

Final Estimates of 2018-19 and 1st Advance Estimates of 2019-20 of Area and Production of various Horticulture Crops

Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmers Welfare has released the Final Estimates of 2018-19 and 1st Advance Estimates of 2019-20 of Area and Production of various Horticulture Crops. These are based on the information received from different State/UTs and other source agencies.

Total Horticulture	2017-18	2018-19 (Final Estimates)	2019-20 (1 st Advanced Estimate)
Area (Million Hectare)	25.24	25.43	25.61
Production (Million Tonnes)	310.67	310.74	313.35

Source: PHD Research Bureau; PHDCCI, compiled from various sources

Highlights of 2018-19(Final)

- The Total Horticulture Production of the country is estimated to be 310.74 Million Tonne in 2018-19, which is marginally higher than the Horticulture Production in 2017-18.
- Increase in Fruits, Flowers, Spices and Honey while decrease in Vegetables, Aromatic & Medicinal Plants and Plantation Crops.
- Fruits Production is estimated to be around 97.97 Million Tonne, compared to 96.45

Million Tonne of 2017-18.

- Vegetables Production is estimated to be around 183.17 Million, which is lesser than the production of 2017-18.
- Onion Production is estimated to be around 22.82 Million Tonne, which is lesser than the production of 2017-18.
- Potato Production is estimated to be around 50.19 Million Tonne, which is lesser than the production of 2017-18.
- Tomato Production is estimated to be around 19.01 Million Tonne, which is lower than the production of 2017-18.

Highlights of 2019-20 (1st Advance Estimates)

- Total Horticulture production in 2019-20 (1st Advance Estimates) is expected to be 0.84% higher than 2018-19.
- Increase in Vegetables, Aromatics and Medicinal and Plantations is envisaged but decrease in Fruits, Flowers and Spices is expected.
- The Fruits production is expected to be lower by 2.27% in 2019-20 over 2018-19. It is mainly due to loss in production of Grapes, Banana, Mango, Citrus, Papaya and Pomegranate.
- Increase of 2.64 % in production of vegetables in 2019-20 over 2018-19. Increase is mainly due to increased production of Onion, Potato and Tomato.
- Onion production is expected to be 24.45 Million Tonne (increase of 7.17%) as compared to 22.82 Million Tonne in 2018-19.
- Potato production is expected to be 51.94 Million Tonne (increase of 3.49%) as compared to 50.19 Million Tonne in 2018-19.
- Tomato production is expected to be 19.33 Million Tonne (increase of 1.68%) as compared to 19.01 Million Tonnes in 2018-19.

Area and Production of Horticulture Crops- All India: 2018-19 & 2019-20 (Area in '000 hectare; production in '000 Tonnes)

Crops	2018-19 (Final)		2019-20 (1 st Advance Estimate)	
	Area	Production	Area	Production
Fruits				
Apple	308	2316	308	2734

Banana	866	30460	875	29649
Citrus				
Lime/Lemon	305	3482	314	3547
Sweet Orange	187	3266	191	3110
Mango	2296	21378	2309	21285
Vegetables				
Onion	1220	22819	1293	24454
Potato	2173	50190	2149	51947
Tomato	781	19007	800	19328
Spices				
Chillies (Dried)	780	1743	733	1764
Coriander	470	592	632	762
Cumin	1027	699	842	547

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