

PER CAPITA NET AVAILABILITY OF FOODGRAINS

(000 TONNES UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED)

(As on 17.05.2018)

Year	Population in thousand persons	Production		Net Imports	Change of Stocks	Net availability	Per Capita Net Availability	
		Gross	Net				Kg. per year	Grams per day
RICE								
2015	1259108	105480	97464	-11032	946	85486	67.9	186.0
2016	1273986	104410	96475	-10043	786	85646	67.2	184.2
2017	1288522	109700	101363	-12581	2731	86051	66.8	183.0
2018(P)	1302896	111520	103044	-12683	1792	88569	68.0	186.2
WHEAT								
2015	1259108	86530	76060	-176	-1325	77209	61.3	168.0
2016	1273986	92290	81123	1693	-10041	92857	72.9	199.7
2017	1288522	98510	86590	5134	5815	85909	66.7	182.7
2018(P)	1302896	98610	86678	1420	5172	82926	63.6	174.4
OTHER CEREALS								
2015	1259108	42860	36753	-1189	-156	35720	28.4	77.7
2016	1273986	38520	33705	-349	45	33311	26.1	71.6
2017	1288522	43770	38299	-373	18	37908	29.4	80.6
2018(P)	1302896	44870	39261	-555	-48	38754	29.7	81.5
CEREALS								
2015	1259108	234870	205511	-12397	-535	193649	153.8	421.4
2016	1273986	235220	205818	-8699	-9210	206329	162.0	443.7
2017	1288522	251980	220483	-7820	8564	204099	158.4	434.0
2018(P)	1302896	255000	223125	-11818	6916	204391	156.9	429.8
PULSES								
2015	1259108	17150	15006	5115	0	20121	16.0	43.8
2016	1273986	16350	14306	5951	241	20016	15.7	43.0
2017	1288522	23130	20239	6811	1314	25736	20.0	54.7
2018(P)	1302896	24510	21446	5428	939	25935	19.9	54.5
FOODGRAINS								
2015	1259108	252020	220518	-7282	-535	213771	169.8	465.1
2016	1273986	251570	220124	-2748	-8969	226345	177.7	486.8
2017	1288522	275110	240721	-1009	9878	229834	178.4	488.7
2018(P)	1302896	279510	244571	-6390	7855	230326	176.8	484.3

P - Provisional figure is based on 3rd Advance Estimates of production for 2017-18, Net Import for April 2017 to March 2018 and stock position as on 01.04.2018.

The net availability of foodgrains is estimated to be Gross Production (-) seed, feed & wastage, (-) exports (+) imports, (+/-) change in stocks.

The net availability of foodgrains divided by the population estimates for a particular year indicate per capita availability of foodgrains in terms of kg/year. Net availability, thus worked out is further divided by the number of days in a year i.e., 365 days which is taken as net availability of foodgrains in terms of grams/day.

Figures in respect of per capita net availability given above are not strictly representative of actual level of consumption in the country especially as they do not take in to account any change in stocks in possession of traders, producers and consumers.

Foodgrains includes rice, wheat, other cereals and all pulses