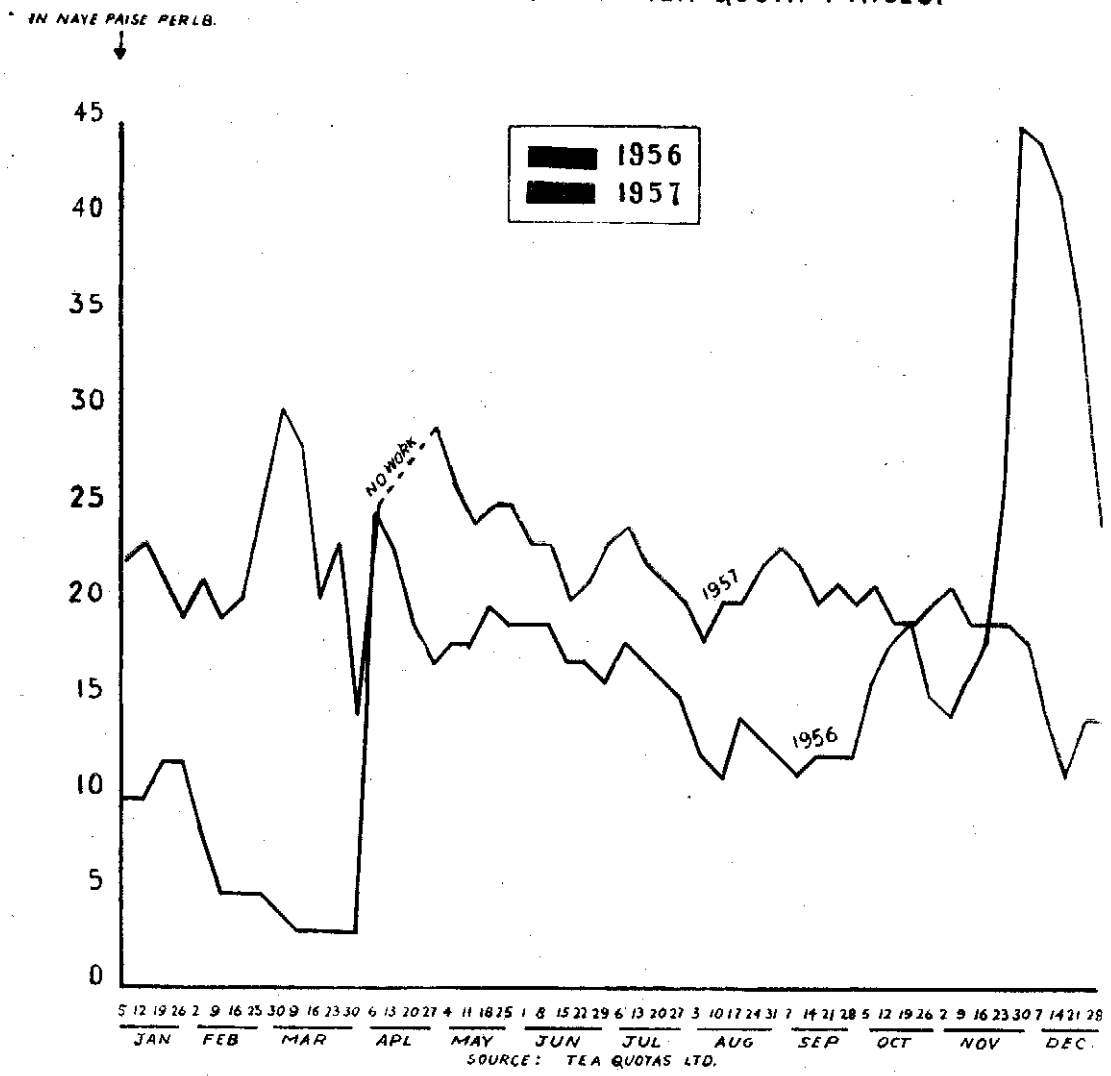
SOURCE: D.G.C.I & S

2. AVERAGE MONTHLY PRICES OF TEA SOLD AT CALCUTTA AND COCHIN AUCTIONS.



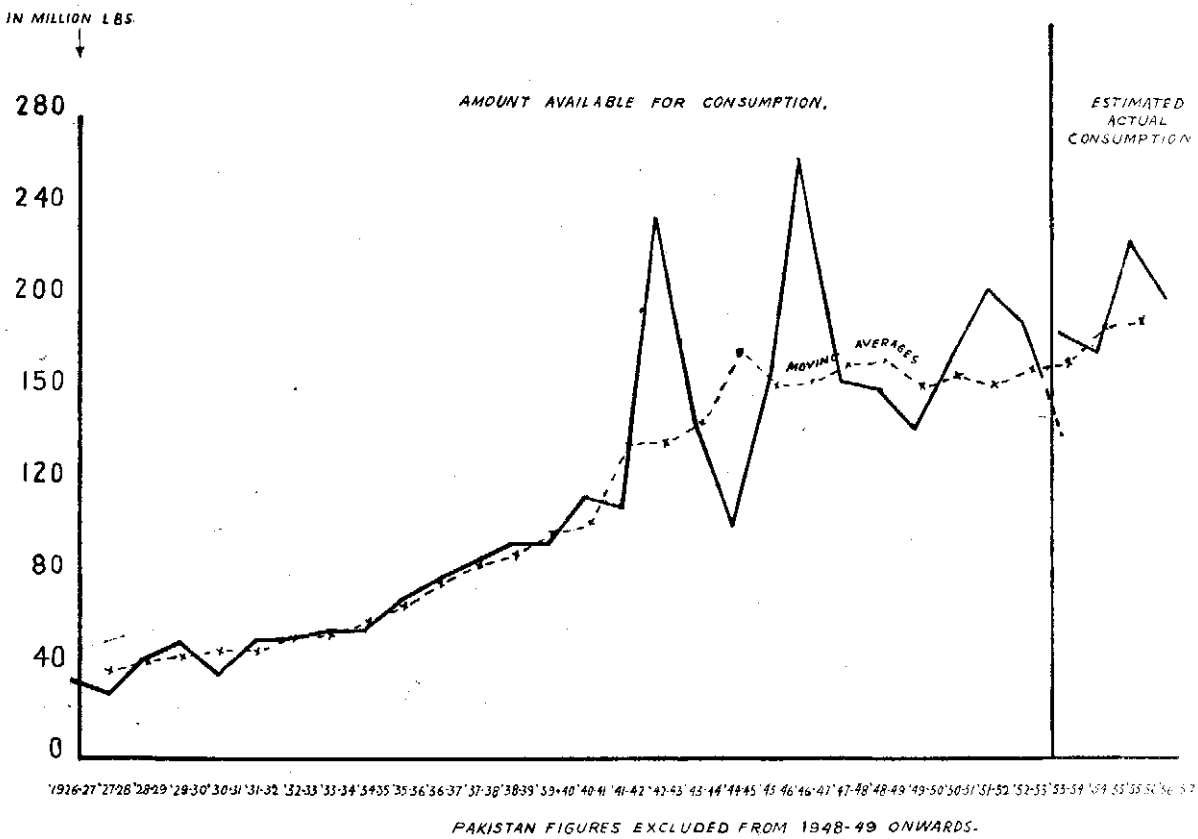
