

4th Advance Estimates of Foodgrain Production for 2012-13 Released
Foodgrain Production Estimated at 255.36 MT
Pulses Production Estimated at Record 18.45 MT
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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

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