

**Area Sown under Kharif -2018
(as on 14th September 2018)**

(In lakh ha.)

Sr. No.	Crop	Area Sown in 2017-18	Area Sown in 2018-19	% Change
				2018-19
1	Rice	374.81	383.34	2.28
2	Pulses	138.60	137.41	-0.86
3	Coarse Cereals	182.23	175.46	-3.72
4	Oilseeds	171.98	177.29	3.09
5	Sugarcane	49.86	51.94	4.17
6	Jute & Mesta	7.09	7.02	-0.99
7	Cotton	120.98	120.56	-0.35
	Total	1045.55	1053.03	0.72

Source: Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, GoI