SOURCE: CALCUTTA AND COCHIN TEA MARKET REPORTS.

3. WEEKLY AVERAGES OF TEA QUOTA PRICES.



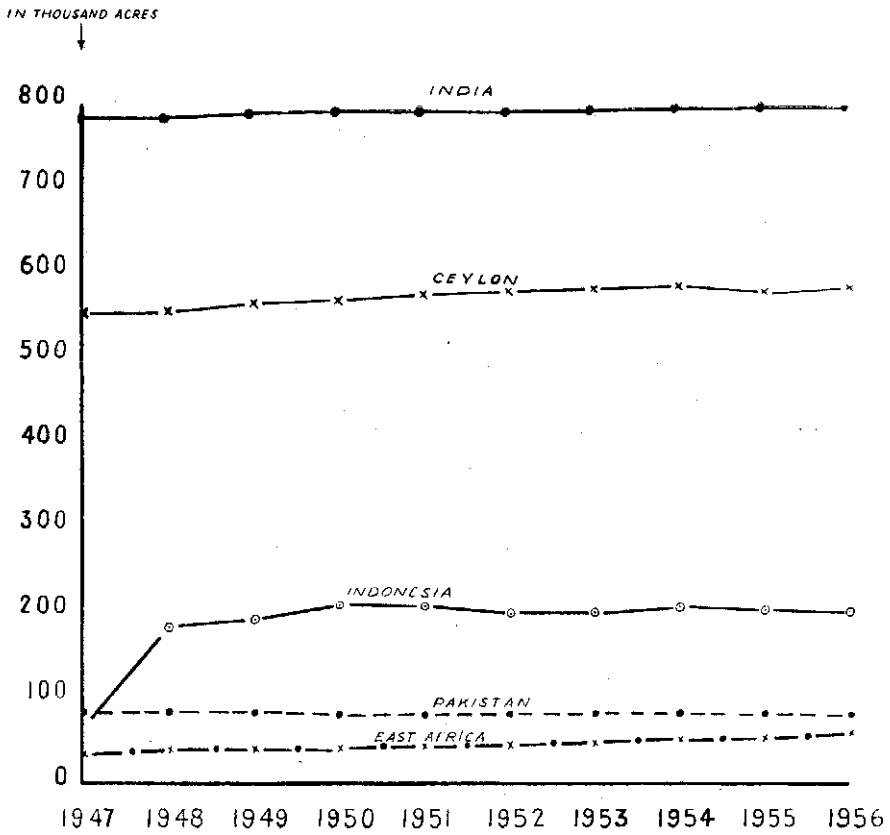
SOURCE: TEA QUOTAS LTD.

