

LABOUR & EMPLOYMENT

TABLE 3.16 : EMPLOYMENT IN PLANTATIONS

Year	Tea		Coffee (1)		Rubber(2)	
	No. of Estates	Average daily no. of workers	No. of Estates	Average daily no. of workers	No. of Estates	Average daily no. of workers
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1955	6604	989656	12805	227228	14417	57813
1956	6840	1004683	13388	199153	18155	62437
1957	7123	1004257	18157	195540	26476	71032
1958	7276	980238	18595	260654	50150	83846
1959	8084	919405	29299	283616	54912	88721
1960	8934	845166	31400	285444	57351	93754
1961	9499	822834	34238	259498	62930	101776
1962	9653	816262	35231	298500	66317	106363
1963	9774	847372	36610	300754	69986	111820
1964	9835	818783	37385	308755	70937	114106
1965	10166	806152	46428	89546#	74314	116118
1966	10823	804135	..	..	78377	133147
1967	10861	775183	47882	97945#	93385	135104
1968	10901	755729	48963	107883#	100090	139795
1969	11501	747835	50125	..	107472	144423
1970	11603	759646	49523	..	115078	146591
1971	12015	766593	50851	..	115111	147902
1972	12999	761919	51661	..	120263	148040
1973	12999	766039	52696	242823	125024	149635
1974	..	..	52365	247455	128428	151357
1975	13264	774897	58072	231208	132047	157754
1976	13116	776162	80587	209647	137127	162661
1977	13229	788673	91246	229876	140777	168475
1978	13257	804741	90772	254795	144594	175480
1979	13299	..	95297	..	147700	180000
1980	13390	846659	96485	276749	194000	192000
1981	13410	849206	99802	287024	215000	199000
1982	13428	861686	99873	344505	231000	204000
1983	..	..	108138	362669	267000	213000
1984	13473	881366	112153	351235	293000	220000
1985	13536	892398	114003	361346	317000	225000
1986	13546	891954	117185	370586	337000	229000
1987	..	..	..	..	..	..
1988	..	..	119940	371655	385000	240000
1989	..	..	..	..	410000	247000
1990	13860	986781	122765	382566	780933	282674
1991	13873	996735	136033	367004	815881	293108
1992	13918	991704	140293	378497	842839	304618
1993	13936	991019	140293	378497	864042	310800
1994	35116	1028694	..	455600	881743	315900
1995	37319	1028787	..	458230	911615	322300
1996	38705	1029651	..	487460	931960	328900
1997	38707	1032267	..	486730	958046	335450
1998	88115\$	1045401\$	..	491700	971299	341320
1999	98867	1188815	..	526470	986810	345200
2000	112010	1210055	156811	535156	991876	347700
2001	116659	1232150	156811	551777	1004489	348700
2002	127801	1255100	173807	496845	1007528	354300
2003	129027	1256210	173808	527540	1016825	372770
2004	129027	1257610	173808	527431	1029275	380320
2005	140713	1258800	..	..	1049655	388050
2006	143217	1259500	..	..	1073120	397000
2007	..	..	..	..	1090000	405800

Sources: Central Statistical Organisation: Statistical Abstract, India

(E) Estimated, (P) - Provisional

From 1965 to 1968 data in respect of average daily Number of workers are not comparable with the earlier years as data from Karnataka and Tamil Nadu states relates to estates covered under Plantation Labour Act.

(\$) Since 1998 figures are inclusive of small growers operating in different tea producing districts/states.

(1) Figures relate to 31st March of the year stated.

(2) Figures relate to 31st March of the next year.