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Final estimates of production of major crops for the year 2022-23

The Final Estimates of production of major crops for the year 2022-23 have been released by the Department of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare. Record food grain production of 329.68 million tonnes is estimated. Union Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Minister Shri Narendra Singh Tomar said that the new record production of food grains of the country is the result of hard work of farmers, efficient research of scientists and farmer friendly policies of the Government.

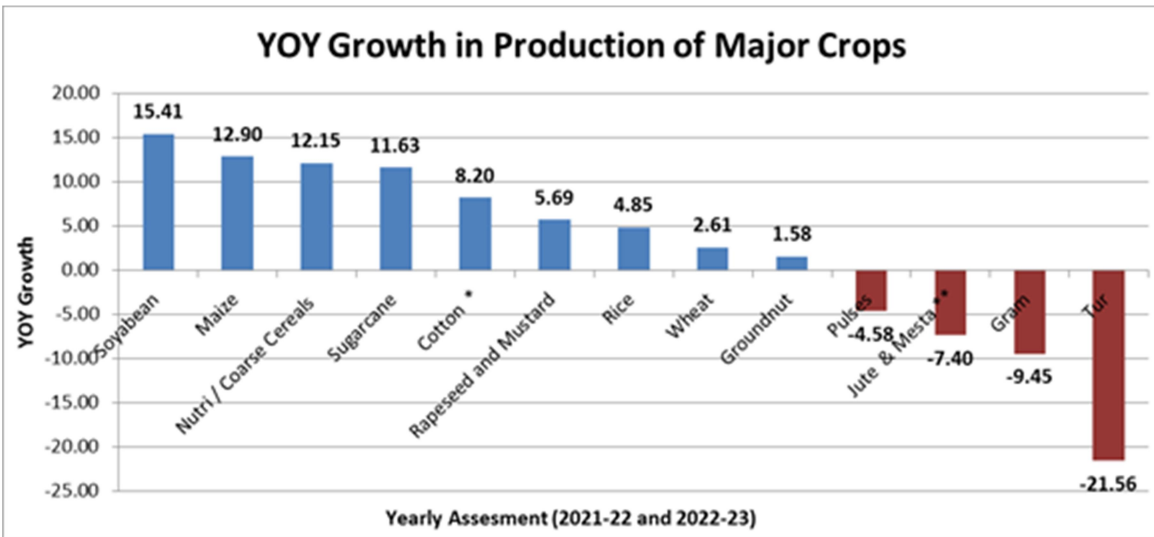
As per Final Estimates, the estimated production of major crops during 2022-23 is as under:

Crops	Final Estimates FY 2021-22 (million tonnes)	Final Estimates FY 2022-23 (million tonnes)	Growth % (YoY)
1. Rice	129.47	135.75	4.85
2. Wheat	107.74	110.55	2.61
3. Nutri / Coarse Cereals	51.1	57.31	12.15
4. Maize	33.73	38.08	12.90
5. Pulses	27.3	26.05	-4.58
6. Tur	4.22	3.31	-21.56
7. Gram	13.54	12.26	-9.45
Food Grains (Total)	315.61	329.68	4.46
1. Groundnut	10.13	10.29	1.58
2. Soyabean	12.98	14.98	15.41
3. Rapeseed	11.96	12.64	5.69

and Mustard			
Oilseeds (Total)	35.08	41.35	17.87
Sugarcane	439.42	490.53	11.63
Cotton*	31.11	33.66	8.20
Jute & Mesta**	10.14	9.39	-7.40

Source: PHD Research Bureau, compiled from Agricultural Statistics Division Directorate of Economics & Statistics Department, *Million bales (of 170 kg each) **Million bales (of 180 kg each)

Oilseed production has increased by 17%, followed by sugarcane (11.63%), cotton (8.20%), and food grains (4.46%), according to a comparison of the production of major food crops for the years 2022–2023 and 2021–2022. Among oilseeds, Soybean production increased by 15.41%, followed by Rapeseed & Mustard (5.69) and Groundnut (1.58%). While foodgrains production shows that production of maize and coarse cereals rose by 12%, but that of pulses, gram, and tur dropped with tur production showing a significant decline of 21.56%.



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As per Final Estimates for 2022-23, total Foodgrain production in the country is estimated at record 329.68 million tonnes which is higher by 14.07 million tonnes than the production of foodgrains of 315.61 million tonnes achieved during 2021-22. Further, the production during 2022-23 is higher by 30.86 million tonnes than the previous five years' (2017-18 to 2021-22) average production of foodgrains.

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