4. INTERNAL CONSUMPTION OF TEA IN INDIA.



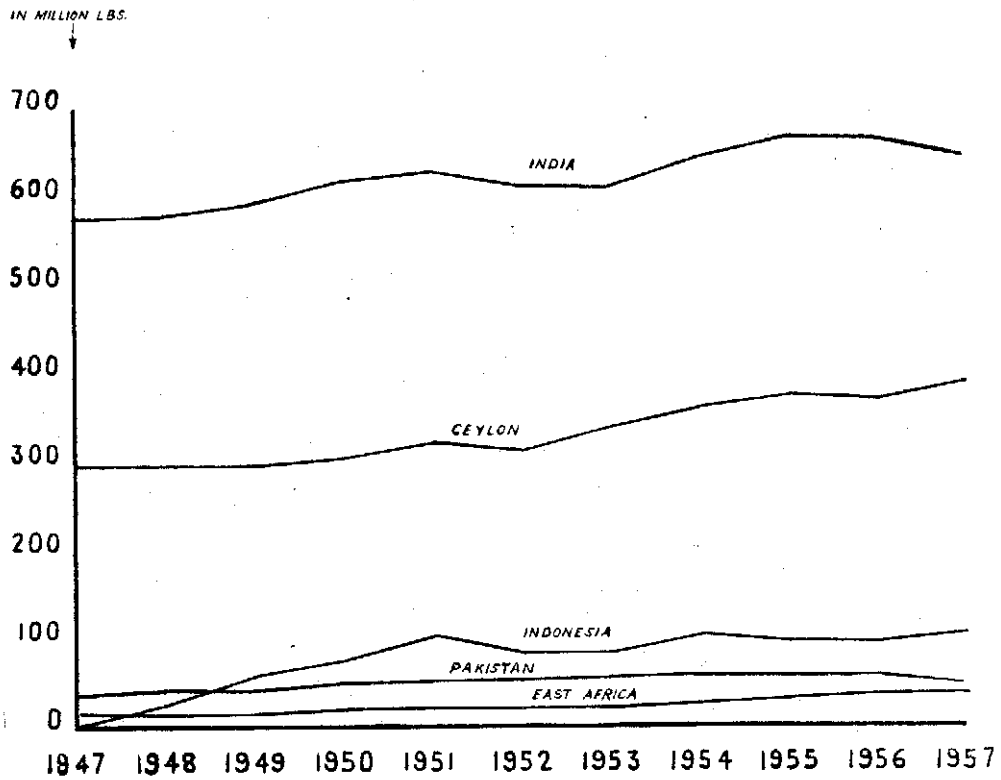
PAKISTAN FIGURES EXCLUDED FROM 1948-49 ONWARDS.

5. AREA PLANTED WITH TEA IN PRINCIPAL PRODUCING COUNTRIES.



INDIA, PAKISTAN AND CEYLON – 31ST MARCH OF THE YEAR FOLLOWING THAT INDICATED.
EAST AFRICA – KENYA, UGANDA AND TANGANYIKA.
SOURCE – I.T.C. BULLETIN OF STATISTICS
FOR COUNTRIES OTHER THAN INDIA.

