The Government today released the 4th advance estimates of foodgrain production for 2012-13. As per the latest estimates, India has produced 255.36 million tonnes of foodgrains during 2012-13 compared to 259.29 million tonnes in the previous year.

The production estimates for major crops for 2012-13 are as follows:

**Total foodgrains – 255.36 million tonnes**
- Rice – 104.40 million tonnes
- Wheat – 92.46 million tonnes
- Coarse Cereals – 40.06 million tonnes
- Maize – 22.23 million tonnes

**Pulses – 18.45 million tonnes**
- Tur – 3.07 million tonnes
- Urad – 1.90 million tonnes
- Moong – 1.20 million tonnes
- Gram – 8.88 million tonnes

**Oilseeds – 31.01 million tonnes**
- Soyabean – 14.68 million tonnes
- Groundnut – 4.75 million tonnes
- Rapeseed & mustard – 7.82 million tonnes
- Cotton – 34.00 million bales (of 170 kg each)

**Sugarcane – 338.96 million tonnes**

MP:SS: BK:CP: fourth advance estimates (22.7.2013)