6 PRODUCTION OF TEA IN PRINCIPAL PRODUCING COUNTRIES.



EAST AFRICA - KENYA UGANDA AND TANGANYIKA
FIGURES FOR 1957 ARE PROVISIONAL
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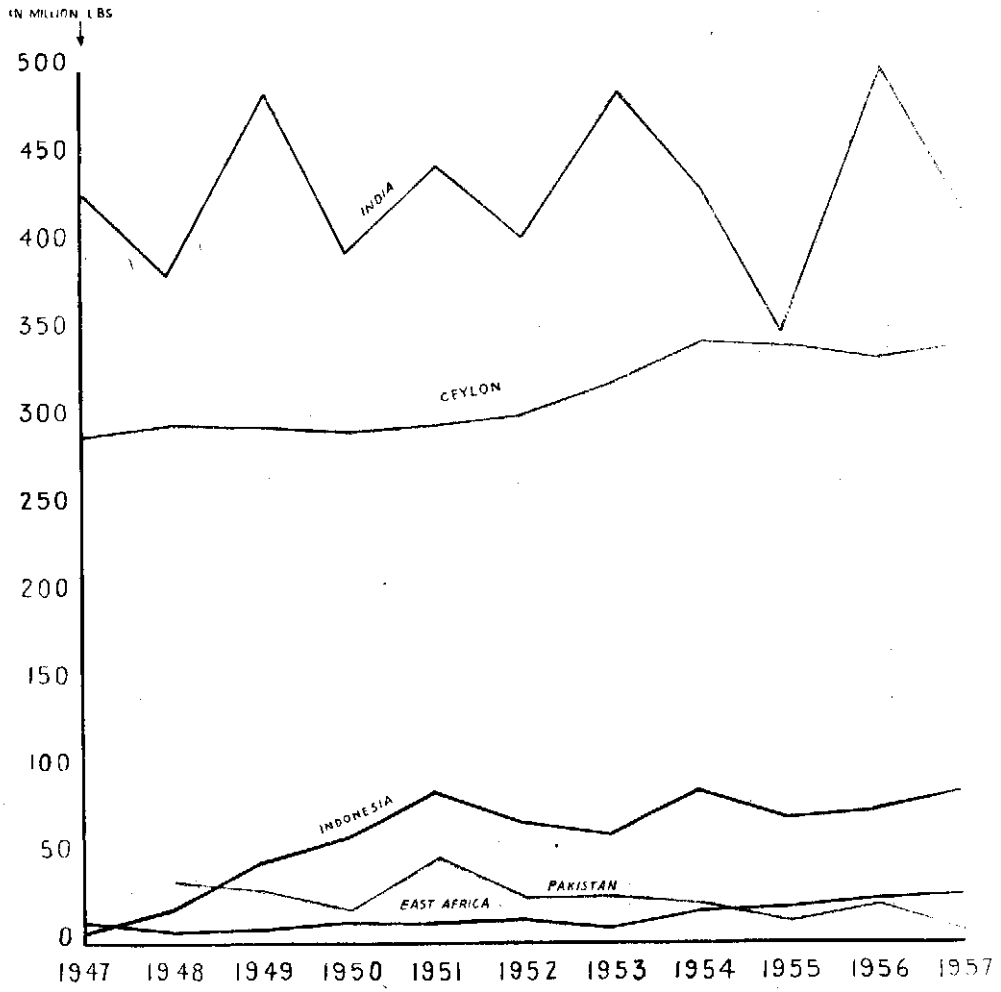
7. TOTAL EXPORTS OF TEA FROM DIFFERENT PRODUCING COUNTRIES.



EAST AFRICA – KENYA, UGANDA AND TANGANYIKA.
PAKISTAN – INCLUDED IN INDIA UPTO 1947
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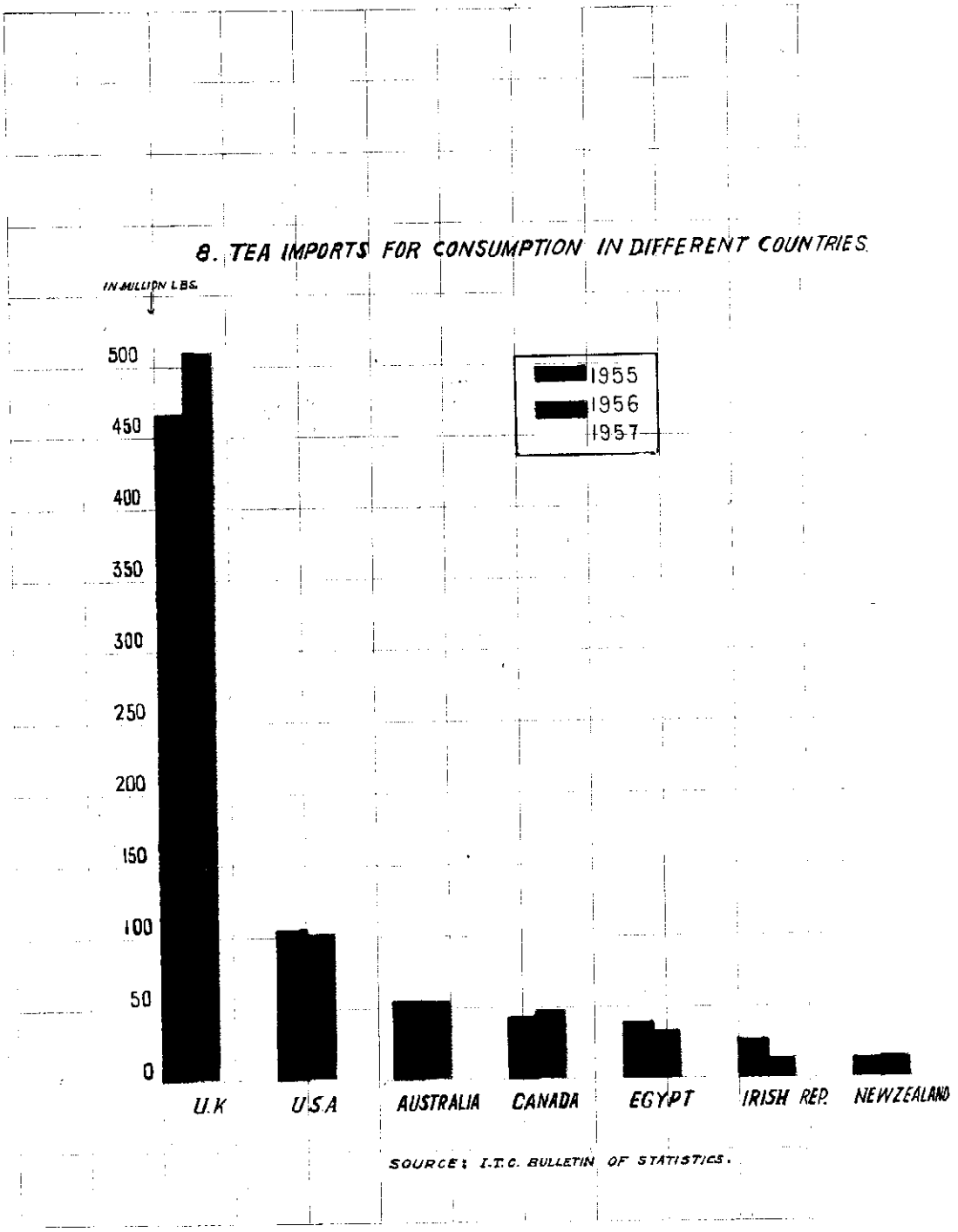
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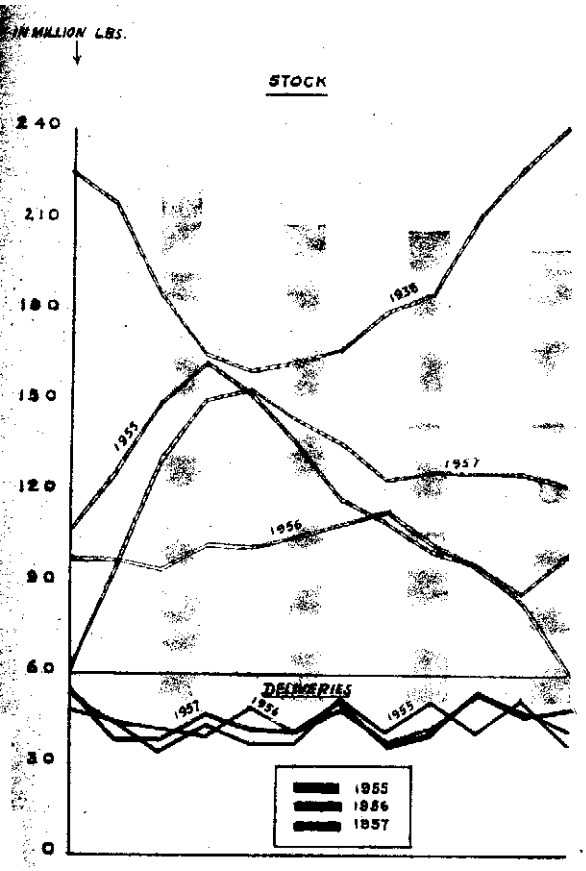
9. STOCK OF TEA IN BONDED WAREHOUSES IN U.K. AND DELIVERIES FROM BONDED WAREHOUSES



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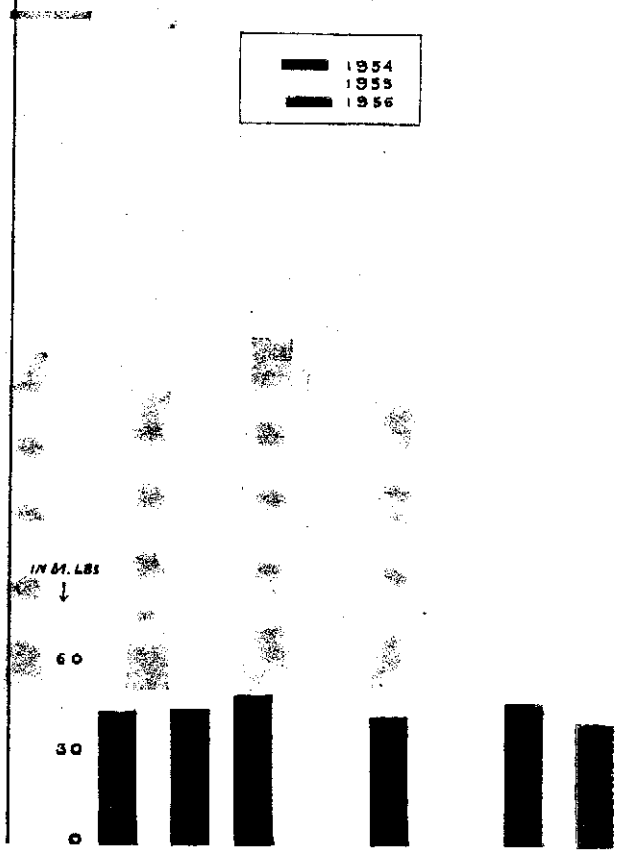

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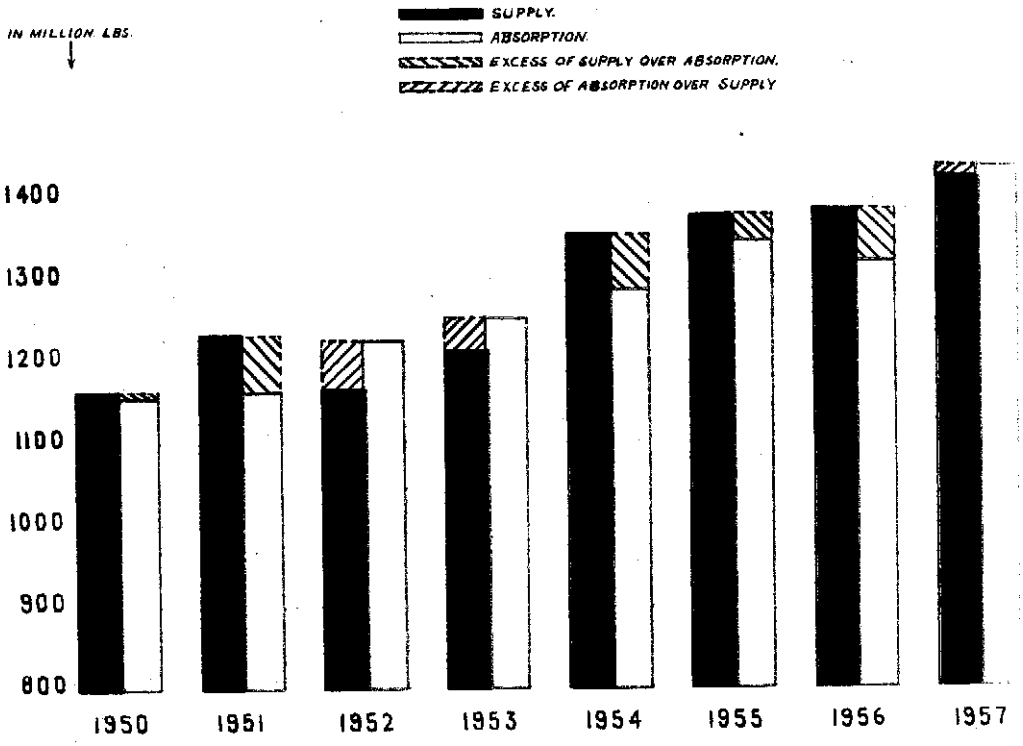
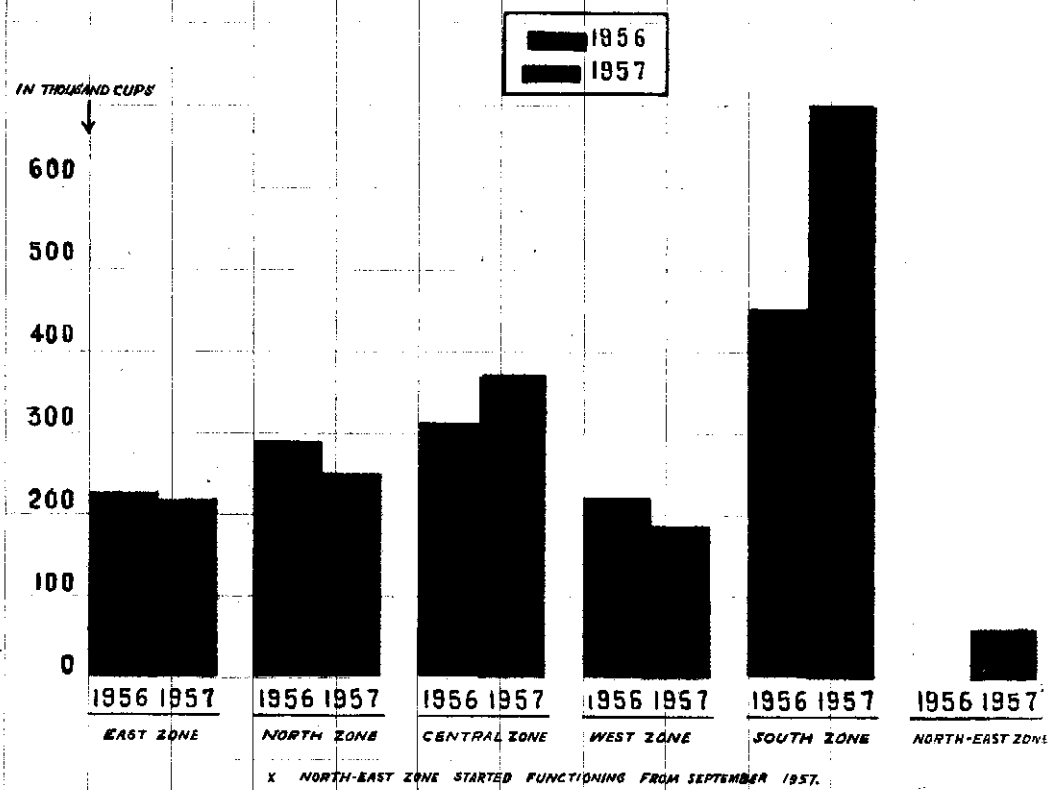
11. TREND OF WORLD SUPPLY AND ABSORPTION.



SOURCE: INTERNATIONAL TEA COMMITTEE.

12. SALE OF LIQUID TEA IN CAMPAIGN TOWNS.



13. WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES OF TEA
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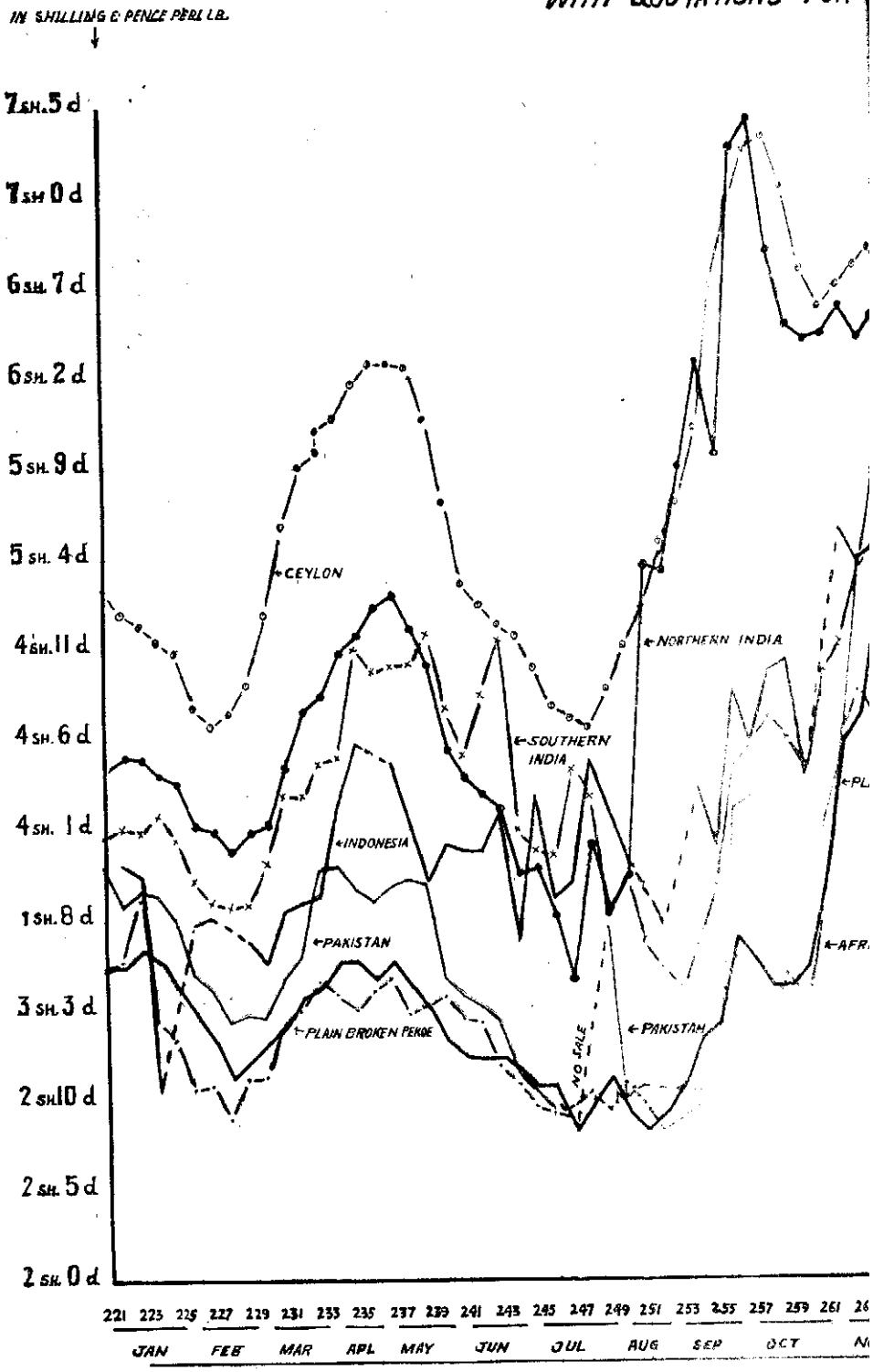

SOURCE :- LONDON

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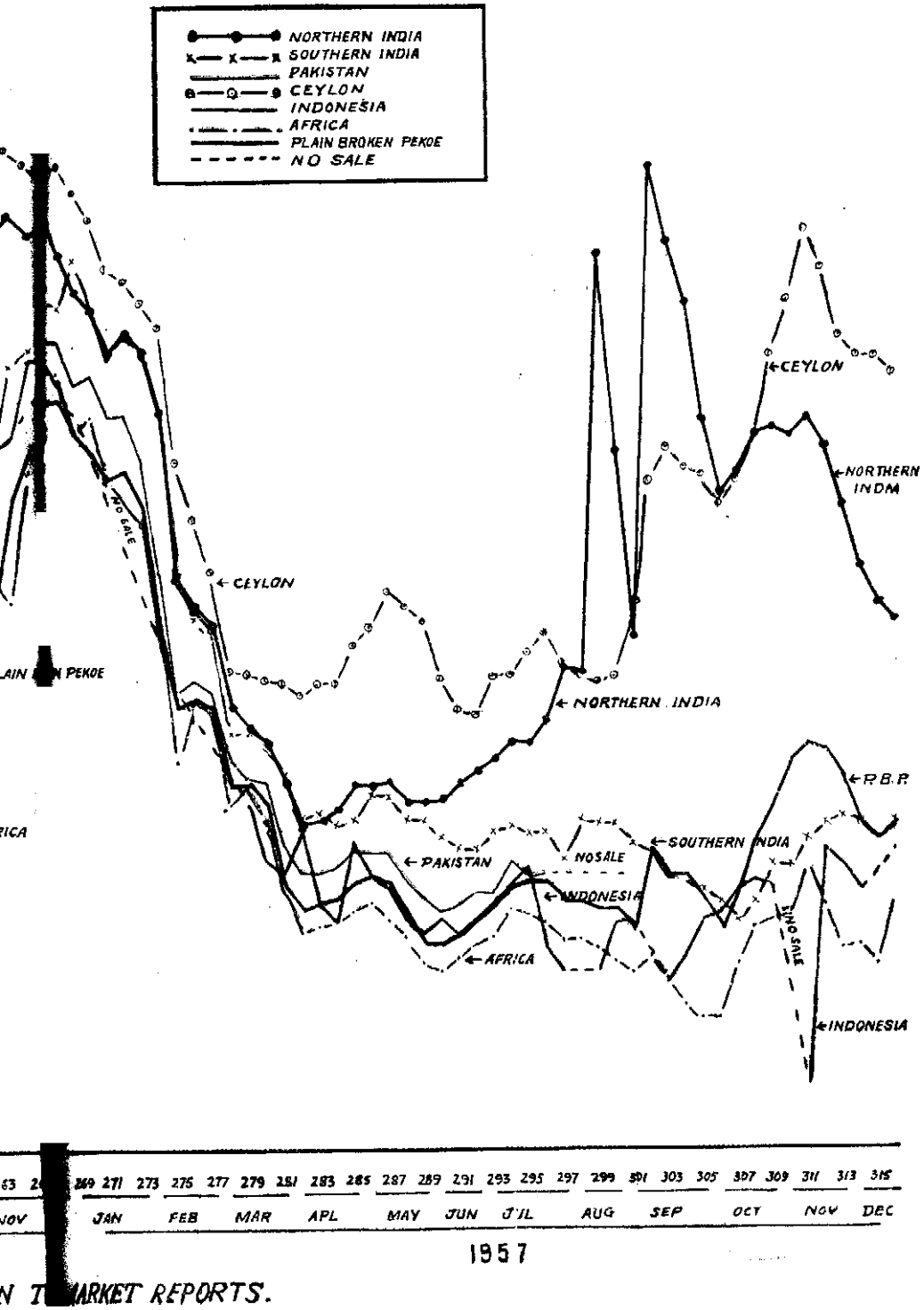

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